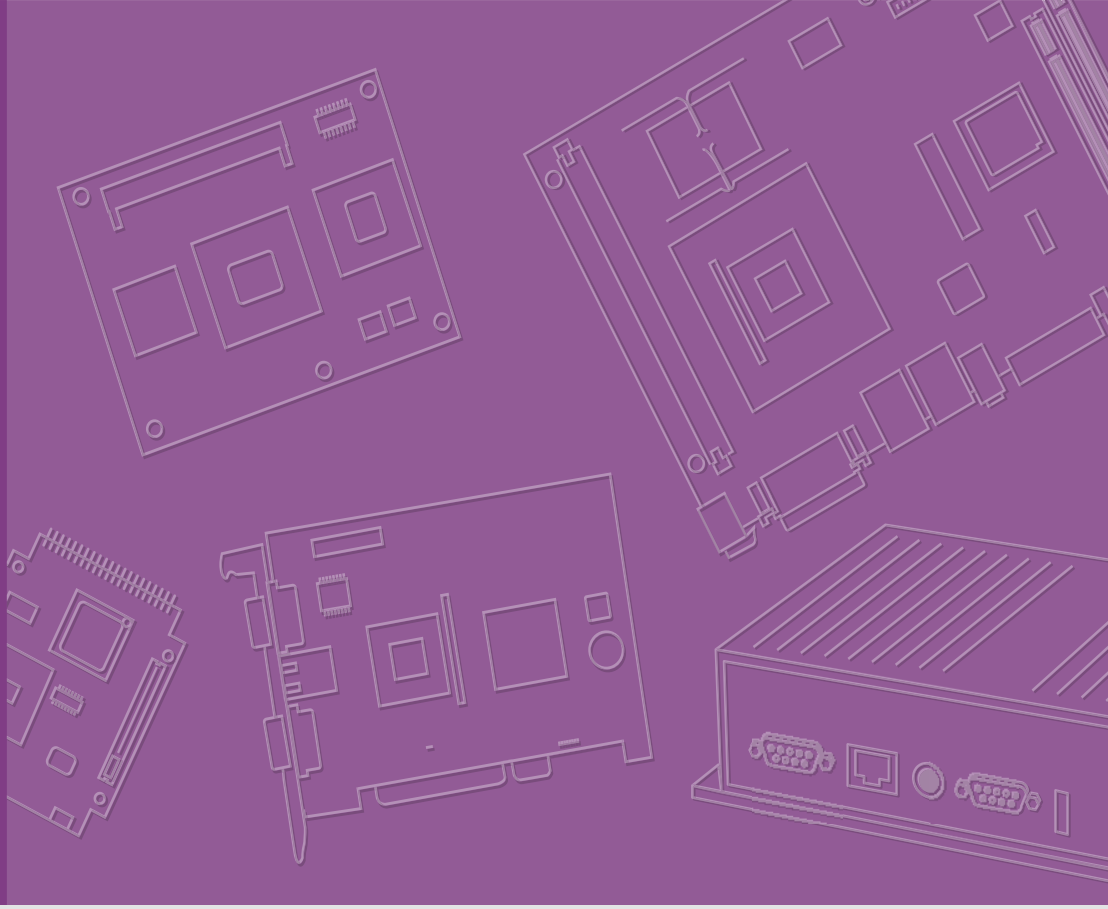

User Manual

ROM-3420

RISC-based RTX Module with Freescale i.MX6 ARM® Cortex™ A9 Processor

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- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Packing List

Before setting up the system, check that the items listed below are included and in good condition. If any item does not accord with the table, please contact your dealer immediately.

- 1 ROM-3420
- 4 Screws for ROM-3420
- 1 China RoHs Notice

Optional Accessories

Part No.	Description
1960065189N001	Heatsink for ROM-3420
1935020402	Screw for ROM-3420+Heatsink
9696ED2000E	Debug adapter board
1700022373-01	Debug port cable for ROM-3420

Development Board

Part No.	Description
ROM-3420CD-MDA1E	Freescale i.mx6 Dual 1GHz w/1GB DDR3 RTX module(0~60°C)
ROM-3420WD-MDA1E	Freescale i.mx6 Dual 1GHz w/1GB DDR3 RTX module(-40~85°C)
ROM-3420CQ-MDA1E	Freescale i.mx6 Quad 1GHz w/2GB DDR3 RTX module(0~60°C)
ROM-3420WQ-MDA1E	Freescale i.mx6 Quad 1GHz w/2GB DDR3 RTX module(-40~85°C)

For more information please refer to "Advantech Baseboard Check List" and "Evaluation Board Reference Schematic".

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- **Commercial grade**

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Safety Instructions

1. Read these safety instructions carefully.
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3. Disconnect this equipment from any AC outlet before cleaning. Use a damp cloth. Do not use liquid or spray detergents for cleaning.
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5. Keep this equipment away from humidity.
6. Put this equipment on a reliable surface during installation. Dropping it or letting it fall may cause damage.
7. The openings on the enclosure are for air convection. Protect the equipment from overheating. DO NOT COVER THE OPENINGS.
8. Make sure the voltage of the power source is correct before connecting the equipment to the power outlet.
9. Position the power cord so that people cannot step on it. Do not place anything over the power cord.
10. All cautions and warnings on the equipment should be noted.
11. If the equipment is not used for a long time, disconnect it from the power source to avoid damage by transient overvoltage.
12. Never pour any liquid into an opening. This may cause fire or electrical shock.
13. Never open the equipment. For safety reasons, the equipment should be opened only by qualified service personnel.
14. If one of the following situations arises, get the equipment checked by service personnel:
    - The power cord or plug is damaged.
    - Liquid has penetrated into the equipment.
    - The equipment has been exposed to moisture.
    - The equipment does not work well, or you cannot get it to work according to the user's manual.
    - The equipment has been dropped and damaged.
    - The equipment has obvious signs of breakage.

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Safety Precaution - Static Electricity

Follow these simple precautions to protect yourself from harm and the products from damage.

- To avoid electrical shock, always disconnect the power from your PC chassis before you work on it. Don't touch any components on the CPU card or other cards while the PC is on.
- Disconnect power before making any configuration changes. The sudden rush of power as you connect a jumper or install a card may damage sensitive electronic components.

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Chapter 1

Product Overview

This chapter briefly introduces ROM-3420 platform.

Sections include:

- Introduction
- Specification

1.1 Introduction

ROM-3420 uses the Freescale i.MX6 Dual Core Processor - ARM® Cortex™ A9 architecture as its SoC solution. Main features include: RTX 2.0 Standard, heatsink-less, compact size, total reliability and excellent power management. ROM-3420 platform is suitable for the following applications:

- HMI (Human Machine Interface)
- Ruggedized applications
- Fleet management / Navigation
- Industrial data collection

The main features of Freescale i.MX6 processors are:

- ARM Cortex™-A9 high performance processor, dual core 1 GHz
- Supports OpenGL ES 2.0 and OpenVG™ 1.1 hardware accelerators, full HD 1080p video codec
- Freescale Smart Speed™ technology supports low power consumption
- Capabilities of I/O expansion: UART(3), Single LVDS, Audio, USB Host, USB OTG, Gigabit Ethernet, SD, SATA, GPIO(10), I2C(4), SPI(2), System bus (Data 16-bits, Address 26-bits), CAN bus(2), PCIe signal inside and parallel RGB/ HDMI, MIPI camera support
- Supports SATA storage interface and CAN bus for vehicle applications
- Supports Linux 3.0.35
- Supports working temperature ranges of 0 ~ 60 °C
- Specialized heatsink design for ROM-3420

1.2 Product Features

Compatible Module		RTX 2.0
Processor System	CPU	Freescale i.MX6 Dual Core 1.0 GHz
Memory	Technology	DDR3 1066 MHz
	Capacity	On-board DDR3 1 GB
	Flash	4 GB eMMC for O.S. and 4 MB NOR Flash for Advantech boot loader
Graphic	Graphics Engine	2 GPUs. OpenGL ES 2.0 for 3D, BitBlt for 2D and OpenVG 1.1
	H/W Video Codec	Decoder: MPEG-4 ASP, H.264 HP, H.263, MPEG-2 MP, MJPEG BP Encoder: MPEG-4 SP, H.264 BP, H.263, MJPEG BP
	HDMI	1 HDMI
	LVDS	1 single 24-bit LVDS
	TTL LCD	24-bit TTL LCD
Ethernet	Chipset	Freescale i.MX6 Dual integrated RGMII
	Speed	1 10/100/1000 Mbps, Max. 400Mbps
Watch Dog Timer		256 Level timer interval, from 0 ~ 128 sec, multi-option S/W watchdog timer
I/O	PCIe	1 PCIe
	SATA	1 SATA II
	USB	1 USB 2.0, 1 USB2.0 OTG
	Audio	HD Audio with I2S
	Serial Port	3 UART (3 x 4 wires w/ 3.3 V)
	SPI	1 SPI
	CAN	2 CAN bus 2.0B
	GPIO	10 GPIO
	I2C	4 I2C
	System bus	Address: 26-bits, Data: 16-bits, 2 chip select pins
O.S		Linux 3.0.35
Power	Supply Voltage	5 ~ 24 V
Environment	Operation	0 ~ 60° C
	Operating Humidity	0% ~ 90% relative humidity, non-condensing
Physical Characteristics	Dimensions (WxD)	68 x 68 mm

1.3 Mechanical Specifications

- **Dimensions:** RTX form factor size, 68 mm (W) x 68 mm(D)
- **Height on Top:** Under 5.5 mm base on SPEC definition (without heatsink)
- **Height on Bottom:** Under 2.5 mm base on SPEC definition
- **Heatsink Dimensions:** 68 mm x 68 mm x 10.5 mm (L x W x H)

1.4 Electrical Specifications

- **Power supply Voltage:**
  - Voltage requirements: 5 ~ 24 V
- **Power Consumption:**

+5 V	Kernel idle	Maximum mode
ROM-3420CD-MDA1E on Linux	2.85 W	6.25 W

1.5 Environmental Specifications

- **Operating temperature:** 0 ~ 60° C (32~140° F)
  The operating temperature refers to the environmental temperature for the model.
- **Operating Humidity:** 0% ~ 90% relative humidity, non-condensing
- **Storage temperature:** -40~85° C
- **Storage Humidity:**
  - Relative humidity: 95% @ 60° C

Chapter 2

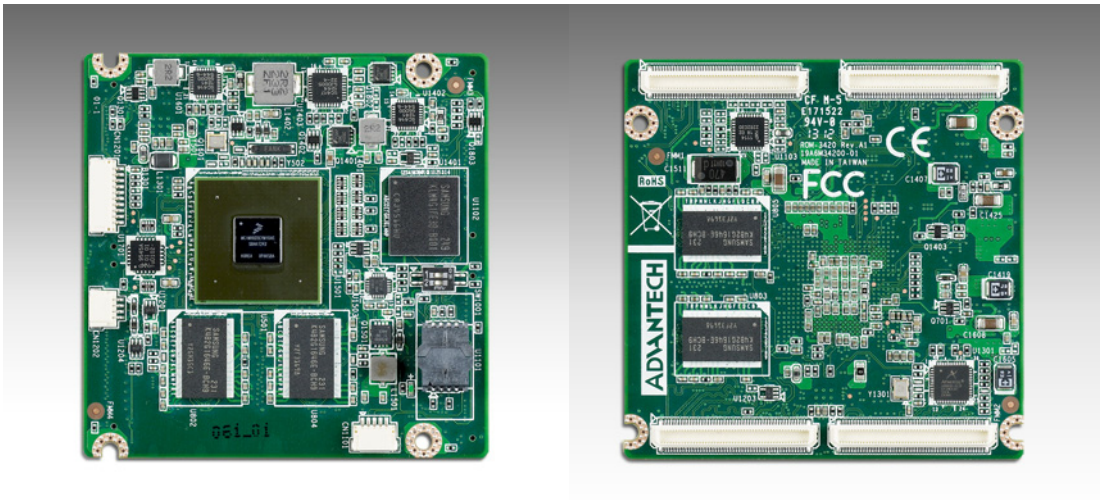
H/W Installation

This chapter gives mechanical and connector information on the ROM-3420 CPU Computer on Module.

Sections include:

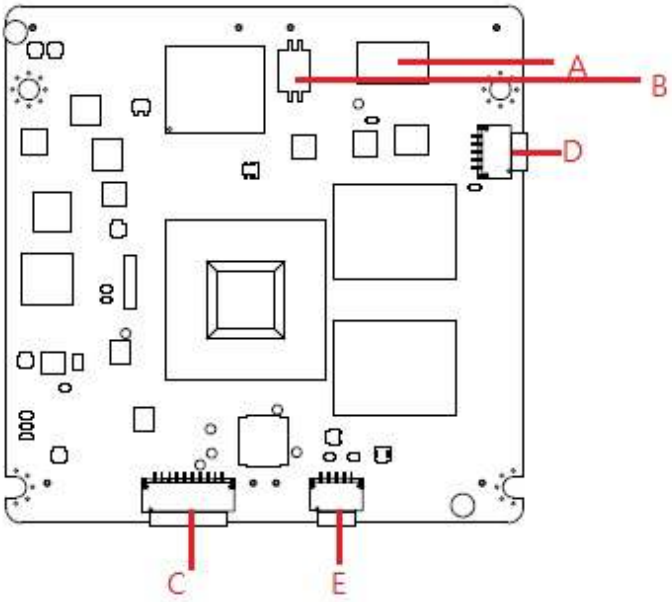
- Connector Information
- Mechanical Drawing

2.1 ROM-3420 Board Looks



2.2 Board Connectors

The board has four connectors that allow you to configure your system to your application.



2.2.1 Connector List

External IO Connector

Position	Description	
U1101	Flash ROM	A
SW1001	Boot selection	B
CN1201	JTAG connector	C
CN1101	MCU programming port	D
CN1202	Debug port	E

SW1001 (Boot selection)

Jumper	Mode	Jumper	Mode
1-ON 2-OFF	SPI-ROM (Default)	1-OFF 2-ON	SD (Reserved for recovery)

CN1101 (MCU programming port)

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	+3.3 V	2	MCU_TXD
3	MCU_RXD	4	MCU_PROGRAM#
5	GND		

CN1201 (JTAG connector)

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	+3.3 V	2	JTAG_TRST#
3	JTAG_TMS	4	JTAG_TDO
5	JTAG_TDI	6	JTAG_TCK
7	-	8	GND
9	-	10	GND

CN1202 (Debug connector)

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	+3.3 V	2	UART1_TX
3	UART1_RX	4	GND

2.3 ROM-3420 Board Block Diagram

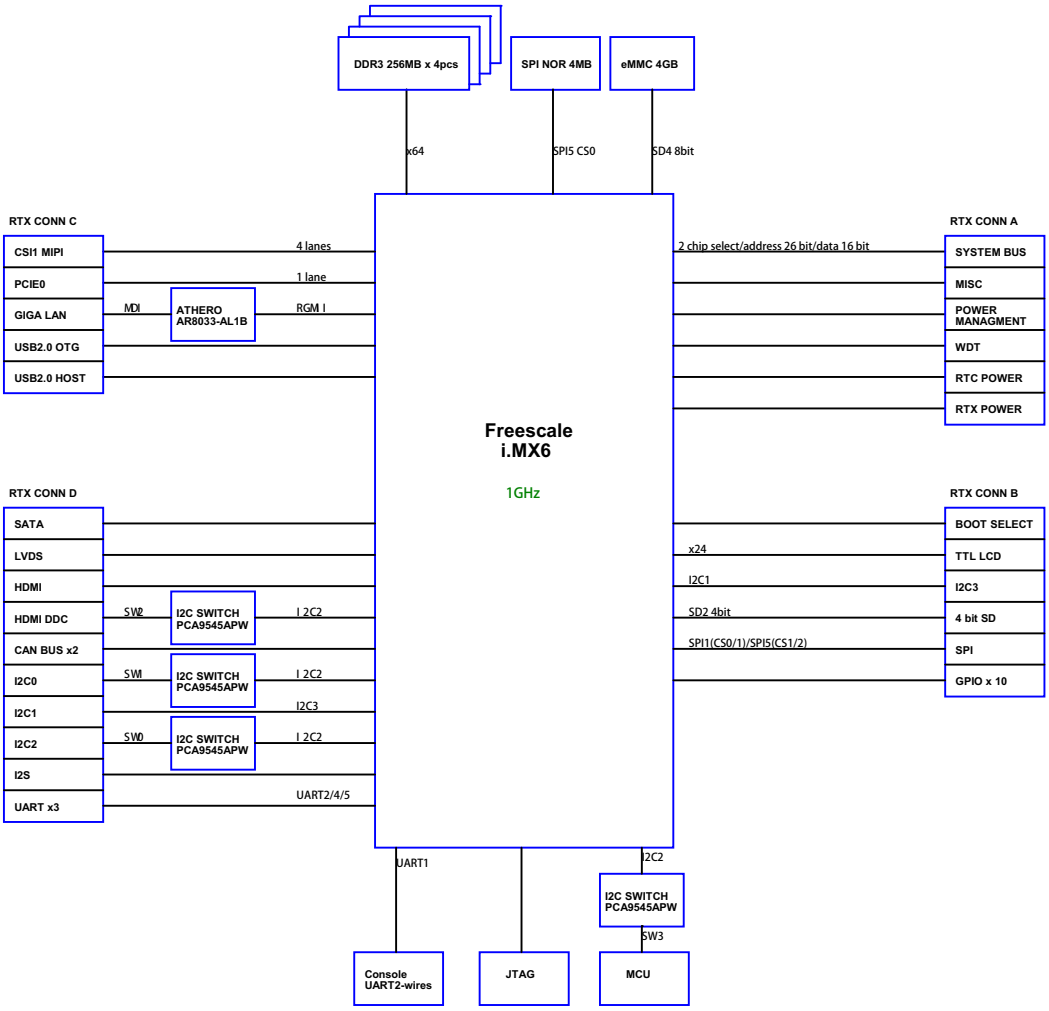


Figure 2.1 ROM-3420 Block Diagram

Chapter 3

Software Functionality

This chapter details the software programs on the ROM-3420 platform.

3.1 Test Tools

All test tools must be verified on the ROM-3420 Evaluation kit, please prepare required test fixtures before verifying each specified I/O. If you have any problems getting the test fixtures, please contact your Advantech contact window for help.

3.1.1 eMMC Test

Step1: Erase and check

```
#dd if=/dev/zero of=/dev/mmcblk0 bs=1024 count=1 seek=25118
1+0 records in
1+0 records out

#hexdump -C /dev/mmcblk0 -s 25720832 -n 16
01887800  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  |................|
```

Step2: Write and check

```
#echo -n "0123456789ABCDEF" | dd of=/dev/mmcbllk0 bs=1024 count=1 seek=25118
0+1 records in
0+1 records out
#hexdump -C /dev/mmcblk0 -s 25720832 -n 16
01887800  30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37  38 39 41 42 43 44 45 46  |0123456789ABCDEF|
```

3.1.2 SATA Test

Step1: Erase and check

```
#dd if=/dev/zero of=/dev/sda bs=1024 count=1 seek=25118
1+0 records in
1+0 records out

#hexdump -C /dev/sda -s 25720832 -n 16
01887800  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  |................|
```

Step2: Write and check

```
#echo -n "0123456789ABCDEF" | dd of=/dev/sda bs=1024 count=1 seek=25118
0+1 records in
0+1 records out

#hexdump -C /dev/sda -s 25720832 -n 16
01887800  30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37  38 39 41 42 43 44 45 46  |0123456789ABCDEF|
```

3.1.3 USB Test

Step 1: Insert USB flash disk then assure it is in ROM-3420 device list

Step 2: Erase and check

```
#dd if=/dev/zero of=/dev/sdb bs=1024 count=1 seek=25118
```

```
1+0 records in
1+0 records out

#hexdump -C /dev/sdb -s 25720832 -n 16
01887800  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  |................|
```

Step 3: Write and check

```
#echo -n "0123456789ABCDEF" | dd of=/dev/sdb bs=1024 count=1 seek=25118
0+1 records in
0+1 records out

#hexdump -C /dev/sdb -s 25720832 -n 16
01887800  30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37  38 39 41 42 43 44 45 46  |0123456789ABCDEF|
```

Note! *This operation may damage the data stored in USB flash disk. Please make sure there is no critical data in the USB flash disk being used for this test.*

3.1.4 SD Test

Step 1: When booting from eMMC, you would see only below directories:

```
#ls /dev/mmcblk*

/dev/mmcblk0  /dev/mmcblk0boot0  /dev/mmcblk0boot1  /dev/mmcblk0p1
```

Step 2: Insert SD card to SD card slot and check your device again. You should be able to see more devices. /dev/mmcblk1 is the SD card storage.

```
#ls /dev/mmcblk*

/dev/mmcblk0       /dev/mmcblk0boot1  /dev/mmcblk1    /dev/mmcblk1p2
/dev/mmcblk0boot0  /dev/mmcblk0p1     /dev/mmcblk1p1
```

Step 3: Erase and check

```
#dd if=/dev/zero of=/dev/mmcblk1 bs=1024 count=1 seek=25118
1+0 records in
1+0 records out

#hexdump -C /dev/mmcblk1 -s 25720832 -n 16
01887800  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  |................|
```

Step 4: Write and check

```
#echo -n "0123456789ABCDEF" | dd of=/dev/mmcblk1 bs=1024 count=1 seek=25118
0+1 records in
0+1 records out
```

```
#hexdump -C /dev/mmcblk1 -s 25720832 -n 16
01887800  30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37  38 39 41 42 43 44 45 46  |0123456789ABCDEF|
```

Note! *Please make sure parameter "seek" is equal to 25118 as indicated in red in above codes. If you create the file to a wrong sector, that may damage the system.*

3.1.5 GPIO Test

3.1.5.1 GPIO Default Setting

ROM-DB3900	Linux OS /sys/class/gpio
GPIO8	gpio1
GPIO9	gpio 2

```
#cd /sys/class/gpio
```

You can use "ls" to list all GPIO devices, and you should also see GPIO ports in above table.

3.1.5.2 Testing

A. Set gpio1 GPI (in)

```
#echo in > ./gpio1/direction
#cat ./gpio1/direction
in
```

B. Set gpio2 GPO (out)

```
#echo out > ./gpio2/direction
#cat ./gpio2/direction
out
```

C. Set gpio2 GPO value "0"

```
#echo 0 > ./gpio2/value
```

D. Get gpio1 value

```
#cat ./gpio1/value
0
```

As you can see in above procedure A and B, we set gpio 1 as GPI and gpio 2 as GPO so once we send data out from gpio 2, it should be able to receive the same data from gpio 1.

3.1.6 LVDS/HDMI/VGA Test

3.1.6.1 Testing through gplay (for default single display)

Step 1: **#gplay /tools/Advantech.avi**

Step 2: Then you can see the video demo on the default display screen.

3.1.6.2 Testing through gst-launch (for multi-display)

If you'd like to have multiple displays such as dual LVDS, VGA and HDMI output , you should set parameter in uboot first. Please refer to section 3.7.5.3 for more detail. Once the display method is set up, please follow the below instructions to run gst-launch to play video.

Step1: Turn ON the HDMI display, please type as below

```
#gst-launch playbin2 uri=file:///tools/Advantech.avi video-sink="mfw_v4lsink device=/dev/video16"&
```

Step2: Turn ON VGA display at the same time, please type..

```
#gst-launch playbin2 uri=file:///tools/Advantech.avi video-sink="mfw_v4lsink device=/dev/video18"&
```

You can see independent displays both show Advantech.avi at the same time.

If you'd like to set the output audio as HDMI out or speaker out, please add the parameter of plughw:

A. Plughw:0 → Output the audio through audio jack (AUDIO1)

```
#gst-launch playbin2 uri=file:///tools/Advantech.avi video-sink="mfw_v4lsink device=/dev/video17" audio-sink="alsasink device=plughw:0"
```

B. Plughw:1 → Output the audio through HDMI.

```
#gst-launch playbin2 uri=file:///tools/Advantech.avi video-sink="mfw_v4lsink device=/dev/video17" audio-sink="alsasink device=plughw:1"
```

If you'd like to change display monitor, please refer to below table:

video16	HDMI
video17	HDMI overlay
video18	VGA
video19	VGA overlay
video20	LVDS 0

3.1.7 I2C Test

```
#i2cdetect -l
i2c-0   i2c             imx-i2c                 I2C adapter
i2c-1   i2c             imx-i2c                 I2C adapter
i2c-2   i2c             imx-i2c                 I2C adapter
i2c-3   i2c             i2c-1-mux (chan_id 0)   I2C adapter
i2c-4   i2c             i2c-1-mux (chan_id 1)   I2C adapter
i2c-5   i2c             i2c-1-mux (chan_id 2)   I2C adapter
i2c-6   i2c             i2c-1-mux (chan_id 3)   I2C adapter
```

Try the command below to know if there is any devices connected to i2c bus 5.

```
i2cdetect -y 5
```

```
     0  1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9  a  b  c  d  e  f
00:          -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --
10: -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --
20: -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --
30: -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --
40: -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --
50: UU -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --
60: -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --
70: UU -- -- -- -- -- -- --
```

The 0x50 is the HDMI address. Try the command below to know if the I2C bus is working or not.

```
i2cdump -f -y 5 0x50
```

```
No size specified (using byte-data access)
     0  1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9  a  b  c  d  e  f    0123456789abcdef
00: 00 ff ff ff ff ff ff 00 04 69 fd 22 03 01 01 01    ........?i?"????
10: 16 17 01 03 80 30 1b 78 2a 2a c5 a4 56 4f 9e 28    ?????0?x**??VO?(
20: 0f 50 54 b7 ef 00 d1 c0 81 40 81 80 95 00 b3 00    ?PT??.???@???.?.
30: 71 4f 81 c0 81 00 02 3a 80 18 71 38 2d 40 58 2c    qO???.?:??q8-@X,
40: 45 00 dc 0c 11 00 00 1e 00 00 00 ff 00 44 35 4c    E.???..?.....D5L
50: 4d 51 53 30 39 36 30 34 38 0a 00 00 00 fd 00 32    MQS096048?...?.2
60: 4b 18 53 11 00 0a 20 20 20 20 20 20 00 00 00 fc    K?S?.?      ...?
```

```
70: 00 41 53 55 53 20 56 53 32 32 38 0a 20 20 01 f6    .ASUS VS228?  ??
80: 02 03 22 71 4f 01 02 03 11 12 13 04 14 05 0e 0f    ??"qO??????????
90: 1d 1e 1f 10 23 09 17 07 83 01 00 00 65 03 0c 00    ????#?????..e??.
a0: 10 00 8c 0a d0 8a 20 e0 2d 10 10 3e 96 00 dc 0c    ?.???? ?-??>?.??
b0: 11 00 00 18 01 1d 00 72 51 d0 1e 20 6e 28 55 00    ?..???.rQ?? n(U.
c0: dc 0c 11 00 00 1e 01 1d 00 bc 52 d0 1e 20 b8 28    ???..???.?R?? ?(
d0: 55 40 dc 0c 11 00 00 1e 8c 0a d0 90 20 40 31 20    U@???..????? @1
e0: 0c 40 55 00 dc 0c 11 00 00 18 00 00 00 00 00 00    ?@U.???..?......
f0: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 b5    ...............?
```

If there is nothing connected to the HDMI port, the result should be as below:

```
#i2cdump -f -y 5 0x50
```

No size specified (using byte-data access)

```
     0  1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9  a  b  c  d  e  f    0123456789abcdef
00: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
10: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
20: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
30: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
40: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
50: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
60: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
70: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
80: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
90: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
a0: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
b0: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
c0: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
d0: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
e0: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
f0: XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX XX    XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
```

3.1.8 Mini PCIe (WiFi) Test

The command used to test WiFi module is as follows, the supported module P/N is EWM-W142H01E.

```
#ifconfig wlan0 up
#wpa_passphrase "$ESSID" "$PASS" > /tmp/wpa.conf
(note: put $ESSID and $PASS with exact essid and pass phrase)
#wpa_supplicant -BDwext -iwlan0 -c/tmp/wpa.conf
#dhclient wlan0
```

3.1.9 CAN Test

Step 1: Check CAN network device

```
#dmesg | grep can
```

```
vcan: Virtual CAN interface driver
flexcan netdevice driver
flexcan imx6q-flexcan.0: device registered (reg_base=c09b8000, irq=142)
flexcan imx6q-flexcan.1: device registered (reg_base=c09e8000, irq=143)
can: controller area network core (rev 20090105 abi 8)
can: raw protocol (rev 20090105)
can: broadcast manager protocol (rev 20090105 t)
```

Step 2: Activate CAN device

```
#ip link set can0 up type can bitrate 125000
flexcan imx6q-flexcan.0: writing ctrl=0x0e312005

#ip link set can1 up type can bitrate 125000
flexcan imx6q-flexcan.1: writing ctrl=0x0e312005
```

Note! *Bitrate is supported from 1 to 1M.*

Step 3: Send and Receive CAN frames

Receive CAN frames:

```
#cantest can0 &
```

Send CAN frames

```
#cantest can1 12345678#123412341234
read 16 bytes
12345678  [6] 12 34 12 34 12 34
```

3.1.10 Audio Out and MIC In Test

MIC IN command is as follows:

```
#arecord -t wav -c 1 -r 44100 -d 5 2.wav
```

Audio out command is as follows:

```
#aplay 2.wav
```

3.1.11 OpenGL Test

Please follow below instructions to test OpenGL on ROM-3420 platform:

Step 1: Change path to /opt/viv_samples/vdk

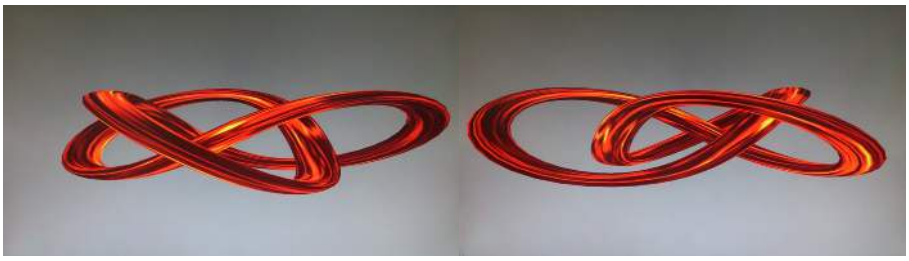
```
#cd /opt/viv_samples/vdk
#ls tutorial*
tutorial1       tutorial2_es20  tutorial4       tutorial5_es20
tutorial1_es20  tutorial3       tutorial4_es20  tutorial6
tutorial2       tutorial3_es20  tutorial5       tutorial7
```

Step 2: Run tutorial7 for OpenGL ES 1.1

Using Vertex Buffer Objects (VBO) can substantially increase performance by reducing the bandwidth required to transmit geometry data. Information such vertex, nor-

mal vector, color, and so on is sent once to locate device video memory and then bound and used as needed, rather than being read from system memory every time. This example illustrates how to create and use vertex buffer objects.

#./tutorial7



Step 3: Run tutorial3_es20 for OpenGL ES 2.0

A ball made of a mirroring material and centered at the origin spins about its Y-axis and reflects the scene surrounding it.

#./tutorial3_es20

3.1.12 LAN Test

You can set dynamic ip by following instructions:

1. Open /etc/rc.d/rc.conf.
2. Modify IPADDR0=”dhcp”.
3. #reboot.

Then you will see:

#ifconfig

```
eth0    Link encap:Ethernet  HWaddr 00:04:9F:01:30:E0
         inet addr:172.17.21.96  Bcast:172.17.21.255  Mask:255.255.254.0
          UP BROADCAST RUNNING MULTICAST  MTU:1500  Metric:1
          RX packets:129 errors:0 dropped:18 overruns:0 frame:0
          TX packets:2 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0
          collisions:0 txqueuelen:1000
          RX bytes:15016 (14.6 KiB)  TX bytes:656 (656.0 B)
lo        Link encap:Local Loopback
          inet addr:127.0.0.1  Mask:255.0.0.0
          UP LOOPBACK RUNNING  MTU:16436  Metric:1
          RX packets:0 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 frame:0
          TX packets:0 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0
          collisions:0 txqueuelen:0
          RX bytes:0 (0.0 B)  TX bytes:0 (0.0 B)
```

You can set static ip by following instructions:

1. Open /etc/rc.d/rc.conf.
2. Modify IPADDR0=”xxx.xx.xx.xxx”.
3. Modify NETMASK0=”xxx.xx.xx.xxx”.
4. #reboot
5. Open /etc/rc.d/rc.local
6. Add # to mark ifconfig eth0 192.168.0.1 netmask 255.255.255.0 up

Here is a real case for your reference.The hosts(UBC-200) IP is 172.17.21.97; the target(A desktop computer) IP is 172.17.20.192:

```
#ifconfig eth0 172.17.21.97 up
#ifconfig eth0

eth0      Link encap:Ethernet  HWaddr 00:04:9F:01:30:E0
          inet addr:172.17.21.97  Bcast:172.17.255.255  Mask:255.255.0.0
          UP BROADCAST RUNNING MULTICAST  MTU:1500  Metric:1
          RX packets:2851 errors:0 dropped:271 overruns:0 frame:0
          TX packets:30 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0
          collisions:0 txqueuelen:1000
          RX bytes:291407 (284.5 KiB)  TX bytes:2000 (1.9 KiB)
```

The target computer(Client) IP address is 172.17.20.192, so we can use below command to see if we can get any response from the client

```
#ping 172.17.20.192

PING 172.17.20.192 (172.17.20.192): 56 data bytes
64 bytes from 172.17.20.192: seq=0 ttl=128 time=7.417 ms
64 bytes from 172.17.20.192: seq=1 ttl=128 time=0.203 ms
64 bytes from 172.17.20.192: seq=2 ttl=128 time=0.300 ms

--- 172.17.20.192 ping statistics ---
3 packets transmitted, 3 packets received, 0% packet loss
round-trip min/avg/max = 0.203/2.640/7.417 ms
```

3.1.13 RS232 Test

```
#setserial -g /dev/ttymxc*

/dev/ttymxc0, UART: undefined, Port: 0x0000, IRQ: 58
/dev/ttymxc1, UART: undefined, Port: 0x0000, IRQ: 59
/dev/ttymxc2, UART: undefined, Port: 0x0000, IRQ: 60
/dev/ttymxc3, UART: undefined, Port: 0x0000, IRQ: 61
/dev/ttymxc4, UART: undefined, Port: 0x0000, IRQ: 62
```

3.1.13.1 ttymxc1 Testing

```
#stty -F /dev/ttymxc1 -echo
#cat /dev/ttymxc1 &
#echo Hello > /dev/ttymxc1
```

```
Hello
```

3.1.13.2 ttymxc3 Testing

```
#stty -F /dev/ttymxc3 -echo
#cat /dev/ttymxc3 &
#echo Hello > /dev/ttymxc3
  Hello
```

3.1.13.3 /ttymxc4 Testing

```
#stty -F /dev/ttymxc4 -echo
#cat /dev/ttymxc4 &
#echo Hello > /dev/ttymxc4
  Hello
```

3.1.14 Watchdog Timer Test

Step 1: Executing‘ wdt_driver_test.out ‘

```
#/unit_tests/wdt_driver_test.out
Usage: wdt_driver_test <timeout> <sleep> <test>
timeout: value in seconds to cause wdt timeout/reset
sleep: value in seconds to service the wdt
test: 0 - Service wdt with ioctl(), 1 - with write()
```

Step 2: Please try below command to set timeout as 10 seconds, system will reboot after then.

```
#/unit_tests/wdt_driver_test.out 10 5 0
Starting wdt_driver (timeout: 10, sleep: 5, test: ioctl)
Trying to set timeout value=10 seconds
The actual timeout was set to 10 seconds
Now reading back -- The timeout is 10 seconds
```

Press [CTRL+C] then you should be able to see below result:

```
  imx2-wdt imx2-wdt.0: Unexpected close: Expect reboot!
```

Then system will reboot in 10 seconds

3.1.15 Audio Test

Execute the following commands to run the Audio demo application on ROM-3420.

```
#cd /unit_tests
#aplay audio8k16S.wav
```

Then you can hear the music from speaker/head-sets.

3.1.16 Photo Demo Test

Execute the following commands to run the Photo demo application on ROM-3420.

```
#cd /tools
#./fbv Advantech.jpg
```

Then you can see the photo demo on the default display screen.

3.1.17 Camera Input Test

Execute the following commands to run the camera demo application on ROM-3420.

3.1.17.1 Preview

```
#gst-launch mfw_v4lsrc ! mfw_v4lsink
```

3.1.17.2 Capture

```
#gst-launch mfw_v4lsrc num-buffers=1 ! jpegenc ! filesink location=/tools/snapshot.jpg
```

3.1.17.3 View picture

```
#VSALPHA=1 gst-launch filesrc location=/tools/snapshot.jpg ! jpegdec ! imagefreeze ! mfw_isink
```

3.1.17.4 Record video

```
#gst-launch mfw_v4lsrc ! queue ! vpuenc codec=6 ! matroskamux ! filesink location=/tools/output.avi sync=false
```

3.1.17.5 Play video

```
#gst-launch playbin2 uri=file:////tools/output.avi video-sink="mfw_v4lsink device=/dev/video16" audio-sink="alsasink device=plughw:0"
```

3.1.18 System Bus Test

There are 2 UART decives that have been implemented in linux kernel.

3.1.18.1 ttyS0 (CN10) testing

```
#stty -F /dev/ttyS0 -echo
#cat /dev/ttyS0 &
#echo Hello > /dev/ttyS0
  Hello
```

3.1.18.2 ttyS1 (CN9) testing

```
#stty -F /dev/ttyS1 -echo
#cat /dev/ttyS1 &
#echo Hello > /dev/ttyS1
```

```
Hello
```

3.1.19 Keypad Test

3.1.19.1 perform following command:

```
# evtest /dev/input/event1
Input driver version is 1.0.1
Input device ID: bus 0x19 vendor 0x0 product 0x0 version 0x0
Input device name: "matrix-keypad"
Supported events:
  Event type 0 (Sync)
  Event type 1 (Key)
    Event code 1 (Esc)
    Event code 2 (1)
    Event code 3 (2)
    Event code 4 (3)
    Event code 5 (4)
    Event code 6 (5)
    Event code 7 (6)
    Event code 8 (7)
    Event code 9 (8)
    Event code 10 (9)
    Event code 11 (0)
    Event code 12 (Minus)
    Event code 13 (Equal)
    Event code 14 (Backspace)
    Event code 15 (Tab)
    Event code 16 (Q)
  Event type 4 (Misc)
    Event code 4 (ScanCode)
  Event type 20 (Repeat)
Testing ... (interrupt to exit)
```

3.1.19.2 press any keypad button

Real example for keypad1 button as following:

A) While keypad1 pressed

```
Event: time 947201564.418599, type 4 (Misc), code 4 (ScanCode), value 03
Event: time 947201564.418606, type 1 (Key), code 4 (3), value 1
Event: time 947201564.418608, -------------- Report Sync ------------
```

B) While keypad1 keep pressed

```
Event: time 947201564.668613, type 1 (Key), code 4 (3), value 2
Event: time 947201564.668614, -------------- Report Sync ------------
```

C) While keypad1 released

```
Event: time 947201564.998592, type 4 (Misc), code 4 (ScanCode), value 03
```

```
Event: time 947201564.998596, type 1 (Key), code 4 (3), value 0
Event: time 947201564.998597, -------------- Report Sync ------------

keypad # vs code #
    keypad1 code 4
    keypad2 code 8
    keypad3 code 12
    keypad4 code 16

    keypad5 code 3
    keypad6 code 7
    keypad7 code 11
    keypad8 code 15

    keypad9 code 2
    keypad10 code 6
    keypad11 code 10
    keypad12 code 14

    keypad13 code 1
    keypad14 code 5
    keypad15 code 9
    keypad16 code 13
```

3.2 Package Content

3.2.1 Source Code Package

ROM-3420 source code package (BSP) contains cross compiler, Linux source code, Uboot source code, root file system and some scripts used in OS development. Some of above components are developed by Advantech and the others are developed by open source community. ROM-3420 source code package is composed of six main folders: “cross_compiler”, “document”, “image”, “package”, “scripts”, and “source”.

The description of 3420LBVxxxx package contents:

- **“cross_compiler”** → This folder contains source code for cross compiler.
- **“document”** → This folder contains user guide.
- **“image”** → This folder contains the uImage, and the script for making Linux system media automatically.
- **“image/rootfs”** → This folder contains Linux root file system
- **“package”** → This folder contains source code provided by Freescale without any modification
- **“scripts”** → This folder contains scripts for configure system and compile images automatically.
- **“source”** → This folder contains source code owned by Advantech

3.2.1.1 cross_compiler

You can use the cross compiler toolchain to compile the uImage and related applications. (gcc version is 4.6.2 20110630)

3.2.1.2 document

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3.2.1.3 image

This folder includes uImage & u-boot.

3.2.1.4 image/rootfs

Linux adopts Hierarchical File System (HFS), image/rootfs is the Linux file system in highest level of the tree structure.

The main folders in “rootfs” are listed as follows:

- bin → Common programs, shared by the system, the system administrator and the users.
- dev → Contains references to all the CPU peripheral hardware, which are represented as files with special properties.
- etc → Most important system configuration files are in /etc, this directory contains data similar to those in the Control Panel in Windows
- home → Home directories of the common users.
- lib → Library files, includes files for all kinds of programs needed by the system and the users.
- mnt → Standard mount point for external file systems.
- opt → Typically contains extra and third party software.
- proc → A virtual file system containing information about system resources. More information about the meaning of the files in proc is obtained by entering the command man proc in a terminal window. The file proc.txt discusses the virtual file system in detail.
- root → The administrative user's home directory. Mind the difference between / , the root directory and /root, the home directory of the root user.
- sbin → Programs for use by the system and the system administrator.
- sys → Linux sys file system
- tmp → Temporary space for use by the system, cleaned upon reboot, so doesn’t use this for saving any work!
- unit_tests → unit test tools are provided by Freescale i.MX6 product
- usr → Programs, libraries, documentation etc. for all user-related programs.
- var → Storage for all variable files and temporary files created by users, such as log files, the mail queue, the print spooler area, space for temporary storage of files downloaded from the Internet.
- tools → just for sample test.

3.2.1.5 scripts

Some scripts provided by Advantech will help you configure system or build the images more quickly. Please check them as follows:

- setenv.sh → A script to setup the development environment quickly.
- cfg_uboot.sh → A script to configure the u-boot building setup quickly.
- mk_uboot.sh → A script to build the u-boot and copy the “u-boot” to “image” folder after building.
- cfg_kernel.sh → A script to configure the kernel building setup quickly.
- mk_kernel.sh → A script to build the “uImage” and copy the “uImage” to “image” folder after building.
- mksd-linux.sh → A script to setup up a bootable SD card if users build their images

3.2.1.6 source

This folder contains sub-directories “linux-3.0.35” and “u-boot-2009.08”. They are the source codes of the Linux kernel and U-boot.

The main sub-directories under “linux-3.0.35” are listed as follows:

- arch → The items related to hardware platform, most of them are for CPU.
- block → The setting information for block.
- crypto → The encryption technology that kernel supports.
- Documentation → The documentation for kernel.
- drivers → The drivers for hardware.
- firmware → Some of firmware data for old hardware.
- fs → The file system the kernel supports.
- include → The header definition for the other programs used.
- init → The initial functions for kernel.
- ipc → Define the communication for each program of Linux O.S.
- kernel → Define the Kernel process, status, schedule, signal.
- lib → Some of libraries.
- mm → The data related the memory.
- net → The data related the network.
- security → The security setting.
- sound → The module related audio.
- virt → The data related the virtual machine.

There are also various README files in ./source/linux-3.0.35/Documentation, you can find the kernel-specified installations and notes for drivers. You can refer to ./source/linux-3.0.35/Documentation/00-INDEX for a list of the purpose of each README/note.

3.3 Set up Build Environment

All instructions in this guide are based on Ubuntu 10.04 LTS only. Please install Ubuntu 10.04 LTS with minimum 1GB DRAM in advance. When you obtain the ROM-3420 Linux source code package, please refer to following instructions to extract to your development environment:

1. Copy "34203420LBVxxxx.tar.bz2" package to your desktop. “xxxx” is the version of the BSP source code.
2. Start your "Terminal" on Ubuntu 10.04 LTS.
3. **`$sudo su`** (Change to “root” authority)
4. Input user password
5. **`#cd Desktop/`**
6. **`#tar xvf 3420LBVxxxx.tar.bz2`** (Unzip file)

Advantech offer a script to help setup the development environment quickly. You can refer to the following steps to setup your environment:

1. Open "Terminal" on Ubuntu 10.04 LTS.
2. **`$sudo su`** (Change to “root” authority)
3. Input user password
4. Change directory to BSP's scripts folder
5. **`#. setenv.sh`** (To configure the development environment automatically)
6. Then you can start to code the source code, build images, or compile applications.

3.3.1 Installing required packages

Open a terminal console and perform following command:

```
$ sudo apt-get install \
bison build-essential \
ccache \
dpkg \
flex \
gcc g++ gettext \
intltool \
libarchive-zip-perl libdbus-glib-1-dev libfreetype6-dev \
libgtk2.0-dev liblzo2-2 liblzo2-dev \
libncurses5-dev liborbit2-dev libtool libx11-dev libxml2-dev \
m4 \
patch \
rpm \
tcl \
uboot-mkimage uuid uuid-dev \
zlib1g zlib1g-dev
```

3.3.2 setenv.sh

This script is used to configure the development environment quickly. It will configure the folder paths for your system, and you can also add/modify the setenv.sh by yourself if you have added/changed the folders and paths.

The major part of setenv.sh is shown as follows:

```
export SRCROOT=${PWD}/..
export CC_PATH=${SRCROOT}/cross_compiler/fsl-linaro-toolchain
export CROSS_COMPILE=${CC_PATH}/bin/arm-none-linux-gnueabi-
export CC=${CROSS_COMPILE}gcc
export STRIP=${CROSS_COMPILE}strip
export ARCH=arm
export KROOT=${SRCROOT}/source/linux-3.0.35
export ADVBOOT_SOURCE=${SRCROOT}/source/u-boot-2009.08
export UBOOT_SOURCE=${SRCROOT}/source/u-boot-2009.08
export ROOTFS=${SRCROOT}/image/rootfs
export LOG=${SRCROOT}/Build.log
export PATH=${CC_PATH}/bin:${UBOOT_SOURCE}/tools:$PATH
```

Note! *You have to wrap "setenv.sh" once you open a new "Terminal" utility every time.*
(i.e. #source setenv.sh)

Note! *It is suggested to change to "root" authority to use the source code.*

3.4 Build Instructions

This section will guide you on how to build the u-boot & Linux kernel.

3.4.1 Build u-boot Image

Advantech has written a script to help build u-boot quickly. You can build a u-boot image by following the steps below:

1. Open "Terminal" on Ubuntu 10.04 LTS
2. **`$sudo su`** (Change to "root" authority)
3. Input user password
4. Change directory to BSP's scripts folder
5. **`#. setenv.sh`** (To configure the development environment automatically)
6. **`#./cfg_uboot.sh mx6q_rom-3420_1G_config`** (To set the u-boot configuration automatically)
7. **`#./mk_uboot.sh`** (Start to build the u-boot)
8. Then you can see u-boot_crc.bin and u-boot_crc.bin.crc are being built and located in ../image.

3.4.2 Build Linux Kernel Image

Advantech offer you a script to build the "uImage" quickly. You can build a uImage by following these steps:

1. Open "Terminal" on Ubuntu 10.04 LTS.
2. **`$sudo su`** (Change to "root" authority)
3. Input user password.
4. Change directory to BSP's scripts folder
5. **`#. setenv.sh`** (To configure the development environment automatically)
6. **`#./cfg_kernel.sh imx6_rom3420_defconfig`** (To set the uImage configuration automatically)
7. **`#./mk_kernel.sh`** (Start to build the uImage)
8. Then you can see uImage is being built and located in ../image.

3.4.3 Build Log

You can find the build log file from the directory of ROM-3420 BSP. If you got any error messages when building the Linux kernel, it is suggested to look into the log file to find the problem.

3.5 Source Code Modification

This section will guide you how to use the Linux source code. You will see some examples of using BSP source code in this section.

3.5.1 Add a Driver to Kernel by menuconfig

You can add a driver to the kernel by menuconfig. Here is an example to guide you how to add a RTC driver (Seiko Instruments S-35390A) to Linux kernel. Please refer to the following steps:

1. Open "Terminal" on Ubuntu 10.04 LTS.
2. **$sudo su** (Change to “root” authority)
3. Input user password.
4. Change directory to BSP's scripts folder
5. **#. setenv.sh** (To configure the development environment automatically)
6. **#./cfg_kernel.sh menuconfig**
7. Then you will see a GUI screen (Linux Kernel Configuration) as below:

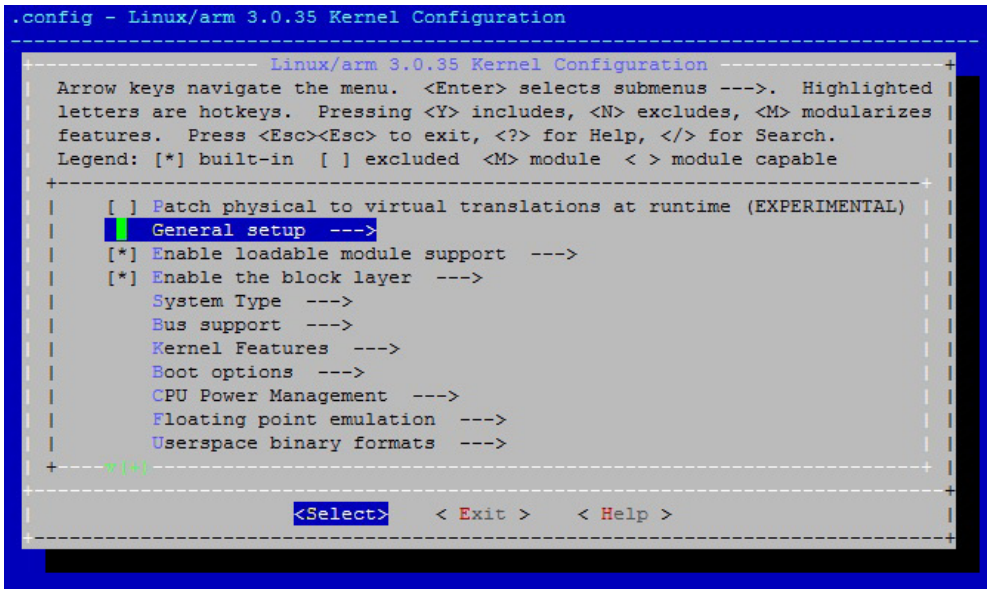


Figure 3.1 Linux Kernel Configuration

8. Select “Device Drivers”→”Real Time Clock”, you will see an option “Seiko Instruments S-35390A” on the list. Choose this option then exit and save your configuration.

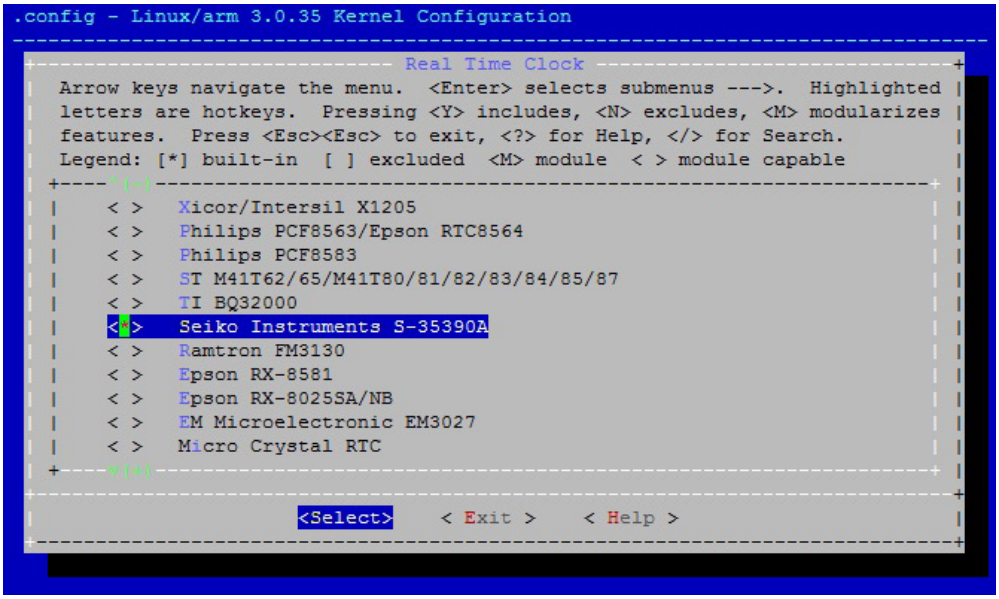


Figure 3.2 Selecting Seiko Instruments S-35390A

9. Change directory to “source/linux-3.0.35/arch/arm/mach-mx6”, edit the “board-mx6q_ROM-3420.h” and “board-mx6q_advantech.c”.
Please add below codes to source/linux-3.0.35/arch/arm/mach-mx6/board-mx6q_ROM-3420.h:

```
static struct i2c_board_info mxc_i2c6_board_info[] __initdata = {
        /* switch 3 */
        { /* rtc - S35390A */
                I2C_BOARD_INFO("s35390a", 0x30),
        },
};
```

Please add below codes to
source/linux-3.0.35/arch/arm/mach-mx6/board-mx6q_advantech.c

```
i2c_register_board_info(6, mxc_i2c6_board_info,
    ARRAY_SIZE(mxc_i2c6_board_info));
```

10. Please refer to former Chapter 3.4.2 Build Linux Kernel Image to rebuild the kernel with RTC driver (Seiko Instruments S-35390A) after completing above steps

Note! *If you cannot find the driver for your device from the list, please contact your hardware vendor.*

3.5.2 Change ROM-3420 Boot Logo

By default, ROM-3420 shows a boot logo when booting up. You can replace the logo to whatever your want by following the steps below:

1. Install “netpbm”
   ```
   # sudo apt-get install netpbm
   ```
2. Prepare your boot logo. For example: bootlogo.png (Under folder Desktop/boot-logo)

Note! *This picture should be in PNG format and less than 224 colors. It is suggested to have the image resolution equal to your LCD panel size.*

3. Open "Terminal" on Ubuntu 10.04 LTS..
4. **`$sudo su`** (Change to “root” authority)
5. Input user password.
6. **`#cd Desktop/bootlogo`** (Go into the folder that bootlogo.png located)
7. **`#pngtopnm bootlogo.png | ppmquant 224 | pnmtoplainpnm > logo_linux_clut224.ppm`**
8. **logo_linux_clut224.ppm to the directory source/linux-3.0.35/drivers/video/logo/.**
9. Then you can refer Chapter 3.4.2 to rebuild the kernel with your own boot logo.

3.6 Debug Console

Connect the 9-pin D-SUB of the debug console cable with the host computer serial port and use a serial port terminal application (like minicom, putty or teraterm) to configure serial port as 115200 8N1.

Then plug the 5-pin connector of the debug console cable into ROM-3420’s debug port (also known as /dev/ttymxc0 in Linux system)

3.7 Boot up from the SD card, onboard eMMC or SATA DOM

3.7.1 Boot up from the SD card

3.7.1.1 Create a bootable SD card

1. Open one terminal console and change directory to BSP scripts folder
2. Perform following command: (assume SD card's device name is /dev/sdf)
   ```
   sudo ./mksd-linux.sh /dev/sdf
   ```
3. Remove SD card from PC/NB

3.7.1.2 Set the DIP switch

1. Open one debug console
2. Turn off ROM-3420
3. Plug a bootable SD card into ROM-DB3900's SD slot
4. Set Dip switch to 1-OFF/2-ON/3-ON
5. Turn on ROM-3420

3.7.2 Boot up from the onboard eMMC

3.7.2.1 Transfer whole system to onboard eMMC

1. Boot up from SD card (refer to Chapter 3.6.1)
2. Login as root and perform following commands:

```
$ cd /mk_inand
$ ./mkinand-linux.sh /dev/mmcblk0
```

3.7.2.2 Set the DIP switch

1. Open one debug console
2. Turn off ROM-3420
3. Set Dip switch to 1-ON/2-OFF/3-OFF
4. Turn on ROM-3420

3.7.3 Boot up from SATA DOM

3.7.3.1 Transfer whole system to SATA DOM

1. Turn off ROM-3420
2. Plug SATA DOM into ROM-DB3900's SATA slot
3. Boot up from SD card (refer to Chapter 3.6.1)
4. Login as root and perform the following commands:(assume SATA DOM's device name is /dev/sdf)

```
$ cd /mk_inand
$ ./mkinand-linux.sh /dev/sdf
```

3.7.3.2 Set the DIP switch

1. Open one debug console
2. Turn off ROM-3420
3. Set Dip switch to 1-ON/2-ON/3-ON
4. Turn on ROM-3420

3.8 Linux Software AP and Testing on ROM-3420

This section will guide you how to develop your own application under Linux environment. First of all, an example “Hello World” will be shown. And then you will see some pre-installed test programs on ROM-3420 will be introduced in this section.

3.8.1 “Hello World!” Application and Execution

This section will guide you how to write a simple sample “Hello World” program. Refer to the following steps:

1. Open "Terminal" on Ubuntu 10.04 LTS.
2. **`$sudo su`** (Change to “root” authority)
3. Type user password.
4. Change directory to BSP's scripts folder
5. **`#. setenv.sh`** (To configure the development environment automatically)
6. **`#cd ../source`**
7. **`#mkdir helloworld`** (Create your own work directory on the Desktop)
8. **`#cd helloworld`** (Enter the work directory)
9. **`#gedit helloworld.c`** (Create a new C source file)

Edit the helloworld.c with the following source code:

```
#include <stdio.h>
void main()
{
   printf("Hello World!\n");
}
```

10. Save the file and exit.
11. **#$CC -o helloworld helloworld.c** (To compile helloworld.c)
12. Then you can see “helloworld” in current directory.
13. Insert the Linux system SD card to your development computer.
14. **#cp helloworld /media/rootfs/tool** (/media/rootfs is the mounted point of your Linux system SD card)
15. Remove this SD card and insert it to ROM-DB3900, then open debug console.
16. On ROM-3420 platform, type **#root** (Login)
17. On ROM-3420 platform, type **#cd /tool**
18. On ROM-3420 platform, type **#./helloworld**
19. Now you should be able to see “Hello World!” shown on ROM-3420.

3.8.2 Watchdog Timer Sample Code

WatchDog Timer (WDT) sample code is as below:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <fcntl.h>
#include <linux/watchdog.h>
#include <sys/ioctl.h>
#include <unistd.h>

void help_info(void);
int main(int argc, const char *argv[])
{
     int fd, timeout, sleep_sec, test;
     int count=1;
     if (argc < 2) {
          help_info();
          return 1;
     }
timeout = atoi(argv[1]);
     sleep_sec = atoi(argv[2]);
     if (sleep_sec <= 0) {
          sleep_sec = 1;
          printf("correct 0 or negative sleep time to %d seconds\n",
                 sleep_sec);
     }
     test = atoi(argv[3]);
```

```
        printf("Starting wdt_driver (timeout: %d, sleep: %d, test: %s)\n",
              timeout, sleep_sec, (test == 0) ? "ioctl" : "write");
        fd = open("/dev/watchdog", O_WRONLY);
        if (fd == -1) {
              perror("watchdog");
              exit(1);
        }
        printf("Trying to set timeout value=%d seconds\n", timeout);
        ioctl(fd, WDIOC_SETTIMEOUT, &timeout);
        printf("The actual timeout was set to %d seconds\n", timeout);
        ioctl(fd, WDIOC_GETTIMEOUT, &timeout);
        printf("Now reading back -- The timeout is %d seconds\n", timeout);
        while (1) {
              printf("WDT Time out counter:%d\n",count);
              if ((test !=0) && (test ==count)) {
                    printf("Ping Watchdog (reset wdt)\n");
                    ioctl(fd, WDIOC_KEEPALIVE, 0);
                    test=0;
                    count=0;
              }
              sleep(sleep_sec);
              count+=sleep_sec;
         }
         return 0;
}

void help_info(void)
{
       printf("Usage: wdt_driver_test <timeout> <sleep> <trigger>\n");
      printf("    timeout: value in seconds to cause wdt timeout/reset\n");
       printf("    sleep: value in seconds to display wdt timeout\n");
       printf("    trigger: value in seconds to ping the wdt\n");
}
```

If you would like to change the WDT time, please modify:

```
ioctl(fd, WDIOC_SETTIMEOUT, &timeout).
```

3.8.3 GPIO Setting

Please see GPIO initial code listed below. Below code is to assign the starting value to GPIO variable.

```
/* Enable GPIO */
gpio_request(SABRESD_GPIO8, "gpio-8");
gpio_request(SABRESD_GPIO9, "gpio-9");
```

```
gpio_direction_input(SABRESD_GPIO8);
gpio_direction_output(SABRESD_GPIO9, 0);
```

3.8.4 RS232 Initial Code

The RS232 initial code as below. It shows you how to initial COM port.

```
int open_port(void)
{
     int fd;
     fd=open("/dev/ttymxc1",O_RDWR|O_NOCTTY|O_NDELAY);
     if(fd == -1){
     perror("open error");
     }
     return(fd);
}
```

3.8.5 Display Output Setting

3.8.5.1 LVDS Settings

Please set environment in u-boot as below:

```
setenv bootargs_base 'setenv bootargs console=ttymxc0,115200
enable_wait_mode=off video=mxcfb1:dev=ldb,1024x768M@60,if=RGB24'
```

LDB-XGA is an example for the resolution of your LVDS panel. You can input the actual resolution of your LVDS panel here, such as 800x480, 1024x768, etc. The system will accomplish the corresponding parameters automatically.

If the panel has problem to be activated, you may need to check the panel datasheet to configure the panel related parameters. The LVDS video mode database is stored in linux-3.0.35/drivers/video/mxc/ldb.c. You can add a new one for your LVDS panel.

```
static struct fb_videomode ldb_modedb[] = {
     {
     "LDB-XGA", 60, 1024, 768, 15385,
     220, 40,
     21, 7,
     60, 10,
     0,
     FB_VMODE_NONINTERLACED,
     FB_MODE_IS_DETAILED,},
}
```

The definition of fb_videomode in linux-3.0.35/include/linux/fb.h:

The name field is optional. If you input this value, it can be used in U-Boot environment settings.

The refresh field is the screen refresh frame rate, such as 60Hz, 70Hz. The resolution can be filled in the xres & yres fields.

The pixel clock (pixclock) is equaled to 10^{12}/(*Total horizontal line * Total vertical line * DCLK*). For example, the total horizontal line is 1344 DCLK, and total vertical number

is 806 horizontal lines. The DCLK frequency is 60 MHz. Therefore, we can get 10^{12}/ (1344*806*60) = 15385.

The *margin* values can be seen as front porch & back porch.

The *sync_len* means pulse width.

The *sync* value indicates the sync polarity (low or high).

```
struct fb_videomode {
     const char *name;      (optional)
     u32 refresh;            (optional)
     u32 xres;
     u32 yres;
     u32 pixclock;
     u32 left_margin;
     u32 right_margin;
     u32 upper_margin;
     u32 lower_margin;
     u32 hsync_len;
     u32 vsync_len;
     u32 sync;
     u32 vmode;
     u32 flag;
};
```

3.8.5.2 Single Display Settings

HDMI out, please set in u-boot as below:

```
setenv bootargs_base 'setenv bootargs console=ttymxc0,115200
enable_wait_mode=off video=mxcfb0:dev=hdmi,1920x1080M@60,if=RGB24'
```

VGA out, please set in u-boot as below:

```
setenv bootargs_base 'setenv bootargs console=ttymxc0,115200
enable_wait_mode=off video=mxcfb0:dev=lcd,1920x1080M@60,if=RGB24'
```

LVDS out, please set in u-boot as below:

```
setenv bootargs_base 'setenv bootargs console=ttymxc0,115200
enable_wait_mode=off video=mxcfb1:dev=ldb,1024x768M@60,if=RGB24'
```

3.8.5.3 Multi Display Settings

When you want to display dual LVDS, VGA and HDMI output, set the parameter in U-boot as follows. This is the default settings in U-boot.

```
setenv bootargs_base 'setenv bootargs console=ttymxc0,115200
enable_wait_mode=off                          video_mode=extension
video=mxcfb0:dev=hdmi,1920x1080M@60,if=RGB24
video=mxcfb1:dev=lcd,1920x1080M@60,if=RGB24
video=mxcfb2:dev=ldb,800x480M@60,if=RGB24'
```

For display interface clock, there are several options (Independently for each port) listed below:

1. Derived from the IPU internal clock (Master Mode)
2. Provided by an external source (Slave Mode)

3. The transfer rate supported

When a single port is active, the pixel clock rate is up to 264 MHz
When both LVDS ports are active, you have to follow below condition:

1. Each pixel clock rate may be up to 220 MHz**
2. The sum of pixel clock rates is up to 240 MHz

Note! *In Single Display mode, the pixel clock of HDMI is up to 264 MHz, each other is up to 200 MHz.*

In Dual Display mode, the pixel clock of HDMI is up to 240 MHz, each other is up to 200 MHz.

3.8.6 Network Setup

If you would like to use DHCP mode instead, please goes to /etc/rc.d/rc.conf, and set IPADDR0 to “dhcp”.

If you prefer to use static IP as default, you should goes to /etc/rc.d/rc.conf, and set IPADDR0 to the IP to be used. And the NETMASK0 should be changed to corresponding netmask as well.

3.8.7 Storage (SATA /eMMC/SD Card)

The storages devices are named as follows:

Device	Name
SATA	/dev/sda
eMMC	/dev/mmcblk0
SD card	/dev/mmcblk1

3.8.8 3G Sample Code

The code of 3glink, we have tried this command in 3 G test (Section 1.8).

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Send AT commands..."
pppd connect 'chat -v -s -t 10 "" "AT" "" "ATDT*99#" "CONNECT" ""'
user username password password /dev/ttyUSB2 460800 nodetach crtscts
debug usepeerdns defaultroute &
```

Chapter 4

System Recovery

This chapter introduces how to recover a Linux operating system if it is damaged accidentally.

4.1 Boot up from the SD card, onboard eMMC or SATA DOM

4.1.1 Boot up from the SD card

4.1.1.1 Create a bootable SD card

1. Open one terminal console and change directory to BSP scripts folder
2. Perform following command: (assume SD card's device name is /dev/sdf)

```
sudo ./mksd-linux.sh /dev/sdf
```

3. Remove SD card from PC/NB

4.1.1.2 Set the DIP switch

1. Open one debug console
2. Turn off ROM-3420
3. Plug a bootable SD card into ROM-DB3900's SD slot
4. Set Dip switch to 1-OFF/2-ON/3-ON
5. Turn on ROM-3420

4.1.2 Boot up from the onboard eMMC

4.1.2.1 Transfer whole system to onboard eMMC

1. Boot up from SD card (refer to Chapter 3.6.1)
2. Login as root and perform following commands:

```
$ cd /mk_inand
$ ./mkinand-linux.sh /dev/mmcblk0
```

4.1.2.2 Set the DIP switch

1. Open one debug console
2. Turn off ROM-3420
3. Set Dip switch to 1-ON/2-OFF/3-OFF
4. Turn on ROM-3420

4.1.3 Boot up from SATA DOM

4.1.3.1 Transfer whole system to SATA DOM

1. Turn off ROM-3420
2. Plug SATA DOM into ROM-DB3900's SATA slot
3. Boot up from SD card (refer to Chapter 3.6.1)
4. Login as root and perform the following commands:(assume SATA DOM's device name is /dev/sdf)

```
$ cd /mk_inand
$ ./mkinand-linux.sh /dev/sdf
```

4.1.3.2 Set the DIP switch

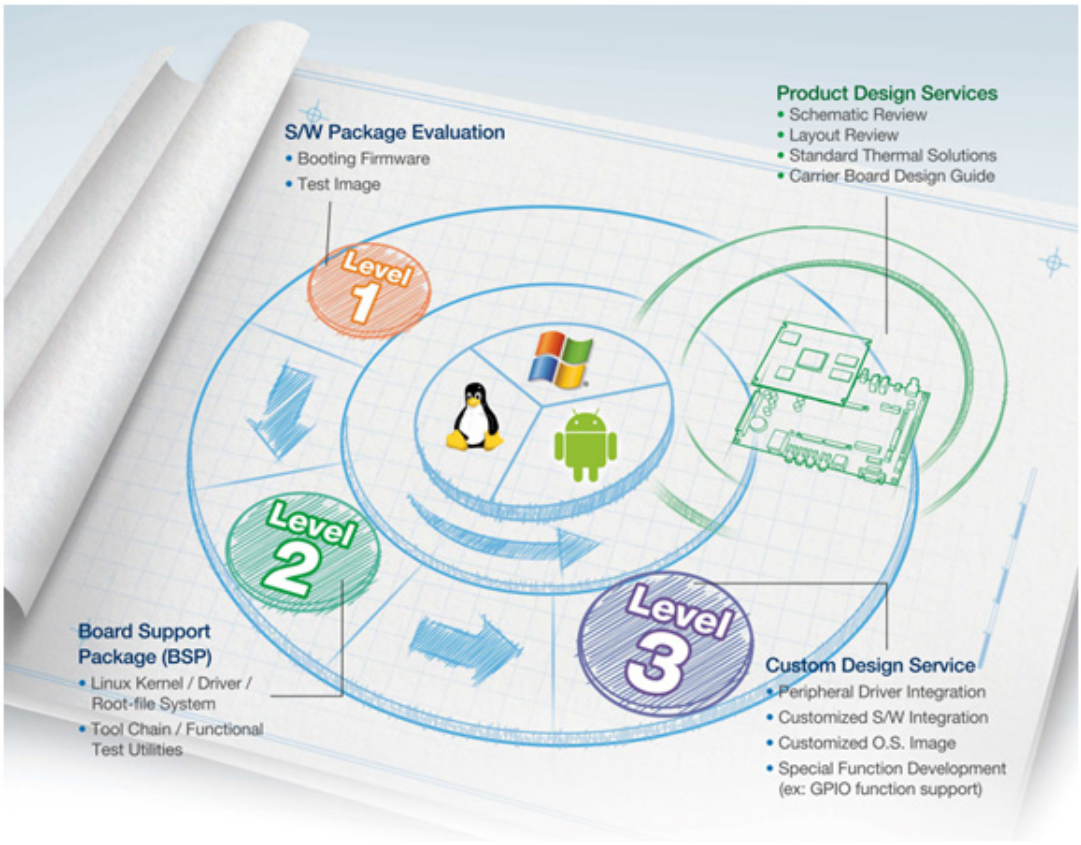
1. Open one debug console
2. Turn off ROM-3420
3. Set Dip switch to 1-ON/2-ON/3-ON
4. Turn on ROM-3420

Chapter 5

Advantech Services

This chapter introduces Advantech design in serviceability, technical support and warranty policy for ROM-3420 evaluation kit.

5.1 RISC Design-in Services



Advantech RISC Design-in Services help customers to reduce the time and work involved with designing new carrier boards. We handle the complexities of technical research and greatly minimize the development risk associated with carrier boards.

Easy Development

Advantech has support firmware, root file-system, BSP or other develop tools for customers. It helps customers to easy develop their carrier board and differentiate their embedded products and applications.

- Full Range of RISC Product Offerings
- Comprehensive Document Support

Design Assistance Service

Advantech provides check list for engineer for easy check their schematics and also review service based on customer carrier board schematics. Those services are preventative, and help to catch design errors before they happen. It helps to save a lot of time and costs with regard to development carrier boards.

- Schematic Review
- Placement and Layout Review
- Debugging Assistance Services
- General/Special Reference Design Database.

Thermal Solution Services

In order to provide quicker and more flexible solutions for customer's thermal designs. Advantech provides thermal solution services including modularized thermal solutions and customized thermal solutions.

- Standard Thermal Solutions
- Customized Thermal Solutions

Embedded Software Services

Supports driver, software integration or customized firmware, root file-system and Linux image. Customers can save lot of time and focus on their core development.

- Embedded Linux/ Android OS
- Advantech boot loader Customization

With the spread of industrial computing, a whole range of new applications have been developed, resulting in a fundamental change in the IPC industry. In the past System Integrators (SI) were used to completing projects without outside assistance but now such working models have moved on. Due to diverse market demands and intense competition, cooperation for (both upstream and downstream) vertical integration has become a much more effective way to create competitive advantages. As a result, ARM-based CPU modules were born out of this trend. Concentrating all necessary components on the CPU module and placing other parts on the carrier board in response to market requirements for specialization, provides greater flexibility while retaining its low power consumption credentials.

Advantech has been involved in the industrial computer industry for many years and found that customers usually have the following questions when implementing modular designs.

General I/O design capability

Although customers possess the ability for vertical integration and have enough know-how and core competitiveness in the professional application field, the lack of expertise and experience in general power and I/O design causes many challenges for them, especially integrating CPU modules into their carrier board.

The acquisition of information

Even if the individual client is able to obtain sufficient information to make the right decision for the specialized vertical application, some customers encounter difficult problems dealing with platform design in general and communicating with CPU or chipset manufacturers, thereby increasing carrier board design difficulties and risk as well as seriously impacting on Time-to-market and lost market opportunities.

Software development and modification

Compared to x86 architectures, RISC architectures use simpler instruction sets, therefore the software support for x86 platforms cannot be used on RISC platforms. System integrators need to develop software for their system and do the hardware and software integration themselves. Unlike x86 platforms, RISC platforms have less support for Board Support Packages (BSP) and drivers as well. Even though driver support is provided, SIs still have to make a lot of effort to integrate it into the system core. Moreover, the BSP provided by CPU manufacturers are usually for carrier board design, so it’s difficult for SIs to have an environment for software development.

In view of this, Advantech proposed the concept of Streamlined Design-in Support Services for RISC-based Computer On Modules (COM). With a dedicated professional design-in services team, Advantech actively participates in carrier board design and problem solving. Our services not only enable customers to effectively distribute their resources but also reduce R&D manpower cost and hardware investment.

By virtue of a close interactive relationship with leading original manufacturers of CPUs and chipsets such as ARM, TI and Freescale, Advantech helps solve communication and technical support difficulties, and that can reduce the uncertainties of product development too. Advantech's professional software team also focuses on providing a complete Board Support Package and assists customers to build up a software development environment for their RISC platforms.

Advantech RISC design-in services helps customers overcome their problems to achieve the most important goal of faster time to market through a streamlined RISC Design-in services.

Along with our multi-stage development process which includes: planning, design, integration, and validation, Advantech's RISC design-in service provides comprehensive support to the following different phases:

Planning stage

Before deciding to adopt Advantech RISC COM, customers must go through a complete survey process, including product features, specification, and compatibility testing with software. So, Advantech offers a RISC Customer Solution Board (CSB) as an evaluation tool for carrier boards which are simultaneously designed when development RISC COMs. In the planning stage, customers can use this evaluation board to assess RISC modules and test peripheral hardware. What's more, Advantech provides standard software Board Support Package (BSP) for RISC COM, so that customers can define their product's specifications as well as verifying I/O and performance at the same time. We not only offer hardware planning and technology consulting, but also software evaluation and peripheral module recommendations (such as WiFi, 3G, BT). Resolving customer concerns is Advantech's main target at this stage. Since we all know that product evaluation is the key task in the planning period, especially for performance and specification, so we try to help our customers conduct all the necessary tests for their RISC COM.

Design stage

When a product moves into the design stage, Advantech will supply a design guide of the carrier board for reference. The carrier board design guide provides pin definitions of the COM connector with limitations and recommendations for carrier board design, so customers can have a clear guideline to follow during their carrier board development. Regarding different form factors, Advantech offers a complete pin-out check list for different form factors such as Q7, ULP and RTX2.0, so that customers can examine the carrier board signals and layout design accordingly. In addition, our team is able to assist customers to review the placement/layout and schematics to ensure the carrier board design meets their full requirements. For software development, Advantech RISC software team can assist customers to establish an environment for software development and evaluate the amount of time and resources needed. If customers outsource software development to a 3rd party, Advantech can also cooperate with the 3rd party and provide proficient consulting services. With Advantech's professional support, the design process becomes much easier and product quality will be improved to meet their targets.

Integration stage

This phase comprises HW/SW integration, application development, and peripheral module implementation. Due to the lack of knowledge and experience on platforms, customers need to spend a certain amount of time on analyzing integration problems. In addition, peripheral module implementation has a lot to do with driver designs on carrier boards, RISC platforms usually have less support for ready-made drivers on the carrier board, therefore the customer has to learn from trial and error and finally get the best solution with the least effort. Advantech's team has years of experience in customer support and HW/SW development knowledge. Consequently, we can support customers with professional advice and information as well as shortening development time and enabling more effective product integration.

Validation stage

After customer's ES sample is completed, the next step is a series of verification steps. In addition to verifying a product's functionality, the related test of the product's efficiency is also an important part at this stage especially for RISC platforms.

As a supportive role, Advantech primarily helps customers solve their problems in the testing process and will give suggestions and tips as well. Through an efficient verification process backed by our technical support, customers are able to optimize their applications with less fuss. Furthermore, Advantech's team can provide professional consulting services about further testing and equipment usage, so customers can find the right tools to efficiently identify and solve problems to further enhance their products quality and performance.

5.2 Contact Information

Below is the contact information for Advantech customer service

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Taiwan (Toll Free)	0800-777-111
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You can also reach our service team through the website below; our technical support engineer will provide quick response once the form is filled out:

http://www.advantech.com.tw/contact/default.aspx?page=contact_form2&subject=Technical+Support

5.3 Technical Support and Assistance

For more information about this and other Advantech products, please visit our web-site at:

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http://www.advantech.com/ePlatform/

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<http://support.advantech.com.tw/support/>

1. Visit the Advantech web site at www.advantech.com/support where you can find the latest information about the product.
2. Contact your distributor, sales representative, or Advantech's customer Service center for technical support if you need additional assistance. Please have the following information ready before you call:
   - Product name and serial number
   - Description of your peripheral attachments
   - Description of your software (operating system, version, application software, etc.)
   - A complete description of the problem
   - The exact wording of any error messages

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