

HUAWEI Module

## **Android RIL Integration Guide**

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## **1** Overview

## 1.1 About This Chapter

This chapter describes the short introduction and deliverables of the Huawei RIL.

- Introduction to the Huawei RIL
- Huawei RIL Deliverables

## **1.2 Introduction to the Huawei RIL**

RIL is short for Radio Interface Layer.

When an Android operating system (OS) works with a module/modem to provide functions such as data, voice and Global Positioning System (GPS) services, the Android OS must communicate with the module/modem. The RIL is used to implement the communication between an Android OS and a module/modem.

To enable Android to support different communications methods (such as using AT commands or QMI commands), Google divides the RIL into two components: an RIL Daemon (RILD) and a Vendor RIL. The RILD monitors the requests (for example, a request for making a call) from the upper layers of Android, and invokes the interfaces implemented at the Vendor RIL to send the requests to the module/modem. Then the module/modem handles the requests. For Huawei modules, this process is to convert the requests into corresponding AT commands and send the commands to the modules.

The RILD has been designed by Google and does not require any modification. The Vendor RIL is designed by vendors, and it is the Huawei RIL in this document.



#### Figure 1-1 RIL architecture



## **1.3 Huawei RIL Deliverables**

Huawei RIL deliverables are:

• RIL library file: **libhuawei-ril.so**.

This is the Vendor RIL.

ip-up script

When a Point-to-Point Protocol (PPP) link is established successfully, this script is executed to set the **ip**, **dns** and **gw** parameters.

- ip-down script When a PPP link failed to be established, this script is executed to clear the **ip**, **dns** and **gw** parameters.
- Release notes
   The version information of the Huawei RIL.



# **2** What Are Supported

## 2.1 About This Chapter

This chapter describes what are supported by the Huawei RIL, including:

- Supported Functions
- Supported Android Versions

## **2.2 Supported Functions**

The Huawei RIL supports the following:

- Basic device and network management service for WCDMA, CDMA2000 and TD-SCDMA;
- Data service for WCDMA, CDMA2000 and TD-SCDMA;
- SMS service for WCDMA, CDMA2000 and TD-SCDMA;
- Basic PCM voice service for WCDMA, CDMA2000 and TD-SCDMA;
- Phonebook service for WCDMA and TD-SCDMA;
- Voice supplementary services for WCDMA and CDMA;
- USSD service for WCDMA;
- Support for GPS + GLONASS two positioning system positioning;

## 2.3 Supported Android Versions

At present, the Huawei RIL supports the following versions of Android:

- Android 2.x
- Android 3.x
- Android 4.x



## 3.1 About This Chapter

This chapter describes the integration of Huawei RIL.

## 3.2 Integrating the Huawei RIL

The following integration procedure is based on a platform of Nvidia Tegra 2 + Android 2.2. Integration on other platforms may be slightly different.

#### 3.2.1 Launching libhuawei-ril.so

Modifying the initialization script (system/core/rootdir/init.rc):

service ril-daemon /system/bin/rild -l libhuawei-ril.so

Put libhuawei-ril.so into /system/lib

#### 3.2.2 Modifying the Rights of Device Ports

Please make sure the device ports, **PCUI and MODEM**, possess readable, writable, and executive rights.

For example, add commands,

chmod 777 /dev/ttyUSB0

chmod 777 /dev/ttyUSB2

or,

chmod 777 /dev/ttyACM0

chmod 777 /dev/ttyACM1

in the initialization script rootdir/init.rc.



- Usually, for TD-SCDMA module, /dev/ttyACM0 is modem port, while /dev/ttyACM1 is PCUI port.
- In addition, the modem/pcui/diag/ port names depend on the modules instructions of which you can refer to.

## 3.2.3 Preparing ip-up and ip-down Scripts

Copy **ip-up** and **ip-down** scripts to directory **/etc/ppp**.

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Scripts ip-up and ip-down need readable, writable and executive rights. For example, add commands, chmod 777 /etc/ppp/ip-up chmod 777 /etc/ppp/ip-down in the initialization script **rootdir/init.rc**.

### 3.2.4 Modifying the Right of RILD

RILD needs executive right.

For example, comment out the function switchUser() in the file /hardware/ril/rild/ rild.c:

// switchUser();

#### 3.2.5 Notification for CDMA2000 Support on Android 2.3

To support CDMA2000 module in Android 2.3, the preferred network mode should be changed to "4", preferred\_network\_mode of WCDMA and TD-SCDMA module is "0". For example:

Using adb shell to execute the following command:

sqlite3 /data/data/com.android.providers.settings/databases/settings.db

update secure set value='4' where name='preferred\_network\_mode';

.quit

Now, the system can use the CDMA module.

### 3.2.6 Notifications for CDMA2000 SMS Support

 Modify the following functions on the file: {android\_root}/frameworks/base/telephony/java/com/android/internal/telephony/c dma/SmsMessage.java

(1) privateGetSubmitPdu():modify "int teleservice =
bearerData.hasUserDataHeader ? SmsEnvelope.TELESERVICE\_WEMT :
SmsEnvelope.TELESERVICE\_WMT;" to "int teleservice =
SmsEnvelope.TELESERVICE\_WMT;"



(2) createFromEfRecord():modify "int size = data[1];" to "int size = data[1] & 0xff;"

```
(3) parsePduFromEfRecord():modify "int parameterLen = dis.readByte();" to "int parameterLen = dis.readByte() & 0xff;"
```

2. Modify the following function on the file:

{android\_root}/frameworks/base/telephony/java/com/android/internal/telephony/cdma /sms/BearderData.java

(1) decode7bitAscii():modify "int wantedBits = (offset \* 8) + (numFields \* 7);" to

```
"if (48 == offset) {
```

offset++; numFields = numFields - 7;

}

int wantedBits = offset + (numFields \* 7);"

### 3.2.7 Sending AT Commands Through OEM-HOOK-STRING

RIL OEM-HOOK interfaces allow users to send AT commands to module/modem directly. Currently, Huawei RIL only implements the interface OEM-HOOK-STRING. Following example shows how to send AT command from framework directly.

Send command "AT^SWSPATH=2" to switch the module to PCM mode when SIM is ready.

File: GsmServiceStateTracker.java or CdmaServiceStateTracker.java,

Function: public void handleMessage (Message msg),

Sample:

case EVENT\_SIM\_READY:

phone.invokeOemRilRequestStrings(new String[]{ "AT^SWSPATH=2" }, mHandler.obtainMessage(EVENT\_OEM\_RIL\_MESSAGE));

#### 3.2.8 Using LTE Only Option

There is no "LTE Only Option" on Android UI. So if you want the module/modem to use LTE, you must to modify Android codes.



## **4** Other Deliverables

## 4.1 About This Chapter

This chapter describes other deliverables, including:

- UpdateWizard For EM820W/MC509/MU509
- UpdateWizard For MU733/MU739/MU609T/MU609
- QXDMlog Tool
- GPS

## 4.2 UpdateWizard For EM820W/MC509/MU509

#### 4.2.1 **Deliverables**

Huawei UpdateWizard tool is running on Android to upgrade firmware.

Deliverables:

- Upgrade tool: UpdateWizard
- Configurable file: StringList.strings
- Firmware will be released as an \*.bin file, whose file name is in the form of ModuleName\_VersionNumber.bin.

#### 4.2.2 Procedures

- Step 1 Change the firmware name from ModuleName\_VersionNumber.bin to **MOBILE\_CONNECT.BIN**.
- Step 2 Modify StringList.strings.
  - The "IDS\_UPD\_VERSION" and "IDS\_PRODUCE\_ID" should be the ModuleName.
  - The "IDS\_PRODUCE\_Version" should be the VersionNumber.
- Step 3 Connect to Android system, and create a new directory named **update**. (the name can be any as you like).

Step 4 Use **adb push** command to push upgrade tool and upgrade package into the directory **update/**.

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UpdateWizard, MOBILE\_CONNECT.BIN, and StringList.strings should be under the same directory.

- Step 5 Enter the directory update/.
- Step 6 Modify rights of UpdateWizard: chmod 777 UpdateWizard.
- Step 7 Terminate ril: stop ril-daemon.
- Step 8 If the upgrade requires a password, run **./UpdateWizard ./** XXXXXXXX. If it does not require a password, run **./UpdateWizard ./**.

#### 

- XXXXXXXX: an 8-digit password.
- The executable file name and the password in the command must be separated with a space.

Step 9 Restart ril: start ril-daemon.

#### 4.2.3 Requirements

The Android where the UpdateWizard tool is running must support plug and play.

## 4.3 UpdateWizard For MU733/MU739/MU609T/MU609

#### 4.3.1 Deliverables

Huawei UpdateWizard tool is running on Android to upgrade firmware.

Deliverables:

- Upgrade tool: UpdateWizard
- Firmware will be released as an \*.bin file, whose file name is in the form of ModuleName\_VersionNumber.bin.

#### 4.3.2 **Procedures**

- Step 1 Copy android-ndk-r8b-linux-x86.tar.tar to any folder in linux, and unpack it.
- Step 2 Copy UpdateWizard3.1\code\sdk\build\Android\jni.zip to any folder in linux, and unpack it.
- Step 3 Copy folder build, include, and src in UpdateWizard3.1\Tool-Android\_Update -WizardV300R002B001\code\sdk to folder jni in linux, and merge the original folder build, include, and src in jni.

"merge" must be used rather than "replace".

- Step 4 In the directory of **jni** in linux, open the terminal and entry the command: **android-ndk-r8b/ndk-build** to generate the **UpdateWizard** tool.
- Step 5 Connect to Android system, and create a new directory named **update** (the name can be any as you like).
- Step 6 Use adb push command to push upgrade tool and upgrade package into the directory **update**/.

#### 

UpdateWizard and ModuleName\_VersionNumber.bin should be under the same directory.

- Step 7 Enter the directory update/.
- Step 8 Modify rights of UpdateWizard: chmod 777 UpdateWizard.
- Step 9 Terminate ril: stop ril-daemon.
- Step 10 If the upgrade requires a password, run ./UpdateWizard ./ XXXXXXXX. If it does not require a password, run ./UpdateWizard ./ ModuleName\_VersionNumber.bin.

#### 

- XXXXXXXX: an 8-digit password.
- The executable file name and the password in the command must be separated with a space.

Step 11 Restart ril: start ril-daemon.

#### 4.3.3 **Requirements**

The Android where the UpdateWizard tool is running must support plug and play.

## 4.4 QXDMlog Tool

The QXDMLog tool is used to obtain the logs of Huawei modules in Android.

#### 4.4.1 **Deliverable**

QXDMLog tool



The Huawei QXDMLog tool is named CTOOL-ANDROID, which can obtain up to 40 MB log information at a time. If the log information is larger than 40 MB, it will be saved to the SD card on the module. If the SD card does not exist, the process of obtaining the log information is terminated.

## 4.4.2 Procedures for Obtaining a Huawei Module Log

- Step 1 Copy the QXDMLog tool to any folder except root directories. For example, to copy the QXDMLog tool to /data/, run adb push CTOOL-ANDROID /data/.
- Step 2 Run chmod 777 /data/CTOOL-ANDROID.
- Step 3 Run cd /data.
- Step 4 Run ./CTOOL-ANDROID to obtain the log. A log file named HWQXDMLog will be created in the same directory where the tool is stored.
- Step 5 Press **Ctrl+C** to stop the tool.
- Step 6 To copy the HWQXDMLog file to the PC, run adb pull /data/HWQXDMLog.

## 4.5 GPS

#### **4.5.1 Supported GPS Functions**

Supported GPS functions are:

- Standalone GPS and Assisted GPS (AGPS) for WCDMA
- Standalone GPS for CDMA
- Standalone GPS and XTRA GPS for WCDMA

#### 4.5.2 Interfaces Supported by the GPS Function

1. GPS Interface

static const GpsInterface HwGpsInterface = {

sizeof(GpsInterface),//for android 2.3 or later version

hw\_gps\_init,

hw\_gps\_start,

hw\_gps\_stop,

hw\_gps\_cleanup,

hw\_gps\_inject\_time,

hw\_gps\_inject\_location,

hw\_gps\_delete\_aiding\_data,

hw\_gps\_set\_position\_mode,



hw\_gps\_get\_extension,

};

- 2. AGPS Interface
- static const AGpsInterface HwAGpsInterface = {

sizeof(AGpsInterface), //for android 2.3 or later version

hw\_agps\_init,

hw\_agps\_data\_conn\_open,

hw\_agps\_data\_conn\_closed,

hw\_agps\_data\_conn\_failed,

hw\_agps\_set\_server,

};

3. XTRA inferface

static const GpsXtraInterface hwXTRAInterface =

{

sizeof(GpsXtraInterface),

hw\_xtra\_init,

hw\_inject\_xtra\_data,

};

## 4.5.3 Android Versions Supported by the GPS Function

The GPS function supports Android 2.3, 3.x and 4.x.

#### 4.5.4 GPS Deliverable

On Android 2.3, 3.x and 4.x, GPS deliverable is /system/lib/hw/gps.default.so.

## 4.5.5 GPS Integration

#### Launching gps.default.so

- 1. Delete the gps.xxx.so file under android directory /system/lib/hw/.
- 2. Push the gps.default.so file into the directory /system/lib/hw/.
- 3. Push the updated gps.conf file into the directory /system/etc/.

#### For Android 2.3

The following integration procedure is based on a platform of Freescale I.MX51 + Android 2.3. Integration on other platforms may be slightly different.

1. Add JNI layer GPS init code for Android 2.3.

File to be modified:

mydroid/frameworks/base/services/jni/com\_android\_server\_location\_GpsLocationProvider.cpp

Function to be modified:

Function :android\_location\_GpsLocationProvider\_init

```
const GpsInterface* interface = GetGpsInterface(env, obj);
```

if (!interface)

return false;

```
if (NULL != interface->init && 0 != interface->init(&sGpsCallbacks)) {
```

LOGD("GpsInterface init failed!");

return false;

}

## sAGpsInterface = (const AGpsInterface\*) interface >get\_extension(AGPS\_INTERFACE);

```
if (sAGpsInterface)
```

```
sAGpsInterface->init(&sAGpsCallbacks);
```

The bolder code above should be added in function android\_location\_GpsLocationProvider\_init.

Function to be modified:

GetGpsInterface

static const GpsInterface\* GetGpsInterface(JNIEnv\* env, jobject obj) {

// this must be set before calling into the HAL library

if (!mCallbacksObj)

mCallbacksObj = env->NewGlobalRef(obj);

```
if (!sGpsInterface) {
```

sGpsInterface = get\_gps\_interface();

```
if (!sGpsInterface) {
```

sGpsInterface = NULL;

```
return NULL;
```

}

}

}

return sGpsInterface;



2. Modify the access right of the GPS data and control ports.

Modify etc file:

#### mydroid/system/core/rootdir/etc/ueventd.freescale.rc

modify ttyUSB\* access permission as below:

/dev/ttyUSB\* 0777 radio radio

#### 

This is for freescale i.mx51 board. For another platform, it may be slightly different.

3. Create a gps.conf file.

In mydroid/out/target/product/imx51\_bbg/system/etc, add a gps.conf file containing the following contents: NTP\_SERVER=asia.pool.ntp.org

SUPL\_HOST=http://supl.google.com

SUPL\_PORT=7276

XTRA\_SERVER\_1=http://xtra1.gpsonextra.net/xtra.bin

XTRA\_SERVER\_2=http://xtra2.gpsonextra.net/xtra.bin

XTRA\_SERVER\_3=http://xtra3.gpsonextra.net/xtra.bin

#### 

- SUPL\_HOST is an AGPS server which is carrier specified.
- XTRA\_SERVER is an XTRA server which is carrier specified.
- 4. Compile the Android system again and flash the re-compiled Android image onto the Android tablet.

#### For Android 3.x

1. Create a gps.conf file.

In **mydroid/out/target/product/xxx/system/etc**, add a **gps.conf** file containing the following contents:

NTP\_SERVER=asia.pool.ntp.org

SUPL\_HOST=http://supl.google.com

SUPL\_PORT=7276

XTRA\_SERVER\_1=http://xtra1.gpsonextra.net/xtra.bin

XTRA\_SERVER\_2=http://xtra2.gpsonextra.net/xtra.bin

XTRA\_SERVER\_3=http://xtra3.gpsonextra.net/xtra.bin



- SUPL\_HOST is an AGPS server which is carrier specified.
- XTRA\_SERVER is an XTRA server which is carrier specified.
- 2. Compile the Android system again and flash the re-compiled Android image onto the Android tablet.

#### For Android 4.x

The following integration procedure is based on a platform of pandaboard. Integration on other platforms may be slightly different.

1. Create a gps.conf file.

In **mydroid/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/etc**, add a **gps.conf** file containing the following contents:

NTP\_SERVER=asia.pool.ntp.org

SUPL\_HOST=http://supl.google.com

SUPL\_PORT=7276

XTRA\_SERVER\_1=http://xtra1.gpsonextra.net/xtra.bin

XTRA\_SERVER\_2=http://xtra2.gpsonextra.net/xtra.bin

XTRA\_SERVER\_3=http://xtra3.gpsonextra.net/xtra.bin

#### 

• SUPL\_HOST is an AGPS server which is carrier specified.

- XTRA\_SERVER is an XTRA server which is carrier specified.
- 2. Compile the Android system again and flash the re-compiled Android image onto the Android tablet.

## **5** Abbreviations

Abbreviations	Full spelling
AGPS	Assisted Global Positioning System
CDMA	Code Division Multiple Access
GPS	Global Positioning System
NMEA	National Marine Electronics Association
RIL	Radio Interface Layer
TD-SCDMA	Time Division-Synchronous Code Division Multiple Access
WCDMA	Wideband CDMA
XTRA GPS	Xtra Global Position System