

## 2.2 Library Architecture on Windows Platform

RWL, the Octopus Reader/Writer Library, consists of the following system components. These files are required to reside in the operating system's directory as follows:

| File name | Description             |
|-----------|-------------------------|
| RWL.DLL   | The library             |
| LRW.DLL   | The library             |
| RWL.INI   | The initialization file |

Table 3: RWL System Components

LRW.DLL is called internally by RWL.DLL only.

The initialization file, RWL.INI, contains various operating parameters such as setting for the communication port and directory locations for uploading and downloading.

Once, one of the serial ports of the library is to use

The library makes use of a serial port to communicate with the R/W. Here, the serial ports must be available for the communication. The default setting of COM1: at 115,200bps.

For non-win32 platform, re-compilation is

Both win32 and non-win32 platforms are supported. The support of non-win32 requires customization/re-compilation by Octopus. Such customization

is subject to the platform, CPU, OS version, link libraries version, etc. There is no guarantee that customization/ re-compilation will be definitely available.

### 2.2.1 Installation

1. Load the Development Kit (section 2.1) which consists of all necessary files to deploy for the first time installation.
2. Copy the files to the Windows' system directory:

| Files               | File Name          | Supported win32 Platform   | Directory          |
|---------------------|--------------------|--|--------------------|
| Library             | RWL.DLL<br>LRW.DLL | Windows Vista [EC1] [PW2]<br>Windows 7 32-bit (Windows 7 Professional is recommended)<br>Windows 8 32-bit<br>Windows 10 32-bit | %WINDOWS%\SYSTEM32 |
|                     |                    | Windows 7 64-bit (Windows 7 Professional is recommended)<br>Windows 8 64-bit<br>Windows 10 64-bit                              | %WINDOWS%\SYSWOW64 |
| Initialization File | RWL.INI            | All Windows platforms  | %WINDOWS%          |

Table 4: Files and Installation Directories