

QE for Display[RX] V3.3.0 Standalone Version

Standalone Version

Release Note

Thank you very much for your interest in QE for Display[RX] V3.3.0.

This document describes this product installation, restrictions and so on. Please read this document before using the product.

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1. About QE for Display[RX] V3.3.0

1.1 Summary

QE for Display[RX] V3.3.0 is a standalone version that you can use to easily create and adjust LCD display projects for CS+ and third-party IDEs .

In the following embedded system development, this product allows for easy initial adjustment of display connection (display timing adjustment and image quality adjustment) and create GUI. This shortens the development period.

- Display GUI on LCD using Graphic LCD Controller (a display controller mounted on the RX family of MCUs) image display function, emWin GUI software package and Aeropoint GUI for RX.
- Display GUI on a serial-connected LCD using serial communication in the RX family and the emWin GUI software package.

1.2 New Functions

1.2.1 Supported a standalone version

QE for Display[RX] V3.3.0 supports easily creating and adjusting LCD display projects under CS+ or IAR EW for Renesas RX. Users can adjust the LCD display in real-time via serial communication.

1.3 Supported Environment

- Windows 10, Windows 11
- CS+ for CC V8.12.00 (or later)
- IAR EW for Renesas RX V5.10.1 (or later)
- RX Smart Configurator V2.22.0 (or later)

1.4 Supported Microcontroller

■ GLCDC Function

RX family

- RX600 Series RX65N groups*, RX651 groups*, RX66N groups
(* ROM capacity: 1.5 MB to 2 MB only)
- RX700 Series RX72M groups*, RX72N groups
(* 100-pin is not supported.)

■ Serial Connection Function

All RX family*

(*Only microcontrollers supported by Smart Configurator.)

1.5 Supported Software

■ RX Firmware Integration Technology (FIT)

- Graphic LCD Controller Module: r_glcdc_rx V1.60 (or later)
- QE for Display Middleware Module: r_qe_display_rx V1.00 (or later)
- emWin v6.34 Module: r_emwin_rx V1.10 (V6.34.a.1.10) (or later)
- Aeropoint Module: r_aeropoint_rx V1.00 (or later)

1.6 Supported LCD Controller for Serial Connection

- ST7715
- ILI9341

1.7 Supported Evaluation Board

■ GLCDC Function

- Renesas Starter Kit+ for RX65N-2MB
- Renesas Starter Kit+ for RX72N
- RX65N Envision Kit
- RX72N Envision Kit

■ Serial Connection Function

- Renesas Starter Kit for RX130-512KB
- Renesas Starter Kit for RX140
- Renesas Starter Kit for RX231
- Renesas Solution Starter Kit for RX23W
- Renesas Starter Kit+ for RX64M
- Renesas Starter Kit for RX660
- Renesas Starter Kit+ for RX671
- Renesas Starter Kit+ for RX71M
- Target Board for RX130
- Target Board for RX231
- Target Board for RX23W
- Target Board for RX23W module
- Target Board for RX65N
- Target Board for RX660
- Target Board for RX671

The following LCD is connected to the evaluation board.

- Renesas Starter Kit / Renesas Solution Starter Kit: OKAYA - RH128128T-1X44WN-B2 (Included in Starter Kit.)
- Target Board: Kuongshun Electronic - MSP2807 (OEM products are also available.)

2. Installation and Uninstallation

2.1 Installing This Product

1. Extract “.zip” file to a user-specified location on the PC.
Note: Please do not put the tool under OS program folder (C:\Program Files)
2. Start this product by double clicking “\QE-Display\eclipse\qe-display.exe”.
3. For the first time this product starts, there is a dialog of license agreement. After checking the license, you can select “Agree” or “Disagree”.

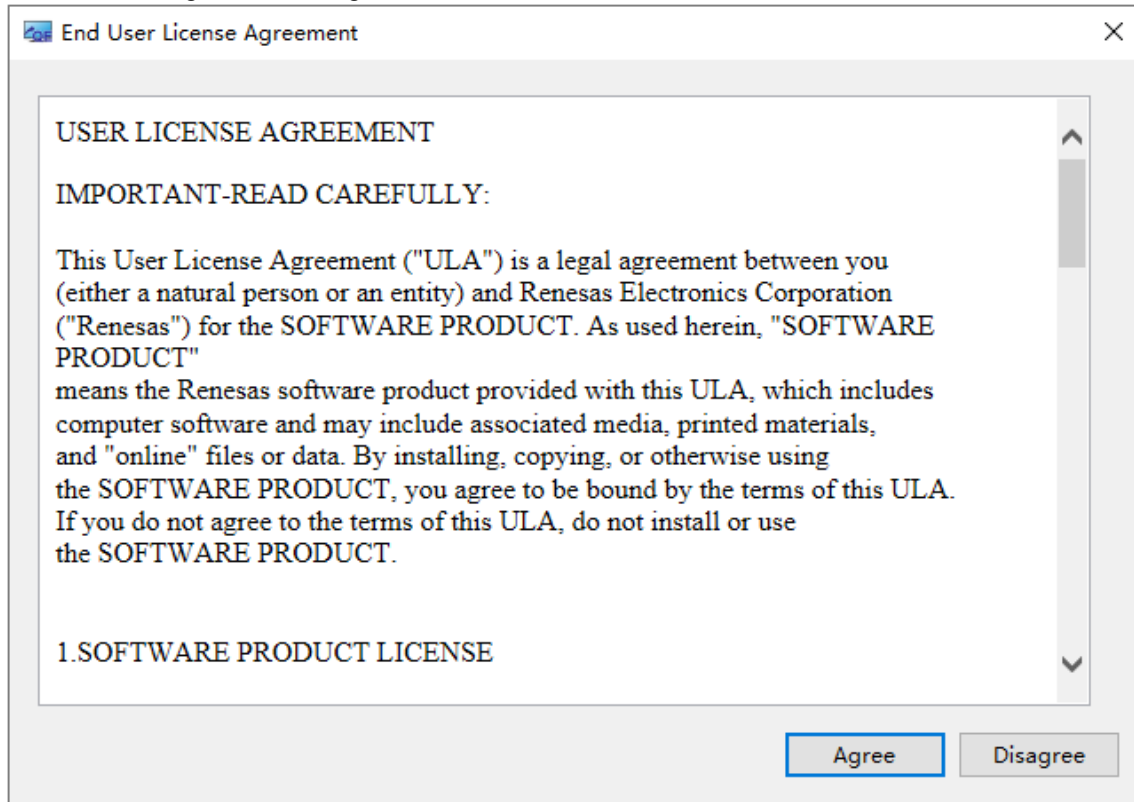


Figure 2-1 License Agreement Dialog

4. If “Agree” is selected in above step, the product is launched then you can use it; if “Disagree” is selected in above step, the product won’t be launched.

2.2 Updating This Product

If you have already installed this product, you can update it in the same way as the procedure for installation 2.1

2.3 Uninstalling This Product

Delete the entire folder which .zip package is extracted.

3. Notes / Restrictions

3.1 Usage Considerations

3.1.1 How to transfer the data from plug-in version to standalone version

To transfer the configuration data from the plug-in version, copy the configuration file from the plug-in version project's storage location below to the standalone version project's storage location.

Plug-in version side:

- Storage location of the previous version's configuration data

<workspace>/metadata/.plugins/com.renesas.apltool.glcdc

- Storage location of the V2.0.0 or later configuration data

<project>/settings/plugin/com.renesas.apltool.glcdc

Standalone version side:

- Storage location of configuration data

<project>/settings/plugin/com.renesas.apltool.glcdc

3.1.2 About PLLCLK and Panel clock frequency setting

In the standalone version, you need to enter the value of "PLL Circuit Frequency [MHz]" in the "Timing Adjustment" page according to the setting in the Smart Configurator clock page. Also, select the value of "Panel Clock Frequency [MHz]" according to the prompt after the control.

3.1.3 Note on using the Aeropoint GUI (Library Setting)

When you use the RXv2 instruction set architecture on RX66N, RX72M, and RX72N, change the library set in the linker options to the following.

1. libcri_AeropointLite_RXv2_CCRX.lib
2. libcri_Atom_Multiplayer_RXv3_CCRX.lib

3.1.4 Note on display settings of PC monitor

If the GUI text is overlapped or blocked as shown in the figure below on your PC, please set up your PC monitor according to the following recommended settings.

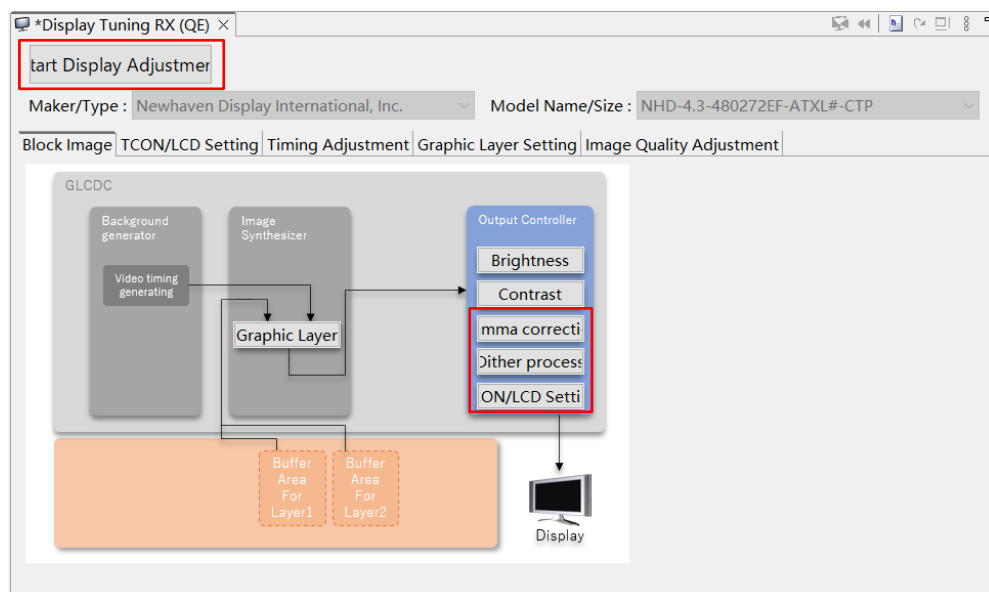


Figure 3-1 GUI with Overlapped or Blocked Text

Recommended monitor settings:

- Scale: 100%
- Display resolution: 1920 x 1080

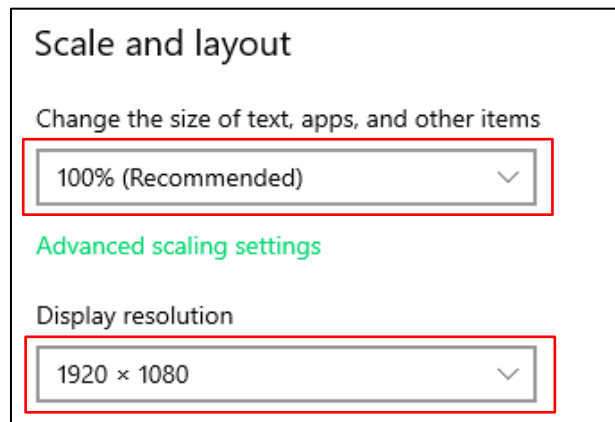


Figure 3-2 Recommended Monitor Settings

3.1.5 Note on LCD Workflow (QE) view

The workflow cannot be opened if WebView2 Runtime is not installed on your PC.

[Workaround]

Download and install WebView2 (x64 version) from the Microsoft web page. (FAQ: [3000670](#))

3.1.6 Note on baud rate setting when using standalone version

Due to the limitation of the communication speed of the USB-to-serial IC (RL78G1C) installed on the Renesas Starter Kit and Envision Kit boards, for projects using these two types of Evaluation boards, if you use the USB-to-serial resources on the board, the maximum communication baud rate set in the standalone version cannot exceed 115200.

3.1.7 Note on using emWin as the GUI drawing tool

When using emWin as the GUI drawing tool, DTC is not supported in display tuning communication. Please don't set DTC in r_sci_rx FIT module.

3.1.8 Note on using "Set the registers in Real-time when the Parameters are Changed" mode

After "Start Display Adjustment", please don't move the mouse focus out of the "Display Tuning RX (QE)" view. Otherwise, when the mouse focus returns to the view, some communication error messages and redundant messages will appear in the console view. Please ignore these messages.

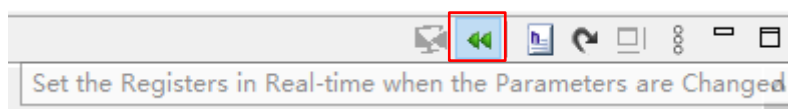


Figure 3-3 "Set the registers in Real-time when the Parameters are Changed" button

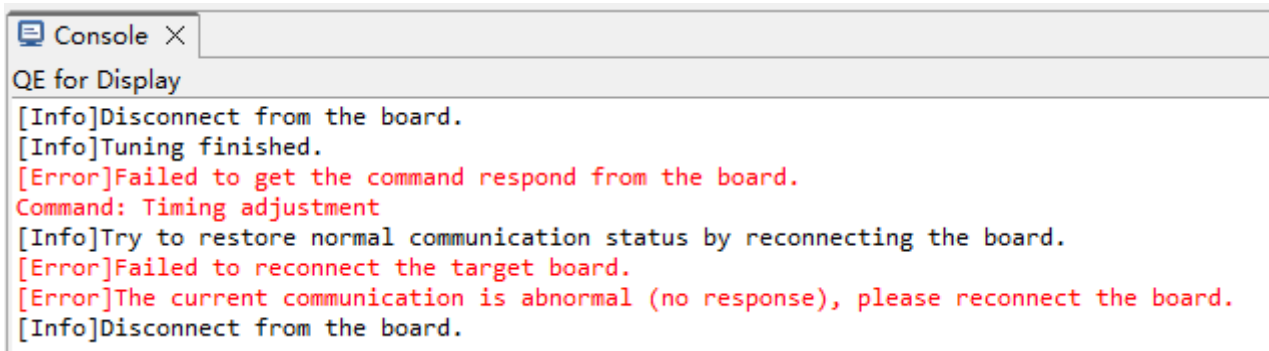


Figure 3-4 Example of command communication error messages

3.2 Functional Restrictions

3.2.1 Restriction on ASYNC mode RX queue buffer size setting in r_sci_rx FIT module

In r_sci_rx FIT module, please don't set the following values to the "ASYNC mode RX queue buffer size for channel n":

- 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 14, 15, 32, 42, 63, 83, 94, 124, 187, 247

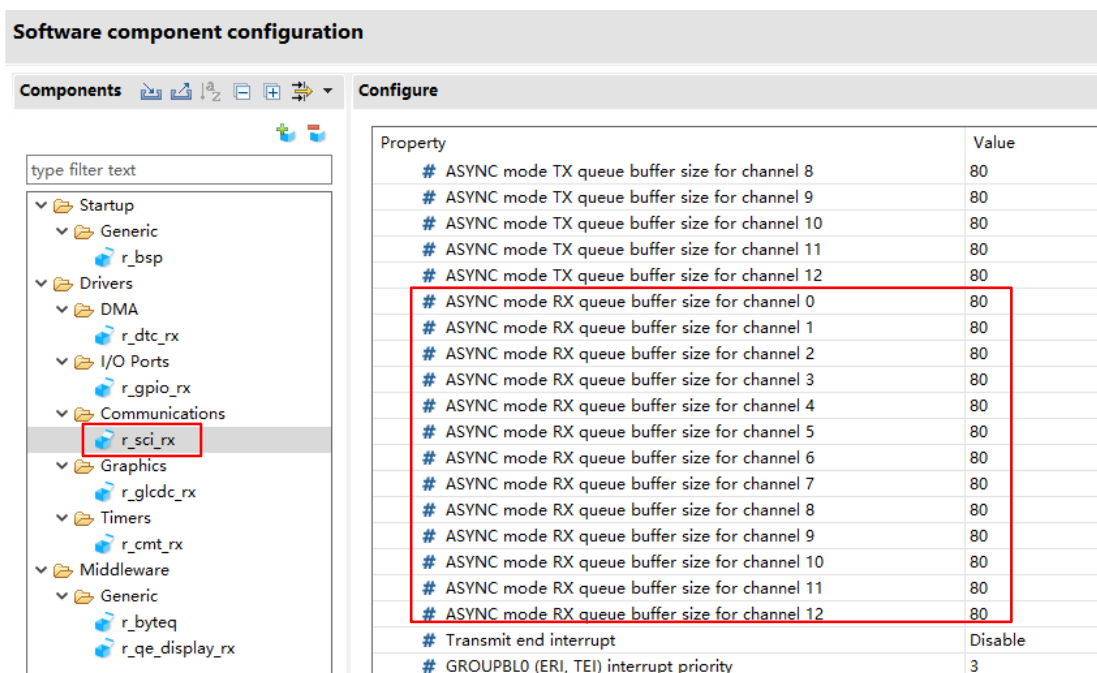
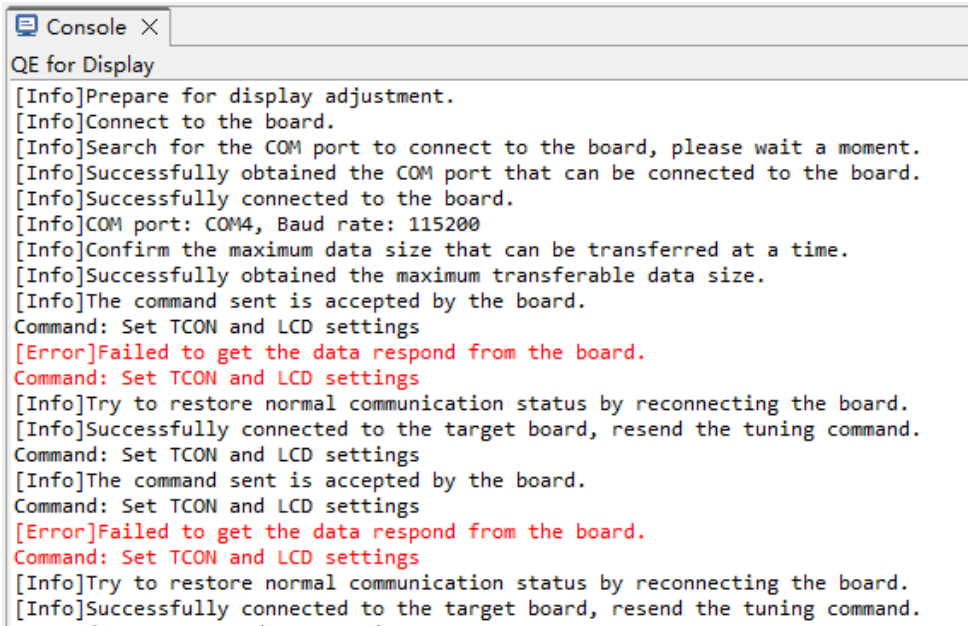


Figure 3-5 ASYNC mode RX queue buffer size for channel n setting

Otherwise, in certain cases, the following message will display in the console window and can't stop.



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Console ×
QE for Display
[Info]Prepare for display adjustment.
[Info]Connect to the board.
[Info]Search for the COM port to connect to the board, please wait a moment.
[Info]Successfully obtained the COM port that can be connected to the board.
[Info]Successfully connected to the board.
[Info]COM port: COM4, Baud rate: 115200
[Info]Confirm the maximum data size that can be transferred at a time.
[Info]Successfully obtained the maximum transferable data size.
[Info]The command sent is accepted by the board.
Command: Set TCON and LCD settings
[Error]Failed to get the data respond from the board.
Command: Set TCON and LCD settings
[Info]Try to restore normal communication status by reconnecting the board.
[Info]Successfully connected to the target board, resend the tuning command.
Command: Set TCON and LCD settings
[Info]The command sent is accepted by the board.
Command: Set TCON and LCD settings
[Error]Failed to get the data respond from the board.
Command: Set TCON and LCD settings
[Info]Try to restore normal communication status by reconnecting the board.
[Info]Successfully connected to the target board, resend the tuning command.
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Figure 3-6 Display tuning command communication anomalies

[Workaround]

When you encounter this case, please click “Finish Display Adjustment” button to stop the adjustment.

Revision History

Rev.	Date	Description	
		Page	Summary
1.00	Jul.01.24	-	First edition issued.

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2. Processing at power-on

The state of the product is undefined at the time when power is supplied. The states of internal circuits in the LSI are indeterminate and the states of register settings and pins are undefined at the time when power is supplied. In a finished product where the reset signal is applied to the external reset pin, the states of pins are not guaranteed from the time when power is supplied until the reset process is completed. In a similar way, the states of pins in a product that is reset by an on-chip power-on reset function are not guaranteed from the time when power is supplied until the power reaches the level at which resetting is specified.

3. Input of signal during power-off state

Do not input signals or an I/O pull-up power supply while the device is powered off. The current injection that results from input of such a signal or I/O pull-up power supply may cause malfunction and the abnormal current that passes in the device at this time may cause degradation of internal elements. Follow the guideline for input signal during power-off state as described in your product documentation.

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