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Deprecated List

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use [free_descs](#) instead

Global [bufr_create_msg](#) (dd *descs, int ndescs, varfl *vals, void **datasec, void **ddsec, size_t *datasecl, size_t *ddsecl)

Use [bufr_encode_sections34](#) instead.

Global [rldc](#) (char *outfile, varfl *vals, size_t *nvals)

Use [rldc_to_file](#) instead.

Global [rlenc](#) (char *infile, int nrows, int ncols, varfl **vals, size_t *nvals)

Use [rlenc_from_file](#) instead.

Global [rlenc_compress_line](#) (int line, unsigned char *src, int ncols, varfl **dvals, size_t *nvals)

Use [rlenc_compress_line_new](#) instead.

Global [save_sections](#) (char **sec, size_t *secl, char *buffile)

Use [bufr_write_file](#) instead.

Global [setup_sec0125](#) (char *sec[], size_t secl[], [sect_1_t](#) s1)

use [bufr_encode_sections0125](#) instead

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Module Documentation

Basic functions for encoding to BUFR

Basic functions for encoding to BUFR

- `int bufr_encode_sections34 (dd *descs, int ndescs, varfl *vals, bufr_t *msg)`
Creates section 3 and 4 of BUFR message from arrays of data and data descriptors.
- `int bufr_encode_sections0125 (sect_1_t *s1, bufr_t *msg)`
This function creates sections 0, 1, 2 and 5.
- `int bufr_write_file (bufr_t *msg, const char *file)`
This functions saves the encoded BUFR-message to a binary file.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

`int bufr_encode_sections34 (dd * descs, int ndescs, varfl * vals, bufr_t * msg)`

This function codes data from an array data descriptors `descs` and an array of `varfl`-values `vals` to a data section and a data descriptor section of a BUFR message. Memory for both sections is allocated in this function and must be freed by the calling functions.

Parameters:

in	<i>descs</i>	Data-descriptors corresponding to <code>vals</code> . For each descriptor there must be a data-value stored in <code>vals</code> . <code>descs</code> may also include replication factors and sequence descriptors. In that case there must be a larger number of <code>vals</code> then of <code>descs</code> .
in	<i>ndescs</i>	Number of data descriptors contained in <code>descs</code> .
in	<i>vals</i>	Data-values to be coded in the data section. For each entry in <code>descs</code> there must be an entry in <code>vals</code> . If there are replication factors in <code>descs</code> , of course there must be as much <code>vals</code> as defined by the replication factor.
out	<i>msg</i>	The BUFR message where to store the coded descriptor and data sections. The memory-area for both sections is allocated by this function and must be freed by the calling function using bufr_free_data .

Returns:

The return-value is 1 if data was successfully stored, 0 if not.

See Also:

[bufr_encode_sections0125](#), [bufr_data_from_file](#), [bufr_read_msg](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 358 of file `bufr.c`.

int bufr_encode_sections0125 ([sect_1_t](#) * s1, [bufr_t](#) * msg)

This function creates sections 0, 1, 2 and 5 of a BUFR message. Memory for this section is allocated by this function and must be freed by the calling function using [bufr_free_data](#).

The total length of the message is calculated out of the single section length, thus sections 3 and 4 must already be present in the bufr message when calling this function. The BUFR edition is wrote into section 0 and is taken from the global [bufr_edition](#) parameter.

If section 1 data and time parameters are set to 999 (no value), the current system time is taken for coding date and time information.

Parameters:

in	<i>s1</i>	sect_1_t structure containing section 1 data
in,out	<i>msg</i>	BUFR message where the sections are to be stored. Must already contain section 3 and 4.

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error.

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 1447 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_write_file ([bufr_t](#) * msg, const char * file)

This function takes the encoded BUFR message and writes it to a binary file.

Parameters:

in	<i>msg</i>	The complete BUFR message
in	<i>file</i>	The filename of the destination file

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error

See Also:

[bufr_read_file](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 1577 of file bufr.c.

Basic functions for decoding from BUFR

Basic functions for decoding from BUFR

- int [bufr_read_file](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, const char *file)
This functions reads the encoded BUFR-message to a binary file.
- int [bufr_get_sections](#) (char *bm, int len, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
Calculates the section length of a BUFR message and allocates memory for each section.
- int [bufr_decode_sections01](#) ([sect_1_t](#) *s1, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
This function decodes sections 0 and 1.
- int [bufr_read_msg](#) (void *datasec, void *ddsec, size_t datasecl, size_t ddescl, [dd](#) **descr, int *ndescs, [varfl](#) **vals, size_t *nvals)
Decode BUFR data and descriptor section and write values and descriptors to arrays.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int bufr_read_file ([bufr_t](#) * *msg*, const char * *file*)

This function reads the encoded BUFR message from a binary file, calculates the section length and writes each section to a memory block. Memory for the sections is allocated by this function and must be freed by the calling function using [bufr_free_data](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>msg</i>	The complete BUFR message
in	<i>file</i>	The filename of the binary file

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error

See Also:

[bufr_write_file](#)

Definition at line 402 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_get_sections (char * *bm*, int *len*, [bufr_t](#) * *msg*)

This function calculates the sections length of a BUFR message and allocates memory for each section. The memory has to be freed by the calling function using [bufr_free_data](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>bm</i>	Pointer to the memory where the raw BUFR message is stored
in	<i>len</i>	Length of <i>bm</i>
in,out	<i>msg</i>	The BUFR message containing the single sections and section length

Returns:

Returns the length of the complete BUFR message or 0 on error.

See Also:

[bufr_free_data](#), [bufr_read_file](#)

Definition at line 470 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_decode_sections01 ([sect_1_t](#) * *s1*, [bufr_t](#) * *msg*)

This function decodes sections 0 and 1 of a BUFR message. The BUFR edition is read from section 0 and is written to the global [_bufr_edition](#) parameter.

Parameters:

in,out	<i>s1</i>	sect_1_t structure to contain section 1 data
in	<i>msg</i>	BUFR message where the sections are stored.

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error.

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 1676 of file bufr.c.

```
int bufr_read_msg (void * datasec, void * ddsec, size_t datasecl, size_t ddescl, dd ** descr, int *
ndescs, varfl ** vals, size_t * nvals)
```

This function decodes the data and descriptor sections of a BUFR message and stored them into arrays *descr* and *vals* . Memory for storing descriptor- and data-array is allocated by this function and has to be freed by the calling function.

Parameters:

in	<i>datasec</i>	Is where the data-section is stored.
in	<i>ddsec</i>	Is where the data-descriptor-section is stored.
in	<i>datasecl</i>	Number of bytes of the data-section.
in	<i>ddescl</i>	Number of bytes of the data-descriptor-section.
out	<i>descr</i>	Array where the data-descriptors are stored after reading them from the data-descriptor section. This memory area is allocated by this function and has to be freed by the calling function.
out	<i>ndescs</i>	Number of data-descriptors in <i>descs</i>
out	<i>vals</i>	Array where the data corresponding to the data-descriptors is stored.
out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in <i>vals</i>

Returns:

1 if both sections were decoded successfully, 0 on error

See Also:

[bufr_create_msg](#), [bufr_data_to_file](#)

Definition at line 1826 of file bufr.c.

Extended functions for encoding to BUFR

Extended functions for encoding to BUFR

- int [bufr_out_descsec](#) ([dd](#) *descp, int ndescs, int descl)
Write descriptor section of a BUFR message to the bitsream.
- int [bufr_open_descsec_w](#) (int subsets)
Open bitstream for section 3 for writing and set default values.
- void [bufr_close_descsec_w](#) ([bufr_t](#) *bufr, int descl)
Write length of section 3 and close bitstream.
- int [bufr_parse_in](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*inputfkt)([varfl](#) *val, int ind), int callback_descs)
Parse data descriptors and call user defined input function for each element or for each descriptor.
- void [bufr sect 1 from file](#) ([sect 1_t](#) *s1, const char *file)
Reads section 1 from a file and stores data read in s1.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int bufr_out_descsec ([dd](#) * *descp*, int *ndescs*, int *desch*)

This function writes the descriptor section of a BUFR message to the section 3 bitstream which has already been opened using [bufr_open_descsec_w](#)

Parameters:

in	<i>descp</i>	Array holding the data descriptors
in	<i>ndescs</i>	Number of descriptors
in	<i>desch</i>	Handle to the bitstream

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error

See Also:

[bufr_open_descsec_w](#), [bufr_out_descsec](#)

Definition at line 547 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_open_descsec_w (int *subsets*)

This function opens the bitstream for section 3 and sets default values. The bitstream must be closed using [bufr_close_descsec_w](#).

Returns:

Returns handle for the bitstream or -1 on error.

See Also:

[bufr_close_descsec_w](#), [bufr_out_descsec](#)

Definition at line 579 of file bufr.c.

void bufr_close_descsec_w ([bufr_t](#) * *bufr*, int *desch*)

This function calculates and writes the length of section 3, then closes the bitstream.

Parameters:

in,out	<i>bufr</i>	BUFR message to hold the section.
in	<i>desch</i>	Handle to the bitstream

See Also:

[bufr_open_descsec_w](#), [bufr_out_descsec](#)

Definition at line 618 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_parse_in ([dd](#) * *descs*, int *start*, int *end*, int(*)([varfl](#) **val*, int *ind*) *inputfkt*, int *callback_descs*)

This function, derived from [bufr_parse_new](#), parses a descriptor or a sequence of descriptors and calls the user defined function `inputfkt` for reading each data-value corresponding to an element descriptor. In case of CCITT (ASCII) data it calls the user-function for each character of the string.

Data values are wrote out to the global data section bitstream (see [bufr_open_datasect_w](#)).

Optionally `inputfkt` is called also for sequence descriptors and ccitt descriptors

Parameters:

in	<i>descs</i>	Pointer to the data-descriptors.
in	<i>start</i>	First data-descriptor for output.
in	<i>end</i>	Last data-descriptor for output.
in	<i>inputfkt</i>	User defined input function to be called for each data-element or descriptor
in	<i>callback_descs</i>	Flag that indictes when the user-functions are to be called:

		0 for normal behaviour (call <code>inputfkt</code> for each element descriptor and each CCITT character) 1 for extended behaviour (call <code>inputfkt</code> also for sequence descriptors and CCITT descriptors)
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Returns:

The function returns 1 on success, 0 on error

See Also:

[bufr_parse](#), [bufr_parse_new](#), [bufr_parse_in](#), [Callback functions for encoding to BUFR](#),
[bufr_open_datasect_w](#)

Definition at line 1295 of file `bufr.c`.

void bufr_sect_1_from_file ([sect_1_t](#) * s1, const char * file)

This function reads section 1 from an ASCII file and stores the data read in a structure `s1` . If the file can not be read, `s1` is filled with internally defined default values.

Parameters:

in,out	<i>s1</i>	Structure where section 1 data is stored.
in	<i>file</i>	Filename of the input file.

See Also:

[bufr_sect_1_to_file](#)

Definition at line 1365 of file `bufr.c`.

Extended functions for decoding from BUFR

Extended functions for decoding from BUFRExtended functions for decoding from BUFRFunctions

- int [bufr_parse_out](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*outputfkt)([varfl](#) val, int ind), int callback_all_descs)
Parse data descriptors and call user defined output function for each element or for each descriptor.
- int [bufr_sect_1_to_file](#) ([sect_1_t](#) *s1, const char *file)
Writes section 1 data to an ASCII file.
- int [bufr_in_descsec](#) ([dd](#) **descs, int ndescs, int desch)
Read descriptor section of a BUFR message from the bitstream.
- int [bufr_open_descsec_r](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, int *subsets)
Open bitstream of section 3 for reading.
- void [bufr_close_descsec_r](#) (int desch)
close bitstream for section 3
- int [bufr_get_ndescs](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg)
Calculate number of data descriptors in a BUFR message.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int bufr_parse_out ([dd](#) * *descs*, int *start*, int *end*, int(*)([varfl](#) *val*, int *ind*) *outputfkt*, int *callback_all_descs*)

This function, derived from [bufr_parse_new](#), parses a descriptor or a sequence of descriptors and calls the user defined function *outputfkt* for each data-value corresponding to an element descriptor. In case of CCITT (ASCII) data it calls the user-function for each character of the string.

Data values are read from the global data section bitstream (see [bufr_open_datasect_r](#)).

Optionally *outputfkt* is called for all descriptors including sequence descriptors, repetition descriptors, ...

Parameters:

in	<i>descs</i>	Pointer to the data-descriptors.
in	<i>start</i>	First data-descriptor for output.
in	<i>end</i>	Last data-descriptor for output.
in	<i>outputfkt</i>	User defined output function to be called for each data-element or descriptor
in	<i>callback_all_descs</i>	Flag that indicates when the user-functions are to be called: 0 for normal behaviour (call <i>outputfkt</i> for each element descriptor and each CCITT character) 1 for extended behaviour (call <i>outputfkt</i> for all descriptors)

Returns:

The function returns 1 on success, 0 on error

See Also:

[bufr_parse](#), [bufr_parse_new](#), [bufr_parse_in](#), [Callback functions for decoding from BUFR](#), [bufr_open_datasect_r](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 1341 of file *bufr.c*.

int bufr_sect_1_to_file ([sect_1_t](#) * *s1*, const char * *file*)

This function writes section 1 data to an ASCII file

Parameters:

in	<i>s1</i>	Structure where section 1 data is stored.
in	<i>file</i>	Filename of the output file.

See Also:

[bufr_sect_1_from_file](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 1750 of file *bufr.c*.

int bufr_in_descsec ([dd](#) ** *descs*, int *ndescs*, int *desch*)

This function reads the descriptor section of a BUFR message from the bitstream which was opened using [bufr_open_descsec_r](#)

Parameters:

in,out	<i>descs</i>	Array to hold the data descriptors
in	<i>ndescs</i>	Number of descriptors
in	<i>desch</i>	Handle to the bitstream

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error

See Also:

[bufr_get_ndescs](#), [bufr_open_descsec_r](#), [bufr_out_descsec](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 1911 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_open_descsec_r ([bufr_t](#) * *msg*, int * *subsets*)

This function opens a bitstream for reading of section 3. It must be closed by [bufr_close_descsec_r](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>msg</i>	The encoded BUFR message
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Returns:

Returns handle to the bitstream or -1 on error

See Also:

[bufr_close_descsec_r](#), [bufr_in_descsec](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 1963 of file bufr.c.

void bufr_close_descsec_r (int *desch*)

This function closes the input bitstream of section 3 which was opened by [bufr_open_descsec_r](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>desch</i>	Handle to the bitstream
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See Also:

[bufr_open_descsec_r](#), [bufr_in_descsec](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 2002 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_get_ndescs ([bufr_t](#) * *msg*)

This function calculates the number of data descriptors in a BUFR message.

Parameters:

in	<i>msg</i>	The complete BUFR message
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Returns:

Returns the number of data descriptors.

See Also:

[bufr_in_descsec](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 2162 of file bufr.c.

BUFR utility functions

BUFR utility functions

- int [bufr_parse_new](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*inputfkt)([varfl](#) *val, int ind), int(*outputfkt)([varfl](#) val, int ind), int callback_all_descs)
Parse data descriptors and call user defined functions for each data element or for each descriptor.
- int [bufr_parse](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, [varfl](#) *vals, unsigned *vali, int(*userfkt)([varfl](#) val, int ind))

Parse data descriptors and call user-function for each element.

- void [bufr_free_data](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg)
Frees memory allocated for a BUFR message.
- int [bufr_check_fxy](#) ([dd](#) *d, int ff, int xx, int yy)
Tests equality of descriptor d with (f,x,y)
- int [bufr_val_to_array](#) ([varfl](#) **vals, [varfl](#) v, int *nv)
Store a value to an array of floats.
- int [bufr_desc_to_array](#) ([dd](#) *descs, [dd](#) d, int *ndescs)
Store a descriptor to an array.
- void [bufr_get_date_time](#) (long *year, long *mon, long *day, long *hour, long *min)
Recall date/time info of the last BUFR-message created.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int bufr_parse_new ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*)([varfl](#) *val, int ind) inputfkt, int(*)([varfl](#) val, int ind) outputfkt, int callback_all_descs)

This function, a more general version of [bufr_parse](#), parses a descriptor or a sequence of descriptors and calls the user defined functions `inputfkt` and `outputfkt` for each data-value corresponding to an element descriptor. In case of CCITT (ASCII) data it calls the user-functions for each character of the string.

Data values are read in using the user-defined function `inputfkt` and written out using `outputfkt`.

Optionally the user-defined functions are called for all descriptors, including sequence descriptors and data modification descriptors.

Parameters:

in	<i>descs</i>	Pointer to the data-descriptors.
in	<i>start</i>	First data-descriptor for output.
in	<i>end</i>	Last data-descriptor for output.
in	<i>inputfkt</i>	User defined input function to be called for each data-element or descriptor
in	<i>outputfkt</i>	User defined ouput function to be called for each data-element or descriptor
in	<i>callback_all_descs</i>	Flag that indictes when the user-functions are to be called: 0 for normal behaviour (call user-functions for each element descriptor and each CCITT character) 1 for extended behaviour (call both user-functions also for sequence descriptors and CCITT descriptors, call <code>outputfkt</code> also for replication descriptors and data modification descriptors.)

Returns:

The function returns 1 on success, 0 on error.

See Also:

[bufr_parse](#), [bufr_parse_in](#), [bufr_parse_out](#), [Callback functions for encoding to BUFR](#), [Callback functions for decoding from BUFR](#)

Definition at line 769 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_parse (**dd** * *descs*, int *start*, int *end*, **varfl** * *vals*, unsigned * *vali*, int(*)(**varfl** val, int ind) *userfkt*)

This function parses a descriptor or a sequence of descriptors and calls the user defined function *userfkt* for each data-value corresponding to an element descriptor. In case of CCITT (ASCII) data it calls *userfkt* for each character of the string.

Data values are read from an array of floats stored at *vals*.

Parameters:

in	<i>descs</i>	Pointer to the data-descriptors.
in	<i>start</i>	First data-descriptor for output.
in	<i>end</i>	Last data-descriptor for output.
in	<i>vals</i>	Pointer to an array of values.
in,out	<i>vali</i>	Index for the array <i>vals</i> that identifies the values to be used for output. <i>vali</i> is increased after data-output.
in	<i>userfkt</i>	User-function to be called for each data-element

Returns:

The function returns 1 on success, 0 if there was an error outputting to the bitstreams.

Definition at line 1233 of file bufr.c.

void bufr_free_data (**bufr_t** * *msg*)

This function frees all memory allocated for a BUFR message by [bufr_data_from_file](#), [bufr_encode_sections0125](#), [bufr_read_file](#) or [bufr_get_sections](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>msg</i>	The encoded BUFR message
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Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 1626 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_check_fxy (**dd** * *d*, int *ff*, int *xx*, int *yy*)

This functions tests wheter a descriptor equals the given values f, x, y

Parameters:

in	<i>d</i>	The descriptor to be tested
in	<i>ff,xx,yy</i>	The values for testing

Return values:

1	If the descriptor equals the given values
0	If the descriptor is different to the given values

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 1654 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_val_to_array (**varfl** ** *vals*, **varfl** v, int * *nv*)

This function stores the value *v* to an array of floats *vals*. The memory-block for *vals* is allocated in this function and has to be freed by the calling function. The number of values is used to calculate the size of the array and reallocate memory if necessary.

Parameters:

in,out	<i>vals</i>	The array containing the values
in	<i>v</i>	The value to be put into the array
in,out	<i>nv</i>	Current number of values in the array

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error.

Definition at line 2082 of file bufr.c.

int bufr_desc_to_array ([dd](#) * *descs*, [dd](#) *d*, int * *ndescs*)

This function stores the descriptor *d* to an array of descriptors *descs* . The array *descs* must be large enough to hold *ndescs* + 1 descriptors.

Parameters:

in	<i>descs</i>	The array containing the descriptors
in	<i>d</i>	The descriptor to be put into the array
in,out	<i>ndescs</i>	Current number of descriptors in the array

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error.

Definition at line 2131 of file bufr.c.

void bufr_get_date_time (long * *year*, long * *mon*, long * *day*, long * *hour*, long * *min*)

This function can be called to recall the data/time-info of the last BUFR-message created, if the appropriate data descriptors have been used.

Parameters:

out	<i>year</i>	4 digit year if _bufr_edition is set to 4, year of century (2 digit) if _bufr_edition is < 4.
out	<i>mon</i>	Month (1 - 12)
out	<i>day</i>	(1 - 31)
out	<i>hour</i>	
out	<i>min</i>	

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 2188 of file bufr.c.

Functions for data descriptor management

Functions for data descriptor management

- int [read_tables](#) (char **dir*, int *vmtab*, int *vltab*, int *subcent*, int *gencent*)
Reads bufr tables from csv-files.
- int [read_bitmap_tables](#) (char **dir*, int *vltab*, int *subcent*, int *gencent*)
Reads list of special bitmap descriptors from csv-files.
- void [show_desc_args](#) (int *argc*, char ***argv*)
Prints the specified descriptor or all if no descriptor specified.
- void [show_desc](#) (int *f*, int *x*, int *y*)
*Prints the specified descriptor or all if *f* = 999.*
- int [get_index](#) (int *typ*, [dd](#) **descr*)

Returns the index for the given descriptor and typ.

- int [read_tab_d](#) (char *fname)
Reads bufr table d from a csv-files.
- int [read_tab_b](#) (char *fname)
Reads bufr table b from a csv-files.
- void [free_descs](#) (void)
Frees all memory that has been allocated for data descriptors.
- char * [get_unit](#) (dd *d)
Returns the unit for a given data descriptor.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int read_tables (char * dir, int vmtab, int vltab, int subcent, int gencent)

This function reads the descriptor tables from csv-files and stores the descriptors in a global array [des](#). Memory for the descriptors is allocated by this function and has to be freed using [free_descs](#).

The filenames are generated by this function and have the form bufrtab{b|d}_Y.csv or loctab{b|d}_X_Y.csv where X is a value calculated of the originating center and subcenter. (X = subcent * 256 + gencent) Y is the table version.

Parameters:

in	dir	The directory where to search for tables, if NULL the function uses the current directory
in	vmtab	Master table version number
in	vltab	Local table version number.
in	subcent	Originating/generating subcenter
in	gencent	Originating/generating center

Returns:

Returns 0 on success or -1 on errors.

Note:

The local tables are optional

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 189 of file desc.c.

int read_bitmap_tables (char * dir, int vltab, int subcent, int gencent)

This function reads a list of descriptors, which are used to encode compressed bitmaps or arrays of float values. Each line in the file has 4 parameters (f,x,y,w), where f,x,y define the bufr descriptors and w the encoding method. The following encoding methods are defined: 1 - 1 byte pixel value (unsigned) 2 - 2 byte pixel value (unsigned) 4 - 4 byte float value 8 - 8 byte double value

The filenames are generated by this function and have the form bmtab_X.csv or bmtab_X_Y.csv where X is a value calculated of the originating center and subcenter. (X = subcent * 256 + gencent) and Y is the table version.

Parameters:

in	<i>dir</i>	The directory where to search for tables, if NULL the function uses the current directory
in	<i>vltab</i>	Local table version number.
in	<i>subcent</i>	Originating/generating subcenter
in	<i>gencent</i>	Originating/generating center

Returns:

Returns 0 on success or -1 on errors.

Note:

This table is optional

Definition at line 294 of file desc.c.

void show_desc_args (int argc, char ** argv)

This function prints all information on the specified descriptor or all descriptors if no descriptor is specified. The command line arguments are: [-d tabdir] [-m vmtab] [-l vltab] [-o ocenter] [-s scenter] f x y

Parameters:

in	<i>argc,argv</i>	Command line arguments.
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Definition at line 379 of file desc.c.

void show_desc (int f, int x, int y)

This function prints all information on the specified descriptor or all descriptors if f = 999

Parameters:

in	<i>f,x,y</i>	The descriptor to display.
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Definition at line 420 of file desc.c.

int get_index (int typ, [dd](#) * descr)

This function returns the index into the global [des](#) array of a descriptor given by parameters *typ* and *descr*.

Parameters:

in	<i>typ</i>	The type of descriptor (ELDESC or SEQDESC).
in	<i>descr</i>	The descriptor.

Returns:

The index of the descriptor in [des](#) or -1 on error.

Definition at line 564 of file desc.c.

int read_tab_d (char * fname)

This function reads a sequence descriptor table (d) from a csv-file and stores the descriptors in a global array [des](#). Memory for the descriptors is allocated by this function and has to be freed using [free_descs](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>fname</i>	The name of a csv-file.
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Returns:

Returns 1 on success or 0 on error.

See Also:

[read_tables](#), [read_tab_b](#)

Definition at line 623 of file desc.c.

int read_tab_b (char * fname)

This function reads an element descriptor table (b) from a csv-file and stores the descriptors in a global array [des](#). Memory for the descriptors is allocated by this function and has to be freed using [free_descs](#).

Parameters:

in	fname	The name of the csv-file.
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Returns:

Returns 1 on success or 0 on error.

See Also:

[read_tables](#), [read_tab_d](#)

Definition at line 784 of file desc.c.

void free_descs (void)

This function frees all memory that has been allocated for data descriptors

See Also:

[read_tables](#), [read_tab_b](#), [read_tab_d](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 914 of file desc.c.

char* get_unit (dd * d)

This function searches the global [des](#) array and returns the unit for a data descriptor.

Parameters:

in	d	The descriptor.
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Returns:

Pointer to a string containing the unit or NULL if the descriptor is not found in the global [des](#) array.

Definition at line 1140 of file desc.c.

Functions for run length encoding

Functions for run length encodingFunctions for run length encodingFunctions

- int [rlenc_from_file](#) (char *infile, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals, int depth)
Runlength-encodes a radar image from a file to an array.
- int [rlenc_from_mem](#) (unsigned short *img, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals)
This function encodes a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rlenc_from_mem_float](#) (float *img, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals)
This function encodes a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rlenc_compress_line_new](#) (int line, unsigned int *src, int ncols, [varfl](#) **dvals, int *nvals)
Encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rlenc_compress_line_float](#) (int line, float *src, int ncols, [varfl](#) **dvals, int *nvals)
Encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int rlenc_from_file (char * *infile*, int *nrows*, int *ncols*, [varfl](#) ** *vals*, int * *nvals*, int *depth*)

This function encodes a radar image file with *depth* bytes per pixel to BUFR runlength-code and stores the resulting values into an array *vals* by a call to [bufr_val_to_array](#).

Currently *depth* can be one or two bytes per pixel. In case of two bytes per pixel data is read in "High byte - low byte order". So pixel values 256 257 32000 are represented by 0100 0101 7D00 hex.

Note:

In difference to the old [rlenc](#) function the initial length of *vals* must be given in the parameter *nvals* in order to prevent [bufr_val_to_array](#) from writing to an arbitrary position.

Parameters:

in	<i>infile</i>	File holding the radar image.
in	<i>ncols</i>	Number of columns of the image.
in	<i>nrows</i>	Number of rows of the image.
in	<i>depth</i>	Image depth in bytes
in,out	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in VALS.

Returns:

The return-value ist 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

See Also:

[rlenc_from_mem](#), [rldec_to_file](#), [rlenc_compress_line_new](#)

Definition at line 390 of file rlenc.c.

int rlenc_from_mem (unsigned short * *img*, int *nrows*, int *ncols*, [varfl](#) ** *vals*, int * *nvals*)

This function encodes a radar image in memory to BUFR runlength-code and stores the resulting values into an array *vals* by a call to [bufr_val_to_array](#).

Note:

In difference to the old [rlenc](#) function the initial length of *vals* must given in the parameter *nvals* in order to prevent [bufr_val_to_array](#) from writing to an arbitrary position.

Parameters:

in	<i>img</i>	Array holding the uncompressed radar image.
in	<i>ncols</i>	Number of columns of the image.
in	<i>nrows</i>	Number of rows of the image.
in,out	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in vals .

Returns:

The return-value ist 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

See Also:

[rlenc_from_file](#), [rldec_to_mem](#), [rlenc_compress_line_new](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#). Definition at line 664 of file rlenc.c.

int rlenc_from_mem_float (float * *img*, int *nrows*, int *ncols*, [varfl](#) ** *vals*, int * *nvals*)

This function encodes a radar image in memory to BUFR runlength-code and stores the resulting values into an array *vals* by a call to [bufr_val_to_array](#).

Note:

In difference to the old [rlenc](#) function the initial length of *vals* must given in the parameter *nvals* in order to prevent [bufr_val_to_array](#) from writing to an arbitrary position.

Parameters:

in	<i>img</i>	Array holding the uncompressed radar image.
in	<i>ncols</i>	Number of columns of the image.
in	<i>nrows</i>	Number of rows of the image.
in,out	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in <i>vals</i> .

Returns:

The return-value ist 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

See Also:

[rlenc_from_file](#), [rldec_to_mem](#), [rlenc_compress_line_new](#), [rlenc_to_mem_float](#)

Examples:

[apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 734 of file [rlenc.c](#).

int rlenc_compress_line_new (int *line*, unsigned int * *src*, int *ncols*, [varfl](#) ** *dvals*, int * *nvals*)

This function encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code and stores the resulting values to array *dvals* by a call to [bufr_val_to_array](#).

Note:

In difference to the old [rlenc_compress_line](#) function the initial length of *vals* must given in the parameter *nvals* in order to prevent [bufr_val_to_array](#) from writing to an arbitrary position.

Parameters:

in	<i>line</i>	Line number.
in	<i>src</i>	Is where the uncompressed line is stored.
in	<i>ncols</i>	Number of pixels per line.
in,out	<i>dvals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in <i>VALS</i> .

Returns:

The function returns 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

See Also:

[rldec_decompress_line](#)

Definition at line 980 of file [rlenc.c](#).

int rlenc_compress_line_float (int *line*, float * *src*, int *ncols*, [varfl](#) ** *dvals*, int * *nvals*)

This function encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code and stores the resulting values to array *dvals* by a call to [bufr_val_to_array](#).

Note:

In difference to the old [rlenc_compress_line](#) function the initial length of *vals* must given in the parameter *nvals* in order to prevent [bufr_val_to_array](#) from writing to an arbitrary position.

Parameters:

in	<i>line</i>	Line number.
in	<i>src</i>	Is where the uncompressed line is stored.
in	<i>ncols</i>	Number of pixels per line.

in,out	<i>dvals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in VALS.

Returns:

The function returns 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

See Also:

[rldec decompress line](#), [rldec decompress line float](#)

Definition at line 1095 of file rlenc.c.

Functions for run length decoding

Functions for run length decodingFunctions for run length decodingFunctions

- int [rldec to file](#) (char *outfile, [varfl](#) *vals, int depth, int *nvals)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image to a file.
- int [rldec to mem](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, unsigned short **img, int *nvals, int *nrows, int *ncols)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image to memory.
- int [rldec to mem float](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, float **img, int *nvals, int *nrows, int *ncols)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded float image to memory.
- void [rldec decompress line float](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, float *dest, int *ncols, int *nvals)
Decodes one line of a float image from BUFR runlength-code.
- void [rldec decompress line](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, unsigned int *dest, int *ncols, int *nvals)
Decodes one line of a radar image from BUFR runlength-code.
- void [rldec get size](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, int *nrows, int *ncols)
Gets the number of rows and columns of a runlength compressed image.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int [rldec to file](#) (char * *outfile*, [varfl](#) * *vals*, int *depth*, int * *nvals*)

This function decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image stored at *vals* . The decoded image is stored in a "\p depth byte-per-pixel-format" at the file *outfile* . Currently *depth* can be one or two bytes per pixel. In case of two bytes per pixel data is stored in "High byte - low byte order". So pixel values 256 257 32000 are represented by 0100 0101 7D00 hex.

Parameters:

in	<i>outfile</i>	Destination-file for the radar image.
in	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in	<i>depth</i>	Number of bytes per pixel
out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of varfl values needed for the compressed radar image.

Returns:

The return-value ist 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

See Also:

[rldec_to_mem](#), [rldec_decompress_line](#), [rlenc_from_file](#)

Definition at line 513 of file rlenc.c.

int rldec_to_mem ([varfl](#) * *vals*, unsigned short ** *img*, int * *nvals*, int * *nrows*, int * *ncols*)

This function decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image stored at *vals* . The decoded image is stored in an array *img* [] which will be allocated by this function if *img* [] = NULL. The memory for the image must be freed by the calling function!

Parameters:

in	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in,out	<i>img</i>	Destination-array for the radar image.
out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of varfl values needed for the compressed radar image.
out	<i>nrows</i>	Number of lines in image
out	<i>ncols</i>	Number of pixels per line

Returns:

The return-value ist 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

See Also:

[rlenc_from_mem](#), [rldec_to_file](#), [rldec_decompress_line](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#).Definition at line 797 of file rlenc.c.

int rldec_to_mem_float ([varfl](#) * *vals*, float ** *img*, int * *nvals*, int * *nrows*, int * *ncols*)

This function decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded float image stored at *vals* . The decoded image is stored in an array *img* [] which will be allocated by this function if *img* [] = NULL. The memory for the image must be freed by the calling function!

Parameters:

in	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in,out	<i>img</i>	Destination-array for the radar image.
out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of varfl values needed for the compressed radar image.
out	<i>nrows</i>	Number of lines in image
out	<i>ncols</i>	Number of pixels per line

Returns:

The return-value ist 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

See Also:

[rlenc_from_mem_float](#), [rldec_to_file](#), [rldec_decompress_line_float](#)

Examples:

[apisample_float.c](#).Definition at line 887 of file rlenc.c.

void rldec_decompress_line_float ([varfl](#) * *vals*, float * *dest*, int * *ncols*, int * *nvals*)

This function decodes one line of a float image from BUFR runlength-code and stores the resulting values to array *dest* which has to be large enough to hold a line.

Parameters:

in	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
out	<i>dest</i>	Is where the uncompressed line is stored.
out	<i>ncols</i>	Number of pixels per line.
out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values needed for compressed line.

See Also:

[rlenc_compress_line float](#)

Definition at line 1204 of file rlenc.c.

void rldec_decompress_line ([varfl](#) * *vals*, unsigned int * *dest*, int * *ncols*, int * *nvals*)

This function decodes one line of a radar image from BUFR runlength-code and stores the resulting values to array *dest* which has to be large enough to hold a line.

Parameters:

in	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
out	<i>dest</i>	Is where the uncompressed line is stored.
out	<i>ncols</i>	Number of pixels per line.
out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values needed for compressed line.

See Also:

[rlenc_compress_line new](#)

Definition at line 1262 of file rlenc.c.

void rldec_get_size ([varfl](#) * *vals*, int * *nrows*, int * *ncols*)

This function gets the number of rows and columns of a runlength compressed image stored at array *vals*

Parameters:

in	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
out	<i>nrows</i>	Number of lines in image.
out	<i>ncols</i>	Number of pixels per line.

See Also:

[rldec_to_file](#), [rldec_decompress_line](#)

Definition at line 1315 of file rlenc.c.

Functions for encoding/decoding from/to OPERA ASCII Files

Functions for encoding/decoding from/to OPERA ASCII FilesFunctions for encoding/decoding from/to OPERA ASCII FilesFunctions

- int [bufr_data_from_file](#) (char *file, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
read data and descriptors from ASCII file and code them into sections 3 and 4
- int [bufr_data_to_file](#) (char *file, char *imgfile, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
Decode data and descriptor sections of a BUFR message and write them to an ASCII file.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int bufr_data_from_file (char * *file*, [bufr_t](#) * *msg*)

This function reads descriptors and data from an ASCII file and codes them into a BUFR data descriptor and data section (section 3 and 4). Memory for both sections is allocated in this function and must be freed by the calling functions using [bufr_free_data](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>file</i>	Name of the input ASCII file
in,out	<i>msg</i>	BUFR message to contain the coded sections

Returns:

1 on succes, 0 on error

See Also:

[bufr_data_to_file](#), [bufr_create_msg](#), [bufr_free_data](#)

Definition at line 167 of file bufr_io.c.

int bufr_data_to_file (char * *file*, char * *imgfile*, [bufr_t](#) * *msg*)

This functions decodes data and descriptor sections of a BUFR message and writes them into an ASCII file. If there is an OPERA bitmap (currently descriptors 3 21 192 to 3 21 197, 3 21 200 and 3 21 202) it is written to a seperate file.

Parameters:

in	<i>file</i>	Name of the output ASCII file
in	<i>imgfile</i>	Name of the output bitmap file(s)
in	<i>msg</i>	BUFR message to contain the coded sections

Returns:

1 on succes, 0 on error

See Also:

[bufr_data_from_file](#), [bufr_read_msg](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#).Definition at line 254 of file bufr_io.c.

Callback functions for encoding to BUFR

Callback functions for encoding to BUFR Callback functions for encoding to BUFR Functions

- int [bufr_val_from_global](#) ([varfl](#) *val, int ind)
Get one value from global array of values.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int bufr_val_from_global ([varfl](#) * val, int ind)

This functions gets the next value from the global array of values.

Parameters:

out	<i>val</i>	The received value
in	<i>ind</i>	Index to the global array des [] holding the description of known data-descriptors.

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error.

See Also:

[bufr_open_val_array](#), [bufr_close_val_array](#)

Definition at line 2456 of file bufr.c.

Callback functions for decoding from BUFR

Callback functions for decoding from BUFR Functions

- **int [bufr_val_to_global](#) ([varfl](#) val, int ind)**
Write one value to global array of values.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int bufr_val_to_global ([varfl](#) val, int ind)

This functions writes one value to the global array of values.

Parameters:

in	<i>val</i>	The value to store
in	<i>ind</i>	Index to the global array des [] holding the description of known data-descriptors.

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error.

See Also:

[bufr_open_val_array](#), [bufr_close_val_array](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 2488 of file bufr.c.

Utilities for encoding callback functions

Utilities for encoding callback functionsUtilities for encoding callback functionsFunctions

- `int bufr_open_datasect_w ()`
Opens bitstream for section 4 writing.
- `void bufr_close_datasect_w (bufr_t *msg)`
Closes bitstream for section 4 and adds data to BUFR message.
- `bufrval_t * bufr_open_val_array ()`
Opens global array of values for read/write.
- `void bufr_close_val_array ()`
Closes global array of values and frees all memory.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

`int bufr_open_datasect_w ()`

This function opens the data section bitstream for writing and returns its handle.

Returns:

Returns the handle to the data section bitstream or -1 on error.

See Also:

[bufr_close_datasect_w](#), [bufr_parse_in](#)

Definition at line 2320 of file `bufr.c`.

`void bufr_close_datasect_w (bufr_t * msg)`

This function closes the data section bitstream and appends it to a BUFR message, also stores the length in the BUFR message.

Parameters:

<code>in,out</code>	<code>msg</code>	BUFR message where the data has to be stored
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See Also:

[bufr_open_datasect_w](#), [bufr_parse_in](#)

Definition at line 2398 of file `bufr.c`.

`bufrval_t* bufr_open_val_array ()`

This function opens the global array of values for use by [bufr_val_from_global](#) and [bufr_val_to_global](#) and returns its pointer.

Returns:

Pointer to the array of values or NULL on error.

See Also:

[bufr_close_val_array](#), [bufr_val_to_global](#), # [bufr_val_from_global](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 2514 of file bufr.c.

void bufr_close_val_array ()

This function closes the global array of values used by [bufr_val_from_global](#) and [bufr_val_to_global](#) and frees all allocated memory.

See Also:

[bufr_open_val_array](#), [bufr_val_to_global](#), [bufr_val_from_global](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 2541 of file bufr.c.

Utilities for decoding callback functions

Utilities for decoding callback functionsUtilities for decoding callback functionsFunctions

- int [bufr_open_datasect_r](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg)
Opens bitstream for reading section 4.
- void [bufr_close_datasect_r](#) ()
Closes bitstream for section 4.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

int bufr_open_datasect_r ([bufr_t](#) * msg)

This function opens the data section bitstream at for reading and returns its handle.

Parameters:

in	msg	The BUFR message containing the data section.
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Returns:

Returns the handle to the data section bitstream or -1 on error.

See Also:

[bufr_close_datasect_r](#), [bufr_parse_out](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 2358 of file bufr.c.

void bufr_close_datasect_r ()

This function closes the data section bitstream.

See Also:

[bufr_open_datasect_r](#), [bufr_parse_out](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 2434 of file bufr.c.

Functions for input and output to/from a bitstream

Functions for input and output to/from a bitstream

- `int bitio_i_open (void *buf, size_t size)`
This function opens a bitstream for input.
- `int bitio_i_input (int handle, unsigned long *val, int nbits)`
This function reads a value from a bitstream.
- `void bitio_i_close (int handle)`
Closes an bitstream that was opened for input.
- `int bitio_o_open ()`
Opens a bitstream for output.
- `long bitio_o_append (int handle, unsigned long val, int nbits)`
This function appends a value to a bitstream.
- `void bitio_o_outp (int handle, unsigned long val, int nbits, long bitpos)`
This function outputs a value to a specified position of a bitstream.
- `size_t bitio_o_get_size (int handle)`
Returns the size of an output-bitstream (number of bytes)
- `void * bitio_o_close (int handle, size_t *nbytes)`
This function closes an output-bitstream.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

`int bitio_i_open (void * buf, size_t size)`

This function opens a bitstream for input.

Parameters:

in	<i>buf</i>	Buffer to be used for input
in	<i>size</i>	Size of buffer.

Returns:

the function returns a handle by which the bitstream can be identified for all subsequent actions or -1 if the maximum number of opened bitstreams exceeds.

See Also:

[bitio_i_close](#), [bitio_i_input](#), [bitio_o_open](#)

Definition at line 157 of file bitio.c.

int bitio_i_input (int *handle*, unsigned long * *val*, int *nbits*)

This function reads a value from a bitstream. The bitstream must have been opened by [bitio_i_open](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>handle</i>	Identifies the bitstream.
out	<i>val</i>	Is where the input-value is stored.
in	<i>nbits</i>	Number of bits the value consists of.

Returns:

Returns 1 on success or 0 on a fault (number of bytes in the bitstream exceeded).

See Also:

[bitio_i_open](#), [bitio_i_close](#), [bitio_o_outp](#)

Definition at line 202 of file bitio.c.

void bitio_i_close (int *handle*)

Closes an bitstream that was opened for input

Parameters:

in	<i>handle</i>	Handle that identifies the bitstream.
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See Also:

[bitio_i_open](#), [bitio_i_input](#)

Definition at line 249 of file bitio.c.

int bitio_o_open ()

This function opens a bitstream for output.

Returns:

The return-value is a handle by which the bit-stream can be identified for all subesquent actions or -1 if there is no unused bitstream available.

Definition at line 266 of file bitio.c.

long bitio_o_append (int *handle*, unsigned long *val*, int *nbits*)

This function appends a value to a bitstream which was opened by [bitio_o_open](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>handle</i>	Indicates the bitstream for appending.
in	<i>val</i>	Value to be output.
in	<i>nbits</i>	Number of bits of <i>val</i> to be output to the stream.

Note:

nbits must be less than sizeof (long)

Returns:

The return-value is the bit-position of the value in the bit-stream, or -1 on a fault.

See Also:

[bitio_o_open](#), [bitio_o_close](#), [bitio_o_outp](#)

Definition at line 317 of file bitio.c.

void bitio_o_outp (int *handle*, unsigned long *val*, int *nbits*, long *bitpos*)

This function outputs a value to a specified position of a bitstream.

Parameters:

in	<i>handle</i>	Indicates the bitstream for output.
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in	<i>val</i>	Value to be output.
in	<i>nbits</i>	Number of bits of <i>val</i> to be output to the stream.
in	<i>bitpos</i>	bitposition of the value in the bitstream.

Note:

nbits must be less then sizeof (long)

See Also:

[bitio_o_open](#), [bitio_o_close](#), [bitio_o_append](#), [bitio_i_input](#)

Definition at line 361 of file bitio.c.

size_t bitio_o_get_size (int *handle*)

This function returns the size of an output-bitstream (number of bytes)

Parameters:

in	<i>handle</i>	Identifies the bitstream
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Returns:

Size of the bitstream.

See Also:

[bitio_o_open](#), [bitio_o_outp](#), [bitio_o_append](#)

Definition at line 416 of file bitio.c.

void* bitio_o_close (int *handle*, size_t * *nbytes*)

This function closes an output-bitstream identified by *handle* and returns a pointer to the memory-area holding the bitstream.

Parameters:

in	<i>handle</i>	Bit-stream-handle
out	<i>nbytes</i>	number of bytes in the bitstream.

Returns:

The funcion returns a pointer to the memory-area holding the bit-stream or NULL if an invalid handle was specified. The memory area must be freed by the calling function.

See Also:

[bitio_o_open](#), [bitio_o_outp](#), [bitio_o_append](#), [bitio_i_close](#)

Definition at line 443 of file bitio.c.

Deprecated functions

Deprecated functionsDeprecated functionsFunctions

- void [bufr_clean](#) (void)
- int [setup_sec0125](#) (char *sec[], size_t secl[], [sect_1_t](#) s1)
- int [save_sections](#) (char **sec, size_t *secl, char *buffile)
- int [val_to_array](#) ([varfl](#) **vals, [varfl](#) v, size_t *nvals)
- int [rlenc](#) (char *infile, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, size_t *nvals)
Runlength-encodes a radar image.
- int [rlenc_compress_line](#) (int line, unsigned char *src, int ncols, [varfl](#) **dvals, size_t *nvals)
Encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rldec](#) (char *outfile, [varfl](#) *vals, size_t *nvals)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

void bufr_clean (void)

Deprecated:

use [free_descs](#) instead

This function frees all memory-blocks allocated by [read_tables](#)

Definition at line 196 of file bufr.c.

int setup_sec0125 (char * sec[], size_t sec[], [sect_1_t](#) s1)

Deprecated:

use [bufr_encode_sections0125](#) instead

Sets up section 0,1,2,5 in a rather easy fashion and takes Section 1 data from structure s1.

Parameters:

in,out	<i>sec</i>	Sections 0 - 5
in,out	<i>secl</i>	Lengths of sections 0 - 5
in	<i>sl</i>	Data to be put into Section 1

Definition at line 656 of file bufr.c.

int save_sections (char ** sec, size_t * secl, char * buffile)

Deprecated:

Use [bufr_write_file](#) instead.

Write BUFR message to a binary file.

Parameters:

in	<i>sec</i>	Poiter-Array to the 6 sections.
in	<i>secl</i>	Length of the sections.
in	<i>buffile</i>	Output-File

Returns:

The function returns 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

Definition at line 691 of file bufr.c.

int val_to_array ([varfl](#) ** vals, [varfl](#) v, size_t * nvals)

Deprecated:

use [bufr_val_to_array](#) instead.

This function stores the value V to an array of floats VALS. The memory- block for VALS is allocated in this function and has to be freed by the calling function.

Parameters:

in,out	<i>vals</i>	The array containing the values
in	<i>v</i>	The value to be put into the array
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in the array

Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error.

Definition at line 2024 of file bufr.c.

int rlenc (char * *infile*, int *nrows*, int *ncols*, [varfl](#) ** *vals*, size_t * *nvals*)

Deprecated:

Use [rlenc_from_file](#) instead.

This function encodes a "one byte per pixel" radar image to BUFR runlength- code and stores the resulting values by a call to VAL_TO_ARRAY.

Parameters:

in	<i>infile</i>	File holding the "one byte per pixel" radar image.
in	<i>ncols</i>	Number of columns of the image.
in	<i>nrows</i>	Number of rows of the image.
in,out	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in VALS.

Returns:

The return-value ist 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

Definition at line 127 of file rlenc.c.

int rlenc_compress_line (int *line*, unsigned char * *src*, int *ncols*, [varfl](#) ** *dvals*, size_t * *nvals*)

Deprecated:

Use [rlenc_compress_line_new](#) instead.

This function encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code and stores the resulting values by a call to [val_to_array](#).

Parameters:

in	<i>line</i>	Line number.
in	<i>src</i>	Is where the uncompressed line is stored.
in	<i>ncols</i>	Number of pixels per line.
in,out	<i>dvals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in VALS.

Returns:

The function returns 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

Definition at line 188 of file rlenc.c.

int rldec (char * *outfile*, [varfl](#) * *vals*, size_t * *nvals*)

Deprecated:

Use [rldec_to_file](#) instead.

This function decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image stored at VALS . The decoded image is stored in a one "byte-per-pixel-format" at the file OUTFILE .

Parameters:

in	<i>outfile</i>	Destination-file for the "one byte per pixel" radar image.
in	<i>vals</i>	Float-array holding the coded image.
in	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values needed for the radar image.

Returns:

The return-value ist 1 on success, 0 on a fault.

Definition at line 311 of file rlenc.c.

API examples

API examplesAPI examplesFunctions

- void [bufr_encoding_sample](#) (radar_data_t *src_data, [bufr_t](#) *bufr_msg)
Sample for encoding a BUFR message.
- void [bufr_decoding_sample](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, radar_data_t *data)
Sample for decoding a BUFR message.

Detailed Description

Function Documentation

void bufr_encoding_sample (radar_data_t * src_data, [bufr_t](#) * bufr_msg)

This function encodes sample data to a BUFR message and saves the results to a file `apisample.bfr`, also returns the encoded message.

Parameters:

in	<i>src_data</i>	Our source data.
out	<i>bufr_msg</i>	Our encoded BUFR message.

See Also:

[bufr_decoding_sample](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 98 of file `apisample.c`.

void bufr_decoding_sample ([bufr_t](#) * msg, radar_data_t * data)

This function decodes a BUFR message and stores the values in our sample radar data structure. Also saves the result to a file.

Parameters:

in	<i>msg</i>	Our encoded BUFR message.
out	<i>data</i>	Our source data.

See Also:

[bufr_encoding_sample](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 180 of file `apisample.c`.

Data Structure Documentation

bufr_t Struct Reference

bufr_tbufr_t

Structure that holds the encoded bufr message.

```
#include <bufr.h>
```

Data Fields

- char * [sec](#) [6]
pointers to sections
 - int [secl](#) [6]
length of sections
-

Detailed Description

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 137 of file bufr.h.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- [bufr.h](#)
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bufrval_t Struct Reference

bufrval_t bufrval_t

Structure holding values for callbacks [bufr_val from global](#) and [bufr_val to global](#).

```
#include <bufr.h>
```

Data Fields

- [varfl](#) * [vals](#)
array of values
 - int [vali](#)
current index into array of values
 - int [nvals](#)
number of values
-

Detailed Description

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 148 of file bufr.h.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- [bufr.h](#)
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dd Struct Reference

dddd

Describes one data descriptor.

```
#include <desc.h>
```

Data Fields

- int [f](#)
f
 - int [x](#)
x
 - int [y](#)
y
-

Detailed Description

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 168 of file desc.h.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- [desc.h](#)
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del Struct Reference

deldel

Defines an element descriptor.

```
#include <desc.h>
```

Data Fields

- [dd d](#)
Descriptor ID.
 - char * [unit](#)
Unit.
 - int [scale](#)
Scale.
 - [varfl refval](#)
Reference Value.
 - int [dw](#)
Data width (number of bits)
 - char * [elname](#)
element name
-

Detailed Description

Definition at line 176 of file desc.h.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- [desc.h](#)
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desc Struct Reference

descdesc

Structure that defines one descriptor. This can be an element descriptor or a sequence descriptor.

```
#include <desc.h>
```

Data Fields

- int [id](#)
Can be [SEQDESC](#) or [ELDESC](#).
 - [del](#) * [el](#)
Element descriptor.
 - [dseq](#) * [seq](#)
Sequence descriptor.
 - int [key](#)
search key
 - int [nr](#)
serial number (insert position)
-

Detailed Description

Definition at line 196 of file desc.h.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- [desc.h](#)
-

dseq Struct Reference

dseqdseq

Structure that defines a sequence of descriptors.

```
#include <desc.h>
```

Data Fields

- [dd](#) [d](#)
sequence-descriptor ID
 - int [nel](#)
Number of elements.
 - [dd](#) * [del](#)
list of element descriptors
-

Detailed Description

Definition at line 187 of file desc.h.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- [desc.h](#)

sect_1_t Struct Reference

sect_1_tsect_1_t

Holds the information contained in section 1.

#include <desc.h>

Data Fields

- int [mtab](#)
BUFR master table.
- int [subcent](#)
Originating/generating subcenter.
- int [gencent](#)
Originating/generating center.
- int [updsequ](#)
Update sequence number.
- int [opsec](#)
optional section
- int [dcat](#)
Data Category type (BUFR Table A)
- int [dcatst](#)
Data Category sub-type.
- int [idcatst](#)
International Data Category sub-type.
- int [vmtab](#)
Version number of master tables used.
- int [vltab](#)
Version number of local tables used.
- int [year](#)
Year of century.
- int [mon](#)
Month.
- int [day](#)
Day.
- int [hour](#)
Hour.
- int [min](#)
Minute.
- int [sec](#)
Second (used as of BUFR edition 4)

Detailed Description

Holds the information contained in section 1

See Also:

[bufr sect 1 from file](#), [bufr sect 1 to file](#), [bufr encode sections0125](#), [bufr decode sections01](#)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 126 of file desc.h.

Field Documentation**int sect_1_t::mtab**

BUFR master table 0 for standard WMO BUFR tables

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 127 of file desc.h.

int sect_1_t::updsequ

Update sequence number zero for original BUFR messages; incremented for updates

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 133 of file desc.h.

int sect_1_t::opsec

Bit 1 = 0 No optional section = 1 Optional section included Bits 2 - 8 set to zero (reserved)

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 138 of file desc.h.

int sect_1_t::dcatst

Data Category sub-type defined by local ADP centres

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 144 of file desc.h.

int sect_1_t::idcatst

International Data Category sub-type Common Table C-13, used as of BUFR edition 4

Definition at line 148 of file desc.h.

int sect_1_t::year

Year of century 2 digit for BUFR edition < 4, 4 digit year as of BUFR edition 4

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 154 of file desc.h.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- [desc.h](#)
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File Documentation

apisample.c File Reference

apisample.capisample.c

Sample application for encoding and decoding BUFR using OPERA BUFR software as a library.

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include "bufrlib.h"
#include "apisample.h"
#include "bufr_io.h"
```

Functions

- void [bufr_encoding_sample](#) (radar_data_t *src_data, [bufr_t](#) *bufr_msg)
Sample for encoding a BUFR message.
 - void [bufr_decoding_sample](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, radar_data_t *data)
Sample for decoding a BUFR message.
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Detailed Description

This sample application uses the OPERA BUFR software api for encoding and decoding a sample radar image to/from a BUFR message.

Definition in file [apisample.c](#).

apisample_float.c File Reference

apisample_float.capisample_float.c

Sample application for encoding and decoding BUFR using OPERA BUFR software as a library.

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include "bufrlib.h"
#include "apisample_float.h"
#include "bufr_io.h"
```

Functions

- void [bufr_encoding_sample](#) (radar_data_t *src_data, [bufr_t](#) *bufr_msg)
Sample for encoding a BUFR message.
 - void [bufr_decoding_sample](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, radar_data_t *data)
Sample for decoding a BUFR message.
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Detailed Description

This sample application uses the OPERA BUFR software api for encoding and decoding a sample radar image to/from a BUFR message.

Definition in file [apisample_float.c](#).

bitio.c File Reference

bitio.c

functions for input and output to/from a bitstream

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include <memory.h>
#include "desc.h"
#include "bufr.h"
#include "bitio.h"
```

Functions

- int [bitio_i_open](#) (void *buf, size_t size)
This function opens a bitstream for input.
 - int [bitio_i_input](#) (int handle, unsigned long *val, int nbits)
This function reads a value from a bitstream.
 - void [bitio_i_close](#) (int handle)
Closes an bitstream that was opened for input.
 - int [bitio_o_open](#) ()
Opens a bitstream for output.
 - long [bitio_o_append](#) (int handle, unsigned long val, int nbits)
This function appends a value to a bitstream.
 - void [bitio_o_outp](#) (int handle, unsigned long val, int nbits, long bitpos)
This function outputs a value to a specified position of a bitstream.
 - size_t [bitio_o_get_size](#) (int handle)
Returns the size of an output-bitstream (number of bytes)
 - void * [bitio_o_close](#) (int handle, size_t *nbytes)
This function closes an output-bitstream.
-

Detailed Description

The functions in this file can be used for input and output to/from a bitstream as needed for BUFR-messages. Data is stored on/read from a bitstream as follows: For example if you want to store a 12 bit-value VAL on a bit-stream, consisting of a character-array C, the bits are assigned (bit 0 is the least significant bit).

VAL bit 00 -> C[0] bit 00

VAL bit 01 -> C[0] bit 01

VAL bit 02 -> C[0] bit 02

VAL bit 03 -> C[0] bit 03
VAL bit 04 -> C[0] bit 04
VAL bit 05 -> C[0] bit 05
VAL bit 06 -> C[0] bit 06
VAL bit 07 -> C[1] bit 07
VAL bit 08 -> C[1] bit 00
VAL bit 09 -> C[1] bit 01
VAL bit 10 -> C[1] bit 02
VAL bit 11 -> C[1] bit 03

if you append another 2-bit value VAL1 to the stream:

VAL bit 00 -> C[1] bit 04
VAL bit 01 -> C[1] bit 05

Functions for output of data to a bit-stream are named `bitio_o_*`, those for inputing from a bitstream `bitio_i_*`.

Output to a bit-stream must be as follows:

`h = bitio_o_open ();` open a bitstream, handle H is returned to identify for subsequent calls.

`bitio_o_append (h, val, nbits);` Append VAL to the bitstream.

`bitio_o_close (h, nbytes);` close bitstream. from a bit-stream must be as follows:

`h = bitio_i_open ();` open a bitstream for input

`bitio_i_input ();` read a value from the bitstream

`bitio_i_close ();` close the bitstream

More details can be found at the description of the functions. Note that the buffer holding the bitstream is organized as an array of characters. So the functions are independent from the computer-architecture (byte-swapping).

Definition in file [bitio.c](#).

bitio.h File Reference

bitio.hbitio.h

Function definitions for bitstream input and output.

Functions

- int [bitio_i_open](#) (void *buf, size_t size)

This function opens a bitstream for input.

- int [bitio_i_input](#) (int handle, unsigned long *val, int nbits)
This function reads a value from a bitstream.
- size_t [bitio_o_get_size](#) (int handle)
Returns the size of an output-bitstream (number of bytes)
- void [bitio_i_close](#) (int handle)
Closes an bitstream that was opened for input.
- int [bitio_o_open](#) ()
Opens a bitstream for output.
- long [bitio_o_append](#) (int handle, unsigned long val, int nbits)
This function appends a value to a bitstream.
- void [bitio_o_outp](#) (int handle, unsigned long val, int nbits, long bitpos)
This function outputs a value to a specified position of a bitstream.
- void * [bitio_o_close](#) (int handle, size_t *nbytes)
This function closes an output-bitstream.

Detailed Description

This file defines all functions for input and output to/from a bitstream.

Definition in file [bitio.h](#).

bufr.c File Reference

bufr.cbufr.c

Main OPERA BUFR library functions.

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <math.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include <time.h>
#include "desc.h"
#include "bufr.h"
#include "bitio.h"
#include "rlenc.h"
```

Functions

- void [bufr_clean](#) (void)
- int [bufr_create_msg](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int ndescs, [varfl](#) *vals, void **datasec, void **ddsec, size_t *datasecl, size_t *ddescl)
Creates section 3 and 4 of BUFR message from arrays of data and data descriptors.
- int [bufr_encode_sections34](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int ndescs, [varfl](#) *vals, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
Creates section 3 and 4 of BUFR message from arrays of data and data descriptors.
- int [bufr_read_file](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, const char *file)
This functions reads the encoded BUFR-message to a binary file.
- int [bufr_get_sections](#) (char *bm, int len, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
Calculates the section length of a BUFR message and allocates memory for each section.

- int [bufr_out_descsec](#) ([dd](#) *descp, int ndescs, int desch)
Write descriptor section of a BUFR message to the bitstream.
- int [bufr_open_descsec_w](#) (int subsets)
Open bitstream for section 3 for writing and set default values.
- void [bufr_close_descsec_w](#) ([bufr_t](#) *bufr, int desch)
Write length of section 3 and close bitstream.
- int [setup_sec0125](#) (char *sec[], size_t secl[], [sect_1_t](#) s1)
- int [save_sections](#) (char **sec, size_t *secl, char *buffile)
- int [bufr_parse_new](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*inputfkt)([varfl](#) *val, int ind), int(*outputfkt)([varfl](#) val, int ind), int callback_all_descs)
Parse data descriptors and call user defined functions for each data element or for each descriptor.
- int [bufr_parse](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, [varfl](#) *vals, unsigned *vali, int(*userfkt)([varfl](#) val, int ind))
Parse data descriptors and call user-function for each element.
- int [bufr_parse_in](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*inputfkt)([varfl](#) *val, int ind), int callback_descs)
Parse data descriptors and call user defined input function for each element or for each descriptor.
- int [bufr_parse_out](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*outputfkt)([varfl](#) val, int ind), int callback_all_descs)
Parse data descriptors and call user defined output function for each element or for each descriptor.
- void [bufr_sect_1_from_file](#) ([sect_1_t](#) *s1, const char *file)
Reads section 1 from a file and stores data read in s1.
- int [bufr_encode_sections0125](#) ([sect_1_t](#) *s1, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
This function creates sections 0, 1, 2 and 5.
- int [bufr_write_file](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, const char *file)
This functions saves the encoded BUFR-message to a binary file.
- void [bufr_free_data](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg)
Frees memory allocated for a BUFR message.
- int [bufr_check_fxy](#) ([dd](#) *d, int ff, int xx, int yy)
Tests equality of descriptor d with (f,x,y)
- int [bufr_decode_sections01](#) ([sect_1_t](#) *s1, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
This function decodes sections 0 and 1.
- int [bufr_sect_1_to_file](#) ([sect_1_t](#) *s1, const char *file)
Writes section 1 data to an ASCII file.
- int [bufr_read_msg](#) (void *datasec, void *ddsec, size_t datasecl, size_t ddescl, [dd](#) **descr, int *ndescs, [varfl](#) **vals, size_t *nvals)
Decode BUFR data and descriptor section and write values and descriptors to arrays.
- int [bufr_in_descsec](#) ([dd](#) **descs, int ndescs, int desch)
Read descriptor section of a BUFR message from the bitstream.
- int [bufr_open_descsec_r](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, int *subsets)
Open bitstream of section 3 for reading.
- void [bufr_close_descsec_r](#) (int desch)
close bitstream for section 3
- int [val_to_array](#) ([varfl](#) **vals, [varfl](#) v, size_t *nvals)
- int [bufr_val_to_array](#) ([varfl](#) **vals, [varfl](#) v, int *nv)
Store a value to an array of floats.
- int [bufr_desc_to_array](#) ([dd](#) *descs, [dd](#) d, int *ndescs)
Store a descriptor to an array.
- int [bufr_get_ndescs](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg)
Calculate number of data descriptors in a BUFR message.
- void [bufr_get_date_time](#) (long *year, long *mon, long *day, long *hour, long *min)

Recall date/time info of the last BUFR-message created.

- int [bufr_open_datasect_w](#) ()
Opens bitstream for section 4 writing.
- int [bufr_open_datasect_r](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg)
Opens bitstream for reading section 4.
- void [bufr_close_datasect_w](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg)
Closes bitstream for section 4 and adds data to BUFR message.
- void [bufr_close_datasect_r](#) ()
Closes bitstream for section 4.
- int [bufr_val_from_global](#) ([varfl](#) *val, int ind)
Get one value from global array of values.
- int [bufr_val_to_global](#) ([varfl](#) val, int ind)
Write one value to global array of values.
- [bufrval_t](#) * [bufr_open_val_array](#) ()
Opens global array of values for read/write.
- void [bufr_close_val_array](#) ()
Closes global array of values and frees all memory.

Detailed Description

This file contains all functions used for encoding and decoding data to BUFR format.

Definition in file [bufr.c](#).

Function Documentation

int [bufr_create_msg](#) ([dd](#) * *descs*, int *ndescs*, [varfl](#) * *vals*, void ** *datasec*, void ** *ddsec*, size_t * *datasecl*, size_t * *ddsecl*)

[Deprecated:](#)

Use [bufr_encode_sections34](#) instead.

This function codes data from an array data descriptors *descs* and an array of *varfl*-values *vals* to a data section and a data descriptor section of a BUFR message. Memory for both sections is allocated in this function and must be freed by the calling functions.

Parameters:

in	<i>descs</i>	Data-descriptors corresponding to <i>vals</i> . For each descriptor there must be a data-value stored in <i>vals</i> . <i>descs</i> may also include replication factors and sequence descriptors. In that case there must be a larger number of <i>vals</i> than of <i>descs</i> .
in	<i>ndescs</i>	Number of data descriptors contained in <i>descs</i> .
in	<i>vals</i>	Data-values to be coded in the data section. For each entry in <i>descs</i> there must be an entry in <i>vals</i> . If there are replication factors in <i>descs</i> , of course there must be as much <i>vals</i> as defined by the replication factor.
out	<i>datasec</i>	Is where the data-section (section 4) is stored. The memory-area for the data-section is allocated by this function and must be freed by the calling function.
out	<i>ddsec</i>	Is where the data-descriptor-section (section 3) is stored. The memory needed is allocated by this function and must be freed by

		the calling function.
out	<i>datasecl</i>	Number of bytes in <i>datasec</i> .
out	<i>ddescl</i>	Number of bytes in <i>ddsec</i> .

Returns:

The return-value is 1 if data was successfully stored, 0 if not.

See Also:

[bufr_read_msg](#), [bufr_data_from_file](#)

Definition at line 257 of file bufr.c.

bufr.h File Reference

bufr.hbufr.h

Definitions of main OPERA BUFR library functions.

Data Structures

- struct [bufr_t](#)
- *Structure that holds the encoded bufr message.* struct [bufrval_t](#)

Structure holding values for callbacks [bufr_val_from_global](#) and [bufr_val_to_global](#). Macros

- #define [MAX_DESCS](#) 1000
Maximum number of data descriptors in a BUFR message.

Typedefs

- typedef char * [bd_t](#)
one bufr data element is a string

Functions

- int [bufr_create_msg](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int ndescs, [varfl](#) *vals, void **datasec, void **ddsec, size_t *datasecl, size_t *ddescl)
Creates section 3 and 4 of BUFR message from arrays of data and data descriptors.
- int [bufr_encode_sections34](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int ndescs, [varfl](#) *vals, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
Creates section 3 and 4 of BUFR message from arrays of data and data descriptors.
- int [bufr_encode_sections0125](#) ([sect_1_t](#) *s1, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
This function creates sections 0, 1, 2 and 5.
- int [bufr_write_file](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, const char *file)
This functions saves the encoded BUFR-message to a binary file.
- int [bufr_read_file](#) ([bufr_t](#) *msg, const char *file)
This functions reads the encoded BUFR-message to a binary file.
- int [bufr_get_sections](#) (char *bm, int len, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
Calculates the section length of a BUFR message and allocates memory for each section.
- int [bufr_decode_sections01](#) ([sect_1_t](#) *s1, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
This function decodes sections 0 and 1.
- int [bufr_read_msg](#) (void *datasec, void *ddsec, size_t datasecl, size_t ddescl, [dd](#) **[desc](#), int *ndescs, [varfl](#) **vals, size_t *nvals)

Decode BUFR data and descriptor section and write values and descriptors to arrays.

- void [bufr sect 1 from file](#) ([sect 1 t](#) *s1, const char *file)
Reads section 1 from a file and stores data read in s1.
- int [bufr open descsec w](#) (int subsets)
Open bitstream for section 3 for writing and set default values.
- int [bufr out descsec](#) ([dd](#) *descp, int ndescs, int desch)
Write descriptor section of a BUFR message to the bitstream.
- void [bufr close descsec w](#) ([bufr t](#) *bufr, int desch)
Write length of section 3 and close bitstream.
- int [bufr parse in](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*inputfkt)([varfl](#) *val, int ind), int callback_descs)
Parse data descriptors and call user defined input function for each element or for each descriptor.
- int [bufr open descsec r](#) ([bufr t](#) *msg, int *subsets)
Open bitstream of section 3 for reading.
- int [bufr get ndescs](#) ([bufr t](#) *msg)
Calculate number of data descriptors in a BUFR message.
- int [bufr in descsec](#) ([dd](#) **descs, int ndescs, int desch)
Read descriptor section of a BUFR message from the bitstream.
- void [bufr close descsec r](#) (int desch)
close bitstream for section 3
- int [bufr parse out](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*outputfkt)([varfl](#) val, int ind), int callback_all_descs)
Parse data descriptors and call user defined output function for each element or for each descriptor.
- int [bufr sect 1 to file](#) ([sect 1 t](#) *s1, const char *file)
Writes section 1 data to an ASCII file.
- void [bufr free data](#) ([bufr t](#) *d)
Frees memory allocated for a BUFR message.
- int [bufr check fxy](#) ([dd](#) *d, int ff, int xx, int yy)
Tests equality of descriptor d with (f,x,y)
- void [bufr get date time](#) (long *year, long *mon, long *day, long *hour, long *min)
Recall date/time info of the last BUFR-message created.
- int [bufr val to array](#) ([varfl](#) **vals, [varfl](#) v, int *nvals)
Store a value to an array of floats.
- int [bufr desc to array](#) ([dd](#) *descs, [dd](#) d, int *ndescs)
Store a descriptor to an array.
- int [bufr parse new](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, int(*inputfkt)([varfl](#) *val, int ind), int(*outputfkt)([varfl](#) val, int ind), int callback_all_descs)
Parse data descriptors and call user defined functions for each data element or for each descriptor.
- int [bufr parse](#) ([dd](#) *descs, int start, int end, [varfl](#) *vals, unsigned *vali, int(*userfkt)([varfl](#) val, int ind))
Parse data descriptors and call user-function for each element.
- [bufrval t](#) * [bufr open val array](#) ()
Opens global array of values for read/write.
- void [bufr close val array](#) ()
Closes global array of values and frees all memory.
- int [bufr open dataset w](#) ()
Opens bitstream for section 4 writing.
- void [bufr close dataset w](#) ([bufr t](#) *msg)
Closes bitstream for section 4 and adds data to BUFR message.
- int [bufr open dataset r](#) ([bufr t](#) *msg)

Opens bitstream for reading section 4.

- void [bufr_close_datasect_r](#) ()
Closes bitstream for section 4.
- int [bufr_val_from_global](#) ([varfl](#) *val, int ind)
Get one value from global array of values.
- int [bufr_val_to_global](#) ([varfl](#) val, int ind)
Write one value to global array of values.
- void [bufr_clean](#) ()
- int [val_to_array](#) ([varfl](#) **vals, [varfl](#) v, size_t *nvals)
- int [setup_sec0125](#) (char *sec[], size_t secl[], [sect_1_t](#) s1)

Variables

- int [_bufr_edition](#)
global bufr edition number
- int [_replicating](#)
global replication indicator

Detailed Description

This file contains declaration of functions used for encoding and decoding data to BUFR format.

Definition in file [bufr.h](#).

Function Documentation

int [bufr_create_msg](#) ([dd](#) * *descs*, int *ndescs*, [varfl](#) * *vals*, void ** *datasec*, void ** *ddsec*, size_t * *datasecl*, size_t * *ddsecl*)

Deprecated:

Use [bufr_encode_sections34](#) instead.

This function codes data from an array data descriptors *descs* and an array of *varfl*-values *vals* to a data section and a data descriptor section of a BUFR message. Memory for both sections is allocated in this function and must be freed by the calling functions.

Parameters:

in	<i>descs</i>	Data-descriptors corresponding to <i>vals</i> . For each descriptor there must be a data-value stored in <i>vals</i> . <i>descs</i> may also include replication factors and sequence descriptors. In that case there must be a larger number of <i>vals</i> then of <i>descs</i> .
in	<i>ndescs</i>	Number of data descriptors contained in <i>descs</i> .
in	<i>vals</i>	Data-values to be coded in the data section. For each entry in <i>descs</i> there must be an entry in <i>vals</i> . If there are replication factors in <i>descs</i> , of course there must be as much <i>vals</i> as defined by the replication factor.
out	<i>datasec</i>	Is where the data-section (section 4) is stored. The memory-area for the data-section is allocated by this function and must be freed by the calling function.
out	<i>ddsec</i>	Is where the data-descriptor-section (section 3) is stored. The memory needed is allocated by this function and must be freed by the calling function.
out	<i>datasecl</i>	Number of bytes in <i>datasec</i> .

out	<i>ddesc1</i>	Number of bytes in <i>ddsec</i> .
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Returns:

The return-value is 1 if data was successfully stored, 0 if not.

See Also:

[bufr_read_msg](#), [bufr_data_from_file](#)

Definition at line 257 of file bufr.c.

Variable Documentation

int _bufr_edition

The bufr edition number is stored in section 0 of the BUFR message. It is used by the software for determining the format of section 1.

See Also:

[bufr_get_date_time](#), [bufr_encode_sections0125](#), [bufr_decode_sections01](#), [bufr_parse_new](#),
[bufr_val_from_datasect](#), [bufr_val_to_datasect](#)

int _replicating

This flag is used to indicate an ongoing data replication and is set by [bufr_parse_new](#). It can be used for different output formatting when a replication occurs.

See Also:

[bufr_parse_new](#), [bufr_file_out](#)

bufr_io.c File Reference

bufr_io.cbufr_io.c

Functions for reading/writing to/from OPERA format ASCII BUFR files.

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <math.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include <errno.h>
#include "desc.h"
#include "bufr.h"
#include "bitio.h"
#include "rlenc.h"
#include "zlib.h"
```

Macros

- #define [BUFR_OUT_BIN](#) 0
Output to binary format for flag tables.

Functions

- int [bufr_data_from_file](#) (char *file, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
read data and descriptors from ASCII file and code them into sections 3 and 4

- int [bufr_data_to_file](#) (char *file, char *imgfile, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
Decode data and descriptor sections of a BUFR message and write them to an ASCII file.
- int [bufr_z_decompress_to_mem](#) ([varfl](#) **data, [varfl](#) *vals, int *nvals)
- int [bufr_z_compress_from_mem](#) ([varfl](#) *data, int ndata, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals)

Detailed Description

This file contains functions for reading/writing to/from OPERA format ASCII BUFR files.
Definition in file [bufr_io.c](#).

Function Documentation

int [bufr_z_decompress_to_mem](#) ([varfl](#) ** data, [varfl](#) * vals, int * nvals)

z-decompression of array of bufr values with compressed bytes. Writes 64bit floats in platform native to a memory area. The float-bytes are swapped if the host representation is different from the IEEE byte order.

Parameters:

in,out	<i>data</i>	Pointer to receive data array
in,out	<i>vals</i>	Array of compressed bytes stored as bufr values
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in the array

Returns:

number of data values or 0 on error
Definition at line 1419 of file [bufr_io.c](#).

int [bufr_z_compress_from_mem](#) ([varfl](#) * data, int ndata, [varfl](#) ** vals, int * nvals)

Reads 64bit floats in platform native form from file, applies z-compression and puts the compressed bytes as bufr values in the array. The float-bytes are swapped if the host representation is different from the IEEE byte order.

Parameters:

in	<i>data</i>	Array of data elements
in	<i>ndata</i>	Number of data elements
in,out	<i>vals</i>	Array of compressed bytes stored as bufr values
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in the array

Returns:

1 for success, 0 on error
Definition at line 1509 of file [bufr_io.c](#).

bufr_io.h File Reference

[bufr_io.h](#)[bufr_io.h](#)

Includes functions for reading/writing to/from OPERA format ASCII BUFR files.

Functions

- int [bufr_data_from_file](#) (char *file, [bufr_t](#) *msg)

read data and descriptors from ASCII file and code them into sections 3 and 4

- int [bufr_data_to_file](#) (char *file, char *imgfile, [bufr_t](#) *msg)
Decode data and descriptor sections of a BUFR message and write them to an ASCII file.
- int [bufr_z_decompress_to_mem](#) ([varfl](#) **data, [varfl](#) *vals, int *nvals)
- int [bufr_z_compress_from_mem](#) ([varfl](#) *data, int ndata, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals)

Detailed Description

This file includes functions for reading/writing to/from OPERA format ASCII BUFR files.

Definition in file [bufr_io.h](#).

Function Documentation

int [bufr_z_decompress_to_mem](#) ([varfl](#) ** data, [varfl](#) * vals, int * nvals)

z-decompression of array of bufr values with compressed bytes. Writes 64bit floats in platform native to a memory area. The float-bytes are swapped if the host representation is different from the IEEE byte order.

Parameters:

in,out	<i>data</i>	Pointer to receive data array
in,out	<i>vals</i>	Array of compressed bytes stored as bufr values
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in the array

Returns:

number of data values or 0 on error

Definition at line 1419 of file [bufr_io.c](#).

int [bufr_z_compress_from_mem](#) ([varfl](#) * data, int ndata, [varfl](#) ** vals, int * nvals)

Reads 64bit floats in platform native form from file, applies z-compression and puts the compressed bytes as bufr values in the array. The float-bytes are swapped if the host representation is different from the IEEE byte order.

Parameters:

in	<i>data</i>	Array of data elements
in	<i>ndata</i>	Number of data elements
in,out	<i>vals</i>	Array of compressed bytes stored as bufr values
in,out	<i>nvals</i>	Number of values in the array

Returns:

1 for success, 0 on error

Definition at line 1509 of file [bufr_io.c](#).

bufrlib.h File Reference

bufrlib.hbufrlib.h

Includes all functions for the OPERA BUFR software library.

```
#include "desc.h"
```

```
#include "bufr.h"
```

```
#include "bitio.h"
#include "rlenc.h"
```

Detailed Description

This file includes all header files used by the OPERA BUFR software library.

Definition in file [bufrlib.h](#).

decbuf.c File Reference

decbuf.cdecbuf.c

Reads a BUFR-file, decodes it and stores decoded data in a text-file.

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include "bufrlib.h"
#include "bufr_io.h"
```

Detailed Description

This function reads a BUFR-file, decodes it and stores decoded data in a text-file. Decoded bitmaps are stored in a separate file.

Definition in file [decbuf.c](#).

desc.c File Reference

desc.cdasc.c

Functions for reading the descriptor tables.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include <ctype.h>
#include "desc.h"
```

Functions

- int [read_tables](#) (char *dir, int vmtab, int vltab, int subcent, int gencent)
Reads bufr tables from csv-files.
- int [read_bitmap_tables](#) (char *dir, int vltab, int subcent, int gencent)
Reads list of special bitmap descriptors from csv-files.
- void [show_desc_args](#) (int argc, char **argv)
Prints the specified descriptor or all if no descriptor specified.
- void [show_desc](#) (int f, int x, int y)
Prints the specified descriptor or all if f = 999.
- int [get_index](#) (int typ, [dd](#) *descr)

Returns the index for the given descriptor and typ.

- int [read_tab_d](#) (char *fname)
Reads bufr table d from a csv-files.
 - int [read_tab_b](#) (char *fname)
Reads bufr table b from a csv-files.
 - void [free_descs](#) (void)
Frees all memory that has been allocated for data descriptors.
 - int [desc_is_flagtable](#) (int ind)
 - int [desc_is_codetable](#) (int ind)
 - void [trim](#) (char *buf)
Deletes all terminating blanks in a string.
 - char * [get_unit](#) ([dd](#) *d)
Returns the unit for a given data descriptor.
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Detailed Description

This file contains all functions used for reading the decriptor tables and utilites for managing the data descriptors.

Definition in file [desc.c](#).

Function Documentation

int [desc_is_flagtable](#) (int *ind*)

Checks if a descriptor is a flag-table.

Parameters:

in	<i>ind</i>	Index to the global array des [] holding the description of known data-descriptors.
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Returns:

1 if descriptor is a flag-table, 0 if not.

See Also:

[desc_is_codetable](#)

Definition at line 1036 of file desc.c.

int [desc_is_codetable](#) (int *ind*)

Checks if a descriptor is a code-table.

Parameters:

in	<i>ind</i>	Index to the global array des [] holding the description of known data-descriptors.
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Returns:

1 if descriptor is a code-table, 0 if not.

See Also:

[desc_is_flagtable](#)

Definition at line 1060 of file desc.c.

void trim (char * buf)

This functions deletes all terminating blanks in a string.

Parameters:

in,out	buf	Our string.
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Definition at line 1115 of file desc.c.

desc.h File Reference

desc.hdesc.h

Data structures needed for holding the supported data-descriptors.

Data Structures

- struct [sect_1_t](#)
- *Holds the information contained in section 1.* struct [dd](#)
- *Describes one data descriptor.* struct [del](#)
- *Defines an element descriptor.* struct [dseq](#)
- *Structure that defines a sequence of descriptors.* struct [desc](#)

Structure that defines one descriptor. This can be an element descriptor or a sequence descriptor. Macros

- #define [MISSVAL](#) 99999.999999
- #define [SEQDESC](#) 0
Identifier for a sequence descriptor.
- #define [ELDESC](#) 1
Identifier for an element descriptor.
- #define [MAXDESC](#) 2000
Max. number of descriptors in the global descriptor-array ([des](#))

Typedefs

- typedef double [varfl](#)
Defines the internal float-variable type.

Functions

- int [read_tab_b](#) (char *fname)
Reads bufr table b from a csv-files.
- int [read_tab_d](#) (char *fname)
Reads bufr table d from a csv-files.
- char * [get_unit](#) ([dd](#) *d)
Returns the unit for a given data descriptor.
- int [get_index](#) (int typ, [dd](#) *d)
Returns the index for the given descriptor and typ.
- void [free_descs](#) (void)
Frees all memory that has been allocated for data descriptors.
- void [trim](#) (char *buf)
Deletes all terminating blanks in a string.

- int [read_tables](#) (char *dir, int vm, int vl, int subcenter, int gencenter)
Reads bufr tables from csv-files.
- void [show_desc](#) (int f, int x, int y)
Prints the specified descriptor or all if f = 999.
- void [show_desc_args](#) (int argc, char **argv)
Prints the specified descriptor or all if no descriptor specified.
- int [desc_is_codetable](#) (int ind)
- int [desc_is_flagtable](#) (int ind)
- int [read_bitmap_tables](#) (char *dir, int vltab, int gencent, int subcent)
Reads list of special bitmap descriptors from csv-files.

Variables

- int [ndes](#)
Total number of descriptors found.
- [desc](#) * [des](#) [[MAXDESC](#)+[OPTDESC](#)]
Array holding all data descriptors.
- int [dw](#)
Current data width modification factor (default: 128)
- int [sc](#)
Current scale modification factor (default: 128)
- int [addfields](#)
Number of associated fields to be added to any data-item.
- int [ccitt_special](#)
Special index for ccitt characters.
- int [add_f_special](#)
Special index for associated fields.
- int [_desc_special](#)
Special index for descriptors without data.

Detailed Description

This file defines the data-structures needed to hold the supported data-descriptors. Also defines all functions used for reading the descriptor tables and utilities for managing the data descriptors.

Definition in file [desc.h](#).

Macro Definition Documentation

#define MISSVAL 99999.999999

This is the internal missing value indicator. Missing values are indicated as "missing" and if we find such a value we set it internally to MISSVAL

Examples:

[apisample.c](#), and [apisample_float.c](#). Definition at line 114 of file desc.h.

Typedef Documentation

typedef double [varfl](#)

Defines the internal float-variable type. This can be float or double. Float needs less memory than double. Double-floats need not to be converted by your machine before operation (software runs faster). The default is double.

Note:

The format-string in all scanf-calls must be changed for `varfl`-values !
Definition at line 97 of file desc.h.

Function Documentation

void trim (char * *buf*)

This functions deletes all terminating blanks in a string.

Parameters:

in,out	<i>buf</i>	Our string.
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Definition at line 1115 of file desc.c.

int desc_is_codetable (int *ind*)

Checks if a descriptor is a code-table.

Parameters:

in	<i>ind</i>	Index to the global array des [] holding the description of known data-descriptors.
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Returns:

1 if descriptor is a code-table, 0 if not.

See Also:

[desc_is_flagtable](#)

Definition at line 1060 of file desc.c.

int desc_is_flagtable (int *ind*)

Checks if a descriptor is a flag-table.

Parameters:

in	<i>ind</i>	Index to the global array des [] holding the description of known data-descriptors.
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Returns:

1 if descriptor is a flag-table, 0 if not.

See Also:

[desc_is_codetable](#)

Definition at line 1036 of file desc.c.

Variable Documentation

desc* **des**[**MAXDESC**+**OPTDESC**]

Array holding all data descriptors. The descriptors are read from the descriptor table files using [read_tables](#) or [read_tab_b](#) and [read_tab_d](#)

See Also:

[read_tables](#), [read_tab_b](#), [read_tab_d](#), [get_index](#)

Examples:

apisample.c, and **apisample_float.c**.**int dw**

Current data width modification factor (default: 128) Add dw - 128 to the data-width (dw can be optionally set by 2 01 YYY)

int sc

Current scale modification factor (default: 128). Add sc - 128 to the scale-factor (sc can be optionally set by 2 02 YYY)

int addfields

Number of associated fields to be added to any data-item. `addfields` can be set by 2 04 YYY and canceled by 2 04 000

int ccitt_special

This index is used by [bufr_parse_new](#) and its derivatives to indicate that a value is a CCITT character

See Also:

[bufr_parse_new](#), [Callback functions for encoding to BUFR](#), [Callback functions for decoding from BUFR](#)

int add_f_special

This index is used by [bufr_parse_new](#) and its derivatives to indicate that a value is an associated field.

See Also:

[bufr_parse_new](#), [Callback functions for encoding to BUFR](#), [Callback functions for decoding from BUFR](#)

int _desc_special

This index is used by [bufr_parse_new](#) and its derivatives to indicate that we have a descriptor without value for output.

See Also:

[bufr_parse_new](#), [Callback functions for decoding from BUFR](#)

Examples:

apisample.c, and **apisample_float.c**.

encbufr.c File Reference

encbufr.c **encbufr.c**

Reads source-data from a textfile and codes it into a BUFR-file.

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
#include <stdio.h>
```



```
#include <string.h>
#include "bufrlib.h"
#include "bufr_io.h"
```

Detailed Description

This function reads source-data from a textfile and codes it into a BUFR-file. Bitmaps are read from a separate file.

Definition in file [enbufr.c](#).

rlenc.c File Reference

rlenc.crlenc.c

Functions for run-length encoding and decoding.

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include "desc.h"
#include "bufr.h"
#include "rlenc.h"
```

Macros

- #define [LBUFLEN](#) 5000
Size of the internal buffer holding one uncompressed line.
- #define [ENCBUFL](#) 5000
Size of the internal buffer holding one compressed line.

Functions

- int [rlenc](#) (char *infile, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, size_t *nvals)
Runlength-encodes a radar image.
- int [rlenc_compress_line](#) (int line, unsigned char *src, int ncols, [varfl](#) **dvals, size_t *nvals)
Encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rldec](#) (char *outfile, [varfl](#) *vals, size_t *nvals)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image.
- int [rlenc_from_file](#) (char *infile, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals, int depth)
Runlength-encodes a radar image from a file to an array.
- int [rldec_to_file](#) (char *outfile, [varfl](#) *vals, int depth, int *nvals)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image to a file.
- int [rlenc_from_mem](#) (unsigned short *img, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals)
This function encodes a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rlenc_from_mem_float](#) (float *img, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals)
This function encodes a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rldec_to_mem](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, unsigned short **img, int *nvals, int *nrows, int *ncols)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image to memory.
- int [rldec_to_mem_float](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, float **img, int *nvals, int *nrows, int *ncols)

Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded float image to memory.

- int [rlenc_compress_line_new](#) (int line, unsigned int *src, int ncols, [varfl](#) **dvals, int *nvals)
Encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rlenc_compress_line_float](#) (int line, float *src, int ncols, [varfl](#) **dvals, int *nvals)
Encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- void [rldec_decompress_line_float](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, float *dest, int *ncols, int *nvals)
Decodes one line of a float image from BUFR runlength-code.
- void [rldec_decompress_line](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, unsigned int *dest, int *ncols, int *nvals)
Decodes one line of a radar image from BUFR runlength-code.
- void [rldec_get_size](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, int *nrows, int *ncols)
Gets the number of rows and columns of a runlength compressed image.

Detailed Description

This file contains all functions used for run-length encoding and decoding of image files.

Definition in file [rlenc.c](#).

rlenc.h File Reference

rlenc.hrlenc.h

Function definitions for run-length encoding and decoding.

Functions

- int [rlenc_from_file](#) (char *infile, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals, int depth)
Runlength-encodes a radar image from a file to an array.
- int [rlenc_from_mem](#) (unsigned short *img, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals)
This function encodes a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rldec_to_file](#) (char *outfile, [varfl](#) *vals, int depth, int *nvals)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image to a file.
- int [rldec_to_mem](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, unsigned short **img, int *nvals, int *nrows, int *ncols)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded radar image to memory.
- int [rlenc_compress_line_new](#) (int line, unsigned int *src, int ncols, [varfl](#) **dvals, int *nvals)
Encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- void [rldec_decompress_line](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, unsigned int *dest, int *ncols, int *nvals)
Decodes one line of a radar image from BUFR runlength-code.
- void [rldec_get_size](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, int *nrows, int *ncols)
Gets the number of rows and columns of a runlength compressed image.
- int [rlenc_from_mem_float](#) (float *img, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, int *nvals)
This function encodes a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- int [rldec_to_mem_float](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, float **img, int *nvals, int *nrows, int *ncols)
Decodes a BUFR-runlength-encoded float image to memory.
- int [rlenc_compress_line_float](#) (int line, float *src, int ncols, [varfl](#) **dvals, int *nvals)
Encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.
- void [rldec_decompress_line_float](#) ([varfl](#) *vals, float *dest, int *ncols, int *nvals)
Decodes one line of a float image from BUFR runlength-code.

- int [rlenc](#) (char *infile, int nrows, int ncols, [varfl](#) **vals, size_t *nvals)
Runlength-encodes a radar image.
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Encodes one line of a radar image to BUFR runlength-code.

Detailed Description

This file contains all functions used for run-length encoding and decoding of image files.

Definition in file [rlenc.h](#).

Example Documentation

apisample.c

This is an example for encoding and decoding a BUFR message.

```
/*-----
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FILE:          APISAMPLE.C
IDENT:         $Id: apisample.c,v 1.3 2009/05/15 16:09:14 helmutp Exp $

AUTHOR:        Juergen Fuchsberger
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VERSION NUMBER: 3.0

DATE CREATED:  4-DEC-2007

STATUS:        DEVELOPMENT FINISHED

AMENDMENT RECORD:

$Log: apisample.c,v $
Revision 1.3  2009/05/15 16:09:14  helmutp
api change to support subsets

Revision 1.2  2007/12/18 14:40:13  fuxi
```

```

added licence header

Revision 1.1  2007/12/07 08:37:16  fuxi
Initial revision

----- */

#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include "bufrlib.h"
#include "apisample.h"
#include "bufr_io.h"

/*=====*/
/* internal function definitons */
/*=====*/

static void create_source_msg (dd* descs, int* nd, varfl** vals,
                              radar_data_t* d);
static int our_callback (varfl val, int ind);
static void create_sample_data (radar_data_t* d);

/*=====*/
/* internal data */
/*=====*/

radar_data_t our_data; /* sturcture holding our decoded data */
char *version = "apisample V3.0, 5-Dec-2007\n";

/*=====*/

void bufr_encoding_sample (radar_data_t* src_data, bufr_t* bufr_msg) {

    sect_1_t s1;          /* structure holding information from section 1 */
    dd descs[MAX_DESCS]; /* array of data descriptors, must be large enough
                           to hold all required descriptors */

    int nd = 0;           /* current number of descriptors in descs */
    varfl* vals = NULL;   /* array of data values */
    int ok;

    long year, mon, day, hour, min;

    memset (&s1, 0, sizeof (sect_1_t));

    /* first let's create our source message */

    create_source_msg (descs, &nd, &vals, src_data);

    /* Prepare data for section 1 */

    s1.year = 999;
    s1.mon = 999;
    s1.day = 999;
    s1.hour = 999;
    s1.min = 999;
    s1.mtab = 0;           /* master table used */
    s1.subcent = 255;      /* originating subcenter */
    s1.gencent = 255;      /* originating center */
    s1.updsequ = 0;        /* original BUFR message */
    s1.opsec = 0;          /* no optional section */
    s1.dcat = 6;           /* message type */
    s1.dcatst = 0;         /* message subtype */
    s1.vmtab = 11;         /* version number of master table used */
    s1.vltab = 4;          /* version number of local table used */

    /* read supported data descriptors from tables */

    ok = (read_tables (NULL, s1.vmtab, s1.vltab, s1.subcent, s1.gencent) >= 0);

    /* encode our data to a data-descriptor- and data-section */

```

```

if (ok) ok = bufr\_encode\_sections34 (descs, nd, vals, bufr_msg);

/* setup date and time if necessary */

if (ok && s1.year == 999) {
    bufr\_get\_date\_time (&year, &mon, &day, &hour, &min);
    s1.year = (int) year;
    s1.mon = (int) mon;
    s1.day = (int) day;
    s1.hour = (int) hour;
    s1.min = (int) min;
    s1.sec = 0;
}

/* encode section 0, 1, 2, 5 */

if (ok) ok = bufr\_encode\_sections0125 (&s1, bufr_msg);

/* Save coded data */

if (ok) ok = bufr\_write\_file (bufr_msg, "apisample.bfr");

if (vals != NULL)
    free (vals);
free\_descs ();

if (!ok) exit (EXIT_FAILURE);
}

/*=====*/
void bufr\_decoding\_sample (bufr\_t* msg, radar_data_t* data) {

    sect\_1\_t s1;
    int ok, desch, ndescs, subsets;
    dd* dds = NULL;

    /* initialize variables */

    memset (&s1, 0, sizeof (sect\_1\_t));

    /* Here we could also read our BUFR message from a file */
    /* bufr\_read\_file (msg, buffile); */

    /* decode section 1 */

    ok = bufr\_decode\_sections01 (&s1, msg);

    /* Write section 1 to ASCII file */

    bufr\_sect\_1\_to\_file (&s1, "section.1.out");

    /* read descriptor tables */

    if (ok) ok = (read\_tables (NULL, s1.vmtab, s1.vltab, s1.subcent,
                             s1.gencent) >= 0);

    /* decode data descriptor and data-section now */

    /* open bitstreams for section 3 and 4 */

    desch = bufr\_open\_descsec\_r (msg, &subsets);
    ok = (desch >= 0);
    if (ok) ok = (bufr\_open\_datasect\_r (msg) >= 0);

    /* calculate number of data descriptors */

    ndescs = bufr\_get\_ndescs (msg);

    /* allocate memory and read data descriptors from bitstream */

    if (ok) ok = bufr\_in\_descsec (&dds, ndescs, desch);

```

```

/* output data to our global data structure */

while (ok && subsets--)
    ok = bufr_parse_out (dds, 0, ndescs - 1, our_callback, 1);

/* get data from global */

data = &our_data;

/* close bitstreams and free descriptor array */

if (dds != (dd*) NULL)
    free (dds);
bufr_close_descsec_r (desch);
bufr_close_datasect_r ();

/* decode data to file also */

if (ok) ok = bufr_data_to_file ("apisample.src", "apisample.img", msg);

bufr_free_data (msg);
free_descs();
exit (EXIT_SUCCESS);

}

/*=====*/
/*
Sample for encoding and decoding a BUFR message
*/

int main (int argc, char* argv[]) {

    bufr_t bufr_msg; /* structure holding encoded bufr message */

    /* initialize variables */

    memset (&bufr_msg, 0, sizeof (bufr_t));
    memset (&our_data, 0, sizeof (radar_data_t));

    /* check command line parameters */

    while (argc > 1 && *argv[1] == '-')
    {
        if (*(argv[1] + 1) == 'v')
            fprintf (stderr, "%s", version);
        argc--; argv++;
    }

    /* sample for encoding to BUFR */

    create_sample_data (&our_data);
    bufr_encoding_sample (&our_data, &bufr_msg);

    /* sample for decoding from BUFR */

    memset (&our_data, 0, sizeof (radar_data_t));
    bufr_decoding_sample (&bufr_msg, &our_data);
    bufr_free_data (&bufr_msg);

    free (our_data.img.data);

    exit (EXIT_SUCCESS);
}

/*=====*/
#define fill_desc(ff,xx,yy) {\
    dd.f=ff; dd.x=xx; dd.y=yy; \
    bufr_desc_to_array (descs, dd, nd);}
#define fill_v(val) bufr_val_to_array (vals, val, &nv);

```

```

static void create_source_msg (dd* descs, int* nd, varfl** vals,
                             radar_data_t* d) {

    dd dd;
    int nv = 0, i;

    fill_desc(3,1,1);          /* WMO block and station number */
    fill_v(d->wmoblock);
    fill_v(d->wmostat);

    fill_desc(3,1,192);        /* Meta information about the product */
    fill_v(d->meta.year);       /* Date */
    fill_v(d->meta.month);
    fill_v(d->meta.day);
    fill_v(d->meta.hour);       /* Time */
    fill_v(d->meta.min);
    fill_v(d->img.nw.lat);      /* Lat. / lon. of NW corner */
    fill_v(d->img.nw.lon);
    fill_v(d->img.ne.lat);      /* Lat. / lon. of NE corner */
    fill_v(d->img.ne.lon);
    fill_v(d->img.se.lat);      /* Lat. / lon. of SE corner */
    fill_v(d->img.se.lon);
    fill_v(d->img.sw.lat);      /* Lat. / lon. of SW corner */
    fill_v(d->img.sw.lon);
    fill_v(d->proj.type);       /* Projection type */
    fill_v(d->meta.radar.lat);   /* Latitude of radar */
    fill_v(d->meta.radar.lon);   /* Longitude of radar */
    fill_v(d->img.psize);       /* Pixel size along x coordinate */
    fill_v(d->img.psizey);      /* Pixel size along y coordinate */
    fill_v(d->img.nrows);       /* Number of pixels per row */
    fill_v(d->img.ncols);       /* Number of pixels per column */

    fill_desc(3,1,22);         /* Latitude, longitude and height of station */
    fill_v(d->meta.radar.lat);
    fill_v(d->meta.radar.lon);
    fill_v(d->meta.radar_height);

                                /* Projection information (this will be
                                a sequence descriptor when using tables 6 */
    fill_desc(0,29,199);       /* Semi-major axis or rotation ellipsoid */
    fill_v(d->proj.majax);
    fill_desc(0,29,200);       /* Semi-minor axis or rotation ellipsoid */
    fill_v(d->proj.minax);
    fill_desc(0,29,193);       /* Longitude Origin */
    fill_v(d->proj.orig.lon);
    fill_desc(0,29,194);       /* Latitude Origin */
    fill_v(d->proj.orig.lat);
    fill_desc(0,29,195);       /* False Easting */
    fill_v(d->proj.xoff);
    fill_desc(0,29,196);       /* False Northing */
    fill_v(d->proj.yoff);
    fill_desc(0,29,197);       /* 1st Standard Parallel */
    fill_v(d->proj.stdpar1);
    fill_desc(0,29,198);       /* 2nd Standard Parallel */
    fill_v(d->proj.stdpar2);

    fill_desc(0,30,31);        /* Image type */
    fill_v(d->img.type);

    fill_desc(0,29,2);         /* Co-ordinate grid */
    fill_v(d->img.grid);

    fill_desc(0,33,3);         /* Quality information */
    fill_v(d->img.qual);

    /* level slicing table note the use of change of datawidth in order to
       encode our values, also values are converted to integer, loosing
       precision
    */

    fill_desc(2,1,129);        /* change of datawidth because 0 21 1

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                                only codes to 7 bit */
fill_desc(3,13,9);              /* Reflectivity scale */
fill_v(d->img.scale.vals[0]);    /* scale[0] */
fill_v(d->img.scale.nvals-1);    /* number of scale values - 1 */
for (i = 1; i < d->img.scale.nvals; i++) {
    fill_v(d->img.scale.vals[i]);
}
fill_desc(2,1,0);              /* cancel change of datawidth */

/* another possibility for the level slicing table without using
   datawidth and scale change and without losing precision */

fill_desc(0,21,198);          /* dBZ Value offset */
fill_v(d->img.scale.offset);
fill_desc(0,21,199);          /* dBZ Value increment */
fill_v(d->img.scale.increment);

fill_desc(3,21,193);          /* 8 bit per pixel pixmap */

/* run length encode our bitmap */
rlenc_from_mem (d->img.data, d->img.nrows, d->img.ncols, vals, &nv);

free(d->img.data);
}

/*=====*/
static int our_callback (varfl val, int ind) {

    radar_data_t* b = &our_data; /* our global data structure */
    bufrval_t* v;                /* array of data values */
    varfl* vv;
    int i = 0, nv, nr, nc;
    dd* d;

    /* do nothing if data modification descriptor or replication descriptor */

    if (ind == _desc_special) return 1;

    /* sequence descriptor */

    if (des[ind]->id == SEQDESC) {

        /* get descriptor */

        d = &(des[ind]->seq->d);

        /* open array for values */

        v = bufr_open_val_array ();
        if (v == (bufrval_t*) NULL) return 0;

        /* WMO block and station number */

        if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,1,1)) {

            /* decode sequence to global array */

            bufr_parse_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,
                           bufr_val_to_global, 0);

            /* get our data from the array */

            b->wmoblock = (int) v->vals[i++];
            b->wmostat = (int) v->vals[i];

        }

        /* Meta information */

        else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,1,192)) {

            bufr_parse_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,

```



```

        bufr_val_to_global, 0);
    vv = v->vals;
    i = 0;
    b->meta.year = (int) vv[i++];      /* Date */
    b->meta.month = (int) vv[i++];
    b->meta.day = (int) vv[i++];
    b->meta.hour = (int) vv[i++];      /* Time */
    b->meta.min = (int) vv[i++];
    b->img.nw.lat = vv[i++];           /* Lat. / lon. of NW corner */
    b->img.nw.lon = vv[i++];
    b->img.ne.lat = vv[i++];           /* Lat. / lon. of NE corner */
    b->img.ne.lon = vv[i++];
    b->img.se.lat = vv[i++];           /* Lat. / lon. of SE corner */
    b->img.se.lon = vv[i++];
    b->img.sw.lat = vv[i++];           /* Lat. / lon. of SW corner */
    b->img.sw.lon = vv[i++];
    b->proj.type = (int) vv[i++];      /* Projection type */
    b->meta.radar.lat = vv[i++];       /* Latitude of radar */
    b->meta.radar.lon = vv[i++];       /* Longitude of radar */
    b->img.psize_x = vv[i++];          /* Pixel size along x coordinate */
    b->img.psize_y = vv[i++];          /* Pixel size along y coordinate */
    b->img.nrows = (int) vv[i++];      /* Number of pixels per row */
    b->img.ncols = (int) vv[i++];      /* Number of pixels per column */
}
/* Latitude, longitude and height of station */

else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,1,22)) {

    bufr_parse_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,
        bufr_val_to_global, 0);
    vv = v->vals;
    i = 0;
    b->meta.radar.lat = vv[i++];
    b->meta.radar.lon = vv[i++];
    b->meta.radar_height = vv[i];
}
/* Reflectivity scale */

else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,13,9)) {
    int j;

    bufr_parse_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,
        bufr_val_to_global, 0);
    vv = v->vals;
    i = 0;

    b->img.scale.vals[0] = vv[i++];
    b->img.scale.nvals = (int) vv[i++] + 1; /* number of scale values */
    assert(b->img.scale.nvals < 256);
    for (j = 1; j < b->img.scale.nvals; j++) {
        b->img.scale.vals[j] = vv[i++];
    }
}

/* our bitmap */

else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,21,193)) {

    /* read bitmap and run length decode */

    if (!bufr_parse_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,
        bufr_val_to_global, 0)) {
        bufr_close_val_array ();
        return 0;
    }

    if (!rldec_to_mem (v->vals, &(b->img.data), &nv, &nr, &nc)) {
        bufr_close_val_array ();
        fprintf (stderr, "Error during runlength-compression.\n");
        return 0;
    }
}

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    else {
        fprintf (stderr,
            "Unknown sequence descriptor %d %d %d", d->f, d->x, d->y);
    }
    /* close the global value array */

    bufr_close_val_array ();

}

/* element descriptor */

else if (des[ind]->id == ELDESC) {

    d = &(des[ind]->el->d);

    if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,29,199))
        /* Semi-major axis or rotation ellipsoid */
        b->proj.majax = val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,29,200))
        /* Semi-minor axis or rotation ellipsoid */
        b->proj.minax = val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,29,193))
        /* Longitude Origin */
        b->proj.orig.lon = val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,29,194))
        /* Latitude Origin */
        b->proj.orig.lat = val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,29,195))
        /* False Easting */
        b->proj.xoff = (int) val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,29,196))
        /* False Northing */
        b->proj.yoff = (int) val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,29,197))
        /* 1st Standard Parallel */
        b->proj.stdpar1 = val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,29,198))
        /* 2nd Standard Parallel */
        b->proj.stdpar2 = val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,30,31))
        /* Image type */
        b->img.type = (int) val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,29,2))
        /* Co-ordinate grid */
        b->img.grid = (int) val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,33,3))
        /* Quality information */
        b->img.qual = val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,21,198))
        /* dBZ Value offset */
        b->img.scale.offset = val;
    else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 0,21,199))
        /* dBZ Value increment */
        b->img.scale.increment = val;
    else {
        fprintf (stderr,
            "Unknown element descriptor %d %d %d", d->f, d->x, d->y);
        return 0;
    }
}
return 1;
}

/*=====*/
#define NROWS 200    /* Number of rows for our sample radar image */
#define NCOLS 200    /* Number of columns for our sample radar image */

static void create_sample_data (radar_data_t* d) {

    int i;

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/* create a sample radar image */

d->img.data = (unsigned short*) calloc (NROWS * NCOLS,
                                         sizeof (unsigned short));

if (d->img.data == NULL) {
    fprintf (stderr, "Could not allocate memory for sample image!\n");
    exit (EXIT_FAILURE);
}

/* fill image with random data (assuming 8 bit image depth -> max
   value = 254; 255 is missing value) */

#ifdef VERBOSE
    fprintf (stderr, "RAND_MAX = %d\n", RAND_MAX);
#endif

    for (i = 0; i < NROWS * NCOLS; i++) {
        d->img.data[i] = (unsigned short) ((float) rand() / RAND_MAX * 254);
#ifdef VERBOSE
        fprintf (stderr, "Value: %d\n", d->img.data[i]);
#endif
    }

/* create our source data */

d->wmoblock = 11;
d->wmostat = 164;

d->meta.year = 2007;
d->meta.month = 12;
d->meta.day = 5;
d->meta.hour = 12;
d->meta.min = 5;
d->meta.radar.lat = 47.06022;
d->meta.radar.lon = 15.45772;
d->meta.radar_height = 355;

d->img.nw.lat = 50.4371;
d->img.nw.lon = 8.1938;
d->img.ne.lat = 50.3750;
d->img.ne.lon = 19.7773;
d->img.se.lat = 44.5910;
d->img.se.lon = 19.1030;
d->img.sw.lat = 44.6466;
d->img.sw.lon = 8.7324;
d->img.psize_x = 1000;
d->img.psize_y = 1000;
d->img.nrows = NROWS;
d->img.ncols = NCOLS;
d->img.type = 2;
d->img.grid = 0;
d->img.qual = MISSVAL;

/* create level slicing table */

d->img.scale.nvals = 255;

for (i = 0; i < 255; i++) {
    d->img.scale.vals[i] = i * 0.5 - 31.0;
}
d->img.scale.offset = -31;
d->img.scale.increment = 0.5;

d->proj.type = 2;
d->proj.majax = 6378137;
d->proj.minax = 6356752;
d->proj.orig.lon = 13.333333;
d->proj.orig.lat = 47.0;
d->proj.xoff = 458745;
d->proj.yoff = 364548;
d->proj.stdpar1 = 46.0;
d->proj.stdpar2 = 49.0;

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}

/* end of file */

```

apisample_float.c

This is an example for encoding and decoding a BUFR message.

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/*-----
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----- */

#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include "bufrlib.h"
#include "apisample_float.h"
#include "bufr_io.h"

/*=====*/
/* internal function definitons */
/*=====*/

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static void create_source_msg (dd* descs, int* nd, varfl** vals,
                             radar_data_t* d);
static int our_callback (varfl val, int ind);
static void create_sample_data (radar_data_t* d);

/*=====*/
/* internal data */
/*=====*/

radar_data_t our_data; /* sturcture holding our decoded data */
char *version = "apisample_float V3.1, 5-Oct-2007\n";

/*=====*/

void bufr_encoding_sample (radar_data_t* src_data, bufr_t* bufr_msg) {

    sect_1_t s1;          /* structure holding information from section 1 */
    dd descs[MAX_DESCS]; /* array of data descriptors, must be large enough
                          to hold all required descriptors */
    int nd = 0;           /* current number of descriptors in descs */
    varfl* vals = NULL;   /* array of data values */
    int ok;

    long year, mon, day, hour, min;

    memset (&s1, 0, sizeof (sect_1_t));

    /* first let's create our source message */

    create_source_msg (descs, &nd, &vals, src_data);

    /* Prepare data for section 1 */

    s1.year = 999;
    s1.mon = 999;
    s1.day = 999;
    s1.hour = 999;
    s1.min = 999;
    s1.mtab = 0;           /* master table used */
    s1.subcent = 255;      /* originating subcenter */
    s1.gencent = 255;      /* originating center */
    s1.updsequ = 0;        /* original BUFR message */
    s1.opsec = 0;          /* no optional section */
    s1.dcat = 6;           /* message type */
    s1.dcatst = 0;         /* message subtype */
    s1.vmtab = 13;         /* version number of master table used */
    s1.vltab = 6;          /* version number of local table used */

    /* read supported data descriptors from tables */

    ok = (read_tables (NULL, s1.vmtab, s1.vltab, s1.subcent, s1.gencent) >= 0);

    /* encode our data to a data-descriptor- and data-section */

    if (ok) ok = bufr_encode_sections34 (descs, nd, vals, bufr_msg);

    /* setup date and time if necessary */

    if (ok && s1.year == 999) {
        bufr_get_date_time (&year, &mon, &day, &hour, &min);
        s1.year = (int) year;
        s1.mon = (int) mon;
        s1.day = (int) day;
        s1.hour = (int) hour;
        s1.min = (int) min;
        s1.sec = 0;
    }

    /* encode section 0, 1, 2, 5 */

    if (ok) ok = bufr_encode_sections0125 (&s1, bufr_msg);
}

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/* Save coded data */

if (ok) ok = bufr_write_file (bufr_msg, "apisample.bfr");

if (vals != NULL)
    free (vals);
free_descs ();

if (!ok) exit (EXIT_FAILURE);
}

/*=====*/
void bufr_decoding_sample (bufr_t* msg, radar_data_t* data) {

    sect_1_t s1;
    int ok, desch, ndescs, subsets;
    dd* dds = NULL;

    /* initialize variables */

    memset (&s1, 0, sizeof (sect_1_t));

    /* Here we could also read our BUFR message from a file */
    /* bufr_read_file (msg, buffile); */

    /* decode section 1 */

    ok = bufr_decode_sections01 (&s1, msg);

    /* Write section 1 to ASCII file */

    bufr_sect_1_to_file (&s1, "section.1.out");

    /* read descriptor tables */

    if (ok) ok = (read_tables (NULL, s1.vmtab, s1.vltab, s1.subcent,
                             s1.gencent) >= 0);

    /* decode data descriptor and data-section now */

    /* open bitstreams for section 3 and 4 */

    desch = bufr_open_descsec_r(msg, &subsets);
    ok = (desch >= 0);
    if (ok) ok = (bufr_open_datasect_r(msg) >= 0);

    /* calculate number of data descriptors */

    ndescs = bufr_get_ndescs (msg);

    /* allocate memory and read data descriptors from bitstream */

    if (ok) ok = bufr_in_descsec (&dds, ndescs, desch);

    /* output data to our global data structure */

    while (ok && subsets--)
        ok = bufr_parse_out (dds, 0, ndescs - 1, our_callback, 1);

    /* get data from global */

    data = &our_data;

    /* close bitstreams and free descriptor array */

    if (dds != (dd*) NULL)
        free (dds);
    bufr_close_descsec_r (desch);
    bufr_close_datasect_r ();

    /* decode data to file also */

    if (ok) ok = bufr_data_to_file ("apisample.src", "apisample.img", msg);
}

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    bufr_free_data (msg);
    free_descs();
}

/*=====*/
/*
Sample for encoding and decoding a BUFR message

*/

int main (int argc, char* argv[]) {

    bufr_t bufr_msg ;    /* structure holding encoded bufr message */
#ifdef VERBOSE
    int i;
    FILE* fp;
#endif

    /* initialize variables */

    memset (&bufr_msg, 0, sizeof (bufr_t));
    memset (&our_data, 0, sizeof (radar_data_t));

    /* check command line parameters */

    while (argc > 1 && *argv[1] == '-')
    {
        if (*(argv[1] + 1) == 'v')
            fprintf (stderr, "%s", version);
        argc--; argv++;
    }

    /* sample for encoding to BUFR */

    create_sample_data (&our_data);
    bufr_encoding_sample (&our_data, &bufr_msg);

    /* write image from memory for comparison */

#ifdef VERBOSE
    fp = fopen ("apisample_source.asc", "wb");
    if (fp == NULL) {
        fprintf (stderr, "Could not open file %s!\n", "apisample_source.asc");
    }
    for (i = 0; i < our_data.img.nrows * our_data.img.ncols; i++) {
        fprintf (fp, "%.2f ", our_data.img.data_float[i]);
        if ((i + 1) % 10 == 0)
            fprintf (fp, "\n");
    }
    fprintf (fp, "\n");
    fclose(fp);
#endif

    /* free image */

    if (our_data.img.data != (unsigned short*) NULL)
        free (our_data.img.data);
    if (our_data.img.data_float != (float*) NULL)
        free (our_data.img.data_float);
    memset (&our_data, 0, sizeof (radar_data_t));

    /* sample for decoding from BUFR */

    bufr_decoding_sample (&bufr_msg, &our_data);
    bufr_free_data (&bufr_msg);

    /* write images from memory for comparison */

#ifdef VERBOSE
    fp = fopen ("apisample_float.asc", "wb");
    if (fp == NULL) {
        fprintf (stderr, "Could not open file %s!\n", "apisample_float.asc");
    }

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    }
    for (i = 0; i < our_data.img.nrows * our_data.img.ncols; i++) {
        fprintf (fp, "%.2f ", our_data.img.data_float[i]);
        if ((i + 1) % 10 == 0)
            fprintf (fp, "\n");
    }
    fprintf (fp, "\n");
    fclose(fp);
    fp = fopen ("apisample.asc", "wb");
    if (fp == NULL) {
        fprintf (stderr, "Could not open file %s!\n", "apisample.asc");
    }
    for (i = 0; i < our_data.img.nrows * our_data.img.ncols; i++) {
        fprintf (fp, "%d ", our_data.img.data[i]);
        if ((i + 1) % 10 == 0)
            fprintf (fp, "\n");
    }
    fprintf (fp, "\n");
    fclose(fp);
#endif

/* free image */

if (our_data.img.data != (unsigned short*) NULL)
    free (our_data.img.data);
if (our_data.img.data_float != (float*) NULL)
    free (our_data.img.data_float);

exit (EXIT_SUCCESS);
}

/*=====*/
#define fill_desc(ff,xx,yy) {\
    dd.f=ff; dd.x=xx; dd.y=yy; \
    bufr_desc_to_array (descs, dd, nd);}
#define fill_v(val) bufr_val_to_array (vals, val, &nv);

static void create_source_msg (dd* descs, int* nd, varfl** vals,
                              radar_data_t* d) {

    dd dd;
    int nv = 0;

    fill_desc(3,1,1);          /* WMO block and station number */
    fill_v(d->wmoblock);
    fill_v(d->wmostat);

    fill_desc(3,1,192);        /* Meta information about the product */
    fill_v(d->meta.year);        /* Date */
    fill_v(d->meta.month);
    fill_v(d->meta.day);
    fill_v(d->meta.hour);        /* Time */
    fill_v(d->meta.min);
    fill_v(d->img.nw.lat);        /* Lat. / lon. of NW corner */
    fill_v(d->img.nw.lon);
    fill_v(d->img.ne.lat);        /* Lat. / lon. of NE corner */
    fill_v(d->img.ne.lon);
    fill_v(d->img.se.lat);        /* Lat. / lon. of SE corner */
    fill_v(d->img.se.lon);
    fill_v(d->img.sw.lat);        /* Lat. / lon. of SW corner */
    fill_v(d->img.sw.lon);
    fill_v(d->proj.type);          /* Projection type */
    fill_v(d->meta.radar.lat);      /* Latitude of radar */
    fill_v(d->meta.radar.lon);      /* Longitude of radar */
    fill_v(d->img.psize.x);        /* Pixel size along x coordinate */
    fill_v(d->img.psize.y);        /* Pixel size along y coordinate */
    fill_v(d->img.nrows);          /* Number of pixels per row */
    fill_v(d->img.ncols);          /* Number of pixels per column */

    fill_desc(3,1,22);          /* Latitude, longitude and height of station */
    fill_v(d->meta.radar.lat);
    fill_v(d->meta.radar.lon);

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fill_v(d->meta.radar_height);

/* Projection information (this will be
a sequence descriptor when using tables 6 */
fill_desc(0,29,199); /* Semi-major axis or rotation ellipsoid */
fill_v(d->proj.majax);
fill_desc(0,29,200); /* Semi-minor axis or rotation ellipsoid */
fill_v(d->proj.minax);
fill_desc(0,29,193); /* Longitude Origin */
fill_v(d->proj.orig.lon);
fill_desc(0,29,194); /* Latitude Origin */
fill_v(d->proj.orig.lat);
fill_desc(0,29,195); /* False Easting */
fill_v(d->proj.xoff);
fill_desc(0,29,196); /* False Northing */
fill_v(d->proj.yoff);
fill_desc(0,29,197); /* 1st Standard Parallel */
fill_v(d->proj.stdp1);
fill_desc(0,29,198); /* 2nd Standard Parallel */
fill_v(d->proj.stdp2);

fill_desc(0,30,31); /* Image type */
fill_v(d->img.type);

fill_desc(0,29,2); /* Co-ordinate grid */
fill_v(d->img.grid);

fill_desc(0,33,3); /* Quality information */
fill_v(d->img.qual);

fill_desc(3,21,200); /* compressed rain accumulation */

/* run length encode our bitmap */

rlenc_from_mem_float (d->img.data_float, d->img.nrows, d->img.ncols,
vals, &nv);
}

/*=====*/
static int our_callback (varfl val, int ind) {

radar_data_t* b = &our_data; /* our global data structure */
bufrrval_t* v; /* array of data values */
varfl* vv;
int i = 0, nv, nr, nc;
dd* d;

/* do nothing if data modification descriptor or replication descriptor */

if (ind == _desc_special) return 1;

/* sequence descriptor */

if (des[ind]->id == SEQDESC) {

/* get descriptor */

d = &(des[ind]->seq->d);

/* open array for values */

v = bufr_open_val_array ();
if (v == (bufrrval_t*) NULL) return 0;

/* WMO block and station number */

if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,1,1)) {

/* decode sequence to global array */

bufr_parse_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,
bufr_val_to_global, 0);

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    /* get our data from the array */

    b->wmoblock = (int) v->vals[i++];
    b->wmostat = (int) v->vals[i];

}
/* Meta information */

else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,1,192)) {

    bufr_parse_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,
                    bufr_val_to_global, 0);

    vv = v->vals;
    i = 0;
    b->meta.year = (int) vv[i++];      /* Date */
    b->meta.month = (int) vv[i++];
    b->meta.day = (int) vv[i++];
    b->meta.hour = (int) vv[i++];      /* Time */
    b->meta.min = (int) vv[i++];
    b->img.nw.lat = vv[i++];           /* Lat. / lon. of NW corner */
    b->img.nw.lon = vv[i++];
    b->img.ne.lat = vv[i++];           /* Lat. / lon. of NE corner */
    b->img.ne.lon = vv[i++];
    b->img.se.lat = vv[i++];           /* Lat. / lon. of SE corner */
    b->img.se.lon = vv[i++];
    b->img.sw.lat = vv[i++];           /* Lat. / lon. of SW corner */
    b->img.sw.lon = vv[i++];
    b->proj.type = (int) vv[i++];       /* Projection type */
    b->meta.radar.lat = vv[i++];        /* Latitude of radar */
    b->meta.radar.lon = vv[i++];        /* Longitude of radar */
    b->img.psize_x = vv[i++];           /* Pixel size along x coordinate */
    b->img.psize_y = vv[i++];           /* Pixel size along y coordinate */
    b->img.nrows = (int) vv[i++];       /* Number of pixels per row */
    b->img.ncols = (int) vv[i++];       /* Number of pixels per column */

}
/* Latitude, longitude and height of station */

else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,1,22)) {

    bufr_parse_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,
                    bufr_val_to_global, 0);

    vv = v->vals;
    i = 0;
    b->meta.radar.lat = vv[i++];
    b->meta.radar.lon = vv[i++];
    b->meta.radar_height = vv[i];
}
/* Reflectivity scale */

else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,13,9)) {
    int j;

    bufr_parse_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,
                    bufr_val_to_global, 0);

    vv = v->vals;
    i = 0;

    b->img.scale.vals[0] = vv[i++];
    b->img.scale.nvals = (int) vv[i++] + 1; /* number of scale values */
    assert(b->img.scale.nvals < 256);
    for (j = 1; j < b->img.scale.nvals; j++) {
        b->img.scale.vals[j] = vv[i++];
    }
}

/* our bitmap */

else if (bufr_check_fxy (d, 3,21,200)) {

    /* read bitmap and run length decode */

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        if (!bufr\_parse\_out (des[ind]->seq->del, 0, des[ind]->seq->nel - 1,
                            bufr\_val\_to\_global, 0)) {
            bufr\_close\_val\_array ();
            return 0;
        }

        if (!rldec\_to\_mem (v->vals, &(b->img.data), &nv, &nr,
                        &nc)) {
            bufr\_close\_val\_array ();
            fprintf (stderr, "Error during runlength-compression.\n");
            return 0;
        }
        if (!rldec\_to\_mem\_float (v->vals, &(b->img.data_float), &nv, &nr,
                                &nc)) {
            bufr\_close\_val\_array ();
            fprintf (stderr, "Error during runlength-compression.\n");
            return 0;
        }
    }

    else {
        fprintf (stderr,
                "Unknown sequence descriptor %d %d %d", d->f, d->x, d->y);
    }
    /* close the global value array */

    bufr\_close\_val\_array ();
}

/* element descriptor */

else if (des[ind]->id == ELDESC) {

    d = &(des[ind]->el->d);

    if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,29,199))
        /* Semi-major axis or rotation ellipsoid */
        b->proj.majax = val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,29,200))
        /* Semi-minor axis or rotation ellipsoid */
        b->proj.minax = val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,29,193))
        /* Longitude Origin */
        b->proj.orig.lon = val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,29,194))
        /* Latitude Origin */
        b->proj.orig.lat = val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,29,195))
        /* False Easting */
        b->proj.xoff = (int) val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,29,196))
        /* False Northing */
        b->proj.yoff = (int) val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,29,197))
        /* 1st Standard Parallel */
        b->proj.stdpar1 = val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,29,198))
        /* 2nd Standard Parallel */
        b->proj.stdpar2 = val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,30,31))
        /* Image type */
        b->img.type = (int) val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,29,2))
        /* Co-ordinate grid */
        b->img.grid = (int) val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,33,3))
        /* Quality information */
        b->img.qual = val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,21,198))
        /* dBZ Value offset */
        b->img.scale.offset = val;
    else if (bufr\_check\_fxy (d, 0,21,199))

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        /* dBZ Value increment */
        b->img.scale.increment = val;
    else {
        fprintf (stderr,
            "Unknown element descriptor %d %d %d", d->f, d->x, d->y);
        return 0;
    }
}
return 1;
}

/*=====*/
#define NROWS 200 /* Number of rows for our sample radar image */
#define NCOLS 200 /* Number of columns for our sample radar image */

static void create_sample_data (radar_data_t* d) {

    int i;

    /* create a sample radar image */

    d->img.data_float = (float*) calloc (NROWS * NCOLS,
                                         sizeof (float));

    if (d->img.data_float == NULL) {
        fprintf (stderr, "Could not allocate memory for sample image!\n");
        exit (EXIT_FAILURE);
    }

    /* fill image with random data (assuming 8 bit image depth -> max
       value = 254; 255 is missing value) */

#ifdef VERBOSE
    fprintf (stderr, "RAND_MAX = %d\n", RAND_MAX);
#endif

    for (i = 0; i < NROWS * NCOLS; i++) {
        d->img.data_float[i] = (float) rand() / RAND_MAX * 254;
    }

    /* create our source data */

    d->wmblock = 11;
    d->wmostat = 164;

    d->meta.year = 2007;
    d->meta.month = 12;
    d->meta.day = 5;
    d->meta.hour = 12;
    d->meta.min = 5;
    d->meta.radar.lat = 47.06022;
    d->meta.radar.lon = 15.45772;
    d->meta.radar_height = 355;

    d->img.nw.lat = 50.4371;
    d->img.nw.lon = 8.1938;
    d->img.ne.lat = 50.3750;
    d->img.ne.lon = 19.7773;
    d->img.se.lat = 44.5910;
    d->img.se.lon = 19.1030;
    d->img.sw.lat = 44.6466;
    d->img.sw.lon = 8.7324;
    d->img.psize_x = 1000;
    d->img.psize_y = 1000;
    d->img.nrows = NROWS;
    d->img.ncols = NCOLS;
    d->img.type = 2;
    d->img.grid = 0;
    d->img.qual = MISSVAL;

    /* create level slicing table */

    d->img.scale.nvals = 255;

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    for (i = 0; i < 255; i++) {
        d->img.scale.vals[i] = i * 0.5 - 31.0;
    }
    d->img.scale.offset = -31;
    d->img.scale.increment = 0.5;

    d->proj.type = 2;
    d->proj.majax = 6378137;
    d->proj.minax = 6356752;
    d->proj.orig.lon = 13.333333;
    d->proj.orig.lat = 47.0;
    d->proj.xoff = 458745;
    d->proj.yoff = 364548;
    d->proj.stdpar1 = 46.0;
    d->proj.stdpar2 = 49.0;
}

/* end of file */

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