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## Microphone Linux SDK Usage Guide

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## 1. Overview

This is a quick guide for these:

- How to setup compiling environment on computer
- How to download SDK
- How to build source code and make a firmware file

## 2. Hardware Requirements

- Microphone x1
- Computer x1, computer configuration in this guide: Intel® Core™ i5-3470 CPU @ 3.20GHz x4, Memory 8G
- [5V@2A](#) power adapter or [CubieBoard lithium battery XTEF855095](#)
- Best to have [USB UART Cable](#), monitor, mouse, keyboard

## 3. Software Requirements

- Recommended host OS: Ubuntu 12.04 above
- Install the necessary cross-compile tool chain and software packages on the Ubuntu host OS

## 4. Cross-compile Environment

```
$sudo apt-get update  
$sudo apt-get upgrade  
$sudo apt-get install ia32-libs  
$sudo apt-get install ncurses-dev  
$sudo apt-get install build-essential git u-boot-tools  
$sudo apt-get install texinfo texlive ccache zlib1g-dev gawk bison flex gettext uuid-dev  
$sudo apt-get install build-essential u-boot-tools uboot-mkimage  
$sudo apt-get install binutils-arm-linux-gnueabihf gcc-arm-linux-gnueabi  
$sudo apt-get install gcc-arm-linux-gnueabihf cpp-arm-linux-gnueabihf  
$sudo apt-get install libusb-1.0-0 libusb-1.0-0-dev  
$sudo apt-get install git wget fakeroot kernel-package zlib1g-dev libncurses5-dev
```



## 5. SDK Prepare

### 5.1. Download SDK Package File

MEGA: [Link](#)

path: Microphone/Source/

For version 1.0, download the Microphone-v1.0.tar.gz and Microphone-v1.0.tar.gz.md5.

If it has new version , please download the new files.

### 5.2. Check The MD5

After download the files, check the MD5 value of source package.

```
$ md5sum Microphone-v1.0.tar.gz
```

To check whether the calculated value is same with MD5 file on Mega cloud. If not, please download it again.

### 5.3. Extract Compressed File

```
$ mkdir -p XXX-sdk  
$ tar -C XXX-sdk -zxf Microphone-v1.0.tar.gz  
$ sync  
$ cd XXX-sdk
```

### 5.4. Initialization

```
$git reset --hard  
$git branch -a
```

There are one branches by default, "master" is development branch, You can also build a new branch to develop, "master" is backup branch.

## 6. How To Compile

### 6.1. Configure Board Type

```
$cd owl  
$./config.sh
```



```
Select board type:  
1. bubble_gum  
2. bubble_gum_sd  
3. cubieaio-s500  
4. cubieboard6  
5. cubieboard6-lite  
6. gb5_wxga  
7. gb5_wxga_sd  
8. smart-microphone  
  
Which would you like? [bubble_gum] 8  
s500 ubuntu smart-microphone configured.
```

Select "smart-microphone". As shown in the following picture , type "8"

Note:

1. After configuration, it will generate the ".config" file in the current directory, ".config" file is copied from owl/s500/boards/ubuntu/smart-microphone/config.
2. If modify config file or change board type, please execute the script "./config.sh" again , update the ".config". If don't change anything , can no longer do this step type configuration.

## 6.2. Compile Firmware

```
$ make  
$ make firmware
```

Above command for starting compile the firmware file, may need to type password to access permissions during this process . At the last the terminal print "Compound firmware successfully! " and print the path of firmware, it proves that the compilation is successful. The path of firmware is owl/out/**board type**/images/s500\_ubuntu\_**board type**\_date.fw. This firmware that can be write into the eMMC by USB upgrade tools, the details please refer to installation guide document.

Note:

- 1.The output files are located at owl/out/**board type**. Sometimes compile error or change does not take effect, you can go to the directory to check or directly delete the directory to recompile.
- 2.Compile the firmware repeatedly on the same day, be sure to change the name of the previous firmware file, otherwise the previous file will be overwritten.

## 6.3. Useful Commands

```
$make kernel
```



Compile kernel only and generate the uImage file in directory owl/out/**board type**/kernel/arch/arm/boot/.

**\$make modules**

Compile modules only and generate the driver modules files in directory owl/out/**board type**/kernel/driver.

**\$make dtbs**

Compile dts files only and generate the dtb files in directory owl/out/**board type**/kernel/arch/arm/boot/dts.

For more commands, please refer to file owl/Makefile.

## 7. System Modification

After has confirmed that the compiled firmware was successful and can be write into board , boot system OK, you can modify the files or add new files in the following two directories . When compiling the firmware, they will overwrite the old files.

ubuntu/system/boards/common/rootfs/ ( the common files every board will use)

ubuntu/system/boards/**board type**/rootfs/ (configuration file of specific board)