

Using Guiliani RZ/A SDK on StreamIt within e2Studio

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1 Introduction

The SDK for Renesas RZ/A boards contains an e2Studio project, which can be used for editing and debugging the Guiliani demo. e2Studio is an eclipse based Integrated Development Environment (IDE). This document describes the different projects, their directory structure and the build configurations included in the e2Studio project workspace of the demo.

This guide does not explain how to create an e2Studio project and configure the settings. It rather explains an e2Studio workspace, which is already created and included in the SDK so that the user can quickly test the Guiliani demo and do the changes according to his requirements.

2 Assumed Knowledge

- Basic to advanced knowledge of C and C++
- General understanding and hands-on experience of e2Studio or eclipse (If you are not familiar with any of these tools, we recommend you to read “User’s Manual: Getting Started Guide” of e2Studio, available on Renesas website)

3 e2Studio Workspace

e2Studio projects are available in the SDK within the Renesas folder. Launch e2Studio IDE and import the projects into your workspace.

The folder includes four projects (Fig. 1):

- BSP: Renesas Board Support Package (BSP) files for StreamIt V2 board
- BSP_Test: A test project to quickly test BSP without Guiliani
- SR_GuilianiDemo: The Guiliani demo
- StreamRuntime: The StreamRuntime demo

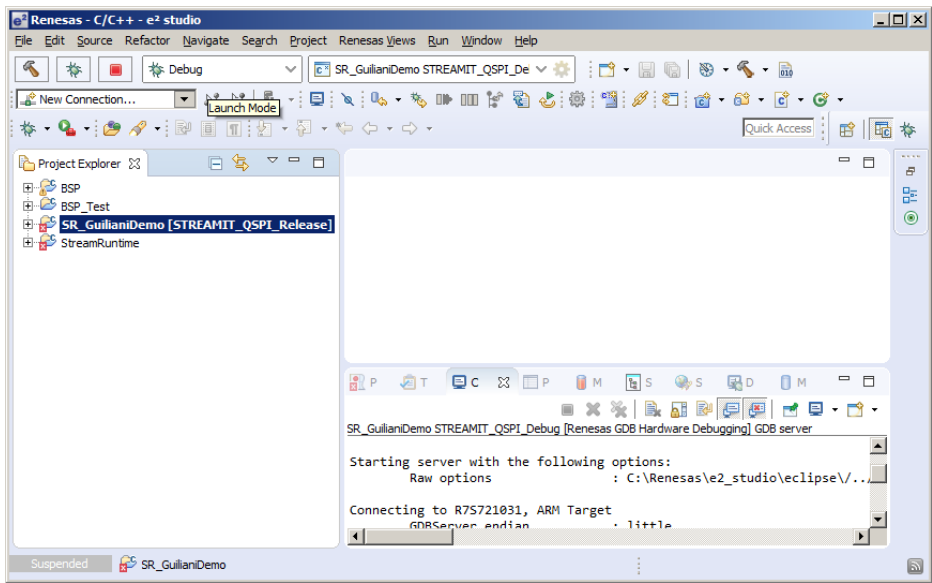


Fig. 1 e2Studio Workspace of SDK Project

3.1 Board Support Package (BSP)

This SDK includes the BSP for the StreamIt board. The BSP contains initialization code for clocks, RAM, caches and peripherals which are specific to the boards. It also includes driver files and a FreeRTOS port for the boards.

3.1.1 Directory structure

Directory	Description
src/renesas	Includes source code for drivers, middleware, startup, low level initialization and cache operations
src/freertos	Port for FreeRTOS operating system

Table 1 Directory Structure of BSP Project

3.1.2 Build configurations

- Debug: It builds board support package for StreamIt board in debug mode. When the project is built, it creates a library libBSP.a in a subfolder Debug for StreamIt board, which can be used by SR_GuilianiDemo, StreamRuntime and BSP_Test projects.
- Release: It builds board support package for StreamIt board in release mode. When the project is built, it creates a library libBSP.a in a subfolder Release for StreamIt board, which can be used by SR_GuilianiDemo, StreamRuntime and BSP_Test projects.

3.2 BSP_Test

This project allows a user to quickly test BSP of StreamIt boards without the need of the Guiliani application. The test program can be flashed on the board and can be debugged. It is a simple blinking application.

3.2.1 Directory structure

Directory	Description
src	Application source code

Table 2 Directory Structure of BSP_Test Project

3.2.2 Build configurations

- STREAMIT_QSPI: BSP_Test program from flash of StreamIt board.

3.3 SR_GuilianiDemo / StreamRuntime

These projects contain sample projects to run Guiliani on the board. SR_GuilianiDemo is the Guiliani technical showcase and StreamRuntime is a minimal application as a good starting point for a new application.

3.3.1 Directory structure

Directory	Description
Common	Common files over different Guiliani applications
GuilianiDemo	Contains GSE projects with different resolutions
Include	Project specific includes
Source	Project specific sources

Table 3 Directory Structure of <SDK>\SR_GuilianiDemo

File	Description
[Include Source]/Platform/FreeRTOS/StreamRuntimeStartup_FreeRTOS.[h cpp]	Target specific initialization of wrappers and configurations
[Include Source]/Platform/win/pc/StreamRuntimeStartup_FreeRTOS.h	Windows specific initialization of wrappers and configurations
[Include Source]/StreamRuntimeConfig.[h cpp]	Loads project configuration
[Include Source]/StreamRuntimeGUI.[h cpp]	Loads GUI

Table 4 Files in <SDK>\SR_GuilianiDemo\Common Directory

File	Description
CustomExtension	Custom extensions.
GUIConfig/UserConfig.h	Configuration of used wrappers in case of Windows build
GUIConfig/User*Resource.h	Resource IDs generated by GSE
GUIConfigCustom/*	Custom IDs for use in Guiliani application.
Platform/*/StreamRuntime*.[h cpp]	Program entry points (main function) for different platforms
Demo_*.[h cpp]	Specific code for the different demo parts
MyGUI_SR.[h cpp]	GUI entry point

Table 5 Files in <SDK>\SR_GuilianiDemo\Include and <SDK>\SR_GuilianiDemo\Source Directory

File	Description
linker_settings.ld	Linker scripts for STREAMIT_QSPI_Debug and STREAMIT_QSPI_Release build configurations

Table 6 Linker Script in <SDK>\Renesas\BSP\src\renesas\compiler\

File	Description
GUIConfig.cpp	This file contains constants which hold the count of global properties, image resources, font resources, text resources, etc.

Table 7 Files in <SDK>\GSE\Share Directory

3.3.2 Build configurations

There are two configurations available for SR_GuilianiDemo project.

1. STREAMIT_QSPI_Debug: Debug configuration for StreamIt. The demo application runs from QSPI flash. Choose this configuration to debug the application.
2. STREAMIT_QSPI_Release: Release configuration for StreamIt. The application runs from QSPI flash. Choose this configuration to test the performance.

4 Debug Configurations

Under *Run* → *Debug Configurations* → *Renesas GDB Hardware Debugging* menu of e2Studio, debug configurations are created for each build configuration present in e2Studio workspace (Fig. 2). The name of each debug configuration is a combination of the project name and its build configuration. For example *SR_GuilianiDemo StreamIt_QSPI_Debug* configuration is for project *SR_GuilianiDemo* with *StreamIt_QSPI_Debug* configuration.

After a project is built, its debug configuration can be launched by clicking on button *Debug*. This will flash the binary file on the board and start debugging.

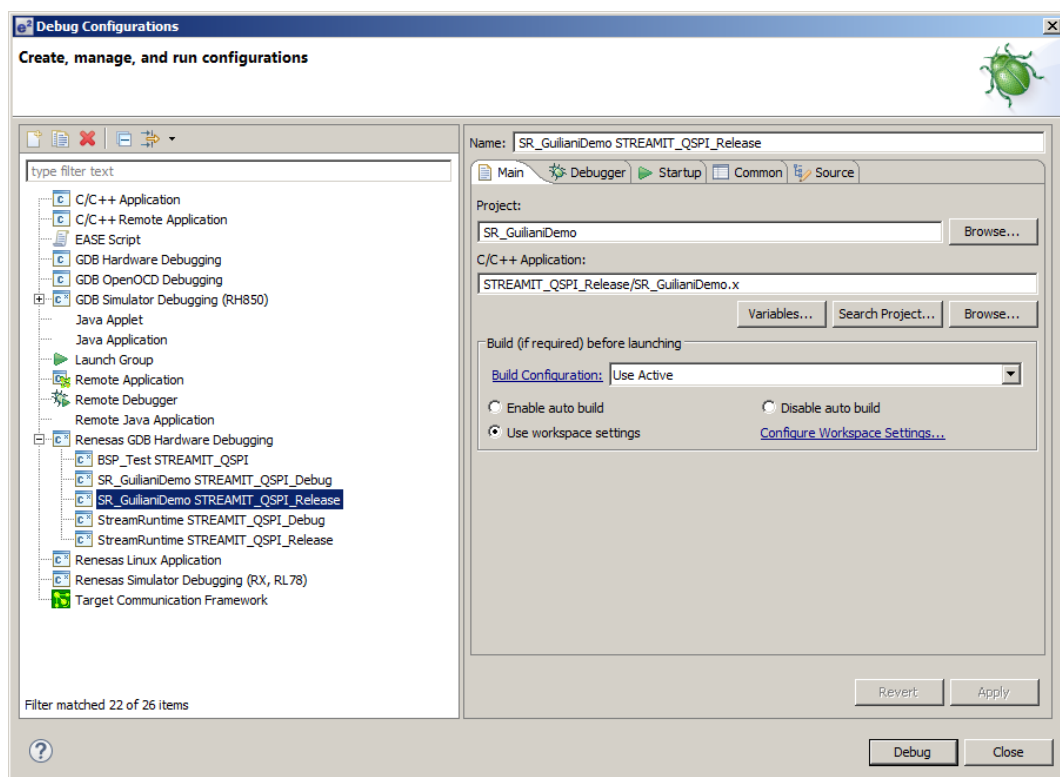


Fig. 2 Debug Configurations

4.1 Hints starting program in Debugger

It is possible that the program *BSP_Test*, *SR_GuilianiDemo* and *StreamRuntime* does not reach the main function. In this case an invalid address is shown if you suspend (⏸) the program. Simple click on restart (🔄).

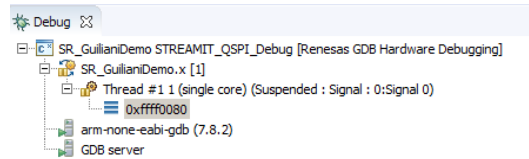


Fig. 3 Debug Start

Notice: When you are experiencing timeouts during start of a debug-session you might want to change some settings in e2studio.

In the menu “Window” select “Preferences” and then go to item “C/C++ / Debug / GDB” and either increase the time at “Command Timeout [ms]” or deactivate the whole item.

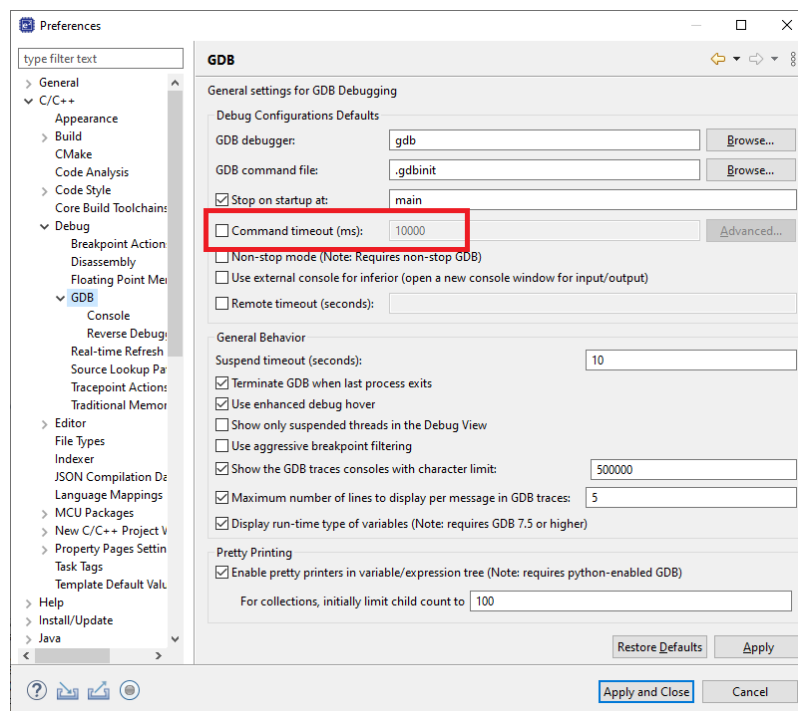


Fig. 4 Timeout settings

5 Annex

5.1.1 Boot-up sequence of Bootloader

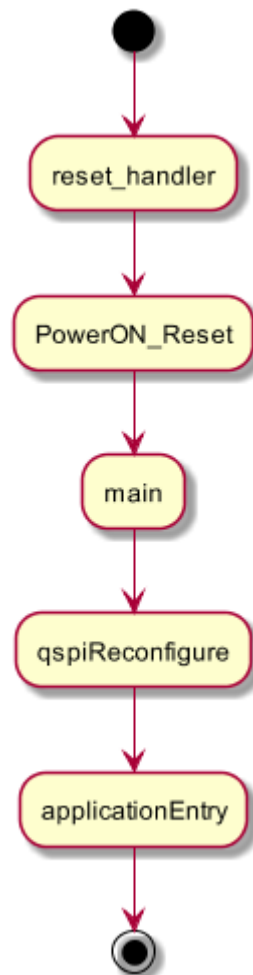


Fig. 5 Boot-up Sequence

5.1.2 Startup sequence of Guiliani Demo application

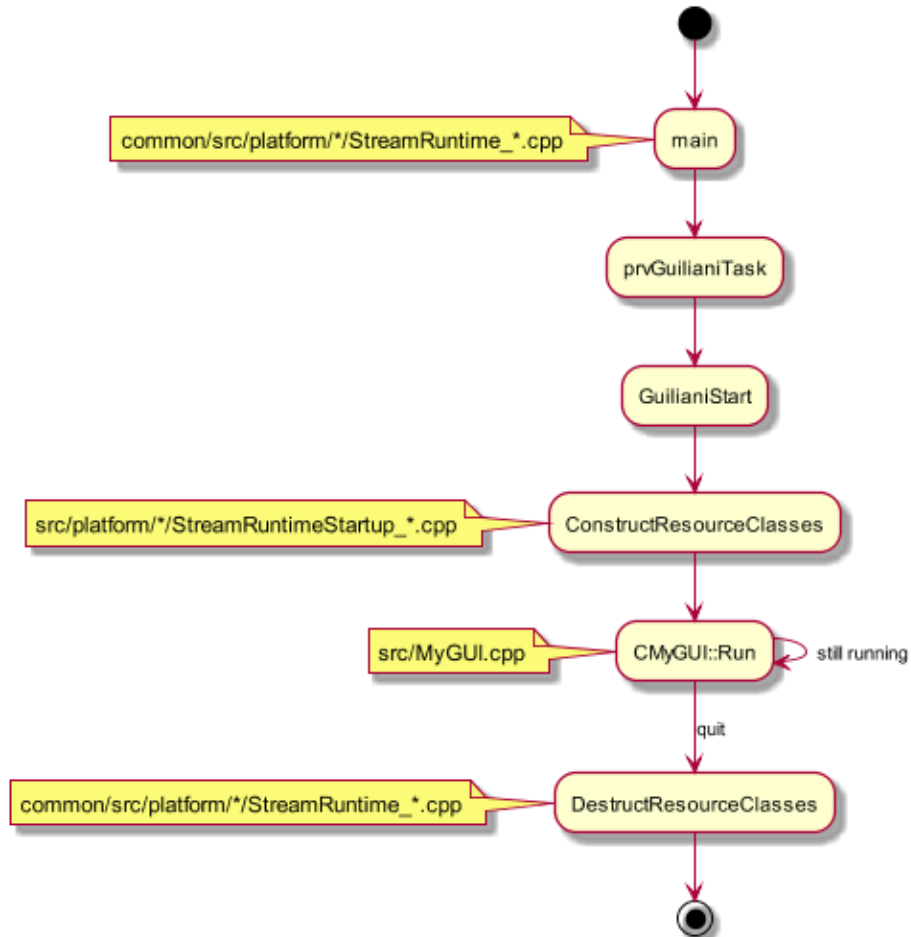


Fig. 6 Startup Sequence of Guiliani Demo Application