

Software Developer Guide

SPB209A

Application Note

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1 Prepare host platforms for SPB209A operation

1.1 Using evaluation platform i.MX6

1.1.1 Install the development environment for i.MX6 evaluation boards using Ubuntu

1.1.1.1 Prerequisite

- A host system with minimum 50Gb free disk space running Ubuntu 14.04
- Freescale release layer and Yocto project community layers
- Agreement to NXP/Freescale End User License Agreement using the Freescale Yocto Project Community BSP
- For later stage an iMX6 evaluation board and SPB209A evaluation board

1.1.1.2 Features

The Freescale Yocto Project Release have the following features:

- Linux kernel recipe
- U-Boot recipe
- Graphics recipes
- i.MX package recipes
- Core recipes
- Demo recipes

1.1.1.3 Set-up the Host development environment

This guide will briefly take you through a set-up of the build environment for an iMX6 platform. More details is available in NXP/Freescale documentation, see ref 1 and Yocto Project Page, see ref 2.

1. Install Essential and Graphical Yocto project host packages

```
$ sudo apt-get install gawk wget git-core diffstat unzip texinfo gcc-multilib \build-essential  
chrpath socat libstd1.2-dev
```

2. Install i.MX layers host packages for Ubuntu 14.04 host set-up

```
$ sudo apt-get install libstd1.2-dev xterm sed cvs subversion coreutils texi2html \docbook-utils  
python-pysqlite2 help2man make gcc g++ desktop-file-utils \libgl1-mesa-dev libglu1-mesa-dev  
mercurial autoconf automake groff curl lzop asciidoc
```

3. Install i.MX u-boot tools

```
$ sudo apt-get install u-boot-tools
```

4. Set-up the repo utility (support utility to manage projects that contain multiple repositories)

```
$ mkdir ~/bin (this step may not be needed if the bin folder already exists)
$ curl http://commondatastorage.googleapis.com/git-repo-downloads/repo > ~/bin/repo
$ chmod a+x ~/bin/repo
```

Add the following line to the .bashrc file to ensure that the ~/bin folder is in your PATH variable.

```
export PATH=~/bin:$PATH
```

5. Set-up Git properly

```
$ git config --global user.name "Your Name"
$ git config --global user.email "Your Email"
$ git config --list
```

6. Download the Freescale Yocto Project Community BSP recipe layers

```
$ mkdir fsl-release-bsp
$ cd fsl-release-bsp
$ repo init -u git://git.freescale.com/imx/fsl-arm-yocto-bsp.git -b imx-4.1.15-1.0.0_ga
$ repo sync
```

1.1.2 Build an Image for i.MX6 evaluation boards using Ubuntu

1.1.2.1 Build configurations

A build configuration is generated into a distro file (local.conf) using a script fsl-set-up-release.sh with appropriate entered configuration defines

1. Generated distro file

```
$ DISTRO=<distro name> MACHINE=<machine name> source fsl-setup-release.sh -b <build dir>
```

<distro name> : Freescale distro configurations

- fsl-imx-x11 - Only X11 graphics
- fsl-imx-wayland - Wayland weston graphics
- fsl-imx-xwayland - Wayland graphics and X11. X11 applications using EGL are not supported
- fsl-imx-fb - Frame Buffer graphics - no X11 or Wayland

<machine name> : Freescale evaluation board type

- imx6qpsabreauto
- imx6qpsabresd
- imx6ulevk
- imx6dlsabreauto
- imx6dlsabresd
- imx6qsabreauto
- imx6qsabresd
- imx6slevk

- imx6solosabreauto
- imx6solosabresd
- imx6sxsabresd
- imx6sxsabreauto
- imx7dsabresd

-b <build dir> : specifies build directory name (name will be created by the script)

1.1.2.2 Choose a Freescale Yocto project image type to use in the build

core-image-minimal	A small image that only allows a device to boot.
core-image-base	A console-only image that fully supports the target device
core-image-sato	An image with Sato, a mobile environment and visual style for mobile devices. The image supports X11 with a Sato theme and uses Pimlico applications. It contains a terminal, an editor and a file manager.
fsl-image-machine-test	An FSL Community i.MX core image with console environment – no GUI interface
fsl-image-gui	Builds a Freescale image with a GUI without any Qt content.
fsl-image-qt5	Builds an open source Qt 5 image. These images are only supported for i.MX SoC with hardware graphics. They are not supported on the i.MX 6UltraLite and i.MX 7Dual.

1.1.2.3 Build an image

The following commands build a complete image defined in the chosen image type. This will take time as it builds the complete kernel and tools. Depending on how you run your linux host or if you need debug info you might want to add <parameter>, see table below.

```
$ bitbake <parameter> <image type>
```

-c fetch	Fetches if the downloads state is not marked as done.
-c cleanall	Cleans the entire component build directory. All the changes in the build directory is lost.
-c deploy	Deploys an image or component to the rootfs.
-k	Continues building components even if a build break occurs.
-c compile -f	It is not recommended that the source code under the tmp directory is changed directly,
-g	Lists a dependency tree for an image or component.
-DDD	Turns on debug 3 levels deep. Each D adds another level of debug.

Validate that the i.MX6DL image is available under the image directory.

```
$ cd ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/deploy/images/imx6dlsabresd/
```

1.1.3 Add modules and functions to your i.MX6 image

1.1.3.1 Configuring the Kernel

You would need to build the i.MX image once as per section 1.1.2.3 to get the .config file that contains the kernel configurations. Update this file using the “menuconfig” tool and select needed modules and/or functions (for instance drivers and web-browsers can be selected).

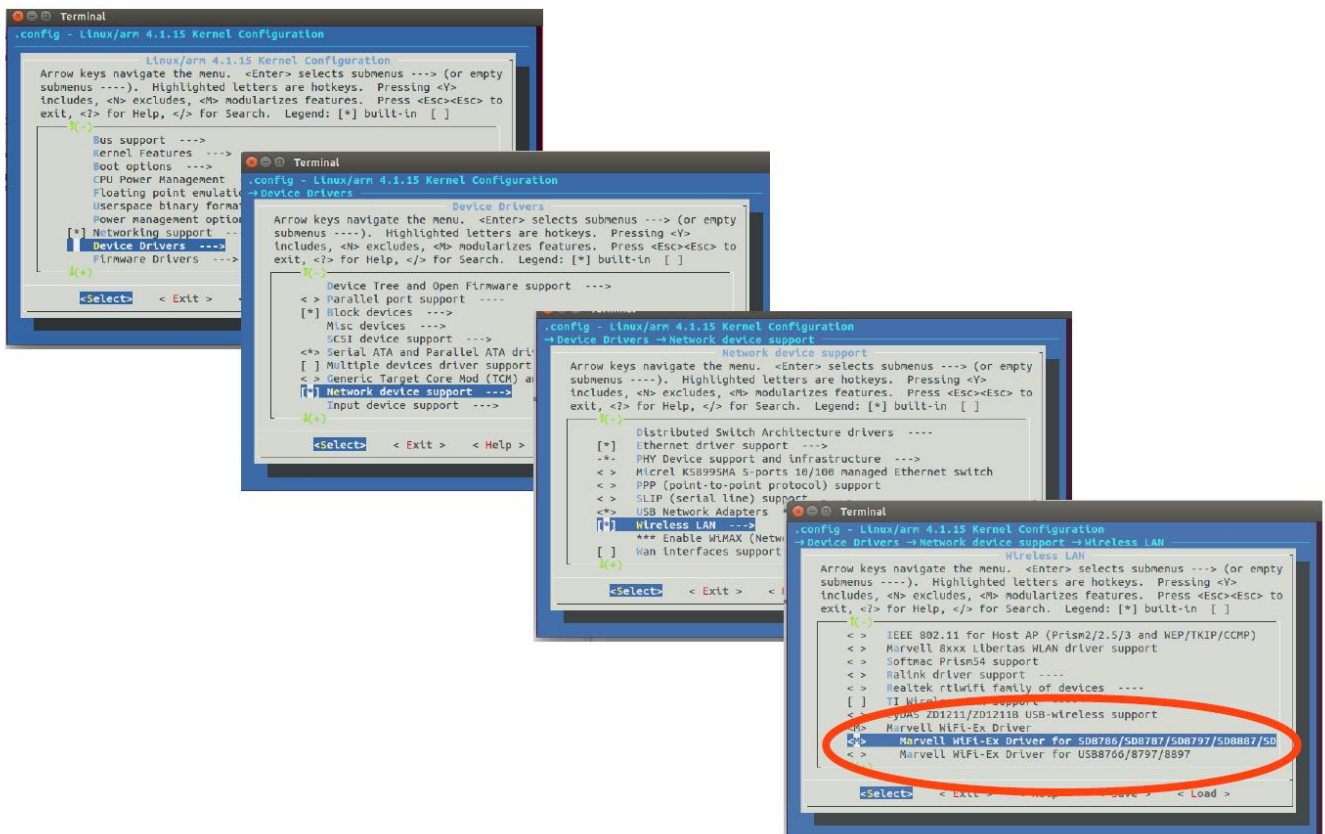
The menuconfig tool need the libncurses5 installed (`$ sudo apt-get install libncurses5-dev`).

Access the .config file in the new build directory (/fsl-release-bsp/build/) by:

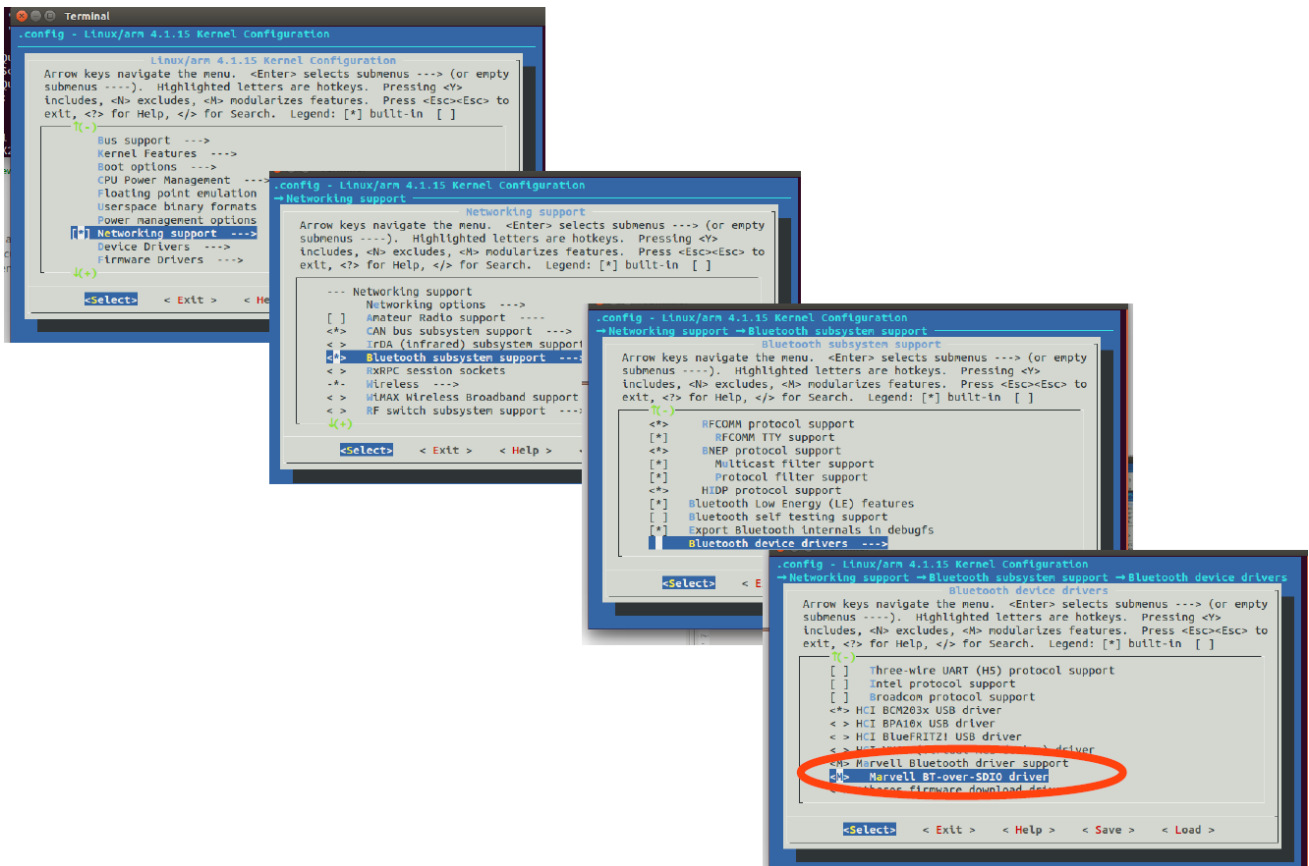
```
$ bitbake -c menuconfig linux-imx
```

For the SPB209A you will need to select the following:

SPB209A WiFi Driver module (mwifiex):



SPB209A Bluetooth Driver module (mwifiex):



1.1.3.2 Apply patches to SPB209A driver modules

Apply SPB209A driver patches following the User Guide “Installing driver patches” 1543-SPB209A-RevA_User_Guide_Installation_driver_patches.pdf on linux.hd-wireless.se site.

The path to the source tree is different and item 2 shall be replaced with the following paths

for btmrvl patches:

```
$ cd ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6qsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-imx/4.1.15-r0/git/drivers/Bluetooth/
```

for mwifiex patches:

```
$ cd ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6qsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-imx/4.1.15-r0/git/drivers/net/wireless/mwifiex/
```

Then apply patches from the following location, item 3

```
$ cd ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6qsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-imx/4.1.15-r0/git/
```

If the source tree is updated later using for instance the “repo sync” command the patches will need to be re-applied before a repeated image build. Future improvement will be to introduce those patches as a recipe or get them introduced properly in later linux kernel releases.

1.1.3.3 Repeat image build

Repeat the build of the image as per below.

```
$ bitbake -c compile linux-imx
```

If the build shall be restarted after host reboot a source of set-up environment is needed.

```
$ source setup-environment <build-dir>
```

Validate that the mwifiex and btmrvt modules turns up in the drivers' image libraries.

```
$ cd ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6dlsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-  
imx/4.1.15-r0/image/lib/modules/4.1.15-1.1.1+gd5d7c02/kernel/drivers/Bluetooth/
```

```
$ cd ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6dlsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-  
imx/4.1.15-r0/image/lib/modules/4.1.15-1.1.1+gd5d7c02/kernel/drivers/net/wireless/mwifiex/
```

1.1.4 Deploy an i.MX6 image to the evaluation hardware

The following i.MX6 software is required to be able to boot the i.MX6 evaluation board and run the Linux operating system:

- Bootloader (U-Boot)
- Linux kernel image (zImage)
- A device tree file (.dtb) for the i.MX6 evaluation board being used
- A Linux root file system (rootfs) for the particular Linux image

The software can be booted from different medias, such as NOR, NAND, SATA ARM Core, QSPI, EMMC, m4fastup or epdc. Default is boot from SD card which will be used in this guide. To config for other boot option please read more about it in ref 1.

1.1.4.1 Flash i.MX6 image to SD card

There is two ways of placing an image on a device, one way is to use the MFGTool and the other way is to Flash a SD card directly using Linux dd command. This user guide will use the latter. The MFGTool procedure is discribed more in ref 1.

1.1.4.1.1 Prepare the SD card using Windows DiskPart

To install an i.MX6 image containing two partitions (u-boot and rootfs) on a SD card a proper SD card prepare is needed. A flow using Windows DiskPart works well, to clean a formatted SD card with minimum size of 8Gbyte and create a new primary partition. There is probably other ways to get to the same result.

```
DISKPART> list disk  
DISKPART> select disk X  
DISKPART> list part  
DISKPART> clean  
DISKPART> list part  
DISKPART> create partition primary
```

X: SD card disk (be careful with this selection as we will clean it in coming commands)

Eject the SD card from the windows computer and insert it into the Ubuntu host for continued operation to flash an i.MX6 image.

1.1.4.1.2 Flash the SD card

On the Linux Host run the following command to write the image to the SD card

```
$ sudo dd if=<image name>.sdcard of=/dev/sd<partition> bs=1M && sync
```

<image name> : The image built in earlier steps is available under <build directory>/tmp/deploy/images. (file should be .sdcard at the end)

sd<partition> : check where the SD card is connected by using the “lsblk” command. If sda enter sda, if mmcblk0 enter mmcblk0

1.1.4.1.3 Copy the SPB209A drivers and firmware to SD card rootfs

Copy the SPB209A firmware to firmware library. If library doesn't exist create it.

```
$ cd ~media/<computer name>/<uuid>/lib/firmware/mrvl/
$ cp ~/home/Downloads/sd8887_uapsta.bin
fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6dlsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-imx/4.1.15-
r0/image/lib/modules/4.1.15-1.1.1+gd5d7c02/kernel/drivers/Bluetooth/btmrvl.ko
$ cp ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6dlsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-
imx/4.1.15-r0/image/lib/modules/4.1.15-1.1.1+gd5d7c02/kernel/drivers/Bluetooth/btmrvl_s.ko
```

Copy the SPB209A Bluetooth driver to driver library

```
$ cd ~media/<computer name>/<uuid>/lib/modules/<uname -r>/kernel/drivers/bluetooth/
$ cp ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6dlsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-
imx/4.1.15-r0/image/lib/modules/4.1.15 1.1.1+gd5d7c02/kernel/drivers/Bluetooth/
btmrvl_sdio.ko
$ cp ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6dlsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-
imx/4.1.15-r0/image/lib/modules/4.1.15-1.1.1+gd5d7c02/kernel/drivers/Bluetooth/btmrvl.ko
```

Copy the SPB209A WiFi driver to driver library

```
$ cd ~media/<computer name>/<uuid>/lib/modules/<uname -r>
/kernel/drivers/net/wireless/mwifiex/
$ cp ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6dlsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-
imx/4.1.15-r0/image/lib/modules/4.1.15 1.1.1+gd5d7c02/kernel/drivers/Bluetooth/
btmrvl_sdio.ko
$ cp ~/home/fsl-release-bsp/build/tmp/work/imx6dlsabresd-poky-linux-gnueabi/linux-
imx/4.1.15-r0/image/lib/modules/4.1.15-1.1.1+gd5d7c02/kernel/drivers/Bluetooth/btmrvl.ko
```

Make modules plug and play

```
$ depmod
```

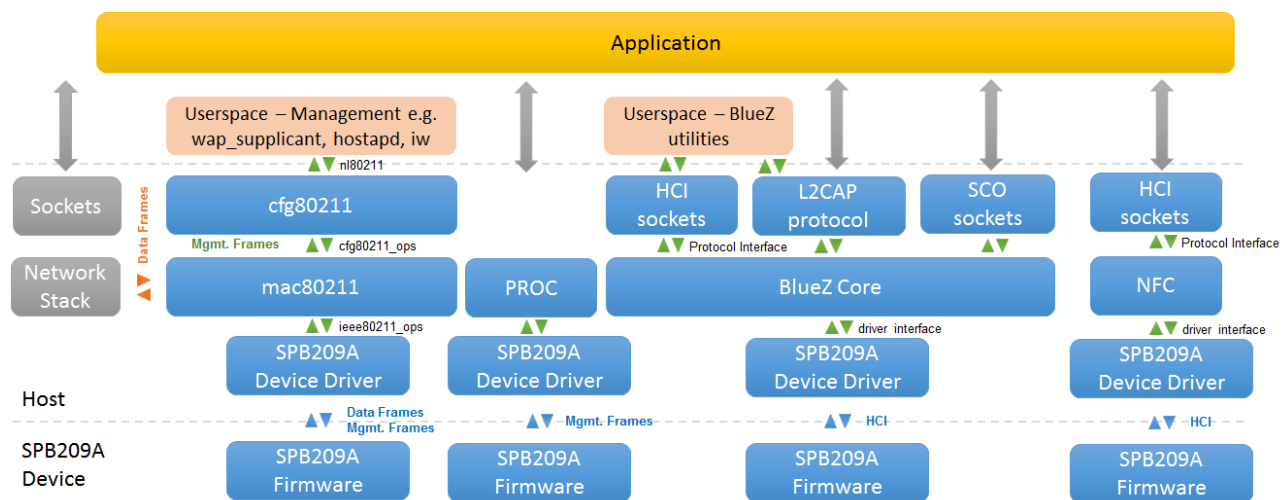

1.1.5 Operate an i.MX6 Evaluation Board

Insert the i.MX6 image flashed SD card into the i.MX6 evaluation board SD slot. Set up the DIP switches on the board to define which device the system shall boot from, in this case an SD slot. Follow instruction available under ref 1.

Connecting appropriate network, debug interfaces, image SD card and plugging in the power. This will start the system.

To evaluate SPB209A follow the SPB209A Quick Start Guide 1543 SPB209A_RevD_EVB_Quick_Start_Guide.pdf on linux.hd-wireless.se site.

2 Software Control Interface



The Linux system operation is divided into two distinct virtual memory operation regions namely - the kernel space and the user space.

The *kernel space* operates the core of the operating system and controls access to physical devices on the computer. It also schedules when and how processes interact with these devices.

The *user space* operates applications and functions outside the operating system's kernel and uses the predefined system calls to access kernel space functions.

The SPB209A can be controlled from user space by an application using the following software interfaces:

- [Interfacing to wpa_supplicant and hostapd controlling the SPB209A WiFi functionality](#)
- [Interfacing BlueZ controlling the SPB209A Bluetooth](#)
- [Interfacing NFC controlling the SPB209A NFC controller](#)
- [Interfacing GPIO using HCI vendor specific commands \(PROC\) and FW API](#)

2.1 Interfacing wpa_supplicant, hostapd

2.1.1 Wpa_supplicant

The wpa_supplicant is the IEEE 802.1X/WPA component used in the client stations. The WPA supplicant can be configured to control the roaming and IEEE 802.11 authentication/association of the SPB209A device.

The configuration is usually performed in a configuration file, e.g. /etc/wpa_supplicant.conf. It is also possible to directly issue commands to the WPA Supplicant, using a dedicated shell command, wpa_cli. The usage of wpa_cli is out of the scope of this document, but is described in detail in the WPA supplicant documentation http://hostap.epitest.fi/wpa_supplicant/.

Below list show supported WPA Supplicant network options

- Key management (key_mgmt): WPA-PSK, NONE
- Group key encryption (group): CCMP, TKIP
- Pairwise key encryption (pairwise): CCMP, TKIP
- Protocol (proto): WPA, WPA2

Below list show examples of instructions on how to perform the following operations using WPA Supplicant, details is outlined in ref 3.

- Connect to an unencrypted network
- Connect to a WPA protected network that uses TKIP encryption
- Connect to a WPA2 enabled network that uses CCMP encryption
- Connect to a network that uses any WPA/WPA2 protocol and TKIP/CCMP encryption.
- Connect to a network with hidden SSID
- List of supported WPA Supplicant network options

2.1.2 Hostapd

Hostapd is a user space daemon for access point and authentication servers, and can be used for SPB209A access point management, see further details under ref5.

2.1.2.1 Linux Driver operating in AP mode (hostapd)

Currently there is only hw support for the Linux driver with SDIO interface for the SPB209A.

Linux kernel version 3.19 or higher is required. If DFS in AP mode is to be used, **Linux kernel version should be at least 4.0**.

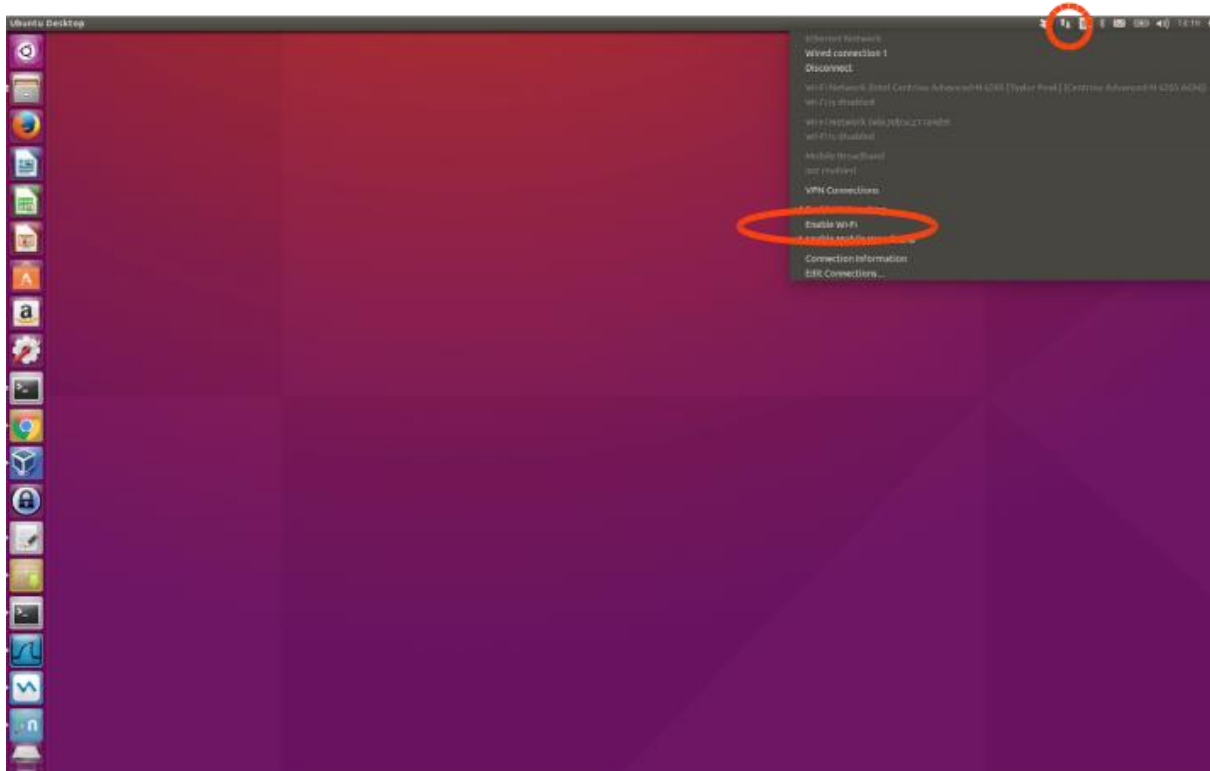
The Linux driver consist of four kernel objects: mwifiex.ko, mwifiex_sdio.ko, btmrvl.ko and btmrvl_sdio.ko.

mwifiex.ko and mwifiex_sdio.ko handles the wifi protocols, while btmrvl.ko and btmrvl_sdio.ko handles Bluetooth, BLE and NFC.

Along with the driver goes a fw binary that is downloaded to the chip by the driver. It must be named sd8887_uapsta.bin and located at /lib/firmware/mrvl/

HOWTO run Linux softAP with hostapd

1. Make sure the network manager is disabled with regards to wifi:



2. Make sure the radio interface is unblocked:

```
3. rfkill unblock all
```

3. Download the [attachment:hostapd.conf](#) file to the local disk.
4. Install Linux Wifi host AP package:

```
5. sudo apt-get install hostapd
```

5. Plugin the sdio module.
Make sure mwifiex driver was successfully started by typing:

```
6. iwconfig wlan0
```

This command should display information about the wlan0 interface

6. mwifiex driver does not support ap mode on native interface, so an additional ap-dedicated interface must be created.
In order to do so we need to find out the phy<n> enum for the wlan0 interface by typing:

```
7. iw list | grep Wiphy
```

Normally phy0 corresponds to builtin wlan0, and the next higher enum will correspond to wlan0

7. Now create the ap specific interface (uap0) by typing

```
8. sudo iw phy phy<n> interface add uap0 type __ap
```

Where <n> is the enum found out from iw list command

8. Now configure the AP by editing the hostapd.conf file.

Example: For 11n, 5GHz band, channel 36, DFS enabled: Search for and edit the following parameters in hostapd.conf file:

```
interface=uap0
ssid=<desired-ssid>
hw_mode=a
channel=<desired channel>
wmm_enabled=1
ieee80211n=1
ieee80211d=1
ieee80211h=1
country_code=<country_code>
```

Valid <country_code>'s are:

```
US      # US FCC
CA      # IC Canada
EU      # ETSI
ES      # Spain
FR      # France
JP      # Japan
CN      # China
```

9. Start the AP by typing:

```
10. sudo hostapd <hostapd_config_file_name>
```

AP should now be up and running

10. To run traffic, assign a fixed ip address to the interface:

```
11. sudo ifconfig uap0 <desired ip> #e.g. 192.168.10.1
```

12. Associate a station and assign a static ip at the same subnet

12. To remove the uap0 interface, kill the hostapd process and run:

```
13.      sudo iw dev uap0 del
```

2.2 Interfacing BlueZ

The BlueZ Bluetooth stack is an open source Linux Bluetooth stack. It provides support for the core Bluetooth layers and protocols. See further details in ref 4.

2.2.1 Supported profiles/features

The currently supported profiles/features are as follows:

Profile/protocol	Version	Role (s)
GAP	4.2	(LE) Central, Peripheral, Observer, Broadcaster
L2CAP	4.2	Server, Client
SDP	4.2	Server, Client
GATT	4.2	Server, Client
SDAP	1.1	Server, Client
RFCOMM	1.1	Server, Client
SPP	1.1	Server, Client
PXP	1.0	Reporter, Monitor
HOGP	1.0	Host
HTP	1.0	
TIP	1.0	
CSCP	1.0	Collector
SAP	1.1	Server
DUN	1.1	Server, Client
DID	1.3	Server, Client
HFP	1.6	AG, HF
HSP	1.2	AG, HS
GAVDTP	1.2	Source, Sink
AVDTP	1.3	Source, Sink
A2DP	1.3	Source, Sink
AVCTP	1.3	CT, TG
AVRCP	1.5	CT, TG
GOEP	2.0	Client, Server
FTP	1.2	Client, Server
OPP	1.2	Client, Server
SYNCH	1.1	Client
PBAP	1.1	Client, Server
MAP	1.0	Client, Server
HID	1.1	Host

BNEP	1.0	
PAN	1.0	PANU, NAP, GN
HCRP	1.2	
MCAP	1.0	
HDP	1.0	

It should be noted that some profiles/roles will depend on external components such as oFono or ConnMan.

2.2.2 BlueZ Utilities

The BlueZ utilities (utils) is a tool-set that helps to manage the Bluetooth devices for test and debug. The tools / commands available is outlined below.

Tool	Function
Ciptool	ciptool is used to set up, maintain, and inspect the CIP configuration of the Bluetooth subsystem in the Linux kernel.
Dund	BlueZ Bluetooth dial-up networking daemon
Hcitol	hcitol is used to configure Bluetooth connections and send some special command to Bluetooth devices.
Hidd	Bluetooth HID daemon
l2ping	Attempts to create a connection to a device using logical link control and adaptation protocol (L2CAP)
Pand	Connection with Personal Area Network
rfcomm	rfcomm is used to set up, maintain, and inspect the RFCOMM configuration of the Bluetooth subsystem in the Linux kernel.
sdptool	sdptool provides the interface for performing SDP queries on Bluetooth devices, and administering a local sdptool.

2.2.3 BlueZ API

A custom Linux application could use the command line tools described in section 2.2.2, however a more integrated solution will be to use the available API. There have been a major architectural change between version 4 and version 5 release of the BlueZ stack.

The earlier version 4 release use C API defined under Ref 9 and version 5 introduces the D-BUS API. The benefit with D-BUS API is that it is much easier to work with than the version 4 C API or wrapping the command line tools.

The Linux Org promoted way to work with BlueZ is to use the D-Bus API. And since it is standard D-Bus interface, you can use any programming language with its d-bus binding library, see API documentation in ref6 and D-BUS specification ref7.

As a complement to the D-BUS API documentation there are some python example test scripts under ref10 that could be useful.

2.2.4 SPB209A Vendor Specific Commands

SPB209A support most of the standard HCI commands and is operated through the BlueZ API. The following vendor specific commands can be used:

OCF	HCI Command	Description
0x0006	SET_SCO_CHUNK_SIZE	Controls length of voice packet over HCI interface
0x0007	WRITE_PCM_SETTINGS	Writes PCM settings
0x0009	UART_BAUD	Sets UART baud rate
0x001D	SET_SCO_DATA_PATH	Sets SCO data path
0x0023	SET_BT_SLEEP_MODE	Sets Bluetooth sleep mode information
0x0028	WRITE_PCM_SYNC_SETTINGS	Writes PCM synchronization settings
0x0029	WRITE_PCM_LINK_SETTINGS	Write PCM link settings
0x0053	WAKE_UP_METHOD	Sets wake-up method information for Bluetooth over UART operation
0x005D	HIU_MODULE_CONFIGURATION	Sets host interface module configuration
0x005D	SET_AFH_CHANNEL_CLASSIFICATION_MODE	Sets AFH channel classification mode
0x0068	SET_ED_OPTIONS	Controls options for enabling PPEC and padding of voice data in case of errors
0x006B	UCD_CONFIG	Sets UCD configuration
0x006F	HOST_PCM_CONFIG	Initializes and configures PCM
0x0070	HOST_PCM_CONTROL_ENABLE	Controls PCN lines
0x0073	SET_WBS_CONNECTION	Sets WBS connection
0x279	SBC_INITIALIZATION	Performs a SBC initialization
0x279	SBC_DEINITIALIZATION	Performs a SBC de-initialization
0x279	SBC_SET_CONFIGURE	Sets the SBC configuration
0x279	SBC_GET_CONFIGURE	Gets the SBC configuration
0x279	SBC_MEDIA_PACKET_HEADER	Sets the SBC packet header
0x279	SBC_CONTROL	Sets the SBC control
0x279	SBC_PROTOCOL_PARAMS	Sets the SBC protocol parameters
0x279	SBC_CONTENT_PROTECTION	Sets the content protection part of SBC packet header
	SBC Event	Event for SBC offloading command
0x008D	BLE_POWER_SAVE_MODE	Sets/gets the BLE power save mode configuration

2.2.4.1 SET_SCO_CHUNK_SIZE

OCF	0x0006		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD	Name	Length	Description
Param.	SCO Package Size	1	SCO packet size used over HCI interface. This can have a value of 60, 120, 180 and 240 bytes. Any other value will return error status of invalid common parameters. It is recommended to keep the parameter to 120 bytes for optimal performance. Default = 120.
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		

Events	Command complete event returned
Note	This command shall be given before the standard HCI command to read the controller buffer size.

2.2.4.2 WRITE_PCM_SETTINGS

OCF	0x0007		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD	Name	Length	Description
Param.	PCM_Setting	1	Bit[4]: PCM Clock On 0 = PCM clock is terminated after last data bit has been transmitted 1 = make PCM clock available continuously Bit[3]: Reserved Bit[2]: PCM Sync Source 0 = PCM sync page generated from system clock 1 = PCM sync page generated from frame clock Bit[1]: Master/Slave 0 = PCM I/F slave, external PCM clock synchronization 1 = PCM I/F master, internal PCM clock and synchronization Bit[0]: PCM Direction 0 = port A receive, port B transmit 1 = port A transmit, port B receive
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.3 UART_BAUD

OCF	0x0009		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD	Name	Length	Description
Param.	Baud Rate	4	New baud rate to be programmed 9600 19200 38400 57600 115200 230400 460800 500000 921600 1000000



			1382400 1500000 1843200 2000000 2100000 2764800 3000000 3250000 2692300 4000000
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned at the old baud rate		
Note	Host can switch to the new baud rate after receiving the complete event. The Host shall wait for 5ms or more before sending any new command.		

2.2.4.4 SET_SCO_DATA_PATH

OCF	0x001D		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Voice Path	1	0x00 = Host 0x01 = PCM
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.5 SET_BT_SLEEP_MODE

OCF	0x0023		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Power Mode	1	0x02 = sleep mode 0x03 = full power mode
	Inactivity Timeout	2	Timeout Two byte attribute to define an idle time to enter power save. The card will send PS_SLEEP to the host only if there is no communication between host and card for the specified interval in this parameter. Valid value for this parameter is from 0x0000 to 0xFFFF. Value 0x0000 implies no idle timeout and PS_SLEEP will be sent immediately right after the last Tx/Rx is done to/from host.
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success		

	0x01 to 0xFF = error
Events	Command complete event returned
Note	

2.2.4.6 WRITE_PCM_SYNC_SETTINGS

OCF	0x0028		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD	Name	Length	Description
Param.	PCM Sync Settings 1	1	Default = 0x03
	PCM Sync Settings 2	2	Default = 0x0000
	<p>The PCM Sync Setting 1 is according to the following:</p> <p>ISR (IramSyncRate) only valid if IF = Host:</p> <p>PCM Sync Settings 1 Bit[0]:</p> <p>0 = bursts controlled by Tx or Rx of voice packets</p> <p>1 = fixed rate of 8 ksamples/s</p> <p>ISS (IramSyncSource) only valid if IF = Host and ISR = Fixed Rate:</p> <p>PCM Sync Settings 1 Bit[1]:</p> <p>0 = ISR not aligned to frame tick</p> <p>1 = ISR aligned to frame tick (this field should be set to 1)</p> <p>THE PCM Sync Settings 2 is according to the following:</p> <p>pcmlfMode in PCM Descriptor</p> <p>PCM Sync Settings 2 Bits[1:0]:</p> <p>00 = PCM short sync</p> <p>01 = PCM long sync</p> <p>10 = I2S audio mode</p> <p>pcmLRCPol in PCM Descriptor</p> <p>PCM Sync Settings 2 Bit[4]:</p> <p>0 = LRC is same polarity as PCM sync</p> <p>1 = LRC is inverted</p> <p>pcmMClkEn in PCM Descriptor</p> <p>PCM Sync Settings 2 Bit[8]:</p> <p>0 = disable generation of PCM main clock</p> <p>1 = enable</p> <p>pcm2048MClkSel in PCM Descriptor</p> <p>PCM Sync Settings 2 Bit[9]:</p> <p>0 = default</p> <p>1 = select 2.048 MHz clock for PCM</p> <p>16k Sync in PCM</p> <p>PCM Sync Settings 2 Bit[10]:</p> <p>0 = 8k Sync</p> <p>1 = 16k Sync</p>		
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.7 WRITE_PCM_LINK_SETTINGS

OCF	0x0029		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	PCM Link Setting	2	Bits[13:10]: Each bit corresponds to 1 of 4 PCM time slots (if 0, the slot is used by the BTU) Bits[9:2]: Defines start of PCM slot relative to start of PCM synchronization (must be greater than the size of the PCM slot) Bits[1:0]: indicates which PCM slots should be used Default: 0x0004 = first SCO link 0x0045 = second SCO link 0x0086 = third SCO link
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note	PCM Link settings command should be given after HCI reset and before setting up the voice link. Also, if multiple voice links are supported, this command should be given before setting up the voice link with parameters appropriate for each voice link.		

2.2.4.8 WAKE_UP_METHOD

OCF	0x0053		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Host Wake Up Method	1	0x00 = host wake up no need 0x01 = host wake up by DTR 0x02 = host wake up by Break
	Host Wake Up GPIO	1	This value is ignored by the chip
	Device Wake Up Method	1	0x00 = host wake up by DSR 0x01 = host wake up by Break
	Device Wake Up GPIO	1	This value is ignored by the chip
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.9 HIU_MODULE_CONFIGURATION

OCF	0x005B		
OGF	0x3F		
	Name	Length	Description

CMD Param.	WLAN/Bluetooth Module Shutdown/Bring Up	1	0xF1 = bring up Bluetooth module (host interface keeps up) 0xF2 = shut off Bluetooth module (host interface keeps up)
	Host Interface Activity	1	--
	Host Interface Type	1	--
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.10 SET_AFH_CHANNEL_CLASSIFICATION_MODE

OCF	0x005D		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Enable Master Channel Classification	1	Enables the use of AFH channel reports from slave 0x00 = disable 0x01 = enable (default)
	AFH Slave Classification Reporting Minimum Interval	2	In 625 μ s slots, between 0x0640 to 0xBB80 (1 to 30s) Default = 0x1F40
	AFH Slave Classification Reporting Maximum Interval	2	In 625 μ s slots, between 0x0640 to 0xBB80 (1 to 30s) Default = 0x2E80
	Channel Classification Algorithm	1	Method for Channel Classification 0x00 = packet loss ratio (PLR) only (default)
	Master Classification Alpha Weighting	1	0x00 = full weight on slaves (default) 0x01 = full weight on master
	Master Classification Master Bias	1	Weight of master's assessment decision Value = 0x00 to 0x10 Default = 0x0E
	Master Classification Threshold Numerator	1	If (slave report channel quality > threshold). Then channel is good Default = 0x01
	Master Classification Threshold Denominator	1	If (slave report channel quality > threshold). Then channel is good Default = 0x02
	RSSI-based AFH Bias	2	Reserved
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		



Events	Command complete event returned
Note	

2.2.4.11 SET_ED_OPTIONS

OCF	0x0068		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Options	1	Bit[3]: Disable padding of voice data when Erroneous Data Reporting is enabled (default = 0) Bit[2]: Do not force Burst Mode when Erroneous Data Reporting is enabled (default = 0) Bit[1]: Enable PPEC when Erroneous Data Reporting is enabled (default = 0) Bit[0]: Enable PPEC when Erroneous Data Reporting is disabled (default = 0)
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note	When Erroneous Data Reporting feature is enabled, it is recommended to use: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Disable PPEC (Bit[1] = 0) - Use burst mode (Bit[2] = 0) - Use transparent voice data rather than CVSD as the air encoding 		

2.2.4.12 UCD_CONFIG

OCF	0x006B		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Mode	1	0x00 = disable 0x01 = enable (forward packet to host after wakeup) 0x03 = enable (drop packet after wakeup) Others = reserved
	CID	2	0x0002 (reserved)
	PSM	2	PSM
	Payload Length	1	Maximum 16
	Payload Pattern	16	Payload pattern
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.13 HOST_PCM_CONFIG

This command initialize and configure PCM and shall be sent in any of the following situations:

- To initialize PCM after starting voice call on a particular SCO connection

- To switch call from SCO connection 1 to SCO connection 2
- To route SCO connection 1 voice data to SCO connection 2
- To de-initialize PCM once the voice call is over on a particular SCO connection

OCF	0x006F		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Action	1	0x00 = PCM will be initialized 0x01 = PCM will be de-initialized
	Operation Mode	1	0x00=normal mode This mode is used when only 1 voice call needs to be active at a time. Depending on the Action parameter, either the PCM will be initialized or de-initialized. 0x01 = internal loopback This mode is used when there are 2 HF connections and audio data on first connection needs to be routed to second connection. This can be used only when both SCO links are of the same type (that is. NB to NB, or WB to WB only) 0x02 = remote loopback on same link 0x03 = local loopback on same link 0x04 to 0xFF = reserved
	SCO Handle 1	2	Synchronous connection handle for which PCM configuration is to be done. Range from 8 to 10.
	SCO Handle 2	2	Synchronous connection handle for which PCM configuration is to be done. Parameter valid only when Operation Mode = 0x01.
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.14 HOST_PCM_CONTROL_ENABLE

OCF	0x0070		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Action	1	0x00 = PCM lines are managed by controller (default) 0x01 = PCM lines managed by host software (enable new use cases)
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.15 SET_WBS_CONNECTION

OCF	0x0073		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	NextScoConnectionWBS	1	0x00 = disable 0x01 = enable
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.16 SBC_INITIALIZATION

OCF	0x279		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Offloading Category (static)	1	0xE0 = SBC
	SBC Offloading Type (static)	1	0x00 = partial
	SBC Offload Command (static)	1	0x01 = initialization
	Source ID	1	0x00 = I2S 0x01 = host 0x02 = FMRX 0x03 = PCM 0x02 to 0x03 = reserved 0x04 = LPBK
	Sink ID	1	0x00 = SBC SRC 0x01 = SBC SNK 0x02 = SBC
	Clock Mode	1	0x00 = clock slave 0x01 = clock master
	Bus Format	1	0x00 = I2S 0x01 = I2S MSB justified 0x02 = I2S LSB justified
	SPDIF	1	0x00 = disable 0x01 enable
Return Param.	Status (1 byte) - Offload category (1 byte) - Offload type (1 byte) - Offload command (1 byte) - Source ID (1 byte) - Sink ID (1 byte)		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.17 SBC_DEINITIALIZATION

OCF	0x279		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Offloading Category (static)	1	0xE0 = SBC
	SBC Offloading Type (static)	1	0x00 = partial
	SBC Offload Command (static)	1	0x02 = de-initialization
	Source ID	1	0x00 = I2S
	Sink ID		0x00 = SBC SRC
Return Param.	Status (1 byte) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offload category (1 byte) - Offload type (1 byte) - Offload command (1 byte) - Source ID (1 byte) - Sink ID (1 byte) 		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.18 SBC_SET_CONFIGURE

OCF	0x279		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Offloading Category (static)	1	0xE0 = SBC
	SBC Offloading Type (static)	1	0x00 = partial
	SBC Offload Command (static)	1	0x03 =set configuration
	Source ID	1	0x00 = I2S
	Sink ID	1	0x00 = SBC SRC

	Frequency Channel Mode	1	Bit[7]: 16K Bit[6]: 32K Bit[5]: 44K Bit[4]: 48K Bit[3]: Mono Bit[2]: Dual Bit[1]: Stereo Bit[0]: Joint Default: 0x12
	Block Subband Allocation	1	Bit[7]: 4-Blocks Bit[6]: 8-Blocks Bit[5]: 12-Blocks Bit[4]: 16-Blocks Bit[3]: 4-Subbands Bit[2]: 8-Subbands Bit[1]: SNR Bit[0]: Loudness Default: 0x25
	Minimum Bitpool	1	Default: 0x013
	Maximum Bitpool	1	Default: 0x34
Return Param.	Status (1 byte) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offload category (1 byte) - Offload type (1 byte) - Offload command (1 byte) - Source ID (1 byte) - Sink ID (1 byte) 		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.19 SBC_GET_CONFIGURE

OCF	0x279		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Offloading Category (static)	1	0xE0 = SBC
	SBC Offloading Type (static)	1	0x00 = partial
	SBC Offload Command (static)	1	0x04 = get configuration
	Source ID	1	0x00 = I2S
	Sink ID		0x00 = SBC SRC

Return Param.	Status (1 byte) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offload category (1 byte) - Offload type (1 byte) - Offload command (1 byte) - Source ID (1 byte) - Sink ID (1 byte) - Frequency/channel mode (1 byte) - Block/subband/allocation (1 byte) - Minimum bitpool (1 byte) - Maximum bitpool (1 byte)
Events	Command complete event returned
Note	

2.2.4.20 SBC_MEDIA_PACKET_HEADER

OCF	0x279		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Offloading Category (static)	1	0xE0 = SBC
	SBC Offloading Type (static)	1	0x00 = partial
	SBC Offload Command (static)	1	0x05 = header
	Source ID	1	0x00 = I2S
	Sink ID		0x00 = SBC SRC
	ACL Handle	2	Default = 0x0001
	Media Header Length	1	Default 0x14
	Not_SBC_Per_Packet	1	Default = 0x0B
	BIGENDIAN	20	Header Default = 0x012010000C004100800100070000396000000001
Return Param.	Status (1 byte) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offload category (1 byte) - Offload type (1 byte) - Offload command (1 byte) - Source ID (1 byte) - Sink ID (1 byte) 		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.21 SBC_CONTROL

OCF	0x279
OGF	0x3F

CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Offloading Category (static)	1	0xE0 = SBC
	SBC Offloading Type (static)	1	0x00 = partial
	SBC Offload Command (static)	1	0x06 = control
	Source ID	1	0x00 = I2S
	Sink ID		0x00 = SBC SRC
	Control Command	1	0x00 = stream start 0x01 = stream stop
Return Param.	Status (1 byte) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offload category (1 byte) - Offload type (1 byte) - Offload command (1 byte) - Source ID (1 byte) - Sink ID (1 byte) 		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.22 SBC_PROTOCOL_PARAMS

OCF	0x279		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Offloading Category (static)	1	0xE0 = SBC
	SBC Offloading Type (static)	1	0x00 = partial
	SBC Offload Command (static)	1	0x07 = protocol parameters
	Source ID	1	0x00 = I2S
	Sink ID		0x00 = SBC SRC
	L2CAP MTU	2	Default = 072
Return Param.	Status (1 byte) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offload category (1 byte) - Offload type (1 byte) - Offload command (1 byte) - Source ID (1 byte) - Sink ID (1 byte) 		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.23 SBC_CONTENT_PROTECTION

OCF	0x279		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Offloading Category (static)	1	0xE0 = SBC
	SBC Offloading Type (static)	1	0x00 = partial
	SBC Offload Command (static)	1	0x08 = content protection header
	Source ID	1	0x00 = I2S
	Sink ID		0x00 = SBC SRC
	ACL Handle	2	Default = 0x0001
	CP Header Length	1	Length of content protection header Range = 0 to 8
	CP Header	0 to 8	0 to 8 bytes of header
Return Param.	Status (1 byte) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offload category (1 byte) - Offload type (1 byte) - Offload command (1 byte) - Source ID (1 byte) - Sink ID (1 byte) 		
Events	Command complete event returned		
Note			

2.2.4.24 SBC Event

Event Name	BT Offload Event		
EventCode	0xFF		
Event ID	0x79		
Param.	Name	Length	Description
	BT Offload Category	1	0xE0 = SBC offload
	BT Offload Type	1	Default = 0x0001

2.2.4.25 BLE_POWER_SAVE_MODE

OCF	0x008B		
OGF	0x3F		
CMD Param.	Name	Length	Description
	Power Mode	1	0x00 = full power mode 0x01 = deep sleep mode
Return Param.	Status (1 octet) 0x00 = success 0x01 to 0xFF = error		
Events	Command complete event returned		

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2.3 Interfacing NFC controlling the SPB209A NFC controller

SPB209A support most of the standard Near Field Communication (NFC) Controller Interface (NCI) Specification, see ref12 with the extensions/exception/additions defined below.

2.3.1 NCI Extensions

2.3.1.1 Logical Connections

Near Field Communication (NFC) Controller Interface (NCI) logical connections are used to open a dedicated “pipe” of communication between a host and an identified entity within NFCC or accessible through NFCC.

2.3.1.1.1 HCI Connection

This NCI logical connection provides a communication link to allow the host to send and received Host Controller Interface (HCI) commands over the NCI. Once this connection is opened, the host can initiate an HCI communication as described in ref 11.

To open an HCI connection, the host must use the NCI standard command “CORE_CONN_CREATE_CMD with destination type NCI_DESTINATION_TYPE_PROPRIETARY_NFCC_HCI(0Xc1). There is no destination-specific parameter.

2.3.1.1.2 Debug Connection

This logical connection provides an access to debug traces. This connection is read-only and the host shall not send any packet to it.

The host must use the NCI standard command CORE_CON_CREATE_CMD with destination type NCI_DESTINATION_TYPE_PROPRIETARY_NFCC_DBG (0Xdb) to open this connection. There is no destination-specific parameter.

2.3.1.2 Advanced Polling Loop

The SPB209A NFCC provides Advanced Polling Loop support, which enables user-specified optimization of the polling loop. This feature can be enabled by setting NFC_PARAM_TAG_POLL_USE_ADVANCED_FREQUENCY_CONF to 0x01. Under normal circumstances, when issuing a RF_DISCOVER_CMD message, the host specifies a number of configurations and, for each configuration, the host specifies the RF Technology, RF Mode and a Discovery Frequency. The Discover Frequency specifies the number of polling cycles between 2 consecutive polls of the given RF Technology, see Ref12.

The Advanced Polling Loop modifies how the “Discovery Frequency” field is interpreted in the RF_DISCOVERY_CMD message. It allows setting of a frequency and offset, so that 2 or more RF technologies can be polled at the same frequency but not in the same cycle. The purpose of this mechanism is to limit the polling loop duration without reducing the number of polled technologies.

When the Advanced Polling Loop mechanism is enabled, the discovery Frequency byte value associated to each RF Technology is interpreted as follows:

- Least significant nibble: polling frequency divider
- Most significant nibble: polling frequency module

Given a Polling Cycle number (N) incremented at each polling loop execution, the following expression is evaluated to determine if an RF Technology is polled:

Polling Cycle Number N % polling frequency divider == polling frequency module

For example:

If the following configuration is specified:

Technology	Discovery Frequency	Polling Frequency	First Poll Cycle Polled
NFC-A	0x02	0x02	0x02
NFC-B	0x24	0x04	0x02
NFC-F	0x12	0x02	0x01

The result will be (for the first 6 poll cycles)

Polling Cycle Number	1	2	3	4	5	6
Polled Technologies	NFC-F	NFC-A NFC-B	NFC-F	NFC-A	NFC-F	NFC-A NFC-B
Polling Duration (ms)	29	13	29	6	29	13

2.3.1.3 External Coexistence

The SPB209A NFCC provides support for external coexistence control. It allows a host to inhibit the NFCC from polling, by asserting a specific I/O line (NFC_NOT_ALLOWED). A second I/= line (NFC_ACTIVE) the host to detect the current NFCC state.

The NFC_ACTIVE signal is an output from the NFCC to the host. A logic high level indicates that NFC is polling for targets, emitting a carrier.

The signal NFC_NOT_ALLOWED is an input to the NFCC from the host. A logic high level indicates that the NFCC must back-off from polling and wait until the signal has a logic low level.

A possible race condition between the above is managed by that the NFCC repeatedly checks NFC_NOT_ALLOWED after asserting NFC_ACTIVE but before emitting a carrier. If it detects that a race conflict occurred, it will back-off from emitting the carrier and reset NFC_ACTIVE to the logic low level.

The External Coexistence support is enabled by setting the NCI_PARAM_TAG_NFC_EXT_COEX parameter.

It is possible to configure the GPIOs for the NFC_NOT_ALLOWED and NFC_ACTIVE signals by setting the NCI_TAG_NFC_NOT_ALLOWED_IO and NCI_PARAM:TAG_NFC_ACTIVE_IO parameters, respectively.

2.3.2 Extensions to NCI Commands and Responses

2.3.2.1 CORE_INIT_RSP

The 2 manufacturer fields defined in CORE_INIT_RSP is outlined as follows:

Manufacturer ID – 1 byte

Byte 0
Bits[7:0]
0x88



Manufacturer Specific Information – 4 bytes

Byte 0	Byte 1		Byte 2		Byte 3
Bits[7:0]	Bits[7:4]	Bits[3:0]	Bits[7:4]	Bits[3:0]	Bits[7:0]
NFC Firmware Major	NFC Firmware Minor (MSB)	NFC Firmware Major	NFC Firmware Minor (LSB)	NFC Firmware Build (MSB)	NFC Firmware Build (LSB)

2.3.2.2 RF_DISCOVER_CMD (Extension)

To support ISO15693, new technology IDs are available:

- NFC_RF_TECH_MODE_NFC_V_PASSIVE_POLL_MODE (0x06)
- NFC_RF_TECH_MODE_NFC_V_PASSIVE_LISTEN_MODE (0x86)

2.3.2.3 RF_INTF_ACTIVATED_NTF (Extension)

2.3.2.3.1 NFC_V

The ISO15693 technology parameters isn't described in ref12 but the SPB209A supports below technology specific parameters since modern stacks starts to require them.

Byte	Description
0	Flag Part of INVENTORY RESPONSE
1	Data Storage Format Identifier (DSFID) Part of INVENTORY RESPONSE
2 - 9	Unique ID (UID)

2.3.2.3.2 Type 1

Several Host NCI stacks requires the Header ROM bytes on Type 1 Tag activation (RF_FRAME interface). To be compatible with these stacks, the activation parameter contains 2 bytes to store the Header ROM bytes.

2.3.3 Common Tables

Proprietary GID and OID Definitions.

GID	OID	Definition
111B	000000B	PROPRIETARY_DCLB_HCR_CMD PROPRIETARY_DCLB_HCR_RSP PROPRIETARY_DCLB_HCR_NTF

NFCEE Proprietary Protocol/Interfaces

NFCEE Interface/Protocol Value	Definition
0x80	PROPRIETARY_SWP
0x81	PROPRIETARY_WI
0x82	PROPRIETARY_DCLB

2.3.4 Transport Frame Format

NCI packets can be exchanged by relying on several hardware link types. The transport frame format depends on the chosen link type. Current transport frame formats are:

- Plain NCI packets
- Bluetooth HCI packets

2.3.4.1 Plain NCI Packets

NCI packets are exchanged without any additional framing. The host must detect the size of the incoming NCI packets from the NCI header, see ref 12 for details on the NCI packet format.

2.3.4.2 Bluetooth HCI packets

NCI packets are encapsulated inside the Bluetooth HCI packets.

NFCC to Host Packet Format

Byte	Value	Description
0	0x04	Bluetooth HCI Event Packet Type
1	0xFF	Bluetooth HCI Vendor Specific Event Code
2	0xFF	Length of HCI Event
3	0xC0	NFC Bluetooth Event ID
...	...	NCI Packet

Host to NFCC to Packet Format

Byte	Value	Description
0	0x01	Bluetooth HCI Command Packet Type
1	0x81	Bluetooth HCI Vendor Specific Command Opcode Opcode command field (OCF) (10 bits = 0x281) Opcode command Group (OCG) (6 bits = 0x3F)
2	0xFE	
3	0xFF	Length of HCI Packet
...	...	NCI Packet

Each time the host send a packet to NFCC, it will receive an HCI status packet to notify that the host packet was delivered to the NFCC. The status packets are specific to Bluetooth HCI communication, and they must not be delivered to the NCI stack on the host.

NFCC to Host HCI Status Packet Format

Byte	Value	Description
0	0x04	Bluetooth HCI Event Packet Type
1	0x0F	HCI Status Event Code
2	0x04	Length of HCI Event
3	0x00	Length of HCI Packet
4	0x01	Bluetooth HCI Command Packet Type
5	0x81	Bluetooth HCI Vendor Specific Command Opcode OCF (10 bits = 0x281) OCG (6 bits = 0x3F)
6	0xFE	

2.3.4.3 Hardware link – Transport Frame Format Mapping

Byte	Description
UART	Bluetooth HCI Packets
SD	SD + NFC Shared Function: Bluetooth HCI Packets
	NFC Dedicated Endpoint: Plain NCI Packets

2.3.5 Programming Guide

The programming of the SPB209A NFC follows the NCI specification ref12 with the reference as follows.

HCI Command	Size (byte)	Access	Description	
0xA0	NCI_PARAM_TAG_PF_SENDF_REQ	4	RW	Content of parameters of SENDF_REQ during anti-collision if no NFC_DEP device has been detected System Code (SC) = 2 bytes (0xFFFF) Request Code (RC) = 1 byte (0x01) Time Slot Number (TSN) = 1 byte (0x0F)
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state. The parameter is applied in 2 different cases: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> When issuing the second SENDF_REQ (anti-collision) and no NFC_DEP device has been detected When a RF_T3T_POLLING_CMD is issued by the host This parameter shall be used for setting specific system codes and for DTA operations.			
0xA1	NCI_PARAM_TAG_PF_AFI	1	RW	AFI Field Content in INV_REQ (ISO15693) Default = 0x00
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state, and is applied when formatting the INV_REQ frame.			
0xA2	NCI_PARAM_TAG_PV_DATA_RATE	1	RW	Bit Rate and Subcarrier (ISO15693) 0x00 = low bit rate, single subcarrier (default) 0x01 = low bit rate, dual subcarrier 0x02 = high bit rate, single subcarrier 0x03 = high bit rate, dual subcarrier
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state, and is applied when a RF_DISCOVER_CMD is issued by the host.			
0xA3	NCI_PARAM_TAG_PV_MODULATION	1	RW	Modulation (ISO15693) 0x00 = modulation 100% (default) 0x01 = modulation 10%
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state, and is applied when a RF_DISCOVER_CMD is issued by the host.			
0xA4	NCI_PARAM_TAG_PV_CODING	1	RW	Coding (ISO15693) 0x00 = coding 1/256 (default) 0x01 = coding 1/4

Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state, and is applied when a RF_DISCOVER_CMD is issued by the host.			
0xA5	NCI_PARAM_TAG_PF_USE_BO TH_BITRATES	1	RW	NFC-F Poll Bit Rate 0x00 = PF_BIT_RATE is used to configure NFC-F poll bit rate (default) 0x01 = NFCC will toggle NFC-F poll bit rate
Note	This parameter is used to change normal NCI NFC-F polling bitrates behavior. If this parameter is set to 0x1, the NFCC will ignore PF_BIT_RATE and toggle the NFC-F polling bit rate (212 kbps and 424 kbps) on each request. This parameter can be set in all states and is applied in each NFC-F poll cycle.			
0xA6	NCI_PARAM_TAG_POLL_USE_ ADVANCED_FREQUENCY_CON F	1	RW	Advanced Polling Loop Support 0x00 = disable (default) 0x01 = enable 0x02 to 0xFF = radio frequency unit (RFU)
Note	This parameter is used to enable the Advanced Polling Loop feature. The default value is 0x00. Set to 0x01 to enable the advanced polling loop feature.			
0xB0	NCI_PARAM_TAG_LA_TYPE_H R	2	RW	HR0 and HR1 Fields content in RID response (Type 1 Tag) 0x1100 = default
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state. The parameter is used to set the Header ROM field in the Read ID (RID) Response when emulating a Type 1 tag, and is applied when RF_DISCOVER_CMD is issued by the host.			
0xB1	NCI_PARAM_TAG_LV_UID	8	RW	UID for ISO15693 Card Emulation Default = 0x00000000_00000000
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state. The parameter is used to set the UID in an ISO15693 emulation, and is applied when RF_DISCOVER_CMD is issued by the host.			
0xB2	NCI_PARAM_TAG_LV_AFI	1	RW	AFI for ISO15693 Card Emulation Default = 0x00
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state. The parameter is used to set the AFI in an ISO15693 emulation, and is applied when RF_DISCOVER_CMD is issued by the host.			
0xB3	NCI_PARAM_TAG_LV_DSFID	1	RW	DSFID for ISO15693 Card Emulation Default = 0x00
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state. The parameter is used to set the DSFID used to structure data in an ISO15693 emulation, and is applied when RF_DISCOVER_CMD is issued by the host.			
0xC0	NCI_PARAM_TAG_NFCDEP_RA W	1	--	NFC-DEP Raw Data 0x00 = LLCP will be used (default) 0x01 = LLCP will not be used, RTOX allowed 0x02 to 0xFF = RFU
Note	This parameter is used to notify the NFCC that NFC-DEP exchanges will be in raw data (no Logical Link Control Protocol (LLCP) used). When this parameter is set, request to timeout extension			

	(RTOX) requests are sent by the target NFC-DEP device, while they are not when LLCP is used. This parameter can be set in all states, and is applied when the NFC-DEP device gets activated.			
0xC1	NCI_PARAM_TAG_PN_DISABLED	1	--	NFC_DEP in PCD 0x00 = enable (default) 0x01 = disable
Note	This parameter is used to notify the NFCC not to look for NFC-DEP devices when polling. This parameter can be set in all states, and is applied during TECHNOLOGY_DETECTION activity. This parameter should be mainly used for testing purposes (for example, to avoid NFC-DEP activation while trying to perform specific ISO-DEP tests).			
0xE0	NCI_PARAM_TAG_NFC_EXT_COEX	1	RW	NFC External Coexistence Support 0x00 = disable (default) 0x01 = enable 0x02 to 0xFF = RFU
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state and should be set the same time as NCI_PARAM_TAG_NFC_NOT_ALLOWED_IO and NCI_PARAM_TAG_NFC_ACTIVE_IOT_ALLOWED_IO The parameter is used to enable external coexistence support, see section External Coexistence			
0xE1	NCI_PARAM_TAG_NFC_NOT_ALLOWED_IO	1	RW	NFC Not Allowed I/O GPIO number for the signal NFC_NOT_ALLOWED from Host to NFCC Range from 0x00 to 0x0F. Default = 0x01
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state and is applied when RF_DISCOVER_CMD is issued by the host. Used only when NCI_PARAM_TAG_NFC_EXT_COEX is set to 0x01 The parameter specifies the GPIO pin number used by the host to indicate that the NFCC is not allowed to transmit. The default value is 0x01 (GPIO1), others not supported see section Interfacing GPIO using HCI vendor specific commands (PROC) and FW API			
0xE2	NCI_PARAM_TAG_NFC_ACTIVE_IO	1	RW	NFC Active I/O GPIO number for the signal NFC_ACTIVE from NFCC to Host Range from 0x00 to 0x0F. Default = 0x02
Note	This parameter can be set only when device NCI state machine is in the RFST_IDLE state and is applied when RF_DISCOVER_CMD is issued by the host. Used only when NCI_PARAM_TAG_NFC_EXT_COEX is set to 0x01 The parameter specifies the GPIO pin number the NFCC uses to notify the host that the NFCC is transmitting. The default value is 0x02 (GPIO2), others not supported see section Interfacing GPIO using HCI vendor specific commands (PROC) and FW API			

2.4 Interfacing GPIO using HCI vendor specific commands (PROC) and FW API

The SPB209A GPIO pins have their pre-defined functions as described in the SPB209A Hardware Design Guide. Currently the FW does not provide any API that allows to use GPIOs as arbitrary in- or output pins. Use of the GPIOs is clearly defined by the FW as follows:



GPIO[17:14]	JTAG interface
GPIO[13]	BT wake up host (configured via vendor specific BT HCI command if used)
GPIO[12]	Not used
GPIO[11:8]	UART interface
GPIO[7:3]	PCM or I2S audio interface (configured via vendor specific BT HCI command if used)
GPIO[2]	LED output (can be configured via WLAN FW API)
GPIO[1]	WLAN wake-up host (configured via WLAN FW API)
GPIO[0]	oscillator enable/disable signal (default), or BT wake up host (configured via vendor specific BT HCI command if used)

The set-up is done either with HCI vendor specific commands using PROC files system or via WLAN FW API. There is only a limited set-up than can be done and this is defined below.

2.4.1 Command interface setting SPB209A GPIO

2.4.1.1 JTAG Interface

Not available for application level. Used for SPB209A test.

2.4.1.2 BT wake up host

The GPIO[13] pin is available as default for BT wake up host signaling, but it's also possible to set-up the GPIO[0] for this signaling as follows:

```
$ echo "gpio_gap=[n]" > /proc/mbt/hci0/config
$ echo "hscfgcmd=01" > /proc/mbt/hci0/config
```

[n]: bit 16:8 – gpio_pin, bit 8:0 – gpio_gap

gpio_pin: Is the pin number of GPIO used. It could be any valid GPIO pin.

2.4.1.3 UART Interface

Interface will be operational with a specific firmware supporting BT/NFC via UART. Contact technical support for details.

2.4.1.4 PCM or I2C audio interface

See "User Guide Using PCM interface in Bluetooth" on Ref3 Linux site

2.4.1.5 LED Output

To be defined

2.4.1.6 WLAN wake-up host

To be defined

2.4.1.7 Oscillator enable/disable signal

Default is function to select external High Frequency Oscillator however this is not available on SPB209A outline so it can be configured as an optional GPIO for BT wake-up host, see [BT wake up host](#)

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