

CC3100 Getting Started with WLAN Station

Overview and application details

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This sample application demonstrates how to start CC3100 in **WLAN-Station** mode and connect to a Wi-Fi access-point. The application connects to an access-point and pings the gateway. It also checks for an internet connectivity by pinging "www.ti.com"

By default, this application communicates w/ CC3100 over SPI. The SDK has UART-Drivers as well for MSP430F5529LP and Tiva-C platforms. For using the UART interface to communicate w/ CC3100, macro **SL_IF_TYPE_UART** has to be defined in the application-project's properties.

Note: This wiki page is only applicable for **CC3100-SDK v1.0.0** and upward releases. For documentation on older SDKs' examples, refer corresponding file in <cc3100-sdk-installation-location>\cc3100-sdk\docs\examples\

Source Files briefly explained

- main - Initializes the device, connects to an AP and verifies the connection status

Usage

Prerequisite: This application requires an access-point with internet connectivity

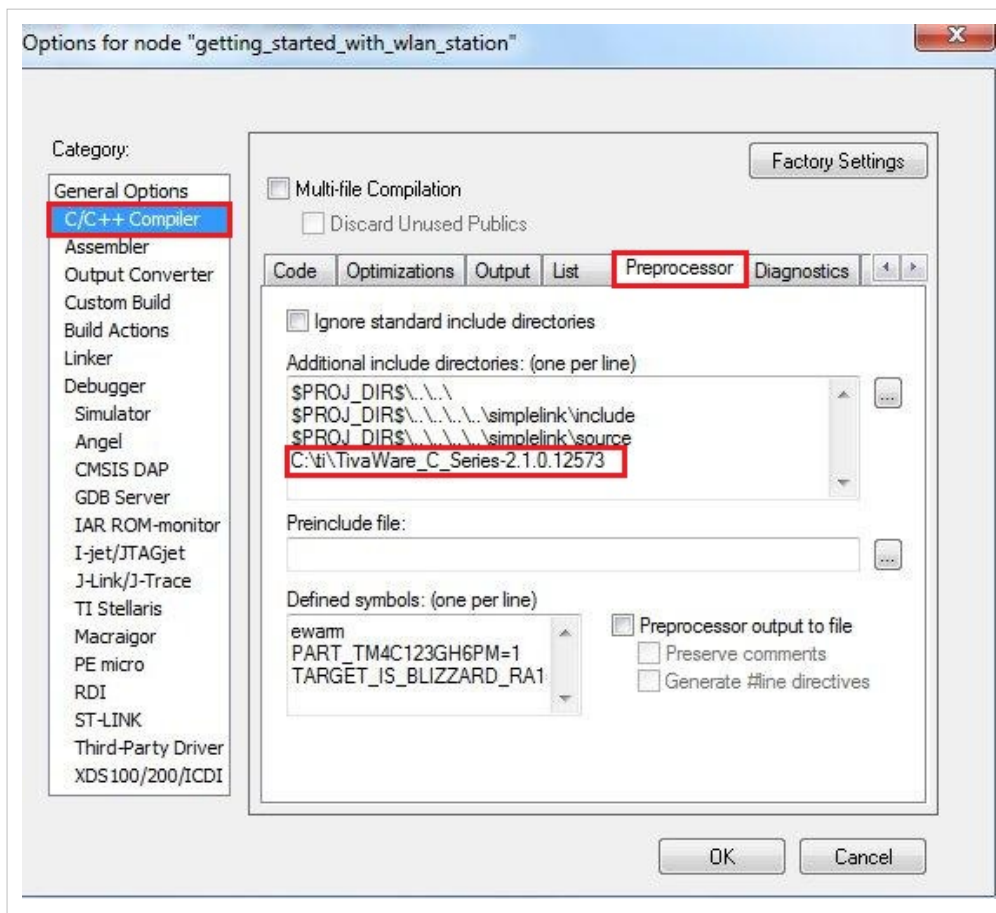
- Connect the board to a Windows-PC and configure the terminal-program for seeing the logs - CC31xx & CC32xx Terminal Setting Wiki has detailed instructions for configuring the terminal-program
- Open **sl_common.h** and change **SSID_NAME**, **SEC_TYPE** and **PASSKEY** as per your access-point's properties. SimpleLink device will connect to this AP when the application is executed
- Build and run the project using IAR/CCS
- See the self explanatory logs on the terminal-program's console. On success, below message will be displayed on the terminal

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Device is configured in default state
Device started as STATION
Connection established w/ AP and IP is acquired
Pinging...!
Device successfully connected to the LAN
Device successfully connected to the internet
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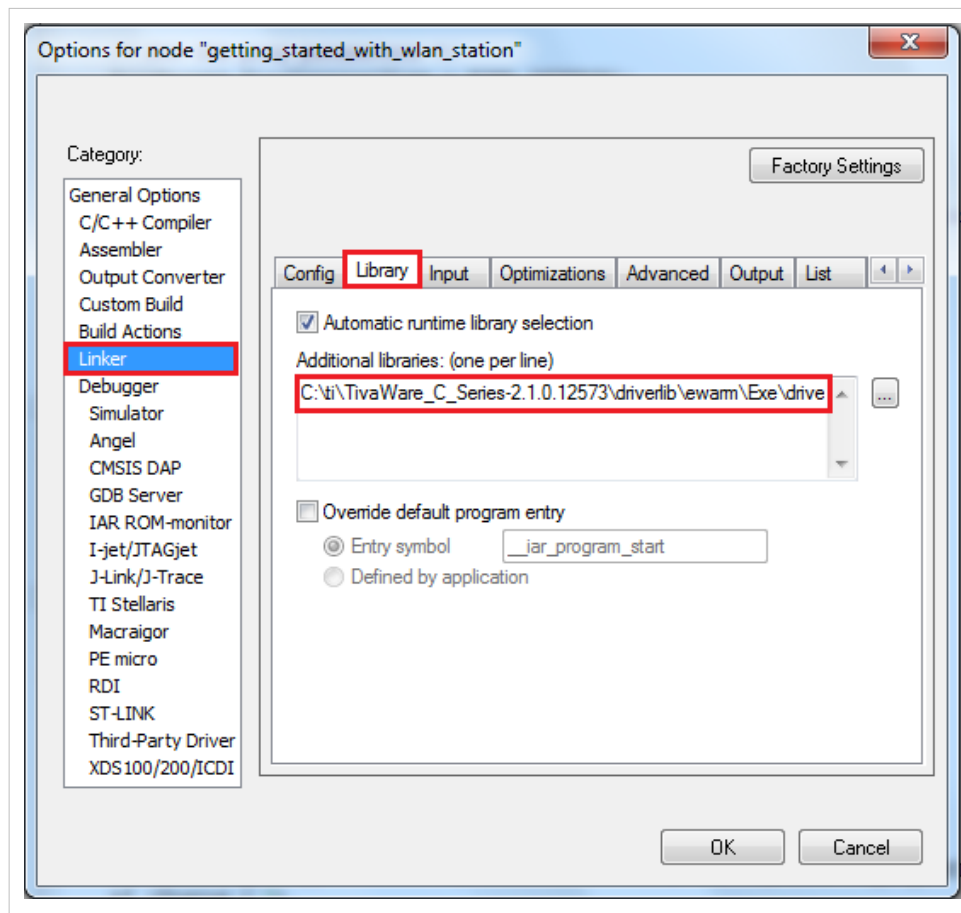
Building for Tiva-C LaunchPad

To build the application for Tiva-C LaunchPad, follow below steps:

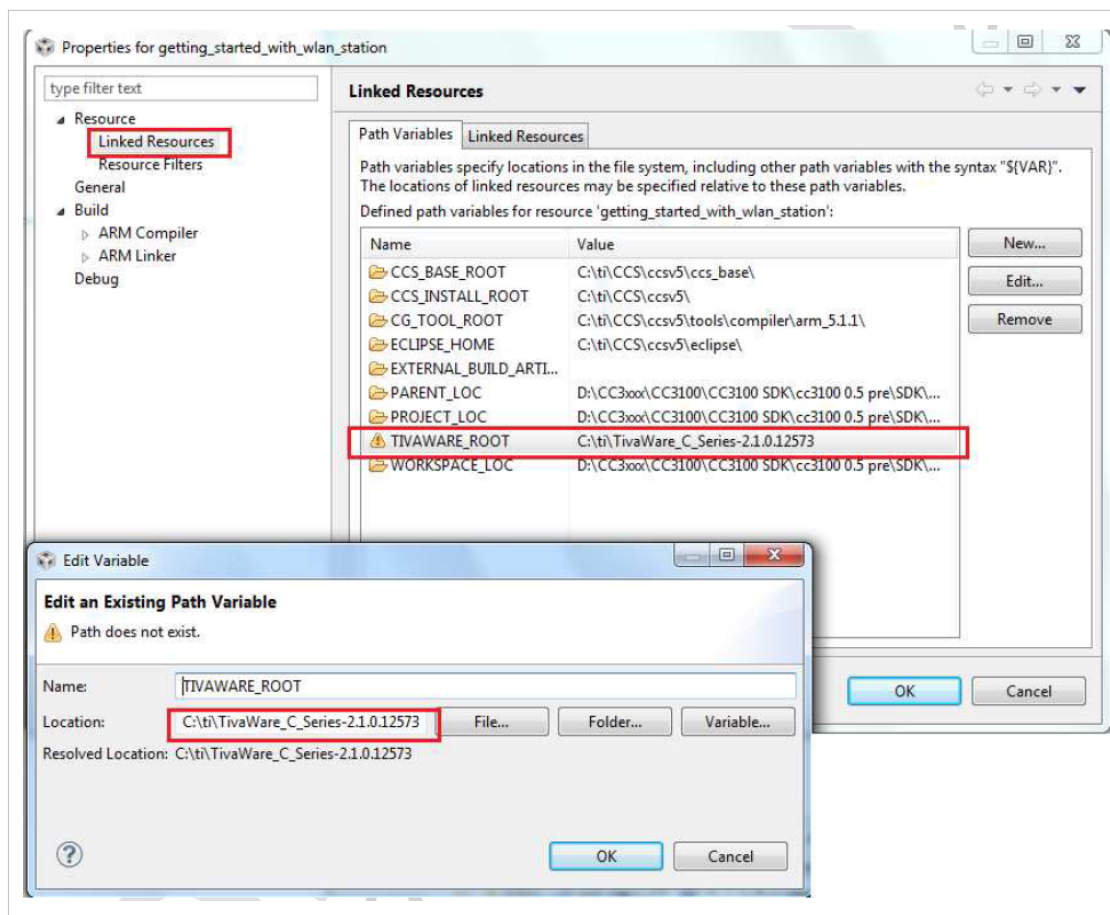
- IAR
 - Open the project's **Options**
 - Replace the tivaware path under **C/C++ Compiler->Preprocessor** section



- Replace the tivaware library path under **Linker->Library** section



- Build the project
- Code Composer Studio
- Open the project property
- Update **TIVWARE_ROOT** variable available under **Resource->Linked Resources** with tivaware root directory



- Build the project

Note: The solution provided in SDK for tiva-c-connected-launchpad is using the Boosterpack 2 interface.

Limitations/Known Issues

None

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