USER GUIDE

IDAP-Link[™] CMSIS-DAP Debug JTAG





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Introduction

The IDAP-LinkTM is a low cost CMSIS-DAP JTAG debug probe with enhanced features. It can do more with it than just debugging. It will appears as a USB disk drive. This allows firmware flashing easily by copying the firmware file over without requiring any special flashing software and work instantly with any operating system. It provides a UART to USB bridge for communication between the target device and the PC. It also provides a regulated 3.3V to directly power the target device without addition power source by taking advantage of the USB power source. These feature turn the target device into mBed enable. It can be used as an ultra low cost solution to production programming. BSP is provide for use with Open Source CMSIS-DAP firmware from mBed.org which make it totally customizable.

Features:

- Support both SWD & JTAG mode
- Debug compatibility with most IDE such as Keil, CrossWorks, Eclipse, etc..
- Onboard 3.3V regulator to power the target device
- UART to USB bridge for communication between target and PC
- mBed enabled target board
- Firmware flashing by drag & drop simply by copying file over
- micro-SD slot for flash programming without a PC
- BSP is provided for Open Source CMSIS-DAP firmware from mBed.org

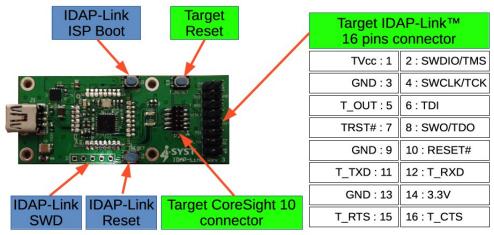


Fig. 1: IDAP-LinkTM Rev. 3

Connectors

P1 - IDAP-Link connector

The connector P1 is the IDAP-Link $^{\text{TM}}$ target connector.

TVCC	1	2	SWDIO/TMS
GND	3	4	SWCLK/TCK
GND	5	6	TDI
TRST	7	8	SWO/TDO
GND	9	10	RESET
T_TXD	11	12	T_RXD
GND	13	14	3.3V

P1 − IDAP-Link[™] 14 pins connector

Starting revision 3, the connector P1 is 16 pins

1	2	SWDIO/TMS
3	4	SWCLK/TCK
5	6	TDI
7	8	SWO/TDO
9	10	RESET
11	12	T_RXD
13	14	3.3V
15	16	T_CTS
	5 7 9 11 13	3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14

P1 − IDAP-Link[™] 16 pins connector

 \boldsymbol{TVCC} : Target Vcc. Coming from the target device.

SWDIO/TMS, SWCLK/TCK: SWD connections.

SWDIO/TMS, SWCLK/TCK, TDI, TRST, SWO/TDO: JTAG connections

3.3V: This the 3.3V supply output from the IDAP-Link. This can be used to power target board.

T_TXD, T_RXD, T_RTS, T_CTS: UART connections

T_OUT : Digital I/O output reserved for future use

GND: Digital signal ground.

Connecting to target

SWD mode connection to target requires the following pins : TVCC, GND, SWDIO/TMS, SWCLK/TCK

JTAG mode connection to target requires at least these pins : TVCC, GND, SWDIO/TMS, SWCLK/TCK, TDI, TDO. TRST is optional

UART bridge : Connect T_TXD to UART TXD on target, T_RXD to UART RXD, T_RTS to UART RTS, T_CTS to UART CTS on target and GND

P2 - ARM Coresight 10 pins connector

The P2 is the ARM standard 1.27mm pitch 10 pins CoreSight connector.

Cortex Debug 10-pin Connector



P3 – IDAP-Link core SWD connector

The P3 is the SWD port for programming firmware upgrade of the IDAP-Link.

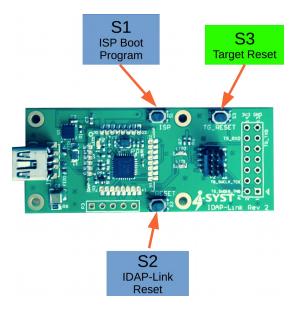
Pin 1: 3.3V

Pin 2: GND

Pin 3: SWDIO

Pin 4: SWCLK

Switches



S1 – ISP boot/Program

This button is used to put the IDAP-Link into ISP bootloader for firmware update. Keep this button press during power up.

When the IDAP-Link is power up without connecting to PC, this button is used to activate programming target with firmware load from the microSD card.

S2 - IDAP-Link Reset

This button will reset the IDAP-Link board. To put the IDAP-Link in bootloader for firmware update. Press this reset button with the S1 (ISP) button, release S2 while keeping S1 pressed for 3 sec.

S3 – Target hardware Reset

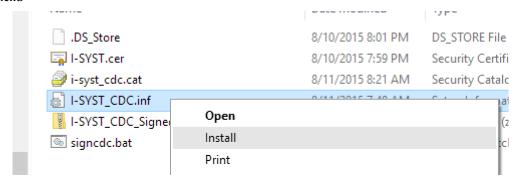
This button is connected to the target reset pin. Pressing this button will reset target if the target has reset pin connected to the JTAG/SWD connector (P1 or P2)

Windows CDC driver installation

Windows 10 can now automatically detect and install CDC device without requiring to external drivers. Other Windows versions are unable to automatically install CDC driver. Follows these steps for manual driver installation.

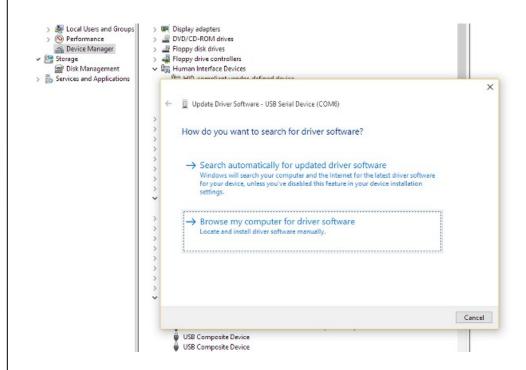
Download the Windows driver and software from http://sourceforge.net/projects/idaplinkfirmware/files/?source=navbar

Install the driver .inf file by right-clicking on the .inf file then select "install" from the popup menu

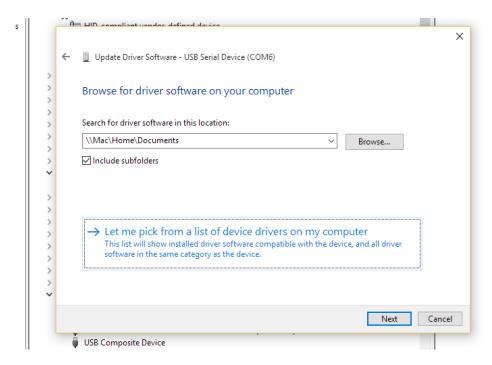


Locate the Install the CDC device from the Windows "Device Manager". Right-click and select update driver...

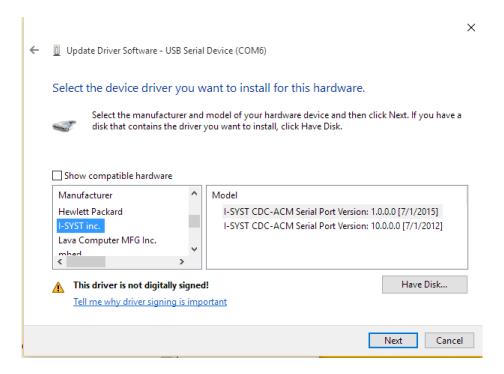
Select "Browse my computer.."



Select "Let me pick from a list..."



Uncheck the "Show compatible hardware" checkbox. Then locate "I-SYST inc." from the Manufacturer list to install the driver



IDAP-Link[™] *Firmware Update*

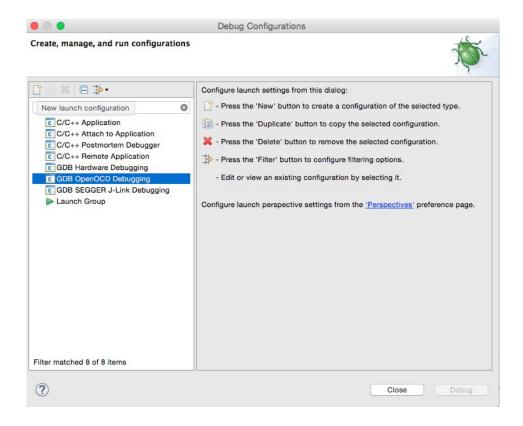
Boot the IDAP-Link into ISP mode by pressing the S1 (ISP) button and the S2 (RESET) at the same time. Release S2 while keeping the S1 pressed for about 3 sec. The IDAP-Link will appear to the PC as a removable disk with volume name 'CRP DISABLD'. Copy the new firmware.bin over to replace the old one. On Windows 8, the old firmware.bin must be deleted before copying the new one over.

Note: This process seem not to work on OSX due to NXP ROM firmware bug. In order to update firmware on OSX. A shell cp command is required.

cp firmware.bin "/Volumes/CRP DISABLD"

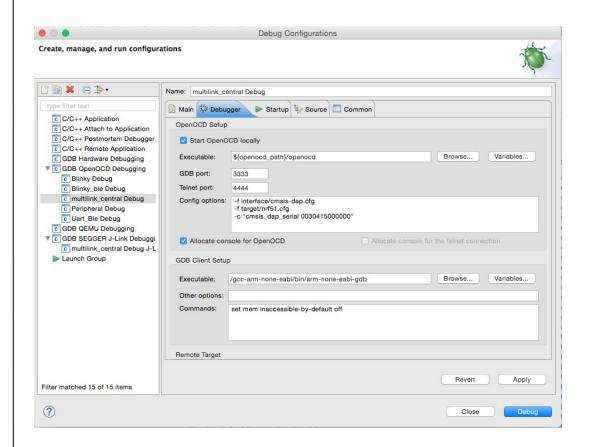
Eclipse Development Evironment

The OpenOCD version 0.9 or above is required to use with Eclipse IDE. For Eclipse setup, follow the blog site http://embeddedsoftdev.blogspot.ca/p/eclipse.html. To enable debugging in Eclipse, select the menu Run/Debug Configuration. A popup as bellow will appear. Then create new GDB OpenOCD debugging configuration.



In the OpenOCD configuration popup, select the Debugger tab to configure OpenOCD. OpenOCD requires configuration files .cfg for the target device and the interface device. The

interface device should be set with *-f interface/cmsis-dap*. The target device depends on which MCU being used. The picture bellow shows configuration example for the nRF51 series.



OpenOCD with multi-board

When multiple IDAP-Links are connected to the PC, OpenOCD needs to know which is to be used for the debug session. This can be accomplished using the OpenOCD command 'cmsis_dap_serial' to select the target board to use using its serial #. Type in the Config options box -c "cmsis_dap_serial #######" where ####### is the serial number. The image above shows the selection of the IDAP-Link with serial number '0030415000000' for the debug session.

Target Flash programming with microSD

The IDAP-Link has an onboard microSD interface. This interface allow Flash programming as target device without requiring a PC. This is accomplished by following the procedure bellow.

- Connect the IDAP-Link to PC. Run the command line IDAPSetTarget program to select the target device. Pass the index number of the target device as argument to the IDAPSetTarget program. Running the IDAPSetTarget without argument will display a list of supported target device along with its index number. Once the target is successfully programmed into the IDAP-Link, the a list of require firmware filename is listed. This step is needed only when selecting a different target core.
- Copy the the firmware files with predefined filenames onto the microSD card. The firmware file name must be exactly the same as those listed during the target selection step above.
- Power up the IDAP-Link or press the Reset button (S2) with the microSD in the slot. The microSD card must be inserted prior to power up the IDAP-Link otherwise it will not switch to microSD programming mode
- If the IDAP-Link is still connected to the PC. The microSD will show up. Eject it from the PC prior to start flashing.
- Press ISP/PROG button (S1) to start Flashing. The green LED will turn on or blink. The programming status will be also be printed to the USB CDC COM port.
- Once programming completed, the green LED will turns off. If programming failed, the red LED will blink at 1 sec interval. All LED are off when programming is successful.

Parallel Flashing Nordic nRF5x using multiple IDAP-Link™

IDAPnRFProg is a command line tool for Flashing Nordic nRF51 & nRF52 SoC. It is available on Windows and OSX. It can flash Softdevice, Application firmware and DFU hex files all at once without requiring to merge them first.

Flashing all 3 elements:

IDAPnRFProg softdevice.hex Blinky_ble.hex dfu_nrf51.hex

Flashing softdevice only:

IDAPnRFProg softdevice.hex

or just a test program

IDAPnRFProg Test.hex

Furthermore, IDAPnRFPRog automatically scan USB for all connected IDAP-Link and flash all devices in parallel. It is a great tool for production programming.



Fig. 2: IDAP- $Link^{TM}$ Rev. 2 connected to the IBK-BLUEIO Rev. 0. Breakout with IMM-NRF51x series module



Fig. 3: IDAP- $Link^{TM}$ Rev. 3 connected to the IBK-BLUEIO Rev. 1. Breakout with IMM-NRF5x series module

Creating custom target core support

The IDAP-Link[™]/M firmware is very flexible. It support dynamic target core selection. The new target core selection is done using the IDAPSetTarget program. This program uploads target core data into the IDAP-Link[™]/M board. Hence allowing target core selection without requiring a dedicated firmware. This section will show how to create the target core data for a custom device.

Target Flash Programming

Flash programming is very dependent on the target MCU. Each manufacturer and device family has their own way to allow programming of the device. Most devices do not allow writing to program memory section externally but via internal firmware. Therefore a special firmware with a few functions running of the RAM memory section to provide support for Flash programming of the target is required. Bellow is a template to implement the functions require by IDAP-LinkTM/M. This firmware needs to be compiled as free standing position independent. The GCC compile flags are -ffreestanding -fpie. There is no linker script needed.

```
/*
* Template to create
   target Flash algorithm for IDAP-Link/M
 * NOTE: This code must be compiled in freestanding & position independent mode * gcc flags: -ffreestanding -fpie * linker flag: -pie
   Function parameters are passed via registers
          r0 : First param
r1 : 2nd param
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#include <stdint.h>
#include "target_desc.h"
// Main entry breakpoint
      asm("BKPT");
// IDAP-Link will call this first to perform initialize and identify the target.
   @param pChipInfo : Pointer to buffer to be fill with CHIP_INFO data
//
// @return 0 - success
//
On success buffer location is filled with CHIP_INFO data
//
int Init(CHIP INFO *pChipInfo)
    // Add code to detect and fill CHIP_INFO
    return 0:
   Permform mass erase
// @return 0 - success
int EraseAll()
    return 0;
   Erase n consecutive Flash page
   @param PageAddr : Start of page address. This is absolute address NbPage : Nb of pages to erase
//
// @return0 - success
int ErasePage(uint32_t PageAddr, int NbPage)
    return 0:
   Blank check
   @param Addr : Start location to check
                       : Length in bytes to check
```

```
//
// @return-1 - success
//
If failed, returns address of non blank page
int BlankCheck(uint32_t Addr, int32_t Len)
//
// Enable direct Flash write. This is an option function to allow
// directly write to Flash without passing by Program function bellow
// If this feature is not supported, NULL must be set in TARGET_DESC entry
// If this reactive is not support // // @param En : true - Enable write // false - Disable write
//
// @return None
void DirectFlashWrite(bool En)
//
// Enable read back protection
void Protect()
^{\prime\prime} // Perform write buffer to Flash. This coperation does verify that data are written ^{\prime\prime} correctly. This function is invisible to IDAP
                              : Start address to program
: Pointer to RAM location containing data to be programmed
: Number of byte to write
: True - Erase before write
False - No Erase
                *pData
Len
// @return None
void FlashWrite(uint32_t Addr, uint8_t *pData, int32_t Len, bool bErase)
//
// Checksum verify
// (param Addr : Start address to verify
// Len : Length in byte to verify
// CheckSum: Check sum value.
    @return checksum value
                   0 - good
x - bad checksum
int Verify(uint32_t Addr, int32_t Len, uint32_t Checksum)
      uint32_t *p = (uint32_t*)(Addr & 0xFFFFFFFC);
uint32_t cs = 0;
      while (Len > 0)
             cs += *p++;
Len -= 4;
      return cs + CheckSum;
    Postprocessing after programming completed. This function is optional. It will be called after programming completed if entry is set in the TARGET_DESC structure
/// @param FIdxFlag : Indicating which file was flashed.
// Bit 0 - Set filel was flashed
// Bit 1 - Set file2 was flashed
// Bit 2 - Set file3 was flashed
// Parm1-4 : 4 User defined parameters
// Parm1-4: 4
// Preturn0 - success
int UserFunction(uint32_t FIdxFlag, uint32_t Parm1, uint32_t Parm2, uint32_t Parm3, uint32_t Parm4)
      return 0:
```

Data structure defining target device

```
File : target desc.h
Author : Hoang Nguyen Hoan
Desc \,: This file defines data structure for the creation of target programming algorithm to be loaded by IDAP-Link/M. It is to allow users to create their own custom algorithm
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                                                         Description
July 3, 2016
 Modified by
                                                                                                 Better support for custom algorithm.
Hoan
                                                                                Supports JTag interface
#ifndef __TARGET_DESC_H_
#define __TARGET_DESC_H_
#pragma pack(push, 4)
 // Consecutive memory section
typedef struct Memory_Section {
uint32 t FgSize;
uint32 t TotalSize;
uint32 t StartAddr;
                                                                                // Page size, this is a page erase size
                                                                // Total size in bytes
// Mem block start address
} MEMSECT;
 //typedef enum _Firmware_File_Type : uint8_t {
typedef enum {
   FW_FTYPE_NONE,
   FW_FTYPE_BIN,
   FW_FTYPE_HEX,
} FW_FTYPE;
// Tartget MCU max name length #define TARGET NAME LEN
#define TARGET_DESC_VERS
                                                              0x100
                                                                           // Vers bit0-7 : Minor, bit8-15 : major
// Silicon variant id
// Package Id
// Uniq ID
// Variant name
// Program memory info (Flash or RAM)
// Data memory info (RAM)
                        Package;
Uid;
Name[20];
       uint64_t
      char
MEMSECT
                        ProgSect:
       MEMSECT
  * This structure defines the target MCU and its flash loader
                               typedef struct _Target_Descriptor {
      uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
       char
      MEMSECT
       FW FTYPE
       char
int
      uint32 t
      uint32 t
      uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
      uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
      uint32 t
      uint32 t
      uint32 t
```

```
// Break point function
// Stack pointer
// Data buffer
// Data buffer length
// RAM target location for loader code
// Size in byte of loader code
               uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
uint32_t
                                                                                BrkPoint;
                                                                               StackPointer;
Buffer;
BufferLen;
                                                                                LoaderStart:
                                                                               LoaderSize;
  } TARGET_DESC;
  #pragma pack(pop)
  #endif // __TARGET_DESC_H__
  Target definition example
firmwa
},

("firmwa
},

1,

0,

5,

0x20000001,

0x20000021,

0x20000031,

0x20000051,

0x20000061,

NULL,

NULL,

(0,0,0,0),

0x20000071,

0x20000071,

0x200000071,

0x200000071,

0x200000000,

0x200000000,
                                        "firmware.hex",
                                                                                                                // DAP interface 1 = SWD, 2 = JTAG
// JTAG IR length in bits
// SWD : 1 clock turn around, Data phase on
// Init function entry
// ErasePalg function entry
// Blankcheck function entry
// Direct write function entry
// Program function entry
// Verify function entry
// Verify function entry
// User function entry
// User function entry
// User function parameters
// Main breakpoint function entry
// Stack pointer
// data ram buffer
// data ram length
// RAM location to load target algorithm code
// Length of target code in bytes
                      4096,
0x20000000,
1024
  };
```