EFR32 BOARD SET UP

User Guide





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Gateway Image Flash

Below are the steps to flash new firmware on DragonBoard™ 410c board using the fastboot method

Step 1: Set up fastboot on host computer

Windows

Install Fastboot in your windows host machine from here

- Scroll to "Download ADB and Fastboot tool:"

Install Git Bash in your windows host machine Add environment variable for adb

- 1. Type "path" in windows search bar.
- 2. Select "Edit the System Environment Variables".
- 3. Click box near bottom for "Environment Variables"
- 4. Select "Path" in upper window then Edit.
- 5. Add an entry C:\adb (assuming this is the location adb was installed).
- 6. OK and close out of dialog boxes.

See Image 1 below

Install ADB USB Driver from

here: https://adb.clockworkmod.com/

Note: Do NOT have board connected. A PC reboot likely required after install.

Linux

You can install fastboot from source or using your distro package manager.

From source:

- Android SDK "Tools only" for Linux can be downloaded here
- The Linux "Tools Only" SDK download does not come with fastboot, you will need to use the Android SDK Manager to install platform-tools.
- To do this follow the "SDK Readme.txt" instructions included in your SDK "Tools Only" download.
- If you are still having trouble setting up fastboot, click here for a short tutorial video

Using a distro package manager:

- # Red Hat flavour (Fedora, CentOS)
- \$ sudo yum install android-tools
- # Debian (Ubuntu)
- \$ sudo apt-get install android-tools
- # Ubuntu 16.04 (Xenial) and beyond
- \$ sudo apt-get install android-tools
- -fastboot



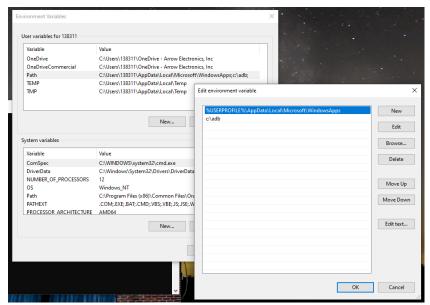


Image 1: Add Environment variable for ADB

Step 2: Connect host computer to DragonBoard™ 410c

- DragonBoard[™] 410c must be powered off (unplugged from power)
- Make sure microSD card slot on DragonBoard™ 410c is empty
- S6 switch on DragonBoard™ 410c must be set to '0-0-0-0'. All switches should be in "off" position
- Connect USB to microUSB cable from host computer to DragonBoard™ 410c

Step 3: Boot DragonBoard 410c into fastboot mode

Please read all bullet points before attempting

- 1. With DragonBoard[™] 410c POWERED OFF; Press and hold the Vol (-) button on the DragonBoard[™] 410c, this is the S4 button.
- 2. While holding the Vol (-) button, power on the DragonBoard™ 410c by plugging it in
- 3. Once DragonBoard™ 410c is plugged into power, release your hold on the Vol (-) button.
- 4. Wait for about 20 seconds.
- 5. Board should boot into fastboot mode.
- 6. From the connected host machine terminal window, run the following commands:

#Check to make sure device is connected and in fastboot mode

WindowsLinux\$ fastboot devices\$ sudo fastboot devices

7. Below will show on success:

\$ de82318 fastboot



Step 4: Flash Bootloader

- Use host computer

Windows

Open Git Bash

<u>Linux</u>

Open "Terminal" application

- Recall location of Bootloader download.
- Name Bootloader file as:

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dragonboard-410c-bootloader-emmc-Y-XX
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- o Y represents Android or Linux
- O XX represents the release number of the Bootloader
- cd to the directory with your unzipped Bootloader Folder

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$ cd <extraction directory>
#Example:
cd /Users/YourUserName/Downloads
#<extraction directory> = /Users/YourUserName/Downloads
#For this example we assume the "Bootloader" is in the Downloads folder.
$ cd <unzipped Bootloader folder>
#Example:
cd dragonboard-410c-bootloader-emmc-linux-137
#<unzipped Bootloader folder> =
dragonboard-410c-bootloader-emmc-linux-137
#This example took place during release 137
# This command will execute the flashall script within the bootloader
folder
            Windows
          $ ./flashall
                                               $ sudo ./flashall
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The bootloader has now been flashed to the eMMC.

- Reboot to launch the newly-flashed boot loader, which will allow us to flash the remaining parts of the operating system.

Reboot the system so we can flash the rest.

Windows Linux
\$ fastboot reboot \$ sudo fastboot reboot

Step 5: Copy the files to specific location on your host machine Files located in https://github.com/ArrowElectronicsESC/Silabs_AWS_IoT_Gateway:

- boot-dragonboard-410c.img
- rpb-console-image-dragonboard-410c.ext4.gz (For Linux OS)
- rpb-console-image-dragonboard-410c.img.gz (For Windows OS)



Step 6: Unzip and flash files to the DragonBoard™ 410c.

Windows

Unzip rpb-console-imagedragonboard-410c.img.gz

\$ fastboot flash boot bootdragonboard-410c.img
\$ fastboot flash rootfs rpb-

console-image-dragonboard-

\$ gunzip rpb-console-image-

dragonboard-410c.ext4.gz
\$ sudo fastboot flash boot
boot-dragonboard-410c.img

Linux

\$ sudo fastboot flash rootfs rpb-console-image-dragonboard-

410c.ext4

NOTE: The second file will take about 100 seconds to load.

Step 7: Reboot DragonBoard 410c

410c.img

Windows

\$ fastboot reboot

<u>Linux</u>

\$ sudo fastboot reboot

Sentimate sensor Firmware Flash

Below are the steps to flash new firmware on Sentimate board

Step 1: Connect Sentimate board with WSTK board

- Once you open Sentimate board, you will also see two JTAG serial ports:
 - o the one is on power supply side that is for the ZGM130S037HGN1 module
 - o the other one is for the MGM13P12F512GA module
- Make sure the red wire is on the right side, in correspondence of a "1" written on the green layer.
- Do NOT power up the SENTIMATE. Connect JTAG to "CORTEX" port on STK board. Board will receive power over JTAG.

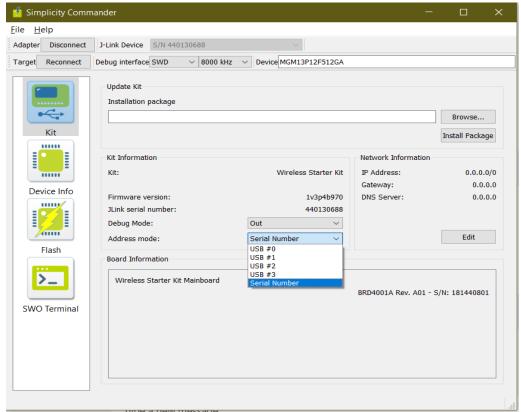
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Sentimate_ZigBee.bin

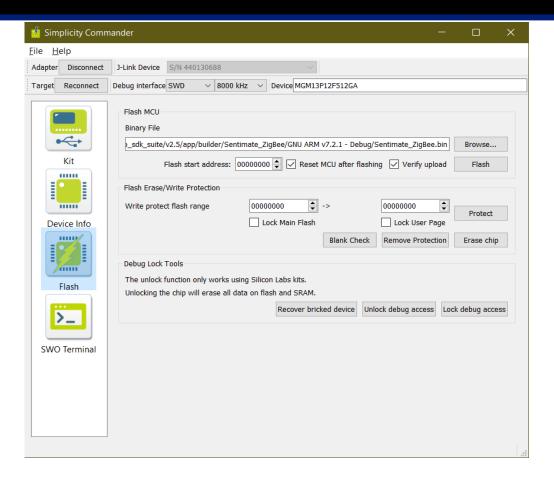


Step 3: Open simplicity commander from Simplicity IDE

- Switch to Launcher Tab in IDE.
- By clicking on tools button "Tools Dialog" will be opened.
- Select **simplicity commander** from menu.
- Click "Connect" on the first row and then "Connect" on the second row to detect the board







- Select Browse then select Sentimate_ZigBee.bin
- Next, press "Flash". Wait until it's done.
- On success the led starts blinking in red.

Android Mobile Application

- Copy the Application file into your Android Mobile Phone.

File located at https://github.com/ArrowElectronicsESC/Silabs_AWS_IoT_Gateway:

- EFR32_Gateway_1.2.apk
- ei_EFR32_Gateway_Mobile_Application_User_Manual
- Install the application and follow the "ei_EFR32_Gateway_Mobile_Application_User_Manual" for Gateway and Sensor provision.