How do I read data from or write data to SRAM of XPAC

Applies to:

Platform	OS version	XPAC utility version
XPAC series	All versions (WinCE6)	All versions

The XPAC SDKs provides a complete solution to integrate with XPAC and compatible with Visual C#, Visual Basic .net and C++.

The example using MFC、C# and VB.Net demonstrates how to read and write data in SRAM, please perform the following steps to build a program.
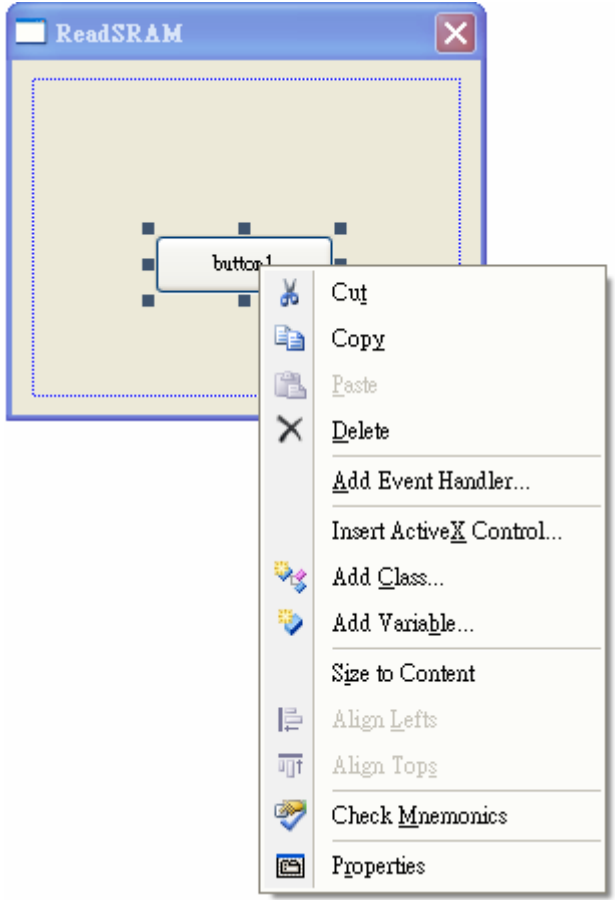
Using MFC to read and write data in SRAM

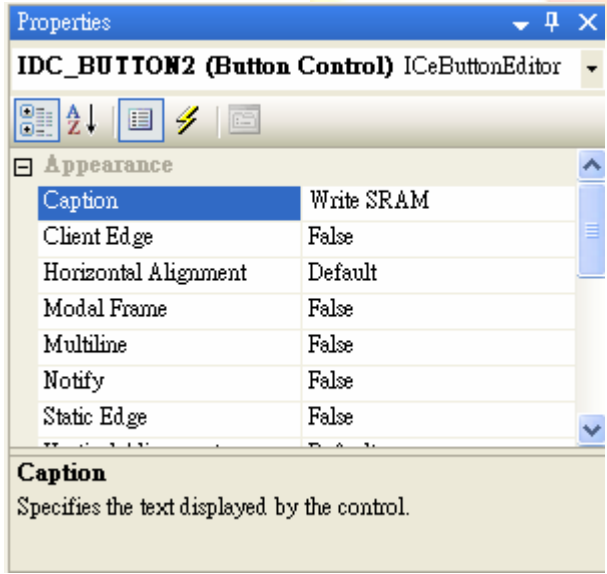**Step 1**: From the Toolbox, drag a Button control onto the form
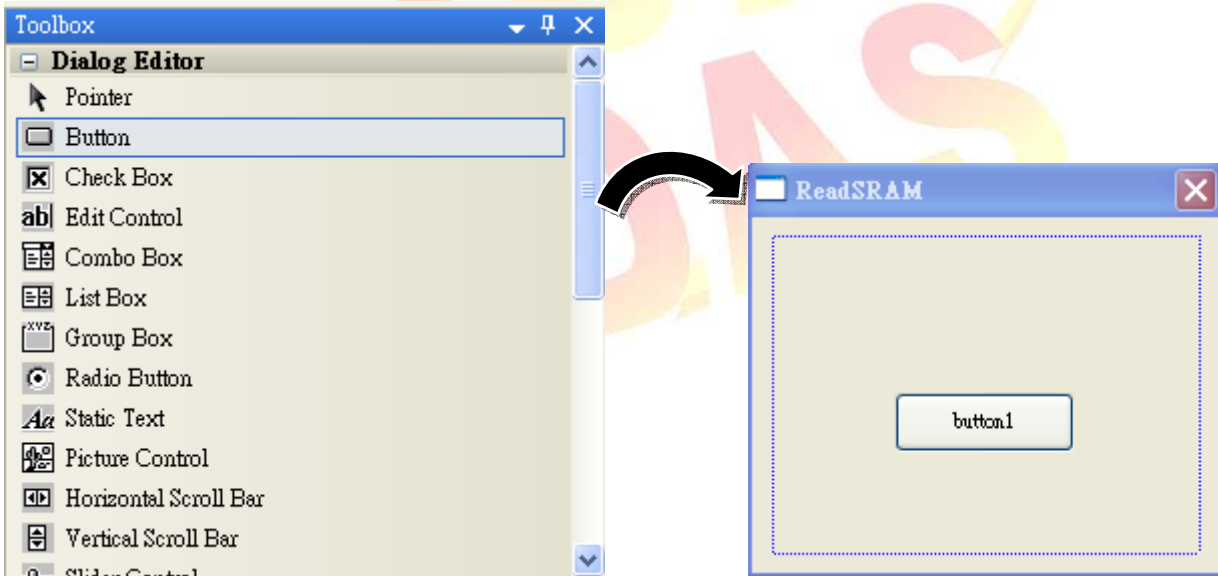
Step 2: Right-click the Button control, and then click Properties

Step 3: In the Properties window, type "Write SRAM", and press ENTER to set the Caption property.
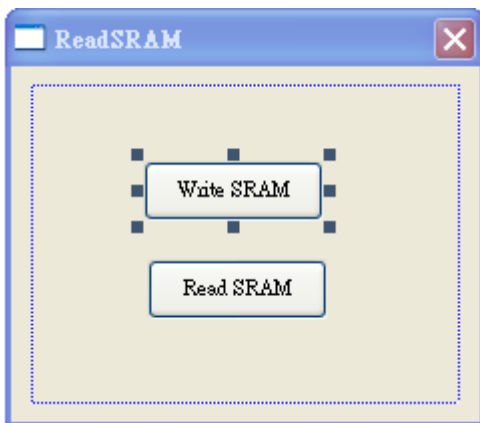
Step 4: Repeat the Step 1~3 to add a button named as "Read SRAM".

Step 5: Add "#include "XPacSDK_CE.h" in main file.

```
// ReadSRAMDlg.cpp : implementa
//

#include "stdafx.h"
#include "ReadSRAM.h"
#include "ReadSRAMDlg.h"
#include "XPacSDK_CE.h"
```

Step 6: Double-click the "Write SRAM" button on the form

Insert following code in "Write SRAM" button click event.

```
void CReadSRAMDlg::OnBnClickedButton2()
{
    // TODO: Add your control notification handler code here
    BYTE data='a';

    pac_WriteMemory(0,&data,1,0);

    printf("write data: %c\n",data);
}
```

Using "pac_WriteMemory" to write data to SRAM, this function 1st parameter is memory address, 2nd parameter is write data, 3rd parameter is data length and 4th parameter is memory type(0: SRAM, 1:EEPROM).

"pac_WriteMemory" Syntax

> bool pac_WriteMemory(DWORD address, LPBYTE lpBuffer, DWORD dwLength, int mem_type);

Step 7: Double-click the "Read SRAM" button on the form

Insert following code in "Read SRAM" button click event.

```
void CReadSRAMDlg::OnBnClickedButton1()
{
    // TODO: Add your control notification handler code here
    BYTE data=0;

    pac_ReadMemory(0,&data,1,0);

    printf("read data: %c\n",data);
}
```

Using "pac_ReadMemory" to read data from SRAM, this function 1st parameter is memory address, 2nd parameter is read data buffer, 3rd parameter is data length and 4th parameter is memory type.

"pac_ReadMemory" Syntax

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Step 8: Build and execute

Click "Build"→"Build Solution" to build the project, and a execute file will be obtained in the project folder. Put this execute file in your XPAC and execute it.
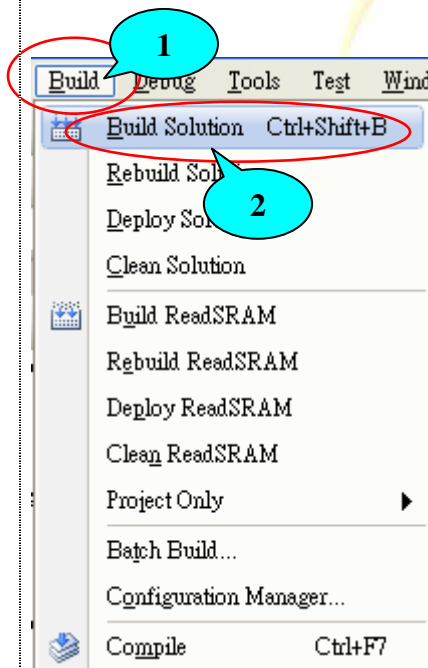
This program results the following picture.

```
File   Edit   Help
write data: a
read data: a
```

Tips & Warnings

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- X5-27_How to write a MFC application with XPAC SDK in visual studio 2005
- X5-30_How to write a MFC application with XPAC SDK in visual studio 2008

Using C# to read and write data in SRAM

Step 1: From the Toolbox, drag two buttons control onto the form and two buttons text properties are "Read SRAM" and "Write SRAM". (The steps are the same with the Step 1~3 of **Using MFC to read and write data in SRAM**).

Step 2: Get the XPacNet.dll and copy it to the project folder. The XPacNet.dll can be obtained from any C# demo program that has been provided on the CD or by downloading the latest version from ICP DAS web site.

1. CD:\SDK\XPacNET
2. ftp://ftp.icpdas.com/pub/cd/xp-8000-ce6/sdk/xpacnet/
3. ftp://ftp.icpdas.com/pub/cd/xpac-atom-ce6/sdk/xpacnet/

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⚠️ Refer to the FAQ documents below to add XPacNet.dll to the project.
● X5-28_How to write a C#.net application with XPAC SDK in visual studio 2005
● X5-31_How to write a C#.net application with XPAC SDK in visual studio 2008

Step 3: Double-click the "Write SRAM" button on the form
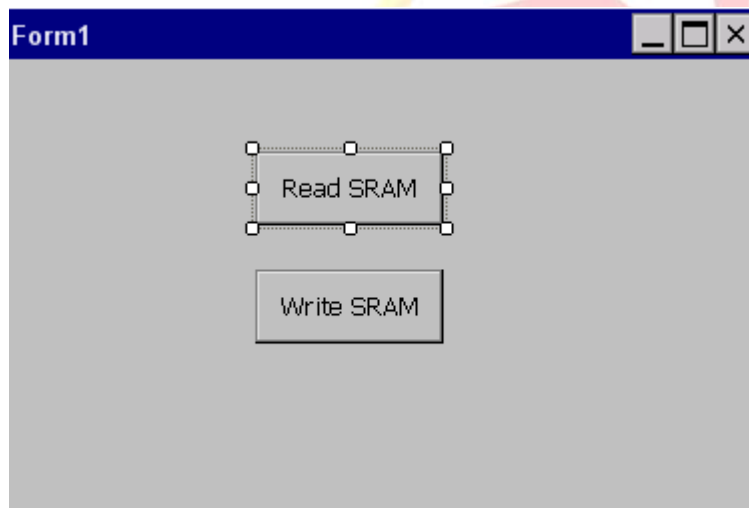
Step 4: Inserting the following code

Insert following code in the click event of "Write SRAM" button

```
private void button2_Click(object sender, EventArgs e)
{
    byte[] data = new byte[20];
    data[0] = Convert.ToByte('a');
    XPacNET.XPac.pac_WriteMemory(0, data, 20, 0);

}
```

Using "pac_WriteMemory" to writing data to SRAM, the 1st parameter is memory address, 2nd parameter is write data, 3rd parameter is data length and 4th parameter is memory type (0: SRAM, 1:EEPROM).

"pac_WriteMemory" Syntax

```
bool pac_WriteMemory(uint index, byte[] Buffer, uint Length, int mem_type);
```

Insert following code in the click event of "Read SRAM" button.

```
private void button1_Click(object sender, EventArgs e)
{
    byte[] data = new byte[20];
    XPacNET.XPac.pac_ReadMemory(0, data, 1, 0);
    string str = Encoding.ASCII.GetString(data, 0, 20);
    MessageBox.Show("Read memory: "+ str);
}
```

Using "pac_ReadMemory" to reading data from SRAM, the 1st parameter is memory address, 2nd parameter is read data buffer, 3rd parameter is data length and 4th parameter is memory type.
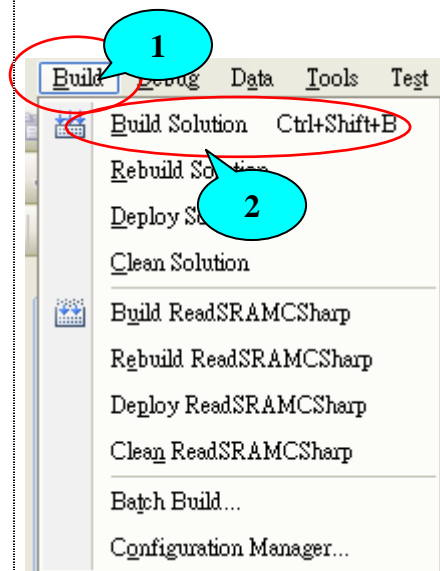
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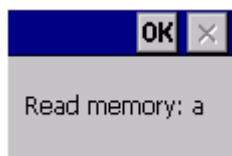
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Using VB.Net to read and write data in SRAM

Step 1: From the Toolbox, drag two buttons control onto the form and two buttons text properties are "Read SRAM" and "Write SRAM". (The steps are the same with the Step 1~3 of **Using MFC to read and write data in SRAM**).

Step 2: Get the XPacNet.dll and copy it to the project folder. The XPacNet.dll can be obtained from any VB.Net demo program that has been provided on the CD or by downloading the latest version from ICP DAS web site.

1. CD:\SDK\XPacNET
2. ftp://ftp.icpdas.com/pub/cd/xp-8000-ce6/sdk/xpacnet/
3. ftp://ftp.icpdas.com/pub/cd/xpac-atom-ce6/sdk/xpacnet/

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⚠️ Refer to the FAQ documents below to add XPacNet.dll to the project.
- X5-29_ How to write a VB.net application with XPAC SDK in visual studio 2005
- X5-32_How to write a VB.net application with XPAC SDK in visual studio 2008

Step 3: Double-click there buttons on the form
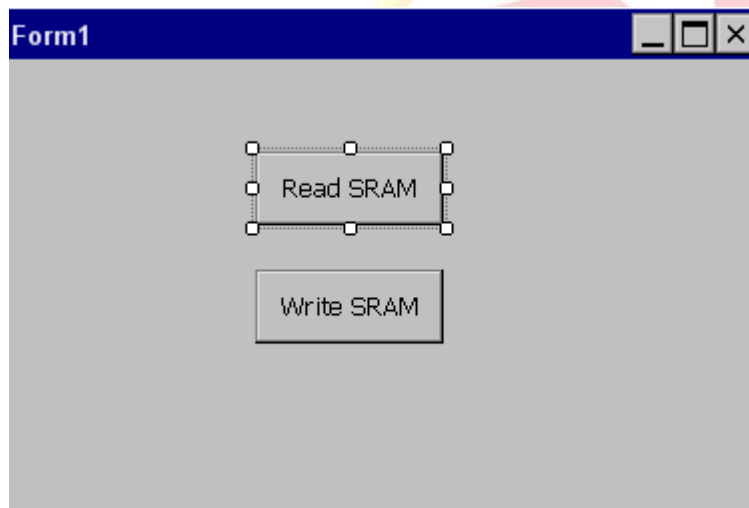
Step 4: Inserting the following code

Insert following code in "Write SRAM" button click event.

```vb
Private Sub Button2_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles Button2.Click
    Dim data(20) As Byte
    Dim encoding As New System.Text.UTF8Encoding()
    data = encoding.GetBytes("a")
    XPacNET.XPac.pac_WriteMemory(0, data, 20, 0)
End Sub
```

Using "pac_WriteMemory" to writing data to SRAM, the 1st parameter is memory address, 2nd parameter is write data, 3rd parameter is data length and 4th parameter is memory type (0: SRAM, 1:EEPROM).

"pac_WriteMemory" Syntax

```
bool pac_WriteMemory(index AS UInteger, Buffer() AS byte, Length AS UInteger,
mem_type AS Integer);
```

Insert following code in "Read SRAM" button click event.

```vb
Private Sub Button1_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles Button1.Click
    Dim data(20) As Byte
    Dim str As String
    Dim enc As New System.Text.UTF8Encoding()
    XPacNET.XPac.pac_ReadMemory(0, data, 20, 0)
    str = enc.GetString(data, 0, 20)
    MsgBox("read data:" + str)
End Sub
```

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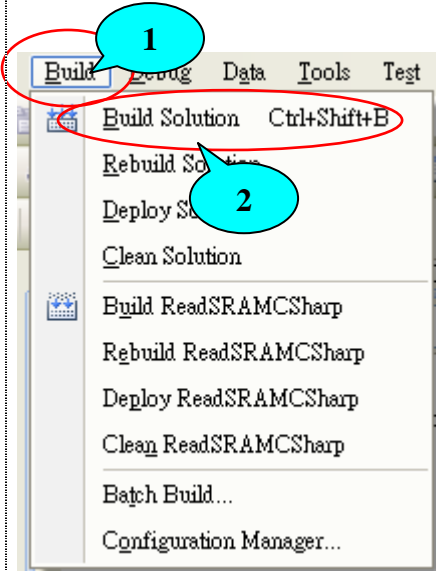
"pac_ReadMemory" Syntax

```
bool pac_ReadMemory(uint index, byte[] Buffer, uint Length, int mem_type);
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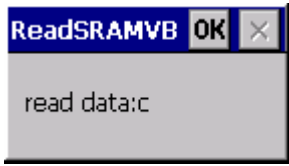
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