Appendices

A User manual

Guidelines of how to use the application.

Requirements

- 1. WIMEA-ICT RSS2 application hex file.
- 2. RSS2 node.
- 3. Putty.
- 4. FTDI cable.
- 5. Cygwin/Linux.

Uploading WIMEA-ICT RSS2 application to RSS2 node

- 1. Open Cygwin or the Linux terminal.
- 2. Ensure that you are in the same directory with the hex file.
- 3. Connect the RSS2 node to the computer using an FTDI cable via the USB ports of the computer.
- 4. Check for the serial communication number via Device manager on windows or 'dmesg grep tty' on Linux OS.
- 5. Enter the command sudo avrdude -p m256rfr2 -c stk500v2 -P /dev/ttyUSB0 -b 38400 -e -U flash:w:wimea-ict.hex to write the hex file to the RSS2 node. Replace '/dev/ttyUSB0' with serial communication number.

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flavia@flavia-HP-ProBook-4540s~/Desktop/contiki/platform/avr-rss2/apps/wimea-ict-rss2$ avrdude -p m256rfr2 -c stk500v2 -P /dev/ttyU
SB2 -b 38400 -e -U flash:w:wimea-ict-rss2.hex
avrdude: AVR device initialized and ready to accept instructions
avrdude: Device signature = 0x1ea802 (probably m256rfr2)
avrdude: erasing chip
avrdude: reading input file "wimea-ict-rss2.hex"
avrdude: input file wimea-ict-rss2.hex auto detected as Intel Hex
avrdude: writing flash (44468 bytes):
avrdude: 44468 bytes of flash written
avrdude: verifying flash memory against wimea-ict-rss2.hex:
avrdude: load data flash data from input file wimea-ict-rss2.hex:
avrdude: input file wimea-ict-rss2.hex auto detected as Intel Hex
avrdude: input file wimea-ict-rss2.hex contains 44468 bytes
avrdude: reading on-chip flash data:
avrdude: verifying ...
avrdude: 44468 bytes of flash verified
avrdude: safemode: Fuses OK (E:FE, H:98, L:46)
avrdude done. Thank you.
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Figure 6.1: Writing hex file to RSS2 node

6. Press the reset button on the RSS2 node and then Press Enter on the computer after a few seconds.

Configuring Putty

- 1. Open Putty. Enter the serial communication number in the serial line box and baud rate of 38400 as the Speed. The serial number can be obtained from step 4 in the section above.
- 2. Under Terminal category, enable 'Force on' for Line discipline options. This will echo the user input on the terminal.

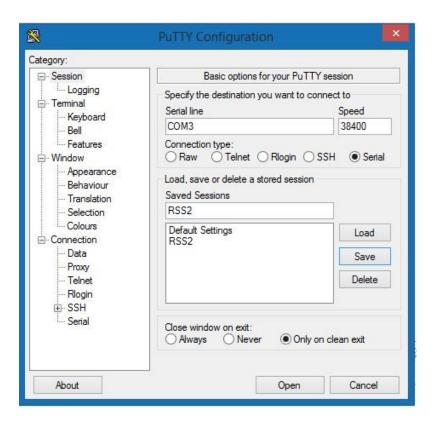


Figure 6.2: Configuring Putty

3. Click open. This will open the application in the Putty terminal.

Configure the node

- 1. Enter h.
- 2. Press Ctrl + j and Enter, which is the end of line signal. This will display the help menu showing the available commands and how to use them.
- 3. Set the different parameters as specified in the help menu.

Using the application

The user should Press Ctrl + j and Enter at the end of every input.