



**CUBIEBOARD**

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## CubieAIO Android Building Guide

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## 1. Introduction

CubieAIO is based on product of Einteins A20 , Cubietech customized a android4.4.2 os based on A20 SDK , and open the source code to the community .

## 2. Overview

This is a quick guide for CubieAIO SDK :

- How to download SDK
- How to set up PC compilation environment
- How to build and pack a image

## 3. Software requirements

Developing host PC with Linux os , Ubuntu12.04 AMD64 is suggested

- USB upgrading tools : Livesuit or PhoenixSuit
- Cross-compilation environment

### 3.1. Install JDK

```
$ wget dl.cubieboard.org/software/tools/android/jdk1.6.0_45.tar.gz
```

**Unpack :**

```
$ sudo tar -zxvf jdk1.6.0_45.tar.gz
```

```
$ sudo vim ~/.bashrc
```

**Add :**

```
JAVA_HOME=/jdk_path
```

```
export JRE_HOME=/jdk_path/jre
```

```
export PATH=$JAVA_HOME/bin:$JRE_HOME/bin:$PATH
```

jdk-paththe: path of Download unpacked JDK

Which saved enforced and verify success:

```
$ source ~/.bashrc&&java -version
```

```
java version "1.6.0_45"
```

```
Java(TM) SE Runtime Environment (build 1.6.0_45-b06)
```

```
Java HotSpot(TM) 64-Bit Server VM (build 20.45-b01, mixed mode)
```

### 3.2. Compile the required package of installation ( Ubuntu 12.04)

```
$sudo apt-get update
$sudo apt-get upgrade
$sudo apt-get install build-essential u-boot-tools uboot-mkimage binutils-arm-linux-gnueabi
$sudo apt-get install gcc g++ gcc-arm-linux-gnueabi gcc-arm-linux-gnueabi-hf g++-multilib
$sudo apt-get install cpp-arm-linux-gnueabi-hf libusb-1.0-0 libusb-1.0-0-dev wget fakeroot
$sudo apt-get install kernel-package zlib1g-dev libncurses5-dev build-essential
$sudo apt-get install texinfo texlive ccache zlib1g-dev gawk bison flex gettext uuid-dev
$sudo apt-get install ia32-libs git gnupg flex bison gperf build-essential zip
$sudo apt-get install curl libc6-dev x11proto-core-dev libx11-dev:i386 lib32ncurses5-dev
$sudo apt-get install libreadline6-dev:i386 mingw32 tofrodos python-markdown
$sudo apt-get install libxml2-utils xsltproc zlib1g-dev:i386 libgl1-mesa-dev
```

## 4. Download SDK

You can download the sdk from here: [CubieAIO/Image/Android/V2.0/](http://CubieAIO/Image/Android/V2.0/)

A few simple steps to get your source :

```
$ sudo apt-get install git
$ mkdir -p a20/lichee
$ mkdir -p a20/android

$ cd a20/lichee
$ tar -zxpf a20_homelet_v2.0_lichee.git.tar.gz
$ git reset --hard

$ cd ../../a20/android
$ tar -zxpf a20_homelet_v2.0_android4.2.git.tar.gz
$ git reset --hard
```

First I think you should switching branch, this source has two branches, one is Cubieboard2, the other is Einstein , we should switch to Einstein.

```
$ git branch -a
```

```
$ git checkout Einstein
```

## 5. Building

It is two directory after extract the source code package, one is the android ,another lichee, kernel compilation run in the lichee. Lichee mainly compile some module of equipment , the drivers, the kernel, and so on, and configuration files. Compiled modules and the kernel will copy when compile the whole android.

### 5.1. Building Lichee

The step of compilation as follows :

#### 1.Copy the configuration file of kernel

```
$ cp arch/arm/configs/cubieaio_config .config
```

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee/linux-3.4$ cp arch/arm/configs/cubieaio_config .config
```

#### 2.Compile the kernel

```
$ ./build.sh -p sun7i_android
```

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee$  
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee$  
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee$ ./build.sh -p sun7i_android
```

waitting.....

**completed:**

```
arm-linux-gnueabi-objcopy --gap-fill=0xff -O binary u-boot u-boot.bin  
make[1]:正在离开目录 `/work/a20-homelet/lichee/u-boot'  
INFO: build u-boot OK.  
INFO: build rootfs ...  
INFO: skip make rootfs for android  
INFO: build rootfs OK.  
INFO: build lichee OK.  
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee$
```

You can enter the `lichee/out` after Compile and can see the product of the compilation.

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee$  
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee$ cd out/android/common/  
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee/out/android/common$ ls  
bImage buildroot lib u-boot.bin uImage zImage  
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee/out/android/common$
```

## 5.2. The overall compilation

After the kernel compiled, into the android directory. Here to perform the firmware compile, generating system. `Img`, `userdata`. `Img` image, finally they are packaged to firmware as we need.

**Steps are as follows:**

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet$ cd android
```

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/android$ source build/envsetup.sh
```

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/android$ lunch
```

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/android$ lunch  
You're building on Linux  
Lunch menu... pick a combo:  
  1. full-eng  
  2. full_x86-eng  
  3. vbox_x86-eng  
  4. full_mips-eng  
  5. full_grouper-userdebug  
  6. full_tilapia-userdebug  
  7. mini_armv7a_neon-userdebug  
  8. mini_armv7a-userdebug  
  9. mini_mips-userdebug  
 10. mini_x86-userdebug  
 11. full_maguro-userdebug  
 12. full_manta-userdebug  
 13. full_toroplus-userdebug  
 14. full_toro-userdebug  
 15. sugar_cubieaio-eng  
 16. sugar_cubieboard2-eng  
 17. sugar_cubietruck-eng  
 18. sugar_einstein-eng  
 19. sugar_evb-eng  
 20. sugar_ref001-eng  
 21. sugar_standard-eng  
 22. wing_evb_v10-eng  
 23. full_panda-userdebug  
Which would you like? [full-eng] 15
```

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input 15 (choose sugar\_cubieaio-eng)

If the number does not match with the English, please select the number before “sugar\_cubieaio-eng” or input “sugar\_cubieaio-eng”.

### **Copy the kernel and modules:**

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/android$ extract-bsp
```

### **Compile:**

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/android$ make -j8
```

waitting.....

### **completed:**

```
Running:  simg2img out/target/product/sugar-cubieaio/obj/PACKAGING/systemimage_intermediates/system
.img out/target/product/sugar-cubieaio/obj/PACKAGING/systemimage_intermediates/unspase_system.img
Running:  e2fsck -f -n out/target/product/sugar-cubieaio/obj/PACKAGING/systemimage_intermediates/un
spase_system.img
e2fsck 1.41.14 (22-Dec-2010)
Pass 1: Checking inodes, blocks, and sizes
Pass 2: Checking directory structure
Pass 3: Checking directory connectivity
Pass 4: Checking reference counts
Pass 5: Checking group summary information
out/target/product/sugar-cubieaio/obj/PACKAGING/systemimage_intermediates/unspase_system.img: 1515
/32768 files (0.0% non-contiguous), 100542/131072 blocks
Install system fs image: out/target/product/sugar-cubieaio/system.img
out/target/product/sugar-cubieaio/system.img+out/target/product/sugar-cubieaio/obj/PACKAGING/recove
ry_patch_intermediates/recovery_from_boot.p maxsize=548110464 blocksize=4224 total=405791926 reserv
e=5537664
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/android$
```

### **pack after completed:**

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/android$ pack
```





```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/android$ pack
INFO: Packing for android
>>> script_parse 0.9.1
>>> check sys_config line format
>>> done.
>>> check partition config
>>> done.
>>> script_parse 0.9.1
>>> check sys_config line format
>>> done.
>>> check mainkey unique
>>> done.
>>> check module rule
>>> not implement yet
"chips/sun7i/bin/boot0_nand_sun7i.bin" -> "out/boot0_nand.fex"
"chips/sun7i/bin/boot0_sdcard_sun7i.bin" -> "out/boot0_sdcard.fex"
"chips/sun7i/bin/fes1_sun7i.bin" -> "out/fes1.fex"
"chips/sun7i/bin/u-boot-sun7i.bin" -> "out/u-boot.fex"
script sys_config.fex [OK]
script sys_partition.fex [OK]
update_mbr sys_partition.bin 4 [OK]
update_boot0 boot0_nand.fex sys_config.bin NAND [OK]
update_boot0 boot0_sdcard.fex sys_config.bin SDMMC_CARD [OK]
update_uboot u-boot.fex sys_config.bin [Uncheck]
update_fes1 fes1.fex sys_config.bin [Uncheck]
disk : c
CopyRootToFS(/work/a20-homelet/lichee/tools/pack/out/boot-resource)
c:\bat
c:\magic.bin
find magic !!
RealLen=0x4B0C00
CPlugin Free lib
CPlugin Free lib
normal
dragon image.cfg sys_partition.fex [OK]
-----image is at-----
/work/a20-homelet/lichee/tools/pack/sun7i_android_sugar-cubieaio.img
pack finish
/work/a20-homelet/android
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/android$
```

The firmware will be generated in the `lichee/tools/pack` .

```
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet$
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet$ cd lichee/tools/pack/
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee/tools/pack$ ls
chips  out  pack  ptools  sun7i_android_sugar-cubieaio.img
leo@leo-ubuntu:/work/a20-homelet/lichee/tools/pack$
```

The firmware's path:

`lichee/tools/pack/sun7i_android_sugar-cubieaio.img`