RTE-V850E/GP1-IE

USER'S MANUAL (REV.1.01)

RealTimeEvaluator

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1. OVERVIEW

The **RealTimeEvaluator-V850E/GP1-1E** (hereafter referred to as "RTE-V850E/GP1-IE") is an in-circuit emulator for NEC's RISC microcontroller V850E/GP1. It is a highly transparent, small, lightweight product, using a chip dedicated to the emulator.

GHS's Multi can be used as a debug monitor. As the host system, a PC98 series or DOS/V computer, on which Windows with an environment where the above Multi operates runs, is used, and connection between the host system and RTE-V850E/GP1-IE is established by using a dedicated PCMCIA card or an interface card for the desk-top PC.

This product is supplied with the following accessories.

1.	RTE-V850E/GP1-IE main enclosure	:	1
2.	RTE for Win32 setup disk	:	1
3.	User's Manual (1 set)	:	1
4.	GND clip	:	1
5.	RTE-PS03 power supply	:	1
6.	Pack set	:	1

The following options are also necessary for using this product. They are not standard accessories.

7. Interface kit (interface card and cable set)

One of the following interface kits is necessary.

- PC card interface kit
- Interface kit for PC98 desk-top PC
- Interface kit for DOS/V desk-top PC
- Interface kit for PCI bus
- 8. Debugger
 - GHS C + Multi + Midas server

2. MAIN FEATURES

Source level debugger: GHS's Multi can be used.

By using GHS's Multi, seamless debugging can be executed under an integrated environment of C/C++.

Main debugging operations, such as executing programs, setting breakpoints, and inspecting variables, can be performed on the source code through mouse operation.

Highly transparent emulation functions

By using an emulator-dedicated chip, the emulator can be controlled without the original functions of the CPU restricted. Almost all the signal lines are directly connected to the emulation chip, so that highly transparent emulation functions, functionally as well as electrically, are provided.

Sufficient emulation memory capacity provided as standard

Emulation memory with a capacity equivalent to that of the internal ROM and RAM of the CPU is provided, so that debugging can be performed with a margin of memory.

Real-time trace functions

An execution history several timeslonger than that with the conventional trace technique can be traced in real time by the branch information trace technique. Moreover, a wealth of event functions and a function of time tag that can measure up to 30 hours support debugging of an embedded system.

Many dedicated cards available for communication with host

Four types of card interfaces are available. The PC card is a Type-2 card defined by PCMCIA Ver2.1/JEIDA Ver4.2. It can be used with a model that has a card slot. A card supporting the C bus can be used with a PC98, and that supporting the ISA bus and PCI bus can be used with a PC-AT.

3. HARDWARE SPECIFICATIONS

Emulation block

Target device	V850E/GP1 (LQFP-208)	
Emulation function		
Operating frequency	64 or 32 MHz	
Clock supply Main clock	Automatic switching between external and internal clocks (internal: 16 MHz)	
Internal ROM emulation capacity	1 MB	
Internal RAM emulation capacity	48 KB	
Event function		
Number of events		
Execution address setting	8	
Data access setting	6	
Address specification Data specification Status specification Number of stages of sequencer Loop counter	Specifiable range Maskable Maskable 4 2 ¹²	
Break function		
Hardware breakpoints	2	
Software breakpoints	100	
Break setting by event	Supported	
Step break	Supported	
Manual break	Supported	
Break by external signal (High/low edge)	Supported	
Trace function		
Trace data bus	24 bits	
Trace memory	64 bits \times 128k words	
Trigger setting		
Trigger setting by execution address	Supported	
Trigger setting by data access	Supported	
Trigger setting by event	Supported	
Trigger setting by external input	Supported	
Start/stop specification by execution address	Supported	
Trace delay	0 - 1FFFFh	
Time tag	100 ns - 30h	
Disassemble trace data display function	Provided	
Complete trace mode specification function (non-real time)	Provided	
Internal RAM real-time display	Supported	
Pin mask function	RESET-, NMI, STOP-	
Operating voltage	+5.0 or +2.5 V	

Host & interface blocks

Item	Contents	
Target host machine	PC98 series DOS/V machine	
Debug monitor	GreenHills Multi (Windows95/98/NT/2000)	
Interface	PC-Card Type2 (PCMCIA Ver2.1/JEIDA Ver4.2 or later) C bus, ISA bus, PCI bus	
Power supply	Dedicated power supply: RTE-PS03 (in: 100 V, out: +5 V, 3.5 A)	

4. SYSTEM CONFIGURATION

The overall system configuration of this product is illustrated below.



5. INSTALLATION

Install this product using the following procedure.

- 1. Installing the interface card.
 - \rightarrow Refer to the manual of each interface card.
- 2. Installing RTE for Win32.
 - \rightarrow Refer to the manual of RTE for Win32.
- 3. Initializing RTE for Win32.
 - (1) Start up ChkRTE2.exe and initialize RTE for Win32 with the following parameters.



- \rightarrow For details, refer to the manual of RTE for Win32.
- Installing the debug monitor.
 → Refer to the manual of the debug monitor.
- 5. Connecting this product to the user system.
 - \rightarrow See Chapter 9 of this manual.

The following figure illustrates connection of this system (an example of using the PC card).



6. DIP SWITCH SETTING

The DIP switch at the tip of the RTE-V850E/GP1-IE is used to set a mode of emulation.

SW1	Symbol	Function	
1		Factory-set condition (Do not change the default value.)	ON
2	PLLSEL1		ON
3	PLLSEL2	Specifies a multiplication factor of PLL.	ON
4	CLKHALF		ON
5	RSV		OFF
6	RSV		OFF
7	F_NBD_EXT	Specifies the type of the NBD tool to be connected to the target. OFF: Connects RTE-NBD2. ON: Connects other than RTE-NBD2.	OFF
8	CLKINT	Specifies a mode of selecting the clock to be supplied to the CPU. ON: Internal clock, OFF: Auto	ON

[PLLSEL1], [PLLSEL2], [CLKHALF]

Specifies a multiplication factor of PLL. The following setting is reserved.

Be sure to use the operating f	frequencies of only 64 and 32 MHz.
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CLKHALF	PLLSEL2	PLLSEL1	Operating frequency
ON	OFF	OFF	(48 MHz)
ON	OFF	ON	(72 MHz)
ON	ON	OFF	(80 MHz)
ON	ON	ON	64 MHz
OFF	ON	ON	32 MHz

Caution: The frequency of 32 MHz is supported only by an ICE of Revision "5" or later.

[F-NBD-EXT]

Specifies the type of the NBD tool to be connected to the target.

Set this bit to OFF if no NBD tool is used.

OFF: This setting is used when the RTE-NBD2 is used.

With this setting, the flyby access command from the ICE and an access from the RTE-NBD2 can be simultaneously used because they are arbitrated.

Remark:	At this time, the connector of this ICE must be connected to the EXT connector of the
	RTE-NBD2.

ON: This setting is used when an NBD tool other than the RTE-NBD2 is used.

With this setting, the flyby access command of the ICE cannot be used when the user system (target) is connected.

The following table shows the combinations that can be used depending on the status of the switch.

Switch	ICE: Flyb	y access	External:	Usable type of NBD tool	
status	Without target	With target	NBD access		
OFF	0		0	RTE-NBD2 tool (EXT cable must be connected.)	
ON	0	×	0	Other than above	

[CLKINT]

Specifies a mode of selecting the clock to be supplied to the CPU.

OFF: Supplies the clock of the user system if the user system is connected. If the user system is not connected, the internal clock is supplied.

ON: Always supplies the internal clock (16 MHz).

7. EXT CONNECTOR

Pin No.	Signal name	I/O	Contents
1	RSV	Output	RSV: Connected to RTE-NBD2
2	EXI0	Input	External input signal #0 (pulled down at 10 k Ω)
3	RSV	Input	RSV: Connected to RTE-NBD2
4	EXI1	Input	External input signal #1 (pulled down at 10 k Ω)
5	SVMODE-	Output	Signal that goes high while user program is executed (open-collector output, pulled up at 1 k $_\Omega).$
6	EXI2	Input	External input signal #2 (pulled down at 10 k Ω)
7	RESETOUT-	Output	Reset output. Outputs low pulse of about 50 ms when RESET command is executed (open-collector output, pulled up at 1 k Ω).
8	EX13	Input	External input signal #3 (pulled down at 10 k Ω)
9	GND		Signal ground
10	TRG-	Output	Trigger output. Goes low when trace trigger is detected (open-collector output, pulled up at 1 k Ω).

The following table shows the specifications of the EXT connector.

Notes:

- 1. The input level of EXI0, EXI1, EXI2, and EXI3 is LV-TTL level (+3 to +5 V).
- 2. EXI0, EXI1, EXI2, and EXI3 are loaded to memory as trace information.
- 3. EXIO can be used to input a trace trigger (see the description of the tron command).
- 4. EXI1 can be used to input an external break (see the description of the extbrk command).
- 5. A pull-up resistor is connected to a voltage of +5 V.
- 6. RSV (pins 1 and 3) is a signal that is connected to the RTE-NBD2 when the RTE-NBD2 is connected to the same target. Connection is established by using the cable supplied with the RTE-NBD2.

Pin configuration:



JEXT pin configuration

Applicable connector:

XG4M-1031 manufactured by Omron Corporation, or equivalent

8. INDICATOR LED

The LEDs on a side panel of this product indicate the following statuses.

- POWER: Lights when power is supplied to the RTE system.
- USER: Lights when power is supplied to the user system.
- RUN: Lights when the user program is executed.

9. CONNECTING THIS PRODUCT TO USER SYSTEM

Connect the RTE-V850E/GP1-IE to a personal computer, by referring to the manual of the interface kit to be used.

For connection with the user system, refer to the technical documents of the pack supplied as an accessory. After attaching the pack to the user system, connect the RTE-V850E/GP1-IE.

[Caution]

Be sure to connect the GNDclip of the RTE-V850E/GP1-IE to the signal GND of the user system before connecting the CPU.

Turning on power

- 1. Turn on power to the host personal computer.
- 2. Connect the RTE-dedicated power supply to the power jack of the RTE-V850E/GP1-IE.
- 3. Turn on power to the user system.
- 4. Start up the debug monitor.

Turning off power

- 1. Exit from the debug monitor.
- 2. Turn off power to the user system.
- 3. Disconnect the power supply from the power jack of the RTE-V850E/GP1-IE.
- 4. Turn off power to the host personal computer.

[Caution]

When connecting the RTE-V850E/GP1-IE to the user system, match pin 1 of the in-circuit emulator with the position of pin 1 of the user system. Incorrect connection may cause malfunctioning of all the units connected.

The following figure illustrates connection with the user system.



10. PRECAUTIONS

Note the following points when using the RTE-V850E/GP1-IE.

Precautions for connecting user system

- 1) The RTE does not operate when power to the user system isoff. Do not leave the in-circuit emulator in this status. Otherwise, the user system may malfunction.
- 2) When turning power to the user system off and then back on again, turn on the RTE system from the beginning again. If power to the target is turned on or off with the RTE system turned on, the RTE system may hang up.
- The RTE system may not turn on correctly if the CPU on the user system does not correctly operate. In addition, some commands may cause a hang-up.

Handling RTE-V850E/GP1-IE

- 1) Make sure that the pins of the socket exposed at the bottom of the tip do not touch any metallic object while they are energized. Otherwise, malfunctioning may occur.
- 2) Do not warp or bend the flexible board at the tip to 90 degrees or more. Otherwise, the lines may break.

Checking connection with host

After installation, first execute "ChkRTE2.exe" to select and set the host interface card and the RTE system to be used, and perform a connection test.

For details, refer to "RTE for Win32 Installation Manual".

Inputting external clock

The following restrictions apply when an external clock is to be supplied.

- * Input from oscillator: Keep the clock frequency to within 32 MHz.
- * Connection of oscillator such as Xtal: The frequency range must be 8 to 20 MHz. The constants of the external capacitor must be individually adjusted depending on the oscillator to be used.

Caution related to delay time

Almost all the signals are directly connected between the CPU in the RTE and the user system. However, there is a <u>delay time of about 3 ns (typ.)</u>, as compared with when the CPU is directly connected, because of the wiring length and capacitance up to the tip. Design the user system, taking this delay time into account.

HALT instruction

If a break occurs as a result of execution of the HALT instruction, the address on break is the first address of the instruction next to the HALT instruction.

Measured value of execution time

The time command displays execution time "from execution immediately before to break". Its measured value includes overhead time (error of several clocks). The following case requires your particular attention.

 \rightarrow The measurement error doubles if a breakpoint is set at the execution start address. Therefore, remove the breakpoint at the execution start address when the execution time is measured.

APPENDIX A. DETAILS OF TRACE FUNCTIONS

This appendix describes the real-time trace function.

Overview of trace function

The real-time trace function writes the details of the execution (trace data) output from the CPU in the trace buffer in the ICE for each execution. You can check the data using the trace command.

You can set the trace mode, trace start condition, trigger condition, section condition, qualify condition, and other conditions to specify the loading of trace data.

For the flow of loading trace data, see Figures 1 and 2.



Figure 1 Flow of loading trace data



Figure 2 Trace data in ICE

Delay count

The delay count means the number of cycles in which trace data is to be loaded after the trigger condition is satisfied (Figure 3). The number of cycles differs depending on the type of CPU execution. One cycle is not one execution unit.



Figure 3 Flow of delay count

Trace execution mode

In **the real-time mode**, trace data is loaded with priority given to the CPU execution. If the trace buffer (FIFO) in the CPU becomes full, part of trace data may not be loaded (Figure 4).



Figure 4 Real-time mode

In **the non-real-time mode**, all trace data can be loaded. If the trace buffer (FIFO) in the CPU becomes full in this mode, the CPU execution is temporarily stopped and is automatically restarted (Figure 5).



Figure 5 Non-real-time mode

Sub-switch, section, and qualify

The sub-switch indicates whether OR or AND (set by tenv [subor|suband]) of the section and qualify conditions are satisfied (on) or not (off). You can specify cycles in which trace data is to be loaded according to the on or off status (sswon/sswoff command). By specifying cycles in which trace data is to be loaded for sswon and nothing to be loaded for sswoff, the on/off status of this sub-switch corresponds to the start or stop of trace. (The initial value of the sswon/sswoff command is as described above. In the description below, these commands are assumed to be set to their initial value.)

You can specify a section using the tsp1 and tsp2 commands and evt secon and secoff parameters. Use tsp1 and secon to specify that a section is established (on) and tsp2 and secoff to specify that a section is not established (off).

The event condition specified for qualify in the evt command is used as a qualify condition. When the event condition is satisfied, the qualify condition is also satisfied.

Starting trace

To start loading trace data, the following methods are available: Forced start method (tron force) and the method using the status of the sub-switch according to the section and qualify setting. (Figure 6)

To set the loading condition using the sub-switch, use sswon and sswoff. Usually, specify cycles in which trace data is to be loaded for sswon and nothing to be loaded for sswoff. According to this setting, trace data is loaded in the sub-switch on state and the loading of trace data is stopped in the sub-switch off state.





Trigger condition

A trigger condition is used as the start point of delay count (Figure 7). You can set a trigger condition to check the details of the execution before and after the trigger.





Stopping trace

To stop loading trace data, use the status of the sub-switch according to the section and qualify setting. (Figure 8)

To set the loading condition using the sub-switch, use sswon and sswoff. Usually, specify cycles in which trace data is to be loaded for sswon and nothing to be loaded for sswoff. According to this setting, trace data is loaded in the sub-switch on state and the loading of trace data is stopped in the sub-switch off state.



Figure 8 Stopping trace

Terminating trace

After trace is terminated, no more trace data is loaded.

When the end condition is satisfied, unlike the stop condition, trace is not restarted (Figure 9).





Forced delay mode

In the forced delay mode, trace is forcibly terminated when trace data is loaded during the specified delay count (number of cycles) after the start of trace. In this mode, the trigger condition is ignored (Figure 10).

When CPU execution starts, trace is started in this mode.



Figure 10 Forced delay mode