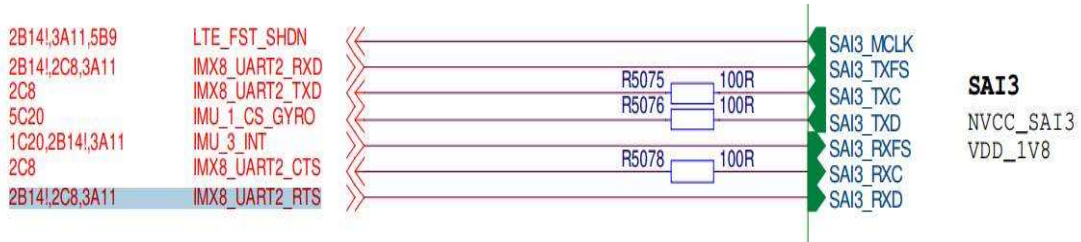


# Enabling IW416 Bluetooth on iMX8MM + Linux BSP

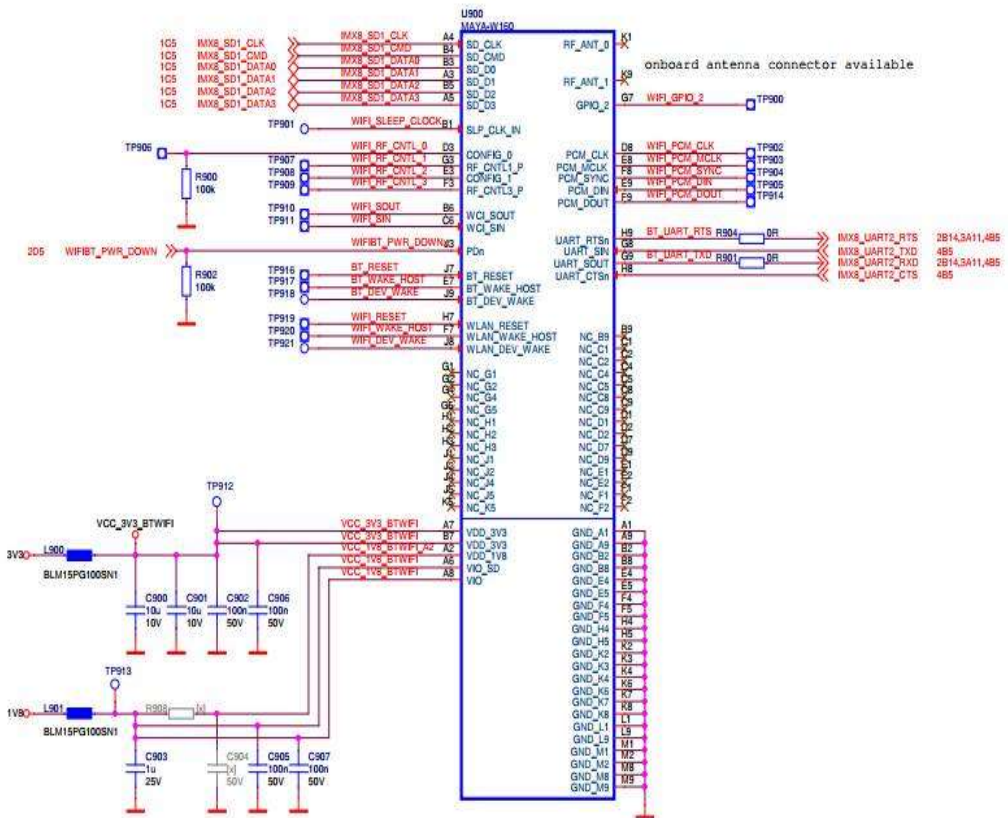
Using UART2 of iMX8MM For Bluetooth Communication

## 1. Hardware Connections



## MAYA-W160

BT v5.1/EDR & BTLE  
 WIFI a/b/g/n 2.4GHz (5.0GHz not used)  
 (dual antenna variant with onboard U.F.L connector)



### [Checking & Analysis]

--UART2 IO level between host & Bluetooth

- ✓ BT side : VIO = 1.8V
- ✓ CPU side : NVCC\_SAI3 = 1.8V

OK, matching level is no problem.

--Pdn pin of MAYA\_160

The pin should be pulled up to High before loading wifi/bt driver, which is power switch of MAYA\_160, the pin can also be used to reset the module.

--IO directions between CPU UART2 & UART of MAYA\_160

CPU UART2 DCE mode	CPU UART2 IOMUX PAD	MAYA_160 UART
UART2_DCE_RX (Input)	SAI3_TXFS	UART_SOUT (Output)
UART2_DCE_TX (Output)	SAI3_TXC	UART_SIN (Input)
UART2_DCE_CTS_B (Output)	SAI3_RXC	UART_CTSn (Input)
UART2_DCE_RTS_B (Input)	SAI3_RXD	UART_RTSn (output)

Comparing above schematic, UART IO connections are no problem.  
OK, Hardware design is no problem.

## 2. Software (taking L5.10.35\_2.0.0 as an example)

### 2.1 Comment original UART2 in device tree (imx8mm-evk.dtsi)

By default, UART2 is used for console, so original settings should be commented.

```
/*
    pinctrl_uart2: uart2grp {
        fsl,pins = <
            MX8MM_IOMUXC_UART2_RXD_UART2_DCE_RX 0x140
            MX8MM_IOMUXC_UART2_TXD_UART2_DCE_TX 0x140
        >;
    };
*/

/*
&uart2 { /* console */
    pinctrl-names = "default";
    pinctrl-0 = <&pinctrl_uart2>;
    status = "okay";
};
*/
```

### 2.2 adding UART2 to the device tree according hardware design

#### 2.2.1 UART2 pins IOMUX

```
pinctrl_uart2: uart2grp {
    fsl,pins = <
        MX8MM_IOMUXC_SAI3_TXFS_UART2_DCE_RX 0x140
        MX8MM_IOMUXC_SAI3_TXC_UART2_DCE_TX 0x140
        MX8MM_IOMUXC_SAI3_RXC_UART2_DCE_CTS_B 0x140
        MX8MM_IOMUXC_SAI3_RXD_UART2_DCE_RTS_B 0x140
    >;
};
```

#### 2.2.2 Adding UART2 node to the device tree

```
&uart2 {
    pinctrl-names = "default";
    pinctrl-0 = <&pinctrl_uart2>;
};
```

```

assigned-clocks = <&clk IMX8MM_CLK_UART2>;
assigned-clock-parents = <&clk IMX8MM_SYS_PLL1_80M>;
fsl,uart-has-rtscs;
status = "okay";
};

```

### 2.3 Handling PDn pin

Assume that above design uses **SD1\_RESET\_B**(R23 pin) to control PDn of MAYA\_160.

Add settings below:

#### ✓ Using mmc power sequence driver

```

{
.....

modem_reset: modem-reset {
    compatible = "gpio-reset";
    reset-gpios = <&gpio2 6 GPIO_ACTIVE_LOW>;
    reset-delay-us = <2000>;
    reset-post-delay-ms = <40>;
    #reset-cells = <0>;
};

usdhc1_pwrseq: usdhc1_pwrseq {
    compatible = "mmc-pwrseq-simple";
    pinctrl-names = "default";
    pinctrl-0 = <&pinctrl_usdhc1_gpio>;
    reset-gpios = <&gpio2 10 GPIO_ACTIVE_LOW>;
};
.....

```

#### ✓ Adding it to IOMUX node

```

.....

pinctrl_usdhc1_gpio: usdhc1grp_gpio {
    fsl,pins = <
        MX8MN_IOMUXC_SD1_RESET_B_GPIO2_IO10 0x41
    >;
};
.....

```

#### ✓ Adding *usdhc1\_pwrseq* to usdhc1 node

```

&usdhc1 {
.....
    mmc-pwrseq = <&usdhc1_pwrseq>;
...
}

```

Up to now, modification in device tree is done.

### 3. Getting IW416 Mass Market driver

#### 3.1 downloading driver

```
#git clone http://source.codeaurora.org/external/imx/mwifiex.git
#cd mwifiex
#git tag
android-11.0.0_2.0.0
android-11.0.0_2.2.0
android-11.0.0_2.2.0-imx&ulp-er
android-11.0.0_2.4.0
android-11.0.0_2.6.0
automotive-11.0.0_2.1.0
automotive-11.0.0_2.3.0
lf-5.10.35-2.0.0
lf-5.10.52-2.1.0
lf-5.10.72-2.2.0
lf-5.10.y-1.0.0
rel_imx_5.4.24_2.1.0
rel_imx_5.4.47_2.2.0
rel_imx_5.4.70_2.3.0
rel_imx_5.4.70_2.3.2
#git checkout lf-5.10.35-2.0.0
```

#### 3.2 downloading firmware

[https://github.com/NXP/imx-firmware/tree/lf-5.10.72\\_2.2.0/nxp](https://github.com/NXP/imx-firmware/tree/lf-5.10.72_2.2.0/nxp)

File	Commit Message	Time
..		
FwImage_8801_SD	FwImage: update firmware to mxm5x17283.p2	last mon
FwImage_8987	FwImage: update firmware to mxm5x17283.p2	last mon
FwImage_8997	FwImage: update firmware to mxm5x17283.p2	last mon
FwImage_8997_SD	FwImage: update firmware to mxm5x17283.p2	last mon
FwImage_9098_PCIE	FwImage: update firmware to mxm5x17283.p2	last mon
FwImage_IW416_SD	FwImage: update firmware to mxm5x17283.p2	last mon
SCR-nxp.txt	FwImage_8987: add 88v6987 firmware	2 years ago
android_wifi_mod_para.conf	[Android] FwImage: android_wifi_mod_para.conf merge changes	3 months ago
android_wifi_mod_para_powersave.conf	[Android] FwImage: android_wifi_mod_para.conf merge changes	3 months ago
wifi_mod_para.conf	FwImage: wifi_mod_para.conf: remove the wfd_name setting to use the d...	3 months ago

#### [Note]

The firmware should be placed in /lib/firmware/nxp on board. The firmware is for WiFi & Bluetooth, so if users want to enable Bluetooth, she should load wifi driver firstly. Wifi\_mod\_para.conf is configuration file , which will be used when using modprobe to load wifi driver, it is also should be placed in /lib/firmware/nxp on board.

In linux bsp, Bluetooth uses standard hci driver in linux kernel. So after loading wifi driver & firmware with Combo, Bluetooth can also be used.

### 3.3 Compiling WiFi driver

Before compiling driver, users should export cross-compile toolchain from Yocto, and install it to /opt, detailed steps are described in i.MX\_Linux\_Users\_Guide.pdf, open the file and search 'standalone', to find '4.5.12 How to build U-Boot and Kernel in standalone environment'

When installation is done, it should be like below in /opt.

```
weidong@ubuntu: ~/imx-yocto-bsp/L5.10.72_2.2.0/build-wayland/tmp/work/imx8mm_lpddr4_evk-poky-linux/linux-imx/5.10.72+gitAUTOINC+a68e31b63f-r0/build$ ls /opt/fsl-imx-xwayland/5.10-hardknott/environment-setup-cortexa53-crypto-poky-linux
site-config-cortexa53-crypto-poky-linux
sysroots
version-cortexa53-crypto-poky-linux
weidong@ubuntu: ~/imx-yocto-bsp/L5.10.72_2.2.0/build-wayland/tmp/work/imx8mm_lpddr4_evk-poky-linux/linux-imx/5.10.r4_evk-poky-linux/linux-imx/5.10.72+gitAUTOINC+a68e31b63f-r0/build$
```

Now, go back to the directory of wifi driver source code 'mwifiex', and run commands like below:

```
# source /opt/fsl-imx-xwayland/5.10-hardknott/environment-setup-cortexa53-crypto-poky-linux
# export KERNELDIR=/home/weidong/imx-yocto-bsp/L5.10.72_2.2.0/build-wayland/tmp/work/imx8mm_lpddr4_evk-poky-linux/linux-imx/5.10.r4_evk-poky-linux/linux-imx/5.10.72+gitAUTOINC+a68e31b63f-r0/build
```

#### [Note]

The above KERNELDIR is mine, and taken L5.10.72\_2.2.0 yocto as an example, it should be modified to yours.

Then begin to compile it.

```
# make build
```

When compilation is done, mlan.ko & moal.ko will be generated in the current directory.

Users can copy these 2 files, firmware & wifi\_mod\_para.conf to board, and place firmware & wifi\_mod\_para.conf to `/lib/firmware/nxp`. mlan.ko & moal.ko should be placed to `/lib/modules/5.10.35-lts-5.10.y+gef3f2cfc6010/extra/` if using modprobe to load them. If using insmod them, home directory is OK.

If you can find mlan.ko & moal.ko file, it means that driver is ok in your system, don't need to compile it again, you can check if firmware exists in `/lib/firmware/nxp`, if no, copy firmware to the directory, then load wifi driver with modprobe command;

```
# modprobe moal mod_para=nxp/wifi_mod_para.conf
```

### 4. Starting Bluetooth

if UART1/UART2/UART3 are used in device tree, UART2 device is ttymxc1, so before starting bluetooth, we should check UART device:

```
# ls /dev/ttymxc*
the purpose is to confirm which device is UART2.
# hciattach /dev/ttymxc1 any 115200 flow
# hciconfig hci0 up
# hciconfig
Setting UART bandrate to be 3Mbps:
# hcitool -i hci0 cmd 0x3f 0x0009 0xc0 0xc6 0x2d 0x00
# killall hciattach
# hciattach /dev/ttymxc0 any -s 3000000 3000000 flow
# hciconfig hci0 up
```

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