SRT-IMX8P

Gateway & Expansion Board

User's Manual 1st Ed

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Item		Quantity
•	SRT-IMX8P	1

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About this Document

This User's Manual contains all the essential information, such as detailed descriptions and explanations on the product's hardware and software features (if any), its specifications, dimensions, jumper/connector settings/definitions, and driver installation instructions (if any), to facilitate users in setting up their product.

Users may refer to the product page at AAEON.com for the latest version of this document.

Safety Precautions

Please read the following safety instructions carefully. It is advised that you keep this manual for future references

- 1. All cautions and warnings on the device should be noted.
- 2. Make sure the power source matches the power rating of the device.
- 3. Position the power cord so that people cannot step on it. Do not place anything over the power cord.
- 4. Always completely disconnect the power before working on the system's hardware.
- 5. No connections should be made when the system is powered as a sudden rush of power may damage sensitive electronic components.
- 6. If the device is not to be used for a long time, disconnect it from the power supply to avoid damage by transient over-voltage.
- 7. Always disconnect this device from any AC supply before cleaning.
- 8. While cleaning, use a damp cloth instead of liquid or spray detergents.
- 9. Make sure the device is installed near a power outlet and is easily accessible.
- 10. Keep this device away from humidity.
- 11. Place the device on a solid surface during installation to prevent falls
- 12. Do not cover the openings on the device to ensure optimal heat dissipation.
- 13. Watch out for high temperatures when the system is running.
- 14. Do not touch the heat sink or heat spreader when the system is running
- 15. Never pour any liquid into the openings. This could cause fire or electric shock.
- 16. As most electronic components are sensitive to static electrical charge, be sure to ground yourself to prevent static charge when installing the internal components. Use a grounding wrist strap and contain all electronic components in any static-shielded containers.

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 - i. Damaged power cord or plug
 - ii. Liquid intrusion to the device
 - iii. Exposure to moisture
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 - v. The device is dropped or damaged
 - vi. Any obvious signs of damage displayed on the device
- 18. DO NOT LEAVE THIS DEVICE IN AN UNCONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT WITH TEMPERATURES BEYOND THE DEVICE'S PERMITTED STORAGE TEMPERATURES (SEE CHAPTER 1) TO PREVENT DAMAGE.



This device complies with Part 15 FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Caution:

There is a danger of explosion if the battery is incorrectly replaced. Replace only with the same or equivalent type recommended by the manufacturer. Dispose of used batteries according to the manufacturer's instructions and your local government's recycling or disposal directives.

Attention:

Il y a un risque d'explosion si la batterie est remplacée de façon incorrecte. Ne la remplacer qu'avec le même modèle ou équivalent recommandé par le constructeur. Recycler les batteries usées en accord avec les instructions du fabricant et les directives gouvernementales de recyclage.

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	(Pb)	(Hg)	(Cd)	(Cr(VI))	(PBB)	(PBDE)	
印刷电路板	v	х	0	0	0	0	
及其电子组件	Х	^				O	
外部信号	V	V			0	0	
连接器及线材	Х	Х	0	0	0	O	

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Component	Lead (Pb)	Mercury (Hg)	Cadmium (Cd)	Hexavalent Chromium (Cr(VI))	Polybrominated Biphenyls (PBB)	Polybrominated Diphenyl Ethers (PBDE)	
PCB & Other Components	Х	X	0	0	0	0	
Wires & Connectors for External Connections	X	Х	0	0	0	0	

O: The quantity of poisonous or hazardous substances or elements found in each of the component's parts is below the SJ/T 11363-2006-stipulated requirement.

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Chapter 1

Product Specifications

1.1 Specifications

Support Protocol

System	
Processor	Arm® NXP i.MX8M Plus Quad-Core Cortex®-A53
	1.6GHz Processor (NPU Optional)
Memory	Onboard DDR4L 2GB (Optional 4GB)
Storage	eMMC 16G (Optional 32GB)
Real Time Clock	RTC x 1, with 3V CR2032 Lithium battery
Security	TPM 2.0
Indicators	Programmable LED control x 7
Cellular	Mini PCle Connector x 1 (USB signal)
Wi-Fi & Bluetooth	Mini PCle Connector x 1 (USB signal)
Operating System	Debian® 10

I/O	
Serial Port	RS-232/422/485 Switchable x 2, Phoenix Connector
Ethernet	Gigabit Ethernet x 2 (RJ-45)
USB	USB 3.0 x 2 (Type-A)
CAN Bus	CAN-FD x 2 CH, Phoenix Connector
Display	HDMI x 1 (Output)
Power Connector	2-Pin 3.81mm Pitch Phoenix Connector
Debug Port	Micro USB x 1
Expansion Slot	SIM Card Slot x 1
	MicroSD Slot x 1
Other Interfaces	_

Power Supply

Power Requirement DC 9-36V

Power Consumption 9.36W (Full Loading)

MTBF (Hours) 479,374

Environmental

Dimension 3.66" x 5.43" (93mm x 138mm)

Weight 0.7 lb. (0.35 Kg)

Mount Options —

Operation Temperature $-4^{\circ}\text{F} \sim 158^{\circ}\text{F} (-20^{\circ}\text{C} \sim 70^{\circ}\text{C})$

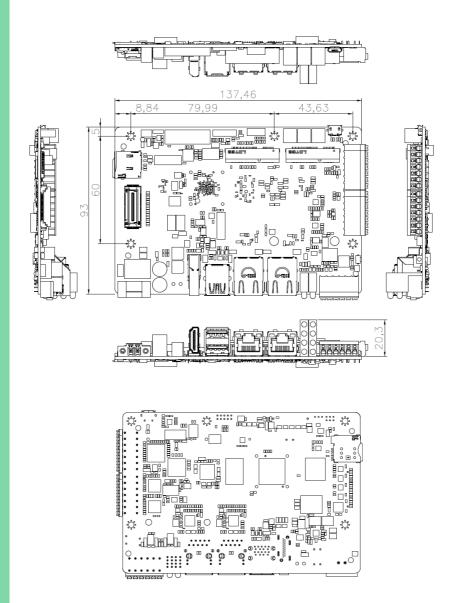
Storage Temperature $-40^{\circ}\text{F} \sim 176^{\circ}\text{F} (-40^{\circ}\text{C} \sim 80^{\circ}\text{C})$

Operation Humidity 10% ~ 95% relative humidity, non-condensing

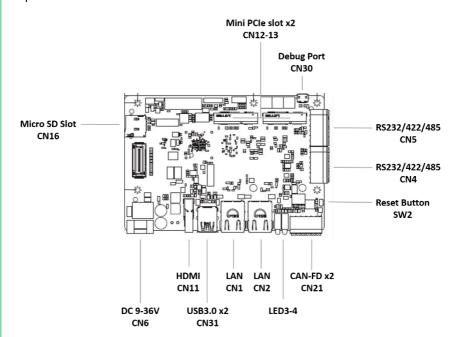
Certification CE/FCC

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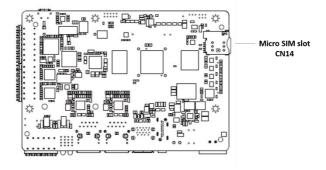
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2.3 List of Connectors

The SRT-IMX8P features several connectors which can be configured for your application. This section details those connections and their specifications.

Label	Function
CN6	DC 9-36V Power
CN11	HDMI Port
CN31	USB 3.0 Port
CN1/2	Giga LAN Port
LED3/4	Indicators Light
CN21	CAN-FD Port
SW2	Reset Button
CN4/5	RS-232/422/485 Port
CN14	Micro SIM Slot
CN16	Micro SD Slot
CN12/13	Mini PCle Slot
CN30	Debug Port



The gateway can accept DC 9-36V input though a 2-pin phoenix connector.

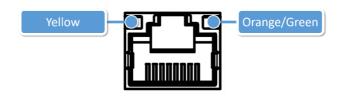
Note: Input connector should be secured by 18-24mm AWG wire and torque value of 2kg lb.-in.

2.3.2 HDMI Port (CN11)

The HDMI support port enables video output to an external display.

2.3.3 USB 3.0 Port (CN31)

The USB 3.0 is a Type-A connector, and can also support USB mass storage.

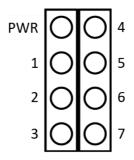


The standard RJ-45 LAN Jack provides connection to the Local Area Network (LAN).

LED	Function	Status	
Yellow	Active status	ON: LAN link is established.	
		OFF: LAN link is not established.	
		Blink: Data received and transmitted.	
Orange/Green	Link Speed status	Green on: 100Mbps.	
	Z Speed status	Orange on: 1000Mbps.	

User can control the 7 LED via the GPIO.

The control command for LED 1:

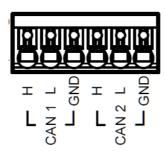


Control Command	
Turn On	m0cli -c 0 -i 1 -v 1
Turn Off	m0cli -c 0 -i 1 -v 0

Note: i: LED number.

2.3.6 CAN-FD Port (CN21)

Provides two phoenix CANbus ports for external device connection.



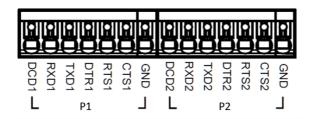
Check Chapter 3 for more information.

2.3.7 Reset Button (SW2)

Press the button to reboot the OS.

2.3.8 RS-232/422/485 Port (CN4/CN5)

Provides two phoenix connectors for RS-232/422/485 interface.



Check chapter 3 for more information.

2.3.9 Micro SIM Slot (CN14)

User can insert the micro SIM card into the slot when using an LTE module via the mini card slot.

2.3.10 MicroSD Slot (CN16)

User can increase the available storage by insert the microSD card.

2.3.11 Mini PCle slot (CN12/CN13)

The two slots support Wi-Fi or 4G LTE modules.

2.3.12 Debug Port (CN30)

Log into the gateway's Linux OS via SSH by debug port (Micro USB type).

Serial Port Settings		
Baud rate	115200 bps	
Parity	None	
Data bits	8	
Stop bits	1	
Flow Control	None	

See Chapter 3 for further information.

2.4 Wireless Hardware Setup

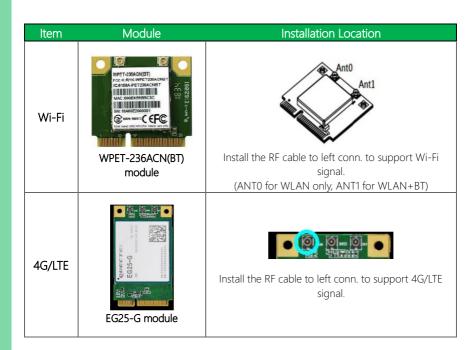
SRT-IMX8P features mini PCIe slots and a Micro SIM card slot for connecting to wireless networks such as 4G LTE and WiFi. This section details how to install a SIM Card, 4G/LTE module, and WiFi module.

2.4.1 Mini Card Installation

Insert the 4G/LTE, or Wi-Fi/BT module into the slot and connect the RF coaxial cable to the module.

Note: The installation slots are the same as the below image.





2.4.2 SIM Card Installation

To install a SIM Card (Micro SIM) simply insert the SIM Card into the slot as shown. Ensure the card is correctly oriented.







To install an SD Card simply insert it into the slot as shown. Ensure the card is correctly oriented.



SD Card Installation





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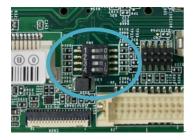
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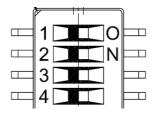
3.1 Connecting to the System

When connecting a PC or laptop to the SRT-IMX8P, using PuTTY with Windows 10 is recommended. Users can download the software from the PuTTY website.

Step 1: Download the PuTTY tools: https://www.putty.org/.

Step 2: Switch jumper (SW3) to 0010. (Factory default settings).



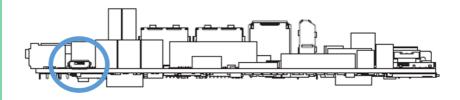


PIN 1, 2, 4: Switch to OFF.

PIN 3: Switch to ON.

Step 3: Connect the gateway via a USB cable.

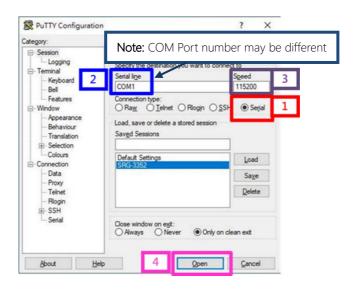
Connect your computer to the SRT-IMX8P using the Micro USB port.

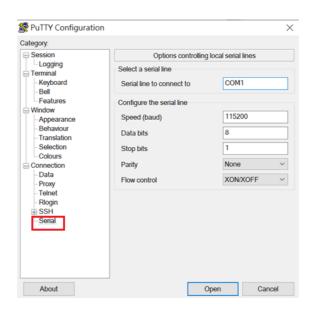


Step 4: Open Device Manager and locate Multifunction Composite Gadget. Double click on the device. A pop-up should appear, with a notice that the CDC Serial is unrecognized



Step 5: Open the PuTTY application. In the configuration menu, type in the COM port and type 115200 in the Speed column. Select "Serial" under the Connection Type heading, then click the Open button to run PuTTY..





Step 6: Log into the system using the below credentials.

Username: root

Password: aaeon

You will see a welcome message when you have successfully connected to the gateway.

```
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imx8mm-bse login: [ 17.311289] usb 1-1: new high-speed USB device number 4 usi ng xhci-hcd
[ 25.827612] usb 1-1: new high-speed USB device number 5 using xhci-hcd
[ 26.026608] hub 1-1:1.0: USB hub found
[ 26.030989] hub 1-1:1.0: USB hub found
[ 26.107758] usb 2-1: new SuperSpeed Gen 1 USB device number 5 using xhci-hcd
[ 26.177147] hub 2-1:1.0: USB hub found
[ 26.175228] hub 2-1:1.0: 4 ports detected
[ 33.765287] can1-stby: disabling
[ 33.765287] can1-stby: disabling
[ 33.765732] and 2-stby: disabling
[ 33.765732] and 2-stby: disabling
[ 33.765732] can2-stby: disabling
[ 33.765732] c
```

This section will show you how to manage user accounts on this system.

3.2.1 To Add a User Account

Command Line:

\$ sudo useradd USERACCOUNT

E.g. (USERACCOUNT: jonny)

\$ sudo adduser jonny

When successful, output will display as below.

Command Line:

\$ sudo userdel USERACCOUNT

E.g. (USERACCOUNT: jonny)

\$ sudo userdel jonny

When successful, output will display as below.

aaeon@imx8mm-bse:~\$ sudo userdel jonny
[sudo] password for aaeon:

This section will show you how to operate the I/O function.

Control GPIO

Command:

gpionum: 85

Set GPIO direction:

E.g.

echo 85 > /sys/class/gpio/export echo "out" > /sys/class/gpio/gpio85/direction

Set GPIO ON:

E.g.

echo 1 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio85/value

Set GPIO OFF:

E.g.

echo 0 > /sys/class/qpio/qpio85/value

When successful, output will display as below.

root@imx8mm-bse:~# echo 1 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio85/value
root@imx8mm-bse:~# echo 0 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio85/value

System Name	Position	Pin Definition		
	C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C		Definition	
	CAN1 H	1	Н	
can0	<u> </u>	2	L	
	CAN1	3	GND	
	CAN 1 L CGND 1 H CAN 2 L CAN 2 L CGND	Pin	Definition	
1		1	Н	
can1		2	L	
	CAN2	3	GND	

CANBus Read/Write

The two ports can be connected to each other, as below:

Command:

Run CANBus script:

```
ifconfig can0 down
ip link set can0 type can loopback off
ip link set can0 type can bitrate 1000000 triple-sampling on
ifconfig can1 down
ip link set can1 type can loopback off
ip link set can1 type can bitrate 1000000 triple-sampling on
ifconfig can0 up
ifconfig can1 up

candump can0&
candump can1&
cansend can0 111#1122334455667788
cansend can1 111#8877665544332211
```

When successful, output will display as below.

```
[ 2652.680273] IPv6: ADDRCONF(NETDEV_CHANGE): can0: link becomes ready [ 2652.603917] can: controller area network core [ 2652.608374] NET: Registered protocol family 29 [ 2652.623926] can: raw protocol can0 111 [8] 11 22 33 44 55 66 77 88 can1 111 [8] 11 22 33 44 55 66 77 88 [ 2653.603356] IPv6: ADDRCONF(NETDEV_CHANGE): can1: link becomes ready can1 111 [8] 88 77 66 55 44 33 22 11 can0 111 [8] 88 77 66 55 44 33 22 11
```

System Name	Position	RS232		RS422		RS485	
	L 61 1	Pin	Definition	Pin	Definition	Pin	Definition
	GND CTS1 TYDI TYDI RXDI	1	-	1	DCD1	1	DCD1
		2	RXD1	2	RXD1	2	RXD1
/dev/ttym	COM P1	3	TXD1	3	TXD1	3	-
xc0	(CN4)	4	-	4	DTR1	4	-
		5	-	5	-	5	-
		6	-	6	-	6	-
		7	GND	7	GND	7	GND
	6ND CRS CRS	Pin	Definition	Pin	Definition	Pin	Definition
		1	-	1	DCD2	1	DCD2
		2	RXD2	2	RXD2	2	RXD2
/dev/ttym	COM P2	3	TXD2	3	TXD2	3	-
xc2 (CN5	(CNIE)	4	-	4	DTR2	4	-
	(CN5)	5	-	5	-	5	-
		6	-	6	-	6	-
		7	GND	7	GND	7	GND

Check/Switch RS-232/422/485 Mode

Command:

Check Current Mode:

COM P1 (CN4):

Mode 0 – GPIO85 Signal Inversion					
Mode 1 – GPIO86 Signal Inversion					
Switch Function	Mode 0	Mode 1	GPIO85	GPIO86	Function
Signal	1	0	0	1	RS-232
(High/Low)					
Signal	0	1	1	0	RS-485
(High/Low)					
Signal	1	1	0	0	RS-485/RS-
(High/Low)					422

COM P2 (CN5):

Mode 0 – GPIO87 Signal Inversion						
Mode 1 – GPIO12 Signal Inversion						
Switch Function	Mode 0	Mode 1	GPIO87	GPIO12	Function	
Signal	1	0	0	1	RS-232	
(High/Low)						
Signal	0	1	1	0	RS-485	
(High/Low)						
Signal	1	1	0	0	RS-485/RS-	
(High/Low)					422	

RS232 Mode GPIO control:

echo 0 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio85/value echo 1 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio86/value echo 0 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio87/value echo 1 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio12/value

RS485 Mode GPIO control:

echo 1 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio85/value echo 0 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio86/value echo 1 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio87/value echo 0 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio12/value

RS422 Mode GPIO control:

echo 0 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio85/value echo 0 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio86/value echo 0 > /sys/class/gpio/gpio87/value echo 0 > /sys/class/qpio/gpio12/value

3.6.1 Check the IP Setting

Command:

\$ nmcli dev sh

NETWORKPROFILE -> It should be:

Profile	Support Hardware	
LAN1	LAN 1	
LAN0	LAN 2	
Modem	4G LTE Module	

```
bse:~# nmcli dev sh
GENERAL TYPE:
GENERAL TYPE:
GENERAL HWADDR:
GENERAL MTU:
GENERAL STATE:
GENERAL CONNECTION:
GENERAL CONPATH:
                                                                                              ethernet
A2:A6:69:56:C8:57
                                                                                              Wired connection 1
/org/freedesktop/NetworkManager/ActiveCo
WIRED-PROPERTIES.CARRIER:
IP4.ADDRESS[1]:
                                                                                              172.16.20.254

dst = 0.0.0.0/0, nh = 172.16.20.254, mt

dst = 172.16.20.0/24, nh = 0.0.0.0, mt =
IP4.GATEWAY:

IP4.ROUTE[1]:

IP4.ROUTE[2]:

IP4.DNS[1]:

IP4.DNS[2]:

IP4.DOMAIN[1]:
P6.ROUTE[1]:
GENERAL.TYPE:
GENERAL.HWADDR:
GENERAL.MTU:
GENERAL.CONNECTION:
GENERAL.CON-PATH:
                                                                                              Wired connection 2
/org/freedesktop/NetworkManager/ActiveCo
                                                                                              /orly/reducence/

172.16.20.135/24

172.16.20.254

dst = 0.0.0.0/0, nh = 172.16.20.254, mt

dst = 172.16.20.0/24, nh = 0.0.0.0, mt =

172.16.1.2
WIRED-PROPERTIES.CARRIER:
IP4.ADDRESS[1]:
IP4.ROUTE[1]:
IP4.ROUTE[2]:
IP4.DNS[1]:
IP4.DNS[2]:
IP4.DOMAIN[1]:
IP6.ADDRESS[1]:
IP6.ROUTE[1]:
IP6.ROUTE[2]:
```

Enter edit mode.

Command:

\$ sudo nmcli connection add con-name eth0 type ethernet ifname eth0 ip4 192.16.12.21/24

\$ sudo nmcli connection up eth0

\$ sudo nmcli connection add con-name eth1 type ethernet ifname eth1 ip4

192.16.12.26/24

\$ sudo nmcli connection up eth1

\$ sudo nmcli dev sh

```
aaeon@imx8mm-bse:~$ sudo nmcli dev sh
GENERAL.DEVICE:
GENERAL.TYPE:
GENERAL.HWADDR:
GENERAL.MTU:
GENERAL.STATE:
                                                       100 (connected)
GENERAL.CONNECTION:
GENERAL.CON-PATH:
IP4.ADDRESS[1]:
IP4.ROUTE[1]:
IP6.ADDRESS[1]:
                                                       dst = 192.16.12.0/24, nh = 0.0.0.0, mt =
IP6.GATEWAY:
IP6.ROUTE[1]:
IP6.ROUTE[2]:
                                                       dst = ff00::/8, nh = ::, mt = 256
GENERAL.DEVICE:
GENERAL.TYPE:
GENERAL.HWADDR:
GENERAL.MTU:
GENERAL.STATE:
GENERAL.CONNECTION:
GENERAL.CON-PATH:
WIRED-PROPERTIES.CARRIER: IP4.ADDRESS[1]:
IP4.ROUTE[1]:
IP6.ADDRESS[1]:
                                                       dst = 192.16.12.0/24, nh = 0.0.0.0, mt = fe80::642f:d114:39c6:330c/64
IP6.ROUTE[1]:
IP6.ROUTE[2]:
```

Enter edit mode:

Command:

\$ sudo nmcli connection mod eth0 ipv4.method auto

\$ sudo nmcli con mod eth0 -ipv4.addresses "192.16.12.21/24"

\$ sudo nmcli connection up eth0

\$ sudo nmcli connection mod eth1 ipv4.method auto

\$ sudo nmcli con mod eth1 -ipv4.addresses "192.16.12.26/24"

\$ sudo nmcli connection up eth1

\$ sudo nmcli dev sh

```
aaeon@imx8mm-bse:~$ sudo nmcli dev sh
 GENERAL.TYPE:
GENERAL.HWADDR:
 GENERAL.MTU:
GENERAL.STATE:
 GENERAL.CONNECTION:
 GENERAL.CON-PATH:
WIRED-PROPERTIES.CARRIER:
IP4.ADDRESS[1]:
                                                                     dst = 0.0.0.0/0, nh = 172.16.20.254, mt dst = 172.16.20.0/24, nh = 0.0.0.0, mt =
IP4.GATEWAY:
IP4.ROUTE[1]:
IP4.ROUTE[2]:
IP4.DNS[1]:
IP4.DNS[2]:
                                                                     aaeon.com.tw
IP6.ROUTE[1]:
IP6.ROUTE[2]:
                                                                     dst = fe80::/64, nh = ::, mt = 103
dst = ff00::/8, nh = ::, mt = 256
GENERAL.TYPE:
GENERAL.HWADDR:
 GENERAL.MTU:
GENERAL.STATE:
GENERAL.CONNECTION:
 GENERAL.CON-PATH:
WIRED-PROPERTIES.CARRIER:
IP4.ADDRESS[1]:
                                                                     172.16.20.254

dst = 0.0.0.0/0, nh = 172.16.20.254, mt

dst = 172.16.20.0/24, nh = 0.0.0.0, mt =
IP4.GATEWAY:

IP4.ROUTE[1]:

IP4.ROUTE[2]:

IP4.DNS[1]:

IP4.DNS[2]:

IP4.DOMAIN[1]:

IP6.ADDRESS[1]:
                                                                     aaeon.com.tw
                                                                     fe80::642f:d114:39c6:330c/64
IP6.GATEWAY:
IP6.ROUTE[1]:
IP6.ROUTE[2]:
```

3.7 Cellular Network Settings (Optional)

This section will show you how to check and setup the cellular network setting.

3.7.1 Check the Cellular Module Status

Step 1: Leave Command:

\$ apt-get install minicom

Then press 'Y'.

When successful, output will display as below.

Step 2: Leave Command:

\$ minicom -s



Step 3: Choose "Serial port setup", then press "A" to settings.

```
File transfer protocols

File transfer protocols

Serial port setup

Modem and dialing

Screen and keyboard

Save setup as dfl

Save setup as.

Exit

Exit from Minicom
```

Step 4: Leave Command:

\$ /dev/ttyUSB3

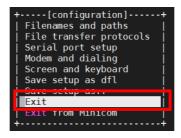
Finish setting configuration, then press "Enter", as below.

```
A - Serial Device : /dev/ttyUSB3

C - Callin Program :
D - Callout Program :
E - Bps/Par/Bits : 115200 8N1
F - Hardware Flow Control : Yes
G - Software Flow Control : No
H - RS485 Enable : No
I - RS485 Rts On Send : No
J - RS485 Rts After Send : No
K - RS485 Rx During Tx : No
L - RS485 Terminate Bus : No
M - RS485 Delay Rts Before: 0
N - RS485 Delay Rts After : 0

Change which setting?
```

Step 5: Choose "Exit" to leave the dialog.



Check if module is connected to the serial port:

Command:

\$ AT

Check the SIM card status:

Command:

\$ AT+CPIN?

Check module manufacturer information:

Command:

\$ ATI

Check setting APN:

Command:

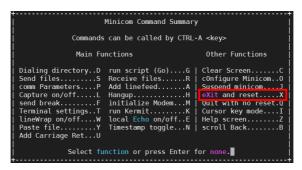
\$ AT+CGDCONT=1,"IPV4V6","internet"

Check 4G signal quality:

Command:

\$ AT+CGDCONT? \$ AT+CSQ

Step 1: Press "Ctrl +A".



Step 2: Press "X".

Step 3: Choose "Yes" then select "Enter" to leave Minicom.



Check the cellular module status

Command:

```
$ sudo su
# systemctl enable ModemManager
# sudo systemctl start ModemManager
# mmcli --list-modems
aaeon@imx8mm-bse:~$ mmcli --list-modems
/org/freedesktop/ModemManager1
Modem/0 [Quectel] EG25
```

mmcli -m 0

Result:

Cellular module will show "register" status when module is ready.

Fnable the cellular module

Command:

mmcli -m 0 -e

Result:

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# mmcli -m 0 -e
successfully enabled the modem
```

Dial up the cellular module

Command:

nmcli –a

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# nmcli -a
ttyUSB2: disconnected
  "Quectel EG25-G"
    gsm (option1, qmi_wwan_q), hw
```

nmcli c add con-name test type gsm ifname ttyUSB2 apn internet

Result:

```
\label{localization} \verb|root@imx8mm-bse:~ # nmcli c add con-name test type gsm ifname ttyUSB2 apn internet Connection 'test' (0017d5f2-bddb-41ab-b530-d15cedf896bc) successfully added.
```

Check the cellular module connection:

Command:

#ifconfig

Result:

ping 8.8.8.8

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# ping 8.8.8.8

PING 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8) 56(84) bytes of data.

64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=55 time=51.7 ms

64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=55 time=77.1 ms

64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=3 ttl=55 time=34.1 ms

64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=4 ttl=55 time=146 ms

64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=55 time=44.5 ms

64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=6 ttl=55 time=42.3 ms
```

3.8 Wi-Fi Network Settings (Optional)

This section will show you how to check and setup the wireless network like Wi-Fi.

3.8.1 Scan Wi-Fi Access Point

Command:

```
# depmod -a 5.10.9-1.0.0+g32513c25d8c7
# modprobe 88x2bu
# nmcli radio wifi on
# nmcli dev wifi list
```

Result:

3.8.2 Connect Wi-Fi Access Point

Command:

nmcli dev wifi connect 'SSID' password 'PASSWORD'

E.g.

nmcli dev wifi connect 'ABC' password '12345678'

SSID->Which you want to connect

PASSWORD->Password for the chosen SSID

Result:

```
root@imx8mm-bse:-# nmcli dev wifi connect 'ABC' password '12345678'
[ 540.617680] start_addr=(0x20000), end_addr=(0x40000), buffer_size=(0x20000), smp_number_max=(16384)
[ 551.627441] start_addr=(0x20000), end_addr=(0x40000), buffer_size=(0x20000), smp_number_max=(16384)
[ 558.717225] IPv6: ADDRCONF(NETDEV_CHANGE): wlan0' link becomes ready
Device 'wlan0' successfully activated with '72039d20-705d-497d-bfdb-73f036a0fe53'.
```

nmcli connect show -active

3.8.3 Check Wi-Fi signal

Command:

ping 8.8.8.8

Result:

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# ping 8.8.8.8

PING 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8) 56(84) bytes of data.

64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=54 time=551 ms

64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=54 time=64.1 ms

64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=3 ttl=54 time=31.1 ms
```

3.8.4 Disconnect Wi-Fi Access Point

Command:

sudo nmcli con down id 'SSID'

E.g.

sudo nmcli con down id 'ABC'

SSID->Which you want to disconnect

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# sudo nmcli con down id 'ABC'
Connection 'ABC' successfully deactivated (D-Bus active path: /org/freedesktop/NetworkManager/ActiveConnection/1)
```

Command:

nmcli connect show –active

Result:

The disconnected Wi-Fi status is shown in the picture as below:

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# nmcli connect show --active
```

nmcli dev

root@imx8mm-bse:~# nmcli dev						
DEVICE	TYPE	STATE	CONNECTION			
wlan0						
eth0	ethernet	unavailable				
eth1	ethernet	unavailable				
can0	can	unmanaged				
can1	can	unmanaged				
10	loopback	u <u>n</u> managed				

3.9 System Management

This section will show you how to check and setup system settings such as the OS version, RTC, etc.

3.9.1 Check OS version

Command:

\$ cat /etc/os-release

```
imx8mm-bse login: root
Password:
Last login: Fri Jul 22 06:16:47 UTC 2022 on ttymxc1
Linux imx8mm-bse 5.10.9-1.0.0+g32513c25d8c7 #1 SMP PREEMPT Tue Mar 9 02:17:18 UT
C 2021 aarch64
The programs included with the Debian GNU/Linux system are free software;
the exact distribution terms for each program are described in the
individual files in /usr/share/doc/*/copyright.
Debian GNU/Linux comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by applicable law
root limx8mm-bse:~# cat /etc/os-release
PRETIY_NAME="Debian GNU/Linux 10 (Duster)
NAME="Debian GNU/Linux"
VERSION_ID="10"
VERSION="10 (buster)"
VERSION_CODENAME=buster
ID=debian
HOME_URL="https://www.debian.org/"
SUPPORT_URL="https://www.debian.org/support"
BUG REPORT URL="https://bugs.debian.org/
IMAG E VERSION="V3"
```

Command:

\$df -h

Result:

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# df -h
Filesystem Size Used Avail Use% Mounted on
/dev/root 3.4G 2.5G 683M 79% /
devtmpfs 942M 0 942M 0% /dev
tmpfs 960M 0 960M 0% /dev/shm
tmpfs 384M 1.5M 383M 1% /run
tmpfs 5.0M 8.0K 5.0M 1% /run/lock
tmpfs 4.0M 0 4.0M 0% /sys/fs/cgroup
tmpfs 192M 0 192M 0% /run/user/0
```

3.9.3 Shutdown the System

Command:

Ś sudo shutdown now

3.9.4.1 Check the Current Date and Time

Command:

\$ hwclock

Result:

```
root@imx8mm-bse:/rootfs/test# sudo su
root@imx8mm-bse:/rootfs/test# date -s "20220329 16:13:00"; hwclock -w
Tue 29 Mar 2022 04:13:00 PM UTC
root@imx8mm-bse:/rootfs/test# hwclock
2022-03-29 16:13:14.880132+00:00
root@imx8mm-bse:/rootfs/test#
```

3.9.4.2 Set a New Date and Time

Command:

\$ date -s "YYYYMMDD hh:mm:ss"; hwclock -w

E.g.

```
$ date -s "20220803 15:30:00"; hwclock -w
YYYY->Year
MM->Month
DD->Date
hh->Hour
mm->Minute
ss->Second
```

This section will show you how to install Docker and setup the system settings.

Note: Ensure LAN cable is plugged in prior to setting up system settings.

Step 1: Leave Command:

sudo apt-get update

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# sudo apt-get update
```

Result:

```
Reading package lists... Done root@imx8mm-bse:~#
```

Step 2: Leave Command:

sudo apt-get install apt-transport-https ca-certificates curl gnupg Isbrelease

Then press "Y"

```
3. COM177 (USB Serial Port (COM17)
root@imx8mm-bse:~# sudo apt-get install apt-transport-https ca-certificates curl
gnupg lsb-release
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree... Done
Reading state information... Done
ca-certificates is already the newest version (20210119).
gnupg is already the newest version (2.2.27-2+deb11u2).
gnupg set to manually installed.
lsb-release is already the newest version (11.1.0).
The following packages were automatically installed and are no longer required:
  bsdmainutils cpp-8 libasan5 libck0 libcodec2-0.8.1 libcroco3 libevent-2.1-6
  libevent-core-2.1-6 libevent-pthreads-2.1-6 libgcc1:armhf libgssdp-1.0-3
  libgupnp-1.0-4 libice6 libicu63 libisl19 libjim6.77 libjsoncpp1 libmpdec2 libperl5.28 libpython2-stdlib libpython2.7-minimal libpython2.7-stdlib
  libpython3.7-minimal libpython3.7-stdlib libsm6 libx264-155 libxi6 libxtst6
  perl-modules-5.28 python2 python2-minimal python2.7 python2.7-minimal
  python3.7-minimal x11-common
Use 'sudo apt autoremove' to remove them.
The following NEW packages will be installed:
  apt-transport-https curl
0 upgraded, 2 newly installed, 0 to remove and 47 not upgraded.
Need to get 423 kB of archives.
After this operation, 597 kB of additional disk space will be used.
Do you want to continue? [Y/n]
```

Step 3: Leave Command:

curl -k -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/debian/gpg | sudo gpg --dearmor -o /usr/share/keyrings/docker-archive-keyring.gpg

Then press "Y"

Result:

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# curl -k -fsSL <a href="https://download.docker.com/linux/debian/gpg">https://download.docker.com/linux/debian/gpg</a> | sudo gpg --dearmor -o /usr/share/keyrings/docker-archive-keyring.gpg | File '/usr/share/keyrings/docker-archive-keyring.gpg' exists. Overwrite? (y/N)
```

Step 4: Leave Command:

```
# echo "deb [arch=$(dpkg --print-architecture) signed-
by=/usr/share/keyrings/docker-archive-keyring.gpg]
https://download.docker.com/linux/debian $(lsb_release -cs) stable" |
sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/docker.list > /dev/null
```

Result:

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# echo "deb [arch=$(dpkg --print-architecture) signed-by=/usr/s
hare/keyrings/docker-archive-keyring.gpg] https://download.docker.com/linux/debi
an $(lsb_release -cs) stable" | sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/docker.list > /
dev/null
root@imx8mm-bse:~#
```

Step 5: Leave Command:

sudo apt-aet update

```
root@imx8mm-bse:~# sudo apt-get update
Get:1 file:/var/lib/local-apt-repository ./ InRelease
Ign:1 file:/var/lib/local-apt-repository ./ InRelease
Get:2 file:/var/lib/local-apt-repository ./ Release [1,279 B]
Get:2 file:/var/lib/local-apt-repository ./ Release [1,279 B]
Get:3 file:/var/lib/local-apt-repository ./ Release.gpg
Ign:3 file:/var/lib/local-apt-repository ./ Release.gpg
Get:4 https://download.docker.com/linux/debian bullseye InRelease [43.3 kB]
Hit:5 https://deb.debian.org/debian bullseye InRelease
Hit:6 https://deb.debian.org/debian bullseye-backports InRelease
Get:7 https://download.docker.com/linux/debian bullseye/stable arm64 Packages [1
5.2 kB]
Fetched 58.5 kB in 1s (52.8 kB/s)
Reading package lists... Done
root@imx8mm-bse:~#
```

Step 6: Leave Command:

sudo apt-get install docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io

root@imx8mm-bse:~# sudo apt-get install docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io

Then press "Y"

```
Do you want to continue? [Y/n]
```

Step 7: Leave Command:

```
Modify /etc/docker/daemon.json (ex: vim)
{
"storage-driver": "overlay2"
}
```

Step 8: Restart the Device and Leave Command:

\$ sudo docker run hello-world

```
Hello from Docker!
This message shows that your installation appears to be working correctly.

To generate this message, Docker took the following steps:

1. The Docker client contacted the Docker daemon.

2. The Docker daemon pulled the "hello-world" image from the Docker Hub. (arm64v8)

3. The Docker daemon created a new container from that image which runs the executable that produces the output you are currently reading.

4. The Docker daemon streamed that output to the Docker client, which sent it to your terminal.

To try something more ambitious, you can run an Ubuntu container with:

$ docker run -it ubuntu bash

Share images, automate workflows, and more with a free Docker ID:

https://hub.docker.com/

For more examples and ideas, visit:

https://docs.docker.com/get-started/
```