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MMI Customization











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Outline

- MMI Resource Generator
- MMI Resource Customization
- Resource Customization Tools



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Resource Generator

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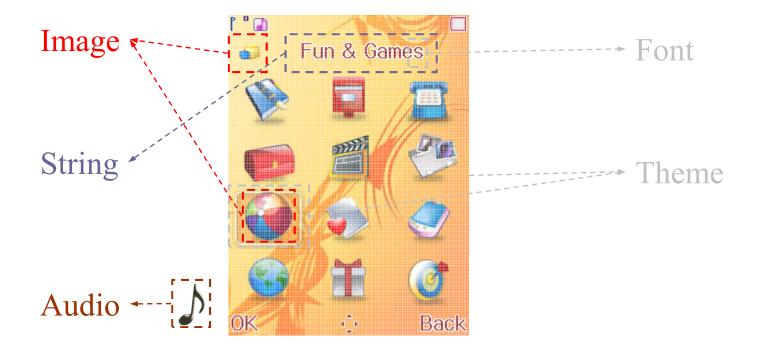
Overview

- A procedure to generate resources (strings, images, and menus) used in MMI.
- User can change resources without changing MMI framework/application object files.
- Easy to maintain different resources for different projects.



MMI resource overview

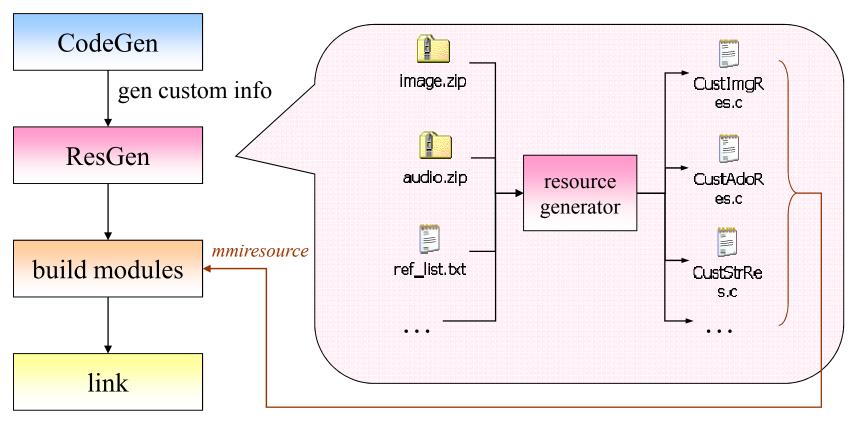
- Introduction to MMI resource
 - Menu, Image, String, Audio, Font and Theme





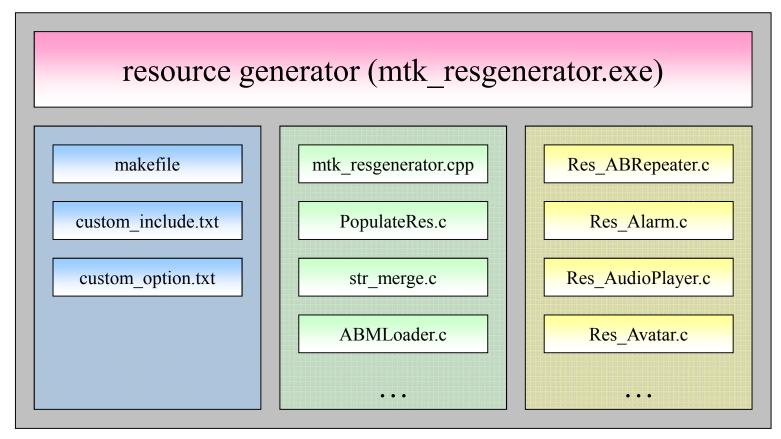
MMI resource overview

ResGen in build load process



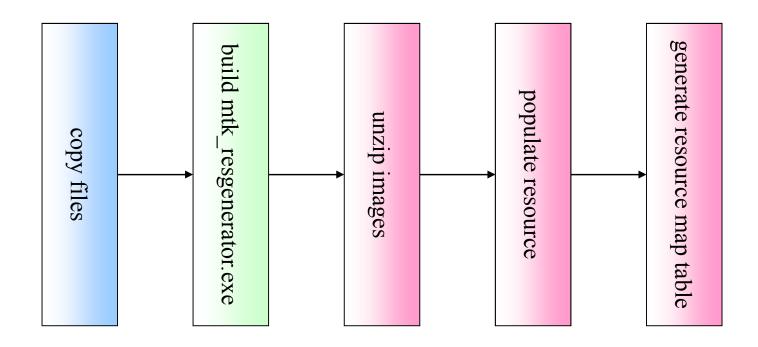
MMI resource generator

Software architecture



MMI resource generator

ResGen process: m resgen



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MMI Resource Customization

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- How to Modify Resource
- Image Formats
- Enhanced-NFB (E-NFB) Resource
- Multiple-Bin Architecture (MBA)
- Operator Customization
- Customize Font Database



How to Modify Resource

- String
 - ADD_APPLICATION_STRING2(stringId, string, display)
- Image
 - ADD_APPLICATION_IMAGE2(ImageId,ImgFileName,display)
- Menuitem
 - ADD_APPLICATION_MENUITEM(args)
 nMenuItemId, nParentId, nNumofMenuItem, nHideFlag, nMovable, nDispAttribute, nStrld, nImageId, *nOrderMenuItemId



Define String ID and Image ID

```
String ID
typedef enum
SCR_ID_MSG_MAIN_MENU = MESSAGES_BASE + 1,
} MESSAGES_STRING_ENUMS;
   Image ID
typedef enum
IMG_SMS_COMMON_NOIMAGE = MESSAGES_BASE + 1,
} MESSAGES IMAGE ENUMS;
```

Application ID Range

Define in MMIDataType.h

```
RESOURCE_BASE_RANGE(MAIN_MENU,
                                      600).
RESOURCE BASE RANGE(PHONE BOOK,
                                      1200),
RESOURCE BASE RANGE(SHORTCUTS,
                                      50),
RESOURCE BASE RANGE(FUN GAMES,
                                      300),
RESOURCE_BASE_RANGE(STATUS_ICONS,
                                      300),
RESOURCE BASE RANGE(SERVICES,
                                      100),
                                      100),
RESOURCE BASE RANGE(INFO NUM,
RESOURCE BASE RANGE(DATA ACCOUNT,
                                      200),
RESOURCE BASE RANGE(ORGANIZER,
                                      100),
RESOURCE BASE RANGE(TO DO LIST,
                                      100),
```

Define Menuitem ID

Define in GlobalMenuItems.h

```
enum GLOBALMENUITEMSID

{

IDLE_SCREEN_MENU_ID=1,

MAIN_MENU_MESSAGES_MENUID,

MAIN_MENU_FUNANDGAMES_MENUID,

MAIN_MENU_PHONEBOOK_MENUID,

///Add All Menus defines above MAX_MENU_ITEMS_VALUE Only

MAX_MENU_ITEMS_VALUE

};
```



An Res_XXX.c Example

```
#include "MMI_features.h" // add if you use any compile options in MMI_features.h
#include "StdC.h"
#include "CustomCfg.h"
void PopulateXXX(void)
   ADD APPLICATION STRING2(...);
   ADD_APPLICATION_IMAGE2(...);
   ADD_APPLICATION_MENUITEM(...);
#endif
```

- Image Formats
 - For rich UI display, we use different image types in different ways
 - Colorful and vivid
 - Performance
 - ROM size



Image Formats (1 / 3)

Format	Source	Characteristic	Where
PBM / BMP	xxx.PBM / xxx.BMP	True color Transparency No compression Fast	Status icon Title icon
JPG	xxx.JPG	True color Great compression (lossy) Fast	Full screen wallpaper
GIF	xxx.GIF	256 colors Transparency Animation Good compression Slow / Fast	Animation Multimedia skin



Image Formats (2 / 3)

Format	Source	Characteristic	Where
PNG	xxx.PNG		Currently not used
ABM (07A~)	xxx.PBM	True color	Small icon
	xxx.BMP xxx.PNG	Transparency / alpha chanel	Full screen wallpaper
		Normal compression	
		Fast	

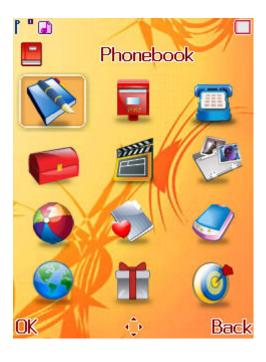


Image Formats (3 / 3)

Format	Source	Characteristic	Where
PBM / BMP SEQUENCE	interval.txt 0.PBM / 0.BMP 1.PBM / 1.BMP	Animation	Fairly used (status icon)
JPG SEQUENCE	interval.txt 0.JPG 1.JPG	Animation	Hardly used
ABM SEQUENCE (07A~)	interval.txt 0.PNG 1.PNG 	Animation True color Transparency / alpha chanel Large ROM size	Pop-up animation



Benefits of ABM





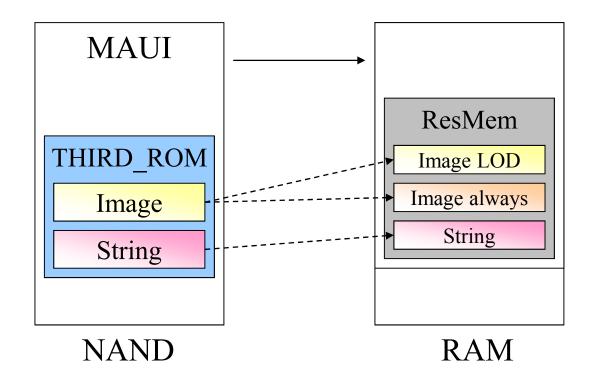




- Enhanced-NFB (E-NFB) Resource
 - For NFB project, MMI resource has large memory consumption
 - Save RAM size
 - Performance



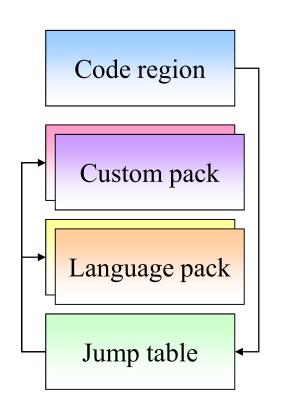
Enhanced-NFB (E-NFB) Resource



- Multiple-Bin Architecture (MBA)
 - For global launch customers, we have to combine different
 MMI resources for the same software architecture
 - separate resource bin from code region
 - easy to replace resource



Multiple-Bin Architecture (MBA)



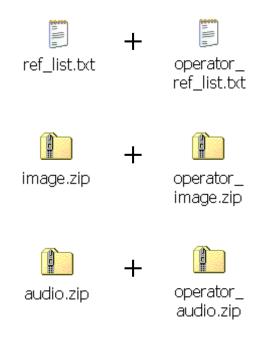




- Operator Customization
 - For different operator requirement, we have to apply specific resource for UI display
 - Use the least effort to apply / maintain the operator resource (image / string / audio)
 - Avoid impacts on our regular project



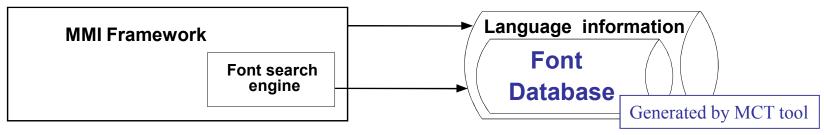
Operator Customization







- Customize Font Database in MCT Tool
 - Font Customize Tool
 - This tool helps you to generate the multiple language font data.
 - Font Viewer
 - This tool helps you to manage font database (bdf files)
 - Font Split
 - This tool helps to down-size a large font file into small one.
 - Font Merge
 - This tool helps to merge two small font file into the big one.
- Note:
 - The font data file(xxx.bdf) shall comply with BDF version 2.1
 - Height of font is fixed, and Width of font can be variable.



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