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EE2080 Microprocessor Systems Design and Interfacing Laboratory

Assembly programming using FRDM-KL25Z development board and Keil Uvision5.

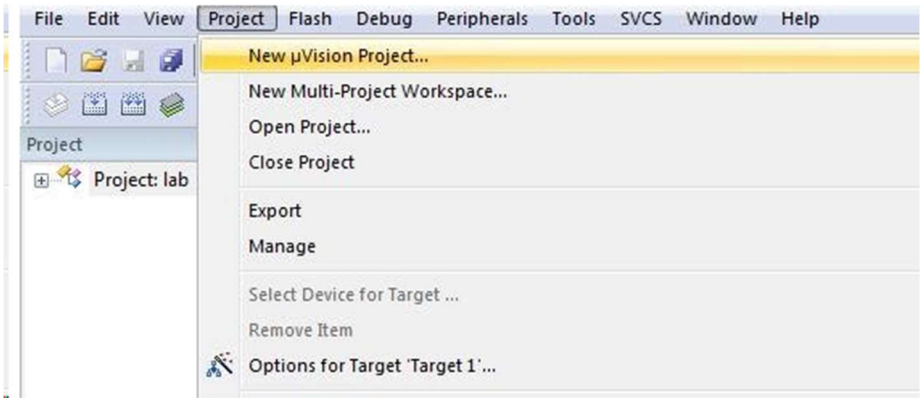
Steps:

1. Open the folder **EE2080 2019** in the desktop.

2. Create a new folder with your **roll no_expt.no** as the **folder name**. If you are doing in groups, the folder name should be **roll no1_roll no2_expt.no**. All the files for the experiment should be saved in this folder. **For each lab a separate folder in the above format should be created.**

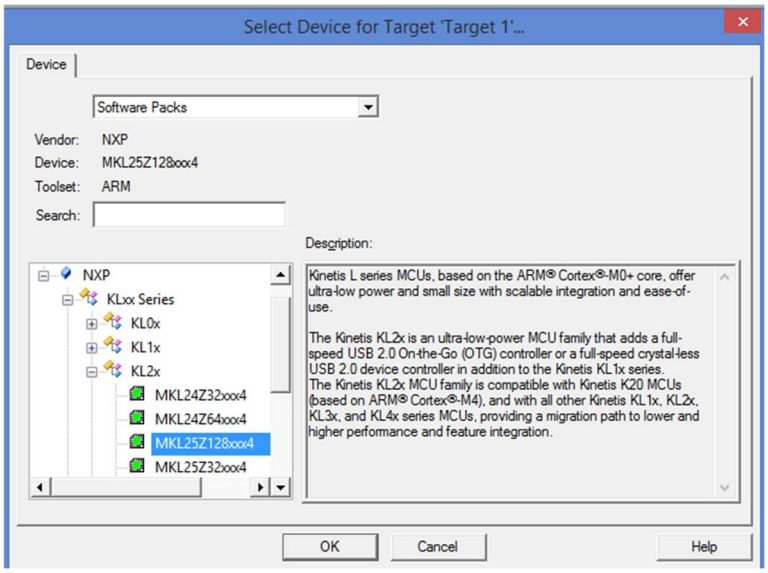
3. Open **Keil uVision5** application from the desktop by double clicking on the icon  .

4. Click on Project→ New uVision Project

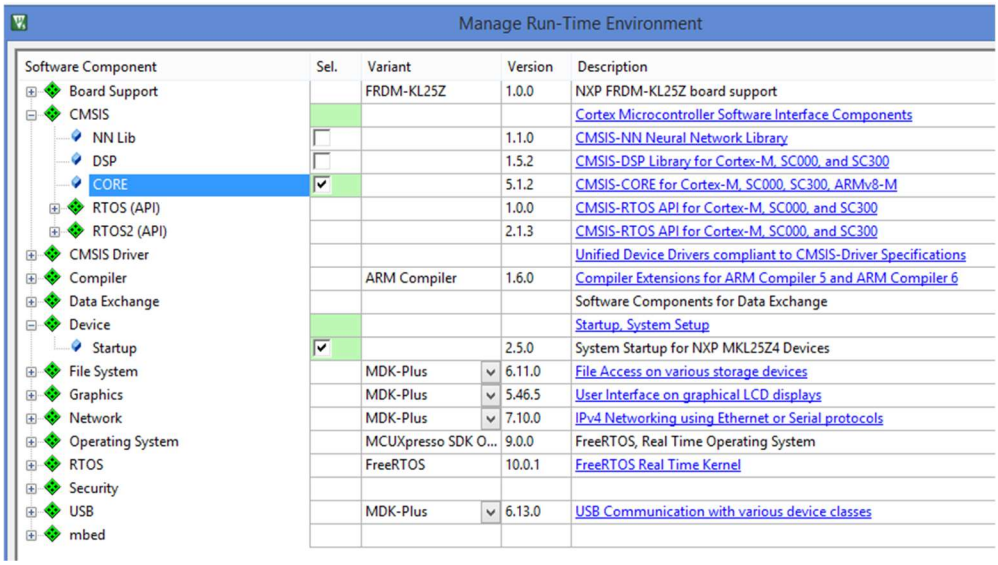


5. Enter the project name and save as Project files with extension *.uvproj or *.uvprojx in the folder you have created (roll no_expt.no).

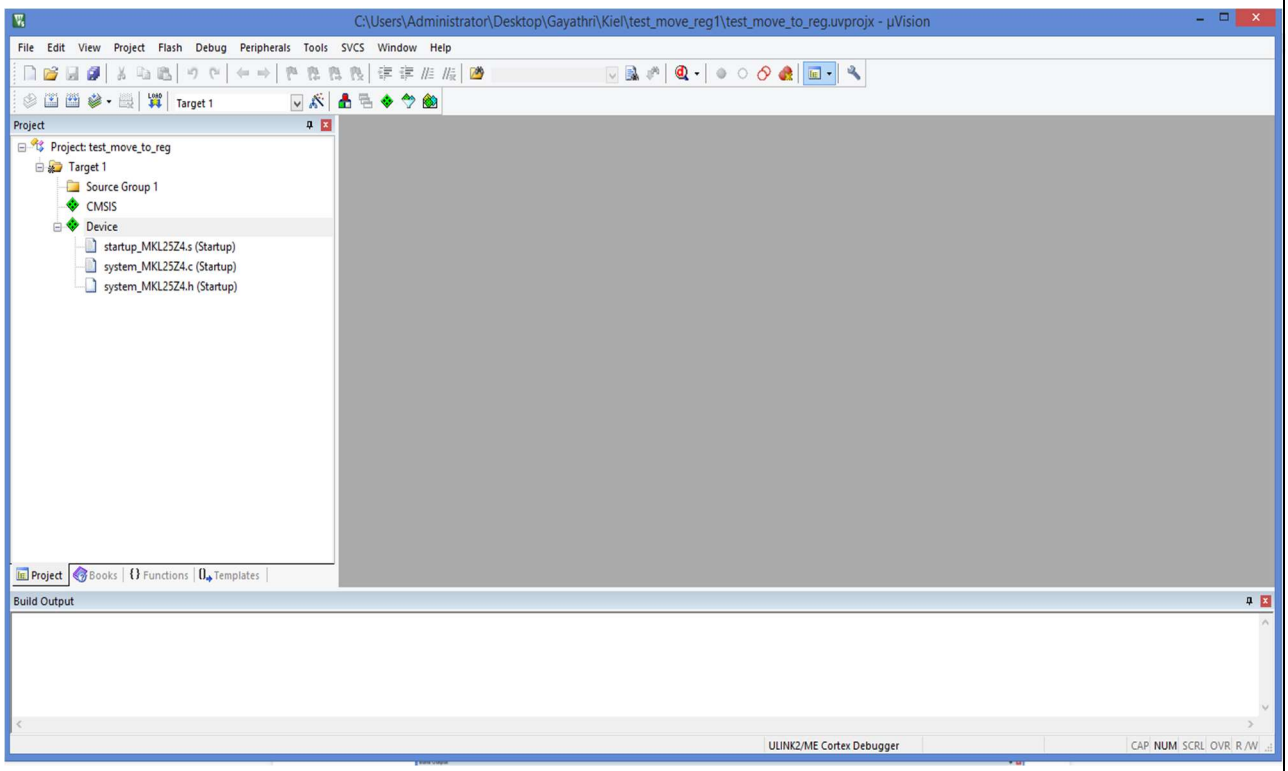
6. A new window will be opened where we have to select the device that is going to be used. Select **MKL25Z128xxx4** as device (NXP→KL2x→ MKL25Z128xxx4). The description of the selected device will be displayed in the description box. Click OK.



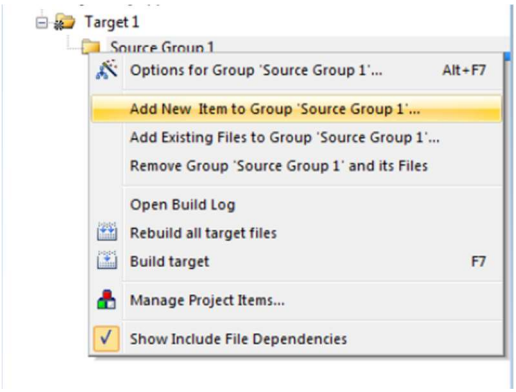
7. In the '**Manage Run-Time Environment**' window that appears, make the selection as shown below and click Ok. This is for providing the startup settings for your board.

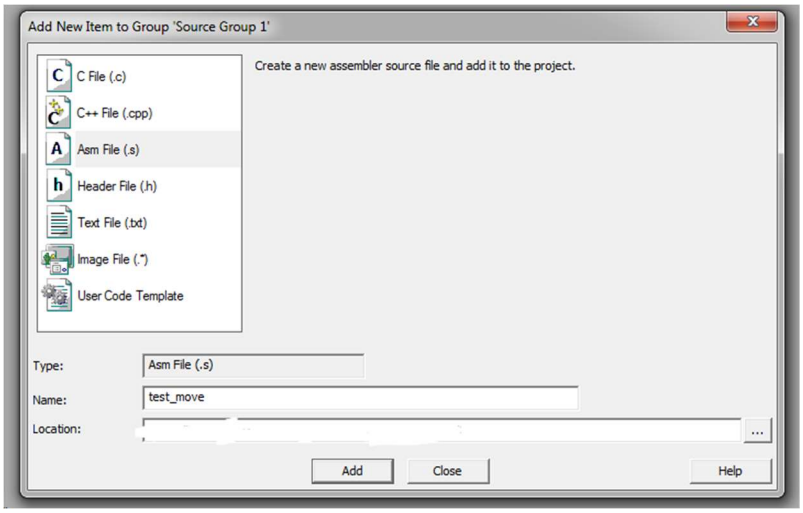


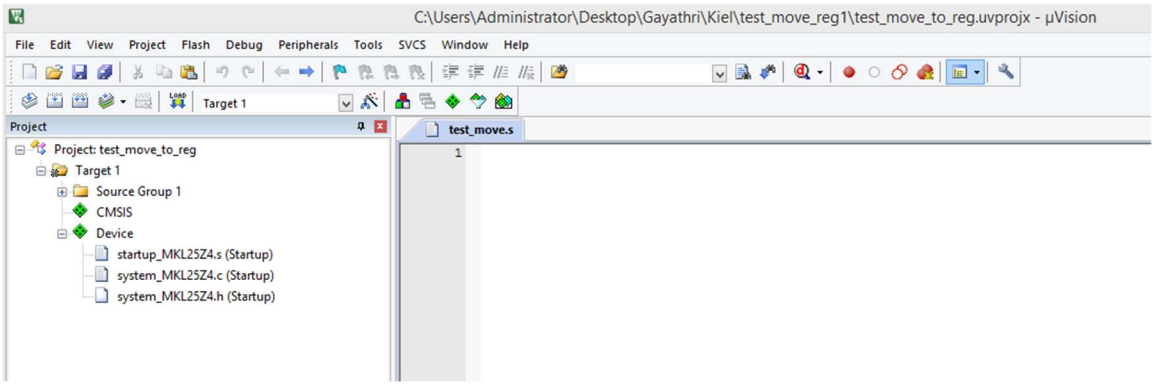
8. On clicking Ok you will get a window as shown below:



9. To create the assembly code file, right click on your target folder → Select ‘Add new item to Group’ → Select the type of file as Asm file (.s) → Give a name for the file → Click ‘Add’ → Ensure that the file is added to the project.







10. Writing an assembly program: Open your asm file.

    Here is a sample program to move values 0x13 and 0x15 into registers R0 and R1 respectively.

startup_MKL25Z4.s | test_move.s

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1          TTL MOVE DATA TO REGISTERS ;title of the program
2          AREA MOVE, CODE, READONLY  ;defining the code area
3          EXPORT __main              ;to access the __main function in the startup file
4          ENTRY                      ;Entry to the main program
5  __main
6          MOVS R0, #0X13             ;moving 0x13 to register R0
7          MOVS R1, #0X15             ;moving 0x15 to register R1
8  EXIT    B EXIT                     ;creating the exit loop
9          END                        ;end
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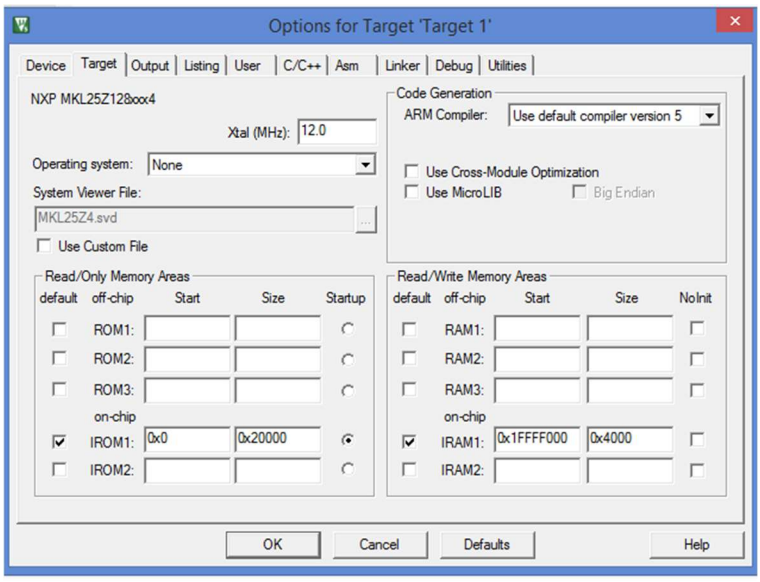
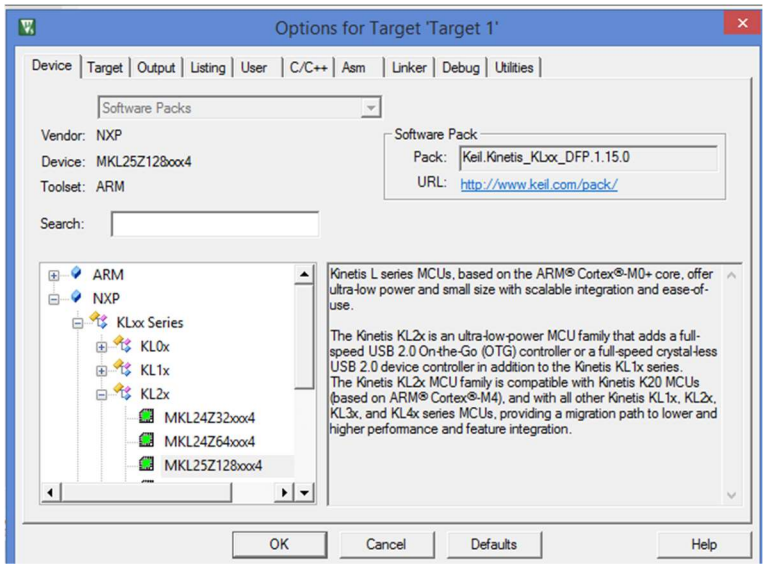
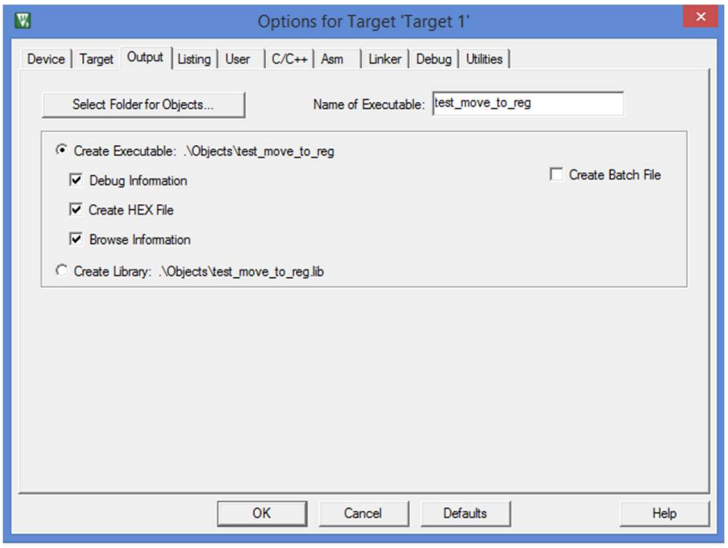
11. Click on the icon  (Options for target) on the build toolbar. You will get a window as below:



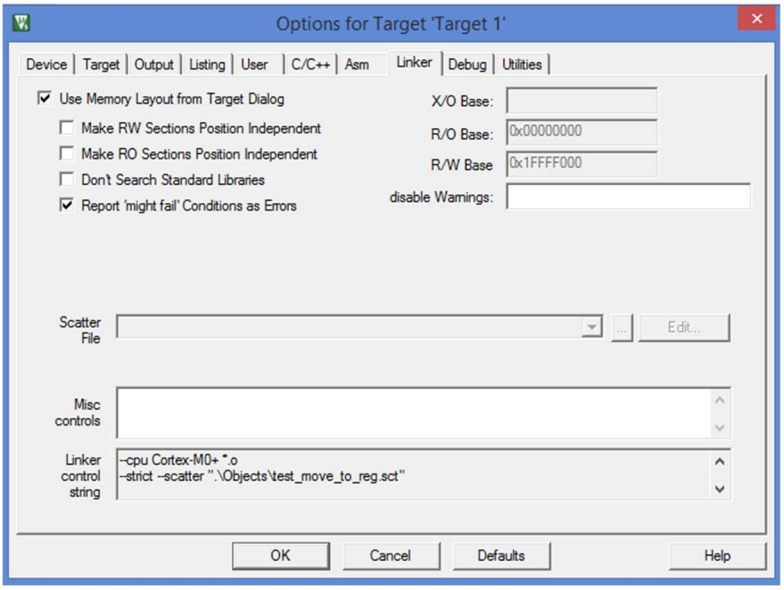
12. Click on the 'Device' tab. You will see a list of devices from various companies. Select NXP → MKL25Z128xxx4 (the board that is going to be used). Once you select it the description of board will be shown on the side of the window.



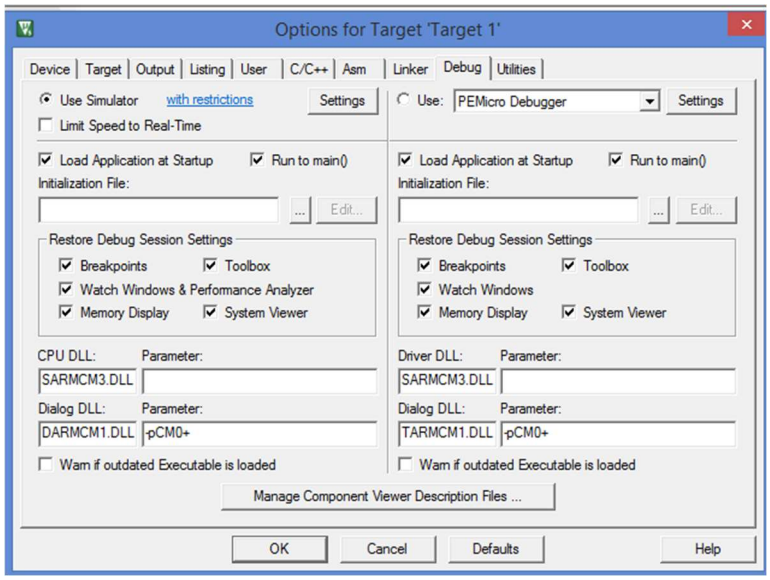
13. Click 'Output' tab → Tick 'Create HEX file'.



14. Do not change anything on the ‘Listing’, ‘User’, ‘C/C++’, ‘Asm’ tabs. Take the ‘Linker’ tab → Tick ‘Use Memory Layout from Target Dialog’.



15. Click ‘Debug’ tab and select ‘Use simulator’ as we are trying out simulation first without using the board and click Ok.



16. Building your program: Right click on the Source group → Rebuild all target files or click on the icon  in the toolbar.

    <u>Important: You have to rebuild your program after every modification.</u>

    Check if build is completed successfully:

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Build Output
*** Using Compiler 'V5.06 update 6 (build 750)', folder: 'C:\Keil_v5\ARM\ARMCC\Bin'
Rebuild target 'Target 1'
assembling startup_MKL25Z4.s...
assembling test_move.s...
compiling system_MKL25Z4.c...
linking...
.\Objects\test_move_to_reg.sct(8): warning: L6314W: No section matches pattern *(InRoot$$Sections).
Program Size: Code=848 RO-data=192 RW-data=0 ZI-data=256
Finished: 0 information, 1 warning and 0 error messages.
FromELF: creating hex file...
".\Objects\test_move_to_reg.axf" - 0 Error(s), 1 Warning(s).
Build Time Elapsed:  00:00:00
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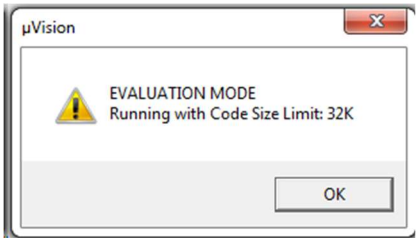
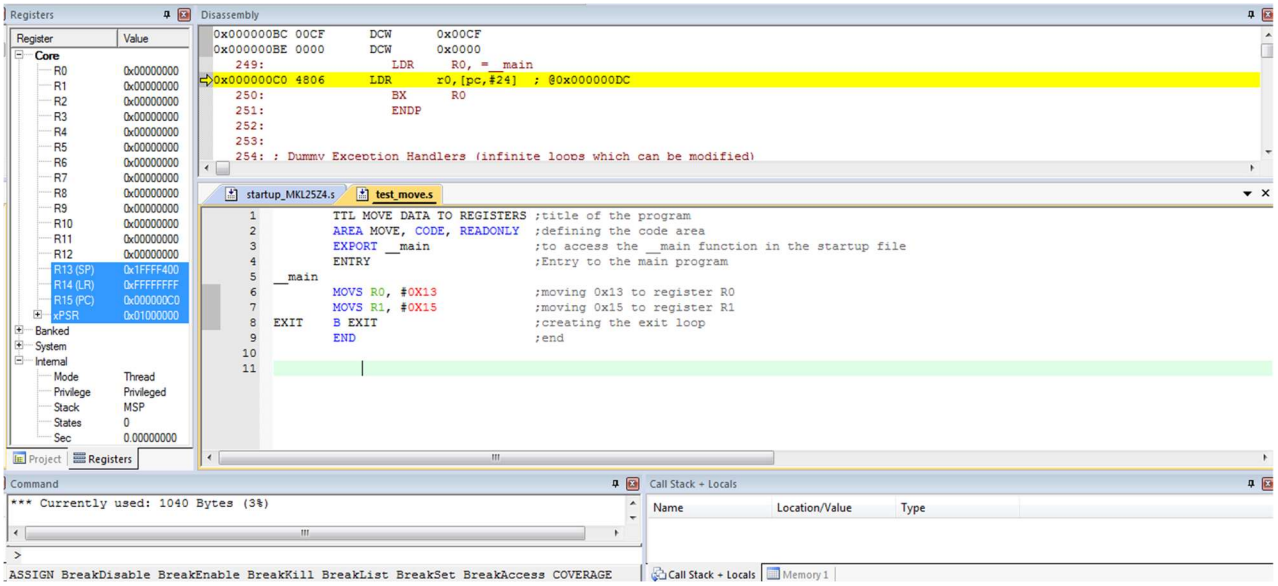
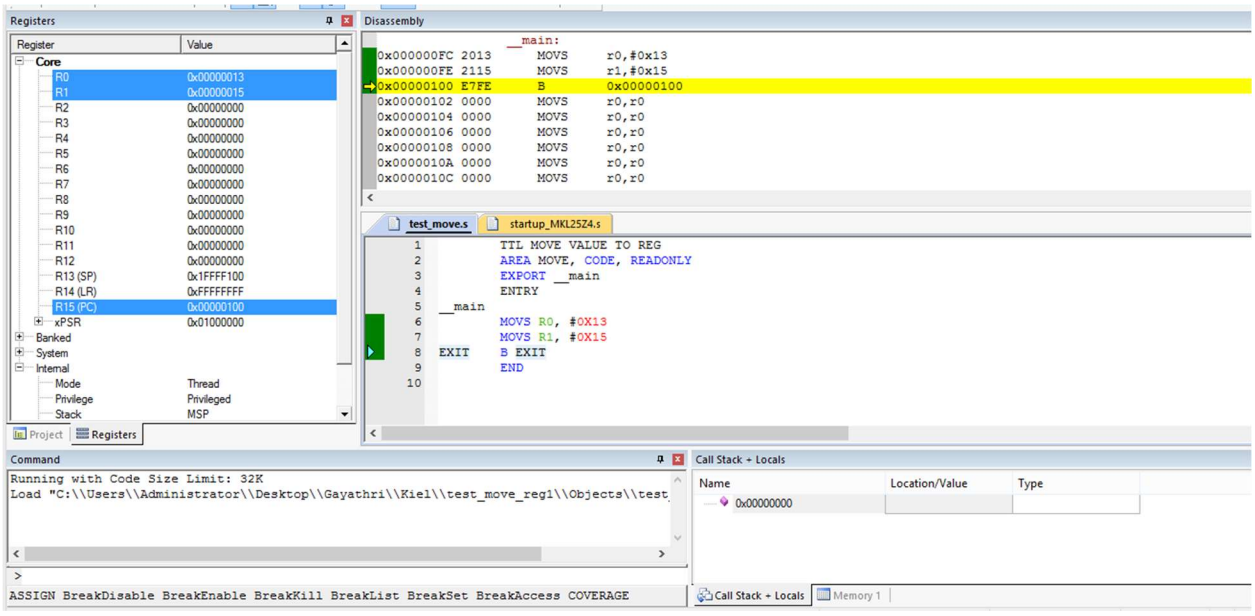
17. Debugging the code: Click 'Debug' → Start/Stop debug session → Click Ok in the dialog box that appears.



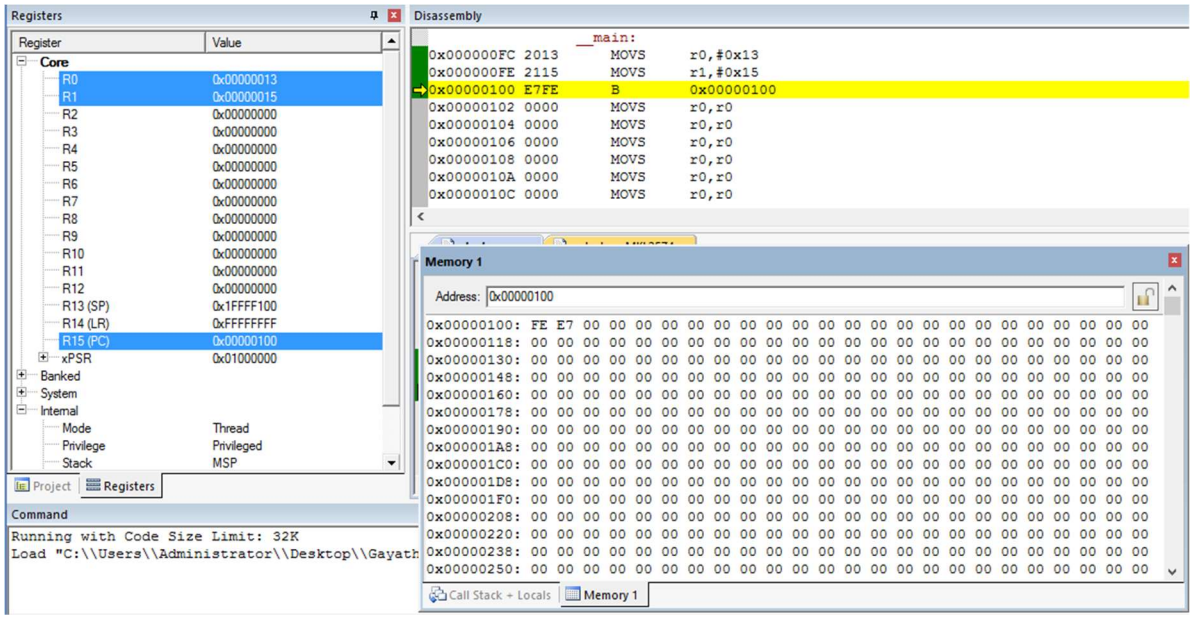
18. You get the debug windows as shown below:



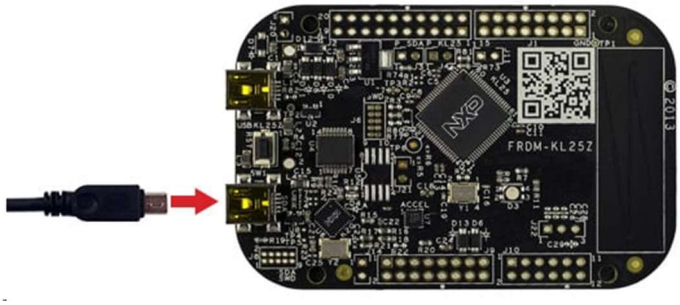
19. Use these icons as needed to run your code  .
Running using single step at a time is illustrated below:



You can see the contents of the memory by clicking the memory tab as shown below:

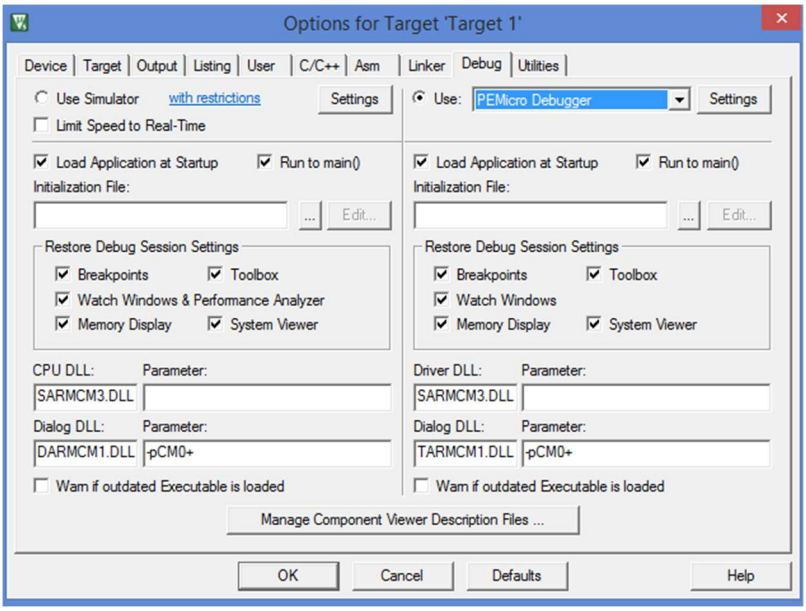


20. Connect the USB cable to the 'Open SDA' port of the FRDM KL25Z board.

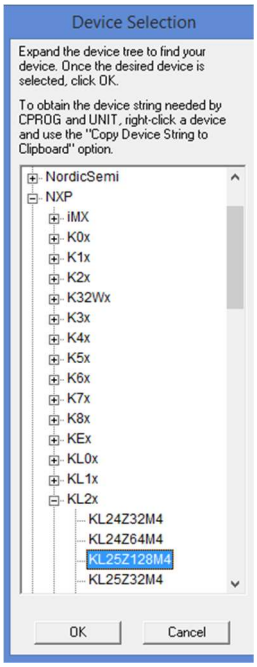


(Figure Courtesy: https://www.nxp.com)

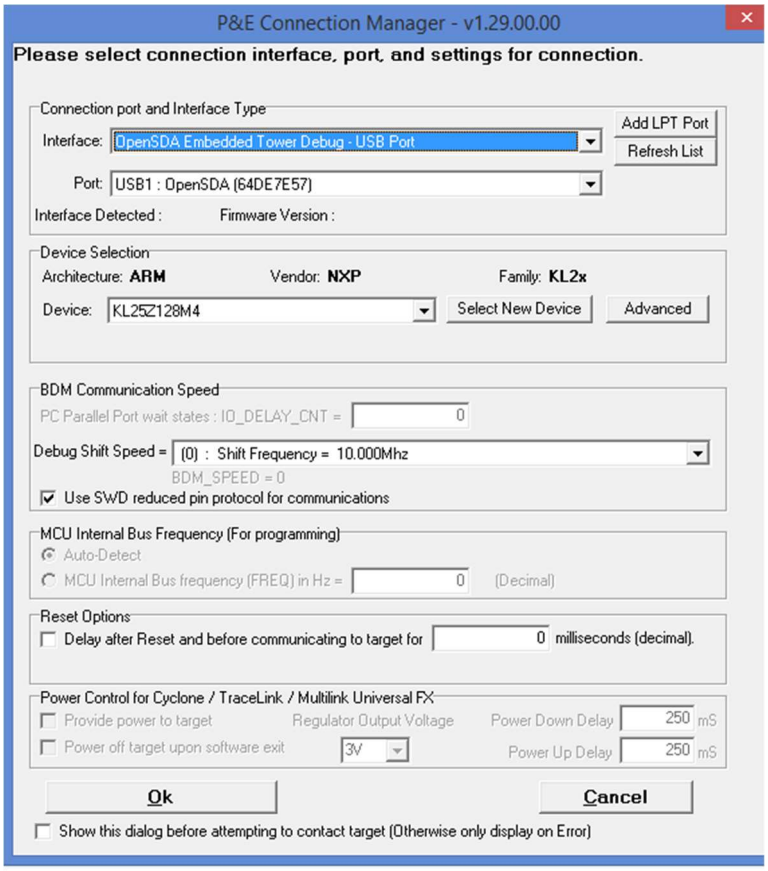
21. Selecting the hardware debugging mode: Click on the icon  (Options for target) on the build toolbar. Go to 'Debug' tab and select 'PEMicro Debugger' (this is the debugger that we are using).



Click on 'Settings' beside the 'PEMicro Debugger'. In the 'Interface', select 'OpenSDA Embedded Tower Debug-USB Port' as the interface type. Click Refresh list. If your device is properly connected, it will detect the Open SDA port of your device and will update the connection port part. In the device selection area click 'Select New Device' and select your device and Click Ok.

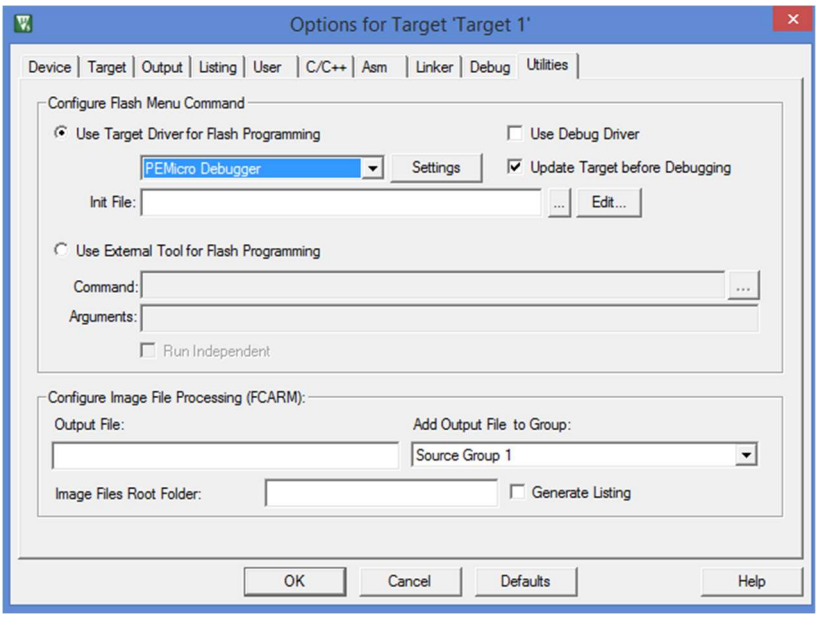


After updating the interface type, connection port and device, your window should look like as shown below:



Click Ok.

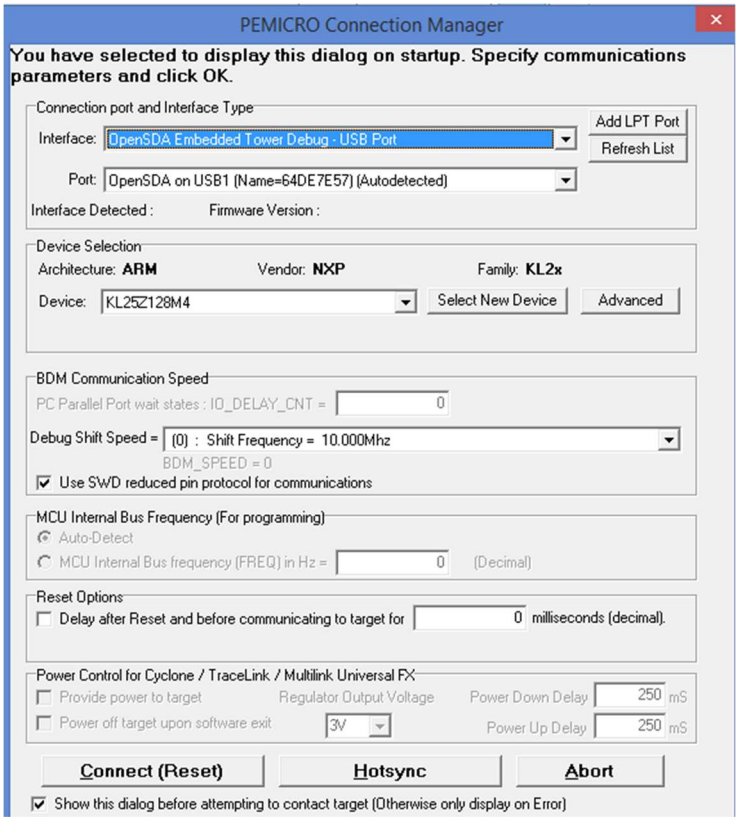
22. Go to ‘Debug’ tab → Uncheck the box of ‘Use Debug Driver’ and select PEmicro Debugger as the target driver and click Ok.



23. Rebuild your code. Check and correct the errors if any.

24. Loading the code onto the board: Click on ‘Download code to Flash memory’ 

. Select your interface and device as done in Step 25. Click Connect (Reset).



25. See in the build output window if the code is loaded into the board correctly.

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Build Output
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Rebuild target 'Target 1'
assembling test_move.s...
assembling startup_MKL25Z4.s...
compiling system_MKL25Z4.c...
linking...
.\Objects\test_move_to_reg.sct(8): warning: L6314W: No section matches pattern *(InRoot$$Sections).
Program Size: Code=848 RO-data=192 RW-data=0 ZI-data=256
Finished: 0 information, 1 warning and 0 error messages.
FromELF: creating hex file...
".\Objects\test_move_to_reg.axf" - 0 Error(s), 1 Warning(s).
Build Time Elapsed:  00:00:01
Load "C:\\Users\\Administrator\\Desktop\\Gayathri\\Kiel\\test_move_reg1\\Objects\\test_move_to_reg.axf"
Flash Load finished at 16:32:42
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26. Perform the debugging as in Steps 17-19.