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应用笔记

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关键词	AN14507、MCXA153、LVGL、GUI Guider、FreeMASTER	
摘要	本应用笔记介绍了如何使用GUI Guider生成集成了FreeMASTER的LVGL模拟器。	



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1 介绍

本文档介绍了如何使用GUI Guider和FreeMASTER准备和搭建一个运行时调试面板演示软件。创建了一个基于FRDM-MCXAI53开发板的简单LED闪烁演示,用于与FreeMASTER和GUI Guider配合使用。该演示具有多个参数,例如闪烁模式。亮度可由FreeMASTER进行控制。

1.1 系统要求

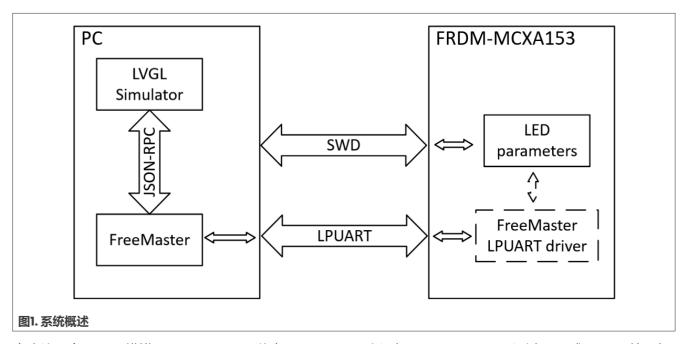
硬件要求如下:

- FRDM-MCXA153
- Windows PC
- Type-C USB线缆

软件要求如下:

- MCUXpressoIDE v11.10.0
- Windows OS
- FreeMASTER 3.2
- GUI Guider 1.8.0

1.2 系统概述



在本演示中,LVGL模拟器和FreeMASTER均在Windows PC上运行,而FreeMASTER通过SWD或LPUART接口与FRDM-MCXAI53开发板进行通信。LVGL模拟器和FreeMASTER可以修改FRDM-MCXAI53开发板上的LED参数来控制LED状态。整个系统如图1所示。

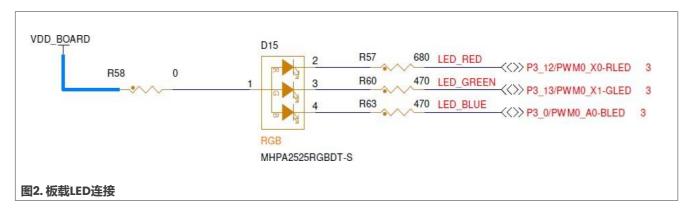
在本演示中,LED有3种工作模式(OFF、LOGIC和PWM)。在OFF模式下,LED熄灭;在LOGIC模式下,LED以给定的时间间隔闪烁;在PWM模式下,LED以给定的亮度点亮。图2所示为FRDM-MCXA153的LED连接。为了将3个LED设置为PWM模式,使用了FLEXPWM和CTIMER模块来生成PWM信号。

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固件设置了3个FreeRTOS任务来控制LED状态并监控LED参数的变化。如果LED模式发生更改,这些任务会将LED重新初始化为所选的模式,并按照参数来运行,如延迟时间(以微秒为单位)或PWM占空比。

2 软件的搭建

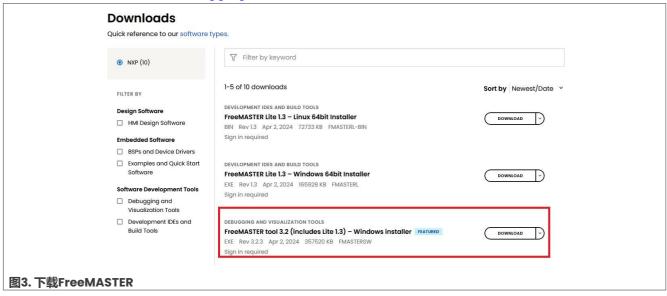
本节介绍如何搭建该软件。

2.1 安装FreeMASTER

FreeMASTER是一款调试工具,主要用于嵌入式系统的实时调试、数据可视化和参数调整。FreeMASTER为Windows用户提供了一个图形用户界面,使开发人员能够监控和控制嵌入式系统的变量。

按以下步骤安装FreeMASTER:

1. 访问https://www.nxp.com.cn/design/design-center/software/development-software/freemaster-run-time-debugging-tool:FREEMASTER, 并下载FreeMASTER。

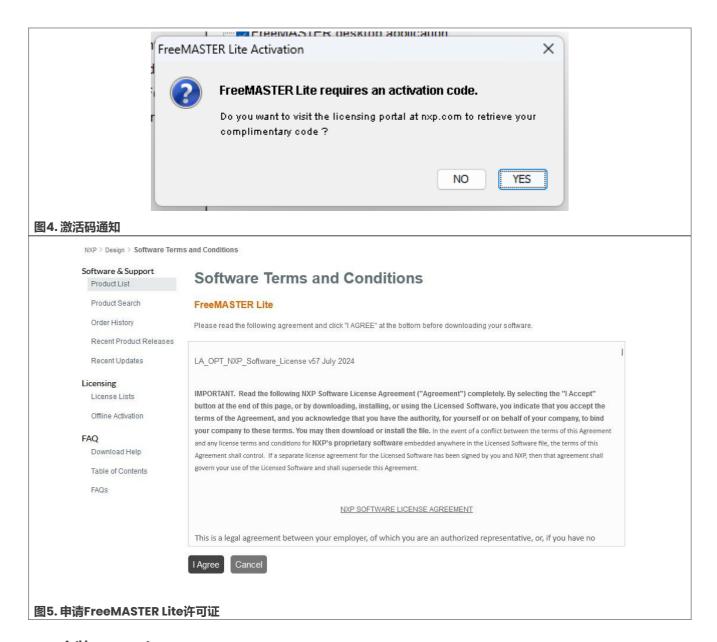


2. 安装该软件。FreeMASTER Lite需要许可证。安装程序会自动跳转到许可证注册页面。请阅读并接受软件条款与条件以获取许可证。当安装程序要求时,请输入许可证。

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2.2 安装GUI Guider

GUI Guider是一款图形用户界面开发工具。用户可以使用GUI Guider快速设计出一个高质量的GUI工程。要安装 GUI Guider,请访问以下页面来下载并安装GUI Guider: https://www.nxp.com.cn/design/design-center/ software/development-software/gui-guider:GUI-GUIDER.

在开发板上设置FreeMASTER

FreeMASTER支持多种通信接口,如UART、以太网和调试器。

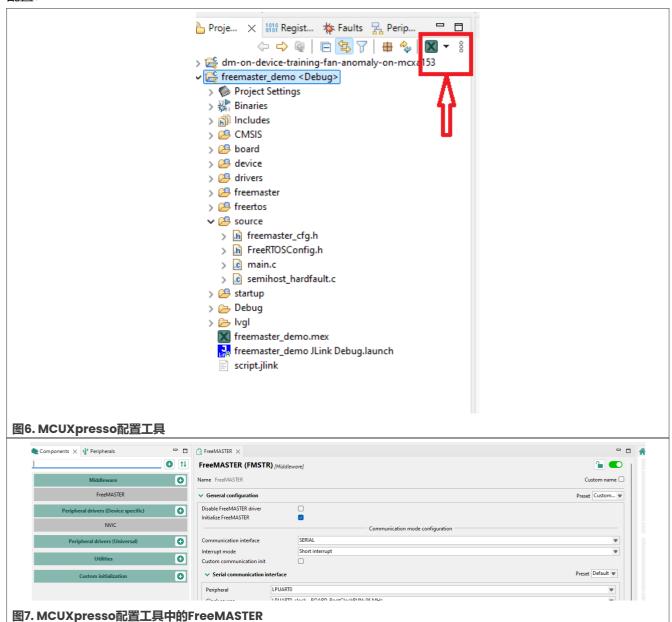
在本演示中,用户可以使用板载调试器或LPUART。FreeMASTER始终可通过板载调试器使用。用户必须打开 source/main.c文件中的OPTION_USE_FREEMASTER_SERIAL选项,才能在FreeMASTER中使用LPUART。

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3.1 UART

在本演示中,FreeMASTER通过MCUXpresso配置工具进行配置。用户可以在MCUXpresso配置工具中查看具体配置:



要启用FreeMASTER的LPUART驱动,请打开source/main.c文件中的OPTION_USE_FREEMASTER_SERIAL选项。 这是一个软件实现,不是由MCUXpresso配置工具生成的。将此定义值改为1可启用FreeMASTER的LPUART驱动程 序,而改为0则可禁用FreeMASTER的LPUART驱动程序。

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18 #define OPTION_USE_FREEMASTER_SERIAL 1
19
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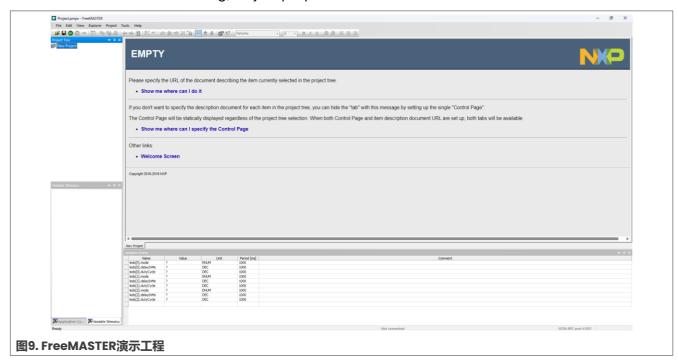
用户还可以在MCUXpresso配置工具中更改FreeMASTER配置,以启用一些高级特性,例如密码保护和应用命令等。

3.2 调试器

用户还可以将FRDM-MCXAI53开发板上的板载调试器与FreeMASTER配合使用。当调试器连接上时,FreeMASTER总是可以通过调试器使用,无需用户操作。然而,通过这种方式,FreeMASTER仅支持基本的功能,例如读取/写入内存。

4 FreeMASTER工程

FreeMASTER演示工程保存在Debug/Project.pmpx文件中。双击该文件可打开FreeMASTER工程。

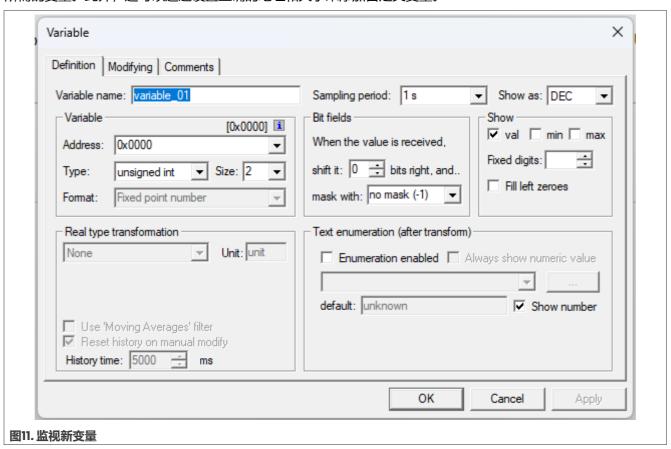


打开此工程后,会出现"Variable Watch"窗口。该窗口包含演示工程所用的参数变量。"Value"列初始显示为"?",因为FreeMASTER尚未建立通信。"Unit"列显示变量类型,而"Period"列显示变量的刷新周期。

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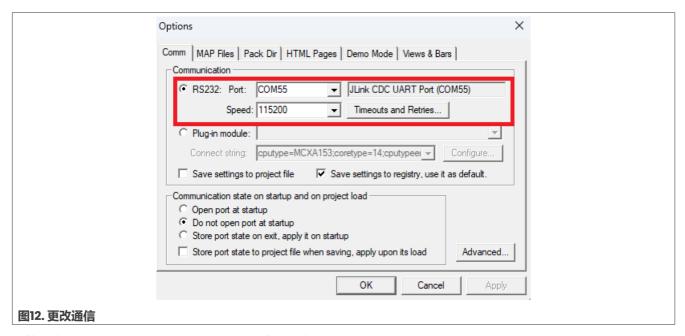
Name	Value	Unit	Period [ms]
leds[0].mode	?	ENUM	1000
leds[0].delayInMs	?	DEC	1000
leds[0].dutyCycle	?	DEC	1000
leds[1].mode	?	ENUM	1000
leds[1].delayInMs	?	DEC	1000
leds[1].dutyCycle	?	DEC	1000
leds[2].mode	?	ENUM	1000
leds[2].delayInMs	?	DEC	1000
leds[2].dutyCycle	?	DEC	1000

用户可以通过双击空行来监视一个新变量。如果映射文件已正确加载,用户可以直接在"Address"字段中访问所需的变量。此外,还可以通过设置正确的地址和大小来添加自定义变量。



在本演示工程中,FreeMASTER使用CMSIS-DAP板载调试器与FRDM-MCXA153开发板通信。如果用户想使用LPUART连接此开发板,则需要执行以下步骤。打开"Project -> Options"菜单,选择"RS232"并输入正确的端口和波特率。点击绿色的"GO"按钮,或使用快捷键"Ctrl + G"来启动通信。

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通信建立后,"Variable Watch"窗口会自动刷新变量。

Name	Value	Unit	Period [ms]
leds[0].mode	OFF	ENUM	1000
leds[0].delayInMs	500	DEC	1000
leds[0].dutyCycle	50	DEC	1000
leds[1].mode	OFF	ENUM	1000
leds[1].delayInMs	500	DEC	1000
leds[1].dutyCycle	50	DEC	1000
leds[2].mode	OFF	ENUM	1000
leds[2].delayInMs	500	DEC	1000
leds[2].dutyCycle	50	DEC	1000

现在可以编辑这些变量,板载 LED 的状态会随之改变。例如,如果将"leds[0].mode"字段改为"PWM",蓝色LED会以50%的亮度点亮。要改变亮度,可以将"leds[0].dutyCycle"字段的值编辑为0到100之间。如果"leds[0].mode"字段的值为"LOGIC",LED会以500毫秒的间隔闪烁。要更改延迟时间,可以将"leds[0].delayInMs"字段的值编辑为0到1000之间,步长为10毫秒。其他LED的操作方法与此相同。

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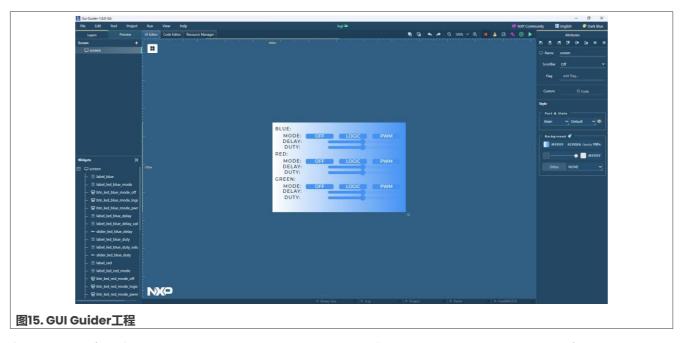
Name	Value	
leds[0].mode	PWM	Е
leds[0].delayInMs	500	D
leds[0].dutyCycle	25	D
leds[1].mode	PWM	Е
leds[1].delayInMs	500	D
leds[1].dutyCycle	37 ▼	D
leds[2].mode	PWM	Е
leds[2].delayInMs	500	D
leds[2].dutyCycle	49	D

图14. LED状态

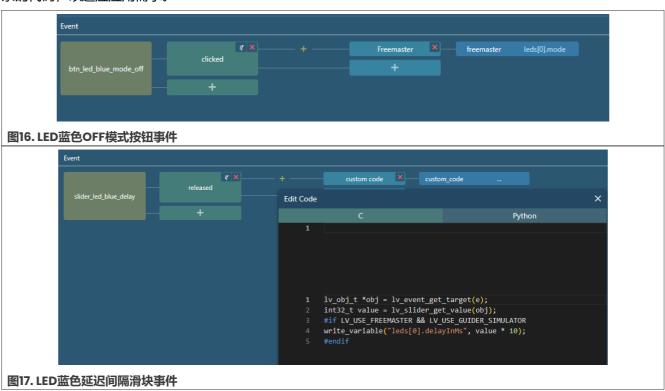
5 GUI Guider工程

GUI Guider演示工程位于IvgI/IvgI.guiguider。要打开此工程,请双击此文件或在"Import a local project"字段中选择此文件。

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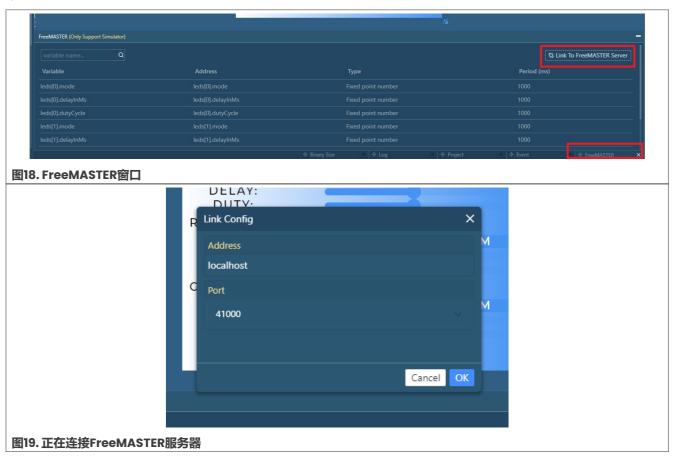
在本演示工程中,按钮和滑块均可与FreeMASTER配合使用。按钮可以写入所选的 LED 工作模式,而滑块可以更改延迟间隔或占空比。查看 "Event"窗口以添加或修改事件。例如,下图显示了按钮和滑块事件。LED蓝色OFF模式按钮将 "leds[0].mode"变量设置为枚举值 "OFF"。滑块比较复杂。它在 "released"事件中添加自定义代码。该代码会获取当前滑块值,将其乘以10作为延迟间隔,并将其写入 "leds[0].delayInMs"变量。这样就能简单地更改滑块的属性。我们想要一个10毫秒的步长,因此我们编写了一段自定义代码。用户可以编写更复杂的代码,以适应应用需求。



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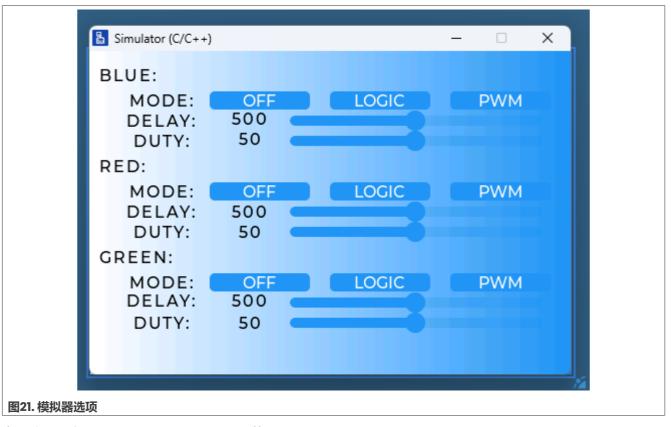
要连接FreeMASTER,请打开FreeMASTER并按照前述方式加载工程。打开GUI Guider右下角的 "FreeMASTER" 窗口,点击 "Link To FreeMASTER Server" 按钮。如果修改了连接参数,请进行相应的更改;否则请保留默认值。



连接到 FreeMASTER 服务器后,使用FreeMASTER运行模拟器。否则,模拟器将无法通过FreeMASTER进行读取或写入。要运行模拟器,请点击 "Generate Code & Build & Run"按钮,或按下 "Ctrl + Q"快捷键。请运行C语言模拟器,而不是MicroPython模拟器。本工程使用了自定义代码,该代码仅使用C语言实现。



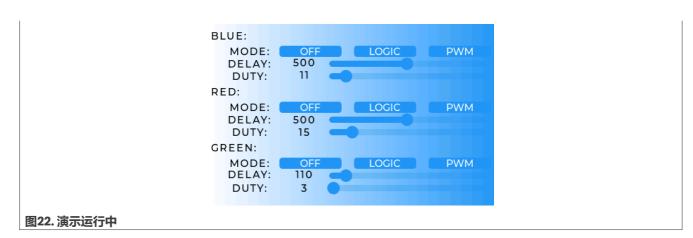
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点击按钮或拖动滑块来更改所选LED的工作状态。



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