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1. 简介

LittleFS 是 Arm®面向嵌入式设备推出的一款开源的小型文件系统，具有抗掉电，动态磨损均衡，占用 RAM/ROM 少等特点，适合用于 IOT 嵌入式设备中管理 SPI-flash。具体介绍可见 <https://github.com/ARMmbed/littlefs>。

本文介绍了 LittleFS 移植到 GD32 工程下的方法，并对文件系统的读写功能进行了测试。

2. LittleFS 移植

2.1. LittleFS 移植平台

本文介绍的 LittleFS 移植平台为 GD32F450Z-EVAL 开发板，GD32F450Z-EVAL 开发板上外挂了一颗 SPI-flash，该 SPI-flash 的型号为 GD25Q16。LittleFS 移植的 IDE 平台为 KEIL4，在 GD32F450Z 的 SPI_QSPI_Flash 工程上进行代码移植，工程版本为 V2.0.0。

LittleFS 的文件比较简单，只需要 `lfs.c`、`lfs.h`、`lfs_util.c` 和 `lfs_util.h` 四个文件。本文移植的 LittleFS 版本为 `LFS_VERSION 0x00020002`。LittleFS 的版本信息可从 `lfs.h` 文件中获取，其版本信息的如 [图 0-1. LittleFS 的版本信息](#)。

图 0-1. LittleFS 的版本信息

```
19 // Version info //
20
21 // Software library version
22 // Major (top-nibble), incremented on backwards incompatible changes
23 // Minor (bottom-nibble), incremented on feature additions
24 #define LFS_VERSION 0x00020002
25 #define LFS_VERSION_MAJOR (0xffff & (LFS_VERSION >> 16))
26 #define LFS_VERSION_MINOR (0xffff & (LFS_VERSION >> 0))
27
28 // Version of On-disk data structures
29 // Major (top-nibble), incremented on backwards incompatible changes
30 // Minor (bottom-nibble), incremented on feature additions
31 #define LFS_DISK_VERSION 0x00020000
32 #define LFS_DISK_VERSION_MAJOR (0xffff & (LFS_DISK_VERSION >> 16))
33 #define LFS_DISK_VERSION_MINOR (0xffff & (LFS_DISK_VERSION >> 0))
```

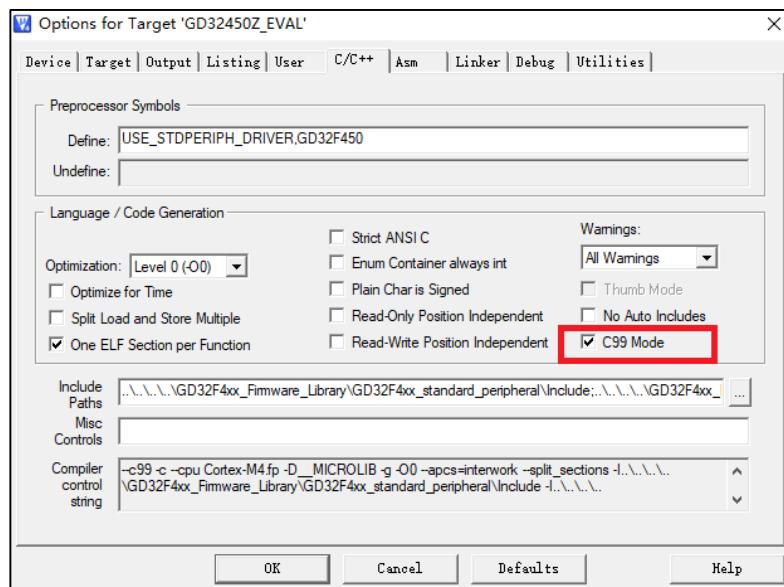
2.2. 添加 LittleFS 源码文件

本文介绍的移植方式基于 GD32F450Z 的 SPI_QSPI_Flash 工程，首先将 LittleFS 文件拷贝至 `GD32F4xx_Demo_Suites_V2.1.0\GD32450Z_EVAL_Demo_Suites\Projects\SPI_QSPI_Flash\Soft_Drive` 文件夹下。然后打开工程，在工程中添加 `lfs.c` 和 `lfs_util.c` 两个文件。

2.3. IDE 配置

LittleFS 在使用 KEIL4 编译器时，必须配置支持 C99 标准。其选项配置如 [图 0-2. KEIL4 配置 C99 标准](#)。

图 0-2. KEIL4 配置 C99 标准



在配置 C99 标准后，编译工程，测试 LittleFS 源码是否能编译通过。编译结果如[图 0-3. 初次编译 LittleFS 源码](#)，显示 `_aeabi_assert` 函数未定义。因为 GD32 的工程都选择使用了微库，不包含 `assert` 功能，当 KEIL4 打开优化等级进行编译时，编译报错。

图 0-3. 初次编译 LittleFS 源码

```
Build target 'GD32450Z_EVAL'
linking...
.\output\GD32450Z_EVAL.axf: Error: L6218E: Undefined symbol __aeabi_assert (referred from lfs.o).
Not enough information to list image symbols.
Finished: 1 information, 0 warning and 1 error messages.
".\output\GD32450Z_EVAL.axf" - 1 Error(s), 0 Warning(s).
Target not created
```

在 `lfs_util.h` 文件中有关于 `assert` 功能的宏定义，如[图 0-4. LittleFS 中 assert 功能的宏定义所示](#)。

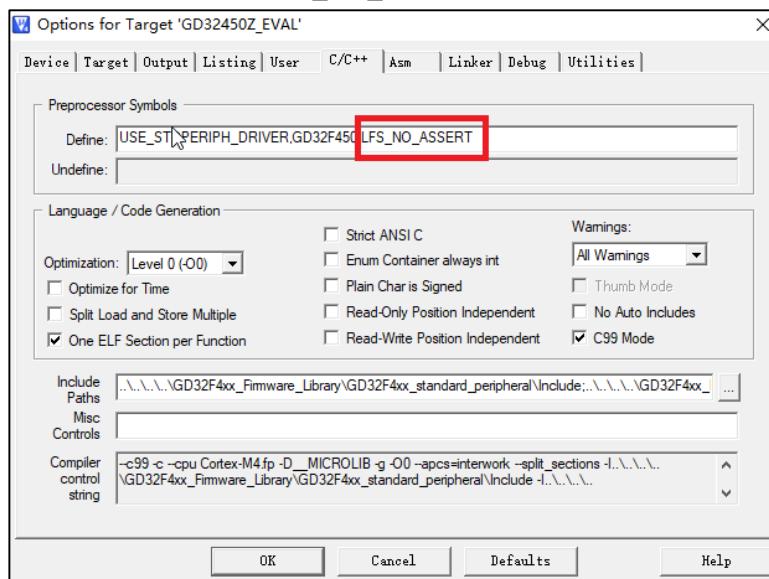
图 0-4. LittleFS 中 assert 功能的宏定义

```
84 // Runtime assertions
85 #ifndef LFS_NO_ASSERT
86 #define LFS_ASSERT(test) assert(test)
87 #else
88 #define LFS_ASSERT(test)
89 #endif
```

由于 `assert` 功能不是必须的，因此可通过两种方式解决上述问题。

1. 在 KEIL4/KEIL5 中增加宏定义。添加方式如[图 0-5. KEIL4 中添加 LFS_NO_ASSERT 宏定义所示](#)。

图 0-5. KEIL4 中添加 LFS_NO_ASSERT 宏定义



- 修改 lfs_util.h 文件中的宏定义，把宏定义改为空操作，修改结果如[图 0-6. lfs_util.h 文件中修改 assert 宏定义](#)。

图 0-6. lfs_util.h 文件中修改 assert 宏定义

```

83
84 // Runtime assertions
85 #ifndef LFS_NO_ASSERT
86 //#define LFS_ASSERT(test) assert(test)
87 #define LFS_ASSERT(test)
88 #else
89 #define LFS_ASSERT(test)
90 #endif

```

完成上述相关操作后，再点击编译，则编译成功通

2.4. LittleFS 参数配置

在 lfs.h 中定义了 LittleFS 的配置参数结构体 struct lfs_config，LittleFS 在管理 SPI-flash 时，需要根据实际的 SPI-flash 型号进行参数配置。本文的移植例程使用 SPI-flash 的型号为 GD25Q16。其相关的参数配置如[表 0-1. LittleFS 的配置参数](#)所示。

表 0-1. LittleFS 的配置参数

```

/*
 \brief      config the block device interface
 \param[in]   none
 \param[out]  none
 \retval     none
*/
void lfs_config(void)
{

```

```

/* block device operations */
g_lfs_cfg.read = block_device_read;           //link the block_device_read function
g_lfs_cfg.prog = block_device_prog;           //link the block_device_prog function
g_lfs_cfg.erase = block_device_erase;          //link the block_device_sync function
g_lfs_cfg.sync = block_device_sync;            //link the block_device_sync function

/* block device configuration */
g_lfs_cfg.read_size = 256;                    //config read data size for each block(256 byte)
g_lfs_cfg.prog_size = 256;                    //config write data size for each block(256 byte)
g_lfs_cfg.block_size = 4096;                  //config the block size(4096 byte)

g_lfs_cfg.cache_size = 256;                  //Must be a multiple of the read and program sizes
g_lfs_cfg.block_count = 1024;                //the total of block
g_lfs_cfg.lookahead_size = 128;              //Predictive depth for block allocation:1024/8=128
g_lfs_cfg.block_cycles = 500;                //Set to -1 to disable block-level wear-leveling
}

```

在结构体 `lfs_config` 中, 定义了 4 个函数指针:`int (*read)`、`int (*prog)`、`int (*erase)` 和 `int (*sync)`, 被调用的接口函数需要用户自己定义。本文基于 GD25Q16 SPI-flash 的接口函数如[表 0-2. LittleFS 基于 GD25Q16 SPI-flash 的接口函数定义](#)所示。

表 0-2. LittleFS 基于 GD25Q16 SPI-flash 的接口函数定义

```

/*!
 \brief      read the data from spi flash block
 \param[in]  *c : the lfs_config struct pointer
 \param[in]  block: the number of block
 \param[in]  off: the offset in block
 \param[in]  buffer: the read data buffer
 \param[in]  size: the size of read data
 \param[out] none
 \retval     none
 */

int32_t block_device_read(const struct lfs_config *c, lfs_block_t block,
                         lfs_off_t off, void *buffer, lfs_size_t size)
{
    /* read the data from spi flash */
    spi_flash_buffer_read((uint8_t*) buffer,(block * (c->block_size) + off),size);
    return 0;
}

/*!
 \brief      write the data from spi flash block
 \param[in]  *c : the lfs_config struct pointer
 \param[in]  block: the number of block

```

```
\param[in] off: the offset in block
\param[in] buffer: the write data buffer
\param[in] size: the size of write data
\param[out] none
\retval none
*/
int32_t block_device_prog(const struct lfs_config *c, lfs_block_t block,
    lfs_off_t off, const void *buffer, lfs_size_t size)
{
    /* write the data to spi flash */
    spi_flash_buffer_write((uint8_t*)buffer, ((block) * (c->block_size)) + off), size);
    return 0;
}

/*!
\brief erase the spi flash block
\param[in] *c : the lfs_config struct pointer
\param[in] block: the number of block
\param[out] none
\retval none
*/
int32_t block_device_erase(const struct lfs_config *c, lfs_block_t block)
{
    /* erase the sector of spi flash */
    spi_flash_sector_erase(block * (c->block_size));

    return 0;
}

/*!
\brief Sync the state of the underlying block device.
\param[in] none
\param[out] none
\retval none
*/
int32_t block_device_sync(const struct lfs_config *c)
{
    /* no operation */
    return 0;
}
```

3. LittleFS 功能测试

本章节介绍将对移植 LittleFS 后进行读写功能的测试，并给出测试 demo。在测试 LittleFS 功能前需要先挂载文件系统，挂载 LittleFS 的代码如[表 0-3. LittleFS 挂载代码](#)。

表 0-3. LittleFS 挂载代码

```
/*
 \brief      mount the filesystem
 \param[in]   none
 \param[out]  none
 \retval     none
 */
void sys_lfs_mount(void)
{
    lfs_config();

    /* mount the filesystem */
    int err = lfs_mount(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_cfg);
    /* reformat if we can't mount the filesystem--this should only happen on the first boot */
    if (err) {
        /* format a block device with the littlefs */
        lfs_format(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_cfg);
        /* mount the filesystem */
        lfs_mount(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_cfg);
    }
}
```

3.1. LittleFS 掉电保护功能测试

掉电保护功能是 LittleFS 的一个优点，如[表 0-4. LittleFS 掉电保护功能测试代码](#)是掉电保护功能测试的代码。

表 0-4. LittleFS 掉电保护功能测试代码

```
/*
 \brief      LittleFS power-off protection test
 \param[in]   none
 \param[out]  none
 \retval     none
 */
void lfs_power_off_protection_test(void)
{
    uint32_t boot_count = 0;

    /* open the file */
```

```
lfs_file_open(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, "boot_count", LFS_O_RDWR | LFS_O_CREAT);
/* read the data */
lfs_file_read(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, &boot_count, sizeof(boot_count));

/* update boot count */
boot_count += 1;
/* write to the beginning of the file */
lfs_file_rewind(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file);
lfs_file_write(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, &boot_count, sizeof(boot_count));

/* remember the storage is not updated until the file is closed successfully */
lfs_file_close(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file);

/* release any resources */
lfs_unmount(&g_lfs);

/* print the boot count */
printf("boot_count:%d\n", boot_count);

}
```

每次 main 运行时都会更新名为“boot” count 的文件。程序可以随时中断，而不会丢失启动次数的记录，也不会损坏文件系统。进行多少掉电测试，其测试结果如[图 0-7. LittleFS 掉电保护功能测试](#)所示。

图 0-7. LittleFS 掉电保护功能测试



上图所示，在第一次启动挂载文件系统时，会发生不能挂装载文件系统的情况。此时需要重新格式化，再挂载。

3.2. LittleFS 更新文件数据测试

更新文件数据的测试，主要是对同一文件的多次写入数据，并通过串口打印文件内容。再利用 LittleFS 的裁剪文件数据的功能，删除不需要的数据。其测试例程如 [表 0-5. LittleFS 更新文件数据代码](#) 所示。

表 0-5. LittleFS 更新文件数据代码

```
/*
 \brief      update the file in random positin
 \param[in]  write_buffer1: the data1 for write to file
 \param[in]  write_buffer2: the data2 for write to file
 \param[in]  read_buffer1: the data1 for read from file
 \param[in]  read_buffer2: the data2 for read from file
 \param[in]  byte_cnt1: the count of write data1
 \param[in]  byte_cnt2: the count of write data2
 \param[out] none
 \retval     none
 */
void lfs_update_file(const uint8_t* write_buffer1,const uint8_t* write_buffer2,
```

```

        uint8_t* read_buffer1, uint8_t* read_buffer2,
        uint32_t byte_cnt1, uint32_t byte_cnt2)
{

/* open the "E:\\my_test_file" file */
lfs_file_open(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, "E:\\my_test_file", LFS_O_RDWR | LFS_O_CREAT);
/* write the data to the "E:\\my_test_file" file */
lfs_file_write(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, write_buffer1, byte_cnt1);
/* the starting position in the file for writing or reading */
lfs_file_seek(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, 0, LFS_SEEK_SET);
/* read the data from the "E:\\my_test_file" file */
lfs_file_read(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, read_buffer1, byte_cnt1);

printf("E:\\my_test_file\\n");
printf("%s\\n", read_buffer1);
/* the starting position in the file for writing or reading */
lfs_file_seek(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, byte_cnt1, LFS_SEEK_SET);
/* write the data to the "E:\\my_test_file" file */
lfs_file_write(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, write_buffer2, byte_cnt2);
/* read from the beginning of the file */
lfs_file_rewind(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file);
/* read the data from the "E:\\my_test_file" file */
lfs_file_read(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, read_buffer1, byte_cnt1+byte_cnt2);

printf("E:\\my_test_file\\n");
printf("%s\\n", read_buffer1);

lfs_file_seek(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, 0, LFS_SEEK_SET);
/* Intercept part of the data of the file and retain y bytes of data */
lfs_file_truncate(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, byte_cnt2);

lfs_file_read(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file, read_buffer2, byte_cnt2);
/* remember the storage is not updated until the file is closed successfully */
lfs_file_close(&g_lfs, &g_lfs_file);
/* release any resources we were using*/
lfs_unmount(&g_lfs);

printf("E:\\my_test_file\\n");
printf("%s\\n", read_buffer2);

/* delete the file */
lfs_remove(&g_lfs, "E:\\my_test_file");
}

```

测试结果如[图 0-8. 更新文件数据测试](#)所示。由图中所示，创建了"E:\\my_test_file"文件，对该

文件的内容进行了更新，最后一次的打印结果为裁剪部分数据后，文件保留的数据。

图 0-8. 更新文件数据测试



4. 版本历史

表 0-6. 版本历史

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1.0	首次发布	2021 年 12 月 13 日

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