

# Defect Detection Inference Deployment on PolarFire Icicle Kit

For getting started information on the Icicle Kit please see the [PolarFire SoC Icicle Kit quick start guide](#). Community support on github and other [forums](#) is also helpful.

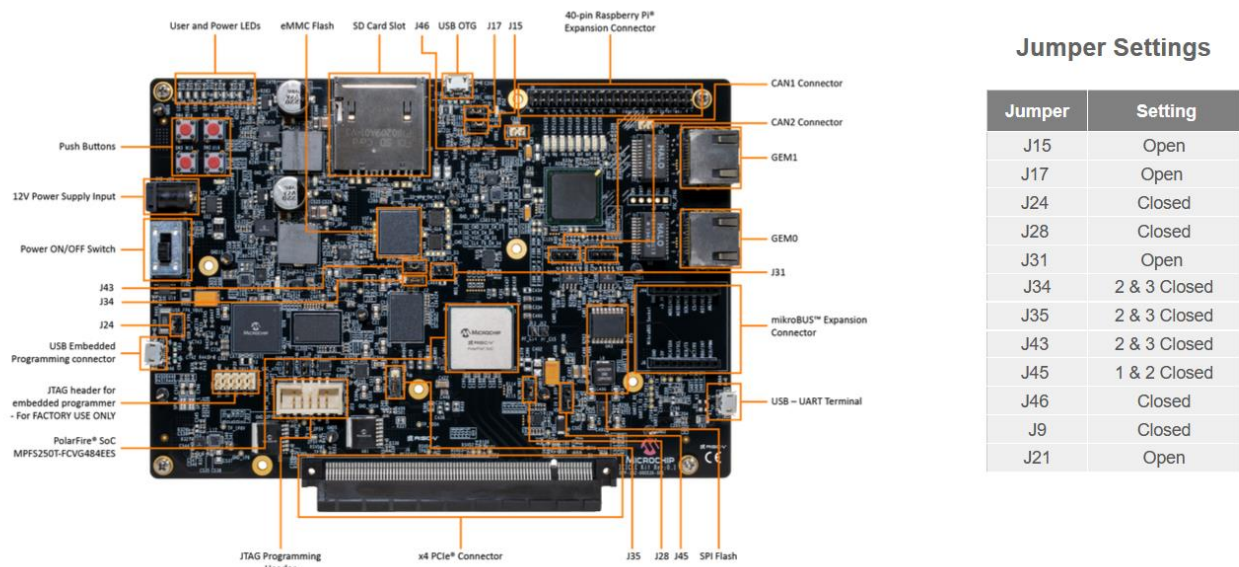


Figure 1: Hardware Kit and Jumper setting

Update the Icicle kit to the latest reference design and Hart Software System (HSS)

**For updating the latest MSS (Microcontroller Subsystem) Configurator design and HSS (Hart-Software System):**

- Download and install the Libero SoC Development Suite from [here](#).
  - To verify the software downloads:  
Enter the following command on terminal to validate the checksum:  
md5sum <path\_to\_installer>  
sha256sum <path\_to\_installer>
- Flash a latest Libero MSS component for FPGA design and HSS using Libero SoC. ([Link](#))

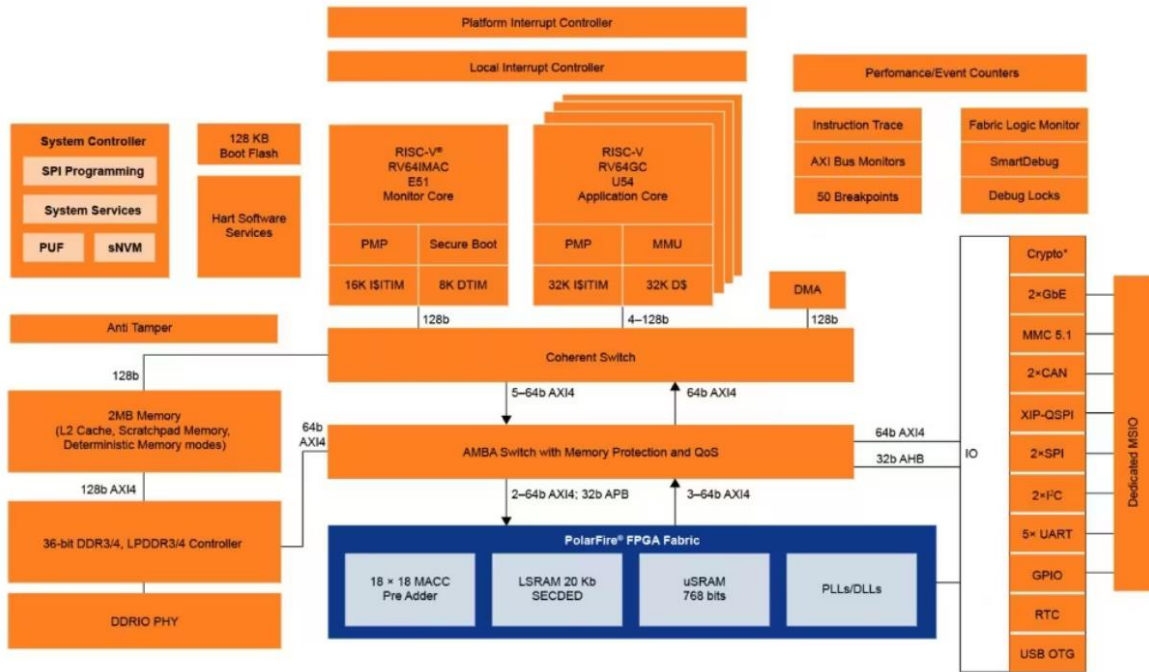


Figure 2: Block diagram: We can enable peripherals as needed.

## For Custom Linux:

polartfire-soc / meta-polarfire-soc-yocto-bsp

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File	Commit Message	Commit Date	Commits
vfa vfanis	readme: add mpfs-disco-kit user guide to the readme	bddec64 · 4 days ago	698 Commits
.github	github: Add contribution docs	2 years ago	
meta-polarfire-soc-bsp	motd: update message-of-the-day to v2024.02.1	4 days ago	
meta-polarfire-soc-community	Pull request #190: Yocto: add support for saveenv command...	last month	
meta-polarfire-soc-extras	images: do not include python3-asyncua in discovery-kit	last month	
Jenkinsfile	CI: pointing to new Jenkins server	2 years ago	
LICENSE	Updates HSS payload generator dependency and document...	4 years ago	
README.md	readme: add mpfs-disco-kit user guide to the readme	4 days ago	
polarfire-soc_yocto_setup.sh	bsp: rename discovery-kit to mpfs-disco-kit	last month	

Figure 3: git-repo for custom Linux using Yocto

- Create the workspace.
  - `$ mkdir yocto-dev && cd yocto-dev`
  - `$ repo init -u https://github.com/polarfire-soc/polarfire-soc-yocto-manifests.git -b main -m default.xml`
- Setup BitBake environment.
  - `$ ./meta-polarfire-soc-yocto-bsp/polarfire-soc_yocto_setup.sh`
- Building a Linux image.
  - `MACHINE=icicle-kit-es bitbake mpfs-dev-cli`
- Copy the created Disk Image to flash device (USB mmc flash)
  - `cd yocto-dev/build`
  - `bmaptool copy tmp-glibc/deploy/images/icicle-kit-es/mpfs-dev-cli-icicle-kit-es.wic /dev/sdX`
- Target machine Linux login.
  - Login with `root` account, there is no password set.

#### Download Putty: Serial-port terminal

- Open two Putty terminal.
- For the configuration:
  - Connection - Serial
  - Device name - `/dev/ttyUSB0` and `/dev/ttyUSB1`
  - Baud rate - 115200



Figure 4: Putty Configuration

## Software and Licensing

The development tools needed to work on the PolarFire SoC Icicle kit are **free**.

PolarFire SoC MSS Configurator	Libero SoC development Suite v12.5	SoftConsole Development Environment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Generates a Libero MSS component for the FPGA Design</li><li>• Generates C data structures to initialize the memory map in the embedded environment</li><li>• Installs with Libero SoC</li><li>• Download free standalone MSS Configurator <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• FPGA Development Suite</li><li>• Integrates tools for synthesis, simulation, constraint management, programming, and debugging</li><li>• Free download <a href="#">here</a></li><li>• Avail and renew free silver license <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Eclipse-based Integrated Development Environment</li><li>• C/C++ firmware development and debug</li><li>• Integrated Renode debug models for PolarFire SoC and Icicle Kit</li><li>• Free download <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>

Figure 5: Dependencies to get various SW

## Silver License

### Overview

Silver license is free and valid for 1 year. It is available with Libero SoC PolarFire, Libero SoC v11.8 and subsequent releases. It supports single language simulation with programming and debug features.

**The PolarFire FPGA Family is now supported by Libero SoC Design Suite v12.0.**

### Generate your FREE Silver License

Silver license supports individual (Disk ID node locked) and Network (floating) license

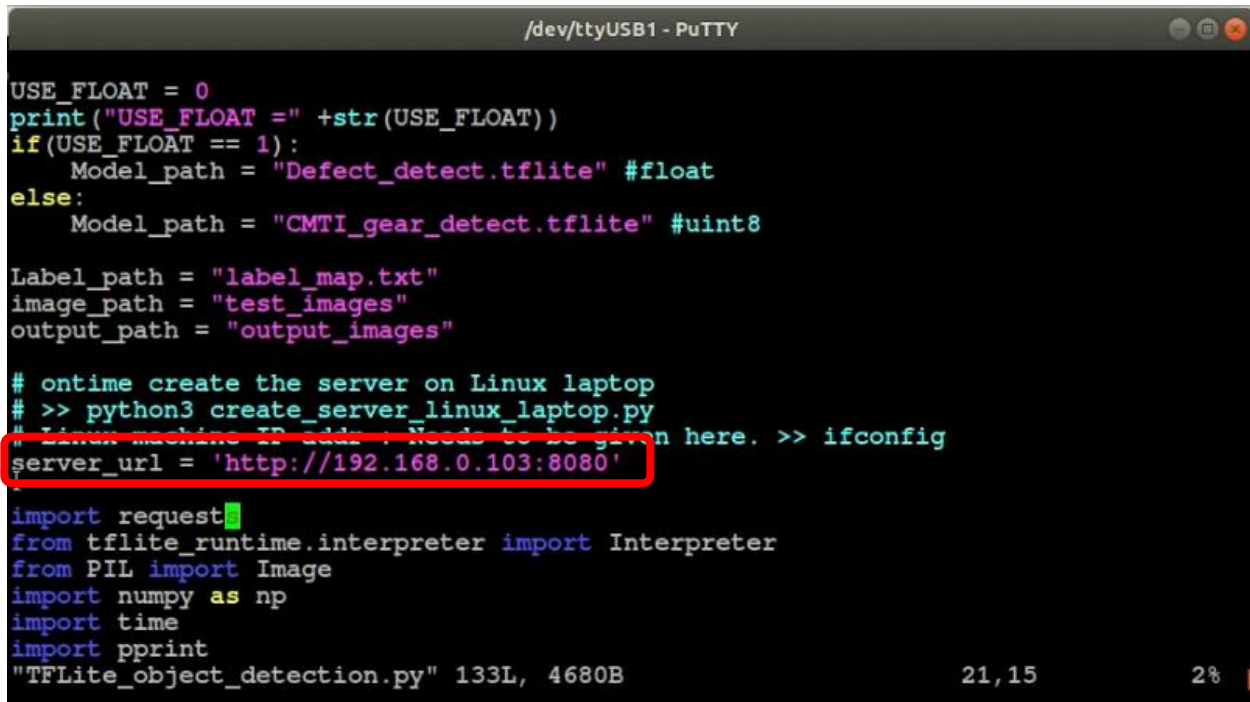
Figure 6: License needed for getting started

## Steps to run the code on PolarFire SoC ICICLE ES Kit

- Connect the power cable.
- Connect the USB-UART cables.
- Connect the open LAN to the Ethernet port on the kit.
- Power on the board. Board will boot the Linux and asks for login password.  
Password – **root**



- Set this laptop IP address in the script (TFLite\_object\_detection.py).



```

/dev/ttyUSB1 - PuTTY

USE_FLOAT = 0
print("USE_FLOAT =" +str(USE_FLOAT))
if(USE_FLOAT == 1):
    Model_path = "Defect_detect.tflite" #float
else:
    Model_path = "CMTI_gear_detect.tflite" #uint8

Label_path = "label_map.txt"
image_path = "test_images"
output_path = "output_images"

# ontime create the server on Linux laptop
# >> python3 create_server_linux_laptop.py
# Linux machine IP add: Needs to be given here. >> ifconfig
server_url = 'http://192.168.0.103:8080'

import request
from tflite_runtime.interpreter import Interpreter
from PIL import Image
import numpy as np
import time
import pprint
"TFLite_object_detection.py" 133L, 4680B      21,15      2%

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Figure 9: IP address setting

- Run server script:  
\$python3 create\_server\_linux\_laptop.py



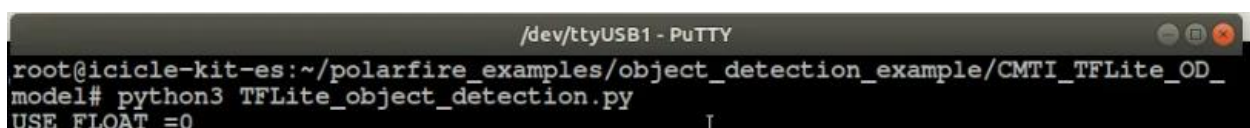
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rt@RandT:~/Desktop/test_cmti_code/polarfire_examples/object_detection_example/CMTI_TFLite_OD_model$ python3 create_server_linux_laptop.py
INFO:root:Starting http...
('0.0.0.0', 8080)

```

Figure 10: Run server script in Laptop

- On kit:
  - \$git clone < [https://github.com/anjaliigedam/polarfire\\_examples.git](https://github.com/anjaliigedam/polarfire_examples.git)>
  - \$cd ip\_camera\_object\_detection
  - Check the IP address:  
\$ifconfig  
Set kit and laptop IP address in the script (TFLite\_object\_detection.py).
  - Run defect detection script:  
\$python3 TFLite\_object\_detection.py



```

/dev/ttyUSB1 - PuTTY

root@icicle-kit-es:~/polarfire_examples/object_detection_example/CMTI_TFLite_OD_model# python3 TFLite_object_detection.py
USE FLOAT=0

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Figure 11: Run defect detection script on Kit



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