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AD7730L - Microcontroller No-OS Driver

Supported Devices

- AD7730L

Evaluation Boards

- EVAL-AD7730LEBZ

Overview

The AD7730L is a complete analog front end for weigh-scale and pressure measurement applications. The device accepts low-level signals directly from a transducer and outputs a serial digital word. The input signal is applied to a proprietary programmable gain front end based around an analog modulator. The modulator output is processed by a low pass programmable digital filter, allowing adjustment of filter cutoff, output rate and settling time.

The goal of this project (Microcontroller No-OS) is to be able to provide reference projects for lower end processors, which can't run Linux, or aren't running a specific operating system, to help those customers using microcontrollers with ADI parts. Here you can find a generic driver which can be used as a base for any microcontroller platform and also specific drivers for Renesas platforms.

HW Platform(s):

- Renesas Demo Kit for RL78G13 (Renesas)
- Renesas Demo Kit for RX62N (Renesas)

Driver Description

The driver contains two parts:

- The driver for the AD7730L part, which may be used, without modifications, with any microcontroller.
- The Communication Driver, where the specific communication functions for the desired type of processor and communication protocol have to be implemented. This driver implements the communication with the device and hides the actual details of the communication protocol to the ADI driver.

The Communication Driver has a standard interface, so the AD7730L driver can be used exactly as it is provided.

There are three functions which are called by the AD7730L driver:

- SPI_Init() – initializes the communication peripheral.
- SPI_Write() – writes data to the device.
- SPI_Read() – reads data from the device.

SPI driver architecture

The following functions are implemented in this version of AD7730L driver:

Function	Description
unsigned char AD7730L_Init(void)	Configures I/O pins from/towards the component and resets the device.
void AD7730L_SoftReset(void)	Resets the device.
void AD7730L_SetRegisterValue(unsigned char registerAddress, unsigned long registerValue, unsigned char bytesNumber)	Writes data into a register.
unsigned long AD7730L_GetRegisterValue(unsigned char registerAddress, unsigned char bytesNumber)	Reads the value of a register.
void AD7730L_WaitForReady(void)	Waits for Ready pin to go low.
void AD7730L_SetMode(unsigned short modeOperation, unsigned char inputRange, unsigned char channel)	Writes the specified mode of operation in Mode Register.
void AD7730L_SetFilterOutputRate(unsigned long outputRate, unsigned char chop, unsigned char skip)	Writes a value corresponding to an output rate in Filter Register.
void AD7730L_Calibrate(unsigned char channel, unsigned char inputRange, unsigned long outputRate, unsigned char dacValue)	Performs a calibration sequence for a channel.
unsigned long AD7730L_SingleRead(unsigned char channel, unsigned char inputRange);	Reads the result of a single conversion.
unsigned long AD7730L_ContinuousReadAvg(unsigned char channel, unsigned char inputRange, unsigned char sampleNumber);	Returns the average of several conversion results.

Downloads

- AD7730L Generic Driver
- AD7730L RL78G13 Driver
- AD7730L RX62N Driver

Renesas RL78G13 Quick Start Guide

This section contains a description of the steps required to run the AD7730L demonstration project on a Renesas RL78G13 platform.

Required Hardware

- Renesas Demo Kit for RL78G13 (Renesas)
- EVAL-AD7730LEBZ(ADI)

Required Software

- IAR Embedded Workbench for Renesas RL78 Kickstart
- Applilet3 for RL78G13

Hardware Setup

An EVAL-AD7730LEBZ has to be interfaced with the Renesas Demonstration Kit (RDK) for RL78G13:

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  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 3 (CS)    → YRDKRL78G13 J11 connector
Pin 1
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 5 (DIN)   → YRDKRL78G13 J11 connector
Pin 2
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 7 (DOUT)  → YRDKRL78G13 J11 connector
Pin 3
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 1 (SCLK)  → YRDKRL78G13 J11 connector
Pin 4
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 6 (DGND)  → YRDKRL78G13 J11 connector
Pin 5
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 2 (RDY)   → YRDKRL78G13 J11 connector
Pin 7
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 4 (RESET) → YRDKRL78G13 J11 connector
Pin 9
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 9 (SYNC)  → YRDKRL78G13 J11 connector
Pin 10
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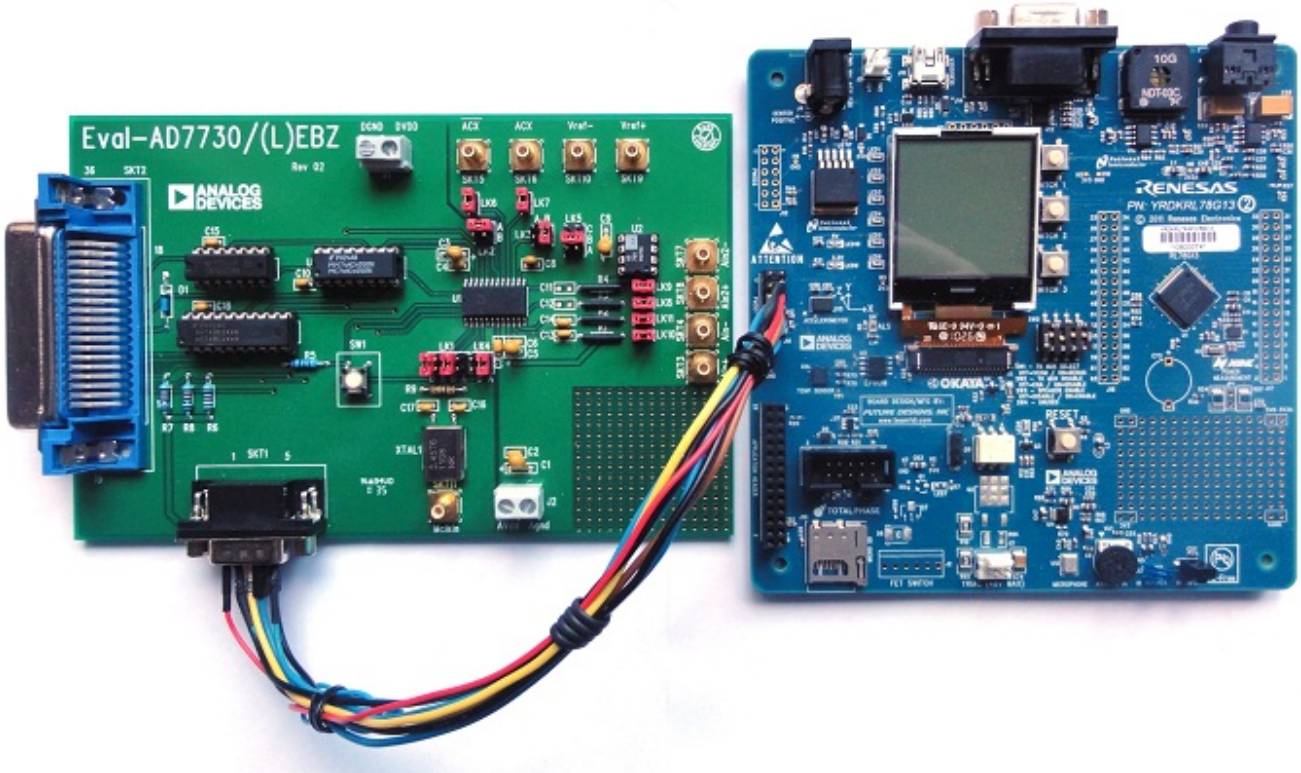


Software Setup

With the ***Applilet3 for RL78G13*** tool the following peripherals have to be configured:

CSI10 (Clocked Serial Interface 10) – For the AD7730L part and the ST7579 LCD

Choose to generate the Transmit/receive function for the CSI10 and configure the interface with the following settings:

- Transfer mode setting: ***Single transfer mode***
- Data length setting : ***8 bits***
- Transfer direction setting: ***MSB***
- Specification of data timing: ***Type 1***
- Transfer rate setting – Clock mode: ***Internal clock (master)***
- Transfer rate setting – Baudrate: ***1000000*** (bps)
- Interrupt setting – Transfer interrupt priority (INTCSI10): ***Low***
- Uncheck the callback functions.

TM00 (Timer 00) – For the DelayMs() function

Configure TM00 as an interval timer:

- Interval timer setting - Interval value(16 bits): ***1*** ms
- Interval timer setting - Uncheck *Generates INTM00 when counting is started*
- Interrupt setting - Uncheck *End of timer channel 0 count, generate an interrupt (INTM00)*

Watchdog Timer

Disable the watchdog timer:

- Choose for the Watchdog timer operation setting: ***Unused*** option.

Reference Project Overview

The reference project initializes the device, calibrates it and performs single and continuous reads of an analog signal. The results are displayed on the LCD.

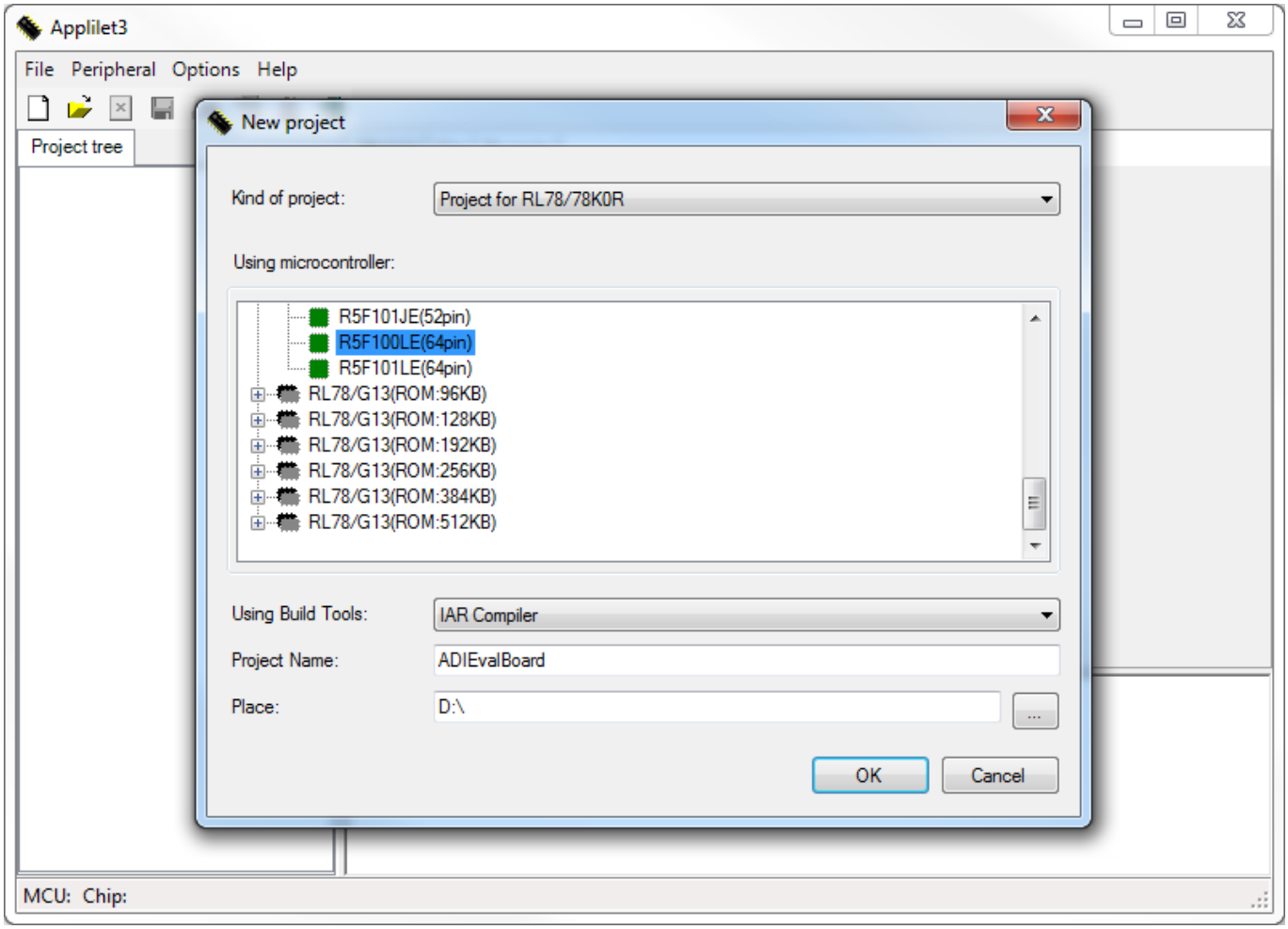
Software Project Setup

This section presents the steps for developing a software application that will run on the ***Renesas Demo Kit for RL78G13*** for controlling and monitoring the operation of the ***ADI*** part.

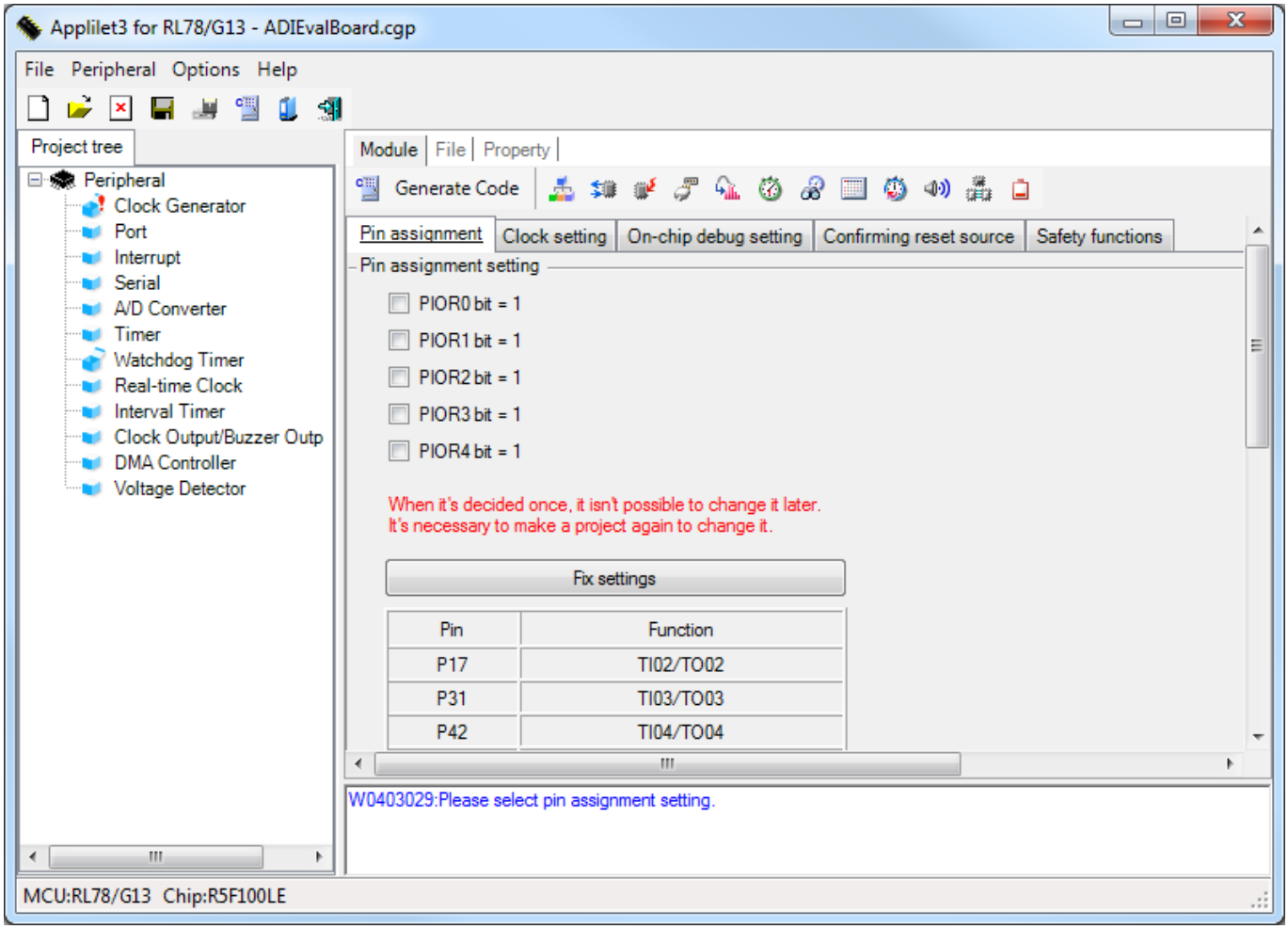
Two software applications have to be used: ***Applilet3 for RL78G13*** (a tool that automatically generates device drivers for MCU peripheral functions) and ***IAR Embedded Workbench for Renesas RL78*** (the integrated development environment).

Step 1 - Applilet3 for RL78G13

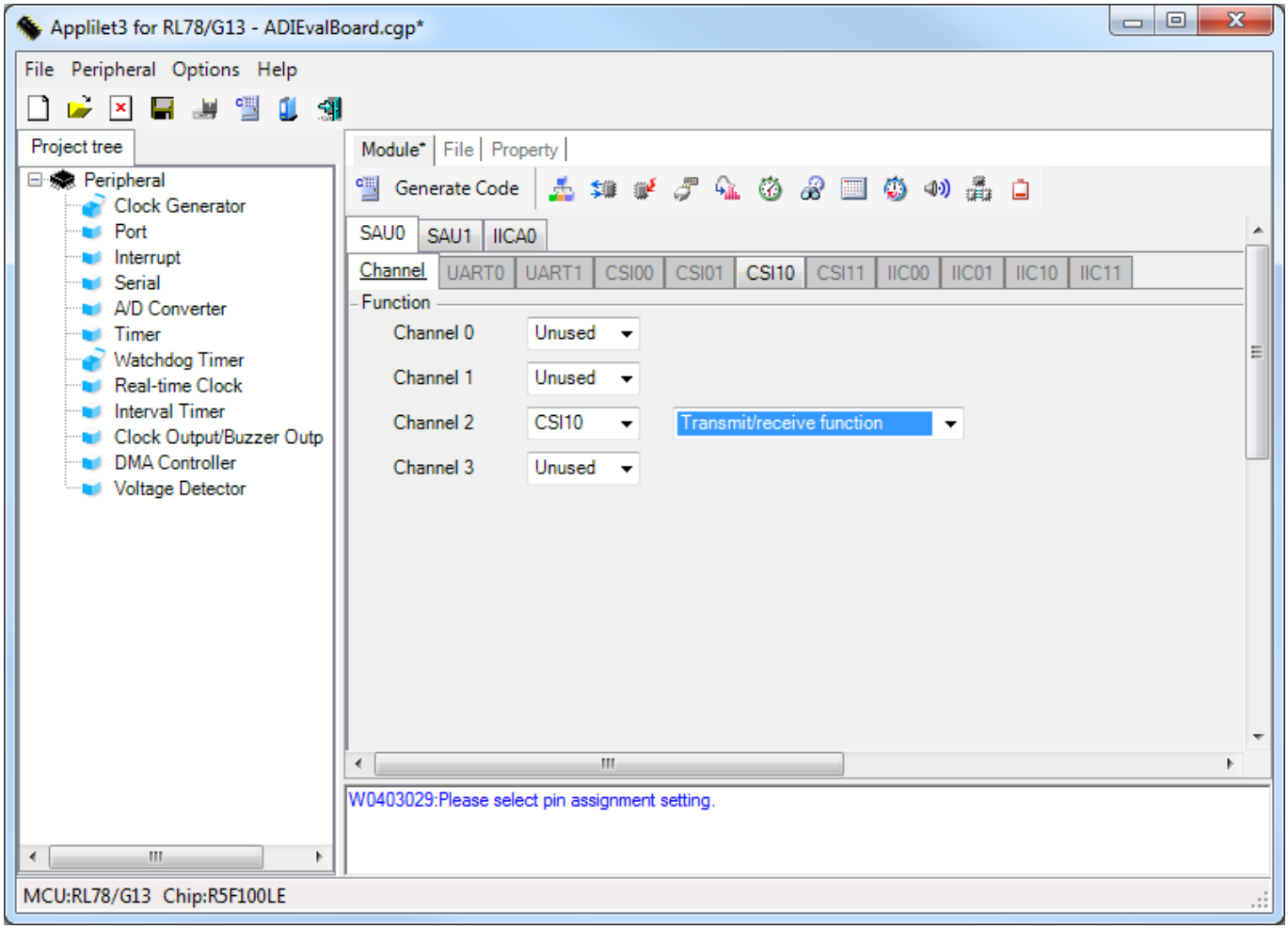
- Run the ***Applilet3 for RL78G13*** tool and create a new project for ***R5F100LE*** processor. Select ***IAR Compiler*** build tool, a project name, a location for the new project and press ***OK***.



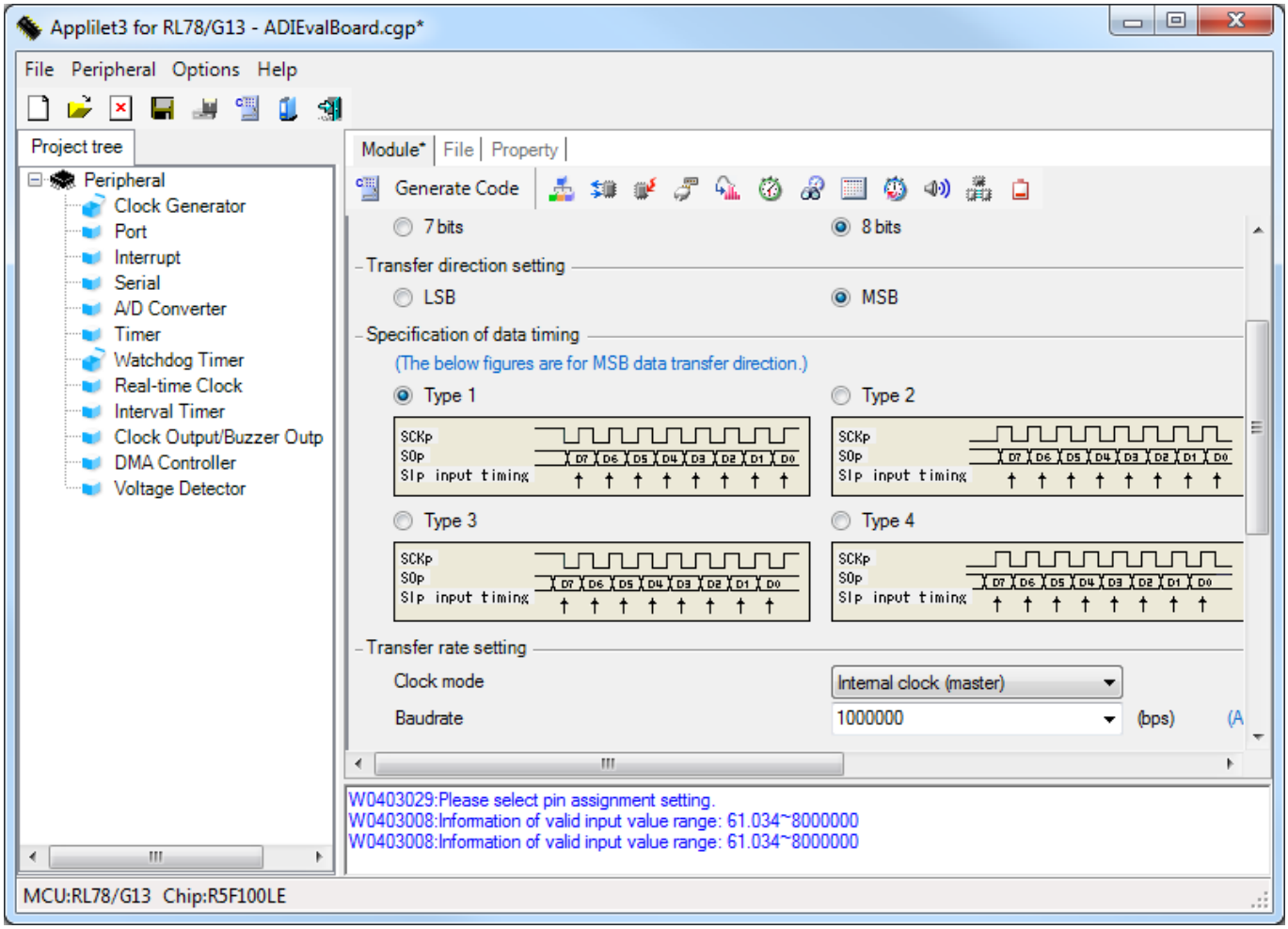
- Keep the default ***Pin assignment*** setting and click ***Fix settings***.



- Now the desired peripherals can be configured and the code can be generated. For example, if the clocked serial interface 10 (***CSI10***) has to be configured, select the ***Serial*** peripheral, choose for the Channel 2 of Serial Array Unit 0 (***SAU0***) the ***CSI10*** interface, ***Transmit/receive function*** option and then go to ***CSI10*** tab.



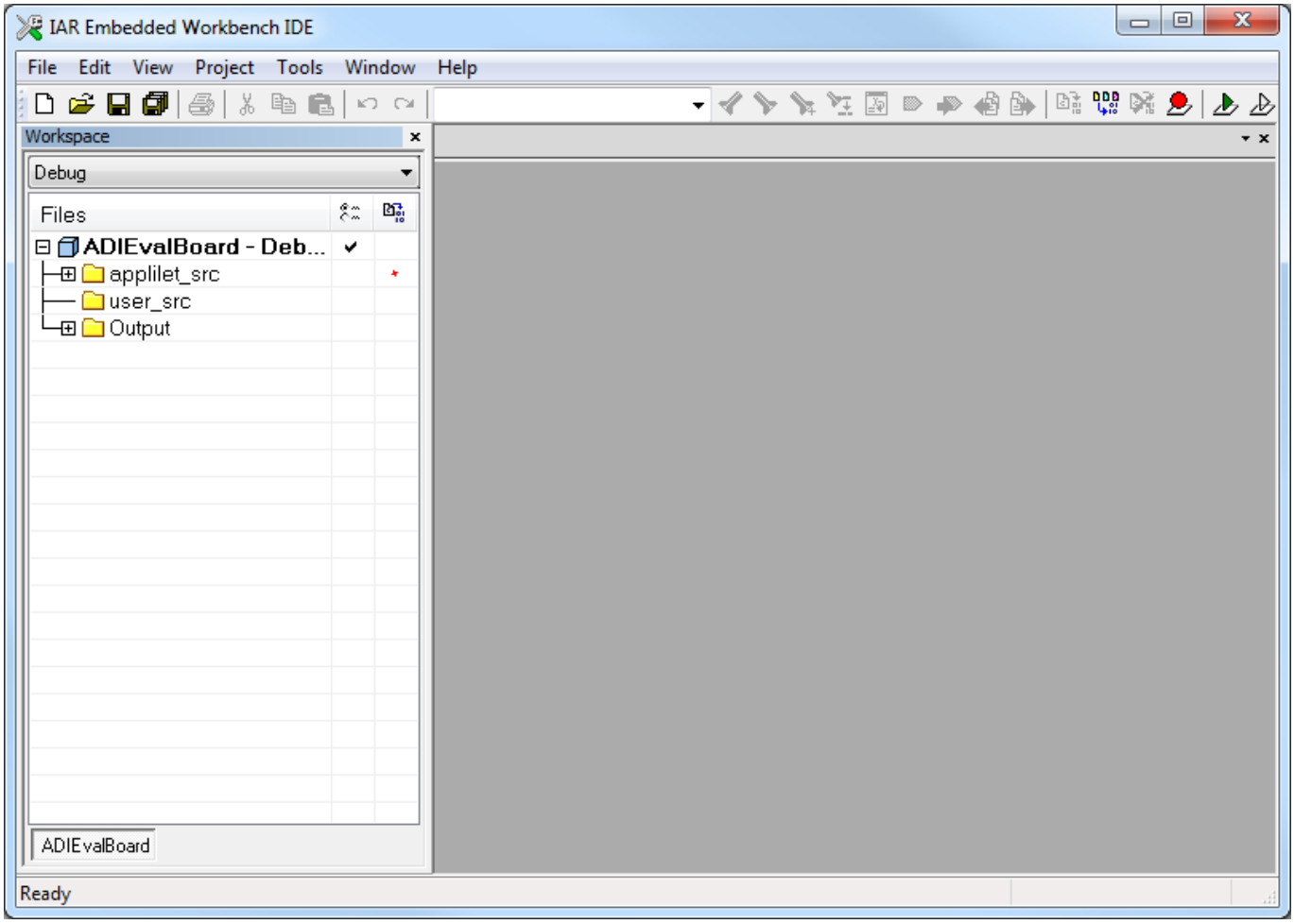
- To configure the ***CSI10*** interface for serial transmissions of 8 bits, with MSB first, with the data captured on clock's rising edge, with a frequency of the clock of 1 MHz and the idle state high, the settings from the following image have to be made.



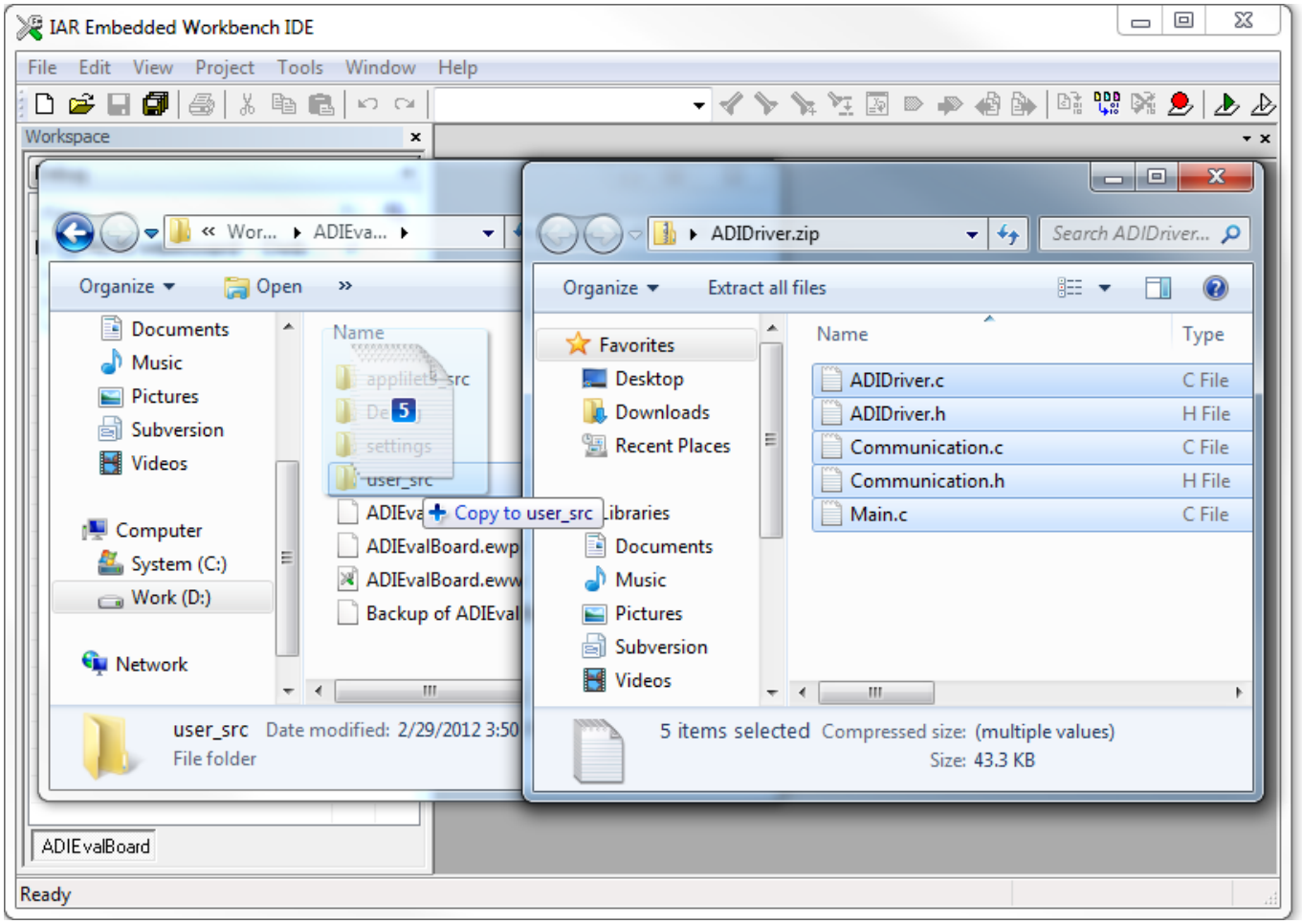
- After all the desired peripherals are configured click on the ***Generate Code*** button and a new workspace and a new project for the ***IAR Embedded Workbench*** will be generated. After the code was generated close the ***Applilet3 for RL78G13*** tool.

Step 2 - IAR Embedded Workbench for Renesas RL78

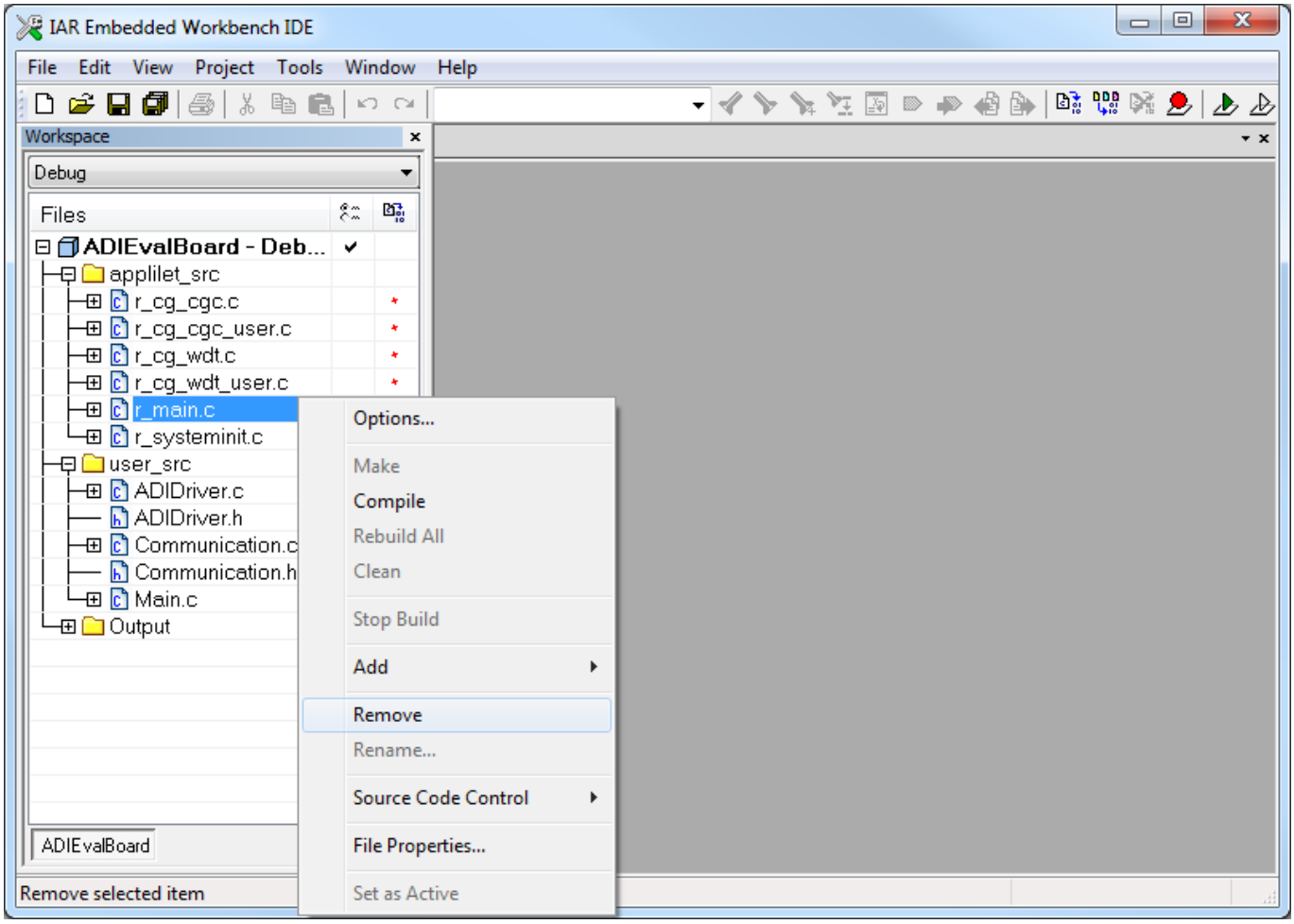
- Run the ***IAR Embedded Workbench*** and open the workspace created with the ***Applilet3*** tool.



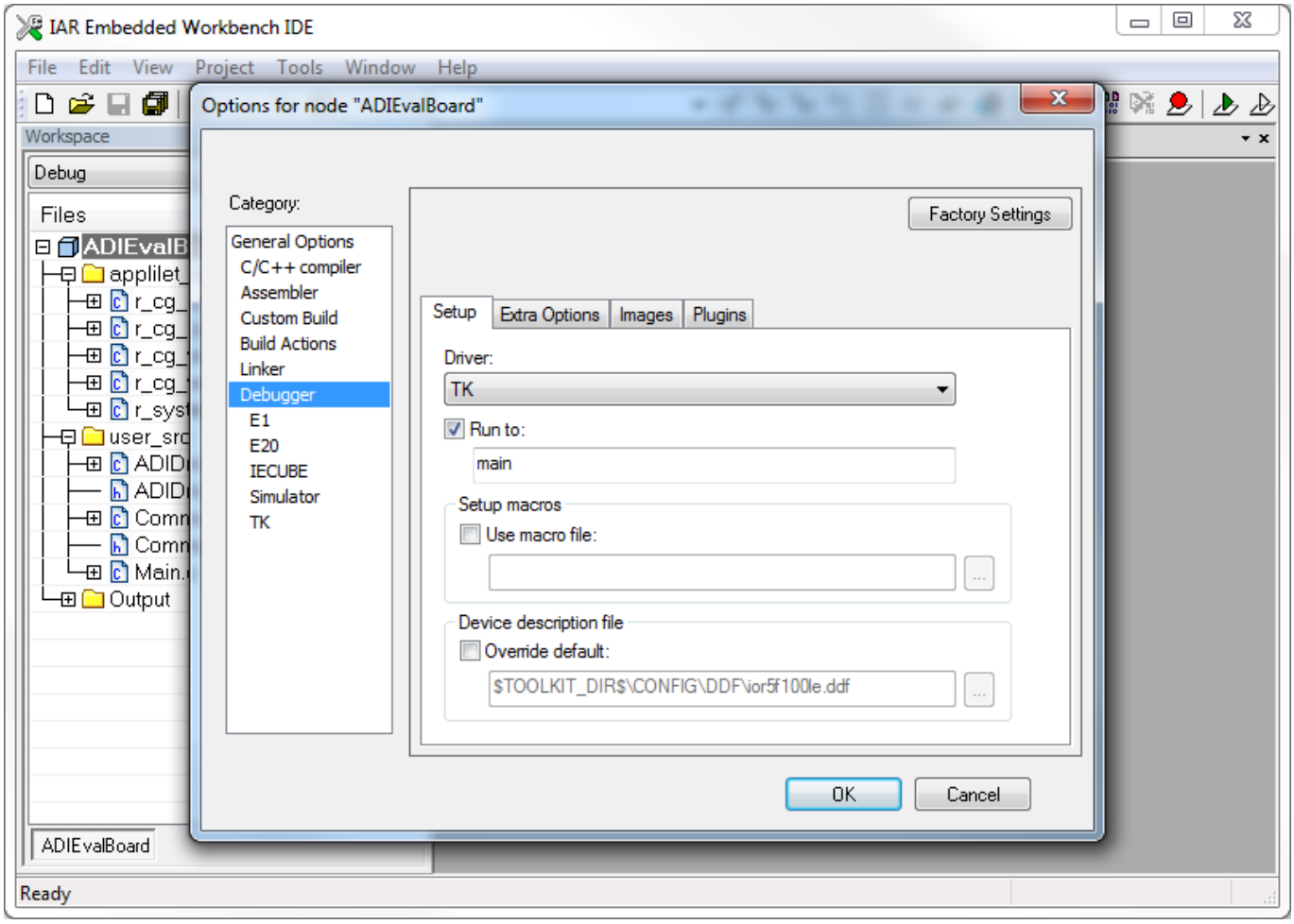
- Copy the files extracted from the zip file into the ***user_src*** folder, located in the project's folder.



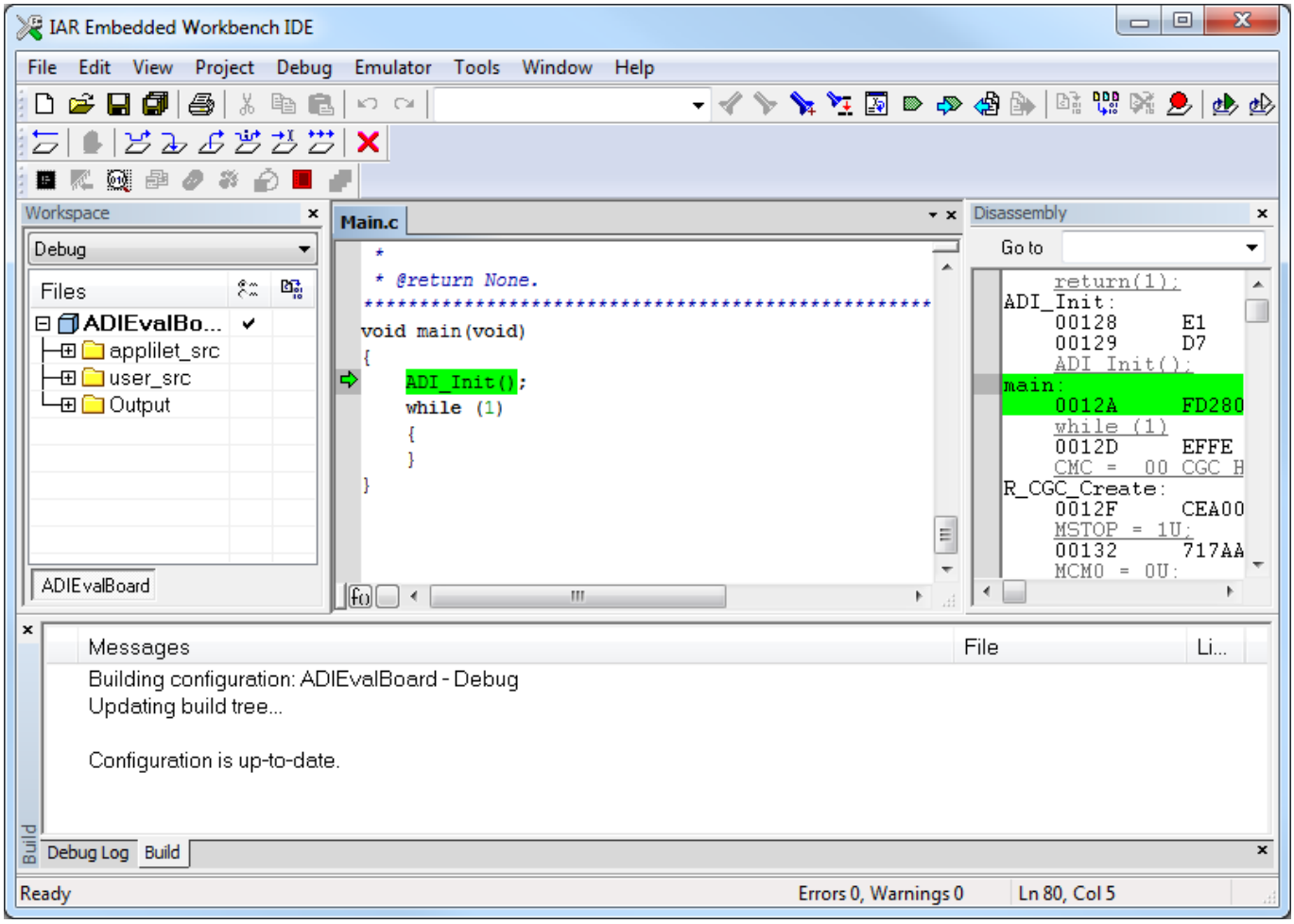
- The new source files have to be included into the project. Add in the ***user_src*** group the files from the corresponding folder (Right click on the group and select ***Add – Add Files…***). Because a new ***Main*** file was included the ***r_main.c*** file from the ***applilet_src*** group has to be deleted (Right click on the file and select ***Remove***).



- Now the debugger driver has to be selected from the project's options. Right click on the project name and select ***Options***. From the ***Debugger*** category choose the ***TK*** Debugger Driver.



- Now, the project is ready to be compiled and downloaded on the board. Press the ***F7*** key to compile it. Press ***CTRL + D*** to download and debug the project.



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Renesas RX62N Quick Start Guide

This section contains a description of the steps required to run the AD7730 demonstration project on a Renesas RX62N platform.

Required Hardware

- Renesas Demo Kit for RX62N (Renesas)
- EVAL-AD7730LEBZ(ADI)

Required Software

- High-performance Embedded Workshop for RX62N family

Hardware Setup

An EVAL-AD7730LEBZ board has to be interfaced with the Renesas Demonstration Kit (RDK) for RX62N:

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  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 3 (CS)    → YRDKRX62N J8 connector Pin
15
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 5 (DIN)   → YRDKRX62N J8 connector Pin
19
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 7 (DOUT)  → YRDKRX62N J8 connector Pin
22
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 1 (SCLK)  → YRDKRX62N J8 connector Pin
20
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 6 (DGND)  → YRDKRX62N J8 connector Pin
4
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 2 (RDY)   → YRDKRX62N JN1 connector
Pin 18
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 4 (RESET) → YRDKRX62N JN1 connector
Pin 16
  EVAL-AD7730LEBZ SKT1 connector Pin 9 (SYNC)  → YRDKRX62N JN1 connector
Pin 17
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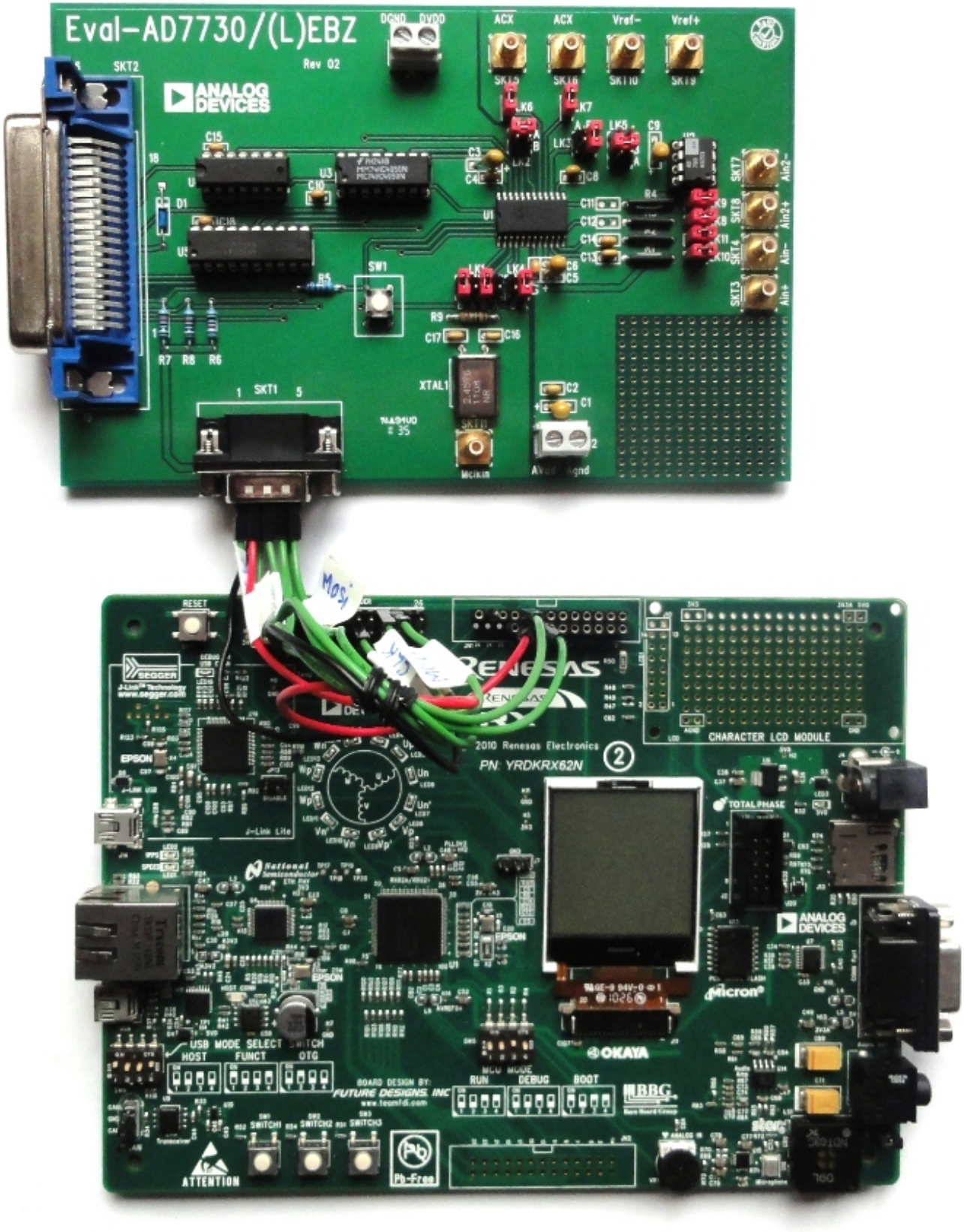


Reference Project Overview

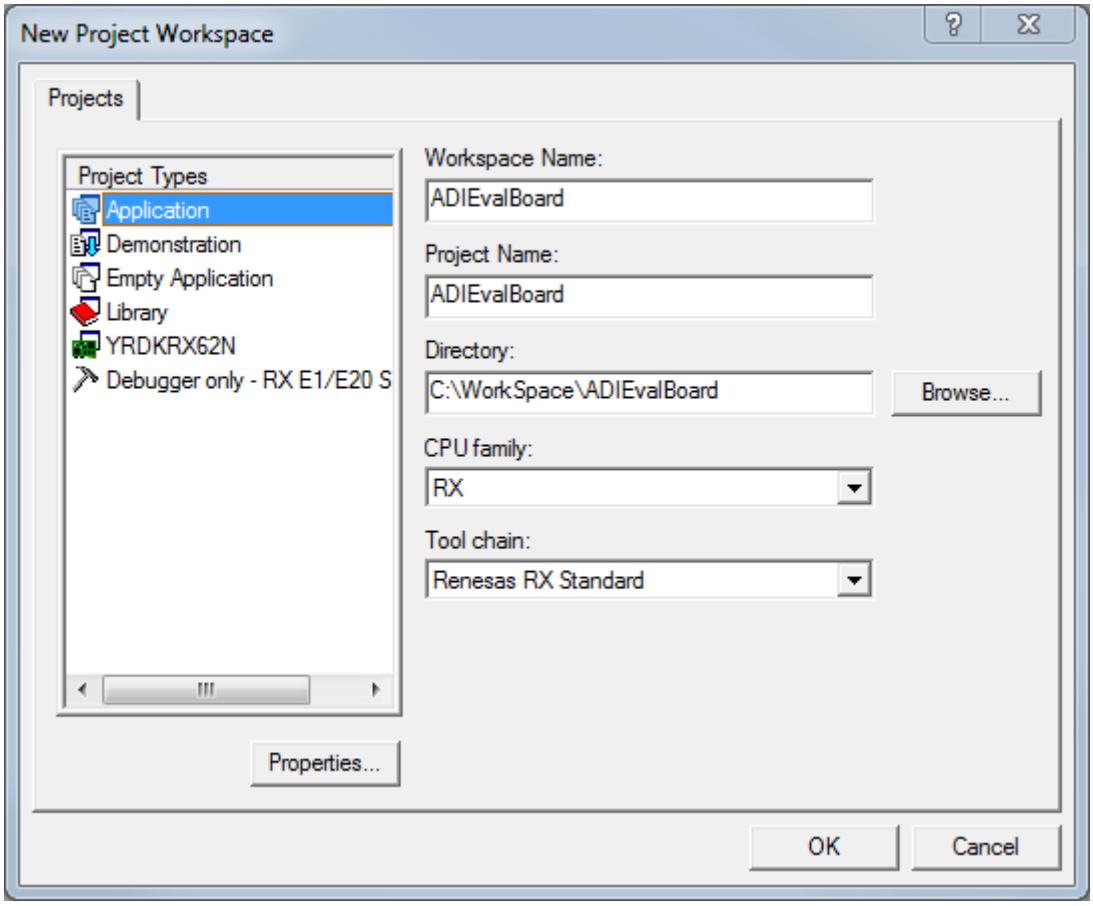
The reference project initializes the device, calibrates it and performs single and continuous reads of

an analog signal. The results are displayed on the LCD.

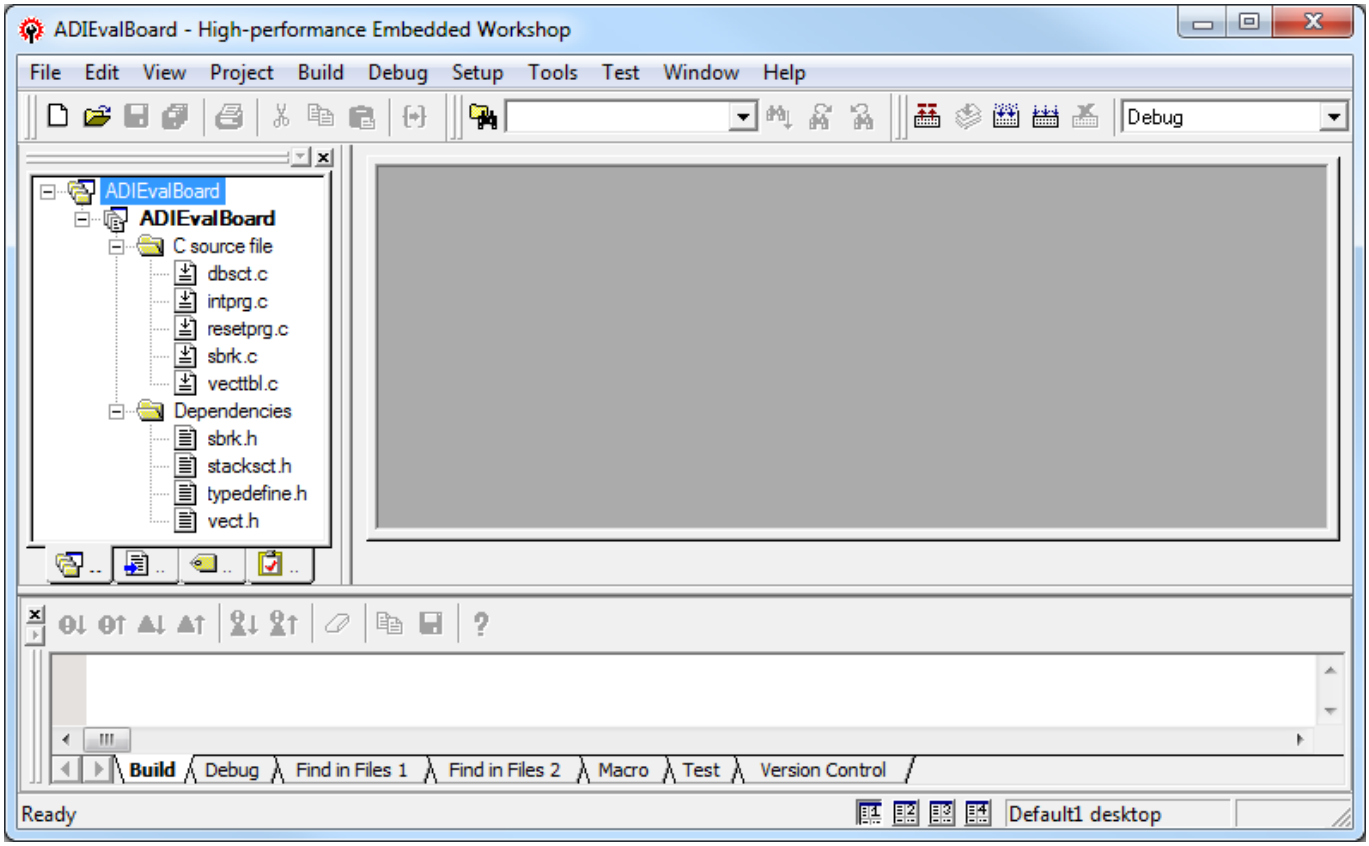
Software Project Setup

This section presents the steps for developing a software application that will run on the ***Renesas Demo Kit for RX62N*** for controlling and monitoring the operation of the ADI part.

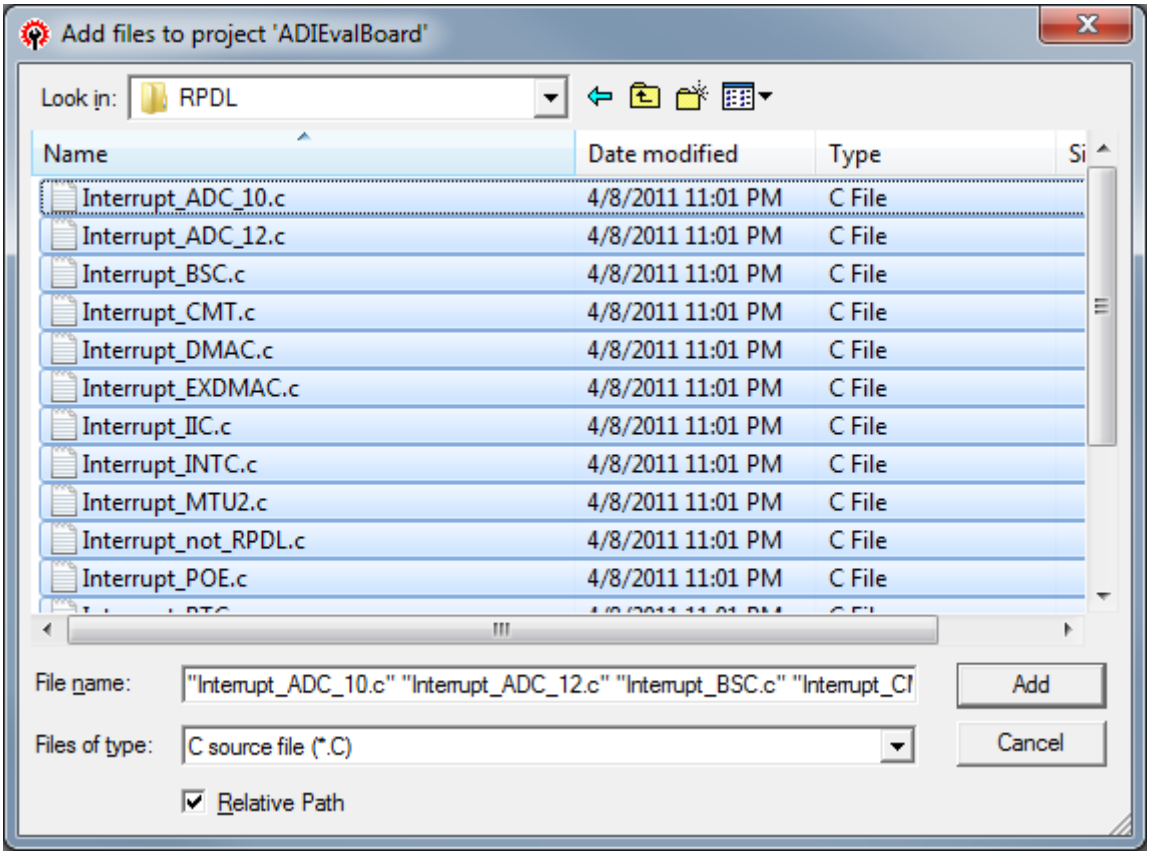
- Run the ***High-performance Embedded Workshop*** integrated development environment.
- A window will appear asking to create or open project workspace. Choose “Create a new project workspace” option and press *OK*.
- From “*Project Types*” option select “*Application*”, name the Workspace and the Project “ *ADIEvalBoard*”, select the “*RX*” CPU family and “*Renesas RX Standard*” tool chain. Press *OK*.



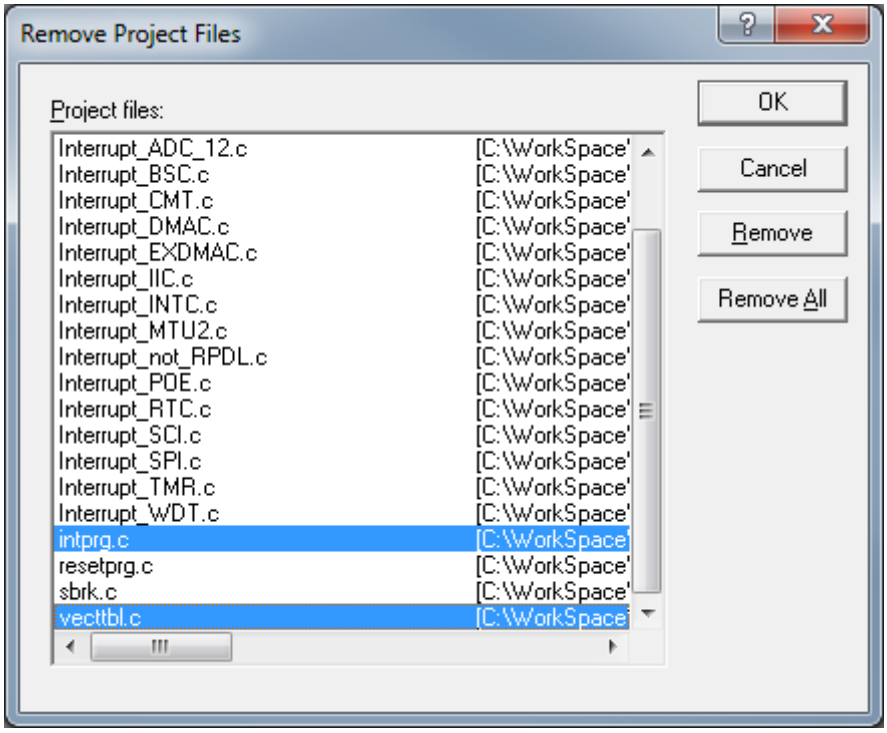
- A few windows will appear asking to configure the project:
  - In the "*Select Target CPU*" window, select "*RX600*" CPU series, "*RX62N*" CPU Type and press *Next*.
  - In the "*Option Setting*" windows keep default settings and press *Next*.
  - In the "*Setting the Content of Files to be generated*" window select "*None*" for the "*Generate main() Function*" option and press *Next*.
  - In the "*Setting the Standard Library*" window press "Disable all" and then *Next*.
  - In the "*Setting the Stack Area*" window check the "*Use User Stack*" option and press *Next*.
  - In the "*Setting the Vector*" window keep default settings and press *Next*.
  - In the "*Setting the Target System for Debugging*" window choose "*RX600 Segger J-Link*" target and press *Next*.
  - In the "*Setting the Debugger Options*" and "*Changing the Files Name to be created*" windows keep default settings, press *Next* and *Finish*.
- The workspace is created.



- The RPDL (Renesas Peripheral Driver Library) has to integrated in the project. Unzip the RPDL files (double-click on the file "*RPDL_RX62N.exe*"). Navigate to where the RPDL files were unpacked and double-click on the "*Copy_RPDL_RX62N.bat*" to start the copy process. Choose the LQFP package, type the full path where the project was created and after the files were copied, press any key to close the window.
- The new source files have to be included in the project. Use the key sequence *Alt, P, A* to open the "*Add files to project 'ADIEvalBoard'*" window. Double click on the RPDL folder. From the "*Files of type*" drop-down list, select "*C source file (*.C)*". Select all of the files and press *Add*.

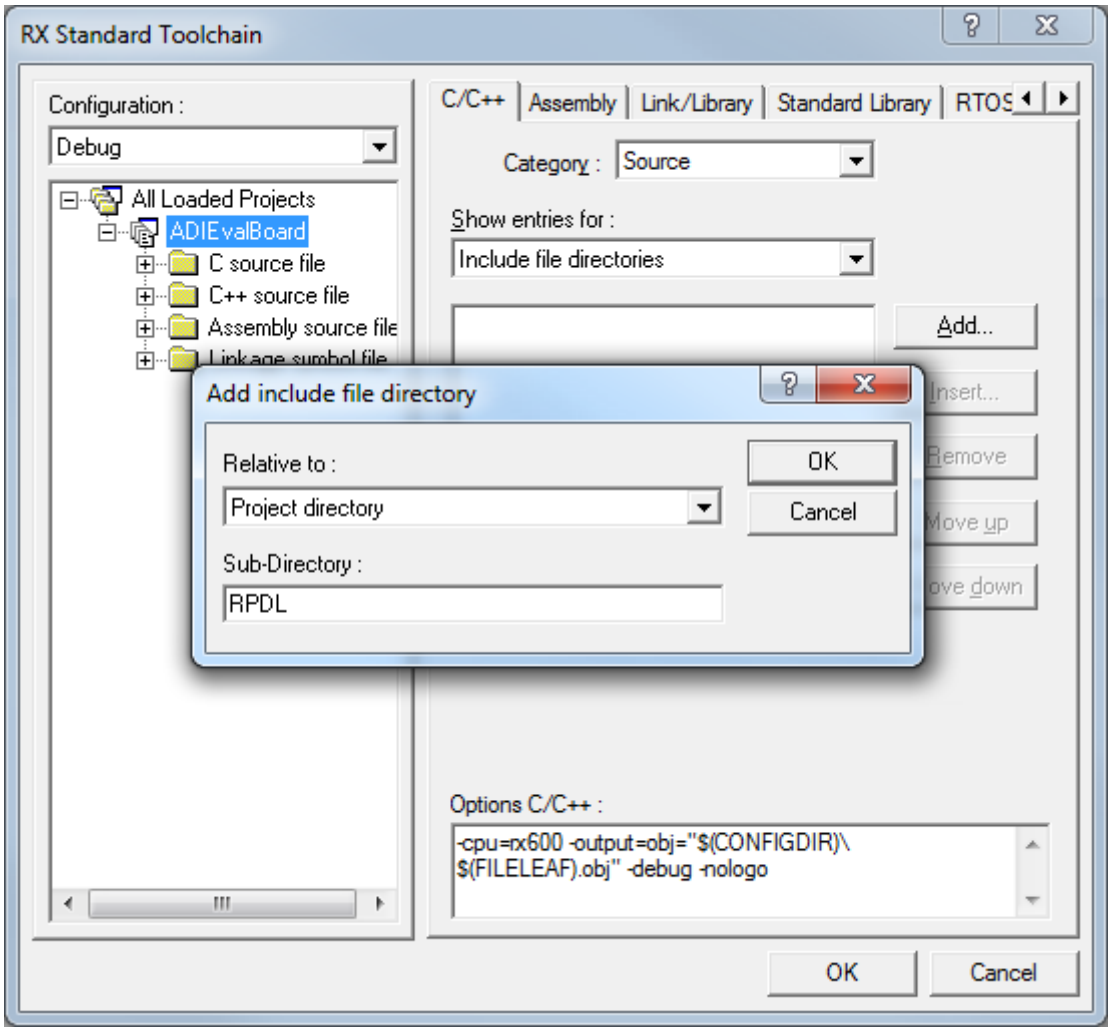


- To avoid conflicts with standard project files remove the files "*intprg.c*" and "*vecttbl.c*" which are included in the project. Use the key sequence *Alt, P, R* to open the "*Remove Project Files*" window. Select the files, click on Remove and press *OK*.

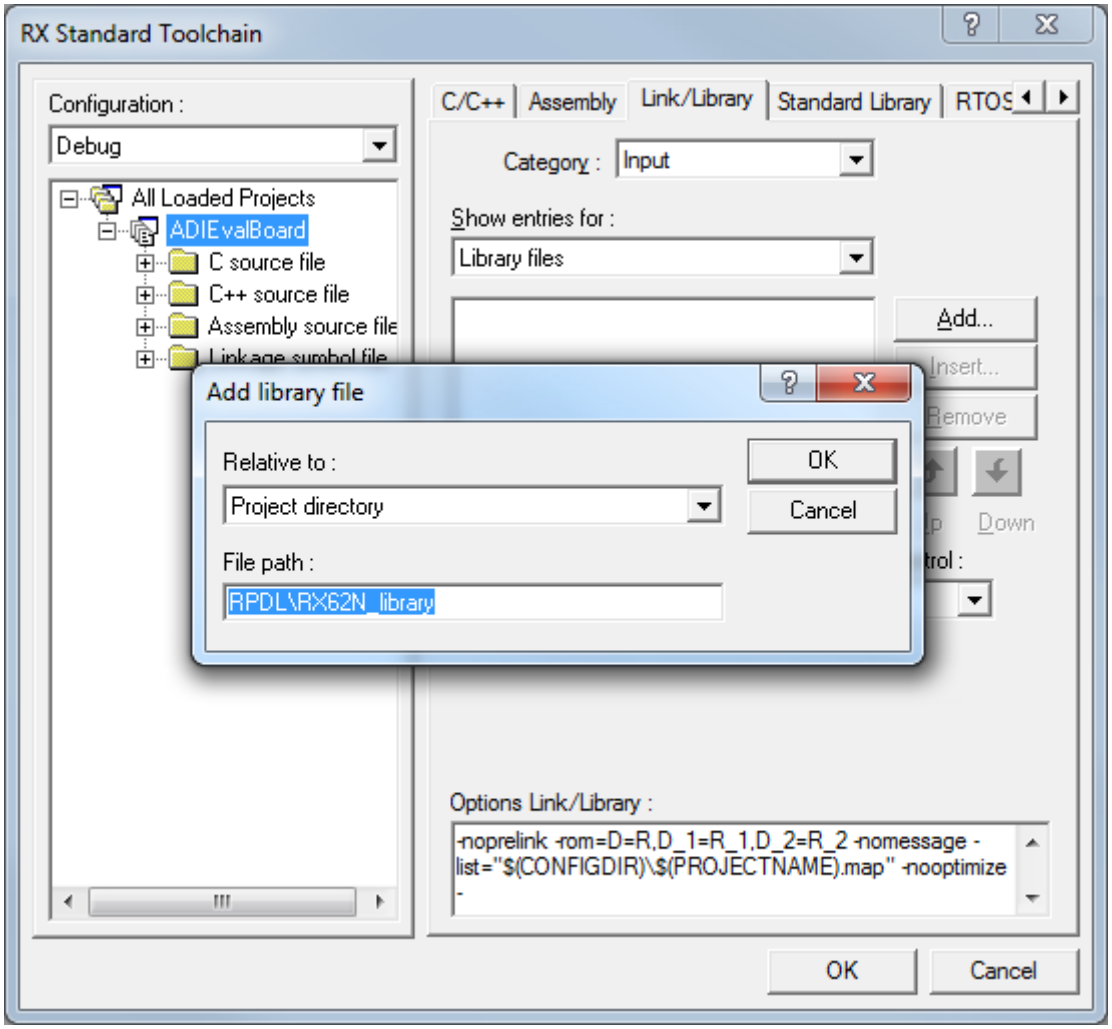


- Next the new directory has to be included in the project. Use the key sequence *Alt, B, R* to open the "*RX Standard Toolchain*" window. Select the C/C++ tab, select "*Show entries for: Include file directories*" and press *Add*. Select "*Relative to: Project directory*", type "*RPDL*" as sub-directory and

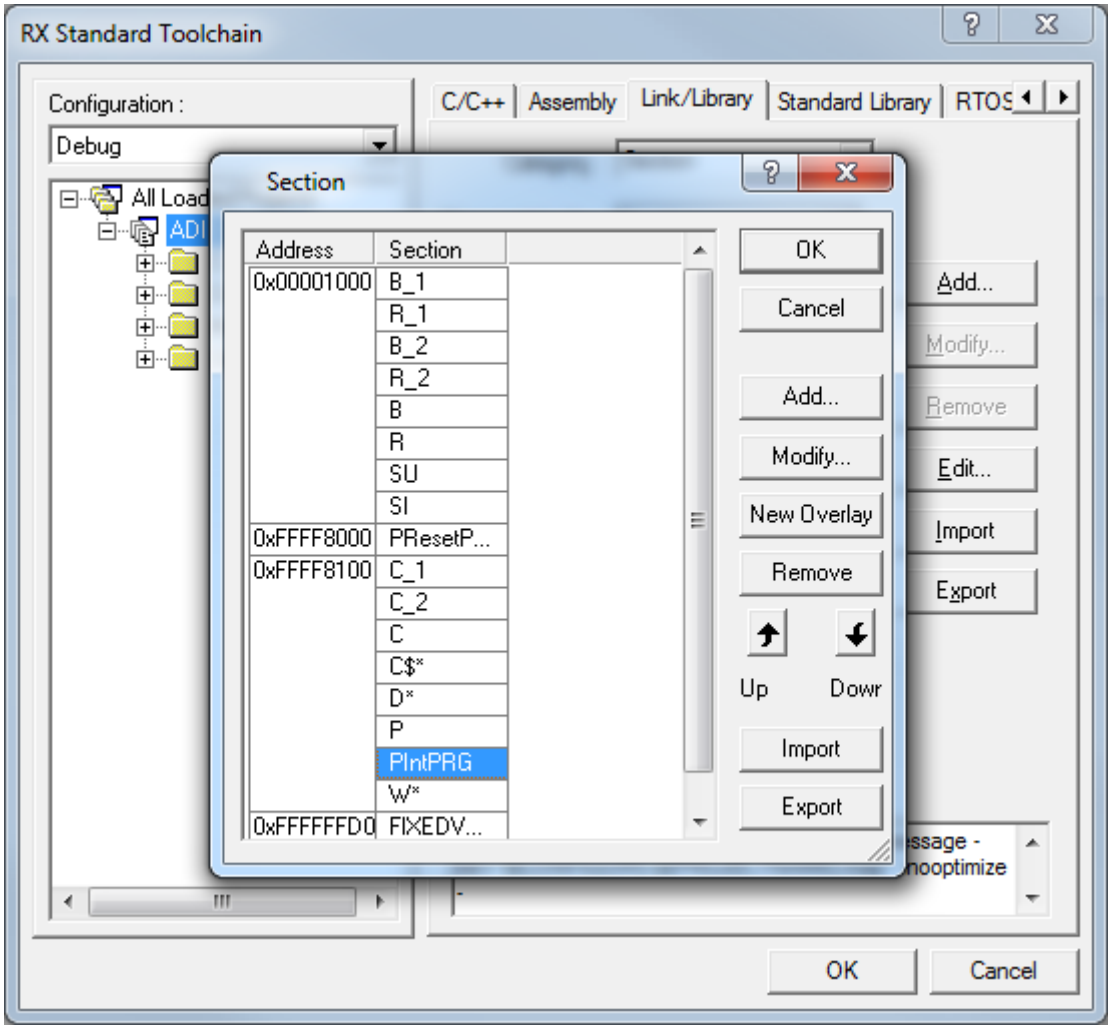
press *OK*.



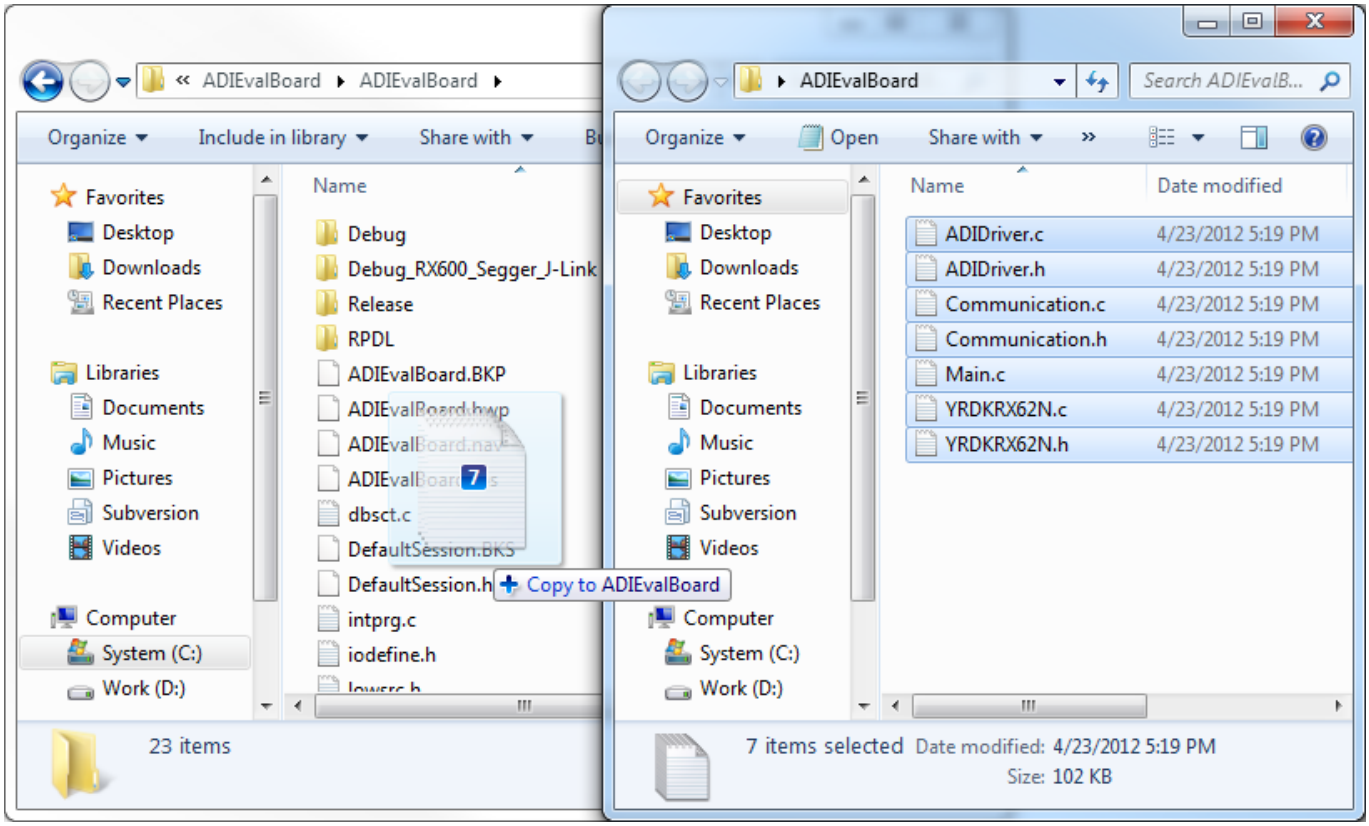
- The library file path has to be added in the project. Select the Link/Library tab, select "*Show entries for: Library files*" and press *Add*. Select "*Relative to: Project directory*", type "*RPDL\RX62N_library*" as file path and press *OK*.



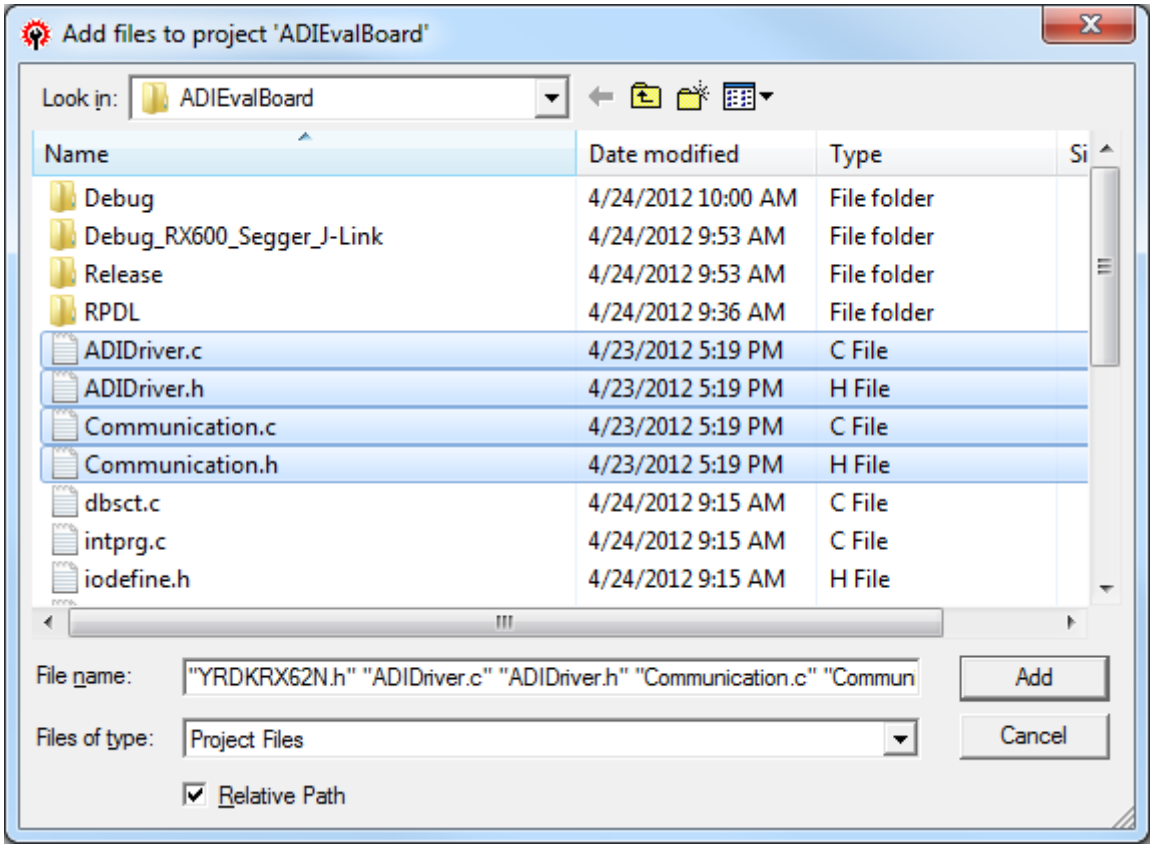
- Because the "*intprg.c*" file was removed the "*PIntPrg*" specified in option "*start*" has to be removed. Change "*Category*" to "*Section*". Press "*Edit*", select "*PIntPRG*" and press "*Remove*". From this window the address of each section can be also modified. After all the changes are made press *OK* two times.



- At this point the files extracted from the zip file located in the "*Software Tools*" section have to be added into the project. Copy all the files from the archive into the project folder.



- Now, the files have to be included in the project. Use the key sequence *Alt, P, A* to open the "*Add files to project 'ADIEvalBoard'*" window. Navigate into ADI folder. From the "*Files of type*" drop-down list, select "*Project Files*". Select all the copied files and press *Add*.



- Now, the project is ready to be built. Press *F7*. The message after the Build Process is finished has to

be “*0 Errors, 0 Warnings*”. To run the program on the board, you have to download the firmware into the microprocessor’s memory.

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More information

- ask questions about the Microcontroller no-OS Drivers
- Example questions:
  - Disable AD9361 HB1, HB2, HB3 and FIR filters by 85083074@qq.com
  - Xilinx AC701 issues with FMCOMMS4 by Raptor99
  - AD5780 & No-OS Driver by mleung
  - fmcomms2 No-OS software (SocKit + RFC AD9361), Unsupported PRODUCT_ID error by dpt_vkt
  - Run fmcomms2 No-OS software (Sockit+RFC ad9361) error by dpt_vkt

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