

RZ Ecosystem Partner Solution Winbond Boot Code Integrity Protection and Firmware Resilience



Solution Summary

Winbond secure flash W77Q provids 'add-on' security in the boot code integrity and firmware resilience on RZ/T1 platform.

Features/Benefits

- W77Q secure flash memory is compatible to standard SPI NOR flash memory.
- W77Q can be "Root-Of-Trust" for ROM-Less SoC.
 - W77Q automatically verifies boot code by itself and raises reset pin from "L" to "H" for SoC.
 - If the boot code was hacked, W77Q automatically jump to redundant boot code for recovery.
- · Platform Firmware Resilience supported
 - Referenced to NIST SP800-193

Diagrams/Graphics

Self Integrity Protection (Verify Boot Code to detect



□ Self Integrity Protection

- Primary Boot Code shall be verified from falsification or errors
- After passed the verification, SoC can start fetching (Secure Boot)
- Two control methods for SoC to wait; A H/W pin (RSTOUT#) or S/W loop

Target Markets and Applications

- Network, IoT
- Industries requiring security guideline
 - ISO/IEC62443-4-2
 - CC/EAL, GP/SESIP, ASIL certification

Safe Fallback = Firmware Resilience (Recovery)



Safe Fallback

If primary Boot Code had problem, switch to other redundant Boot Code for recovery automatically

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