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This document is a user guide for the Gstreamer (versions 0.10 and 1.0) based accelerated solution included in NVIDIA® Tegra® Linux Driver Package for Ubuntu Linux 14.04 on the Jetson TK1 platform.

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GSTREAMER-0.10 INSTALLATION AND SETUP

This section describes how to install and configure Gstreamer.

To install Gstreamer-0.10

- ▶ Install Gstreamer-0.10 on the Jetson TK1 platform with the following command:

```
$ sudo apt-get install gstreamer-tools gstreamer0.10-alsa
gstreamer0.10-plugins-base gstreamer0.10-plugins-good
gstreamer0.10-plugins-bad gstreamer0.10-plugins-ugly
```

To check the Gstreamer-0.10 version

- ▶ Check the Gstreamer-0.10 version with the following command:

```
$ gst-inspect-0.10 --version
```



Note: Gstreamer version 0.10 plugins are included pre-installed in Linux for Tegra (L4T) R21.3 release package for Jetson TK1.

Gstreamer version 0.10 includes the following gst-openmax video decoders:

Video Decoder	Description
nv_omx_h264dec	OpenMAX IL H.264/AVC video decoder
nv_omx_mpeg4dec	OpenMAX IL MPEG-4 video decoder
nv_omx_vp8dec	OpenMAX IL VP8 video decoder
nv_omx_h263dec	OpenMAX IL H.263 video decoder

Gstreamer version 0.10 includes the following gst-openmax video encoders:

Video Encoders	Description
nv_omx_h264enc	OpenMAX IL H.264/AVC video encoder
nv_omx_vp8enc	OpenMAX IL VP8 video encoder

Gstreamer version 0.10 includes the following gst-openmax video sinks:

Video Sink	Description
nv_omx_videosink	OpenMAX IL videosink element
nv_omx_hdmi_videosink	OpenMAX IL HDMI videosink element

GSTREAMER-1.0 INSTALLATION AND SETUP

This section describes how to install and configure Gstreamer.

To install Gstreamer-1.0

- ▶ Install Gstreamer-1.0 on the Jetson TK1 platform with the following command:

```
$ sudo apt-get install gstreamer1.0-tools gstreamer1.0-alsa
gstreamer1.0-plugins-base gstreamer1.0-plugins-good gstreamer1.0-
plugins-bad gstreamer1.0-plugins-ugly gstreamer1.0-libav
```

To check the Gstreamer-1.0 version

- Check the Gstreamer-1.0 version with the following command:

```
$ gst-inspect-1.0 --version
```

Gstreamer version 1.0 includes the following gst-omx video decoders:

Video Decoder	Description
omxh264dec	OpenMAX IL H.264 Video Decoder
omxmpeg4videodec	OpenMAX IL MPEG4 Video Decoder
omxvp8dec	OpenMAX IL VP8 Video Decoder
omxh263dec	OpenMAX IL H.263 video decoder

Gstreamer version 1.0 includes the following gst-omx video encoders:

Video Encoders	Description
omxh264enc	OpenMAX IL H.264/AVC video encoder
omxvp8enc	OpenMAX IL VP8 video encoder

Gstreamer version 1.0 includes the following gst-omx video sinks:

Video Sink	Description
nvoverlaysink	OpenMAX IL videosink element
nvhdmioverlaysink	OpenMAX IL HDMI videosink element

Gstreamer version 1.0 includes the following egl image video sinks:

Video Sink	Description
nveglglessink	EGL/GLES videosink element

DECODE EXAMPLES

The examples in this section show how you can perform audio and video decode with Gstreamer.

Audio Decode Examples Using gst-launch-0.10

The following examples show how you can perform audio decode using Gstreamer-0.10.

AAC Decode (OSS software decode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.audio_00 ! queue ! ffdec_aac ! alsasink -e
```

AMR-WB Decode (OSS software decode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.audio_00 ! queue ! ffdec_amrwb ! audioconvert ! alsasink -e
```

AMR-NB Decode (OSS software decode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.audio_00 ! queue ! ffdec_amrnb ! audioconvert ! alsasink -e
```

MP3 Decode (OSS software decode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp3> ! mpegaudioparse !
ffdec_mp3 ! audioconvert ! alsasink -e
```

Audio Decode Examples Using gst-launch-1.0

The following examples show how you can perform audio decode using Gstreamer-1.0.

AAC Decode (OSS software decode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.audio_0 ! queue ! avdec_aac ! audioconvert ! alsasink -e
```

AMR-WB Decode (OSS software decode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.audio_0 ! queue ! avdec_amrwb ! audioconvert ! alsasink -e
```

AMR-NB Decode (OSS software decode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.audio_0 ! queue ! avdec_amrnb ! audioconvert ! alsasink -e
```

MP3 Decode (OSS software decode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp3> ! mpegaudioparse !
avdec_mp3 ! audioconvert ! alsasink -e
```



Note: To route audio over HDMI, set the alsasink property device to `aux_plug`.

Video Decode Examples Using gst-launch-0.10

The following examples show how you can perform video decode using Gstreamer-0.10.

H.264 Decode (NVIDIA accelerated decode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_h264dec ! nv_omx_hdmi_videosink -e
```

VP8 Decode (NVIDIA accelerated decode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_vp8dec ! nv_omx_hdmi_videosink -e
```

MPEG-4 Decode (NVIDIA accelerated decode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_mpeg4dec ! nv_omx_hdmi_videosink -e
```

Image Decode

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.jpg> ! nvjpegdec ! freeze
! xvimagesink -e
```

Video Decode Examples Using gst-launch-1.0

The following examples show how you can perform video decode on Gstreamer-1.0.

H.264 Decode (NVIDIA accelerated decode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_0 ! queue ! h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nveglglessink -e
```

VP8 Decode (NVIDIA accelerated decode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_0 ! queue ! omxvp8dec ! nveglglessink -e
```

MPEG-4 Decode (NVIDIA accelerated decode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_0 ! queue ! mpeg4videoparse ! omxmpeg4videodec !
nveglglessink -e
```

Image Decode

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.jpg> ! nvjpegdec !
imagefreeze ! xvimagesink -e
```

ENCODE EXAMPLES

The examples in this section show how you can perform audio and video encode with Gstreamer.

Audio Encode Examples Using gst-launch-0.10

The following examples show how you can perform audio encode using Gstreamer-0.10.

AAC Encode (OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 audiotestsrc ! 'audio/x-raw-int, rate=(int)44100,
channels=(int)2' ! ffenc_aac ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

AMR-WB Encode (OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 audiotestsrc ! 'audio/x-raw-int, rate=(int)16000,
channels=(int)1' ! voamrbenc ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Audio Encode Examples Using gst-launch-1.0

The following examples show how you can perform audio encode on Gstreamer-1.0.

AAC Encode (OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 audiotestsrc ! 'audio/x-raw, format=(string)S16LE,
layout=(string)interleaved, rate=(int)44100, channels=(int)2' !
voaacenc ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

AMR-WB Encode (OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 audiotestsrc ! 'audio/x-raw, format=(string)S16LE,
layout=(string)interleaved, rate=(int)16000, channels=(int)1' !
voamrbenc ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Video Encode Examples Using gst-launch-0.10

The following examples show how you can perform video encode using Gstreamer-0.10.

H.264 Encode (NVIDIA accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw-yuv, width=(int)1280,
height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux !
filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

VP8 Encode (NVIDIA accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw-yuv, width=(int)1280,
height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_vp8enc ! qtmux !
filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

MPEG-4 Encode (OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw-yuv, width=(int)1280,
height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! ffenc_mpeg4 ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

H.263 Encode (OSS software encode)

```
gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw-yuv, width=(int)704,
height=(int)576, format=(fourcc)I420' ! ffenc_h263 ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

Image Encode

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=1 ! 'video/x-raw-yuv,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nvjpegenc !
filesink location=test.jpg -e
```

Supported H.264 Encoder Features with Gstreamer-0.10

This section describes example gst-launch-0.10 usage for features supported by the NVIDIA accelerated H.264 encoder.



Note: Display detailed information on `nv_omx_h264enc` encoder properties with the `gst-inspect-0.10 nv_omx_h264enc` command.

Set I-frame interval

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=200 ! 'video/x-raw-yuv,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc
iframeinterval=100 ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Set temporal-tradeoff (the rate the encoder should drop frames)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=200 ! 'video/x-raw-yuv,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc
temporal-tradeoff=1 ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Set rate control mode

```
gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=200 ! 'video/x-raw-yuv,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc
rc-mode=0 ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Set quantization range for P and I frame

The format for the range is the following:

```
"<P_range>:<I_range>"
```

Where <P_range> and <I_range> are each expressed as hyphenated values, as shown in the following example:

```
gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=200 ! 'video/x-raw-yuv,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc
qp-range="10-51:5-30" ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Set quality level

```
gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=200 ! 'video/x-raw-yuv,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc
quality-level=2 ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Set low latency attribute

```
gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=200 ! 'video/x-raw-yuv,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc
low-latency=1 ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Video Encode Examples Using gst-launch-1.0

The following examples show how you can perform video encode with Gstreamer-1.0.

H.264 Encode (NVIDIA accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)I420,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480' ! omxh264enc ! 'video/x-h264, stream-
format=(string)byte-stream' ! h264parse ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

VP8 Encode (NVIDIA accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)I420,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480' ! omxvp8enc ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

MPEG-4 Encode (OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)I420,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480' ! avenc_mpeg4 ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

H.263 Encode (OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)I420,
width=(int)704, height=(int)576' ! avenc_h263 ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

Image Encode

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 videotestsrc num-buffers=1 ! 'video/x-raw,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480, format=(string)I420' ! nvjpegenc !
filesink location=test.jpg -e
```

CAMERA CAPTURE WITH GSTREAMER-0.10

The default image capture application in the R21.3 release is `nvgstcapture-0.10`. For usage information enter the following command:

```
$ nvgstcapture-0.10 --help
```

The `nvgstcapture-0.10` application uses the `v4l2src` plugin to capture still images and video.

The following table shows USB camera support.

USB Camera Support	Feature
YUV	Preview display

	Image capture (VGA, 640 x 480)
	Video capture (480p, 720p, H.264/VP8 encode)
MJPEG	Preview display
	Image capture VGA, 640 x 480 720p, 1280 x 720
	Video capture (480p, 720p, 1080p, MJPEG encode)

raw-yuv Capture (I420 format) and preview display with xvimagesink

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 v4l2src device="/dev/video0" ! "video/x-raw-yuv, width=640, height=480, format=(fourcc)I420" ! xvimagesink -v -e
```

CAMERA CAPTURE WITH GSTREAMER-1.0

For `nvgstcapture-1.0` usage information enter the following command:

```
$ nvgstcapture-1.0 --help
```

The `nvgstcapture-1.0` application uses the `v4l2src` plugin to capture still images and video.

The following table shows USB camera support.

USB Camera Support	Feature
YUV	Preview display
	Image capture (VGA, 640 x 480)
	Video capture (480p, 720p, H.264/VP8 encode)

raw-yuv Capture (I420 format) and preview display with xvimagesink

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 v4l2src device="/dev/video0" ! "video/x-raw, width=640, height=480, format=(string)I420" ! xvimagesink -e
```

VIDEO PLAYBACK WITH GSTREAMER-0.10

The default playback application in the R21.3 release is `nvgstplayer-0.10`. For usage information enter the following command:

```
$ nvgstplayer-0.10 --help
```

Video can be output to HD displays using the HDMI connector on the Jetson TK1 platform. The Gstreamer-0.10 application supports currently the following video sinks:

HDMI Overlay Sink (Video playback on overlay in full-screen mode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_h264dec ! nv_omx_hdmi_videosink -v -e
```

HDMI Overlay Sink (Video playback on overlay in non-full-screen mode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_h264dec ! nv_omx_hdmi_videosink
overlay-x=300 overlay-y=300 overlay-w=500 overlay-h=500 -v -e
```

If you specify values for `overlay-x` and `overlay-y`, you must also specify values for `overlay-w` and `overlay-h`.

Xvimagesink (Windowed video playback)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' ! nvvidconv
! xvimagesink -v -e
```

VIDEO PLAYBACK WITH GSTREAMER-1.0

For `nvgstplayer-1.0` usage information enter the following command:

```
$ nvgstplayer-1.0 --help
```

Video can be output to HD displays using the HDMI connector on the Jetson TK1 platform. The Gstreamer-1.0 application supports currently the following video sinks:

HDMI Overlay Sink (Video playback on overlay in full-screen mode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux !
h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvhdmioverlaysink -e
```

nveglglessink (Windowed video playback, NVIDIA EGL/GLES videosink)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux !
h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nveglglessink -e
```

This `nvgstplayer-1.0` application supports specific window position and dimensions for windowed playback:

```
nvgstplayer-1.0 -i <filename> --window-x=300 -window-y=300 -window-
width=500 -window-height=500
```

VIDEO FORMAT CONVERSION WITH GSTREAMER-0.10

The NVIDIA proprietary `nvvidconv` Gstreamer-0.10 plug-in allows you to convert between OSS (raw) video formats and NVIDIA video formats. The `nvvidconv` plug-in currently supports the format conversions described in this section.

raw-yuv Input Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the following raw-yuv input formats: I420, YV12, YUY2, UYVY, YVYU, Y444, and NV12.

Converting raw-yuv to nv-yuv

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw-yuv, width=(int)1280,
height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)YUY2' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' !
nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Converting raw-yuv to nvrn-yuv

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw-yuv, width=(int)1280,
height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)YUY2' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' !
nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

raw-gray Input Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the GRAY8 raw-gray input format.

Converting raw-gray to nv-yuv

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=300 ! 'video/x-raw-gray,
bpp=(int)8, depth=(int)8, width=(int)640, height=(int)480,
framerate=(fraction)30/1' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nv-yuv,
format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

Converting raw-gray to nvrn-yuv

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=300 ! 'video/x-raw-gray,
bpp=(int)8, depth=(int)8, width=(int)640, height=(int)480,
```

```
framerate=(fraction)30/1' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nvrm-yuv,
format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

raw-yuv Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the following raw-yuv output formats: I420, YUY2, UYVY, and YVYU.

Converting nv-yuv to raw-yuv

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=640x480_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux name=demux
! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! xvimagesink -e
```

Converting nvrm-yuv to raw-yuv

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=640x480_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux name=demux
! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nvrm-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw-yuv,
format=(fourcc)UYVY' ! xvimagesink -e
```

raw-gray Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the GRAY8 raw-gray output format.

Converting nv-yuv to raw-gray

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=640x480_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux name=demux
! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw-gray' !
ffmpegcolorspace ! xvimagesink -e
```

Converting nvrm-yuv to raw-gray

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=640x480_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux name=demux
! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nvrm-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw-gray'
! ffmpegcolorspace ! xvimagesink -e
```

RGB Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the following RGB output formats: BGRA, RGBA, BGRx, and RGBx.

Converting nv-yuv to raw-rgb

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=640x480_30p.mp4! qtdemux name=mux !
nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! ximagesink -e
```

Converting nvrn-yuv to raw-rgb

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=640x480_30p.mp4! qtdemux name=mux !
nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! ximagesink -e
```

VIDEO FORMAT CONVERSION WITH GSTREAMER-1.0

The NVIDIA proprietary `nvvidconv` Gstreamer-1.0 plug-in allows you to convert between OSS (raw) video formats and NVIDIA video formats. The `nvvidconv` plug-in currently supports the format conversions described in this section

raw-yuv Input Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the I420, UYVY, and NV12 raw-yuv input formats.

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)UYVY,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720' ! nvvidconv !
'video/x-raw(memory:NVMM)' ! omxh264enc ! 'video/x-h264,
stream-format=(string)byte-stream' ! h264parse ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

raw-gray Input Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the GRAY8 raw-gray input format.

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)GRAY8,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720' ! nvvidconv !
'video/x-raw(memory:NVMM)' ! omxh264enc ! 'video/x-h264,
stream-format=(string)byte-stream' ! h264parse ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

raw-yuv Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the I420 and UYVY the raw-yuv output formats.

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=640x480_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux ! queue !
h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)UYVY'
! xvimagesink -e
```

raw-gray Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the GRAY8 raw-gray output format.

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=640x480_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux ! queue !
h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw,
format=(string)GRAY8' ! videoconvert ! xvimagesink -e
```

VIDEO SCALING WITH GSTREAMER-0.10

The NVIDIA proprietary `nvvidconv` Gstreamer-0.10 plug-in also allows you to perform video scaling. The `nvvidconv` plug-in currently supports scaling with the format conversions described in this section.

raw-yuv Input Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the following raw-yuv input formats for scaling: I420, YUY2, UYVY, YVYU, Y444, and NV12.

Converting raw-yuv to nv-yuv with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw-yuv, width=(int)1280,
height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nv-yuv,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480' ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

Converting raw-yuv to nvrn-yuv with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw-yuv, width=(int)1280,
height=(int)720, format=(fourcc)NV12' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480' ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

raw-gray Input Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the GRAY8 raw-gray input format for scaling.

Converting raw-gray to nv-yuv with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=300 ! 'video/x-raw-gray,
bpp=(int)8, depth=(int)8, width=(int)1280, height=(int)720,
framerate=(fraction)30/1' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nv-yuv,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc
! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

Converting raw-gray to nvrn-yuv with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 videotestsrc num-buffers=300 ! 'video/x-raw-gray,
bpp=(int)8, depth=(int)8, width=(int)1920, height=(int)1080,
framerate=(fraction)30/1' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480, format=(fourcc)I420' ! nv_omx_h264enc
! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

raw-yuv Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the following raw-yuv output formats for scaling: I420, YUY2, UYVY, and YVYU.

Converting nv-yuv to raw-yuv with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux
name=demux ! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-
raw-yuv, width=(int)640, height=(int)480, format=(fourcc)YUY2' !
xvimagesink -e
```

Converting nvrn-yuv to raw-yuv with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux
name=demux ! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv' ! nvvidconv !
'video/x-raw-yuv, width=(int)640, height=(int)480, format=(fourcc)UYVY'
! xvimagesink -e
```

raw-gray Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the GRAY8 raw-gray output format for scaling.

Converting nv-yuv to raw-gray with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux
name=demux ! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-
raw-gray, bpp=(int)8, depth=(int)8, width=(int)320, height=(int)240' !
ffmpegcolorspace ! xvimagesink -e
```

Converting nvrn-yuv to raw-gray

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux
name=demux ! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv' ! nvvidconv !
'video/x-raw-gray, bpp=(int)8, depth=(int)8, width=(int)640,
height=(int)480' ! ffmpegcolorspace ! xvimagesink -e
```

RGB Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the following RGB output formats for scaling: BGRA, RGBA, BGRx, and RGBx.

Converting nv-yuv to raw-rgb with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4! qtdemux name=mux !
nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw-rgb,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480' ! ximagesink -e
```

Converting nvrn-yuv to raw-rgb

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4! qtdemux name=mux !
nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw-rgb,
width=(int)640, height=(int)480' ! ximagesink -e
```

NVIDIA Input and Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the NVIDIA input and output formats for scaling described in the following table:

Format	Description
NV12	NVIDIA <code>gst-openmax</code> decoder output format.
I420	NVIDIA <code>gst-openmax</code> encoder input format.

Scaling nv-yuv

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux name=mux
! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nv-yuv,
width=640, height=480' ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

Converting nv-yuv to nvrn-yuv with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux name=mux
! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nv-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv,
width=640, height=480' ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

Scaling nvrn-yuv

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux name=mux
! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv,
width=640, height=480' ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

Converting nvrn-yuv to nv-yuv with scaling

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux name=mux
! nv_omx_h264dec ! 'video/x-nvrn-yuv' ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-nv-yuv,
width=640, height=480' ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux ! filesink
location=test.mp4 -e
```

VIDEO SCALING WITH GSTREAMER-1.0

The NVIDIA proprietary `nvvidconv` Gstreamer-1.0 plug-in also allows you to perform video scaling. The `nvvidconv` plug-in currently supports scaling with the format conversions described in this section.

raw-yuv Input Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the I420, UYVY, and NV12 raw-yuv input formats for scaling.

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)I420,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720' ! nvvidconv !
'video/x-raw(memory:NVMM), width=(int)640, height=(int)480' !
omxh264enc ! 'video/x-h264, stream-format=(string)byte-stream' !
h264parse ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

raw-gray Input Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the GRAY8 raw-gray input format for scaling.

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 videotestsrc ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)GRAY8,
width=(int)1280, height=(int)720' ! nvvidconv !
'video/x-raw(memory:NVMM), width=(int)640, height=(int)480' !
omxh264enc ! 'video/x-h264, stream-format=(string)byte-stream' !
h264parse ! qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

raw-yuv Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the I420 and UYVY raw-yuv output formats for scaling.

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux ! queue !
h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw, format=(string)I420,
width=640, height=480' ! xvimagesink -e
```

raw-gray Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the GRAY8 raw-gray output format for scaling.

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux ! queue !
h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw,
format=(string)GRAY8, width=640, height=480' ! videoconvert !
xvimagesink -e
```

NVIDIA Input and Output Formats

Currently `nvvidconv` supports the NVIDIA input and output formats for scaling described in the following table:

Format	Description
NV12	NVIDIA gst-omx decoder output format.
I420	NVIDIA gst-omx encoder input format.

Scaling between nv format

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux !
h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw(memory:NVMM),
width=(int)640, height=(int)480, format=(string)I420' ! omxh264enc !
qtmux ! filesink location=test.mp4 -e
```

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=1280x720_30p.mp4 ! qtdemux !
h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvvidconv ! 'video/x-raw(memory:NVMM),
width=(int)640, height=(int)480, format=(string)I420' !
nvhdmioverlaysink -e
```

VIDEO TRANSCODE WITH GSTREAMER-0.10

You can perform video transcoding between the following video formats.

H.264 Decode to VP8 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to NVIDIA-accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_h264dec ! nv_omx_vp8enc ! qtmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_00 !
queue ! aacparse ! mux.audio_00 -e
```

VP8 Decode to H.264 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to NVIDIA-accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_vp8dec ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_00 !
queue ! aacparse ! mux.audio_00 -e
```

MPEG-4 Decode to VP8 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to NVIDIA-accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_mpeg4dec ! nv_omx_vp8enc ! qtmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_00 !
queue ! aacparse ! mux.audio_00 -e
```

MPEG-4 Decode to H.264 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to NVIDIA-accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_mpeg4dec ! nv_omx_h264enc ! qtmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_00 !
queue ! aacparse ! mux.audio_00 -v -e
```

H.264 Decode to MPEG-4 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_h264dec ! ffenc_mpeg4 ! qtmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_00 !
queue ! aacparse ! mux.audio_00 -e
```

VP8 Decode to MPEG-4 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_vp8dec ! ffenc_mpeg4 ! qtmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_00 !
queue ! aacparse ! mux.audio_00 -e
```

H.264 Decode to Theora Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_h264dec ! theoraenc ! oggmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.ogg> demux.audio_00 !
queue ! faad ! audioconvert ! vorbisenc ! mux. -e
```

VP8 Decode to Theora Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_vp8dec ! theoraenc ! oggmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.ogg> demux.audio_00 !
queue ! faad ! audioconvert ! vorbisenc ! mux. -e
```

MPEG-4 Decode to Theora Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-0.10 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_00 ! queue ! nv_omx_mpeg4dec ! theoraenc ! oggmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.ogg> demux.audio_00 !
queue ! faad ! audioconvert ! vorbisenc ! mux. -e
```

VIDEO TRANSCODE WITH GSTREAMER-1.0

You can perform video transcoding between the following video formats.

H.264 Decode to VP8 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to NVIDIA-accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_0 ! queue ! h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvvidconv !
omxvp8enc ! qtmux name=mux ! filesink
location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_0 ! queue ! aacparse !
mux.audio_0 -e
```

VP8 Decode to H.264 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to NVIDIA-accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux
name=demux demux.video_0 ! queue ! omxvp8dec ! nvvidconv ! omxh264enc !
qtmux name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4>
demux.audio_0 ! queue ! aacparse ! mux.audio_0 -e
```

MPEG-4 Decode to VP8 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to NVIDIA-accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux
name=demux demux.video_0 ! queue ! mpeg4videoparse ! omxmpeg4videodec !
nvvidconv ! omxvp8enc ! qtmux name=mux ! filesink
location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_0 ! queue ! aacparse !
mux.audio_0 -e
```

MPEG-4 Decode to H.264 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to NVIDIA-accelerated encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux
name=demux demux.video_0 ! queue ! mpeg4videoparse ! omxmpeg4videodec !
nvvidconv ! omxh264enc ! qtmux name=mux ! filesink
location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_0 ! queue ! aacparse !
mux.audio_0 -e
```

H.264 Decode to MPEG-4 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux
name=demux demux.video_0 ! queue ! h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvvidconv !
avenc_mpeg4 ! qtmux name=mux ! filesink
location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_0 ! queue ! aacparse !
mux.audio_0 -e
```

VP8 Decode to MPEG-4 Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux
name=demux demux.video_0 ! queue ! omxvp8dec ! nvvidconv !
avenc_mpeg4 ! qtmux name=mux ! filesink
location=<Transcoded_filename.mp4> demux.audio_0 ! queue ! aacparse !
mux.audio_0 -e
```

H.264 Decode to Theora Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_0 ! queue ! h264parse ! omxh264dec ! nvvidconv ! theoraenc
! oggmux name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.ogg> -e
```

VP8 Decode to Theora Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_0 ! queue ! omxvp8dec ! nvvidconv ! theoraenc ! oggmux
name=mux ! filesink location=<Transcoded_filename.ogg> -e
```

MPEG-4 Decode to Theora Encode (NVIDIA-accelerated decode to OSS software encode)

```
$ gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=<filename.mp4> ! qtdemux name=demux
demux.video_0 ! queue ! mpeg4videoparse ! omxmpeg4videodec !
```

```
nvvidconv ! theoraenc ! oggmux name=mux ! filesink  
location=<Transcoded_filename.ogg> -e
```

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