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Demonstration Kit for the NEC Low Pin Count Devices

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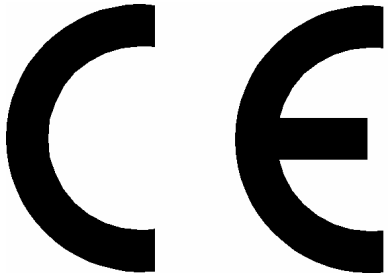

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CAUTION

This equipment should be handled like a CMOS semiconductor device. The user must take all precautions to avoid build-up of static electricity while working with this equipment. All test and measurement tool including the workbench must be grounded. The user/operator must be grounded using the wrist strap. The connectors and/or device pins should not be touched with bare hands.

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1. Introduction

Low Pin Count – Do it! is a demonstration kit for the NEC's 78K0S *Low Pin Count* microcontrollers. It supports onboard FLASH programming and real time execution of application programs up to 4 kBytes based on the 78K0S/KA1+ *Low Pin Count* microcontroller. The board is prepared to be connected to user hardware parts such as digital I/O or analogue signals.

1.1 Main features of *Low Pin Count – Do it!*

- Easy to use device demonstration capabilities
  Low Pin Count - Do it! contains elements to easily demonstrate simple I/O-functions, i.e. push buttons, LED output, AD reference voltage, I/O lines, UART interface.

- Power supply via USB interface
  Low Pin Count - Do it! is powered via USB interface, no separate power supply is needed.

- PG-LPC, FLASH programming software
  A windows based FLASH programming software allows to select and download application programs to *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board for evaluation purposes.

- Analogue to digital signal conversion is supported

- Various input / output signals available, such as

  ° All I/O ports prepared to be connected to user hardware
  ° Timer input / output signals
  ° UART interface, via USB UART chip FT232
  ° 4 analogue input lines
  ° 4 I/O ports connected to LED's
  ° 1 push button prepared for external interrupt generation

- The IAR Embedded Workbench for 78K0/78K0S and the IAR C-SPY simulator are included. These packages are restricted in such that maximum program code size is limited to 4 kByte of program code.

- Full documentation is included for the NEC 78K0S/KA1+ microcontroller, IAR Systems Embedded Workbench, IAR Systems C-SPY simulator and PG-LPC FLASH programming software.

***Low Pin Count - Do it!* is not intended for code development. NEC does not allow and does not support in any way any attempt to use *Low Pin Count - Do it!* in a commercial or technical product.**

1.2 System requirements

HOST PC A PC supporting Windows 98SE, Windows ME, Windows 2000 or Windows XP is required for the IAR Systems Embedded Workbench demo-version and the PG-LPC FLASH programming software. Pentium 166 MHz (at least), 64 MB of RAM, 256-color display (1024 * 768), mouse, CD-ROM drive and 40 Mbytes of free hard disk space are required to install the tool packages.

Above listed requirements are valid if the IAR Systems Embedded Workbench and the PG-LPC FLASH programming software shall be installed.

Host interface USB interface that enables communication based on USB (Ver1.1 or later)

1.3 Package contents

Please verify that you have received all parts listed in the package contents list attached to the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* package. If any part is missing or seems to be damaged, please contact the dealer from whom you received your *Low Pin Count - Do it!*.

Note: Updates to this User Manual, additional documentation and/or utilities for *Low Pin Count - Do it!*, if available, may be downloaded from the NEC WEB page(s) at **http://www.eu.necel.com/updates**.

2. *Low Pin Count - Do it!* system configuration

The *Low Pin Count - Do it!* system configuration is given in the diagram below:

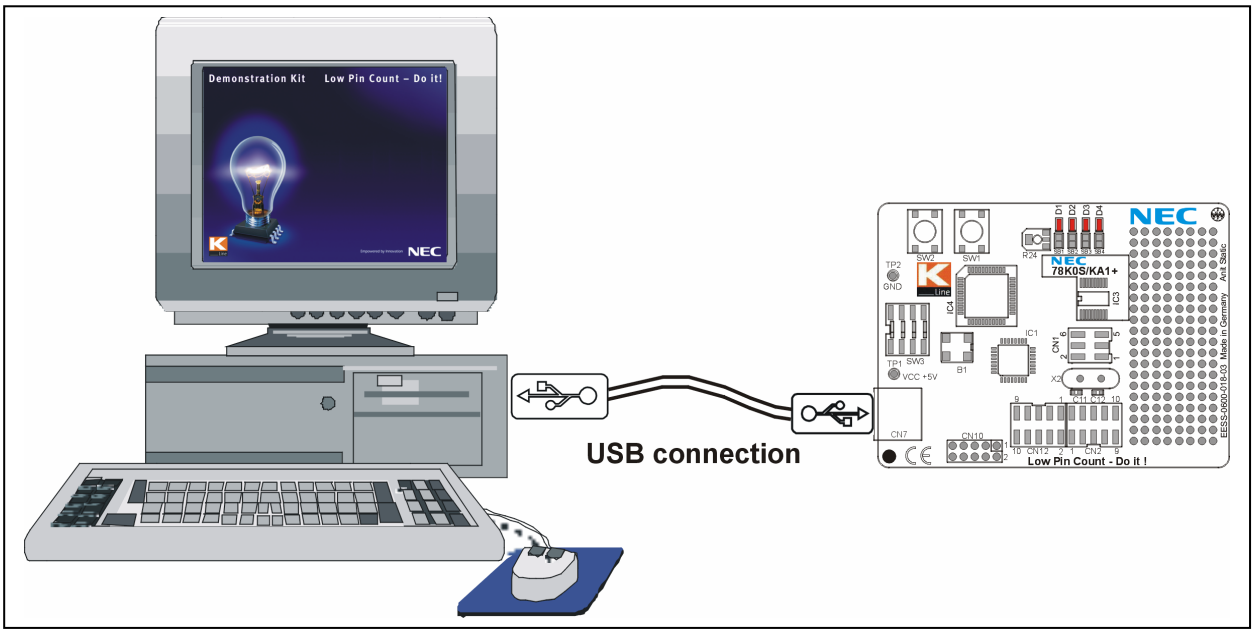

Figure 1: *Low Pin Count - Do it!* system configuration

2.1 *Low Pin Count - Do it!*

Low Pin Count - Do it! is a demonstration kit for the NEC 78K0S *Low Pin Count* devices. The µPD78F9222 microcontroller is a typical device from this family and it has been used to realise the *Low Pin Count - Do it!*.

The *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board is connected to the host system via USB interface cable. The host system may be used for programming of µPD78F9222 FLASH memory and to allow execution of application programs on *Low Pin Count - Do it!* platform.

Low Pin Count - Do it! runs the µPD78F9222 microcontroller at 8.00 MHz operating speed.

2.2 Host computer

The USB host interface enables communication to the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board. The USB UART chip FT232 allows application software to access the USB device in the same way as it would access a standard RS232 interface. The FTDI's Virtual COM Port (VCP) driver appears to the windows system as an extra Com Port, in addition to any existing hardware Com Ports.

For a detailed specification of the host interface please refer to the chapter “Connectors and Cables” of this document.

2.3 Power supply via USB interface

Low Pin Count - Do it! is powered by USB interface, no separate power supply is needed. The USB interface provides the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board with 5V supply voltage.

3. *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board components

The *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board is equipped with push buttons, LED's and with several connectors in order to be connected to host computers or connect any target hardware. Additionally the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board provides a wire wrap field (2,54 mm grid) to integrate user application hardware.

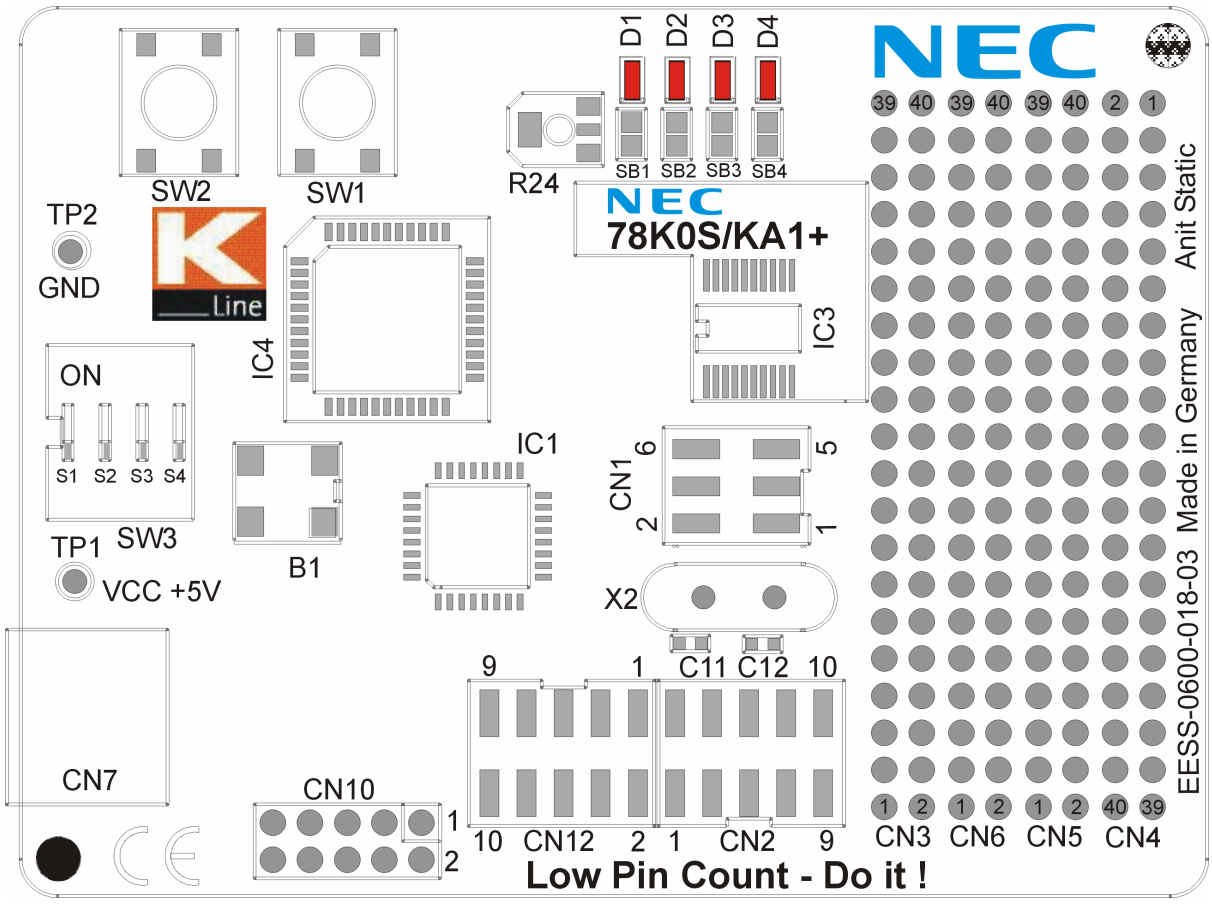

Figure 2: *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board connectors, switches and LED's

All of the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* µPD78F9222 on-chip resources are free for user application hardware and software. Please read the user's manual of the 78K0S/KA1+ device carefully to get information about the electrical specification of the available I/O ports before you connect any external signal to the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board!

3.1 Configuration switch SW3

The different operation modes of the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board can be set by SW3 switches S1-S4.

SW3	Factory settings	Function
S1	OFF	Normal operation mode
S2	OFF	No UART
S3	OFF	No handshake for UART
S4	OFF	CPU clock = 8 MHz

Table 1: Configuration switch SW3, factory settings

3.1.1 Operation mode selection SW3/S1

SW3 switch S1 controls the operation mode of the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board. Setting SW3/S1 to ON allows to reprogram the internal FLASH memory of the 78K0S/KA1+ device using the PG-LPC FLASH programming software.

SW3, S1	Operation mode
OFF (default)	Normal operation mode
ON	FLASH memory programming mode

Table 2: Operation mode selection SW3/S1

Within normal operation mode the user program stored in the FLASH memory of 78K0S/KA1+ device is executed.

3.1.2 UART selection SW3/S2

SW3 switch S2 controls the serial communication of *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board. The UART6 signals RxD6 and TxD6 are connected to the FT232 interface lines when setting SW3/S2 to ON.

SW3, S2	Operation mode
OFF (default)	RxD6 / TxD6 disconnected
ON	RxD6 / TxD6 connected to FT232 interface lines

Table 3: UART selection SW3/S2

3.1.3 UART mode selection SW3/S3

SW3 switch S3 controls the UART communication mode of *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board. Setting SW3/S3 to ON enables UART communication with handshake. Within this mode the CPU pins P40 and P41 are connected to the FT232 interface lines and used as RTS and CTS control signals.

SW3, S3	Operation mode
OFF (default)	UART communication without handshake
ON	UART communication with handshake (P40=RTS; P41=CTS)

Table 4: UART mode selection, SW3/S3

3.1.4 Clock mode selection SW3/S4

SW3 switch S4 controls the clock operation frequency of the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board.

SW3, S4	Operation mode
OFF (default)	Clock frequency = 8 MHz
ON	Clock frequency = 4 MHz

Table 5: Clock mode selection SW3/S4

3.2 User button SW1

SW1 is a push button connecting V_{SS} to external interrupt input INTP0 of the CPU. This is equal to port P30 of the 78K0S/KA1+ CPU. The port may be programmed to generate interrupt INTP0. The necessary initialisation for this purpose is described in the user's manual of the 78K0S/KA1+device. Pressing this button will apply low signal level at port P30.

3.3 Start button SW2

SW2 is a reset button. It activates the power on reset. It is connected to the reset input of the CPU. Pressing this button will apply low signal level at the RESET pin.

3.4 USB interface connector CN7

CN7 connector allows connecting the PG-LPC FLASH programming software to the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board in order to program application programs into the CPU internal flash. The board power supply of 5V is also provided by connector CN7.

Additionally connector CN7 connects UART6 of the 78K0S/KA1+ device to the host system.

3.5 Connector CN1 / Clock configuration

Connector CN1 is used to define the operating clock of the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board. Closing the connectors CN1/3-5 and CN1/4-6 (default setting) provides 8 MHz clock frequency to the 78K0S/KA1+ device. In this mode the clock frequency is supplied by the CPLD.

Alternative an external crystal oscillator can be equipped to the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board. To use this operation mode close connectors CN1/1-3 and CN1/2-4.

CN1	Jumper setting	Mode
1-2 3-5 4-6	open (default) closed (default) closed (default)	Clock frequency = 8 MHz, supplied by CPLD
1-3 2-4 5-6	closed closed open	Clock supply by external oscillator. By using this mode be sure to equip a crystal oscillator and corresponding capacitors to X1, C12 and C11.

Table 6: Connector CN1, clock configuration

3.6 Connectors CN2 / CN12 / external peripheral configuration

Connectors CN2 and CN12 allow connecting and disconnecting of the external board hardware to the 78K0S/KA1+ device.

CN2	Jumper setting	Mode
1-2	closed (default)	RESET pin connected to CPLD
3-4	closed (default)	RESET pin connected to button SW2
5-6	closed (default)	INTP0 pin connected to button SW1
7-8	closed (default)	P40 connected to CPLD (RTS line of FT232)
9-10	closed (default)	P41 connected to CPLD (CTS line of FT232)

Table 7: Connector CN2, external peripheral configuration

CN12	Jumper setting	Mode
1-2	closed (default)	Power supply, Vcc=5V connected to 78K0S/KA1+ and external potentiometer R24
3-4	closed (default)	AV_{REF} pin connected to Vcc
5-6	closed (default)	ANI0 pin connected to R24 potentiometer arm
7-8	closed (default)	P44/RxD6 connected to CPLD (RxD line of FT232)
9-10	closed (default)	P43/TxD6 connected to CPLD (TxD line of FT232)

Table 8: Connector CN12, external peripheral configuration

3.7 External Potentiometer R24

A 10k potentiometer R24 is connected between Vcc and ground. Vcc is supplied to R24 by closing connector CN12/1-2. The potentiometer arm can be connected to the ANI0 analogue input of the 78K0S/KA1+ device by closing connector CN12/5-6.

3.8 AD converter reference voltage input

The reference voltage of the potentiometer R24 can be supplied to the AV_{REF} input by closing connector CN12/3-4.

3.9 External LED's D1–D4

The LED's D1-D4 are connected to the 78K0S/KA1+ device and are free for user application purposes. The LED's are connected via a 4,7k Pull-up resistor to Vcc and therefore active low.

Port	LED
P23	D1
P130	D2
P45	D3
P123	D4

Table 9: LED D1-D4 connection

For disconnecting a LED from a port for alternative usage cut the connection (default) of the corresponding soldering bridge SB1-SB4.

3.10 External connectors CN3,CN4, CN5, and CN6

CN3, CN4, CN5, and CN6 are connectors for external user hardware. All CPU signals are connected to CN3, with the exception of X1 and X2 signals. The *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board provides a wire wrap field - connectors CN4, CN5 and CN6 - allowing the integration of additional application hardware.

Table 10: External connectors CN3, CN4, CN5 and CN6

CN3		CN3	
39	V_{CC}	40	AV_{REF}
37	V_{CC}	38	P20
35	V_{CC}	36	P21
33	V_{CC}	34	P22
31	V_{CC}	32	P23
29	V_{CC}	30	P130
27	V_{CC}	28	P45
25	V_{CC}	26	P44
23	V_{CC}	24	P43
21	V_{CC}	22	P42
19	V_{CC}	20	P41
17	V_{CC}	18	P40
15	V_{CC}	16	P30
13	V_{CC}	14	P31
11	V_{CC}	12	RESET
9	V_{CC}	10	V_{DD}
7	V_{CC}	8	P123
5	V_{CC}	6	N.C.
3	V_{CC}	4	N.C.
1	V_{CC}	2	V_{SS}

CN6		CN6	
39	N.C.	40	N.C.
37	N.C.	38	N.C.
35	N.C.	36	N.C.
33	N.C.	34	N.C.
31	N.C.	32	N.C.
29	N.C.	30	N.C.
27	N.C.	28	N.C.
25	N.C.	26	N.C.
23	N.C.	24	N.C.
21	N.C.	22	N.C.
19	N.C.	20	N.C.
17	N.C.	18	N.C.
15	N.C.	16	N.C.
13	N.C.	14	N.C.
11	N.C.	12	N.C.
9	N.C.	10	N.C.
7	N.C.	8	N.C.
5	N.C.	6	N.C.
3	N.C.	4	N.C.
1	N.C.	2	N.C.

CN5		CN5	
39	N.C.	40	N.C.
37	N.C.	38	N.C.
35	N.C.	36	N.C.
33	N.C.	34	N.C.
31	N.C.	32	N.C.
29	N.C.	30	N.C.
27	N.C.	28	N.C.
25	N.C.	26	N.C.
23	N.C.	24	N.C.
21	N.C.	22	N.C.
19	N.C.	20	N.C.
17	N.C.	18	N.C.
15	N.C.	16	N.C.
13	N.C.	14	N.C.
11	N.C.	12	N.C.
9	N.C.	10	N.C.
7	N.C.	8	N.C.
5	N.C.	6	N.C.
3	N.C.	4	N.C.
1	N.C.	2	N.C.

CN4		CN4	
2	N.C.	1	GND
4	N.C.	3	GND
6	N.C.	5	GND
8	N.C.	7	GND
10	N.C.	9	GND
12	N.C.	11	GND
14	N.C.	13	GND
16	N.C.	15	GND
18	N.C.	17	GND
20	N.C.	19	GND
22	N.C.	21	GND
24	N.C.	23	GND
26	N.C.	25	GND
28	N.C.	27	GND
30	N.C.	29	GND
32	N.C.	31	GND
34	N.C.	33	GND
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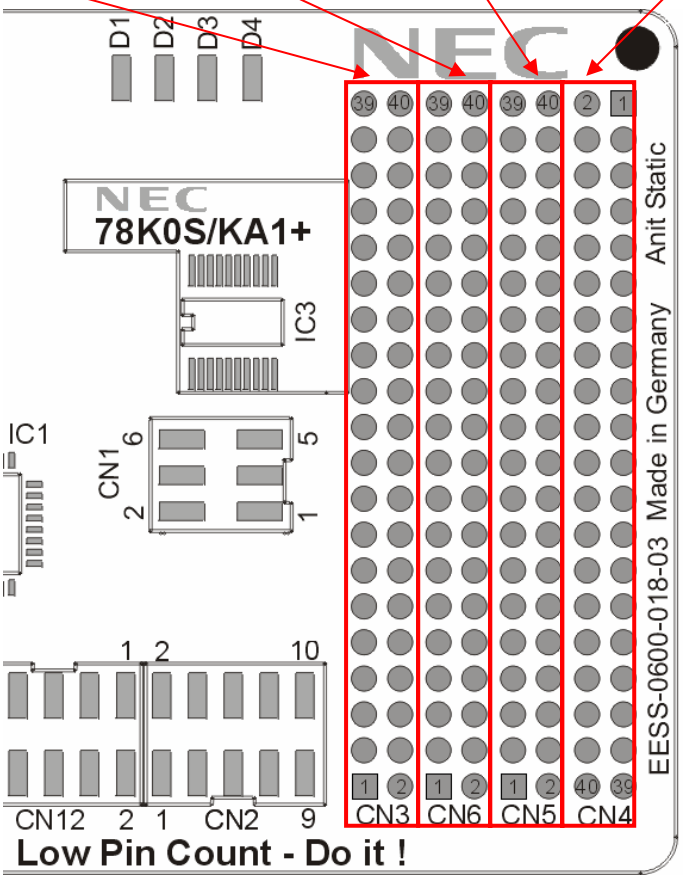
38	N.C.	37	GND
40	N.C.	39	GND

(N.C. = Not Connected)



4. 78K0S/KA1+ memory map

The memory layout of the µPD78F9222 4 kByte FLASH ROM device is shown in the table below.

Address area			
	0xFFFF 0xFF00	SFR Area 256 x 8 bits	Free for application software
	0xFEFF 0xFE00	Internal high speed RAM 256 x 8 bits	
	0xFDFF 0x1000	Use prohibited	
	0x0FFF 0x0000	Flash memory 4096 x 8 bits	Free for application software

Table 11: 78K0S/KA1+ memory map

The *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board does not reserve any resources of the 78K0S/KA1+ device, consequently all available memory of the device is free for application software.

5. *Low Pin Count - Do it!* installation and operation

5.1 Getting started

The windows based PG-LPC FLASH programming software allows to select and download application programs to *Low Pin Count – Do it!* board. As communication interface between PC host system and the *Low Pin Count – Do it!* board a USB interface line is needed. Before you can download and run a program, hardware and software must be installed properly.

5.1.1 CD-ROM contents

The CD-ROM shows following directory structure:

LPC – Do it! (F:) Acrobat Doc NEC Tools	CD-ROM ROOT
	- Acrobat Reader for 32Bit Windows OS
	- Documentation
	- NEC software tools, containing:
	- IAR Embedded Workbench 78K0/78K0S
	- PG-LPC FLASH programming software
	- Sample programs for *Low Pin Count - Do it!*

Table 12: *Low Pin Count - Do it!* CD-ROM directory structure

6. Hardware installation

After unpacking *Low Pin Count - Do it!* connect the board to your host computer using the provided USB interface cable. When *Low Pin Count - Do it!* is connected, the USB driver needs to be installed on the host machine. Please refer to the following chapter “Software Installation”.

7. Software installation

The *Low Pin Count - Do it!* package comes with the several software demo packages:

- IAR Systems Embedded Workbench for 78K0/78K0S, including C compiler, assembler, linker, librarian and IAR C-SPY simulator
- PG-LPC FLASH programming GUI
- Sample programs

The IAR Systems Embedded Workbench, the PG-LPC FLASH programming GUI and the sample programs must be installed on your PC. For detailed installation hints, refer to the following chapters and to the corresponding documentation of the IAR Embedded Workbench.

7.1 IAR Systems Embedded Workbench for 78K0/78K0S installation

To install the IAR Systems Embedded Workbench for 78K0/K0S including C-SPY simulator, select the `SETUP` program in the directory `\NEC Tools\` of the CDROM. The setup dialogues will guide you through the installation process.

7.2 PG-LPC FLASH programming GUI installation

To install the PG-LPC FLASH programming GUI select the `SETUP` program in the directory `\NEC Tools\` of the CDROM. The setup dialogues will guide you through the installation process.

7.3 Sample program installation

To install the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* sample programs select the `SETUP` program in the directory `\NEC Tools\` of the CDROM. The setup dialogues will guide you through the installation process.

7.4 Driver Installation

When *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board is used, the driver needs to be installed on the host machine. After the PG-LPC FLASH programming software has been installed successfully a new folder “C:\Program Files\NECTools32\PG-LPC\DRIVERS” was generated, containing the necessary drivers. Install the driver according to the following procedure:

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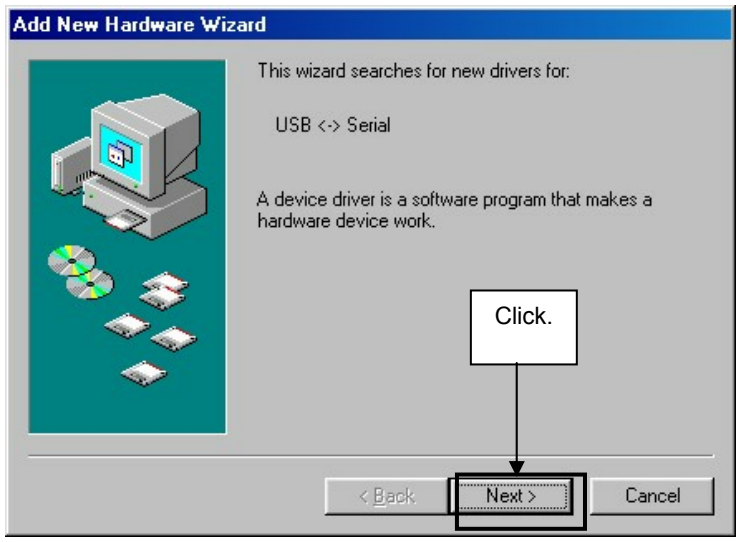
7.4.1 Installation on Windows 98SE/Me

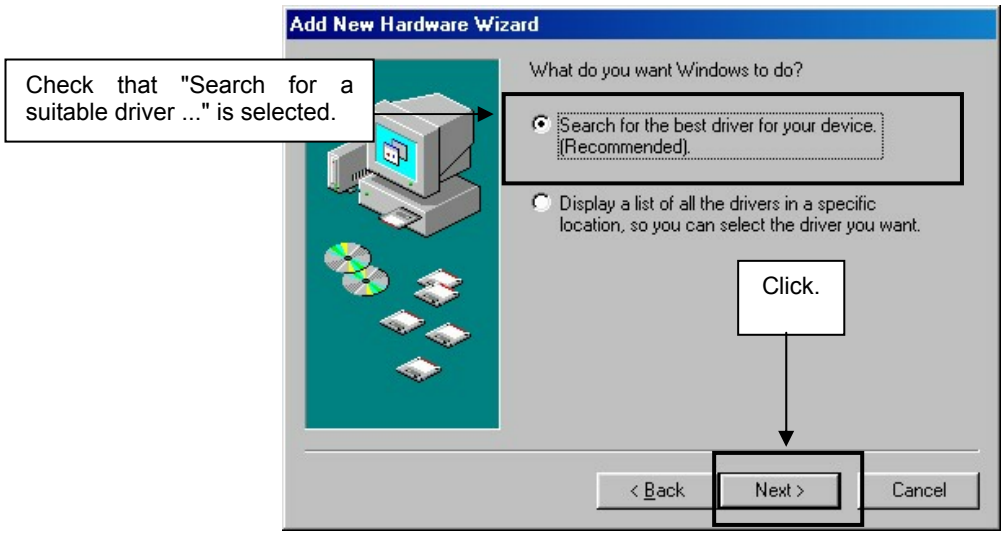
1. When the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board is connected with the host machine, the board is recognized by Plug and Play, and the wizard for adding new hardware is started. Click Next>.

Figure 3: Add New Hardware Wizard (Windows 98SE)



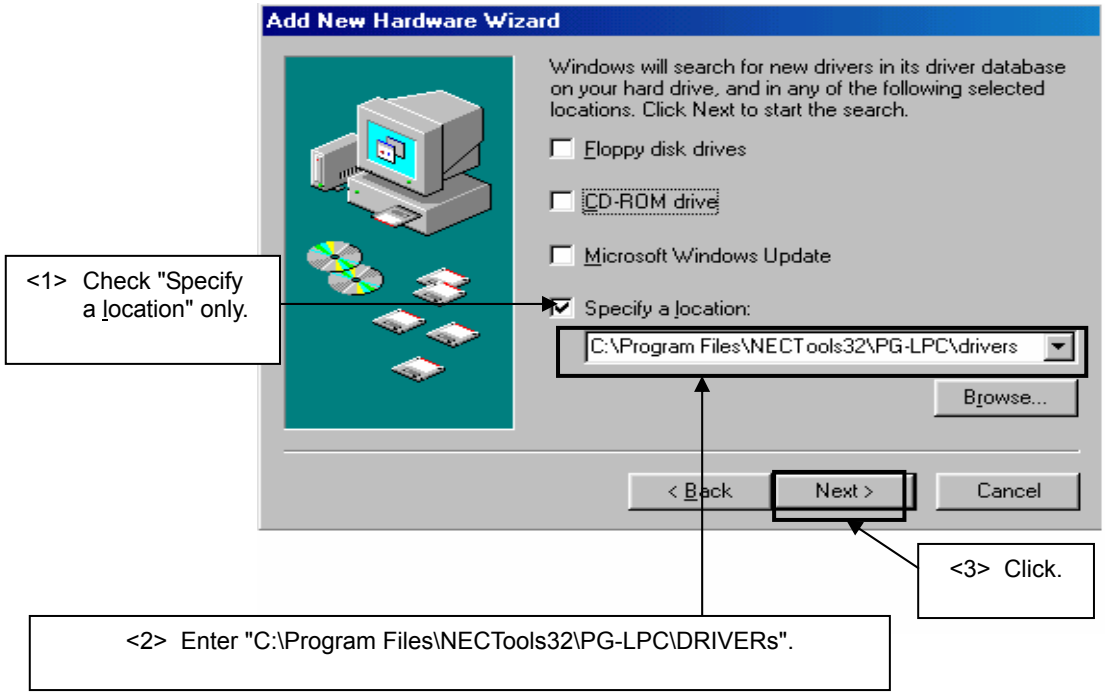
2. The window below is displayed. So, check that "Search for a suitable driver ..." is selected, then click Next>.

Figure 4: Search Method (Windows 98SE)



3. Check the "Specify a location" check box only and enter "C:\Program Files\NECTools32\PG-LPC\DRIVERS" in the address bar, then click Next>.

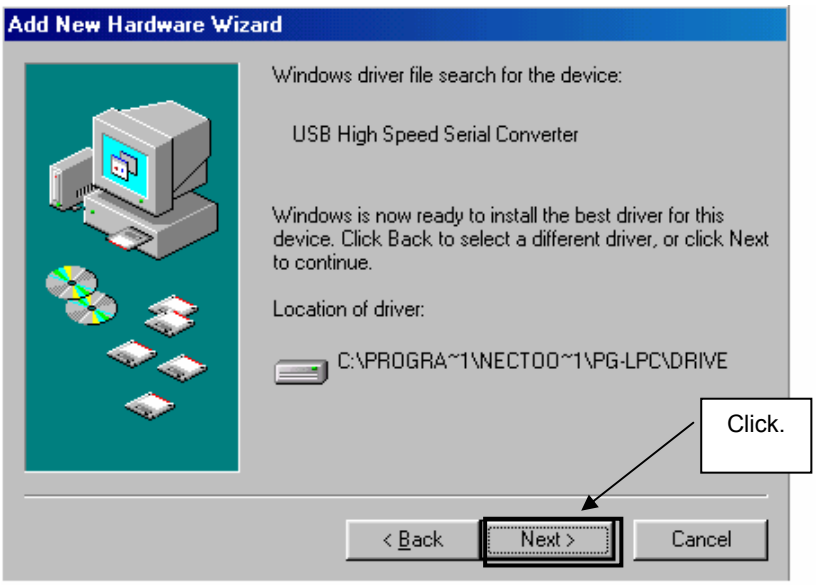
Figure 5: Search Location Specification (Windows 98SE)



Remark If the installation destination folder is changed at the time of PG-LPC software installation, enter "new-folder\PG-LPC\DRIVERS".

4. The window below is displayed. Click Next>.

Figure 6: Checking Driver to Be Installed (Windows 98SE)



5. When the window below is displayed, the installation of the USB driver is completed. Click Finish. The installation of the USB Serial Port driver is then automatically performed.

Figure 7: Installation Completion (Windows 98SE)

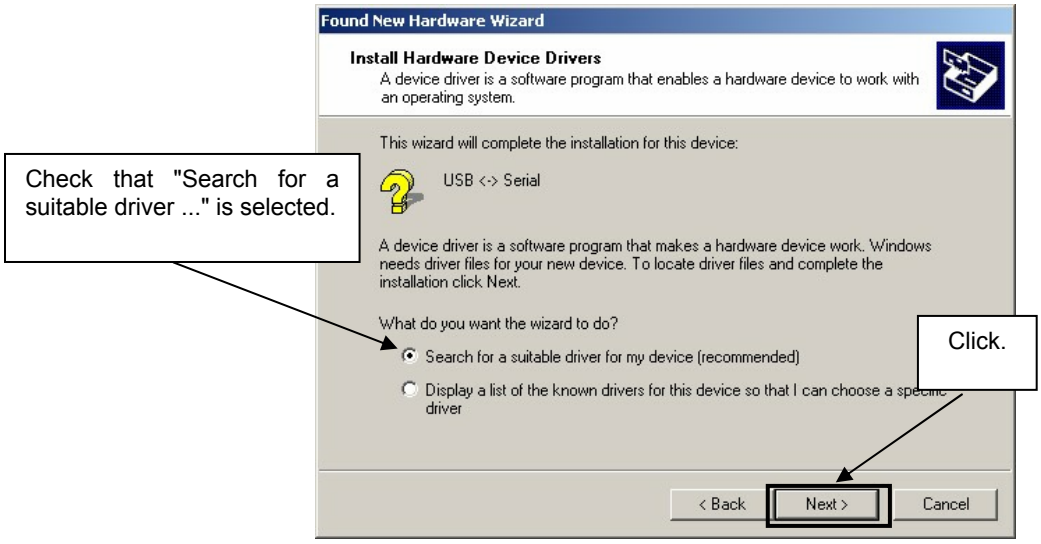
7.4.2 Installation on Windows 2000

1. When the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board is connected with the host machine, the board is recognized by Plug and Play, and the wizard for finding new hardware is started. Click Next>.

Figure 8: Found New Hardware Wizard 1 (Windows 2000)

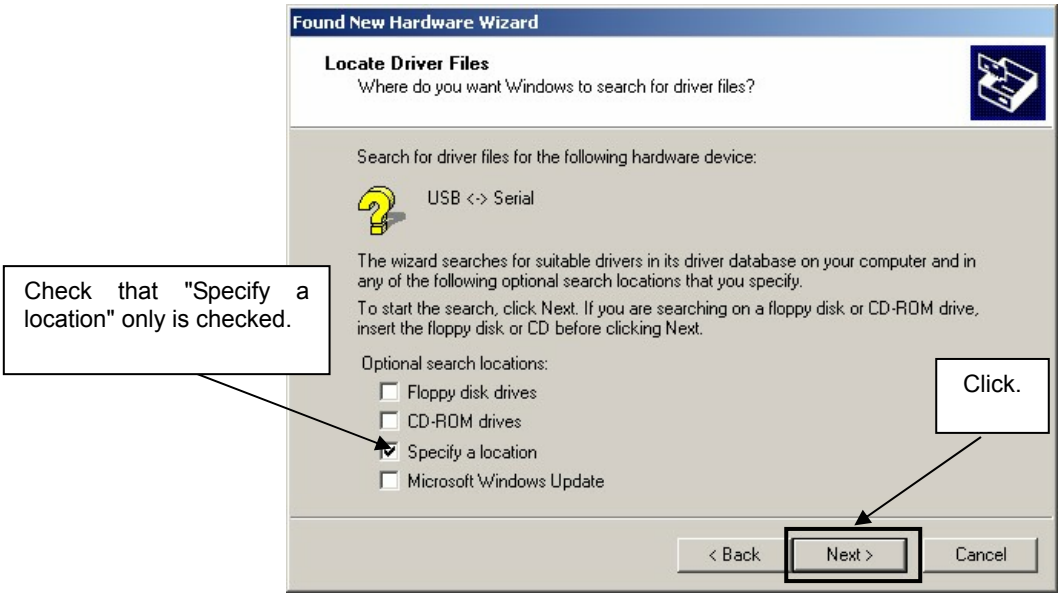
2. The window below is displayed. So, check that "Search for a suitable driver ..." is selected, then click Next>.

Figure 9: Search Method 1 (Windows 2000)



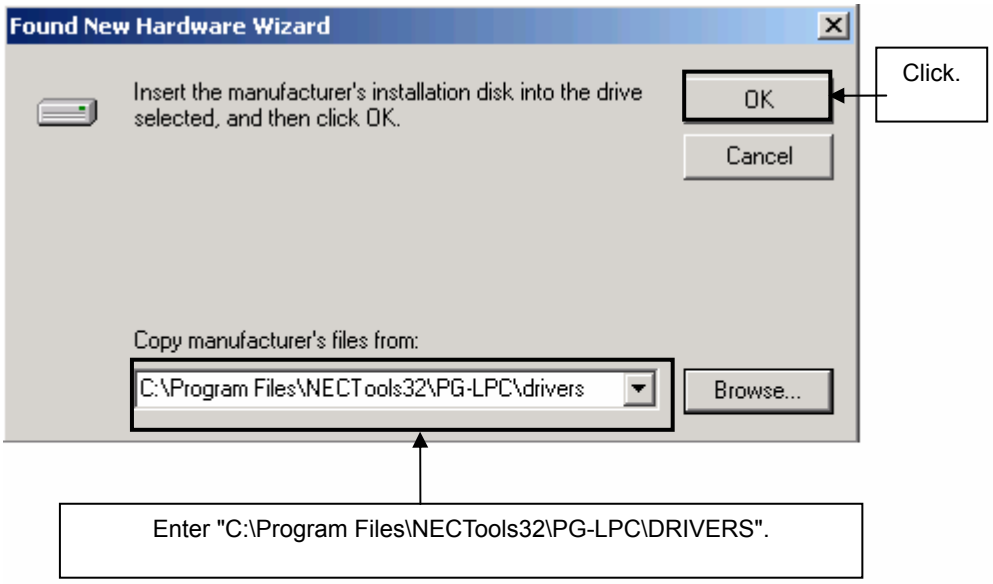
3. Check the "Specify a location" check box only, then click Next>.

Figure 10: Driver File Location 1 (Windows 2000)



4. Enter "C:\Program Files\NECTools32\PG-LPC\DRIVERS" in the address bar, then click OK.

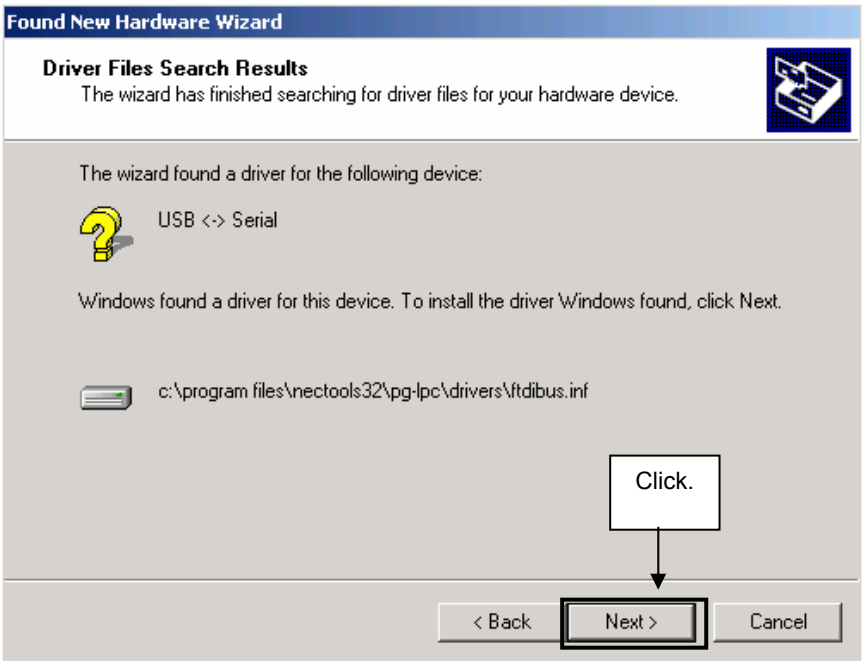
Figure 11: Address Specification 1 (Windows 2000)



Remark If the installation destination folder is changed at the time of PG-LPC GUI software installation, enter "new-folder\PG-LPC\DRIVERS".

5. Click Next>.

Figure 12: Driver File Search 1 (Windows 2000)



6. Click Finish to complete the installation of the USB driver.

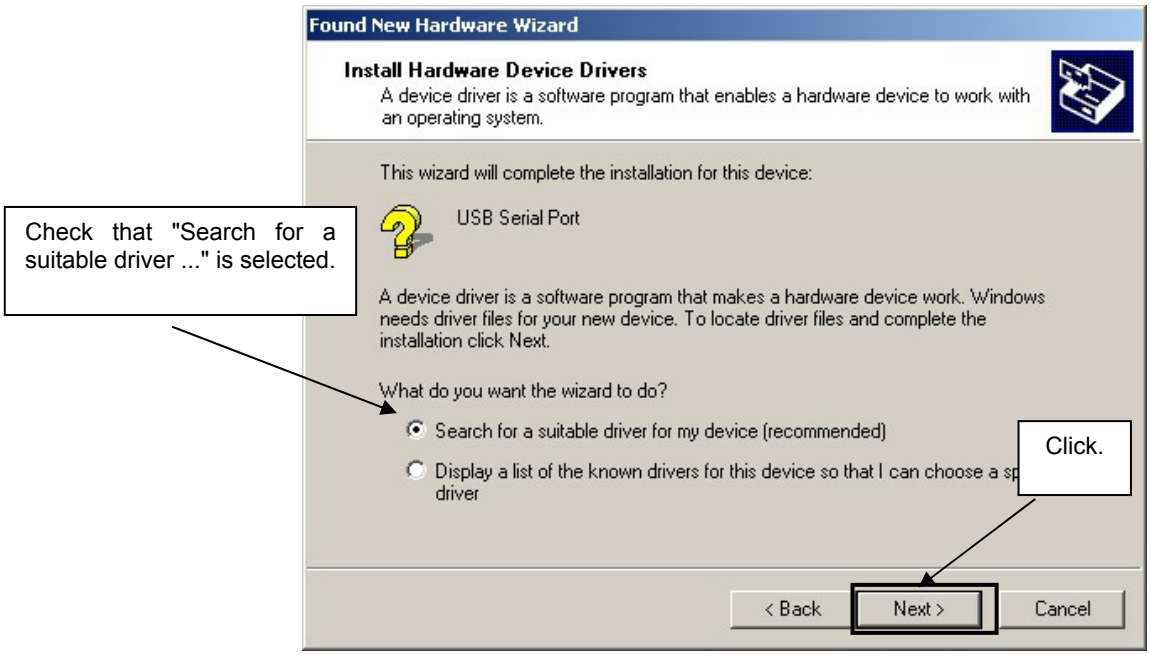
Figure 13: USB Driver Installation Completion 1 (Windows 2000)

7. Proceed to the installation of the USB Serial Port driver. Click Next>.

Figure 14: Found New Hardware Wizard 2 (Windows 2000)

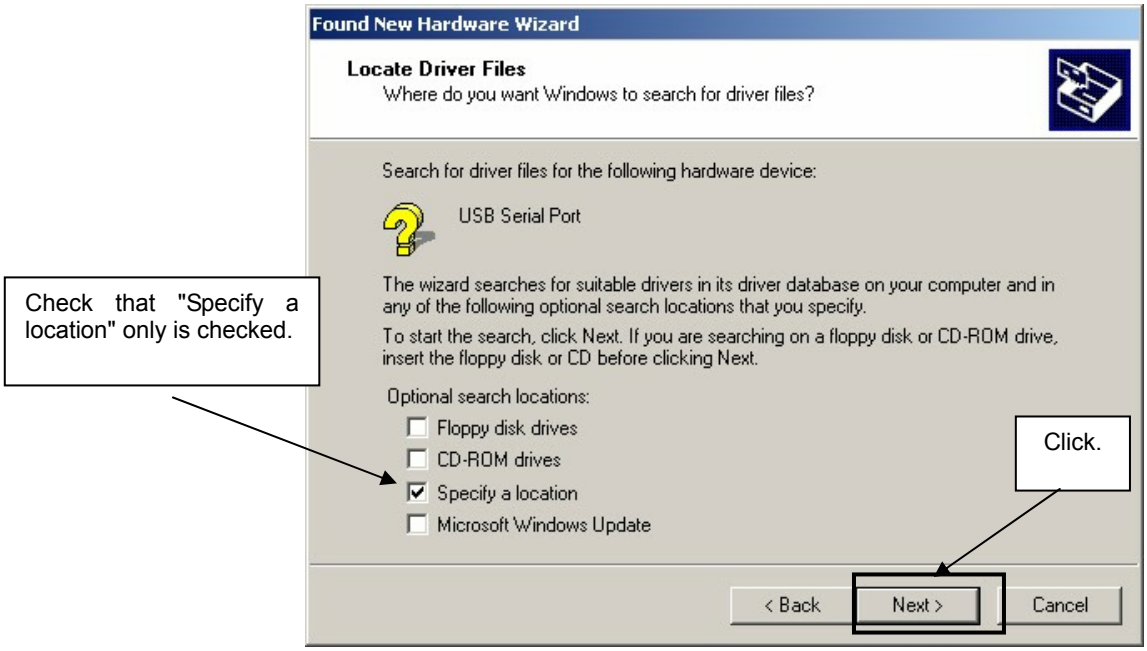
8. The window below is displayed. So, check that "Search for a suitable driver ..." is selected, then click Next>.

Figure 15: Search Method 2 (Windows 2000)



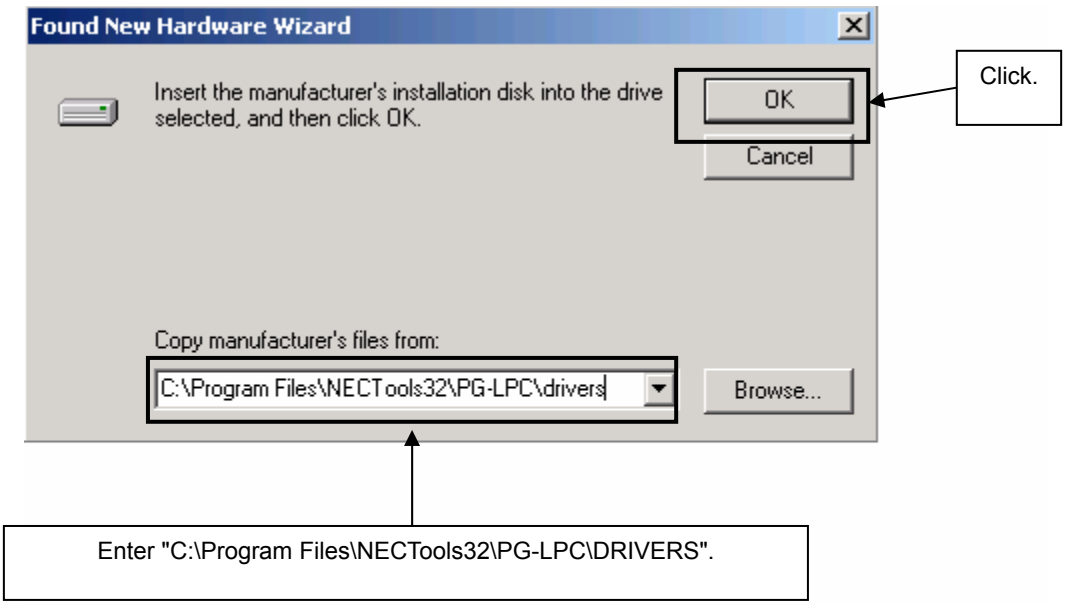
9. Check the "Specify a location" check box only, then click Next>.

Figure 16: Driver File Location 2 (Windows 2000)



10. Enter "C:\Program Files\NECTools32\PG-LPC\DRIVERS" in the address bar, then click OK.

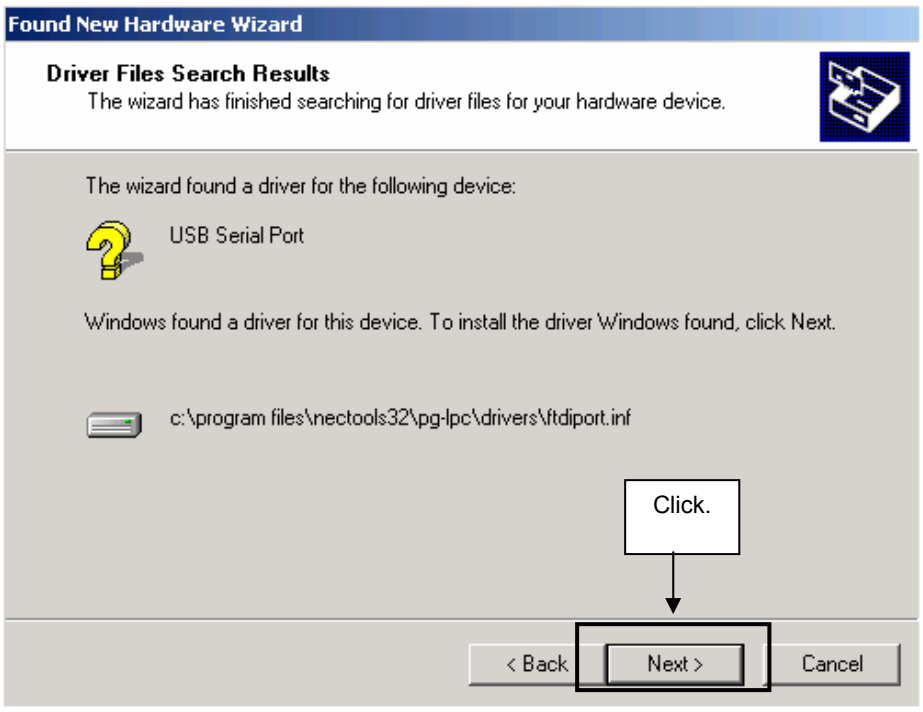
Figure 17: Address Specification 2 (Windows 2000)



Remark If the installation destination folder is changed at the time of PG-LPC GUI software installation, enter "new-folder\PG-LPC\DRIVERS".

11. Click Next>.

Figure 18: Driver File Search 2 (Windows 2000)



12. Click Finish to complete the installation of the USB driver.

Figure 19: USB Driver Installation Completion 2 (Windows 2000)

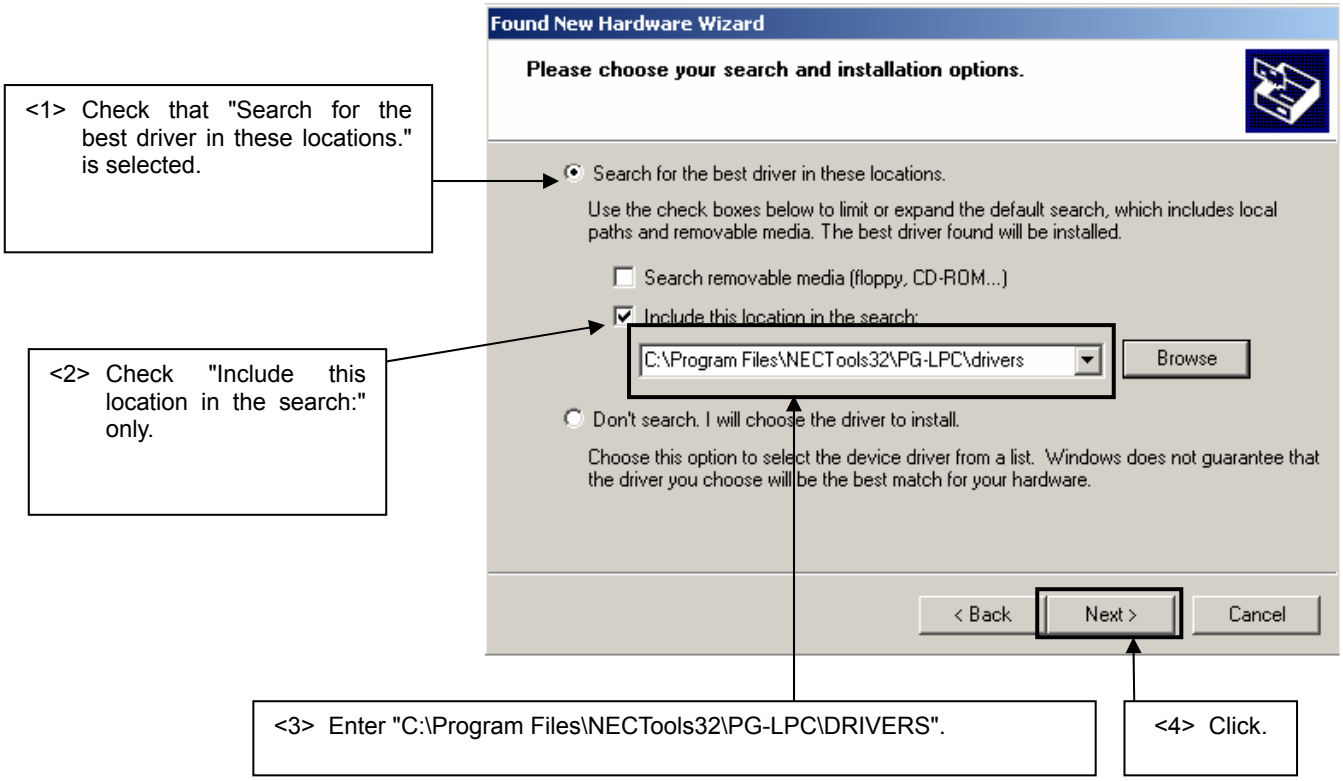
7.4.3 Installation on Windows XP

1. When the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board is connected with the host machine, the board recognized by Plug and Play, and the wizard for finding new hardware is started. Check that "Install from a list or specific ..." is selected, then click Next>.

Figure 20: Found New Hardware Wizard 1 (Windows XP)

2. Check that "Search for the best driver in these locations." is selected. Check the "Include this location in the search:" check box and enter "C:\Program Files\NECTools32\PG-LPC\DRIVERS" in the address bar, then click Next>.

Figure 21: Search Location Specification 3 (Windows XP)



3. As shown below, "has not passed Windows Logo testing to verify its compatibility with Windows XP." is displayed. Click Continue Anyway.

Figure 22: Windows XP Logo Testing 3 (Windows XP)

4. When the window below is displayed, the installation of the USB driver is completed. Click Finish.

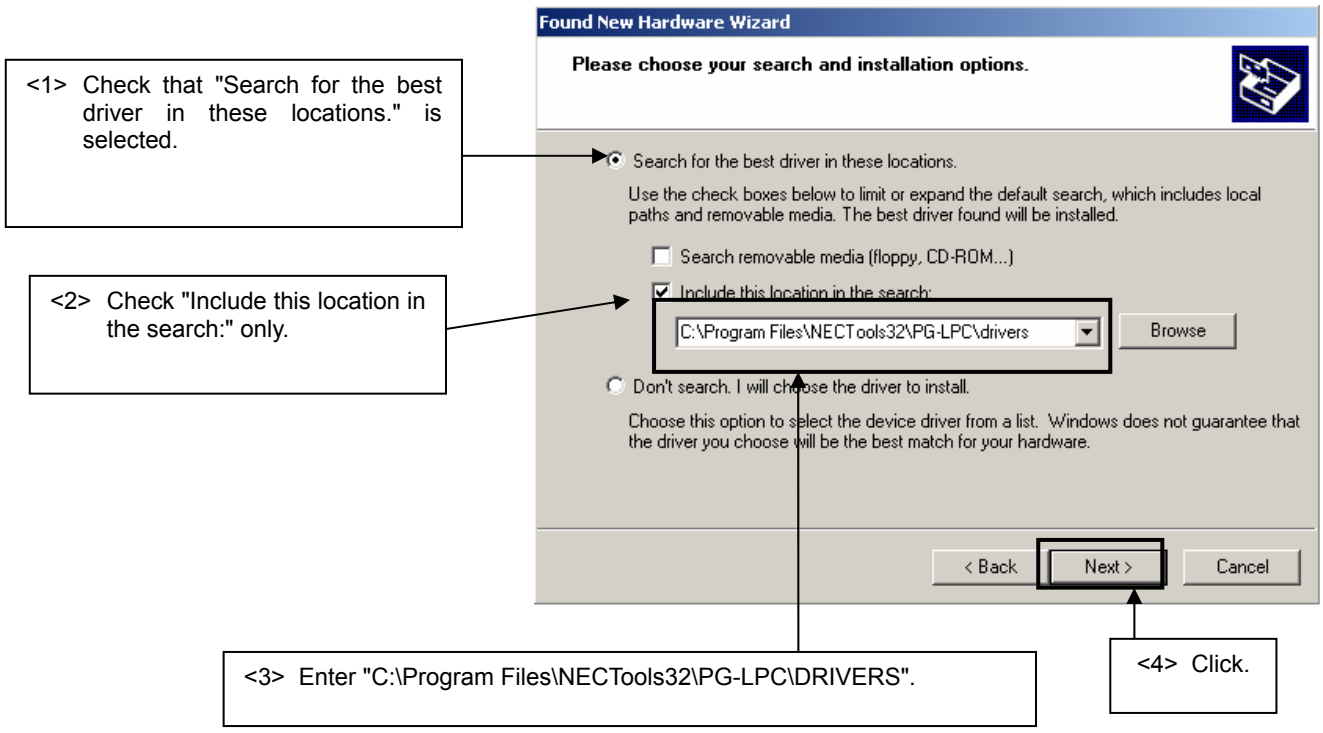
Figure 23: USB Driver Installation Completion 1 (Windows XP)

5. Proceed to the installation of the USB Serial Port driver. Click Next>.

Figure 24: Found New Hardware Wizard 2 (Windows XP)

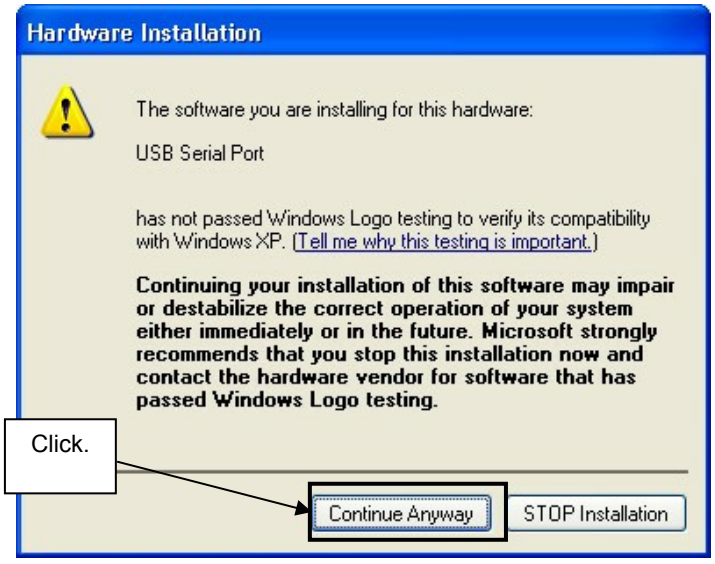
6. Check that "Search for the best driver in these locations." is selected. Check the "Include this location in the search:" check box and enter "C:\Program Files\NECTools32\PG-LPC\DRIVERS", then click Next>.

Figure 25: Search Location Specification 2 (Windows XP)



7. As shown below, "has not passed Windows Logo testing to verify its compatibility with Windows XP." is displayed. Click Continue Anyway.

Figure 26: Windows XP Logo Testing 2 (Windows XP)



8. When the window below is displayed, the installation of the USB driver is completed. Click Finish.

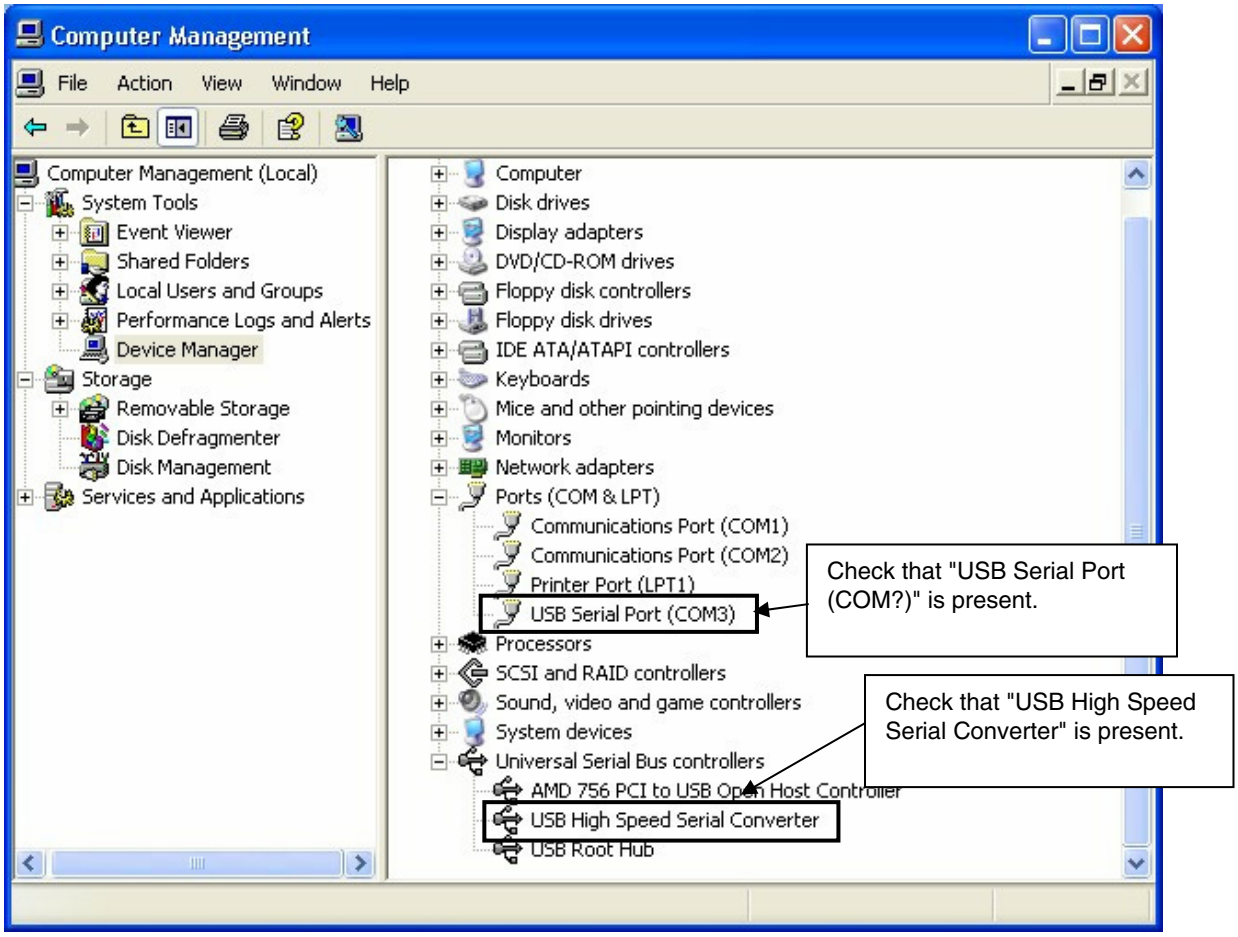
Figure 27: USB Serial Port2 Driver Installation Completion (Windows XP)

7.5 Confirmation of USB Driver Installation

After installing the two types of USB drivers, check that the drivers have been installed correctly, according to the procedure below. When using the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board, the information to be checked here is needed.

By clicking the "Device Manager" tab, check that the drivers are installed correctly.

Figure 28: Device Manager



For Windows 98SE/Me

Caution Do not select Update and Erase when communicating with the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board.

For Windows 2000/XP

Caution Do not perform "Hardware Modification Scan" when communicating with the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board.

Remark In the GUI port list box, the same communication port as COM? of USB Serial Port (COM?) needs to be selected.

If the drivers above are not displayed, or the mark "×" or "!" is prefixed, refer to **CHAPTER 10 TROUBLESHOOTING**.

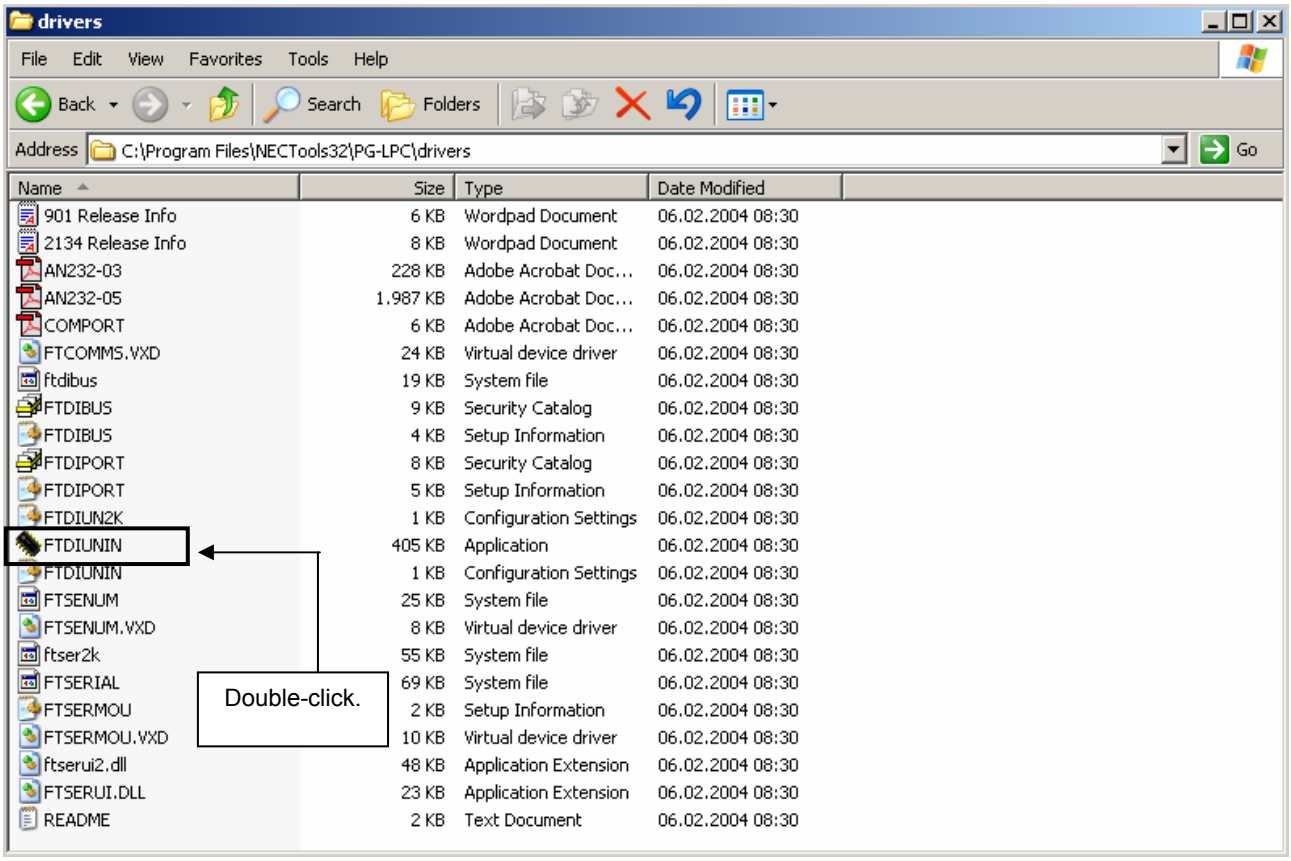
7.6 Driver Uninstallation

The driver uninstallation program is installed on the host machine when the PG-LPC software is installed.

Use the procedure below for driver uninstallation.

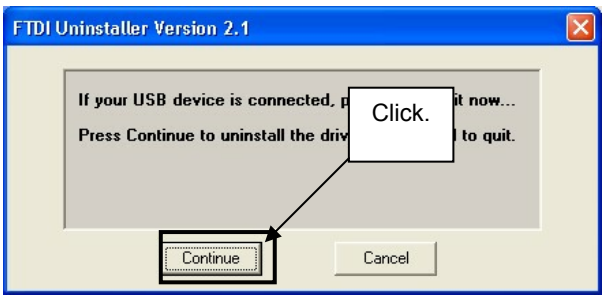
1. When using Windows 2000 or Windows XP, log on as computer administrator.
2. Double-click in the order from "My Computer" to "(C:)" to "Program Files" to "NECTools32" to "PG-LPC" to "DRIVERS". "Ftdiunin.exe" is displayed. Double-click "Ftdiunin.exe".

Figure 29: Driver Uninstallation



3. Click Continue.

Figure 30: Driver Uninstaller



4. Click Finish to complete driver uninstallation.

Figure 31: Completion of Driver Uninstallation

Caution	If the PG-LPC software is uninstalled earlier, "Ftdiunin.exe" is also deleted. In such a case, delete "USB Serial Port (COM?)" and "USB High Speed Serial Converter" from Device Manager manually.

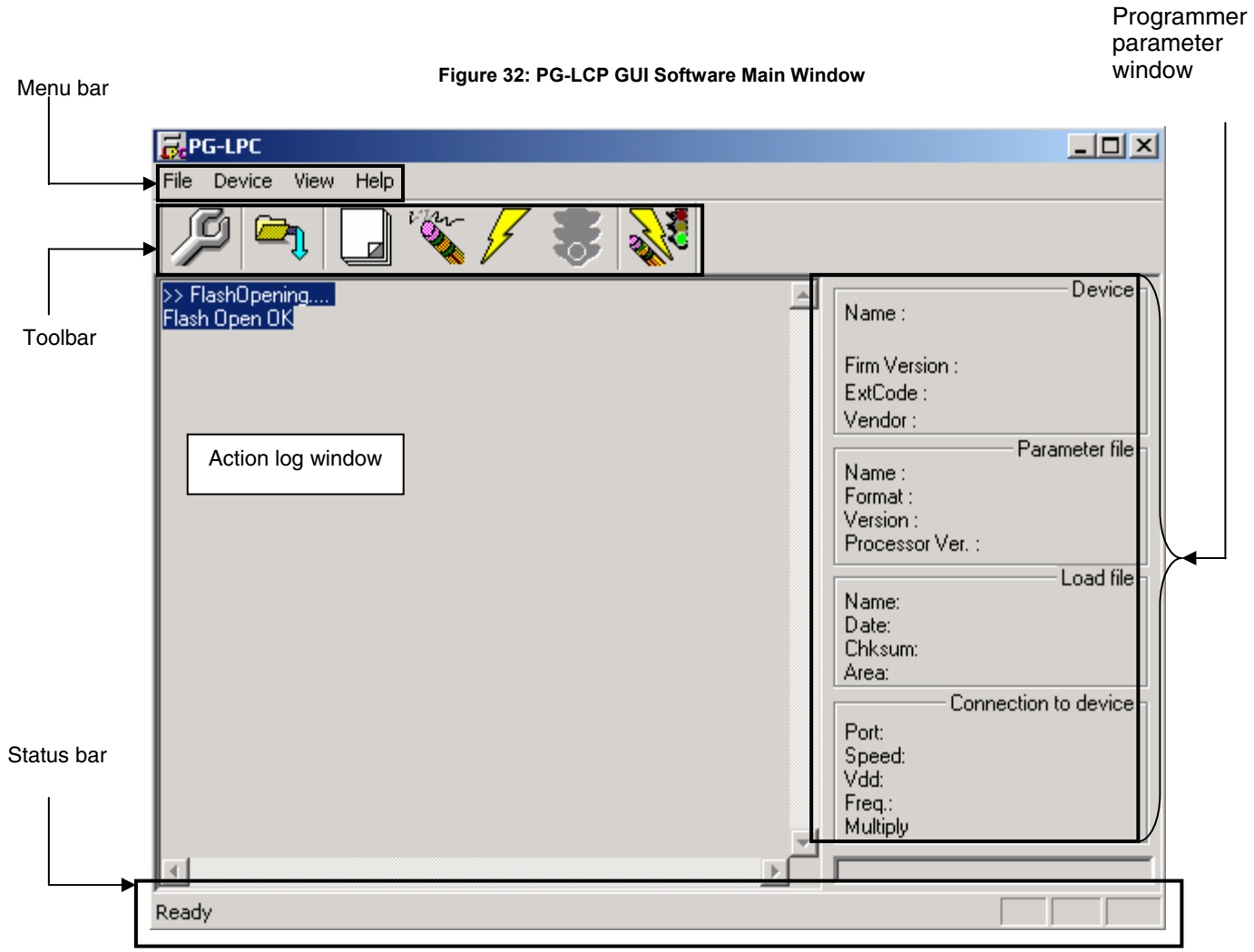
8. PG-LPC FLASH programming software

8.1 Starting up the GUI Software

- GUI software startup
  Select PG-LPC.EXE from the start menu to start the PG-LPC GUI software.

  When the GUI software is started normally, the following screen appears.

Figure 32: PG-LCP GUI Software Main Window



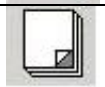
This window consists of the following items:

Name	Display Information
Menu bar (displayed at the top)	Displays menu items executable by the PG-LPC.
Toolbar (displayed under the menu bar)	Displays frequently used commands as icons.
Action log window (displayed under the toolbar)	Displays an PG-LPC action log.
Programmer parameter window (displayed to the right of the action log window)	Displays programming parameter settings.
Status bar	Displays status.

8.2 Toolbar

The toolbar contains buttons for starting the important procedures of the PG-LPC.

Table 13: Toolbar Buttons

	[Device] → [Setup] button
	[File] → [Load] button
	[Device] → [Blank Check] button
	[Device] → [Erase] button
	[Device] → [Program] button
	[Device] → [Autoprocedure(EPV)] button

8.3 Menu Bar

Depending on the actual device status and device type, some menu items may be enabled or disabled.

8.3.1 [File] menu

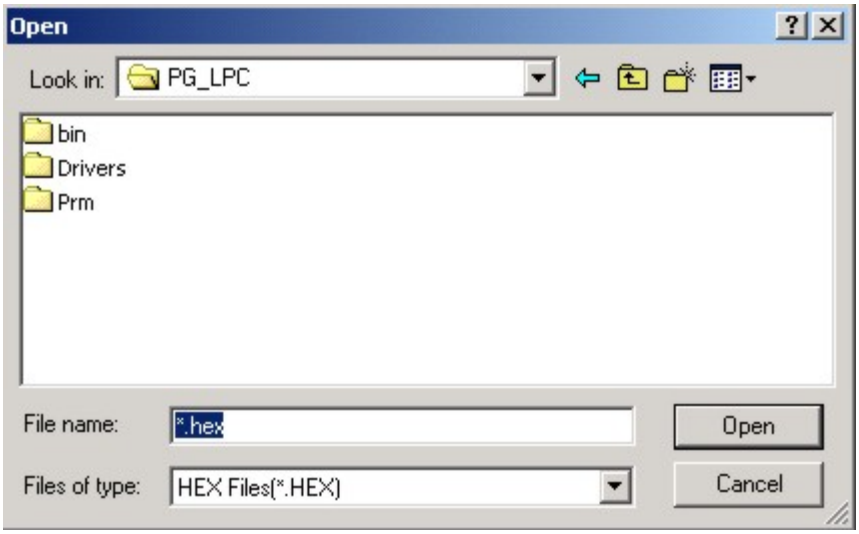
Clicking the [File] menu displays the pull-down menu as shown below.
This menu mainly contains commands related to file operation.

Figure 33: [File] Menu

(1) [Load] command

The [Load] command allows you to select a program file.
The selected program file is programmed into the flash memory of the device by executing the [Program] command or [Autoprocedure(EPV)] command.

Figure 34: HEX File Selection Window



The file selection window for program loading displays the most recently used directory to which a user program has been loaded. After a user program is loaded, a checksum calculation is made and the result is displayed in the programmer parameter window.
[Open button]
Selects a user program as a program to be written to the target device.

[Cancel button]
Closes the window without selecting a program.

(2) [Quit] command

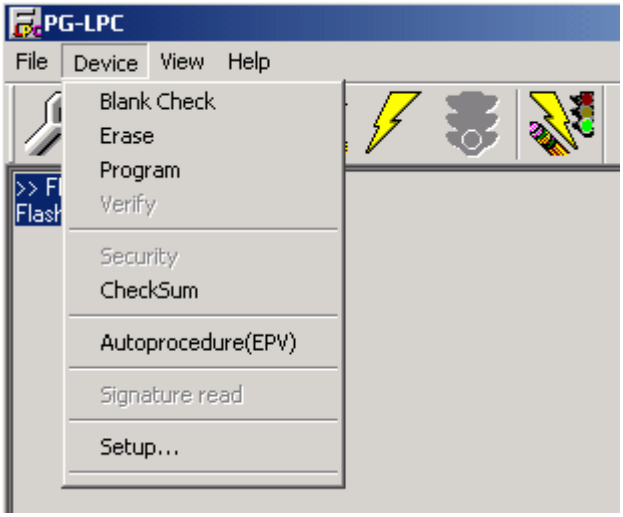
The [Quit] menu is the command for terminating the PG-LPC GUI software. Clicking × on the right side of the task bar also terminates the PG-LPC GUI software.
User settings are saved in the PG-LPC.INI[Note] file, so that the GUI software starts up next time with the same settings.

Note PG-LPC.INI is created in the Windows folder when Windows 98SE, Windows Me, or Windows XP is used.
When Windows 2000 is used, PG-LPC.INI is created in the WinNT folder.

8.3.2 [Device] menu

Clicking the [Device] menu displays the pull-down menu as shown below.
This menu mainly contains commands for programming operations such as blank check, deletion and programming of the target device.

Figure 35: [Device] Menu



(1) [Blank Check] command

The [Blank Check] command allows you to make a blank check on the 78K0S/KA1+ target device connected to the PG-LPC. If the flash memory of the device is erased, a blank check is terminated normally. If the flash memory is not completely erased, the indication "not blank" is provided. Before starting programming, erase the flash memory of the target device.

(2) [Erase] command

The [Erase] command erases the flash memory of the 78K0S/KA1+ device connected to the PG-LPC. While the flash memory is being erased, the progress status is displayed in the action log window to indicate programmer operation.
The execution on the [Blank Check] command before the [Erase] command is executed follows the setting of 'Command options' of the Advance tab displayed by selecting [Device] → [Setup].
Upon completion of [Erase] command execution, the GUI software displays the result of executing the command on the target device.

(3) [Program] command

The [Program] command sends a specified user program to the target device and writes the program to the flash memory.

The execution of Verify operation for detecting an error in user program communication from the PG-LPC to the target device after the execution of the [Program] command follows the setting of the 'Command options' on the Advance tab displayed by selecting [Device] → [Setup].

During programming, the progress status is displayed in the action log window to indicate programmer operation. This progress status display window displays the progress status on target device programming by percentage.

Upon completion of [Program] command execution, the GUI software displays the result of executing the command on the target device.

(4) [Verify] command

This command is not supported.

(5) [Security] command

This command is not supported.

(6) [Checksum] command

The [Checksum] command reads the checksum value of the 78K0S/KA1+ device connected with the PG-LPC. This value differs from the value displayed in the parameter window of the main window.

(7) [Autoprocedure(EPV)] command

The [Autoprocedure(EPV)] command executes the [Erase] command and [Program] command in succession. Upon completion of [Autoprocedure(EPV)] command execution, the GUI software displays the result of executing the command on the target device.

(8) [Signature read] command

This command is not supported.

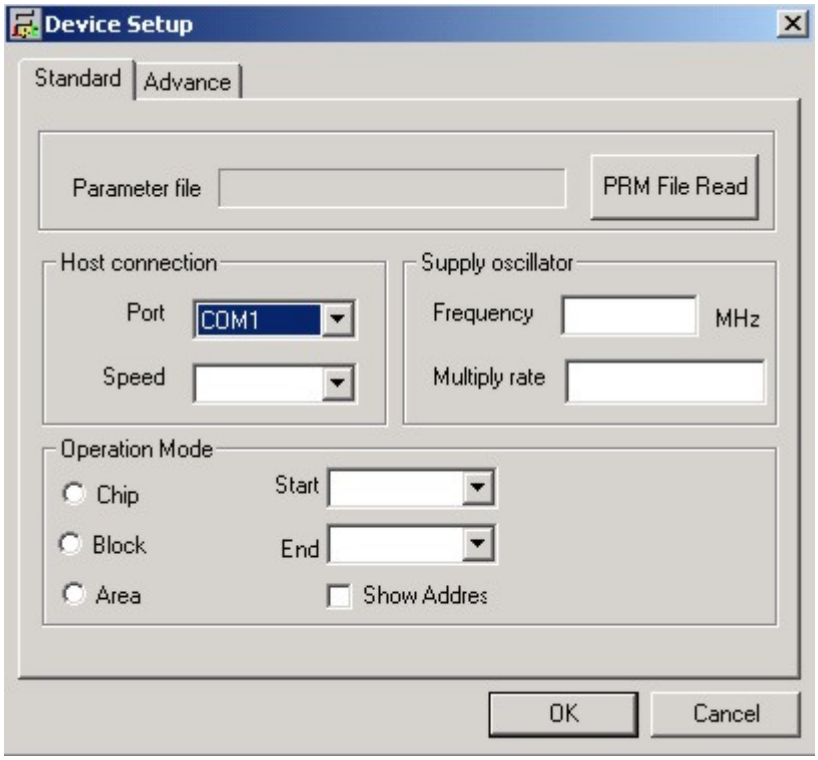
(9) [Setup] command

The [Setup] menu allows you to make settings related to flash memory rewriting according to the user environment and to set command options. Each time the GUI software is started, the most recently used parameter file (.PRM) is read and the settings are displayed. The [Setup] menu allows you to modify the settings of items other than those items consisting of shadowed characters according to the user environment.

(a) Standard setup

This menu is used to set the environment for rewriting the flash memory of the target device.
The mode of communication with the target, the operating clock, and so forth differ depending on the device used. The window shown below is opened.

Figure 36: Device Setup Window - Standard



This window shows all basic options that can be set in accordance with the user environment and target device.

[OK button]
Clicking the OK button saves the settings on the Standard and Advance menus and closes the window.

[Cancel button]
Clicking the Cancel button closes the window without saving the settings on the Standard and Advance menus.

<1> Parameter file

This file holds parameters and timing data required to rewrite the flash memory of the target device. Do not modify the data in the parameter file because the data is related to the guarantee of rewrite data.

The parameter file is protected by the checksum function. If the checksum result indicates an error, PG-LPC does not accept the parameter file.

Figure 37: Setup Window - Parameter File Selection

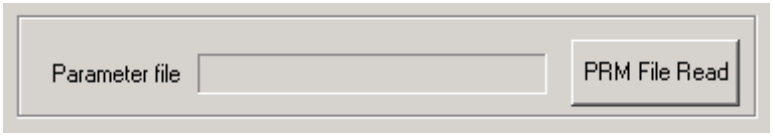
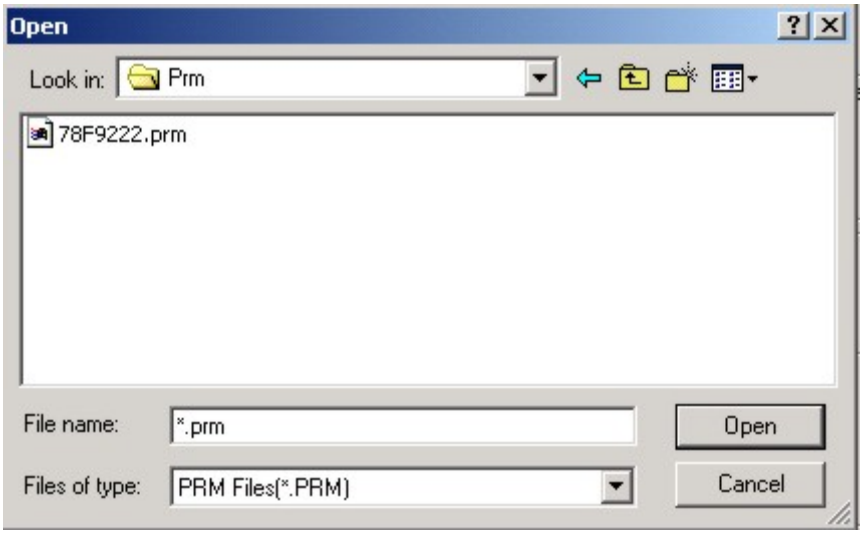


Figure 38: Parameter File Selection Window



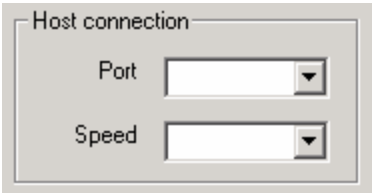
[PRM File Read button]

A window for specifying a parameter file is displayed. Specify a desired file then click Open.

<2> Communication interface to device

"Communication interface to device" is used to select a channel for communication between the *Low Pin Count- Do it!* board and host machine.

Figure 39: Setup Window - Communication interface to device



[Port list box]

Select a channel for communication between the *Low Pin Count- Do it!* board and host machine.

Remark Selectable ports can be checked using Device Manager. For details, refer to **7.5 Confirmation of USB Driver Installation**.

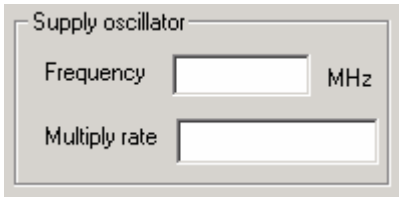
[Speed list box]

Select a communication rate for the selected communication channel.

<3> Supply oscillator

"Supply oscillator" is used to select a clock that determines programming, data transfer, and a transfer rate.

Figure 40: Setup Window - Supply Oscillator Selection



[Frequency box]

Sets the clock frequency of the target system.

The range of operating frequency varies from one device to another. So, check the specifications of the device used before making a setting.

[Multiply rate]

Specifies the division rate or multiplication rate of the target device.

If the target device has an on-chip PLL circuit, enter a division rate or multiplication rate according to the use environment.

The selectable division rate or multiplication rate differs depending on the device. Check the specifications of the device used before making a setting.

If the target device does not have an on-chip PLL circuit, select "1.0".

On the initial screen, the default setting is displayed according to the parameter file.

<4> Operation Mode

The setting of "Operation Mode" may divide the flash memory of some target devices into blocks or areas.

This menu is used to select an operation mode of the flash memory. Some devices do not have the block and area division modes, and some devices have only one of the modes. In these cases, a nonexisting mode is unchoosable.

Figure 41: Setup Window - Operation Mode

[When Chip is selected]

The entire flash memory area of the target device is subject to rewrite processing.

[When Block is selected]

Specify the Block number range subject to rewrite processing by using Start/End.

The Start/End list boxes display the Block numbers where the flash memory of the target device is configured.

[When Area is selected]

Specify the Area number range subject to rewrite processing by using Start/End.

The Start/End list boxes display the Area numbers where the flash memory of the target device is configured.

[Show Address check box]

Specify whether numbers or addresses are displayed in the Start/End list boxes.

If this check box is checked, addresses are displayed.

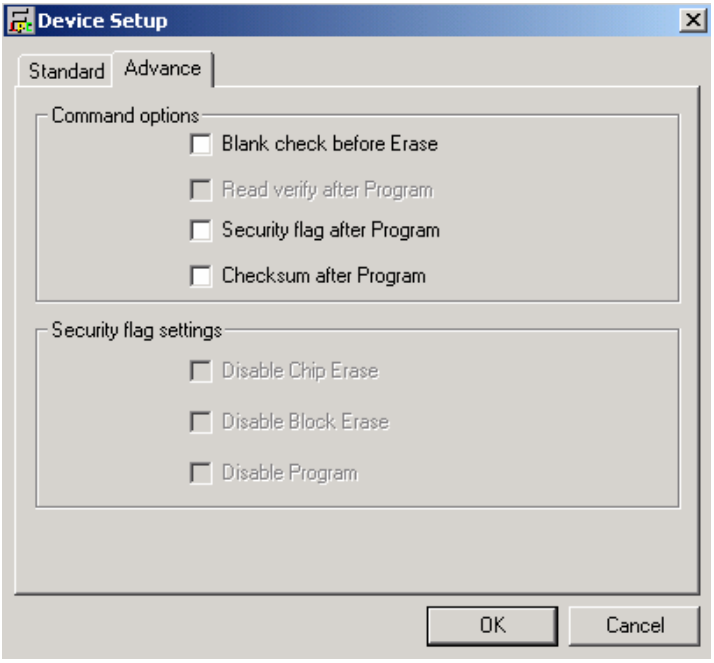
If this check box is not checked, numbers are displayed.

(b) Advance setup

The Advance setup menu is used to specify the command options and security flag settings.

When "Advance" is clicked, the following window is displayed:

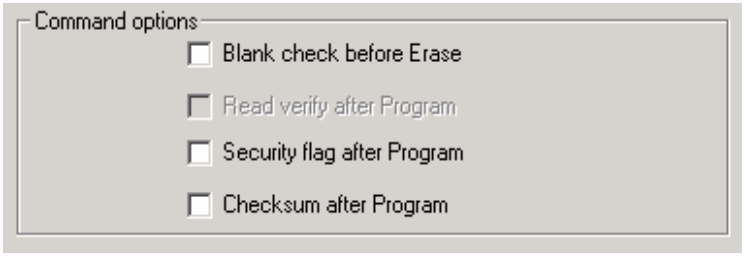
Figure 42: Device Setup Window - Advance



<1> Command options

This dialog box is used to specify the PG-LPC flash processing command options.

Figure 43: Setup Window - Command options



[Blank check before Erase check box]

If this check box is checked, blank check is made before the Erase command or EPV command is executed.

If the result of a blank check indicates OK, erase processing is not executed.

[Security flag after Program check box] Not usable

[Checksum after Program check box]

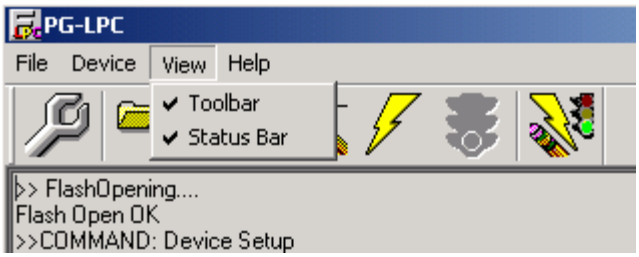
If this check box is checked, the flash memory checksum value of the target device is read from the target device after execution of the Program command and EPV command.

This value differs from the value displayed in the parameter window of the main window.

8.3.3 [View] menu

Clicking the [View] menu displays the pull-down menu shown below.
This menu contains commands for setting whether to display the toolbar and status bar.

Figure 44: [View] Menu



(1) [Toolbar] command

Checking the [Toolbar] command displays the toolbar. Unchecking the command hides the toolbar.

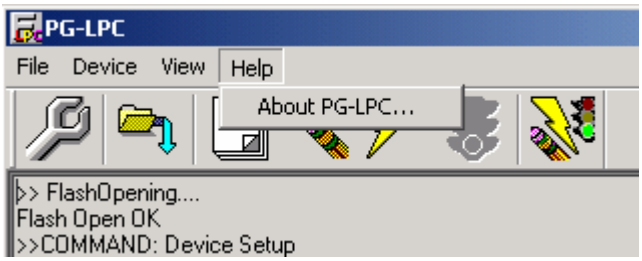
(2) [Status Bar] command

Checking the [Status Bar] command displays the status bar. Unchecking the command hides the status bar.

8.3.4 [Help] menu

Clicking the [Help] menu displays the following pull-down menu:

Figure 45: [Help] Menu



(1) [About PG-LPC] command

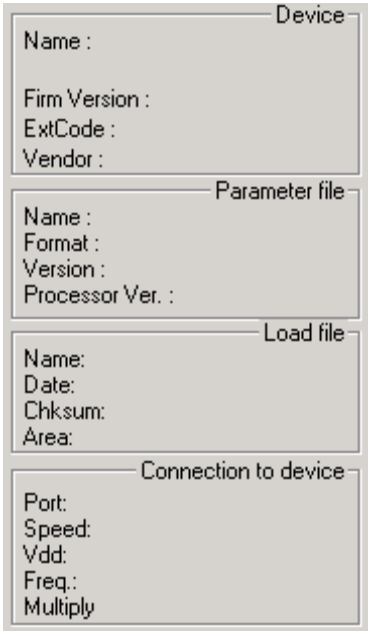
The [About PG-LPC] command opens the program entry window as shown below and indicates the version.
Clicking [OK] terminates the display.

Figure 46: About PG-LPC Window

8.4 Programmer Parameter Window

This window displays the settings of the programming parameters.

Figure 47: Programmer Parameter Window



[Device]
Updated after communication with the target device to display information about the target device.

[Parameter file]
Updated after [Setup] command execution to display information about a read parameter file.

[Load file]
Updated after [Load] command execution to select information about a selected program file.

[Connection to device]
Updated after [Setup] command execution to display information about the connection with the target device.

9. How to use PG-LPC FLASH programming software

This chapter explains the basic operations of the PG-LPC GUI for programming the *Low Pin Count* - Do *it!* board. This chapter covers how to start the system, execute the EPV command, and program the target device μPD78F9222 mounted on the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board.

The conditions of the series of operations described in this chapter are as follows:

Target board *Low Pin Count - Do it!*
Target device : μPD78F9222
Clock : 8 MHz
Voltage level : 5 V

PG-LPC
Parameter file : 78F9222.PRM
Clock setting : 8 MHz Multiplied by 1
Port : COM4 (115200 bps)
Operation mode: Chip
Write HEX : Light_demo.hex
Option setting : Blank check before Erase

(1) Installing the PG-LPC GUI software

Install the PG-LPC GUI software on the host machine you are using, by referring to **CHAPTER 7 SOFTWARE INSTALLATION** (if the software has not been installed yet).

(2) Installing the driver

Install the USB driver on the host machine you are using, by referring to **CHAPTER 7 SOFTWARE INSTALLATION** (if the driver has not been installed yet).

(3) Installing the parameter file

The parameter file for the μPD78F9222 device is installed automatically during installation of PG-LPC GUI, folder <PG-LPC install-path>\PRM. Nevertheless, newest version of parameter file for the μPD78F9222 device can by download from the following URL:

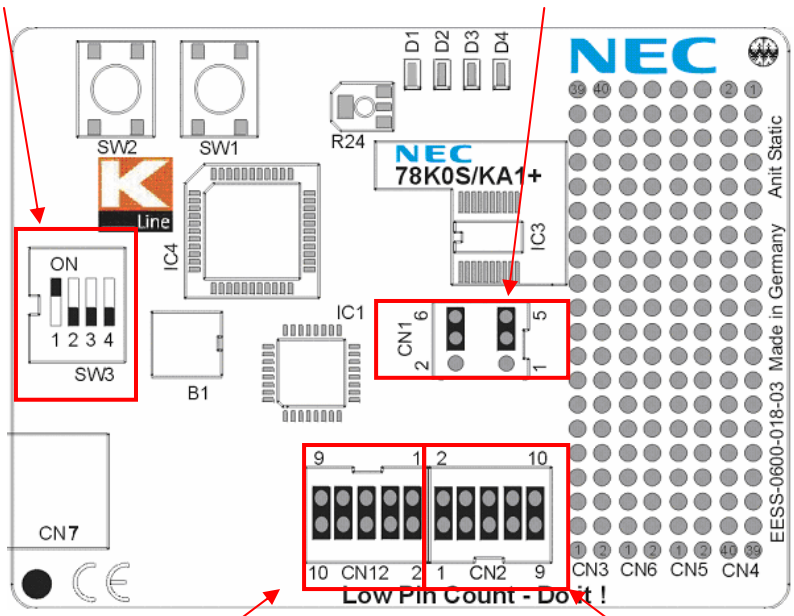
http://www.eu.necel.com/updates

(4) Connecting and starting

<1> Set the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board to the FLASH programming mode by switching SW3/S1 to ON. The recommended configuration of connectors CN1, CN2 and CN12 is shown below:

SW3	Setting
S1	ON
S2	don't care
S3	don't care
S4	don't care

CN1	Jumper setting
1-2	open
3-5	closed
4-6	closed



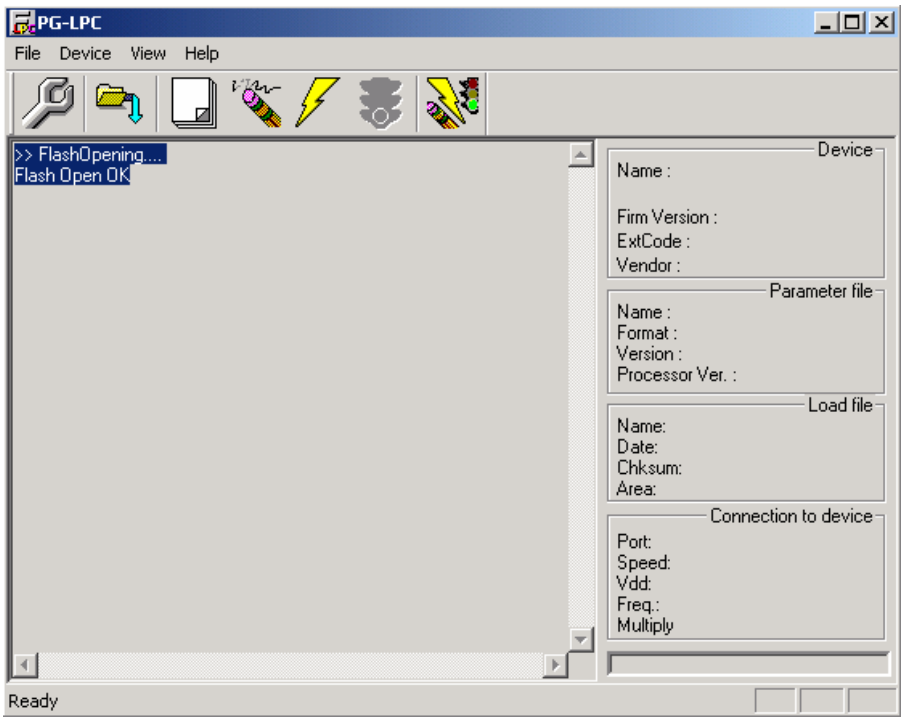
CN12	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	don't care
5-6	don't care
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

CN2	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	don't care
5-6	don't care
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

<2> <Plug and Play> Connect the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board with the host machine via the USB cable.

<3> Start the PG-LPC GUI.

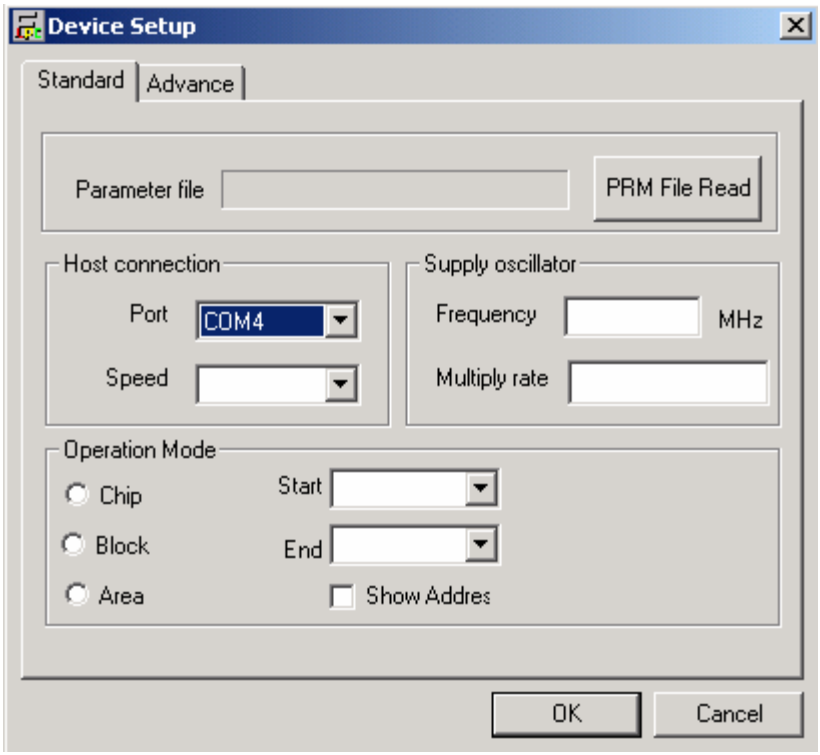
Figure 48: GUI Software Startup Screen



(5) Setting the programming environment

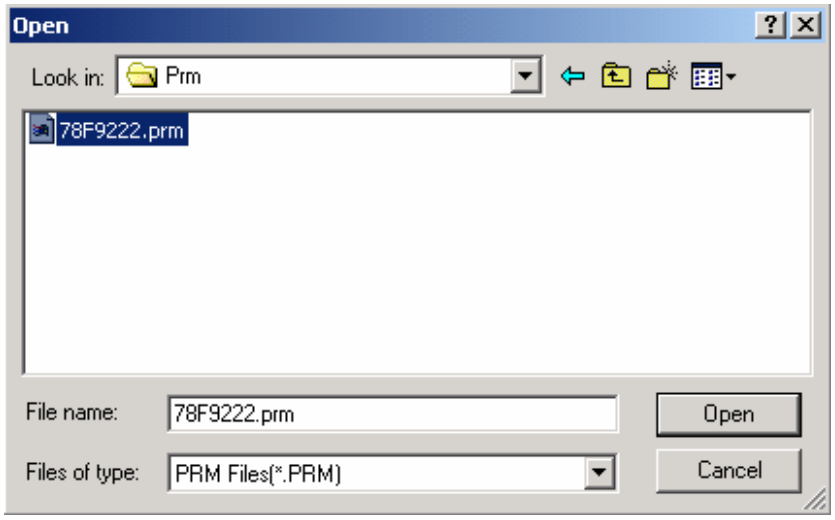
<1> Select [Device] → [Setup] from the menu bar.
<2> The Standard dialog box for device setup is activated.

Figure 49: <Standard Device Setup> Dialog Box



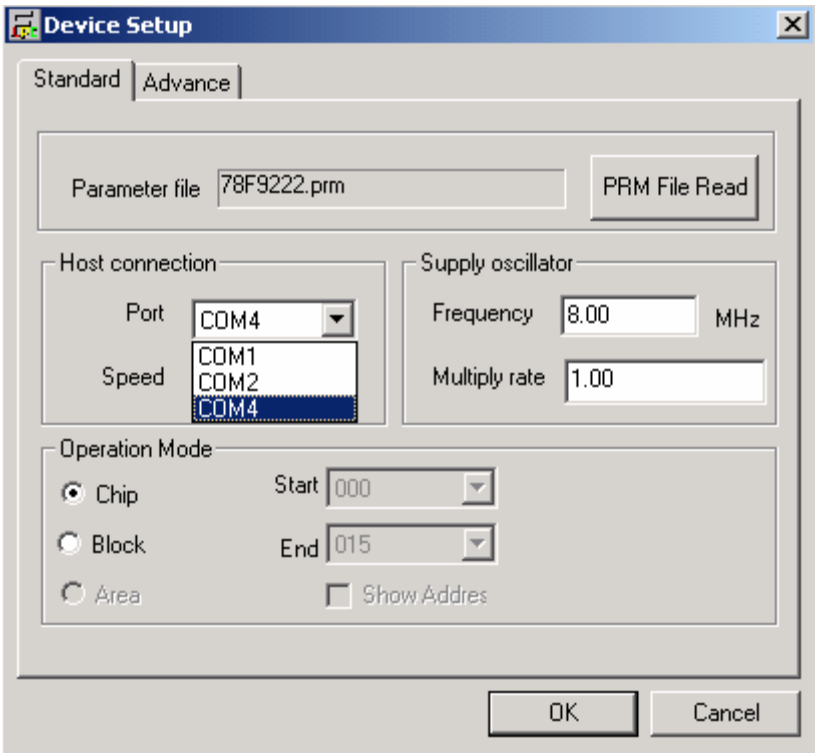
<3> Click PRM File Read to open the parameter file selection window.
Select the parameter file “78F9222.prm” then click Open.

Figure 50: Parameter File Selection



<4> From the Port list box, select the communication port that matches the host machine being used. Select the communication speed of the Host connection.

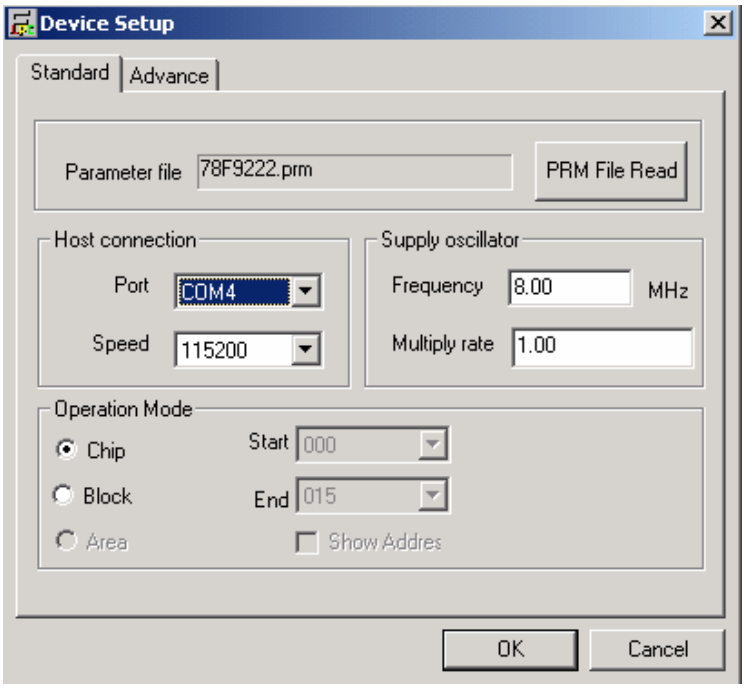
Figure 51: Port Selection



Remark Selectable ports can be checked using Device Manager. For details, refer to **7.5 Confirmation of USB Driver Installation**.

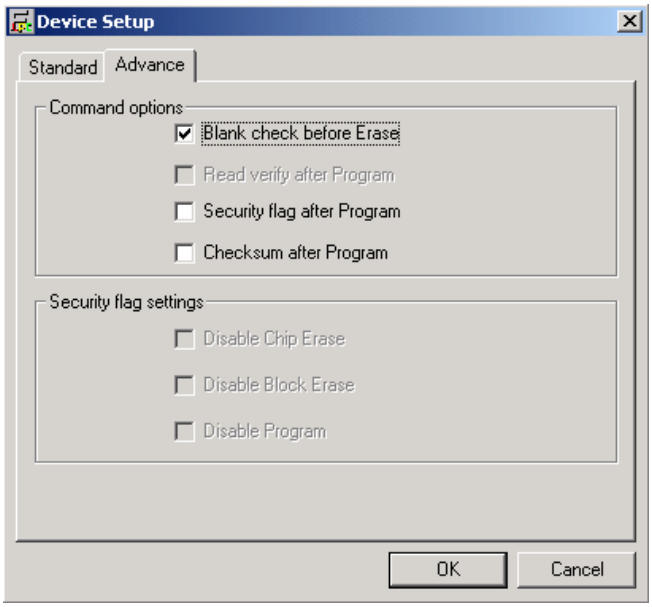
<5> Set "Supply oscillator" according to the specifications of the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board, “Frequency = 8.00 MHz” and “Multiply rate = 1.00”. In "Operation Mode", please specify the “Chip” mode. The following figure shows the recommended settings:

Figure 52: <Standard Device Setup> Dialog Box after Setting



<6> Switch to the Advance dialog box.

Figure 53: <Advance Device Setup> Dialog Box

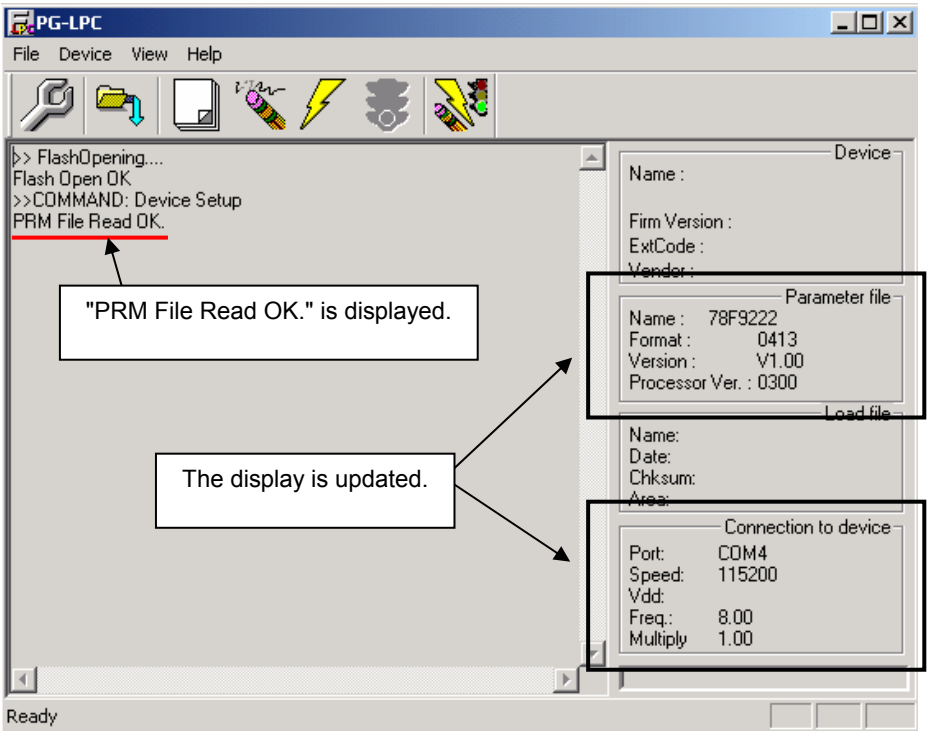


<Command options>

Blank check before Erase : Checked

<7> Click the OK button. The GUI software sets the parameters.
When the settings have been completed, the following screen is displayed:

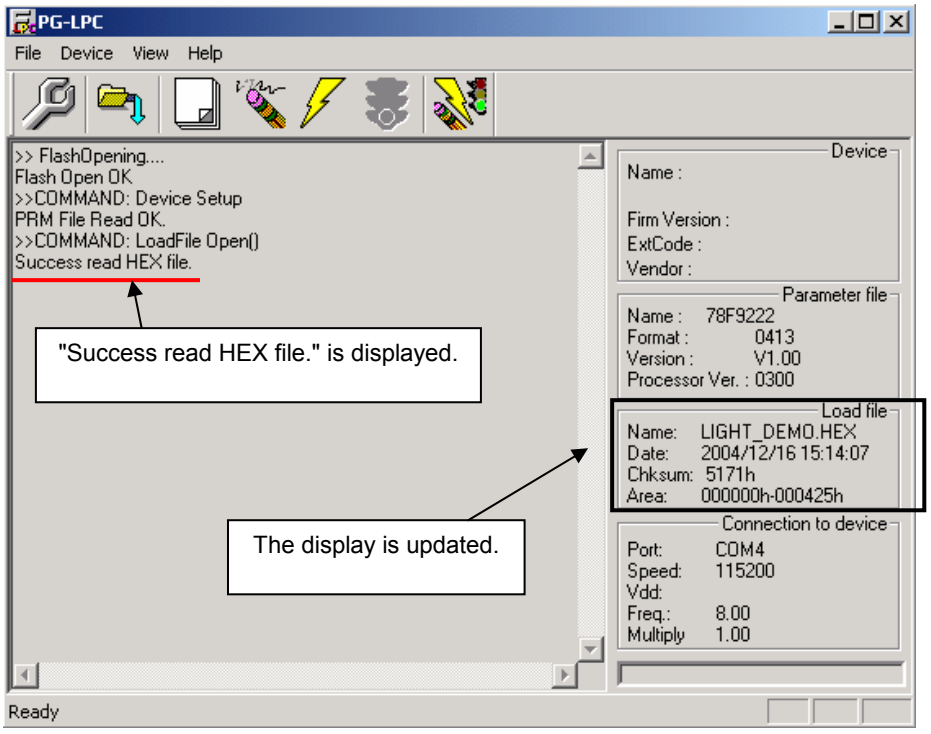
Figure 54: Completion of Parameter Setting



(6) Selecting a user program

<1> Select [File] → [Load].
<2> Select a program file to be written to the target device, then click Open.

Figure 55: After Downloading

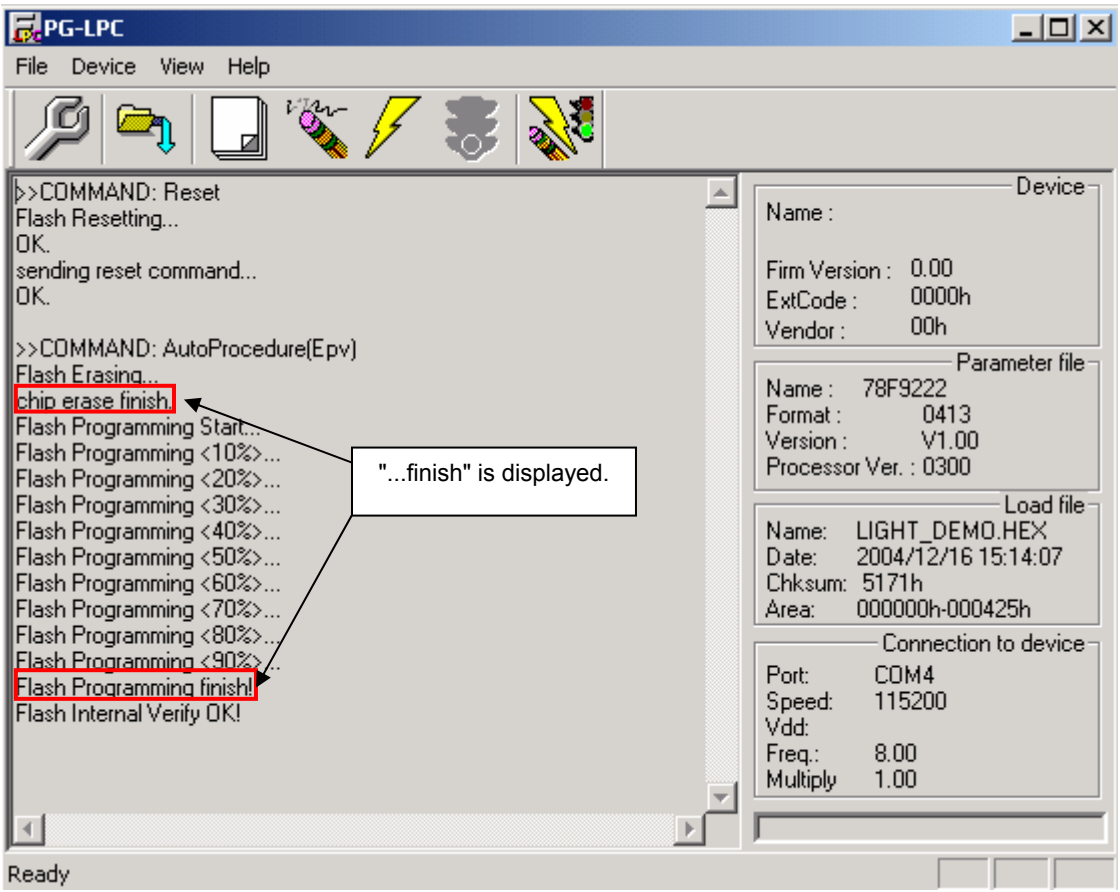


(7) [Autoprocedure(EPV)] command execution

Select [Device] → [Autoprocedure(EPV)] from the menu bar.

When the [Autoprocedure(EPV)] command is executed, Blank Check → Erase → Program and FLASH Internal Verify are executed sequentially for the μPD78F9222 device.

Figure 56: After EPV Execution



(8) Terminating the GUI

Select [File] → [Quit] to terminate the GUI software. All settings executed so far are saved in the PG-LPC.INI file, so that those settings can be reused when the GUI software is restarted.

(9) Execute "LIGHT_DEMO" application

Set the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board to the normal operation mode by switching SW3/S1 to OFF.

< Plug and Play> the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board to start in normal operation mode.

(10) Restarting the GUI

When the system is restarted, the same screen as shown in Figure 54 appears.

10. TROUBLESHOOTING

In driver installation, recognition based on Plug and Play is disabled.

Cause:
The USB connector may not be inserted normally into the USB port of the personal computer.
Action:
Check that the USB connector is inserted fully into the USB port of the personal computer. Alternatively, disconnect the USB connector, then insert the USB connector again after a while.

The driver file cannot be found at a specified location.

Cause:
The PG-LPC software of the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board may not be installed correctly.
Action:
Install the GUI software again by referring to **CHAPTER 7 Software Installation**.

In checking by Device Manager, "USB Serial Port" or "USB High Speed Serial Converter" is not displayed. Alternatively, the "!" or "×" is prefixed.

Cause:
The USB connector may not be inserted normally into the USB port of the personal computer.
Action:
Check that the USB connector is inserted fully into the USB port of the personal computer. Alternatively, disconnect the USB connector from the USB port, then insert the USB connector again after a while.

Cause:
The driver may not be installed correctly.
Action:
<1> When this product is connected to the personal computer, right-click the driver marked with "!" or "×".
Click Erase when displayed.
<2> On Device Manager, execute [Hardware Modification Scan].
<3> Install the driver again with Plug and Play.

Cause:
The device may not be recognized (in the case of connection with the USB hub).
Action:
Try the following:
- Disconnect the USB connector, then insert the USB connector again.
- Connect the USB connector to another port of the USB hub.

If the same symptom occurs, do not use the USB hub, but directly connect the connector to the USB port of the personal computer.

When this product is connected with a personal computer, the "Add New Hardware Wizard" screen is displayed.

Cause:
If the USB connector of this product is inserted not into the USB port used at the installation time but into another USB port, this product may be recognized as a new hardware item.
Action:
Install the driver by referring to **CHAPTER 7.4 Driver Installation**.

Communication with the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board is disabled.

Cause:
The driver may not be installed correctly.
Action:
Check if "USB Serial Port" and "USB High Speed Serial Converter" are installed correctly by referring to **CHAPTER 7.4 Driver Installation**.

Cause:
The Port list box may not be set correctly.
Action:
Set the port checked using Device Manager.

Cause:
The power, clock or reset signal may not be supplied to the 78K0S/KA1+ device correctly.
Action:
<1> Check that the clock is supplied to the 78K0S/KA1+ device, connector CN1.
<2> Check that the power is supplied to the 78K0S/KA1+ device, connector CN12.
<3> Check that the CPLD reset signal is supplied to the 78K0S/KA1+ device, connector CN2.

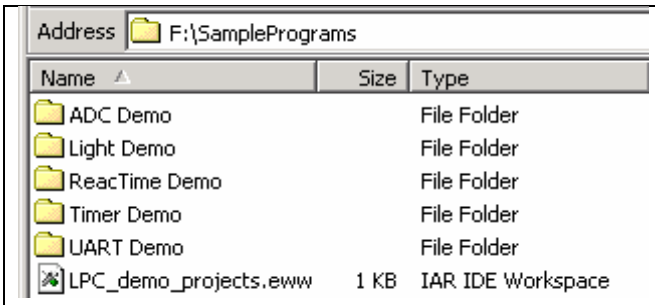
Cause:
The PRM file selected in [Device Setup] may be incorrect.
Action:
Use the 78F9222.prm that matches the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* target device. For information about the PRM file, refer to **CHAPTER 8 PG-LPC FLASH programming software.**

Cause:
The setting of "Supply oscillator" in [Device Setup] may be incorrect.
Action:
Make a correct setting according to the specifications of the target device.

11. Sample programs

11.1 General Introduction

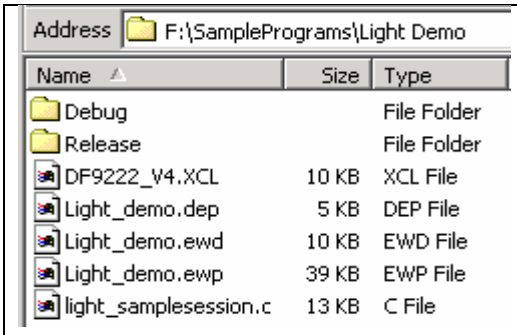
Each of the sample programs is located in a single directory, which will be called main-directory of the sample. The five sample projects files are included in one IAR workspace file named "LPC_demo_projects.eww".



ADC Demo	AD converter demonstration
Light Demo	Light Show
ReacTime Demo	Reaction time measurement
Timer Demo	Timer demonstration
UART Demo	UART demonstration
LPC_demo_projects.eww	workspace file, IAR Embedded Workbench

Table 14: Example directory structure

A main directory of each sample contains the project inclusive all output files of the development tools. All sample programs use the same directory structure:



Debug	output files for IAR C-SPY simulator
Release	output files for *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board (i.e. Intel HEX file)
DF9222_V4.XCL	linker command file
Light_demo.dep	dependency information file, IAR Embedded Workbench
Light_demo.ewd	project setting file, IAR C-SPY debugger
Light_demo.ewp	project file, IAR Embedded Workbench
light_samplesession.c	C source file

Table 15: Example structure

The main directory contains the project files for the IAR Systems Embedded Workbench, the corresponding C source file and the linker command file (xcl File).
All output files of the development tools for each target are generated in the directories **`Debug`** and **`Release`**. One target is the IAR C-SPY simulator directory **`Debug`** and the other is the demonstration kit hardware directory **`Release`**.

To open the IAR Systems Embedded Workbench for a sample program please double-click on the IAR workspace file "LPC_demo_projects.eww" in the directory **`SamplePrograms`**.

For details of using IAR Embedded Workbench and IAR C-SPY Simulator please refer to the manuals.

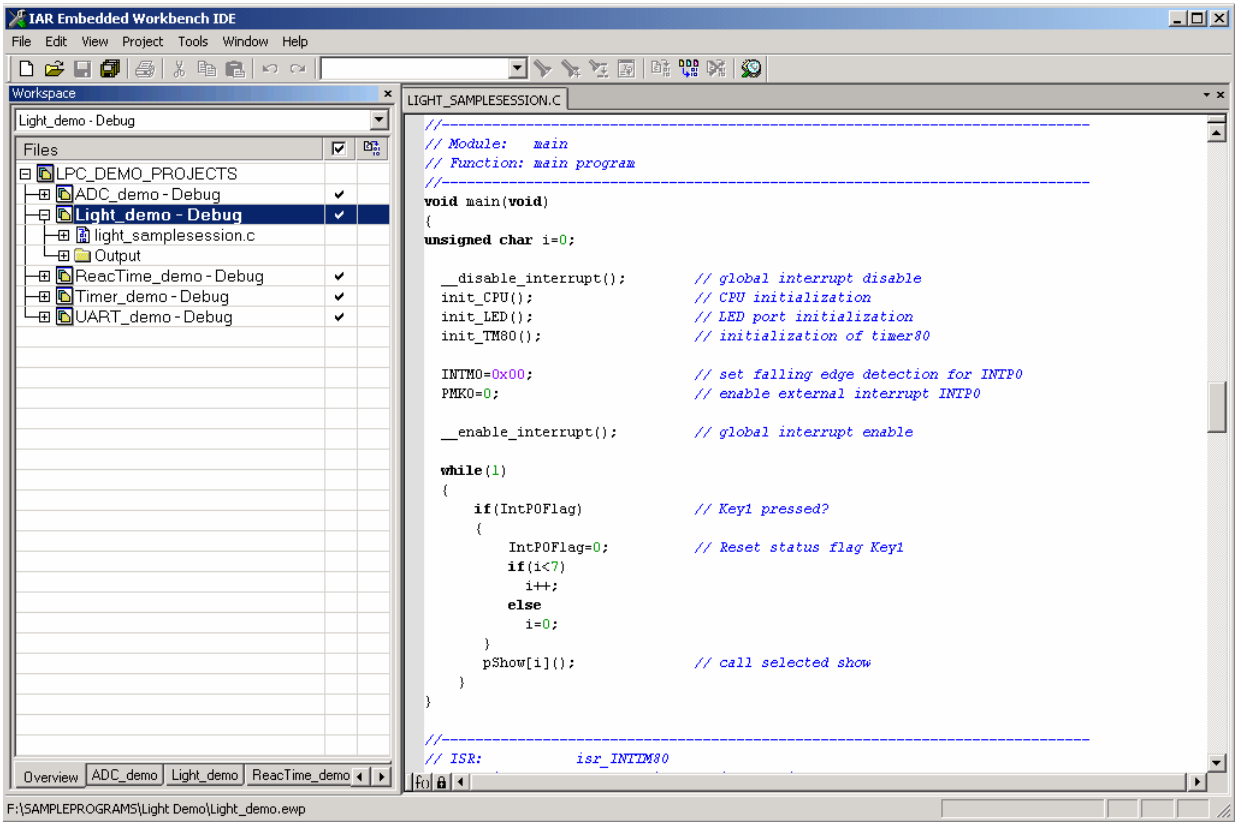


Figure 57: IAR Systems Embedded Workbench 78K0/K0S

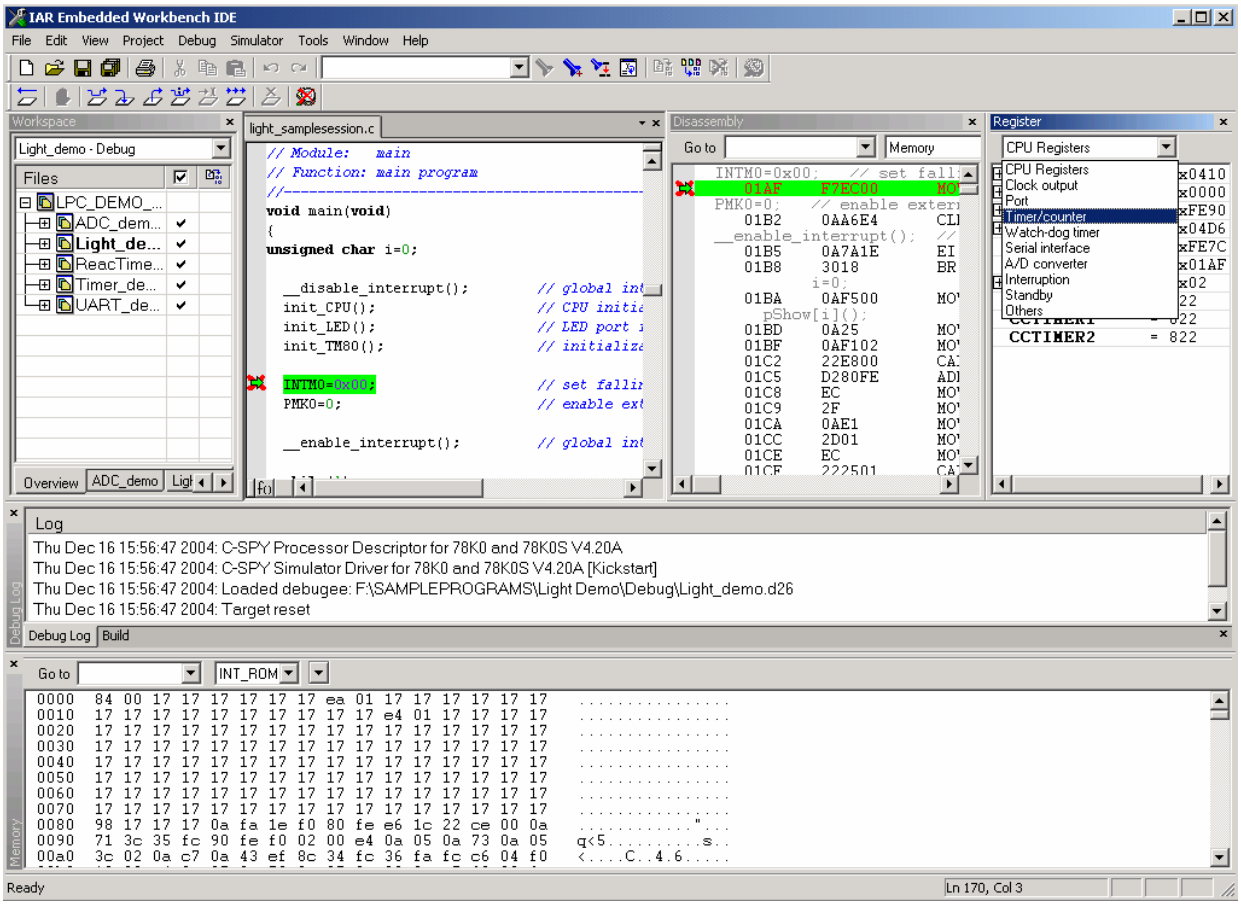


Figure 58: IAR System 78K0/K0S C-SPY Simulator

11.2 ADC demo

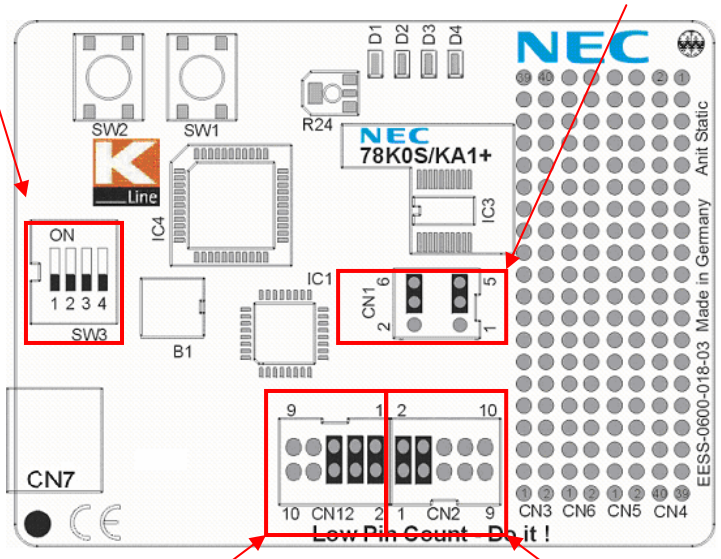
This sample program simulates a simple voltage meter. By using the integrated ADC, the voltage supplied to ADC on input channel 0, port P20/ANI0, is measured. The input voltage is adjusted by potentiometer R24. The board shows the measured voltage by flashing LED's D1 to D4.

Used Internal Peripherals	Used External Parts
Timer80	LED's D1- D4
A/D converter	Potentiometer R24
	Button SW2

To run the ADC demo please set the configuration of switch SW3 and connectors CN1, CN2 and CN12 to the following:

SW3	Setting
S1	OFF
S2	OFF
S3	OFF
S4	OFF

CN1	Jumper setting
1-2	open
3-5	closed
4-6	closed



CN12	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	closed
5-6	closed
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

CN2	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	closed
5-6	don't care
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

11.3 Light demo

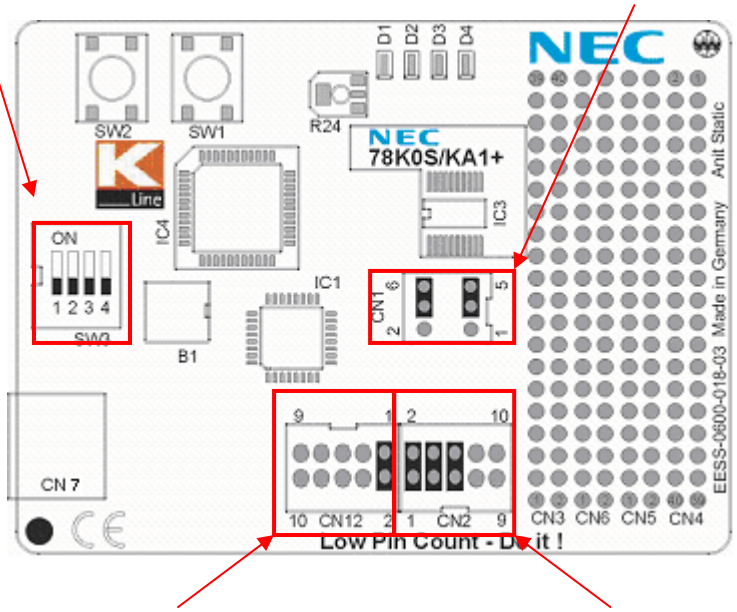
This sample programs plays one of eight predefined lightshows. After the program-start-signal, the program plays the first lightshow. By pressing button SW1 the next show is selected. Pressing button SW2 restarts the application.

Used Internal Peripherals	Used External Parts
Timer80	LED's D1- D4
	Button SW1
	Button SW2

To run the Light demo please set the configuration of switch SW3 and connectors CN1, CN2 and CN12 to the following:

SW3	Setting
S1	OFF
S2	OFF
S3	OFF
S4	OFF

CN1	Jumper setting
1-2	open
3-5	closed
4-6	closed



CN12	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	don't care
5-6	don't care
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

CN2	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	closed
5-6	closed
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

11.4 ReacTime demo

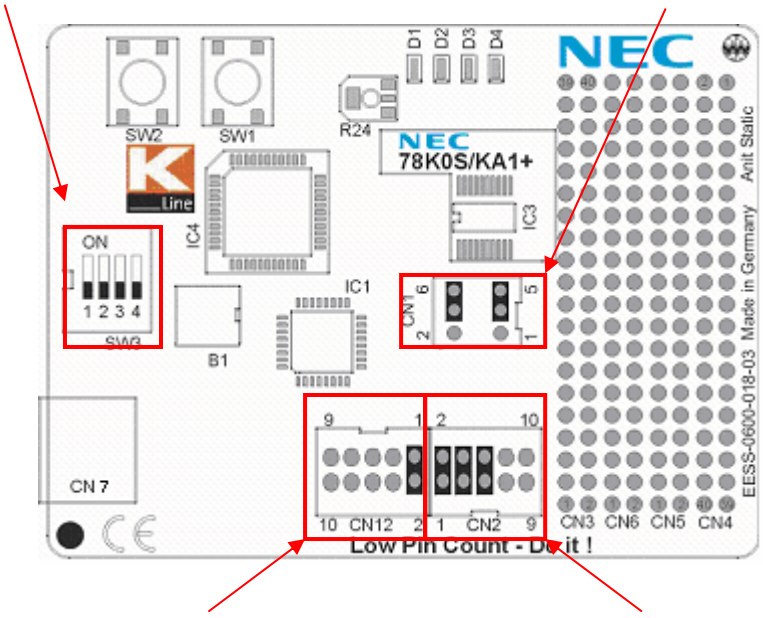
This sample program demonstrates a reaction time measurement. The application starts by flashing LED's D1-D4 two times. After a press of button SW1 the application waits for a random time between 0.50 and 3.45 seconds. Then LED D4 is switched on and measurement starts by incrementing a reaction counter every 50ms. The actual counter value is shown by LED's D1-D4 (binary format) until the next keystroke of button SW1. After a press of button SW1 is detected, the measurement stops and the reaction time is shown by flashing LED's D1-D4. Pressing button SW2 starts a new measuring cycle.

Used Internal Peripherals	Used External Parts
Timer80	LED's D1- D4
TimerH1	Button SW1
	Button SW2

To run the ReacTime demo please set the configuration of switch SW3 and connectors CN1, CN2 and CN12 to the following:

SW3	Setting
S1	OFF
S2	OFF
S3	OFF
S4	OFF

CN1	Jumper setting
1-2	open
3-5	closed
4-6	closed



CN12	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	don't care
5-6	don't care
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

CN2	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	closed
5-6	closed
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

11.5 Timer demo

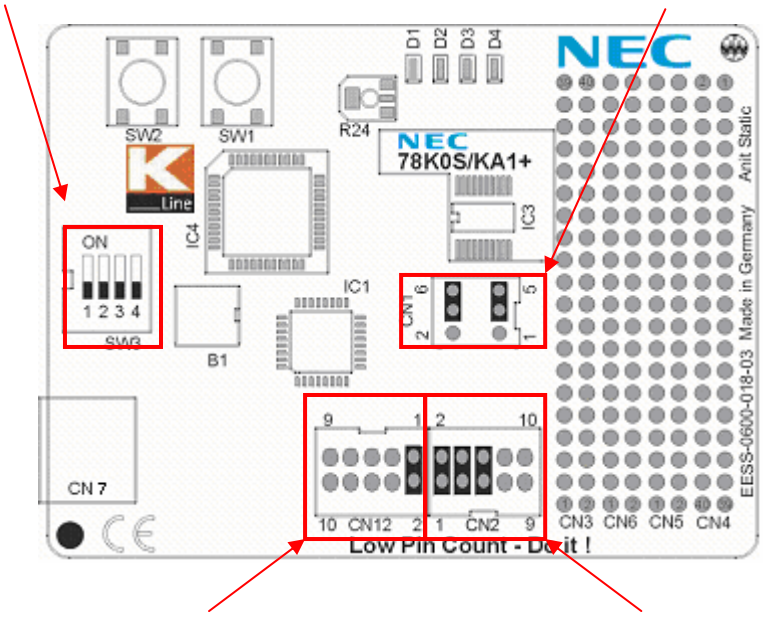
This sample program simulates a darkroom timer. The board starts after reset flashing all LED's.
After first key press of SW1, the board starts counting up expose times in unit of minutes (binary output format). By pressing SW1 a second time the shown elapse time is selected and counting is started.
After the selected time is finished the elapse time is displayed by flashing the LED's twenty times and the stop mode is entered. By pressing SW1 stop mode can be released.

Used Internal Peripherals	Used External Parts
Timer80	LED's D1- D4
TimerH1	Button SW1
	Button SW2

To run the Timer demo please set the configuration of switch SW3 and connectors CN1, CN2 and CN12 to the following:

SW3	Setting
S1	OFF
S2	OFF
S3	OFF
S4	OFF

CN1	Jumper setting
1-2	open
3-5	closed
4-6	closed



CN12	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	don't care
5-6	don't care
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

CN2	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	closed
5-6	closed
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

11.6 UART demo

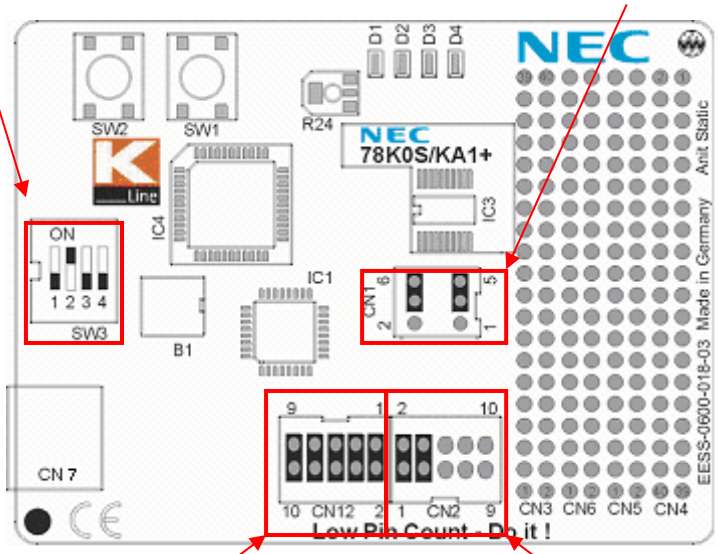
This sample program simulates a voltage meter with serial communication channel. The sample program does a cyclic measurement of the input voltage of AD converter channel 0, port P20/ANI0, and transfers the measured result via UART6 to a terminal program running on the host machine. The data transfer speed is set to 115200 bps per default. The input voltage can be changed by potentiometer R24.

Used Internal Peripherals	Used External Parts
Timer80	LED's D1-D4
A/D converter	Button SW2
UART6	

To run the UART demo please set the configuration of switch SW3 and connectors CN1, CN2 and CN12 to the following:

SW3	Setting
S1	OFF
S2	ON
S3	OFF
S4	OFF

CN1	Jumper setting
1-2	open
3-5	closed
4-6	closed



CN12	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	closed
5-6	closed
7-8	closed
9-10	closed

CN2	Jumper setting
1-2	closed
3-4	closed
5-6	don't care
7-8	don't care
9-10	don't care

12. Connectors and Cables

12.1 USB host connector CN7

Figure 59: Connector CN7, USB Mini-B Type Host Connector Pin Configuration

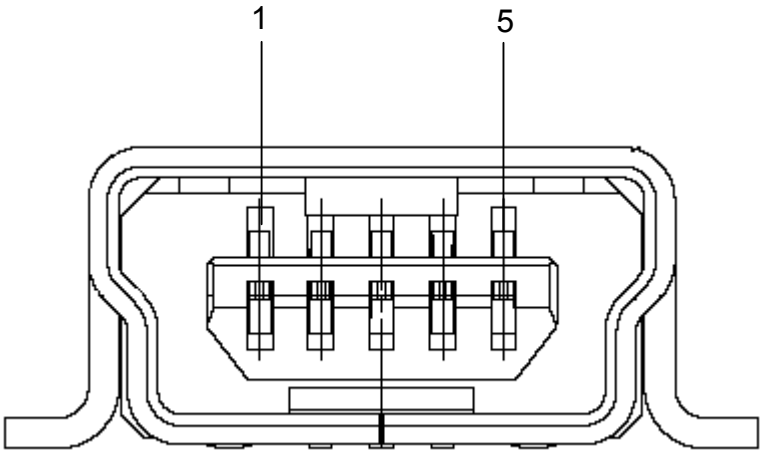


Table 16: Pin Configuration of USB Connector CN7

USB Connector CN7	Signal Name
1	VBUS
2	DM
3	DP
4	N.C.
5	GNDBUS

For connection with the host machine, use a USB cable (Mini-B type). For confirmation, NEC Electronics used only the USB cable delivered with the *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board.

12.2 USB interface cable (Mini-B type)

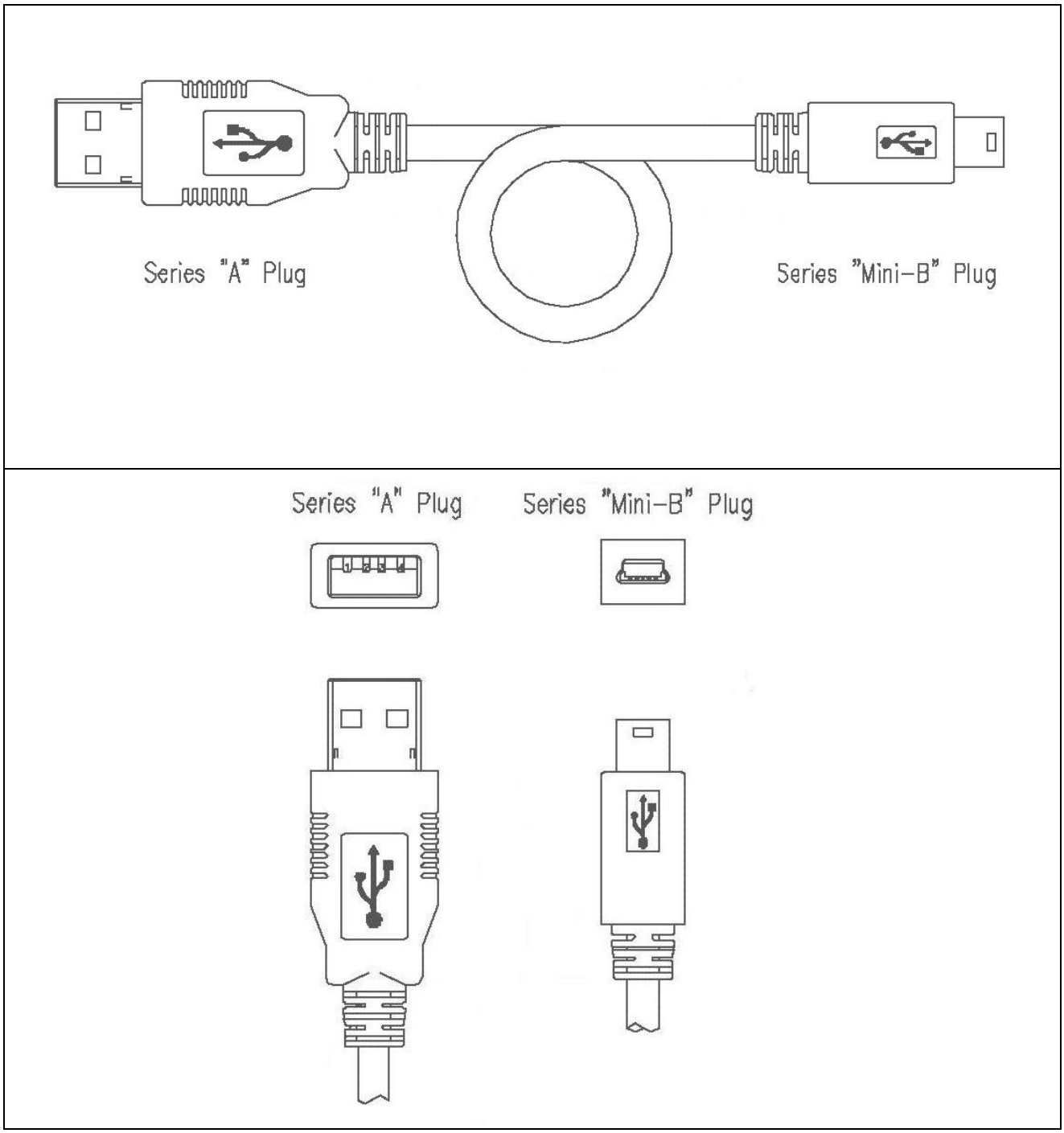


Figure 60: USB interface cable (Mini-B type)

13. Schematics

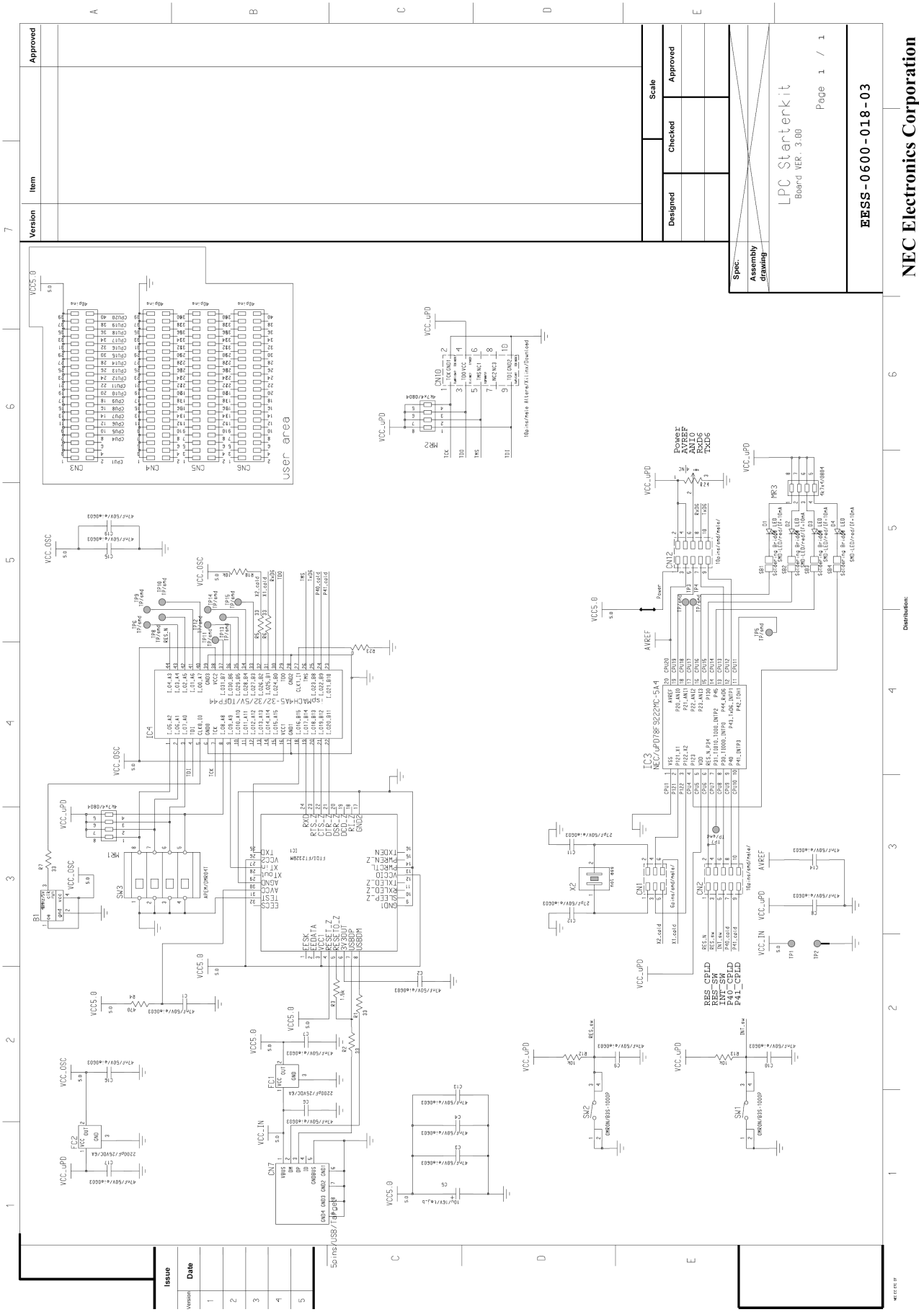


Figure 61: *Low Pin Count - Do it!* board schematics

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