Overview

This Host FatFs example supports UFI and SCSI U-disk device.

The application prints the attached device information when U-disk device is attached. The application executes some FatFs APIs to test the attached device.

System Requirement

Hardware requirements

- Mini/micro USB cable
- USB A to micro AB cable
- Hardware (Tower module/base board, and so on) for a specific device
- Personal Computer (PC)

Software requirements

• The project path is: <SDK_Install>/boards/<board>/usb_examples/usb_host_msd_fatfs/<rtos>/<toolchain>.

Note

The <rtos> is Bare Metal or FreeRTOS OS.

Getting Started

Hardware Settings

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• The Jumper settings: J21 1-2.
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Note

Set the hardware jumpers (Tower system/base module) to default settings.

Prepare the example

- 1. Download the program to the target board.
- 2. Power off the target board and power on again.
- 3. Connect devices to the board.

Note

For detailed instructions, see the appropriate board User's Guide.

Run the example

- 1. Connect the board UART to the PC and open the COM port in a terminal tool.
- 2. Plug in a HUB or a U-disk device to the board. The attached information prints out in the terminal.
- 3. The test information prints in the terminal. The "success" message prints when a FatFs API succeeds. The "fail" message prints when a FatFs API fails. The test completes when either the FatFs API fails or all the tests are done. The following figure is an example for attaching one U-disk device.



Figure 1: Attach U-disk device

4. To test the throughput, set the MSD_FATFS_THROUGHPUT_TEST_ENABLE to (1) in the file host_msd_fatfs.h. An additional 64 K RAM is required to test the throughput. The macro is only supported on TWR-K65F180M Tower System module and IAR IDE.

The throughput test process is as follows:

- Enable MSD_FATFS_THROUGHPUT_TEST_ENABLE.
- Format the U-disk in the PC. Select the "Allocation unit size" 32 K.
- Insert the U-disk. The throughput test starts. The following image shows an example.

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host init done
mass storage device attached:pid=0x5567vid=0x781 address=1
.....fatfs test.....
throughput test:
    write 51200KB data the speed is 3657 KB/s
    read 51200KB data the speed is 25600 KB/s
    write 51200KB data the speed is 2438 KB/s
    read 51200KB data the speed is 25600 KB/s
.....test done......
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Figure 2: Throughput test

Note

The throughput test only supports the TWR-K65F180M Tower System module.