

TRAINING

ESP Bootstrap



ESP Bootstrap: Objective

- Build a complete "product": Smart Power Outlet
 - Control GPIO output
 - Network Configuration
 - Remote control through cloud
 - OTA Upgrades
 - Reset to Factory



Hello World



Objective

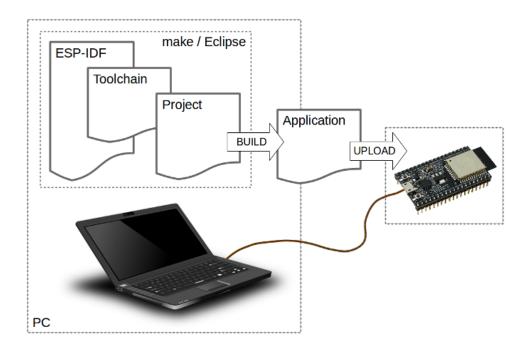
- Getting Ready
- Development Host Setup
- Configure and Build
- Flash
- Console



Getting Started

- Development Host PC
 - Windows, Linux, Mac
- ESP32 DevKit C
- USB to mini-USB cable
- Wi-Fi Access Point

Overview

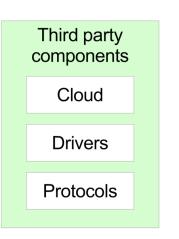


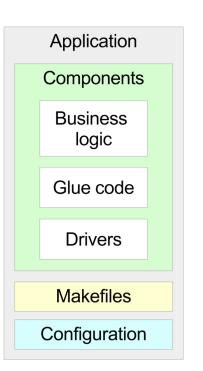
- Espressif's IoT Development Framework
- Collection of Libraries and Header files
- Tools for build, flash, debug



Component Based Design



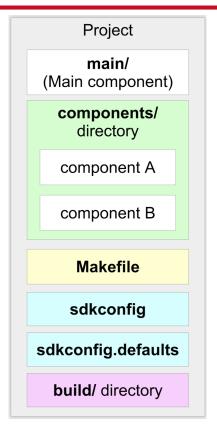








Structure of an application/project





Configuration

- Configuration system based on Linux kernel's kconfig
- Configure settings for your project (impacts feature, performance, memory)
- Each component can define its own configuration options
- Use **make menuconfig** command to edit the configuration



Build and Load

- make flash
- make monitor

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include "freertos/FreeRTOS.h"
#include "freertos/task.h"
void app main()
    int i = 0;
    while (1) {
        printf("[%d] Hello world!\n", i);
        i++;
        vTaskDelay(5000 / portTICK PERIOD MS);
```

Code

- app_main: Application Entry Point
- Runs in the application thread
- C Library
- FreeRTOS

The C standard Library

ESP-IDF uses newlib 2.2.0 as C standard library

- Parts of newlib are placed into ESP32 ROM
- Newlib interacts with RTOS through a syscall table
- Newlib supports per-task reentrant structures
- Most of the C standard library is supported, plus extras



The C standard Library

Not supported

- Wide character functions
- Signals
- Locales
- atexit, system, mallinfo

Supported

- stdlib, stdio, string, math, time
- File/Directory operations
- Reentrant functions
- Timezones, DST

Real-Time Operating System https://www.freertos.org

- Threads
- Interrupts
- Message Queues, Semaphores and Mutexes
- Timers

API Reference: https://www.freertos.org/a00106.html



Outlet



Objective

- Use GPIOs
- Configure a push-button
- Control an output



Push-Button

- Assert a GPIO
- Callback handler
- iot_button component: Allows long-hold actions

Solution Code

- Configure mode
- Set output

```
gpio_config_t io_conf;
io_conf.mode = GPIO_MODE_OUTPUT;
io_conf.pull_up_en = 1;
io_conf.pin_bit_mask = ((uint64_t)1 << OUTPUT_GPIO);

/* Configure the GPIO */
gpio_config(&io_conf);

/* Assert GPIO */
gpio_set_level(OUTPUT_GPIO, target);</pre>
```



Wi-Fi



Objective

- Configure Wi-Fi station interface
- Connect to pre-configured AP
- Asynchronous event handler:
 - Connected
 - Disconnected
 - IP Address assignment



```
#include <esp_wifi.h>
#include <esp_event_loop.h>

tcpip_adapter_init();
esp_event_loop_init(event_handler, NULL);

wifi_init_config_t cfg = WIFI_INIT_CONFIG_DEFAULT();
esp_wifi_init(&cfg);
esp_wifi_set_mode(WIFI_MODE_STA);
```

```
wifi_config_t wifi_config = {
    .sta = {
        .ssid = EXAMPLE_ESP_WIFI_SSID,
        .password = EXAMPLE_ESP_WIFI_PASS,
    },
};
esp_wifi_set_config(ESP_IF_WIFI_STA, &wifi_config);
esp_wifi_start();
```

```
esp err t event handler (void *ctx, system event t
*event)
    switch(event->event id) {
    case SYSTEM EVENT STA START:
        esp wifi connect();
        break;
    case SYSTEM EVENT STA GOT IP:
        ESP LOGI (TAG, "Connected with IP Address:%s",
ip4addr ntoa(&event->event info.got ip.ip info.ip));
        break;
    case SYSTEM EVENT STA DISCONNECTED:
        esp wifi connect();
        break;
    return ESP OK;
```



Network Configuration



Objective

- Get your product on the user's home network
 - as opposed to a pre-configured network
- User Settings and Reset to Factory



Considerations

- Soft AP
 - Manual Wi-Fi change on iOS
- Bluetooth
 - Larger flash footprint
- Smart-Config



Network Provisioning

- Specification to securely transfer credentials to the device, independent of the transport (SoftAP, Bluetooth)
- Device-side implementation of the specification
- Libraries for Android/iOS that implement the specification
- Reference applications on the device and Android/iOS



Configurations

- SoftAP or BLE?
- Secure Exchange?
- Proof of possession?
- Service Name?



```
if (conn mgr prov is provisioned(&provisioned) !=
ESP OK) {
    return;
if (! provisioned) {
    /* Starting provisioning */
    conn mgr prov start provisioning (prov type,
               security, pop, service name,
service key);
} else {
    /* Start the station */
    wifi init sta();
```



```
esp_err_t event_handler(void *ctx, system_event_t
*event)
{
    conn_mgr_prov_event_handler(ctx, event);

    switch(event->event_id) {
        case SYSTEM_EVENT_STA_START:
...
...
...
...
```



Flash Partitions

- Store user's configuration: NVS
- Custom Partition Table: partitions.csv
- Update in 'menuconfig'

- Key-Value store in flash
- Power loss resilient
- Wear-levelling: Log based structure
- Support namespaces
- Used for: Manufacturing settings, User's configuration, Maintaining state across resets



Reset to Factory

- Long-press Push Button
- Erase NVS





Phone Application

- Android and iOS
- Structured as library and phone app
- Android: https://github.com/espressif/esp-idf-provisioning-android
- iOS: https://github.com/espressif/esp-idf-provisioning-ios



Cloud: Remote Control & Analytics



Objective

- Cloud communication:
 - Update local state information
 - Fetch commands
- Security:
 - Cloud CA Certificate
 - Device's authentication Certificates
- Example Cloud: AWS

- Example Cloud
- Uses Device Certificate and Key for authentication
 - Pre-generated for the training



Embedding Files in the Firmware

Update your component.mk

Access in your code



Change the thing name

 Update the thing-name in your code to match your thingname



Read state using HTTP API

```
$ curl --tlsv1.2 --cert /work/certificate.pem.crt --
key /work/private.pem.key https://aln7lww42a721-
ats.iot.us-east-2.amazonaws.com:8443/things/chicago1/
shadow | python -mjson.tool
```



Update state using HTTP API

```
$ curl -d '{"state":{"desired":{"output":false}}}' --
tlsv1.2 --cert /work/certificate.pem.crt --key /work/
private.pem.key https://aln7lww42a721-ats.iot.us-
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python -mjson.tool
```



OTA Upgrade

• Over the Air Firmware Update

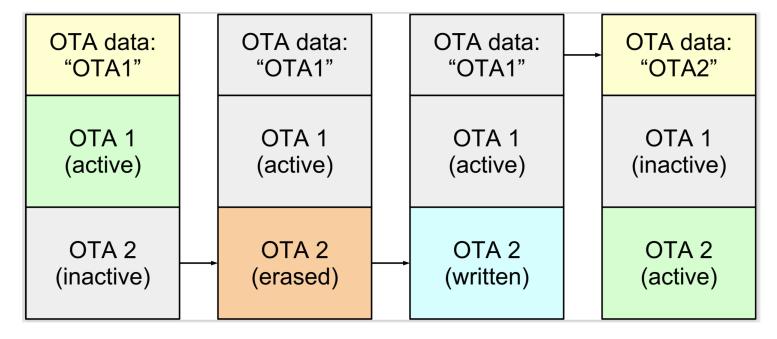


Flash Partitions once more

- Active-Passive Firmware Partitions
- OTA Data partition stores currently active partition state



Flash Partitions once more





Typical Considerations

- Server's CA certificate validation
- Different from device state change commands
- Upgrade deployment stages

```
esp_http_client_config_t config = {
        .url = url,
        .cert_pem =
(char*)upgrade_server_cert_pem_start,
    };
    esp_err_t ret = esp_https_ota(&config);
    if (ret == ESP_OK) {
        esp_restart();
    } else {
        ESP_LOGE(TAG, "Firmware Upgrades Failed");
}
```



Test Upgrade URL

 https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kedars/drawer/ master/hello-world.bin



Factory Partition



Objective

- Allow configuring per-device unique configurations
- To be applied at the factory during manufacturing



NVS Once More

- Separate NVS partition for storing factory settings
- So 2 NVS partititions:
 - For storing user configuration. Is erased on reset-tofactory action
 - For storing device-unique configuration at the time of manufacturing. Is never erased
- Update the partitions.csv with this new partition



Pre-generate NVS Partition

• Decide partition content:

```
key,type,encoding,value
mfg_ns,namespace,,
serial_no,data,string,btest1
cert,file,string,/training/esp-bootstrap/7mfg/main/
certs/certificate.pem.crt
priv_key,file,string,/training/esp-bootstrap/7mfg/main/
certs/private.pem.key
```

 Three keys: serial_no, cert and priv_key, are part of the NVS within the 'mfg_ns' namespace of this NVS partition



Pre-generate NVS Partition

Convert the file to an NVS on-flash image:

```
$ python /training/esp-bootstrap/esp-idf/components/
nvs_flash/nvs_partition_generator/nvs_partition_gen.py
--version v1 mfg config.csv mfg.bin
```

Flash this partition at its right location:

```
$ /training/esp-bootstrap/esp-idf/components/esptool_py/
esptool/esptool.py --port /dev/tty.SLAB_USBtoUART
write_flash 0x340000 mfg.bin
```



Read the manufacturing data

 Read the manufacturing data from the firmware using NVS API



Product Ready!

- Now we have a complete end-product:
 - Control GPIO output
 - Network Configuration
 - Remote control through cloud
 - OTA Upgrades
 - Reset to Factory



Thank You!