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# CUPTI

The *CUDA Profiling Tools Interface* (CUPTI) enables the creation of profiling and tracing tools that target CUDA applications. CUPTI provides four APIs, the *Activity API*, the *Callback API*, the *Event API*, and the *Metric API*. Using these APIs, you can develop profiling tools that give insight into the CPU and GPU behavior of CUDA applications. CUPTI is delivered as a dynamic library on all platforms supported by CUDA.

## CUPTI Compatibility and Requirements

New versions of the CUDA driver are backwards compatible with older versions of CUPTI. For example, a developer using a profiling tool based on CUPTI 4.1 can update to a more recently released CUDA driver. However, new versions of CUPTI are not backwards compatible with older versions of the CUDA driver. For example, a developer using a profiling tool based on CUPTI 4.1 must have a version of the CUDA driver released with CUDA Toolkit 4.1 (or later) installed as well. CUPTI calls will fail with `CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED` if the CUDA driver version is not compatible with the CUPTI version.

## CUPTI Initialization

CUPTI initialization occurs lazily the first time you invoke any CUPTI function. For the Event, Metric, and Callback APIs there are no requirements on when this initialization must occur (i.e. you can invoke the first CUPTI function at any point). For correct operation, the Activity API does require that CUPTI be initialized before any CUDA driver or runtime API is invoked. See the CUPTI Activity API section for more information on CUPTI initialization requirements for the activity API.

# CUPTI Activity API

The CUPTI Activity API allows you to asynchronously collect a trace of an application's CPU and GPU CUDA activity. The following terminology is used by the activity API.

**Activity Record:** CPU and GPU activity is reported in C data structures called activity records. There is a different C structure type for each activity kind (e.g. `CUpti_ActivityMemcpy`). Records are generically referred to using the `CUpti_Activity` type. This type contains only a kind field that indicates the kind of the activity record. Using this kind, the object can be cast from the generic `CUpti_Activity` type to the specific type representing the activity. See the `printActivity` function in the `activity_trace` sample for an example.

**Activity Buffer:** CUPTI fills activity buffers with activity records as the corresponding activities occur on the CPU and GPU. The CUPTI client is responsible for providing activity buffers as necessary to ensure that no records are dropped.

**Activity Queue:** CUPTI maintains queues of activity buffers. There are three types of queues: global, context, and stream.

**Global Queue:** The global queue collects all activity records that are not associated with a valid context. All device, context, and API activity records are collected in the global queue. A buffer is enqueued in the global queue by specifying `NULL` for the `context` argument.

**Context Queue:** Each context queue collects activity records associated with that context that are not associated with a specific stream or that are associated with the default stream. A buffer is enqueued in a context queue by specifying 0 for the `streamId` argument and a valid context for the `context` argument.

**Stream Queue:** Each stream queue collects memcpy, memset, and kernel activity records associated with the stream. A buffer is enqueued in a stream queue by specifying a non-zero value for the `streamId` argument and a valid context for the `context` argument. A `streamId` can be obtained from a `CUstream` object by using the `cuptiGetStreamId` function.

CUPTI must be initialized in a specific manner to ensure that activity records are collected correctly. Most importantly, CUPTI must be initialized before any CUDA driver or runtime API is invoked. Initialization can be done by enqueueing one or more buffers in the global queue, as shown in the `initTrace` function of the `activity_trace` sample.

Also, to ensure that device activity records are collected, you must enable device records before CUDA is initialized (also shown in the `initTrace` function).

The other important requirement for correct activity API operation is the need to enqueue at least one buffer in the context queue of each context as it is created. Thus, as shown in the `activity_trace` example, the CUPTI client should use the resource callback to enqueue at least one buffer when context creation is indicated by

`CUPTI_CBID_RESOURCE_CONTEXT_CREATED`. Using the stream queues is optional, but may be useful to reduce or eliminate application perturbations caused by the need to process or save the activity records returned in the buffers. For example, if a stream queue is used, that queue can be flushed when the stream is synchronized.

Each activity buffer must be allocated by the CUPTI client, and passed to CUPTI using the `cuptiActivityEnqueueBuffer` function. Enqueuing a buffer passes ownership to CUPTI, and so the client should not read or write the contents of a buffer once it is enqueued. Ownership of a buffer is regained by using the `cuptiActivityDequeueBuffer` function.

As the application executes, the activity buffers will fill. It is the CUPTI client's responsibility to ensure that a sufficient number of appropriately sized buffers are enqueued to avoid dropped activity records. Activity buffers can be enqueued and dequeued at the following points. Enqueuing and dequeuing activity buffers at any other point may result in corrupt activity records.

Before CUDA initialization: Buffers can be enqueued and dequeued to/from the global queue before any CUDA driver or runtime API is called.

In synchronization or resource callbacks: At context creation, destruction, or synchronization, buffers may be enqueued or dequeued to/from the corresponding context queue, and from any stream queues associated with streams in that context. At stream creation, destruction, or synchronization, buffers may be enqueued or dequeued to/from the corresponding stream queue. The global queue may also be enqueued or dequeued at this time.

After device synchronization: After a CUDA device is synchronized or reset (with `cudaDeviceSynchronize` or `cudaDeviceReset`), and before any subsequent CUDA driver or runtime API is invoked, buffers can enqueued and dequeued to/from any activity queue.

The **activity\_trace** sample described on page 32 shows how to use global, context, and stream queues to collect a trace of CPU and GPU activity for a simple application.

## CUPTI Callback API

The CUPTI Callback API allows you to register a callback into your own code. Your callback will be invoked when the application being profiled calls a CUDA runtime or driver function, or when certain events occur in the CUDA driver. The following terminology is used by the callback API.

Callback Domain: Callbacks are grouped into domains to make it easier to associate your callback functions with groups of related CUDA functions or events. There are currently four callback domains, as defined by `CUpti_CallbackDomain`: a domain for CUDA runtime functions, a domain for CUDA driver functions, a domain for CUDA

resource tracking, and a domain for CUDA synchronization notification.

**Callback ID:** Each callback is given a unique ID within the corresponding callback domain so that you can identify it within your callback function. The CUDA driver API IDs are defined in `cupti_driver_cbid.h` and the CUDA runtime API IDs are defined in `cupti_runtime_cbid.h`. Both of these headers are included for you when you include `cupti.h`. The CUDA resource callback IDs are defined by `CUpti_CallbackIdResource` and the CUDA synchronization callback IDs are defined by `CUpti_CallbackIdSync`.

**Callback Function:** Your callback function must be of type `CUpti_CallbackFunc`. This function type has two arguments that specify the callback domain and ID so that you know why the callback is occurring. The type also has a `cbdata` argument that is used to pass data specific to the callback.

**Subscriber:** A subscriber is used to associate each of your callback functions with one or more CUDA API functions. There can be at most one subscriber initialized with `cuptiSubscribe()` at any time. Before initializing a new subscriber, the existing subscriber must be finalized with `cuptiUnsubscribe()`.

Each callback domain is described in detail below.

## Driver and Runtime API Callbacks

Using the callback API with the `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_DRIVER_API` or `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RUNTIME_API` domains, you can associate a callback function with one or more CUDA API functions. When those CUDA functions are invoked in the application, your callback function is invoked as well. For these domains, the `cbdata` argument to your callback function will be of the type `CUpti_CallbackData`.

The following code shows a typical sequence used to associate a callback function with one or more CUDA API functions. To simplify the presentation error checking code has been removed.

```
CUpti_SubscriberHandle subscriber;
MyDataStruct *my_data = ...;
...
cuptiSubscribe(&subscriber,
              (CUpti_CallbackFunc)my_callback, my_data);
cuptiEnableDomain(1, subscriber,
                  CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RUNTIME_API);
```

First, `cuptiSubscribe` is used to initialize a subscriber with the `my_callback` callback function. Next, `cuptiEnableDomain` is used to associate that callback with all the CUDA runtime API functions. Using this code sequence will cause `my_callback` to be called

twice each time any of the CUDA runtime API functions are invoked, once on entry to the CUDA function and once just before exit from the CUDA function. CUPTI callback API functions `cuptiEnableCallback` and `cuptiEnableAllDomains` can also be used to associate CUDA API functions with a callback (see reference below for more information).

The following code shows a typical callback function.

```
void CUPTIAPI
my_callback(void *userdata, CUpti_CallbackDomain domain,
            CUpti_CallbackId cbid, const void *cbdata)
{
    const CUpti_CallbackData *cbInfo = (CUpti_CallbackData *)cbdata;
    MyDataStruct *my_data = (MyDataStruct *)userdata;

    if ((domain == CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RUNTIME_API) &&
        (cbid == CUPTI_RUNTIME_TRACE_CBID_cudaMemcpy_v3020)) {
        if (cbInfo->callbackSite == CUPTI_API_ENTER) {
            cudaMemcpy_v3020_params *funcParams =
                (cudaMemcpy_v3020_params *) (cbInfo->
                    functionParams);

            size_t count = funcParams->count;
            enum cudaMemcpyKind kind = funcParams->kind;
            ...
        }
        ...
    }
```

In your callback function, you use the `CUpti_CallbackDomain` and `CUpti_CallbackID` parameters to determine which CUDA API function invocation is causing this callback. In the example above, we are checking for the CUDA runtime `cudaMemcpy` function. The `CUpti_CallbackData` parameter holds a structure of useful information that can be used within the callback. In this case we use the `callbackSite` member of the structure to detect that the callback is occurring on entry to `cudaMemcpy`, and we use the `functionParams` member to access the parameters that were passed to `cudaMemcpy`. To access the parameters we first cast `functionParams` to a structure type corresponding to the `cudaMemcpy` function. These parameter structures are contained in `generated_cuda_runtime_api_meta.h`, `generated_cuda_meta.h`, and a number of other files. When possible these files are included for you by `cupti.h`.

The `callback_event` and `callback_timestamp` samples described on page 32 both show how to use the callback API for the driver and runtime API domains.

## Resource Callbacks

Using the callback API with the `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RESOURCE` domain, you can associate a callback function with some CUDA resource creation and destruction events. For example, when a CUDA context is created, your callback function will be invoked with a callback ID equal to `CUPTI_CBID_RESOURCE_CONTEXT_CREATED`. For this domain, the `cbdata` argument to your callback function will be of the type `CUpti_ResourceData`.

The **activity\_trace** sample described on page 32 shows how to use the resource callback.

## Synchronization Callbacks

Using the callback API with the `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_SYNCHRONIZE` domain, you can associate a callback function with CUDA context and stream synchronizations. For example, when a CUDA context is synchronized, your callback function will be invoked with a callback ID equal to `CUPTI_CBID_SYNCHRONIZE_CONTEXT_SYNCHRONIZED`. For this domain, the `cbdata` argument to your callback function will be of the type `CUpti_SynchronizeData`.

The **activity\_trace** sample described on page 32 shows how to use the synchronization callback.

## CUPTI Event API

The CUPTI Event API allows you to query, configure, start, stop, and read the event counters on a CUDA-enabled device. The following terminology is used by the event API.

**Event:** An event is a countable activity, action, or occurrence on a device.

**Event ID:** Each event is assigned a unique identifier. A named event will represent the same activity, action, or occurrence on all device types. But the named event may have different IDs on different device families. Use `cuptiEventGetIdFromName` to get the ID for a named event on a particular device.

**Event Category:** Each event is placed in one of the categories defined by `CUpti_EventCategory`. The category indicates the general type of activity, action, or occurrence measured by the event.

**Event Domain:** A device exposes one or more event domains. Each event domain represents a group of related events available on that device. A device may have multiple instances of a domain, indicating that the device can simultaneously record multiple instances of each event within that domain.

**Event Group:** An event group is a collection of events that are managed together. The number and type of events that can be added to an event group are subject to



device-specific limits. At any given time, a device may be configured to count events from a limited number of event groups. All events in an event group must belong to the same event domain.

**Event Group Set:** An event group set is a collection of event groups that can be enabled at the same time. Event group sets are created by `cuptiEventGroupSetsCreate` and `cuptiMetricCreateEventGroupSets`.

The tables included in this section list the events available for each device, as determined by the device's compute capability. You can also determine the events available on a device using the `cuptiDeviceEnumEventDomains` and `cuptiEventDomainEnumEvents` functions. The `cupti_query` sample described on page 32 shows how to use these functions. You can also enumerate all the CUPTI events available on any device using the `cuptiEnumEventDomains` function.

Configuring and reading event counts requires the following steps. First, select your event collection mode. If you want to count events that occur during the execution of a kernel, use `cuptiSetEventCollectionMode` to set mode `CUPTI_EVENT_COLLECTION_MODE_KERNEL`. If you want to continuously sample the event counts, use mode `CUPTI_EVENT_COLLECTION_MODE_CONTINUOUS`. Next determine the names of the events that you want to count, and then use the `cuptiEventGroupCreate`, `cuptiEventGetIdFromName`, and `cuptiEventGroupAddEvent` functions to create and initialize an event group with those events. If you are unable to add all the events to a single event group then you will need to create multiple event groups. Alternatively, you can use the `cuptiEventGroupSetsCreate` function to automatically create the event group(s) required for a set of events.

To begin counting a set of events, enable the event group or groups that contain those events by using the `cuptiEventGroupEnable` function. If your events are contained in multiple event groups you may be unable to enable all of the event groups at the same time, due to device limitations. In this case, you will need to gather the events across multiple executions of the application.

Use the `cuptiEventGroupReadEvent` and/or `cuptiEventGroupReadAllEvents` functions to read the event values. When you are done collecting events, use the `cuptiEventGroupDisable` function to stop counting of the events contained in an event group. The `callback_event` sample described on page 32 shows how to use these functions to create, enable, and disable event groups, and how to read event counts.

## Collecting Kernel Execution Events

A common use of the event API is to count a set of events during the execution of a kernel (as demonstrated by the `callback_event` sample). The following code shows a typical callback used for this purpose. Assume that the callback was enabled only for a kernel launch using the CUDA runtime (i.e. by `cuptiEnableCallback(1, subscriber, CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RUNTIME_API, CUPTI_RUNTIME_TRACE_CBID_cudaLaunch_v3020)`). To

simplify the presentation error checking code has been removed.

```
static void CUPTI_API
getEventValueCallback(void *userdata,
                      CUpti_CallbackDomain domain,
                      CUpti_CallbackId cbid,
                      const void *cbdata)
{
    const CUpti_CallbackData *cbData =
        (CUpti_CallbackData *)cbdata;

    if (cbData->callbackSite == CUPTI_API_ENTER) {
        cudaThreadSynchronize();
        cuptiSetEventCollectionMode(cbData->context,
                                    CUPTI_EVENT_COLLECTION_MODE_KERNEL);
        cuptiEventGroupEnable(eventGroup);
    }

    if (cbData->callbackSite == CUPTI_API_EXIT) {
        cudaThreadSynchronize();
        cuptiEventGroupReadEvent(eventGroup,
                                  CUPTI_EVENT_READ_FLAG_ACCUMULATE,
                                  eventId,
                                  &bytesRead, &eventVal);

        cuptiEventGroupDisable(eventGroup);
    }
}
```

Two synchronization points are used to ensure that events are counted only for the execution of the kernel. If the application contains other threads that launch kernels, then additional thread-level synchronization must also be introduced to ensure that those threads do not launch kernels while the callback is collecting events. When the `cudaLaunch` API is entered (that is, before the kernel is actually launched on the device), `cudaThreadSynchronize` is used to wait until the GPU is idle. The event collection mode is set to `CUPTI_EVENT_COLLECTION_MODE_KERNEL` so that the event counters are automatically started and stopped just before and after the kernel executes. Then event collection is enabled with `cuptiEventGroupEnable`.

When the `cudaLaunch` API is exited (that is, after the kernel is queued for execution on the GPU) another `cudaThreadSynchronize` is used to cause the CPU thread to wait for the kernel to finish execution. Finally, the event counts are read with `cuptiEventGroupReadEvent`.

## Sampling Events

The event API can also be used to sample event values while a kernel or kernels are executing (as demonstrated by the **event\_sampling** sample). The sample shows one possible way to perform the sampling. The event collection mode is set to `CUPTI_EVENT_COLLECTION_MODE_CONTINUOUS` so that the event counters run continuously. Two threads are used in **event\_sampling**: one thread schedules the kernels and memcpys that perform the computation, while another thread wakes periodically to sample an event counter. In this sample there is no correlation of the event samples with what is happening on the GPU. To get some coarse correlation, you can use `cuptiDeviceGetTimestamp` to collect the GPU timestamp at the time of the sample and also at other interesting points in your application.

## Interpreting Event Values

The tables below describe the events available for each device. Each event has a type that indicates how the activity or action associated with that event is collected. The event types are *SM*, *TPC*, and *FB*.

### SM Event Type

The SM event type indicates that the event is collected for an action or activity that occurs on one or more of the device's *streaming multiprocessors* (SMs). A streaming multiprocessor creates, manages, schedules, and executes threads in groups of 32 threads called warps.

The SM event values typically represent activity or action of thread warps, and not the activity or action of individual threads. Details of how each event is incremented are given in the event tables below.

Two factors will impact the accuracy of the values collected for SM type events. First, due to variations in system state, event values can vary across different, identical, runs of the same application. Second, for devices with compute capability less than 2.0, SM events are counted only for one SM. For devices with compute capability greater than 2.0, SM events from *domain\_d* are counted for all SMs but for SM events from *domain\_a* are counted for multiple but not all, SMs. To get the most consistent results in spite of these factors, it is best to have the number of blocks for each kernel launched to be a multiple of the total number of SMs on a device. In other words, the grid configuration should be chosen such that the number of blocks launched on each SM is the same and also the amount of work of interest per block is the same.

## TPC Event Type

The TPC event type indicates that the event is collected for an action or activity that occurs on the SMs within one of the device's *Texture Processing Cluster* (TPC). The number of SMs per TPC varies per device.

Several of the TPC type events measure *coherent* and *incoherent* memory transactions. A coherent (coalesced) access is said to occur when the memory required for a global load or global store instruction can be accessed with a single memory transaction of 32, 64, or 128 bytes. If the memory cannot be accessed with a single memory transaction the access is incoherent. For an incoherent (non-coalesced) access multiple memory transactions are issued, significantly reducing performance. The requirements for coherent access vary based on compute capability. Refer to the CUDA C Programming Guide for details.

## FB Event Type

The FB event type indicates that the event is collected for an action or activity that occurs on a DRAM partition.

## Event Reference - Compute Capability 1.0 to 1.3

Devices with compute capability less than 2.0 implement two event domains, called *domain\_a* and *domain\_b*. Table 1 and Table 2 give a description of each event available in these domains. The *Type* column indicates the event type, as described above in the *Interpreting Event Values* section. For the *Capability* columns, a **Y** indicates that the event is available for that compute capability and an **N** indicates that the event is not available.

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability			
			1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3
tex_cache_hit	Number of texture cache hits	SM	Y	Y	Y	Y
tex_cache_miss	Number of texture cache misses	SM	Y	Y	Y	Y

Table 1: Capability 1.x Events For **domain\_a**

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability			
			1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3
branch	Number of branches taken by threads executing a kernel. This event is incremented by one if at least one thread in a warp takes the branch. Note that barrier instructions ( <code>__syncThreads()</code> ) also get counted as branches	SM	Y	Y	Y	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability			
			1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3
divergent_branch	Number of divergent branches within a warp. This event is incremented by one if at least one thread in a warp diverges (that is, follows a different execution path) via a data dependent conditional branch. The event is incremented by one at each point of divergence in a warp	SM	Y	Y	Y	Y
instructions	Number of instructions executed	SM	Y	Y	Y	Y
warp_serialize	If two addresses of a memory request fall in the same memory bank, there is a bank conflict and the access has to be serialized. This event gives the number of thread warps that serialize on address conflicts to either shared or constant memory	SM	Y	Y	Y	Y
gld_incoherent	Number of non-coalesced global memory loads	TPC	Y	Y	N	N
gld_coherent	Number of coalesced global memory loads	TPC	Y	Y	N	N
gld_32b	Number of 32 byte global memory load transactions; incremented by 1 for each 32 byte transaction	TPC	N	N	Y	Y
gld_64b	Number of 64 byte global memory load transactions; incremented by 1 for each 64 byte transaction	TPC	N	N	Y	Y
gld_128b	Number of 128 byte global memory load transactions; incremented by 1 for each 128 byte transaction	TPC	N	N	Y	Y
gst_incoherent	Number of non-coalesced global memory stores	TPC	Y	Y	N	N
gst_coherent	Number of coalesced global memory stores	TPC	Y	Y	N	N
gst_32b	Number of 32 byte global memory store transactions; incremented by 2 for each 32 byte transaction	TPC	N	N	Y	Y
gst_64b	Number of 64 byte global memory store transactions; incremented by 4 for each 64 byte transaction	TPC	N	N	Y	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability			
			1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3
gst_128b	Number of 128 byte global memory store transactions; incremented by 8 for each 128 byte transaction	TPC	N	N	Y	Y
local_load	Number of local memory load transactions. Each local load request will generate one transaction irrespective of the size of the transaction	TPC	Y	Y	Y	Y
local_store	Number of local memory store transactions; incremented by 2 for each 32-byte transaction, by 4 for each 64-byte transaction and by 8 for each 128-byte transaction	TPC	Y	Y	Y	Y
cta_launched	Number of threads blocks launched on a TPC	TPC	Y	Y	Y	Y
sm_cta_launched	Number of threads blocks launched on an SM	SM	Y	Y	Y	Y
prof_trigger_XX	There are 8 such triggers (00-07) that user can profile. Those are generic and can be inserted in any place of the code to collect the related information	SM	Y	Y	Y	Y

Table 2: Capability 1.x Events For **domain\_b**

## Event Reference - Compute Capability 2.x

Devices with compute capability 2.x implement four event domains, called *domain\_a*, *domain\_b*, *domain\_c* and *domain\_d*. Table 3, Table 4, Table 5 and Table 6 give a description of each event available in these domains. The *Type* column indicates the event type, as described above in the *Interpreting Event Values* section. For the *Capability* columns, a **Y** indicates that the event is available for that compute capability and an **N** indicates that the event is not available.

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability	
			2.0	2.1
sm_cta_launched	Number of thread blocks launched	SM	Y	Y
l1_local_load_hit	Number of local load hits in L1 cache. This increments by 1, 2, or 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses respectively	SM	Y	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability	
			2.0	2.1
l1_local_load_miss	Number of local load misses in L1 cache. This increments by 1, 2, or 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses respectively	SM	Y	Y
l1_local_store_hit	Number of local store hits in L1 cache. This increments by 1, 2, or 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses respectively	SM	Y	Y
l1_local_store_miss	Number of local store misses in L1 cache. This increments by 1, 2, or 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses respectively	SM	Y	Y
l1_global_load_hit	Number of global load hits in L1 cache. This increments by 1, 2, or 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses respectively	SM	Y	Y
l1_global_load_miss	Number of global load misses in L1 cache. This increments by 1, 2, or 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses respectively	SM	Y	Y
uncached_global_load_transaction	Number of uncached global load transactions. This increments by 1, 2, or 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses respectively	SM	Y	Y
global_store_transaction	Number of global store transactions. This increments by 1, 2, or 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses respectively	SM	Y	Y
l1_shared_bank_conflict	Number of shared bank conflicts caused due to addresses for two or more shared memory requests fall in the same memory bank	SM	Y	Y
tex0_cache_sector_queries	Number of texture cache requests. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y	Y
tex0_cache_sector_misses	Number of texture cache misses. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y	Y
tex1_cache_sector_queries	Number of texture cache requests. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	N	Y
tex1_cache_sector_misses	Number of texture cache misses. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	N	Y

Table 3: Capability 2.x Events For **domain\_a**

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability	
			2.0	2.1
l2_subp0_write_sector_misses	Number of write misses in slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp1_write_sector_misses	Number of write misses in slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp0_read_sector_misses	Number of read misses in slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp1_read_sector_misses	Number of read misses in slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp0_write_sector_queries	Number of write requests from L1 to slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp1_write_sector_queries	Number of write requests from L1 to slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp0_read_sector_queries	Number of read requests from L1 to slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp1_read_sector_queries	Number of read requests from L1 to slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp0_read_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp1_read_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp0_read_tex_sector_queries	Number of read requests from TEX to slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp1_read_tex_sector_queries	Number of read requests from TEX to slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
l2_subp0_read_tex_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y



Event Name	Description	Type	Capability	
			2.0	2.1
l2_subp1_read_ tex_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y	Y
fb_subp0_read_ sectors	Number of DRAM read requests to sub partition 0, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	Y	Y
fb_subp1_read_ sectors	Number of DRAM read requests to sub partition 1, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	Y	Y
fb_subp0_write_ sectors	Number of DRAM write requests to sub partition 0, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	Y	Y
fb_subp1_write_ sectors	Number of DRAM write requests to sub partition 1, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	Y	Y
fb0_subp0_read_ sectors	Number of DRAM read requests to sub partition 0 of DRAM unit 0, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	N	Y**
fb0_subp1_read_ sectors	Number of DRAM read requests to sub partition 1 of DRAM unit 0, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	N	Y**
fb0_subp0_write_ sectors	Number of DRAM write requests to sub partition 0 of DRAM unit 0, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	N	Y**
fb0_subp1_write_ sectors	Number of DRAM write requests to sub partition 1 of DRAM unit 0, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	N	Y**
fb1_subp0_read_ sectors	Number of DRAM read requests to sub partition 0 of DRAM unit 1, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	N	Y**
fb1_subp1_read_ sectors	Number of DRAM read requests to sub partition 1 of DRAM unit 1, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	N	Y**
fb1_subp0_write_ sectors	Number of DRAM write requests to sub partition 0 of DRAM unit 1, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	N	Y**
fb1_subp1_write_ sectors	Number of DRAM write requests to sub partition 1 of DRAM unit 1, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	N	Y**

Table 4: Capability 2.x Events For **domain\_b**

Notes:

- Y\*\*: Devices will have either fb\_\*\* counters or fb0\_\*\* and fb1\_\*\* counters. Total DRAM reads and writes are calculated by adding values for all subpartitions.
- fb\* and l2\_\*\_misses events often give a large value when a display is connected to the device. To get accurate values do not connect a display to the device collecting event counts.
- l2\_\*\_queries event values can be greater than l2\_\*\_misses event values because l2\_\*\_queries counts only the requests from L1 to L2 (does not include, for example, texture requests) while l2\_\*\_misses counts all misses
- Initializing device memory on the host fetches data from DRAM to L2, which can modify the fb\*\_read\_sectors event values for a kernel

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability	
			2.0	2.1
gld_inst_8bit	Total number of 8-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y
gld_inst_16bit	Total number of 16-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y
gld_inst_32bit	Total number of 32-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y
gld_inst_64bit	Total number of 64-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y
gld_inst_128bit	Total number of 128-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y
gst_inst_8bit	Total number of 8-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y
gst_inst_16bit	Total number of 16-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y
gst_inst_32bit	Total number of 32-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y
gst_inst_64bit	Total number of 64-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability	
			2.0	2.1
gst_inst_128bit	Total number of 128-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y	Y

Table 5: Capability 2.x Events For **domain\_c**

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability	
			2.0	2.1
branch	Number of branches taken by threads executing a kernel. This counter will be incremented by one if at least one thread in a warp takes the branch	SM	Y	Y
divergent_branch	Number of divergent branches within a warp. This counter will be incremented by one if at least one thread in a warp diverges (that is, follows a different execution path) via a data dependent conditional branch	SM	Y	Y
warps_launched	Number of warps launched	SM	Y	Y
threads_launched	Number of threads launched	SM	Y	Y
active_warps	Accumulated number of active warps per cycle. For every cycle it increments by the number of active warps in the cycle which can be in the range 0 to 48	SM	Y	Y
active_cycles	Number of cycles a multiprocessor has at least one active warp	SM	Y	Y
local_load	Number of local load instructions per warp	SM	Y	Y
local_store	Number of local store instructions per warp	SM	Y	Y
gld_request	Number of global load instructions per warp	SM	Y	Y
gst_request	Number of global store instructions per warp	SM	Y	Y
shared_load	Number of shared load instructions per warp	SM	Y	Y
shared_store	Number of shared store instructions per warp	SM	Y	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability	
			2.0	2.1
prof_trigger_XX	There are 8 such triggers (00-07) that user can profile. The triggers are generic and can be inserted in any place of the code to collect the related information	SM	Y	Y
inst_issued	Number of instructions issued including replays	SM	Y	N
inst_issued1_0	Number of times instruction group 0 issued one instruction	SM	N	Y*
inst_issued2_0	Number of times instruction group 0 issued two instructions	SM	N	Y*
inst_issued1_1	Number of times instruction group 1 issued one instruction	SM	N	Y*
inst_issued2_1	Number of times instruction group 1 issued two instructions	SM	N	Y*
inst_executed	Number of instructions executed, not including replays	SM	Y	Y
thread_inst_executed_0	Number of instructions executed by all threads, not including replays, in pipeline 0. For each instruction executed increments by the number of threads in the warp	SM	Y	Y
thread_inst_executed_1	Number of instructions executed by all threads, not including replays, in pipeline 1. For each instruction executed increments by the number of threads in the warp	SM	Y	Y

Table 6: Capability 2.x Events For **domain\_d**

Notes:

- Y\*: Total instructions issued for compute capability 2.1 can be calculated as:  

$$\text{inst\_issued1\_0} + (\text{inst\_issued2\_0} * 2) + \text{inst\_issued1\_1} + (\text{inst\_issued2\_1} * 2)$$

## Event Reference - Compute Capability 3.x

Devices with compute capability 3.x implement four event domains, called *domain\_a*, *domain\_b*, *domain\_c* and *domain\_d*. Table 7, Table 8, Table 9 and Table 10 give a description of each event available in these domains. The *Type* column indicates the event

type, as described above in the *Interpreting Event Values* section. For the *Capability* columns, a **Y** indicates that the event is available for that compute capability and an **N** indicates that the event is not available.

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
tex0_cache_sector_queries	Number of texture cache requests. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y
tex0_cache_sector_misses	Number of texture cache misses. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y
tex1_cache_sector_queries	Number of texture cache requests. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y
tex1_cache_sector_misses	Number of texture cache misses. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y
tex2_cache_sector_queries	Number of texture cache requests. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y
tex2_cache_sector_misses	Number of texture cache misses. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y
tex3_cache_sector_queries	Number of texture cache requests. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y
tex3_cache_sector_misses	Number of texture cache misses. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	SM	Y

Table 7: Capability 3.x Events For **domain\_a**

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
l2_subp0_write_sector_misses	Number of write misses in slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp1_write_sector_misses	Number of write misses in slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp2_write_sector_misses	Number of write misses in slice 2 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp3_write_sector_misses	Number of write misses in slice 3 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
l2_subp0_read_-sector_misses	Number of read misses in slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp1_read_-sector_misses	Number of read misses in slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp2_read_-sector_misses	Number of read misses in slice 2 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp3_read_-sector_misses	Number of read misses in slice 3 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp0_write_l1_-sector_queries	Number of write requests from L1 to slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp1_write_l1_-sector_queries	Number of write requests from L1 to slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp2_write_l1_-sector_queries	Number of write requests from L1 to slice 2 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp3_write_l1_-sector_queries	Number of write requests from L1 to slice 3 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp0_read_l1_-sector_queries	Number of read requests from L1 to slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp1_read_l1_-sector_queries	Number of read requests from L1 to slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp2_read_l1_-sector_queries	Number of read requests from L1 to slice 2 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp3_read_l1_-sector_queries	Number of read requests from L1 to slice 3 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp0_read_l1_-hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
l2_subp1_read_l1_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp2_read_l1_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 2 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp3_read_l1_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 3 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp0_read_tex_sector_queries	Number of read requests from TEX to slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp1_read_tex_sector_queries	Number of read requests from TEX to slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp2_read_tex_sector_queries	Number of read requests from TEX to slice 2 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp3_read_tex_sector_queries	Number of read requests from TEX to slice 3 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp0_read_tex_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 0 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp1_read_tex_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 1 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp2_read_tex_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 2 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
l2_subp3_read_tex_hit_sectors	Number of read requests from L1 that hit in slice 3 of L2 cache. This increments by 1 for each 32-byte access	FB	Y
fb_subp0_read_sectors	Number of DRAM read requests to sub partition 0, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	Y
fb_subp1_read_sectors	Number of DRAM read requests to sub partition 1, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
fb_subp0_write_ -sectors	Number of DRAM write requests to sub partition 0, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	Y
fb_subp1_write_ -sectors	Number of DRAM write requests to sub partition 1, increments by 1 for 32 byte access	FB	Y

Table 8: Capability 3.x Events For **domain\_b**

Notes:

- fb\* and l2\*\_misses events often give a large value when a display is connected to the device. To get accurate values do not connect a display to the device collecting event counts.
- l2\*\_queries event values can be greater than l2\*\_misses event values because l2\*\_queries counts only the requests from L1 to L2 (does not include, for example, texture requests) while l2\*\_misses counts all misses
- Initializing device memory on the host fetches data from DRAM to L2, which can modify the fb\*\_read\_sectors event values for a kernel

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
gld_inst_8bit	Total number of 8-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y
gld_inst_16bit	Total number of 16-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y
gld_inst_32bit	Total number of 32-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y
gld_inst_64bit	Total number of 64-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y
gld_inst_128bit	Total number of 128-bit global load instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y
gst_inst_8bit	Total number of 8-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y



Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
gst_inst_16bit	Total number of 16-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y
gst_inst_32bit	Total number of 32-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y
gst_inst_64bit	Total number of 64-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y
gst_inst_128bit	Total number of 128-bit global store instructions that are executed by all the threads across all thread blocks	SM	Y

Table 9: Capability 3.x Events For **domain\_c**

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
prof_trigger_XX	There are 8 such triggers (00-07) that user can profile. The triggers are generic and can be inserted in any place of the code to collect the related information	SM	Y
warps_launched	Number of warps launched	SM	Y
threads_launched	Number of threads launched	SM	Y
inst_issued1	Number of single instruction issues, including replays	SM	Y*
inst_issued2	Number of dual instruction issues, including replays	SM	Y*
inst_executed	Number of instructions executed, not including replays	SM	Y
inst_executed_lsu_size_128	Number of 128-bit global load and store instructions executed	SM	Y
inst_executed_lsu_size_64	Number of 64-bit global load and store instructions executed	SM	Y
inst_executed_lsu_size_32	Number of 32-bit global load and store instructions executed	SM	Y
inst_executed_lsu_sub_size_32	Number of 8-bit and 16-bit global load and store instructions executed	SM	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
not_predicated_off_thread_inst_executed	Number of instructions executed by all threads, not including predicated instructions. For each instruction executed increments by the number of threads in the warp	SM	Y
warp_cant_issue_barrier	Number of active warps that did not issue due to barrier	SM	Y
local_load	Number of local load instructions per warp	SM	Y
local_store	Number of local store instructions per warp	SM	Y
gld_request	Number of global load instructions per warp	SM	Y
gst_request	Number of global store instructions per warp	SM	Y
shared_load	Number of shared load instructions per warp	SM	Y
shared_store	Number of shared store instructions per warp	SM	Y
l1_local_load_transactions	Number of local load transactions per warp	SM	Y
l1_local_store_transactions	Number of local store transactions per warp	SM	Y
l1_shared_load_transactions	Number of shared load transactions per warp	SM	Y
l1_shared_store_transactions	Number of shared store transactions per warp	SM	Y
l1_global_load_transactions	Number of global load transactions per warp	SM	Y
l1_global_store_transactions	Number of global store transactions per warp	SM	Y
l1_local_load_hit	Number of cache lines that hit in L1 cache for local memory load accesses. In case of perfect coalescing this increments by 1,2, and 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses by a warp respectively.	SM	Y
l1_local_load_miss	Number of cache lines that miss in L1 cache for local memory load accesses. In case of perfect clescing this increments by 1,2, and 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses by a warp respectively.	SM	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
l1_local_store_hit	Number of cache lines that hit in L1 cache for local memory store accesses. In case of perfect coalescing this increments by 1,2, and 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses by a warp respectively.	SM	Y
l1_local_store_miss	Number of cache lines that miss in L1 cache for local memory store accesses. In case of perfect coalescing this increments by 1,2, and 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses by a warp respectively.	SM	Y
l1_global_load_hit	Number of cache lines that hit in L1 cache for global memory load accesses. In case of perfect coalescing this increments by 1,2, and 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses by a warp respectively.	SM	Y
l1_global_load_miss	Number of cache lines that miss in L1 cache for global memory load accesses. In case of perfect clescing this increments by 1,2, and 4 for 32, 64 and 128 bit accesses by a warp respectively.	SM	Y
uncached_global_load_transaction	Number of uncached global load transactions. Increments by 1 per transaction. Transaction can be 32/64/128B	SM	Y
global_store_transaction	Number of global store transactions. Increments by 1 per transaction. Transaction can be 32/64/128B	SM	Y
local_ld_mem_divergence_replays	Number of replays due to local load divergence	SM	Y
local_st_mem_divergence_replays	Number of replays due to local store divergence	SM	Y
global_ld_mem_divergence_replays	Number of replays due to global load divergence	SM	Y
global_st_mem_divergence_replays	Number of replays due to global store divergence	SM	Y
shared_load_bank_conflict	Number of shared memory bank conflicts due to shared memory stores	SM	Y
shared_store_bank_conflict	Number of shared memory bank conflicts due to shared memory loads	SM	Y

Event Name	Description	Type	Capability
			3.0
branch	Number of branches taken by threads executing a kernel. This counter will be incremented by one if at least one thread in a warp takes the branch	SM	Y
divergent_branch	Number of divergent branches within a warp. This counter will be incremented by one if at least one thread in a warp diverges (that is, follows a different execution path) via a data dependent conditional branch	SM	Y
active_warps	Accumulated number of active warps per cycle. For every cycle it increments by the number of active warps in the cycle which can be in the range 0 to 48	SM	Y
active_cycles	Number of cycles a multiprocessor has at least one active warp	SM	Y
sm_cta_launched	Number of thread blocks launched	SM	Y

Table 10: Capability 3.x Events For **domain\_d**

Notes:

- Y\*: Total instructions issued for compute capability 3.x can be calculated as:  
 $\text{inst\_issued1} + (\text{inst\_issued2} * 2)$

## CUPTI Metric API

The CUPTI Metric API allows you to collect application metrics calculated from one or more event values. The following terminology is used by the metric API.

**Metric:** An characteristic of an application that is calculated from one or more event values.

**Metric ID:** Each metric is assigned a unique identifier. A named metric will represent the same characteristic on all device types. But the named metric may have different IDs on different device families. Use `cuptiMetricGetIdFromName` to get the ID for a named metric on a particular device.

**Metric Category:** Each metric is placed in one of the categories defined by `Cupti_MetricCategory`. The category indicates the general type of the characteristic

measured by the metric.

**Metric Value:** Each metric has a value that represents one of the kinds defined by `CUpti_MetricValueKind`. For each value kind, there is a corresponding member of the `CUpti_MetricValue` union that is used to hold the value.

The tables included in this section list the metrics available for each device, as determined by the device's compute capability. You can also determine the metrics available on a device using the `cuptiDeviceEnumMetrics` function. The `cupti_query` sample described on page 32 shows how to use this function. You can also enumerate all the CUPTI metrics available on any device using the `cuptiEnumMetrics` function.

Configuring and calculating metric values requires the following steps. First, determine the name of the metric that you want to collect, and then use the `cuptiMetricGetIdFromName` to get the metric ID. Use `cuptiMetricEnumEvents` to get the events required to calculate the metric and follow instructions in the CUPTI Event API section to create the event groups for those events. Alternatively, you can use the `cuptiMetricCreateEventGroupSets` function to automatically create the event group(s) required for metric's events.

Collect event counts as described in the CUPTI Event API section, and then use `cuptiMetricGetValue` to calculate the metric value from the collected event values. The `callback_metric` sample described on page 32 shows how to use these functions to calculate event values. Note that, as shown in the example, you should collect event counts from all domain instances and normalize the counts to get the most accurate metric values. It is necessary to normalize the event counts because the number of event counter instances varies by device and by the event being counted.

For example, a device might have 8 multiprocessors but only have event counters for 4 of the multiprocessors, and might have 3 memory units and only have events counters for one memory unit. When calculating a metric that requires a multiprocessor event and a memory unit event, the 4 multiprocessor counters should be summed and multiplied by 2 to normalize the event count across the entire device. Similarly, the one memory unit counter should be multiplied by 3 to normalize the event count across the entire device. The normalized values can then be passed to `cuptiMetricGetValue` to calculate the metric value.

As described, the normalization assumes the kernel executes a sufficient number of blocks to completely load the device. If the kernel has only a small number of blocks, normalizing across the entire device may skew the result.

## Metric Reference - Compute Capability 1.x

Devices with compute capability less than 2.0 implement the metrics shown in Table 11.

Metric Name	Description	Formula
branch_efficiency	Ratio of non-divergent branches to total branches	$100 * (\text{branch\_divergent\_branch}) / \text{branch}$
gld_efficiency	Ratio of requested global memory load transactions to actual global memory load transactions	For CC 1.2 & 1.3: $(\text{gld\_request} / ((\text{gld\_32} + \text{gld\_64} + \text{gld\_128}) / (2 * \text{\#SM})))$ For CC 1.0 & 1.1: $\text{gld\_coherent} / (\text{gld\_coherent} + \text{gld\_incoherent})$
gst_efficiency	Ratio of requested global memory store transactions to actual global memory store transactions	For CC 1.2 & 1.3: $(\text{gst\_request} / ((\text{gst\_32} + \text{gst\_64} + \text{gst\_128}) / (2 * \text{\#SM})))$ For CC 1.0 & 1.1: $\text{gst\_coherent} / (\text{gst\_coherent} + \text{gst\_incoherent})$
gld_requested_throughput	Requested global memory load throughput	$(\text{gld\_32} * 32 + \text{gld\_64} * 64 + \text{gld\_128} * 128) / (\text{gputime})$
gst_requested_throughput	Requested global memory store throughput	$(\text{gst\_32} * 32 + \text{gst\_64} * 64 + \text{gst\_128} * 128) / (\text{gputime})$

Table 11: Capability 1.x Metrics

## Metric Reference - Compute Capability 2.0 and Greater

Devices with compute capability 2.0 or greater implement the metrics shown in Table 12.

Metric Name	Description	Formula
sm_efficiency	The ratio of the time at least one warp is active on a multiprocessor to the total time	$100 * (\text{active\_cycles} / \text{\#SM}) / \text{elapsed\_clocks}$
achieved_occupancy	Ratio of the average active warps per active cycle to the maximum number of warps supported on a multiprocessor	$100 * (\text{active\_warps} / \text{active\_cycles}) / 48$
ipc	Instructions executed per cycle	$(\text{inst\_executed} / \text{\#SM}) / \text{elapsed\_clocks}$
branch_efficiency	Ratio of non-divergent branches to total branches	$100 * (\text{branch\_divergent\_branch}) / \text{branch}$

Metric Name	Description	Formula
warp_execution_efficiency	Ratio of the average active threads per warp to the maximum number of threads per warp supported on a multiprocessor	$\text{thread\_inst\_executed} / (\text{inst\_executed} * \text{warp\_size})$
inst_replay_overhead	Percentage of instruction issues due to memory replays	$100 * (\text{instructions\_issued} - \text{instruction\_executed}) / \text{instruction\_issued}$
shared_replay_overhead	Percentage of instruction issues due to replays for shared memory conflicts	$(100 * \text{shared\_memory\_bank\_conflicts}) / \text{inst\_issued}$
global_cache_replay_overhead	Percentage of instruction issues due to replays for global memory cache misses	$100 * \text{global\_load\_miss} / \text{inst\_issued}$
local_replay_overhead	Percentage of instruction issues due to replays for local memory cache misses	$100 * (\text{local\_load\_miss} + \text{local\_store\_miss}) / \text{inst\_issued}$
gld_efficiency	Ratio of requested global memory load throughput to actual global memory load throughput	$100 * \text{gld\_requested\_throughput} / \text{gld\_throughput}$
gst_efficiency	Ratio of requested global memory store throughput to actual global memory store throughput	$100 * \text{gst\_requested\_throughput} / \text{gst\_throughput}$
gld_throughput	Global memory load throughput	$((128 * \text{global\_load\_hit}) + (\text{l2\_subp0\_read\_requests} + \text{l2\_subp1\_read\_requests}) * 32 - (\text{l1\_cached\_local\_ld\_misses} * 128)) / (\text{gputime})$
gst_throughput	Global memory store throughput	$(\text{l2\_subp0\_write\_requests} + \text{l2\_subp1\_write\_requests}) * 32 - (\text{l1\_cached\_local\_ld\_misses} * 128) / (\text{gputime})$
gld_requested_throughput	Requested global memory load throughput	$(\text{gld\_inst\_8bit} + 2 * \text{gld\_inst\_16bit} + 4 * \text{gld\_inst\_32bit} + 8 * \text{gld\_inst\_64bit} + 16 * \text{gld\_inst\_128bit}) / \text{gputime}$
gst_requested_throughput	Requested global memory store throughput	$(\text{gst\_inst\_8bit} + 2 * \text{gst\_inst\_16bit} + 4 * \text{gst\_inst\_32bit} + 8 * \text{gst\_inst\_64bit} + 16 * \text{gst\_inst\_128bit}) / \text{gputime}$
dram_read_throughput	DRAM read throughput	$(\text{fb\_subp0\_read} + \text{fb\_subp1\_read}) * 32 / \text{gputime}$

Metric Name	Description	Formula
dram_write_throughput	DRAM write throughput	$(fb\_subp0\_write + fb\_subp1\_write) * 32 / gputime$
l1_cache_global_hit_rate	Hit rate in L1 cache for global loads	$100 * l1\_cached\_global\_ld\_hits / (l1\_cached\_global\_ld\_hits + l1\_cached\_global\_ld\_misses)$
l1_cache_local_hit_rate	Hit rate in L1 cache for local loads and stores	$100 * l1\_cached\_local\_ld\_hits / (l1\_cached\_local\_ld\_hits + l1\_cached\_local\_ld\_misses + l1\_cached\_local\_st\_hits + l1\_cached\_local\_st\_misses)$
tex_cache_hit_rate	Texture cache hit rate	$100 * (tex0Queries - tex0Misses) / tex0Queries$
tex_cache_throughput	Texture cache throughput	$tex\_cache\_sector\_queries * 32 / gputime$

Table 12: Capability 2.0 and Greater Metrics

## Samples

The CUPTI installation includes several samples that demonstrate the use of the CUPTI APIs. The samples are:

**activity\_trace:** This sample shows how to collect a trace of CPU and GPU activity.

**callback\_event:** This sample shows how to use both the callback and event APIs to record the events that occur during the execution of a simple kernel. The sample shows the required ordering for synchronization, and for event group enabling, disabling and reading.

**callback\_metric:** This sample shows how to use both the callback and metric APIs to record the metric's events during the execution of a simple kernel, and then use those events to calculate the metric value.

**callback\_timestamp:** This sample shows how to use the callback API to record a trace of API start and stop times.

**cupti\_query:** This sample shows how to query CUDA-enabled devices for their event domains, events, and metrics.

**event\_sampling:** This sample shows how to use the event API to sample events using a



separate host thread.

# CUPTI Reference

## CUPTI Version

### Defines

- `#define CUPTI_API_VERSION 2`  
*The API version for this implementation of CUPTI.*

### Functions

- `CUptiResult cuptiGetVersion (uint32_t *version)`  
*Get the CUPTI API version.*

### Define Documentation

`#define CUPTI_API_VERSION 2`

The API version for this implementation of CUPTI. This define along with `cuptiGetVersion` can be used to dynamically detect if the version of CUPTI compiled against matches the version of the loaded CUPTI library.

v1 : CUDAToolsSDK 4.0 v2 : CUDAToolsSDK 4.1

### Function Documentation

**CUptiResult** `cuptiGetVersion (uint32_t * version)`

Return the API version in `*version`.

**Parameters:**

`version` Returns the version

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS` on success

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `version` is `NULL`

**See also:**

[CUPTI\\_API\\_VERSION](#)

# CUPTI Result Codes

## Enumerations

```
► enum CUptiResult {  
    CUPTI_SUCCESS = 0,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER = 1,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_DEVICE = 2,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_CONTEXT = 3,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_EVENT_DOMAIN_ID = 4,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_EVENT_ID = 5,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_EVENT_NAME = 6,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_OPERATION = 7,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_OUT_OF_MEMORY = 8,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_HARDWARE = 9,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_PARAMETER_SIZE_NOT_SUFFICIENT = 10,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_API_NOT_IMPLEMENTED = 11,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_MAX_LIMIT_REACHED = 12,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_READY = 13,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_COMPATIBLE = 14,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED = 15,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_METRIC_ID = 16,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_METRIC_NAME = 17,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_QUEUE_EMPTY = 18,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_HANDLE = 19,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_STREAM = 20,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_KIND = 21,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_EVENT_VALUE = 22,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_DISABLED = 100,  
    CUPTI_ERROR_UNKNOWN = 999 }  
}
```

## Functions

- `CUptiResult cuptiGetResultString (CUptiResult result, const char **str)`

*Get the descriptive string for a CUptiResult.*

## Enumeration Type Documentation

### enum **CUptiResult**

Result codes.

#### **Enumerator:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS` No error.

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` One or more of the parameters is invalid.

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_DEVICE` The device does not correspond to a valid CUDA device.

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_CONTEXT` The context is NULL or not valid.

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_EVENT_DOMAIN_ID` The event domain id is invalid.

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_EVENT_ID` The event id is invalid.

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_EVENT_NAME` The event name is invalid.

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_OPERATION` The current operation cannot be performed due to dependency on other factors.

`CUPTI_ERROR_OUT_OF_MEMORY` Unable to allocate enough memory to perform the requested operation.

`CUPTI_ERROR_HARDWARE` The performance monitoring hardware could not be reserved or some other hardware error occurred.

`CUPTI_ERROR_PARAMETER_SIZE_NOT_SUFFICIENT` The output buffer size is not sufficient to return all requested data.

`CUPTI_ERROR_API_NOT_IMPLEMENTED` API is not implemented.

`CUPTI_ERROR_MAX_LIMIT_REACHED` The maximum limit is reached.

`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_READY` The object is not yet ready to perform the requested operation.

`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_COMPATIBLE` The current operation is not compatible with the current state of the object

`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED` CUPTI is unable to initialize its connection to the CUDA driver.

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_METRIC\_ID The metric id is invalid.  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_METRIC\_NAME The metric name is invalid.  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_QUEUE\_EMPTY The queue is empty.  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_HANDLE Invalid handle (internal?).  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_STREAM Invalid stream.  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_KIND Invalid kind.  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_VALUE Invalid event value.  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_DISABLED CUPTI profiling is not compatible with current  
 profiling mode  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_UNKNOWN An unknown internal error has occurred.

## Function Documentation

**CUptiResult** cuptiGetResultString (**CUptiResult** result, const char  
 \*\* str)

Return the descriptive string for a CUptiResult in \*str.

**Note:**

**Thread-safety:** this function is thread safe.

**Parameters:**

result The result to get the string for

str Returns the string

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS on success

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if str is NULL or result is not a valid  
 CUptiResult

# CUPTI Activity API

## Data Structures

- ▶ struct `CUpti_Activity`  
*The base activity record.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_ActivityAPI`  
*The activity record for a driver or runtime API invocation.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_ActivityContext`  
*The activity record for a context.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_ActivityDevice`  
*The activity record for a device.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_ActivityEvent`  
*The activity record for a CUPTI event.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_ActivityKernel`  
*The activity record for kernel.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_ActivityMemcpy`  
*The activity record for memory copies.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_ActivityMemset`  
*The activity record for memset.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_ActivityMetric`  
*The activity record for a CUPTI metric.*

## Enumerations

- ▶ enum `CUpti_ActivityComputeApiKind` {  
    `CUPTI_ACTIVITY_COMPUTE_API_UNKNOWN` = 0,  
    `CUPTI_ACTIVITY_COMPUTE_API_CUDA` = 1,

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_COMPUTE_API_OPENCL = 2 }`

*The kind of a compute API, indicating if the context was created for CUDA api or OpenCL APIs.*

► `enum CUpti_ActivityFlag {`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_FLAG_NONE = 0,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_FLAG_DEVICE_CONCURRENT_KERNELS = 1 << 0,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_FLAG_MEMCPY_ASYNC = 1 << 0 }`

*Flags associated with activity records.*

► `enum CUpti_ActivityKind {`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_INVALID = 0,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_MEMCPY = 1,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_MEMSET = 2,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_KERNEL = 3,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_DRIVER = 4,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_RUNTIME = 5,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_EVENT = 6,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_METRIC = 7,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_DEVICE = 8,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_CONTEXT = 9 }`

*The kinds of activity records.*

► `enum CUpti_ActivityMemcpyKind {`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_UNKNOWN = 0,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_HTOH = 1,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_DTOH = 2,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_HTOA = 3,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_ATOH = 4,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_ATOA = 5,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_ATOD = 6,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_DTOA = 7,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_DTOD = 8,`



`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_HTOH = 9 }`

*The kind of a memory copy, indicating the source and destination targets of the copy.*

► `enum CUpti_ActivityMemoryKind {`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_UNKNOWN = 0,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_PAGEABLE = 1,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_PINNED = 2,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_DEVICE = 3,`  
`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_ARRAY = 4 }`

*The kinds of memory accessed by a memory copy.*

## Functions

► `CUptiResult cuptiActivityDequeueBuffer` (`CUcontext` context, `uint32_t` streamId, `uint8_t **buffer`, `size_t *validBufferSizeBytes`)

*Dequeue a buffer containing activity records.*

► `CUptiResult cuptiActivityDisable` (`CUpti_ActivityKind` kind)

*Disable collection of a specific kind of activity record.*

► `CUptiResult cuptiActivityEnable` (`CUpti_ActivityKind` kind)

*Enable collection of a specific kind of activity record.*

► `CUptiResult cuptiActivityEnqueueBuffer` (`CUcontext` context, `uint32_t` streamId, `uint8_t *buffer`, `size_t bufferSizeBytes`)

*Queue a buffer for activity record collection.*

► `CUptiResult cuptiActivityGetNextRecord` (`uint8_t *buffer`, `size_t validBufferSizeBytes`, `CUpti_Activity **record`)

*Iterate over the activity records in a buffer.*

► `CUptiResult cuptiActivityGetNumDroppedRecords` (`CUcontext` context, `uint32_t` streamId, `size_t *dropped`)

*Get the number of activity records that were dropped from a queue because of insufficient buffer space.*

► `CUptiResult cuptiActivityQueryBuffer` (`CUcontext` context, `uint32_t` streamId,

size\_t \*validBufferSizeBytes)

*Query the status of the buffer at the head of a queue.*

- **CUptiResult cuptiGetStreamId** (CUcontext context, CUstream stream, uint32\_t \*streamId)

*Get the ID of a stream.*

- **CUptiResult cuptiGetTimestamp** (uint64\_t \*timestamp)

*Get the CUPTI timestamp.*

## Enumeration Type Documentation

### enum CUpti\_ActivityComputeApiKind

#### Enumerator:

CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_COMPUTE\_API\_UNKNOWN The compute API is not known.

CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_COMPUTE\_API\_CUDA The compute APIs are for CUDA.

CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_COMPUTE\_API\_OPENCL The compute APIs are for OpenCL.

### enum CUpti\_ActivityFlag

Activity record flags. Flags can be combined by bitwise OR to associated multiple flags with an activity record. Each flag is specific to a certain activity kind, as noted below.

#### Enumerator:

CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_FLAG\_NONE Indicates the activity record has no flags.

CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_FLAG\_DEVICE\_CONCURRENT\_KERNELS Indicates the activity represents a device that supports concurrent kernel execution. Valid for CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_DEVICE.

CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_FLAG\_MEMCPY\_ASYNC Indicates the activity represents an asynchronous memcpy operation. Valid for CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_MEMCPY.

### enum CUpti\_ActivityKind

Each activity record kind represents information about a GPU or an activity occurring on a CPU or GPU. Each kind is associated with a activity record structure that holds the

information associated with the kind.

**See also:**

[CUpti\\_Activity](#)  
[CUpti\\_ActivityAPI](#)  
[CUpti\\_ActivityDevice](#)  
[CUpti\\_ActivityEvent](#)  
[CUpti\\_ActivityKernel](#)  
[CUpti\\_ActivityMemcpy](#)  
[CUpti\\_ActivityMemset](#)  
[CUpti\\_ActivityMetric](#)

**Enumerator:**

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_INVALID` The activity record is invalid.

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_MEMCPY` A host<->host, host<->device, or device<->device memory copy. The corresponding activity record structure is [CUpti\\_ActivityMemcpy](#).

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_MEMSET` A memory set executing on the GPU. The corresponding activity record structure is [CUpti\\_ActivityMemset](#).

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_KERNEL` A kernel executing on the GPU. The corresponding activity record structure is [CUpti\\_ActivityKernel](#).

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_DRIVER` A CUDA driver API function execution. The corresponding activity record structure is [CUpti\\_ActivityAPI](#).

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_RUNTIME` A CUDA runtime API function execution. The corresponding activity record structure is [CUpti\\_ActivityAPI](#).

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_EVENT` An event value. The corresponding activity record structure is [CUpti\\_ActivityEvent](#).

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_METRIC` A metric value. The corresponding activity record structure is [CUpti\\_ActivityMetric](#).

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_DEVICE` Information about a device. The corresponding activity record structure is [CUpti\\_ActivityDevice](#).

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_CONTEXT` Information about a context. The corresponding activity record structure is [CUpti\\_ActivityContext](#).

## enum [CUpti\\_ActivityMemcpyKind](#)

Each kind represents the source and destination targets of a memory copy. Targets are host, device, and array.

**Enumerator:**

`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_UNKNOWN` The memory copy kind is not known.

CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_HTOD	A host to device memory copy.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_DTOH	A device to host memory copy.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_HTOA	A host to device array memory copy.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_ATOH	A device array to host memory copy.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_ATOA	A device array to device array memory copy.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_ATOD	A device array to device memory copy.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_DTOA	A device to device array memory copy.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_DTOD	A device to device memory copy.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMCPY_KIND_HTOH	A host to host memory copy.

## enum CUpti\_ActivityMemoryKind

Each kind represents the type of the source or destination memory accessed by a memory copy.

### Enumerator:

CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_UNKNOWN	The source or destination memory kind is unknown.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_PAGEABLE	The source or destination memory is pageable.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_PINNED	The source or destination memory is pinned.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_DEVICE	The source or destination memory is on the device.
CUPTI_ACTIVITY_MEMORY_KIND_ARRAY	The source or destination memory is an array.

## Function Documentation

**CUptiResult** `cuptiActivityDequeueBuffer` (CUcontext context, uint32\_t streamId, uint8\_t \*\* buffer, size\_t \* validBufferSizeBytes)

Remove the buffer from the head of the specified queue. See [cuptiActivityEnqueueBuffer\(\)](#) for description of queues. Calling this function transfers ownership of the buffer from CUPTI. CUPTI will no add any activity records to the buffer after it is dequeued.

**Parameters:**

`context` The context, or NULL to dequeue from the global queue  
`streamId` The stream ID  
`buffer` Returns the dequeued buffer  
`validBufferSizeBytes` Returns the number of bytes in the buffer that contain activity records

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `buffer` or `validBufferSizeBytes` are NULL  
`CUPTI_ERROR_QUEUE_EMPTY` the queue is empty, `buffer` returns NULL and `validBufferSizeBytes` returns 0

## **CUptiResult** `cuptiActivityDisable (CUpti_ActivityKind kind)`

Disable collection of a specific kind of activity record. Multiple kinds can be disabled by calling this function multiple times. By default all activity kinds are disabled for collection.

**Parameters:**

`kind` The kind of activity record to stop collecting

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED`

## **CUptiResult** `cuptiActivityEnable (CUpti_ActivityKind kind)`

Enable collection of a specific kind of activity record. Multiple kinds can be enabled by calling this function multiple times. By default all activity kinds are disabled for collection.

**Parameters:**

`kind` The kind of activity record to collect

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_COMPATIBLE` if the activity kind cannot be enabled

**CUptiResult** cuptiActivityEnqueueBuffer (CUcontext context, uint32\_t streamId, uint8\_t \* buffer, size\_t bufferSizeBytes)

Queue a buffer for activity record collection. Calling this function transfers ownership of the buffer to CUPTI. The buffer should not be accessed or modified until ownership is regained by calling [cuptiActivityDequeueBuffer\(\)](#).

There are three types of queues:

**Global Queue:** The global queue collects all activity records that are not associated with a valid context. All device and API activity records are collected in the global queue. A buffer is enqueued in the global queue by specifying **context == NULL**.

**Context Queue:** Each context queue collects activity records associated with that context that are not associated with a specific stream or that are associated with the default stream. A buffer is enqueued in a context queue by specifying the context and a **streamId** of 0.

**Stream Queue:** Each stream queue collects memcpy, memset, and kernel activity records associated with the stream. A buffer is enqueued in a stream queue by specifying a context and a non-zero stream ID.

Multiple buffers can be enqueued on each queue, and buffers can be enqueue on multiple queues.

When a new activity record needs to be recorded, CUPTI searches for a non-empty queue to hold the record in this order: 1) the appropriate stream queue, 2) the appropriate context queue, and 3) the global queue. If the search does not find any queue with a buffer then the activity record is dropped. If the search finds a queue containing a buffer, but that buffer is full, then the activity record is dropped and the dropped record count for the queue is incremented. If the search finds a queue containing a buffer with space available to hold the record, then the record is recorded in the buffer.

At a minimum, one or more buffers must be queued in the global queue at all times to avoid dropping activity records. For correct operation it is also necessary to enqueue at least one buffer in the context queue of each context as it is created. The stream queues are optional and can be used to reduce or eliminate application perturbations caused by the need to process or save the activity records returned in the buffers. For example, if a stream queue is used, that queue can be flushed when the stream is synchronized.

#### Parameters:

**context** The context, or NULL to enqueue on the global queue

**streamId** The stream ID

**buffer** The pointer to user supplied buffer for storing activity records. The buffer must be at least 8 byte aligned, and the size of the buffer must be at least 1024 bytes.

**bufferSizeBytes** The size of the buffer, in bytes. The size of the buffer must be at least 1024 bytes.

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **buffer** is NULL, does not have alignment of at least 8 bytes, or is not at least 1024 bytes in size

**CUptiResult** **cuprtiActivityGetNextRecord** (uint8\_t \* **buffer**, size\_t **validBufferSizeBytes**, **CUpti\_Activity** \*\* **record**)

This is a helper function to iterate over the activity records in a buffer. A buffer of activity records is typically obtained by using the [cuprtiActivityDequeueBuffer\(\)](#) function.

An example of typical usage:

```
CUpti_Activity *record = NULL;
CUptiResult status = CUPTI_SUCCESS;
do {
    status = cuprtiActivityGetNextRecord(buffer, validSize, &record);
    if(status == CUPTI_SUCCESS) {
        // Use record here...
    }
    else if (status == CUPTI_ERROR_MAX_LIMIT_REACHED)
        break;
    else {
        goto Error;
    }
} while (1);
```

**Parameters:**

**buffer** The buffer containing activity records

**record** Inputs the previous record returned by **cuprtiActivityGetNextRecord** and returns the next activity record from the buffer. If input value is NULL, returns the first activity record in the buffer.

**validBufferSizeBytes** The number of valid bytes in the buffer.

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_MAX\_LIMIT\_REACHED if no more records in the buffer

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **buffer** is NULL.

**CUptiResult** `cuptiActivityGetNumDroppedRecords (CUcontext context, uint32_t streamId, size_t * dropped)`

Get the number of records that were dropped from a queue because all the buffers in the queue are full. See [cuptiActivityEnqueueBuffer\(\)](#) for description of queues. Calling this function does not transfer ownership of the buffer. The dropped count maintained for the queue is reset to zero when this function is called.

**Parameters:**

`context` The context, or NULL to get dropped count from global queue  
`streamId` The stream ID  
`dropped` The number of records that were dropped since the last call to this function.

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `dropped` is NULL

**CUptiResult** `cuptiActivityQueryBuffer (CUcontext context, uint32_t streamId, size_t * validBufferSizeBytes)`

Query the status of buffer at the head in the queue. See [cuptiActivityEnqueueBuffer\(\)](#) for description of queues. Calling this function does not transfer ownership of the buffer.

**Parameters:**

`context` The context, or NULL to query the global queue  
`streamId` The stream ID  
`validBufferSizeBytes` Returns the number of bytes in the buffer that contain activity records

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `buffer` or `validBufferSizeBytes` are NULL  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_MAX\_LIMIT\_REACHED if buffer is full  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_QUEUE\_EMPTY the queue is empty, `validBufferSizeBytes` returns 0



**CUptiResult** cuptiGetStreamId (CUcontext context, CUstream stream, uint32\_t \* streamId)

Get the ID of a stream. The stream ID is needed to enqueue and dequeue activity record buffers on a stream queue.

**Parameters:**

context The context containing the stream

stream The stream

streamId Returns the ID for the stream

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **streamId** is NULL

**See also:**

[cuptiActivityEnqueueBuffer](#)

[cuptiActivityDequeueBuffer](#)

**CUptiResult** cuptiGetTimestamp (uint64\_t \* timestamp)

Returns a timestamp normalized to correspond with the start and end timestamps reported in the CUPTI activity records. The timestamp is reported in nanoseconds.

**Parameters:**

timestamp Returns the CUPTI timestamp

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **timestamp** is NULL

# CUpti\_Activity Type Reference

The base activity record.

## Data Fields

► [CUpti\\_ActivityKind kind](#)

## Detailed Description

The activity API uses a [CUpti\\_Activity](#) as a generic representation for any activity. The 'kind' field is used to determine the specific activity kind, and from that the [CUpti\\_Activity](#) object can be cast to the specific activity record type appropriate for that kind.

Note that all activity record types are padded and aligned to ensure that each member of the record is naturally aligned.

**See also:**

[CUpti\\_ActivityKind](#)

## Field Documentation

### CUpti\_ActivityKind CUpti\_Activity::kind

The kind of this activity.

# CUpti\_ActivityAPI Type Reference

The activity record for a driver or runtime API invocation.

## Data Fields

- ▶ [CUpti\\_CallbackId](#) `cbid`
- ▶ [uint32\\_t](#) `correlationId`
- ▶ [uint64\\_t](#) `end`
- ▶ [CUpti\\_ActivityKind](#) `kind`
- ▶ [uint32\\_t](#) `processId`
- ▶ [uint32\\_t](#) `returnValue`
- ▶ [uint64\\_t](#) `start`
- ▶ [uint32\\_t](#) `threadId`

## Detailed Description

This activity record represents an invocation of a driver or runtime API (CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_DRIVER and CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_RUNTIME).

## Field Documentation

### **CUpti\_CallbackId CUpti\_ActivityAPI::cbid**

The ID of the driver or runtime function.

### **uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityAPI::correlationId**

The correlation ID of the driver or runtime CUDA function. Each function invocation is assigned a unique correlation ID that is identical to the correlation ID in the memcpy, memset, or kernel activity record that is associated with this function.

### **uint64\_t CUpti\_ActivityAPI::end**

The end timestamp for the function, in ns.

## **CUpti\_ActivityKind CUpti\_ActivityAPI::kind**

The activity record kind, must be CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_DRIVER or CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_RUNTIME.

## **uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityAPI::processId**

The ID of the process where the driver or runtime CUDA function is executing.

## **uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityAPI::returnValue**

The return value for the function. For a CUDA driver function with will be a CUresult value, and for a CUDA runtime function this will be a cudaError\_t value.

## **uint64\_t CUpti\_ActivityAPI::start**

The start timestamp for the function, in ns.

## **uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityAPI::threadId**

The ID of the thread where the driver or runtime CUDA function is executing.

# CUpti\_ActivityDevice Type Reference

The activity record for a device.

## Data Fields

- ▶ uint32\_t [computeCapabilityMajor](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [computeCapabilityMinor](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [constantMemorySize](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [coreClockRate](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [flags](#)
- ▶ uint64\_t [globalMemoryBandwidth](#)
- ▶ uint64\_t [globalMemorySize](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [id](#)
- ▶ [CUpti\\_ActivityKind](#) kind
- ▶ uint32\_t [l2CacheSize](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxBlockDimX](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxBlockDimY](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxBlockDimZ](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxBlocksPerMultiprocessor](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxGridDimX](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxGridDimY](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxGridDimZ](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxIPC](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxRegistersPerBlock](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxSharedMemoryPerBlock](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxThreadsPerBlock](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [maxWarpsPerMultiprocessor](#)
- ▶ const char \* [name](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [numMemcpyEngines](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [numMultiprocessors](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [numThreadsPerWarp](#)

## Detailed Description

This activity record represents information about a GPU device (CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_DEVICE).

## Field Documentation

`uint32_t CUpti_ActivityDevice::computeCapabilityMajor`

Compute capability for the device, major number.

`uint32_t CUpti_ActivityDevice::computeCapabilityMinor`

Compute capability for the device, minor number.

`uint32_t CUpti_ActivityDevice::constantMemorySize`

The amount of constant memory on the device, in bytes.

`uint32_t CUpti_ActivityDevice::coreClockRate`

The core clock rate of the device, in kHz.

`uint32_t CUpti_ActivityDevice::flags`

The flags associated with the device.

**See also:**

[CUpti\\_ActivityFlag](#)

`uint64_t CUpti_ActivityDevice::globalMemoryBandwidth`

The global memory bandwidth available on the device, in kBytes/sec.

`uint64_t CUpti_ActivityDevice::globalMemorySize`

The amount of global memory on the device, in bytes.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::id**

The device ID.

**CUpti\_ActivityKind CUpti\_ActivityDevice::kind**

The activity record kind, must be CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_DEVICE.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::l2CacheSize**

The size of the L2 cache on the device, in bytes.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxBlockDimX**

Maximum allowed X dimension for a block.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxBlockDimY**

Maximum allowed Y dimension for a block.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxBlockDimZ**

Maximum allowed Z dimension for a block.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxBlocksPerMultiprocessor**

Maximum number of blocks that can be present on a multiprocessor at any given time.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxGridDimX**

Maximum allowed X dimension for a grid.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxGridDimY**

Maximum allowed Y dimension for a grid.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxGridDimZ**

Maximum allowed Z dimension for a grid.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxIPC**

The maximum "instructions per cycle" possible on each device multiprocessor.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxRegistersPerBlock**

Maximum number of registers that can be allocated to a block.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxSharedMemoryPerBlock**

Maximum amount of shared memory that can be assigned to a block, in bytes.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxThreadsPerBlock**

Maximum number of threads allowed in a block.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::maxWarpsPerMultiprocessor**

Maximum number of warps that can be present on a multiprocessor at any given time.

**const char\* CUpti\_ActivityDevice::name**

The device name. This name is shared across all activity records representing instances of the device, and so should not be modified.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::numMemcpyEngines**

Number of memory copy engines on the device.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::numMultiprocessors**

Number of multiprocessors on the device.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityDevice::numThreadsPerWarp**

The number of threads per warp on the device.



# CUpti\_ActivityEvent Type Reference

The activity record for a CUPTI event.

## Data Fields

- ▶ `uint32_t` `correlationId`
- ▶ `CUpti_EventDomainID` `domain`
- ▶ `CUpti_EventID` `id`
- ▶ `CUpti_ActivityKind` `kind`
- ▶ `uint64_t` `value`

## Detailed Description

This activity record represents the collection of a CUPTI event value (`CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_EVENT`). This activity record kind is not produced by the activity API but is included for completeness and ease-of-use. Profile frameworks built on top of CUPTI that collect event data may choose to use this type to store the collected event data.

## Field Documentation

### `uint32_t CUpti_ActivityEvent::correlationId`

The correlation ID of the event. Use of this ID is user-defined, but typically this ID value will equal the correlation ID of the kernel for which the event was gathered.

### `CUpti_EventDomainID CUpti_ActivityEvent::domain`

The event domain ID.

### `CUpti_EventID CUpti_ActivityEvent::id`

The event ID.

### `CUpti_ActivityKind CUpti_ActivityEvent::kind`

The activity record kind, must be `CUPTI_ACTIVITY_KIND_EVENT`.

`uint64_t CUpti_ActivityEvent::value`

The event value.

# CUpti\_ActivityKernel Type Reference

The activity record for kernel.

## Data Fields

- ▶ int32\_t [blockX](#)
- ▶ int32\_t [blockY](#)
- ▶ int32\_t [blockZ](#)
- ▶ uint8\_t [cacheConfigExecuted](#)
- ▶ uint8\_t [cacheConfigRequested](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [contextId](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [correlationId](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [deviceId](#)
- ▶ int32\_t [dynamicSharedMemory](#)
- ▶ uint64\_t [end](#)
- ▶ int32\_t [gridX](#)
- ▶ int32\_t [gridY](#)
- ▶ int32\_t [gridZ](#)
- ▶ [CUpti\\_ActivityKind](#) [kind](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [localMemoryPerThread](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [localMemoryTotal](#)
- ▶ const char \* [name](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [pad](#)
- ▶ uint16\_t [registersPerThread](#)
- ▶ void \* [reserved0](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [runtimeCorrelationId](#)
- ▶ uint64\_t [start](#)
- ▶ int32\_t [staticSharedMemory](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [streamId](#)

## Detailed Description

This activity record represents a kernel execution (CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_KERNEL).

## Field Documentation

### `int32_t CUpti_ActivityKernel::blockX`

The X-dimension block size for the kernel.

### `int32_t CUpti_ActivityKernel::blockY`

The Y-dimension block size for the kernel.

### `int32_t CUpti_ActivityKernel::blockZ`

The Z-dimension grid size for the kernel.

### `uint8_t CUpti_ActivityKernel::cacheConfigExecuted`

The cache configuration used for the kernel. The value is one of the `CUfunc_cache` enumeration values from `cuda.h`.

### `uint8_t CUpti_ActivityKernel::cacheConfigRequested`

The cache configuration requested by the kernel. The value is one of the `CUfunc_cache` enumeration values from `cuda.h`.

### `uint32_t CUpti_ActivityKernel::contextId`

The ID of the context where the kernel is executing.

### `uint32_t CUpti_ActivityKernel::correlationId`

The correlation ID of the kernel. Each kernel execution is assigned a unique correlation ID that is identical to the correlation ID in the driver API activity record that launched the kernel.

### `uint32_t CUpti_ActivityKernel::deviceId`

The ID of the device where the kernel is executing.

**int32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::dynamicSharedMemory**

The dynamic shared memory reserved for the kernel, in bytes.

**uint64\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::end**

The end timestamp for the kernel execution, in ns.

**int32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::gridX**

The X-dimension grid size for the kernel.

**int32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::gridY**

The Y-dimension grid size for the kernel.

**int32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::gridZ**

The Z-dimension grid size for the kernel.

**CUpti\_ActivityKind CUpti\_ActivityKernel::kind**

The activity record kind, must be CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_KERNEL.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::localMemoryPerThread**

The amount of local memory reserved for each thread, in bytes.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::localMemoryTotal**

The total amount of local memory reserved for the kernel, in bytes.

**const char\* CUpti\_ActivityKernel::name**

The name of the kernel. This name is shared across all activity records representing the same kernel, and so should not be modified.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::pad**

Undefined. Reserved for internal use.

**uint16\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::registersPerThread**

The number of registers required for each thread executing the kernel.

**void\* CUpti\_ActivityKernel::reserved0**

Undefined. Reserved for internal use.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::runtimeCorrelationId**

The runtime correlation ID of the kernel. Each kernel execution is assigned a unique runtime correlation ID that is identical to the correlation ID in the runtime API activity record that launched the kernel.

**uint64\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::start**

The start timestamp for the kernel execution, in ns.

**int32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::staticSharedMemory**

The static shared memory allocated for the kernel, in bytes.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityKernel::streamId**

The ID of the stream where the kernel is executing.

# CUpti\_ActivityMemcpy Type Reference

The activity record for memory copies.

## Data Fields

- ▶ uint64\_t [bytes](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [contextId](#)
- ▶ uint8\_t [copyKind](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [correlationId](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [deviceId](#)
- ▶ uint8\_t [dstKind](#)
- ▶ uint64\_t [end](#)
- ▶ uint8\_t [flags](#)
- ▶ CUpti\_ActivityKind [kind](#)
- ▶ void \* [reserved0](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [runtimeCorrelationId](#)
- ▶ uint8\_t [srcKind](#)
- ▶ uint64\_t [start](#)
- ▶ uint32\_t [streamId](#)

## Detailed Description

This activity record represents a memory copy (CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_MEMCPY).

## Field Documentation

### uint64\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemcpy::bytes

The number of bytes transferred by the memory copy.

### uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemcpy::contextId

The ID of the context where the memory copy is occurring.

## `uint8_t CUpti_ActivityMemcpy::copyKind`

The kind of the memory copy, stored as a byte to reduce record size.

**See also:**

[CUpti\\_ActivityMemcpyKind](#)

## `uint32_t CUpti_ActivityMemcpy::correlationId`

The correlation ID of the memory copy. Each memory copy is assigned a unique correlation ID that is identical to the correlation ID in the driver API activity record that launched the memory copy.

## `uint32_t CUpti_ActivityMemcpy::deviceId`

The ID of the device where the memory copy is occurring.

## `uint8_t CUpti_ActivityMemcpy::dstKind`

The destination memory kind read by the memory copy, stored as a byte to reduce record size.

**See also:**

[CUpti\\_ActivityMemoryKind](#)

## `uint64_t CUpti_ActivityMemcpy::end`

The end timestamp for the memory copy, in ns.

## `uint8_t CUpti_ActivityMemcpy::flags`

The flags associated with the memory copy.

**See also:**

[CUpti\\_ActivityFlag](#)

## `CUpti_ActivityKind CUpti_ActivityMemcpy::kind`

The activity record kind, must be CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_MEMCPY.



**void\* CUpti\_ActivityMemcpy::reserved0**

Undefined. Reserved for internal use.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemcpy::runtimeCorrelationId**

The runtime correlation ID of the memory copy. Each memory copy is assigned a unique runtime correlation ID that is identical to the correlation ID in the runtime API activity record that launched the memory copy.

**uint8\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemcpy::srcKind**

The source memory kind read by the memory copy, stored as a byte to reduce record size.

**See also:**

[CUpti\\_ActivityMemoryKind](#)

**uint64\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemcpy::start**

The start timestamp for the memory copy, in ns.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemcpy::streamId**

The ID of the stream where the memory copy is occurring.

# CUpti\_ActivityMemset Type Reference

The activity record for memset.

## Data Fields

- ▶ uint64\_t `bytes`
- ▶ uint32\_t `contextId`
- ▶ uint32\_t `correlationId`
- ▶ uint32\_t `deviceId`
- ▶ uint64\_t `end`
- ▶ CUpti\_ActivityKind `kind`
- ▶ void \* `reserved0`
- ▶ uint32\_t `runtimeCorrelationId`
- ▶ uint64\_t `start`
- ▶ uint32\_t `streamId`
- ▶ uint32\_t `value`

## Detailed Description

This activity record represents a memory set operation (CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_MEMSET).

## Field Documentation

### uint64\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemset::bytes

The number of bytes being set by the memory set.

### uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemset::contextId

The ID of the context where the memory set is occurring.

### uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemset::correlationId

The correlation ID of the memory set. Each memory set is assigned a unique correlation ID that is identical to the correlation ID in the driver API activity record that launched

the memory set.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemset::deviceId**

The ID of the device where the memory set is occurring.

**uint64\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemset::end**

The end timestamp for the memory set, in ns.

**CUpti\_ActivityKind CUpti\_ActivityMemset::kind**

The activity record kind, must be CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_MEMSET.

**void\* CUpti\_ActivityMemset::reserved0**

Undefined. Reserved for internal use.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemset::runtimeCorrelationId**

The runtime correlation ID of the memory set. Each memory set is assigned a unique runtime correlation ID that is identical to the correlation ID in the runtime API activity record that launched the memory set.

**uint64\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemset::start**

The start timestamp for the memory set, in ns.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemset::streamId**

The ID of the stream where the memory set is occurring.

**uint32\_t CUpti\_ActivityMemset::value**

The value being assigned to memory by the memory set.

# CUpti\_ActivityMetric Type Reference

The activity record for a CUPTI metric.

## Data Fields

- ▶ `uint32_t correlationId`
- ▶ `CUpti_MetricID id`
- ▶ `CUpti_ActivityKind kind`
- ▶ `uint32_t pad`
- ▶ `CUpti_MetricValue value`

## Detailed Description

This activity record represents the collection of a CUPTI metric value (CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_METRIC). This activity record kind is not produced by the activity API but is included for completeness and ease-of-use. Profile frameworks built on top of CUPTI that collect metric data may choose to use this type to store the collected metric data.

## Field Documentation

### `uint32_t CUpti_ActivityMetric::correlationId`

The correlation ID of the metric. Use of this ID is user-defined, but typically this ID value will equal the correlation ID of the kernel for which the metric was gathered.

### `CUpti_MetricID CUpti_ActivityMetric::id`

The metric ID.

### `CUpti_ActivityKind CUpti_ActivityMetric::kind`

The activity record kind, must be CUPTI\_ACTIVITY\_KIND\_METRIC.

### `uint32_t CUpti_ActivityMetric::pad`

Undefined. Reserved for internal use.

## **CUpti\_MetricValue CUpti\_ActivityMetric::value**

The metric value.

# CUPTI Callback API

## Data Structures

- ▶ struct `CUpti_CallbackData`  
*Data passed into a runtime or driver API callback function.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_ResourceData`  
*Data passed into a resource callback function.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_SynchronizeData`  
*Data passed into a synchronize callback function.*

## Typedefs

- ▶ typedef void(\* `CUpti_CallbackFunc`)(void \*userdata, `CUpti_CallbackDomain` domain, `CUpti_CallbackId` cbid, const void \*cbdata)  
*Function type for a callback.*
- ▶ typedef uint32\_t `CUpti_CallbackId`  
*An ID for a driver API, runtime API, resource or synchronization callback.*
- ▶ typedef `CUpti_CallbackDomain` \* `CUpti_DomainTable`  
*Pointer to an array of callback domains.*
- ▶ typedef struct `CUpti_Subscriber_st` \* `CUpti_SubscriberHandle`  
*A callback subscriber.*

## Enumerations

- ▶ enum `CUpti_ApiCallbackSite` {  
    `CUPTI_API_ENTER` = 0,  
    `CUPTI_API_EXIT` = 1 }  
*Specifies the point in an API call that a callback is issued.*

- enum CUpti\_CallbackDomain {
  - CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_INVALID = 0,
  - CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_DRIVER\_API = 1,
  - CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_RUNTIME\_API = 2,
  - CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_RESOURCE = 3,
  - CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_SYNCHRONIZE = 4 }*Callback domains.*
  
- enum CUpti\_CallbackIdResource {
  - CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_INVALID = 0,
  - CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_CONTEXT\_CREATED = 1,
  - CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_CONTEXT\_DESTROY\_STARTING = 2,
  - CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_STREAM\_CREATED = 3,
  - CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_STREAM\_DESTROY\_STARTING = 4 }*Callback IDs for resource domain.*
  
- enum CUpti\_CallbackIdSync {
  - CUPTI\_CBID\_SYNCHRONIZE\_INVALID = 0,
  - CUPTI\_CBID\_SYNCHRONIZE\_STREAM\_SYNCHRONIZED = 1,
  - CUPTI\_CBID\_SYNCHRONIZE\_CONTEXT\_SYNCHRONIZED = 2 }*Callback IDs for synchronization domain.*

## Functions

- CUptiResult cuptiEnableAllDomains (uint32\_t enable, CUpti\_SubscriberHandle subscriber)
  - Enable or disable all callbacks in all domains.*
  
- CUptiResult cuptiEnableCallback (uint32\_t enable, CUpti\_SubscriberHandle subscriber, CUpti\_CallbackDomain domain, CUpti\_CallbackId cbid)
  - Enable or disabled callbacks for a specific domain and callback ID.*
  
- CUptiResult cuptiEnableDomain (uint32\_t enable, CUpti\_SubscriberHandle subscriber, CUpti\_CallbackDomain domain)
  - Enable or disabled all callbacks for a specific domain.*

*Enable or disabled all callbacks for a specific domain.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiGetCallbackState` (`uint32_t *enable`, `CUpti_SubscriberHandle` subscriber, `CUpti_CallbackDomain` domain, `CUpti_CallbackId` cbid)

*Get the current enabled/disabled state of a callback for a specific domain and function ID.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiSubscribe` (`CUpti_SubscriberHandle *subscriber`, `CUpti_CallbackFunc` callback, `void *userdata`)

*Initialize a callback subscriber with a callback function and user data.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiSupportedDomains` (`size_t *domainCount`, `CUpti_DomainTable *domainTable`)

*Get the available callback domains.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiUnsubscribe` (`CUpti_SubscriberHandle` subscriber)

*Unregister a callback subscriber.*

## Typedef Documentation

```
typedef void( * CUpti_CallbackFunc)(void *userdata,  
CUpti_CallbackDomain domain, CUpti_CallbackId cbid, const  
void *cbdata)
```

Function type for a callback. The type of the data passed to the callback in `cbdata` depends on the `domain`. If `domain` is `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_DRIVER_API` or `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RUNTIME_API` the type of `cbdata` will be `CUpti_CallbackData`. If `domain` is `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RESOURCE` the type of `cbdata` will be `CUpti_ResourceData`. If `domain` is `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_SYNCHRONIZE` the type of `cbdata` will be `CUpti_SynchronizeData`.

### Parameters:

`userdata` User data supplied at subscription of the callback  
`domain` The domain of the callback  
`cbid` The ID of the callback  
`cbdata` Data passed to the callback.



## typedef uint32\_t CUpti\_CallbackId

An ID for a driver API, runtime API, resource or synchronization callback. Within a driver API callback this should be interpreted as a CUpti\_driver\_api\_trace\_cbid value. Within a runtime API callback this should be interpreted as a CUpti\_runtime\_api\_trace\_cbid value. Within a resource API callback this should be interpreted as a CUpti\_CallbackIdResource value. Within a synchronize API callback this should be interpreted as a CUpti\_CallbackIdSync value.

## Enumeration Type Documentation

### enum CUpti\_ApiCallbackSite

Specifies the point in an API call that a callback is issued. This value is communicated to the callback function via CUpti\_CallbackData::callbackSite.

#### Enumerator:

- CUPTI\_API\_ENTER The callback is at the entry of the API call.
- CUPTI\_API\_EXIT The callback is at the exit of the API call.

### enum CUpti\_CallbackDomain

Callback domains. Each domain represents callback points for a group of related API functions or CUDA driver activity.

#### Enumerator:

- CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_INVALID Invalid domain.
- CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_DRIVER\_API Domain containing callback points for all driver API functions.
- CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_RUNTIME\_API Domain containing callback points for all runtime API functions.
- CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_RESOURCE Domain containing callback points for CUDA resource tracking.
- CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_SYNCHRONIZE Domain containing callback points for CUDA synchronization.

### enum CUpti\_CallbackIdResource

Callback IDs for resource domain, CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_RESOURCE. This value is communicated to the callback function via the cbid parameter.

**Enumerator:**

CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_INVALID Invalid resource callback ID.

CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_CONTEXT\_CREATED A new context has been created.

CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_CONTEXT\_DESTROY\_STARTING A context is about to be destroyed.

CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_STREAM\_CREATED A new stream has been created.

CUPTI\_CBID\_RESOURCE\_STREAM\_DESTROY\_STARTING A stream is about to be destroyed.

## enum CUpti\_CallbackIdSync

Callback IDs for synchronization domain, CUPTI\_CB\_DOMAIN\_SYNCHRONIZE. This value is communicated to the callback function via the cbid parameter.

**Enumerator:**

CUPTI\_CBID\_SYNCHRONIZE\_INVALID Invalid synchronize callback ID.

CUPTI\_CBID\_SYNCHRONIZE\_STREAM\_SYNCHRONIZED Stream synchronization has completed for the stream.

CUPTI\_CBID\_SYNCHRONIZE\_CONTEXT\_SYNCHRONIZED Context synchronization has completed for the context.

## Function Documentation

**CUptiResult** cuptiEnableAllDomains (uint32\_t enable, **CUpti\_SubscriberHandle** subscriber)

Enable or disable all callbacks in all domains.

**Note:**

**Thread-safety:** a subscriber must serialize access to cuptiGetCallbackState, cuptiEnableCallback, cuptiEnableDomain, and cuptiEnableAllDomains. For example, if cuptiGetCallbackState(sub, d, \*) and cuptiEnableAllDomains(sub) are called concurrently, the results are undefined.

**Parameters:**

enable New enable state for all callbacks in all domain. Zero disables all callbacks, non-zero enables all callbacks.

subscriber - Handle to callback subscription

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS on success  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED if unable to initialize CUPTI  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **subscriber** is invalid

**CUptiResult** cuptiEnableCallback (uint32\_t enable,  
**CUpti\_SubscriberHandle** subscriber, **CUpti\_CallbackDomain**  
 domain, **CUpti\_CallbackId** cbid)

Enable or disabled callbacks for a subscriber for a specific domain and callback ID.

**Note:**

**Thread-safety:** a subscriber must serialize access to cuptiGetCallbackState, cuptiEnableCallback, cuptiEnableDomain, and cuptiEnableAllDomains. For example, if cuptiGetCallbackState(sub, d, c) and cuptiEnableCallback(sub, d, c) are called concurrently, the results are undefined.

**Parameters:**

enable New enable state for the callback. Zero disables the callback, non-zero enables the callback.  
 subscriber - Handle to callback subscription  
 domain The domain of the callback  
 cbid The ID of the callback

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS on success  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED if unable to initialize CUPTI  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **subscriber**, **domain** or **cbid** is invalid.

**CUptiResult** cuptiEnableDomain (uint32\_t enable,  
**CUpti\_SubscriberHandle** subscriber, **CUpti\_CallbackDomain**  
 domain)

Enable or disabled all callbacks for a specific domain.

**Note:**

**Thread-safety:** a subscriber must serialize access to cuptiGetCallbackState, cuptiEnableCallback, cuptiEnableDomain, and cuptiEnableAllDomains. For example, if cuptiGetCallbackEnabled(sub, d, \*) and cuptiEnableDomain(sub, d) are called concurrently, the results are undefined.

**Parameters:**

`enable` New enable state for all callbacks in the domain. Zero disables all callbacks, non-zero enables all callbacks.  
`subscriber` - Handle to callback subscription  
`domain` The domain of the callback

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS` on success  
`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED` if unable to initialize CUPTI  
`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `subscriber` or `domain` is invalid

**CUptiResult** `cuptiGetCallbackState` (`uint32_t * enable`,  
**CUpti\_SubscriberHandle** `subscriber`, **CUpti\_CallbackDomain**  
`domain`, **CUpti\_CallbackId** `cbid`)

Returns non-zero in `*enable` if the callback for a domain and callback ID is enabled, and zero if not enabled.

**Note:**

**Thread-safety:** a subscriber must serialize access to `cuptiGetCallbackState`, `cuptiEnableCallback`, `cuptiEnableDomain`, and `cuptiEnableAllDomains`. For example, if `cuptiGetCallbackState(sub, d, c)` and `cuptiEnableCallback(sub, d, c)` are called concurrently, the results are undefined.

**Parameters:**

`enable` Returns non-zero if callback enabled, zero if not enabled  
`subscriber` Handle to the initialize subscriber  
`domain` The domain of the callback  
`cbid` The ID of the callback

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS` on success  
`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED` if unable to initialize CUPTI  
`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `enabled` is NULL, or if `subscriber`, `domain` or `cbid` is invalid.

**CUptiResult** `cuptiSubscribe` (**CUpti\_SubscriberHandle** \*  
`subscriber`, **CUpti\_CallbackFunc** `callback`, `void * userdata`)

Initializes a callback subscriber with a callback function and (optionally) a pointer to user data. The returned subscriber handle can be used to enable and disable the callback for

specific domains and callback IDs.

**Note:**

Only a single subscriber can be registered at a time.

This function does not enable any callbacks.

**Thread-safety:** this function is thread safe.

**Parameters:**

`subscriber` Returns handle to initialize subscriber

`callback` The callback function

`userdata` A pointer to user data. This data will be passed to the callback function via the `userdata` parameter.

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS` on success

`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED` if unable to initialize CUPTI

`CUPTI_ERROR_MAX_LIMIT_REACHED` if there is already a CUPTI subscriber

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `subscriber` is NULL

**CUptiResult** `cuprtiSupportedDomains` (`size_t * domainCount`,  
**CUpti\_DomainTable** \* `domainTable`)

Returns in `*domainTable` an array of size `*domainCount` of all the available callback domains.

**Note:**

**Thread-safety:** this function is thread safe.

**Parameters:**

`domainCount` Returns number of callback domains

`domainTable` Returns pointer to array of available callback domains

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS` on success

`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED` if unable to initialize CUPTI

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `domainCount` or `domainTable` are NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiUnsubscribe (**CUpti\_SubscriberHandle** subscriber)

Removes a callback subscriber so that no future callbacks will be issued to that subscriber.

**Note:**

**Thread-safety:** this function is thread safe.

**Parameters:**

subscriber Handle to the initialize subscriber

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS on success

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED if unable to initialize CUPTI

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **subscriber** is NULL or not initialized

# CUpti\_CallbackData Type Reference

Data passed into a runtime or driver API callback function.

## Data Fields

- ▶ CUpti\_ApiCallbackSite callbackSite
- ▶ CUcontext context
- ▶ uint32\_t contextUid
- ▶ uint64\_t \* correlationData
- ▶ uint32\_t correlationId
- ▶ const char \* functionName
- ▶ const void \* functionParams
- ▶ void \* functionReturnValue
- ▶ const char \* symbolName

## Detailed Description

Data passed into a runtime or driver API callback function as the `cbdata` argument to [CUpti\\_CallbackFunc](#). The `cbdata` will be this type for `domain` equal to `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_DRIVER_API` or `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RUNTIME_API`. The callback data is valid only within the invocation of the callback function that is passed the data. If you need to retain some data for use outside of the callback, you must make a copy of that data. For example, if you make a shallow copy of [CUpti\\_CallbackData](#) within a callback, you cannot dereference `functionParams` outside of that callback to access the function parameters. `functionName` is an exception: the string pointed to by `functionName` is a global constant and so may be accessed outside of the callback.

## Field Documentation

### CUpti\_ApiCallbackSite CUpti\_CallbackData::callbackSite

Point in the runtime or driver function from where the callback was issued.

### CUcontext CUpti\_CallbackData::context

Driver context current to the thread, or null if no context is current. This value can change from the entry to exit callback of a runtime API function if the runtime initializes a

context.

## `uint32_t CUpti_CallbackData::contextUid`

Unique ID for the CUDA context associated with the thread. The UIDs are assigned sequentially as contexts are created and are unique within a process.

## `uint64_t* CUpti_CallbackData::correlationData`

Pointer to data shared between the entry and exit callbacks of a given runtime or driver API function invocation. This field can be used to pass 64-bit values from the entry callback to the corresponding exit callback.

## `uint32_t CUpti_CallbackData::correlationId`

The activity record correlation ID for this callback. For a driver domain callback (i.e. `domain CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_DRIVER_API`) this ID will equal the correlation ID in the [CUpti\\_ActivityAPI](#) record corresponding to the CUDA driver function call. For a runtime domain callback (i.e. `domain CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RUNTIME_API`) this ID will equal the correlation ID in the [CUpti\\_ActivityAPI](#) record corresponding to the CUDA runtime function call. Within the callback, this ID can be recorded to correlate user data with the activity record. This field is new in 4.1.

## `const char* CUpti_CallbackData::functionName`

Name of the runtime or driver API function which issued the callback. This string is a global constant and so may be accessed outside of the callback.

## `const void* CUpti_CallbackData::functionParams`

Pointer to the arguments passed to the runtime or driver API call. See [generated\\_cuda\\_runtime\\_api\\_meta::h](#) and [generated\\_cuda\\_meta::h](#) for structure definitions for the parameters for each runtime and driver API function.

## `void* CUpti_CallbackData::functionReturnValue`

Pointer to the return value of the runtime or driver API call. This field is only valid within the [exit::CUPTI\\_API\\_EXIT](#) callback. For a runtime API `functionReturnValue` points to a `cudaError_t`. For a driver API `functionReturnValue` points to a `CUresult`.



`const char* CUpti_CallbackData::symbolName`

Name of the symbol operated on by the runtime or driver API function which issued the callback. This entry is valid only for the runtime `cudaLaunch` callback (i.e. `CUPTI_RUNTIME_TRACE_CBID_cudaLaunch_v3020`), where it returns the name of the kernel.

# CUpti\_ResourceData Type Reference

Data passed into a resource callback function.

## Data Fields

- ▶ CUcontext [context](#)
- ▶ void \* [resourceDescriptor](#)
- ▶ CUstream [stream](#)

## Detailed Description

Data passed into a resource callback function as the `cbdata` argument to [CUpti\\_CallbackFunc](#). The `cbdata` will be this type for `domain` equal to `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_RESOURCE`. The callback data is valid only within the invocation of the callback function that is passed the data. If you need to retain some data for use outside of the callback, you must make a copy of that data.

## Field Documentation

### CUcontext **CUpti\_ResourceData::context**

For `CUPTI_CBID_RESOURCE_CONTEXT_CREATED` and `CUPTI_CBID_RESOURCE_CONTEXT_DESTROY_STARTING`, the context being created or destroyed. For `CUPTI_CBID_RESOURCE_STREAM_CREATED` and `CUPTI_CBID_RESOURCE_STREAM_DESTROY_STARTING`, the context containing the stream being created or destroyed.

### void\* **CUpti\_ResourceData::resourceDescriptor**

Reserved for future use.

### CUstream **CUpti\_ResourceData::stream**

For `CUPTI_CBID_RESOURCE_STREAM_CREATED` and `CUPTI_CBID_RESOURCE_STREAM_DESTROY_STARTING`, the stream being created or destroyed.

# CUpti\_SynchronizeData Type Reference

Data passed into a synchronize callback function.

## Data Fields

- ▶ CUcontext [context](#)
- ▶ CUstream [stream](#)

## Detailed Description

Data passed into a synchronize callback function as the `cbdata` argument to [CUpti\\_CallbackFunc](#). The `cbdata` will be this type for `domain` equal to `CUPTI_CB_DOMAIN_SYNCHRONIZE`. The callback data is valid only within the invocation of the callback function that is passed the data. If you need to retain some data for use outside of the callback, you must make a copy of that data.

## Field Documentation

### CUcontext **CUpti\_SynchronizeData::context**

The context of the stream being synchronized.

### CUstream **CUpti\_SynchronizeData::stream**

The stream being synchronized.

# CUPTI Event API

## Data Structures

- ▶ struct `CUpti_EventGroupSet`  
*A set of event groups.*
- ▶ struct `CUpti_EventGroupSets`  
*A set of event group sets.*

## Defines

- ▶ #define `CUPTI_EVENT_OVERFLOW` `((uint64_t)0xFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFULL)`  
*The overflow value for a CUPTI event.*

## Typedefs

- ▶ typedef uint32\_t `CUpti_EventDomainID`  
*ID for an event domain.*
- ▶ typedef void \* `CUpti_EventGroup`  
*A group of events.*
- ▶ typedef uint32\_t `CUpti_EventID`  
*ID for an event.*

## Enumerations

- ▶ enum `CUpti_DeviceAttribute` {  
    `CUPTI_DEVICE_ATTR_MAX_EVENT_ID` = 1,  
    `CUPTI_DEVICE_ATTR_MAX_EVENT_DOMAIN_ID` = 2,  
    `CUPTI_DEVICE_ATTR_GLOBAL_MEMORY_BANDWIDTH` = 3,

```
CUPTI_DEVICE_ATTR_INSTRUCTION_PER_CYCLE = 4,  
CUPTI_DEVICE_ATTR_INSTRUCTION_THROUGHPUT_SINGLE_PRECISION  
= 5 }
```

*Device attributes.*

```
► enum CUpti_EventAttribute {  
    CUPTI_EVENT_ATTR_NAME = 0,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_ATTR_SHORT_DESCRIPTION = 1,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_ATTR_LONG_DESCRIPTION = 2,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_ATTR_CATEGORY = 3 }
```

*Event attributes.*

```
► enum CUpti_EventCategory {  
    CUPTI_EVENT_CATEGORY_INSTRUCTION = 0,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_CATEGORY_MEMORY = 1,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_CATEGORY_CACHE = 2,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_CATEGORY_PROFILE_TRIGGER = 3 }
```

*An event category.*

```
► enum CUpti_EventCollectionMode {  
    CUPTI_EVENT_COLLECTION_MODE_CONTINUOUS = 0,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_COLLECTION_MODE_KERNEL = 1 }
```

*Event collection modes.*

```
► enum CUpti_EventDomainAttribute {  
    CUPTI_EVENT_DOMAIN_ATTR_NAME = 0,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_DOMAIN_ATTR_INSTANCE_COUNT = 1,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_DOMAIN_ATTR_TOTAL_INSTANCE_COUNT = 3 }
```

*Event domain attributes.*

```
► enum CUpti_EventGroupAttribute {  
    CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_EVENT_DOMAIN_ID = 0,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_PROFILE_ALL_DOMAIN_INSTANCES =  
    1,  
    CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_USER_DATA = 2,
```

```
CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_NUM_EVENTS = 3,
CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_EVENTS = 4,
CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_INSTANCE_COUNT = 5 }
```

*Event group attributes.*

- enum CUpti\_ReadEventFlags { CUPTI\_EVENT\_READ\_FLAG\_NONE = 0 }

*Flags for cuptiEventGroupReadEvent and cuptiEventGroupReadAllEvents.*

## Functions

- CUptiResult cuptiDeviceEnumEventDomains (CUdevice device, size\_t \*arraySizeBytes, CUpti\_EventDomainID \*domainArray)  
*Get the event domains for a device.*
- CUptiResult cuptiDeviceGetAttribute (CUdevice device, CUpti\_DeviceAttribute attrib, size\_t \*valueSize, void \*value)  
*Read a device attribute.*
- CUptiResult cuptiDeviceGetEventDomainAttribute (CUdevice device, CUpti\_EventDomainID eventDomain, CUpti\_EventDomainAttribute attrib, size\_t \*valueSize, void \*value)  
*Read an event domain attribute.*
- CUptiResult cuptiDeviceGetNumEventDomains (CUdevice device, uint32\_t \*numDomains)  
*Get the number of domains for a device.*
- CUptiResult cuptiDeviceGetTimestamp (CUcontext context, uint64\_t \*timestamp)  
*Read a device timestamp.*
- CUptiResult cuptiEnumEventDomains (size\_t \*arraySizeBytes, CUpti\_EventDomainID \*domainArray)  
*Get the event domains available on any device.*
- CUptiResult cuptiEventDomainEnumEvents (CUpti\_EventDomainID eventDomain, size\_t \*arraySizeBytes, CUpti\_EventID \*eventArray)  
*Get the events in a domain.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventDomainGetAttribute (CUpti_EventDomainID eventDomain, CUpti_EventDomainAttribute attrib, size_t *valueSize, void *value)`  
*Read an event domain attribute.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventDomainGetNumEvents (CUpti_EventDomainID eventDomain, uint32_t *numEvents)`  
*Get number of events in a domain.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGetAttribute (CUpti_EventID event, CUpti_EventAttribute attrib, size_t *valueSize, void *value)`  
*Get an event attribute.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGetIdFromName (CUdevice device, const char *eventName, CUpti_EventID *event)`  
*Find an event by name.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupAddEvent (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup, CUpti_EventID event)`  
*Add an event to an event group.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupCreate (CUcontext context, CUpti_EventGroup *eventGroup, uint32_t flags)`  
*Create a new event group for a context.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupDestroy (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup)`  
*Destroy an event group.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupDisable (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup)`  
*Disable an event group.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupEnable (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup)`  
*Enable an event group.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupGetAttribute (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup, CUpti_EventGroupAttribute attrib, size_t *valueSize, void *value)`  
*Read an event group attribute.*
  
- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupReadAllEvents (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup, CUpti_ReadEventFlags flags, size_t *eventValueBufferSizeBytes, uint64_t`

`*eventValueBuffer, size_t *eventIdArraySizeBytes, CUpti_EventID *eventIdArray, size_t *numEventIdsRead)`

*Read the values for all the events in an event group.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupReadEvent (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup, CUpti_ReadEventFlags flags, CUpti_EventID event, size_t *eventValueBufferSizeBytes, uint64_t *eventValueBuffer)`

*Read the value for an event in an event group.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupRemoveAllEvents (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup)`

*Remove all events from an event group.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupRemoveEvent (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup, CUpti_EventID event)`

*Remove an event from an event group.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupResetAllEvents (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup)`

*Zero all the event counts in an event group.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupSetAttribute (CUpti_EventGroup eventGroup, CUpti_EventGroupAttribute attrib, size_t valueSize, void *value)`

*Write an event group attribute.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupSetsCreate (CUcontext context, size_t eventIdArraySizeBytes, CUpti_EventID *eventIdArray, CUpti_EventGroupSets **eventGroupPasses)`

*For a set of events, get the grouping that indicates the number of passes and the event groups necessary to collect the events.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupSetsDestroy (CUpti_EventGroupSets *eventGroupSets)`

*Destroy a `CUpti_EventGroupSets` object.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiGetNumEventDomains (uint32_t *numDomains)`

*Get the number of event domains available on any device.*

- ▶ `CUptiResult cuptiSetEventCollectionMode (CUcontext context, CUpti_EventCollectionMode mode)`

*Set the event collection mode.*



## Define Documentation

```
#define  
CUPTI_EVENT_OVERFLOW ((uint64_t)0xFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFULL)
```

The CUPTI event value that indicates an overflow.

## Typedef Documentation

```
typedef uint32_t CUpti_EventDomainID
```

ID for an event domain. An event domain represents a group of related events. A device may have multiple instances of a domain, indicating that the device can simultaneously record multiple instances of each event within that domain.

```
typedef void* CUpti_EventGroup
```

An event group is a collection of events that are managed together. All events in an event group must belong to the same domain.

```
typedef uint32_t CUpti_EventID
```

An event represents a countable activity, action, or occurrence on the device.

## Enumeration Type Documentation

```
enum CUpti_DeviceAttribute
```

CUPTI device attributes. These attributes can be read using [cuptiDeviceGetAttribute](#).

### Enumerator:

- CUPTI\_DEVICE\_ATTR\_MAX\_EVENT\_ID    Number of event IDs for a device.  
Value is a uint32\_t.
- CUPTI\_DEVICE\_ATTR\_MAX\_EVENT\_DOMAIN\_ID    Number of event  
domain IDs for a device. Value is a uint32\_t.
- CUPTI\_DEVICE\_ATTR\_GLOBAL\_MEMORY\_BANDWIDTH    Get global  
memory bandwidth in Kbytes/sec. Value is a uint64\_t.

CUPTI\_DEVICE\_ATTR\_INSTRUCTION\_PER\_CYCLE Get theoretical instructions per cycle. Value is a uint32\_t.

CUPTI\_DEVICE\_ATTR\_INSTRUCTION\_THROUGHPUT\_SINGLE\_PRECISION Get theoretical number of single precision instructions that can be executed per second. Value is a uint64\_t.

## enum CUpti\_EventAttribute

Event attributes. These attributes can be read using [cuprtiEventGetAttribute](#).

### Enumerator:

CUPTI\_EVENT\_ATTR\_NAME Event name. Value is a null terminated const c-string.

CUPTI\_EVENT\_ATTR\_SHORT\_DESCRIPTION Short description of event. Value is a null terminated const c-string.

CUPTI\_EVENT\_ATTR\_LONG\_DESCRIPTION Long description of event. Value is a null terminated const c-string.

CUPTI\_EVENT\_ATTR\_CATEGORY Category of event. Value is CUpti\_EventCategory.

## enum CUpti\_EventCategory

Each event is assigned to a category that represents the general type of the event. A event's category is accessed using [cuprtiEventGetAttribute](#) and the CUPTI\_EVENT\_ATTR\_CATEGORY attribute.

### Enumerator:

CUPTI\_EVENT\_CATEGORY\_INSTRUCTION An instruction related event.

CUPTI\_EVENT\_CATEGORY\_MEMORY A memory related event.

CUPTI\_EVENT\_CATEGORY\_CACHE A cache related event.

CUPTI\_EVENT\_CATEGORY\_PROFILE\_TRIGGER A profile-trigger event.

## enum CUpti\_EventCollectionMode

The event collection mode determines the period over which the events within the enabled event groups will be collected.

### Enumerator:

CUPTI\_EVENT\_COLLECTION\_MODE\_CONTINUOUS Events are collected for the entire duration between the cuprtiEventGroupEnable and cuprtiEventGroupDisable calls. This is the default mode.

`CUPTI_EVENT_COLLECTION_MODE_KERNEL` Events are collected only for the durations of kernel executions that occur between the `cuptiEventGroupEnable` and `cuptiEventGroupDisable` calls. Event collection begins when a kernel execution begins, and stops when kernel execution completes. If multiple kernel executions occur between the `cuptiEventGroupEnable` and `cuptiEventGroupDisable` calls then the event values must be read after each kernel launch if those events need to be associated with the specific kernel launch.

## enum CUpti\_EventDomainAttribute

Event domain attributes. Except where noted, all the attributes can be read using either [cuptiDeviceGetEventDomainAttribute](#) or [cuptiEventDomainGetAttribute](#).

### Enumerator:

- `CUPTI_EVENT_DOMAIN_ATTR_NAME` Event domain name. Value is a null terminated const c-string.
- `CUPTI_EVENT_DOMAIN_ATTR_INSTANCE_COUNT` Number of instances of the domain for which event counts will be collected. The domain may have additional instances that cannot be profiled (see `CUPTI_EVENT_DOMAIN_ATTR_TOTAL_INSTANCE_COUNT`). Can be read only with [cuptiDeviceGetEventDomainAttribute](#). Value is a `uint32_t`.
- `CUPTI_EVENT_DOMAIN_ATTR_TOTAL_INSTANCE_COUNT` Total number of instances of the domain, including instances that cannot be profiled. Use `CUPTI_EVENT_DOMAIN_ATTR_INSTANCE_COUNT` to get the number of instances that can be profiled. Can be read only with [cuptiDeviceGetEventDomainAttribute](#). Value is a `uint32_t`.

## enum CUpti\_EventGroupAttribute

Event group attributes. These attributes can be read using [cuptiEventGroupGetAttribute](#). Attributes marked [rw] can also be written using [cuptiEventGroupSetAttribute](#).

### Enumerator:

- `CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_EVENT_DOMAIN_ID` The domain to which the event group is bound. This attribute is set when the first event is added to the group. Value is a `CUpti_EventDomainID`.
- `CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_PROFILE_ALL_DOMAIN_INSTANCES` [rw] Profile all the instances of the domain for this eventgroup. This feature can be used to get load balancing across all instances of a domain. Value is an integer.
- `CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_USER_DATA` [rw] Reserved for user data.

CUPTI\_EVENT\_GROUP\_ATTR\_NUM\_EVENTS Number of events in the group. Value is a uint32\_t.

CUPTI\_EVENT\_GROUP\_ATTR\_EVENTS Enumerates events in the group. Value is a pointer to buffer of size sizeof(CUpti\_EventID) \* num\_of\_events in the eventgroup. num\_of\_events can be queried using CUPTI\_EVENT\_GROUP\_ATTR\_NUM\_EVENTS.

CUPTI\_EVENT\_GROUP\_ATTR\_INSTANCE\_COUNT Number of instances of the domain bound to this event group that will be counted. Value is a uint32\_t.

## enum CUpti\_ReadEventFlags

Flags for [cuptiEventGroupReadEvent](#) and [cuptiEventGroupReadAllEvents](#).

### Enumerator:

CUPTI\_EVENT\_READ\_FLAG\_NONE No flags.

## Function Documentation

**CUptiResult** cuptiDeviceEnumEventDomains (CUdevice device, size\_t \* arraySizeBytes, **CUpti\_EventDomainID** \* domainArray)

Returns the event domains IDs in **domainArray** for a device. The size of the **domainArray** buffer is given by **\*arraySizeBytes**. The size of the **domainArray** buffer must be at least **numdomains** \* sizeof(CUpti\_EventDomainID) or else all domains will not be returned. The value returned in **\*arraySizeBytes** contains the number of bytes returned in **domainArray**.

### Parameters:

device The CUDA device

arraySizeBytes The size of **domainArray** in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to **domainArray**

domainArray Returns the IDs of the event domains for the device

### Return values:

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_DEVICE

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **arraySizeBytes** or **domainArray** are NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiDeviceGetAttribute (CUdevice device,  
**CUpti\_DeviceAttribute** attrib, size\_t \* valueSize, void \* value)

Read a device attribute and return it in \*value.

**Parameters:**

device The CUDA device

attrib The attribute to read

valueSize Size of buffer pointed by the value, and returns the number of bytes written to value

value Returns the value of the attribute

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_DEVICE

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if valueSize or value is NULL, or if attrib is not a device attribute

CUPTI\_ERROR\_PARAMETER\_SIZE\_NOT\_SUFFICIENT For non-c-string attribute values, indicates that the value buffer is too small to hold the attribute value.

**CUptiResult** cuptiDeviceGetEventDomainAttribute  
(CUdevice device, **CUpti\_EventDomainID** eventDomain,  
**CUpti\_EventDomainAttribute** attrib, size\_t \* valueSize, void \*  
value)

Returns an event domain attribute in \*value. The size of the value buffer is given by \*valueSize. The value returned in \*valueSize contains the number of bytes returned in value.

If the attribute value is a c-string that is longer than \*valueSize, then only the first \*valueSize characters will be returned and there will be no terminating null byte.

**Parameters:**

device The CUDA device

eventDomain ID of the event domain

attrib The event domain attribute to read

valueSize The size of the value buffer in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to value

value Returns the attribute's value

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_DEVICE  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_DOMAIN\_ID  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `valueSize` or `value` is NULL, or if `attrib` is not an event domain attribute  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_PARAMETER\_SIZE\_NOT\_SUFFICIENT For non-c-string attribute values, indicates that the `value` buffer is too small to hold the attribute value.

**CUptiResult** cuptiDeviceGetNumEventDomains (CUdevice device, uint32\_t \* numDomains)

Returns the number of domains in `numDomains` for a device.

**Parameters:**

device The CUDA device  
numDomains Returns the number of domains

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_DEVICE  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `numDomains` is NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiDeviceGetTimestamp (CUcontext context, uint64\_t \* timestamp)

Returns the device timestamp in `*timestamp`. The timestamp is reported in nanoseconds and indicates the time since the device was last reset.

**Parameters:**

context A context on the device from which to get the timestamp  
timestamp Returns the device timestamp

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_CONTEXT  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `timestamp` is NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiEnumEventDomains (size\_t \* arraySizeBytes,  
CUpti\_EventDomainID \* domainArray)

Returns all the event domains available on any CUDA-capable device. Event domain IDs are returned in **domainArray**. The size of the **domainArray** buffer is given by \***arraySizeBytes**. The size of the **domainArray** buffer must be at least **numDomains** \* sizeof(CUpti\_EventDomainID) or all domains will not be returned. The value returned in \***arraySizeBytes** contains the number of bytes returned in **domainArray**.

**Parameters:**

arraySizeBytes The size of **domainArray** in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to **domainArray**  
domainArray Returns all the event domains

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **arraySizeBytes** or **domainArray** are NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiEventDomainEnumEvents  
(CUpti\_EventDomainID eventDomain, size\_t \*  
arraySizeBytes, CUpti\_EventID \* eventArray)

Returns the event IDs in **eventArray** for a domain. The size of the **eventArray** buffer is given by \***arraySizeBytes**. The size of the **eventArray** buffer must be at least **numdomainevents** \* sizeof(CUpti\_EventID) or else all events will not be returned. The value returned in \***arraySizeBytes** contains the number of bytes returned in **eventArray**.

**Parameters:**

eventDomain ID of the event domain  
arraySizeBytes The size of **eventArray** in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to **eventArray**  
eventArray Returns the IDs of the events in the domain

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_DOMAIN\_ID  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if **arraySizeBytes** or **eventArray** are NULL

```
CUptiResult cuptiEventDomainGetAttribute
(CUpti_EventDomainID eventDomain,
CUpti_EventDomainAttribute attrib,  size_t *
valueSize, void * value)
```

Returns an event domain attribute in `*value`. The size of the `value` buffer is given by `*valueSize`. The value returned in `*valueSize` contains the number of bytes returned in `value`.

If the attribute value is a c-string that is longer than `*valueSize`, then only the first `*valueSize` characters will be returned and there will be no terminating null byte.

**Parameters:**

eventDomain ID of the event domain  
 attrib The event domain attribute to read  
 valueSize The size of the `value` buffer in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to `value`  
 value Returns the attribute's value

**Return values:**

**CUPTI\_SUCCESS**  
**CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED**  
**CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_DOMAIN\_ID**  
**CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER** if `valueSize` or `value` is NULL, or if `attrib` is not an event domain attribute  
**CUPTI\_ERROR\_PARAMETER\_SIZE\_NOT\_SUFFICIENT** For non-c-string attribute values, indicates that the `value` buffer is too small to hold the attribute value.

```
CUptiResult cuptiEventDomainGetNumEvents
(CUpti_EventDomainID eventDomain, uint32_t * numEvents)
```

Returns the number of events in `numEvents` for a domain.

**Parameters:**

eventDomain ID of the event domain  
 numEvents Returns the number of events in the domain

**Return values:**

**CUPTI\_SUCCESS**  
**CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED**  
**CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_DOMAIN\_ID**



CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `numEvents` is NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiEventGetAttribute (**CUpti\_EventID** event,  
**CUpti\_EventAttribute** attrib, size\_t \* valueSize, void \* value)

Returns an event attribute in `*value`. The size of the `value` buffer is given by `*valueSize`. The value returned in `*valueSize` contains the number of bytes returned in `value`.

If the attribute value is a c-string that is longer than `*valueSize`, then only the first `*valueSize` characters will be returned and there will be no terminating null byte.

**Parameters:**

event ID of the event

attrib The event attribute to read

valueSize The size of the `value` buffer in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to `value`

value Returns the attribute's value

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_ID

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `valueSize` or `value` is NULL, or if `attrib` is not an event attribute

CUPTI\_ERROR\_PARAMETER\_SIZE\_NOT\_SUFFICIENT For non-c-string attribute values, indicates that the `value` buffer is too small to hold the attribute value.

**CUptiResult** cuptiEventGetIdFromName (CUdevice device, const  
char \* eventName, **CUpti\_EventID** \* event)

Find an event by name and return the event ID in `*event`.

**Parameters:**

device The CUDA device

eventName The name of the event to find

event Returns the ID of the found event or undefined if unable to find the event

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_DEVICE

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_NAME if unable to find an event with name `eventName`. In this case `*event` is undefined

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `eventName` or `event` are NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiEventGroupAddEvent (**CUpti\_EventGroup** eventGroup, **CUpti\_EventID** event)

Add an event to an event group. The event add can fail for a number of reasons:

- ▶ The event group is enabled
- ▶ The event does not belong to the same event domain as the events that are already in the event group
- ▶ Device limitations on the events that can belong to the same group
- ▶ The event group is full

**Parameters:**

eventGroup The event group

event The event to add to the group

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_ID

CUPTI\_ERROR\_OUT\_OF\_MEMORY

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_OPERATION if `eventGroup` is enabled

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_COMPATIBLE if `event` belongs to a different event domain than the events already in `eventGroup`, or if a device limitation prevents `event` from being collected at the same time as the events already in `eventGroup`

CUPTI\_ERROR\_MAX\_LIMIT\_REACHED if `eventGroup` is full

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `eventGroup` is NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiEventGroupCreate (CUcontext context, **CUpti\_EventGroup** \* eventGroup, uint32\_t flags)

Creates a new event group for `context` and returns the new group in `*eventGroup`.

**Note:**

`flags` are reserved for future use and should be set to zero.

**Parameters:**

context The context for the event group  
eventGroup Returns the new event group  
flags Reserved - must be zero

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_CONTEXT  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_OUT\_OF\_MEMORY  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if eventGroup is NULL

## **CUptiResult** cuptiEventGroupDestroy (**CUpti\_EventGroup** eventGroup)

Destroy an eventGroup and free its resources. An event group cannot be destroyed if it is enabled.

**Parameters:**

eventGroup The event group to destroy

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_OPERATION if the event group is enabled  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if eventGroup is NULL

## **CUptiResult** cuptiEventGroupDisable (**CUpti\_EventGroup** eventGroup)

Disable an event group. Disabling an event group stops collection of events contained in the group.

**Parameters:**

eventGroup The event group

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_HARDWARE  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if eventGroup is NULL

## **CUptiResult** cuptiEventGroupEnable (**CUpti\_EventGroup** eventGroup)

Enable an event group. Enabling an event group zeros the value of all the events in the group and then starts collection of those events.

### **Parameters:**

eventGroup The event group

### **Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_HARDWARE

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_READY if eventGroup does not contain any events

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_COMPATIBLE if eventGroup cannot be enabled due to other already enabled event groups

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if eventGroup is NULL

## **CUptiResult** cuptiEventGroupGetAttribute (**CUpti\_EventGroup** eventGroup, **CUpti\_EventGroupAttribute** attrib, size\_t \* valueSize, void \* value)

Read an event group attribute and return it in \*value.

### **Parameters:**

eventGroup The event group

attrib The attribute to read

valueSize Size of buffer pointed by the value, and returns the number of bytes written to value

value Returns the value of the attribute

### **Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if valueSize or value is NULL, or if attrib is not an eventgroup attribute

CUPTI\_ERROR\_PARAMETER\_SIZE\_NOT\_SUFFICIENT For non-c-string attribute values, indicates that the value buffer is too small to hold the attribute value.

```
CUptiResult cuptiEventGroupReadAllEvents (CUpti_EventGroup
eventGroup, CUpti_ReadEventFlags flags, size_t *
eventValueBufferSizeBytes, uint64_t * eventValueBuffer, size_t *
eventIdArraySizeBytes, CUpti_EventID * eventIdArray, size_t *
numEventIdsRead)
```

Read the values for all the events in an event group. The event values are returned in the **eventValueBuffer** buffer. **eventValueBufferSizeBytes** indicates the size of **eventValueBuffer**. The buffer must be at least (**sizeof(uint64)** \* number of events in group) if **CUPTI\_EVENT\_GROUP\_ATTR\_PROFILE\_ALL\_DOMAIN\_INSTANCES** is not set on the group containing the events. The buffer must be at least (**sizeof(uint64)** \* number of domain instances \* number of events in group) if **CUPTI\_EVENT\_GROUP\_ATTR\_PROFILE\_ALL\_DOMAIN\_INSTANCES** is set on the group.

The data format returned in **eventValueBuffer** is:

- ▶ domain instance 0: event0 event1 ... eventN
- ▶ domain instance 1: event0 event1 ... eventN
- ▶ ...
- ▶ domain instance M: event0 event1 ... eventN

The event order in **eventValueBuffer** is returned in **eventIdArray**. The size of **eventIdArray** is specified in **eventIdArraySizeBytes**. The size should be at least (**sizeof(CUpti\_EventID)** \* number of events in group).

If any instance of any event counter overflows, the value returned for that event instance will be **CUPTI\_EVENT\_OVERFLOW**.

The only allowed value for **flags** is **CUPTI\_EVENT\_READ\_FLAG\_NONE**.

Reading events from a disabled event group is not allowed.

#### Parameters:

**eventGroup** The event group

**flags** Flags controlling the reading mode

**eventValueBufferSizeBytes** The size of **eventValueBuffer** in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to **eventValueBuffer**

**eventValueBuffer** Returns the event values

**eventIdArraySizeBytes** The size of **eventIdArray** in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to **eventIdArray**

**eventIdArray** Returns the IDs of the events in the same order as the values return in **eventValueBuffer**.

**numEventIdsRead** Returns the number of event IDs returned in

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_HARDWARE  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_OPERATION if `eventGroup` is disabled  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `eventGroup`,  
     `eventValueBufferSizeBytes`, `eventValueBuffer`, `eventIdArraySizeBytes`,  
     `eventIdArray` or `numEventIdsRead` is NULL

**CUptiResult** `cuprtiEventGroupReadEvent` (**CUpti\_EventGroup**  
`eventGroup`, **CUpti\_ReadEventFlags** `flags`, **CUpti\_EventID**  
`event`, `size_t * eventValueBufferSizeBytes`, `uint64_t *`  
`eventValueBuffer`)

Read the value for an event in an event group. The event value is returned in the `eventValueBuffer` buffer. `eventValueBufferSizeBytes` indicates the size of the `eventValueBuffer` buffer. The buffer must be at least `sizeof(uint64)` if `CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_PROFILE_ALL_DOMAIN_INSTANCES` is not set on the group containing the event. The buffer must be at least `(sizeof(uint64) * number of domain instances)` if `CUPTI_EVENT_GROUP_ATTR_PROFILE_ALL_DOMAIN_INSTANCES` is set on the group.

If any instance of an event counter overflows, the value returned for that event instance will be `CUPTI_EVENT_OVERFLOW`.

The only allowed value for `flags` is `CUPTI_EVENT_READ_FLAG_NONE`.

Reading an event from a disabled event group is not allowed.

**Parameters:**

`eventGroup` The event group  
`flags` Flags controlling the reading mode  
`event` The event to read  
`eventValueBufferSizeBytes` The size of `eventValueBuffer` in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to `eventValueBuffer`  
`eventValueBuffer` Returns the event value(s)

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_ID

CUPTI\_ERROR\_HARDWARE  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_OPERATION if `eventGroup` is disabled  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `eventGroup`,  
`eventValueBufferSizeBytes` or `eventValueBuffer` is NULL

### **CUptiResult** `cuprtiEventGroupRemoveAllEvents` (**CUpti\_EventGroup** `eventGroup`)

Remove all events from an event group. Events cannot be removed if the event group is enabled.

#### **Parameters:**

`eventGroup` The event group

#### **Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_OPERATION if `eventGroup` is enabled  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `eventGroup` is NULL

### **CUptiResult** `cuprtiEventGroupRemoveEvent` (**CUpti\_EventGroup** `eventGroup`, **CUpti\_EventID** `event`)

Remove `event` from the an event group. The event cannot be removed if the event group is enabled.

#### **Parameters:**

`eventGroup` The event group  
`event` The event to remove from the group

#### **Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_ID  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_OPERATION if `eventGroup` is enabled  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `eventGroup` is NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiEventGroupResetAllEvents (**CUpti\_EventGroup** eventGroup)

Zero all the event counts in an event group.

**Parameters:**

eventGroup The event group

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_HARDWARE

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if eventGroup is NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiEventGroupSetAttribute (**CUpti\_EventGroup** eventGroup, **CUpti\_EventGroupAttribute** attrib, size\_t valueSize, void \* value)

Write an event group attribute.

**Parameters:**

eventGroup The event group

attrib The attribute to write

valueSize The size, in bytes, of the value

value The attribute value to write

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if valueSize or value is NULL, or if attrib is not an event group attribute, or if attrib is not a writable attribute

CUPTI\_ERROR\_PARAMETER\_SIZE\_NOT\_SUFFICIENT Indicates that the value buffer is too small to hold the attribute value.

**CUptiResult** cuptiEventGroupSetsCreate (CUcontext context, size\_t eventIdArraySizeBytes, **CUpti\_EventID** \* eventIdArray, **CUpti\_EventGroupSets** \*\* eventGroupPasses)

The number of events that can be collected simultaneously varies by device and by the type of the events. When events can be collected simultaneously, they may need to be



grouped into multiple event groups because they are from different event domains. This function takes a set of events and determines how many passes are required to collect all those events, and which events can be collected simultaneously in each pass.

The [CUpti\\_EventGroupSets](#) returned in `eventGroupPasses` indicates how many passes are required to collect the events with the `numSets` field. The `sets` array indicates the event groups that should be collected on each pass.

**Parameters:**

`context` The context for event collection  
`eventIdArraySizeBytes` Size of `eventIdArray` in bytes  
`eventIdArray` Array of event IDs that need to be grouped  
`eventGroupPasses` Returns a [CUpti\\_EventGroupSets](#) object that indicates the number of passes required to collect the events and the events to collect on each pass

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_CONTEXT`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_EVENT_ID`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `eventIdArray` or `eventGroupPasses` is NULL

## **CUptiResult** `cuprtiEventGroupSetsDestroy` ([CUpti\\_EventGroupSets](#) \* `eventGroupSets`)

Destroy a [CUpti\\_EventGroupSets](#) object.

**Parameters:**

`eventGroupSets` The object to destroy

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED`  
`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_OPERATION` if any of the event groups contained in the sets is enabled  
`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `eventGroupSets` is NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiGetNumEventDomains (uint32\_t \* numDomains)

Returns the total number of event domains available on any CUDA-capable device.

**Parameters:**

numDomains Returns the number of domains

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if numDomains is NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiSetEventCollectionMode (CUcontext context, CUpti\_EventCollectionMode mode)

Set the event collection mode for a **context**. The **mode** controls the event collection behavior of all events in event groups created in the **context**.

**Parameters:**

context The context

mode The event collection mode

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_CONTEXT

# CUPTI Metric API

## Data Structures

- union CUpti\_MetricValue

*A metric value.*

## Typedefs

- typedef uint32\_t CUpti\_MetricID

*ID for a metric.*

## Enumerations

- enum CUpti\_MetricAttribute {  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_ATTR\_NAME = 0,  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_ATTR\_SHORT\_DESCRIPTION = 1,  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_ATTR\_LONG\_DESCRIPTION = 2,  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_ATTR\_CATEGORY = 3,  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_ATTR\_VALUE\_KIND = 4 }

*Metric attributes.*

- enum CUpti\_MetricCategory {  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_MEMORY = 0,  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_INSTRUCTION = 1,  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_MULTIPROCESSOR = 2,  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_CACHE = 3,  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_TEXTURE = 4 }

*A metric category.*

- enum CUpti\_MetricValueKind {  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_VALUE\_KIND\_DOUBLE = 0,  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_VALUE\_KIND\_UINT64 = 1,

```
CUPTI_METRIC_VALUE_KIND_PERCENT = 2,  
CUPTI_METRIC_VALUE_KIND_THROUGHPUT = 3 }
```

*Kinds of metric values.*

## Functions

- `CUptiResult cuptiDeviceEnumMetrics` (CUdevice device, size\_t \*arraySizeBytes, CUpti\_MetricID \*metricArray)

*Get the metrics for a device.*

- `CUptiResult cuptiDeviceGetNumMetrics` (CUdevice device, uint32\_t \*numMetrics)

*Get the number of metrics for a device.*

- `CUptiResult cuptiEnumMetrics` (size\_t \*arraySizeBytes, CUpti\_MetricID \*metricArray)

*Get all the metrics available on any device.*

- `CUptiResult cuptiGetNumMetrics` (uint32\_t \*numMetrics)

*Get the total number of metrics available on any device.*

- `CUptiResult cuptiMetricCreateEventGroupSets` (CUcontext context, size\_t metricIdArraySizeBytes, CUpti\_MetricID \*metricIdArray, CUpti\_EventGroupSets \*\*eventGroupPasses)

*For a set of metrics, get the grouping that indicates the number of passes and the event groups necessary to collect the events required for those metrics.*

- `CUptiResult cuptiMetricEnumEvents` (CUpti\_MetricID metric, size\_t \*eventIdArraySizeBytes, CUpti\_EventID \*eventIdArray)

*Get the events required to calculating a metric.*

- `CUptiResult cuptiMetricGetAttribute` (CUpti\_MetricID metric, CUpti\_MetricAttribute attrib, size\_t \*valueSize, void \*value)

*Get a metric attribute.*

- `CUptiResult cuptiMetricGetIdFromName` (CUdevice device, const char \*metricName, CUpti\_MetricID \*metric)

*Find an metric by name.*

- `CUptiResult cuptiMetricGetNumEvents` (`CUpti_MetricID` metric, `uint32_t` \*numEvents)  
*Get number of events required to calculate a metric.*
- `CUptiResult cuptiMetricGetValue` (`CUdevice` device, `CUpti_MetricID` metric, `size_t` eventIdArraySizeBytes, `CUpti_EventID` \*eventIdArray, `size_t` eventValueArraySizeBytes, `uint64_t` \*eventValueArray, `uint64_t` timeDuration, `CUpti_MetricValue` \*metricValue)  
*Calculate the value for a metric.*

## Typedef Documentation

`typedef uint32_t CUpti_MetricID`

A metric provides a measure of some aspect of the device.

## Enumeration Type Documentation

`enum CUpti_MetricAttribute`

Metric attributes describe properties of a metric. These attributes can be read using [cuptiMetricGetAttribute](#).

### Enumerator:

- `CUPTI_METRIC_ATTR_NAME` Metric name. Value is a null terminated const c-string.
- `CUPTI_METRIC_ATTR_SHORT_DESCRIPTION` Short description of metric. Value is a null terminated const c-string.
- `CUPTI_METRIC_ATTR_LONG_DESCRIPTION` Long description of metric. Value is a null terminated const c-string.
- `CUPTI_METRIC_ATTR_CATEGORY` Category of the metric. Value is of type `CUpti_MetricCategory`.
- `CUPTI_METRIC_ATTR_VALUE_KIND` Value type of the metric. Value is of type `CUpti_MetricValueKind`.

## enum CUpti\_MetricCategory

Each metric is assigned to a category that represents the general type of the metric. A metric's category is accessed using [cuprtiMetricGetAttribute](#) and the CUPTI\_METRIC\_ATTR\_CATEGORY attribute.

### Enumerator:

CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_MEMORY A memory related metric.  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_INSTRUCTION An instruction related metric.  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_MULTIPROCESSOR A multiprocessor related metric.  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_CACHE A cache related metric.  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_CATEGORY\_TEXTURE A texture related metric.

## enum CUpti\_MetricValueKind

Metric values can be one of several different kinds. Corresponding to each kind is a member of the [CUpti\\_MetricValue](#) union. The metric value returned by [cuprtiMetricGetValue](#) should be accessed using the appropriate member of that union based on its value kind.

### Enumerator:

CUPTI\_METRIC\_VALUE\_KIND\_DOUBLE The metric value is a 64-bit double.  
  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_VALUE\_KIND\_UINT64 The metric value is a 64-bit integer.  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_VALUE\_KIND\_PERCENT The metric value is a percentage represented by a 64-bit double. For example, 57.5% is represented by the value 57.5.  
CUPTI\_METRIC\_VALUE\_KIND\_THROUGHPUT The metric value is a throughput represented by a 64-bit integer. The unit for throughput values is bytes/second.

## Function Documentation

**CUptiResult** cuprtiDeviceEnumMetrics (CUdevice device, size\_t \* arraySizeBytes, **CUpti\_MetricID** \* metricArray)

Returns the metric IDs in **metricArray** for a device. The size of the **metricArray** buffer is given by **\*arraySizeBytes**. The size of the **metricArray** buffer must be at least **numMetrics** \* sizeof(CUpti\_MetricID) or else all metric IDs will not be returned. The value returned in **\*arraySizeBytes** contains the number of bytes returned in **metricArray**.

**Parameters:**

`device` The CUDA device

`arraySizeBytes` The size of `metricArray` in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to `metricArray`

`metricArray` Returns the IDs of the metrics for the device

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS`

`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED`

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_DEVICE`

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `arraySizeBytes` or `metricArray` are `NULL`

**CUptiResult** `cuptiDeviceGetNumMetrics` (CUdevice `device`, `uint32_t` \* `numMetrics`)

Returns the number of metrics available for a device.

**Parameters:**

`device` The CUDA device

`numMetrics` Returns the number of metrics available for the device

**Return values:**

`CUPTI_SUCCESS`

`CUPTI_ERROR_NOT_INITIALIZED`

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_DEVICE`

`CUPTI_ERROR_INVALID_PARAMETER` if `numMetrics` is `NULL`

**CUptiResult** `cuptiEnumMetrics` (`size_t` \* `arraySizeBytes`, **CUpti\_MetricID** \* `metricArray`)

Returns the metric IDs in `metricArray` for all CUDA-capable devices. The size of the `metricArray` buffer is given by `*arraySizeBytes`. The size of the `metricArray` buffer must be at least `numMetrics * sizeof(CUpti_MetricID)` or all metric IDs will not be returned. The value returned in `*arraySizeBytes` contains the number of bytes returned in `metricArray`.

**Parameters:**

`arraySizeBytes` The size of `metricArray` in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to `metricArray`

metricArray Returns the IDs of the metrics

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if arraySizeBytes or metricArray are NULL

## **CUptiResult** cuptiGetNumMetrics (uint32\_t \* numMetrics)

Returns the total number of metrics available on any CUDA-capable devices.

**Parameters:**

numMetrics Returns the number of metrics

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if numMetrics is NULL

## **CUptiResult** cuptiMetricCreateEventGroupSets (CUcontext context, size\_t metricIdArraySizeBytes, **CUpti\_MetricID** \* metricIdArray, **CUpti\_EventGroupSets** \*\* eventGroupPasses)

For a set of metrics, get the grouping that indicates the number of passes and the event groups necessary to collect the events required for those metrics.

**See also:**

[cuptiEventGroupSetsCreate](#) for details on event group set creation.

**Parameters:**

context The context for event collection

metricIdArraySizeBytes Size of the metricIdArray in bytes

metricIdArray Array of metric IDs

eventGroupPasses Returns a [CUpti\\_EventGroupSets](#) object that indicates the number of passes required to collect the events and the events to collect on each pass

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_CONTEXT

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_METRIC\_ID



CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `metricIdArray` or `eventGroupPasses` is NULL

**CUptiResult** cuptiMetricEnumEvents (**CUpti\_MetricID** metric, size\_t \* `eventIdArraySizeBytes`, **CUpti\_EventID** \* `eventIdArray`)

Gets the event IDs in `eventIdArray` required to calculate a `metric`. The size of the `eventIdArray` buffer is given by `*eventIdArraySizeBytes` and must be at least `numEvents * sizeof(CUpti_EventID)` or all events will not be returned. The value returned in `*eventIdArraySizeBytes` contains the number of bytes returned in `eventIdArray`.

**Parameters:**

`metric` ID of the metric  
`eventIdArraySizeBytes` The size of `eventIdArray` in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to `eventIdArray`  
`eventIdArray` Returns the IDs of the events required to calculate `metric`

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_METRIC\_ID  
CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `eventIdArraySizeBytes` or `eventIdArray` are NULL.

**CUptiResult** cuptiMetricGetAttribute (**CUpti\_MetricID** metric, **CUpti\_MetricAttribute** attrib, size\_t \* `valueSize`, void \* `value`)

Returns a metric attribute in `*value`. The size of the `value` buffer is given by `*valueSize`. The value returned in `*valueSize` contains the number of bytes returned in `value`.

If the attribute value is a c-string that is longer than `*valueSize`, then only the first `*valueSize` characters will be returned and there will be no terminating null byte.

**Parameters:**

`metric` ID of the metric  
`attrib` The metric attribute to read  
`valueSize` The size of the `value` buffer in bytes, and returns the number of bytes written to `value`  
`value` Returns the attribute's value

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_METRIC\_ID  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `valueSize` or `value` is NULL, or if `attrib` is not a metric attribute  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_PARAMETER\_SIZE\_NOT\_SUFFICIENT For non-c-string attribute values, indicates that the `value` buffer is too small to hold the attribute value.

**CUptiResult** cuptiMetricGetIdFromName (CUdevice device, const char \* metricName, **CUpti\_MetricID** \* metric)

Find a metric by name and return the metric ID in `*metric`.

**Parameters:**

device The CUDA device  
 metricName The name of metric to find  
 metric Returns the ID of the found metric or undefined if unable to find the metric

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_DEVICE  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_METRIC\_NAME if unable to find a metric with name `metricName`. In this case `*metric` is undefined  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `metricName` or `metric` are NULL.

**CUptiResult** cuptiMetricGetNumEvents (**CUpti\_MetricID** metric, uint32\_t \* numEvents)

Returns the number of events in `numEvents` that are required to calculate a metric.

**Parameters:**

metric ID of the metric  
 numEvents Returns the number of events required for the metric

**Return values:**

CUPTI\_SUCCESS  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_METRIC\_ID  
 CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `numEvents` is NULL

```
CUptiResult cuptiMetricGetValue (CUdevice device,
CUpti_MetricID metric, size_t eventIdArraySizeBytes,
CUpti_EventID * eventIdArray, size_t eventValueArraySizeBytes,
uint64_t * eventValueArray, uint64_t timeDuration,
CUpti_MetricValue * metricValue)
```

Use the events collected for a metric to calculate the metric value. Metric value calculation assumes that event values are normalized to represent all domain instances on a device. For the most accurate metric collection, the events required for the metric should be collected for all profiled domain instances. For example, to collect all instances of an event, set the CUPTI\_EVENT\_GROUP\_ATTR\_PROFILE\_ALL\_DOMAIN\_INSTANCES attribute on the group containing the event to 1. The normalized value for the event is then:  $(\text{sum\_event\_values} * \text{totalInstanceCount}) / \text{instanceCount}$ , where `sum_event_values` is the summation of the event values across all profiled domain instances, `totalInstanceCount` is obtained from querying CUPTI\_EVENT\_DOMAIN\_ATTR\_TOTAL\_INSTANCE\_COUNT and `instanceCount` is obtained from querying CUPTI\_EVENT\_GROUP\_ATTR\_INSTANCE\_COUNT (or CUPTI\_EVENT\_DOMAIN\_ATTR\_INSTANCE\_COUNT).

#### Parameters:

`device` The CUDA device that the metric is being calculated for

`metric` The metric ID

`eventIdArraySizeBytes` The size of `eventIdArray` in bytes

`eventIdArray` The event IDs required to calculate `metric`

`eventValueArraySizeBytes` The size of `eventValueArray` in bytes

`eventValueArray` The normalized event values required to calculate `metric`. The values must be order to match the order of events in `eventIdArray`

`timeDuration` The duration over which the events were collected, in ns

`metricValue` Returns the value for the metric

#### Return values:

CUPTI\_SUCCESS

CUPTI\_ERROR\_NOT\_INITIALIZED

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_METRIC\_ID

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_OPERATION

CUPTI\_ERROR\_PARAMETER\_SIZE\_NOT\_SUFFICIENT if the `eventIdArray` does not contain all the events needed for `metric`

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_EVENT\_VALUE if any of the event values required for the metric is CUPTI\_EVENT\_OVERFLOW

CUPTI\_ERROR\_INVALID\_PARAMETER if `metricValue`, `eventIdArray` or `eventValueArray` is NULL

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