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Renesas Starter Kit Sample Code

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Introduction

Renesas Starter Kits (RSK) are supplied as complete development systems for the selected microcontroller. The kit includes an evaluation board, portable On Chip Debugger and a set of peripheral sample code. This peripheral sample code is supplied as a Hi-performance Embedded Workshop (HEW) workspace with this document

Target Device

R8C38C

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1. Opening the sample code workspace

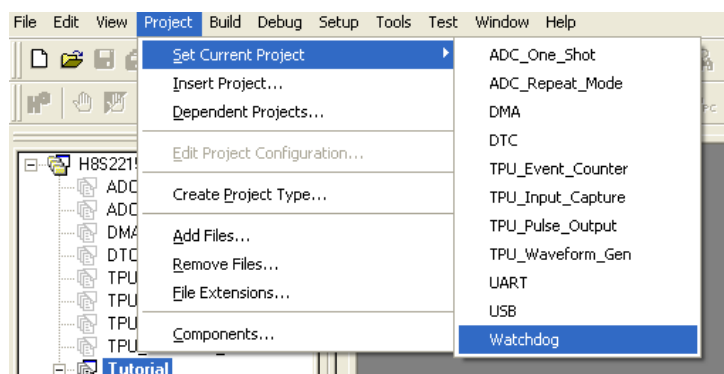
The RSK sample code is supplied as a Hi-performance Embedded Workshop (HEW) workspace. This workspace should be copied to a suitable folder on your PC. The default location that HEW will look for workspace files is `c:\workspace`.

Once copied to a suitable location the workspace can be opened by double clicking the file “R8C38C.hws” or within HEW from the File | Open Workspace menu item.

2. Loading the selected sample code project

Within the workspace there are a number of separate projects. Each project contains the source files for the specific peripheral sample code.

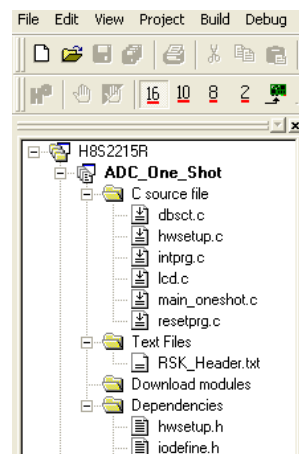
Once the workspace is loaded into HEW the required sample project must be loaded before you can be open the source files. From the Project | Set current project menu item select the required project name.



Example

3. Opening sample code source files

Once the project is loaded the source code and all dependant files can be opened in the editor by double clicking the file in the workspace window.



Example

4. Source code functionality

Each source code project is specifically written to run on the appropriate RSK. However this source code can be useful as an example of peripheral initialization even without the RSK.

Each sample project will contain a C source file that includes “main” in the name, for example “main_oneshot.c”. This source file will include the C function main() as well as a comment block that describes the function of the sample code.

5. Appendix

Example of comment block with code functionality

```

/*****
FILE NAME      main_oneshot.c
DESCRIPTION    Sets up ADC Channel 0 in single operation mode, software
               triggered. The code performs a single AD conversion.
Operation      1. Build this application and download it to the target. Press 'Reset Go'.
               2. Press stop button (available on 'debug run' toolbar) after 5 seconds.
               3. The result of the conversion can now be checked in global variable
                 'usADC_Result'. Same result can be examined on the debug LCD.
*****/
```

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- The input pins of CMOS products are generally in the high-impedance state. In operation with an unused pin in the open-circuit state, extra electromagnetic noise is induced in the vicinity of LSI, an associated shoot-through current flows internally, and malfunctions occur due to the false recognition of the pin state as an input signal become possible. Unused pins should be handled as described under Handling of Unused Pins in the manual.

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The state of the product is undefined at the moment 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 moment when power is supplied.

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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 moment when power is supplied until the power reaches the level at which resetting has been specified.

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4. Clock Signals

After applying a reset, only release the reset line after the operating clock signal has become stable.

When switching the clock signal during program execution, wait until the target clock signal has stabilized.

- When the clock signal is generated with an external resonator (or from an external oscillator) during a reset, ensure that the reset line is only released after full stabilization of the clock signal. Moreover, when switching to a clock signal produced with an external resonator (or by an external oscillator) while program execution is in progress, wait until the target clock signal is stable.

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