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Details

Product Status	Active
Core Processor	ARM® Cortex®-M4
Core Size	32-Bit Single-Core
Speed	48MHz
Connectivity	I ² C, IrDA, LINbus, SPI, UART/USART, USB
Peripherals	Brown-out Detect/Reset, DMA, I ² S, LCD, POR, PWM, WDT
Number of I/O	43
Program Memory Size	256KB (256K x 8)
Program Memory Type	FLASH
EEPROM Size	-
RAM Size	32K x 8
Voltage - Supply (Vcc/Vdd)	1.68V ~ 3.6V
Data Converters	A/D 7x12b; D/A 1x10b
Oscillator Type	Internal
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 85°C (TA)
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Package / Case	64-TQFP
Supplier Device Package	64-TQFP (10x10)
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events, even in sleep modes where the module clock is stopped. Power monitoring is supported by on-chip Power-on Reset (POR18, POR33), Brown-out Detectors (BOD18, BOD33). The device features several oscillators, such as Phase Locked Loop (PLL), Digital Frequency Locked Loop (DFLL), Oscillator 0 (OSC0), Internal RC 4,8,12MHz oscillator (RCFAST), system RC oscillator (RCSYS), Internal RC 80MHz, Internal 32kHz RC and 32kHz Crystal Oscillator. Either of these oscillators can be used as source for the system clock. The DFLL is a programmable internal oscillator from 40 to 150MHz. It can be tuned to a high accuracy if an accurate reference clock is running, e.g. the 32kHz crystal oscillator.

The Watchdog Timer (WDT) will reset the device unless it is periodically serviced by the software. This allows the device to recover from a condition that has caused the system to be unstable.

The Asynchronous Timer (AST) combined with the 32kHz crystal oscillator supports powerful real-time clock capabilities, with a maximum timeout of up to 136 years. The AST can operate in counter or calendar mode.

The Frequency Meter (FREQM) allows accurate measuring of a clock frequency by comparing it to a known reference clock.

The Full-speed USB 2.0 device and embedded host interface (USBC) supports several USB classes at the same time utilizing the rich end-point configuration.

The device includes six identical 16-bit Timer/Counter (TC) channels. Each channel can be independently programmed to perform frequency measurement, event counting, interval measurement, pulse generation, delay timing, and pulse width modulation.

The ATSAM4L8/L4/L2 also features many communication interfaces, like USART, SPI, or TWI, for communication intensive applications. The USART supports different communication modes, like SPI Mode and LIN Mode.

A general purpose 16-channel ADC is provided, as well as four analog comparators (ACIFC). The ADC can operate in 12-bit mode at full speed. The analog comparators can be paired to detect when the sensing voltage is within or outside the defined reference window.

Atmel offers the QTouch Library for embedding capacitive touch buttons, sliders, and wheels functionality. The patented charge-transfer signal acquisition offers robust sensing and includes fully debounced reporting of touch keys as well as Adjacent Key Suppression® (AKS®) technology for unambiguous detection of key events. The easy-to-use QTouch Suite toolchain allows you to explore, develop, and debug your own touch applications.

The Audio Bitstream DAC (ABDACB) converts a 16-bit sample value to a digital bitstream with an average value proportional to the sample value. Two channels are supported, making the ABDAC particularly suitable for stereo audio.

The Inter-IC Sound Controller (IISC) provides a 5-bit wide, bidirectional, synchronous, digital audio link with external audio devices. The controller is compliant with the Inter-IC Sound (I2S) bus specification.

Figure 3-8. ATSAM4LS WLCSP64 Pinout

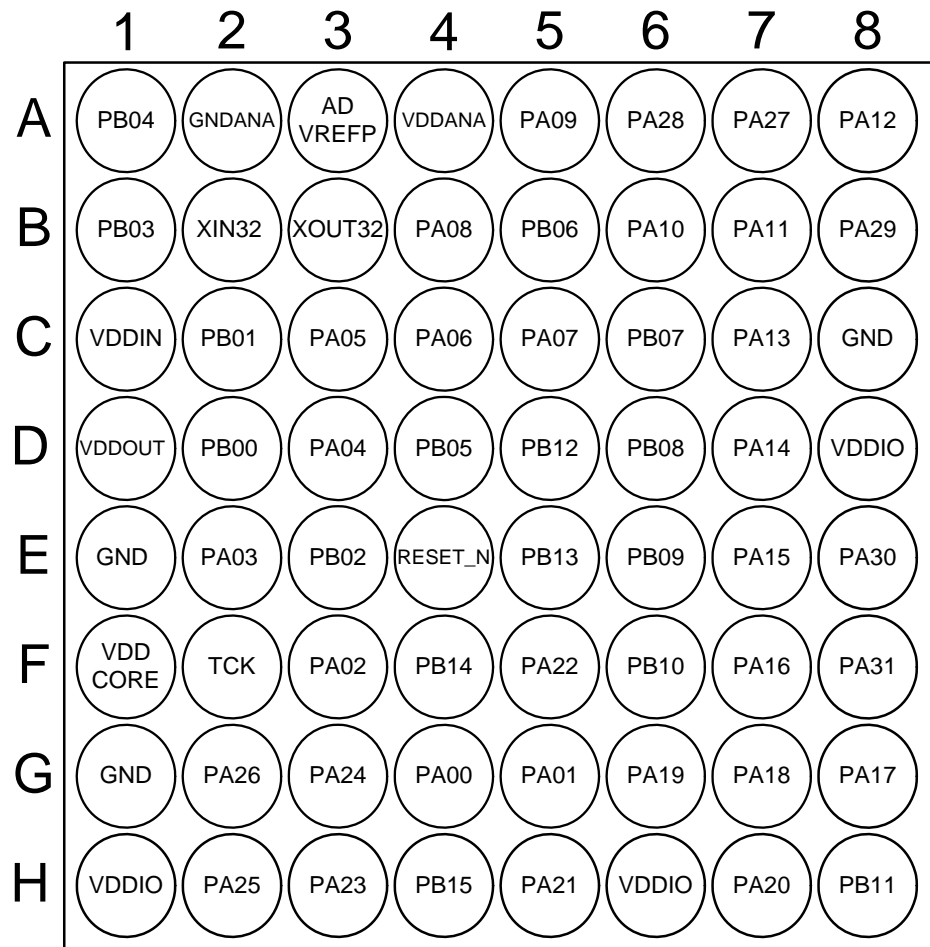


Table 3-3. 64-pin GPIO Controller Function Multiplexing for WLCSP package (Sheet 2 of 3)

ATSAM4L8	ATSAM4L4	Pin	GPIO	Supply	GPIO Functions						
WLCSP	WLCSP				A	B	C	D	E	F	G
H3	H3	PA23	23	LCDC	SPI SCK	TWIMS0 TWD	EIC EXTINT8	GLOC IN3	SCIF GCLK IN0	LCDCA SEG38	CATB DIS
G3	G3	PA24	24	LCDC	SPI NPCS0	TWIMS0 TWCK		GLOC OUT0	SCIF GCLK IN1	LCDCA SEG39	CATB SENSE18
H2	H2	PA25	25	VDDIO	USBC DM	USART2 RXD					CATB SENSE19
G2	G2	PA26	26	VDDIO	USBC DP	USART2 TXD					CATB SENSE20
	A7	PA27	27	LCDA	SPI MISO	IISC ISCK	ABDACB DAC0	GLOC IN4	USART3 RTS		CATB SENSE0
	A6	PA28	28	LCDA	SPI MOSI	IISC ISDI	ABDACB DACN0	GLOC IN5	USART3 CTS		CATB SENSE1
	B8	PA29	29	LCDA	SPI SCK	IISC IWS	ABDACB DAC1	GLOC IN6	USART3 CLK		CATB SENSE2
	E8	PA30	30	LCDA	SPI NPCS0	IISC ISDO	ABDACB DACN1	GLOC IN7	USART3 RXD		CATB SENSE3
	F8	PA31	31	LCDA	SPI NPCS1	IISC IMCK	ABDACB CLK	GLOC OUT1	USART3 TXD		CATB DIS
D2	D2	PB00	32	VDDIN	TWIMS1 TWD	USART0 RXD					CATB SENSE21
C2	C2	PB01	33	VDDIN	TWIMS1 TWCK	USART0 TXD	EIC EXTINT0				CATB SENSE22
E3	E3	PB02	34	VDDANA	ADCIFE AD3	USART1 RTS	ABDACB DAC0	IISC ISCK	ACIFC ACBN0		CATB SENSE23
B1	B1	PB03	35	VDDANA	ADCIFE AD4	USART1 CLK	ABDACB DACN0	IISC ISDI	ACIFC ACBP0		CATB DIS
A1	A1	PB04	36	VDDANA	ADCIFE AD5	USART1 RXD	ABDACB DAC1	IISC ISDO	DACC EXT TRIG0		CATB SENSE24
D4	D4	PB05	37	VDDANA	ADCIFE AD6	USART1 TXD	ABDACB DACN1	IISC IMCK			CATB SENSE25
B5	B5	PB06	38	LCDA	USART3 RTS		GLOC IN4	IISC IWS		LCDCA SEG22	CATB SENSE26
C6	C6	PB07	39	LCDA	USART3 CTS		GLOC IN5	TC0 A0		LCDCA SEG21	CATB SENSE27
D6	D6	PB08	40	LCDA	USART3 CLK		GLOC IN6	TC0 B0		LCDCA SEG14	CATB SENSE28
E6	E6	PB09	41	LCDA	USART3 RXD	PEVC PAD EVT2	GLOC IN7	TC0 A1		LCDCA SEG15	CATB SENSE29
F6	F6	PB10	42	LCDA	USART3 TXD	PEVC PAD EVT3	GLOC OUT1	TC0 B1	SCIF GCLK0	LCDCA SEG16	CATB SENSE30
H8	H8	PB11	43	LCDA	USART0 CTS	SPI NPCS2		TC0 A2	SCIF GCLK1	LCDCA SEG17	CATB SENSE31
D5	D5	PB12	44	LCDC	USART0 RTS	SPI NPCS3	PEVC PAD EVT0	TC0 B2	SCIF GCLK2	LCDCA SEG32	CATB DIS

Table 3-3. 64-pin GPIO Controller Function Multiplexing for WLCSP package (Sheet 3 of 3)

ATSAM4LC	ATSAM4LS	Pin	GPIO	Supply	GPIO Functions						
WLCSP	WLCSP				A	B	C	D	E	F	G
E5	E5	PB13	45	LCDC	USART0 CLK	SPI NPCS1	PEVC PAD EVT1	TC0 CLK0	SCIF GCLK3	LCDCA SEG33	CATB SENSE0
F4	F4	PB14	46	LCDC	USART0 RXD	SPI MISO	TWIM3 TWD	TC0 CLK1	SCIF GCLK IN0	LCDCA SEG36	CATB SENSE1
H4	H4	PB15	47	LCDC	USART0 TXD	SPI MOSI	TWIM3 TWCK	TC0 CLK2	SCIF GCLK IN1	LCDCA SEG37	CATB SENSE2

sor core and NVIC provides fast execution of interrupt service routines (ISRs), dramatically reducing the interrupt latency. This is achieved through the hardware stacking of registers, and the ability to suspend load-multiple and store-multiple operations. Interrupt handlers do not require wrapping in assembler code, removing any code overhead from the ISRs. A tail-chain optimization also significantly reduces the overhead when switching from one ISR to another.

To optimize low-power designs, the NVIC integrates with the sleep modes, that include a deep sleep function enabling the entire device to be rapidly powered down while still retaining program state.

4.2 System level interface

The Cortex-M4 processor provides multiple interfaces using AMBA® technology to provide high speed, low latency memory accesses. It supports unaligned data accesses and implements atomic bit manipulation that enables faster peripheral controls, system spinlocks and thread-safe Boolean data handling.

The Cortex-M4 processor has an *memory protection unit* (MPU) that provides fine grain memory control, enabling applications to utilize multiple privilege levels, separating and protecting code, data and stack on a task-by-task basis. Such requirements are becoming critical in many embedded applications such as automotive.

4.3 Integrated configurable debug

The Cortex-M4 processor implements a complete hardware debug solution. This provides high system visibility of the processor and memory through either a traditional JTAG port or a 2-pin *Serial Wire Debug* (SWD) port that is ideal for microcontrollers and other small package devices.

For system trace the processor integrates an *Instrumentation Trace Macrocell* (ITM) alongside data watchpoints and a profiling unit. To enable simple and cost-effective profiling of the system events these generate, a *Serial Wire Viewer* (SWV) can export a stream of software-generated messages, data trace, and profiling information through a single pin.

The *Flash Patch and Breakpoint Unit* (FPB) provides 8 hardware breakpoint comparators that debuggers can use. The comparators in the FPB also provide remap functions of up to 8 words in the program code in the CODE memory region. This enables applications stored on a non-erasable, ROM-based microcontroller to be patched if a small programmable memory, for example flash, is available in the device. During initialization, the application in ROM detects, from the programmable memory, whether a patch is required. If a patch is required, the application programs the FPB to remap a number of addresses. When those addresses are accessed, the accesses are redirected to a remap table specified in the FPB configuration, which means the program in the non-modifiable ROM can be patched.

A specific Peripheral Debug (PDBG) register is implemented in the Private Peripheral Bus address map. This register allows the user to configure the behavior of some modules in debug mode.

mechanism can be useful for applications that only require the processor to run when an interrupt occurs.

Before entering the SLEEP mode, the user must configure:

- the SLEEP mode configuration field (BPM.PMCON.SLEEP), Refer to [Table 7-1](#).
- the SCR.SLEEPDEEP bit to 0. (See the Power Management section in the ARM Cortex-M4 Processor chapter).
- the BPM.PMCON.RET bit to 0.
- the BPM.PMCON.BKUP bit to 0.

7.1.1.2 Exiting SLEEP mode

The NVIC wakes the system up when it detects any non-masked interrupt with sufficient priority to cause exception entry. The system goes back to the RUN mode from which the SLEEP mode was entered. The CPU and affected modules are restarted. Note that even if an interrupt is enabled in SLEEP mode, it will not trigger if the source module is not clocked.

7.1.2 WAIT Mode and RETENTION Mode

The WAIT and RETENTION modes allow achieving very low power consumption while maintaining the Core domain powered-on. Internal SRAM and registers contents of the Core domain are preserved.

In these modes, all clocks are stopped except the 32kHz clocks (OSC32K, RC32K) which are kept running if enabled.

In RETENTION mode, the SleepWalking feature is not supported and must not be used.

7.1.2.1 Entering WAIT or RETENTION Mode

The WAIT or RETENTION modes are entered by executing the WFI instruction with the following settings:

- set the SCR.SLEEPDEEP bit to 1. (See the Power Management section in the ARM Cortex-M4 Processor chapter).
- set the BPM.PSAVE.BKUP bit to 0.
- set the BPM.PMCON.RET bit to RETENTION or WAIT mode.

SLEEPONEXIT feature is also available. See ["Entering SLEEP mode" on page 56](#).

7.1.2.2 Exiting WAIT or RETENTION Mode

In WAIT or RETENTION modes, synchronous clocks are stopped preventing interrupt sources from triggering. To wakeup the system, asynchronous wake up sources (AST, EIC, USBC ...) should be enabled in the peripheral (refer to the documentation of the peripheral). The PM.AWEN (Asynchronous Wake Up Enable) register should also be enabled for all peripheral except for EIC and AST.

When the enabled asynchronous wake up event occurs and the system is waken-up, it will generate either:

- an interrupt on the PM WAKE interrupt line if enabled (Refer to [Section 9. "Power Manager \(PM\)" on page 677](#)). In that case, the PM.WCAUSE register indicates the wakeup source.
- or an interrupt directly from the peripheral if enabled (Refer to the section of the peripheral).

When waking up, the system goes back to the RUN mode from which the WAIT or RETENTION mode was entered.

8.7.5 Product Dependencies

8.7.5.1 I/O Lines

The TCK pin is dedicated to the EDP. The other debug port pins default after reset to their GPIO functionality and are automatically reassigned to the JTAG functionalities on detection of a debugger. In serial wire mode, TDI and TDO can be used as GPIO functions. Note that in serial wire mode TDO can be used as a single pin trace output.

8.7.5.2 Power Management

When a debugger is present, the connection is kept alive allowing debug operations. As a side effect, the power is never turned off. The hot plugging functionality is always available except when the system is in BACKUP Power Save Mode.

8.7.5.3 Clocks

The SWJ-DP uses the external TCK pin as its clock source. This clock must be provided by the external JTAG master device.

Some of the JTAG Instructions are used to access an Access Port (SMAP or AHB-AP). These instructions require the CPU clock to be running.

If the CPU clock is not present because the CPU is in a Power Save Mode where this clock is not provided, the Power Manager(PM) will automatically restore the CPU clock on detection of a debug access.

The RCSYS clock is used as CPU clock when the external reset is applied to ensure correct Access Port operations.

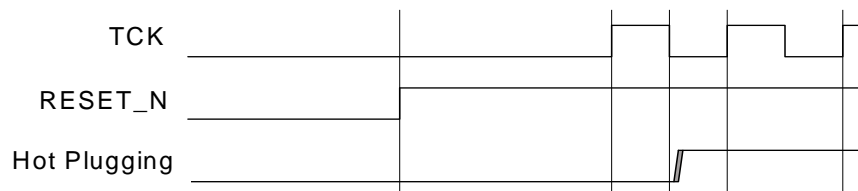
8.7.6 Module Initialization

This module is enabled as soon as a TCK falling edge is detected when RESET_N is not asserted (refer to [Section 8.7.7](#) below). Moreover, the module is synchronously reseted as long as the TAP machine is in the TEST_LOGIC_RESET (TLR) state. It is advised asserting TMS at least 5 TCK clock periods after the debugger has been detected to ensure the module is in the TLR state prior to any operation. This module also has the ability to maintain the Cortex-M4 under reset (refer to the [Section 8.7.8 "SMAP Core Reset Request Source" on page 70](#)).

8.7.7 Debugger Hot Plugging

The TCK pin is dedicated to the EDP. After reset has been released, the EDP detects that a debugger has been attached when a TCK falling edge arises.

Figure 8-4. Debugger Hot Plugging Detection Timings Diagram



8.7.13 Security Restrictions

The SAM4L provide a security restrictions mechanism to lock access to the device. The device in the protected state when the Flash Security Bit is set. Refer to section Flash Controller for more details.

When the device is in the protected state the AHB-AP is locked. Full access to the AHB-AP is re-enabled when the protected state is released by issuing a Chip Erase command. Note that the protected state will read as programmed only after the system has been reseted.

8.7.13.1 Notation

Table 8-4 on page 73 shows bit patterns to be shifted in a format like "p01". Each character corresponds to one bit, and eight bits are grouped together for readability. The least significant bit is always shifted first, and the most significant bit shifted last. The symbols used are shown in Table 8-3.

Table 8-3. Symbol Description

Symbol	Description
0	Constant low value - always reads as zero.
1	Constant high value - always reads as one.
p	The chip protected state.
x	A don't care bit. Any value can be shifted in, and output data should be ignored.
e	An error bit. Read as one if an error occurred, or zero if not.
b	A busy bit. Read as one if the SMAP was busy, or zero if it was not.
s	Startup done bit. Read as one if the system has started-up correctly.

In many cases, it is not required to shift all bits through the data register. Bit patterns are shown using the full width of the shift register, but the suggested or required bits are emphasized using **bold** text. I.e. given the pattern "**01010101** xxxxxxxx xxxxxxxx xxxxxxxx", the shift register is 32 bits, but the test or debug unit may choose to shift only 8 bits "**01010101**".

The following describes how to interpret the fields in the instruction description tables:

Table 8-4. Instruction Description

Instruction	Description
IR input value	Shows the bit pattern to shift into IR in the Shift-IR state in order to select this instruction. The pattern is show both in binary and in hexadecimal form for convenience. Example: 1000 (0x8)
IR output value	Shows the bit pattern shifted out of IR in the Shift-IR state when this instruction is active. Example: p00s

1. Select the IR Scan path.
2. In Capture-IR: The IR output value is latched into the shift register.
3. In Shift-IR: The instruction register is shifted by the TCK input.
4. Return to Run-Test/Idle.
5. Select the DR Scan path.
6. In Capture-DR: The Data on the external pins are sampled into the boundary-scan chain.
7. In Shift-DR: The boundary-scan chain is shifted by the TCK input.
8. Return to Run-Test/Idle.

Table 8-6. SAMPLE_PRELOAD Details

Instructions	Details
IR input value	0001 (0x1)
IR output value	p00s
DR Size	Depending on boundary-scan chain, see BSDL-file.
DR input value	Depending on boundary-scan chain, see BSDL-file.
DR output value	Depending on boundary-scan chain, see BSDL-file.

8.7.14.3 INTEST

This instruction selects the boundary-scan chain as Data Register for testing internal logic in the device. The logic inputs are determined by the boundary-scan chain, and the logic outputs are captured by the boundary-scan chain. The device output pins are driven from the boundary-scan chain.

Starting in Run-Test/Idle, the INTEST instruction is accessed the following way:

1. Select the IR Scan path.
2. In Capture-IR: The IR output value is latched into the shift register.
3. In Shift-IR: The instruction register is shifted by the TCK input.
4. In Update-IR: The data from the boundary-scan chain is applied to the internal logic inputs.
5. Return to Run-Test/Idle.
6. Select the DR Scan path.
7. In Capture-DR: The data on the internal logic is sampled into the boundary-scan chain.
8. In Shift-DR: The boundary-scan chain is shifted by the TCK input.
9. In Update-DR: The data from the boundary-scan chain is applied to internal logic inputs.
10. Return to Run-Test/Idle.

Table 8-7. INTEST Details

Instructions	Details
IR input value	0100 (0x4)
IR output value	p001
DR Size	Depending on boundary-scan chain, see BSDL-file.
DR input value	Depending on boundary-scan chain, see BSDL-file.
DR output value	Depending on boundary-scan chain, see BSDL-file.

0: No bus error has been detected since last clear of this bit

- **HCR: Hold Core reset**

1: The Cortex-M4 core is held under reset

0: The Cortex-M4 core is not held under reset

- **DONE: Operation done**

1: At least one operation has terminated since last clear of this field

0: No operation has terminated since last clear of this field

Table 9-6. ATSAM4L4/2 Current consumption and Wakeup time for power scaling mode 0 and 2

Mode	Conditions	T _A	Typical Wakeup Time	Typ	Max ⁽¹⁾	Unit
SLEEP0	Switching mode	25°C	9 * Main clock cycles	3817	4033	μA
		85°C		3934	4174	
SLEEP1	Switching mode	25°C	9 * Main clock cycles + 500ns	2341	2477	
		85°C		2437	2585	
SLEEP2	Switching mode	25°C	9 * Main clock cycles + 500ns	1758	1862	
		85°C		1847	1971	
SLEEP3	Linear mode	25°C		51	60	
WAIT	OSC32K and AST running Fast wake-up enable		1.5μs	5.9	8.7	
	OSC32K and AST stopped Fast wake-up enable			4.7	7.6	
RETENTION	OSC32K running AST running at 1kHz		1.5μs	3.1	5.1	
	AST and OSC32K stopped			2.2	4.2	
BACKUP	OSC32K running AST running at 1kHz			1.5	3.1	
	AST and OSC32K stopped			0.9	1.7	

1. These values are based on characterization. These values are not covered by test limits in production.

Table 9-7. ATSAM4L8 Current consumption and Wakeup time for power scaling mode 0 and 2

Mode	Conditions	T _A	Typical Wakeup Time	Typ	Max ⁽¹⁾	Unit
RUN	CPU running a Fibonacci algorithm Linear mode	25°C	N/A	319	343	μA/MHz
		85°C		326	350	
	CPU running a CoreMark algorithm Linear mode	25°C	N/A	343	387	
		85°C		351	416	
	CPU running a Fibonacci algorithm Switching mode	25°C	N/A	181	198	
		85°C		186	203	
	CPU running a CoreMark algorithm Switching mode	25°C	N/A	192	232	
		85°C		202	239	

Table 9-11. Typical Current Consumption by Peripheral in Power Scaling Mode 0 and 2 ⁽¹⁾

Peripheral	Typ Consumption Active	Unit
IISC	1.0	μA/MHz
SPI	1.9	
TC	6.3	
TWIM	1.5	
TWIS	1.2	
USART	8.5	
ADCIFE ⁽²⁾	3.1	
DACC	1.3	
ACIFC ⁽²⁾	3.1	
GLOC	0.4	
ABDACB	0.7	
TRNG	0.9	
PARC	0.7	
CATB	3.0	
LCDCA	4.4	
PDCA	1.0	
CRCCU	0.3	
USBC	1.5	
PEVC	5.6	
CHIPID	0.1	
SCIF	6.4	
FREQM	0.5	
GPIO	7.1	
BPM	0.9	
BSCIF	4.6	
AST	1.5	
WDT	1.4	
EIC	0.6	
PICOUART	0.3	

1. These numbers are valid for the measured condition only and must not be extrapolated to other frequencies
2. Includes the current consumption on VDDANA and ADVREFF.

9.5.4 .Peripheral Power Consumption in Power Scaling mode 1

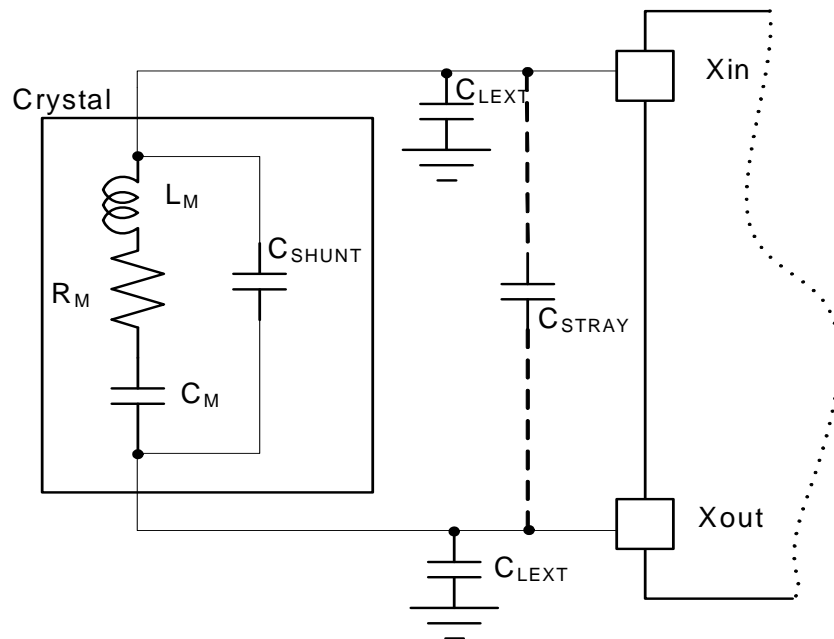
The values in [Table 9-13](#) are measured values of power consumption under the following conditions:

Table 9-23. Crystal Oscillator Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
C_L	Crystal load capacitance ⁽¹⁾		6		18	pF
C_{SHUNT}	Crystal shunt capacitance ⁽¹⁾				7	
C_{XIN}	Parasitic capacitor load ⁽²⁾	TQFP100 package		4.91		
C_{XOUT}	Parasitic capacitor load ⁽²⁾			3.22		
$t_{STARTUP}$	Startup time ⁽¹⁾	SCIF.OSCCTRL.GAIN = 2		30000 ⁽³⁾		cycles
I_{OSC}	Current consumption ⁽¹⁾	Active mode, $f = 0.6\text{MHz}$, SCIF.OSCCTRL.GAIN = 0		30		μA
		Active mode, $f = 4\text{MHz}$, SCIF.OSCCTRL.GAIN = 1		130		
		Active mode, $f = 8\text{MHz}$, SCIF.OSCCTRL.GAIN = 2		260		
		Active mode, $f = 16\text{MHz}$, SCIF.OSCCTRL.GAIN = 3		590		
		Active mode, $f = 30\text{MHz}$, SCIF.OSCCTRL.GAIN = 4		960		

1. These values are based on simulation. These values are not covered by test limits in production or characterization.
2. These values are based on characterization. These values are not covered by test limits in production.
3. Nominal crystal cycles.

Figure 9-3. Oscillator Connection



9.7.3 Phase Locked Loop (PLL) Characteristics

Table 9-26. Phase Locked Loop Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
f_{OUT}	Output frequency ⁽¹⁾	PLL is not available in PS1	48		240	MHz
f_{IN}	Input frequency ⁽¹⁾		4		16	
I_{PLL}	Current consumption ⁽¹⁾	$f_{OUT}=80\text{MHz}$			200	μA
		$f_{OUT}=240\text{MHz}$			500	
$t_{STARTUP}$	Startup time, from enabling the PLL until the PLL is locked ⁽¹⁾	Wide Bandwidth mode disabled			8	μs
		Wide Bandwidth mode enabled			30	

1. These values are based on simulation. These values are not covered by test limits in production or characterization.

9.7.4 Digital Frequency Locked Loop (DFLL) Characteristics

Table 9-27. Digital Frequency Locked Loop Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
f_{OUT}	Output frequency ⁽¹⁾	DFLL is not available in PS1	20		150	MHz
f_{REF}	Reference frequency ⁽¹⁾		8		150	kHz
	Accuracy ⁽¹⁾	FINE lock, $f_{REF} = 32\text{kHz}$, SSG disabled ⁽²⁾		0.1	0.5	%
		ACCURATE lock, $f_{REF} = 32\text{kHz}$, dither clk RCSYS/2, SSG disabled ⁽²⁾		0.06	0.5	
		FINE lock, $f_{REF} = 8\text{-}150\text{kHz}$, SSG disabled ⁽²⁾		0.2	1	
		ACCURATE lock, $f_{REF} = 8\text{-}150\text{kHz}$, dither clk RCSYS/2, SSG disabled ⁽²⁾		0.1	1	
I_{DFLL}	Power consumption ⁽¹⁾	RANGE 0 96 to 220MHz COARSE=0, FINE=0, DIV=0	430	509	545	μA
		RANGE 0 96 to 220MHz COARSE=31, FINE=255, DIV=0	1545	1858	1919	
		RANGE 1 50 to 110MHz COARSE=0, FINE=0, DIV=0	218	271	308	
		RANGE 1 50 to 110MHz COARSE=31, FINE=255, DIV=0	704	827	862	
		RANGE 2 25 to 55MHz COARSE=0, FINE=0, DIV=1	140	187	226	
		RANGE 2 25 to 55MHz COARSE=31, FINE=255, DIV=1	365	441	477	
		RANGE 3 20 to 30MHz COARSE=0, FINE=0, DIV=1	122	174	219	
		RANGE 3 20 to 30MHz COARSE=31, FINE=255, DIV=1	288	354	391	

9.9.4 Analog- to Digital Converter Characteristics

Table 9-45. Operating conditions

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
	Temperature range		-40		+85	°C
	Resolution ⁽¹⁾	Max		12	12 ⁽²⁾	Bit
	Sampling clock ⁽³⁾	Differential modes, Gain=1X	5		300	kHz
		Unipolar modes, Gain=1X	5		250	
f _{ADC}	ADC clock frequency ⁽³⁾	Differential modes	0.03		1.8	MHz
		Unipolar modes	0.03		1.5	
T _{SAMPLEHOLD}	Sampling time ⁽³⁾	Differential modes	16.5		277	μs
		Unipolar modes	16.5		333	
	Conversion rate ⁽¹⁾	1X gain, differential			300	kSps
	Internal channel conversion rate ⁽³⁾	V _{VDD} /10, Bandgap and Temperature channels			125	kSps
	Conversion time (latency) Differential mode (no windowing)	1X gain, (resolution/2)+gain ⁽⁴⁾			6	Cycles
		2X and 4X gain			7	
		8X and 16X gain			8	
		32X and 64X gain			9	
		64X gain and unipolar			10	

1. These values are based on characterization. These values are not covered by test limits in production
2. Single ended or using divide by two max resolution: 11 bits
3. These values are based on simulation. These values are not covered by test limits in production
4. See [Figure 9-5](#)

Figure 9-5. Maximum input common mode voltage

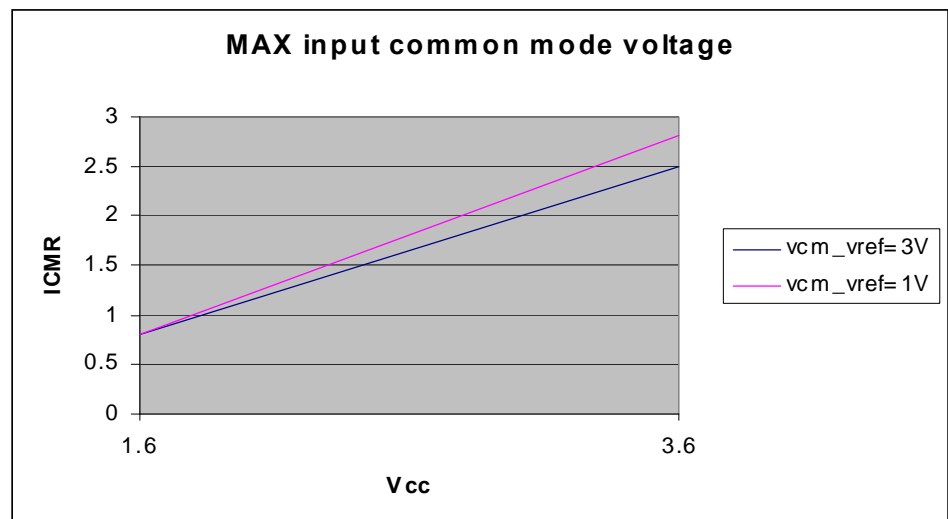


Table 9-48. Unipolar mode, gain=1

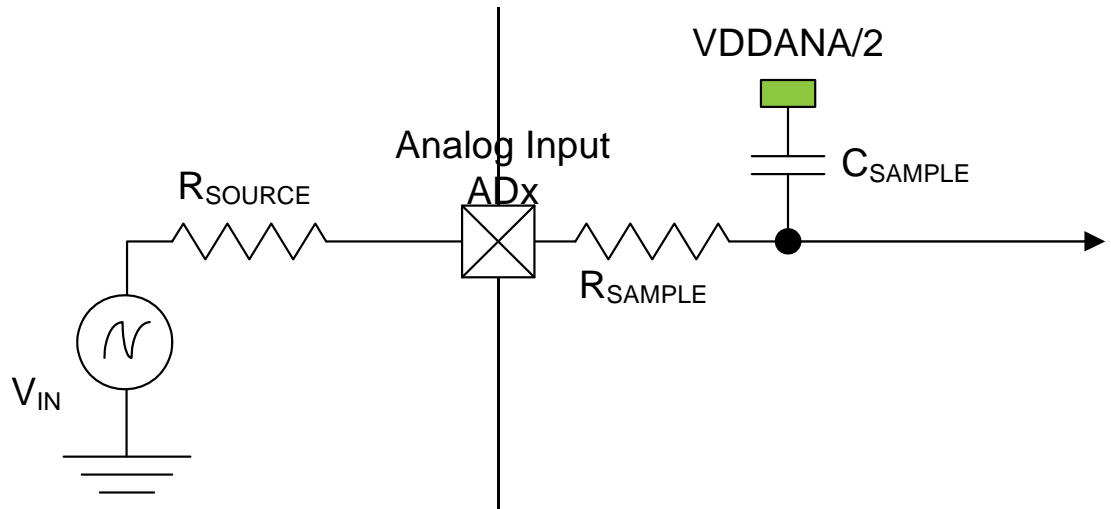
	PSRR ⁽¹⁾	fVdd=100kHz, VDDIO=3.6V		62		dB
		fVdd=1MHz, VDDIO=3.6V		49		
	DC supply current ⁽¹⁾	VDDANA=3.6V		1	2	mA
		VDDANA=1.6V, ADVREFP=1.0V		1	1.3	

1. These values are based on simulation. These values are not covered by test limits in production or characterization.
2. These values are based on characterization and not tested in production, and valid for an input voltage between 10% to 90% of reference voltage.

9.9.4.1 Inputs and Sample and Hold Acquisition Times

The analog voltage source must be able to charge the sample and hold (S/H) capacitor in the ADC in order to achieve maximum accuracy. Seen externally the ADC input consists of a resistor (R_{SAMPLE}) and a capacitor (C_{SAMPLE}). In addition, the source resistance (R_{SOURCE}) must be taken into account when calculating the required sample and hold time. Figure 9-6 shows the ADC input channel equivalent circuit.

Figure 9-6. ADC Input



To achieve n bits of accuracy, the C_{SAMPLE} capacitor must be charged at least to a voltage of

$$V_{CSAMPLE} \geq V_{IN} \times (1 - 2^{-(n+1)})$$

The minimum sampling time $t_{SAMPLEHOLD}$ for a given R_{SOURCE} can be found using this formula:

$$t_{SAMPLEHOLD} \geq (R_{SAMPLE} + R_{SOURCE}) \times (C_{SAMPLE}) \times (n + 1) \times \ln(2)$$

for a 12 bits accuracy : $t_{SAMPLEHOLD} \geq (R_{SAMPLE} + R_{SOURCE}) \times (C_{SAMPLE}) \times 9,02$

where

$$t_{SAMPLEHOLD} = \frac{1}{2 \times f_{ADC}}$$

Figure 9-16. SPI Slave Mode, NPCS Timing

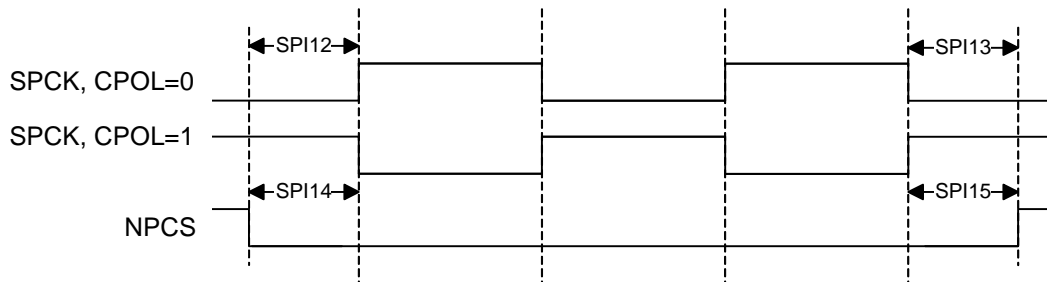


Table 9-63. SPI Timing, Slave Mode⁽¹⁾

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Units
SPI6	SPCK falling to MISO delay	V _{VDDIO} from 2.85V to 3.6V, maximum external capacitor = 40pF	19	47	ns
SPI7	MOSI setup time before SPCK rises		0		
SPI8	MOSI hold time after SPCK rises		5.4		
SPI9	SPCK rising to MISO delay		19	46	
SPI10	MOSI setup time before SPCK falls		0		
SPI11	MOSI hold time after SPCK falls		5.3		
SPI12	NPCS setup time before SPCK rises		4		
SPI13	NPCS hold time after SPCK falls		2.5		
SPI14	NPCS setup time before SPCK falls		6		
SPI15	NPCS hold time after SPCK rises		1.1		

Note: 1. These values are based on simulation. These values are not covered by test limits in production.

Maximum SPI Frequency, Slave Input Mode

The maximum SPI slave input frequency is given by the following formula:

$$f_{SPCKMAX} = MIN(f_{CLKSPI}, \frac{1}{SPI_{In}})$$

Where SPI_{In} is the MOSI setup and hold time, SPI7 + SPI8 or SPI10 + SPI11 depending on CPOL and NCPHA. f_{CLKSPI} is the maximum frequency of the CLK_SPI. Refer to the SPI chapter for a description of this clock.

Maximum SPI Frequency, Slave Output Mode

The maximum SPI slave output frequency is given by the following formula:

$$f_{SPCKMAX} = MIN(f_{PINMAX}, \frac{1}{SPI_{In} + t_{SETUP}})$$

10. Mechanical Characteristics

10.1 Thermal Considerations

10.1.1 Thermal Data

Table 10-1 summarizes the thermal resistance data depending on the package.

Table 10-1. Thermal Resistance Data

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Package	Typ	Unit
θ_{JA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	Still Air	TQFP100	48.1	°C/W
θ_{JC}	Junction-to-case thermal resistance		TQFP100	13.3	
θ_{JA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	Still Air	VFBGA100	31.1	°C/W
θ_{JC}	Junction-to-case thermal resistance		VFBGA100	6.9	
θ_{JA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	Still Air	WLCSP64	26.9	°C/W
θ_{JC}	Junction-to-case thermal resistance		WLCSP64	0.2	
θ_{JA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	Still Air	TQFP64	49.6	°C/W
θ_{JC}	Junction-to-case thermal resistance		TQFP64	13.5	
θ_{JA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	Still Air	QFN64	22.0	°C/W
θ_{JC}	Junction-to-case thermal resistance		QFN64	1.3	
θ_{JA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	Still Air	TQFP48	51.1	°C/W
θ_{JC}	Junction-to-case thermal resistance		TQFP48	13.7	
θ_{JA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	Still Air	QFN48	24.9	°C/W
θ_{JC}	Junction-to-case thermal resistance		QFN48	1.3	

10.1.2 Junction Temperature

The average chip-junction temperature, T_J , in °C can be obtained from the following:

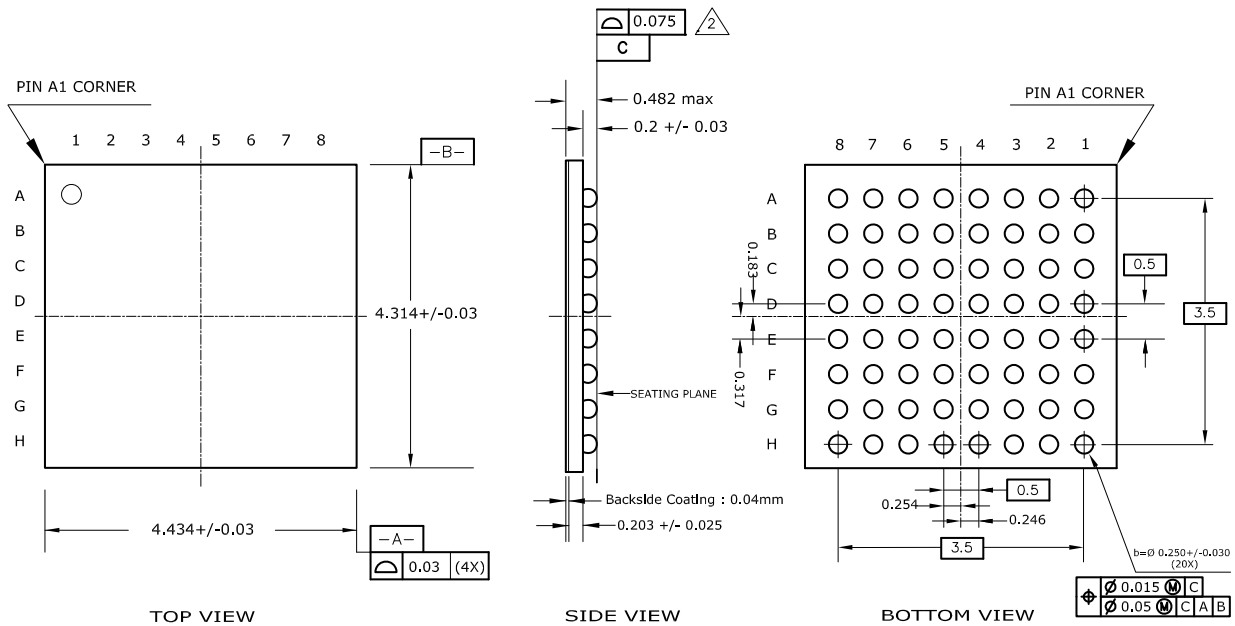
1. $T_J = T_A + (P_D \times \theta_{JA})$
2. $T_J = T_A + (P_D \times (\theta_{HEATSINK} + \theta_{JC}))$

where:

- θ_{JA} = package thermal resistance, Junction-to-ambient (°C/W), provided in Table 10-1.
- θ_{JC} = package thermal resistance, Junction-to-case thermal resistance (°C/W), provided in Table 10-1.
- $\theta_{HEATSINK}$ = cooling device thermal resistance (°C/W), provided in the device datasheet.
- P_D = device power consumption (W) estimated from data provided in Section 9.5 on page 103.
- T_A = ambient temperature (°C).

From the first equation, the user can derive the estimated lifetime of the chip and decide if a cooling device is necessary or not. If a cooling device is to be fitted on the chip, the second equation should be used to compute the resulting average chip-junction temperature T_J in °C.

Figure 10-4. WLCSP64 SAM4LS4/2 Package Drawing



Notes : 1. Dimension "b" is measured at the maximum ball diameter in a plane to the seating plane.

2. Applied to whole wafer.

Table 10-11. Device and Package Maximum Weight

14.8	mg
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Table 10-12. Package Characteristics

Moisture Sensitivity Level	MSL3
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Table 10-13. Package Reference

JEDEC Drawing Reference	MS-026
JESD97 Classification	E1

Table 11-3. ATSAM4LC2 Sub Series Ordering Information

Ordering Code	Flash (Kbytes)	RAM (Kbytes)	Package	Conditioning	Package Type	Temperature Operating Range
ATSAM4LC2CA-AU	128	32	TQFP100	Tray	Green	Industrial -40°C to 85°C
ATSAM4LC2CA-AUR				Reel		
ATSAM4LC2CA-CFU			VFBGA100	Tray		
ATSAM4LC2CA-CFUR				Reel		
ATSAM4LC2BA-AU			TQFP64	Tray		
ATSAM4LC2BA-AUR				Reel		
ATSAM4LC2BA-MU			QFN64	Tray		
ATSAM4LC2BA-MUR				Reel		
ATSAM4LC2BA-UUR			WLCSP64	Reel		
ATSAM4LC2AA-AU			TQFP48	Tray		
ATSAM4LC2AA-AUR				Reel		
ATSAM4LC2AA-MU			QFN48	Tray		
ATSAM4LC2AA-MUR				Reel		

Table 11-4. ATSAM4LS8 Sub Series Ordering Information

Ordering Code	Flash (Kbytes)	RAM (Kbytes)	Package	Conditioning	Package Type	Temperature Operating Range
ATSAM4LS8CA-AU	512	64	TQFP100	Tray	Green	Industrial -40°C to 85°C
ATSAM4LS8CA-AUR				Reel		
ATSAM4LS8CA-CFU			VFBGA100	Tray		
ATSAM4LS8CA-CFUR				Reel		
ATSAM4LS8BA-AU			TQFP64	Tray		
ATSAM4LS8BA-AUR				Reel		
ATSAM4LS8BA-MU			QFN64	Tray		
ATSAM4LS8BA-MUR				Reel		
ATSAM4LS8BA-UUR			WLCSP64	Reel		
ATSAM4LS8AA-MU			QFN48	Tray		
ATSAM4LS8AA-MUR				Reel		