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Details

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| Product Status | Active |
| Core Processor | ARM® Cortex®-M3 |
| Core Size | 32-Bit Single-Core |
| Speed | 48MHz |
| Connectivity | I ² C, IrDA, SmartCard, SPI, UART/USART |
| Peripherals | Brown-out Detect/Reset, DMA, LCD, POR, PWM, WDT |
| Number of I/O | 56 |
| Program Memory Size | 512KB (512K x 8) |
| Program Memory Type | FLASH |
| EEPROM Size | - |
| RAM Size | 128K x 8 |
| Voltage - Supply (Vcc/Vdd) | 1.98V ~ 3.8V |
| Data Converters | A/D 8x12b; D/A 2x12b |
| Oscillator Type | Internal |
| Operating Temperature | -40°C ~ 85°C (TA) |
| Mounting Type | Surface Mount |
| Package / Case | 64-VFQFN Exposed Pad |
| Supplier Device Package | 64-QFN (9x9) |
| Purchase URL | https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/silicon-labs/efm32gg840f512g-e-qfn64r |

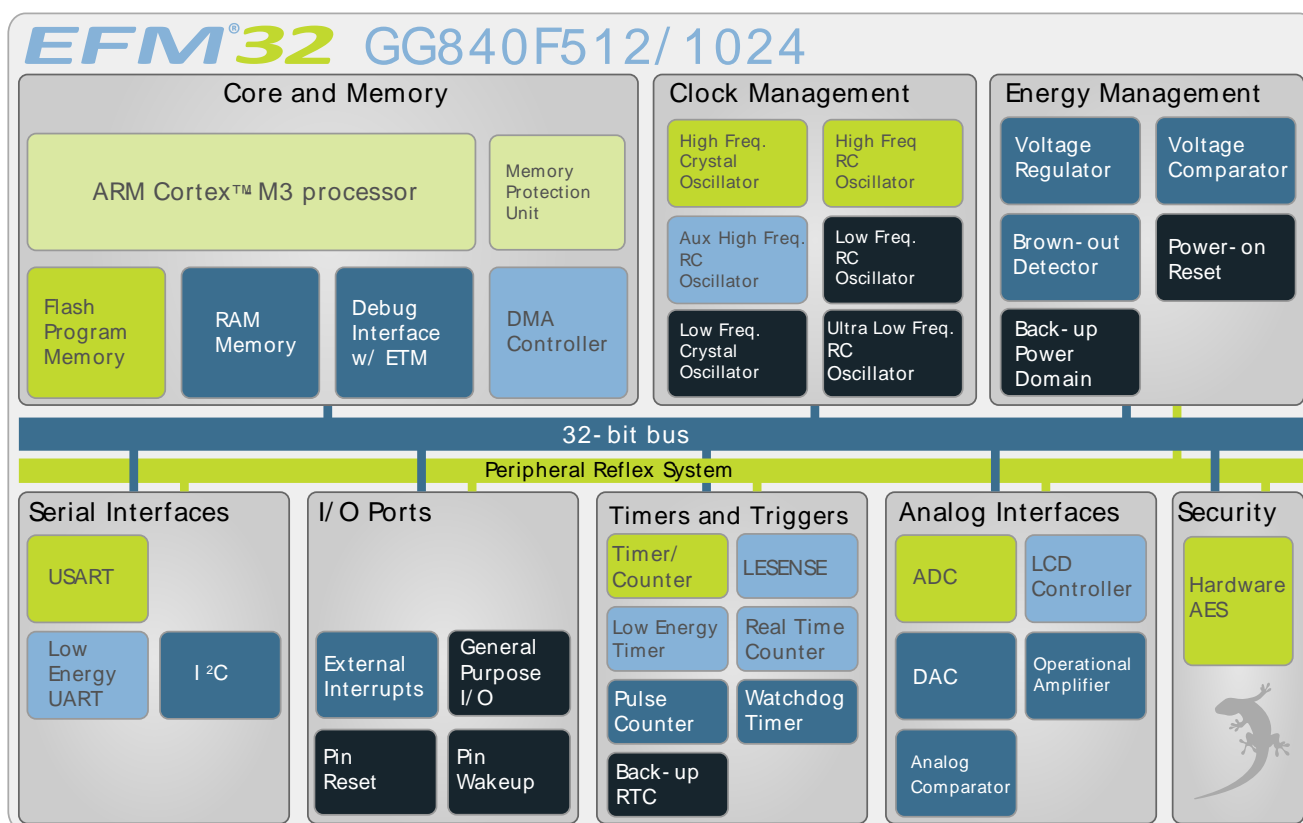
2 System Summary

2.1 System Introduction

The EFM32 MCUs are the world's most energy friendly microcontrollers. With a unique combination of the powerful 32-bit ARM Cortex-M3, innovative low energy techniques, short wake-up time from energy saving modes, and a wide selection of peripherals, the EFM32GG microcontroller is well suited for any battery operated application as well as other systems requiring high performance and low-energy consumption. This section gives a short introduction to each of the modules in general terms and also shows a summary of the configuration for the EFM32GG840 devices. For a complete feature set and in-depth information on the modules, the reader is referred to the *EFM32GG Reference Manual*.

A block diagram of the EFM32GG840 is shown in Figure 2.1 (p. 3) .

Figure 2.1. Block Diagram



2.1.1 ARM Cortex-M3 Core

The ARM Cortex-M3 includes a 32-bit RISC processor which can achieve as much as 1.25 Dhrystone MIPS/MHz. A Memory Protection Unit with support for up to 8 memory segments is included, as well as a Wake-up Interrupt Controller handling interrupts triggered while the CPU is asleep. The EFM32 implementation of the Cortex-M3 is described in detail in *EFM32 Cortex-M3 Reference Manual*.

2.1.2 Debug Interface (DBG)

This device includes hardware debug support through a 2-pin serial-wire debug interface and an Embedded Trace Module (ETM) for data/instruction tracing. In addition there is also a 1-wire Serial Wire Viewer pin which can be used to output profiling information, data trace and software-generated messages.

2.1.3 Memory System Controller (MSC)

The Memory System Controller (MSC) is the program memory unit of the EFM32GG microcontroller. The flash memory is readable and writable from both the Cortex-M3 and DMA. The flash memory is divided into two blocks; the main block and the information block. Program code is normally written to the main block. Additionally, the information block is available for special user data and flash lock bits. There is also a read-only page in the information block containing system and device calibration data. Read and write operations are supported in the energy modes EM0 and EM1.

2.1.4 Direct Memory Access Controller (DMA)

The Direct Memory Access (DMA) controller performs memory operations independently of the CPU. This has the benefit of reducing the energy consumption and the workload of the CPU, and enables the system to stay in low energy modes when moving for instance data from the USART to RAM or from the External Bus Interface to a PWM-generating timer. The DMA controller uses the PL230 μ DMA controller licensed from ARM.

2.1.5 Reset Management Unit (RMU)

The RMU is responsible for handling the reset functionality of the EFM32GG.

2.1.6 Energy Management Unit (EMU)

The Energy Management Unit (EMU) manage all the low energy modes (EM) in EFM32GG microcontrollers. Each energy mode manages if the CPU and the various peripherals are available. The EMU can also be used to turn off the power to unused SRAM blocks.

2.1.7 Clock Management Unit (CMU)

The Clock Management Unit (CMU) is responsible for controlling the oscillators and clocks on-board the EFM32GG. The CMU provides the capability to turn on and off the clock on an individual basis to all peripheral modules in addition to enable/disable and configure the available oscillators. The high degree of flexibility enables software to minimize energy consumption in any specific application by not wasting power on peripherals and oscillators that are inactive.

2.1.8 Watchdog (WDOG)

The purpose of the watchdog timer is to generate a reset in case of a system failure, to increase application reliability. The failure may e.g. be caused by an external event, such as an ESD pulse, or by a software failure.

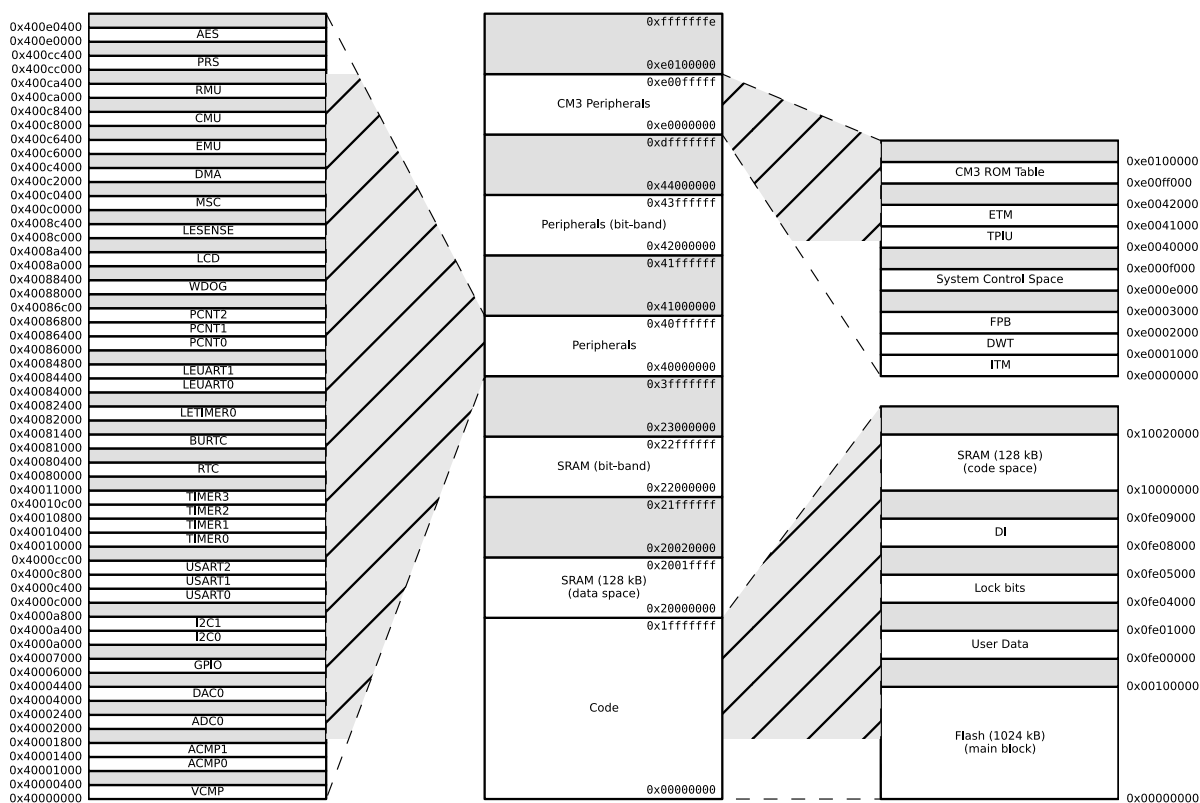
2.1.9 Peripheral Reflex System (PRS)

The Peripheral Reflex System (PRS) system is a network which lets the different peripheral module communicate directly with each other without involving the CPU. Peripheral modules which send out Reflex signals are called producers. The PRS routes these reflex signals to consumer peripherals which apply actions depending on the data received. The format for the Reflex signals is not given, but edge triggers and other functionality can be applied by the PRS.

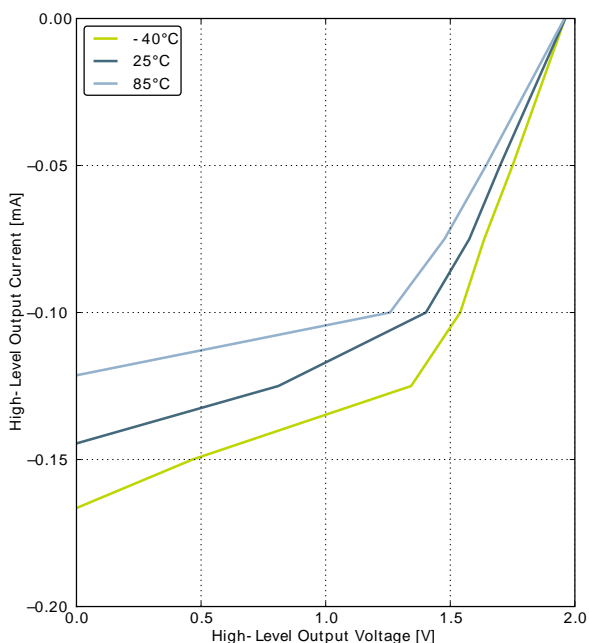
2.1.10 Inter-Integrated Circuit Interface (I2C)

The I²C module provides an interface between the MCU and a serial I²C-bus. It is capable of acting as both a master and a slave, and supports multi-master buses. Both standard-mode, fast-mode and fast-mode plus speeds are supported, allowing transmission rates all the way from 10 kbit/s up to 1 Mbit/s. Slave arbitration and timeouts are also provided to allow implementation of an SMBus compliant system. The interface provided to software by the I²C module, allows both fine-grained control of the transmission

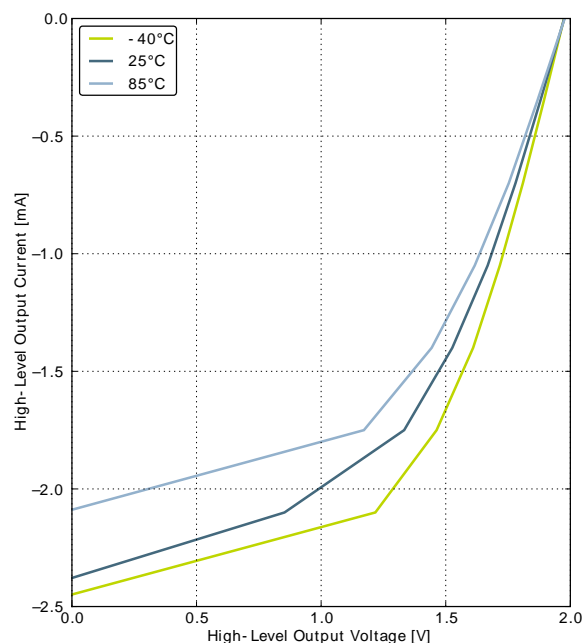
Figure 2.2. EFM32GG840 Memory Map with largest RAM and Flash sizes



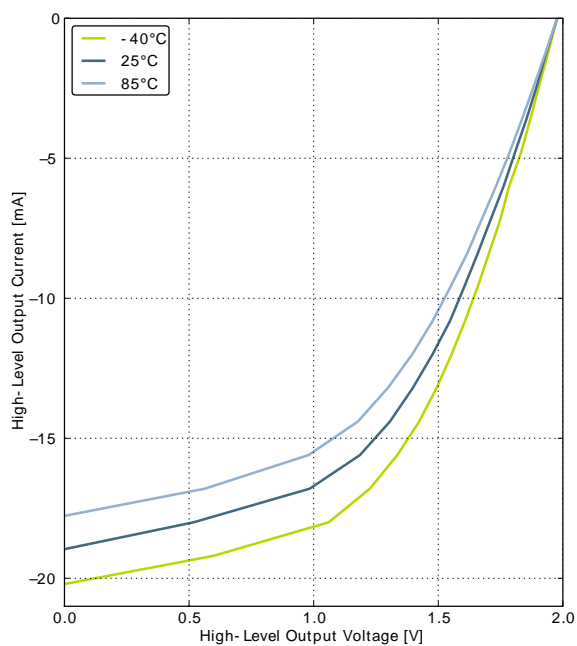
| Symbol | Parameter | Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|----------------|--|--|--------------|-----------|--------------|------|
| | | Sinking 20 mA, $V_{DD}=3.0$ V, GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = HIGH | | | $0.20V_{DD}$ | V |
| I_{IOLEAK} | Input leakage current | High Impedance IO connected to GROUND or V_{DD} | | ± 0.1 | ± 40 | nA |
| R_{PU} | I/O pin pull-up resistor | | | 40 | | kOhm |
| R_{PD} | I/O pin pull-down resistor | | | 40 | | kOhm |
| R_{IOESD} | Internal ESD series resistor | | | 200 | | Ohm |
| $t_{IOGLITCH}$ | Pulse width of pulses to be removed by the glitch suppression filter | | 10 | | 50 | ns |
| t_{IOOF} | Output fall time | GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = LOWEST and load capacitance $C_L=12.5-25$ pF. | $20+0.1C_L$ | | 250 | ns |
| | | GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = LOW and load capacitance $C_L=350-600$ pF | $20+0.1C_L$ | | 250 | ns |
| V_{IOHYST} | I/O pin hysteresis (V_{IOTHR+} - V_{IOTHR-}) | $V_{DD} = 1.98 - 3.8$ V | $0.10V_{DD}$ | | | V |

Figure 3.5. Typical High-Level Output Current, 2V Supply Voltage

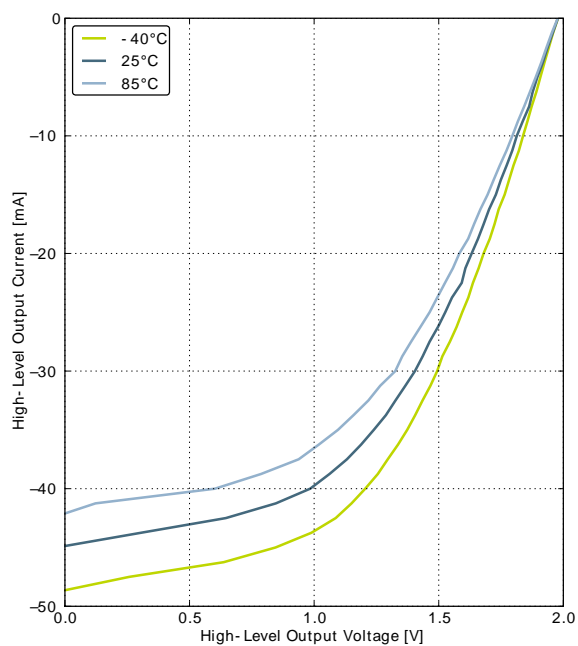
GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = LOWEST



GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = LOW

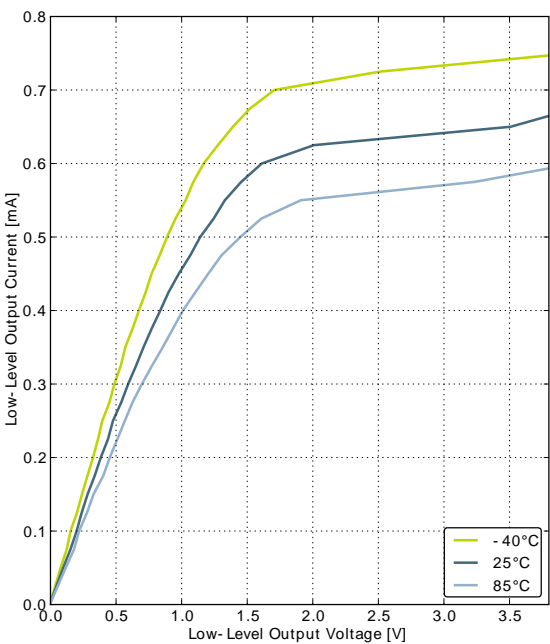


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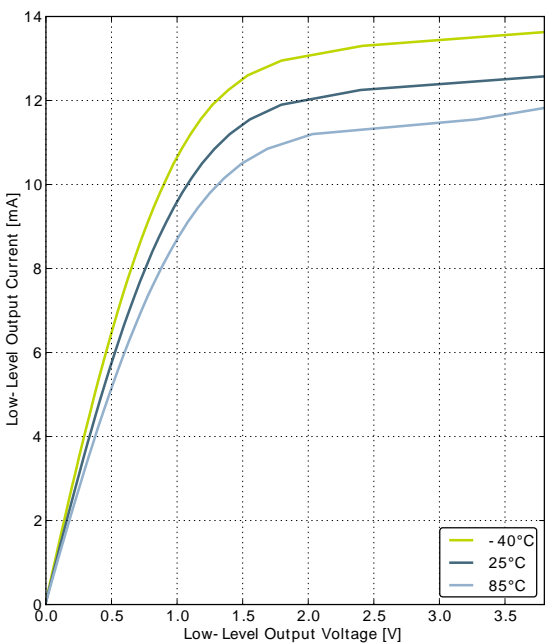


GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = HIGH

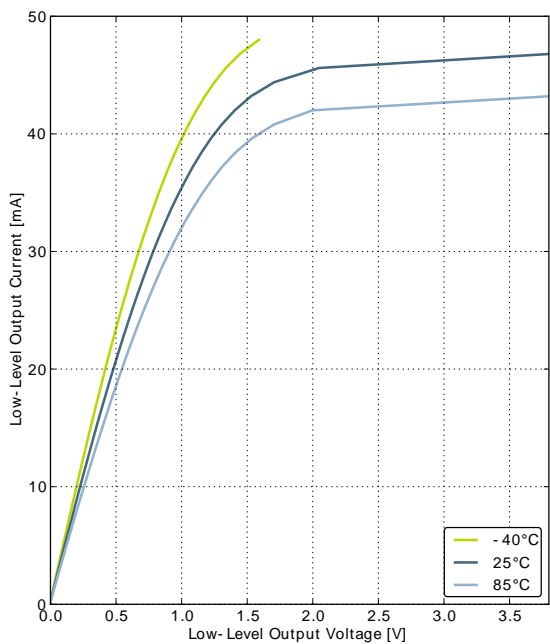
Figure 3.8. Typical Low-Level Output Current, 3.8V Supply Voltage



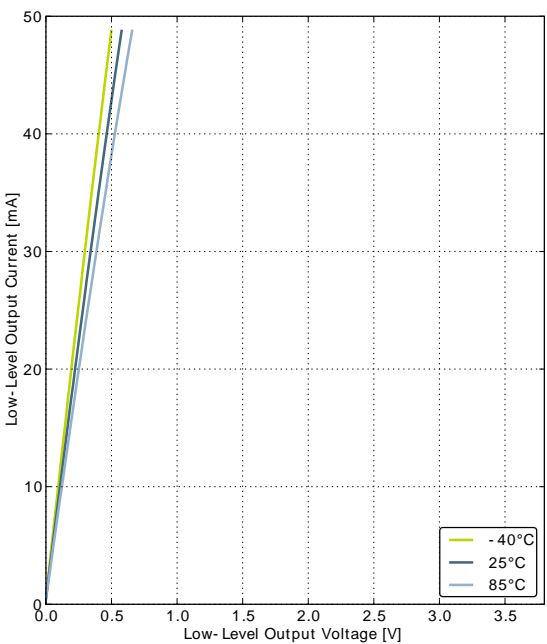
GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = LOWEST



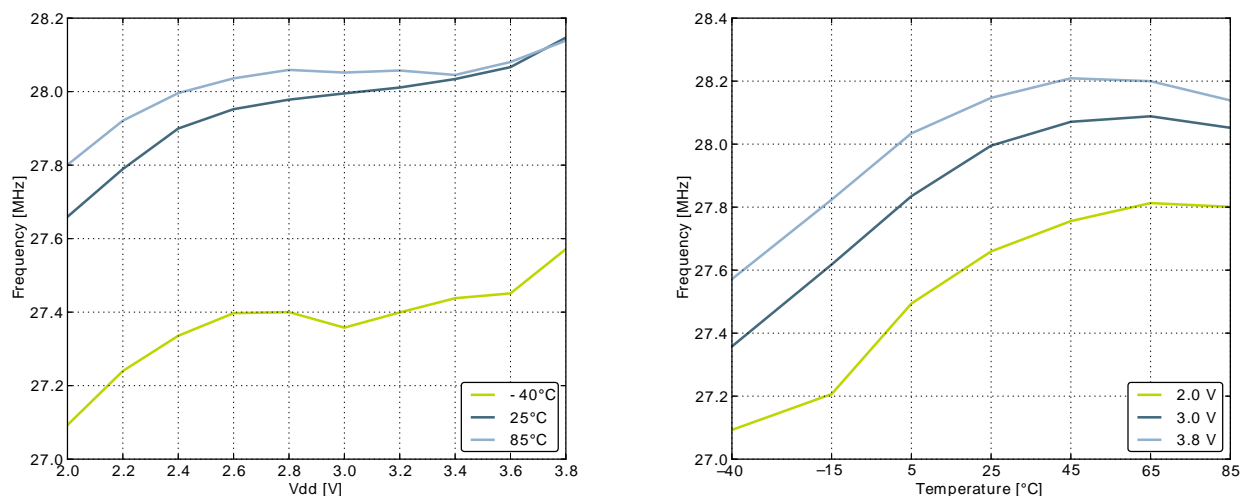
GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = LOW



GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = STANDARD



GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = HIGH

Figure 3.16. Calibrated HFRCO 28 MHz Band Frequency vs Supply Voltage and Temperature

3.9.5 AUXHFRCO

Table 3.12. AUXHFRCO

| Symbol | Parameter | Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------|
| f_{AUXHFRCO} | Oscillation frequency, $V_{\text{DD}} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{\text{AMB}} = 25^\circ\text{C}$ | 28 MHz frequency band | 27.5 | 28.0 | 28.5 | MHz |
| | | 21 MHz frequency band | 20.6 | 21.0 | 21.4 | MHz |
| | | 14 MHz frequency band | 13.7 | 14.0 | 14.3 | MHz |
| | | 11 MHz frequency band | 10.8 | 11.0 | 11.2 | MHz |
| | | 7 MHz frequency band | 6.48 ¹ | 6.60 ¹ | 6.72 ¹ | MHz |
| | | 1 MHz frequency band | 1.15 ² | 1.20 ² | 1.25 ² | MHz |
| $t_{\text{AUXHFRCO_settling}}$ | Settling time after start-up | $f_{\text{AUXHFRCO}} = 14 \text{ MHz}$ | | 0.6 | | Cycles |
| $\text{DC}_{\text{AUXHFRCO}}$ | Duty cycle | $f_{\text{AUXHFRCO}} = 14 \text{ MHz}$ | 48.5 | 50 | 51 | % |
| $\text{TUNESTEP}_{\text{AUXHFRCO}}$ | Frequency step for LSB change in TUNING value | | | 0.3 ³ | | % |

¹For devices with prod. rev. < 19, Typ = 7MHz and Min/Max values not applicable.

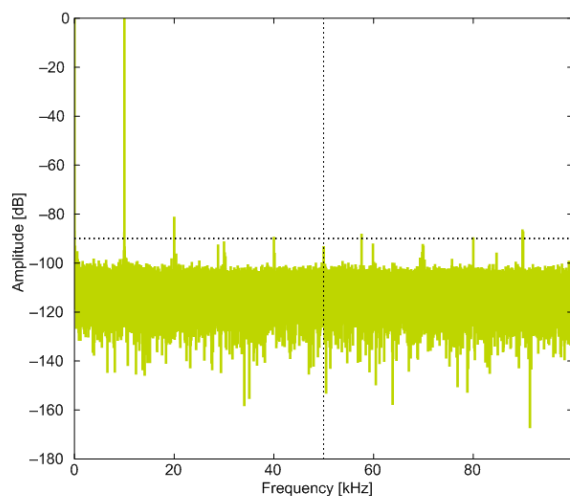
²For devices with prod. rev. < 19, Typ = 1MHz and Min/Max values not applicable.

³The TUNING field in the CMU_AUXHFRCOCTRL register may be used to adjust the AUXHFRCO frequency. There is enough adjustment range to ensure that the frequency bands above 7 MHz will always have some overlap across supply voltage and temperature. By using a stable frequency reference such as the LFXO or HFXO, a firmware calibration routine can vary the TUNING bits and the frequency band to maintain the AUXHFRCO frequency at any arbitrary value between 7 MHz and 28 MHz across operating conditions.

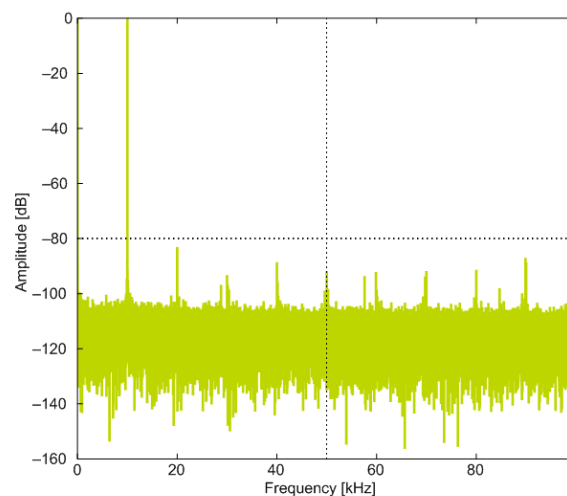
| Symbol | Parameter | Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|----------------------|--|--|-----|-----|-----|------|
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, internal 1.25V reference | | 62 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, internal 2.5V reference | | 63 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, V_{DD} reference | | 67 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, internal 1.25V reference | | 63 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, internal 2.5V reference | | 66 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, 5V reference | | 66 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, V_{DD} reference | 63 | 66 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, $2xV_{DD}$ reference | | 70 | | dB |
| SINAD _{ADC} | Signal-to-Noise And Distortion-ratio (SINAD) | 1 MSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, internal 1.25V reference | | 58 | | dB |
| | | 1 MSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, internal 2.5V reference | | 62 | | dB |
| | | 1 MSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, V_{DD} reference | | 64 | | dB |
| | | 1 MSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, internal 1.25V reference | | 60 | | dB |
| | | 1 MSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, internal 2.5V reference | | 64 | | dB |
| | | 1 MSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, 5V reference | | 54 | | dB |
| | | 1 MSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, V_{DD} reference | | 66 | | dB |
| | | 1 MSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, $2xV_{DD}$ reference | | 68 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, internal 1.25V reference | | 61 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, internal 2.5V reference | | 65 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, V_{DD} reference | | 66 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, internal 1.25V reference | | 63 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, internal 2.5V reference | | 66 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, 5V reference | | 66 | | dB |
| | | 200 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, V_{DD} reference | 62 | 65 | | dB |

3.10.1 Typical performance

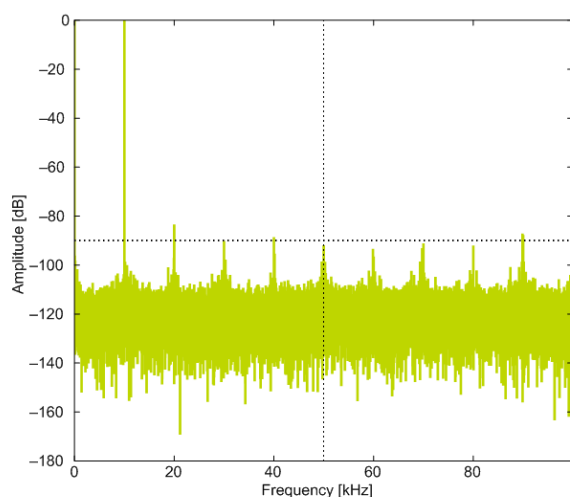
Figure 3.19. ADC Frequency Spectrum, $V_{dd} = 3V$, Temp = 25°C



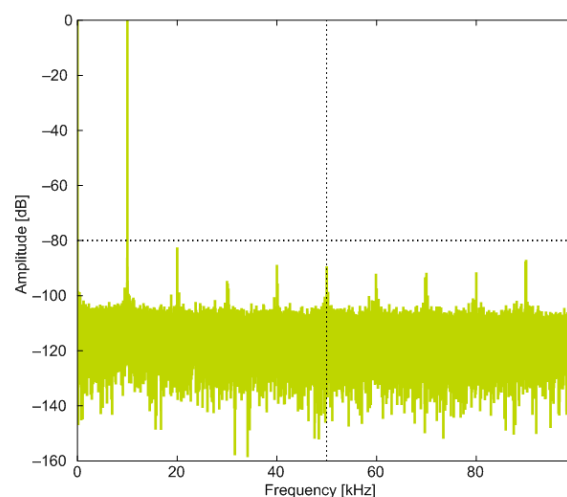
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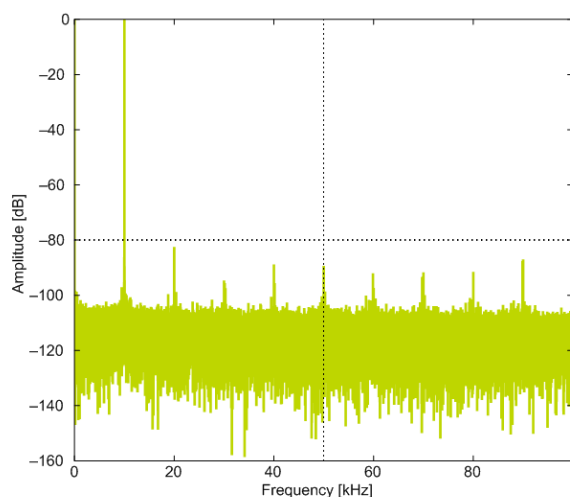
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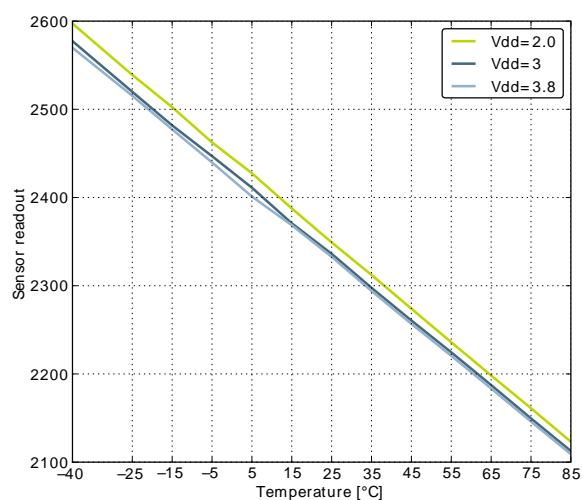
2XVDDVSS Reference



5VDIFF Reference



VDD Reference

Figure 3.24. ADC Temperature sensor readout

3.11 Digital Analog Converter (DAC)

Table 3.15. DAC

| Symbol | Parameter | Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|-----------------|--|--|-----------|------------------|------------------|------------|
| V_{DACOUT} | Output voltage range | VDD voltage reference, single ended | 0 | | V_{DD} | V |
| | | VDD voltage reference, differential | $-V_{DD}$ | | V_{DD} | V |
| V_{DACCM} | Output common mode voltage range | | 0 | | V_{DD} | V |
| I_{DAC} | Active current including references for 2 channels | 500 kSamples/s, 12 bit | | 400 ¹ | 600 ¹ | μA |
| | | 100 kSamples/s, 12 bit | | 200 ¹ | 260 ¹ | μA |
| | | 1 kSamples/s 12 bit NORMAL | | 17 ¹ | 25 ¹ | μA |
| SR_{DAC} | Sample rate | | | | 500 | ksamples/s |
| f_{DAC} | DAC clock frequency | Continuous Mode | | | 1000 | kHz |
| | | Sample/Hold Mode | | | 250 | kHz |
| | | Sample/Off Mode | | | 250 | kHz |
| $CYC_{DACCONV}$ | Clock cycles per conversion | | | 2 | | |
| $t_{DACCONV}$ | Conversion time | | 2 | | | μs |
| $t_{DACSETTLE}$ | Settling time | | | 5 | | μs |
| SNR_{DAC} | Signal to Noise Ratio (SNR) | 500 kSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, internal 1.25V reference | | 58 | | dB |
| | | 500 kSamples/s, 12 bit, single ended, internal 2.5V reference | | 59 | | dB |
| | | 500 kSamples/s, 12 bit, differential, internal 1.25V reference | | 58 | | dB |

| Symbol | Parameter | Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-----------------|------|----------------------|-------------------|
| | | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0x0, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x1, Unity Gain | | 13 | 17 | μA |
| G _{OL} | Open Loop Gain | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0xF, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x0 | | 101 | | dB |
| | | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0x7, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x1 | | 98 | | dB |
| | | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0x0, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x1 | | 91 | | dB |
| GBW _{OPAMP} | Gain Bandwidth Product | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0xF, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x0 | | 6.1 | | MHz |
| | | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0x7, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x1 | | 1.8 | | MHz |
| | | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0x0, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x1 | | 0.25 | | MHz |
| PM _{OPAMP} | Phase Margin | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0xF, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x0, C _L =75 pF | | 64 | | ° |
| | | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0x7, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x1, C _L =75 pF | | 58 | | ° |
| | | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0x0, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x1, C _L =75 pF | | 58 | | ° |
| R _{INPUT} | Input Resistance | | | 100 | | Mohm |
| R _{LOAD} | Load Resistance | | 200 | | | Ohm |
| I _{LOAD_DC} | DC Load Current | | | | 11 | mA |
| V _{INPUT} | Input Voltage | OPAxHCMDIS=0 | V _{SS} | | V _{DD} | V |
| | | OPAxHCMDIS=1 | V _{SS} | | V _{DD} -1.2 | V |
| V _{OUTPUT} | Output Voltage | | V _{SS} | | V _{DD} | V |
| V _{OFFSET} | Input Offset Voltage | Unity Gain, V _{SS} <V _{in} <V _{DD} , OPAxHCMDIS=0 | -13 | 0 | 11 | mV |
| | | Unity Gain, V _{SS} <V _{in} <V _{DD} -1.2, OPAxHCMDIS=1 | | 1 | | mV |
| V _{OFFSET_DRIFT} | Input Offset Voltage Drift | | | | 0.02 | mV/°C |
| SR _{OPAMP} | Slew Rate | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0xF, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x0 | | 3.2 | | V/μs |
| | | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0x7, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x1 | | 0.8 | | V/μs |
| | | (OPA2)BIASPROG=0x0, (OPA2)HALFBIAS=0x1 | | 0.1 | | V/μs |
| N _{OPAMP} | Voltage Noise | V _{out} =1V, RESSEL=0, 0.1 Hz<f<10 kHz, OPAx- HCMDIS=0 | | 101 | | μV _{RMS} |
| | | V _{out} =1V, RESSEL=0, 0.1 Hz<f<10 kHz, OPAx- HCMDIS=1 | | 141 | | μV _{RMS} |

3.14 Voltage Comparator (VCMP)

Table 3.18. VCMP

| Symbol | Parameter | Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|------|-----------------|-----|------|
| V _{VCMPIN} | Input voltage range | | | V _{DD} | | V |
| V _{VCMP_{CM}} | VCMP Common Mode voltage range | | | V _{DD} | | V |
| I _{VCMP} | Active current | BIASPROG=0b0000 and HALFBIAS=1 in VCMPn_CTRL register | | 0.3 | 0.6 | μA |
| | | BIASPROG=0b1111 and HALFBIAS=0 in VCMPn_CTRL register. LPREF=0. | | 22 | 30 | μA |
| t _{VCMPREF} | Startup time reference generator | NORMAL | | 10 | | μs |
| V _{VCMP_{OFFSET}} | Offset voltage | Single ended | -230 | -40 | 190 | mV |
| | | Differential | | 10 | | mV |
| V _{VCMPHYST} | VCMP hysteresis | | | 40 | | mV |
| t _{VCMPSTART} | Startup time | | | | 10 | μs |

The V_{DD} trigger level can be configured by setting the TRIGLEVEL field of the VCMP_CTRL register in accordance with the following equation:

VCMP Trigger Level as a Function of Level Setting

$$V_{DD} \text{ Trigger Level} = 1.667V + 0.034 \times \text{TRIGLEVEL} \quad (3.2)$$

| QFN64 Pin# and Name | | Pin Alternate Functionality / Description | | | |
|---------------------|----------|--|--|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Pin # | Pin Name | Analog | Timers | Communication | Other |
| 3 | PA2 | LCD_SEG15 | TIM0_CC2 #0/1 | | CMU_CLK0 #0 ETM_TD0 #3 |
| 4 | PA3 | LCD_SEG16 | TIM0_CDTI0 #0 | | LES_ALTEX2 #0 ETM_TD1 #3 |
| 5 | PA4 | LCD_SEG17 | TIM0_CDTI1 #0 | | LES_ALTEX3 #0 ETM_TD2 #3 |
| 6 | PA5 | LCD_SEG18 | TIM0_CDTI2 #0 | LEU1_TX #1 | LES_ALTEX4 #0 ETM_TD3 #3 |
| 7 | PA6 | LCD_SEG19 | | LEU1_RX #1 | ETM_TCLK #3 GPIO_EM4WU1 |
| 8 | IOVDD_0 | Digital IO power supply 0. | | | |
| 9 | PB3 | LCD_SEG20/ LCD_COM4 | PCNT1_S0IN #1 | US2_TX #1 | |
| 10 | PB4 | LCD_SEG21/ LCD_COM5 | PCNT1_S1IN #1 | US2_RX #1 | |
| 11 | PB5 | LCD_SEG22/ LCD_COM6 | | US2_CLK #1 | |
| 12 | PB6 | LCD_SEG23/ LCD_COM7 | | US2_CS #1 | |
| 13 | PC4 | ACMP0_CH4 OPAMP_P0 | TIM0_CDTI2 #4 LETIM0_OUT0 #3 PCNT1_S0IN #0 | US2_CLK #0 I2C1_SDA #0 | LES_CH4 #0 |
| 14 | PC5 | ACMP0_CH5 OPAMP_N0 | LETIM0_OUT1 #3 PCNT1_S1IN #0 | US2_CS #0 I2C1_SCL #0 | LES_CH5 #0 |
| 15 | PB7 | LFXTAL_P | TIM1_CC0 #3 | US0_TX #4 US1_CLK #0 | |
| 16 | PB8 | LFXTAL_N | TIM1_CC1 #3 | US0_RX #4 US1_CS #0 | |
| 17 | PA12 | LCD_BCAP_P | TIM2_CC0 #1 | | |
| 18 | PA13 | LCD_BCAP_N | TIM2_CC1 #1 | | |
| 19 | PA14 | LCD_BEXT | TIM2_CC2 #1 | | |
| 20 | RESETn | Reset input, active low. To apply an external reset source to this pin, it is required to only drive this pin low during reset, and let the internal pull-up ensure that reset is released. | | | |
| 21 | PB11 | DAC0_OUT0 / OPAMP_OUT0 | LETIM0_OUT0 #1 TIM1_CC2 #3 | I2C1_SDA #1 | |
| 22 | PB12 | DAC0_OUT1 / OPAMP_OUT1 | LETIM0_OUT1 #1 | I2C1_SCL #1 | |
| 23 | AVDD_1 | Analog power supply 1. | | | |
| 24 | PB13 | HFX TAL_P | | US0_CLK #4/5 LEU0_TX #1 | |
| 25 | PB14 | HFX TAL_N | | US0_CS #4/5 LEU0_RX #1 | |
| 26 | IOVDD_3 | Digital IO power supply 3. | | | |
| 27 | AVDD_0 | Analog power supply 0. | | | |
| 28 | PD0 | ADC0_CH0 DAC0_OUT0ALT #4/ OPAMP_OUT0ALT OPAMP_OUT2 #1 | PCNT2_S0IN #0 | US1_TX #1 | |
| 29 | PD1 | ADC0_CH1 DAC0_OUT1ALT #4/ OPAMP_OUT1ALT | TIM0_CC0 #3 PCNT2_S1IN #0 | US1_RX #1 | DBG_SWO #2 |

| QFN64 Pin# and Name | | Pin Alternate Functionality / Description | | | |
|---------------------|----------|---|--|---|---|
| Pin # | Pin Name | Analog | Timers | Communication | Other |
| 30 | PD2 | ADC0_CH2 | TIM0_CC1 #3 | US1_CLK #1 | DBG_SWO #3 |
| 31 | PD3 | ADC0_CH3 OPAMP_N2 | TIM0_CC2 #3 | US1_CS #1 | ETM_TD1 #0/2 |
| 32 | PD4 | ADC0_CH4 OPAMP_P2 | | LEU0_TX #0 | ETM_TD2 #0/2 |
| 33 | PD5 | ADC0_CH5 OPAMP_OUT2 #0 | | LEU0_RX #0 | ETM_TD3 #0/2 |
| 34 | PD6 | ADC0_CH6 OPAMP_P1 | LETIM0_OUT0 #0 TIM1_CC0 #4 PCNT0_S0IN #3 | US1_RX #2 I2C0_SDA #1 | LES_ALTEX0 #0 ACMP0_O #2 ETM_TD0 #0 |
| 35 | PD7 | ADC0_CH7 OPAMP_N1 | LETIM0_OUT1 #0 TIM1_CC1 #4 PCNT0_S1IN #3 | US1_TX #2 I2C0_SCL #1 | CMU_CLK0 #2 LES_ALTEX1 #0 ACMP1_O #2 ETM_TCLK #0 |
| 36 | PD8 | BU_VIN | | | CMU_CLK1 #1 |
| 37 | PC6 | ACMP0_CH6 | | I2C0_SDA #2 LEU1_TX #0 | LES_CH6 #0 ETM_TCLK #2 |
| 38 | PC7 | ACMP0_CH7 | | I2C0_SCL #2 LEU1_RX #0 | LES_CH7 #0 ETM_TD0 #2 |
| 39 | VDD_DREG | Power supply for on-chip voltage regulator. | | | |
| 40 | DECOUPLE | Decouple output for on-chip voltage regulator. An external capacitance of size C _{DECOUPLE} is required at this pin. | | | |
| 41 | PE4 | LCD_COM0 | | US0_CS #1 | |
| 42 | PE5 | LCD_COM1 | | US0_CLK #1 | |
| 43 | PE6 | LCD_COM2 | | US0_RX #1 | |
| 44 | PE7 | LCD_COM3 | | US0_TX #1 | |
| 45 | PC12 | ACMP1_CH4 DAC0_OUT1ALT #0/ OPAMP_OUT1ALT | | | CMU_CLK0 #1 LES_CH12 #0 |
| 46 | PC13 | ACMP1_CH5 DAC0_OUT1ALT #1/ OPAMP_OUT1ALT | TIM0_CDTI0 #1/3 TIM1_CC0 #0 TIM1_CC2 #4 PCNT0_S0IN #0 | | LES_CH13 #0 |
| 47 | PC14 | ACMP1_CH6 DAC0_OUT1ALT #2/ OPAMP_OUT1ALT | TIM0_CDTI1 #1/3 TIM1_CC1 #0 PCNT0_S1IN #0 | US0_CS #3 | LES_CH14 #0 |
| 48 | PC15 | ACMP1_CH7 DAC0_OUT1ALT #3/ OPAMP_OUT1ALT | TIM0_CDTI2 #1/3 TIM1_CC2 #0 | US0_CLK #3 | LES_CH15 #0 DBG_SWO #1 |
| 49 | PF0 | | TIM0_CC0 #5 LETIM0_OUT0 #2 | US1_CLK #2 I2C0_SDA #5 LEU0_TX #3 | DBG_SWCLK #0/1/2/3 |
| 50 | PF1 | | TIM0_CC1 #5 LETIM0_OUT1 #2 | US1_CS #2 I2C0_SCL #5 LEU0_RX #3 | DBG_SWDIO #0/1/2/3 GPIO_EM4WU3 |
| 51 | PF2 | LCD_SEG0 | TIM0_CC2 #5 | LEU0_TX #4 | ACMP1_O #0 DBG_SWO #0 GPIO_EM4WU4 |
| 52 | PF3 | LCD_SEG1 | TIM0_CDTI0 #2/5 | | PRS_CH0 #1 ETM_TD3 #1 |
| 53 | PF4 | LCD_SEG2 | TIM0_CDTI1 #2/5 | | PRS_CH1 #1 |
| 54 | PF5 | LCD_SEG3 | TIM0_CDTI2 #2/5 | | PRS_CH2 #1 |
| 55 | IOVDD_5 | Digital IO power supply 5. | | | |

| Alternate | LOCATION | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|----------|------|------|------|-----|-----|------|---|
| Functionality | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | Description |
| ADC0_CH5 | PD5 | | | | | | | Analog to digital converter ADC0, input channel number 5. |
| ADC0_CH6 | PD6 | | | | | | | Analog to digital converter ADC0, input channel number 6. |
| ADC0_CH7 | PD7 | | | | | | | Analog to digital converter ADC0, input channel number 7. |
| BOOT_RX | PE11 | | | | | | | Bootloader RX. |
| BOOT_TX | PE10 | | | | | | | Bootloader TX. |
| BU_VIN | PD8 | | | | | | | Battery input for Backup Power Domain |
| CMU_CLK0 | PA2 | PC12 | PD7 | | | | | Clock Management Unit, clock output number 0. |
| CMU_CLK1 | PA1 | PD8 | PE12 | | | | | Clock Management Unit, clock output number 1. |
| OPAMP_N0 | PC5 | | | | | | | Operational Amplifier 0 external negative input. |
| OPAMP_N1 | PD7 | | | | | | | Operational Amplifier 1 external negative input. |
| OPAMP_N2 | PD3 | | | | | | | Operational Amplifier 2 external negative input. |
| DAC0_OUT0 / OPAMP_OUT0 | PB11 | | | | | | | Digital to Analog Converter DAC0_OUT0 / OPAMP output channel number 0. |
| DAC0_OUT0ALT / OPAMP_OUT0ALT | | | | | PD0 | | | Digital to Analog Converter DAC0_OUT0ALT / OPAMP alternative output for channel 0. |
| DAC0_OUT1 / OPAMP_OUT1 | PB12 | | | | | | | Digital to Analog Converter DAC0_OUT1 / OPAMP output channel number 1. |
| DAC0_OUT1ALT / OPAMP_OUT1ALT | PC12 | PC13 | PC14 | PC15 | PD1 | | | Digital to Analog Converter DAC0_OUT1ALT / OPAMP alternative output for channel 1. |
| OPAMP_OUT2 | PD5 | PD0 | | | | | | Operational Amplifier 2 output. |
| OPAMP_P0 | PC4 | | | | | | | Operational Amplifier 0 external positive input. |
| OPAMP_P1 | PD6 | | | | | | | Operational Amplifier 1 external positive input. |
| OPAMP_P2 | PD4 | | | | | | | Operational Amplifier 2 external positive input. |
| DBG_SWCLK | PF0 | PF0 | PF0 | PF0 | | | | Debug-interface Serial Wire clock input. Note that this function is enabled to pin out of reset, and has a built-in pull down. |
| DBG_SWDIO | PF1 | PF1 | PF1 | PF1 | | | | Debug-interface Serial Wire data input / output. Note that this function is enabled to pin out of reset, and has a built-in pull up. |
| DBG_SWO | PF2 | PC15 | PD1 | PD2 | | | | Debug-interface Serial Wire viewer Output. Note that this function is not enabled after reset, and must be enabled by software to be used. |
| ETM_TCLK | PD7 | | PC6 | PA6 | | | | Embedded Trace Module ETM clock . |
| ETM_TD0 | PD6 | | PC7 | PA2 | | | | Embedded Trace Module ETM data 0. |
| ETM_TD1 | PD3 | | PD3 | PA3 | | | | Embedded Trace Module ETM data 1. |
| ETM_TD2 | PD4 | | PD4 | PA4 | | | | Embedded Trace Module ETM data 2. |
| ETM_TD3 | PD5 | PF3 | PD5 | PA5 | | | | Embedded Trace Module ETM data 3. |
| GPIO_EM4WU0 | PA0 | | | | | | | Pin can be used to wake the system up from EM4 |
| GPIO_EM4WU1 | PA6 | | | | | | | Pin can be used to wake the system up from EM4 |
| GPIO_EM4WU3 | PF1 | | | | | | | Pin can be used to wake the system up from EM4 |
| GPIO_EM4WU4 | PF2 | | | | | | | Pin can be used to wake the system up from EM4 |
| GPIO_EM4WU5 | PE13 | | | | | | | Pin can be used to wake the system up from EM4 |
| HFX TAL_N | PB14 | | | | | | | High Frequency Crystal negative pin. Also used as external optional clock input pin. |
| HFX TAL_P | PB13 | | | | | | | High Frequency Crystal positive pin. |
| I2C0_SCL | PA1 | PD7 | PC7 | | | PF1 | PE13 | I2C0 Serial Clock Line input / output. |

| Alternate | LOCATION | | | | | | | Description |
|---------------|----------|-----|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Functionality | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | |
| US2_TX | | PB3 | | | | | | USART2 Asynchronous Transmit. Also used as receive input in half duplex communication. USART2 Synchronous mode Master Output / Slave Input (MOSI). |

4.3 GPIO Pinout Overview

The specific GPIO pins available in *EFM32GG840* is shown in Table 4.3 (p. 59). Each GPIO port is organized as 16-bit ports indicated by letters A through F, and the individual pin on this port is indicated by a number from 15 down to 0.

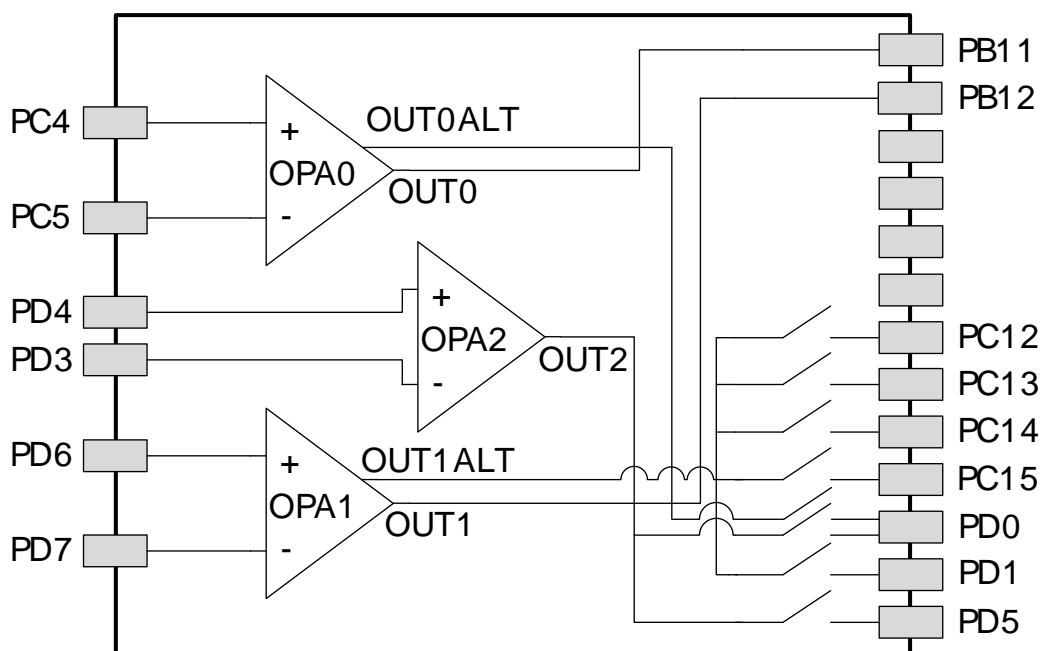
Table 4.3. GPIO Pinout

| Port | Pin 15 | Pin 14 | Pin 13 | Pin 12 | Pin 11 | Pin 10 | Pin 9 | Pin 8 | Pin 7 | Pin 6 | Pin 5 | Pin 4 | Pin 3 | Pin 2 | Pin 1 | Pin 0 |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Port A | PA15 | PA14 | PA13 | PA12 | - | - | - | - | - | PA6 | PA5 | PA4 | PA3 | PA2 | PA1 | PA0 |
| Port B | - | PB14 | PB13 | PB12 | PB11 | - | - | PB8 | PB7 | PB6 | PB5 | PB4 | PB3 | - | - | - |
| Port C | PC15 | PC14 | PC13 | PC12 | - | - | - | - | PC7 | PC6 | PC5 | PC4 | - | - | - | - |
| Port D | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | PD8 | PD7 | PD6 | PD5 | PD4 | PD3 | PD2 | PD1 | PD0 |
| Port E | PE15 | PE14 | PE13 | PE12 | PE11 | PE10 | PE9 | PE8 | PE7 | PE6 | PE5 | PE4 | - | - | - | - |
| Port F | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | PF5 | PF4 | PF3 | PF2 | PF1 | PF0 |

4.4 Opamp Pinout Overview

The specific opamp terminals available in *EFM32GG840* is shown in Figure 4.2 (p. 59).

Figure 4.2. Opamp Pinout



5 PCB Layout and Soldering

5.1 Recommended PCB Layout

Figure 5.1. QFN64 PCB Land Pattern

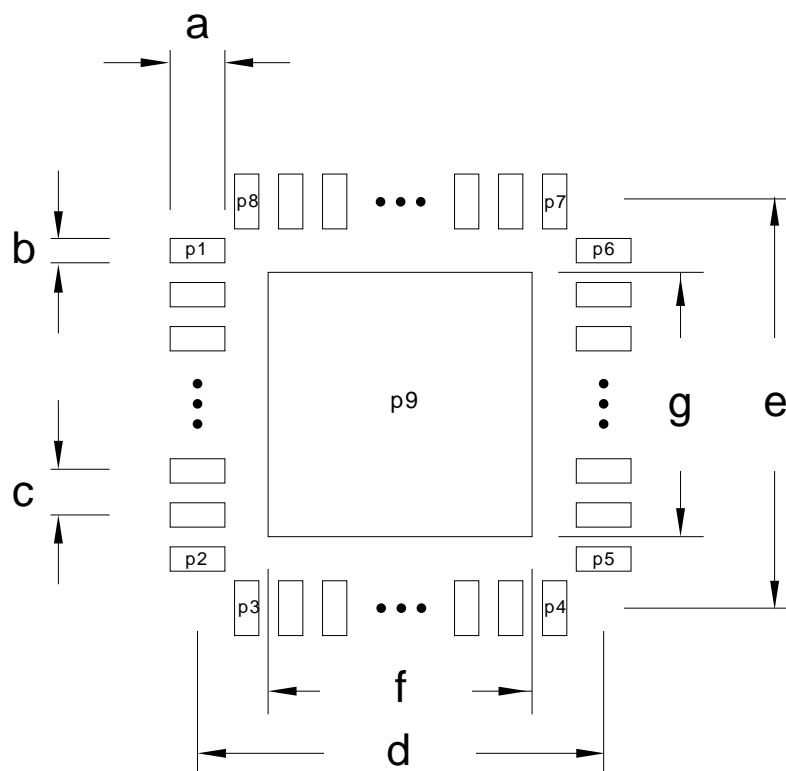


Table 5.1. QFN64 PCB Land Pattern Dimensions (Dimensions in mm)

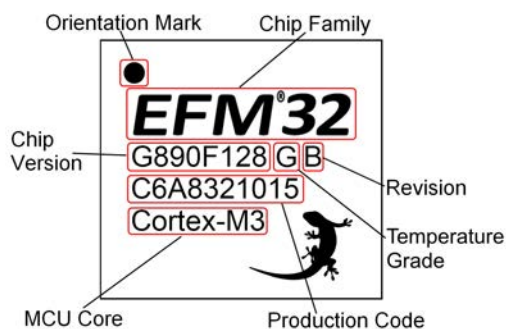
| Symbol | Dim. (mm) | Symbol | Pin number | Symbol | Pin number |
|--------|-----------|--------|------------|--------|------------|
| a | 0.85 | P1 | 1 | P8 | 64 |
| b | 0.30 | P2 | 16 | P9 | 65 |
| c | 0.50 | P3 | 17 | - | - |
| d | 8.90 | P4 | 32 | - | - |
| e | 8.90 | P5 | 33 | - | - |
| f | 7.20 | P6 | 48 | - | - |
| g | 7.20 | P7 | 49 | - | - |

6 Chip Marking, Revision and Errata

6.1 Chip Marking

In the illustration below package fields and position are shown.

Figure 6.1. Example Chip Marking (top view)



6.2 Revision

The revision of a chip can be determined from the "Revision" field in Figure 6.1 (p. 64) .

6.3 Errata

Please see the errata document for EFM32GG840 for description and resolution of device erratas. This document is available in Simplicity Studio and online at:

<http://www.silabs.com/support/pages/document-library.aspx?p=MCUs--32-bit>

Updated GPIO information.

Updated LFRCO information.

Updated HFRCO information.

Updated ULFRCO information.

Updated ADC information.

Updated DAC information.

Updated OPAMP information.

Updated ACMP information.

Updated VCMP information.

Added AUXHFRCO information.

7.3 Revision 1.21

November 21st, 2013

Updated figures.

Updated errata-link.

Updated chip marking.

Added link to Environmental and Quality information.

Re-added missing DAC-data.

7.4 Revision 1.20

September 30th, 2013

Added I2C characterization data.

Added SPI characterization data.

Corrected the DAC and OPAMP2 pin sharing information in the Alternate Functionality Pinout section.

Corrected GPIO operating voltage from 1.8 V to 1.85 V.

Updated that the EM2 current consumption test was carried out with only one RAM block enabled.

Corrected the ADC resolution from 12, 10 and 6 bit to 12, 8 and 6 bit.

Removed UART mentioned incorrectly in the QFN64 parts.

Updated Environmental information.

Updated trademark, disclaimer and contact information.

Other minor corrections.

7.5 Revision 1.10

June 28th, 2013

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