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# HLK-RM08K User Manual

ETHERNET

WIFI

Full Function Serial Network/Wireless Module



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## 1. BRIEF INTRODUCTION

HLK-RM08K is a new low-cost embedded UART-ETH-WIFI module (serial port - Ethernet - Wireless network) developed by Shenzhen Hi-Link (HK) co., Ltd.

The product is a low power consumption WIFI module,supports EEE802.11b/g/n wireless protocol with small size and smart use,fully transparent transmission UART module, built-in TCP / IP protocol stack, enabling users short development cycle. It just needs host computer,WEB browser or APP to set up parameters, making the connection between UART and network.

HLK-RM08K has stable performance and flexible use, meeting kinds of requirements of users. and strong technical supports could be provided. Also, it could be customized,such as WEB interface ,mobile phone app and so on.

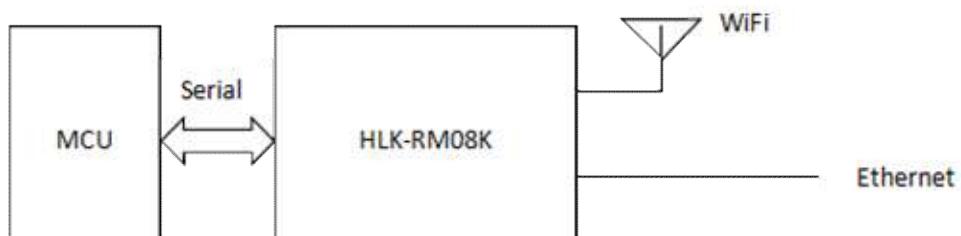


Diagram 1. Function structure

## 2. HARDWARE EXPLANATION

### 2.1 Meachanical Dimentions



Top view



Bottom view

Note: pitch of holes 2.0mm, pitch of holes 0.7mm.

Dimensions: 40mm(length) X 29mm(width ) X 2.9mm(height)



## 2.2 Pin Definitions

No.	FUNCTION	DIRECTION	DESCRIPTION
1	CTS1/G0	I/O	CTS1
2	WDG	O	Watchdog
3	CTS0/G1	I/O	CTS0
4	RTS0/G2	I/O	RTS0
5	RES0	-	(Reserved)
6	RES1	-	(Reserved)
7	RES2	-	(Reserved)
8	GND	Power	GND
9	WLED_N	O	WiFi LED(activate low)
10	VDD_O	Power Out	3.3v OUTUP
11	EL4/G3	I/O	ETH 4 LED
12	RES3	-	(Reserved)
13	RES4	-	(Reserved)
14	RES5	-	(Reserved)
15	RES6	-	(Reserved)
16	ES0	I	ES0
17	TXN4/G4	A	TXN4
18	TXP4/G5	A	TXP4
19	RXP0	A	RXP0
20	RXN0	A	RXN0
21	TXP1/G6	A	TXP1
22	TXN1/G7	A	TXN1
23	RXP1/G8	A	RXP1
24	RXN1/G9	A	RXN1
25	RXP2/G10	A	RXP2
26	RXN2/G11	A	RXN2
27	TXP2/G12	A	TXP2
28	TXN2/G13	A	TXN2
29	TXP3/G14	A	TXP3
30	TXN3/G15	A	TXN3
31	RXP3/G16	A	RXP3



32	RXN3/G17	A	RXN3
33	RXP4/G18	A	RXP4
34	RXN4/G19	A	RXN4
35	TXN0	A	TXN0
36	TXP0	A	TXP0
37	INT	0	INTERRUPT (Reserved)
38	RX0	I	RX0
39	TX0	0	TX0
40	RX1/PWM0	I/O	RX1
41	ELEDO	0	ETH 0 LED (activate low)
42	RST	I	Reset
43	ES1	I	ES1
44	TX1/PWM1	I/O	TX1
45	G20	I/O	GPIO20 (Reserved)
46	VCC	POWER	5V INPUT
47	EL1/G21	I/O	ETH 1 LED
48	EL2/G22	I/O	ETH 2 LED
49	EL3/G23	I/O	ETH 3 LED
50	GND	Power	GND
51	RES7	-	(Reserved)
52	RTS1/G24	I/O	RTS1

Note: reserved pin is currently not used,please hang!

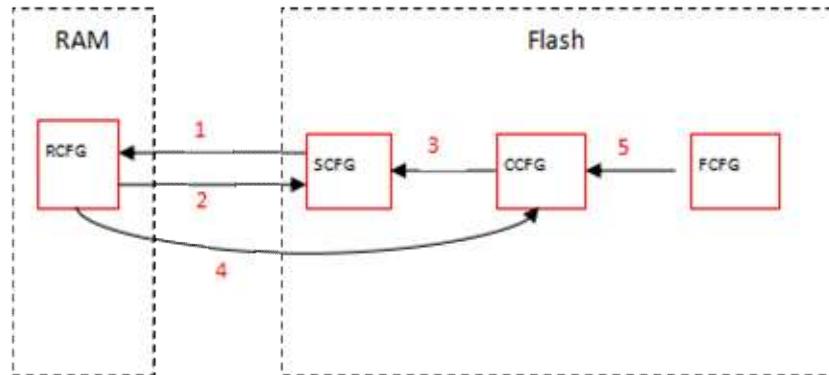
#### ES0 Function Introductions :

1. After System boot, ES0 keep the lower level time  $0.05s < t < 6s$ , Serial 0 exit transparent transmission.
2. After System boot, ES0 keep the lower level time  $6s < t < 12s$ , client settings reset.
3. On electric ES0 is a lower level, the lower level time  $6s < t < 12s$ , client settings reset.

#### ES1 Function Introductions :

1. After System boot, ES1 keep the lower level time  $0.05s < t < 6s$ , Serial 1 exit transparent transmission.
2. After System boot, ES1 keep the lower level time  $6s < t < 12s$ , factory reset.

## Parameter storage :



RCFG: The parameters in the memory.

SCFG: General parameters.

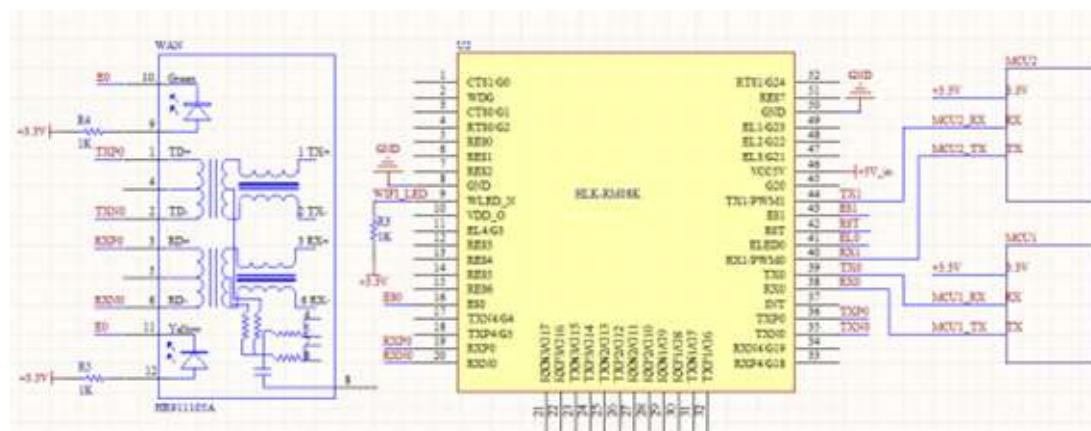
CCFG: Save To C Instructions to save parameters.

FCFG: Factory factory Settings. Users can't modify.

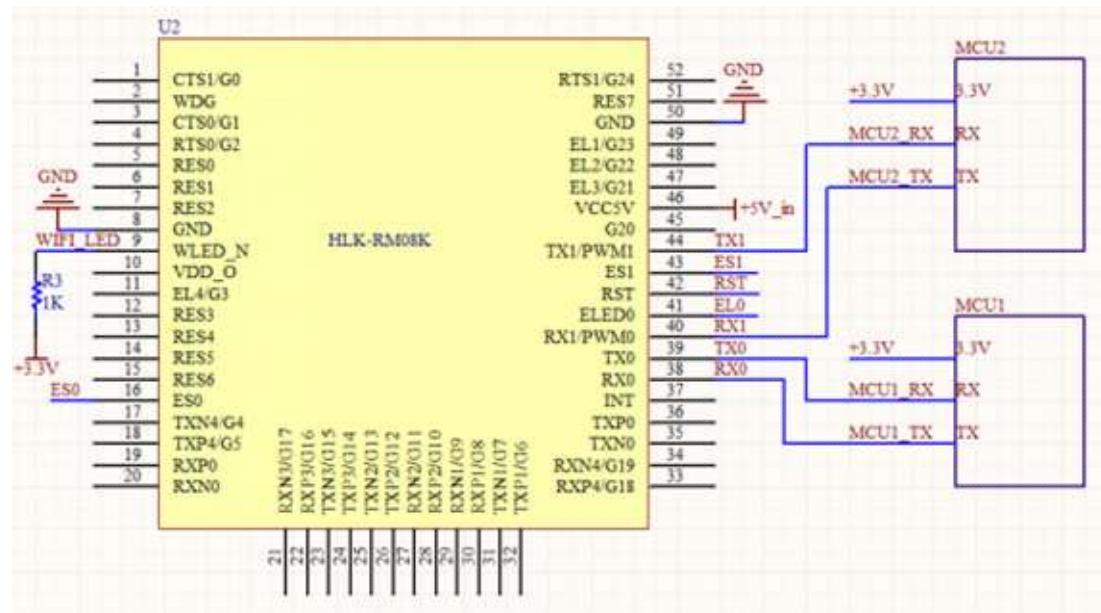
1. Power on, module read SCFG to RCFG from flash.
2. Save instructions RCFG to SCFG.
3. Restore settings, copy CCFG to SCFG.
4. Save To C Save instructions RCFG to CCFG.
5. Factory resetting, copy FCFG to CCFG.

## 2.3 TYPICAL REFERENCE DESIGN

### 2.3.1 UART TO ETHERNET



### 2.3.2 USRT TO WIFI (AP OR STA)



### 2.3.3 GATEWAY MODE OR REPEATER MODE

Please refer to diagram of test board.

## 3. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Network standard	Wireless standard : IEEE 802.11n、IEEE 802.11g、IEEE 802.11b
	Wired standard : IEEE 802.3、IEEE 802.3u
Wireless transmission rate	11n:Max150Mbps 11g:Max54Mbps 11b:Max11Mbps
Channels	1-14
frequency range	2.4-2.4835G
Transmit power	12-15DBM
Receive Sensitivity	-70DB
Connector	1WAN\4LAN\2UART
<b>Antenna</b>	
Antenna type	External antenna ( IPEX )
Function parameter	



WIFI working mode	STA/AP/Wireless Router
Repeater mode	Support wireless bridge
Wireless security	Wireless MAC address filtering
	Wireless switch security function
	64/128/152bit WEP encryption
	WPA-PSK/WPA2-PSK、WPA-TKIP/WPA2-TKIP security mechanism
Network management	Web interface management
	Configure file lead-in/out
	WEB interface software upgrade

#### UART to network

Dual UART transparent transmission,two uart ports work individually

TCP socket connection	Max connection number>20
UDP socket connection	Max connection number>20
Serial baud rate	1200—2500000bps (2500000/n 1<=n<=65535)

#### Power consumption

MODE	P C ( m W )	NOTE
UART TO WIFI	110mA x 5V	AP or STA(all the net ports closed)
UART TO ETH	70mA x 5V	works only in WAN
Gateway mode (default mode)	160mA x 5V	Wifi both WIFI and five NET ports work
Repeater mode (bridge mode)	160mA x 5V	Wifi both WIFI and five NET ports work

#### Other parameters

Status light	Status indication
Environmental standards	Working temperature: -20-55°C
	Working humidity: 10%-90%RH (NONCONDENSING)
	Storage temperature: -40-80°C
	Storage Humidity: 5%-90%RH (NONCONDENSING)
Other functions	Optional frequency bandwidth: 20MHz\40MHz,AUTO

## 4. DETAILED FUNCTIONS

### 4.1 UART MODE

#### 4.1.1 UART TO ETHERNET

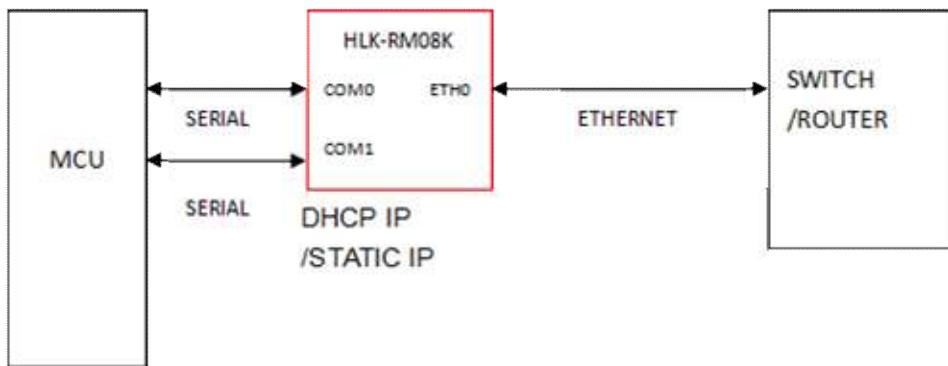


Diagram 2. UART to ETH

In this mode, ETH0 (WAN port) enabled. Closed.

Ethernet could configure as dynamic IP (DHCP), also could configure as static IP(static).

#### 4.1.2 UART TO WIFI STA

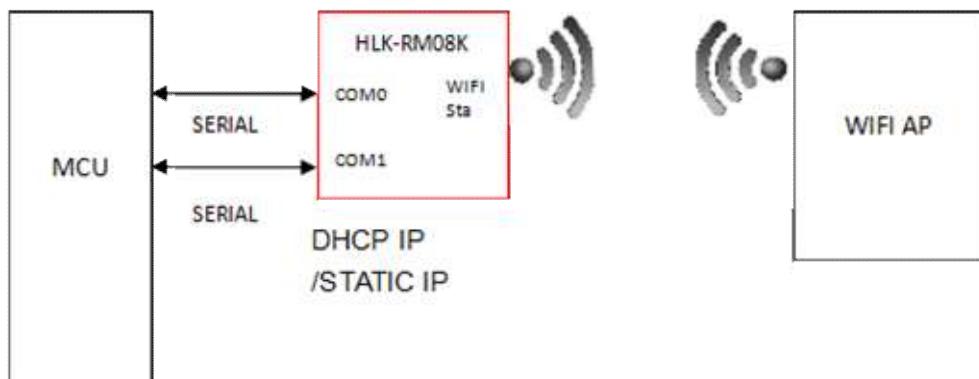


Diagram 3. UART to WIFI STA

In this mode, WIFI enabled, working in STA mode, Ethernet closed.

WIFI STA could configure as dynamic IP (DHCP), also configure as static IP(STATIC).

#### 4.1.3 UART TO WIFI AP



Diagram 4. UART TO WIFI AP

In this mode, WIFI enabled, working in AP mode, Ethernet closed.

In this mode, WIFI device could connect module, as one working in WIFI local area net.

## 4.2 NETWORK MODE

### 4.2.1 Gateway mode (default mode)

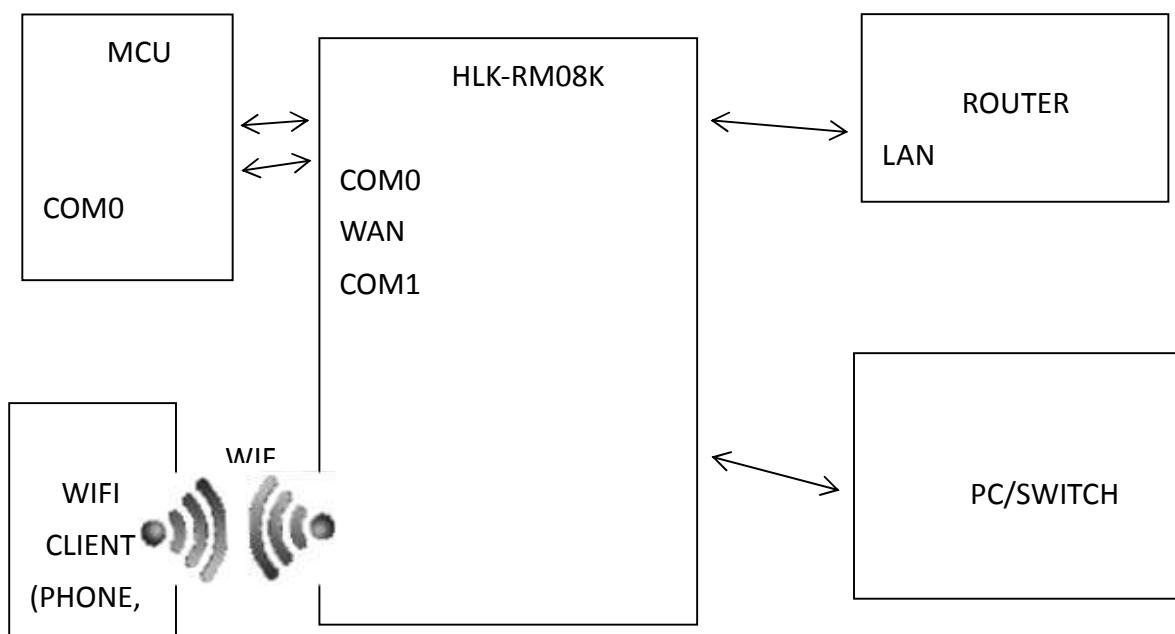


Diagram 5. Default mode

In this mode, module connects router by WAN, Module's WAN IP can be set to automatically obtain IP ( static DHCP),

Module's 4 LAN port could connect PC directly, PC can directly obtain IP addresses from module;

Module acts as AP now, clients could connect its WIFI directly.

#### 4.2.2 PEPEATAR MODE

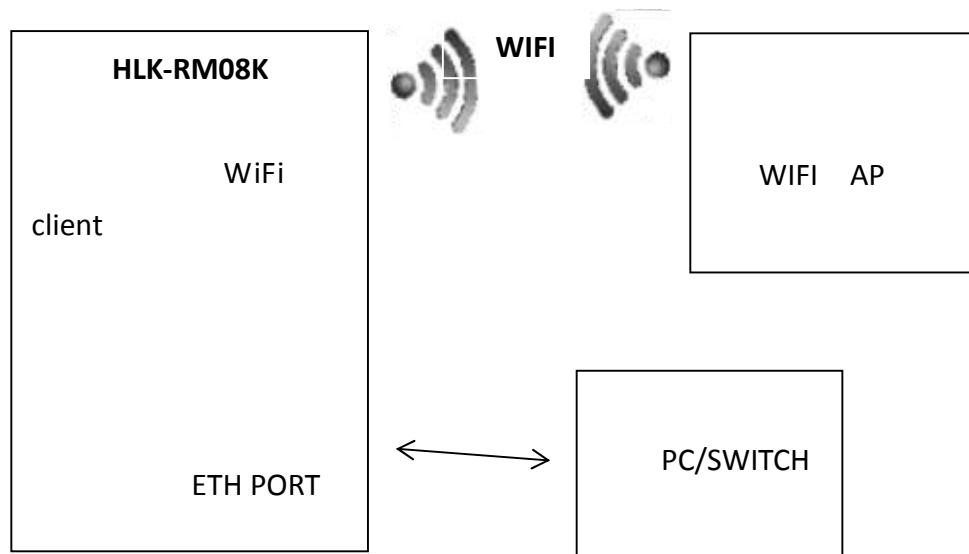


Diagram 6. Repeater mode

In this mode, module connects AP with WIFI and emission WIFI itself, mobile phone and other clients could connect its WIFI directly. Meanwhile, five ETH ports are LAN, PC and other devices could connect module with Ethernet cable.

Note : The client(such as mobile phone,PC)'IP address is assigned by AP once connected module,



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Module is functioned as PBX.

## 5.VERSION UPDATE INSTRUCTIONS

VERSION NO.	NOTE	MODIFIER	TIME
V1.0	USER MANUAL	KAVIN	2016.01.13