

CC31xx SPI Debug Tool

Overview

This simple debugging tool simplifies the validation process of porting CC3100 host driver to any new MCU. This tool helps check for the SPI configuration with CC3100 and confirms the mapping of the SPI interface pins.

Assumption and Knowledge base

- User will have to build his own project for the platform and need to add the provided files to use the tool.
- Sample project is provided with CCS for MSP430F5529 launchpad.

Environment setup

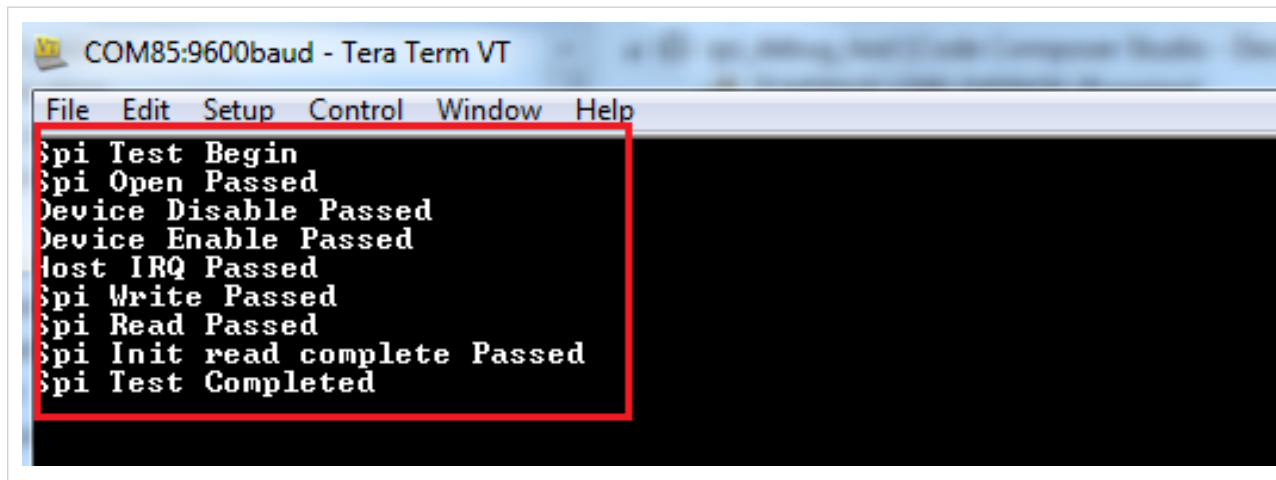
The user need to build their own project to use the tool to validate the SPI porting. Using the tool will require creating a new project and compiling it.

Using tool with CCS or IAR

- Open the compiler and create a new project.
 - Add Debugging tool files to the project.
 - Add "main.c" from "spi_debug_tool" folder.
 - Write and add interface communication driver functions to "user.h".
 - sl_DeviceEnable : Enables the device by setting the appropriate GPIO pin high.
 - sl_DeviceDisable : Disables the device by setting the appropriate GPIO pin low.
 - _SIFd_t : Descriptor for SPI interface.
 - sl_IfOpen : Open a SPI interface to communicate with a simplelink device.
 - sl_IfClose : Close the opened SPI interface.
 - sl_IfRead : Read data from the opened SPI communication interface.
 - sl_IfWrite : Write data to opened SPI communication interface.
 - sl_IfRegIntHdlr : Register an interrupt handler routine for host IRQ.
 - Write and add Board configuration function along with UART interface function to "daignostic.h"
 - UartConfig : Open the application UART channel.
 - UartWrite : Write data to opened UART channel.
 - Init_Clk : Initialize the system clock.
 - StopWDT : Stops the Watch Dog Timer.
 - Add SPI, UART and board configuraton files to the project.
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 - Include "SimpleLink->Include" and "SimpleLink->Source" path to the project.
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Validating the SPI Configuration

- Connect your MCU to the computer.
- Open Hyperterminal and configure it as per your UART interface settings. For MSP430FR5739 demo project use the mentioned settings.
- Compile and run the project. On successful testing you will see the below output on the terminal.

A screenshot of a Tera Term VT terminal window. The title bar reads "COM85:9600baud - Tera Term VT". The menu bar includes "File", "Edit", "Setup", "Control", "Window", and "Help". The terminal output, displayed in white text on a black background, shows the following sequence of messages: "Spi Test Begin", "Spi Open Passed", "Device Disable Passed", "Device Enable Passed", "Lost IRQ Passed", "Spi Write Passed", "Spi Read Passed", "Spi Init read complete Passed", and "Spi Test Completed". A red rectangular box highlights the entire output area.

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Limitations/Known Issues

None

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