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Details

Product Status	Discontinued at Digi-Key
Core Processor	ARM® Cortex®-M0+
Core Size	32-Bit Single-Core
Speed	24MHz
Connectivity	I ² C, IrDA, SmartCard, SPI, UART/USART
Peripherals	Brown-out Detect/Reset, DMA, I ² S, POR, PWM, WDT
Number of I/O	17
Program Memory Size	16KB (16K x 8)
Program Memory Type	FLASH
EEPROM Size	-
RAM Size	4K x 8
Voltage - Supply (Vcc/Vdd)	1.98V ~ 3.8V
Data Converters	-
Oscillator Type	Internal
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 85°C (TA)
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Package / Case	24-VQFN Exposed Pad
Supplier Device Package	24-QFN (5x5)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/silicon-labs/efm32zg108f16-qfn24t

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
		14 MHz HFRCO, all peripheral clocks disabled, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		50	54	$\mu\text{A}/\text{MHz}$
		14 MHz HFRCO, all peripheral clocks disabled, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 85^\circ\text{C}$		51	56	$\mu\text{A}/\text{MHz}$
		11 MHz HFRCO, all peripheral clocks disabled, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		52	56	$\mu\text{A}/\text{MHz}$
		11 MHz HFRCO, all peripheral clocks disabled, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 85^\circ\text{C}$		53	58	$\mu\text{A}/\text{MHz}$
		6.6 MHz HFRCO, all peripheral clocks disabled, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		57	63	$\mu\text{A}/\text{MHz}$
		6.6 MHz HFRCO, all peripheral clocks disabled, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 85^\circ\text{C}$		59	66	$\mu\text{A}/\text{MHz}$
		1.2 MHz HFRCO, all peripheral clocks disabled, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		89	99	$\mu\text{A}/\text{MHz}$
		1.2 MHz HFRCO, all peripheral clocks disabled, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 85^\circ\text{C}$		92	103	$\mu\text{A}/\text{MHz}$
I_{EM2}	EM2 current	EM2 current with RTC prescaled to 1 Hz, 32.768 kHz LFRCO, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		0.9	1.25	μA
		EM2 current with RTC prescaled to 1 Hz, 32.768 kHz LFRCO, $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 85^\circ\text{C}$		1.7	2.35	μA
I_{EM3}	EM3 current	EM3 current (ULFRCO enabled, LFRCO/LFXO disabled), $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		0.5	0.9	μA
		EM3 current (ULFRCO enabled, LFRCO/LFXO disabled), $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 85^\circ\text{C}$		1.3	2.0	μA
I_{EM4}	EM4 current	$V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		0.02	0.035	μA
		$V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{AMB} = 85^\circ\text{C}$		0.29	0.700	μA

Figure 3.7. EM1 Current consumption with all peripheral clocks disabled and HFRCO running at 21 MHz

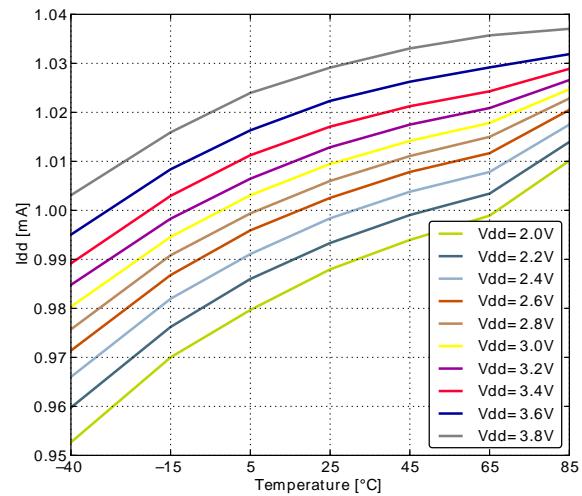
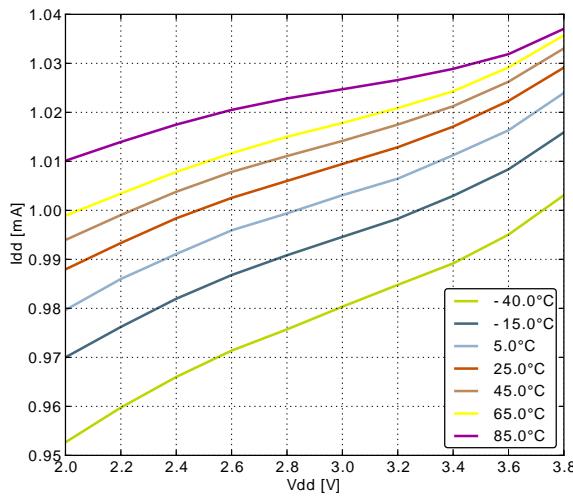
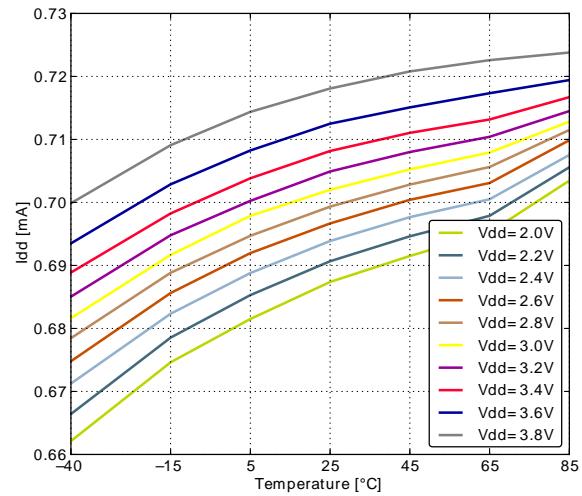
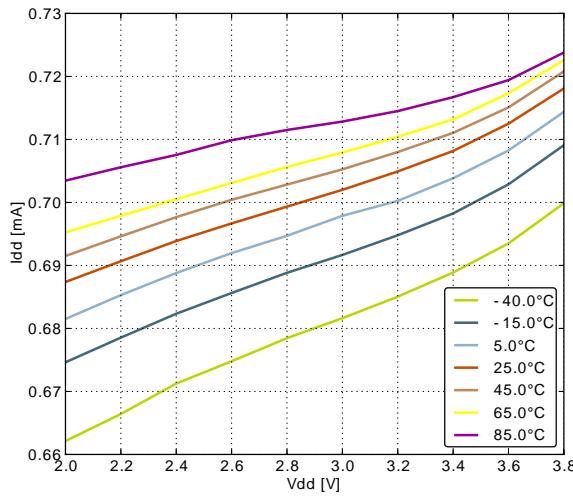
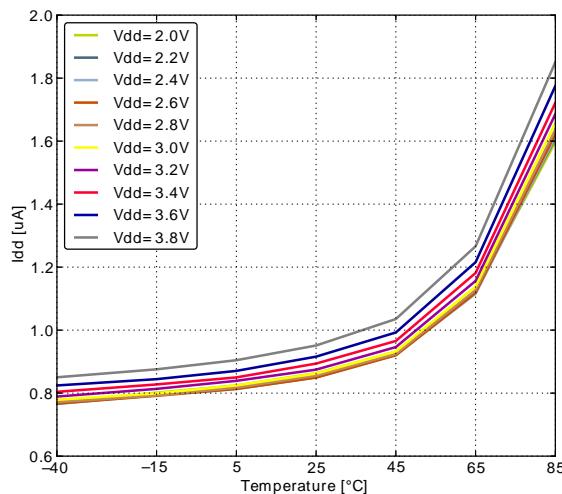
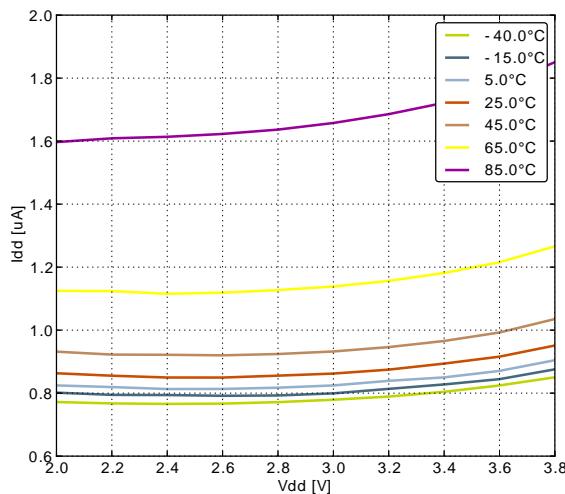


Figure 3.8. EM1 Current consumption with all peripheral clocks disabled and HFRCO running at 14 MHz



3.4.3 EM2 Current Consumption

Figure 3.11. *EM2 current consumption. RTC prescaled to 1kHz, 32.768 kHz LFRCO.*



3.4.4 EM3 Current Consumption

Figure 3.12. *EM3 current consumption.*

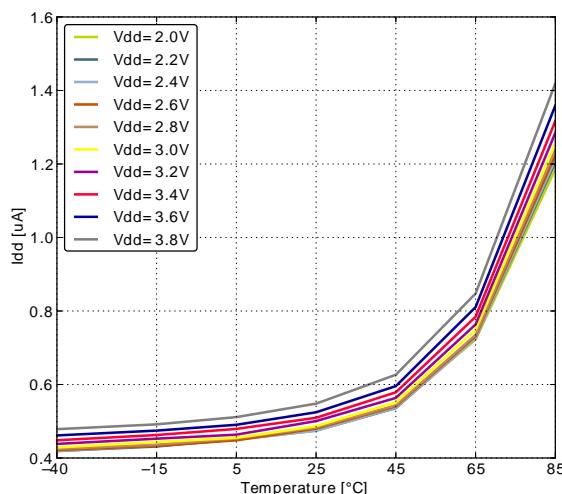
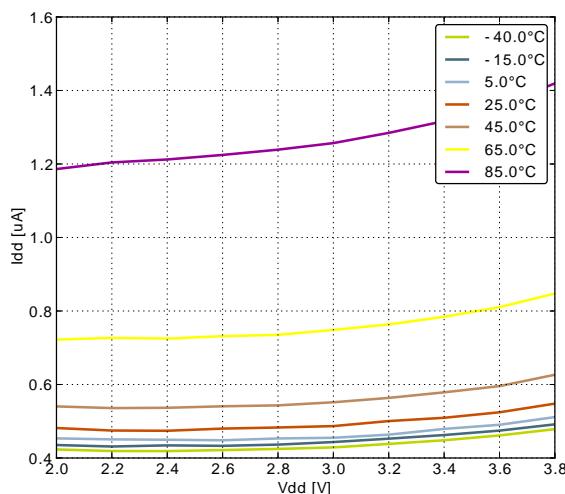


Table 3.5. Power Management

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$V_{BODextthr-}$	BOD threshold on falling external supply voltage		1.74		1.96	V
$V_{BODextthr+}$	BOD threshold on rising external supply voltage			1.85		V
t_{RESET}	Delay from reset is released until program execution starts	Applies to Power-on Reset, Brown-out Reset and pin reset.		163		μs
$C_{DECOPULE}$	Voltage regulator decoupling capacitor.	X5R capacitor recommended. Apply between DECOUPLE pin and GROUND		1		μF

3.7 Flash

Table 3.6. Flash

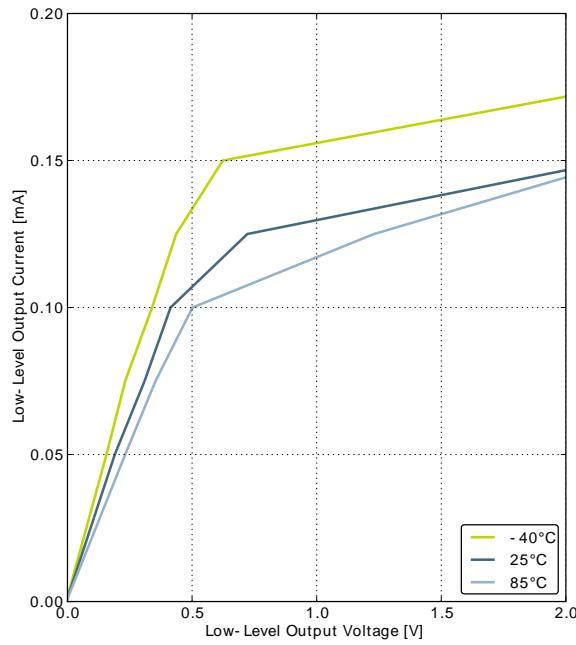
Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
EC_{FLASH}	Flash erase cycles before failure		20000			cycles
RET_{FLASH}	Flash data retention	$T_{AMB} < 150^{\circ}\text{C}$	10000			h
		$T_{AMB} < 85^{\circ}\text{C}$	10			years
		$T_{AMB} < 70^{\circ}\text{C}$	20			years
t_{W_PROG}	Word (32-bit) programming time		20			μs
t_{P_ERASE}	Page erase time		20	20.4	20.8	ms
t_{D_ERASE}	Device erase time		40	40.8	41.6	ms
I_{ERASE}	Erase current				7 ¹	mA
I_{WRITE}	Write current				7 ¹	mA
V_{FLASH}	Supply voltage during flash erase and write		1.98		3.8	V

¹Measured at 25°C

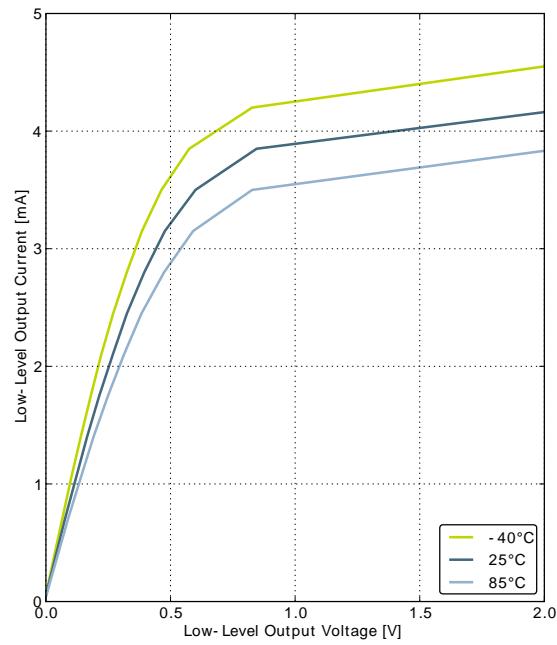
3.8 General Purpose Input Output

Table 3.7. GPIO

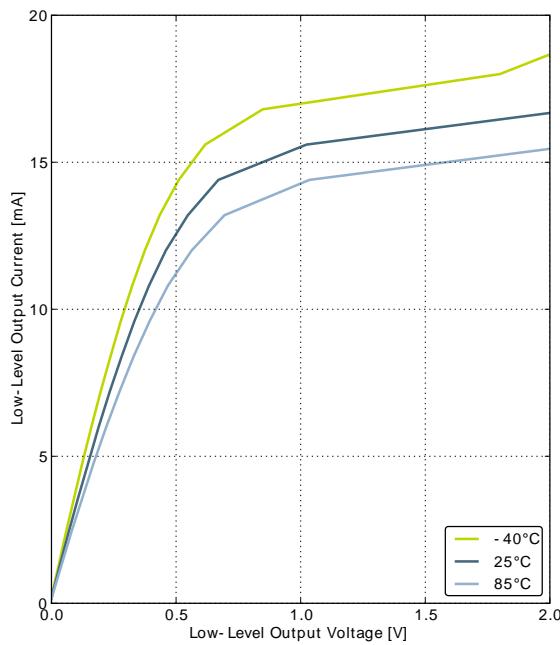
Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{IOIL}	Input low voltage				0.30 V_{DD}	V
V_{IOIH}	Input high voltage		0.70 V_{DD}			V
V_{IOOH}	Output high voltage (Production test condition = 3.0V, DRIVEMODE = STANDARD)	Sourcing 0.1 mA, $V_{DD}=1.98$ V, GPIO_{Px_CTRL} DRIVEMODE = LOWEST		0.80 V_{DD}		V
		Sourcing 0.1 mA, $V_{DD}=3.0$ V, GPIO_{Px_CTRL} DRIVEMODE = LOWEST		0.90 V_{DD}		V

Figure 3.14. Typical Low-Level Output Current, 2V Supply Voltage

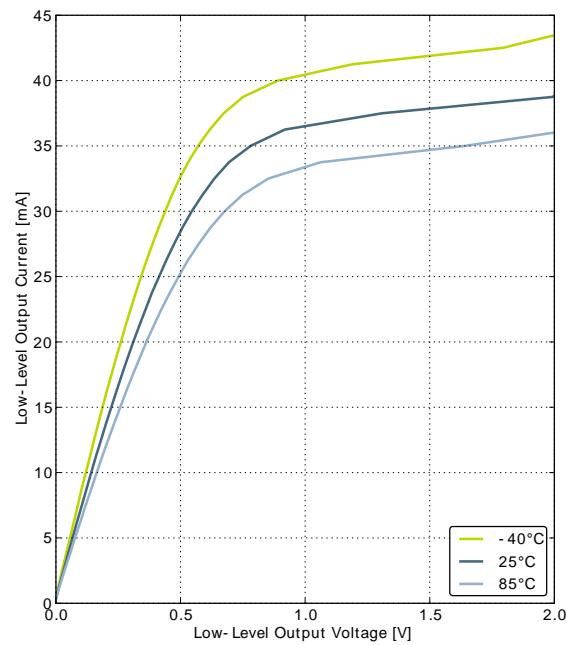
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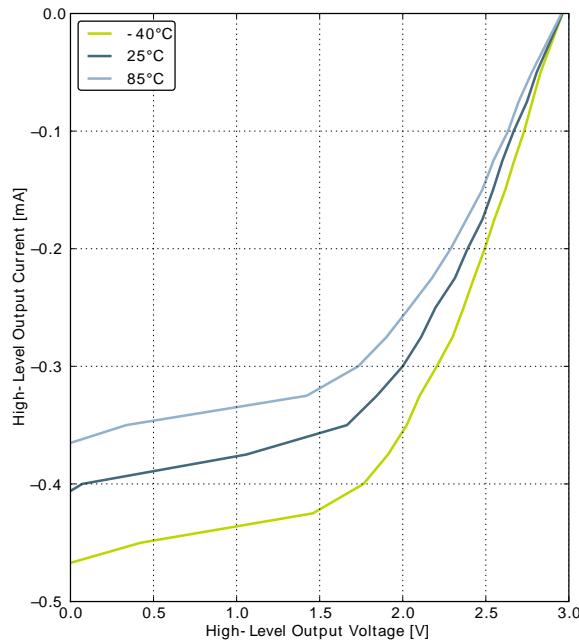
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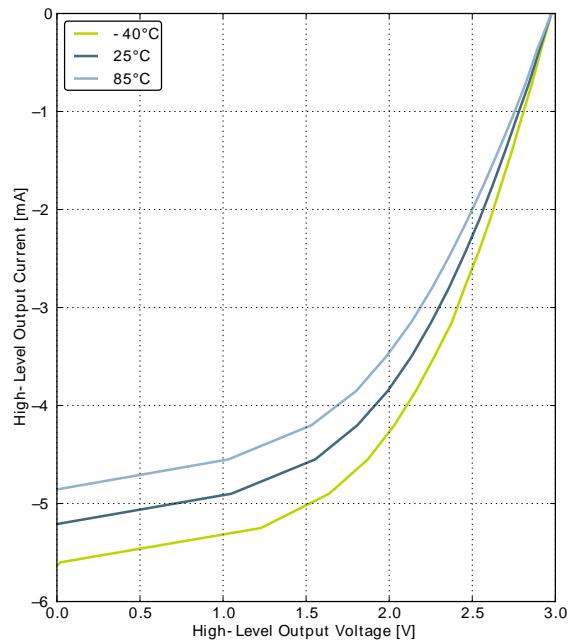
GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = STANDARD



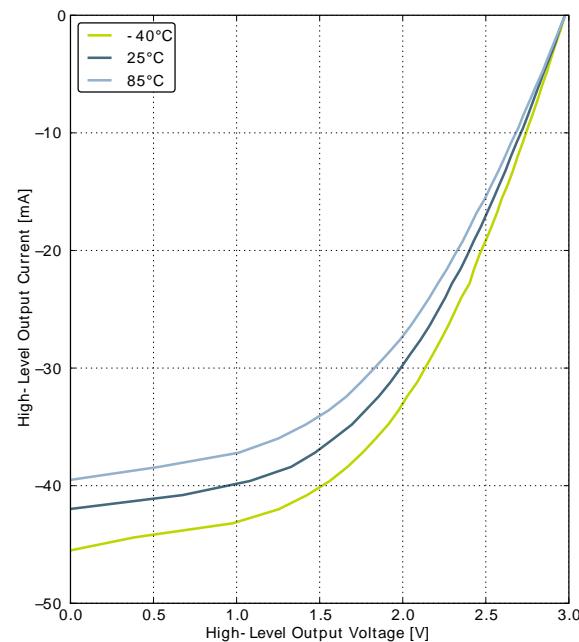
GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = HIGH

Figure 3.17. Typical High-Level Output Current, 3V Supply Voltage

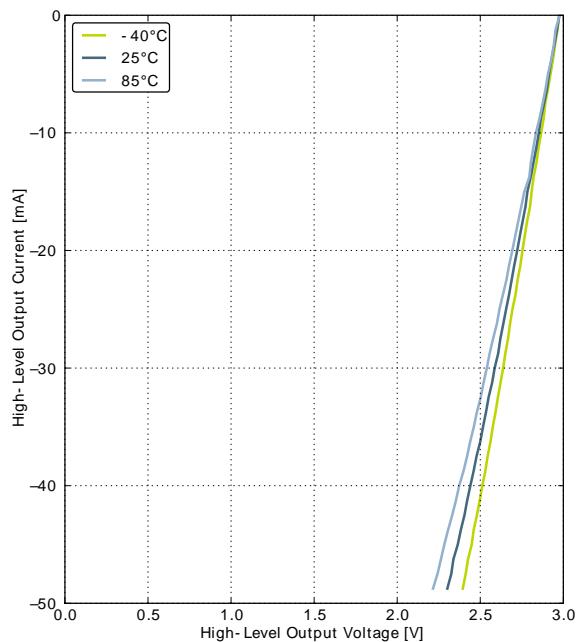
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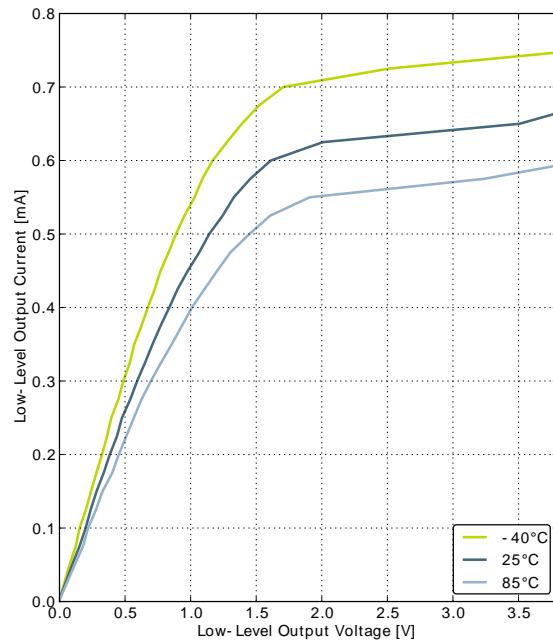
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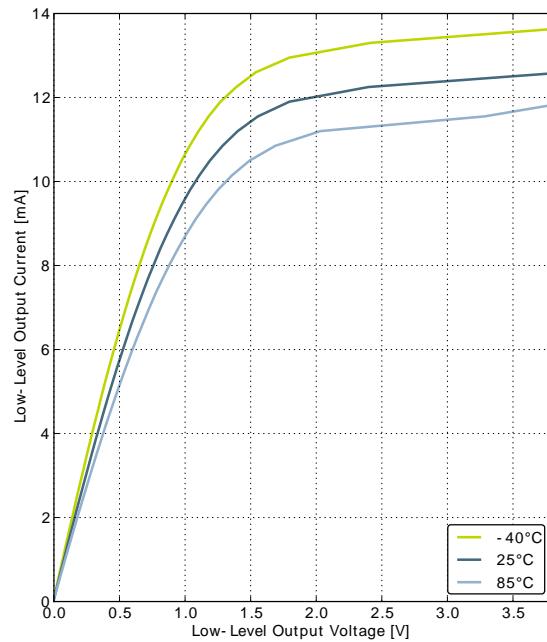
GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = STANDARD



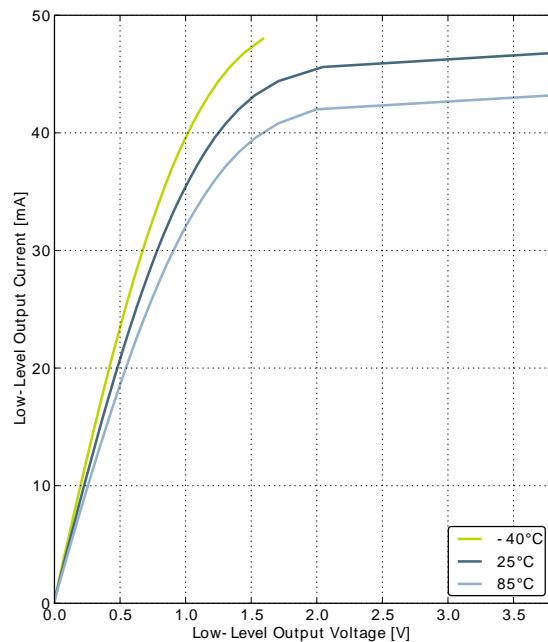
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Figure 3.18. Typical Low-Level Output Current, 3.8V Supply Voltage

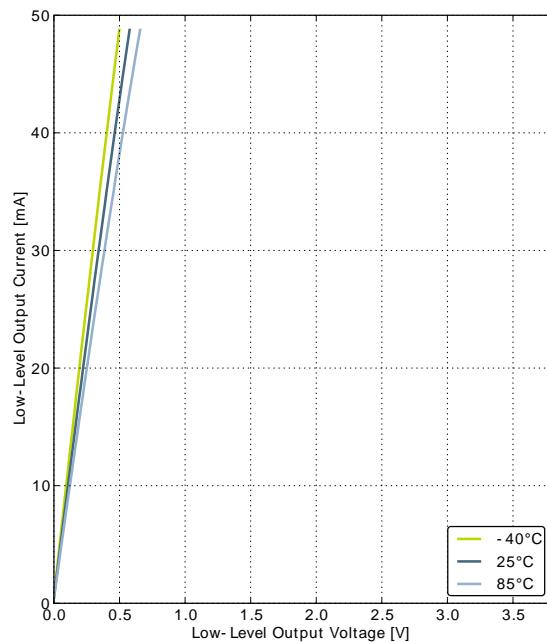
GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = LOWEST



GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = LOW



GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = STANDARD



GPIO_Px_CTRL DRIVEMODE = HIGH

3.9.4 HFRCO

Table 3.11. HFRCO

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
f_{HFRCO}	Oscillation frequency, $V_{\text{DD}} = 3.0 \text{ V}$, $T_{\text{AMB}} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	21 MHz frequency band	20.37	21.0	21.63	MHz
		14 MHz frequency band	13.58	14.0	14.42	MHz
		11 MHz frequency band	10.67	11.0	11.33	MHz
		7 MHz frequency band	6.40	6.60	6.80	MHz
		1 MHz frequency band	1.15	1.20	1.25	MHz
$t_{\text{HFRCO_settling}}$	Settling time after start-up	$f_{\text{HFRCO}} = 14 \text{ MHz}$		0.6		Cycles
I_{HFRCO}	Current consumption (Production test condition = 14 MHz)	$f_{\text{HFRCO}} = 21 \text{ MHz}$		93	175	μA
		$f_{\text{HFRCO}} = 14 \text{ MHz}$		77	140	μA
		$f_{\text{HFRCO}} = 11 \text{ MHz}$		72	125	μA
		$f_{\text{HFRCO}} = 6.6 \text{ MHz}$		63	105	μA
		$f_{\text{HFRCO}} = 1.2 \text{ MHz}$		22	40	μA
$\text{TUNESTEP}_{\text{H-FRCO}}$	Frequency step for LSB change in TUNING value			0.3 ¹		%

¹The TUNING field in the CMU_HFRCOCTRL register may be used to adjust the HFRCO 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 HFRCO frequency at any arbitrary value between 7 MHz and 28 MHz across operating conditions.

Figure 3.21. Calibrated HFRCO 1 MHz Band Frequency vs Supply Voltage and Temperature

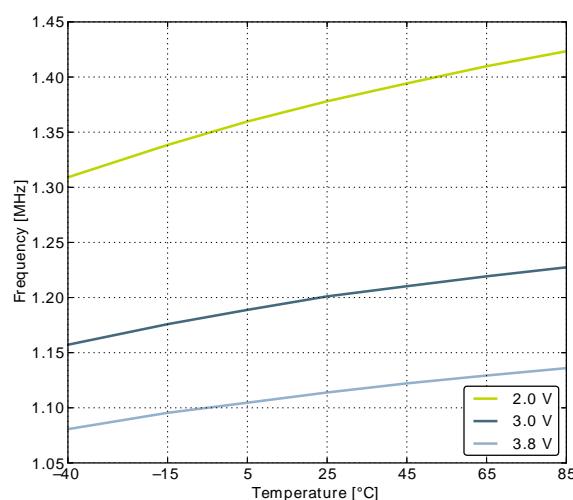
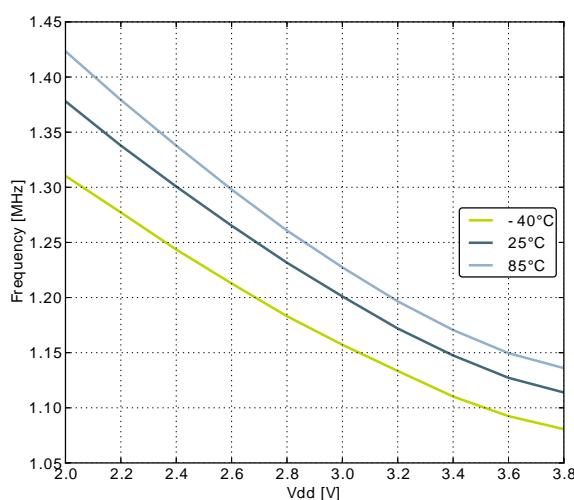


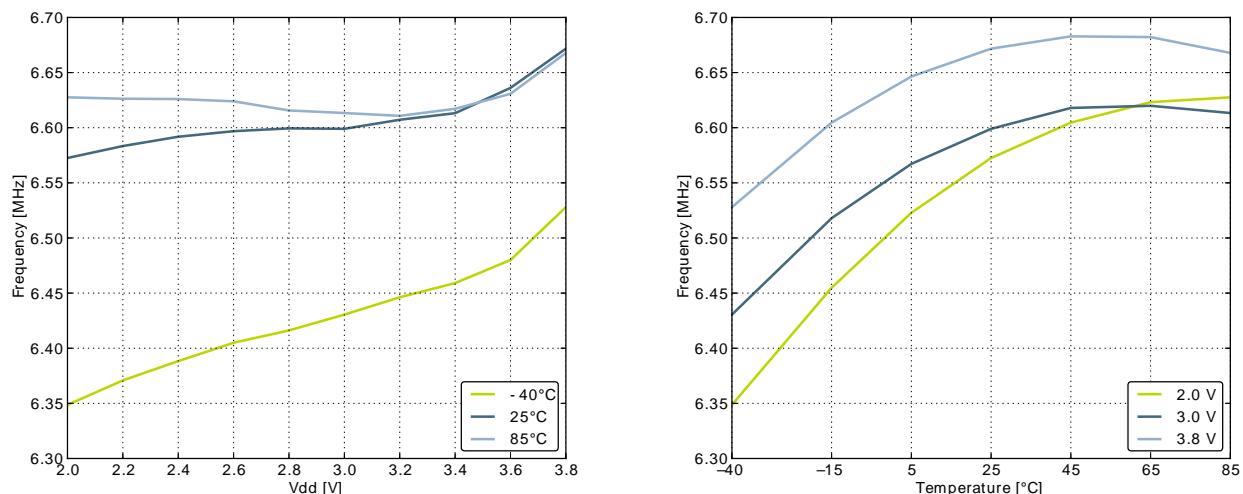
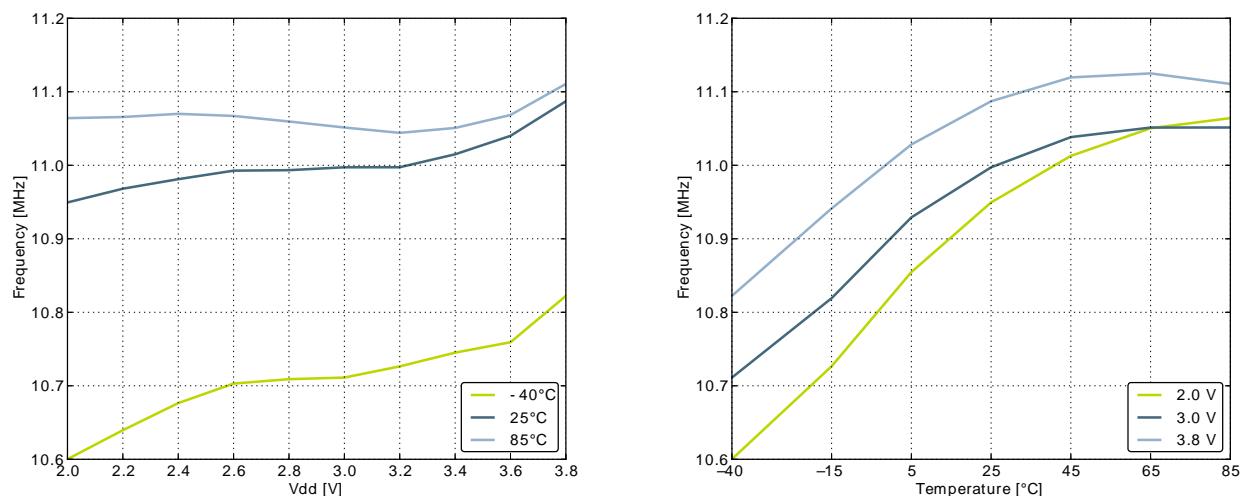
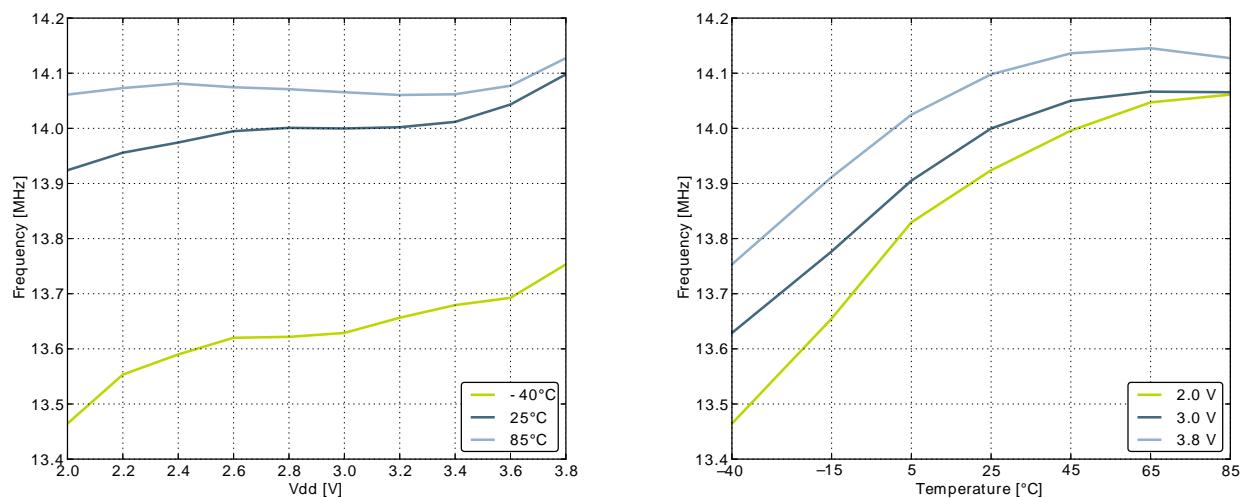
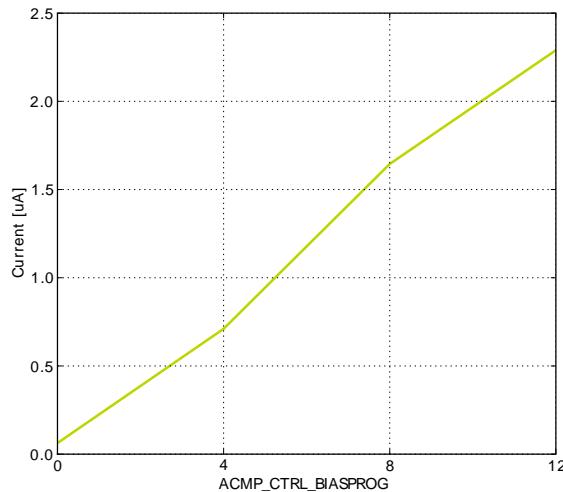
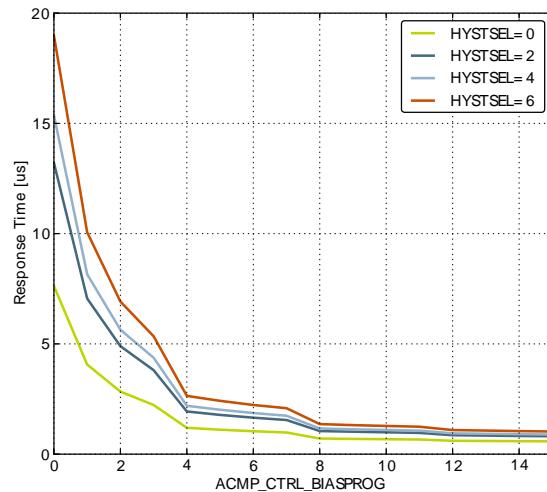
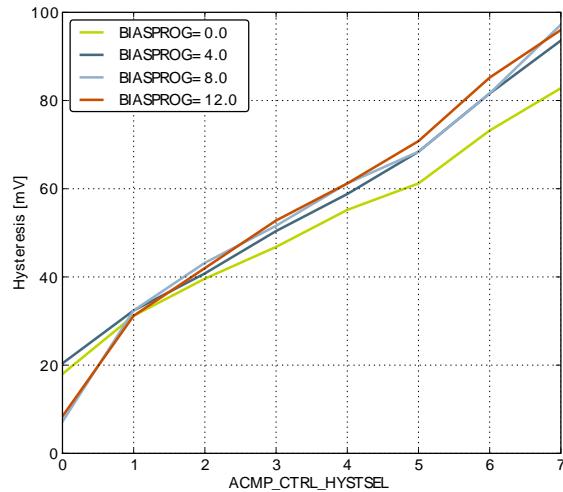
Figure 3.22. Calibrated HFRCO 7 MHz Band Frequency vs Supply Voltage and Temperature**Figure 3.23. Calibrated HFRCO 11 MHz Band Frequency vs Supply Voltage and Temperature****Figure 3.24. Calibrated HFRCO 14 MHz Band Frequency vs Supply Voltage and Temperature**

Figure 3.26. ACMP Characteristics, Vdd = 3V, Temp = 25°C, FULLBIAS = 0, HALFBIAS = 1

Current consumption, HYSTSEL = 4

Response time , V_{cm} = 1.25V, CP+ to CP- = 100mV

Hysteresis

3.11 Voltage Comparator (VCMP)

Table 3.15. VCMP

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$V_{VCMPPIN}$	Input voltage range			V_{DD}		V
V_{VCMPCM}	VCMP Common Mode voltage range			V_{DD}		V
I_{VCMP}	Active current	BIASPROG=0b0000 and HALFBIAS=1 in VCMPn_CTRL register		0.1	0.8	μA
		BIASPROG=0b1111 and HALFBIAS=0 in VCMPn_CTRL register. LPREF=0.		14.7	35	μA
$t_{VCMPREF}$	Startup time reference generator	NORMAL		10		μs
$V_{VCMPOFFSET}$	Offset voltage	Single ended		10		mV
		Differential		10		mV
$V_{VCMPHYST}$	VCMP hysteresis			17		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

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

3.12 I2C

Table 3.16. I2C Standard-mode (Sm)

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
f_{SCL}	SCL clock frequency	0		100^1	kHz
t_{LOW}	SCL clock low time	4.7			μs
t_{HIGH}	SCL clock high time	4.0			μs
$t_{SU,DAT}$	SDA set-up time	250			ns
$t_{HD,DAT}$	SDA hold time	8		$3450^{2,3}$	ns
$t_{SU,STA}$	Repeated START condition set-up time	4.7			μs
$t_{HD,STA}$	(Repeated) START condition hold time	4.0			μs
$t_{SU,STO}$	STOP condition set-up time	4.0			μs
t_{BUF}	Bus free time between a STOP and START condition	4.7			μs

¹For the minimum HFPERCLK frequency required in Standard-mode, see the I2C chapter in the EFM32ZG Reference Manual.

²The maximum SDA hold time ($t_{HD,DAT}$) needs to be met only when the device does not stretch the low time of SCL (t_{LOW}).

³When transmitting data, this number is guaranteed only when $I2Cn_CLKDIV < ((3450 * 10^{-9}) [s] * f_{HFPERCLK} [\text{Hz}]) - 5$.

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
I_{GPIO}	GPIO current	GPIO idle current, clock enabled		5.31		$\mu A / MHz$
I_{PRS}	PRS current	PRS idle current		2.81		$\mu A / MHz$
I_{DMA}	DMA current	Clock enable		8.12		$\mu A / MHz$

Note:

1. Dimensioning & tolerancing confirm to ASME Y14.5M-1994.
2. All dimensions are in millimeters. Angles are in degrees.
3. Dimension 'b' applies to metallized terminal and is measured between 0.25 mm and 0.30 mm from the terminal tip. Dimension L1 represents terminal full back from package edge up to 0.1 mm is acceptable.
4. Coplanarity applies to the exposed heat slug as well as the terminal.
5. Radius on terminal is optional

Table 4.4. QFN24 (Dimensions in mm)

Symbol	A	A1	A3	b	D	E	D2	E2	e	L	L1	aaa	bbb	ccc	ddd	eee
Min	0.80	0.00	0.203 REF	0.25	5.00 BSC	5.00 BSC	3.50	3.50	0.65 BSC	0.35	0.00	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.05	0.08
Nom	0.85	-		0.30			3.60	3.60		0.40						
Max	0.90	0.05		0.35			3.70	3.70		0.45	0.10					

The QFN24 Package uses Nickel-Palladium-Gold preplated leadframe.

All EFM32 packages are RoHS compliant and free of Bromine (Br) and Antimony (Sb).

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5 PCB Layout and Soldering

5.1 Recommended PCB Layout

Figure 5.1. QFN24 PCB Land Pattern

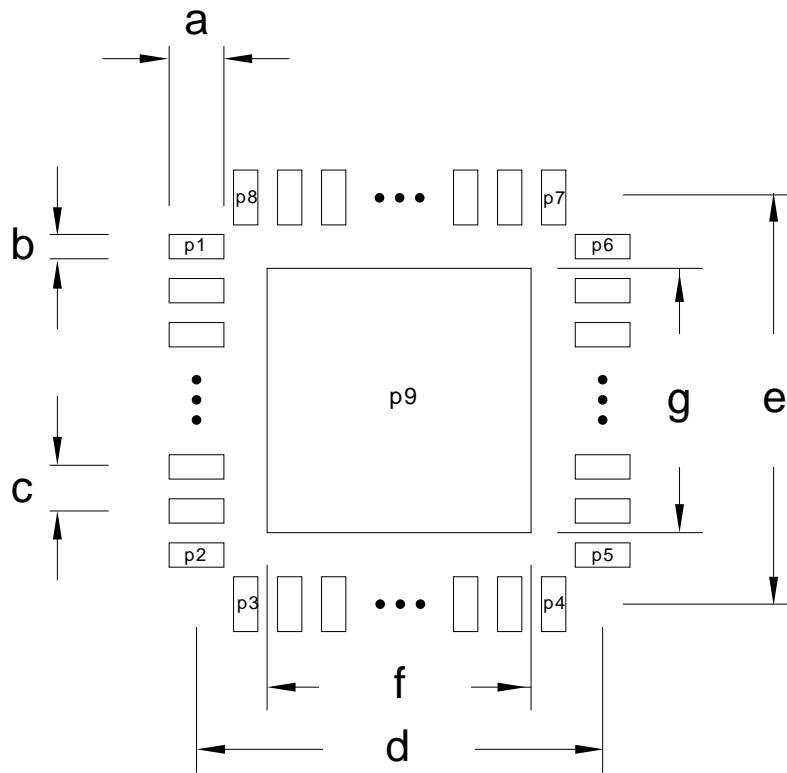
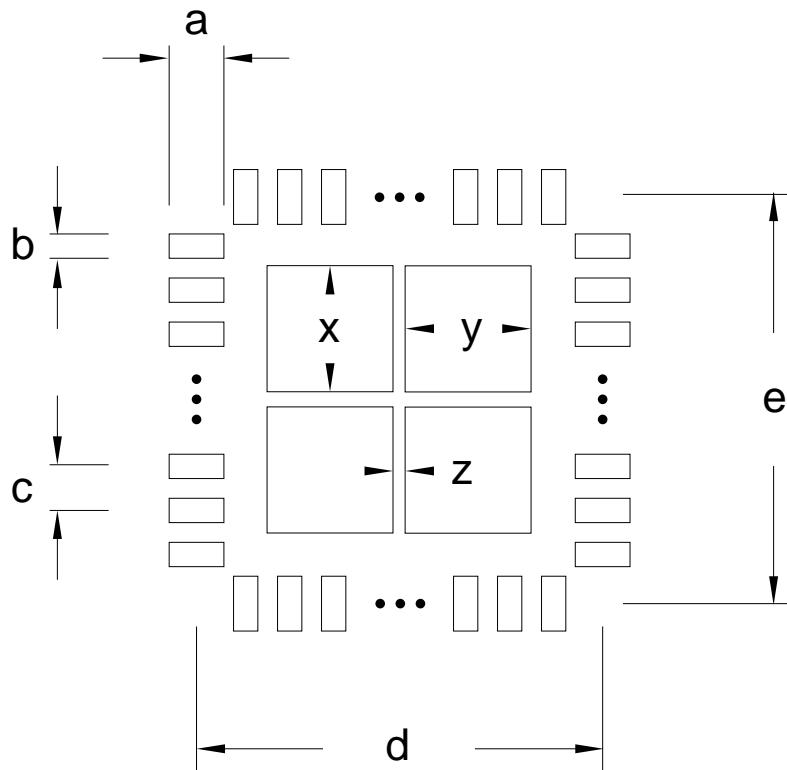


Table 5.1. QFN24 PCB Land Pattern Dimensions (Dimensions in mm)

Symbol	Dim. (mm)	Symbol	Pin number	Symbol	Pin number
a	0.80	P1	1	P8	24
b	0.30	P2	6	P9	25
c	0.65	P3	7	-	-
d	5.00	P4	12	-	-
e	5.00	P5	13	-	-
f	3.60	P6	18	-	-
g	3.60	P7	19	-	-

Figure 5.3. QFN24 PCB Stencil Design**Table 5.3. QFN24 PCB Stencil Design Dimensions (Dimensions in mm)**

Symbol	Dim. (mm)	Symbol	Dim. (mm)
a	0.60	e	5.00
b	0.25	x	1.00
c	0.65	y	1.00
d	5.00	z	0.50

1. The drawings are not to scale.
2. All dimensions are in millimeters.
3. All drawings are subject to change without notice.
4. The PCB Land Pattern drawing is in compliance with IPC-7351B.
5. Stencil thickness 0.125 mm.
6. For detailed pin-positioning, see Figure 4.2 (p. 40) .

5.2 Soldering Information

The latest IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020 recommendations for Pb-Free reflow soldering should be followed.

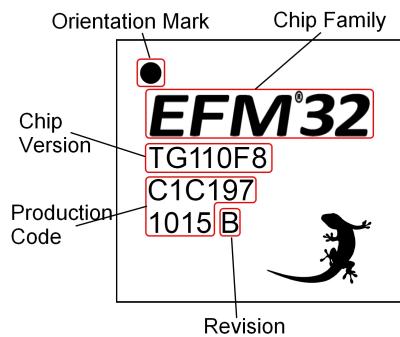
The packages have a Moisture Sensitivity Level rating of 3, please see the latest IPC/JEDEC J-STD-033 standard for MSL description and level 3 bake conditions. Place as many and as small as possible vias underneath each of the solder patches under the ground pad.

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. 45) .

6.3 Errata

Please see the errata document for EFM32ZG108 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>

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