

E1 Emulator

Additional Document for User's Manual (Notes on Connection)

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Chapter 1 Outline

1.1 Features

E1 Emulator is an on-chip debug emulator with flash programming function, which is used for debugging and programming a program to be embedded in on-chip flash memory microcontrollers. This product can debug with the target microcontroller connected to the user system, and can write programs to the on-chip flash memory of microcontrollers.

1.2 Configuration of Manuals

Documentation for the E1/E20 emulator manual is in two parts: the E1/E20 Emulator User's Manual and the E1/E20 Emulator Supplementary Document for the User's Manual (this manual). Different versions of the latter correspond to different sets of MCU. Be sure to read both of the manuals before using the E1/E20 emulator (hereinafter referred to as "the emulator").

The E1/E20 emulator user's manual has the following contents:

- Components of the emulators
- Emulator hardware specification
- Connection to the emulator and the host computer and user system

The E1/E20 Emulator Supplementary Document for the User's Manual has the following contents:

- For use in hardware design, an example of connection and the interface circuit required to connect the emulator.
- Notes on using the emulator
- Software specifications and so on for using each microcomputers



Chapter 2 Designing the User System

To connect the E1 emulator (hereinafter referred to as the emulator), a connector for the user system interface cable must be mounted on the user system. When designing the user system, read this section of this manual and the hardware manual for the MCUs.

2.1 Connecting the Emulator with the User System

Table 2-1 shows the connector type numbers of the E1 emulators.

Table 2-1 Connector Type Numbers

	Type Number	Manufacturer	Specifications
14-pin	7614-6002	Sumitomo 3M Limited	14-pin straight type (Japan)
Connector	2514-6002	3M Limited	14-pin straight type (other countries)

Figures 2-1 and 2-2 show examples of the connection between a user system interface cable of the 14-pin type. Do not mount other components with a height exceeding 10 mm within 5 mm of the connector on the user system.

Figure 2-1 Connecting the User System Interface Cable to the 14-pin Connector of the E1 Emulator





2.2 Pin Assignment of the Connector on the User System

Table 2-2 shows the pin assignments of the 14-pin connectors.

Pin No.	Signal (—: Low Active)	Input/Output ^{note}
1	R.F.U	-
2	GND	-
3	R.F.U	-
4	R.F.U	-
5	TOOL0	Input/Output
6	TRESET	Input
7	R.F.U	-
8	VDD	-
9	EMVDD	-
10	RESET	Output
11	R.F.U	-
12	GND	-
13	RESET	Output
14	GND	-

 Table 2-2
 Pin assignments of the connector (14-pin)

Note: Input to or output from the emulator



2.3 Recommend Circuit between the Connector and the CPU

2.3.1 Recommend Circuit Connection

Refer to Figure 2-2 and design an appropriate circuit.

Be sure to take into consideration the specifications of the target device as well as measures to prevent noise when designing your circuit.

Figure 2-2 Recommended Circuit Connection





- Note 2 Pull-up resistor is not required if the reset circuit on the user system contains no buffers and the reset signal is only generated via resistors or capacitors.
- Note 3 The drive power supply of TOOL0 is different depending on devices. Defer to user's manual of device.

2.3.2 Regarding Connection of RESET

This section describes the connection of the reset pin, for which special attention must be paid, in the circuit connection example shown in the previous section.

During on-chip debugging, a reset signal from the user system is input to the emulator, masked, and then output to the target device. Therefore, the reset signal connection varies depending on whether the emulator is connected.

For flash programming, the circuit must be designed so that the reset signals of the user system and the emulator do not conflict.

Select one of the following methods and connect the reset signal in the circuit. The details of each method are described on the following pages.

- (1) Automatically switching the reset signal via series resistor (recommended; described in recommended circuit connection in the previous section)
- (2) Manually switching the reset signal with jumper
- (3) Resetting the target device by power-on reset (POR) only

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(1) Automatically switching the reset signal via series resistor

Figure 2-3 illustrates the reset pin connection described in 2.3.1 Recommend Circuit Connection.

This connection is designed assuming that the reset circuit on the user system contains an N-ch open-drain buffer (output resistance: 100Ω or less). The VDD or GND level may be unstable when the logic of TRESET / RESET of the emulator is inverted, so observe the conditions described below in **Remark**.

Figure 2-3 Circuit Connection with Reset Circuit That Contains Buffer



Remark Make the resistance of R1 at least ten times that of R2, R1 being 10 kΩ or more. Pull-up resistor R2 is not required if the buffer of the reset circuit consists of CMOS output. The circuit enclosed by a dashed line is not required when only flash programming is performed.

Figure 2-4 illustrates the circuit connection for the case where the reset circuit on the user system contains no buffers and the reset signal is only generated via resistors or capacitors. Design the circuit, observing the conditions described below in **Remark**.

Figure 2-4 Circuit Connection with Reset Circuit That Contains No Buffers



Remark Make the resistance of R1 at least ten times that of R2, R1 being 10 k Ω or more.

The circuit enclosed by a dashed line is not required when only flash programming is performed.

(2) Manually switching the reset signal with jumper

Figure 2-5 illustrates the circuit connection for the case where the reset signal is switched using the jumper, with or without the emulator connected. This connection is simple, but the jumper must be set manually.

Figure 2-5 Circuit in connection for Switching Reset Signal with Jumper



(3) Resetting the target device by power-on reset (POR) only

Figure 2-6 illustrates the circuit connection for the case where the target device is only reset via POR without using the reset pin. RESET is valid only when the debugger is running or during flash programming.

Do not turn off a power supply of the user system during a break.

Figure 2-6 Circuit Connection for the Case Where Target Device Is Only Reset via POR





Chapter 3 Specification

Specifications are shown in Table 3-1 below.

 Table 3-1
 E1 Specification

Large Item	Middle Item	Small Item	Specification
	Target host machine		Computer equipped with a USB port OS is due to the software tool.
	User system interface		14-pin connector
	Host machine interface		USB2.0 (Full speed/ High speed)
Hardware Common	Connection to the user system		Connection by the provided user-system interface cable
	Power supply function		3.3V or 5.0V, set in software tool, can be supplied to the user system from VDD pin of the emulator (with current up to 200 mA)
	Power supply for the emulator		No need (the host computer supplies power through the USB)
	Break	Software break	2000 points
		Hardware break	1points (commonly used by execution and access)
		Forced break	Available
	Event	Number of events	1points (commonly used by execution and access)
		Available function	Only hardware break
Related debugging	Trace		Unavailable
debugging	Performance	Measurement item	From run to break
	measurement	Performance	Resolution 100us, Max. measurement time 100 hour
	Real time RAM monitor		Available (CPU is used when monitoring)
	Direct memory modification		Available (CPU is used when executing)
	Hot plug-in		Unavailable
	Security		10-byte ID code authentication
	Clock supply		Clock mounted on the user system can be used
Related programming	Security flag setting		Available
	Standalone operation		Unavailable (must be connected to host machine)



Chapter 4 Notes on Usage

Make sure to read the notes on usage in this section.

4.1 List

 Table 4-1
 List of notes on usage

No.	Item
1	Handling of device that was used for debugging
2	Flash self programming
3	Operation after reset
4	Operation when debugger starts
5	Operation at voltage with which flash memory cannot be written
6	On-chip debugging option byte setting (address C3H)
7	Pseudo real-time RAM monitor function

4.2 Details

No. 1 Handling of device that was used for debugging

Do not mount a device that was used for debugging on a mass-produced product, because the flash memory was rewritten during debugging and the number of rewrites of the flash memory cannot be guaranteed.

Moreover, do not embed the debug monitor program into mass-produced products.

No. 2 Flash self programming

If a space where the debug monitor program is allocated is rewritten by flash self programming, the debugger can no longer operate normally. This caution also applies to boot swapping for such an area

No. 3 Operation after reset

After an external pin reset or internal reset, the monitor program performs debug initialization processing. Consequently, the time from reset occurrence until user program execution differs from that in the actual device operation. If "No" is selected in the Permit Flash Programming of the debug tool property, the time until the user program is executed compared with the time when "Yes" is selected is delayed several 100 ms.

No. 4 Operation when debugger starts

When the debugger is started and there is no the debug monitor program in device to debug, the internal flash memory is erased.

No. 5 Operation at voltage with which flash memory cannot be written

If any of the following debugger operations <1> to <7>, which involve flash memory rewriting, is performed while flash memory cannot be rewritten, the debugger automatically changes the register setting so as to enable flash memory rewriting, and restores the register setting after the operation is completed. If any of the

following operations <1> to <7> is performed while flash memory rewriting has been disabled or operation is performed at a voltage with which flash memory cannot be rewritten, however, the debugger outputs an error and the operation is ignored.

- <1> Writing to internal flash memory
- <2> Setting or canceling of software breakpoint
- <3> Starting execution at the set software breakpoint position
- <4> Step execution at the set software breakpoint position
- <5> Step-over execution, Return Out execution
- <6> Come Here

<7> If permit is selected in the Flash Programming area in the Configuration dialog box, the following operations cannot be performed.

- a) Setting, changing, or canceling of hardware breaks
- b) Masking/unmasking of internal reset
- c) Switching of peripheral breaks

No. 6 On-chip debugging option byte setting (address C3H)

The on-chip debugging option byte setting is rewritten arbitrarily by the debugger.

No. 7 Pseudo real-time RAM monitor function

Note the following points when using the pseudo real-time RAM monitor function.

<1> Standby mode (HALT or STOP) may be cancelled during monitoring.

<2> The pseudo real-time RAM monitor function does not operate while the CPU operating clock is stopped.

<3> The pseudo real-time RAM monitor function does not operate while the self programming execution.

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