



SmartVR

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SmartVR Module

Product Description

The SmartVR module is a development platform for speech synthesis and voice recognition applications, based on Sensory RSC-4128 mixed signal processor.

Its small size of 42 x 72 mm and the two connectors at the edges with 2.54mm pin spacing, make it suitable for prototype boards and breadboard friendly.

Factory programmed with upgradeable Virtual Machine firmware, it enables easy and low-cost development for a wide variety of applications, with focus on speech and voice recognition.

SmartVR hardware:

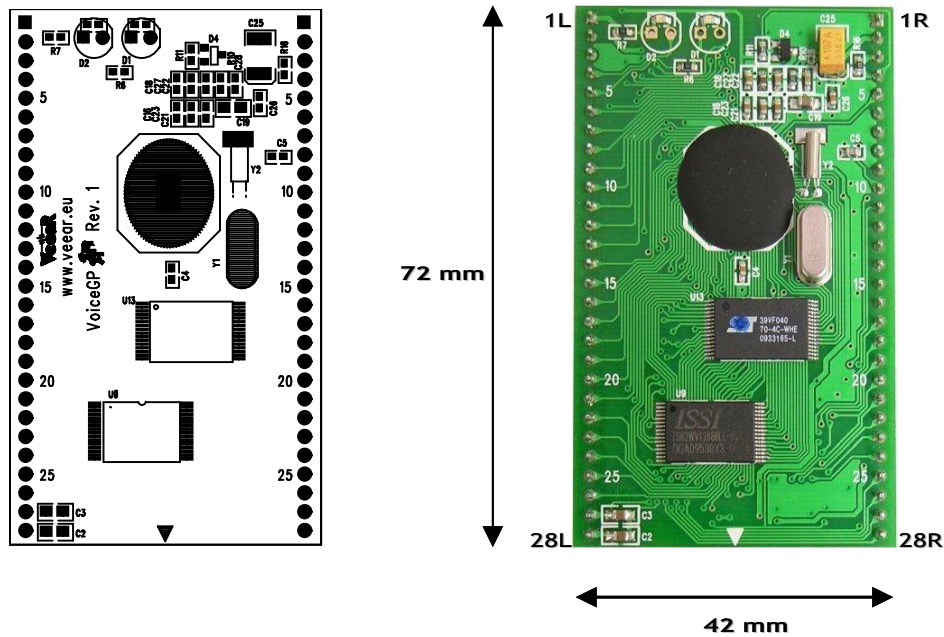
- RSC-4128 (with ROM Bootloader)
- 512KB Code/Const Flash
- 512KB Data Flash (Serial)
- 128KB External RAM
- Full access to RSC-4x I/O pins
- Expansion bus:
 - allows faster SPI interface to MMC cards
 - 5 dedicated chip select outputs (1 used for MMC on DevBoard)
 - 2 memory enable outputs (1 used for MMC on DevBoard)
 - 8-bit wide, read-write memory bus

SmartVR firmware (Virtual Machine):

- VeeEm: Stack based, no Floating Point, 16-bit Virtual Machine
- Modified Harvard architecture:
 - 64KB Code / Near-Const memory
 - 64KB Data memory
 - 1MB Far-Const memory
- Native runtime support for:
 - Support for most of Sensory's FluentChip™ library functions (T2SI, SD, SV, SX, RPMSG)
 - Some C Runtime functions (integer math, strings)
 - Serial Flash and EEPROM memory access
 - Fast SPI access to DevBoard memory-card socket (SD/SDHC/MMC)
 - Generic I2C and SPI bus access (up to 5 SPI slaves)
 - Access to general purpose I/O pins
 - Asynchronous serial interface (9600 – 230400 baud) on any I/O pin
- Programmable in Standard C language (with extensions)
- Max 64KB program / 64KB volatile data memory
- Up to 320KB read-only data (QuickT2SI™, QuickSynthesis™ data)
- Up to 512KB read-write data (SD, SV, RPMSG)

Technical specifications

Physical dimensions and Pin configuration



Pin description

Pin No.	Pin name	Type	Description
1L	VDD	P	DC input voltage
2L	GND	P	Ground
3L	/RST	-	Asynchronous reset
4L	PLED	O	Power LED indicator
5L	VLED	O	Voice LED indicator
6L	GPIO16	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 16
7L	GPIO15	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 15
8L	GPIO14	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 14
9L	GPIO13	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 13
10L	GPIO12	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 12
11L	GPIO11	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 11
12L	GPIO10	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 10
13L	GPIO09	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 09
14L	GPIO08	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 08
15L	GPIO07	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 07

Pin No.	Pin name	Type	Description
16L	GPIO06	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 06
17L	GPIO05	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 05
18L	GPIO04	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 04
19L	GPIO03	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 03
20L	GPIO02	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 02
21L	GPIO01	I/O	General purpose input/output pin 01
22L	DBG	I/O	Debug/diagnostic output
23L	TX	O	Serial port transmit
24L	RX	I	Serial port receive
25L	PDN	O	Power down indicator
26L	/XM	I	Boot mode selector
27L	PWM0	O	Speaker output
28L	PWM1	O	Speaker output

Pin No.	Pin name	Type	Description
1R	MICRET	P	Microphone signal reference
2R	MICIN	I	Microphone input signal
3R	MICPWR	P	Microphone power (for on-board gain resistor)
4R	MICVDD	P	Microphone power (for custom gain resistor)
5R	DACOUT	O	DAC audio output (line level)
6R	FCK	O	External SPI fast clock
7R	/RDF	O	Memory bus read strobe
8R	/WRD	O	Memory bus write strobe
9R	/EN1	O	Memory device enable 1
10R	EN2	O	Memory device enable 2
11R	SPISW	O	External SPI clock switch
12R	/CS1	O	SPI bus chip select 1
13R	/CS2	O	SPI bus chip select 2
14R	/CS3	O	SPI bus chip select 3
15R	/CS4	O	SPI bus chip select 4
16R	/CS5	O	SPI bus chip select 5

Pin No.	Pin name	Type	Description
17R	DQ0	I/O	Memory bus data line
18R	DQ1	I/O	Memory bus data line
19R	DQ2	I/O	Memory bus data line
20R	DQ3	I/O	Memory bus data line
21R	DQ4	I/O	Memory bus data line
22R	DQ5	I/O	Memory bus data line
23R	DQ6	I/O	Memory bus data line
24R	DQ7	I/O	Memory bus data line
25R	SDA	I/O	I2C bus data line
26R	MISO	I	SPI bus data line
27R	MOSI	O	SPI bus data line
28R	SCK/SCL	O	SPI bus clock / I2C bus clock

VDD, GND – Power supply

It supports externally regulated or battery power in the range 2.7V – 3.6V

RX, TX – Serial port

Main serial connection for application protocol or flash programming with the bootloader. It supports standard UART signaling with programmable rate in the range 2400bps – 230400bps

DBG – Debug / Diagnostic port

At power-up it is sampled for Diag-Enable function (active low) and can be activated as a normal TxDiag pin. In bootloader mode, it is held low internally and cannot be used.

/RST – Reset input

Active-low asynchronous reset signal, with internal pull-up.

PDN – Power Down output

Low power mode indicator. It can be used to shutdown additional external circuitry.

/XM – Boot mode

It selects between normal operating mode and flash programming mode. Internally pulled-down, it must be held high at reset to enter the boot-loader, or left unconnected to start the user code.

GPIO01-GPIO16 – General purpose digital I/O pins

Digital input/output pins available for connections to external hardware.

After reset all pins are inputs with light internal pull-up (~200 kΩ). In bootloader mode they are programmed as Hi-Z inputs (within around 10μs).

Various configuration options are available for pin direction, internal pull-up, wake-up capability.

SDA, SCL – I²C Bus

Two-wire synchronous serial bus for simple I²C master operation over external devices.

SCK, MOSI, MISO – SPI Bus

Synchronous serial bus supporting Serial Peripheral Interface Mode 0.

/CS1, /CS2, /CS3, /CS4, /CS5 – Chip Select lines

Additional lines to select slave devices on the SPI bus. (Note /CS5 is used on the DevBoard for the MMC circuitry).

MICIN, MICRET – Microphone Input

This is the single-ended audio input port for connecting an external microphone (see paragraph [USING AN EXTERNAL MICROPHONE](#)).

MICPWR – Microphone Power

Analog power supply for the microphone, with a default gain resistor of 1.2 kΩ. It can be tied directly to MICIN, when used with the default microphone sensitivity.

MICVDD – Microphone Voltage Reference

Analog power supply for the microphone, with external gain. A custom gain resistor must be connected between this pin and MICIN, with a suitable value for the selected microphone.

PWM0, PWM1 – Speaker Out

It can be used as a differential audio output line, with direct speaker driving capability, or as two PWM output pins for application specific purposes (e.g. motor control)¹.

DACOUT – Line Out

It can be used as an externally amplified high quality audio output or optionally as a general purpose analog output¹.

/RDF, /WRD, DQ0-DQ7 – Memory Bus

Data and control lines for “data” memory address space. It can be used to map external devices in memory.

/EN1, EN2 – Memory device Enable lines

Address decoded lines to enable/disable access to external memory-mapped devices.

/EN1 goes low when A19, A18 and A17 are all high. It is used for the external “Fast SPI” circuit.

EN2 goes high when A19 and A18 are both high. It may be used in AND with /EN1 for an additional external memory-mapped device.

SPISW, FCK – “Fast SPI” control lines

A fast serial clock line (~2.4MHz) and a control line to switch between slow/fast clock.

These signals are used together with SCK, MISO, MOSI to control external circuitry implementing a “Fast SPI” bus.

¹ Only the audio output function is available with standard firmware.

Recommended Operating Conditions

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{DD}	DC Input Voltage	2.7	3.3	3.6	V
T_A	Ambient Operating Temperature Range	0	25	70	°C

Power Supply Requirements

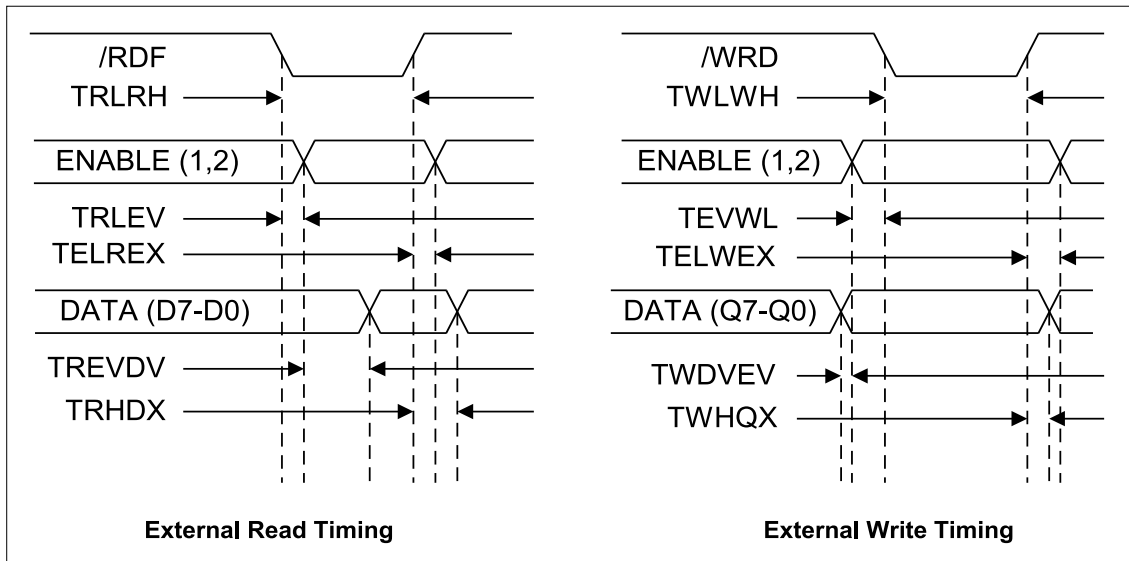
Symbol	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
I_{IDLE}	Sleep current		< 1		mA
I_{DD}	Operating current ²		11		mA

Electrical DC Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{IL}	GPIO Input Low Voltage	-0.1		0.75	V
V_{IH}	GPIO Input High Voltage	$0.8 \times V_{DD}$		$V_{DD} + 0.3$	V
V_{OL}	GPIO Output Low Voltage ($I_{OL} = 8$ mA)			0.5	V
V_{OH}	GPIO Output High Voltage ($I_{OH} = -8$ mA)	$V_{DD} - 0.7$			V
R_{PU}	Pull-up resistance GPIO01-GPIO16 DQ0-DQ7, /RDF, /WRD /RESET PWM0, PWM1		10, 200, Hi-Z 100 50 10		k Ω
R_{PD}	Pull-down resistance /XM		1		k Ω

² Module running VM firmware, no outputs loaded, no audio processing

Electrical AC Characteristics

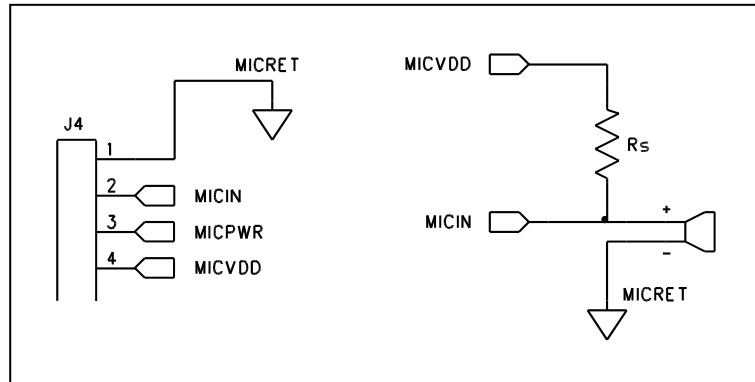


Symbol	Parameter	Min	Max	Unit
T_{RLRH}	/RDF Pulse Width		140	ns
T_{RLAV1}	/RDF Low to /EN1 valid		22	ns
T_{RLAV2}	/RDF Low to EN2 valid		11	ns
T_{ALRAX1}	/EN1 hold after /RDF		17	ns
T_{ALRAX2}	EN2 hold after /RDF		6	ns
T_{RAVDV1}	/EN1 valid to Valid Data In		93	ns
T_{RAVDV2}	EN2 valid to Valid Data In		104	ns
T_{RHDX}	Data Hold after /RDF	0	0	ns
T_{WLWH}	/WRD Pulse Width		140	ns
T_{AVWL1}	/EN1 Valid to /WRD	18		ns
T_{AVWL2}	EN2 Valid to /WRD	29		ns
T_{ALWAX1}	/EN1 Hold after /WRD	52		ns
T_{ALWAX2}	EN2 Hold after /WRD	41		ns
T_{WDVAV1}	Write Data Valid to /EN1 Valid		22	ns
T_{WDVAV2}	Write Data Valid to EN2 Valid		11	ns
T_{WHQX}	Data Hold after /WRD	35		ns

Using an external microphone

Selecting a proper microphone and its source resistor are essential for achieving good recognition results. This paragraph describes the procedures for calculating the optimal resistor value and provides guidelines for correct mechanical placement of an external microphone.

An external microphone must be connected with proper source resistor (R_s), as follows:



MICPWR is the analog power supply for the microphone, with a default gain resistor of 1.2 k Ω . It can be tied directly to MICIN, when used with the default microphone. If another resistor value is needed, use MICVDD instead, as in the above picture.

Calculating source resistor R_s

You can calculate the microphone source resistor using the formula below:

$$R_s = I \times 10^{\frac{G-S}{20}}$$

R_s is the optimal microphone source resistor

I is the impedance rating of the microphone

G is the desired overall system gain, defined as follows:

1. If the program source code is configured for "HEADSET" microphone distance (typically a few centimeters from the user's mouth), then the overall system gain should be -49 dB (0dB=1v/Pa@1KHz);
2. If the program source code is configured for "ARMS_LENGTH" microphone distance (typically 60-90 cm from the user's mouth – this is the default setting in SmartVR firmware), then the overall system gain should be -44 dB;
3. If the program source code is configured for "FAR_MIC" microphone distance (up to about 3 meters from the user's mouth), then the overall system gain should be -43 dB.

S is the sensitivity rating of the microphone you want to use, and it is specified in -dB in the microphone's specification³

³ Converting uBars to Pascal: microphone manufacturers specify the sensitivity referencing to uBars or Pascal. If the microphone sensitivity is referenced to uBars, simply add 20 dB to the rating. For example, -58 dB/uBars + 20dB = -38 dBV/Pa.

Example with recommended microphone:

The microphone used on the SmartVR DevBoard is an omnidirectional electret condenser microphone (Horn EM9745P-382):

- Sensitivity -38dB (0dB=1V/Pa @1KHz)
- Load Impedance 2.2K
- Operating Voltage 3V
- Almost flat frequency response in range 100Hz – 20kHz

Therefore the optimal microphone source resistor for "ARMS_LENGTH" microphone distance is:

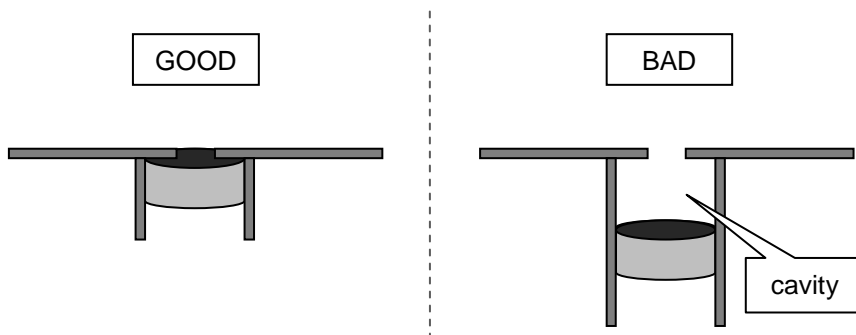
$$R_s = 2200 \times 10^{\frac{-44 - (-38)}{20}} = 1102$$

Use the closest standard 5% resistor to R_s . In this example, it would be 1.1 kΩ. The DevBoard uses a 1.2 kΩ resistor to allow use of "FAR" settings in the user's programs without replacing resistor. Sometimes you might also need to compensate for a voltage lower than the microphone ratings (using a larger resistor value sets a higher input gain).

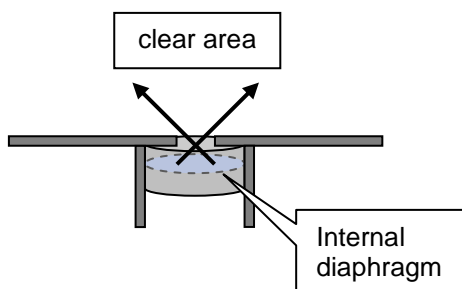
Mounting guidelines

Please note that improper acoustic positioning of the microphone will reduce recognition accuracy. Many mechanical arrangements are possible for the microphone element, and some will work better than others. When mounting the microphone in the final device, keep in mind the following guidelines:

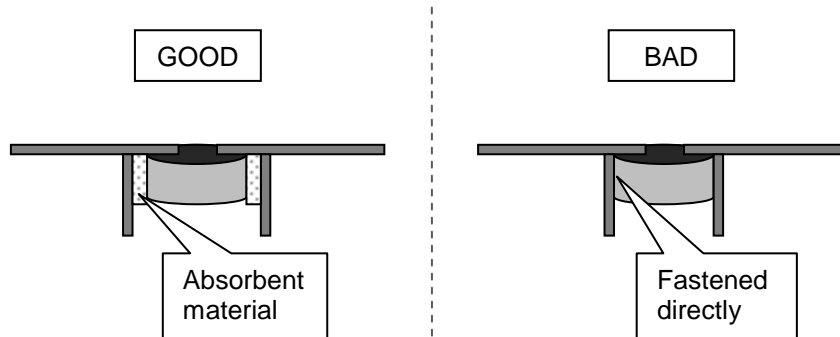
1. **Flush Mounting** - The microphone element should be positioned as close to the mounting surface as possible and should be fully seated in the plastic housing. There must be no airspace between the microphone element and the housing. Having such airspace can lead to acoustic resonance, which can reduce recognition accuracy.



2. **No Obstructions, Large Hole** - The area in front of the microphone element must be kept clear of obstructions to avoid interference with recognition. The diameter of the hole in the housing in front of the microphone should be at least 5 mm. Any necessary plastic surface in front of the microphone should be as thin as possible, being no more than 0.7 mm, if possible.



- Insulation** - The microphone should be acoustically isolated from the housing if possible. This can be accomplished by surrounding the microphone element with a spongy material such as rubber or foam. The provided microphone has this kind of insulating foam. The purpose is to prevent auditory noises produced by handling or jarring the device from being “picked up” by the microphone. Such extraneous noises can reduce recognition accuracy.



- Distance** - If the microphone is moved from 15 cm to 30 cm from the speaker’s mouth, the signal power decreases by a factor of four. The difference between a loud and a soft voice can also be more than a factor of four. Although the internal preamplifier of the SmartVR compensates for a wide dynamic range of input signal strength, if its range is exceeded, the user application can provide feedback to the speaker about the voice volume.

Audio Output

The SmartVR PWM output interface is capable of directly driving an 8Ω speaker. It could also be connected to an external audio amplifier to drive lower impedance loudspeakers, but for this purpose the DAC output is recommended.

Note: Connecting speakers with lower impedance directly to the module may permanently damage the SmartVR audio output or the whole module.

It is possible to connect higher impedance loads to the PWM outputs, such as headphones, provided that you scale down the output power according to the speaker ratings, for example using a series resistor. The exact resistor value depends on the headphone power ratings and the desired output volume (usually in the order of 10kΩ).

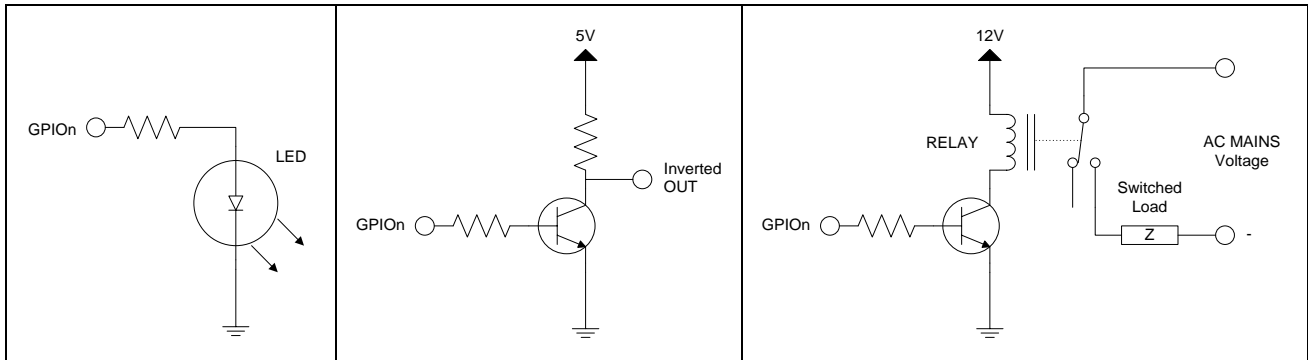
Note: Connecting headphone speakers directly to the SmartVR audio output may damage your hearing.

General Purpose I/O

The SmartVR module has 16 general purpose I/O pins, connected directly to the embedded microcontroller, so they are referenced to the applied VDD power supply (2.7V – 3.6V). If you need to interface to circuits using a different supply, there are a number of solutions you can adopt. Some of these are outlined below (here GPIO_n indicates any one of the available I/O pins of the SmartVR).

Use a pin as an output

All the I/O pins are inputs with weak internal pull-up after power on. You must explicitly configure a pin before you can use it as an output.



I/O pin directly driving a low-current LED

I/O pin connected to high impedance 5V circuit (such as MCU input pin)

I/O pin switching a load on a high voltage line using a 12V relay

The exact components values in these circuits may vary. You need to calculate required values for your application and choice of components. For example, resistor value for the LED circuit can be calculated approximately as:

$$R_{LED} = \frac{V_{OH} - V_{LED}}{I_{OH}}$$

Where V_{LED} is the LED forward voltage, as reported on the LED datasheet, at the driving current I_{OH} (see section *Electrical DC Characteristics*). Let's assume a typical low-current LED has a $V_F=1.8V$ at 5mA, the resistor value is:

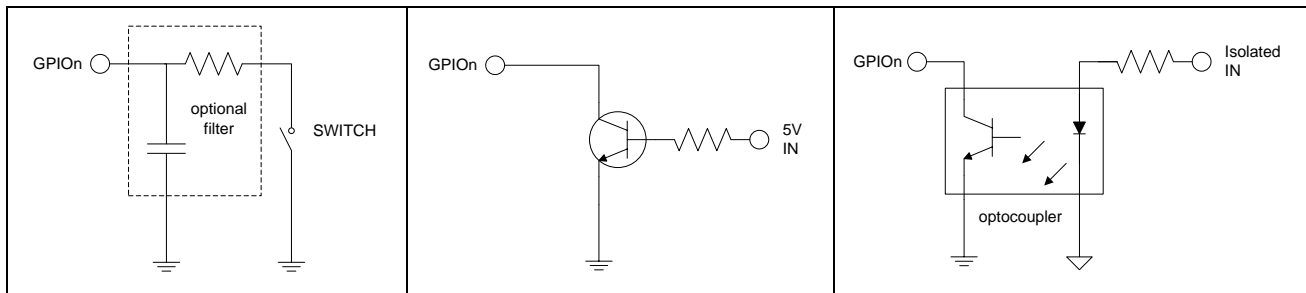
$$R_{LED} = \frac{2.4 - 1.8}{0.005} = 120 \text{ Ohm}$$

Now stay on the safe side and choose a slightly larger resistor, such as 150Ω.

If you want to drive higher current LEDs, you need a circuit like the second one, where you put the LED between the output resistor and the collector of the NPN transistor.

Use a pin as an input

All the I/O pins are inputs with weak internal pull-up after power on or reset. You may also configure the pin to have a strong pull-up or no pull-up at all.



*I/O pin connected to a switch
(or switching sensor)*

*I/O pin connected 5V source
(such as MCU output pin)*

*I/O pin with isolated input (for safety
circuits)*

All these circuits assume the SmartVR pin has been configured with an internal pull-up (passive components value can be adjusted to account for weak or strong pull-up).

Disabling the internal pull-up could be used to put the pin in high-impedance state, for example to simulate a tri-state or open-drain output port.

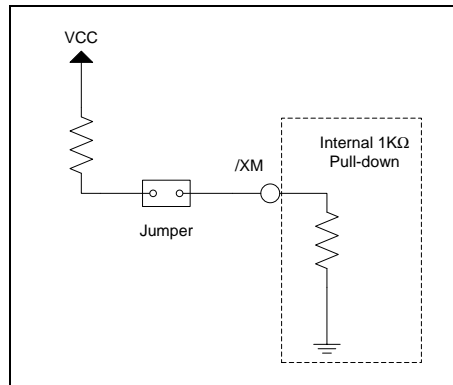
Again, you should refer to the manufacturer's datasheet when interfacing any external components and to calculate required resistors values or other passive components.

Flash Update

The SmartVR module includes a bootloader that allows to update the firmware and to download new user programs to the on-board Flash memory from the development environment, using the serial interface.

The boot mode is activated by keeping the **/XM** signal to a high logical level at power on or reset. This can be easily done with a jumper taking the signal to a suitable pull-up resistor.

To download a firmware update or a user program to the SmartVR, power on the module with the jumper closed. For normal operation, just leave the jumper open. Do not change the jumper position while the module is already powered on. It is safe to change **/XM** level while the module is reset (**/RST** low).



Boot mode selection circuit

The pull-up resistor value to use depends on the VCC power supply voltage. For the voltage of the **/XM** pin when the jumper is closed (short) the following relation holds (note you have a voltage divider circuit):

$$V_{XM} = \frac{1K}{R + 1K} \cdot V_{CC}$$

Now if you want **/XM** to be at 3V (logic high) and solving for R , you get:

$$R_{PU} = \frac{V_{CC}}{3} \cdot 1000 - 1000$$

That makes 100Ω for 3.3V and around 680Ω for 5V power supplies. Other kinds of circuit are possible, that is just an example and one of the simplest to realize.

To learn how to download user programs to your SmartVR module, have a look at the section [RUNNING YOUR FIRST PROJECT](#) section later in this manual.

SmartVR Development Board

Product Description

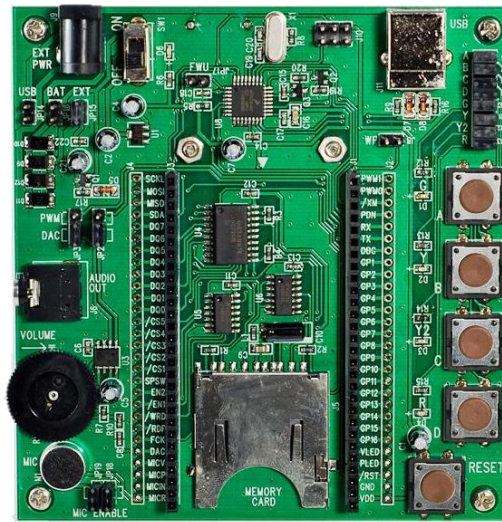
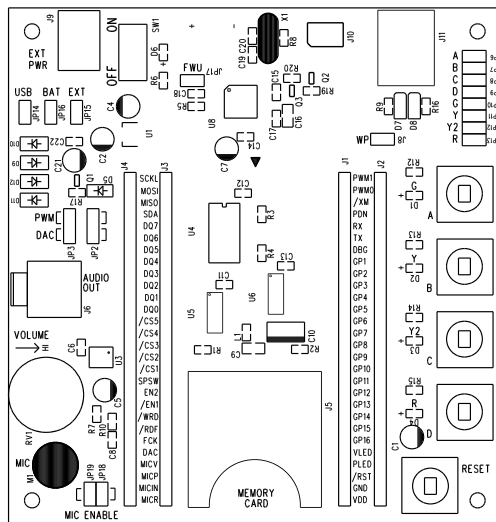
The SmartVR Development Board has been specifically designed to facilitate the development of applications with the SmartVR module

Its main features are:

- Wide range of power sources (USB, batteries, external power supply)
- On-board USB / Serial adapter and programmer (upgradeable)
- On-board Microphone (can be disabled for external audio input)
- Selectable audio output (mono⁴, PWM or DAC with on-board amplifier)
- 4 push-button inputs and 4 LED outputs for demos and fast prototypes (can be disabled to connect external circuitry)
- SD/SDHC/MMC compatible socket for extended storage

Technical specifications

Physical dimensions and layout



Recommended Operating Conditions

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{JACK}	External DC Input Voltage	9	-	12	V
V_{BATT}	Batteries DC Input Voltage	3.3	-	6.8	V
V_{DD}	DC Output Voltage		3.3		V

4 Audio Out connector is a mono speaker output jack, with stereo speakers only one channel is active.

Power Supply Requirements

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
I_{DD}	Operating current (DevBoard only)		26		mA
I_{PWM}	Overall current, PWM Audio Playback ⁵		125	140	mA
I_{DAC}	Overall current, DAC Audio Playback		150	180	mA
I_{LED}	LED current (depends on color)	0.6	1.3	1.5	mA

Jumper settings and connections

JP6-JP13 – Demo I/O Enable

Close each jumper to enable Demo I/O included on board: 4 push buttons and 4 colored LEDs. Leave any jumper open to disconnect Demo I/O from the corresponding SmartVR GPIO pin.

Jumper	GPIO Pin	Description
JP6	GPIO01	Push Button A enable/disable
JP7	GPIO02	Push Button B enable/disable
JP8	GPIO03	Push Button C enable/disable
JP9	GPIO04	Push Button D enable/disable
JP10	GPIO09	Green LED enable/disable
JP11	GPIO10	Yellow LED enable/disable
JP12	GPIO11	Yellow2 LED enable/disable
JP13	GPIO12	Red LED enable/disable

JP14-JP16 – Power Source Selection

Close one of the jumpers to choose input power source: USB, batteries or external power connector.

JP14	JP15	JP16	Power Source
ON	OFF	OFF	USB cable (max 300mA)
OFF	ON	OFF	EXT PWR external power jack
OFF	OFF	ON	Battery holder (bottom side)

Important: Only one jumper must be closed!

⁵ Playback of 1KHz square or sine wave at max volume on an 8 Ohm loud-speaker

JP2-JP3 – Audio Output Selection

Move both jumpers to choose which audio output is routed to the Audio Out output jack.

JP2	JP3	Audio Output
1-2	1-2	Audio connected to PWM output (Volume knob has no effect)
2-3	2-3	Audio driven by amplified DAC output (Volume is adjustable)

Important: Jumpers must be both in the same position!

JP18-JP19 – Microphone Enable

Close both jumpers to enable on-board microphone, or leave both open to connect an external microphone or another audio source.

JP18	JP19	Effect
ON	ON	Enable on-board microphone
OFF	OFF	Disable on-board microphone

Important: Jumpers must be both open or both closed!

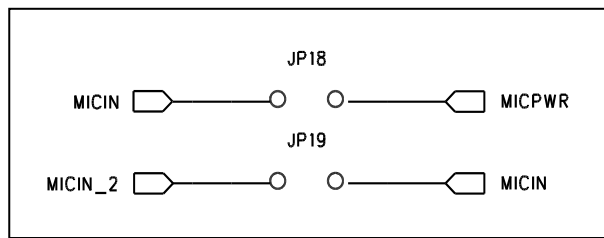
JP17 (FWU) – Firmware Upgrade

Leave open for normal operation.

J8 (WP) – Write Protect

Connector for the WP signal from the memory card socket. It can be connected to a GPIO input pin to implement write-protection in application software.

Connecting an external microphone to the Development Board



In order to use an external microphone when the SmartVR is installed on the Development Board, first remove jumpers *JP18-JP19* (see also [DEVBOARD SCHEMATICS](#) as reference). Then connect the external microphone, along with a proper source resistor, as described in the section [USING AN EXTERNAL MICROPHONE](#).

Updating DevBoard firmware

The development board has a USB-to-Serial converter chip that provides an easy way to program SmartVR modules. The firmware of this chip can be updated via the USB connection, using a special update software release and configuring the board to start the update process. Updates might be required to fix critical issues, as they get reported by users, or to enable new features.

Note: this has nothing to do with the firmware update of SmartVR modules, which is also possible but using another method (the same way as user programs are downloaded).

To begin a firmware update, first make sure that you have installed the latest drivers for your DevBoard hardware (new drivers might be necessary for the new firmware you are going to replace). Then follow these steps:

1. Make sure the board is powered OFF and select the USB power source (closing jumper *JP14* and leaving *JP15* and *JP16* open)
2. Close the jumper JP17 or hold the header pins in short-circuit with some conductive tool (e.g. metallic tweezers)
3. Connect the USB cable to your PC and power ON the board (while holding JP17 closed)
4. Wait for the system to complete setup of the new USB peripheral (required for updates)
5. Remove the jumper JP17 or release the applied short-circuit

Now the board is ready to accept the new firmware. You may safely cancel the update process at this point, simply by turning OFF the board. Once started you should not interrupt the update, otherwise the firmware will be erased and the DevBoard will not work as a USB-to-Serial converter anymore, and it will keep asking for a firmware update.

To proceed with the update process, locate the updater software on your PC (instructions will be provided along with any update released). Then open the updater and wait for completion.

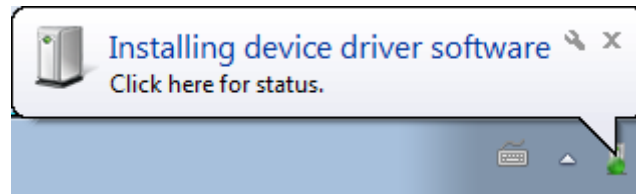
Important: do not disconnect or power OFF the board during the update

If everything goes fine, you will see a message like “*Update flash: Successful*”, your board will be reset with the new firmware and new drivers will be installed by the system if necessary.

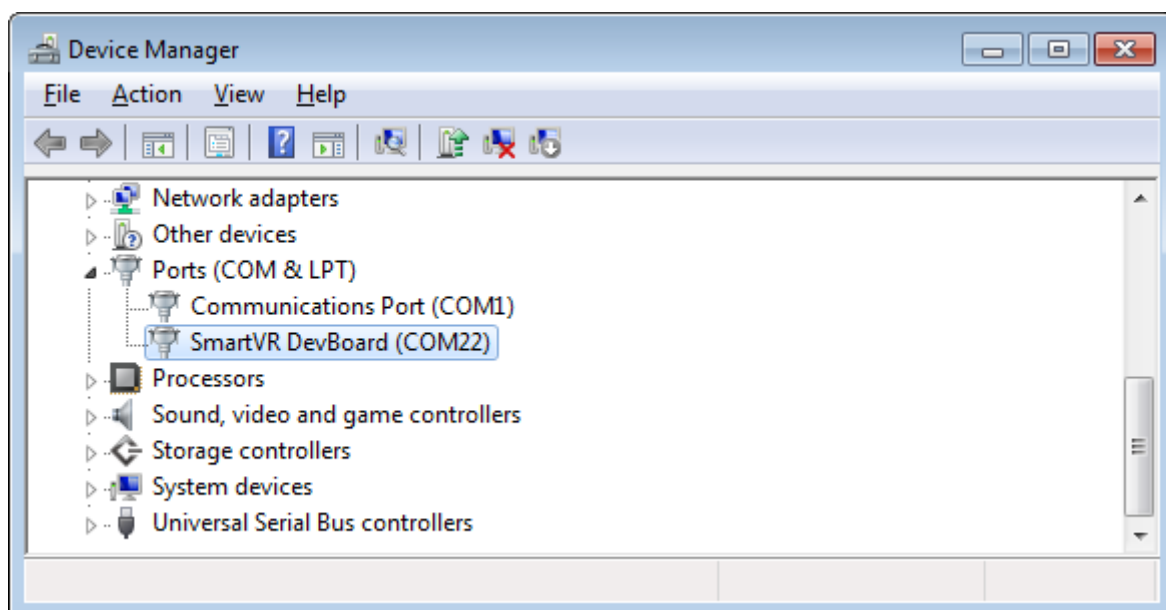
Running your first project

Connect one end of the USB cable to an available port on your computer and the other end to the SmartVR Development Board then switch the board ON.

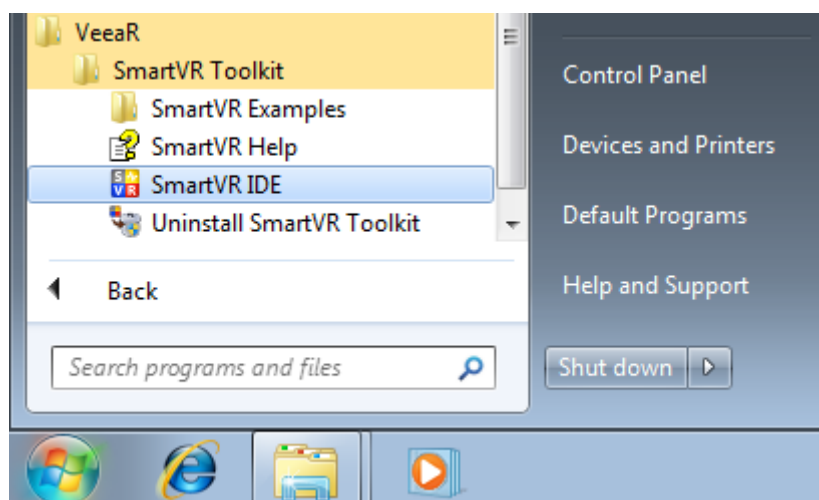
The first time you turn on the board connected to your computer, Windows will install the drivers:



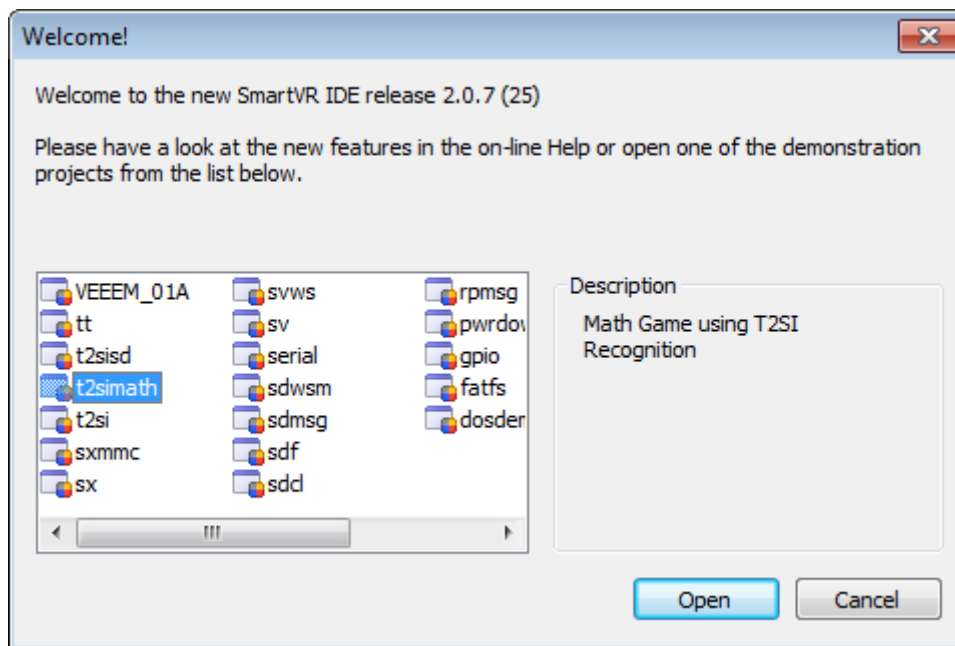
The DevBoard appears as a new serial port that allows programming SmartVR modules. You may check what COM port has been assigned to the DevBoard by looking at the system Device Manager:



Now you can run the SmartVR IDE, either from the desktop icon or from the Start menu:

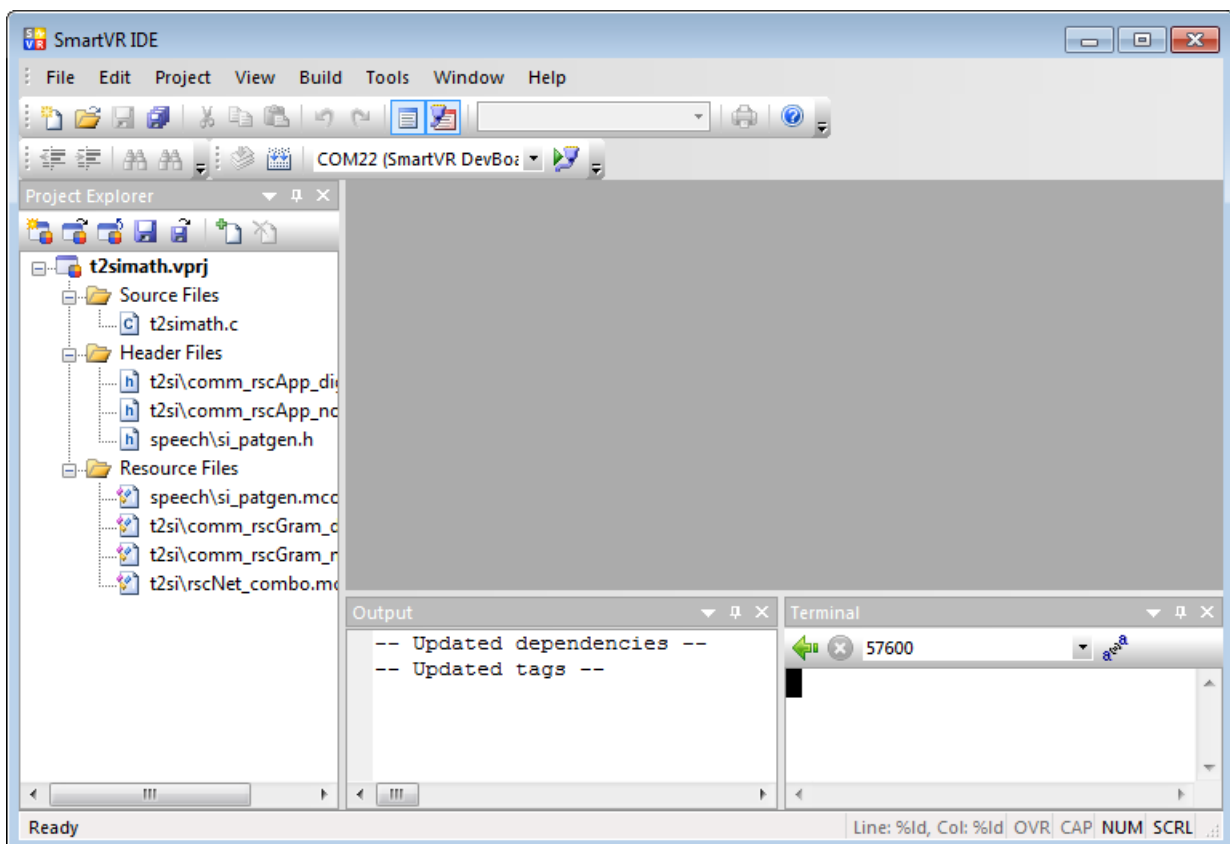


The first time you run the IDE you will see a welcome message:



Let's select the "*t2simath*" demo project and click "Open".

You will see the following window:

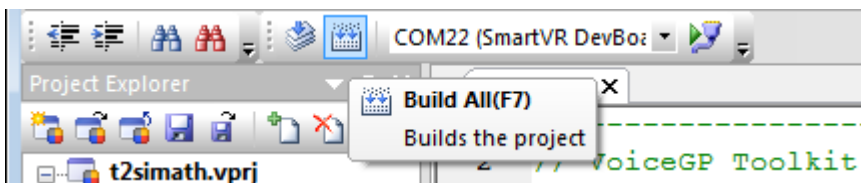


You can double click on "*t2simath.c*" on the Project Explorer window on the left in order to have a look at the main code of this project.

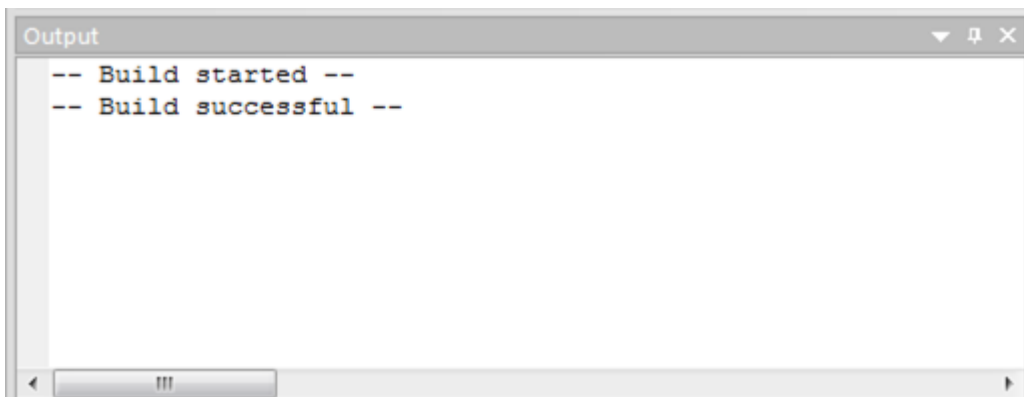
Every demo has comments at the beginning of the main code describing what the demo actually does, for instance the "t2simath" demo has the following description:

```
// OPERATION:  
//  
// T2SIMATH illustrates Text to Speaker Independent technology,  
// using more than one command grammar with a common acoustic model. The data  
// files for this sample were built using the QT2SI Acoustic Model Combiner tool.  
//  
// Button A causes the program to generate a random math problem,  
// ask it and wait for an answer. If the answer has a low confidence level,  
// the program re-prompts for confirmation,  
// then announces the final Correct/Incorrect result.  
// Button A can be used to interrupt speech or recognition.  
//  
// The program goes into a low-power sleep if there is no activity  
// for approximately 3 minutes and needs a reset to wake up.  
//  
//-----
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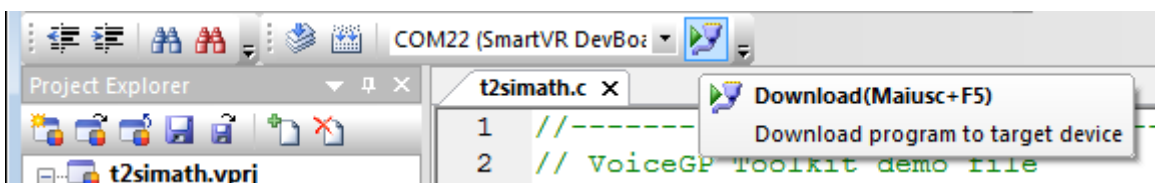
Now you are ready to build and download your first project.
Click on the "Build All" icon:



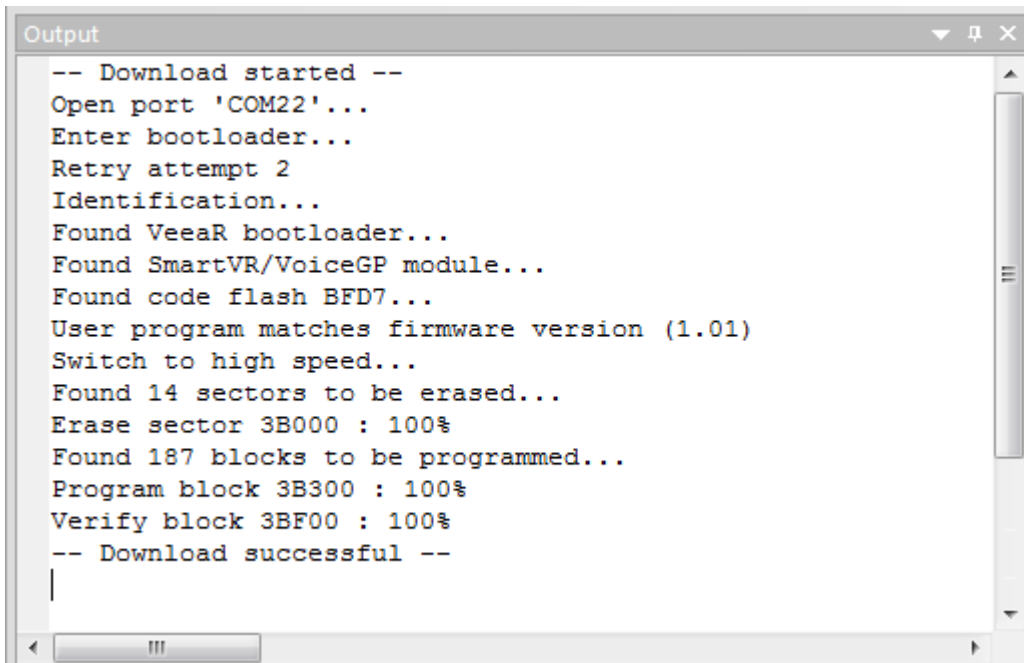
...the Output window will tell you if the Build was successful:



...now click on the "Download" icon:



...the Output window will tell you if the Download has been done:



```
Output
-- Download started --
Open port 'COM22'...
Enter bootloader...
Retry attempt 2
Identification...
Found VeeAR bootloader...
Found SmartVR/VoiceGP module...
Found code flash BFD7...
User program matches firmware version (1.01)
Switch to high speed...
Found 14 sectors to be erased...
Erase sector 3B000 : 100%
Found 187 blocks to be programmed...
Program block 3B300 : 100%
Verify block 3BF00 : 100%
-- Download successful --
```

Now you will hear a "beep" and a voice telling you "*Press the A button for a new problem!*"... Just press the A button on the DevBoard and start "playing"!

SmartVR Software

Product Description

The SmartVR development kit includes software to support development on the SmartVR platform.

SmartVR Toolkit including:

- SmartVR IDE (Integrated Development Environment) with:
 - Project management
 - Syntax-coloring
 - Auto-completion
 - Project build and download
- SmartVR Toolchain:
 - VeeSee C language code translator (targeting the VeeEm VM)
 - VeeSee integrated C preprocessor, resource compiler and linker
 - VeeLoader code downloader / flash programmer
- SmartVR DevBoard drivers:
 - USB / Serial port emulation
 - USB firmware upgrade

Sensory development tools:

- Sensory FluentChip™ Technology Library (build tools and documentation)
- Sensory QuickSynthesis™ software (speech and audio compression)
- Sensory QuickT2SI™ Lite (creation of Speaker Independent vocabularies)

A QuickT2SI™ Lite license is included with the kit "SmartVR-DK PRO".

T2SI Demo sets or other pre-compiled vocabularies can still be used "as-is" without the QuickT2SI tool.

All the other recognition technologies do not require external build tools.

QuickT2SI-Lite Users

When running QuickT2SI-Lite for the first time, you will be prompted to enter a license key. You must register the product on-line in order to receive a license key.

1. Register the product at: <http://fluent-speech.com/t2siLiteReg/>
 - Use the 'Registration Code' provided with your SmartVR-DK PRO.⁶
 - Provide accurate contact information
 - Provide a valid email address at which to receive the license key.
2. After receiving the license key, type in the key into QuickT2SI or load it from file, then press the 'Validate' button. You will not be allowed to continue until a valid license key is entered.

⁶ NOTE: QuickT2SI-Lite License Registration code is only provided with the SmartVR-DK PRO

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