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Building a Salvo Application with HI-TECH's PICC and PICC-18 C Compilers and Microchip's MPLAB IDE v6

Introduction

This Application Note explains how to use HI-TECH's (http://www.htsoft.com/) PICC and PICC-18 C compilers and MPLAB IDE v6 together in an integrated environment to create a multitasking Salvo application on PIC18 PICmicro devices.

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We will show you how to build the example program located in \salvo\ex\exl\main.c for a PIC18C452 PICmicro using PICC-18 and MPLAB v6.30. For more information on how to write a Salvo application, please see the *Salvo User Manual*.

Before You Begin

If you have not already done so, install PICC and/or PICC-18, as well as MPLAB IDE v6. Familiarize yourself with the MPLAB IDE.

Related Documents

The following Salvo documents should be used in conjunction with this manual when building Salvo applications with HI-TECH's PICC and PICC-18 C compilers and MPLAB-IDE v6:

Salvo User Manual Salvo Compiler Reference Manual RM-PICC Salvo Compiler Reference Manual RM-PICC18

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Creating and Configuring a New Project

Creating the Project

Create a new MPLAB project under Project \rightarrow Project Wizard. Select the device (18C452):

Project Wizard		×
Step One: Select a device		الي ¢¢
	Device:	
	PIC18C452	
	< <u>Back</u> <u>N</u> ext → Cancel Hel	p

Figure 1: Selecting the Device in the Project Wizard

Click Next. Select the HI-TECH PICC-18 Toolsuite:

Project Wizard			×
Step Two : Select a language to	oolsuite		ال م
Active Toolsuite:	HI-TECH PICC-18 Toolsuite		-
- Toolsuite Contents			
PICC-18 Global PICC-18 Compiler PICC-18 Assembl PICC-18 Linker (n	r (picc18.exe) er (picc18.exe) (cc18.exe)		×
Location			
C:\HTSOFT\PIC18\	BIN\PICC18.EXE		Browse
Help! My Suit	e Isn't Listed!	🗖 Show all	installed toolsuites
	< <u>B</u> ack	vext > Cance	I Help

Figure 2: Selecting the ToolSuite in the Project Wizard

Click Next. Enter a Project Name (myex1) and Project Directory (c:\temp):

Project Wizard				x
Step Three: Name your project				ا چ
myex1				
Project Directory				
c:\temp				Browse
	< <u>B</u> ack	<u>N</u> ext >	Cancel	Help

Figure 3: Selecting the ToolSuite in the Project Wizard

Click Next. Add \salvo\src\mem.c¹ and your project's main.c (and any other user source files, if present) to your project:

Project Wizard Step Four: Add any existing files your projec	zt		_	×
STOMP35 Stuff main.c main.c temp2 test tic2xx Upgrades WinAVR WINDOWS WINTEMP		dd >>	:\salvo\src\mem.c :\temp\main.c ck the box to copy the ect directory	file to the
	< <u>B</u> ack	<u>N</u> ext >	Cancel	Help

Figure 4: Adding Existing Files in the Project Wizard

Click Next, then Finish to create the project. The project window will look like this:

myex1.mcw	- 🗆 🗵
🖃 myex1.mcp	
⊨ Source Files	
main.c	
mem.c	
- Header Files	
- Object Files	
- Library Files	
Linker Scripts	

Figure 5: Project Window after Adding Source Files

Setting the Build Options

Now let's setup the project's options for Salvo's pathnames, etc. Choose Project \rightarrow Build Options... \rightarrow Project. Under the General tab, set the Output Directory to be the project directory. Set the Include Path to the project directory and to \salvo\inc:

ild Options	?
eneral Global PICC-18 Compiler PICC-18 Assembler PICC-18 L	inker About
Output Directory, \$(BINDIR):	
c:\temp	Browse
Intermediates Directory, \$(TMPDIR):	
	Browse
Assembler Include Path, \$(AINDIR):	
	Browse
Include Path, \$(INCDIR):	
\$(BINDIR);c:\salvo\inc	Browse
Library Path, \$(LIBDIR):	
	Browse
Linker-Script Path, \$(LKRDIR):	
	Browse
Help Suite Defaults	
OK Cancel	Apply

Figure 6: General Build Options

Note The screens below are for the PICC-18 compiler. Build Options for the PICC compiler will be similar.

Under the PICC-18 General tab, select (All Options) under Categories and make the appropriate selections for your project.

Tip For the PICC-18 compiler, Use 24-bit pointers to program space and Memory Model must be set to match the Salvo library used when building this application. See *Salvo Compiler Reference Manual RM-PICC18* for more information.

Select OK to continue:



Build Options
General Global PICC-18 Compiler PICC-18 Assembler PICC-18 Linker About
Categories: (All Options)
Generate Command Line
Compile for MPLAB ICD
Treat 'char' as signed
Enforce strict ANSI keywords
☐ Display verbose output
Use fast 32-bit floating point libraries
Use 24-bit wide pointers to program space
Floating point 'double' Width - Memory Model Memory Model Memory Model
Inherit global settings Restore Defaults
Use Alternate Settings
OK Cancel Apply

Figure 7: PICC-18 Compiler General Build Options

Under the PICC-18 Compiler tab, select General under Categories and define any symbols² you may need for your project in the Macro Definitions window by selecting Add and entering the symbol(s), followed by OK. Also, set the desired Global optimization level, and select Enable assembler optimization:



Build Options
General Global PICC-18 Compiler PICC-18 Assembler PICC-18 Linker About
Categories: General 💽
Optimizations Global optimization level: 9 Enable assembler optimization Disable string pack optimization
Macro Definitions Add Remove Remove All
Inherit global settings Restore Defaults -Zg9-O
Use Alternate Settings
OK Cancel Apply

Figure 8: PICC-18 Compiler General Build Options

uild Options
General Global PICC-18 Compiler PICC-18 Assembler PICC-18 Linker About
Categories: (All Options)
Generate Command Line
Enable optimization
☐ Pre-process assembler
T Strip local symbols from object file
Produce cross-refererence file
E de la companya de la compa
Use Alternate Settings
OK Cancel Apply

Under the PICC-18 Assembler tab, select Enable optimization:

Figure 9: PICC-18 Assembler Build Options

Under the PICC-18 Linker tab, select Generate map file:

Build Options			? ×
General Global PICC-18 Compiler I	PICC-18 Assembler	PICC-18 Linker Abou	t]
Categories: (All Options)	•	
Generate Command Line			
Printf support C Integer Only C Integer + Long C Integer + Long + Float	☑ Generate m □ Display mer	ap file mory-segment usage	
	Warning level:	-9 💌	
Specify offse	et for ROM (in hex):		
Output Filename Root (no leadin	g directories, no exte	ension)	
 Inherit global settings -M"\$(TARGETBASE).map" -W-9 -C)"\$(TARGETBASE).	Restore Defau	llts
Use Alternate Settings			
	ОК	Cancel	pply

Figure 10: PICC-18 Linker Build Options

Click OK to finish setting your project's options.

Select $Project \rightarrow Save Project$ to save your project.

Adding Salvo-specific Files to the Project

Now it's time to add any additional Salvo files your project needs. Salvo applications can be built by linking to precompiled Salvo libraries, or with the Salvo source code files as nodes in your project.

Adding a Library

For a library build, a freeware library that's appropriate for the PIC18C452 is sfp80lab.lib. In the project window, left-click on Library Files, choose Add Files..., choose Files of type: Library Files (*.lib), navigate to \salvo\lib\htpicc18 and select the Salvo library sfp80lab.lib:

Add Files to Pi	roject			? X
Look <u>i</u> n: 🔂 k	ntpicc18	• 🗈	M 📑 📰	
 sfp80laa.lib sfp80lab.lib sfp80laf.lib sfp80lda.lib sfp80ldb.lib sfp80ldb.lib sfp80ldf.lib sfp80lea.lib sfp80leb.lib 	n stp80lef.lib n stp80lma.lib n stp80lmb.lib n stp80lmf.lib n stp80lta.lib n stp80ltb.lib n stp80ltf.lib n stp80ltf.lib n stp80lsaa.lib	 m) stp80sab.lib m) stp80saf.lib m) stp80sdb.lib m) stp80sdb.lib m) stp80sdb.lib m) stp80seb.lib m) stp80seb.lib m) stp80set.lib m) stp80set.lib 	stp80sma.lib stp80smb.lib stp80smb.lib stp80smb.lib stp80sta.lib stp80stb.lib stp80stb.lib stp80stb.lib stp80stb.lib stp80stb.lib stp81laa.lib stp81laa.lib stp81lab.lib	ی ا ی ا ی ا ی ا ی ا ی ا ی ا ی ا ی ا ی
File <u>n</u> ame:	sfp80lab.lib		<u>O</u> per	
Files of type:	All Files (*.*)		Cance	

Figure 11: Adding the Salvo Library

Click **Open** to add the library to the project. The project window will look like this:

myex1.mc w	- 🗆 🗵
⊡ myex1.mcp*	
Source Files	
main.c	
mem.c	
- Header Files	
- Object Files	
🗄 Library Files	
sfp80lab.lib	
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J	

Figure 12: Project Window after Adding Salvo library

You can find more information on Salvo libraries in the Salvo User Manual and in the Salvo Compiler Reference Manual RM-PICC18.

The salvocfg.h Header File

You will also need a salvocfg.h file for this project. To use the library selected in Figure 11, your salvocfg.h should contain only:

OSUSE_LIBRARY	TRUE
OSLIBRARY_TYPE	OSF
OSLIBRARY_CONFIG	OSA
OSLIBRARY_VARIANT	OSB
	OSUSE_LIBRARY OSLIBRARY_TYPE OSLIBRARY_CONFIG OSLIBRARY_VARIANT

Listing 1: salvocfg.h for a Library Build

Create this file and save it in your project directory, e.g. c:\temp\salvocfg.h. For convenience, add it to your project's by right-clicking on the Header Files folder, choosing Add Files..., and selecting the salvocfg.h in your project directory. The project window will now look like this:





Figure 13: Project Window after Adding salvocfg.h Header File

Select Project \rightarrow Save Project and proceed to Select Project \rightarrow Save Project. Building the Project, below.

Adding Salvo Source Files

If you have a Salvo distribution that contains source files, you can do a *source code build* instead of a library build. The application in \salvo\ex\ex1\main.c contains calls to the following Salvo user services:

```
OS_Delay()OSInit()OS_WaitBinSem()OSSignalBinSem()OSCreateBinSem()OSSched()OSCreateTask()OSTimer()OSEi()
```

You must add the Salvo source files that contain these user services, as well as those that contain internal Salvo services, to your project. The *Reference* chapter of the *Salvo User Manual* lists the source file for each user service. Internal services are in other Salvo source files. For this project, the complete list is:

binsem.c	inittask.c
delay.c	mem.c
event.c	qins.c
idle.c	sched.c
init.c	timer.c

In the project window, left-click on Library Files, choose Add Files..., choose Files of type: All Source Files (*.asm, *.c), navigate to \salvo\src and select the Salvo source files listed above:



Add Files to Pr	oject			? ×
Look <u>i</u> n: 🔂 s	rc	<u> </u>	🖻 🖄 🖻 🔳	
E msgq3.c E msgq4.c E portpic18.c E prio.c E prio2.c E qdel.c E qins.c E rpt.c	E sched.c E sem.c E sem2.c E stop.c E task.c E task2.c E task3.c E task4.c	E) task5.c E) task6.c E) task8.c E) task8.c E) tick.c E) tick.c E) tick.c E) timer.c E) timer.c	C ver.c	
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File <u>n</u> ame:	"timer.c" "delay.c" "e	vent.c" "init.c" "inittas	k.c" "por	<u>O</u> pen
Files of type:	All Source Files (*.asr	m;*.c)	•	Cancel

Figure 14: Adding the Salvo Source Files

Click **Open** to add the Salvo source files to the project. The project window will look like this:

myex1.mcw	- 🗆 ×
⊡ myex1.mcp*	
Source Files	
- binsem.c	
delay.c	
- event.c	
idle.c	
- init.c	
- inittask.c	
- main.c	
mem.c	
- qins.c	
- sched.c	
- timer.c	
util.c	
- Header Files	
- Object Files	
Library Files	
I	

Figure 15: Project Window after Adding Salvo Source Files

The salvocfg.h Header File

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You will also need a salvocfg.h file for this project. Configuration files for source code builds are quite different from those for library builds (see Listing 1, above). For a source code build, the salvocfg.h for this project contains only:

#define	OSBYTES_OF_DELAYS	1
#define	OSENABLE_IDLING_HOOK	TRUE
#define	OSENABLE_BINARY_SEMAPHORES	TRUE
#define	OSEVENTS	1
#define	OSTASKS	3

Listing 2: salvocfg.h for a Source Code Build

Create this file and save it in your project directory, e.g. c:\temp\salvocfg.h. For convenience, add it to your project's by right-clicking on the Header Files folder, choosing Add Files...,



and selecting the salvocfg.h in your project directory. The project window will now look like this:

myex1.mcw	. <u> </u>
⊡ myex1.mcp	
Source Files	
- binsem.c	
- delay.c	
event.c	
-idle.c	
init.c	
- inittask.c	
- main.c	
- mem.c	
-qins.c	
-sched.c	
-timer.c	
util.c	
🕂 Header Files	
salvocfg.h	
- Object Files	
Library Files	

Figure 16: Project Window after Adding salvocfg.h Header File

Tip The advantage of placing the various project files in the groups shown above is that you can quickly navigate to them and open them for viewing, editing, etc.

Select Project \rightarrow Save Project.

Building the Project

For a successful compile, your project must also include a header file (e.g. #include <picl8.h>) for the particular chip you are using. Normally, this is included in each of your source files (e.g. main.c), or in a header file that's included in each of your source files (e.g. main.h).

With everything in place, you can now build the project using $Project \rightarrow Build All$. The Output window will reflect the PICC-18 command lines:

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Deleting intermediary files... done. Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"mem.cce" "mem.c" -O"mem.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"main.cce" "main.c" -O"main.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"timer.cce" "timer.c" -O"timer.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"delay.cce" "delay.c" -O"delay.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"delay.cce" "delay.c" -O"delay.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"init.cce" "init.c" -O"init.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"init.cce" "init.c" -O"init.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"init.cce" "init.c" -O"init.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"init.cce" "init.c" -O"init.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"init.cce" "init.c" -O"init.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"init.cce" "gins.c" -O"gins.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"init.cce" "gins.c" -O"sched.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"binsem.cce" "binsem.c" -O"binsem.obj" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"binsem.cce" "binsem.c" -O"binsem.obj" -I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"binsem.cce" "binsem.c" -O"binsem.obj" -I"

Program ROM \$000000 - \$000003 \$000004 (4) bytes 2342) bytes \$000006 - \$00092B \$000926 Program ROM \$00092A (2346) bytes total Program ROM RAM data \$0000F6 - \$0000FF \$0005BB - \$0005FF \$00000A (10) bytes \$000045 (69) bytes RAM data \$00004F (79) bytes total RAM data Near RAM \$000000 - \$00000F \$000010 (16) bytes total Near RAM ROM data \$000004 - \$000004 \$000001 (1) bytes total ROM data Program statistics: Total ROM used 2347 bytes (7.2%) Total RAM used 95 bytes (6.2%) 16 bytes (12.5%) Near RAM used Loaded C:\temp\myex1.cof BUILD SUCCEEDED: Tue Jul 22 22:27:30 2003

Listing 3: Build Results for A Successful Source-Code Build

The map (*.map) file located in the project's directory contains address, symbol and other useful information:

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Linker command line:

```
-z -Mmyex1.map -ol.obj \
   -ppowerup=00h,intcode=08h,intcodelo=018h,init,end_init -ACOMRAM=00h-07Fh \
   -ptemp=COMRAM -ARAM=0-0Ffhx6 -ABIGRAM=0-05Ffh -pramtop=0600h
   -ACODE=00h-07FFFh -pconfig=0300000h,idloc=0200000h,eeprom_data=0f00000h \
   -pconst=end init+0600h \
   -prbss=COMRAM,rbit=COMRAM,rdata=COMRAM,nvrram=COMRAM,nvbit=COMRAM
  -pstruct=COMRAM -pnvram=-600h \
-pintsave_regs=BIGRAM,bigbss=BIGRAM,bigdata=BIGRAM -pdata=RAM,param
  -pidata=CODE,irdata=CODE,ibigdata=CODE -Q18C452 -W-9
-EC:\WINDOWS\TEMP\_3VV00M1.AAA -ver=PICC18#V8.20PL4 \
                                                                   -h+myex1.sym -E \
  C:\HTSOFT\PIC18\LIB\picrt801.obj C:\salvo\src\mem.obj C:\temp\main.obj \
  C:\salvo\src\timer.obj C:\salvo\src\delay.obj C:\salvo\src\event.obj \
C:\salvo\src\idle.obj C:\salvo\src\init.obj C:\salvo\src\inittask.obj
C:\salvo\src\qins.obj C:\salvo\src\sched.obj C:\salvo\src\binsem.obj \
  C:\salvo\src\util.obj C:\HTSOFT\PIC18\LIB\pic801-c.lib
Object code version is 3.7
Machine type is 18C452
Call graph:
*_main size 0,0 offset 0
       OSInit
      _OSCreateTask size 5,0 offset 0
           _OSInitPrioTask size 3,0 offset 5
_OSInsPrioQ size 4,0 offset 6
[SNIP]
Name ---
C:\HTSOFT\PIC18\LIB\picrt801.obj
and init 38
                                              Load
                                                       Length Selector Space Scale
                                                 38
                                                             4
                                                                       С
                                                                               0
C:\salvo\src\mem.obj
                                    5DA
                                                5DA
                                                            26
                                                                     5DA
                                                                              1
                  nvram
[SNTP]
SEGMENTS Name
                       Load Length
                                            Top Selector
                                                               Space Class
                                      000000
                                                 000010
                                                             000010
                                                                                                COMRAM
                  temp
                                                                                  0
                                      000000
                  powerup
                                                 000005
                                                             000005
                                                                                  0
                                                                                            0
                                                                                               CODE
[SNIP]
UNUSED ADDRESS RANGES
            BIGRAM
                                 000010-0000F5
                                000100-0005BA
[SNIP]
                                         Symbol Table
? OSCreateBinSem param
                                      0000F6 ?_OSCreateTask
                                                                                      0000F6
                                                                      param
?_OSDelay
                                      0000F6 ? OSInitPrioTask param
                                                                                      0000FB
                      param
[SNIP]
```

Listing 4: Map File for a Source-Code Build

Note The projects supplied in the Salvo for PICmicro® MCUs distributions contain additional help files – see the abstract.txt file that accompanies each project or group of projects.

Testing the Application

You can test and debug this application with full source code integration in any of the MPLAB debugging environments. For example, to use the simulator, choose Debugger \rightarrow Select Tool \rightarrow MPLAB SIM. Open the Stopwatch window via Debugger \rightarrow Stopwatch. After a successful build, open the project's main.c (i.e. \salvo\ex\ex1\main.c), set a breakpoint on the PORTB ^= 0x08; line of Task3(), and select Debugger \rightarrow Run. Program execution will stop at the breakpoint in Task3(). Now zero the stopwatch in the Stopwatch window, select Debug \rightarrow Run again, and wait until execution stops. The Stopwatch window now

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displays an elapsed time of 400ms (40 times 10ms, the TMR0driven system tick rate in this application for a 4MHz clock).



Figure 17: Measuring 400ms of Task Delay in the Simulator via a Breakpoint

Note The 633 microseconds (400ms-399.367ms) that are "short" in the Stopwatch window of Figure 17 are due to unavoidable jitter in the system timer – well under the system tick interval of 10ms (10,000 instruction cycles in this example). See the *Salvo User Manual* for more information on the system timer.

If you are doing a full source-code build, you can also trace program execution through the Salvo source code. Select Debugger \rightarrow Reset \rightarrow Processor Reset, Debugger \rightarrow Breakpoints \rightarrow Remove All \rightarrow OK, and set a breakpoint at the first call to OSCreateTask() in main.c. Select Debugger \rightarrow Run. Execution will stop in main.c at the call to OSCreateTask(). Now choose Debugger \rightarrow Step Into. The \salvo\src\inittask.c file window will open, and you can step through and observe the operation of OSCreateTask().



Figure 18: Stepping Through Salvo Source Code

Troubleshooting

Cannot find and/or read include file(s)

If you fail to add \salvo\inc to the project's include paths (see Figure 6, above) the compiler will generate an error like this one:

Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PIC18\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"mem.cce" "mem.c" -O"mem.obj" -I"c:\TEMP" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O Error[000] C:\salvo\src\mem.c 30 : Cannot open include file "salvo.h" Halting build on first failure as requested. BUILD FAILED: Tue Jul 22 22:42:32 2003

Figure 19: Compiler Error due to Missing \salvo\inc Include Path

By adding \salvo\inc to the project's include path, you enable the compiler to find the main Salvo header file salvo.h, as well as other included Salvo header files.

If you fail to add the project's own directory to the project's include paths (see Figure 6, above) the compiler will generate an error like this one:

```
Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PIC18\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"mem.cce" "mem.c" -O"mem.obj"
-I"c:\salvo\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O
Error[000] c:\salvo\inc\salvo.h 343 : Cannot open include file "salvocfg.h"
Halting build on first failure as requested.
BUILD FAILED: Tue Jul 22 22:42:58 2003
```

Figure 20: Compiler Error due to Missing Project Include Path

By adding the project's own directory to the project's include path, you enable the compiler to find the project-specific header file salvocfg.h.

Undefined Symbols

If you fail to add \salvo\src\mem.c to the project's source files (see *Creating the Project* and *Figure 4*), the linker will be unable to find one or more of Salvo's global objects, e.g.:

<pre>Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PIC18\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -C -E"main.cc" "main.c" -0"main.obj" -T"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF\\\tu1" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF\\\.inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O -DSYSF -DMAKE_WITH_FREE_LIB -ASMLIST Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PIC18\BIN\PICC18.EXE" -E"tu4lite.lde" "C:\salvo\tut\tu4\main.obj" "C:\salvo\lib\htpicc18\sfp80leb.lib" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -M*tu4lite.map" -FAKELOCAL -0"tu4lite.cof"</pre>
Frror[000] : undefined symbols:
Error (000) · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Error[000] · _OSBIGQOULP (C.\BAIVO\IID\ncpicci8\sip801eb.IID. binsem.obj)
Error[000] : _OSecbArea (C:\salvo\tut\tu4\main.obj)
Error[000] : _OStcbArea (C:\salvo\tut\tu4\main.obj)
Error[000] : OSeliqOP (C:\salvo\lib\htpicc18\sfp80leb.lib: init.obj)
Error[000] : _OStimerTicks (C:\salvo\lib\htpicc18\sfp80leb.lib: init.obj)
<pre>Error[000] : OScTcbP (C:\salvo\lib\htpicc18\sfp80leb.lib: event.obj)</pre>
Error[000] : OSsigOinP (C:\salvo\lib\htpicc18\sfp80leb.lib: binsem.obi)
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Figure 21: Linker Error due to Missing Salvo mem.c

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The solution is to always have Salvo's mem.c in the list of the project's Source Files (see *Figure 5*).

Similarly, if there is a mismatch between the OSLIBRARY_XYZ configuration options in the project's salvocfg.h, and the Salvo library chosen for the project, the linker may again be unable to find the definitions for certain Salvo global objects, e.g.:

Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICCl8.EXE" -C -E"main.cce" "main.c" -O"main.obj" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF\..\..\tu1" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF\..\..\.inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O -DSYSF -DMAKE_WITH_FREE_LIB -ASMLIST Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICCl8.EXE" -C -E"mem.cce" "mem.c" -O"mem.obj" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF\...\.tu1" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF\...\.tu1" -I"\SALVO\TUT\TU4\SYSF" -I.\\inc" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -Zg9 -O -DSYSF -DMAKE_WITH_FREE_LIB -ASMLIST Executing: "C:\HTSOFT\PICl8\BIN\PICCl8.EXE" -E"tu4lite.lde" "C:\salvo\tut\tu4\main.obj" "C:\salvo\src\mem.obj" "C:\salvo\tut\tu4\main.obj" "C:\salvo\src\mem.obj" "C:\salvo\lib\htpiccl8\sfp80lab.lib" -Q -MPLAB -18C452 -M"tu4lite.map" -FAKELOCAL -O"tu4lite.cof" Error[000] : undefined symbols: Error[000] : _OSlostTicks (C:\salvo\lib\htpiccl8\sfp80lab.lib: init.obj) Error[000] : _OSdelayQP (C:\salvo\lib\htpiccl8\sfp80lab.lib: init.obj) BUILD FALLED: Tue Jan 06 11:59:19 2004

Figure 22: Linker Error due to Mismatch between OSLIBRARY_CONFIG (OSE) and Selected library (sfp80lab.lib)

This occurs because Salvo functions³ are attempting to initialize objects that are not enabled by the OSLIBRARY_XYZ configuration options in force. The solution is to ensure that the OSLIBRARY_XYZ configuration options in the project's salvocfg.h are appropriate for the selected Salvo library.

MPLAB DLL-related Build Problems

As of MPLAB v6.3x, the HI-TECH PICC and PICC-18 compiler are integrated into MPLAB via MPLAB DLLs supplied by HI-TECH. If you encounter difficulty, especially while linking an application built with Salvo libraries, ensure that the compiler options required by the library are truly in effect. The simplest way to do this is to examine the command lines in the project's Output (i.e. build results) window. A mismatch between MPLAB and the HI-TECH MPLAB suite DLL's (plug-ins) can result in odd compiler and linker behavior, e.g. the application of incorrect linktime command-line arguments.⁴

Always use the latest HI-TECH MPLAB suite DLL's with the appropriate version of MPLAB. You can examine the module path of each DLL that MPLAB is using via Help \rightarrow About MPLAB IDE, and selecting the module (e.g. Suite_HITECH18) from the scrollable list. The About MPLAB IDE window will display the path to the module – ensure that this is the module (i.e. DLL) that MPLAB should be using.

PICC

Example projects for PICC can be found in the salvo\tut\tul-6\sysa directories The MPLAB Include Path for each of these projects is set to salvo\tut\tul\syse, and each project defines the SYSA symbol.

Complete projects using Salvo freeware libraries are contained in the MPLAB project file salvo\tut\tu1-6\sysa\tu1-6lite.mcp. These projects also define the MAKE_WITH_FREE_LIB symbol.

Complete projects using Salvo standard libraries are contained in the MPLAB project file salvo\tut\tul-6\sysa\tul-6le.mcp. These projects also define the MAKE_WITH_STD_LIB symbol.

Complete projects using Salvo source code are contained in the MPLAB project file salvo\tut\tul-6\sysa\tul-6pro.mcp. These projects also define the MAKE_WITH_SOURCE symbol.

PICC-18

Example projects for PICC-18 can be found in the salvo\tut\tu1-6\sysf directories The MPLAB Include Path for each of these projects is set to salvo\tut\tu1\syse, and each project defines the SYSF symbol.

Complete projects using Salvo freeware libraries are contained in the MPLAB project file salvo\tut\tul-6\sysf\tul-6lite.mcp. These projects also define the MAKE_WITH_FREE_LIB symbol.

Complete projects using Salvo standard libraries are contained in the MPLAB project file salvo\tut\tul-6\sysf\tul-6le.mcp. These projects also define the MAKE_WITH_STD_LIB symbol.

Complete projects using Salvo source code are contained in the MPLAB project file salvo\tut\tul-6\sysf\tul-6pro.mcp. These projects also define the MAKE_WITH_SOURCE symbol.

¹ Do not copy \salvo\src\mem.c to your project directory! ² The Selve project upon which this Application Nate is here

The Salvo project upon which this Application Note is based (exllite.mcp) supports a wide variety of targets and compilers. For use with PICC-18, it requires the SYSF defined symbol, as well as the symbols



MAKE_WITH_FREE_LIB for library builds. When you write your own projects, you may not require any symbols.

- ³ In this case, OSInit() in init.c.
- ⁴ For example, an out-of-date HI-TECH PICC-18 DLL, combined with MPLAB v6.40, results in problems with the selection of the memory model and the associated PICC-18 runtime library.