

EM7180DVK QUICK START GUIDE



SAB2 Board

Your EM7180DVK Development Kit contains:

- SAB2 Board featuring EM7180SFP sensor fusion platform module, Cortex M3 ARM processor, EM9301 BLE Module,...
- Serial converter (UART to USB) to read out some data and its USB cable
- **USB Cable** to perform different firmware updates and PC communication
- I USB memory stick containing the Host Application Kit Installation setup

Your Host Application Toolkit installer installs:

HOST APPLICATION TOOLKIT

HAT API HAT API DOCUMENTATION APPLICATION BINARIES APPLICATION PROJECT SOURCE FILE SAB2 USER MANUAL

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This quick start document guides you through the set-up of your development hardware kit, software and demo.



1 INSTALL THE HOST APPLICATION TOOLKIT SOFTWARE TOOL FROM THE USB STICK

- Connect the USB memory stick to your PC
- Open an explorer window
- Click on the relevant USB stick drive (Host Application Toolkit *.msi)
- Double click on this setup executable file

This setup will guide you through the installation process

2 BOARD SETUP

Before using the SAB2, firmware may need to be installed or updated.



- Once connected to the PC through the USB port, a board which has not yet been programmed will show up as a typical Mass Storage Device labelled **CRP DISABLED** in the **explorer** window.
- Simply delete any files on this device, and copy over the firmware file. In order to utilize the provided utilities (detailed following), load the firmware **I2CHID.bin** from {Installation path}\EM718x Host Application Toolkit\sab folder onto the board. Once copied press the **RESET** button on the board

Notes:

If the board has already been programmed, then it will not enumerate as CRP DISABLED. In this case, press the **ISP** and **RESET** buttons, releasing the **RESET** button before the **ISP** button.

For more details refer to the SAB2 User Manual



3 SOFTWARE APPLICATION

Several software applications are included for evaluating the EM7810SFP module These applications required that the SAB2 have the **I2CHID.bin** firmware installed.

3.1 EM MONITOR

- EM Monitor is a graphical application capable of displaying and plotting sensor data, recording data to file. **Use** the Start Menu **shortcut** EM Monitor x.y.z located under {Start Menu / EM Microelectronic / EM718x Host Application ToolKit} to launch the software.
- Press the button **Connect** to see the different plots.



Press the button **Cube** to see the cube 3D-view



For more information, see the EM Monitor User Guide.



3.2 EM COMMAND SHELL

EM Command Shell is a modified Windows command line environment designed to make running the EM718x command line utilities easier.

The em718xcli is a command line utility for interacting with the EM7180SFP module.

- To run the em718xcli, simply start the EM Command Shell
- Then execute **em718xcli**. Usage and option information can be found by adding the -h or --help flag.

4 FIRMWARE

Several firmware images are provided for different functions and demos.

- The firmware binary files can be found under {Installation path}\EM718x Host Application Toolkit\sab folder
- The firmware source files and project files can be found under under {Installation path}\EM718x Host Application Toolkit\src\sab folder

For more details refer to the SAB2 User Manual (SAB2 Firmware application paragraph).

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