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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

Avnet Silica Liberty board is designed to evaluate BlueTooth Low Energy performance. The main processor is a Renesas R5F100EGANA. The board is also equiped with one ML7105 Lapis BLE module, one KXTJ2-1009 Kionix Accelerometer, one BD1020HFV Rohm Temperature sensor and one SMLP34RGB1W Rohm RGB led.

Using a TTL-USB converter connected with UART_TX_OUT signal of 6 pins header and a Terminal SW on the PC (such as HyperTerminal) it's possible to see a "dump" of all data 'send to' and 'received from' ML7105 module.

BLE_lapis FW project is based on VSSPP_ML610QXXX_Ver0_094_beta firmware revision developed for Lapis PEXL7105_WSN kit and adapted for Avnet Silica Liberty Board. It is adapted for VSP application; no test has been made for VSSPP application.



Liberty developement tools

Firmware was developed using:

- e2studio Version 2.2.0.13 based on Eclipse SDK 3.8.2 and CDT 8.2.1. (click here to download e2studio 2.2.0.13)
- KPIT GNURL78 Version 13.02-ELF-MP1 compiler (click here to download GNURL78 13.02)

Note: Registration and login to Renesas and KPIT site are needed before using link above to download

Important: e2studio 2.2.0.13 or KPIT GNURL78 13.02-ELF-MP1 are also available on request. In this case, you must register at Renesas and KPIT official sites for license activaction

GNURL78 registration email

Important: After registration on KPIT site, you receive email such as follow:

Welcome to KPIT GNU Tools

Dear YourName,

Thank you.

Your registration with KPITCummins has been successful with the following registration details:

Login Details:

User Name: YourEmail
 Password: YourPassword

Personal Details:

3. Name: YourName

4. Email Address: YourEmail5. Activation Code: YourCode

6. Address:

7. Telephone Number:

Company Details:

- 8. Name:
- 9. Address:
- 10. Telephone Number:

11.URL:

12.Position:

Please, note that YourCode is requested during first time GNUKPIT installation!!

You can also find a video guide here

Firmware project is included into Liberty.zip archive file

Documents references

Reference guide and datasheet are included into Liberty_doc.zip archive file and are:

Reference Document	Description	
PEDK71050-02-02.pdf	ML7105 Module DataSheet (used in this project)	
FEXL7105_BACI_Manual-01.pdf	ML7105_Baci_interface_specifications	
FEXL7105_AppDevelopersGuide-01.pdf	Using BACI interface with ML7105	
FEUL7105-01.pdf	ML7105 User's Manual	
FEDL7105-002-01.pdf	ML7105 DataSheet	

Inside **Liberty_doc.zip** there are 3 other folders:

• ML7105_kit folder that contains:

Reference Document	Description
FEXL7105_WSNapp-01.pdf	ML7105 WSN Lapis kit user's manual
PEXL7105_VSP_IF-01.pdf	ML7105 WSN Lapis VSP software interface
PEXL7105_VSSPP-UG-01.pdf	ML7105 WSN Lapis VSSPP guide
PEXL7105_WSN_HardManual-03.pdf	ML7105 Lapis kit hardware manual

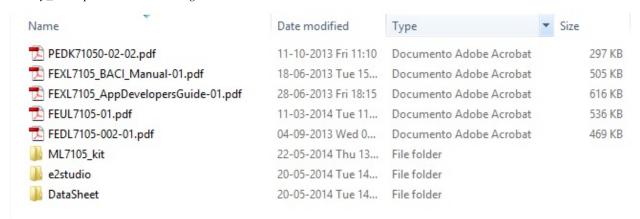
• e2studio folder that contains:

Reference Document	Description	
r20ut2771ej0100_e2_start_s.pdf	e2studio quick start	

• DataSheet folder that contains:

Reference Document	Description	
bd1020hfv-e.pdf	Temperature sensor IC	
KXTJ2-1009 Specification Rev 4.pdf	Accelerometer	
RL78_G13_Hardware.pdf	Renesas RL78 series hardware manual	
SMLP34RGBxW_last.pdf	RGB Led	

Liberty_doc.zip contents - see image below



You can download the Liberty.zip and Liberty_doc.zip accessing to Avnet Silica Architech website (registration is needed for download)

Installing E2studio and KPIT Developement Suite chapter will guide you through the basic steps of the installation procedure of Developement Suite

We suggest you to read first the Quick Start Guide to perform a correct setup.

Quick start guide

This guide explains how to use this application and provides an overview of the structure of the project firmware Contents:

Quick start guide

Hardware requirements

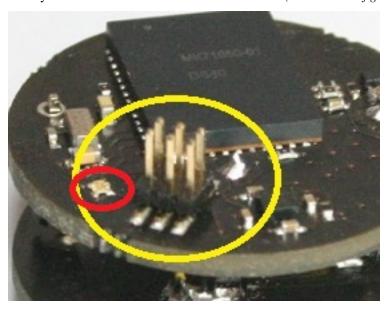
- Silica Liberty Board kit
- One TTL-USB adapter (for communication dump)
- Renesas E1 on-chip debugger
- PC with terminal software (such as HyperTerminal)

Board features

Liberty board has a 6 pin header connector (yellow circled in figure below) that can be used for:

- debug (with E1 pod see hardware documentation for pinout)
- connect TTL-USB converter to see a "dump" of all comunication between Host MCU and BLE ML7105 module

Liberty has a RGB led that monitor main BLE state (red circled in figure below)



Note: see hardware documentation for Liberty header pinout and how to connect for debug and serial dump

Software requirements

- e2studio Version 2.2.0.13 and KPIT GNURL78 Version 13.02-ELF-MP1 compiler
- Liberty_BLE_v1 firmware
- PC terminal emulator (such as HyperTerminal)
- Liberty Software Application for PC or SmartPhone (to connect with Liberty board)

Note:

If you have not yet installed e2studio development suite, before proceeding, go to:

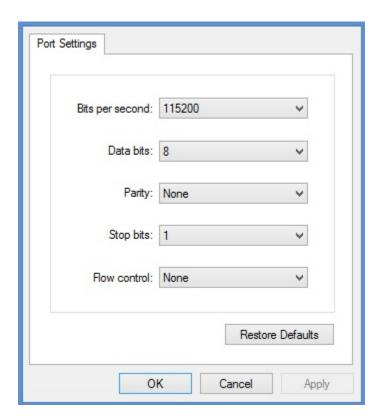
Installing E2studio Developement Suite

Communication dump

If you like to use serial dump to monitor communication between CPU and ML7105, connect a TLL-USB converter as described in *Board features* note. You can use a terminal software on your PC to see this dump. Here settings required for HyperTerminal COMx parameter:

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speed = 115200 baud data with = 8 parity = none stop bit = 1 flow control = none



Hardware setup

Plug the Battery into socket adapter (see figure below)



Red led will ON to indicate initial settings (if connected, you can see the commnication dump on PC HyperTerminal)

After initialization, the green led will flash every 2 second to indicate that Liberty is in active state waiting connection.

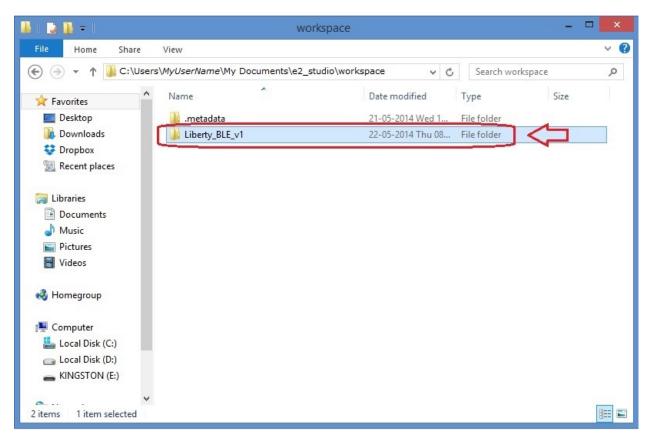
Try to connect an pair with Liberty Software Application, the green led will lamp (half second period), and after the green ON means "device paired" Use Liberty Application (PC or Smartphone) Software to perfom basic functions with Liberty board.

For debugging purpose, you can use Renesas E1 on-chip debugger. You must have a cable adapter to connect emulator pod with Liberty board (see hardware documentation)

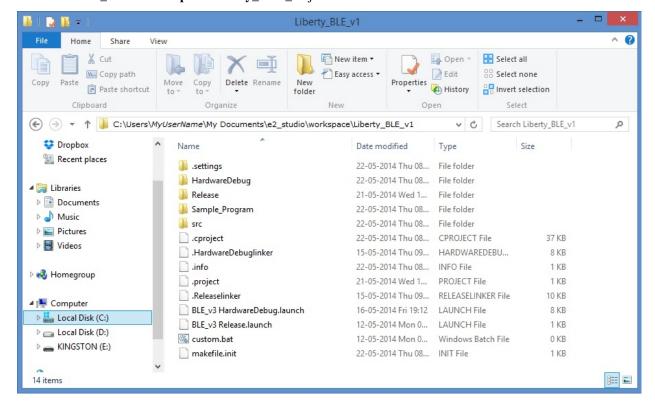
Liberty Board FW installation & setup

Tip: Install first E2studio development suite, then proceed with firmware setup

• Inside E2studio workspace folder (C:\Users\ *MyUserName* \My Documents\e2_studio\workspace) create new folder named **Liberty_BLE_v1**



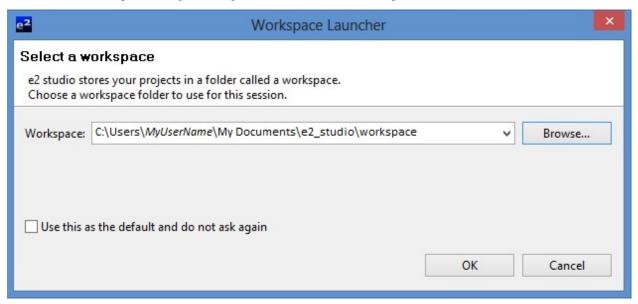
• Unzip all files from Liberty.zip into the folder C:\Users\ MyUserName \My Documents\e2_studio\workspace\Liberty_BLE_v1 just created



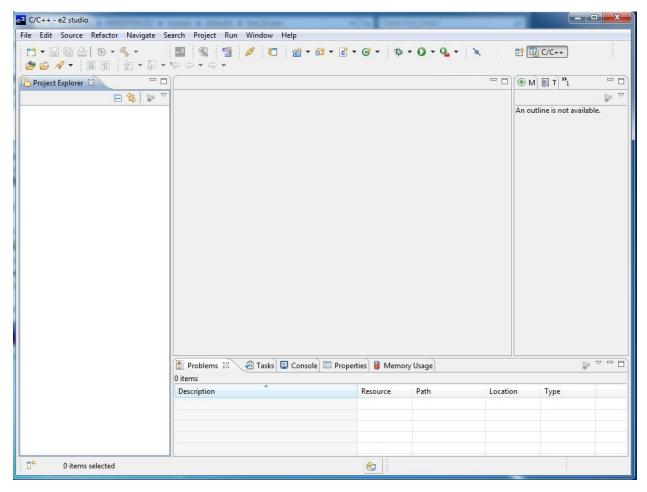
• Go to Start -> Renesas Electronics e2 studio -> Renesas e2 studio -> Eclipse and click on to start E2studio suite



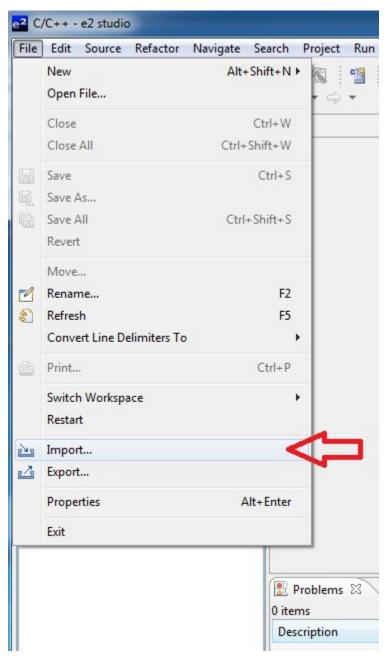
• Check if workspace setting is like figure below. Then click OK to proceed.



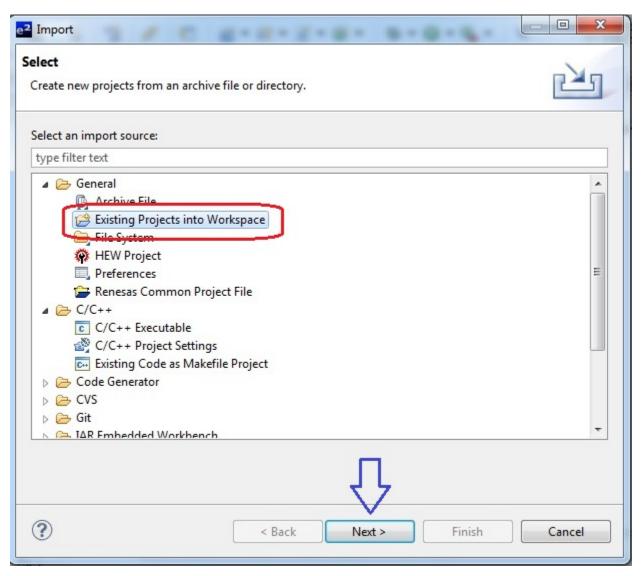
• Now you can see the Eclipse Main Window



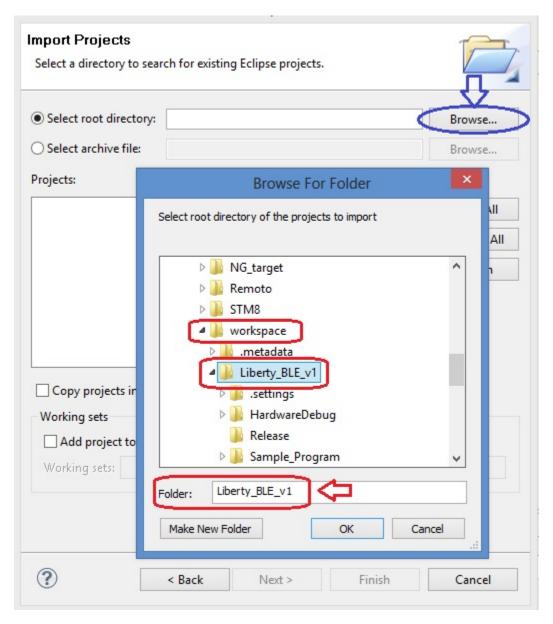
• Select menu File -> Import



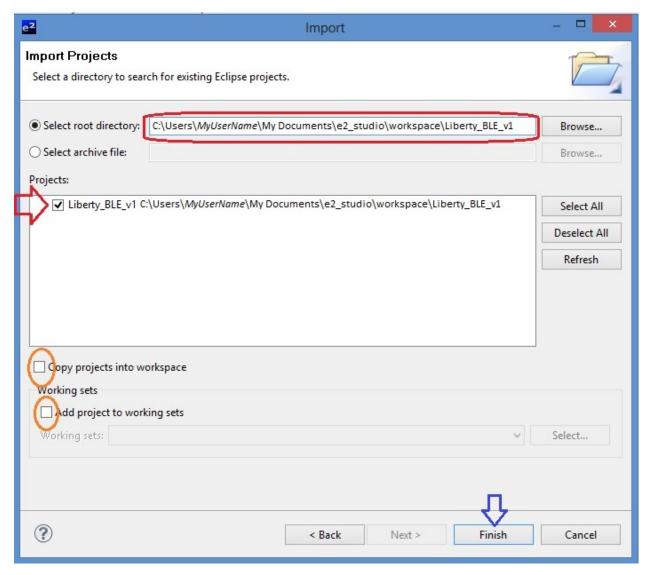
• In the dialog box that will open, click on **General**, select **Existing Projects Into Workspace** and after click "Next" button: new dialog will open.



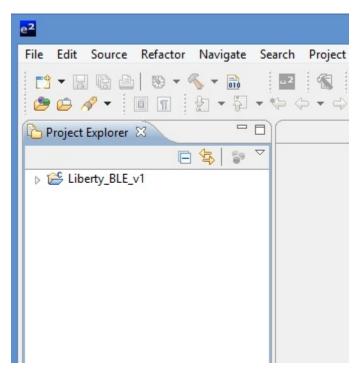
• Click on "Browse..." button an navigate to C:\Users\ *MyUserName* \My Documents\e2_studio\workspace\Liberty_BLE_v1 folder. Click on "OK" button



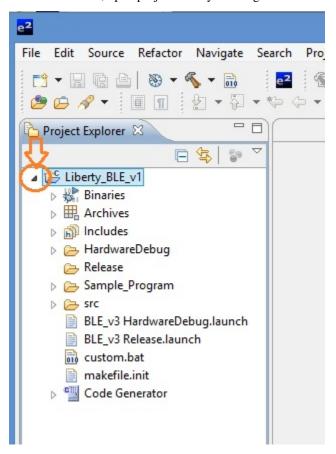
• Check options and setting as the image below, then click "Finish" button to import project.



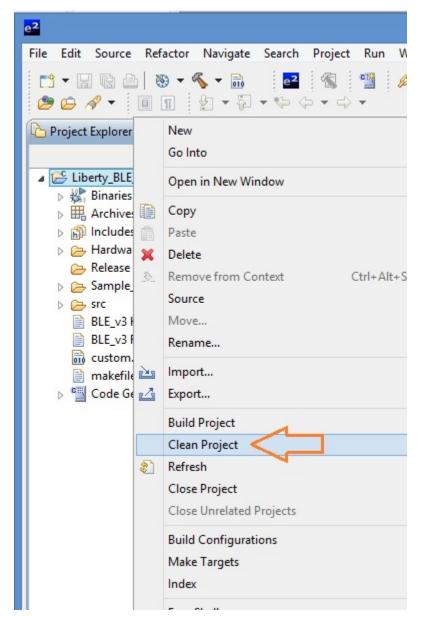
• Wait for project import, then you can see Liberty_BLE_v1 project in the Project Explorer windows of E2studio Platform.



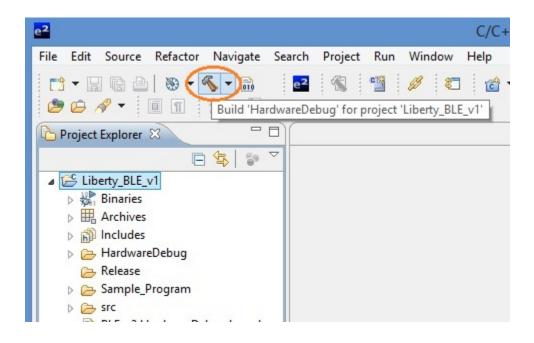
• First of all, open project tree by clicking on the arrow located at left of project name (orange circled).



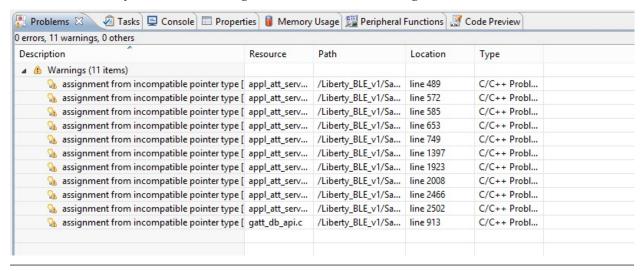
• Now, right click over "Liberty_BLE_v1" in the Project Exporer window to point out it, then select "Clean Project".



• When clean has been made, point mouse over hammer icon on the toolbar and click it (see image below). Hardware debug build will start.



Note: Don't care if you have this warning in the Problems tab (see image above)



Now you are ready to work with Liberty_BLE_v1 project

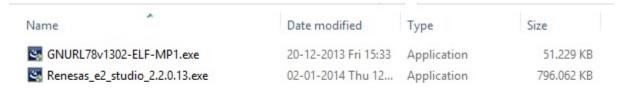
Installing E2studio Developement Suite

This small guide is intended to explain the main steps to properly install the E2studio developement suite. As possibly not shown here, refer to the E2studio quick start guide r20ut2771ej0100_e2_start_s.pdf. All steps here described are performed with WINDOWS 7 OS

First step

Download E2studio version 2.2.0.13 and KPIT GNURL78 Version 13.02-ELF-MP1. Yuo can find how to make here *Liberty developement tools* for tools setup

You must have these two files:

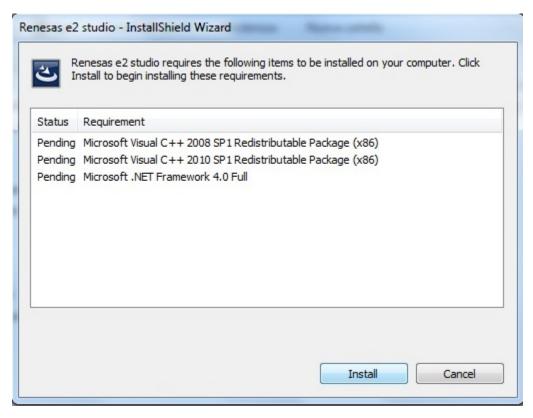


Then, you are ready for E2studio Developement Suite setup.

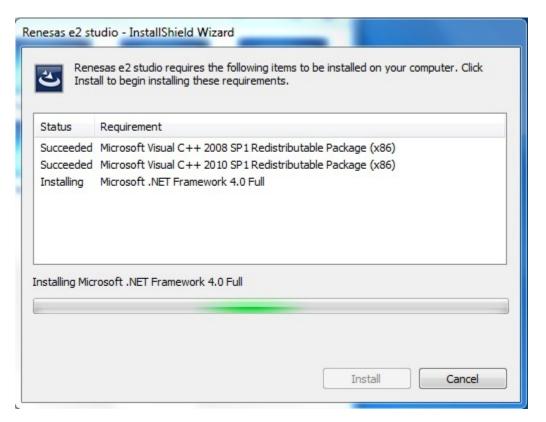
Starting Install E2studio environment

Double click on Renesas_e2_studio_2.2.0.13.exe.

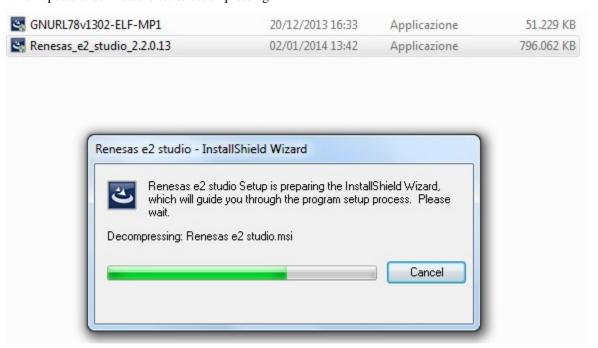
First of all, it will ask you to upgrade these OS system settings. If your OS is already updated, this popup will not open



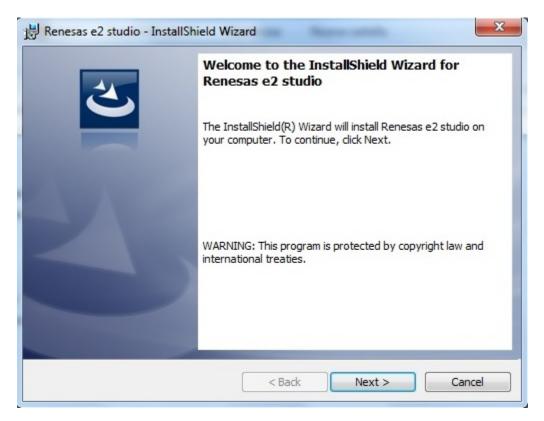
Wait for OS system update. This can take much time



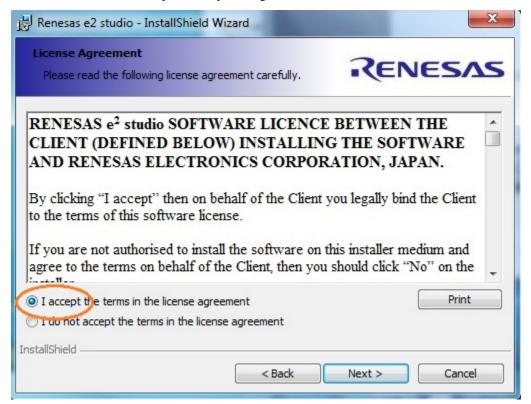
When update ends E2studio starts decompressing



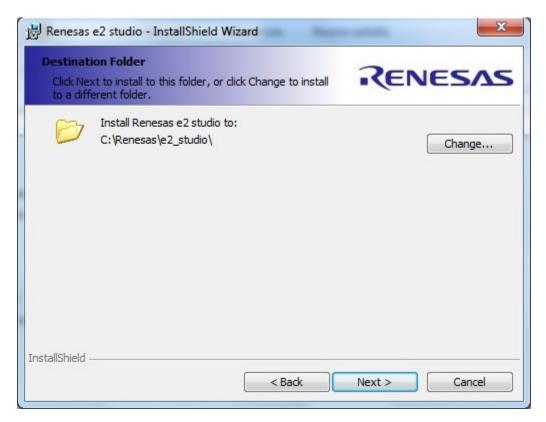
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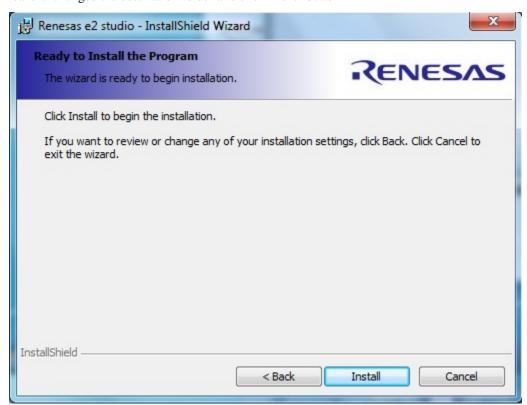
click "next" button, and setup will ask you to agree license



check 'I accept ...' then click "next"



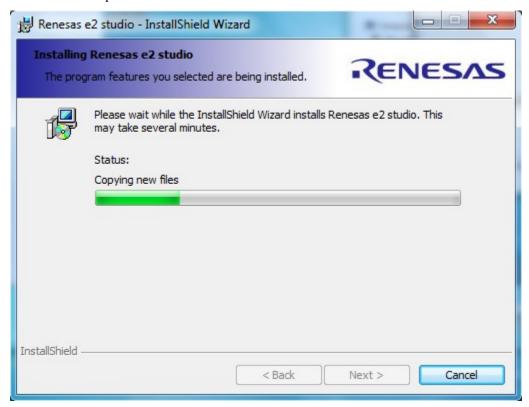
leave unchanged the destination folder and click "next" button



click "install" button to start intallation

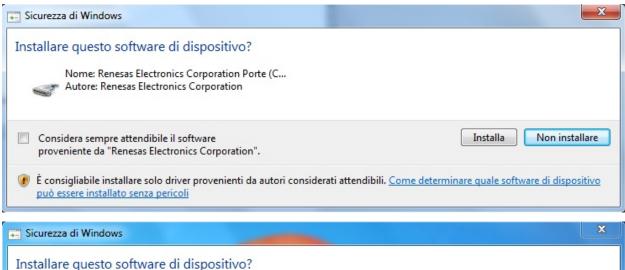
E2studio installation steps

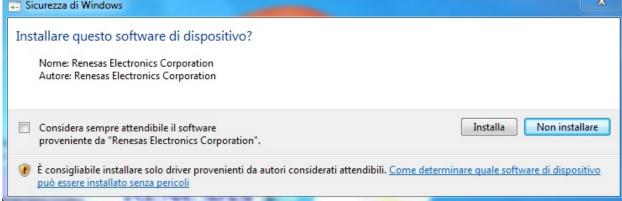
Wait for Wizard operations end.



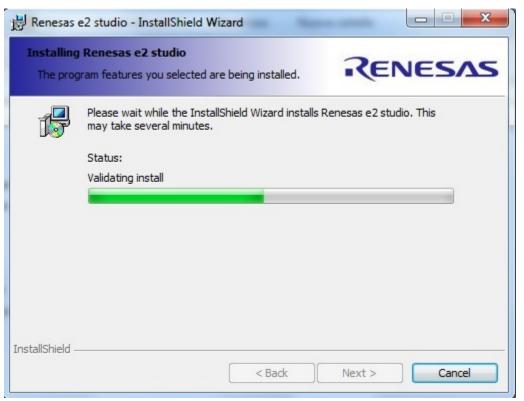
Now Wizard ask for harware device driver installation: for every popup, click "Install" button



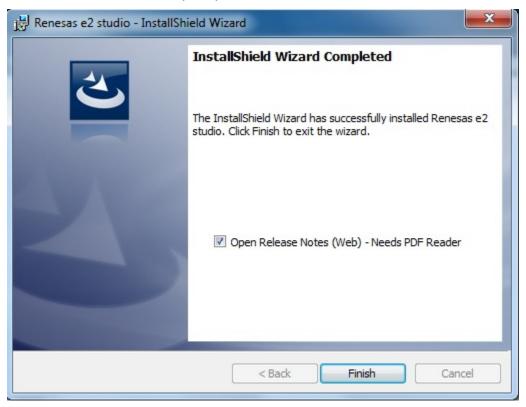




Wait for E2studio validation



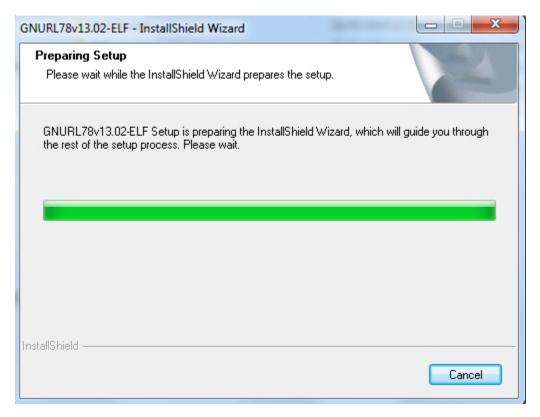
E2 studio succesfull installed on your system



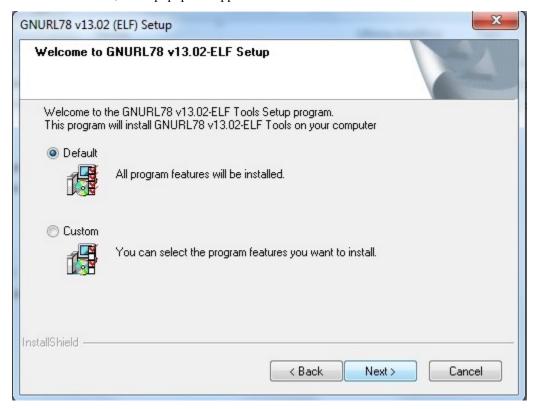
click "Finish" to end wizard.

Installing GNURL78 KPIT compiler

Double click on GNURL78v1302-ELF-MP1.exe.



When wizard starts, a first popup will appear

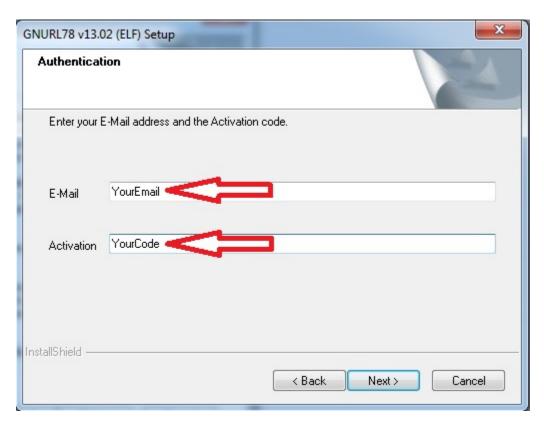


Leave unchanged "Default" radio button an click "OK"

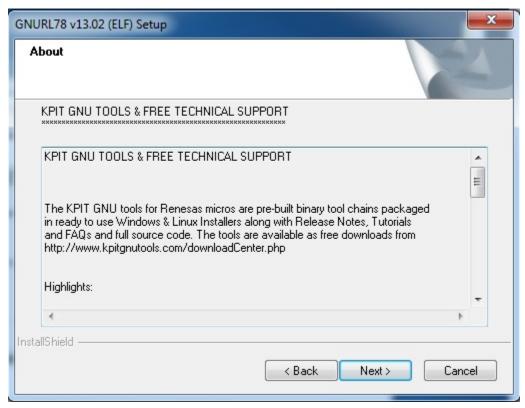
Important: The steps following are needed only first time you install GNURL78 compiler. The data needed for activate license are in the email received after registration : *GNURL78 registration email*



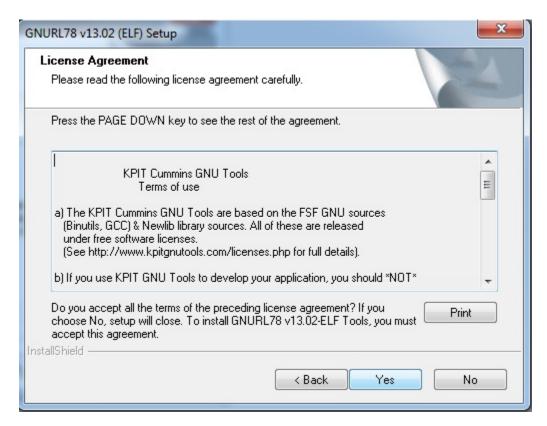
GNURL78 wizard now ask for activation code. Check "I am a registered user", then click "Next" button and take care at registration email.



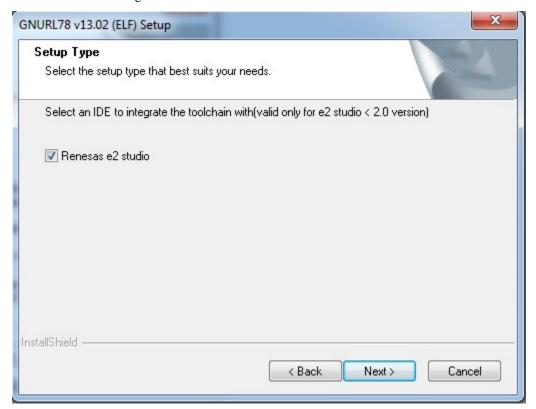
Insert YorEmail and YourCode as received in GNURL78 registration email and then click "Next" button



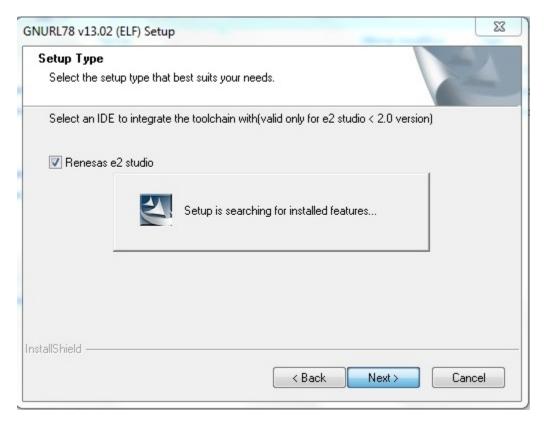
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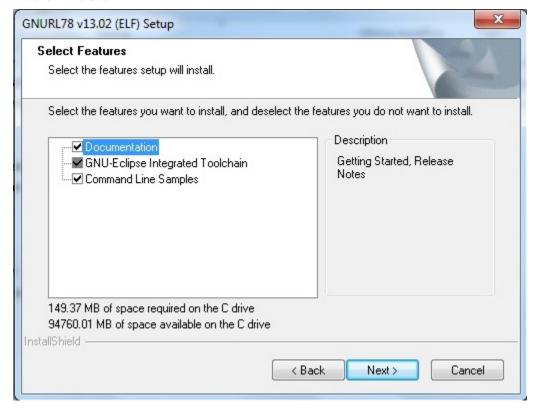
Click "Yes" button to agree License



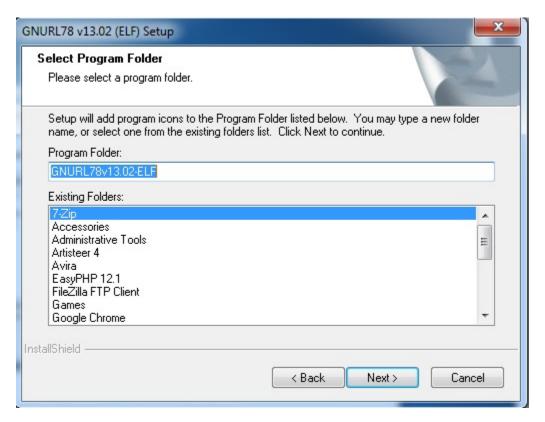
GNURL78 wizard ask for confirm E2studio toolchain integration. Check and click "Next" button



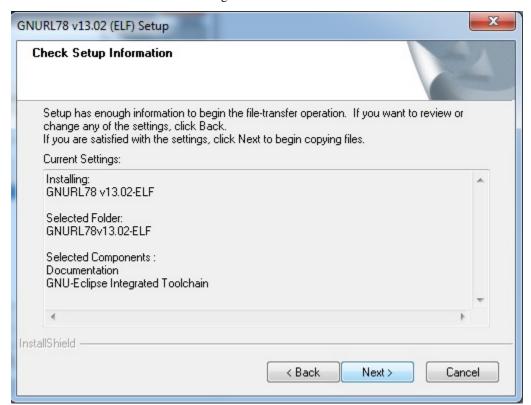
Wait for wizard ...



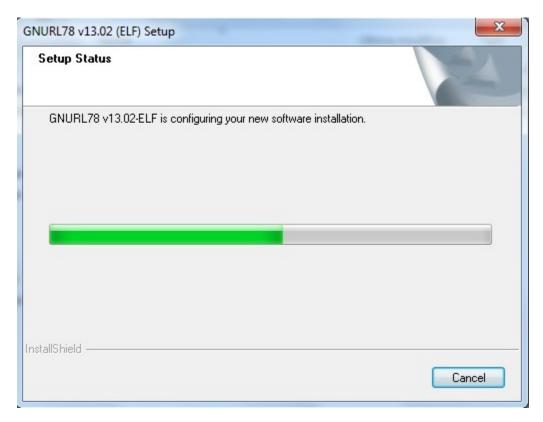
GNURL78 features settings. Set as image above then click "Next" button



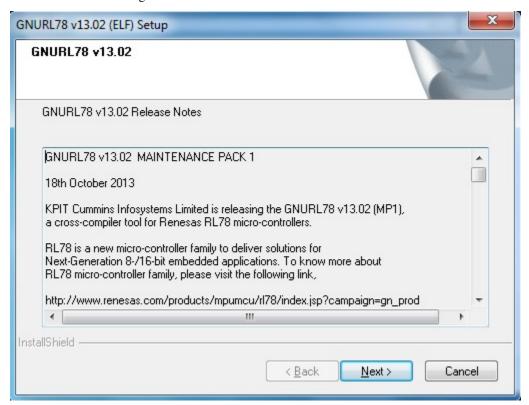
GNURL78 install folder. Leave unchanged then click "Next" button



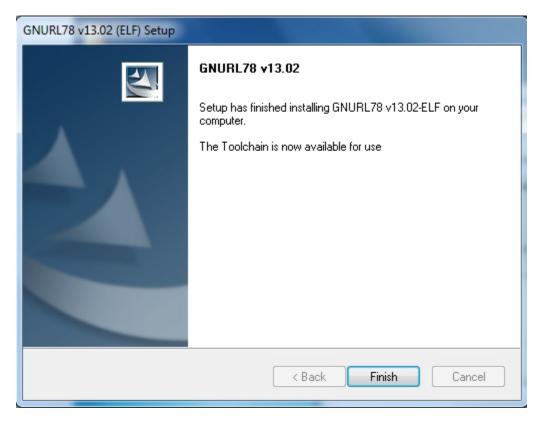
GNURL78 settings summary. Click "Next" button



Wait for GNURL78 integration inside E2studio suite



Activation of GNURL78 Maintenance Pack 1. Click "Next" button



GNURL78 compiler successfull installed and configured for E2studio suite!

Firmware specification

Firmware overview

The Liberty_BLE_v1 firmware has been developed starting from VSSPP_ML610QXXX_Ver0_094_beta firmware revision developed from Lapis to use with your PEXL7105_WSN kit.

This "beta" revision include basic BLE stack, an example of GATT database and some function that may be usefull for end-user application development.

More detail regarding ML7105 application and "beta" firmware can be found in "BLE_doc\ML7105_kit" folder included in Liberty_doc.zip archive file



Other documents:

FEXL7105_BACI_Manual-01.pdf — ML7105 Baci reference guide **FEXL7105_AppDevelopersGuide-01.pdf** — Summary of basic BLE stack functions

Firmware restrictions

The Libert_BLE_v1 firmware assumes the following restrictions:

- It is designed and configured only for VSP application.
- No testing has been made for VSSPP application.
- No very Low Power mode available. Liberty low-power mode is only for evaluation
- Support few examples of ATT and GATT database (only basic tables)
- There will be no security implemented.

Main firmware features

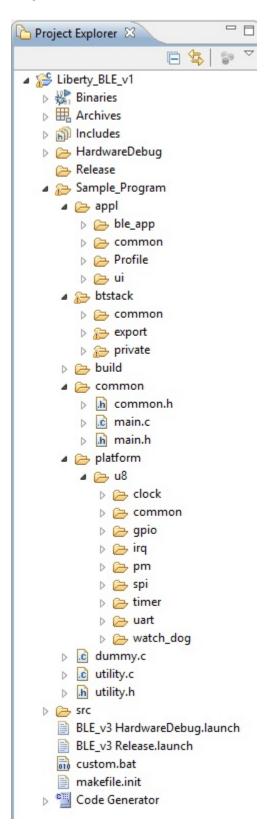
Liberty_BLE_v1 firmware is designed for demo application. It's also possible, starting from it, to develope user's application. In this case, debug and testing are charged to the end user.

By using PC or SmartPhone Liberty Software, you can perform:

- Reading or writing caracteristic handle
- Discover and pair device
- Read sensor's data stored in GATT database
- Read sensor's data immediatly (real time value)
- ON/OFF blue led

Liberty firmware also "dump" continuosly the communication between Renesas CPu an ML7105 module. Please refer to *Hardware setup* in "Quick Start Guide"

Project structure



The application's file structure includes the following folders:

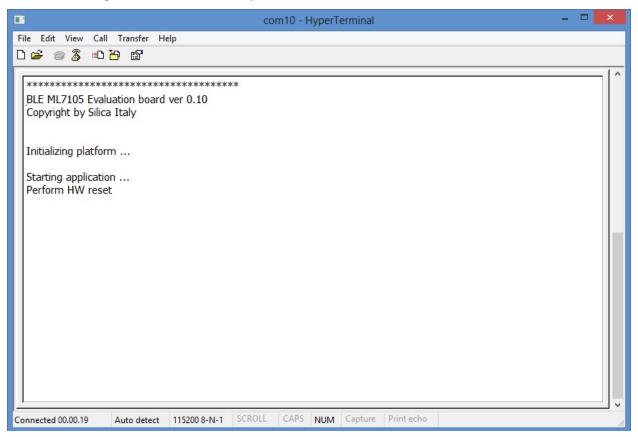
- Sample_Program contains source files imported from VSSPP_ML610QXXX_Ver0_094_beta
 - appl specific BLE application file
 - btstack specific BLE stack management application file
 - common BLE application main file and common definition
 - platform specific Platform application file: U8 suffix original file are adapted fo Renesas CCPU
- src Renesas RL78 Hardware setup and driver (generated by Code Generator integrated in E2studio)

Brief of firmware performance

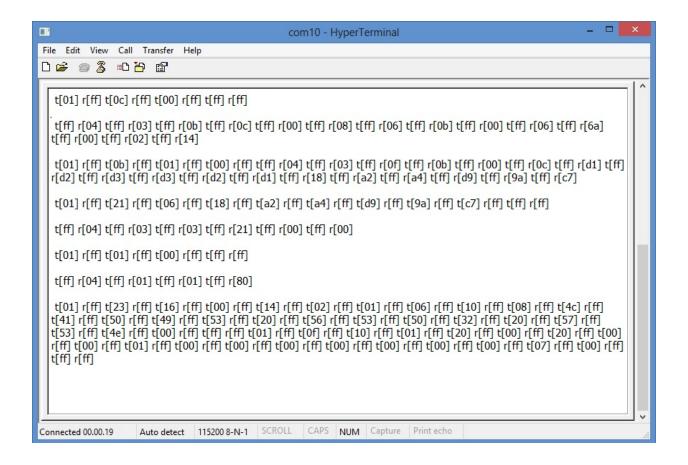
The firmware will include a minimal example to initialize the ML7105 and functions to store periodically (every 30 seconds) the sensors data and to perform pairing with PC or SmartPhone. When paired, using a PC or SmartPhone Liberty Software application, it's also possible to read/write both Characteristic Value Handle and Caracteristic UUID, set/clear periodically notify (only for Accelerometer data), read Temperature value and Accelerometer data (periodically stored by 30 seconds internal timer) or make a flash read of data from sensors (Temperature and Accelerometer). It's also possible (writing into reserved Caracteristic Value Handle) turn on and turn off the blue LED on the board.

Using "dump" you can see and store all BACI packet between RL78 cpu and ML7105 BLE module, and you can analyze much more detail about Liberty Board state.

When board startup, in the terminal windows you can see



The RED led will on, and in a few seconds start the initial settings communication. Here above the last BACI packets that end initial settings



t[hex value] means data from CPU to MODULE r[hex value] means data from MODULE to CPU

The green led flash (50msec every 2 seconds) to indicate that Liberty is in standby state, waiting for connection or pairing. When in this state, every 180 seconds the firmware will reset thne ML7105 module and clear pairing information stored in the eeprom

If connection is established, the green led lamps regullary (0,5 seconds ON, 0,5 seconds OFF) to indicate that Liberty is in active state, but not yet paired. When in active state, after 180 seconds the firmware reset the module as when in standby state

The funcion called to perform this is:

BLEutil_StartTimer(BLE_APP_TIM_PAIR_INFO_CLEAR, BLE_TIM_180S, BLE_App_Pairing_Info_Clear_Timer_Handler)

(see inside file ble_app.c at function BLE_App_Fsm)

When green led ligth on, Liberty is active and paired. The 180 seconds timer is disabled.

Note: Yellow led will flash when Liberty are in "unpaired state" (not yet cleared pairing informations stored in the module). In this state, connection or pairing requests are refused. You must wait for expire of pairing

timeout (about 30 seconds). The green led will return as in standby state and new connections are enabled.

Low-power evaluation

Liberty Firmware has a low-power mode capability (only for demo purpose) When compiling, the Macro define **LOWP_EN** is used to enable/disable auto low-power mode. If enabled, when a 60 seconds timer expires, CPU will enter in stop mode. The CPU will awake from ML7105 IRQ request.

Important: Low Power evaluation with I[average]<80uA is available ONLY WHEN ML7105 IS PAIRED. The Low Power evaluation mode, if entered when ML7105 is unpaired, take a current I[average] of about 2mA. This is because ML7105 (if not yet paired) enable power to radio reception every 5msec.

The maximum time before battery cutoff is about 2000 hours (whith device paired, receive and transmit never used)

Note: default setting for macro **LOWP_EN** is **TRUE** (Low-power enabled)

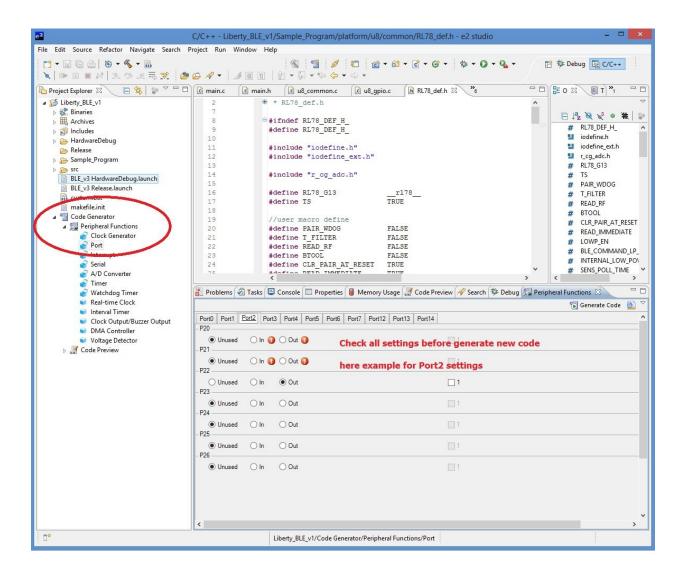
The 60 seconds low-power timer will recharge every time that ML7105 assert IRQ signal

Firmware & documents download

Firmware project file Liberty.zip and Liberty_doc.zip can be found at Silica ArchiTech page. Registration is needed to access at download section. Click here to go to ArchiTech main page.

Project tips

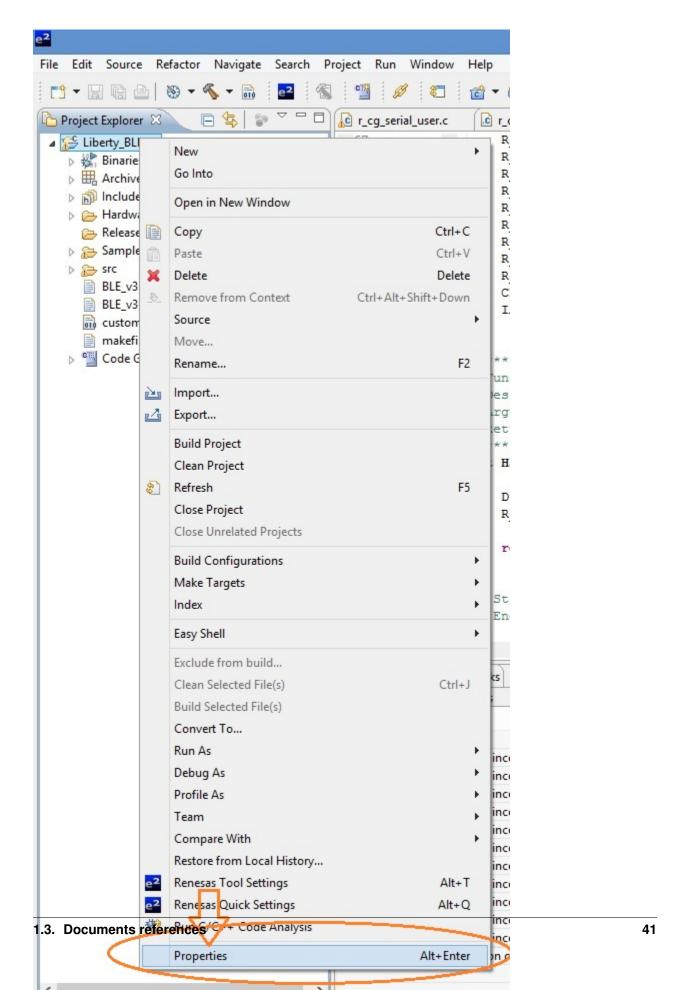
Important: Liberty_BLE_v1 firmware use "Code Generator" as integrated in E2studio suite to make source file for vector table, hardware driver and reset. For more detail about, read Code Generator user's manual in Renesas official site



Important: Take care at changes on hardware driver using Code Generator -> Peripheral Functions. (red circled on image above) It's important to check if all peripheral settings are correct for the actual project, before generate new code.

Project properties

To access at project properties, righ click on Liberty_BLE_v1 on the Project Explorer window of E2studio suite



Properties for Liberty_BLE_v1 type filter text C/C++ Build Resource Builders Configuration: HardwareDebug [Active] △ C/C++ Build ∨ Manage Configurations... **Build Variables** Change Toolchain Vers Builder Settings 📵 Behaviour 🔗 Refresh Policy Environment Logging Settings **Tool Chain Editor** Builder type: External builder C/C++ General ✓ Use default build command Project References Build command: make -j8 Variables... Run/Debug Settings Makefile generation ✓ Generate Makefiles automatically ✓ Expand Env. Variable Refs in Makefiles **Build location** Build directory: \${workspace_loc:/Liberty_BLE_v1}/HardwareDebug Workspace... File system... Variables...

In the popup menu that appear, select and click on Property (orange circled in figure above)

Expand C/C++ Build and click on Settings

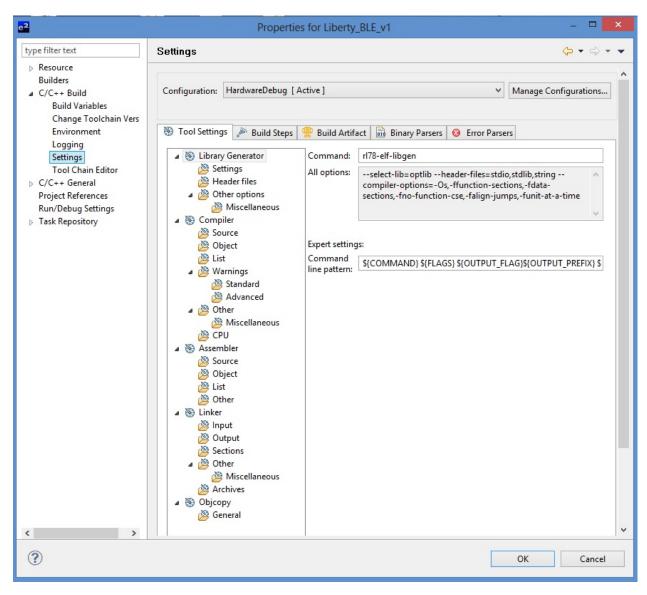
Restore Defaults

OK

Apply

Cancel

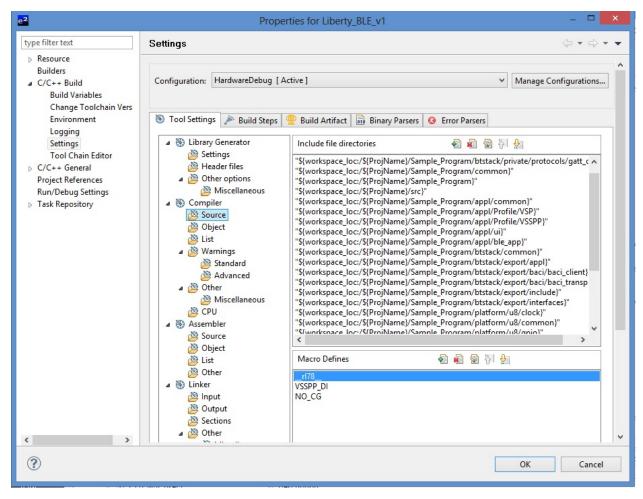
?



Project settings window will appear. Now you are ready to check and change main project configurations

Macro defines

There are some macros defined in the project. The main macro defines are in the Compiler->Source settings



Details of macro

- __rl78__ macro defines: used to adapt hardware driver for Renesas Cpu. The source file inside Platform folder (all named U8_xxx) use this macro for hardware adapting. This macro is also used in some application files for the same scope.
- VSSPP_DI macro define: this macro disable all VSSPP functionallity (not performed in this firmware revisione)
- NO_CG macro define: Used only in source files automatically generated by "Code Generator".

Note:

If you change setting of "Code Generator" the macro **NO_CG** can be erased. Please, before change, note your use inside files:

- r_cg_adc.c
- r_cg_serial_user.c
- r cg serial.c

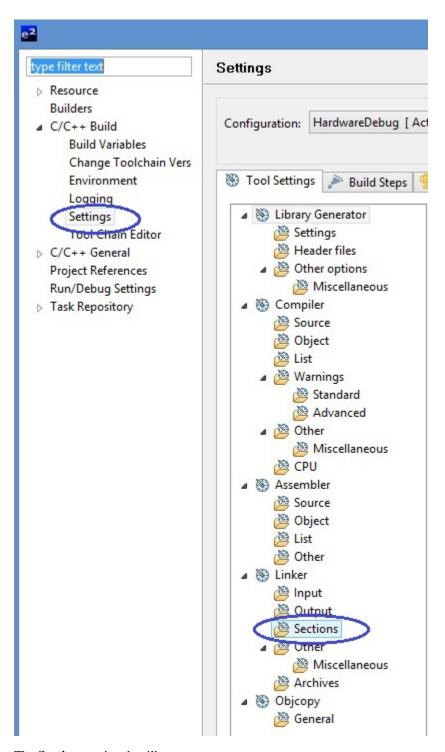
Other macros

Inside file RL78_def.h there are these user macro defines:

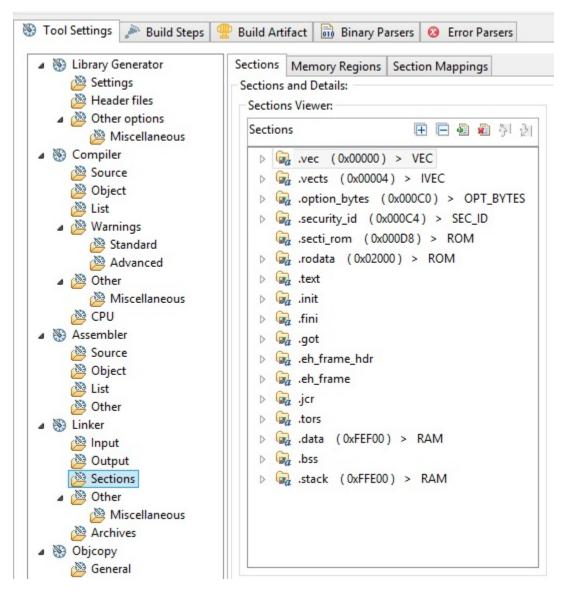
- #define PAIR_WDOG FALSE Used in BLE_App_Fsm function. If true, after 180 seconds timer expire, the system will wait for WatchDog reset. If false, the system performs a sofware initialization.
- #define T_FILTER FALSE enable/disable Temperature sensor average readings
- #define READ_RF FALSE enable/disable during initial configuration of ML7105 module of the external low power crystal oscillator.
- #define BTOOL FALSE only for testing purpose. Do not change
- #define CLR_PAIR_AT_RESET TRUE enable/disable automatically clear of paring information stored in the eeprom every time that system is power_up or reseted by WatchDog.
- #define READ_IMMEDIATE TRUE If true, when external application ask for reading a properly UUID
 characteristic, the system perform a "flash reading of sensors value and send it as answer. If false, the
 system ask with last stored read.
- #define LOWP_EN TRUE enable/disable a demo feature of low power mode. This mode is available only when Liberty is in paired state

Sections settings

Go to the project property window (as decribed in *Project properties*) Then select Setting -> Sections as blue circled in figure below



The Sections main tab will open

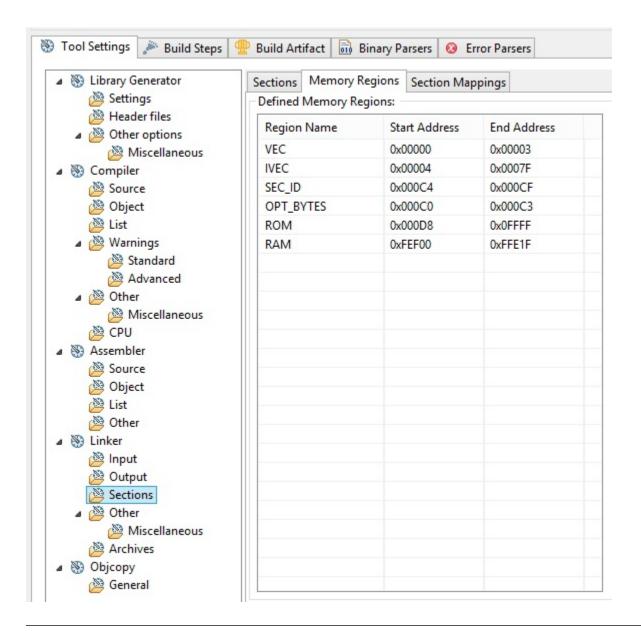


You can check if settings are the same as in figure above

Important: If you make changes in Code Generator and generate new code, the section mapping in this graphical interface is lost. However, the linker file is not changed and maintains correct settings. If needed, you can see the linker file contents *Linker file contents*

Memory region settings

As section settings, go to project property window, then select Settings -> Sections and click on Memory Region tab



Note: The same effect will be done as in Importan notice described in paragraph Section settings

Optimization

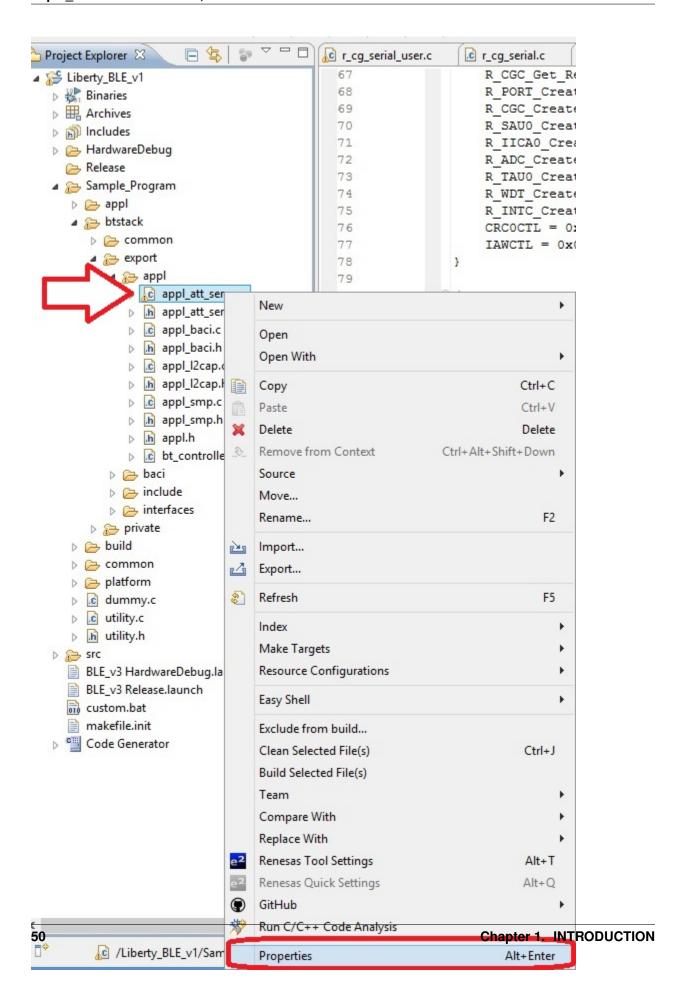
Some files in the project are optimized by code and size, and no debug information will be issued. Debbuggin inside these files is not allowed. If you want it, you must change compiler setting. The files optimizer are listed in box below

```
Optimization level: Speed and code size
Debug level: none

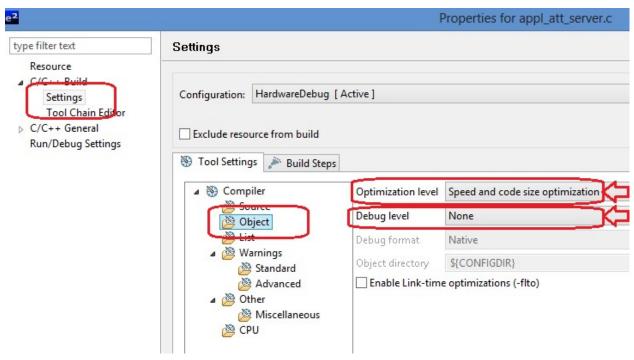
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\Sample_Program\btstack\export\appl\appl_smp.c
\Sample_Program\btstack\export\appl\appl_l2cap.c
\Sample_Program\btstack\export\appl\appl_l2cap.c
\Sample_Program\btstack\export\baci\baci_transport\baci_transport.c
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\Sample_Program\btstack\export\baci\baci_client\baci_client.c

To change optimization level, you must go to the file property

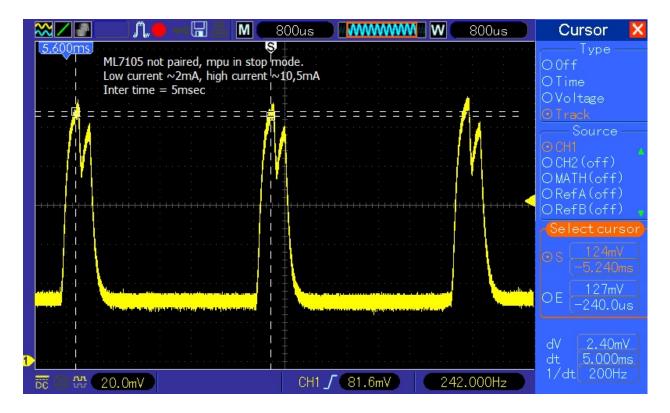


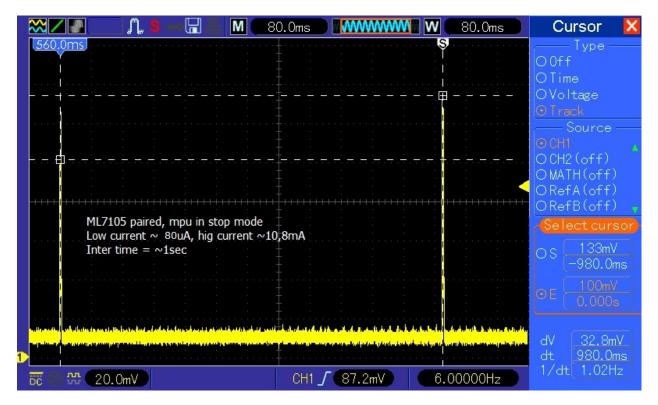
Right click on selected file, then click on Properties.



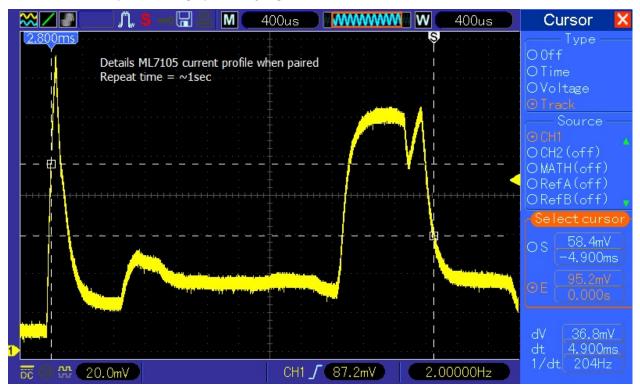
You can see optimization levels and change it (only for the selected file)

Low-Power current profile





here below a detail of the current profile during rx peak



Linker file contents

This is the contents of linker file named Liberty_BLE_v1_HardwareDebug_auto.gsi

```
MEMORY
{
      VEC : ORIGIN = 0 \times 0, LENGTH = 4
       IVEC : ORIGIN = 0 \times 4, LENGTH = 124
       SEC_ID : ORIGIN = 0xC4, LENGTH = 12
       OPT_BYTES: ORIGIN = 0 \times C0, LENGTH = 4
       ROM : ORIGIN = 0 \times D8, LENGTH = 65320
       RAM : ORIGIN = 0xFEF00, LENGTH = 3872
}
SECTIONS
       .vec 0 \times 0 : AT (0 \times 0)
          KEEP(*(.vec))
       } > VEC
       .vects 0x4 : AT (0x4)
            KEEP(*(.vects))
       } > IVEC
       .option_bytes 0xC0 : AT (0xC0)
             *(.option_bytes)
       } > OPT_BYTES
       .security_id 0xC4 : AT (0xC4)
              *(.security_id)
       } > SEC_ID
       .secti_rom 0xD8 : AT (0xD8)
       } > ROM
       .rodata 0x2000 : AT (0x2000)
               . = ALIGN(2);
               *(.rodata)
               *(.rodata.*)
               _erodata = .;
       } > ROM
       .text :
       {
               *(.text)
               *(.text.*)
              etext = .;
               . = ALIGN(2);
       } > ROM
       .init :
             *(.init)
       } > ROM
       .fini :
              *(.fini)
       } > ROM
       .got :
       {
               *(.got)
               *(.got.plt)
       } > ROM
```

```
.eh_frame_hdr :
       *(.eh_frame_hdr)
} > ROM
.eh_frame :
      *(.eh_frame)
} > ROM
.jcr :
      *(.jcr)
} > ROM
.tors :
{
        \__CTOR\_LIST\__ = .;
        \cdot = ALIGN(2);
        ___ctors = .;
        *(.ctors)
        ___ctors_end = .;
        \_\_CTOR\_END\_\_ = .;
        __DTOR_LIST__ = .;
         ___dtors = .;
        *(.dtors)
        _{--}dtors_end = .;
        \__DTOR\_END\__ = .;
        \cdot = ALIGN(2);
        _mdata = .;
} > ROM
.data 0xFEF00 : AT (_mdata)
        . = ALIGN(2);
        _data = .;
        *(.data)
        *(.data.*)
        . = ALIGN(2);
        _edata = .;
} > RAM
.bss :
        . = ALIGN(2);
        _bss = .;
        *(.bss)
        *(.bss.**)
        \cdot = ALIGN(2);
        * (COMMON)
        \cdot = ALIGN(2);
        _ebss = .;
        _end = .;
} > RAM
.stack 0xFFE00 (NOLOAD) : AT (0xFFE00)
       _stack = .;
} > RAM
```

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