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A Note on using Flash Development Toolkit V.3

Please take note of the problem described below in using Flash Development Toolkit V.3.

1. Product, Versions and MCUs Concerned

(1) Product and Versions

Flash Development Toolkit Ver 3.00 through V.3.07 Release 04

(2) MCUs

All the MCUs of the SuperH RISC engine, H8SX, H8S, H8, M16C, R8C. and 740 families

2. Problem

If you write programs several times to the flash memory on any of the MCUs concerned without exiting Flash Development Toolkit, it gradually takes longer time to write programs. Actually, most of time is consumed to verify programs.

This problem concerns the time necessary to verifying written programs, so the programs are written correctly to flash memory even if the problem arises.

3. Condition

This problem arises if programs are written to the flash memory that is split into two or more areas.

4. Workaround

Exit Flash Development Toolkit and restart it and then write programs to flash MCUs.

5. Schedule of Fixing the Problem

Now under consideration. If fixed, we will inform you of the schedule in RENESAS TOOL NEWS.

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