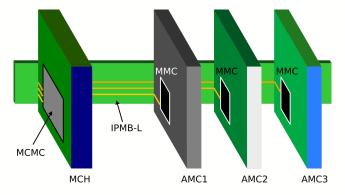




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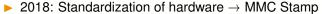
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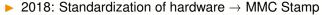






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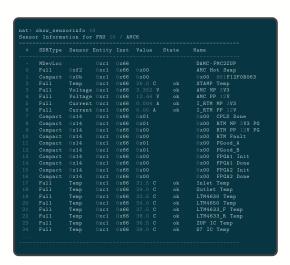


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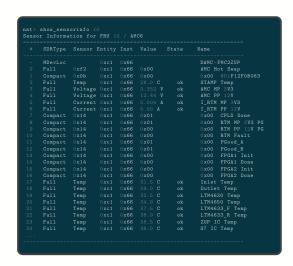
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see also: http://www.rehlich.com/MicroTCA_IPMI_management



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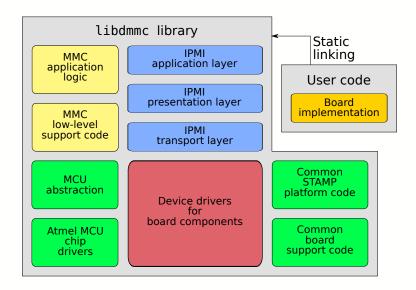
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Atmel MCU chip drivers Device drivers for board components Common STAMP platform code

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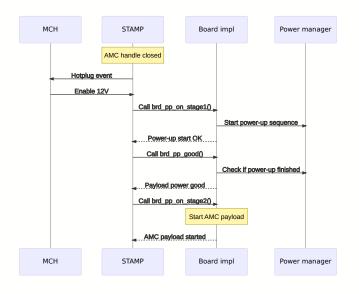
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- MAC address forwarding to user FPGA
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MMC SDK: Power management

MMC SDK: Payload power up

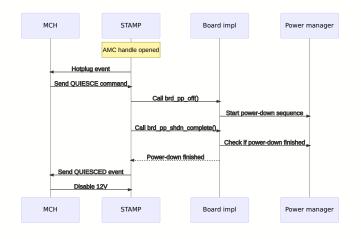


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 Start power-up sequence
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 Start the board payload
- brd_set_z3_drv_enable()
 Zone 3 interface enable/disable



MMC SDK: Payload power down



Board implementation:

- brd_pp_off()
 Start power-down sequence
- brd_pp_shdn_complete()
 Check if power-down sequence
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```
$ ipmitool -H mskmchhvf1.tech.lab -A NONE -B 0 -T 0x82 -t 0x7c -b 7 sensor
...
RTM MP 3V3 PG | 0x1  | discrete | 0x0000| na  | na  | na  | na  | na
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```
void (*ipmi_cmd_handler)(ipmi_call_t* call);
```

- Callback function accesses IPMI message payload
 - ► req_read_u8(),u16(),u32(): Reads unsigned little-endian value from IPMI request
 - rsp_write_u8(),u16(),u32(): Writes unsigned little-endian value to IPMI response
 - rsp_finish(): Finishes a response, sets IPMI completion code



SDK application example: DAMC-FMC1Z7IO

Example: MMC for DAMC-FMC1Z7IO

How many LOC necessary to implement a MMC for a modern FMC carrier using the STAMP SDK?

```
$ cloc damc-fmc1z7io/src --by-file --quiet
                                                                    code
damc-fmc1z7io/src/board impl.c
damc-fmc1z7io/src/board cli.c
damc-fmc1z7io/src/board_payload.c 29
damc-fmc1z7io/src/board priv.c
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⇒ MMC implemented in less than 800 LOC total ※



Thank you

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