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1 Overview

This guide describes how to on how to set up the environment for Linux developing and how to use the Newton Linux SDK. This document is written for the system software engineers.

Before reading this document, you are suggested that:

- Familiar with the Ubuntu, Linux environment variables and shell commands
- Familiar with the Windows OS, and know how to install a device driver on it

2 Setup the Environment

2.1 Host Computer Requirements

The host computer requirements are:

- a. The Hard Disk capacity is not less than 128GB.
- b. The DRAM size is not less than 4GB.
- c. Ubuntu-12.04, 64-bit is recommended.

2.2 Setup the Development Environment

- a. Install Ubuntu-12.04 on your computer.
- b. Install required packages:
 - \$ sudo apt-get install git build-essentials u-boot-tools
- c. Install ia32-libs (It is required to run 32-bit programs on an Ubuntu-12.04 64-bit system) \$ sudo apt-get install ia32-libs

3 Get Source Code

3.1 Installing Repo

\$ mkdir newton-linux

\$ cd newton-linux

\$ wget http://git.ingenic.cn:8082/bj/repo

\$ chmod +x repo

3.2 Download the Linux source

\$./repo init -u http://git.ingenic.cn:8082/gerrit/linux/manifest.git -b newton-master

\$./repo sync

4 Build the Newton Linux SDK

4.1 SDK Directory Tree

The Newton Linux SDK contains binaries and tools, help documents, and source codes of the



bootloader, kernel and user space applications. The top-level SDK directory trees are:

binaries/:

- host-tool/: Tools maybe needed by PC

- rootfs/rootfs-newton/mkrootfs: Scripts and tools for making rootfs

- rootfs/rootfs-newton/rootfs.ext2: rootfs which can bootup already

- toolchain/mips-gcc472-glibc216/: Tool chain

documents/: Readmes sources/: Codes

bootloader/u-boot/: u-bootkernel/linux-3.0.8/: Linux3.0.8application/: Third party Apps

4.1.1 u-boot

```
[-yyhuang:u-boot]:$ ls
           config.mk drivers
                                            mkconfig rules.mk
                                                                       tools
                                                                                   u-boot.srec
api
                               lib
                                                      snapshot.commit u-boot
arch
           COPYING
                      dts
                                MAINTAINERS nand spl
                                                                                   u-boot-with-spl.bin
board
           CREDITS
                      examples MAKEALL
                                             net
                                                      spl
                                                                       u-boot.bin u-boot-with-spl-mbr.bin
boards.cfg disk
                                makecp.sh
                                                                       u-boot.lds
                                             post
                                                      System.map
           doc
                      include
                                Makefile
                                             README
                                                                       u-boot.map
common
                                                      test
```

Figure 4-1 u-boot

api: apis

arch:

- cpu: Jz4775 related files are located in arch/mips/cpu/xburst/:

- cpu.c Initializing, caches

- jz4775/jz4775.c timer, PLL- jz_serial.c UART- interrupt.c Interrupts

- start.S The enter of u-boot

- lib: Libs- Include: Heads

board: Configeration for borads, Newton related files are in ingenic/newton

Boards.cfg: Register for borads

common: Commands

Config.mk: Configer for building and others

disk: Codes for disk

doc: Doduments for uboot

drivers: Drivers fs: FS

include: Heads, Newton related files are in include/configs/newton.h

lib: Libs

nand_spl: Nand related

tools: Tools
Test: Tests



net: Net

4.1.2 kernel

```
----[ PWD = ~/work/dev newton master/sources/kernel/linux-3.0.8 ]
-yyhuang:linux-3.0.8]:$ ls
                                Kbuild MAINTAINERS mm
                                                                     REPORTING-BUGS sound
        crypto
ırch
                                                                                                 virt
block
        Documentation include Kconfig makecp.sh
                                                     Module.symvers samples
                                                                                    System.map
                                                                                                vmlinux
                               kernel Makefile
                                                                                                 vmlinux.o
COPYING drivers
                      init
                                                                     scripts
                                                                                    tools
CREDITS firmware
                                lib
                                        mklinux.sh
                                                     README
                       ipc
                                                                     security
                                                                                    usr
```

Figure 4-2 kernel

arch/mips/: MIPS

```
-----[ PWD = ~/work/dev_newton_master/sources/kernel/linux-3.0.8/arch/mips ]
-yyhuang:mips]:$ ls
                                jz4740
                                                            Makefile
                                                                       mti-sead3
                                                                                    pnx833x sgi-ip22
                                                  kernel
                       dec
                                                                                                       txx9
lchemy
       boot
        built-in.o
                                Kbuild
                                                                                    pnx8550
                                                                                             sgi-ip27
                       emma
                                                  lantiq
                                                            math-emu
                                                                       netlogic
                                                                                                       vr41xx
                                Kbuild.platforms lasat
                                                                                             sgi-ip32
       cavium-octeon
                                                                                                       wrppmc
cm47xx
                       include
                                Kconfig
                                                                                             sibyte
                                                                                    powertv
       configs
                                Kconfig.debug
                                                  loongson mti-malta
                                                                                             sni
```

Figure 4-3 arch/mips 目录

- kernel/: Common codes for kernel

- mm/: Memory Manager

- lib/: Libs

- xburst/soc-4775/: JZ4775 related

-board/s2523b_15m/: Newton related

-common/: Common files for Jz4775

-include /: Heads for Jz4775

- boot/compressed/: ulmage will be created here

- Kconfig: MIPS 体系配置文件
- Makefile: MIPS 通用 makefile

- configs/: Configs

include/asm-generic/: Generic heads

Sound:

oss/jzsound/: OSS driverdevices/codecs: Codecs driver

- interface/: Interface

kernel: Common codes for kernel

mm/: Memory Manager

lib/: Libs init/: Init ipc/: IPC net/: Net fs/: FS

-iffs2/: JFFS/JFFS2



-ubifs/: UBIFS

drivers/:

```
-----[ PWD = ~/work/dev_newton_master/sources/kernel/linux-3.0.8/drivers ]
[-yyhuang:drivers]:$ ls
                                                                         pnp
accessibility bluetooth
                         crypto
                                             input
                                                       media
                                                                                   sbus
                                                                                           switch
                                  gpu
acpi
             built-in.o
                         dca
                                             isdn
                                                       memstick nubus
                                                                         power
                                                                                           target
                                                      message of
amba
             cdrom
                                  hwmon
                                             Kconfig
                                                                         pps
             char
                        dma
                                 hwspinlock leds
                                                      mfd
                                                                oprofile ps3
                                                                                           telephony
ata
                        edac
                                            lguest
                                                                                   slpt
                                                                                           thermal
                                                                        ptp
auxdisplay
             clocksource eisa
                                            macintosh mmc
                                                                parport rapidio
                                                                                           tty
                                            Makefile mtd
                                                                pci
             connector
                                                                         regulator spi
base
                         firmware ieee802154 mca
cma
             cpufreq
                                                       nand
                                                                pcmcia
                                                                                   ssb
                                                                                           usb
block
             cpuidle
                         gpio
                                  infiniband md
                                                                platform s390
                                                                                   staging
                                                                                           uwb
```

Figure 4-4 drivers 目录

block/: Block driverschar/: Char drivers

- cpufreq: Freq related drivers

- input/: Input device drivers(keyboard, mouse, touchscreen...)

- mmc/: MMC/SD
- mtd/: MTD
- mtd/ubi/: UBI
- net/: Net
- tty/serial/: UART
- spi/: SPI

- usb/host: USB host- usb/otg: USB otg- usb/dwc2: USB dwc2

- usb/gadget: USB device gadget- video/jz4780_fb: LCD framebuffer

- misc/jz_cim: Camera

4.2 Set Enviroment for Toolchain

\$ export PATH= SDK_ROOT/binaries/toolchain/ mips-gcc472-glibc216/bin:\$PATH

\$ export CROSS_COMPILE=mips-linux-gnu-

Then use " which mips-linux-gnu-gcc"check the toolchain.

```
[-yyhuang:dev_newton_master]:$ which mips-linux-gnu-gcc
~/work/dev_newton_master/binaries/toolchain/mips-gcc472-glibc216/bin/mips-linux-gnu-gcc
```

Figure 4-5 Android Home

4.3 Compile the U-Boot

\$ make distclean

\$ make newton_msc_config

\$ make

This will create u-boot-with-spl-mbr.bin.



4.4 Compile the Linux Kernel

\$ cd sources/kernel/linux-3.0.8

\$ make newton_msc_defconfig

\$ make ulmage

This will create ulmage in arch/mips/boot/compressed.

4.5 Create an EXT4 Root FS Image

Binary of rootfs which can be used for bootup has been uploaded into the SDK: binaries/rootfs/rootfs-newton/rootfs.ext2. But most of time root must be modified to fit the certain situation. If you just want to put some binaries into your root, please refer the followint steps, note that all the steps MUST be run as root:

\$ sudo -s

mkdir rootfs

cd rootfs/

tar xvf ../rootfs.tar.bz2

cd ../

./mk_rootfsimg.sh rootfs

Rootfs is based on buildroot, please refer "How to use BuildRoot" for more detail.

4.6 Partitions Table

Newton Board Partitions Table

Board	Hardware	File	Offset(B)	Option	Configuration
	Storage: EMMC 4G,	u-boot-with-spl-mbr.bin	0	MMC0	
Newton	512B/Sector	ulmage	0x300000	MMC0	Newton_mmc_lpddr.cfg
	Mem: Mobile DDR	rootfs.img/rootfs.ext2	0x3800000	MMC0	

To configure this parameters, click the "Configure" button:

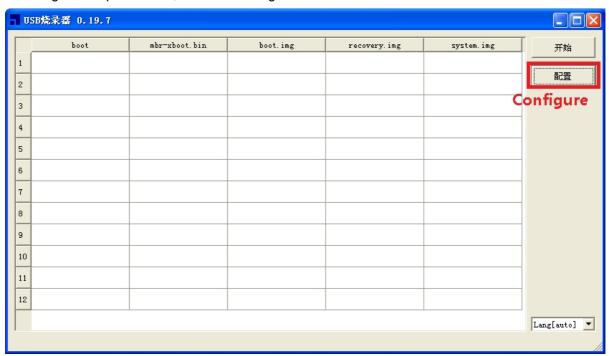




Figure 4-6 Configure Button



Figure 4-7 Configure Menu

4.7 Burn binary files

u-boot-with-spl-mbr.bin, ulmage, rootfs.img/rootfs.ext2 should be flashed into Newto.

Another document "How to Burn Newton Demo" provides help for you on how to install the burning tool driver and how to burn Newton.

4.8 Boot Newton board

After being flashed successfully, Newton will reboot automaticly and Serial Port(Baud rate: 57600, Data Bits:8, Parity: None, Stop Bits: 1, RTS/DTR Control: NO) will show following message:



```
sdram init ok
MMC init ok
Starting U-Boot ...
U-Boot 1.1.6-g5352e480 (Apr 23 2014 - 12:02:44)
Board: Ingenic NEWTON (4775 SOC CPU Speed 1008 MHz)
MEM Clock: 168 MHz
DRAM: 512 MB Ram size > EMC_LOW_SDRAM_SPACE_SIZE, set ram size = EMC_LOW_SDRAM_SPACE_SIZE: 256 MB
Error: Unknown flash ID, force set to 'SST_ID_39SF040'
Flash: 512 kB
MMC init ok
*** Warning - MMC/SD first load, using default environment
----- 0x8fe88000 ------
d2041 set_lcd_power_on
Line is 762
DEFAULT_BACKLIGHT_LEVELIn:
                                serial
Out:
       lcd
Err:
       lcd
     JZ ETHERNET
Net:
Hit any key to stop autoboot: 0
MMC init ok
6291456 bytes : OK
## Booting image at 80600000 ...
                 Linux-3.0.8-00132-gde62c9c
MIPS Linux Kernel Image (gzip compressed)
   Image Name:
   Image Type:
   Data Size:
                  2580324 Bytes = 2.5 MB
   Load Address: 80010000
   Entry Point: 80425700
   Verifying Checksum ... OK
Uncompressing Kernel Image ... OK
Starting kernel ...
```

Figure 4-8 Boot Message

If serial port shows as below, kernel is OK:

```
[ 4.943623] x2d x2d: Virtual Driver of JZ X2D registered
[ 4.954509] Virtual Driver of JZ X2D registered
[ 4.964442] regulator_init_complete: LDO_AUD: incomplete constraints, leaving on
[ 4.985821] jz-rtc jz-rtc.0: setting system clock to 2013-03-01 07:59:44 UTC (1362124784)
[ 5.007577] EXT4-fs (mmcblk0p1): couldn't mount as ext3 due to feature incompatibilities
[ 5.043737] EXT4-fs (mmcblk0p1): couldn't mount as ext2 due to feature incompatibilities
[ 5.080652] EXT4-fs (mmcblk0p1): mounted filesystem without journal. Opts: (null)
[ 5.096083] VFS: Mounted root (ext4 filesystem) on device 179:1.
[ 5.109367] Freeing unused kernel memory: 212k freed
Starting udevd ...
```

Figure 4-9 Boot Message

If serial port shows as below, mount root file system is OK. Enter 'root' for user name:

```
[ 7.166393] dhdsdio_write_vars: Download, Upload and compare of NVRAM succeeded.
[ 7.340273] dhd_bus_init: enable 0x06, ready 0x06 (waited 0us)
[ 7.403438] Firmware up: op_mode=0x0015, Broadcom Dongle Host Driver mac=44:39:c4:45:32:c6
[ 7.643473] Firmware version = wl0: Dec 26 2013 20:38:09 version 6.10.190.43 (r442147) FWID 01-32458bd3
[ 7.664763] Broadcom Dongle Host Driver: register interface [wlan0] MAC: 44:39:c4:45:32:c6
[ 7.685505] dhdsdio_probe : the lock is released.
[ 7.843555] wl_host_event: Invalid ifidx 0 for wl0
[ 7.853439] wl_android_wifi_on in
[ 7.883512] CFG80211-ERROR) wl_cfg80211_attach_post : p2p0: p2p_dev_addr=46:39:c4:45:32:c6
udhcpd (v1.21.0) started
[root@Ingenic /]#
```

4.9 Readmes

Under SDK ROOT/documents directory, there are some help documentations for Newto, read them to



find more details.

README_WIFI: /* For WIFI device configuration and testing */
README_BLUETOOTH: /* For Bluetooth device configuration and testing */
README_SENSOR: /* For Sensor devices configuration and testing */
README_MISC: /* For other devices's configuration and testing */