



ARC2310 SDK

ARC2310/T2 Validator SDK

Smart card terminal



Technical documentation - Software Development Kit (SDK)

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2 Revision history

Release	Date	Description
1.0	2014-09-09	First dev kit version

3 Introduction

3.1 ARC2310

T2/ARC2310



3.2 Document version dependencies

This document is based on software development kit version 1.0 and the following software and firmware versions.

Software or firmware type	Version
Linux kernel	3.10
ArcB	3.7.15
ARC1300 firmware	G

4 ARC2310 System overview

The ARC2310 is GNU/Linux based. The main operating system environment is provided by Busybox v1.20.1 <http://www.busybox.net>.

4.1 ARC2310 flash layout

The flash memory is divided into several partitions for performing secure system upgrades. This table shows the details of these partitions:

Partition name	Partition size	Partition information
DTB	2 MiB	Device Tree Blob
Uboot	8 MiB	Boot loader
Kernel	8 MiB	Kernel partition
Root	128 MiB	Root partition
User	512 MiB	User partition

4.2 ARC2310 File system layout

The file system tries to mimic common Posix based systems but there are some specific limitations because of the nature of an embedded Linux system.

4.2.1 Base file system layout

The base root file system looks like this:

Dir	Info
/	Top node where the root image is mounted.
/bin	Operating system binaries.
/dev	Device files.
/doc	Documentation files
/etc	System configuration files. Mounted as a RAM disk, any changes will be lost at reboot.
/home	User home dir. Is not used yet.
/lib	Operating system libraries.
/media	Unused, can be used as mnt.
/mnt	Mount point directories for extra file systems.
/proc	Linux proc fs.
/root	Root user home dir.
/sbin	Operating system binaries.
/sys	Linux sysfs.
/tmp	Temporary dir. Mounted as an RAM disk. All content will be lost at reboot.
/usr	The usr dir.
/var	This is the mounting point of the NVRAM partition.

4.2.2 Layout for /usr/ directory

Dir	Info
/usr/lib	Operating system libraries, in this folder Arcontia Library files are stored, like Arcb and ArcT1

5 ARC2310 SSH handling

The Arc2310 has as default a ssh daemon running, and the device is configured for dhcp so it will receive a dynamic ip at boot.

Tip1: When booting up the device for the first time, it could be convenient to use a serial cable to connect to the device.

Tip2: If no serial cable is available, then on a linux system connected to the same LAN as the 2310 can be used and issue the command: “ `sudo nmap -sP 192.168.0.0/24 | awk '/192/ { print $0; }'` ” before and after connecting the device. The difference in the output should reveal the ip address of the device.

Default credentials:

Login: root

password: arcontia

6 Software tools

6.1 Development tool setup for the Arcontia ARC2310

The Arcontia ARC2310 is a GNU/Linux based platform.

6.1.1 Tool chain requirements

Gnu/Linux based x86 PC. We recommend Ubuntu 12.04 LTS (<http://www.ubuntu.com>) on an x86 computer and the following examples are tested for this OS only.

6.1.2 Optional software

The following software is required to build Qt based GUI applications:

```
sudo apt-get install qt4-designer g++
```

It is also possible to use Visual Studio with the Qt add-on. For more information on Qt development see <http://qt.digia.com>. The example project included in this SDK uses the tools provided in the Qt SDK. These utilities are also required to build the user image:

```
sudo apt-get install mtd-utils
```

6.1.3 Compiler setup

The tool chain consists of GCC (Gnu Compiler Collection) version 4.4.6, QtEmbedded version 4.8.4-arm and Arcontia Arcb3.

The archive ARC2310_SDK_ver_1.0.tar.gz is located in the "ToolChain" directory and contains all needed software.

Extract the files **on the Ubuntu computer** using the following commands:

```
cd /
sudo tar xvf <dir>/ARC2310_SDK_ver_1.0.tar.gz
```

Setup the path to the tools:

```
PATH=$PATH:/opt/Arcontia/gcc-4.4.6-eglib-2.12-binutils-2.20.1-1/arm-unknown-linux-gnueabi/bin
```

6.2 Restore Image

To restore the software on the 2310 to factory defaults the following procedure needs to be taken.

Go to the folder with the linux image.


```
cd /opt/Arcontia/ARC2310_v1.0/Image/
```

Start by extracting the archive.

```
bzip2 -d arc2310-image-20140821T132712Z-696254464-0a940cafa626c639.img.bz2
```

This will extract the file: arc2310-image-20140821T132712Z-696254464-0a940cafa626c639.img

This file should to be flashed to an sd-card. Use for example an usb-sd-card reader, and use the following command:

```
dd if= arc2310-image-20140821T132712Z-696254464-0a940cafa626c639.img of=/dev/sdb  
bs=1M conv=fsync
```

Note: The /dev/sdb part of the command assumes that the sd-card reader is assigned to this device. This should be changed to point at the right device for your system.

Note: The name of the image is created with the date of the creation, so an example of image name is: arc2310-image-20140820T143014Z-696254464-ce415d441358748e.img so the name referred to in this document might be different then what is the Image directory.

After the image has been written to the sd-card, the card should be placed in the 2310. A console cable needs to be attached to the device. And the device should be rebooted.

The program Putty can be used to connect to the device, choose ConnectionType : Serial, Speed: 115200 and Serial Line: COM1

Note: The Serial Line might be different depending on your computer. Refer to your device manager to find out the correct port.

When the Arc2310 boots up, it will wait 3 seconds to stop the autoboot. Hit anykey to stop the autoboot.

A U-boot console should open up. Issue the command:

```
setenv rootblks16 0x140000
```

This will tell uboot how big the image is.

Note: The value 0x140000 specifies the amount of 512 byte blocks to copy from the sd-card. The current image is 640 Mb that equals: $(640 * 1024 * 1024) / 512 = 1310720 = 0x140000H$

Make u-boot start the copy process by typing:

```
run install_firmware
```

For an image of the size 640 Mb the process takes about 8 to 10 minutes.

Finally reboot the device by issuing the command:

```
reset
```

6.3 Building the sample program

Go to the example folder:

```
cd /opt/Arcontia/ARC2310_v1.0/Example/
```

Uncompress the archive.

```
tar xvf T2Demo.tar.gz
```

Change directory to the extracted.

```
cd T2Demo
```

The script file generateMakefile can be used to create the Makefile.

```
./generateMakefile
```

Type “make” to start the build process.

```
make
```

This will produce the T2Demo executable into the build directory.

```
cd /opt/Arcontia/ARC2310_v1.0/Example/T2Demo/build
```

The application can now be transferred and executed on the device. scp can for example be used to transfer the application to the device.

```
scp T2Demo root@192.168.0.31:/usr/bin
```

Note: If the application is already running on the device, the running application must be killed before the file can be overwritten. This can be done through ssh into the device and using the command "killall T2Demo"

Note: The T2Demo is configured to start at boot, this is done in the file: /etc/init.d/T2App and is also linked in /etc/rc.d/S99T2App

6.4 Power to the reader

To switch on the power to the reader chip the following commands needs to be executed on the device.

```
echo 4 > /sys/class/gpio/export
echo out > /sys/class/gpio/gpio4/direction
echo 1 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio4/value
```

7 ARC2310 Linux Devices

7.1 Kernel console port

```
/dev/ttyAPP3
```

7.2 External RS232 port 1

```
/dev/ttyAPP0
```

7.3 RFID reader device

```
/dev/ttyFiq4
```

8 Application development on ARC2310

The default GUI development framework for the ARC2310 is Qt. The easiest way to get started is to use QtCreator. It is possible to use other tools such as Eclipse if desired. However, this guide does not include steps on installing Qt for Eclipse so please refer to the Qt documentation for setting up the Eclipse development environment.

8.1 ARC2310 demo program

The ARC2310 device included in the development kit does not come with the “T2Demo” demo program pre-installed. This program demonstrates general usage of the ARC2310 hardware. The source code for the demo is included in the SDK and is located in the “/opt/Arcontia/ARC2310_v1.0/Example” directory. The T2Demo is closely related to the T5Demo (ARC1800). SAM structures and Cards used in this demo is compatible with the one used on the T5Demo.

8.1.1 Building the example

Step 1. If you have not done so already, follow the instructions in Section 6.1 of this document to set up your environment.

Step 2. Navigate to the desired working directory and extract the T2Demo source **on the Ubuntu computer** using the following commands:

```
tar axf /opt/Arcontia/ARC2310_v1.0/Example/T2Demo.tar.bz2
cd T2Demo
```

Step 3. Configure the T2Demo application:

```
./generateMakeFile
```

Note that the application is now configured to run on a target ARC2310 device. If instead you wish to build the application to run on an x86 computer, execute the following command:

```
qmake
```

Step 4. Build the T2Demo application:

```
make
```

Note: If you have compiled the code previously, and have changed the target, it may be necessary to clean the build before running make to ensure it builds for the new target:

```
make clean
```

8.1.2 Running the example

The application is built to either run on a target ARC2310 device or to emulate a device on the host machine. See Section 8.1.1 above for more details on building for these targets. Choose the appropriate run procedure of the two below depending on your target.

Option I: Running on the host machine:

Step 1. Set the LD_LIBRARY_PATH environment variable:

```
export
LD_LIBRARY_PATH=/opt/Arcontia/ARC1300_v3.8/SDK/LibraryC++/ARCB_Libraries_3.7.15/Lib
/:/opt/Arcontia/ARC1300_v3.8/SDK/LibraryC++/ArcT1_Libraries_1.8/Lib/
```

Step 2. Run the build:

```
./build/T2Demo
```

Option II: Running on a target ARC2310:

Step 1. Copy the application to a writable directory on the unit such as “tmp”:

```
scp build/T2Demo root@X.X.X.X:/tmp
```

Note: Replace X.X.X.X with the correct IP-address.

Note: The root account has the password “arcontia” as default.

Step 2. Connect to the unit via SSH:

```
ssh root@X.X.X.X
```

Note: Replace X.X.X.X with the correct IP-address.

Note: The root account has the password “arcontia” as default.

Step 3. Run the application:

```
cd /tmp/
./T2Demo
```

9 Known Issues

No known issues.