# NSP32 SDK Installation Manual

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#### Application Programming Interface (API) For NSP32 Spectral Sensor

NSP32 application programming interface (API) is a list of all classes that are part of the NSP32 Software Development Kit (SDK). It includes all libraries, classes, and interfaces, along with their methods, fields, and constructors. These prewritten classes provide a tremendous amount of functionality to a programmer. A programmer should be aware of these classes and should know how to use them. If you browse through the list of packages in the API, you will observe that there are packages written for reading data from NSP32 spectral sensor, Connecting single or multiple sensors, managing input and output, getting spectrum data for single or multiple sensors, and many more. Please browse this manual for complete list of available functions and their descriptions to see how they can be used.



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# Introduction

This user manual is formulated to briefly explain how to setup the working environment for collecting the data from the NSP32 spectral sensor.

To use NSP32 spectral sensor for your spectral sensing application, you need to install few pre-requisite libraries for measurement and/or experimentation. The development environment is tested on full desktop image based on Rasbian-Jessie on Raspberry Pi 2 and 3 Model B (v1.1).

There are two ways to work with Raspberry Pi:

- 1. You can develop all the applications on Raspberry Pi (Device)
- 2. You can do all the development on Host machine (e.g., Ubuntu OS) and then transfer the application to the device using secure shell.

NSP32 SDK(Crystal libraries) provided by nanoLambda can be used for both ways because nanoLambda provides pre-built static libraries for you. Beside NSP32 SDK(Crystal libraries), you need to install three 3<sup>rd</sup> party libraries also.

In this manual, we will explain briefly

- 1. how to preliminary configure your Raspberry-Pi device or your Host machine
- 2. how you can install these 3<sup>rd</sup> party libraries on both host and device
- 3. how to configure your IDE(e.g., NetBeans) for application development
- 4. how to build your example or application on device or host
- 5. how to test/run your C/C++ and/or Python example or application on device or host.



# Setup Raspberry-Pi Device for NSP32 Data Acquisition

### **Download and Install OS Image**

- 1. Download the Raspbian-Jessie (any release) image from the below mentioned link
  - https://www.raspberrypi.org/downloads/raspbian/
- 2. Install Raspbian-Jessie image on RaspberryPi device (refer to the link below):
  - https://www.raspberrypi.org/documentation/installation/installing-images/README.md

# **Preliminary Settings On Raspberry-Pi**

After installing the operating system image on the Raspberry, turn it on, open the terminal and run few preliminary commands to update and upgrade your Raspbian-Jessie OS:

- 1. \$ sudo apt-get update
- 2. \$ sudo apt-get upgrade
- 3. If it will give error that not enough space (Raspberry pi 2)
  - a. In a console, enter a command below:
    - i. sudo raspi-config
  - b. The menu, which appears has as first menu item:

Expand Filesystem Ensures that all of the SD card storage is available to the OS

- c. Use it and you are done.
- 4. \$ sudo apt-get install build-essential

# **Download and Install 3<sup>rd</sup> Parties Libraries On Raspberry-Pi**

Install prerequisites for the libusb. To use NSP32 spectral sensor for measurement and/or experimentation, you have to install USB driver on the RaspberryPi:

```
1. $ sudo apt-get install libudev-dev
```

### Downloading libusb-1.0.9 and libusb-compat-0.1.4

Download the .tar.gz for libusb-1.0.9 and libusb-compat-0.1.4 from links below:

• libusb-1.0.9:

http://sourceforge.net/projects/libusb/files/libusb-1.0/libusb-1.0.9/

• libusb-compat-0.1.4:

http://sourceforge.net/projects/libusb/files/libusb-compat-0.1/libusb-compat-0.1.4/

And run commands below:

<sup>2. \$</sup> sudo apt-get install pkg-config



- 1. \$ tar xvf ~/Downloads/libusb-1.0.9.tar.bz2
- 2. \$ tar xvf ~/Downloads/libusb-compat-0.1.4.tar.bz2

### **Installing libusb-1.0.9**

To install libusb library, run commands below:

- 1. \$ cd libusb-1.0.9/
- 2. \$ sudo ./configure
- 3. \$ sudo make install

### Checking whether the install was successful or not

\$ ls /usr/local/lib | grep libusb

### Installing libusb-compat-1.0.4

To install libusb-compat library, run commands below:

- 1. \$ cd libusb-compat-1.0.4/
- 2. \$ sudo ./configure
- 3. \$ sudo make install

### Checking whether the install was successful or not

\$ ls /usr/local/lib | grep libusb

### Installing gsl-1.13 on Raspberry

Download gsl-1.13 from this link

http://public.p-knowledge.co.jp/gnu-mirror/gsl/

Run commands below to install gsl(GNU Scientific Library):

- 1. cd qsl-1.13
- 2. \$ sudo ./configure
- 3. \$ sudo make
- 4. \$ sudo make install
- 5. \$ sudo ldconfig



# **How To Build and Run Examples**

# **Setup for Cross Compile On Ubuntu Host**

You need to setup your host (Ubuntu) to do cross-compile your example or your application program with pre-built static libraries in NSP32 SDK.

### Install the ARM-based gcc/g++ tool chain

Run commands to install tool chain on your host:

- 1. \$ sudo apt-get install gcc-arm-linux-gnueabi
- 2. \$ sudo apt-get install g++-arm-linux-gnueabi
- 3. \$ sudo ldconfig

Test if the installation of tool chain was successful or not:

```
$ arm-linux-gnueabi-gcc
```

You should see executed results in your console window like below because you did try to run a cross-compiler (gcc) without any source code:

```
arm-linux-gnueabi-gcc: fatal error: no input files compilation terminated.
```

### **Install libusb-1.0.9**

Run commands to install libusb-1.0.9 on your host:

- 1. \$ cd libusb-1.0.9/
- 2. \$ sudo ./configure --build=/path/to/arm-linux-gnueabihf -prefix=/path/to/save
- 3. \$ sudo make install

Check whether the install was successful or not by running a command below:

```
$ ls /usr/local/lib | grep libusb
```

### Install libusb-compat-1.0.4

Run commands to install libusb-compat-1.0.4 on your host:

- 1. \$ cd libusb-compat-1.0.4/
- 2. \$ sudo ./configure --build=/path/to/arm-linux-gnueabihf -prefix=/path/to/save



#### **Note**

Sometimes libusb-compat can't find the installed libusb-1.0.

In that case we need to set  $PKG\_CONFIG\_PATH$  .

- 1. \$export PKG CONFIG PATH=/installed/libusb/pkgconfig
- 2. echo \$PKG CONFIG PATH
- 3. \$ sudo make install

Checking whether the install was successful or not

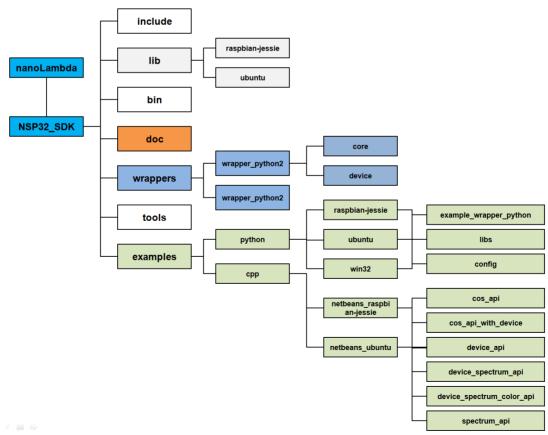
\$ ls /usr/local/lib | grep libusb

# Install gsl-1.13

Download gsl-1.13 from this link: <a href="http://public.p-knowledge.co.jp/gnu-mirror/gsl/">http://public.p-knowledge.co.jp/gnu-mirror/gsl/</a> Run commands to install gsl (GNU Scientific Library) on your host:

- 1. \$ cd gsl-1.13
- 2. \$ sudo ./configure --build=/path/to/arm-linux-gnueabihf -prefix=/path/to/save
- 3. \$ sudo make
- 4. \$ sudo make install
- 5. \$ sudo ldconfig

### **Install NSP32 SDK**

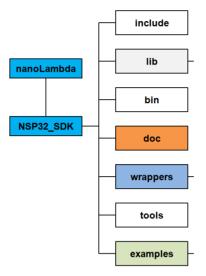




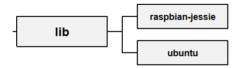
The Package is compressed in .tar.gz format. Double click the 'NSP32\_SDK\_1\_7\_installer\_ubuntu.tar.gz file or you can uncompress it by using the command

-\$ tar xvf NSP32 SDK 1 7 pacakge.tar.gz

NSP32 SDK folder contains sub-directories.



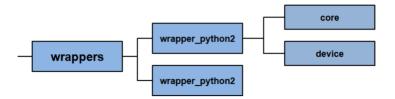
- "include" folder contains all the header files, you need to run the example code.
- "lib" folder contains all the static libraries. "lib" folder has sub-directories which in-turn has all libraries for specific platforms like Raspbian-jessie and Ubuntu OSs.



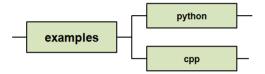
- "doc" folder contains all the documents. Right now there are 3 manuals (PDF formats). Two are manuals for installation and running example codes for RaspberryPi and Ubuntu, respectively. The other one is Python API reference manual.
  - 1. NSP32 SDK Installation Manual for Ubuntu-v1.7.pdf
  - 2. NSP32 SDK Installation Manual for RaspberryPi-v1.7.pdf
  - 3. NSP32 SDK Reference Manual for Python-v1.7.pdf
- "wrapper" folder contains wrapper for python. nanoLambda NSP32 SDK supports Python language with Python wrappers for both version of Python 2.xx and 3.xx.
- Under 'NSP32\_SDK/wrappers/Python' folder, you can find two separate wrapper folders, "wrapper Python2" and "wrapper Python3". In each folder, there are 2 sub-directories,



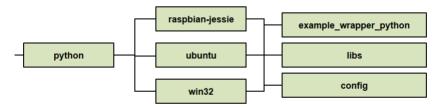
"core" and "device". "core" folder includes all the functions related to the core spectrum of the spectral sensor and "device" folder includes all the functions related to NSP32 device interface. All the codes are written in C/C++ and they are just wrapped with an additional layer to provide Python interface.



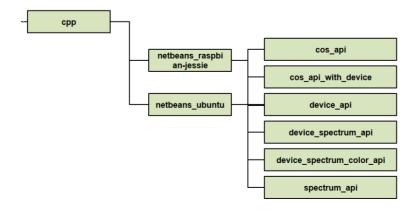
• "examples" folder contains examples for CPP and Python languages.



• Python folder contains 3 sub-directories, platform specific. "raspbian-jessie" for Raspberrypi, "ubuntu" for Ubuntu and "win32" for Windows 32-bit version. Each folder also has 3 sub-folders. "example\_wrapper\_python" folder contains an example code which tells the usage of almost all the wrapper functions. "libs" folder contains the library for platform specific. For getting the accurate spectral data from the NSP32 spectral sensor, user need to put sensor specific sensor data file in "config" folder.



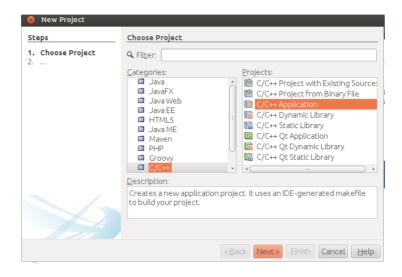
• "cpp" folder contains two folders, one for Raspbian-jessie and one for Ubuntu. Each folder has 6 more directories to show how user can get the data and other information from NSP32 spectral sensor.



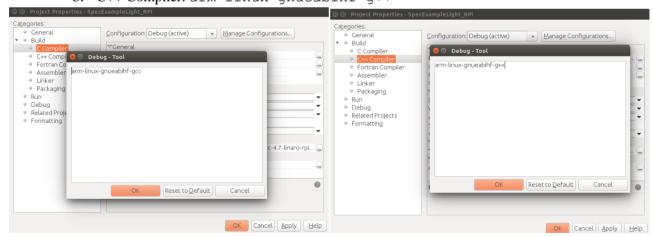


# **Build and Run C/C++ Example**

Now, you are ready for build examples from nanoLambda or your own code. For building and running console based example, we will again use the same NetBeans IDE and this time we will select "*C/C++ Application*" project type from the "*New Project*" dialog window:

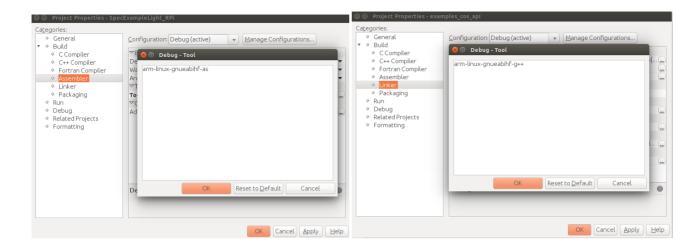


- 1. On the next screen followed by "Next" button click, enters the project name and project location and click "Finish".
- 2. After this, go to the project on NetBeans IDE and right click and select "Properties" on pop-up menu.
- 3. Change the C Compiler, C++ Compiler, and Assembler and Linker under "Build" property:
  - a. C Compiler: arm-linux-gnueabihf-gcc
  - b. C++ Compiler: arm-linux-gnueabihf-g++

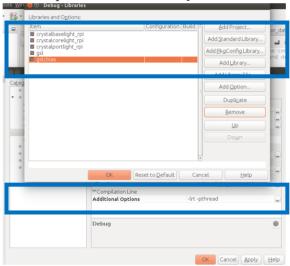


- c. Assembler: arm-linux-gnueabihf-as
- d. Linker: arm-linux-gnueabihf-g++





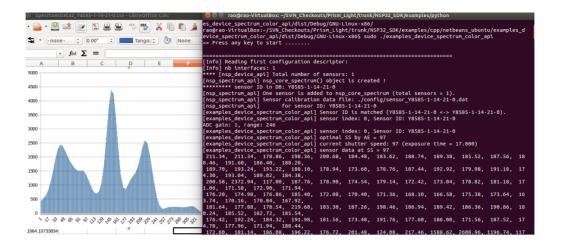
- 4. In the last, you must add two more things to "Linker":
  - a. Libraries: crystalbase rpi, crystalcore rpi, and crystalport rpi
    - You can add 3 libraries included in NSP32 SDK to "Libraries" field by using "Add Library..." on the "Libraries" dialog window.
  - b. One additional options: -lrt -pthread
    - You can add this option to "Additional Options" field as below.



- 5. Right click the project and build it. After that, copy the executables along with sensor calibration file to Raspberry pi.
- 6. Run your example with this command
  - a. \$sudo ./examp name

For your reference, you can see the results of spectra calculation by one example project ('examples\_device\_spectrum\_color\_api') on the host's console window below.





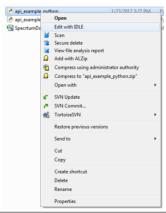
# Run Python Example

nanoLambda NSP32 SDK supports Python language with Python wrappers for both version of Python 2.xx and 3.xx. Under 'NSP32\_SDK/wrappers/Python' folder, you can find two separate wrapper folders, 'wrapper\_Python2' and 'wrapper\_Python3'. In each folder, there are 2 sub-directories, 'core' and 'device'. 'core' folder includes all the functions related to the core spectrum of the spectral sensor and 'device' folder includes all the functions related to NSP32 device interface. All the codes are written in C/C++ and they are just wrapped with an additional layer to provide Python interface.

### Run on Windows (Win32)

For running the example on Windows machine (32/64-bit):

1. Run 'IDLE'(Python Integrated Development Environment) to edit/execute a Python example file('example\_wrapper\_python.py')

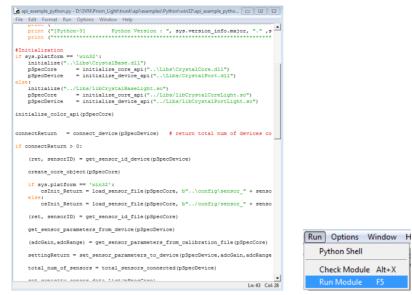


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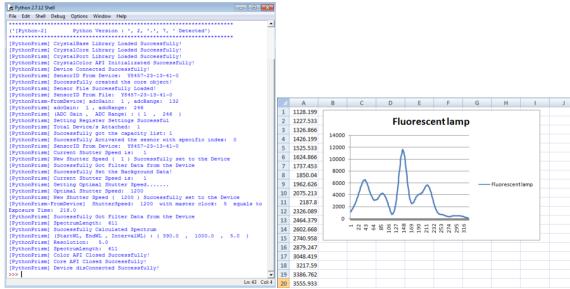
To run your Python code, you must install Python 2.7.12 or Python 3.4.2 (32-bit) on your computer. You can find both versions of Python (32-bit) from here:

- https://www.Python.org/downloads/release/Python-2712/
- https://www.Python.org/downloads/release/Python-342/
- 2. You will get Python example code in IDLE as below. Run Python example by clicking 'Run→Run Module F5' menu on IDLE:





b. You will get some text outputs from Python Shell and one CSV format file having the acquired and calculated spectra from NSP32 spectral sensor. You can check the spectrum data in CSV format file with Microsoft Excel program as below (a graph at right side).



### Run on Raspbian-Jessie or Linux(Ubuntu)

For running the example on either Raspbian-Jessie or Linux(Ubuntu),

- 3. copy the your sensor calibration file (e.g., 'sensor\_Y8585-1-85-85-0.dat') to a sub-folder named with 'config'.
- 4. \$cd example wrapper python
- 5. Open your Python example code with SubLime text editor. A picture at below is a snapshot of this Python example code.



```
| FOLDERS | V D sython | T D resplantesize | Import sys | Import sys | Import csv |
```

- 6. Run example for different versions of Python in the terminal window:
  - a. For Python 2.xx: \$sudo python example\_wrapper\_pyhon.py
  - b. For Python 3.xx: \$sudo python3 example wrapper pyhon.py
- 7. You'll see the terminal outputs of example as below:

```
PythonPrism] (CCT): ( 6159.85546875 )

PythonPrism] (Der API Closed Successfully!

Sensor is disconnected.

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Sensor is disconnected.

PythonPrism] (Der API Closed Successfully!

Sidraspherrypt:-/SVN_checkOuts/NSP32_SOK/examples/python/raspbian-jessie/api_example_python $ sudo python3 api_ex

sidraspherrypt:-/SVN_checkOuts/NSP32_SOK/examples/pythonPrism] Device Connected Successfully!

PythonPrism] SensorID from Device: b'Y8585-114-21-0'

Insp. spectrum_api] for sensor is added to nsp_core_spectrum (total sensors = 1).

Insp. spectrum_api] Sensor clalibration data file: ../conflg/sensor_Y8585-1-14-21-0.dat

Insp. spectrum_api] for sensor ID: Y8585-1-14-21-0'

Insp. spectrum_api] for sensor ID: Y8585-1-14-21-0'

Insp. spectrum_api] Sensor File Successfully Loaded!

PythonPrism] Sensor ID from File: b'Y8585-1-14-21-0'

Insp. spectrum_api] for sensor ID: Y8585-1-14-21-0'

Insp. spectrum_api] for sensor ID: Y8585-1-14-21-0'

Insp. spectrum_api] Sensor File Successfully Loaded!

PythonPrism] Sensor ID from File: b'Y85858-1-14-21-0'

Insp. spectrum_api] Sen
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8. You can also plot the acquired spectra with 'LibreOffice' program as below:



