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1 Overview

This is the documentation for Espressif AT command instruction set and usage.

Instruction set is divided into: Basic AT commands, Wifi function, AT commands, TCP / IP Toolbox AT commands.

Note: Please make sure that correct BIN(\esp_iot_sdk\bin\at) is already in the chip (ESP8266) before the AT commands listed in this documentation can be used.

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2 Instruction Description

Each instruction set contains four types of AT commands.

| Type | Instruction Format | Description |
|---------|--------------------|--|
| Test | AT+<x>=? | Query the Set command or internal parameters and its range values. |
| Query | AT+<x>? | Returns the current value of the parameter. |
| Set | AT+<x>=<...> | Set the value of user-defined parameters in commands and run. |
| Execute | AT+<x> | Runs commands with no user-defined parameters. |

Note:

1. Not all AT instruction has four commands.
2. [] = default value, not required or may not appear
3. String values require double quotation marks, for example:
AT+CWSAP="ESP756190","21030826",1,4
4. Baud rate = 115200
5. AT instruction ends with "\r\n"

3 AT Instruction Listing

| Instructions | Description |
|----------------|--|
| Basic | |
| AT | Test if AT startup |
| AT+RST | Restart |
| AT+GMR | View version info |
| AT+GSLP | Enter deep-sleep mode |
| ATE | AT commands echo |
| Wi-Fi | |
| AT+CWMODE | WIFI mode (station/softAP/station+softAP) |
| AT+CWJAP | Connect to AP |
| AT+CWLAP | Lists available APs |
| AT+CWQAP | Disconnect from AP |
| AT+CWSAP | Set parameters under AP mode |
| AT+CWLIF | Get stations' ip which are connected to ESP8266 softAP |
| AT+CWDHCP | Enable/Disable DHCP |
| AT+CIPSTAMAC | Set mac address of ESP8266 station |
| AT+CIPAPMAC | Set mac address of ESP8266 softAP |
| AT+CIPSTA | Set ip address of ESP8266 station |
| AT+CIPAP | Set ip address of ESP8266 softAP |
| TCP/IP | |
| AT+CIPSTATUS | Get connection status |
| AT+CIPSTART | Establish TCP connection or register UDP port |
| AT+CIPSEND | Send data |
| AT+CIPCLOSE | Close TCP/UDP connection |
| AT+CIFSR | Get local IP address |
| AT+CIPMUX | Set multiple connections mode |
| AT+CIPSERVER | Configure as server |
| AT+CIPMODE | Set transmission mode |
| AT+CIPSTO | Set timeout when ESP8266 runs as TCP server |
| AT+CIUPDATE | For OTA (upgrade through network) |
| Data RX | |
| +IPD | Data received from network |

4 Basic AT Instruction Set

4.1 Overview

| Basic | |
|-------------|-------------------------|
| Instruction | Description |
| AT | Test AT startup |
| AT+RST | Restart module |
| AT+GMR | View version info |
| AT+GSLP | Enter deep-sleep mode |
| ATE | AT commands echo or not |

4.2 Instructions

4.2.1 AT – Test AT startup

| AT – Test AT startup | |
|--|--|
| Type: execute Instruction: AT | Response: OK Param description: null |

4.2.2 AT+RST – Restart module

| AT+RST – Restart module | |
|---|--|
| Type : execute Instruction: AT+RST | Response: OK Param description: null |

4.2.3 AT+GMR – View version info

| AT+GMR – View version info | |
|---|---|
| Type : execute Instruction: AT+GMR | Response: <number> OK Param description: < number > version info, length: 8 bytes |

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| Note | For example, response is 0017xxxxxx, then 0017 means the AT version. |
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4.2.4 AT+GSLP – Enter deep-sleep mode

| AT+GSLP – Enter deep-sleep mode | |
|---|--|
| Type : set Instruction: AT+GSLP=<time> | Response: <time> OK Param description: < time > ms , set the sleep time of ESP8266 in ms. ESP8266 will wake up after X ms in deep-sleep. |
| Note | Hardware has to support deep-sleep wake up (XPD_DCDC connects to EXT_RSTB with 0R). |

4.2.5 ATE – AT commands echo

| ATE – AT commands echo | |
|--|--|
| Type : set Instruction: ATE | Response: OK Param description: ATE0 : Disable echo ATE1 : Enable echo |

5 WIFI functions

5.1 Overview

| WIFI | |
|--------------|---|
| Instruction | Description |
| AT+CWMODE | WIFI mode (station/softAP/station+softAP) |
| AT+CWLAP | Connect to AP |
| AT+CWLAP | Lists available APs |
| AT+CWQAP | Disconnect from AP |
| AT+CWSAP | Set parameters under AP mode |
| AT+CWLIF | Get station's ip which is connected to ESP8266 softAP |
| AT+CWDHCP | Enable/Disable DHCP |
| AT+CIPSTAMAC | Set mac address of ESP8266 station |

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|-------------|-----------------------------------|
| AT+CIPAPMAC | Set mac address of ESP8266 softAP |
| AT+CIPSTA | Set ip address of ESP8266 station |
| AT+CIPAP | Set ip address of ESP8266 softAP |

5.2 Instructions

5.2.1 AT+CWMODE – WIFI mode

| AT+CWMODE - WIFI mode (station/softAP/station+softAP) | |
|---|---|
| Type: test Function: Get value scope of wifi mode. Instruction: AT+CWMODE=? | Response: +CWMODE:(value scope of <mode>) OK Param description: <mode>1 means Station mode 2 means AP mode 3 means AP + Station mode |
| Type: query Function: Query ESP8266's current wifi mode. Instruction: AT+CWMODE? | Response: +CWMODE:<mode> OK Param description: The same as above. |
| Type: set Function: Set ESP8266 wifi mode Instruction: AT+CWMODE=<mode> | Response: OK Param description: The same as above. |

5.2.2 AT+CWJAP – Connect to AP

| AT+CWJAP – Connect to AP | |
|---|---|
| Type: query Function: Query AP's info which is connect by ESP8266. Instruction: AT+ CWJAP? | Response: + CWJAP:<ssid> OK Param description: <ssid> string, AP's SSID |

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|---|---|
| Type: set Function: Set AP's info which will be connect by ESP8266. Instruction: AT+ CWJAP =<ssid>,< pwd > | Response: OK ERROR Param description: <ssid> string, AP's SSID <pwd> string, MAX: 64 bytes |
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5.2.3AT+CWLAP – List available APs

| AT+CWLAP - Lists available APs | |
|--|---|
| Type: set Function: Search available APs with specific conditions. Instruction: AT+ CWLAP = <ssid>,< mac >,<ch> | Response: + CWLAP: <ecn>,<ssid>,<rssi>,<mac> OK ERROR Param description: The same as below. |
| Type : execute Function: Lists all available APs. Instruction: AT+CWLAP | Response: + CWLAP: <ecn>,<ssid>,<rssi>,<mac> OK ERROR Param description: < ecn >0 OPEN 1 WEP 2 WPA_PSK 3 WPA2_PSK 4 WPA_WPA2_PSK <ssid> string, SSID of AP <rssi> signal strength <mac> string, MAC address |

5.2.4AT+CWQAP – Disconnect from AP

| AT+CWQAP - Disconnect from AP | |
|--|---|
| Type: test Function: Only for test Instruction: | Response: OK Param description: |

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|--|---|
| AT+CWQAP=? | |
| Type : execute Function: Disconnect from AP. Instruction: AT+ CWQAP | Response: OK Param description: |

5.2.5 AT+CWSAP – Configuration of softAP mode

| AT+ CWSAP – Configuration of softAP mode | |
|---|--|
| Type: Query Function: Query configuration of softAP mode. Instruction: AT+ CWSAP? | Response: + CWSAP:<ssid>,<pwd>,<chl>,<ecn> Param description: The same as below. |
| Type: Set Function: Set configuration of softAP mode. Instruction: AT+ CWSAP= <ssid>,<pwd>,<chl>,<ecn> | Response: OK ERROR Note: This CMD is only available when softAP mode enable, and need to follow by AT+RST to make it works. Param description: <ssid> string, ESP8266 softAP' SSID <pwd> string, MAX: 64 bytes <chl> channel id <ecn> 0 OPEN 2 WPA_PSK 3 WPA2_PSK 4 WPA_WPA2_PSK |

5.2.6 AT+CWLIF – IP of stations

| AT+ CWLIF – ip of stations which are connected to ESP8266 softAP | |
|---|--|
| Type : execute Function: Get ip of stations which are connected to ESP8266 softAP | Response: <ip addr> OK Param description: |

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|---------------------------------|--|
| Instruction: AT+CWLIF | <ip addr> ip address of stations which are connected to ESP8266 softAP |
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5.2.7 AT+CWDHCP – Enable/Disable DHCP

| AT+ CWDHCP – Enable/Disable DHCP | |
|--|---|
| Type : set Function: Enable/Disable DHCP. | Response: OK |
| Instruction: AT+CWDHCP=<mode>,<en> | Param description: <mode> 0 : set ESP8266 softAP 1 : set ESP8266 station 2 : set both softAP and station <en> 0 : Enable DHCP 1 : Disable DHCP |

5.2.8 AT+CIPSTAMAC – Set mac address of station

| AT+ CIPSTAMAC – Set mac address of ESP8266 station | |
|--|--|
| Type : query Function: Get mac address of ESP8266 station. | Response: +CIPSTAMAC:<mac> OK |
| Instruction: AT+CIPSTAMAC? | Param description: <mac> string, mac address of ESP8266 station |
| Type : set Function: Set mac address of ESP8266 station. | Response: OK |
| Instruction: AT+CIPSTAMAC=<mac> | Param description: <mac> string, mac address of ESP8266 station |

5.2.9 AT+CIPAPMAC – Set mac address of softAP

| AT+ CIPAPMAC – Set mac address of ESP8266 softAP | |
|---|---|
| Type : query Function: Get mac address of ESP8266 softAP. Instruction: AT+CIPAPMAC? | Response: +CIPAPMAC:<mac> OK Param description: <mac> string, mac address of ESP8266 softAP |
| Type : set Function: Set mac address of ESP8266 softAP. Instruction: AT+CIPAPMAC=<mac> | Response: OK Param description: <mac> string, mac address of ESP8266 softAP |

5.2.10 AT+ CIPSTA – Set ip address of station

| AT+ CIPSTA – Set ip address of ESP8266 station | |
|--|---|
| Type : query Function: Get ip address of ESP8266 station. Instruction: AT+CIPSTA? | Response: +CIPSTA:<ip> OK Param description: <ip> string, ip address of ESP8266 station |
| Type : set Function: Set ip address of ESP8266 station. Instruction: AT+CIPSTA=<ip> | Response: OK Param description: <ip> string, ip address of ESP8266 station |

5.2.11 AT+ CIPAP – Set ip address of softAP

| AT+ CIPAP – Set ip address of ESP8266 softAP | |
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| Type : query Function: | Response: +CIPAP:<ip> |

ESP8266EX AT Instruction Set

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|---|---|
| Get ip address of ESP8266 softAP. Instruction: AT+CIPAP? | OK |
| | Param description: <ip> string, ip address of ESP8266 softAP |
| Type : set Function: Set ip address of ESP8266 softAP. Instruction: AT+CIPAP=<ip> | Response: |
| | OK Param description: <ip> string, ip address of ESP8266 softAP |

6 TCP/IP Related

6.1 Overview

| TCP/IP | |
|---------------|---|
| Instruction | Description |
| AT+ CIPSTATUS | Get connection status |
| AT+CIPSTART | Establish TCP connection or register UDP port |
| AT+CIPSEND | Send data |
| AT+CIPCLOSE | Close TCP/UDP connection |
| AT+CIFSR | Get local IP address |
| AT+CIPMUX | Set multiple connections mode |
| AT+CIPSERVER | Configure as server |
| AT+CIPMODE | Set transmission mode |
| AT+CIPSTO | Set timeout when ESP8266 runs as TCP server |

6.2 TCP/IP

6.2.1 AT+ CIPSTATUS – Information about connection

| AT+ CIPSTATUS – Information about connection | |
|--|---|
| Type : execute Function: Get information about connection. Instruction: AT+ CIPSTATUS | Response: STATUS:<stat> + CIPSTATUS:<id>,<type>,<addr>,<port>,<tetype> OK Param description: <stat> 2: Got IP 3: Connected 4: Disconnected <id> id of the connection (0~4), for multi-connect <type> string, “TCP” or “UDP” <addr> string, IP address. <port> port number <tetype> 0: ESP8266 runs as client 1: ESP8266 runs as server |

6.2.2AT+CIPSTART – Start connection

| AT+CIPSTART – Establish TCP connection or register UDP port, start connection | |
|--|---|
| Type : test Function: Get the information of param. Instruction: AT+CIPSTART=? | Response: 1) If AT+CIPMUX=0 +CIPSTART:(<type>),(<IP address>),(<port>)[,(<local port>),(<mode>)] +CIPSTART:(<type>),(<domain name>),(<port>)[,(<local port>),(<mode>)] OK 2) If AT+CIPMUX=1 +CIPSTART:(id),(<type>),(<IP address>),(<port>)[,(<local port>),(<mode>)] +CIPSTART: (id), (<type>),(<domain name>),(<port>)[,(<local port>),(<mode>)] Param description: null |
| Type : Set Function: Start a connection as client. Instruction: 1)Single connection (+CIPMUX=0) AT+CIPSTART= <type>,<addr>,<port> [,(<local port>),(<mode>)] 2)Multiple connection (+CIPMUX=1) AT+CIPSTART= <id><type>,<addr>,<port> [,(<local port>),(<mode>)] | Response: OK or ERROR If connection already exists, returns ALREAY CONNECT Param description: <id> 0-4 , id of connection <type> string, “TCP” or “UDP” <addr> string, remote ip <port> string, remote port [<local port>] for UDP only [<mode>] for UDP only 0 : destination peer entity of UDP will not change. 1 : destination peer entity of UDP can change once. 2 : destination peer entity of UDP is allowed to change. Note: [<mode>] can only be used when [<local port>] is set. |

6.2.3 AT+CIPSEND – Send data

| AT+CIPSEND – Send data | |
|---|--|
| Type : test Function: Only for test. Instruction: AT+CIPSEND=? | Response: OK Param description: null |
| Type : Set Function: Set length of the data that will be sent. For normal send. Instruction: 1) For single connection: (+CIPMUX=0) AT+CIPSEND=<length> 2) For multiple connection: (+CIPMUX=1) AT+CIPSEND= <id>,<length> | Wrap return “>” after set command. Begins receive of serial data, when data length is met, starts transmission of data. If connection cannot be established or gets disconnected during send, returns ERROR If data is transmitted successfully, returns SEND OK Note: This CMD Param description: <id> ID no. of transmit connection <length> data length, MAX 2048 bytes |
| Type : execute Function: Send data. For unvarnished transmission mode. Instruction: AT+CIPSEND | Response: Wrap return “>” after execute command. Enters unvarnished transmission, 20ms interval between each packet, maximum 2048 bytes per packet. When single packet containing “+++” is received, it returns to command mode. This command can only be used in unvarnished transmission mode which require to be single connection mode. |

6.2.4 AT+CIPCLOSE – Close TCP or UDP connection

| AT+CIPCLOSE – Close TCP or UDP connection | |
|---|-----------|
| Type : test Function: | Response: |

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|--|--|
| Only for test. Instruction: AT+CIPCLOSE=? | OK |
| Type : Set Function: Close TCP or UDP connection. Instruction: For multiply connection mode AT+CIPCLOSE=<id> | Response: No errors, returns OK If connection <id> is disconnected, returns Link is not Param description: <id> ID no. of connection to close, when id=5, all connections will be closed. (id=5 has no effect in server mode) |
| Type : execute Instruction: For single connection mode AT+CIPCLOSE | Response: OK or If no such connection, returns ERROR Prints UNLINK when there is no connection |

6.2.5 AT+CIFSR – Get local IP address

| AT+CIFSR – Get local IP address | |
|--|---|
| Type : Test Function: Only for test. Instruction: AT+CIFSR=? | Response: OK |
| Type : Execute Function: Get local IP address. Instruction: AT+ CIFSR | Response: + CIFSR:<IP address> + CIFSR:<IP address> OK ERROR Param description: <IP address> IP address of ESP8266 softAP IP address of ESP8266 station |

6.2.6 AT+ CIPMUX – Enable multiple connections

| AT+ CIPMUX – Enable multiple connections or not | |
|---|---|
| Type : Query Function: Get param config. Instruction: AT+ CIPMUX? | Response: + CIPMUX:<mode> OK Param description: The same as below. |
| Type : Set Function: Set connection mode. Instruction: AT+ CIPMUX=<mode> | Response: OK If already connected, returns Link is builded Param description: <mode>0 single connection 1 multiple connection |
| Note | This mode can only be changed after all connections are disconnected. If server is started, reboot is required. |

6.2.7 AT+ CIPSERVER – Configure as TCP server

| AT+ CIPSERVER – Configure as TCP server | |
|---|---|
| Type : Set Function: Set TCP server. Instruction: AT+ CIPSERVER= <mode>[,<port>] | Response: OK Param description: <mode> 0 Delete server (need to follow by restart) 1 Create server <port> port number, default is 333 |
| Note | 1、Server can only be created when AT+CIPMUX=1 2、Server monitor will automatically be created when Server is created. 3、When a client is connected to the server, it will take up one connection, be gave an id. |

6.2.8 AT+ CIPMODE – Set transfer mode

AT+ CIPMODE – Set transfer mode

ESP8266EX AT Instruction Set

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|---|--|
| Type : Query Function: Query transfer mode. Instruction: AT+ CIPMODE? | Response: + CIPMODE:<mode> OK |
| | Param description: The same as below. |
| Type : Set Function: Set transfer mode. Instruction: AT+CIPMODE=<mode> | Response: OK If already connected, returns Link is builded |
| | Param description: <mode>0 normal mode 1 unvarnished transmission mode |

6.2.9 AT+ CIPSTO – Set server timeout

| AT+ CIPSTO – Set server timeout | |
|---|--|
| Type : Query Function: Query server timeout. Instruction: AT+CIPSTO? | Response: + CIPSTO:<time> OK |
| | Param description: The same as below. |
| Type : Set Function: Set server timeout. Instruction: AT+CIPSTO=<time> | Response: OK |
| | Param description: < time> server timeout, range 0~7200 seconds |

6.2.10 AT+ CIUPDATE – Update through network

| AT+ CIUPDATE – update through network | |
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| Type : execute Function: Start upgrade. Instruction: AT+ CIUPDATE | Response: +CIPUPDATE:<n> OK |
| | Param description: <n> 1 found server 2 connect server 3 got edition |

6.2.11 +IPD – Receive network data

| +IPD – Receive network data | |
|---|--|
| 1) Single connection: (+CIPMUX=0) +IPD,<len>:<data> | NOTE: When the module receives network data, it will send the data through the serial port using +IPD command Param description: <id> id no. of connection <len> data length <data> data received |
| 2) Multiple connection (+CIPMUX=1) +IPD,<id>,<len>:<data> | |

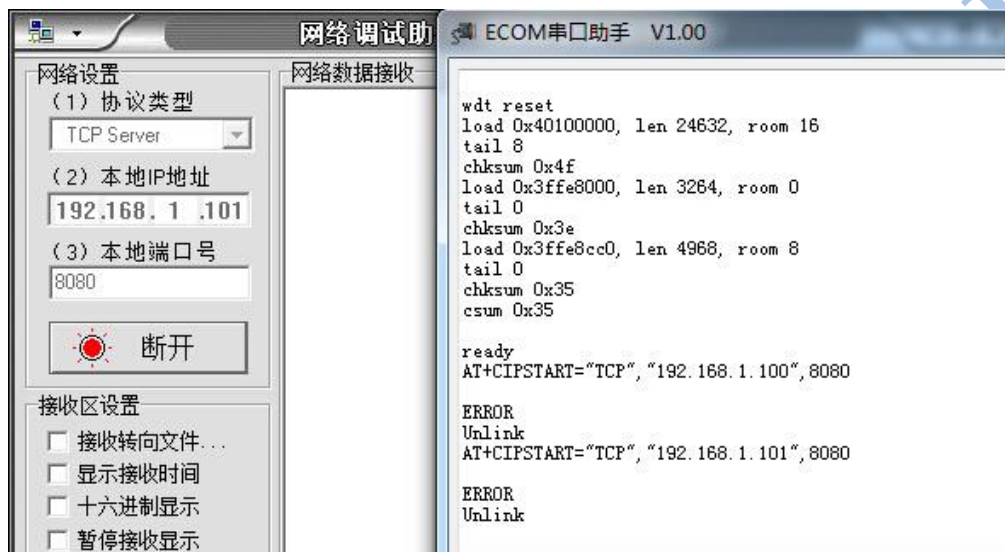
7 Q&A

If you have any question about AT instructions, please contact us (support-at@espressif.com) with information as follows:

(1) Version info of AT

Using “AT+GMR” to get the version info.

(2) Screenshot of the test steps, for example:



(3) Log:

ets Jan 8 2013,rst cause:1, boot mode:(3,3)

load 0x40100000, len 26336, room 16

tail 0

chksum 0xde

load 0x3ffe8000, len 5672, room 8

tail 0

chksum 0x69

load 0x3ffe9630, len 8348, room 8

tail 4

chksum 0xcb

csum 0xcb

SDK version:0.9.1

addr not ack when tx write cmd

mode : sta(18:fe:34:97:d5:7b) + softAP(1a:fe:34:97:d5:7b)