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1 Introduction

The man-machine interface (MMI) layer is intended to offer a well-organized interface that makes control profile services such as HFP, A2DP, and AVRCP more intuitive. The MMI layer also provides a robust system environment which protects users from a negative experience (e.g., crash situation).

This guide is written to help users easily and completely understand MMI layer functionality.

1.1 EVK components

Refer to the EVK user guide available via `mcu\doc\<chip>\<chip>_Series_EVK_Users_Guide` for more information about the EVK components.

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2 MMI Functionality

This section shows the MMI layer functionality. Generally speaking, MMI functions can be partitioned into five main fields: system; connection; calling; volume; and music. A more in-depth description of each function field is given in the function field sections.

Furthermore, the actions for the buttons must be defined in advance. The tap action is defined as a press of the button of no more than 500 milliseconds. Pressing the button for more than 500 milliseconds is defined as a “long press”. You can use Config Tool to make changes to the time settings for a tap or long press.

The beep results must also be well defined. The length of the beeps are described as long, median, and short, and the tonality of the beep refers to either rising or falling sounds. Every beep result includes a number which describes the number of times a beep plays.

In the following sections, the components must be used to trigger the functionality. The results indicate that the function is correctly triggered.

2.1 System

Regarding the system function field, the MMI functions related to the functions of the EVK itself are classified in this field, including how to turn the product on and off.

2.1.1 Power

The user can turn the product on and off by pressing the key.

Table 1. Power

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Power on	Long press power key for 3 seconds.	Device powers on.	Power off state.
Power off	Long press power key for 3 seconds.	Device powers off.	Power on state.

2.2 Connection

This section describes the MMI functionality related to being discoverable by other devices and connecting to other devices.

2.2.1 Speaker mode

The speaker can be used in 3 modes: Single mode, Double mode and Broadcast mode.

The Single mode speaker supports two connections with smart phone. The Double mode speaker works as an Agent or a Partner who is attached to an Agent. The Broadcast mode speaker works as an Agent or a Client who is attached to an Agent. An Agent in Double mode can only attach one Partner but an Agent in Broadcast mode can attach up to hundreds of Clients. Speakers in Double mode and Broadcast mode only support one connection with smart phone.

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The speakers switch mode when the key is pressed. When the speaker first powers on, it is in Single mode. When the speaker reboots, it stays in the same mode that it was in before the reboot. If it is a Partner or Client, it automatically attaches to the Agent.

The speaker uses LE association feature to exchange AWS Key and custom data when switch mode. Users need to customize own LE association ADV data on mcu\middleware\airoha\bt_association, such as add <manufacturer> and <version> field.

Table 2. Switch mode

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Switch to Double mode	Long press the key eint2 to Agent; Click the key eint2 to Partner.	A voice prompt says “Pairing” on both sides when switch starts and a success beep on Partner when switch is successful.	Two speakers switch to Agent and Partner at the same time.
Switch to Broadcast mode	Short click and long press the key eint2 to Agent; Double click the key eint2 to Client.	A voice prompt says “Pairing” on both sides when switch starts and a success beep on Client when switch is successful.	Two speakers switch to Agent and Client at the same time. When a third or more Client wants to join, short click and long press the eint2 of the Agent concurrently.
Switch to single mode	Triple click the key eint2.	If an Agent switches to Single mode, the attached Partner or Clients also switch to Single. If a Partner switches to Single mode, the Agent to which it is attached also switches to Single. If a client switches to Single mode, it switches only itself. Success beep on every speaker.	Speaker on Double mode or Broadcast mode.

2.2.2 Entering pairing mode

This functionality is used to make the product discoverable by other devices. If the product is not connected to other devices, the device automatically enters pairing mode.

Table 3. Enter pairing mode

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Enter pairing mode	Double-click the power key.	LED0 and LED1 on the devices are on; a voice prompt says “pairing”.	The count of the connected device is less than 1 or 2 or 3. This is depend on the feature option

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Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
			"AIR_MULTI_POINT_ENABLE" and "AIR_BT_TAKEOVER_ENABLE"

2.2.3 Connected

This connecting function occurs when first pairing a device or when automatically reconnecting to a paired device.

Table 4. Connected

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Connected	Smart phone or other devices connect to the speaker.	LED0 and LED1 are off. And a voice prompt says "Connected".	NA

2.2.4 Reconnecting automatically

When a product powers on or is disconnected, it tries to reconnect to the previously connected device.

Table 5. Reconnect actively

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Reconnect actively	Automatically reconnect.	NA	Already connected before



Note: The voice prompt immediately says "Connected" when a product successfully connects to the other device.

2.3 Calling

This section shows the MMI functionality related to calling. These functions include how to accept/end/reject/hold a call, cancel an outgoing call, redial the most recently dialed phone number, transfer the sound to a connected device or to the product, and manage a three-way call.

The voice prompts, key presses, and call voice are only valid on Agent or Single mode speakers.

2.3.1 Incoming call

The identity of an incoming call.

Table 6. Incoming call

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Incoming call	There is an incoming call from the smart phone.	LED0 blinks.	Connected.

2.3.2 Accepting a call

The user can accept an incoming call.

Table 7. Accept call

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Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Accept call	Press the eint3 key on Agent or Single mode speakers.	NA	An incoming call is active.



Note: When the call is successfully accepted, LED0 is ON.

2.3.3 Ending a call

The user can end an active call.

Table 8. End call

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
End call	Press the eint3 key on Agent or Single mode speakers.	The active call ends.	A call is active.

2.3.4 Rejecting a call

The user can reject an incoming call.

Table 9. Reject call

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Reject call	Double-click the eint3 key on Agent or Single mode speakers.	A voice prompt says "Call rejected" on Agent or Single mode speakers.	A call is incoming.

2.3.5 Holding a call

The user can hold an active call.

Table 10. Hold call

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Hold call	Double-click the eint13 key on right earbud.	NA	A call is active.

2.3.6 Three-way calling

This section shows the functions available to the user when two calls are active at the same time.



Note: The calls here are held, incoming, or active.

2.3.6.1 Holding and rejecting

The user can keep the current call and reject a held or incoming call.

Table 11. Hold and reject

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
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Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Hold and reject	Double-click the eint13 key on Agent or Single mode speakers.	A voice prompt says “Call rejected” on Agent or Single mode speakers.	There is an incoming at the same time as an active call.

2.3.6.2 Holding and accepting

The user can hold the current calling and accept an incoming call.

Table 12. Hold and accept

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Hold and accept	Press the eint13 key on Agent or Single mode speakers.	N/A	There is an incoming at the same time as an active call.

2.3.6.3 Ending an active call and recovering a held call

The user can end the currently active call and recover the held call.

Table 13. End active call and recover held

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
End and recover	Press the ein13 key on Agent or Single mode speakers.	N/A	There is an active call and another held call.

2.3.6.4 Ending a three-way call

The user can end the three-way call.

Table 14. Ending a three-way call

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
End three-way call	Press the eint13 key on Agent or Single mode speakers.	N/A	There is an active three-way active call.

2.4 Volume

This section shows the MMI functions related increasing or decreasing the volume of the speaker and microphone, and how to mute or unmute the microphone.

2.4.1 Changing the volume

The user can adjust the sound level of the speaker.

Table 15. Speaker volume

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Volume up	Press EINT_KEY_0.	One short beep	In connected, incoming/outgoing,

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Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
			call active states or playing music.
Volume down	Press EINT_KEY_1.	One short beep	In connected, incoming/outgoing, call active states or playing music.



Note: The speaker here is applicable to HFP and A2DP, depending on the scenario.



Note: When the volume reaches the maximum level, the user hears two short beeps and the voice prompt says “Volume maximum” through the earphone.

2.5 Music

This section shows the MMI functionality for controlling music, including the method for playing music, pausing music, and setting music forward or backward.



Note: The music referred to here is for A2DP.



Note: A2DP music cannot exist at the same time of HFP calling.

2.5.1 Playing music

The user can play music.

Table 16. Music play

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Music play	Press the eint13 key on Agent, Partner or Single mode speakers.	NA	In a connected state.



Note: The user can immediately hear the song through the earphones when the music successfully plays.

2.5.2 Pausing music

The user can pause the currently playing music.

Table 17. Music pause

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Music pause	Press the eint13 key on Agent, Partner or Single mode speakers.	NA	In playing music state.

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Note: The user immediately hears the music pause when the music successfully pauses.

2.5.3 Skipping forward

This functionality provides the ability to play the next audio file.

Table 18. Music next

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Music forward	Double-click the eint13 key on Agent, Partner or Single mode speakers.	One short beep.	In playing music state.

2.5.4 Skipping back

The user can play the audio file that is stored before the currently playing audio file.

Table 19. Music previous

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Music back	Triple-click the eint13 key on Agent, Partner or Single mode speakers.	One short beep.	In playing music state.

2.5.5 Fast forward and fast rewind

This functionality provides the ability to fast forward and fast rewind.

Table 20. Music fast forward and fast rewind

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Music fast forward	Long press EINT_KEY_0 for 1 second to start fast forward and release the key to stop fast forward on Agent, Partner or Single mode speakers.	N/A	In playing music state.
Music fast rewind	Long press EINT_KEY_1 for 1 second to start fast rewind and release the key to stop fast rewind on Agent, Partner or Single mode speakers.	N/A	In playing music state.

2.6 Voice assistant

The user can press a key to wake up the voice assistant.

2.6.1 Waking up voice assistant

Table 21. Wake up voice assistant

Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
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Functionality	Actions	Results	Requirements
Wake up voice assistant	Long press the power key for 1 second and release the key before 3 seconds on Agent, Partner or Single mode speakers.	One short beep.	Connected to smart phone.

2.7 Multipoint

This section shows how users can make multilink at the same time.

2.7.1 Connection

When the device connected with one smartphone, users can enter pairing mode again by double-clicking the power key on Agent, Partner or Single mode speakers. At this time, the second smartphone can find this device and connect.

When the speaker connect to the second smartphone, a voice prompt says “Connected” on both sides.

2.8 LE Audio

The following table shows the le audio feature set of the speaker device.

Table 22. LEA feature set

Speaker mode	EDR	Multilink	LEA link CIS	LEA BIS (Auracast)	Switch mode
Single	Y	Y	Y	Y	Before switch mode: 1) Agent keeps EDR link 2) Partner/Client disconnect AWS 3) Disconnect all LEA link/Stop ADV/BIS After switch mode: 1) Agent keeps EDR link 2) Partner/Client reconnect AWS 3) For single mode, restart LEA ADV and wait remote device reconnect LEA
Double	Y	Y	N	N	
Broadcast	N	N	N	Y	

(1) Support LEA BIS (Auracast), the BA (broadcast assistant) enabled on speaker. User could use Smartphone application to trigger Speaker BA to scan BIS Source and report to phone, then user select one BIS Source and notify to speaker.

(2) On broadcast mode, we won't support EDR music/call function, but need to keep EDR link (SPP profile) as communication channel with phone application.

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3 MMI Event

This section shows the events that are not triggered by pressing the button but are instead triggered by other devices or the product itself. These events are divided into three types: connection; battery; and time out.

3.1 Connection

This section shows all events related to connections, such as successfully pairing, being connectable, and being connected.

Table 23. Connection event

Event	Results
Connectable	LED0 and LED1 is on.
Connected	LED0 and LED1 is off.



Note: If the product is connectable, it can only be connected to but it is not discovered.



Note: The connected event here is for situations in which it is both fully connected and not connected.

3.2 Battery

This section shows the battery events including low battery, charging, and charging full.

Table 24. Battery event

Event	Results
Low battery	LED1 flashes every 0.6 seconds.
Charging	LED1 flashes every 4 seconds.
Charging full	LED1 is always on in 5 seconds.

3.3 Timeout

There is a time out mechanism for the product: pairing mode time out. This section shows the time out mechanism.

Table 25. Timeout event

Event	Results
Pairing mode time out	The timeout of the pairing mode is infinite.
Power off	The product powers off if it waits 5 minutes and no other devices are connected.

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4 Key Mapping Table

This section shows a mapping table of the keys, actions, LEDs, voice prompts, ring tones and any related comments for a specific function. For example, for the 'Power on' function, search for 'Power on' in the 'Functionality' column in Table 30. Key mapping table. The Key, Action, LED, Voice prompt, Ring tone, and comments that are associated with the 'Power on' function (i.e. Press for three seconds; LED0 rapidly flashes three seconds; Say "Power-On"; and 'In the power off state') are shown in the adjacent cells on the same row.

Table 26. Key mapping table

Key	Functionality	Action	LED	Voice prompt	Comment
EINT_KEY_3	Accept call	Press	LED0 is ON	NA	An incoming call is active.
	End call	Press	NA	"Call ended"	A call is active.
	Reject	Double-click	NA	"Call Rejected"	An incoming call is active.
	Hold	Double-click	LED0 blinks slowly	NA	During an active call.
	Hold and reject	Double-click	NA	"Call Rejected"	There is incoming call during an active call.
	Hold and accept	Press	NA	NA	There is another incoming when there is an active call, or there is an active call and another held call.
	End active and recover held	Press	NA	NA	An activity call and another hold call.
	End three-way call	Press	NA	NA	Three-way call is active.
	Music play	Press	NA	NA	In the connected state.
	Music pause	Press	NA	NA	In playing music state.
	Music forward	Double-click	NA	NA	In playing music state. Only right earbud.
	Music backward	Triple-click	NA	NA	In playing music state.
Power Key	Power on	Long press for 3 seconds.	LED0 blink quickly; LED1 is	"Power on"	When device is power off.

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Key	Functionality	Action	LED	Voice prompt	Comment
			OFF		
	Power off	Long press for 3 seconds.	LED0 blinks quickly; LED1 is OFF	“Power off”	When device is power on. Power off event does not sync to another earbud.
	Wake up voice assistant	Long press for 1 second and release before 3 seconds	NA	A short beep	When the device is connected to a smart phone.
	Enter pairing mode	Double-click	LED0 and LED1 is on	“Enter pairing mode”	When the device is not connected to a smart phone if AIR_MULTI_POINT_ENABLE is set to “n”.
	Start air pairing	Triple-click	LED0 and LED1 double-blink	“Enter pairing mode”	When the device is not connected to a smart phone.
EINT_KEY_0	Volume up	Press	NA	NA	In the connected, incoming/outgoing call, call active or playing music states.
EINT_KEY_1	Volume down	Press	NA	NA	In the connected, incoming/outgoing call, call active, or playing music states.
EINT_KEY_2	Switch to Double mode Agent	Long press for 1 seconds.	NA	“Pairing”	Together with another speaker switch to Double mode Partner.
	Switch to Double mode Partner	Press	NA	“Pairing” and success beep	Together with another speaker switch to Double mode Agent.
	Switch to Broadcast mode Agent	Single click and long press for 1 seconds	NA	“Pairing”	Together with another speaker switch to Broadcast mode Client.
	Switch to Broadcast mode Client	Double-click	NA	“Pairing” and success beep	Together with another speaker switch to Broadcast mode Agent.
	Switch to Single mode	Triple-click	NA	Success beep	Speaker in Double mode or Broadcast mode.

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