

User Guide Standards

13.3" Kaleido ePaper Display (SD1452-NCB)

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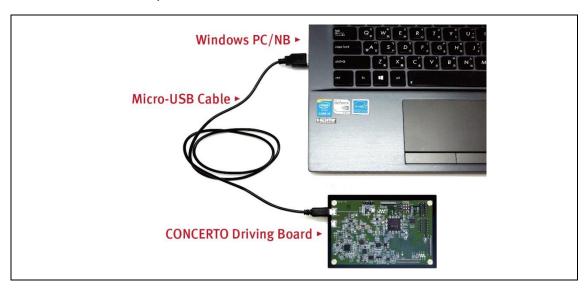
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Firmware Update SOP

1. Hardware Guide

(1) Hardware Requirements

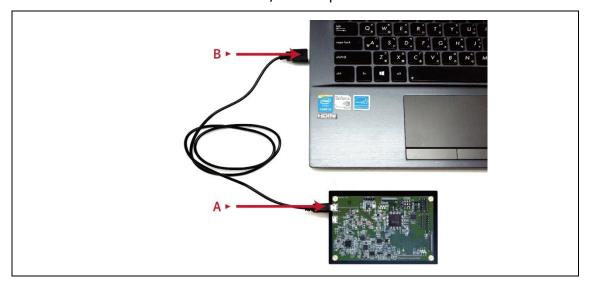
The firmware update requirements included the CONCERTO driving board, micro-USB cable and Windows PC/NB.



(2) Hardware Installation

Refer to following figure to setup CONCERTO driving board and connect it to your PC/NB:

- A Connect the micro-USB cable to CONCERTO driving board
- B Connect the micro-USB cable to PC/NB USB port



2. Software Guide

(1) Software Requirements

Application software ITE_TCon_DemoAP_v2.6.0 exe required.

Firmware required: Load the corresponding bin file of ePaper display.

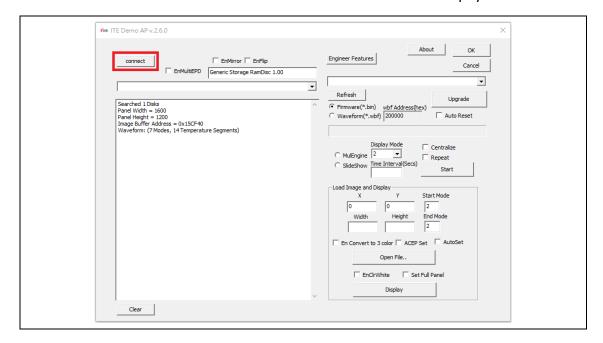
Put the firmware with application software in the same folder.



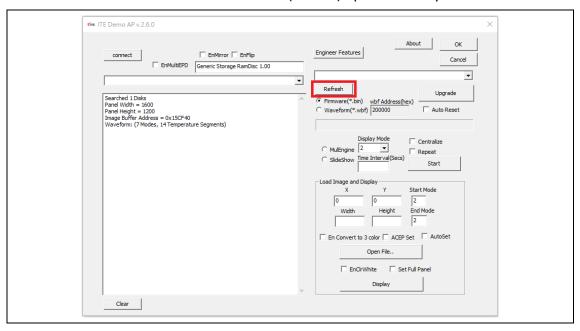
(2) Firmware Update by Application Software

• Press icon ITE_TCon_DemoAP_2.6.0.exe to open application software.

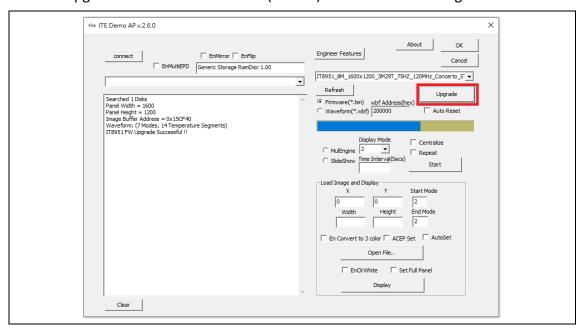
Click "connect" button to make sure the software has connected to physical drive.



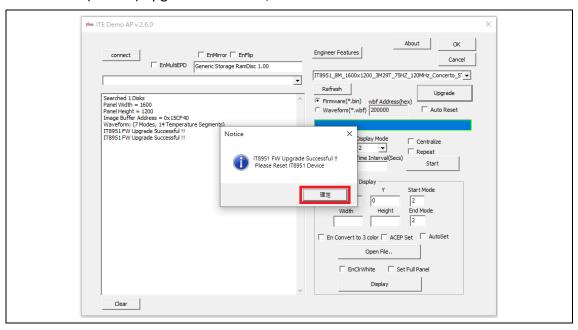
• Click "Refresh" and choose the firmware (bin file) option which you need to load:



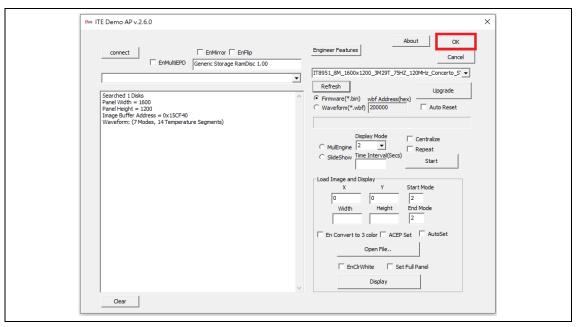
• Click "Upgrade" to load the firmware (bin file) to CONCERTO driving board.



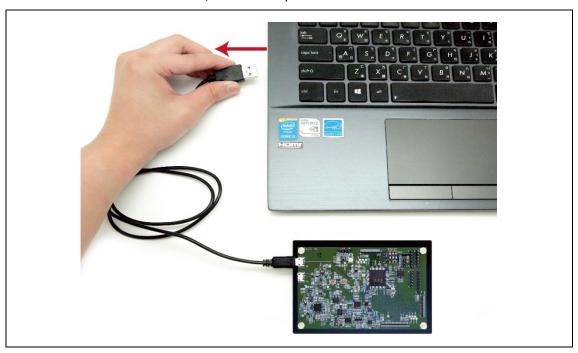
• Firmware (bin file) upgrade successful, click "OK" button.



• Click "OK" button to close the application software.



• Pull out the micro-USB cable, firmware update finished.



ePaper Display Update SOP

1 Introduction

E Ink's CONCERTO demo kit is intended to highlight the features and benefits of the 13.3" Kaleido ePaper display (EPD) display. This is an E Ink Kaleido™ 3 technology display module. It contains a TFT substrate, e-paper, front light and color components and has an active area of 13.3 inches. This module is capable of displaying images from 2-16 gray levels (1-4 bits), depending on the display controller and the associated wave file it uses. The front light can reduce light scatter to create more vivid images.

Included in the CONCERTO demo kit is CONCERTO driving board, micro-USB cable, transfer boards, transfer cables and jumpers.

(1) Package Contents

This demo kit contains the following:

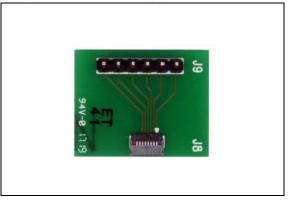
- CONCERTO Driving board
- Micro-USB cable
- Transfer board for touch
- Transfer board for front light
- 6 pins cable
- 4 pins cable
- Jumper
- FPC adapter
- FL adapter



CONCERTO Driving board



Micro-USB cable



Transfer board for touch

Transfer board for front light



6 pins cable

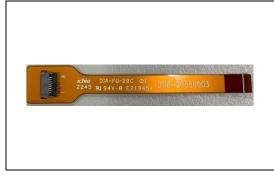


4 pins cable



Jumper





FPC adapter FL adapter

Specification

Item	Specification
TCON	IT8951 DX
TCON Solution	Hardware TCON
LED Driving IC	LM3532
LED Driving Solution	I2C I/F control
E Ink Display Panel	13.3" Kaleido 3 Outdoor
Dimension (WxHxD mm)	285.80(W)*213.65(H)*1.98(D)
Shape	Rectangular
Resolution	1600 (H)×1200 (V)
Input	5Vdc (USB), power on when connected to PC

2. Hardware Guide

(1) Hardware Requirements



CONCERTO Driving Board Demo Kits







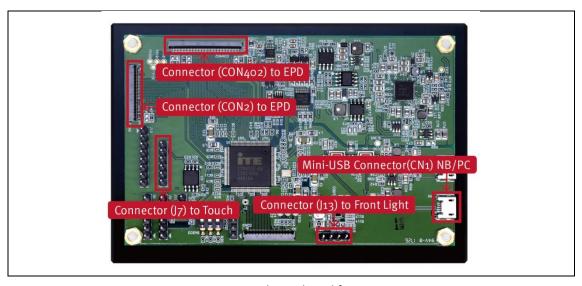
Windows PC/NB

Table 1 Minimum PC Requirements

CPU	Pentium III 800 MHz or later
RAM	128MB or greater
Required Software	Windows 7 or newer
Interface	USB port

(2) Demo Kit Hardware Description

The demo kit includes a CONCERTO driving board. The CONCERTO driving board (connector 2 or connector 402) and E Ink ePaper display (EPD) panel are connected via a corresponding FPC adapter. The demo kit is included the touch (connector J7) and front light (connector J13) function. The micro USB port on the demo kit supplies power and data to the ITE board and E Ink panel. Users can easily demo the touch, front light and image update function on the touch screen of ePaper display. Furthermore, using the E Ink PC application, users can send customized image data to the board or update settings.



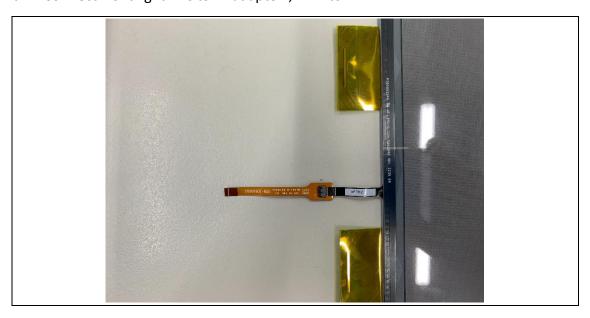
CONCERTO driving board function

(3) Hardware Installation

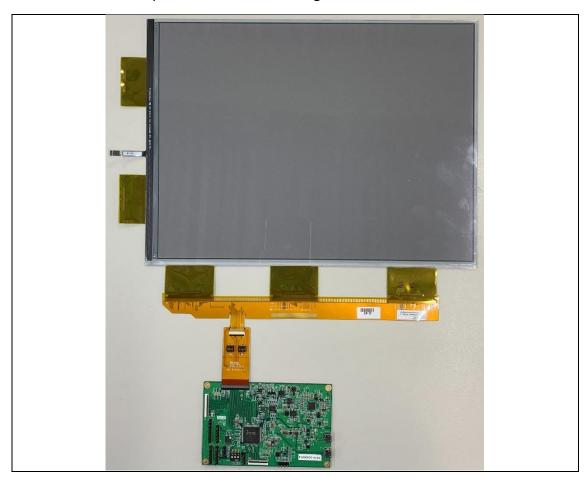
a Connect SD1452-NCB EPD to FPC adapter.



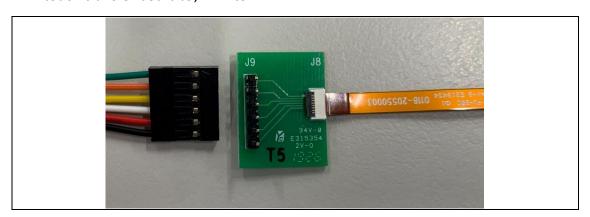
b Connect front light FPC to FL adapter. , Pin1 to Pin1



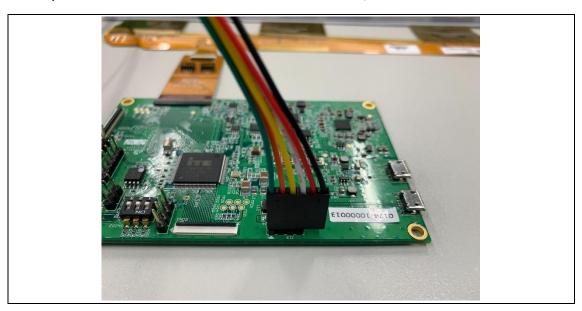
c Connect FPC adapter to CONCERTO driving board.



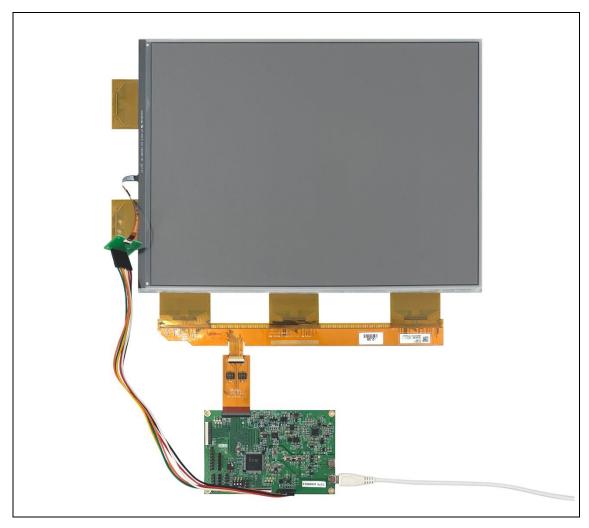
d Connect FL adapter to touch transfer board J8, Pin1 to Pin1. 6 pins cable connects touch transfer board J9, Pin1 to Pin1.



e 6 pins cable connects to CONCERTO J13 connector, Pin1 to Pin1.



f Connect micro USB cable to CONCERTO CN1 and PC/NB USB port.

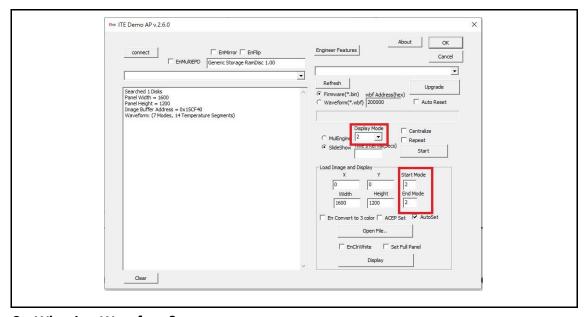


3. Software Guide

(1) Software Requirements

Application software ITE_TCon_DemoAP_v2.6.0exe required.

(2) E Ink APPLICATION Display mode Introduction



What is a Waveform?

A predefined sequence of voltages applied to the E Ink material to switch it from one gray tone to another gray tone.

Paired to display by production lot, display size, and waveform type.

Standard waveforms ensure proper product performance and reliability.

• The waveform contains the following WF modes:

➤ MODE 0 - INIT

Initialize is used to completely clear the display, if it's left in an unknown state (i.e. if the previous image has been lost by a re-boot)

➢ MODE 1 ─ WGCC2

Wide temperature Grayscale Clear, 2 Levels. It can update any changed gray tone pixel to black or white only. It only updates changed pixels.

➢ MODE 2 ─ GCC16

Grayscale Clear, 16 Levels. A "more flashy" waveform used for 16 level grayscale images. This provides the best image appearance. All the pixels are updated or cleared.

(3) Display selected image to EPD

Procedures are as following:

- Run "ITE_TCon_DemoAP_v2.6.0exe" software
- Click "Connect" button to make sure the software has connected to physical drive(Figure 3-2-a)

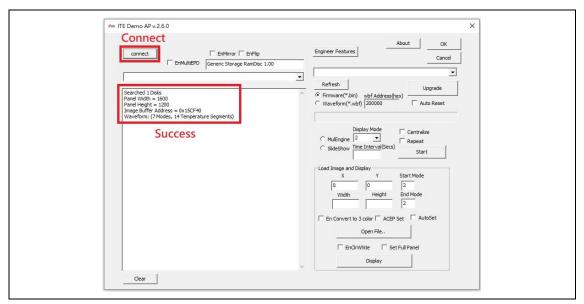


Figure 3-2-a

- Display EPD operation by USB interface contains the following steps:
- ➤ Initial the SD1452-NCB EPD and CONCERTO driving board. (Figure 3-2-b)
- > Set the "Start Mode" and "End Mode" to "mode 0".
- > Check "EnClrWhite" item.
- Click "Display" icon, SD1452-NCB EPD initial to white pattern.

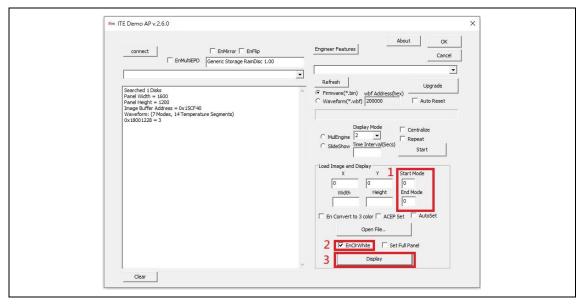


Figure 3-2-b

- Load images and display on the SD1452-NCB EPD.
- Set the "Start Mode" and "End Mode" to "mode 2", check "AutoSet" Item to auto set the resolution (Figure 3-2-c)

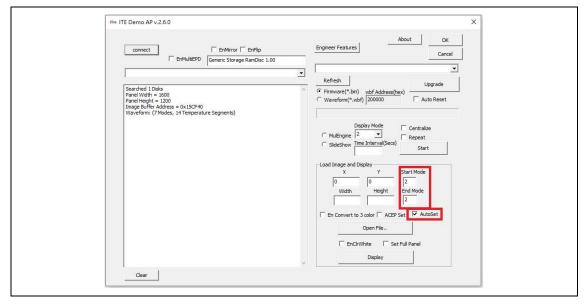


Figure 3-2-c

Click "Open File.." to open a file browser to select an image. (Figure 3-2-d, Figure 3-2-e)

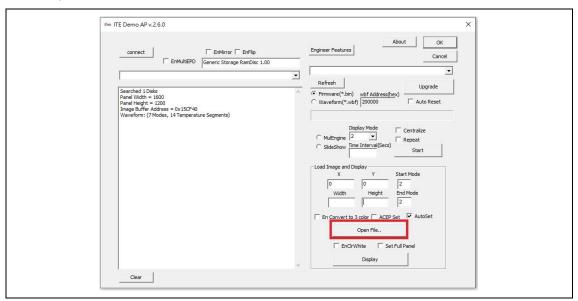


Figure 3-2-d



Figure 3-2-e

Display selected image to EPD (Figure 3-2-f)

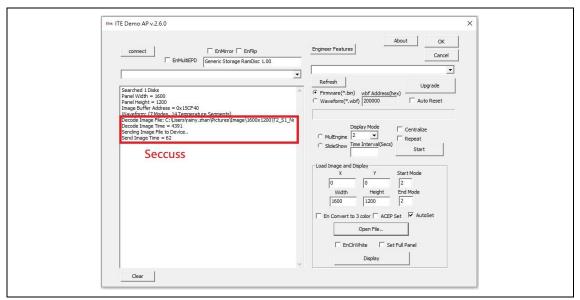


Figure 3-2-f

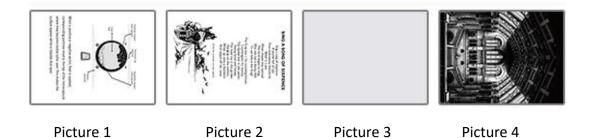
(4) Slide Show Function

Select the display image.

Named the folder "SlideShowImages" that including the pictures you what to display, it needs to be in the same folder with the "ITE_Tcon_DemoAP_v2.6.0exe"



For example: "SlideShowImages" contains 4 pictures:



• Connect to the CONCERTO driving board. (Figure 3-2-g)

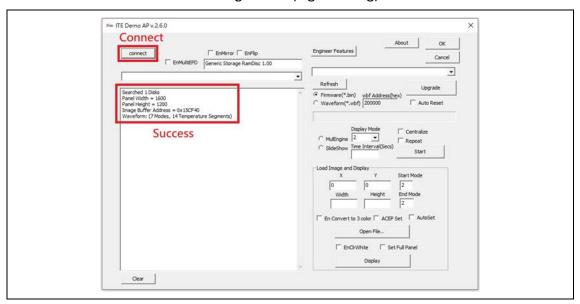


Figure 3-2-g

The AP is connecting to the CONCERTO driving board successfully.

• Slide Show display (Not Repeat) (Figure 3-2-h)

Operating Steps:

- (1) Select "Display Mode".
- (2) Choose "SlideShow" option.
- (3) Press "Start" button.

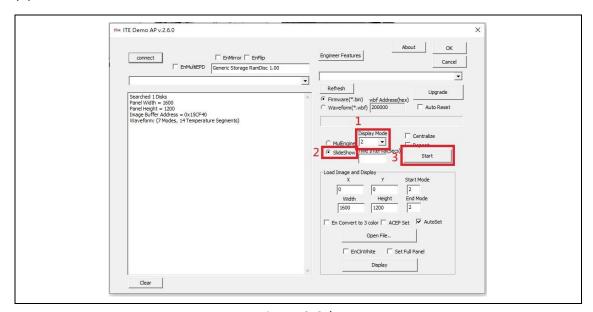


Figure 3-2-h

Image order:

Picture 1→Picture 2→Picture 3→Picture 4

Slide Show Display (Repeat) (Figure 3-2-i)

Operating steps:

- (1) Select "Display Mode".
- (2) Choose "SlideShow "option.
- (3) Check "Repeat" option.
- (4) Press "Start" button.

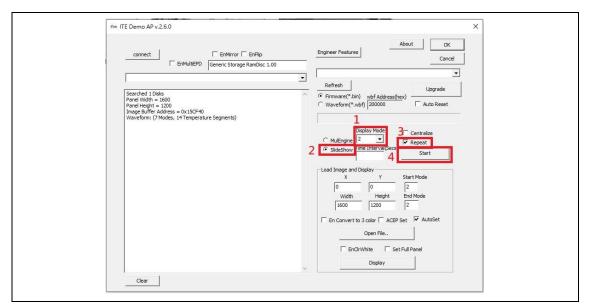


Figure 3-2-i

Image order:

Picture 1→Picture 2→Picture 3→Picture 4



- Disconnection
- > Disconnect micro USB cable from PC/NB.
- Disconnect micro USB cable from CONCERTO driving board.
- Disconnection of the CONCERTO driving board and EPD(ePaper display).

Disconnect the EPD from CONCERTO driving board and change with another EPD.

4. Troubleshooting

Below list is commonly asked question:

Number	Name	Description
1	13.3" Kaleido EPD demo kit	Cause: USB cable is damaged or PC/NB doesn't
	is not detected by the	recognize CONCERTO.
	PC/NB	Solution: Replace the micro USB cable or reconnect
		micro USB cable.

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