Building STM32 development environment in Linux system

(Using Ubuntu 18.04 + Arm GNU Toolchain 12 + VS Code)

- 1. Add normal user to root:
 - (1) \$ sudo vim /etc/sudoers
 - (2) Insert the command:

- 2. Installing Java
 - (1) Installation command:

```
$ sudo apt install openjdk-11-jdk
or $ sudo apt install openjdk-8-jdk (for other versions)
```

(2) verify installation:

\$ java -version

```
gerald@embedded:~

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gerald@embedded:~$ java -version

openjdk version "11.0.19" 2023-04-18

OpenJDK Runtime Environment (build 11.0.19+7-post-Ubuntu-Oubuntu118.04.1)

OpenJDK 64-Bit Server VM (build 11.0.19+7-post-Ubuntu-Oubuntu118.04.1, mixed mod e, sharing)

gerald@embedded:~$
```

(3) Add it to environment variable (optional):

\$ sudo vim /etc/environment

add the java installation path: /usr/lib/jvm/java-11-openjdk-amd64

```
gerald@embedded:~

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PATH="/usr/local/sbin:/usr/local/bin:/usr/sbin:/sbin:/bin:/usr/games:/u
sr/local/games:/snap/bin"

JAVA_HOME="/usr/lib/jvm/java-11-openjdk-amd64"
~
~
```

(4) Enable the change:

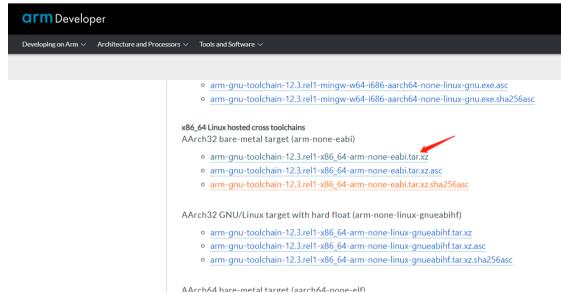
\$ source /etc/environment

(5) verify the change:

\$ echo \$JAVA HOME

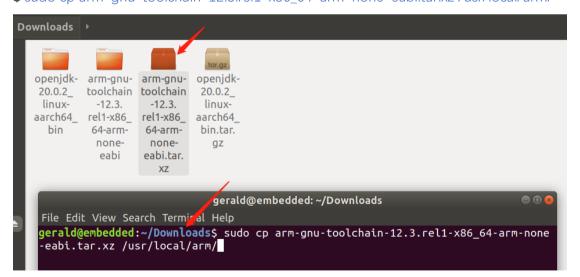
```
gerald@embedded:~$ source /etc/environment
gerald@embedded:~$ echo $JAVA_HOME
/usr/lib/jvm/java-11-openjdk-amd64
gerald@embedded:~$
```

- 3. Install the GCC-Arm:
 - (1) Download the gcc-arm toolchain:



(2) Copy the package to /usr/local/arm:

\$ sudo cp arm-gnu-toolchain-12.3.rel1-x86_64-arm-none-eabi.tar.xz /usr/local/arm/



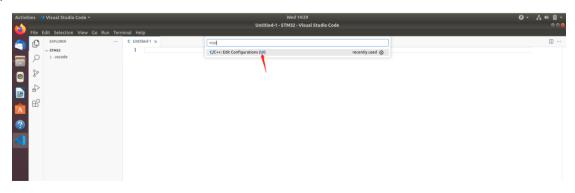
- (3) Extract the package:
 - \$ sudo tar -xvf arm-gnu-toolchain-12.3.rel1-x86_64-arm-none-eabi.tar.xz
- (4) Add path to the environment:
 - \$ sudo vim /etc/profile

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gerald@embedded: /usr/local/arm/arm-gnu-toolchain-12.3.rel1-x86_64-arm-none-eabi 😑 🗅 🧟
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    if [ -f /etc/bash.bashrc ]; then
       . /etc/bash.bashrc
    if [ "`id -u`" -eq 0 ]: then
      PS1='# '
    else
      PS1='$ '
if [ -d /etc/profile.d ]; then
  for i in /etc/profile.d/*.sh; do
    if [ -r $i ]; then
    fi
  done
  unset i
export PATH=$PATH:/usr/local/arm/arm-gnu-toolchain-12.3.rel1-x86_64-arm-none-eab
i/bin
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```

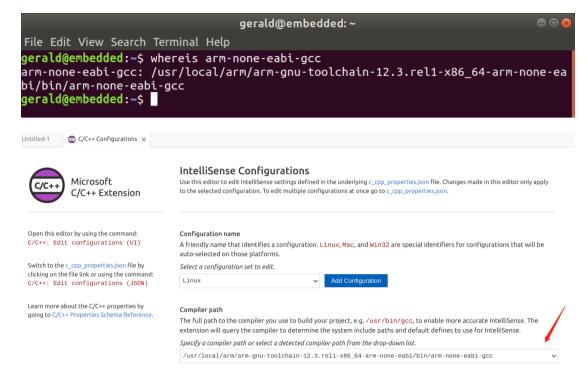
(5) After restart, verify the change:

```
gerald@embedded: ~
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gerald@embedded:~$ arm-none-eabi-gcc -v
Using built-in specs.
COLLECT GCC=arm-none-eabi-gcc
COLLECT_LTO WRAPPER=/usr/local/arm/arm-gnu-toolchain-12.3.rel1-x86 64-arm-none-e
abi/bin/../libexec/gcc/arm-none-eabi/12.3.1/lto-wrapper
Target: arm-none-eabi
Configured with: /data/jenkins/workspace/GNU-toolchain/arm-12/src/gcc/configure
--target=arm-none-eabi --prefix=/data/jenkins/workspace/GNU-toolchain/arm-12/bui
ld-arm-none-eabi/install --with-gmp=/data/jenkins/workspace/GNU-toolchain/arm-12
/build-arm-none-eabi/host-tools --with-mpfr=/data/jenkins/workspace/GNU-toolchai
n/arm-12/build-arm-none-eabi/host-tools --with-mpc=/data/jenkins/workspace/GNU-t
oolchain/arm-12/build-arm-none-eabi/host-tools --with-isl=/data/jenkins/workspac
e/GNU-toolchain/arm-12/build-arm-none-eabi/host-tools --disable-shared --disable
-nls --disable-threads --disable-tls --enable-checking=release --enable-language
s=c,c++,fortran --with-newlib --with-gnu-as --with-gnu-ld --with-sysroot=/data/j
enkins/workspace/GNU-toolchain/arm-12/build-arm-none-eabi/install/arm-none-eabi
--with-multilib-list=aprofile,rmprofile --with-pkgversion='Arm GNU Toolchain 12.
3.Rel1 (Build arm-12.35)' --with-bugurl=https://bugs.linaro.org/
Thread model: single
Supported LTO compression algorithms: zlib
gcc version 12.3.1 20230626 (Arm GNU Toolchain 12.3.Rel1 (Build arm-12.35))
```

(6) Set VSCode:



find GCC installation path:



4. Install the OpenOCD:

- (1) Use git to download the openocd:
 - \$ git clone https://github.com/openocd-org/openocd.git
- (2) Download the essential library:
 - \$ sudo apt install build-essential pkg-config autoconf automake libtool libusb-dev libusb-1.0-0-dev libhidapi-dev libtool libsysfs-dev
- (3) Open the OpenOCD directory and enter \$ sudo ./bootstrap

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gerald@embedded: ~/Downloads/openocd
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gerald@embedded:~/Downloads/openocd$ ./bootstrap
 aclocal --warnings=all
 libtoolize --automake --copy
+ autoconf --warnings=all
+ autoheader --warnings=all
 - automake --warnings=all --gnu --add-missing --copy
configure.ac:24: installing 'build-aux/compile'
configure.ac.24: installing 'build-aux/config.guess'
configure.ac:42: installing 'build-aux/config.sub'
configure.ac:19: installing 'build-aux/install-sh'
configure.ac:19: installing 'build-aux/missing'
Makefile.am: installing './INSTALL'
Makefile.am: installing 'build-aux/depcomp'
Makefile.am:26: installing 'build-aux/mdate-sh'
Makefile.am:26: installing 'build-aux/texinfo.tex'
Setting up submodules
Submodule 'jimtcl' (https://github.com/msteveb/jimtcl.git) registered for path '
jimtcl
Submodule 'src/jtag/drivers/libjaylink' (https://gitlab.zapb.de/libjaylink/libja
ylink.git) registered for path 'src/jtag/drivers/libjaylink'
Submodule 'tools/git2cl' (https://git.savannah.nongnu.org/git/git2cl.git) regist
ered for path 'tools/git2cl
```

(4) Enter the \$ sudo ./configure

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gerald@embedded: ~/Downloads/openocd
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gerald@embedded:~/Downloads/openocd$ ./configure
checking for makeinfo... no
configure: WARNING: Info documentation will not be built.
checking for a BSD-compatible install... /usr/bin/install -c
checking whether build environment is sane... yes
checking for a thread-safe mkdir -p... /bin/mkdir -p
checking for gawk... no
checking for mawk... mawk
checking whether make sets $(MAKE)... yes
checking whether make supports nested variables... yes
checking for gcc... gcc
checking whether the C compiler works... yes checking for C compiler default output file name... a.out
checking for suffix of executables.
checking whether we are cross compiling... no
checking for suffix of object files... o
checking whether we are using the GNU C compiler... yes
checking whether gcc accepts -g... yes checking for gcc option to accept ISO C89... none needed
checking whether gcc understands -c and -o together... yes
checking for style of include used by make... GNU
checking dependency style of gcc... gcc3
checking for gcc option to accept ISO C99... none needed
checking for ranlib... ranlib
```

- (5) Enter \$ sudo make and then enter \$ sudo make install to finish the installation.
- (6) Verify the installation:

- 5. Install STM32CubeMX
 - (1) After unzipping the package, set the installation file as an executable file: \$ chmod 777 SetupSTM32CubeMX-6.9.1



- (2) Run the installation application:
 - \$./SetupSTM32CubeMX-6.9.1

(3) After finishing the installation, add STM32CubeMX path to environment variable: \$ sudo vim ~/.bashrc

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gerald@embedded:~$ sudo vim ~/.bashrc
```

And then adding this command to the end of file:

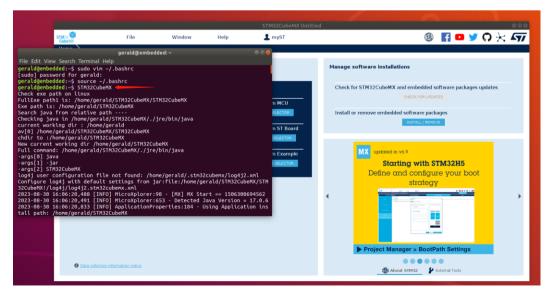
```
# You may want to put all your additions into a separate file like
# ~/.bash_aliases, instead of adding them here directly.
# See /usr/share/doc/bash-doc/examples in the bash-doc package.
if [ -f ~/.bash_aliases ]; then
     . ~/.bash_aliases
# enable programmable completion features (you don't need to enable
# this, if it's already enabled in /etc/bash.bashrc and /etc/profile
# sources /etc/bash.bashrc).
  f ! shopt -oq posix; then
if [ -f /usr/share/bash-completion/bash_completion ]; then
       /usr/share/bash-completion/bash_completion
  elif [ -f /etc/bash_completion ]; then
     . /etc/bash_completion
fi
#STM32CubeMX
if [ -x /home/gerald/STM32CubeMX/STM32CubeMX ]; then
      alias STM32CubeMX='/home/gerald/STM32CubeMX/STM32CubeMX'
"~/.bashrc" 122L, 3903C
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```

Save and guit Vim. Next enable the change:

\$ source ~/.bashrc

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gerald@embedded:~$ sudo vim ~/.bashrc
[sudo] password for gerald:
gerald@embedded:~$ source ~/.bashrc
```

(4) Verify the Change:

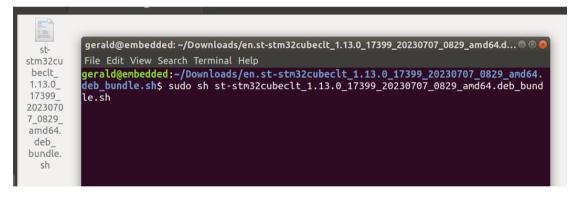


6. Add STM32CubeProgrammer to the environment path:

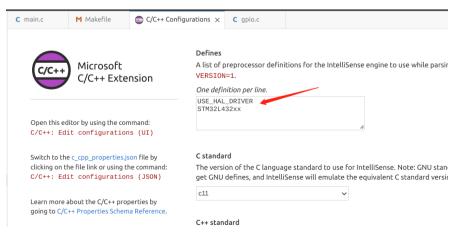
\$ sudo vim ~/.bashrc and then \$ source ~/.bashrc

```
gerald@embedded: ~
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enable programmable completion features (you don't need to enable
 this, if it's already enabled in /etc/bash.bashrc and /etc/profile
 sources /etc/bash.bashrc).
 f ! shopt -oq posix; then
if [ -f /usr/share/bash-completion/bash_completion ]; then
     /usr/share/bash-completion/bash_completion
 elif [ -f /etc/bash_completion ]; then
     /etc/bash_completion
#STM32CubeMX
if [ -x /home/gerald/STM32CubeMX/STM32CubeMX ]; then
     alias STM32CubeMX='/home/gerald/STM32CubeMX/STM32CubeMX'
#STM32CubeProgrammer
if [ -x /home/gerald/STMicroelectronics/STM32Cube/STM32CubeProgrammer/bin/STM32C
ubeProgrammer ]; then
alias STM32CubeProgrammer='/home/gerald/STMicroelectronics/STM32Cube/STM32CubeProgrammer/bin/STM32CubeProgrammer'
'~/.bashrc" 126L, 4144C
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```

7. Install the STM32CubeCLT:



- 8. VSCode and Makefile setting:
 - (1) VScode



get Defines from Makefiles:

```
C main.c
               M Makefile
                               C/C++ Configurations
                                                         C gpio.c
M Makefile
 91
       # fpu
       FPU = -mfpu = fpv4 - sp - d16
 92
 93
 94
       # float-abi
 95
       FLOAT-ABI = -mfloat-abi=hard
 96
 97
       # mcu
      MCU = \$(CPU) - mthumb \$(FPU) \$(FLOAT-ABI)
 98
 99
       # macros for gcc
100
       # AS defines
101
       AS DEFS =
102
103
       # C defines
104
       C DEFS = \
105
       -DUSE HAL DRIVER \
106
       -DSTM32L432xx
107
108
109
       # AS includes
110
       AS INCLUDES =
111
```

(2) Add make flash command to Makefile file:

```
Makefile
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     $(BIN) $< $@
$(BUILD_DIR):
     mkdir $@
# clean up
clean:
     -rm -fR $(BUILD_DIR)
# dependencies
-include $(wildcard $(BUILD_DIR)/*.d)
# Auto Run
#Use The Tool By Openocd Download the Project
OPENOCD := openocd -f interface/stlink.cfg \
     -f target/stm32l4x.cfg
# download your program
flash: all
     $(OPENOCD) -c init \
           -c 'reset halt' \
           -c 'flash write_image erase $(BUILD_DIR)/$(TARGET).elf' \
-c 'reset run' \
           -c exit
# *** EOF ***
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9. Set full screen display in Virtualbox:



