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Preface

Thank you for purchasing Renesas's M37544 StarterKit.

This manual describes how to use the hardware and software products included with M37544 StarterKit. and usage notes as an example of M37544 StarterKit. Refer to a manual supplied with each software for how to control the software

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1. Product Concept

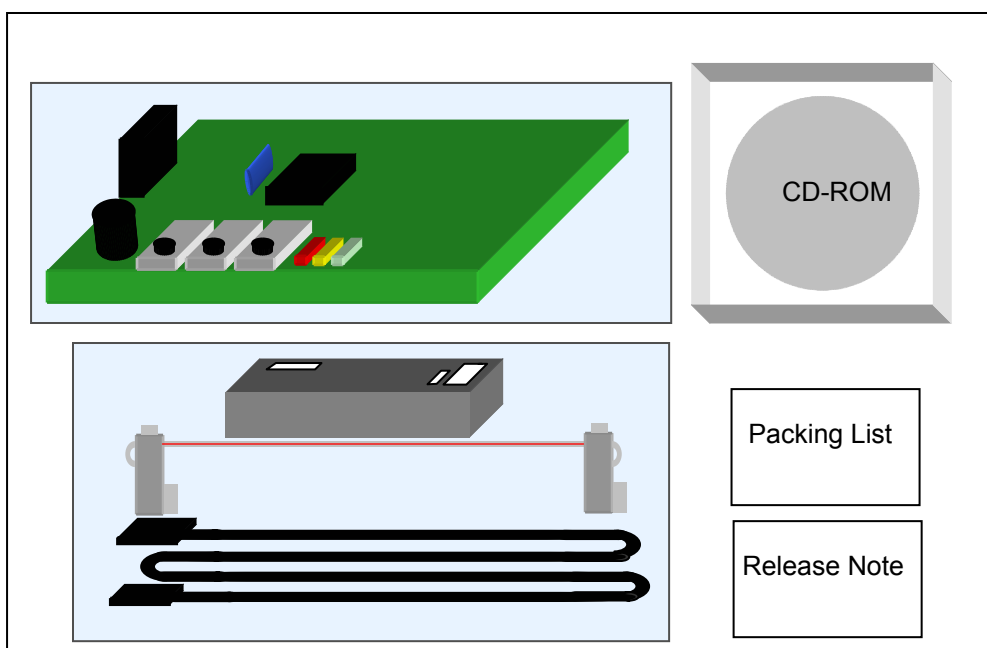
This chapter describes the product contents of the M37544 StarterKit. When unpacking the M37544 StarterKit, check to see that all products listed below are included.

1.1. Product contents

Table 1-1 lists the products included in the M37544 StarterKit.

Table 1-1 M37544 StarterKit Product Information

Product List	Quantity
(CPU board)	1 pc
FoUSB (Use for connecting CPU board and host computer)	1 set
CD-ROM	1 pc
Packing List	1 pc
Release Note	1 pc



1.2. Operating environment

Each software supplied with the M37544 StarterKit operates on the host computer and under the OS version that are listed respectively in Table 1-2.

Table 1-2 Operating Environment

Host Computer	IBM PC/AT series or its compatible machine with USB1.1
OS	Microsoft Windows 98SE / ME / 2000 / XP
CPU	Pentium III 600MHz or newer
Memory	128 Mbytes or above

1.3. CPU board

The CPU board incorporates the MCU (M37594G2) for Renesas Technology Corp 8-bit single-chip MCU StarterKit.

1.4. CD-ROM

The CD-ROM contains necessary software products for developing program and electronic manuals as well. The contents of the CD-ROM are shown as below.

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\
|-English
  |-DOCUMENT                Manual on MCU
  |-M3A7535                 Manual on M37544 StarterKit
  |   |-CIRCUIT             Circuit Diagram of CPU board
  |   |-PROGRAM
  |       |-SAMPLE         Sample program file for operation check
  |
  |-GNU
  |   |-DOC                 File on GNU
  |   |-W95
  |       |-BIN
  |           |- MAK377     Necessary file for TM
  |           |- MAK375     Necessary file for TM
  |   |
  |   |- SRC
  |       |-MAK377         Necessary file for TM
  |       |-MAK375         Necessary file for TM
  |-SRA74M
  |   |- MANUAL             Manual on assembler
  |   |- RNOTE              Manual on assembler
  |   |- W95E               Installer file of assembler
  |
  |-TM
  |   |- MANUAL             Manual on TM
  |   |- RNOTE              Manual on TM
  |   |- W95E               Installer file of TM
  |
  |-KD38
  |   |-W95E                Installer file of KD38
  |   |-USB Drivers         USB driver
  |   |- MANUAL             Manual on KD38

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	- RNOTE	Manual on KD38
	-APPLICATION NOTE	File on application note

1.5. System requirements

In addition to the products listed below, prepare the following equipments before you use.

- 1) Host computer
- 2) Power supply (when using external power supply)

2. Product Specification

2.1. Assembler

The assembler included with this product is the M3T-SRA74M. The M3T-SRA74M generates debug information files from the assembly language source program.

Compared to the M3T-SRA74 regular version of assembler, the M3T-SRA74M is functionally limited to some extent. Refer to 5.Limitations for functional limitations.

2.2. TM (Integrated development environment)

The TM is the tool to improve developing efficiency of software by integrating the tool groups such as assembler/KD38/editor into the common graphical user interface (GUI).

2.3. KD38

The KD38 is software to operate on a host computer. The KD38 communicates with a firmware for the M37544 written into the MCU (M37594G2) ROM for Renesas Technolgy Corp 8-bit single-ship MCU StaterKit and the KD38 provides high-functional debug environment. The feature of the emulator software is shown below.

- 1)The source line debugs of assembly language and structural assembly language are possible.
- 2)The address match break is available at up to 2 points.
- 3)RAM modification can be watched during the user's program execution.
- 4)**Refer to a datasheet for available maximum frequency** which can be equipped on the CPU board.

3. Installing Software

3.1.How to install KD38, assembler and TM

3.1.1.How to install assembler

1)Before installing software, note the following points.

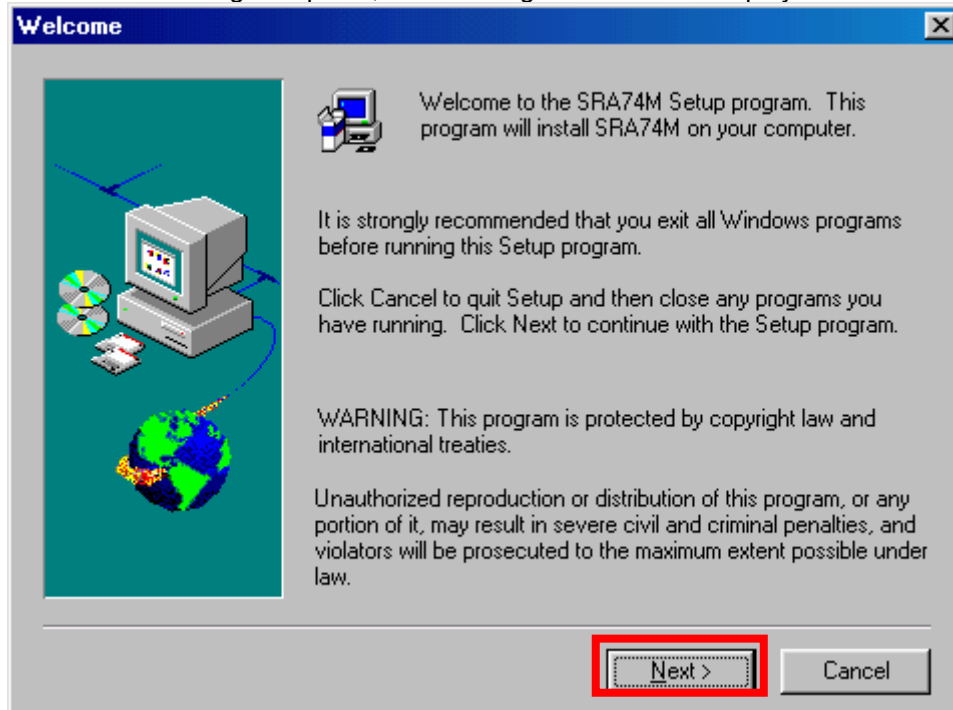
- When installing the assembler (M3T-SRA74M) and installing this product to a computer in which M3T-SRA74 have been already installed, do not install this product.
- When using “Destination Directory” using “Reference(R)”, on a screen “Select Components” during installation, some drives displayed at “Drive(V)” on “Select Directories” may not be able to select. In this case, return to “Select Components” and designate a drive with “Disc Space(S)” in it. If it is not executed well, restart Windows and execute the installer again.
- The M3T-SRA74M does not operate in a version before Windows3.1 and Windows NT3.5x.

2)Installing

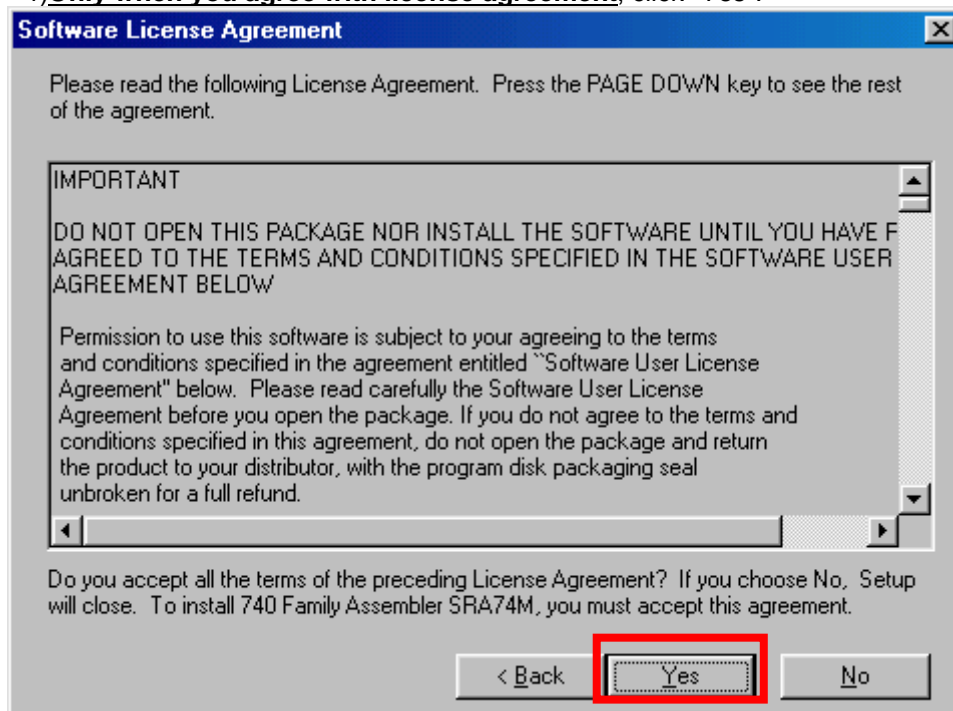
- Double-click \English\SRA74M\W95E\setup.exe on the CD-ROM.
- No file names including space characters can be specified as “Destination Directory”.
- Only 1 (.) for file names can be used.
- No network path names can be used. Assign a drive name and use it.
- No short-cut can be used.
- The “...” symbol cannot be used as a means of specifying 2 or more directories.
- No directory or file names that consist of more than 128 characters including the path specification.

3)The following describes the installation procedure of the M3T-SRA74M.

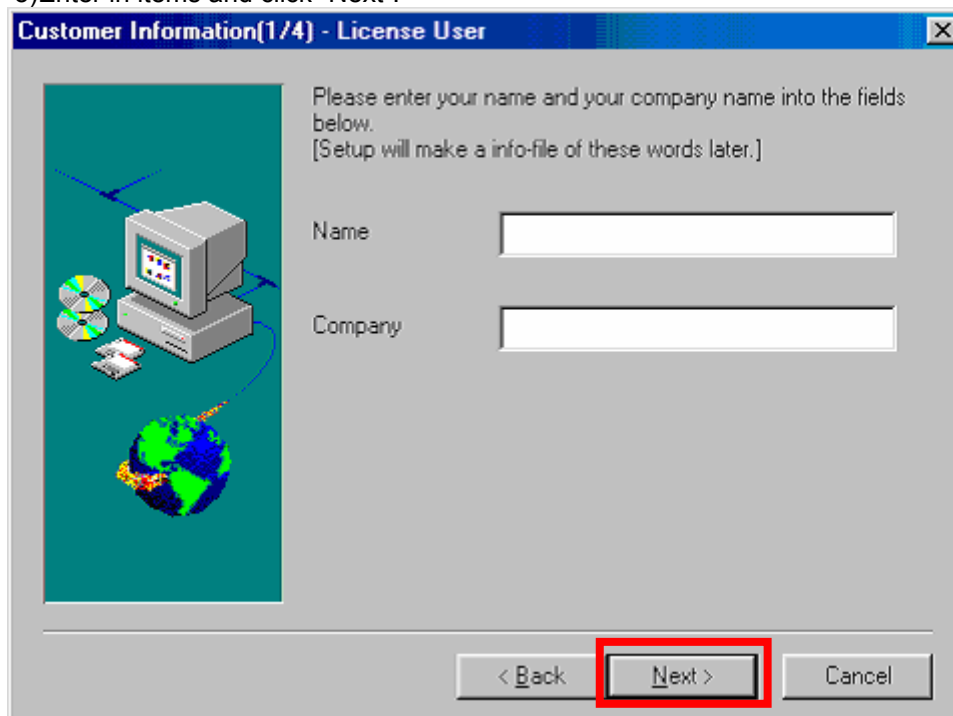
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5)Enter in items and click "Next".



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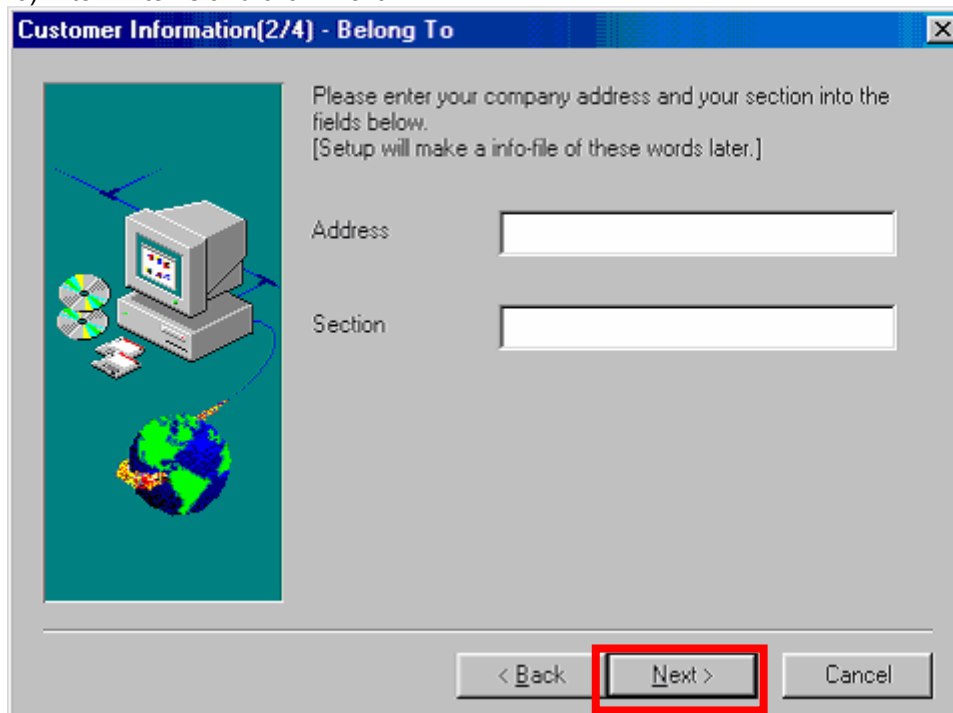
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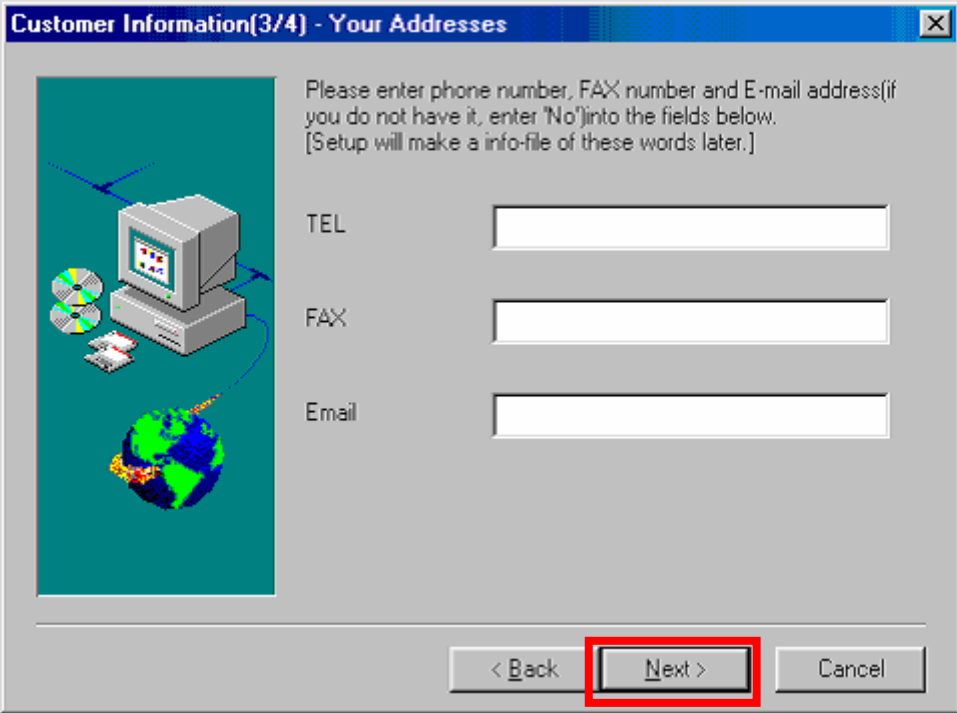
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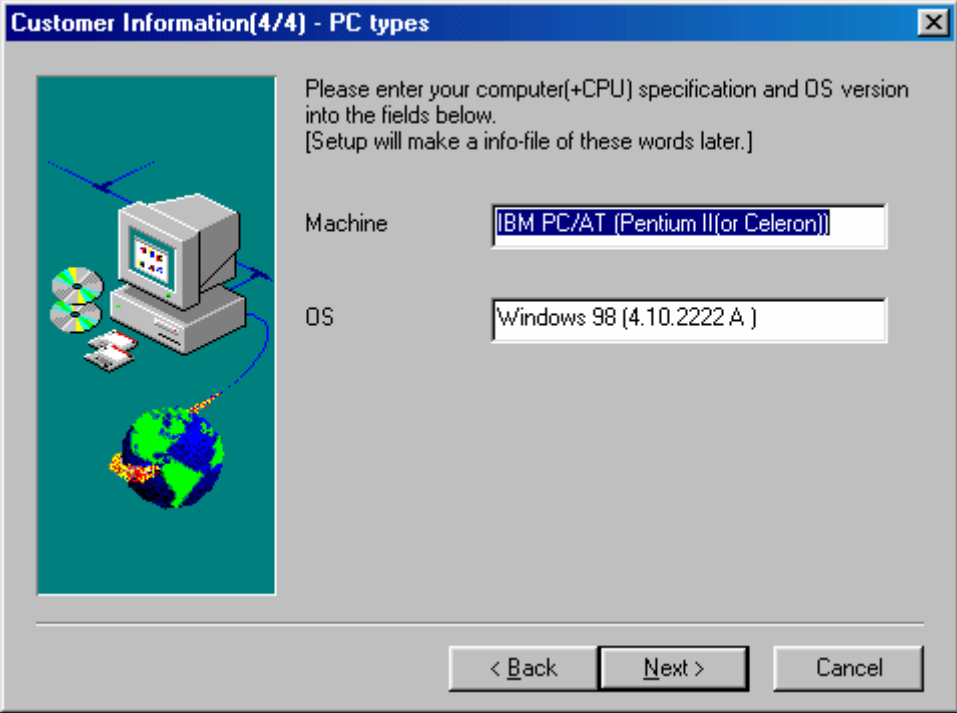
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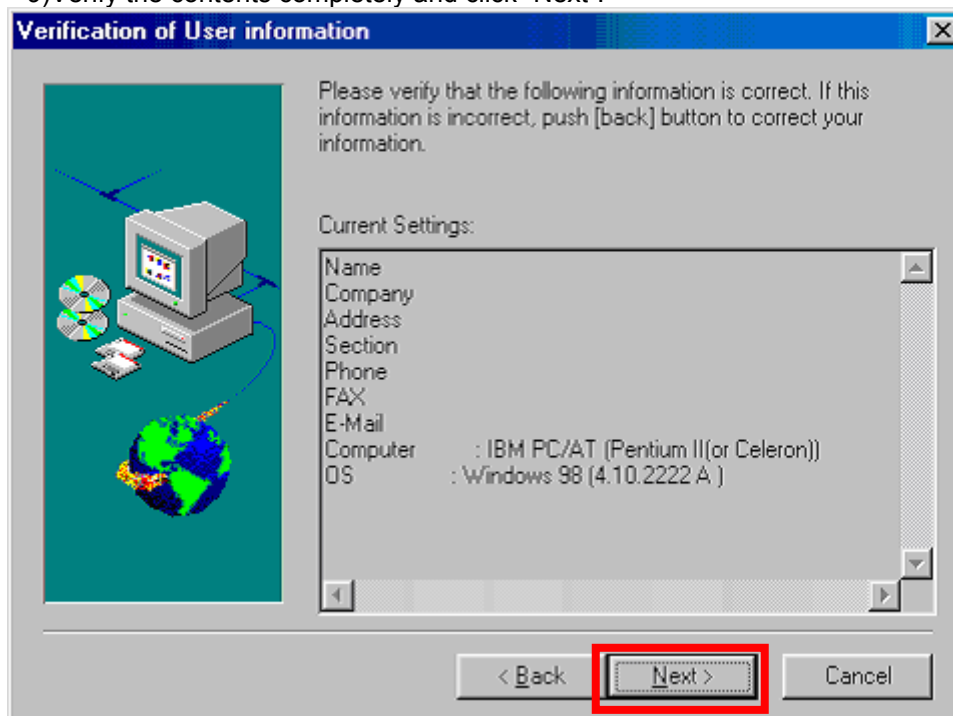
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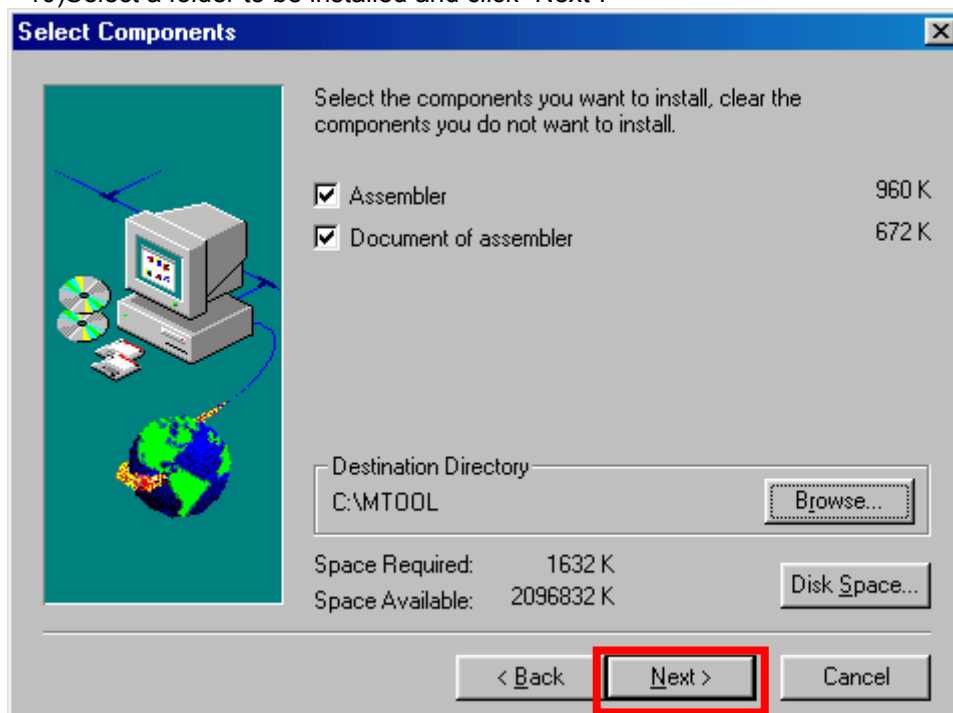
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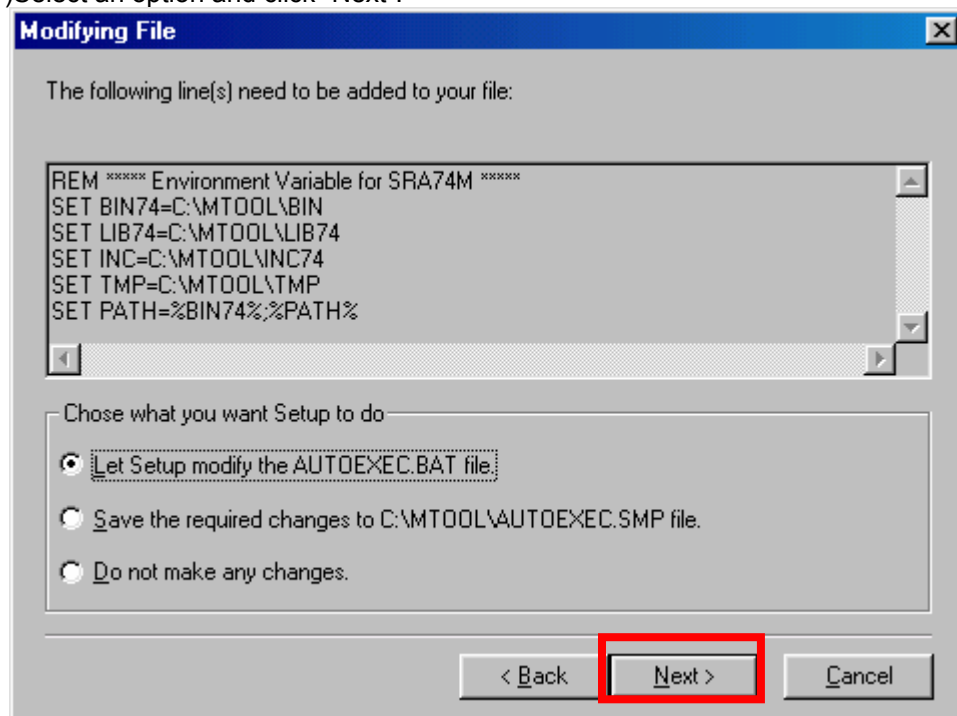
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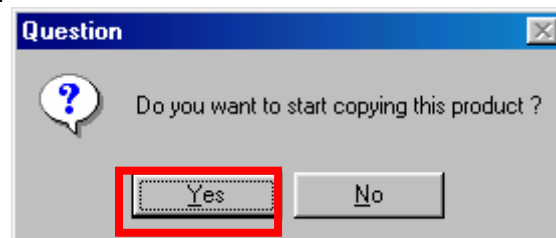
10)Select a folder to be installed and click “Next”.



11) Select an option and click "Next".



12) Click "Yes".



13) Click "OK".



14) Installation has been completed.

3.1.2.How to uninstall assembler

To uninstall the software, select “Start” - “Setting” - “Control Panel” and click “Add/Remove Application”. When uninstalling the M3T-SRA74M, select “SRA74M V.x.xx” from the program list and click “Add/Remove Application”. The uninstall window will appear and the M3T-SRA74M will be uninstalled.

3.1.3.How to install TM

1)Note the following points before installing

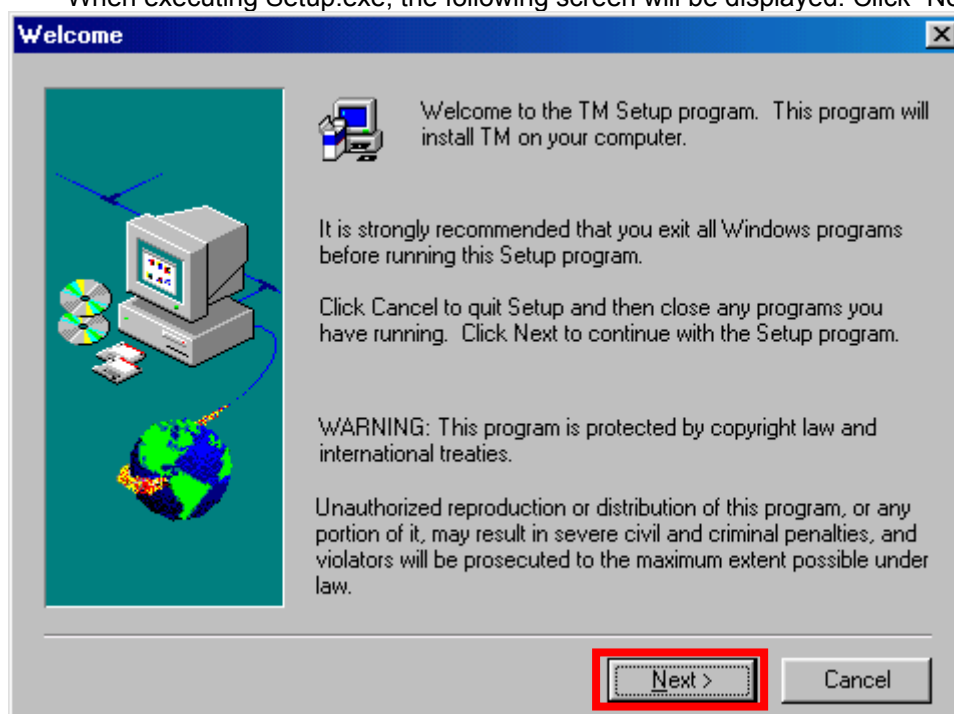
When installing the TM 3.20A Release1 and installing this product to the computer in which the TM has been already installed, install this product after checking the version.

2)Installing

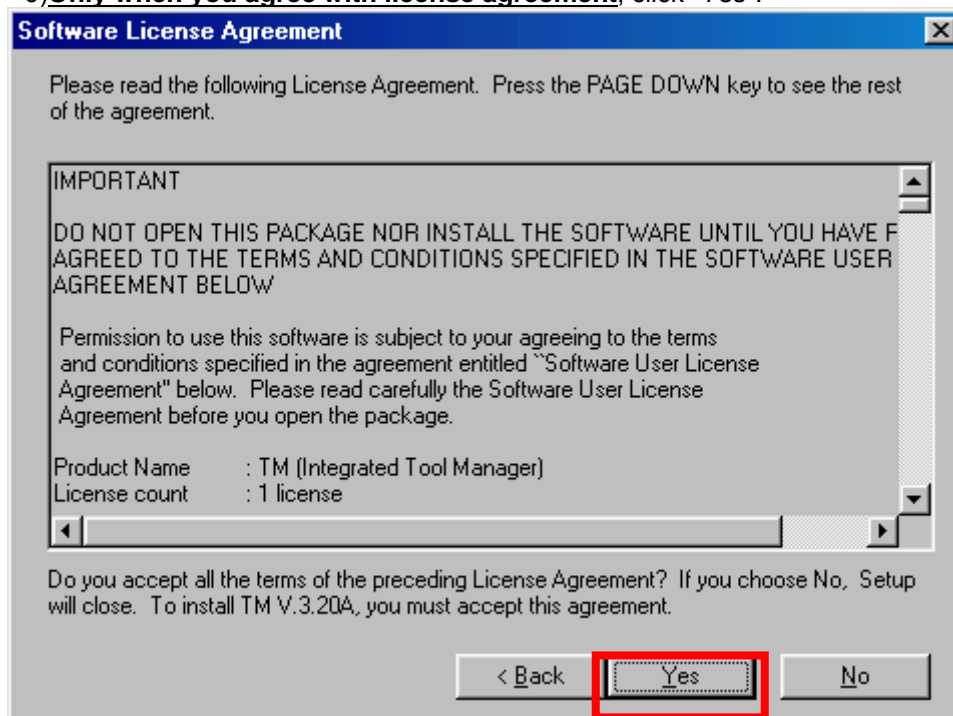
- Double-click \English\TM\W95E\setup.exe on the CD-ROM.
- No file names including space characters can be specified as "Destination Directory".
- Only 1 (.) for file names can be used.
- No network path names can be used. Assign a drive name and use it.
- No short-cut can be used.
- The "..." symbol cannot be used as a means of specifying 2 or more directories.
- No directory or file names that consists of more than 128 characters including the path specification.

3)The following describes the installation procedure of the TM.

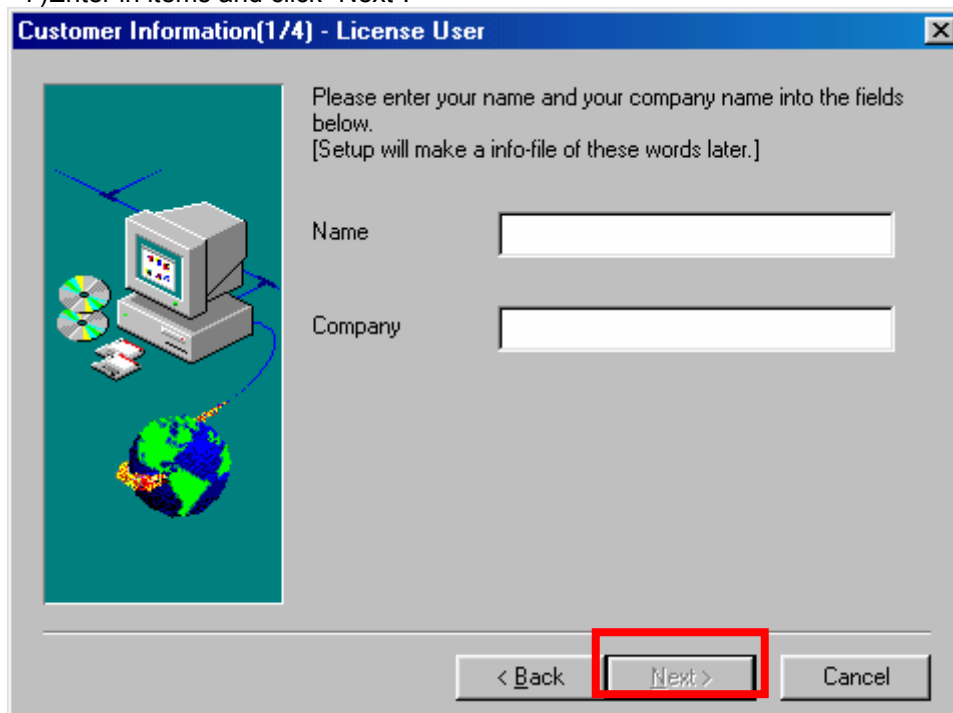
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8)Enter in items and click "Next".

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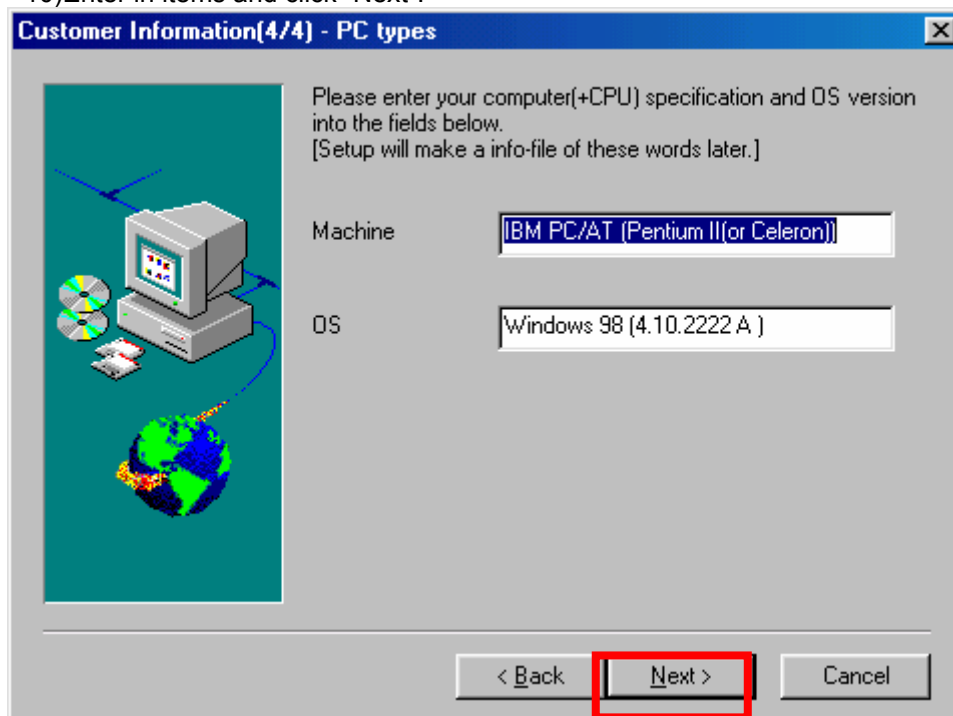
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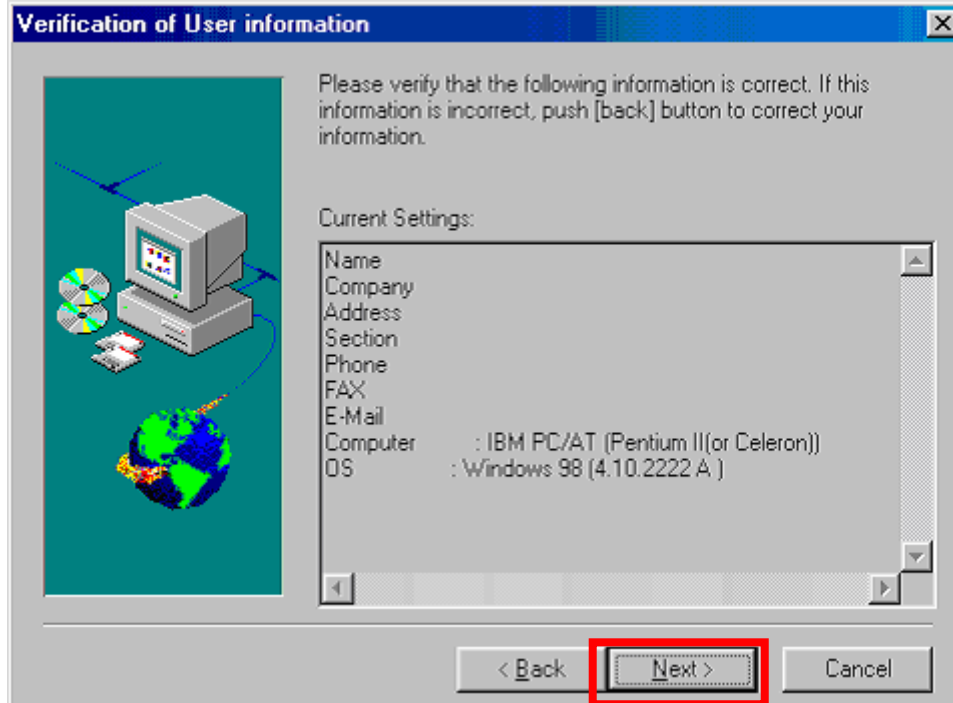
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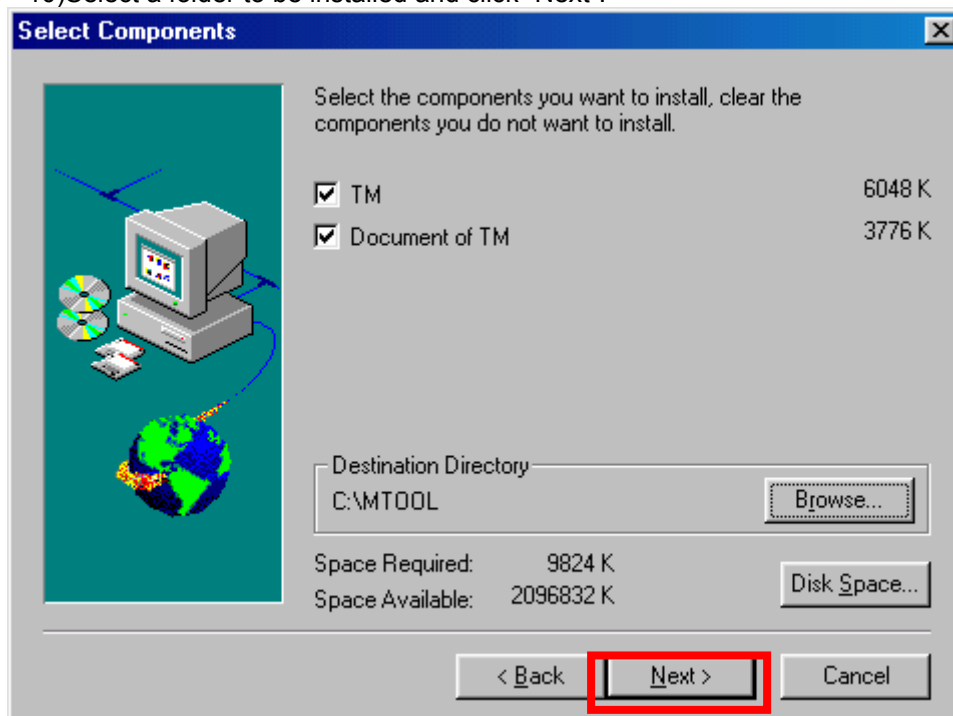
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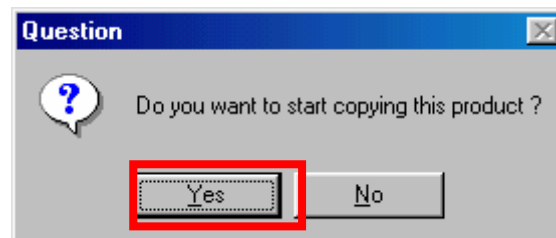
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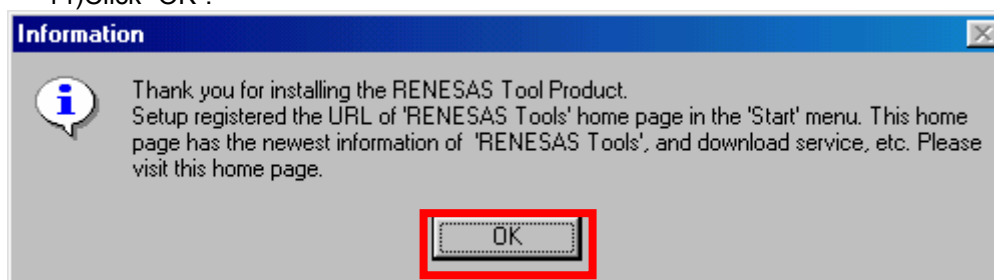
10) Select a folder to be installed and click "Next".



13) Click "Yes".



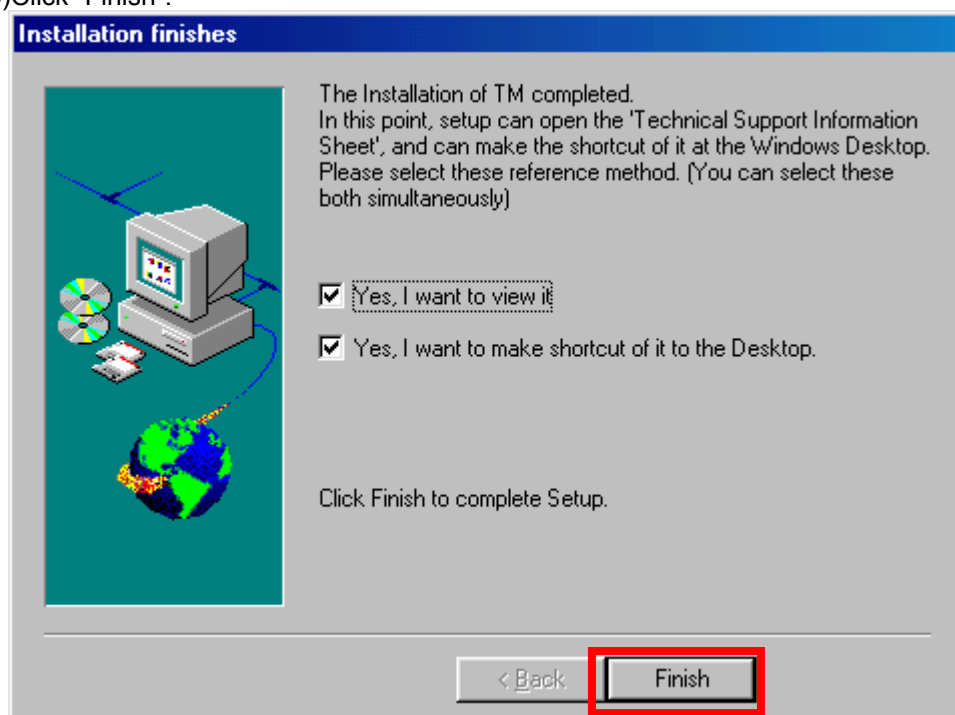
14) Click "OK".



15)Click "OK".



16)Click "Finish".



17)Installation has been completed.

3.1.4.How to uninstall TM

To uninstall the software, select “Start” - “Setting” - “Control Panel” and click “Add/Remove Application”. When uninstalling the TM, select “TM V.x.xx” from the program list and click “Add/Remove Application”. The uninstall window will appear and the TM will be uninstalled.

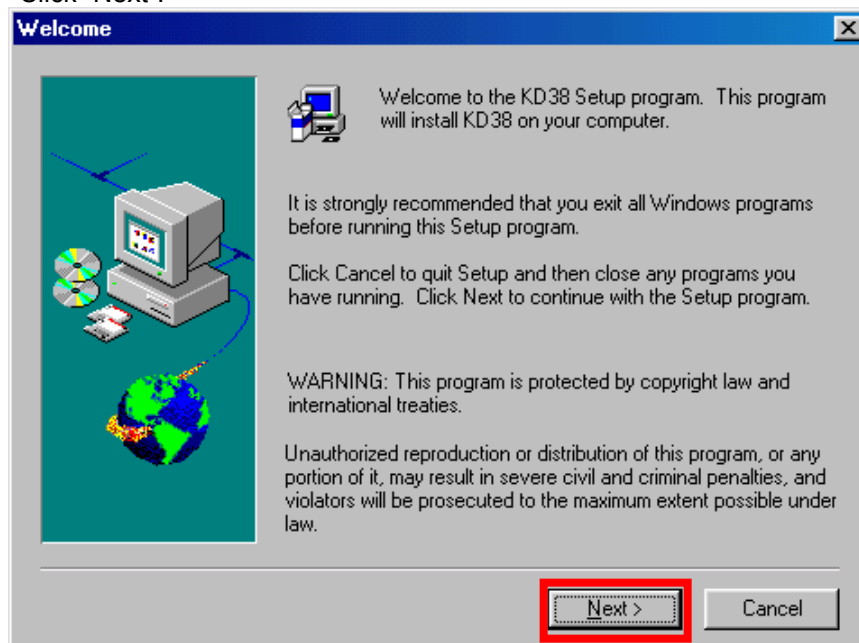
3.1.5.How to install KD38

1)Installing

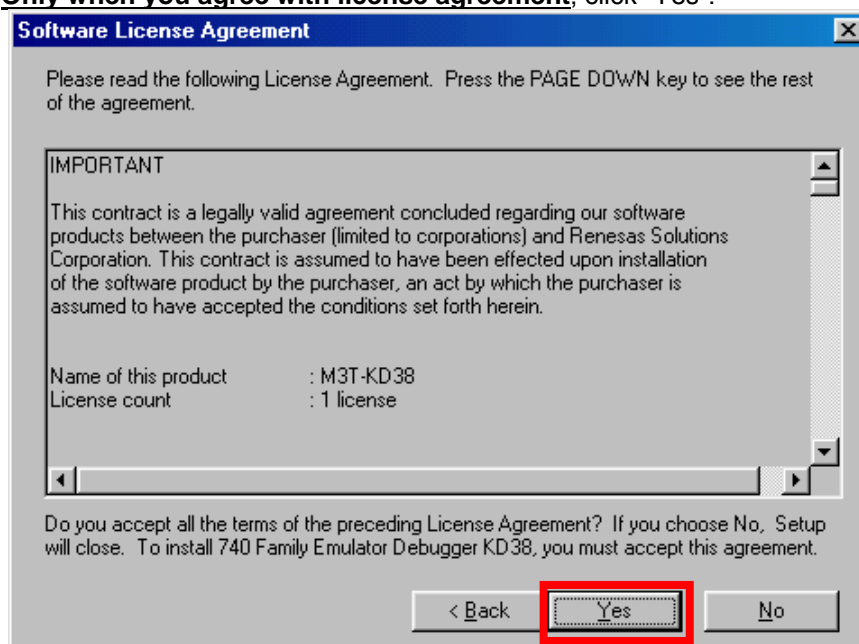
Double-click \English\KD38\W95E\setup.exe on the CD-ROM

2)The following describes the installation procedure.

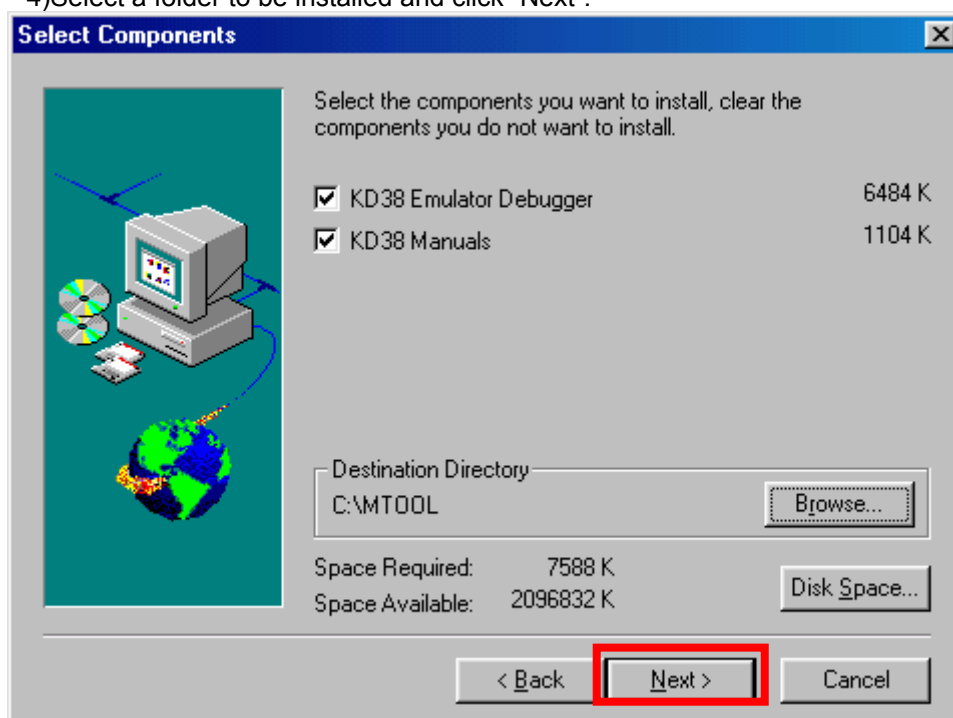
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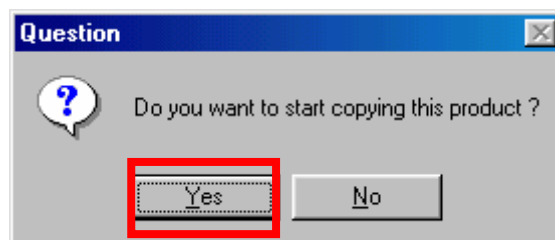
3)Only when you agree with license agreement, click "Yes".



4) Select a folder to be installed and click "Next".



5) Click "Yes".



6) Installation has been completed.

3.1.6. How to uninstall KD38

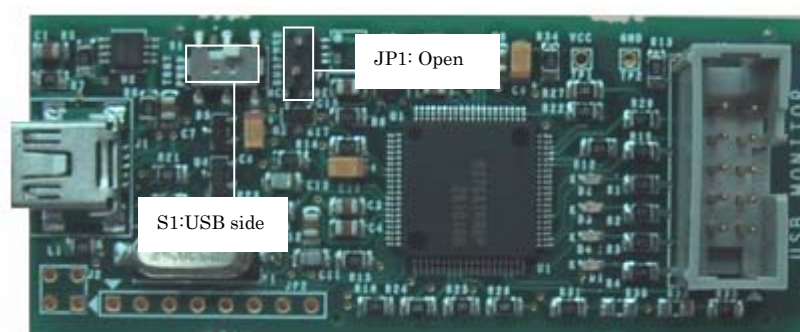
To uninstall the software, select "Start" - "Setting" - "Control Panel" and click "Add/Remove Application". When uninstalling the KD38, select "KD38 V.x.xx" from the program list and click "Add/Remove Application". The uninstall window will appear and the KD38 will be uninstalled.

3.2. Recognizing FoUSB and installing USB driver

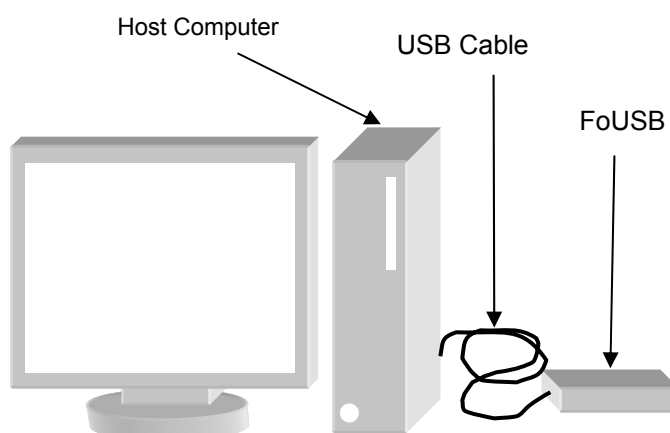
Recognize the FoUSB and install the USB driver by connecting the FoUSB to the host computer.

- 1) Copy the USB Drivers folder in \ENGLISH\KD38 on the CD-ROM to the hard disc in the host computer. This manual describes the situation when the USB Drivers folder on the C drive is copied.
- 2) Remove the FoUSB cover and ensure the FoUSB is set as follows before connecting the FoUSB. When the FoUSB is not set as follows, modify the setting. Place the cover of the FoUSB after verifying the setting.

- Power supply switch (S1: Power Mode): USB
- MCU mode pin (JP1: MCU Mode): Open



- 3) Connect the FoUSB to the host computer. Since Windows detects new hardware, recognizing the FoUSB and installing the USB driver start.

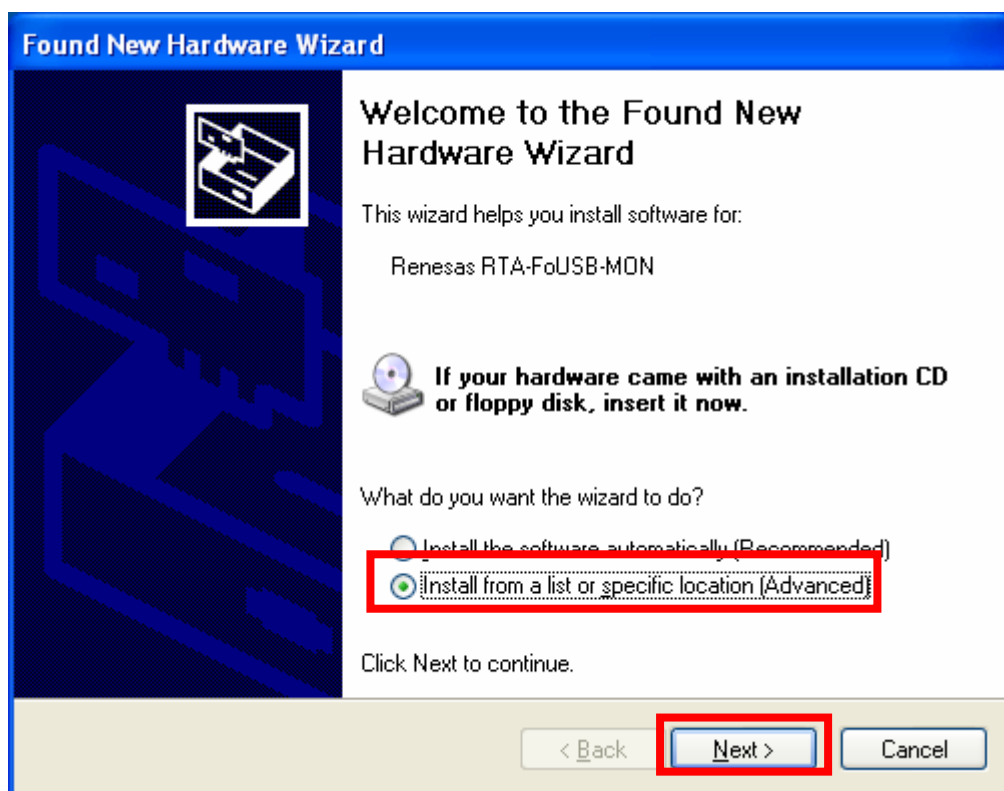


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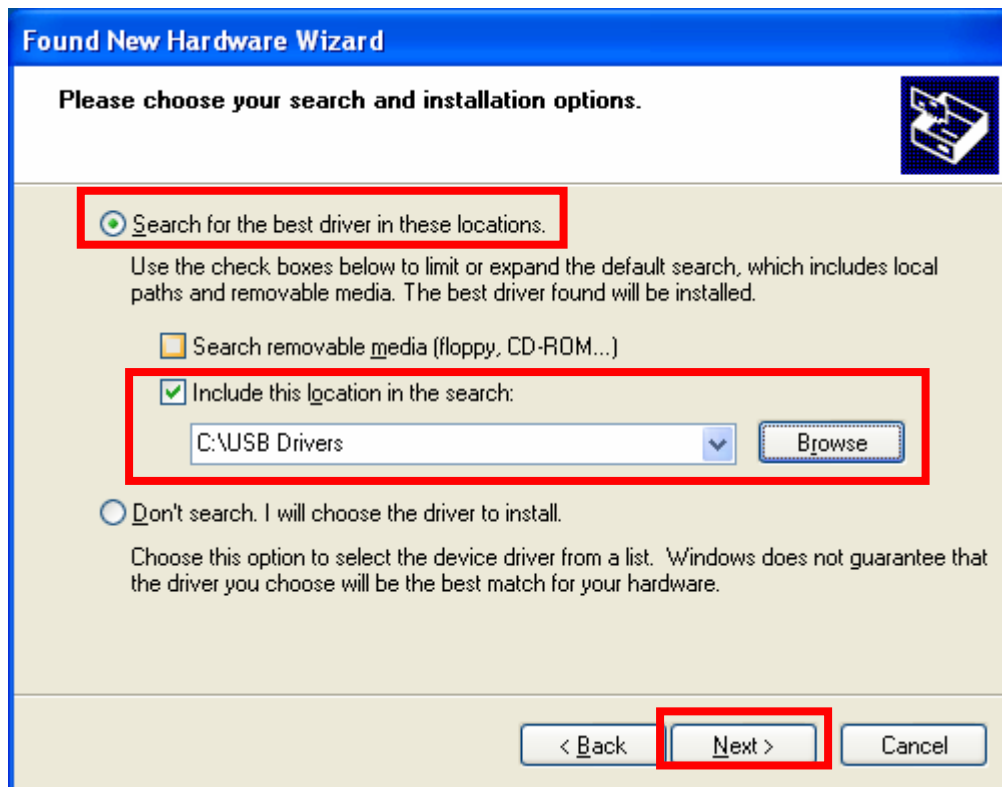
The USB driver (USB Drives folder) copied into the C drive is designated to recognize the FoUSB. This manual describes recognition of the FoUSB and how to install the USB driver in Windows XP and Windows 98SE. Note that designation mean of the USB driver varies depending on the operation system to be used.

<Windows XP>

- 4)When connecting the FoUSB to the host computer, Windows detects new hardware.
Select "Install from a list or specific location (Advanced)" and click "Next".



5) Select "Search for the best driver in these locations". Check "Include this location in the search" and designate the driver in which the USB folder is included. "C:\USB Drivers" is selected here. Once the folder can be designated, click "Next".



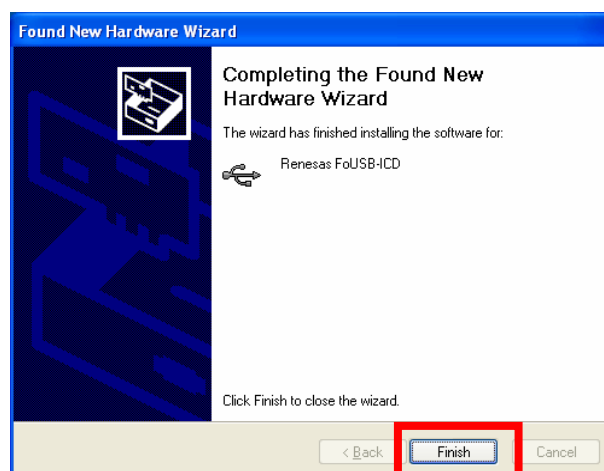
6)Although a warning screen shown below is displayed from Windows, click “Continue”.



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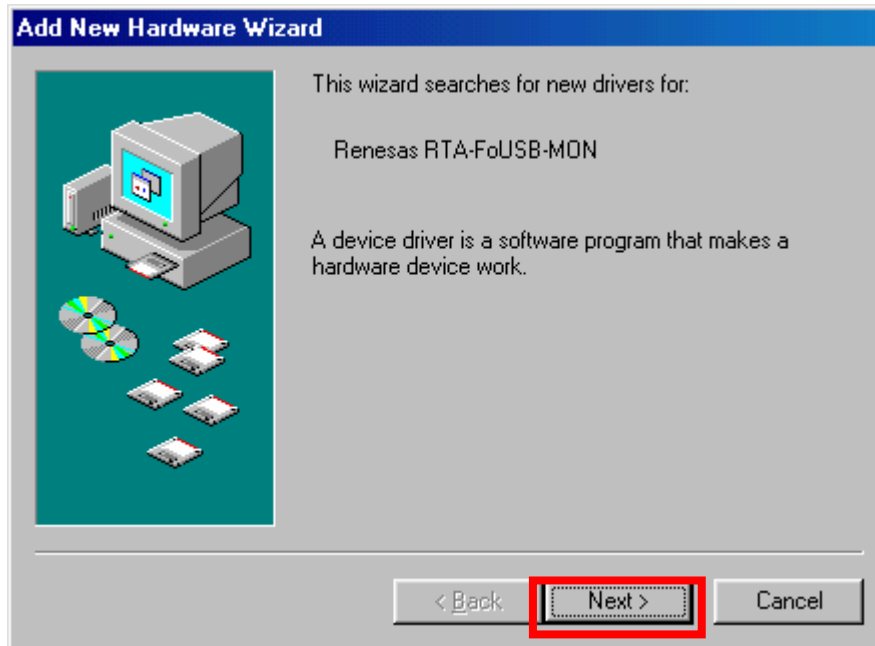
Microsoft has advocated authentication of the USB drivers to the USB vendors in the Microsoft® Windows® XP and Windows®-based operating systems released after Microsoft® Windows® XP. This is aimed at elimination of illegal drivers and improvement of host computer (PC). Renesas USB Drivers are not authenticated by Microsoft, but we provide them based on the sufficient examination.

7)Finally, click “Finish”. Recognition of the FoUSB and installing the USB driver in Windows XP have been completed.

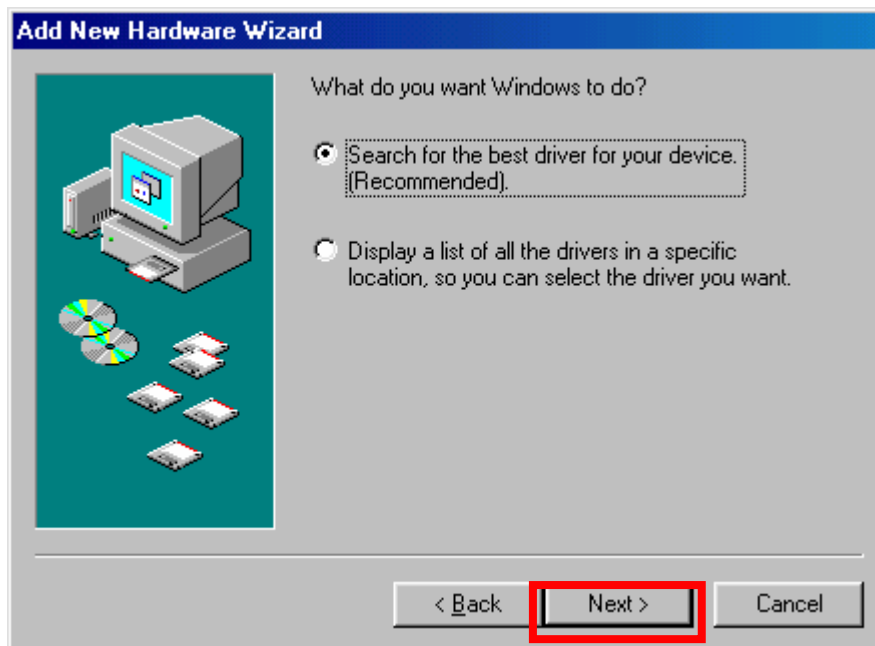


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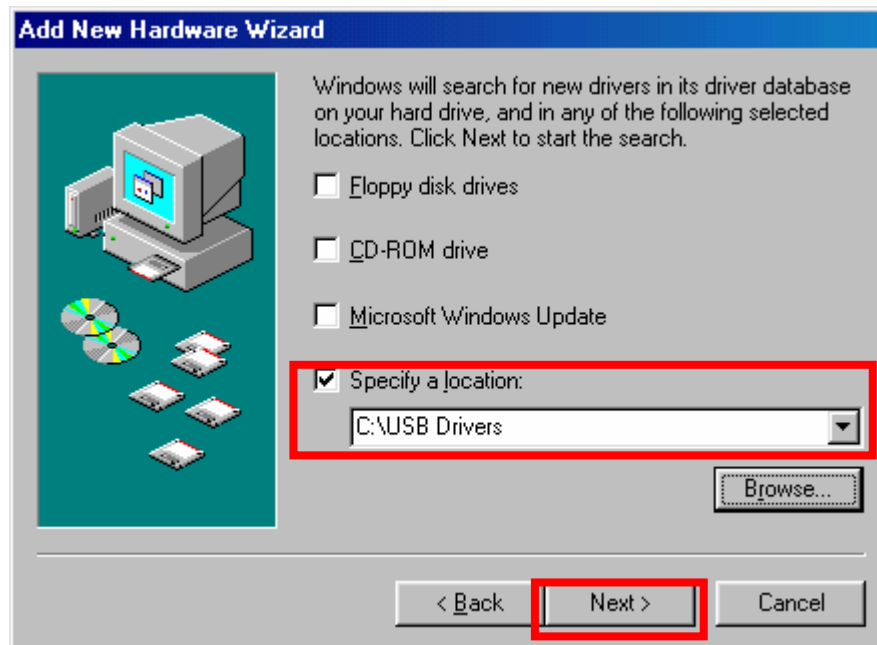
- 4)When connecting the FoUSB to the host computer, Windows detects new hardware. and click “Next”.



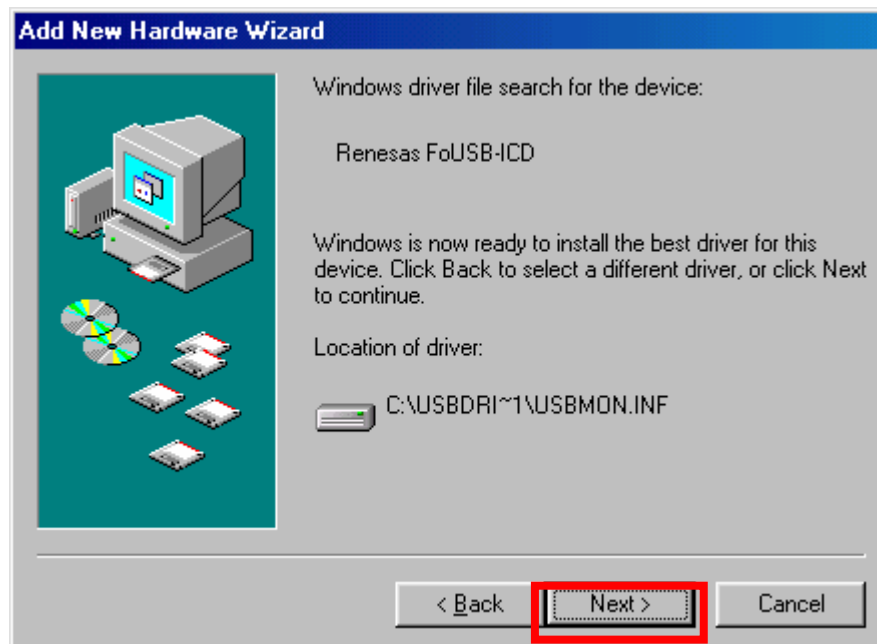
- 5)Select “Search for the best driver for your device (Recommended)” and click “Next”.



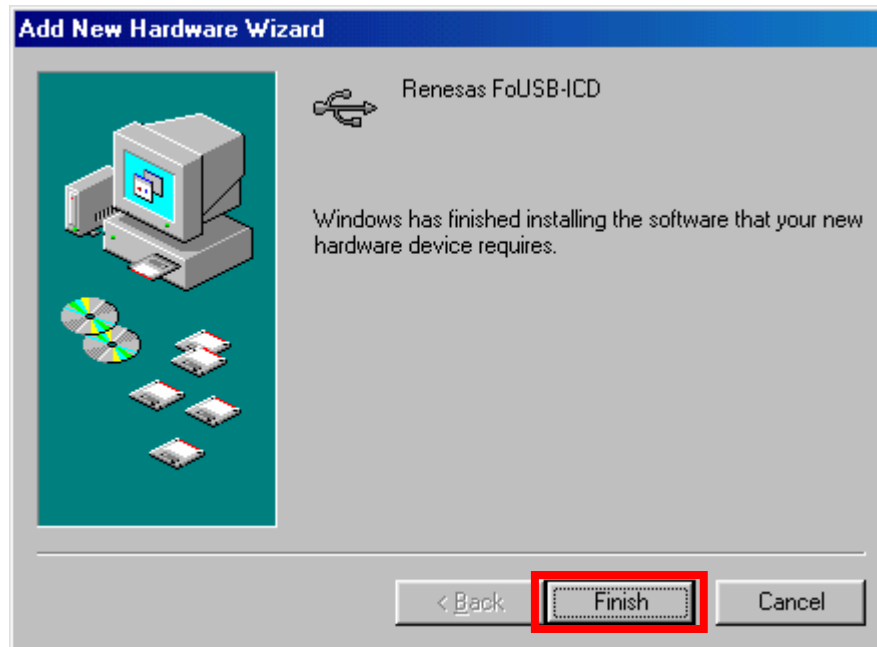
- 6) Select "Specify a location" and designate the driver in which the USB folder is included. "C:\USB Drivers" is selected here. Once the folder can be designated, click "Next".



- 7) Click "Next".



8) Finally, click "Finish". Recognition of the FoUSB and installing the USB driver in Windows 98SE have been completed.



4. Using

4.1. Using

4.1.1. Before starting TM

Ensure the host computer and CPU board are firmly connected. (Refer to Figure 4-1 Connection Diagram of CPU board.)

Turn the power mode switch of RTA-FoUSB-MON to USB side.

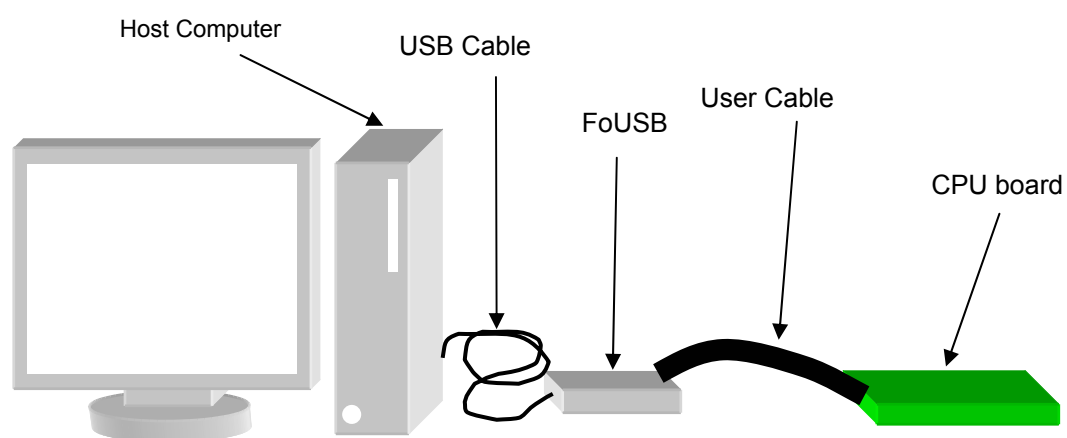


Figure 4-1 Connection Diagram of CPU board

4.1.2.Assembling with TM

- 1)This sub-section describes how to use the TM easily with a sample program attached to the CD-ROM as an example. Refer to the TM user's manual for how to use the TM. It is possible to browse the TM user's manual in order of "Start" - "Program" - "RENESAS-TOOLS" - "TM V.x.xx" - "TM user's manual".
- 2)Copy the sample program (\English\M3A7535\PROGRAM) included CD-ROM to the rewritable drive such as a hard-disc. Next, modify the drive which can be read or written by property of the file since the copied sample program folder and file attribute in a folder is set to "Read-only".
- 3)Starting TM

When clicking in order of "Start" - "Program" - "RENESAS-TOOLS" - "TM V.x.xx" - "TM" for the TM, the window will appear. (Refer to Figure 4-2 TM Project Bar)

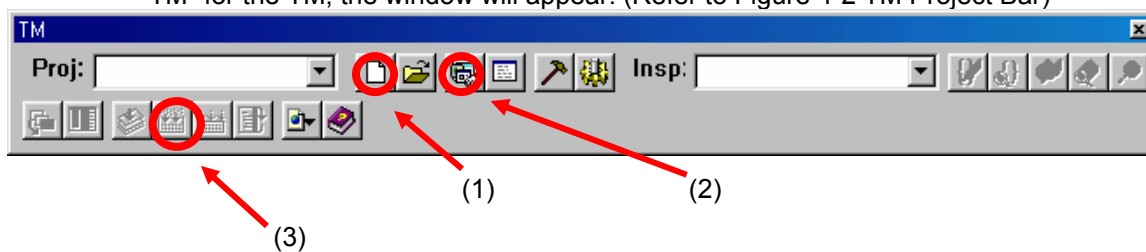


Figure 4-2 TM Project Bar

4)Create a new project

When clicking (1) of Figure 4-2, a new project screen of Figure 4-3 will be displayed.

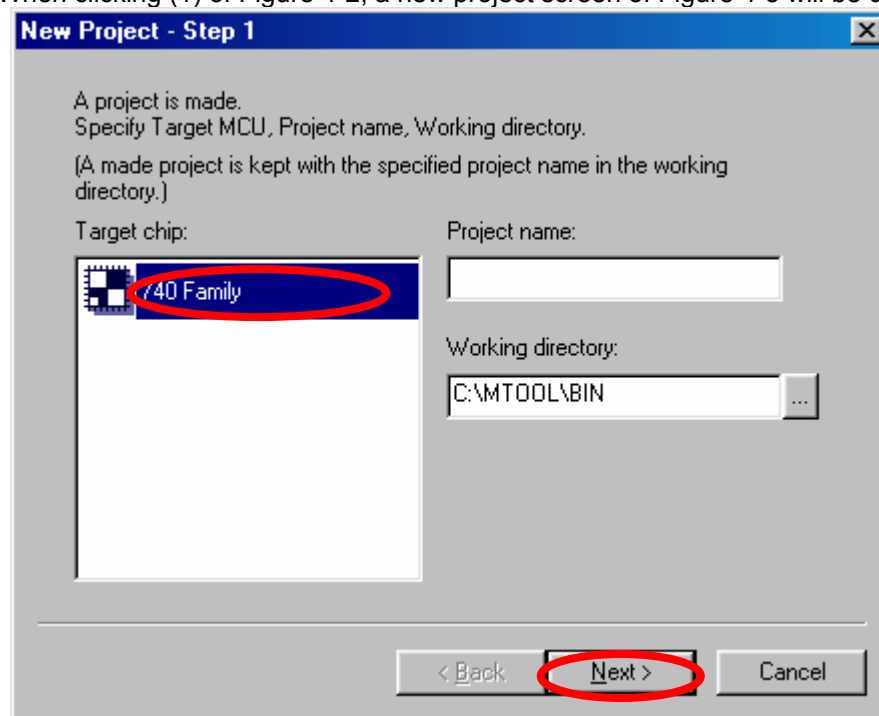


Figure 4-3 Screen of New Project Step 1

- 5)Select “740 Family” for a target chip on Figure 4-3. Enter a project name to anywhere. Designate a directory which copied a sample program for a working directory and click “Next”.

Example) Project Name : Sample
Working Directory : C:\sample\sample

- 6) Select a project kind on Figure 4-4. The sample program is created by the assembler. Select "ASM Project" and click "Next".

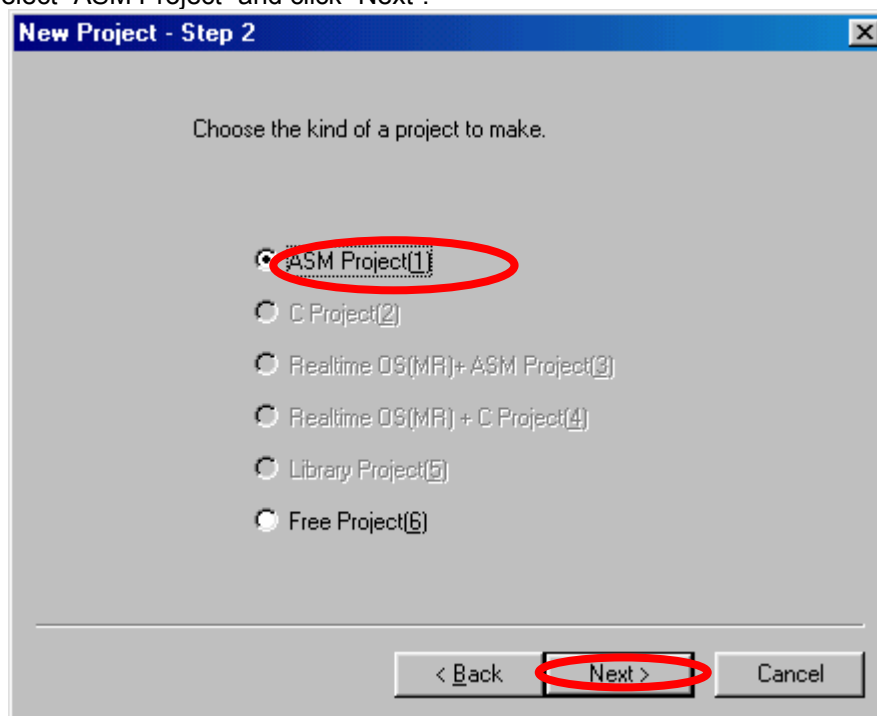


Figure 4-4 Screen of New Project Step 2

- 7) Designate a compiler package on Figure 4-5.

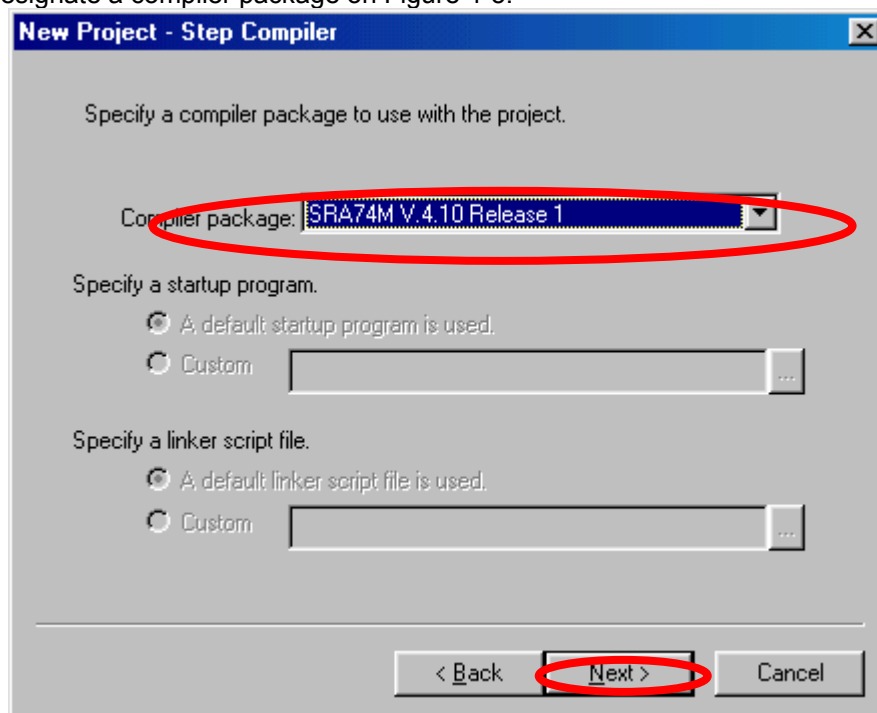


Figure 4-5 Screen of New Project Step-Compiler

8)A screen of Figure 4-6 is displayed and the project will be finished.

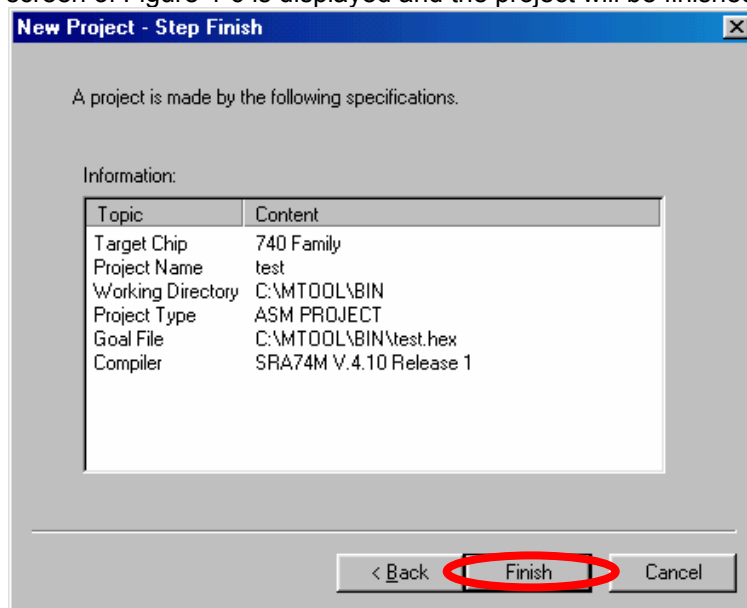


Figure 4-6 Screen of New Project Step-Finish

9)Open a project editor. Add a source program and set an assembler option. Click (2) of Figure 4-2, the project editor will be displayed.

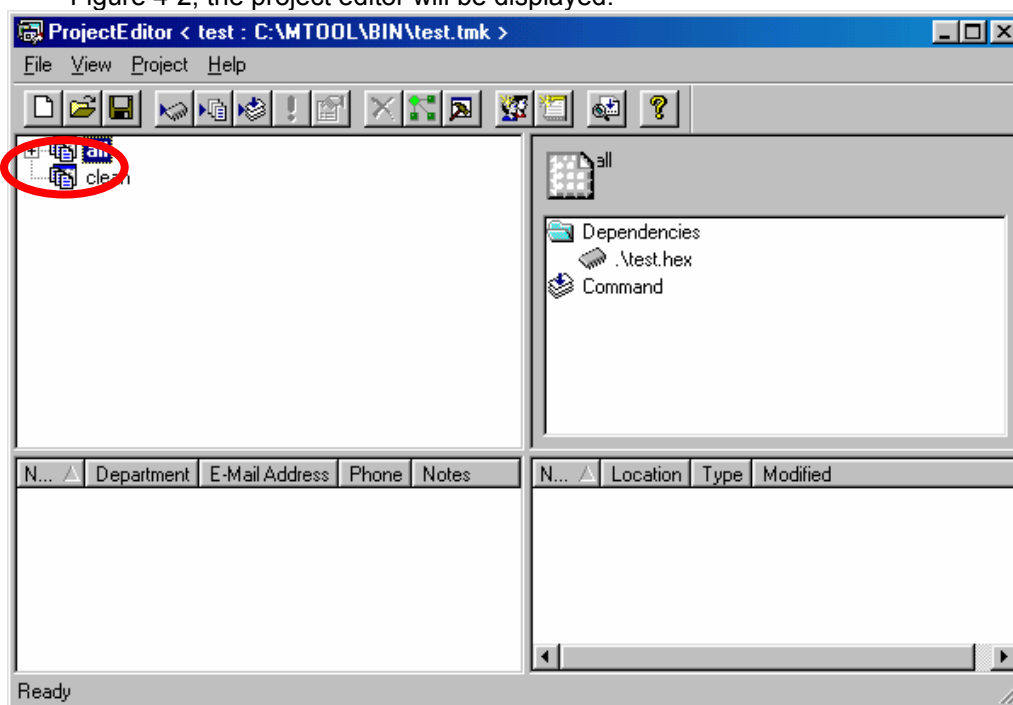


Figure 4-7 Project Editor

10)When double-clicking “all” marked with a red circle in Figure 4-7, “Sample hex” will be displayed. Add a source program. Select “Project” - “Edit Item” - “Add File” while selecting “Sample.hex”

11)A source program will be open.

(Example : Open “C: \sample\sample.a74”)

12)Perform assembling finally. Click (3) of Figure 4-2 (Build button).

4.2. How to use KD38

4.2.1. Before starting KD38

- 1) Ensure the KD38 is installed.
- 2) Ensure a computer and the CPU board are connected (Refer to Figure 4-8 Connection Diagram of CPU board).
- 3) Ensure the power is supplied to the CPU board.

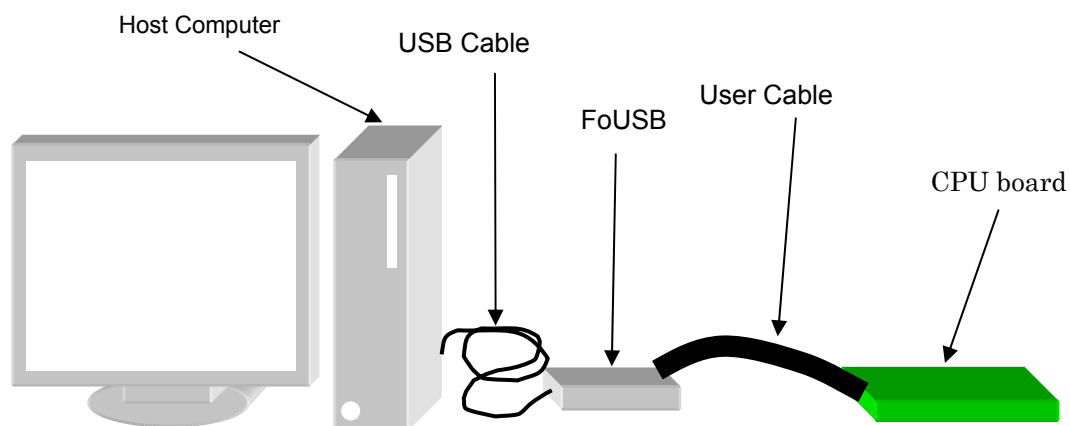


Figure 4-8 Connection Diagram of CPU board

4.2.2.Starting KD38

- 1)Click “Start” - “Program” - “RENESAS-TOOLS” - “KD38 V.x.xx” - “KD38” from the start menu to start the KD38. When the KD38 starts, the INIT screen of the KD38 which is shown in Figure 4-9 will be open. When a window is open, click “Refer” and select the target MCU.

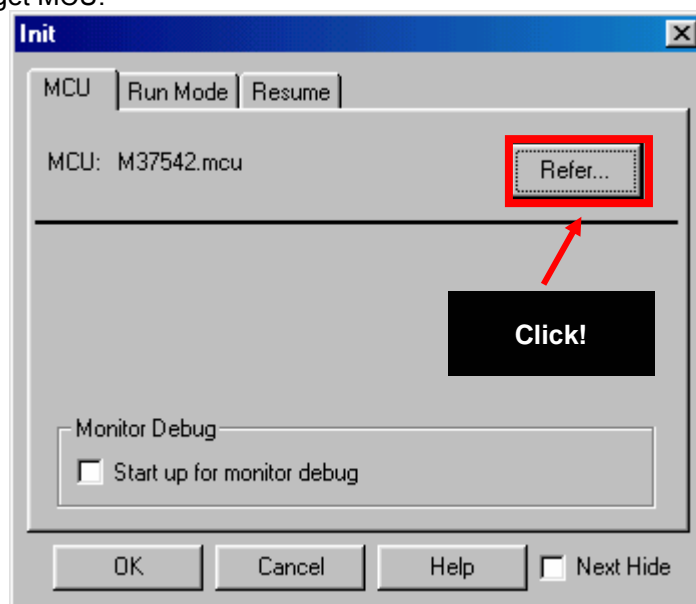


Figure 4-9 INIT Screen 1 of KD38

- 2)Next, Figure 4-10 will be open. Select “M37544STK.MCU” on the target MCU.

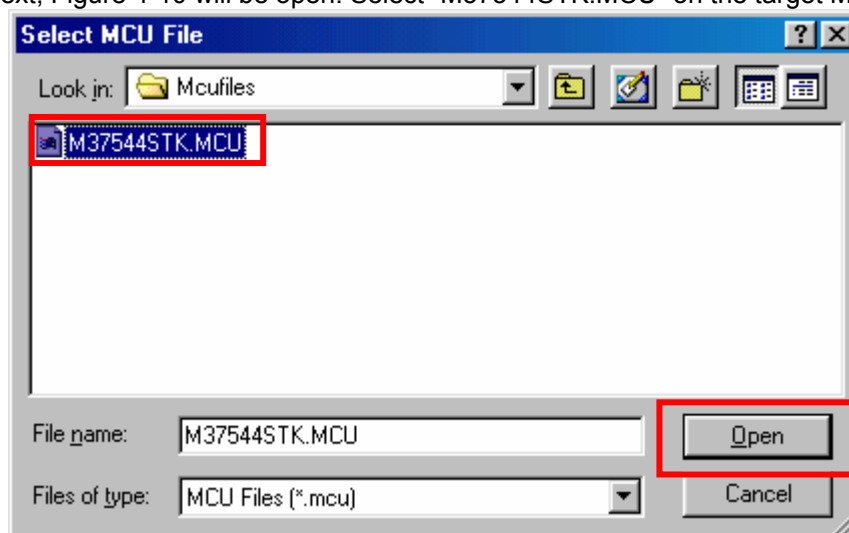


Figure 4-10 MCU File Screen

3) When selecting the target MCU, the INIT screen of KD38 in Figure 4-11.

Click "OK".

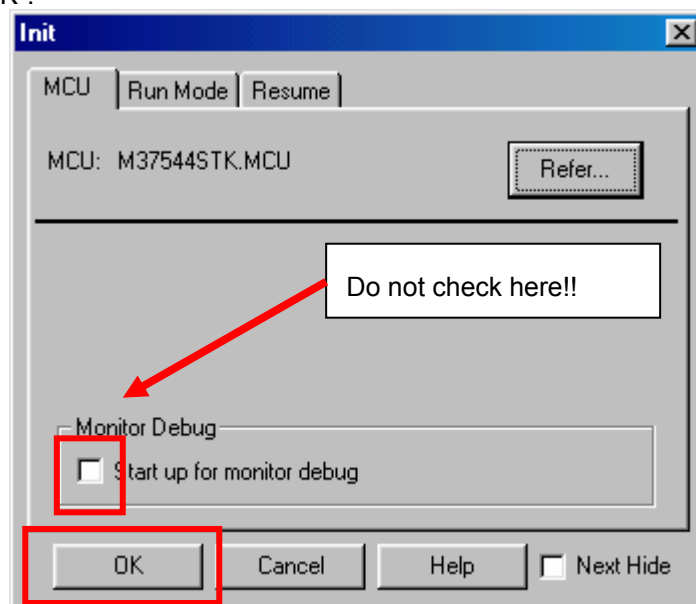


Figure 4-11 INIT Screen 2 of KD38

4) When a normal communication is performed, KD38 on Figure 4-12 will be open.

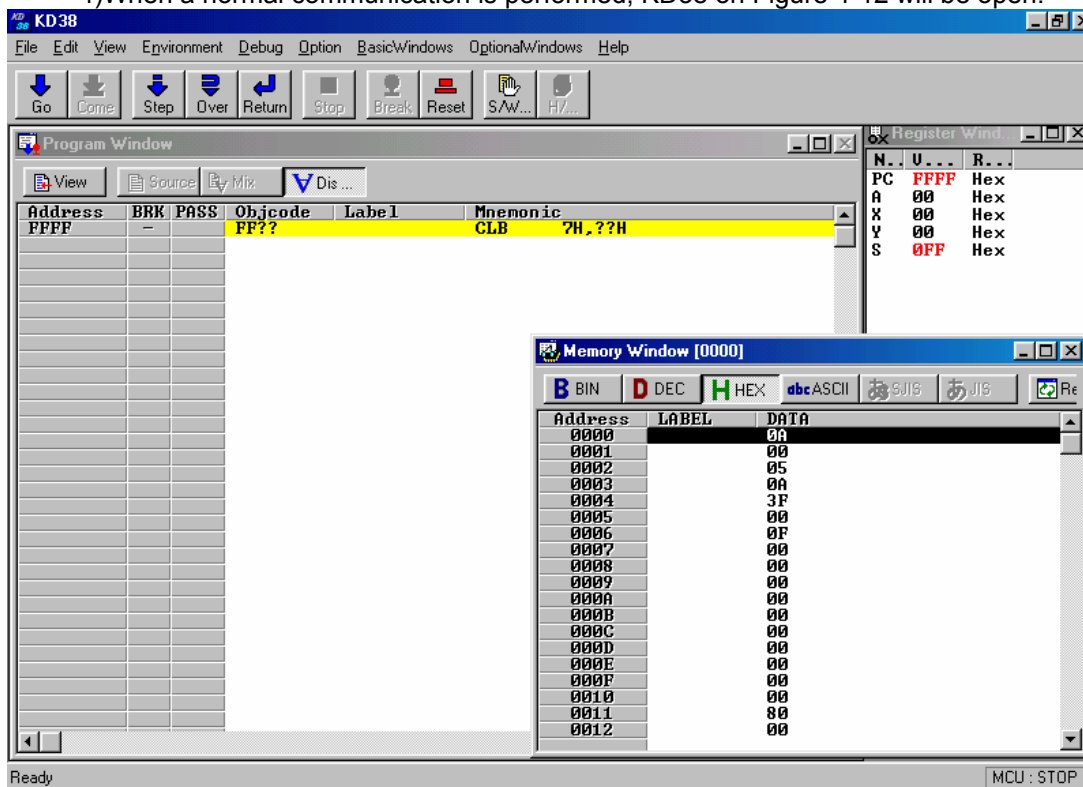


Figure 4-12 Main Screen of KD38

4.2.3. When communication error occurs

When a communication error occurs, an error window of Figure 4-13 will be displayed.

Click “OK” and check the following points.

Check 1 : Ensure the power is supplied to the CPU board.

Check 2 : Ensure the power supply of the FoUSB is not specified as TARGET.

Check 3 : Ensure the USB_cable, FoUSB, User_Cable and CPU board are connected.

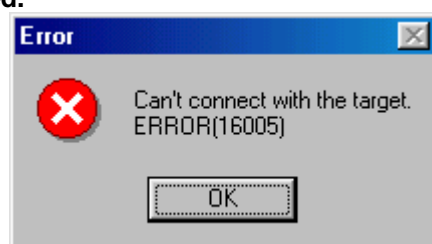


Figure 4-13 Example of Communication Error Window

Supply the power again and restart the KD38 after checking all.

4.3. Operating Sample Program

4.3.1. Downloading sample program

1) Select “File” - “Download” from the KD38 screen and download the sample program compiled at “4.1 Using” . (Figure 4-14)

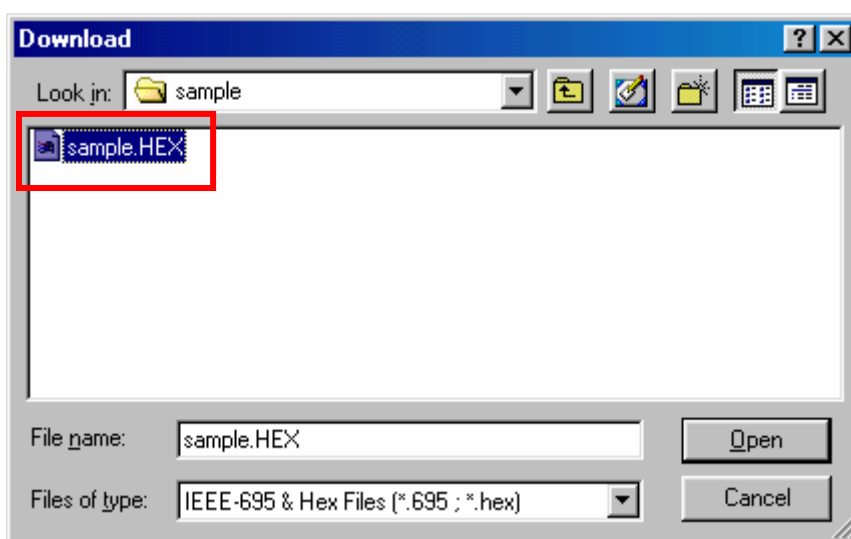


Figure 4-14 Download Screen

- 2)When the download completes, the program downloaded to "Program window" will be displayed. (Refer to Figure 4-15 Program Window Screen)

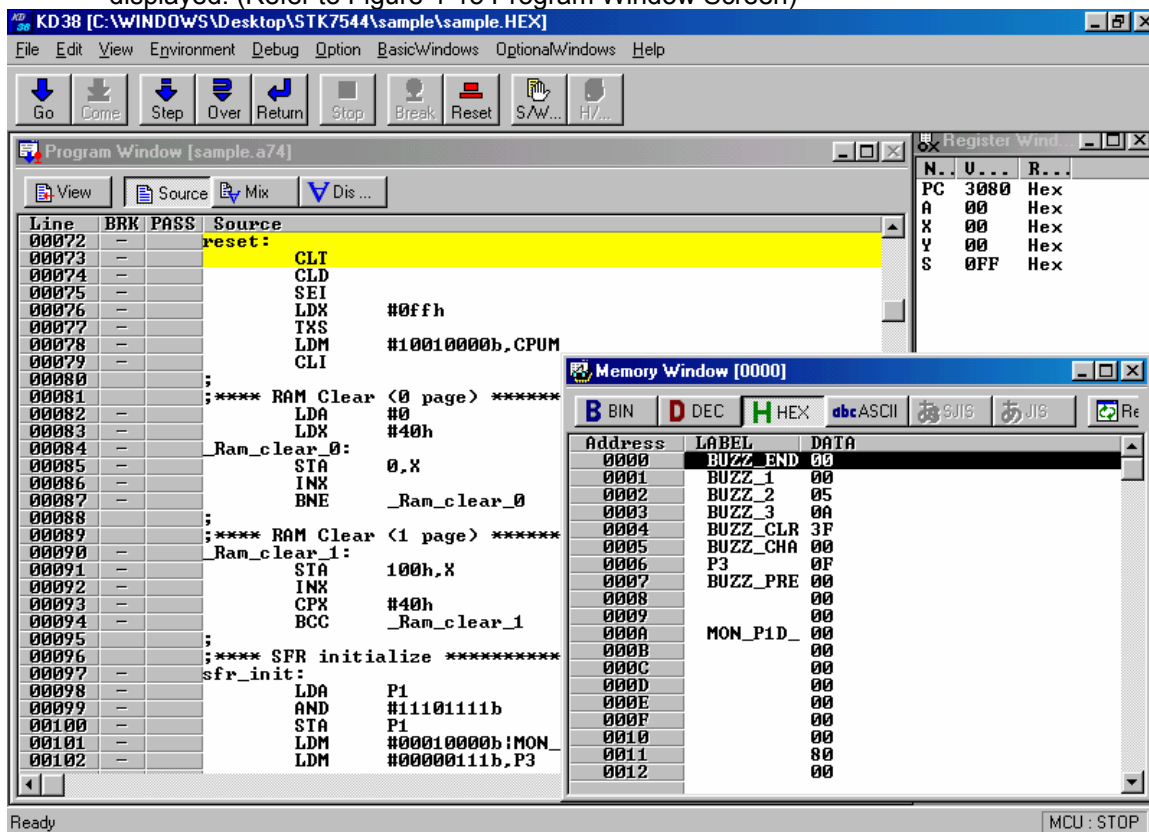


Figure 4-15 Program Window Screen

4.3.2. Executing program

When the download completes, the KD38 screen will be displayed as Figure 4-16.

Press the “GO” button on the KD38 screen to execute the sample program.

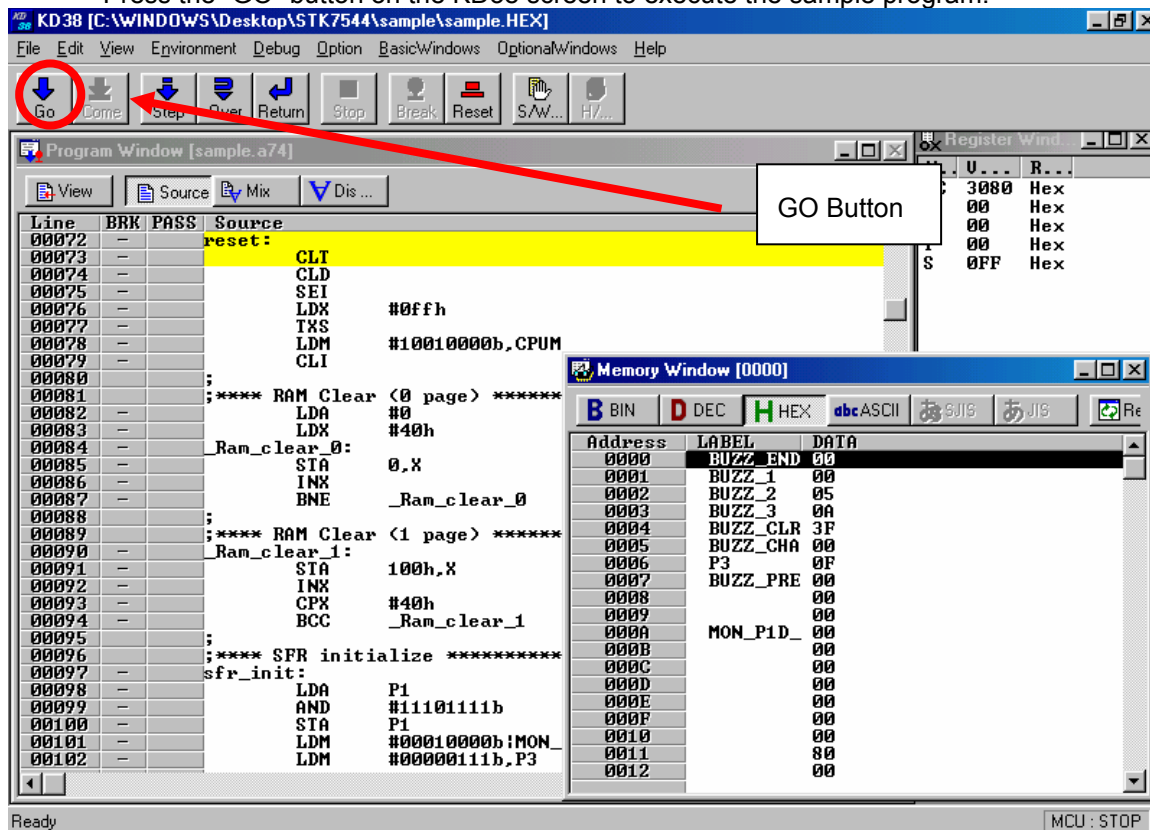


Figure 4-16 Before Executing a Program

4.3.3. Stopping program

Next, press the “STOP” button on the KD38 screen to stop the executed sample program. And the sample program will stop.

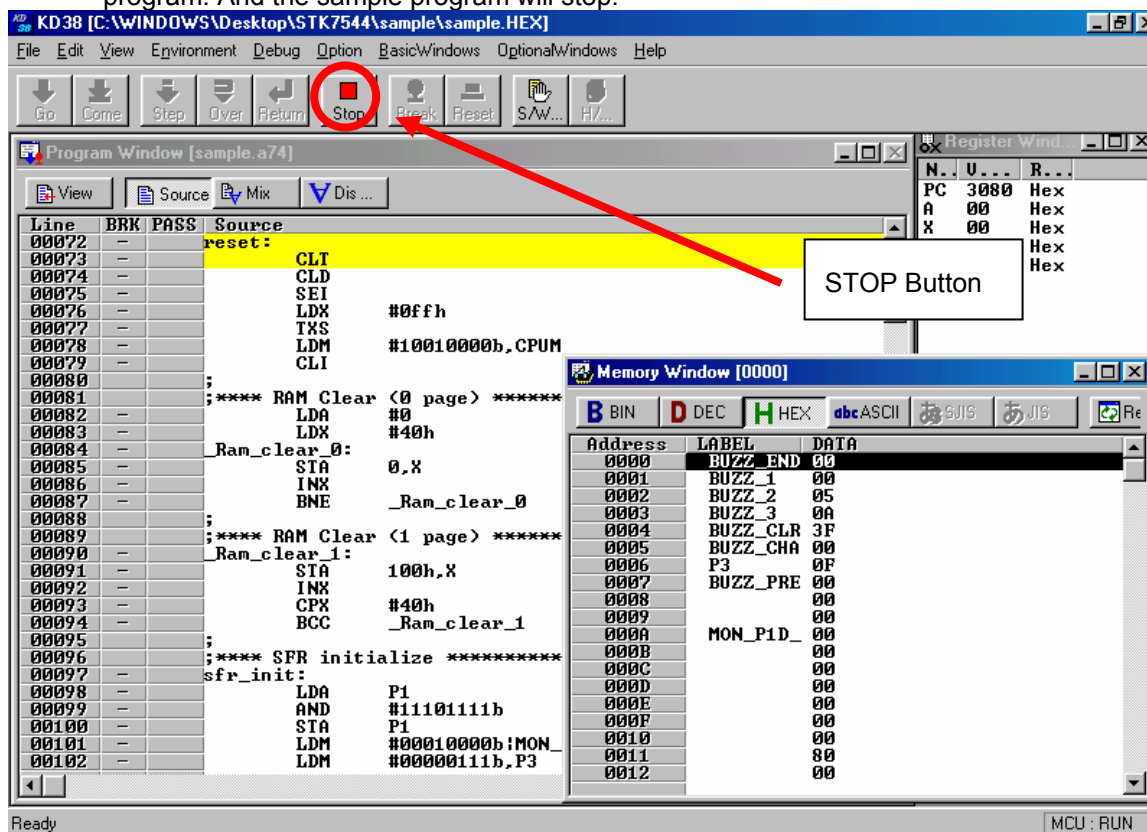


Figure 4-17 During Executing a Program

4.3.4. Exiting KD38

- 1) Stop the sample program before exiting the KD38
- 2) Select “File” - “Exit” of the KD38. Since Figure 4-18 is open when selecting the “Exit” menu, click “OK”. When clicking “Cancel”, the KD38 will not be exited.

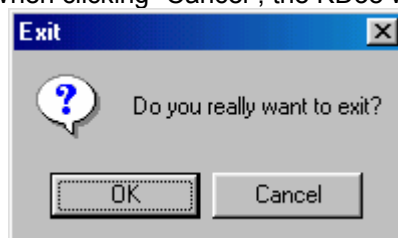


Figure 4-18 Exit Window

4.3.5. Other ways of use

The KD38 contains abundant functions. Browse “Start” - “Program” - “RENESAS-TOOLS” - “KD38 V.x.xx” - “KD38 Help” from the start menu for details of how to use the KD38.

5. Limitations

5.1.Assembler limitations

5.1.1.Limitations between linker (LINK74M) and assembler (SRA74M)

The attached user's manual is described about an assembler (SRA74).

The following SRA74M spec is different from SRA74.

- 1)The structured language cannot be used.
- 2)Macro commands cannot be used.
- 3)An object file can link to three.
- 4)An assembler command option can use only **-C, -L, -LS and -S.**
- 5)The assembler (**SRA74M**) and linker (**LINK74M**) are provided.

5.1.2.Integrated development environment

Inspector function of the TM and creating a library project cannot be used.

5.1.3.Precautions for use of assembler

- 1)When the number of lines of one source file crosses 65535 lines, relocatable file is not sometimes generated right in the **SRA74M**. When the relocatable file is not generated right, internal error occurs in the **LINK74M**.

[Condition]

An internal error will occur when the following 2 conditions are met:

- (1) The number of lines of 1 source file crosses 65535 lines.
- (2) The **SRA74M** is started by adding the -C option.

[Countermeasure]

Avoid in either following way.

- (1) Divide a file so as not for 1 source file to cross 65535 lines.
- (2) Start the **SRA74M** without adding the -C option.

- 2)When a line with 255 or more characters exists in 1 source file, the assembly of the line is not sometimes performed right. In this case, an error occurs in the **SRA74M** or **LINK74M**. Except for the line only of the comment, make the maximum number of characters with 1 line 255 digits or below.
- 3)Describing a symbol for forward-referencing in the conditional expression in conditional assembling results in the assembling being terminated unsuccessfully processed correctly and the **SRA74M** will be completed incorrectly.

[Example]

```
.section P
.IF BBB           ;A symbol for foward-referencing described in the
                  conditional expression

Ida AAA
.ELSE
nop
.ENDIF
BBB .equ 0       ;The symbol defined
.end
```

[Countermeasure]

Do not describe any symbol for forward-referencing in the conditional expression in conditional assembling.

- 4)Foward-referencing a label in a relocatable zero-page section causes incorrect data to be written to the HEX file.

[Example]

```
.section P
.org 1000h
Ida YY
nop

.section Z
YY: .blkb 2      ;A label defined
.end
```

[Countermeasure]

Do not forward-reference any label in a relocatable zero-page section.

5.2.Limitations on KD38

5.2.1.Monitor program

The MCU on the CPU board incorporates a monitor program. There are some following precautions when operating the KD38 with this monitor program. Refer to “5.4 Limitations on user's program”.

- 1) Do not perform the step operation and break to the process of the user stack setting.
Set the the stack setting process to interrupt disable status. (I flag =1)
- 2) Reset a stack pointer to \$00FF for a monitor program.
- 3) The monitor program uses \$2000 to \$207F and the reserved area of 7544 MCU SFR.
Do not modify the data in this area.
- 4) The monitor program uses an interrupt. Do not set to interrupt disable state (I flag = 1) in a program other than the stack setting process.
- 5) When the step operation of the debugger is performed to the I flag control instruction, the user interrupt process may be operated. A break point set in the user interrupt process will be disabled. Do not execute the step operation to the I flag control instruction. (I flag control instruction : CLI,SEI,PLP,PHP,RTI)
- 6) When an interrupt is acknowledged, the branch to the interrupt process of the user's program will be performed via the monitor program. Therefore, real time of the user's program will not be guaranteed.
- 7) When pressing a reset switch of the CPU board, reload the user's program.
- 8) Do not perform the step operation for the branch instruction to the self-address.

Example)

```

NOP
LOOP:  BCC  LOOP ←———— Do not perform the step operation for this
NOP                                     instruction

```

5.2.2.Limitations on stop mode and wait mode

When using stop mode and wait mode in the user's program, close the RAM monitor window and watch window in advance before executing. Do not generate a memory access by the debugger during executing the user's program.

5.2.3.Limitations on watchdog timer

A monitor program does not reset a watchdog timer. When using a watchdog timer, close the RAM monitor window and watch window in advance before executing. Do not generate a memory access by the debugger during executing the user's program.

5.2.4.Oscillation stop detection function

When starting a reset by the oscillation stop detection, the monitor program operates and may rewrite the user memory. Do not use the oscillation stop detection function.

5.3.Limitation on interrupts

User interrupt vector address

The branch to the interrupt process of the user's program is performed via the monitor program. Allocate the interrupt vector of the user's program to the following addresses. Also, the monitor program uses the BRK instruction interrupt. This interrupt cannot be used on the user's program.

Table 5-1 User Interrupt Vector Address

Interrupt Factor	user's program Location Address	Enabled/Disabled
Reset	3FFC ₁₆ to 3FFD ₁₆	Enabled
Serial I/O Receive	3FFA ₁₆ to 3FFB ₁₆	Enabled
Serial I/O Transmit	3FF8 ₁₆ to 3FF9 ₁₆	Enabled
INT0	3FF6 ₁₆ to 3FF7 ₁₆	Enabled
INT1	3FF4 ₁₆ to 3FF5 ₁₆	Enabled
Key-On Wake-Up	3FF2 ₁₆ to 3FF3 ₁₆	Enabled
CNTR0	3FF0 ₁₆ to 3FF1 ₁₆	Enabled
CNTR1	3FEE ₁₆ to 3FEF ₁₆	Enabled
Timer X	3FEC ₁₆ to 3FED ₁₆	Enabled
Timer A	3FE6 ₁₆ to 3FE7 ₁₆	Enabled
A/D Conversion	3FE2 ₁₆ to 3FE3 ₁₆	Enabled
Timer 1	3FE0 ₁₆ to 3FE1 ₁₆	Enabled
BRK Instruction	3FDC ₁₆ to 3FDD ₁₆	Disabled

5.4. Limitations on user's program

5.4.1. Allocate user's program

A MCU address map for the StarterKit is shown in Table 5-2. Allocate the user's program to the RAM2 area. Special page addressing mode cannot be used. Allocate the interrupt vector to the address in Table 5-1.

Table 5-2 MCU Address Map for StaterKit

Name	Address	Memory	Enabled/Disabled	Limitation
SFR Area (Zero Page)	0000 ₁₆ to 003F ₁₆	RAM	Enabled	NOTE) Refer to Table 5-3.
RAM1 (Zero Page)	0040 ₁₆ to 00FF ₁₆	RAM	Enabled	-
RAM1	0100 ₁₆ to 013F ₁₆	RAM	Enabled	-
RAM2 (Monitor Program Area)	2000 ₁₆ to 207F ₁₆	RAM	Disabled	Disabled
RAM2	2080 ₁₆ to 3FDB ₁₆	RAM	Enabled	-
RAM2 (User Interrupt Vector Area)	3FDC ₁₆ to 3FFD ₁₆	RAM	Enabled	BRK instruction interrupt disabled
ROM (Monitor Program Area)	E000 ₁₆ to FFFD ₁₆	ROM	Disabled	Disabled

5.4.2. Memory map

Figure 5-1 shows a memory map of Renesas 8-bit single-chip MCU M37594G2 which the CPU board incorporates. The user enabled area is (SFR RAM1 256 B, RAM2 8KB).

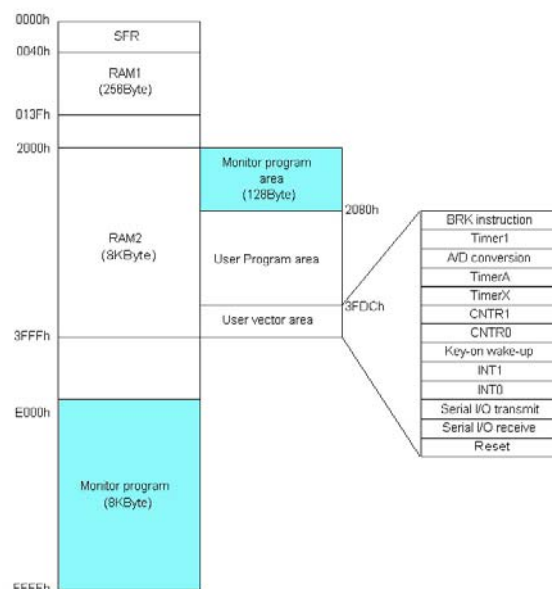


Figure 5-1 Memory Map

5.4.3.Limitations when creating user's program

- 1)When setting a stack pointer in the user's program, set to interrupt disable status (I flag=1).
- 2)A monitor program uses the 5-byte user stack. Leave 5-byte memory of the user stack for the monitor program.
- 3)Do not perform read or write to the reserved area of SFR in the 7544 group.
- 4)Do not modify the bit 6 in the interrupt control register 2. Also, set the bit 6 to "1" when modifying this register.

5.5.Limitations on Register Control

Table 5-3 lists the limitations on the register control. The monitor program cannot operate correctly when modifying the register which is disabled to modify.

Table 5-3 Limitations on Register Control

Register	Default Value	Limitation	Modification
Interrupt Control Register 2 \$003F	Reset to 40 ₁₆	Do not modify bit 6 (Set bit 6 to "1")	√
Interrupt Request Register 2 \$003D	-	Set bit 6 to "1"	√

Modification is enabled or disabled by the user's program

√ : Modification is enabled (Limitation in part)

6. Frequently Asked Questions

6.1. A communication error occurs at startup.

When a communication error occurs at startup, check the following contents.

- 1)Ensure the USB_cable and user cable connected.
- 2)Ensure the power is supplied to the CPU board when using the external power.

6.2. A communication error occurs during debugging.

When a communication error occurs during debugging, check the following contents.

- 1)The firmware may be out of control by the user's program (out of control or accessing to monitor area). Remove the USB_cable of FoUSB and connect it again. Restart the KD38.
- 2)Communication with FoUSB cannot be performed while the interrupt is disabled. Do not disable the interrupt.
- 3)When writing large data with memory writing control (e.g.Fill) at one time, communication with FoUSB may not be performed. Perform memory writings in several times.

6.3. Is peripheral I/O operating during a break?

Although interrupts cannot be acknowledged during a break, peripheral I/O continues operating. If the user's program is halted by a break after starting a timer, the timer continues counting, but the timer interrupts cannot be acknowledged.

7. Appendix

7.1.CPU board

7.1.1.Component of CPU board

Figure 7-1 shows the component of the CPU board.

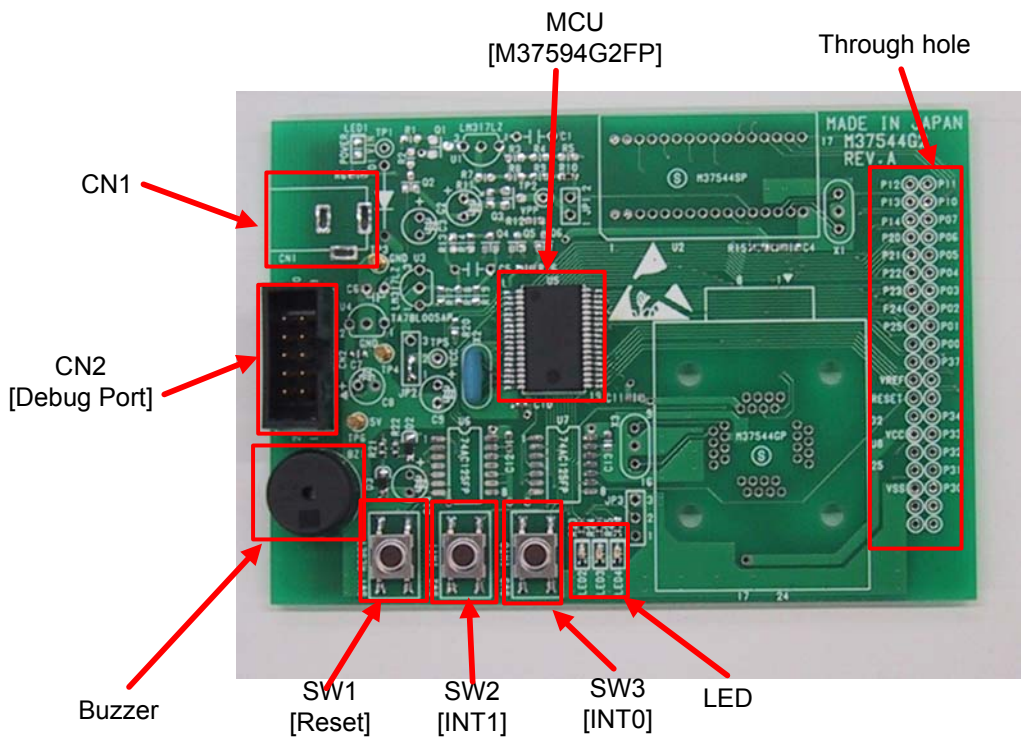


Figure 7-1 CPU board Component

7.1.2.CPU board Specification

Table 7-1 lists the specification of the CPU board.

Table 7-1 CPU board Specification

Item	Content
MCU	M37594G2FP Operation mode : Single-chip mode Clock frequency : Main clock 8MHz
Memory	Internal Memory RAM : 256 bytes+8 Kbytes Flash ROM : 8 Kbytes
Connector	[CN1] : Through hole for power connector [CN2] : Communication connector (for FoUSB)
Switch	[SW1] : Connect to RESET [SW2] : Connect to INT1 [SW3] : Connect to INT0
LED	[LED2] : Connect to P3_0 (red) [LED3] : Connect to P3_1 (yellow) [LED4] : Connect to P3_2 (green)
Buzzer	Buzzer

7.1.3.Environment Specification

Table 7-2 shows the environment condition in use and when storing..

When storing the products, put them in the conductive bag and place and store them into the package to ship.

Table 7-2 Environment Specification

Environment Condition	Ambient Temperature	Ambient Humidity	Supply Voltage
Use Environment	Operation Ambient Temperature : 25±5[C] (No corrosive gas allowed)	30 to 80[%] (No dewdrops allowed)	4.5 to 5.5[V]
Store Environment	Store Ambient Temperature : 25±5[C] (No corrosive gas allowed)	30 to 80[%] (No dewdrops allowed)	~

7.1.4.Connector Specification

Figure 7-2 shows the pin assignment of CN2.

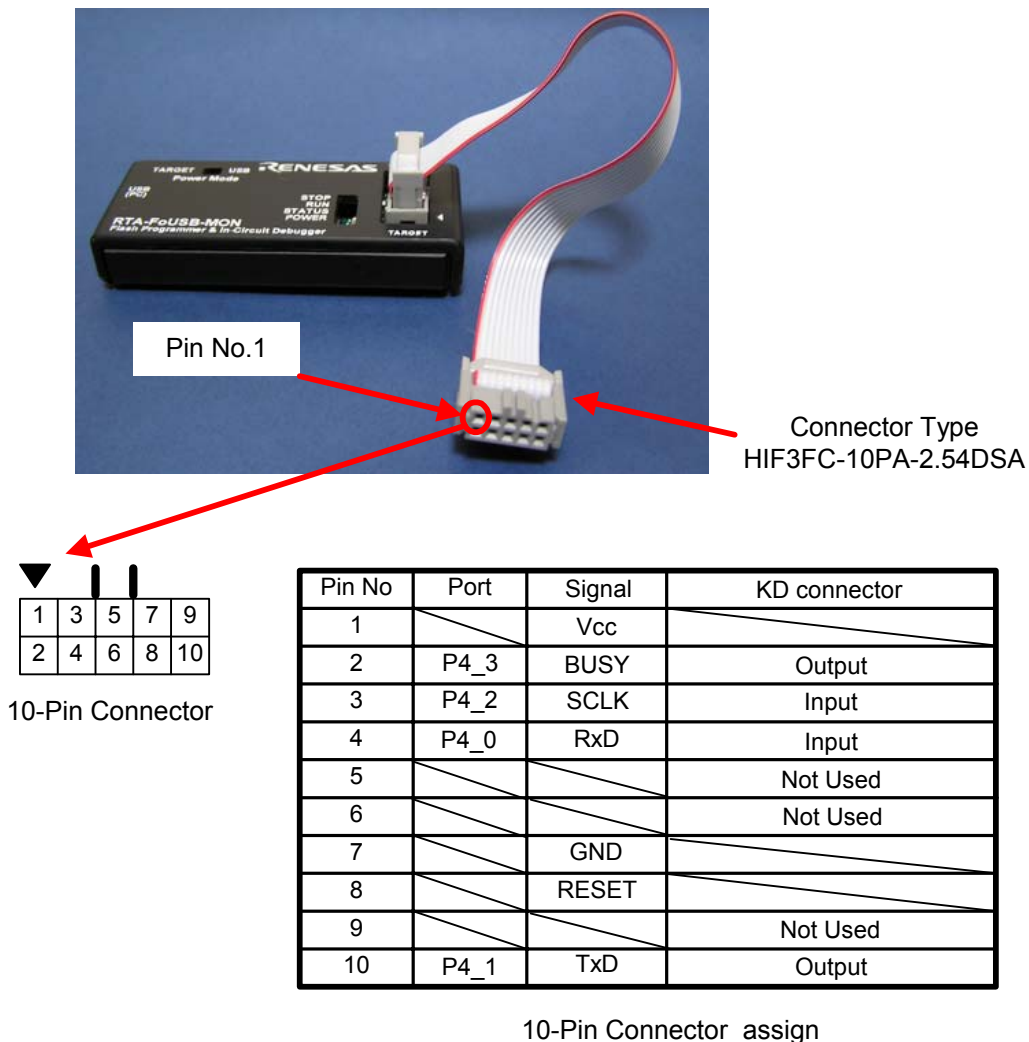


Figure 7-2 Pin Assignment of CN2

7.1.5. Parts Assignments

The CPU board contains 3 LEDs, 3 switches and 1 buzzer. Also, it contains the through hole for external output. Figure 7-3 shows the parts assignment.

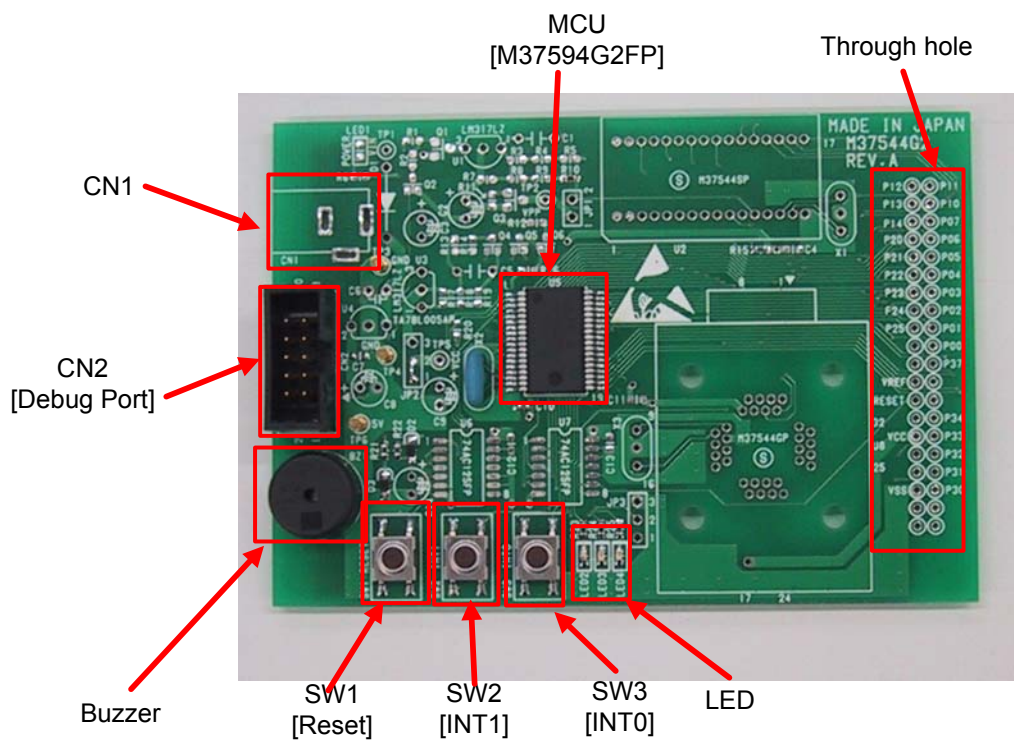


Figure 7-3 Parts Assignments of CPU board

7.1.6. Block Diagram

Figure 7-4 shows the block diagram of the CPU board.

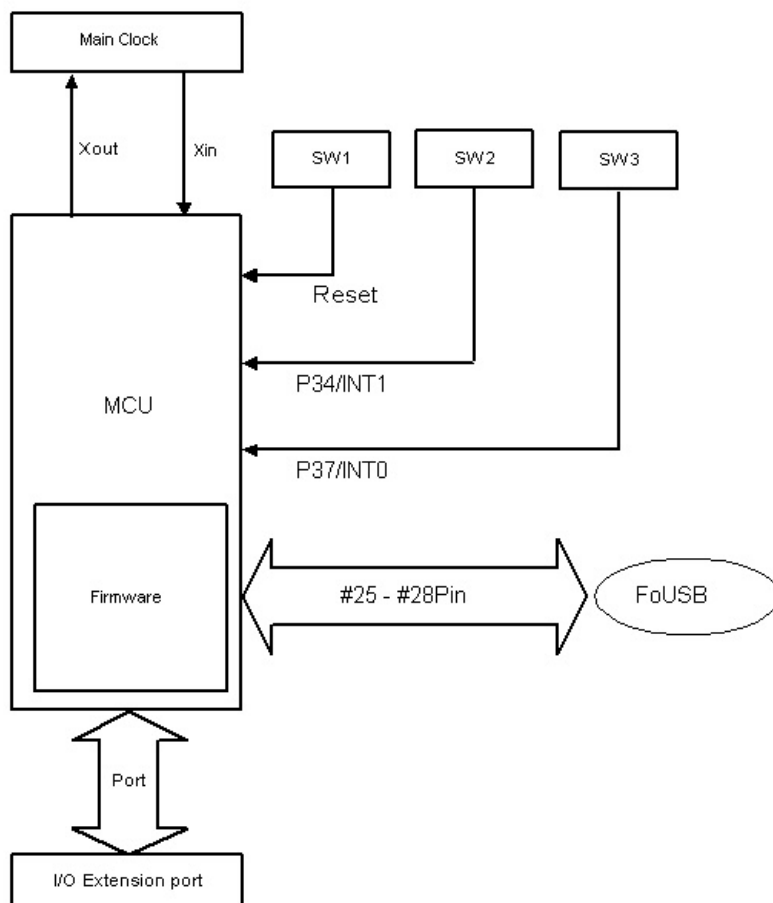


Figure 7-4 Block Diagram of CPU board

7.1.7.Memory Map

Figure 7-5 shows a memory map of the Renesas 8-bit single-chip MCU M37594G2 which the CPU board incorporates. The user enabled area is (SFR RAM1 256 B, RAM2 8KB).

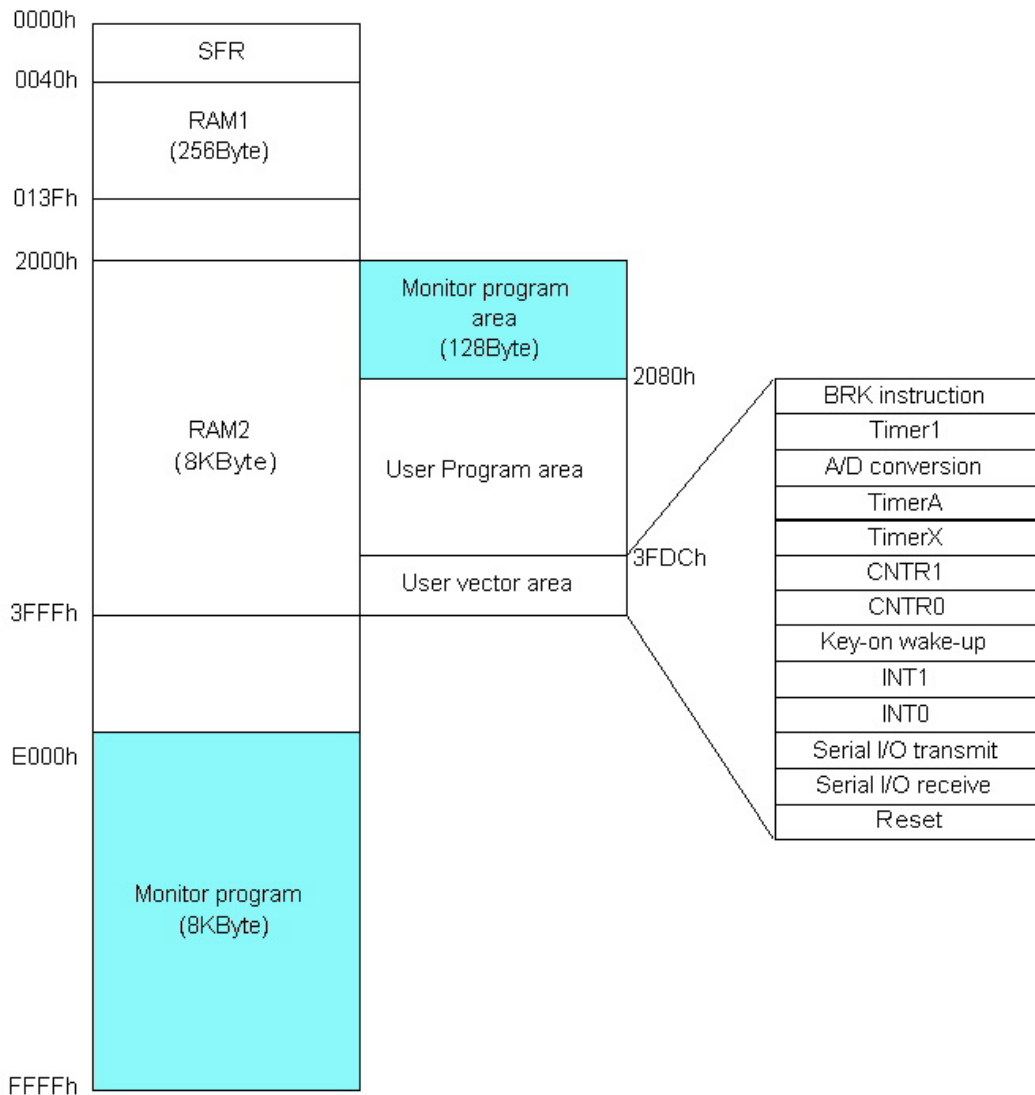


Figure 7-5 Memory Map of M37594G2

7.1.8.MCU for StarterKit

The CPU board incorporates the MCU M37594G2 of Renesas 8-bit single-chip MCU 7544 Group emulator. The electrical characteristics of the M37594G2 is equivalent to the ones of the M37544G2

Figure 7-6 shows the pin assignment of the M37594G2. Since a monitor uses No. 25 to 28 pin, the user cannot use them.

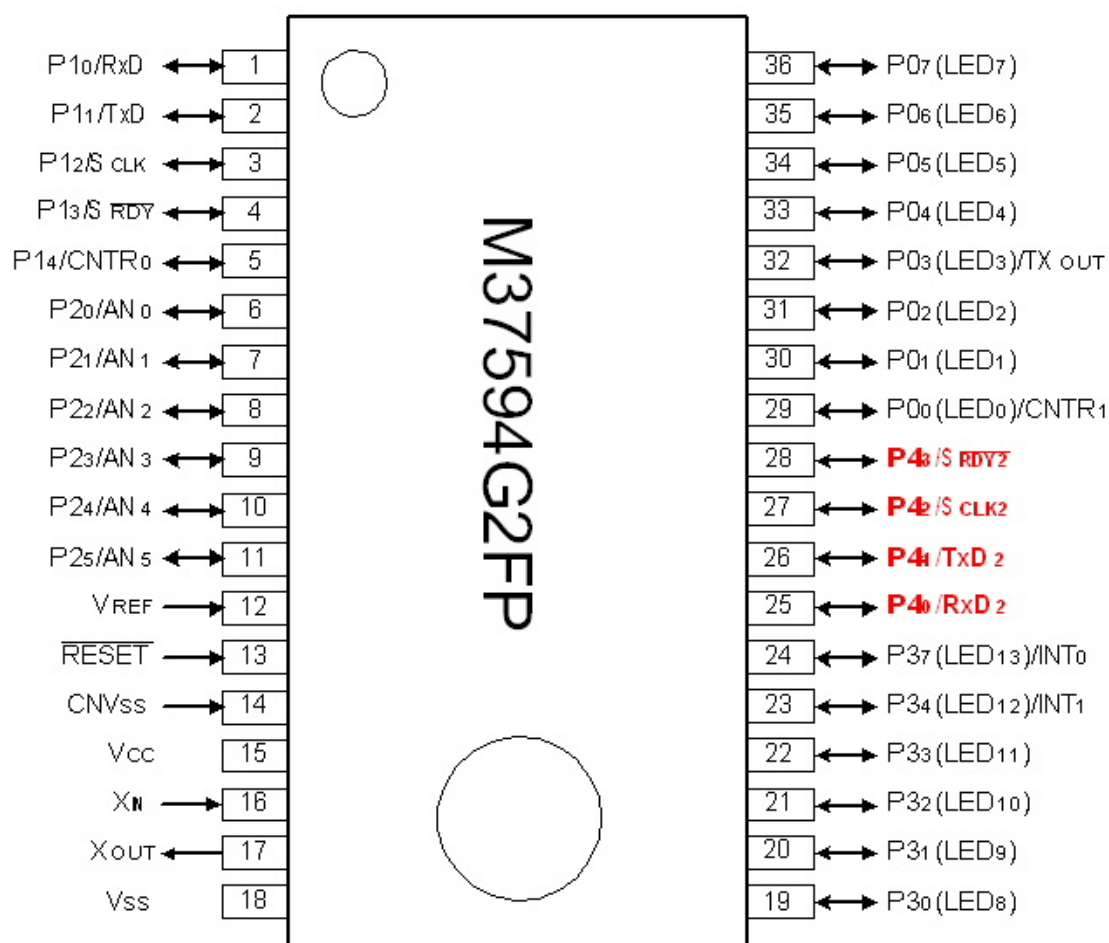


Figure 7-6 Pin Assignment of M37594G2

7.1.9.I/O Port Setting

(1)LED

The LED2 to 4 are connected to the programmable I/O port. They can be lighted by a program.

Table 7-3 LED Pin

LED	PORT	Pin No
LED2	P30	19
LED3	P31	20
LED4	P32	21

(2)Switch

The [SW2] and [SW3] are switches connected to the P34/INT1 and P37/INT0 pins in the MCU.

The [SW1] is a switch connected to the RESET input pin in the MCU.

The user can use each switch for any function.

The connection with each switch and the input pin are as follows.

SW	Input Pin	Remarks
SW1	RESET	
SW2	P34/INT1	
SW3	P37/INT0	

7.2. The Updated Information of M37544 StarterKit

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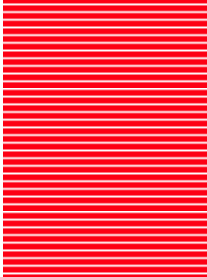
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