

RX Family

Flash Module Using Firmware Integration Technology

Introduction

The Flash Module Using Firmware Integration Technology (FIT) has been developed to allow users of supported RX devices to easily integrate reprogramming abilities into their applications using self-programming. Self-programming is the feature to reprogram the on-chip flash memory while running in single-chip mode. This application note focuses on using the Flash FIT module and integrating it with your application program.

The Flash FIT module is different from "RX600 & RX200 Series Simple Flash API for RX (R01AN0544)".

Target Device

The following is a list of devices that are currently supported by this API:

- RX110 Group
- RX111 Group
- RX113 Group
- RX130 Group
- RX13T Group
- RX230, RX231 Groups
- RX23E-A Group
- RX23T Group
- RX23W Group
- RX24T Group
- RX24U Group
- RX64M Group
- RX65N, RX651 Groups
- RX66T Group
- RX71M Group
- RX72M Group
- RX72T Group

When using this application note with other Renesas MCUs, careful evaluation is recommended after making modifications to comply with the alternate MCU.

Target Compilers

- Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family
- · GCC for Renesas RX
- IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX

For details of the confirmed operation contents of each compiler, refer to "5.1 Confirmed Operation Environment".

Related Documents

- Firmware Integration Technology User's Manual (R01AN1833)
- Board Support Package Firmware Integration Technology Module (R01AN1685)

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1. Overview

The Flash FIT module is provided to customers to make the process of programming and erasing on-chip flash areas easier. Both ROM and data flash areas are supported. The module can be used to perform erase and program operations in blocking or non-blocking BGO mode. In blocking mode, when a program or erase function is called, the function does not return until the operation has finished. In Background Operations (BGO) mode, the API functions return immediately after the operation has begun. When a ROM operation is on-going, that ROM area cannot be accessed by the user. If an attempt is made to access the ROM area, the sequencer will transition into an error state. In BGO mode, whether operating on ROM or data flash, the user must poll for operation completion or provide a flash interrupt callback (if flash interrupt support is available on MCU).

1.1 Features

Below is a list of the features supported by the Flash FIT module.

- Erasing, programming, and blank checking for ROM and data flash in blocking mode or non-blocking BGO mode.
- Area protection via access windows or lockbits.
- Start-up program protection; this function is used to safely rewrite block 0 to block 7 in ROM

2. API Information

This Driver API follows the Renesas API naming standards.

2.1 Hardware Requirements

This driver requires that your MCU supports the following peripheral(s):

• Flash

2.2 Software Requirements

This driver is dependent upon the following FIT packages:

Renesas Board Support Package (r_bsp) v5.00 or later

2.3 Limitations

- This code is not re-entrant and protects against multiple concurrent function calls (not including RESET).
- During ROM reprogramming, ROM cannot be accessed. When reprogramming ROM, make sure application code runs from RAM.

2.4 Supported Toolchains

This driver has been confirmed to work with the toolchain listed in 5.1 Confirmed Operation Environment.

2.5 Interrupt Vector

When the FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO or FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO configuration option (see section 2.9) is 1, the interrupts shown in Table 2.1 below are enabled.

Table 2.1 Interrupt Vector Used in the Flash FIT Module

Device	Interrupt Vector
RX110, RX111, RX113, RX130, RX13T	FRDYI interrupt (vector no.: 23)
RX230, RX231, RX23E-A, RX23T, RX23W, RX24T, RX24U	
RX64M, RX66T, RX71M, RX72T	FIFERR interrupt (vector no.:21)
RX651, RX65N, RX72M	FRDYI interrupt (vector no.: 23)

2.6 Header Files

All API calls and their supporting interface definitions are located in "r_flash_rx_if.h". This file should be included by all files which utilize the Flash FIT.

The configuration options that can be set at build time are defined in the "r_flash_rx_config.h" file.

2.7 Integer Types

This project uses ANSI C99 "Exact width integer types" in order to make the code clearer and more portable. These types are defined in stdint.h.



2.8 Flash Types and Features

The flash driver is divided into three separate types based upon the technology and sequencer used. The compiled flash driver size is based upon the flash type (see section 2.10).

FLASH TYPE 1

RX110*, RX111, RX113, RX130, RX13T RX230, RX231, RX23E-A, RX23T*, RX23W, RX24T, RX24U *has no data flash

FLASH TYPE 3

RX64M, RX66T, RX71M, RX72T

FLASH TYPE 4

RX651*, RX65N*, RX72M

*no data flash on parts with less than or equal to 1M code flash

Because of the different flash types, not all flash commands or features are available on all MCUs. The file r_flash_rx_if.h identifies which features are available on each MCU using #defines.

2.9 Configuration Overview

Configuring this module is done through the supplied r_flash_rx_config.h header file. Each configuration item is represented by a macro definition in this file. Each configurable item is detailed in the table below.

Table 2 Flash general configuration settings

Configuration options in r_flash_rx_config.h		
Equate	Default Value	Description
FLASH_CFG_PARAM_CHECKING_ENABLE	1	Setting to 1 includes parameter checking. Setting to 0 omits parameter checking.
FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE	0	If you are only using data flash, set this to 0. Setting to 1 includes code to program the ROM area. When programming ROM, code must be executed from RAM, except for FLASH_TYPE_3 (see HW Manual Table 63.18), RX65N-2M (see HW Manual Table 59.15) and RX72M (see HW Manual Table 64.25) under certain restrictions. See section 2.15 for details on how to set up code and the linker to execute code from RAM. See section 2.17 for driver definition of BGO mode.
FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO	0	Setting this to 0 forces data flash API function to block until completed. Setting to 1 places the module in BGO (background operations/interrupt) mode. In BGO mode, data flash operations return immediately after the operation has been started. Notification of the operation completion is done via the callback function. When FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE is set to 1, make the same setting as FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO.

Configuration options in r_flash_rx_config.h								
Equate	Default Value	Description						
FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO	0	Setting this to 0 forces ROM API function to block until completed. Setting to 1 places the module in BGO (background operations/interrupt) mode. In BGO mode, ROM operations return immediately after the operation has been started. Notification of the operation completion is done via the callback function. When reprogramming ROM, the relocatable vector table and corresponding interrupt routines must be relocated to an area other than ROM in advance. See sections 2.19 Usage Notes. When FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE is set to 1, make the same setting as FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO.						
FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_RUN_FROM_R OM	0	For FLASH_TYPE_3, RX65N-2M and RX72M. Valid only when FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE is set to 1. Set this to 0 when programming code flash while executing in RAM. Set this to 1 when programming code flash while executing from another segment in ROM (see section 2.16).						

2.10 Code Size

The ROM size, RAM size, and the maximum stack size of this module are described in the following table. One device is listed at a time as the representative of each flash type.

The code size is based on optimization level 2 and optimization type for size for the RXC toolchain in Section 2.4. The ROM (code and constants) and RAM (global data) sizes are determined by the build-time configuration options set in the module configuration header file.

The values in the table below are confirmed under the following conditions.

Module Revision: r flash rx Rev.4.30

Compiler Version: Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family V3.01.00

(The option of "-lang = c99" is added to the default settings of the integrated

development environment.)

GCC for Renesas RX 4.08.04.201902

(The option of "-std = gnu99" is added to the default settings of the integrated

development environment.)

IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX version 4.12.1

(The default settings of the integrated development environment.)

Configuration Options: The setting of configuration options that are different is described in each table.

Other configuration options are default settings.



Flash Type 1: ROM, RAM and Stack Code Sizes (Maximum Size)									
		Memory Used							
	Renesas Compiler			GCC		IAR Compiler			
		With	Without	With	Without	With	Without		
		Parameter		Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter		
Device	Category	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking		
RX130	ROM	3492 bytes	3167 bytes	7340 bytes	6776 bytes	5222 bytes	4800 bytes		
	RAM	2843 bytes		5692 bytes		4187 bytes			
	STACK	112 bytes		-		100 bytes			

FLASH_CFG_PARAM_CHECKING_ENABLE 0: Without parameter check, 1: With parameter check

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE 1

FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO 1

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO 1

Flash Type 1: ROM, RAM and Stack Code Sizes (Minimum Size)									
Memory Used									
	Renesas Compiler		GCC		IAR Compiler				
		With	Without	With	Without	With	Without		
		Parameter		Parameter		Parameter	Parameter		
Device	Category	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking		
RX130	ROM	1803 bytes	1688 bytes	3792 bytes	3624 bytes	2496 bytes	2360 bytes		
	RAM	73 bytes		76 bytes		53 bytes			
	STACK	44 bytes		-		48 bytes			

Configuration options:

FLASH_CFG_PARAM_CHECKING_ENABLE 0: Without parameter check, 1: With parameter check

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE 0

FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO 0

Flash Type 1: ROM, RAM and Stack Code Sizes (Maximum Size)										
	Memory Used									
		Renesas Compiler GCC			IAR Compiler					
		With	Without	With	Without	With	Without			
		Parameter		Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter			
Device	Category	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking			
RX23T*	ROM	2810 bytes	2545 bytes	5564 bytes	5068 bytes	4000 bytes	3656 bytes			
	RAM	2566 bytes		5160 bytes		3733 bytes				
	STACK	108 bytes		-		100 bytes				

FLASH_CFG_PARAM_CHECKING_ENABLE 0: Without parameter check, 1: With parameter check

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE 1

FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO 1

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO 1

^{*}Device without data flash

Flash Type 1: ROM, RAM and Stack Code Sizes (Minimum Size)									
		Memory Used							
		Renesas Compiler		GCC		IAR Compiler			
		With	Without	With	Without	With	Without		
		Parameter	Parameter		Parameter	Parameter	Parameter		
Device	Category	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking		
RX23T*	ROM	2561 bytes	2312 bytes	5076 bytes	4604 bytes	3544 bytes	3208 bytes		
	RAM	2319 bytes		4672 bytes	372 bytes		3271 bytes		
	STACK	48 bytes		-		48 bytes			

Configuration options:

FLASH_CFG_PARAM_CHECKING_ENABLE 0: Without parameter check, 1: With parameter check

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE 1

FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO 0

^{*}Device without data flash

Flash Type 3: ROM, RAM and Stack Code Sizes (Maximum Size)									
		Memory Used							
	Renesas Compiler		GCC		IAR Compiler				
		With	Without	With	Without	With	Without		
		Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter		
Device	Category	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking		
RX64M	ROM	3536 bytes	3102 bytes	7228 bytes	6476 bytes	5448 bytes	4920 bytes		
	RAM	3091 bytes		6416 bytes		4827 bytes			
	STACK	224 bytes		-		180 bytes			

FLASH_CFG_PARAM_CHECKING_ENABLE 0: Without parameter check, 1: With parameter check

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE 1

FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO 1

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO 1

Flash Ty	Flash Type 3: ROM, RAM and Stack Code Sizes (Minimum Size)									
		Memory Used								
	Renesas Compiler			GCC		IAR Compiler				
		With	Without	With	Without	With	Without			
		Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter			
Device	Category	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking			
RX64M	ROM	2110 bytes	1967 bytes	4444 bytes	4192 bytes	3068 bytes	2898 bytes			
	RAM	M 65 bytes		68 bytes	68 bytes		48 bytes			
	STACK	76 bytes		-		56 bytes				

Configuration options:

FLASH_CFG_PARAM_CHECKING_ENABLE 0: Without parameter check, 1: With parameter check

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE 0

FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO 0

Flash Type 4: ROM, RAM and Stack Code Sizes (Maximum Size)											
		Memory Use	Memory Used								
		Renesas Co	mpiler	GCC	GCC		IAR Compiler				
		With	Without	With	Without	With	Without				
		Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter	Parameter				
Device	Category	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking	Checking				
RX65N	ROM	3524 bytes	3077 bytes	7068 bytes	6284 bytes	5284 bytes	4736 bytes				
	RAM	3177 bytes		5960 bytes		4542 bytes					
	STACK	208 bytes		-		176 bytes					

FLASH_CFG_PARAM_CHECKING_ENABLE 0: Without parameter check, 1: With parameter check

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE 1

FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO 1

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO 1

Flash Ty	Flash Type 4: ROM, RAM and Stack Code Sizes (Minimum Size)						
	Category	Memory Used					
		Renesas Compiler		GCC		IAR Compiler	
Device		With Parameter Checking	Without Parameter Checking	With Parameter Checking	Without Parameter Checking	With Parameter Checking	Without Parameter Checking
RX65N	ROM	1941 bytes	1798 bytes	3968 bytes	3752 bytes	2827 bytes	2657 bytes
	RAM	61 bytes		92 bytes		47 bytes	
	STACK	72 bytes		-		52 bytes	

Configuration options:

FLASH_CFG_PARAM_CHECKING_ENABLE 0: Without parameter check, 1: With parameter check

FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE 0

FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO 0

2.11 API Data Types

This section describes the structures used as arguments to API functions. These structures are included in the file r_flash_rx_if.h along with the API function prototype declarations. API functions are explained in Section 3.

2.12 Return Values

This shows the different values API functions can return. This return type is defined in "r flash rx if.h".

```
/* Flash FIT error codes */
typedef enum flash err
FLASH SUCCESS = 0,
                               /* Flash module busy */
/* Access window error */
FLASH_ERR_BUSY,
FLASH_ERR_ACCESSW,
                                  /* Flash operation failure; programming error,
FLASH_ERR_FAILURE,
                                        erasing error, blank check error, etc. */
FLASH_ERR_CMD_LOCKED, /* Type3 - Peripheral in command locked state */
FLASH_ERR_LOCKBIT_SET, /* Type3 - Program/Erase error due to lock bit. */
FLASH_ERR_FREQUENCY, /* Type3 - Illegal Frequency value attempted (4-60Mhz) */
FLASH_ERR_BYTES, /* Invalid number of bytes passed */
FLASH_ERR_ADDRESS, /* Invalid address */
FLASH_ERR_BLOCKS, /* The "number of blocks" argument is invalid. */
FLASH_ERR_PARAM, /* Illegal parameter */
FLASH_ERR_NULL_PTR, /* Missing required argument */
FLASH_ERR_UNSUPPORTED, /* Command not supported for this flash type */
FLASH_ERR_UNSUPPORTED, /* Command not supported for this flash type */
FLASH_ERR_SECURITY, /* Type4 - Pgm/Erase err due to part locked (FAW.FSPR)*/FLASH_ERR_TIMEOUT, /* Timeout condition */
FLASH_ERR_ALREADY_OPEN /* Open() called twice without intermediate Close() */
} flash_err_t;
```

2.13 Adding the FIT Flash Module to Your Project

This module must be added to each project in which it is used. Renesas recommends the method using the Smart Configurator described in (1) or (3) below. However, the Smart Configurator only supports some RX devices. Please use the methods of (2) or (4) for RX devices that are not supported by the Smart Configurator.

- (1) Adding the FIT module to your project using the Smart Configurator in e² studio

 By using the Smart Configurator in e² studio, the FIT module is automatically added to your project. Refer to "Renesas e² studio Smart Configurator User Guide (R20AN0451)" for details.
- (2) Adding the FIT module to your project using the FIT Configurator in e² studio

 By using the FIT Configurator in e² studio, the FIT module is automatically added to your project. Refer to "Adding Firmware Integration Technology Modules to Projects (R01AN1723)" for details.
- (3) Adding the FIT module to your project using the Smart Configurator in CS+ By using the Smart Configurator Standalone version in CS+, the FIT module is automatically added to your project. Refer to "Renesas e² studio Smart Configurator User Guide (R20AN0451)" for details.
- (4) Adding the FIT module to your project in CS+ In CS+, please manually add the FIT module to your project. Refer to "Adding Firmware Integration Technology Modules to CS+ Projects (R01AN1826)" for details.

2.14 Usage Combined with Existing User Projects

Using the BSP startup disable function, this module can be used in combination with existing user projects.

The BSP startup disable function is a function to add and use this module and other peripheral FIT modules to an existing user project without creating a new project.

BSP and this module (if necessary, other peripheral FIT modules) are incorporated into the existing user project. Even though it is necessary to incorporate BSP, since all startup processing performed by the BSP become disabled, this module and other peripheral FIT modules can be used in combination with startup processing of the existing user project.

There are some settings and notes for using the BSP startup disable function. For details, refer to the application note "RX Family Board Support Package Module Using Firmware Integration Technology (R01AN1685)".



2.15 Programming Code Flash from RAM

MCUs require that sections in RAM and ROM be created to hold the API functions for reprogramming ROM. This is required because the sequencer (with some exceptions in Type 3) cannot program or erase ROM while executing from ROM. The RAM section will need to be initialized after reset.

In order to enable ROM reprogramming, configure the FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE to 1 in the $r_flash_rx_config.h$ file. Note that this is only for ROM programming.

This module of Rev. 4.00 or later supports multiple compilers. To use this module, different settings are required for each compiler. For details of the settings appropriate for the compiler to be used, refer to section 5.3.

2.16 Programming Code Flash from ROM

For Flash Type 3, RX65N-2M and RX72M, with certain limitations ROM can be programmed while running from ROM. Basically ROM is broken into two regions. Code can run from one region and erase/write operations can be performed on the other. The size of these regions vary based upon the amount of ROM on the MCU. See Table 63.16 in the RX64M and Table 63.18 in the RX71M Hardware Manuals for boundary details. Only MCUs with large ROM areas support this feature. For the RX65N-2M and RX72M groups, the boundaries correspond to bank boundaries.

When this method is used, set FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE and FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_RUN_FROM_ROM to 1 in the r_flash_rx_config.h file. FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO (functions do not block/wait for completion) may be set to 0 or 1, but must match the setting for data flash BGO.

Be sure not set up the linker as just described in section 2.15, but do guarantee that the region the code is running from is not the region being operated on!

2.17 Operations in BGO Mode

Historically, Background Operation (BGO) mode refers to the non-blocking mode of the driver- the ability to execute instructions from RAM while a code flash operation is running in the background. For Flash Type 3, RX65N-2M and RX72M devices, the hardware manual redefines BGO as the ability to program one region of code flash while executing from another region as discussed in section 2.16

The #defines in r_flash_config.h use the historical definition of BGO as to whether or not to use interrupts or to perform blocking. For Flash Type 3, RX65N-2M and RX72M devices, the "BGO" feature is indicated with the equate FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_RUN_FROM_ROM.

When operating in BGO mode, API function calls do not block and return immediately. The user should not access the flash area being operated on until the operation has finished. If the area is accessed during an operation, the sequencer will go into an error state and the operation will fail.

The completion of the operation is indicated by the FRDYI interrupt. The completion of processing is checked in the FRDYI interrupt handler and the callback function is called. To register the callback function, call the R_FLASH_Control function with the FLASH_CMD_SET_BGO_CALLBACK command. The callback function is passed an event to indicate the completion status. The possible events (some MCU-specific) are located in "r_flash_rx_if.h" and are as follows:

```
typedef enum _flash_interrupt_event
{
    FLASH_INT_EVENT_INITIALIZED,
    FLASH_INT_EVENT_ERASE_COMPLETE,
    FLASH_INT_EVENT_WRITE_COMPLETE,
    FLASH_INT_EVENT_BLANK,
    FLASH_INT_EVENT_NOT_BLANK,
    FLASH_INT_EVENT_TOGGLE_STARTUPAREA,
    FLASH_INT_EVENT_SET_ACCESSWINDOW,
```

```
FLASH_INT_EVENT_LOCKBIT_WRITTEN,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_LOCKBIT_PROTECTED,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_LOCKBIT_NON_PROTECTED,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_ERR_DF_ACCESS,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_ERR_CF_ACCESS,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_ERR_SECURITY,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_ERR_CMD_LOCKED,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_ERR_LOCKBIT_SET,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_ERR_FAILURE,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_TOGGLE_BANK,
FLASH_INT_EVENT_END_ENUM

} flash_interrupt_event_t;
```

When reprogramming ROM, the relocatable vector table and associated interrupts must be relocated to an area other than ROM in advance (exception- Flash Type 3, RX65N-2M and RX72M usage as explained in section 2.16).

2.18 Dual Bank Operation

The RX65N-2M and RX72M Groups can operate in two modes- linear and dual bank. Dual bank mode is a mode in which the code flash memory to be used is divided into two areas (banks). In dual bank mode, the start bank can be swapped using the command R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_BANK_TOGGLE). Note that the swap does not take effect until the next MCU reset.

To operate in dual bank mode, it is necessary to change the constant defined in the configuration file (r_bsp_config.h) of BSP as follows.

BSP_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BANK_MODE: 1 → 0
 The default setting is "1". To operate in dual bank mode, set this constant to "0".

In addition, for the setting related to the start bank, the following constant is used. Set the constant as required.

BSP_CFG_CODE_FLASH_START_BANK: 0 or 1
 The default start bank is "0". If you wish the start bank to be "1", change the constant to "1".

This module of Rev. 4.00 or later supports multiple compilers. To use this module, different settings are required for each compiler. For details of the settings appropriate for the compiler to be used, refer to section 5.3.

2.19 Usage Notes

2.19.1 Data Flash Operations in BGO Mode

When reprogramming data flash in BGO/non-blocking mode, ROM, RAM, and external memory can still be accessed. Care should be taken to make sure that the data flash is not accessed during data flash operations. This includes interrupts that may access the data flash.

2.19.2 ROM Operations in BGO Mode

When reprogramming ROM in BGO/non-blocking mode, external memory and RAM can still be accessed. Since the flash API functions will return before the ROM operation has finished, the code that calls the API function will need to be in RAM, and the code will need to check for completion before issuing another Flash command. Note that this includes setting the code flash access window, swapping boot blocks/toggling startup area flag, erasing code flash, writing code flash, as well as reading the Unique ID with another FIT Module (R01AN2191).

2.19.3 ROM Operations and General Interrupts

ROM or data flash areas cannot be accessed while a flash operation is on-going for that particular memory area. This means that the relocatable vector table will need to be taken care of when allowing interrupts to occur during flash operations.

The vector table is placed in ROM by default. If an interrupt occurs during ROM operation, then ROM will be accessed to fetch the interrupt's starting address and an error will occur. To fix this situation the user will need to relocate the vector table and any interrupt handlers that may occur outside of ROM. The user will also need to change the interrupt table register (INTB).

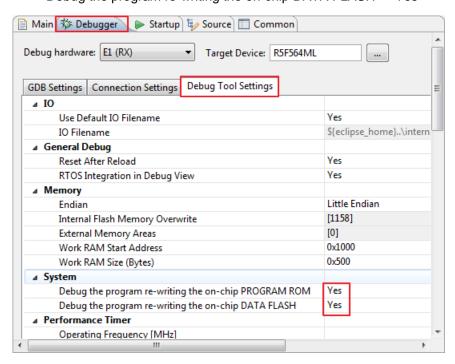
The module does not include the function to relocate the vector table and the interrupt handler. Please consider an appropriate method to relocate them according to the user system.



2.19.4 Emulator Debug Configuration

To confirm the data written to code flash and data flash during debug, change the Debug Tool Settings of the debug configuration as follows.

- 1. In Project Explorer, click the project you want to debug.
- 2. Click Execute > Debug Configuration to open the Debug Configuration window.
- 3. On the Debug Configuration window, expand the display of the "Renesas GDB Hardware Debugging" debug configuration and click the debug configuration you want to debug.
- 4. Switch to the "Debugger" tab, click the "Debug Tool Settings" in the "Debugger" tab and make the following settings.
 - System
 - Debug the program re-writing the on-chip PROGRAM ROM = "Yes"
 - Debug the program re-writing the on-chip DATA FLASH = "Yes"



3. API Functions

3.1 Summary

The following functions are included in this design:

Function	Description
R_FLASH_Open()	Initializes the Flash FIT module.
R_FLASH_Close()	Closes the Flash FIT module.
R_FLASH_Erase()	Erases the specified block of ROM or data flash.
R_FLASH_BlankCheck()	Checks if the specified data flash or ROM area is blank.
R_FLASH_Write()	Write data to ROM or data flash.
R_FLASH_Control()	Configures settings for the status check, area protection, and switching areas for
	start-up program protection.
R FLASH GetVersion()	Returns the current version of this FIT module.

3.2 R_FLASH_Open

The function initializes the Flash FIT module. This function must be called before calling any other API functions.

Format

```
flash_err_t R_FLASH_Open(void);
```

Parameters

None

Return Values

```
FLASH_SUCCESS: Flash FIT module initialized successfully
FLASH_ERR_BUSY: Another flash operation in progress, try again later
FLASH_ERR_ALREADY_OPEN: Open() called twice without an intermediate Close()
```

Properties

Prototyped in file "r_flash_rx_if.h"

Description

This function initializes the Flash FIT module, and if FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_ENABLE is 1, copies the API functions necessary for ROM erasing/reprogramming into RAM (not including vector table). Note that this function must be called before any other API function.

Reentrant

No.

Example

```
flash_err_t err;

/* Initialize the API. */
err = R_FLASH_Open();

/* Check for errors. */
if (FLASH_SUCCESS != err)
{
    . . .
}
```

Special Notes:

None

3.3 R_FLASH_Close

The function closes the Flash FIT module.

Format

```
flash_err_t R_FLASH_Close(void);
```

Parameters

None

Return Values

```
FLASH_SUCCESS: Flash FIT module closed successfully FLASH_ERR_BUSY: Another flash operation in progress, try again later
```

Properties

Prototyped in file "r_flash_rx_if.h"

Description

This function closes the Flash FIT module. It disables the flash interrupts (if enabled) and sets the driver to an uninitialized state. This function is only required when the VEE (Virtual EEPROM) driver will be used. In that case, the flash driver must be closed (or never opened) prior to calling R VEE Open().

Reentrant

No.

Example

```
flash_err_t err;

/* Close the driver */
err = R_FLASH_Close();

/* Check for error */
if (FLASH_SUCCESS != err)
{
    . . .
}
```

Special Notes:

None

3.4 R FLASH Erase

This function is used to erase the specified block in ROM or data flash.

Format

Parameters

block_start_address

Specifies the start address of block to erase. The enum flash_block_address_t is defined in the corresponding MCU's r_flash_rx\src\targets\mcu\r_flash_mcu.h file. The blocks are labeled in the same fashion as they are in the device's Hardware Manual. For example, the block located at address 0xFFFFC000 is called Block 7 in the RX113 hardware manual, therefore "FLASH_CF_BLOCK_7" should be passed for this parameter. Similarly, to erase Data Flash Block 0 which is located at address 0x00100000, this argument should be FLASH_DF_BLOCK_0.

num_blocks

Specifies the number of blocks to be erased. For type 1 parts, *address + num_blocks* cannot cross a 256K boundary.

Return Values

```
FLASH_SUCCESS:
Operation successful (if BGO mode is enabled, this means the operation was started successfully)
FLASH_ERR_BLOCKS: Invalid number of blocks specified
FLASH_ERR_ADDRESS: Invalid address specified
FLASH_ERR_BUSY: Another flash operation in progress, or the module is not initialized
FLASH_ERR_FAILURE: Erasing failure. Sequencer has been reset. Or callback function not registered (if BGO/poling mode is enabled)
```

Properties

Prototyped in file "r_flash_rx_if.h"

Description

Erases a contiguous number of ROM or data flash memory blocks.

The block size varies depending on MCU types. For example, on the RX111 both code and data flash block sizes are 1Kbytes. On the RX231 and RX23T the block size for ROM is 2 Kbytes and for data flash is 1Kbyte (no data flash on the RX23T). The equates FLASH_CF_BLOCK_SIZE for ROM and FLASH_DF_BLOCK_SIZE for data flash are provided for these values.

The enum *flash_block_address_t* is configured at compile time based on the memory configuration of the MCU device specified in the r_bsp module.

When the API is used in BGO/non-blocking mode, the FRDYI interrupt occurs after blocks for the specified number are erased, and then the callback function is called.

Reentrant

No.

Example

```
flash_err_t err;

/* Erase Data Flash blocks 0 and 1 */
err = R_FLASH_Erase(FLASH_DF_BLOCK_0, 2);

/* Check for errors. */
if (FLASH_SUCCESS != err)
{
         . . .
}
```

Special Notes:

In order to erase a ROM block, the area to be erased needs to be in a rewritable area. FLASH_TYPE_1 uses access windows to identify this. The other flash types use lock bits which must be off for erasing.

3.5 R FLASH BlankCheck

This function is used to determine if the specified area in either ROM or data flash is blank or not.

Format

Parameters

address

The address of the area to blank check. MCUs may support this feature on data flash, code flash, both, or neither.

num_bytes

For flash types 1, 3, and 4, this is the number of bytes to be checked. The number of bytes specified must be a multiple of FLASH_DF_MIN_PGM_SIZE for a data flash address or FLASH_CF_MIN_PGM_SIZE for a code flash address. These equates are defined in r_flash_rx\src\targets\<mcu>\r_flash_<mcu>\h and are MCU specific. For type 1 parts, address + num_bytes cannot cross a 256K boundary.

In blocking mode, specify the memory address to which the blank check results will be stored. In non-blocking mode, specify any value since this parameter is not used.

Return Values

FLASH SUCCESS: Operation successful (in BGO mode, this means the operation was started successfully) Blank check Failed. Sequencer has been reset, or callback FLASH ERR FAILURE: function not registered (if BGO mode is enabled with flash interrupt support) Another flash operation in progress or the module is not FLASH_ERR_BUSY: num_bytes was either too large or not a multiple of the FLASH_ERR_BYTES: minimum programming size or exceed the maximum range FLASH ERR ADDRESS: Invalid address was input or address not divisible by the minimum programming size FLASH ERR NULL PTR: blank_check_result for storing blank check results was

Properties

Prototyped in file "r_flash_rx_if.h"

NULLI

Description

The result of the blank check operation is placed into blank_check_result when operating in blocking mode. This variable is of type flash_res_t which is defined in r_flash_rx_if.h. If the API is used in BGO/non-blocking mode, after the blank check is complete, the result of the blank check is passed as the argument of the callback function.

Reentrant

No.

^{*}blank_check_result

Example: Flash Types 1, 3, and 4

Second argument is number of bytes to check (must be multiple of FLASH_DF_MIN_PGM_SIZE).

Special Notes:

None .

3.6 R FLASH Write

This function is used to write data to ROM or data flash.

Format

Parameters

src_address

This is a pointer to the buffer containing the data to write to Flash.

dest_address

This is a pointer to the ROM or data flash area to write. The address specified must be divisible by the minimum programming size. See *Description* below for important restrictions regarding this parameter.

num_bytes

The number of bytes contained in the buffer specified with *src_address*. This number must be a multiple of the minimum programming size for memory area you are writing to.

Return Values

FLASH_SUCCESS:

Operation successful (in BGO/non-blocking mode, this means the operation was started successfully)

FLASH_ERR_FAILURE:

Programming failed. Possibly the destination address under access window or lockbit control; or callback function not present(BGO mode with flash interrupt support)

FLASH_ERR_BUSY:

Another flash operation in progress or the module not initialized

FLASH_ERR_BYTES:

Number of bytes provided was not a multiple of the minimum programming size or exceed the maximum range

FLASH_ERR_ADDRESS: Invalid address was input or address not divisible by the

minimum programming size.

Properties

Prototyped in file "r_flash_rx_if.h"

Description

Writes data to flash memory. Before writing to any flash area, the area must already be erased.

When performing a write the user must make sure to start the write on an address divisible by the minimum programming size and make the number of bytes to write be a multiple of the minimum programming size. The minimum programming size differs depending on what MCU package is being used and whether the ROM or data flash is being written to.

An area to write data to ROM must be rewritable area (access window or lockbit allowed).

When the API is used in BGO/non-blocking mode, the callback function is called when all write operations are complete.

Reentrant

No.

Example

Special Notes:

FLASH_DF_MIN_PGM_SIZE defines the minimum data flash program size.

FLASH_CF_MIN_PGM_SIZE defines the minimum ROM (code flash) program size.

3.7 R_FLASH_Control

This function implements all non-core functionality of the sequencer.

Format

Parameters

cmd

Command to execute.

*pcfg

Configuration parameters required by the specific command. This maybe NULL if the command does not require it.

Return Values

FLASH_SUCCESS: Operation successful (in BGO mode, this means the operations was started successfully) Number of blocks exceeds max range FLASH_ERR_BYTES: FLASH_ERR_ADDRESS: Address is an invalid Code/Data Flash block start address pcfg was NULL for a command that expects a configuration FLASH_ERR_NULL_PTR: structure Another flash operation in progress or API not FLASH_ERR_BUSY: initialized FLASH_ERR_LOCKED: The flash control circuit was in a command locked state and was reset FLASH_ERR_ACCESSW: Access window error: Incorrect area specified

Properties

FLASH_ERR_PARAM:

Prototyped in file "r_flash_rx_if.h"

Description

This function is an expansion function that implements non-core functionality of the sequencer. Depending on the command type a different argument type has to be passed.

Invalid command

Command	Argument	Operation
Flash type 1,3,4	NULL	Resets the flash
FLASH_CMD_RESET		sequencer. This may or
		may not wait for the current
		flash operation to complete
		(operation dependent).
Flash type 1,3,4	NULL	Returns the status of the
FLASH_CMD_STATUS_GET		API (Busy or Idle).
Flash type 1,3,4	flash_interrupt_config_t *	Registers the callback
FLASH_CMD_SET_BGO_CALLBACK		function.
Flash type 1,4	flash_access_window_config_t *	Returns the access window
FLASH_CMD_ACCESSWINDOW_GET		boundaries for ROM.
Flash type 1,4	flash_access_window_config_t *	Specifies the access
FLASH_CMD_ACCESSWINDOW_SET		window
		boundaries for ROM (types
		1,4). Types 1 & 4 use
		callback function in
		BGO/non-blocking mode.**
Flash type 1,4	uint32_t *	Loads the flag indicating
FLASH_CMD_SWAPFLAG_GET		the designated boot block
		startup area (SASMF type
		1, BTFLG type 4).

Command	Argument	Operation
Flash type 1,4	NULL	Toggles the flag indicating
FLASH_CMD_SWAPFLAG_TOGGLE		the designated boot block
		start-up area. Boot block
		swap takes effect at next
		reset. Uses callback
		function in BGO/non-
Floor type 1.4	uint0 + *	blocking mode.** Loads the flags
Flash type 1,4 FLASH_CMD_SWAPSTATE_GET	uint8_t *	(FLASH_SAS_xxx values)
FLASTI_CMD_SWAFSTATE_GET		indicating temporary boot
		block startup area.
Flash type 1,4	uint8_t *	Sets the flags
FLASH_CMD_SWAPSTATE_SET		(FLASH_SAS_xxx values)
		indicating the temporary
		boot block startup area.
		The value of SWAPFLAG still indicates boot block
		area used at next reset.
Flash type 3	flash_lockbit_config_t *	Loads argument with
FLASH_CMD_LOCKBIT_READ		FLASH_RES_LOCKBIT_S
		TATE_PROTECTED or
		FLASH_RES_LOCKBIT_S
		TATE_NON_PROTECTED
		for block address provided.
Flash type 3	flash_lockbit_config_t *	Sets the lockbit for the
FLASH_CMD_LOCKBIT_WRITE		number of blocks specified starting with the block
		address provided. Uses
		callback function in
		BGO/non-blocking mode.
Flash type 3	NULL	Prohibits erasing/writing of
FLASH_CMD_LOCKBIT_ENABLE		blocks with lockbit set.
Flash type 3	NULL	Allows erasing/writing of
FLASH_CMD_LOCKBIT_DISABLE		blocks with lockbit set.
		NOTE: Erasing a block clears the lockbit.
Flash type 3,4	uint32_t *	Speed in Hz that FCLK is
FLASH_CMD_CONFIG_CLOCK		running at. Only needs to
		be called if clock speed
		changes at run time.
RX24T, RX24U, RX65x, RX66T,	NULL	Enables caching of ROM
RX72T, RX72M		(invalidates cache first).
FLASH_CMD_ROM_CACHE_ENABLE	NII II I	Disables eaching of DOM
RX24T, RX24U, RX65x, RX66T, RX72T, RX72M	NULL	Disables caching of ROM. Call before rewriting ROM.
FLASH_CMD_ROM_CACHE_DISABLE		Can before rewriting NOW.
RX24T, RX24U, RX65x, RX66T,	uint8_t *	Sets the value to 1 if
RX72T, RX72M		caching is enabled; 0 if
FLASH_CMD_ROM_CACHE_STATUS		disabled.
RX66T, RX72T, RX72M	flash_non_cached_t *	Sets ROM range to
FLASH_CMD_SET_NON_CACHED_R		limit/disable caching.
ANGE0		
RX66T, RX72T, RX72M	flash_non_cached_t *	Sets another ROM range to
FLASH_CMD_SET_NON_CACHED_R		limit/disable caching.
ANGE1		

Command	Argument	Operation
RX66T, RX72T, RX72M	flash_non_cached_t *	Retrieves non-cached
FLASH_CMD_GET_NON_CACHED_R		settings for RANGE0.
ANGE0		
RX66T, RX72T, RX72M	flash_non_cached_t *	Retrieves non-cached
FLASH_CMD_GET_NON_CACHED_R		settings for RANGE1.
ANGE1		
RX65N-2M, RX72M	NULL	Swaps startup bank.
FLASH_CMD_BANK_TOGGLE		Becomes effective at next
		reset. Uses callback
		function in BGO/non-
		blocking mode.**
RX65N-2M, RX72M	flash_bank_t *	Loads the current
FLASH_CMD_BANK_GET		BANKSEL value (bank and
		address effective at next
		reset).

Note: ** These commands will block until completed even when in BGO (interrupt) mode. This is necessary while flash reconfigures itself. The callback function will still be called upon completion in BGO mode.

Reentrant

No, except for the FLASH_CMD_RESET command which can be executed at any time.

Example 1: Polling in BGO mode

To spin in a loop while waiting for a flash operation to complete and doing nothing else is functionally the same as operating in normal blocking mode. BGO mode is used when other processing must be performed while waiting for a flash operation to complete.

```
flash_err_t err;

/* erase all of data flash */
R_FLASH_Erase(FLASH_DF_BLOCK_0, FLASH_NUM_BLOCKS_DF);

/* wait for operation to complete */
while (R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_STATUS_GET, NULL) == FLASH_ERR_BUSY)
{
    /* do critical system checks here */
}
```

Example 2: Setting up BGO mode with interrupt support on flash types 1, 3 and 4.

BGO/non-blocking mode is enabled when FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO equals 1 or FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO equals 1. When reprogramming ROM, relocate the relocatable vector table to RAM. Also, the callback function must be registered prior to write/erase/blank check calls.

```
void func(void)
    flash_err_t
                             err;
   flash_interrupt_config_t cb_func_info;
   uint32 t
                             *pvect table;
    /* Relocate the Relocatable Vector Table in RAM */
    /* It is also possible to set the address of the flash ready interrupt
       function directly to ram_vect_table[23]. Please consider the method
       according to the user's system.*/
   pvect_table = (uint32_t *)__sectop("C$VECT");
   ram_vect_table[23] = pvect_table[23]; /* FRDYI Interrupt function Copy */
   set_intb((void *)ram_vect_table);
    /* Initialize the API. */
   err = R_FLASH_Open();
    /* Check for errors. */
   if (FLASH_SUCCESS != err)
    {
        ...(omission)
    }
   /* Set callback function and interrupt priority */
    cb_func_info.pcallback = u_cb_function;
   cb_func_info.int_priority = 1;
   err = R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_SET_BGO_CALLBACK,(void *)&cb_func_info);
   if (FLASH_SUCCESS != err)
    {
       printf("Control FLASH_CMD_SET_BGO_CALLBACK command failure.");
    }
    /* Perform operations on ROM */
   do_rom_operations();
    ... (omission)
```

Example 3: Get range of current access window

Example 4: Set access window code flash (flash types 1 and 4)

The area protection is used to prevent unauthorized programming or erasure of ROM blocks. The following example makes only block 3 writeable (and everything else is not writeable).

Example 5: Get value of active startup area

The following example shows how to read the value of the start-up area setting monitor flag (FSCMR.SASMF).

```
uint32_t swap_flag;
flash_err_t err;

err = R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_SWAPFLAG_GET, (void *)&swap_flag);
if (FLASH_SUCCESS != err)
{
    printf("Control FLASH_CMD_SWAPFLAG_GET command failure.");
}
```

Example 6: Swap active startup area

The following example shows how to toggle the active start-up program area. Swap the area with the function placed in RAM.

```
flash_err_t err;

/* Swap the active area from Default to Alternate or vice versa. */

err = R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_SWAPFLAG_TOGGLE, FIT_NO_PTR);
if(FLASH_SUCCESS != err)
{
    printf("Control FLASH_CMD_SWAPFLAG_TOGGLE command failure.");
}
```

Example 7: Get value of startup area select bit

The example below shows how to read the current value in the start-up area select bit (FISR.SAS).

```
uint8_t swap_area;
flash_err_t err;

err = R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_SWAPSTATE_GET, (void *)&swap_area);
if (FLASH_SUCCESS != err)
{
    printf("Control FLASH_CMD_SWAPSTATE_GET command failure.");
}
```

Example 8: Set value of startup area select bit

The example below shows how to set the value to the start-up area select bit (FISR.SAS) for the start-up program area. Swap the area with the function placed in RAM. After a reset, the area will be the one specified with FLASH_SAS_EXTRA.

```
uint8_t swap_area;
flash_err_t err;

swap_area = FLASH_SAS_SWITCH_AREA;
err = R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_SWAPSTATE_SET, (void *)&swap_area);
if (FLASH_SUCCESS != err)
{
    printf("Control FLASH_CMD_SWAPSTATE_SET command failure.");
}
```

Example 9: Using ROM cache

The example below shows cache command usage when rewriting ROM.

```
uint8_t status;

/* Enable caching towards beginning of application */
R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_ROM_CACHE_ENABLE, NULL);

/* Put main code here; optionally verify that flash is enabled */
R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_ROM_CACHE_STATUS, &status);
if (status != 1)
{
    // should never happen
}

/* Prepare to rewrite ROM */
R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_ROM_CACHE_DISABLE, NULL);

/* Erase, write, and verify new ROM code here */

/* Re-enable caching */
R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_ROM_CACHE_ENABLE, NULL);
```

Example 10: Limit ROM caching over a specific range.

The example below shows non-cached range command usage. It is legal to have non-cached ranges overlap.

```
flash_non_cached_t range;
uint8_t status;

/* Do not cache fast-instruction fetching or operand access by the CPU
  * for the first 1K of ROM in flash block 10. ROM caching will be temporarily
  * disabled by the Control() command if was already enabled.
  */
  range.start_addr = (uint32_t)FLASH_CF_BLOCK_10;
  range.size = FLASH_NON_CACHED_1_KBYTE;
  range.type_mask = FLASH_NON_CACHED_MASK_IF | FLASH_NON_CACHED_MASK_OA;

R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_SET_NON_CACHED_RANGE0, &range);

/* Enable caching */
  R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_ROM_CACHE_ENABLE, NULL);

/* Retrieve non-cached settings for RANGE0 */
  R_FLASH_Control(FLASH_CMD_GET_NON_CACHED_RANGE0, &range);
```

Special Notes:

None

3.8 R_FLASH_GetVersion

Returns the current version of the Flash FIT module.

Format

```
uint32_t R_FLASH_GetVersion(void);
```

Parameters

None.

Return Values

Version of the Flash FIT module.

Properties

Prototyped in file "r_flash_rx_if.h"

Description

This function will return the version of the currently installed Flash API. The version number is encoded where the top 2 bytes are the major version number and the bottom 2 bytes are the minor version number. For example, Version 4.25 would be returned as 0x00040019.

Reentrant

Yes.

Example

```
uint32_t cur_version;

/* Get version of installed Flash FIT. */
cur_version = R_FLASH_GetVersion();

/* Check to make sure version is new enough for this application's use. */
if (MIN_VERSION > cur_version)
{
    /* This Flash FIT version is not new enough and does not have XXX feature
        that is needed by this application. Alert user. */
...
}
```

Special Notes:

This function is specified to be an inline function.

4. Demo Projects

Demo projects are complete stand-alone programs. They include function main() that utilizes the module and its dependent modules (e.g. r_bsp). The standard naming convention for the demo project is <module>_demo_<board> where <module> is the peripheral acronym (e.g. s12ad, cmt, sci) and the <board> is the standard RSK (e.g. rskrx113). For example, s12ad FIT module demo project for RSKRX113 will be named as s12ad_demo_rskrx113. Similarly the exported .zip file will be <module>_demo_<board>.zip. For the same example, the zipped export/import file will be named as s12ad_demo_rskrx113.zip

Note that demo projects do not support a compiler other than Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family.

4.1 flash demo rskrx113

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX113 starter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase, blank check, and write data flash and code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Output).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX113

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30

4.2 flash_demo_rskrx231

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX231 starter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase, blank check, and write data flash and code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Output).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX231

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30



4.3 flash demo rskrx23t

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX23T starter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase, blank check, and write code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Output).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX23T

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30

4.4 flash_demo_rskrx130

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX130 starter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase, blank check, and write data flash and code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Output).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX130

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30

4.5 flash_demo_rskrx24t

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX24Tstarter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase, blank check, and write data flash and code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Output).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX24T

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30



4.6 flash demo rskrx65n

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX65N starter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase and write code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Output).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX65N-1

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30

4.7 flash_demo_rskrx24u

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX24U starter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase and write data flash and code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Output).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX24U

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30

4.8 flash_demo_rskrx65n2mb_bank0_bootapp / _bank1_otherapp

This is a simple demo for the dual bank operation of the RX65N-2MB demo board. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to read the BANKSEL register and swap banks/applications at next reset. The bank 0 application flashes LED0 when it is running. The bank 1 application flashes LED1 when it is running.

Setup and Execution

- 1. Build flash_demo_rskrx65n2mb_bank0_bootapp, and build flash_demo_rskrx65n2mb_bank1_otherapp.
- 2. Download (HardwareDebug) flash_demo_rskrx65n2mb_bank0_bootapp (its debug configuration also downloads the other app).
- 3. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.
- 4. Notice LED0 is flashing. Press the reset switch on the board. Notice LED1 is flashing (banks have swapped and the other application is now running). Continue this reset process if desired.

Boards Supported

RSKRX65N-2MB

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30



4.9 flash demo rskrx64m

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX64M starter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase and write data flash and code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Output).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX64M

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30

4.10 flash_demo_rskrx64m_runrom

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX64M starter kit. What sets this apart from other demos is that this makes use of the RX64M feature which allows an application to run from one region of code flash while erasing/writing to another. (Most other MCUs require code that could execute during a code flash erase/write to be located in RAM.) The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase and write data flash and code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Notice that the typical Linker set up for supporting code flash erase/write (RAM locating) is not necessary in this demo, and that FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_RUN_FROM_ROM is set to 1 in "r_flash_rx_config.h".

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX64M

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30

4.11 flash_demo_rskrx66t

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX66T starter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase and write data flash and code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Symbol file).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX66T

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30



4.12 flash demo rskrx72t

This is a simple demo for the RSKRX72T starter kit. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to erase and write data flash and code flash. Each write function is verified with a read-back of data. Note the "pragma section FRAM" for writing to code flash and the corresponding section definitions in the linker (see project Properties->C/C++ Build ->Settings ->Tool Settings (tab) ->Linker ->Section and ->Symbol file).

Setup and Execution

- 1. Compile and download the sample code.
- 2. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.

Boards Supported

RSKRX72T

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev. 5.30, FLASH FIT Rev. 4.30

4.13 flash_demo_rskrx72m_bank0_bootapp / _bank1_otherapp

This is a simple demo for the dual bank operation of the RSKRX72M demo board. The demo uses the r_flash_rx API with blocking functionality to read the BANKSEL register and swap banks/applications at next reset. The bank 0 application flashes LED0 when it is running. The bank 1 application flashes LED1 when it is running.

Setup and Execution

- 1. Build flash_demo_rskrx72m_bank0_bootapp, and build flash_demo_rskrx72m_bank1_otherapp.
- 2. Download (HardwareDebug) flash_demo_rskrx72m_bank0_bootapp (its debug configuration also downloads the other app).
- 3. Click 'Reset Go' to start the software. If the program stops at main(), press F8 to resume.
- 4. Notice LED0 is flashing. Press the reset switch on the board. Notice LED1 is flashing (banks have swapped and the other application is now running). Continue this reset process if desired.

Boards Supported

RSKRX72M

Evaluation Environment

Version used: BSP Rev.5.30, FLASH FIT Rev.4.30

4.14 Adding a Demo to a Workspace

Demo projects are found in the FITDemos subdirectory of the distribution file for this application note. To add a demo project to a workspace, select *File >> Import >> General >> Existing Projects into Workspace*, then click "Next". From the Import Projects dialog, choose the "Select archive file" radio button. "Browse" to the FITDemos subdirectory, select the desired demo zip file, then click "Finish".

4.15 Downloading Demo Projects

Demo projects are not included in the RX Driver Package. When using the demo project, the FIT module needs to be downloaded. To download the FIT module, right click on this application note and select "Sample Code (download)" from the context menu in the *Smart Brower* >> *Application Notes* tab.



5. Appendices

5.1 Confirmed Operation Environment

This section describes confirmed operation environment for the Flash FIT module.

Table 5.1 Confirmed Operation Environment (Rev. 4.00)

Item	Contents			
Integrated development environment	Renesas Electronics e ² studio Version 7.3.0 IAR Embedded Workbench for Renesas RX 4.12.1			
C compiler	Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family V3.01.00 Compiler option: The following option is added to the default settings of the integrated development environment.			
	-lang = c99			
	GCC for Renesas RX 4.08.04.201902 Compiler option: The following option is added to the default settings of the integrated development environmentstd=gnu99			
	IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX version 4.12.1 Compiler option: The default settings of the integrated development environment.			
Endian	Big endian/little endian			
Revision of the module	Rev.4.00			
Board used	Renesas Starter Kit for RX113 (product No.: R0K505113xxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit for RX130 (product No.: RTK5005130xxxxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit for RX231 (product No.: R0K505231xxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit for RX23T (product No.: RTK500523Txxxxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit for RX24T (product No.: RTK500524Txxxxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit for RX24U (product No.: RTK500524Uxxxxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit+ for RX64M (product No.: R0K50564Mxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit for RX66T (product No.: RTK50566Txxxxxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit for RX72T (product No.: RTK5572Txxxxxxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit+ for RX65N (product No.: RTK500565Nxxxxxxxx)			
	Renesas Starter Kit+ for RX65N-2MB (product No.: RTK50565Nxxxxxxxxxx)			

Table 5.2 Confirmed Operation Environment (Rev. 4.10)

Item	Contents		
Integrated development environment	Renesas Electronics e ² studio Version 7.3.0		
C compiler	Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family V3.01.00 Compiler option: The following option is added to the default settings of the integrated development environmentlang = c99		
Endian	Big endian/little endian		
Revision of the module	Rev.4.10		
Board used	Renesas Solution Starter Kit for RX23W (product No.: RTK5523Wxxxxxxxxxx)		

Table 5.3 Confirmed Operation Environment (Rev. 4.20)

Item	Contents			
Integrated development	Renesas Electronics e ² studio Version 7.3.0			
environment	IAR Embedded Workbench for Renesas RX 4.12.1			
C compiler	Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family V3.01.00 Compiler option: The following option is added to the default settings of the integrated development environmentlang = c99			
	GCC for Renesas RX 4.08.04.201902 Compiler option: The following option is added to the default settings of the integrated development environmentstd=gnu99			
	IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX version 4.12.1 Compiler option: The default settings of the integrated development environment.			
Endian	Big endian/little endian			
Revision of the module	Rev.4.20			
Board used	Renesas Starter Kit+ for RX72M (product No.: RTK5572Mxxxxxxxxxx)			

Table 5.4 Confirmed Operation Environment (Rev. 4.30)

Item	Contents			
Integrated development	Renesas Electronics e ² studio Version 7.4.0			
environment	IAR Embedded Workbench for Renesas RX 4.12.1			
C compiler	Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family V3.01.00 Compiler option: The following option is added to the default settings of the integrated development environmentlang = c99			
GCC for Renesas RX 4.08.04.201902 Compiler option: The following option is added to the default setting integrated development environmentstd=gnu99				
	IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX version 4.12.1 Compiler option: The default settings of the integrated development environment.			
Endian	Big endian/little endian			
Revision of the module	Rev.4.30			
Board used	RX13T CPU Card (product No.: RTK0EMXA10xxxxxxxx)			

Table 5.5 Confirmed Operation Environment (Rev. 4.40)

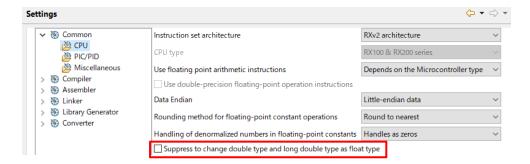
Item	Contents			
Integrated development	Renesas Electronics e ² studio Version 7.5.0			
environment	IAR Embedded Workbench for Renesas RX 4.12.1			
C compiler	Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family V3.01.00			
	Compiler option: The following option is added to the default settings of the integrated development environment.			
	-lang = c99			
	GCC for Renesas RX 4.08.04.201902 Compiler option: The following option is added to the default settings of the integrated development environment.			
	-std=gnu99			
	IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX version 4.12.1 Compiler option: The default settings of the integrated development environment.			
Endian	Big endian/little endian			
Revision of the module	Rev.4.40			
Board used	Renesas Solution Starter Kit for RX23E-A (product No.: RTK0ESXB10xxxxxxxx)			

5.2 Troubleshooting

- (1) Q: I have added the FIT module to the project and built it. Then I got the error: Could not open source file "platform.h".
 - A: The FIT module may not be added to the project properly. Check if the method for adding FIT modules is correct with the following documents:
 - Using CS+:
 Application note "Adding Firmware Integration Technology Modules to CS+ Projects (R01AN1826)"
 - Using e² studio: Application note "Adding Firmware Integration Technology Modules to Projects (R01AN1723)"

When using this FIT module, the board support package FIT module (BSP module) must also be added to the project. Refer to the application note "Board Support Package Module Using Firmware Integration Technology (R01AN1685)".

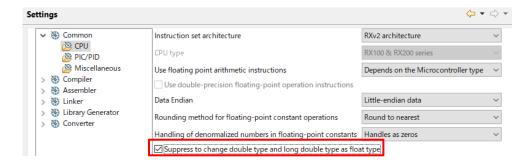
- (2) Q: I have added the FIT module to the project, changed the compiler option and built it. Then a ROM access violation is detected.
 - A: To use this FIT module to run codes from RAM to rewrite the code flash memory, all codes used need to be loaded to the RAM.
 - Depending on the compiler option setting, the loaded destination may be ROM or RAM. If the compiler option needs to be changed, confirm by outputting to a list file the fact that the codes may not be loaded to the ROM as a result of the change of the compiler option.
 - The following shows an example of a ROM access violation due to a change in the compiler option.
 - A-1: Default compiler option settings



Output result of the list file of the default compiler option settings



A-2: Compiler option change



Output result of the list file after the change in the compiler option



A-1 shows a list file of the default compiler option settings, and A2 shows a list file after the change in the compiler option.

The difference between the A1 and A2 compiler option results in the difference between list file output results.

The red frame parts shown in the list file of A-2 indicate that they have been replaced with runtime library functions.

These runtime library functions are positioned in the "P" section by default and are not loaded to RAM. For that reason, a ROM access violation will occur during program execution.

5.3 Compiler-Dependent Settings

This module of Rev. 4.00 or later supports multiple compilers. To use this module, different settings are required for each compiler as shown below.

5.3.1 Using Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family

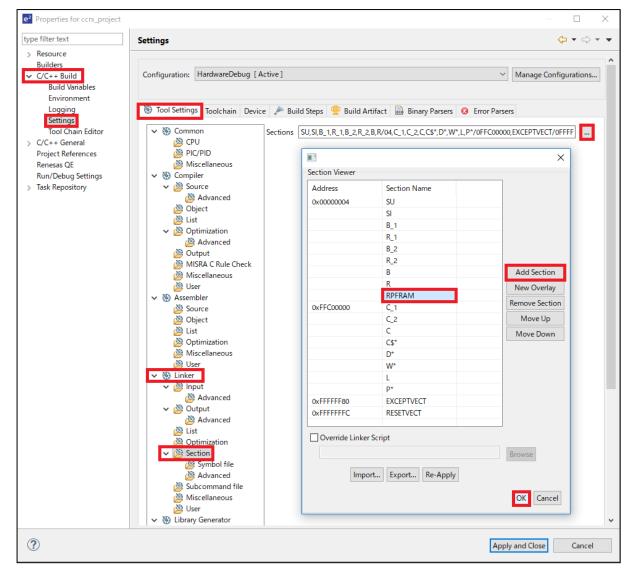
This section describes how to use Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family as the compiler.

The process of setting up the linker sections and mapping from code flash to RAM need to be done in e² studio.

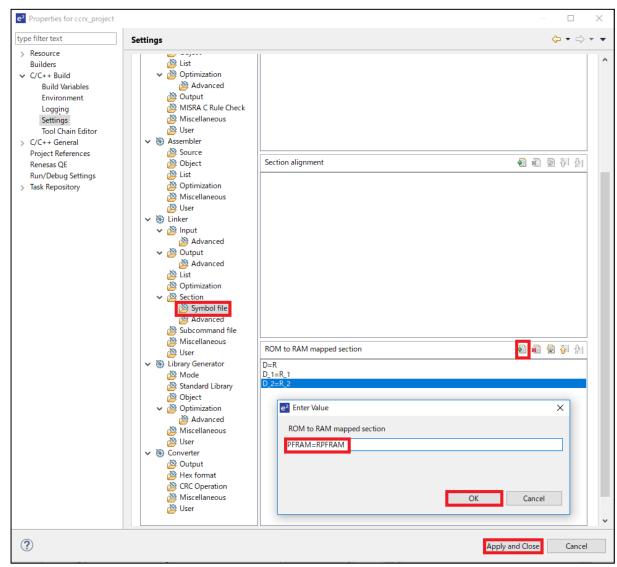
5.3.1.1 Programming Code Flash from RAM

This section describes addition of sections, mapping from code flash to RAM, and placement of programs that operate during code flash re-writing.

- 1. Add a 'RPFRAM' section in a RAM area.
 - (1) In Project Explorer, click the project you want to debug.
 - (2) Click File > Properties to open the Properties window.
 - (3) On the Properties window, click C/C++ Build > Settings.
 - (4) Select the "Tool Settings" tab, click Linker > Section, and click the [...] button to display the Section Viewer window.
 - (5) On the Section Viewer window, click the [Add Section] button to add a 'RPFRAM' section in a RAM area, and then click the [OK] button.



- 2. Map the code flash section (PFRAM) address to the RAM section (RPFRAM) address.
 - (1) After clicking "Symbol file", click the "Add" icon of the section to be mapped from ROM to RAM.
 - (2) On the Enter Value window, enter 'PFRAM=RPFRAM' and then click the [OK] button.
 - (3) Click the [Apply and Close] button.



3. Programs that operate during code flash re-writing such as interrupt callback function, etc. need to be placed in the FRAM section.

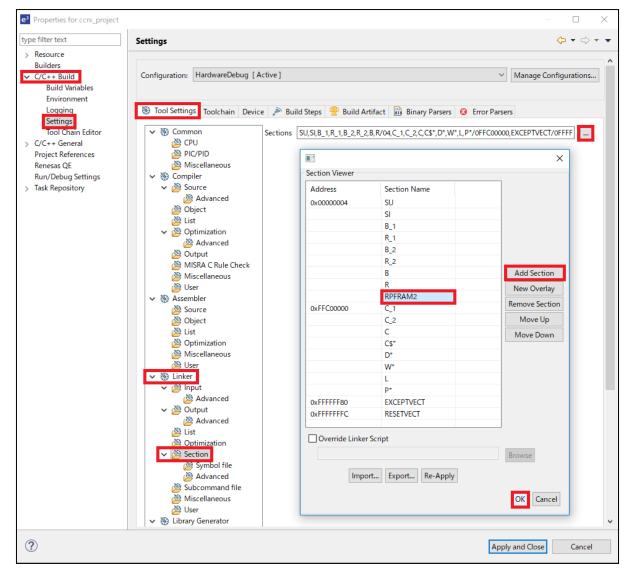
```
#pragma section FRAM
/* Function that operates during code flash re-writing */
void func(void){...}

/* Callback function that operates during code flash re-writing */
void cb_func(void){...}
#pragma section
```

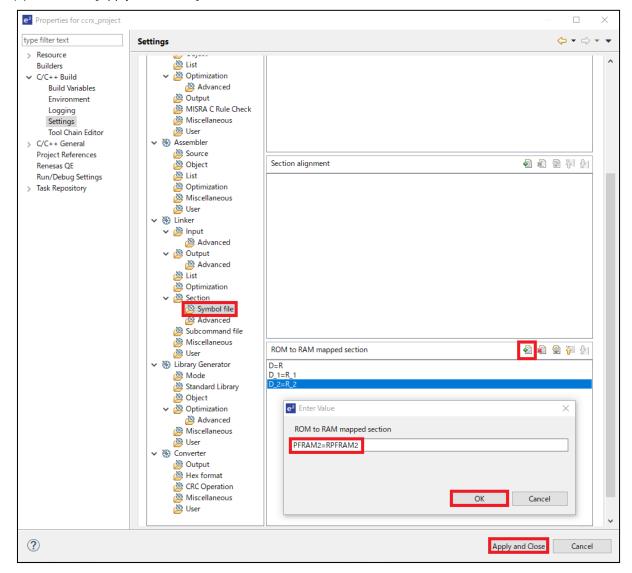
5.3.1.2 Programming Code Flash Using the Dual Bank Function

This section describes addition of sections, mapping from code flash to RAM, and debugging with the dual bank function.

- 1. Add a 'RPFRAM2' section in a RAM area.
 - (1) In Project Explorer, click the project you want to debug.
 - (2) Click File > Properties to open the Properties window.
 - (3) On the Properties window, click C/C++ Build > Settings.
 - (4) Select the "Tool Settings" tab, click Linker > Section, and click the [...] button to display the Section Viewer window.
 - (5) On the Section Viewer window, click the [Add Section] button to add a 'RPFRAM2' section in a RAM area, and then click the [OK] button.



- 2. Map the code flash section (PFRAM2) address to the RAM section (RPFRAM2) address.
 - (1) After clicking "Symbol file", click the "Add" icon of the section to be mapped from ROM to RAM.
 - (2) On the Enter Value window, enter 'PFRAM2=RPFRAM2' and then click the [OK] button.
 - (3) Click the [Apply and Close] button.

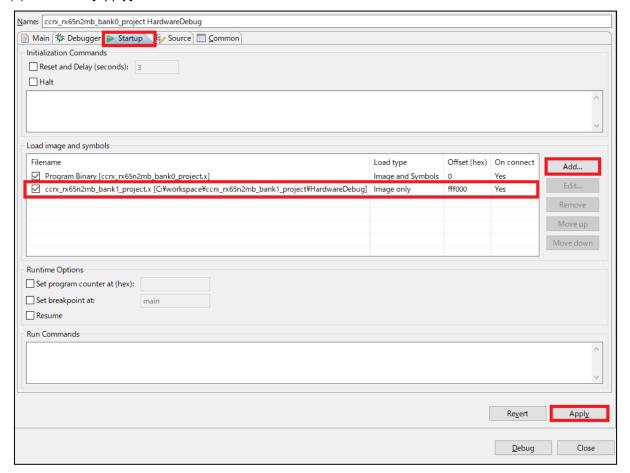


- 3. The following describes how to load objects for two banks when connecting an application related to the dual bank function to a target device and perform debugging. Perform this procedure as required.
 - (1) In Project Explorer, click the project you want to debug.
 - (2) Click Execute > Debug Configuration to open the Debug Configuration window.
 - (3) On the Debug Configuration window, expand the display of the "Renesas GDB Hardware Debugging" debug configuration and click the debug configuration you want to debug.
 - (4) Switch to the "Startup" tab, and click the [Add...] button of "Load image and symbols" on the "Startup" tab
 - (5) On the Edit Download Module window, specify an object for the other startup bank and then click the [OK] button.
 - (6) Select a "Load type".
 - e²studio can only maintain one debug symbol table at a time. You can set the road type of either of the applications to "Image and Symbols".
 - (7) Specify "Offset".

The "Offset" specification differs depending on the capacity of the code flash memory. For details, refer to the User's Manual for each device used.

The following shows an example when the target device is RX65N and the code flash capacity is 2MB. For "Offset", enter fff00000, for which -1MB is two's complement. By doing so, the application to be assigned to the other startup bank will be loaded into memory 1Mb lower than the values shown in the linker or map file.

(8) Click the [Apply] button.



5.3.2 Using GCC for Renesas RX

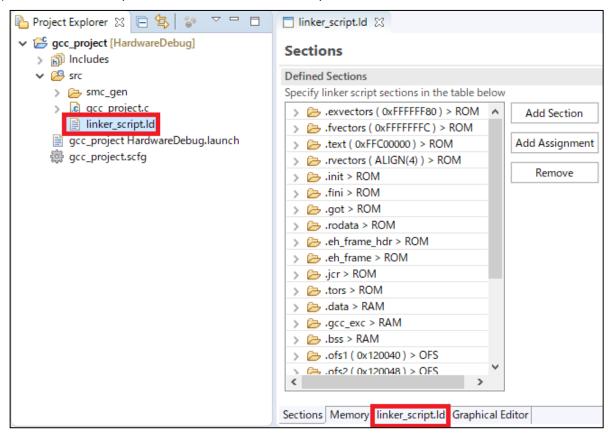
This section describes how to use GCC for Renesas RX as the compiler.

For the linker setting, it is necessary to edit the linker settings file generated by e² studio.

5.3.2.1 Programming Code Flash from RAM

This section describes addition of linker settings and placement of programs that operate during code flash re-writing.

- 1. Add a setting in the linker settings file (linker_script.ld).
 - (1) From Project Explorer, right-click the linker settings file (linker_script.ld), and select "Open".
 - (2) On the linker_script.id window, click the "linker_script_id" tab.



(3) Add the following (a) to (c) in the linker settings file (linker_script.ld).

```
🔲 linker_script.ld 💢
  77
                       .tors :
  78
                       {
  79
                             CTOR_LIST__ = .;
                            . = ALIGN(2);
  80
  81
                               ctors = .;
                            *(.ctors)
  82
                               ctors_end = .;
  83
                              CTOR_END__ = .;
  84
  85
                             DTOR_LIST__ = .;
  86
                              _dtors = .;
                            *(.dtors)
  87
  88
                              _dtors_end = .;
                             _DTOR_END__ = .;
  89
  90
                            . = ALIGN(2);
  91
                            mdata = .;
  92
                          . += _edata -
                                           data;
                         > ROM
  93
  94
                       .pfram ALIGN(4):
  95
                           _PFRAM_start = .;
  96
  97
                            . += _RPFRAM_end - _RPFRAM_start;
  98
                            PFRAM end = .;
  99
                         > ROM
                 (
                       .data : AT(_mdata)
 100
 101
                       {
                            data = .;
 102
                           *(.data)
 103
                            *(.data.*)
 104
                           *(D)
 105
                            *(D_1)
 106
                            *(D_2)
 107
 108
                            edata = .;
 109
                       } > RAM
 110
                       .rpfram ALIGN(4): AT(_PFRAM_start)
 111
 112
                            RPFRAM start = .;
                            *(PFRAM)
 113
 114
                            . = ALIGN(4);
 115
                            RPFRAM end = .;
 116
                         > RAM
 117
                       .gcc_exc :
 118
                            *(.gcc_exc)
 119
 120
                       } > RAM
                                                                    >
Sections | Memory | linker_script.ld | Graphical Editor
```

2. Programs that operate during code flash re-writing such as interrupt callback function, etc. need to be placed in a FRAM section by specifying the FRAM section for each function.

```
__attribute__((section("PFRAM")))

/* Function that operates during code flash re-writing */

void func(void){...}

__attribute__((section("PFRAM")))

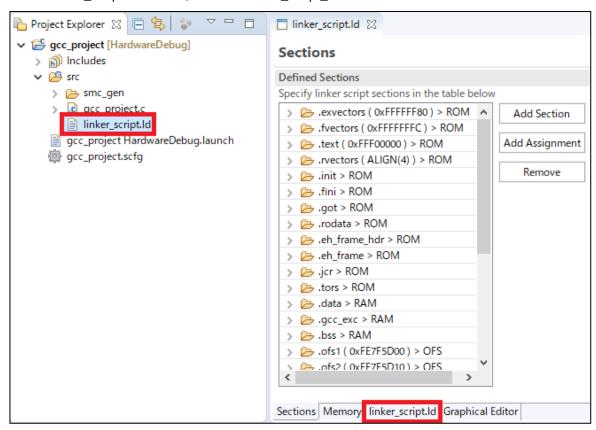
/* Callback function that operates during code flash re-writing */

void cb_func(void){...}
```

5.3.2.2 Programming Code Flash Using the Dual Bank Function

This section describes addition of linker settings and debugging with the dual bank function.

- 1. Add a setting in the linker settings file (linker_script.ld).
 - (1) From Project Explorer, right-click the linker settings file (linker_script.ld), and select "Open".
 - (2) On the linker script.id window, click the "linker script id" tab.



(3) Add the following (a) to (c) in the linker settings file (linker_script.ld).

```
. += _edata - _data;
(a)
    .pfram2 ALIGN(4):
(b)
    {
          PFRAM2 start = .;
         . += _RPFRAM2_end - _RPFRAM2_start;
          PFRAM2_end = .;
    } > ROM
   .rpfram2 ALIGN(4): AT(_PFRAM2_start)
(c)
          _RPFRAM2_start = .;
         *(PFRAM2)
          . = ALIGN(4);
          RPFRAM2 end = .;
    } > RAM
```

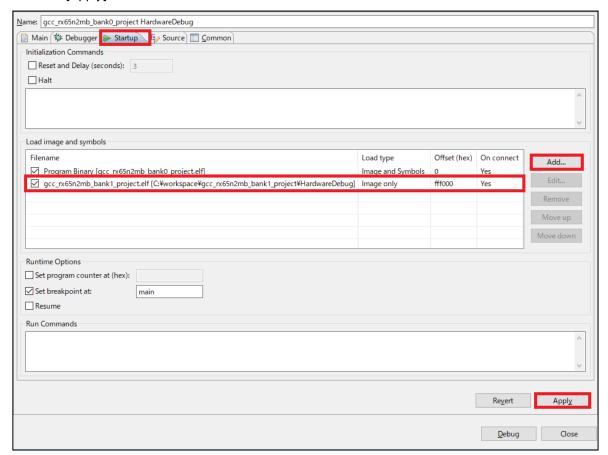
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                       .tors :
  79
                       {
  80
                             CTOR_LIST_ = .;
  81
                            . = ALIGN(2);
  82
                              _ctors = .;
                            *(.ctors)
  83
                              _ctors_end = .;
  84
                             CTOR_END_ = .;
DTOR_LIST_ = .;
  85
  86
                              dtors = .;
  87
  88
                            *(.dtors)
  89
                           ___dtors_end = .;
                           __DTOR_END__ = .;
  90
  91
                            . = ALIGN(2);
  92
                            _{mdata} = .;
  93
                          . += _edata - _data;
  94
                         > ROM
  95
                 \Theta
                       .pfram2 ALIGN(4):
  96
                           _PFRAM2_start = .;
  98
                            . += _RPFRAM2_end - _RPFRAM2_start;
                            PFRAM2_end = .;
  99
                         > ROM
 100
                       .data : AT(_mdata)
 101
 102
 103
                            data = .;
                           *(.data)
 104
                            *(.data.*)
 105
                           *(D)
 106
 107
                            *(D_1)
 108
                            *(D_2)
 109
                            _{edata} = .;
 110
                       } > RAM
 111
                       .rpfram2 ALIGN(4): AT(_PFRAM2_start)
 112
 113
                            _{RPFRAM2\_start = .;}
                           *(PFRAM2)
 114
 115
                            . = ALIGN(4);
116
                            RPFRAM2_end = .;
117
                         > RAM
118
                        .gcc_exc :
119
120
                            *(.gcc_exc)
121
                       } > RAM
                                                                      >
Sections | Memory | linker_script.ld | Graphical Editor
```

- 2. The following describes how to load objects for two banks when connecting an application related to the dual bank function to a target device and perform debugging. Perform this procedure as required.
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(8) Click the [Apply] button.



5.3.3 Using IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX

This section describes how to use IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX as the compiler.

- Using the FIT Module Importer of IAR Embedded Workbench
 - FIT Module Importer of IAR Embedded Workbench is used to generate and use a project for IAR to which this FIT module or BSP is added. For details of FIT Module Importer, refer to the latest information on the IAR website.
- Using the IAR Project Converter of IAR Embedded Workbench

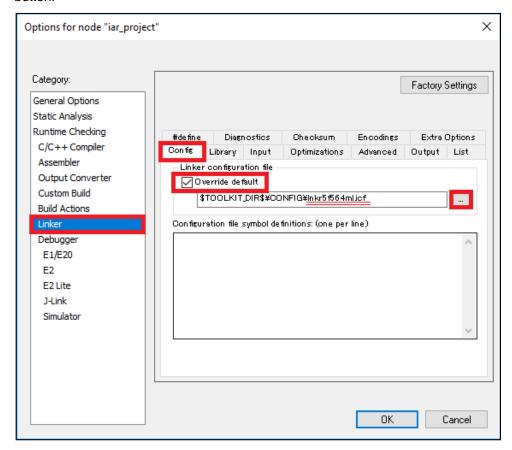
IAR Project Converter of IAR Embedded Workbench is used to convert a project created for CCRX to a project for IAR before the project is used. For details of IAR Project Converter, refer to the latest information on the IAR website. In addition, how to convert a project created for CCRX to a project for IAR is also described in the application note "RX Family Board Support Package Module Using Firmware Integration Technology (R01AN1685)".

To use this FIT module for a project for IAR, the following settings are required.

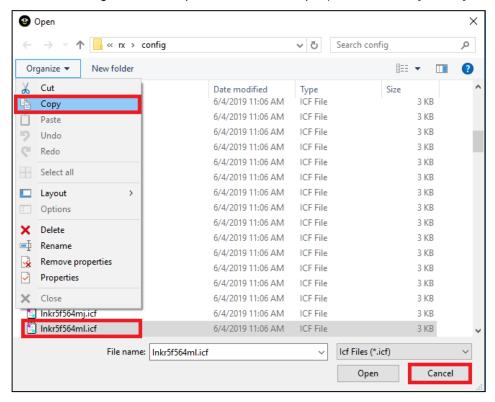
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This section describes addition of linker settings and placement of programs that operate during code flash re-writing.

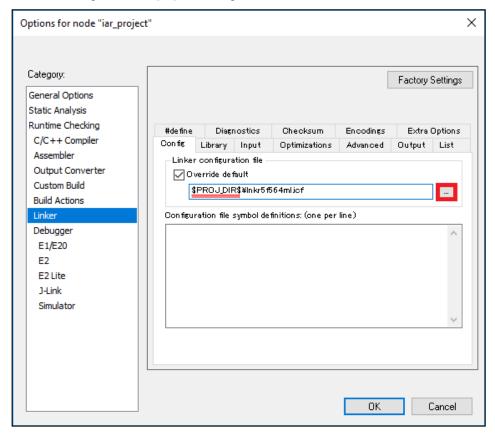
1. Open the Options window of the project for IAR, select "Linker" under "Category:", and select the "Config" tab. Then, after confirming that the "Override default" check box has been selected, click the [...] button



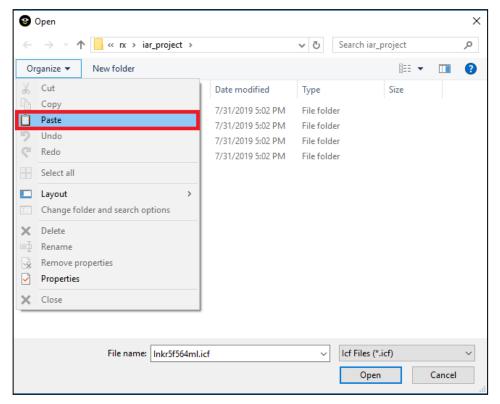
On the Open window, copy the .icf file of the target device (the double underlined part of the text box of the linker settings file in the Options window of step 1.), and click the [Cancel] button.



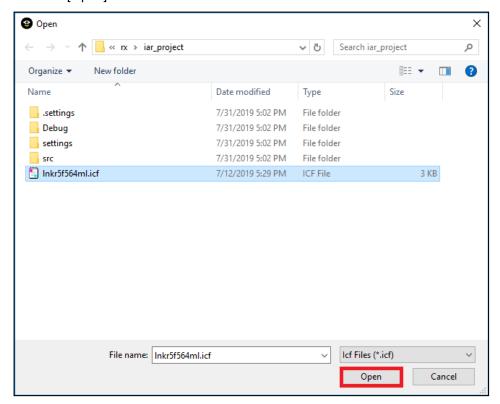
3. Re-write the path to the linker settings file on the Options window to the desired location. (In this example, "\$PROJ_DIR\$" is used as the path variable to place the file directly under the project folder.) After re-writing, click the [...] button again.



4. On the Open window, paste the .icf file of the target device copied in 2 above. (In this example, it is pasted directly under the project folder)



Click the [Open] button.



Now, the default linker settings file was copied and it is ready to edit the copied linker settings file.

5. Copy the following (a) to (d) to add to the replaced linker settings file.

```
    (a) initialize manually { rw section .textrw, section PFRAM };
    (b) define block PFRAM with alignment = 4 { section PFRAM }; define block PFRAM_init with alignment = 4 { section PFRAM_init };
    (c) "ROM32":place in ROM_region32 { ro, block PFRAM_init };
    (d) "RAM32":place in RAM_region32 { rw, ro section D, ro section D, ro section D_1, ro section D_2, block PFRAM, block HEAP };
```

```
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   //-----
    // Linker configuration file template for the Renesas RX microcontroller R5F564MI
    // Compatibility check
    define exported symbol __link_file_version_4 = 1;
    define memory mem with size = 4G;
   define region RAM_region16 = mem:[from 0x00000004 to 0x00007FFF];
    define region RAM_region24 = mem:[from 0x00000004 to 0x0007FFFF];
    define region RAM_region32 = mem:[from 0x00000004 to 0x0007FFFF];
    define region ROM_region16 = mem:[from 0xFFFFF8000 to 0xFFFFFFFF];
    define region ROM_region24 = mem:[from 0xFFC00000 to 0xFFFFFFFF];
    define region ROM_region32 = mem:[from 0xFFC00000 to 0xFFFFFFFF];
    define region DATA FLASH = mem:[from 0x00100000 to 0x0010FFFF];
    initialize manually { rw section .textrw section PFRAM };
    initialize by copy { rw, ro section D, ro section D_1, ro section D_2 };
    initialize by copy with packing = none { section __DLIB_PERTHREAD };
    do not initialize { section .*.noinit };
    define block PFRAM init with alignment = 4
    define block STACKS with fixed order { block USTACK,
                                        block ISTACK };
    place at address mem: 0x00120040
                                      { ro section .option mem };
    place at address mem:0xFFFFFFFC
                                      { ro section .resetvect };
    place at address mem:0xFFFFFF80
                                      { ro section .exceptvect };
    "ROM16":place in ROM_region16
                                      { ro section .codel6*,
                                        ro section .data16* };
    "RAM16":place in RAM region16
                                      { rw section .datal6*,
                                      rw section __DLIB_PERTHREAD };
{ ro section .code24*,
    "ROM24":place in ROM_region24
                                        ro section .data24* };
    "RAM24":place in RAM region24
                                       { rw section .data24* };
    "ROM32":place in ROM region32
                                        ro,
                                        block PFRAM init
                                        rw,
    "RAM32":place in RAM region32
                                        ro section D,
                                        ro section D_1
                                           section D 2,
                                        block PFRAM,
    "STACKS":place at end of RAM_region32 { block STACKS };
```

6. Programs that operate during code flash re-writing such as interrupt callback function, etc. need to be placed in a FRAM section by specifying the FRAM section for each function.

```
#pragma location="PFRAM"
/* Function that operates during code flash re-writing */
void func(void){...}

#pragma location="PFRAM"
/* Callback function that operates during code flash re-writing
void cb_func(void){...}
```

5.3.3.2 Programming Code Flash Using the Dual Bank Function

This section describes addition of linker settings.

After performing items 1. to 4. in section 5.3.3.1, perform the following settings.

```
1. Copy the following (a) to (d) to add to the replaced linker settings file.
           initialize manually { rw section .textrw, section PFRAM2 };
                                                 with alignment = 4 { section PFRAM2 };
           define block PFRAM2
           define block PFRAM2_init with alignment = 4 { section PFRAM2_init };
           "ROM32":place in ROM_region32
                                                                    { ro,
                                                                       block PFRAM2 init };
     (d)
           "RAM32":place in RAM_region32
                                                                    { rw,
                                                                       ro section D,
                                                                       ro section D_1,
                                                                       ro section D_2,
                                                                       block PFRAM2,
                                                                       block HEAP };
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                  // Linker configuration file template for the Renesas RX microcontroller R5F565NE_DUAL
                 // Compatibility check
                 define exported symbol __link_file_version_4 = 1;
                 define memory mem with size = 4G;
                 define region RAM_region1 = mem:[from 0x00000004 to 0x0003FFFF];
                 define region RAM_region2 = mem:[from 0x00800000 to 0x0085FFFF];
                 define region RAM_region16 = mem:[from 0x00000004 to 0x00007FFF];
define region RAM_region24 = RAM_region1 | RAM_region2;
                 define region RAM_region32 = RAM_region1 | RAM_region2;
                 define region STANDBY_RAM = mem:[from 0x0000A4000 to 0x000A5FFF];
                 define region ROM_region16 = mem:[from 0xFFFFF8000 to 0xFFFFFFFF];
                 define region ROM_region24 = mem:[from 0xFFE00000 to 0xFFFFFFFF];
define region ROM_region32 = mem:[from 0xFFE00000 to 0xFFFFFFFF];
                 define region DATA FLASH = mem: [from 0x00100000 to 0x00107FFF]:
                 initialize manually { rw section .textr , section PFRAM2 };
                 initialize by copy { rw, ro section D, ro section D_1, ro section D_2 };
                 initialize by copy with packing = none { section __DLIB_PERTHREAD };
                 do not initialize { section .*.noinit };
                 define block HEAP with alignment = 4, size = _HEAP_SIZE { };
define block USTACK with alignment = 4, size = _USTACK_SIZE { };
define block ISTACK with alignment = 4, size = _ISTACK_SIZE { };
                 define block PFRAM2 init with alignment = 4 { section PFRAM2 init
```

"STACKS":place at end of RAM_region1 { block STACKS };

```
define block STACKS with fixed order { block USTACK,
                                          block ISTACK 1:
place at address mem:0xFE7F5D00 { ro section .option_mem };
place at address mem:OxFFFFFFFC { ro section .resetvect };
place at address mem:OxFFFFFF80 { ro section .exceptvect };
"ROM16":place in ROM_region16
                                       { ro section .code16*
                                          ro section .data16* };
                                       { rw section .datal6*,
"RAM16":place in RAM region16
                                          rw section __DLIB_PERTHREAD };
"ROM24":place in ROM region24
                                        { ro section .code24*,
                                         ro section .data24* };
"RAM24":place in RAM_region24
                                          rw section .data24* };
"ROM32":place in ROM_region32
                                        { ro, block
"RAM32":place in RAM region32
                                        { rw,
                                          ro section D.
                                          ro section D 1.
                                           ro section D 2
```

6. Reference Documents

User's Manual: Hardware

The latest versions can be downloaded from the Renesas Electronics website.

Technical Update/Technical News

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User's Manual: Development Tools

RX Family C/C++ Compiler CC-RX User's Manual (R20UT3248)

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Revision History

		Description		
Rev.	Date	Page	Summary	
1.00	July.24.14	_	First edition issued	
1.10	Nov.13.14	1, 4	Added RX113 support.	
		7	Updated "ROM to RAM" image.	
1.11	Dec.11.14	_	Added RX64M to xml support file.	
1.20	Dec.22.14	1, 4	Added RX71M support.	
1.30	Aug.28.15	All	Updated template. Added RX231 support	
		5, 10	Added flash type 3 code flash run-from-rom info.	
			Fixed RX64M/71M erase boundary issue.	
1.40	Sep.03.15	1, 4	Added RX23T support	
			Fixed Big Endian bug in R_DF_Write_Operation() for Flash	
			Type 1.	
4.50	NI: 44.45	4.4	Fixed FLASH_xF_BLOCK_INVALID values for Flash Type 3.	
1.50	Nov.11.15	1, 4	Added RX130 support	
1.51	Nov.11.15	<u> </u>	Repackaged demo with BSP v3.10	
1.60	Nov.17.15	1, 5	Added RX24T support	
		22, 25	Added ROM cache support	
			Fixed incorrect FLASH_CF_BLOCK_INVALID for RX210/21A/62N/630/63N/63T in code (Flash Type 2).	
1.61	May.20.16	10, 11	Added erase/write/blankcheck BGO support for RX64M/71M	
1.01	Way.20.10	10, 11	Fixed lockbit enable/disable commands.	
1.62	May.25.16		Added lockbit write/read BGO support for RX64M/71M	
1.63	Jun.13.16	_	Fixed bug where large flash writes returned success when	
1.00	0011110110		actually failed (improper timeout handling) on RX64M/71M	
1.64	Aug.11.16	_	Fixed RX64M/71M bug where R_FLASH_Control	
			(FLASH_CMD_STATUS_GET, NULL) always returned	
			BUSY.	
			Added #if to exclude ISR code when not in BGO mode.	
1.70	Aug.11.16	1, 4-6, 8	Added RX651/RX65N support (Flash Type 4)	
		_	Fixed bug in Flash Type 2 that caused erroneous blankcheck	
			results.	
2.00	Aug.17.16	1, 3, 4, 6-9	Added RX230 and RX24T support (Flash Type 1)	
			Added configuration option for operation without FIT BSP.	
			Inserted document sections 2.12.2 thru 2.12.4.	
			Modified values for FLASH_CF_LOWEST_VALID_BLOCK and	
			FLASH_CF_BLOCK_INVALID for Flash TYPE 1.	
2.10	Dec.20.16	1, 5-7,	Added RX24U and RX24T-512 support (Flash Type 1)	
	200.201.10	11, 13, 17,	Fixed several minor bugs in all flash types and added more	
		19, 21, 23-	parameter checking. See History in r_flash_rx_if.h for	
		26, 31-32	complete list of changes.	
3.00	Dec.21.16	8, 9	Merged code common to types 1, 3, and 4 and restructured	
			high level code for cleaner operation.	
			Modified ROM/RAM size tables.	
3.10	Feb.17.17	5-7, 13-17,	Added RX65N-2M support. Added sections 2.16 and 2.17.4.	
		26-28, 35	Added commands FLASH_CMD_BANK_xxx.	
			Fixed potential "BUSY" return from Flash Type 1 API calls	
			(potential bug with very slow flash). Added clearing of ECC flag during initialization of Flash Type	
			3.	
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		Description		
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3.20	Aug.11.17	1, 5,	Added RX130-512KB support.	
		10-14, 16,	Added e ² studio v6.0.0 differences.	
		36	Modified driver so mcu_config.h only necessary when not using BSP.	
			Fixed bug in RX65N-2M dual mode operation where	
			sometimes when running in bank 0, performing a bank swap	
			caused application execution to fail.	
3.30	Nov.1.17	10, 20	Added FLASH_ERR_ALREADY_OPEN.	
		19, 21	Added R_FLASH_Close().	
		32	Added Flash Type 2 set access window example	
		25	Added Flash Type 2 blankcheck example.	
3.40	Mar.8.18	1, 5, 6	Added support for RX66T.	
			Added support for new 256K and 384K RX111 and RX24T variants.	
		14	Updated table numbers in Section 2.14.	
		14-15	Added interrupt event enumeration in Section 2.15	
		39-40	Added demos for RDKRX63N, RSKRX66T, and two for RSKRX64M.	
3.41	Nov.8.18	6, 31, 36	Added NON_CACHED Control() commands.	
			Added document number of the application note	
			accompanying the sample program of the FIT module to	
			xml file.	
3.42	Feb.12.19	38-41	Modified typos in sections 4.1 to 4.12.	
3.50	Feb.26.19	1, 5, 6, 31	Added support for RX72T.	
		41	Added demo for RX72T.	
			Fixed write failure bug in RX210 768K and 1M variants.	

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Rev.	Date	Page	Summary
4.00	Apr.19.19	_	Added support for GCC/IAR compiler.
		1, 6	Deleted the following flash type 2 devices from the target
			device.
			RX210, RX21A, RX220, RX610, RX621, RX62N, RX62T, RX62G, RX630, RX631, RX63N, RX63T
		1	Deleted the following documents from Related Documents
			Adding Firmware Integration Technology Modules to e ² studio
			Adding Firmware Integration Technology Modules to CS+ Projects
			Renesas e ² studio Smart Configurator User Guide
		6	Deleted FLASH_CFG_USE_FIT_BSP.
			Deleted FLASH_CFG_FLASH_READY_IPL.
			Deleted FLASH_CFG_IGNORE_LOCK_BITS.
			Added the explanation of
			FLASH_CFG_DATA_FLASH_BGO.
			Added the explanation of
			FLASH_CFG_CODE_FLASH_BGO.
		7-10	Updated "2.9 Code Size" section.
		11	Deleted the following return values, which are no longer necessary, from "2.11 Return Values" section.
			FLASH_ERR_ALIGNED
			FLASH_ERR_BOUNDARY
		40	FLASH_ERR_OVERFLOW
		12	Updated "2.12 Adding the FIT FLASH Module to Your Project" section.
			Added "2.13 Usage Combined with Existing User Projects" section.
		13	Revised and updated as follows the structure of "2.14
			Programming Code Flash from RAM" section.
			"2.14.1 Using Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package
			for RX Family",
			"2.14.2 Using GCC for Renesas RX",
			"2.14.3 Using IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX"
		22	Added "2.18.4 Emulator Debug Configuration" section.

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Rev.	Date	Page	Summary
4.00	Apr.19.19	Program	Changed as a result of supporting the GCC/IAR compiler.
			Changed as a result of deletion of
			FLASH_CFG_USE_FIT_BSP.
			Changed as a result of deletion of
			FLASH_CFG_FLASH_READY_IPL.
			Changed as a result of deletion of
			FLASH_CFG_IGNORE_LOCK_BITS.
			Deleted flash type 2 device from target device.
			Deleted FLASH_ERR_ALIGNED.
			Deleted FLASH_ERR_BOUNDARY.
			Deleted FLASH_ERR_OVERFLOW.
			Added the process to output error when BSP is earlier than
4.40	1 . 07 40	4.5	Rev.5.00.
4.10	Jun.07.19	1, 5	Added support for RX23W.
		7-11	Updated "2.9 Code Size" section.
		17-18	Updated "2.14.2 Using GCC for Renesas" section.
		48	Added "5. Appendices" section.
		40.50	Added "5.1 Confirmed Operation Environment" section.
		49-50	Added "5.2 Troubleshooting" section.
		Program	Added support for RX23W. Modified FEARL and FSARL register settings.
			Updated the demo project environment.
4.20	Jul.19.19	1, 5	Added support for RX72M.
4.20	Jul. 19. 19	47	Added "4.13 flash_demo_rskrx72m_bank0_bootapp /
		"'	_bank1_otherapp" section.
		50	Updated "5.1 Confirmed Operation Environment" section.
		Program	Added support for RX72M.
		riogiani	Added the RX72M demo project.
			Updated the demo project environment.
			Deleted the warning.
			Deleted definitions and include, which are no longer used.
			Granted the volatile declaration to global variables.
			Modified the section related to dual mode and linear mode.
			Modified part of Flash Type 4 timeout processing.

		Description	
Rev.	Date	Page	Summary
4.30	Sep.09.19	1, 6	Added support for RX13T.
		5	Added "2.5 Interrupt Vectors" section.
		7-11	Updated "2.10 Code Size" section.
		14	Modified the following descriptions and moved to "5.3 Compiler-Dependent Settings".
			"2.14.1 Using Renesas Electronics C/C++ Compiler Package for RX Family"
			"2.14.2 Using GCC for Renesas RX"
			"2.14.3 Using IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RX"
		15	Modified "2.18 Dual Bank Operation" section and moved the content that depends on the compiler to "5.3 Compiler-Dependent Settings".
		42	Updated "5.1 Confirmed Operation Environment" section.
		45-62	Added "5.3 Compiler-Dependent Settings" section.
		Program	Added support for RX13T.
			Modified part of the flash type 1 error processing. Modified the copy method of R_FlashCodeCopy() when using IAR. Modified the implementation of r_flash_control() to the if_then method.
4.40	Sep.27.19	1, 5, 6	Added support for RX23E-A.
		23	Added FLASH_ERR_NULL_PTR to Return Values in "3.5
			R_FLASH_BlankCheck()" section.
		42	Updated "5.1 Confirmed Operation Environment" section.
		Program	Added support for RX23E-A.
			Added the NULL check of the 3rd argument of
			r_flash_blankcheck().

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