

# UEFI Basics Tutorial (V) - A Preliminary Study on PPI

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This article introduces the PPI (PEIM-to-PEIM Interface) communication mechanism in UEFI environment in detail, and shows how to use `PeiServicesInstallPpi` and `PeiServicesLocatePpi` to register and obtain services between PEIM modules and access resources through specific examples.

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## 1. Write source code

1. Write `C:\edkii\OvmfPkg\MyHelloWorldInstallPPI\MyHelloWorldInstallPPI.c`,

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```
1 #include <uefi.h>
2 #include <Library/UefiLib.h>
3 #include <Library/BaseLib.h>
4 #include <Library/DebugLib.h>
5 #include <Library/BaseMemoryLib.h>
6 #include <Library/UefiDriverEntryPoint.h>
7 #include <Library/PeimEntryPoint.h>
8 #include <Library/PeiServicesLib.h>
9 #include <Library/PeiServicesTablePointerLib.h>
10 #include <Pi/PiHob.h>
11 #include <Pi/PiPeiCis.h>
12
13 EFI_GUID gMyHelloWorldPEIGUID = { 0xbdb38129, 0x4d65, 0x39f4, { 0x72, 0x12, 0x68, 0xcf, 0x5a, 0x19, 0xa, 0xf8 } };
14
```

```

15
16 EFI_STATUS
17 EFIAPI
18 PrintHelloMsg (
19     IN CHAR16 * Msg
20 )
twen {
twen     DEBUG ((EFI_D_ERROR, "[MyHelloWorldPPI] PrintHelloMsg : %s \n",Msg));
twen     return EFI_SUCCESS;
twen }
25
26 typedef EFI_STATUS (EFIAPI * PRINTMSG)(CHAR16 *Msg);
27 typedef struct _EFI_HELLOWORLD_PROTOCOL {
28     PRINTMSG PrintMsg;
29 }EFI_HELLOWORLD_PROTOCOL;
30
31 EFI_HELLOWORLD_PROTOCOL mHelloWorldPpi = {
32     PrintHelloMsg
33 };
34
35 EFI_PEI_PPI_DESCRIPTOR mPpiListCodePpi = {
36     (EFI_PEI_PPI_DESCRIPTOR_PPI | EFI_PEI_PPI_DESCRIPTOR_TERMINATE_LIST),
37     &MyHelloWorldPEIGUID,
38     &mHelloWorldPpi
39 };
40
41 EFI_STATUS
42 EFIAPI
43 MyHelloWorldInstallPPIEntry(
44     IN     EFI_PEI_FILE_HANDLE  FileHandle,
45     IN CONST EFI_PEI_SERVICES   **PeiServices
46 )
47 {
48     EFI_STATUS                               Status = EFI_SUCCESS;
49     DEBUG ((EFI_D_ERROR, "[MyHelloWorldPPI] MyHelloWorldInstallPPIEntry Start..\n"));
50     PeiServicesInstallPpi (&mPpiListCodePpi);
51     DEBUG ((EFI_D_ERROR, "[MyHelloWorldPPI] MyHelloWorldInstallPPIEntry End..\n"));
52
53     return Status;
54 }

```

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2. Write C:\edkii\OvmfPkg\MyHelloWorldInstallPPI\MyHelloWorldInstallPPI.inf,

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```
1 [Defines]
2   INF_VERSION = 0x00010006
3   BASE_NAME = MyHelloWorldInstallPPI
4   FILE_GUID = 69E6DE5D-F09E-485E-9936-EB70FDCFC82A
5   MODULE_TYPE = PEIM
6   VERSION_STRING = 1.0
7   ENTRY_POINT = MyHelloWorldInstallPPIEntry
8
9 [Sources]
10  MyHelloWorldInstallPPI.c
11
12 [Packages]
13  MdePkg/MdePkg.dec
14  ShellPkg/ShellPkg.dec
15  MdeModulePkg/MdeModulePkg.dec
16
17 [LibraryClasses]
18  BaseLib
19  PeimEntryPoint
20  BaseMemoryLib
twen  DebugLib
twen  PeiServicesLib
twen  PrintLib
twen  #PeiLib
25  #EfiCommonLib
26
27 [depex]
28  TRUE
29
30
```

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3. Write C:\edkii\OvmfPkg\MyHelloWorldLocatePPI\MyHelloWorldLocatePPI.c

```
1 #include <uefi.h>
2 #include <Library/UefiLib.h>
3 #include <Library/BaseLib.h>
4 #include <Library/DebugLib.h>
5 #include <Library/BaseMemoryLib.h>
6 #include <Library/UefiDriverEntryPoint.h>
7 #include <Library/PeimEntryPoint.h>
8 #include <Library/PeiServicesLib.h>
9 #include <Library/PeiServicesTablePointerLib.h>
10 #include <Pi/PiHob.h>
11
12 EFI_GUID gMyHelloWorldPEIGUID = { 0xbdb38129, 0x4d65, 0x39f4, { 0x72, 0x12, 0x68, 0xcf, 0x5a, 0x19, 0xa, 0xf8 } };
13
14
15 typedef EFI_STATUS (EFIAPI * PRINTMSG)(CHAR16 *Msg);
16 typedef struct _EFI_HELLOWORLD_PROTOCOL {
17     PRINTMSG PrintMsg;
18 }EFI_HELLOWORLD_PROTOCOL;
19
20 //ShellCEntryLib call user interface ShellAppMain
twen EFI_STATUS
twen EFIAPI
twen MyHelloWorldLocatePPIEntry(
twen     IN     EFI_PEI_FILE_HANDLE  FileHandle,
25     IN CONST EFI_PEI_SERVICES     **PeiServices
26 )
27 {
28     EFI_STATUS  Status = EFI_SUCCESS;
29     EFI_HELLOWORLD_PROTOCOL *mHelloWorldPpi = NULL;
30     DEBUG ((EFI_D_ERROR, "[MyHelloWorldPPI] MyHelloWorldLocatePPIEntry Locate PPI Start..\n"));
31     Status = PeiServicesLocatePpi (
32         &gMyHelloWorldPEIGUID,
33         0,
34         NULL,
35         (VOID **) &mHelloWorldPpi
36     );
37     if (EFI_ERROR(Status)){
38         DEBUG ((EFI_D_ERROR, "[MyHelloWorldPPI] MyHelloWorldLocatePPIEntry Locate PPI Fail..%r\n",Status));
39         return Status;
```

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40     }
41     mHelloWorldPpi->PrintMsg(L"2019 CSDN Locate PPI Hello World ...\n");
42     DEBUG ((EFI_D_ERROR, "[MyHelloWorldPPI] MyHelloWorldLocatePPIEntry Locate PPI End..\n"));
43     return Status;
44 }

```

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#### 4. Write C:\edkii\OvmfPkg\MyHelloWorldLocatePPI\MyHelloWorldLocatePPI.inf

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```

1  [Defines]
2      INF_VERSION = 0x00010006
3      BASE_NAME = MyHelloWorldLocatePPI
4      FILE_GUID = 69E6DE6D-F39F-485f-9037-EB70FDCFC82B
5      MODULE_TYPE = PEIM
6      VERSION_STRING = 1.0
7      ENTRY_POINT = MyHelloWorldLocatePPIEntry
8
9  [Sources]
10     MyHelloWorldLocatePPI.c
11
12  [Packages]
13     MdePkg/MdePkg.dec
14     ShellPkg/ShellPkg.dec
15     MdeModulePkg/MdeModulePkg.dec
16
17  [LibraryClasses]
18     BaseLib
19     PeimEntryPoint
20     BaseMemoryLib
21     DebugLib
22     PeiServicesLib
23     PrintLib
24     #PeiLib
25     #EfiCommonLib
26
27  [depex]
28     TRUE

```

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## 5. Modify C:\edkii\OvmfPkg\OvmfPkgX64.dsc

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```
1 [Components]
2 ...
3 #
4 # PEI Phase modules
5 #
6 INF OvmfPkg/MyHelloWorldInstallPPI/MyHelloWorldInstallPPI.inf
7 INF OvmfPkg/MyHelloWorldLocatePPI/MyHelloWorldLocatePPI.inf
8 ...
```

## 6. Modify C:\edkii\OvmfPkg\OvmfPkgX64.fdf

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```
1 [FV.PEIVFV]
2 ...
3 #
4 # PEI Phase modules
5 #
6 INF OvmfPkg/MyHelloWorldInstallPPI/MyHelloWorldInstallPPI.inf
7 INF OvmfPkg/MyHelloWorldLocatePPI/MyHelloWorldLocatePPI.inf
8 ...
```

## 2. Compile and generate EFI files

Run and `edksetup.bat` compile the entire OvmfPkg Package

## 3. Run HelloWorld PPI Driver

1. Copy C:\edkii\Build\OvmfX64\DEBUG\_VS2013x86\FV\OVMF.fd to C:\qemu

2. The output of executing is as follows, `setup-qemu-x64.bat | findstr MyHelloWorldPPI`

```
C:\qemu>setup-qemu-x64.bat | findstr MyHelloWorldPPI
WARNING: Image format was not specified for 'HDD_BOOT.img' and probing guessed raw.
        Automatically detecting the format is dangerous for raw images, write operations on block 0 will be restricted.

        Specify the 'raw' format explicitly to remove the restrictions.
[MyHelloWorldPPI] MyHelloWorldInstallPPIEntry Start..
[MyHelloWorldPPI] MyHelloWorldInstallPPIEntry End..
[MyHelloWorldPPI] MyHelloWorldLocatePPIEntry Locate PPI Start..
[MyHelloWorldPPI] PrintHelloMsg : 2019 CSDN Locate PPI Hello World ...
[MyHelloWorldPPI] MyHelloWorldLocatePPIEntry Locate PPI End..
```

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#### IV. Summary

PPI (PEIM-to-PEIM Interface) is a communication method between PEIM drivers. In this article, `MyHelloWorldInstallPPI` the module `PeiServicesInstallPpi` provides the `mPpiListCodePpi` service, and `MyHelloWorldLocatePPI` the module `PeiServicesLocatePpi` obtains the `mPpiListCodePpi` object and accesses the member functions of the object to access the driver `MyHelloWorldInstallPPI` resources.

#### PPI DEMO source code

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