

## CHAPTER 6                    VBA PROGRAMMING FOR LSM

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## **6 VBA PROGRAMMING FOR LSM**

### **6.1 VBA Programming**

#### **6.1.1 General Syntax**

Object oriented programming

Class Modules

#### **6.1.2 Working with Files**

I/O operations, file operations are implemented in VBA

Use of the implemented functions

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**Example:**

```
Type CALIBRATION_PARAM
    lambda As Long
    angle As Double
    Translation As Double
End Type

Function DataFromCalibFile(strGetFile As String, calibArray() As CALIBRATION_PARAM) As Integer
    Dim hFile As Long
    Dim strLine As String
    Dim varData(1 To 3) As Variant
    Dim paramCnt As Integer

    paramCnt = -1
    'get the next free file handle
    hFile = FreeFile
    'check if file exist
    If (Len(Dir(strGetFile)) > 0) Then
        Open strGetFile For Input Access Read Shared As hFile
        If (Not EOF(hFile)) Then
            Line Input #hFile, strLine

            paramCnt = 0
            Do Until EOF(hFile)
                Input #hFile, varData(1), varData(2), varData(3)
                calibArray(paramCnt).lambda = varData(1)
                calibArray(paramCnt).angle = varData(2)
                calibArray(paramCnt).Translation = varData(3)
                paramCnt = paramCnt + 1
            Loop
        End If
        Close #hFile
    End If

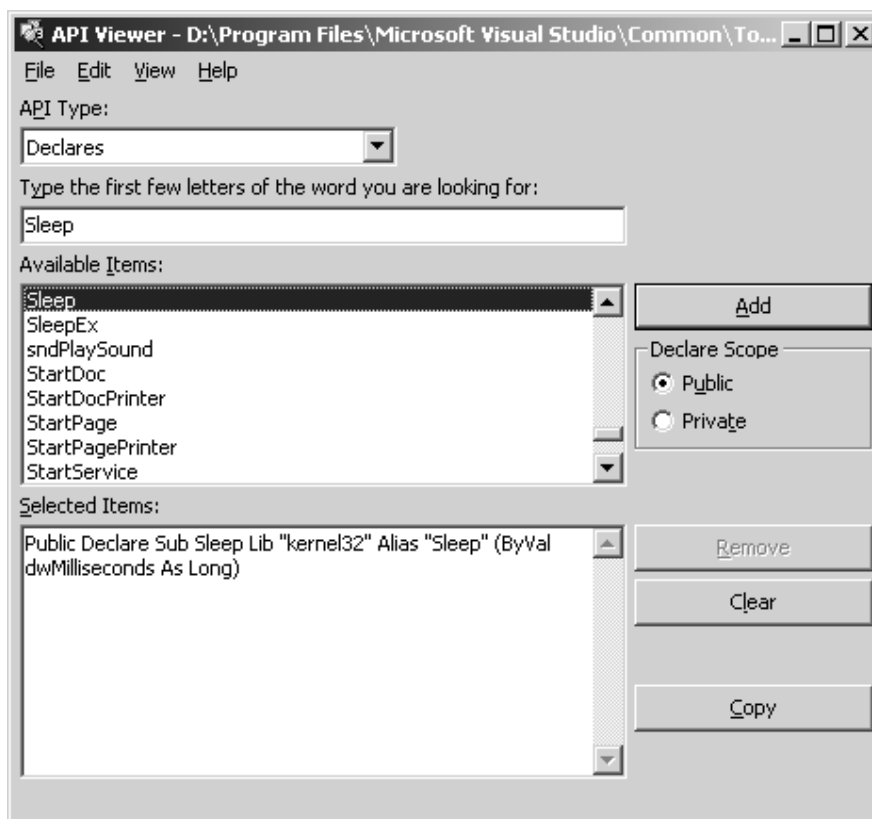
    DataFromCalibFile = paramCnt
End Function Objektstruktur
```

Use of the API function for additional functionality

### 6.1.3 Access to Windows API Function and external DLLs

- with Type Libraries  
OLE

- with Declare Statements  
API Text Viewer  
searches WIN32API.TXT



**Example:**

*Declare Sub Sleep Lib "kernel32" (ByVal dwMilliseconds As Long)*

*Declare Function RegOpenKeyEx \_  
 Lib "advapi32.dll" Alias "RegOpenKeyExA" \_  
 (ByVal hKey As Long, ByVal lpSubKey As String, \_  
 ByVal ulOptions As Long, ByVal samDesired As Long, \_  
 phkResult As Long) As Long*

*Public Declare Function RegCloseKey \_  
 Lib "advapi32.dll" (ByVal hKey As Long) As Long*

*Public Declare Function RegQueryValueEx \_  
 Lib "advapi32.dll" Alias "RegQueryValueExA" \_  
 (ByVal hKey As Long, ByVal lpValueName As String, \_  
 ByVal lpReserved As Long, lpType As Long, \_  
 lpData As Any, lpcbData As Long) As Long ' Note that if you declare the lpData parameter  
 as String, you must pass it By Value.*

*Public Const HKEY\_CLASSES\_ROOT = &H80000000*

*Public Const SYNCHRONIZE = &H100000*

*Public Const READ\_CONTROL = &H20000*

*Public Const STANDARD\_RIGHTS\_READ = (READ\_CONTROL)*

*Public Const KEY\_QUERY\_VALUE = &H1*

*Public Const KEY\_ENUMERATE\_SUB\_KEYS = &H8*

*Public Const KEY\_NOTIFY = &H10*

*Public Const KEY\_READ = ((STANDARD\_RIGHTS\_READ Or KEY\_QUERY\_VALUE Or  
 KEY\_ENUMERATE\_SUB\_KEYS Or KEY\_NOTIFY) And (Not SYNCHRONIZE))*

*Public Const REG\_SZ = 1 ' Unicode null terminated string*

*Public Const ERROR\_SUCCESS = 0&*

```
Function FServerFromDescription(strName As String, strPath As String) As Boolean
    Dim lngResult As Long
    Dim strTmp As String
    Dim hKeyServer As Long
    Dim strBuffer As String
    Dim cb As Long
    Dim i As Integer

    FServerFromDescription = False

    strTmp = VBA.Space(255)
    strTmp = strName + "\CLSID"
    lngResult = RegOpenKeyEx(HKEY_CLASSES_ROOT, strTmp, 0&, KEY_READ, hKeyServer)

    If (Not lngResult = ERROR_SUCCESS) Then GoTo error_exit
    strBuffer = VBA.Space(255)
    cb = Len(strBuffer)

    lngResult = RegQueryValueEx(hKeyServer, "", 0&, REG_SZ, ByVal strBuffer, cb)
    If (Not lngResult = ERROR_SUCCESS) Then GoTo error_exit

    lngResult = RegCloseKey(hKeyServer)
    strTmp = VBA.Space(255)
    strTmp = "CLSID\" + Left(strBuffer, cb - 1) + "\LocalServer32"
    strBuffer = VBA.Space(255)
    cb = Len(strBuffer)
    lngResult = RegOpenKeyEx(HKEY_CLASSES_ROOT, strTmp, 0&, KEY_READ, hKeyServer)
    If (Not lngResult = ERROR_SUCCESS) Then GoTo error_exit

    lngResult = RegQueryValueEx(hKeyServer, "", 0&, REG_SZ, ByVal strBuffer, cb)
    If (Not lngResult = ERROR_SUCCESS) Then GoTo error_exit
    strPath = Left(strBuffer, cb - 1)

```

***lngResult = RegCloseKey(hKeyServer)***

*hKeyServer = 0*

*i = Len(strPath)*

*Do Until (i = 0)*

*If (VBA.Mid(strPath, i, 1) = "\") Then*

*strPath = Left(strPath, i - 1)*

*FServerFromDescription = True*

*Exit Do*

*End If*

*i = i - 1*

*Loop*

*error\_exit:*

*If (Not hKeyServer = 0) Then lngResult = RegCloseKey(hKeyServer)*

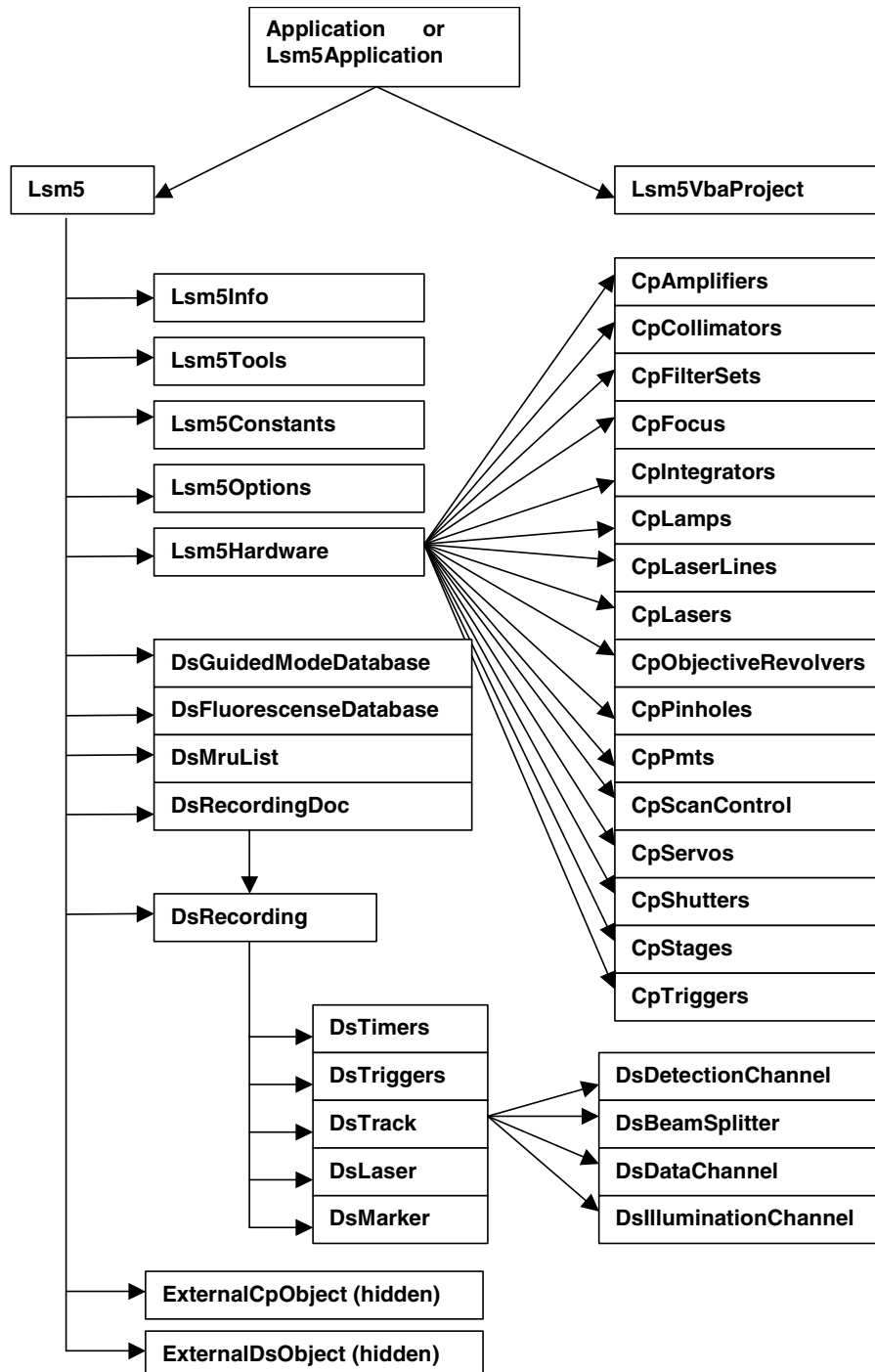
*hKeyServer = 0*

*End Function*

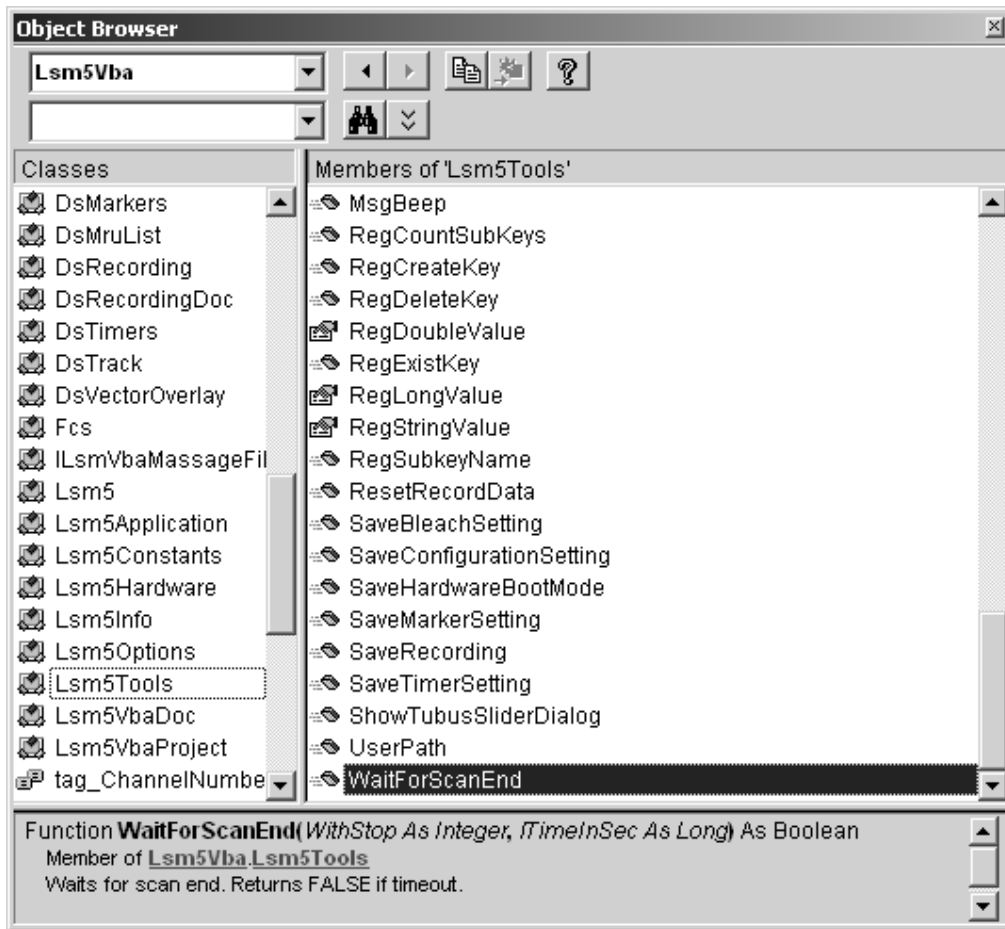


6.2 Programming for LSM

6.2.1 Object structure



To search the object structure use the object browser



## 6.2.2 Differences in access to LSM Hardware with Lsm5Hardware Object / DsRecording Object

Object Browser Project / Library LsmVba auswählen und Objekt Struktur untersuchen

- Access with DsRecording Object

Status maintains at Scan Start

```
Public Sub CopyRecording(Destination As DsRecording, Source As DsRecording)
    Dim TS As DsTrack
    Dim TD As DsTrack
    Dim DataS As DsDataChannel
    Dim DataD As DsDataChannel
    Dim DetS As DsDetectionChannel
    Dim DetD As DsDetectionChannel
    Dim IIS As DsIlluminationChannel
    Dim IID As DsIlluminationChannel
    Dim BS As DsBeamSplitter
    Dim BD As DsBeamSplitter
    Dim IT As Long
    Dim II As Long
    Dim success As Integer

    Destination.Copy Source
    Destination.Objective = Source.Objective
    For IT = 0 To Destination.TrackCount - 1

        Set TS = Source.TrackObjectByIndex(IT, success)
        Set TD = Destination.TrackObjectByIndex(IT, success)

        TD.Collimator1Position = TS.Collimator1Position
        TD.Collimator2Position = TS.Collimator2Position

        For II = 0 To TD.DataChannelCount - 1
            Set DataS = TS.DataChannelObjectByIndex(II, success)
            Set DataD = TD.DataChannelObjectByIndex(II, success)
            DataD.ColorRef = DataS.ColorRef
        Next II
    Next IT
End Sub
```

```
For II = 0 To TD.DetectionChannelCount - 1
  Set DetS = TS.DetectionChannelObjectByIndex(II, success)
  Set DetD = TD.DetectionChannelObjectByIndex(II, success)
  DetD.Filter1 = DetS.Filter1
  DetD.Filter2 = DetS.Filter2
  DetD.DetectorGain = DetS.DetectorGain
  DetD.AmplifierGain = DetS.AmplifierGain
  DetD.AmplifierOffset = DetS.AmplifierOffset
  DetD.PinholeDiameter = DetS.PinholeDiameter
Next II
```

```
For II = 0 To TD.IlluminationChannelCount - 1
  Set IIS = TS.IlluminationObjectByIndex(II, success)
  Set IID = TD.IlluminationObjectByIndex(II, success)
  IID.Acquire = IIS.Acquire
  ID.Power = IIS.Power
  IID.DetectionChannelName = IIS.DetectionChannelName
Next II
```

```
For II = 0 To TD.BeamSplitterCount - 1
  Set BS = TS.BeamSplitterObjectByIndex(II, success)
  Set BD = TD.BeamSplitterObjectByIndex(II, success)
  BD.Filter = BS.Filter
Next II
```

```
Next IT
End Sub
```

- Access with Lsm5Hardware Object

Status will be updated at Scan Start to current recording parameters

```
Private Sub FillPinholeList()  
    Dim count As Long  
    Dim i As Long  
    Dim ObjPinholes As CpPinholes  
    Dim Servos As Object  
    Dim ServoX As Object  
    Dim ServoY As Object  
    Dim success As Boolean  
  
    CmbPinhole.Clear  
  
    Set Servos = Lsm5.ExternalCpObject.pHardwareObjects.pServos  
    Set ObjPinholes = Lsm5.Hardware.CpPinholes  
    count = ObjPinholes.count  
    For i = 0 To count - 1  
        success = ObjPinholes.Select(i)  
        If (success) Then  
            Set ServoX = Servos.pltem(ObjPinholes.Name + "X")  
            Set ServoY = Servos.pltem(ObjPinholes.Name + "Y")  
            If ((Not ServoX Is Nothing) And (Not ServoY Is Nothing)) Then  
                CmbPinhole.AddItem ObjPinholes.Name  
            End If  
        End If  
    Next i  
    If (count) Then CmbPinhole.ListIndex = 0    ' select first pinhole  
  
    Set ObjPinholes = Nothing  
    Set Servos = Nothing  
    Set ServoX = Nothing  
    Set ServoY = Nothing  
End Sub
```

- Access with external Lsm5Hardware Object

### 6.2.3 Access to hidden Interface

- When do I need to use the hidden Interface?
- How do I find the desired Object / Method?
  - Open Tool / References
  - Browse CP.dll search, open
  - Choose Object Browser Project / Library DS or CP
  - Examine Object Structure

#### Example:

```
Function GetLaserKind(WaveLength As String, kind As Integer)
    Dim count As Long
    Dim CpObject As Object
    Dim Lines As Object
    Dim i As Long
    Dim Success As Integer
    Dim WaveLengthOfIndex As Long
    Dim Attenuation As Double
    Dim Enable As Integer
    Dim Name As String

    GetLaserValueMax = False

    Set CpObject = Lsm5.ExternalCpObject()
    Set Lines = CpObject.pHardwareObjects.pLaserLines

    count = Lines.ICount
    For i = 0 To (count - 1)
        Success = Lines.bLineInfo(i, WaveLengthOfIndex, Attenuation, Enable, Name)
        If (Success And (WaveLengthOfIndex = WaveLength)) Then
            kind = Lines.AttenuatorType(WaveLength)

            Set Lines = Nothing
            Set CpObject = Nothing
            Exit Function
        End If
    Next i

    Set Lines = Nothing
    Set CpObject = Nothing

End Function
```

## 6.2.4 Access to scanned pictures

### Example:

```
Function ChannelIndexFromChannelName(ChannelName As String, ChannelIndex As Long)
    Dim num As Long, num1 As Long, num2 As Long
    Dim i As Long
    Dim Success As Integer
    Dim DetectionChannel As DsDetectionChannel
    Dim LsmInfo As Lsm5Info
    Dim Recording As DsRecording

    ChannelIndexFromChannelName = False

    Set Recording = Lsm5.DsRecording
    Set LsmInfo = Lsm5.Info
    If (LsmInfo.NumberOfPmtsInSystem(num, num1, num2) = True) Then
        For i = 0 To (num + num1 - 1)
            Set DetectionChannel = Recording.DetectionChannelOfActiveOrder(i, Success)
            If Success Then
                If (StrComp(DetectionChannel.Name, ChannelName) = 0) Then
                    ChannelIndex = i
                    ChannelIndexFromChannelName = True
                    GoTo exit_function
                End If
            End If
        Next i
    End If

    exit_function:
    Set LsmInfo = Nothing
    Set Recording = Nothing
End Function
```

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```
Function GetAveragePixel(ScanDoc As DsRecordingDoc, ChannelName As String, mean As Double)
    Dim line As Variant
    Dim x As Long, xmax As Long
    Dim y As Long, ymax As Long
    Dim spl As Long
    Dim bpp As Long
    Dim Sum As Double
    Dim Channel As Long

    GetAverageScanLineParams = False

    If (ChannelIndexFromChannelName(ChannelName, Channel) = False) Then
        Exit Function
    End If

    'check for valid doc
    If (ScanDoc Is Nothing) Then Exit Function
    Sum = 0
    xmax = ScanDoc.Recording.SamplesPerLine
    ymax = ScanDoc.Recording.LinesPerFrame
    For y = 0 To ymax - 1
        line = ScanDoc.ScanLine(Channel, 0, 0, 0, spl, bpp)

        For x = 0 To spl - 1
            Sum = Sum + line(x)
        Next x
    Next y
    mean = Sum / (xmax*ymax)

    GetAverageScanLineParams = True
End Function
```



## 6.2.5 Backup Recording

```
.  
. .  
Dim Recording As DsRecording  
Dim BackupRecording As DsRecording  
Dim ScanDoc As DsRecordingDoc  
  
Set Recording = Lsm5.DsRecording  
'create a backup recording  
Set BackupRecording = Lsm5.CreateBackupRecording  
Success = BackupRecording.Copy(Recording)  
  
Recording.ScanMode = "Line"  
Recording.FramesPerStack = 1  
Recording.StacksPerRecord = 1  
Recording.ScanDirection = eSingleForeward  
Recording.SpecialScanMode = "NoSpecialScanMode"  
Recording.TimeSeries = False  
Recording.ZoomX = ZOOM_X  
Recording.ROTATION = ROTATION  
Recording.Sample0X = OFFSET_X  
Recording.Sample0Y = OFFSET_Y  
Recording.SamplesPerLine = IMAGE_SIZE  
Recording.StartScanTime = 8  
  
Success = SetChannelDetection(ChannelName, 1, AmpOffset, 100)  
Set ScanDoc = Lsm5.StartContinuousScan  
  
. . .  
  
Lsm5.StopScan  
'restore the backup recording  
Recording.Copy BackupRecording  
Set Recording = Nothing  
Set BackupRecording = Nothing
```

## 6.2.6 Events

- What are Events good for?
- Mouse Events
- Scan state events
- Hardware Events

### ***Private Sub Lsm5VbaDoc\_SystemEvent(ByVal EventNr As Long, ByVal Param As Variant)***

*Dim x As Long*

*Dim y As Long*

*Dim z As Long*

*Dim t As Long*

*Dim c As Long*

*Dim tmp As Long*

*Dim pt As POINT*

*Dim dsDoc As DsRecordingDoc*

*'get the active Recording Document*

*Set dsDoc = Lsm5.DsRecordingActiveDocObject*

*If (dsDoc Is Nothing) Then Exit Sub*

*If (Not dsDoc.IsValid) Then Exit Sub*

*If (EventNr = elmageWindowLeftButtonDownEvent) Then*

*If dsDoc.GetCurrentMousePosition(c, t, z, y, x) <> 0 Then*

*'do something*

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*End If*

*End If*

*End Sub*