LMK01000 Evaluation Board

User's Guide



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1.6 GHz Low Noise Clock Buffer, Divider, and Distributor Evaluation Board Operating Instructions

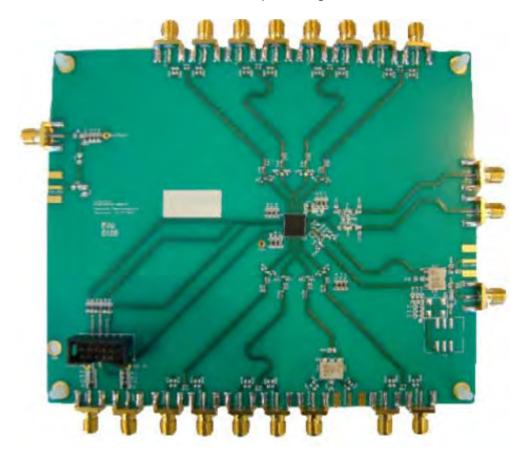




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Equipment

Power Supply

The Power Supply should be a low noise power supply. An Agilent 6623A Triple power supply with LC filters on the output to reduce noise was used in creating these evaluation board instructions.

Phase Noise / Spectrum Analyzer

For measuring phase noise an Agilent E5052A is recommended. An Agilent E4445A PSA Spectrum Analyzer with the Phase Noise option is also usable although the architecture of the E5052A is superior for phase noise measurements. At frequencies less than 100 MHz the local oscillator noise of the PSA is too high and measurements will be of the local oscillator, not the device under test.

Oscilloscope

The oscilloscope and probes should be capable of measuring the output frequencies of interest when evaluating this board. The Agilent Infiniium DSO81204A was used in creating these evaluation board instructions.

Reference Oscillator

The on board crystal oscillator will provide a low noise reference signal to the device at offsets greater than 1 kHz.

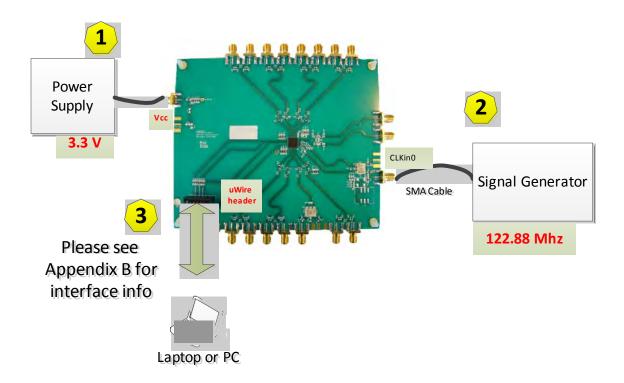
Note: The default loop filter has a loop bandwidth of ~60 kHz. Inside the loop bandwidth of a PLL the noise is greatly affected by any noise on the reference oscillator (OSCin). Therefore any noise on the oscillator less than 60 kHz will be passed through and seen on the outputs. For this reason the main output of a Signal Generator is not recommended for driving OSCin in this setup.





Basic Operation

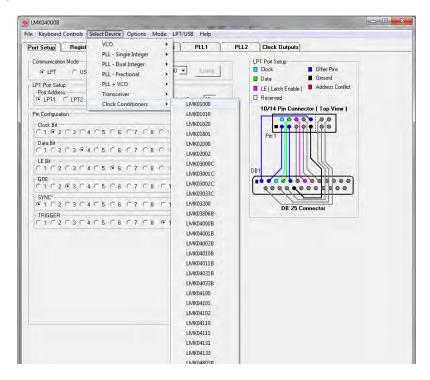
- 1) Connect a low noise 3.3 V power supply to the Vcc connector located at the top left of the board.
- 2) Connect 122.88 MHz signal from signal generator output to CLKin0 of board.
- 3) Please see Appendix B for quick start on interfacing the board. Connect PC to the uWire header.



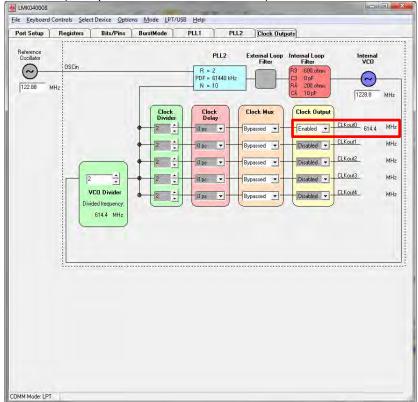
4) Start CodeLoader4.exe



Select the device by "Select Device" → "Clock Conditioners"



Enable the output to measure (example CLKout0 is enabled below)

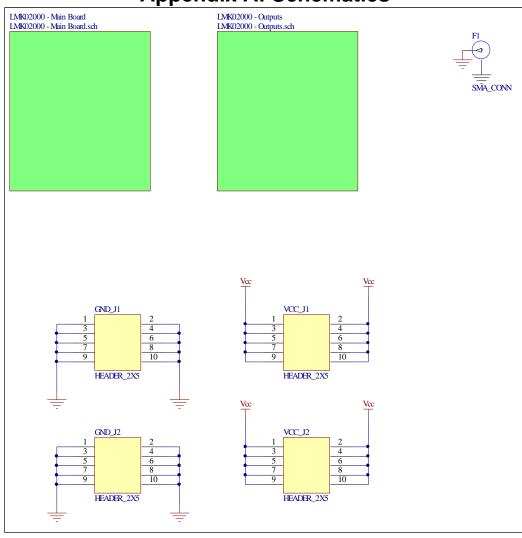




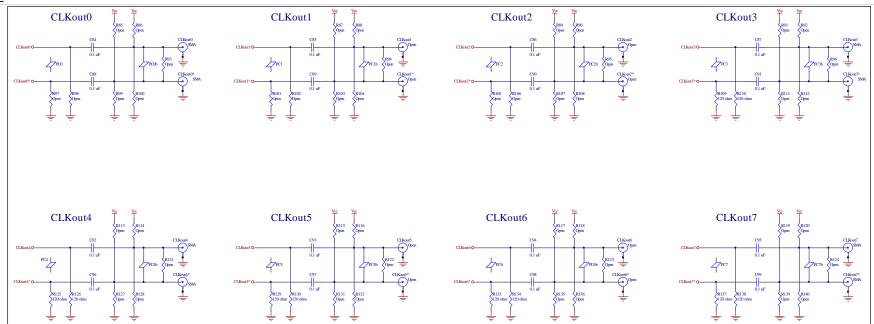
7) **Program** the part by clicking "Keyboard Controls" → "Load Device" or by pressing Ctrl+L.

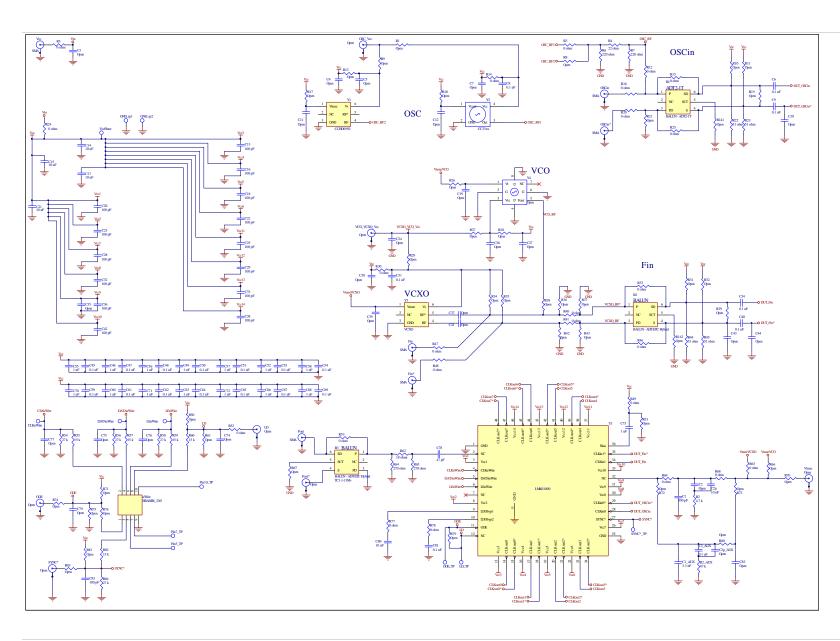
***Be advised: GOE and SYNC* on the IC have internal pull-ups. Voltage dividers are used to lower 5 V LPT ports to safe levels for the device while still programming with 3.3 V LPT ports. When the cable is removed however, the pull-down of the voltage divider will overpower the pullup of the GOE or SYNC*. For this reason GOE is disconnected so the cable can be disconnected and the outputs still will be on. However, or any channels which have dividers enabled, the SYNC* will go low and cause them to stop oscillating. Future versions of the evaluation board have zener diodes on GOE and SYNC* to eliminate this issue.

Appendix A: Schematics





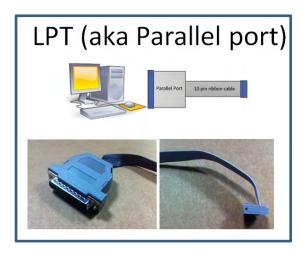




Appendix B: Quick Start for EVM Communications

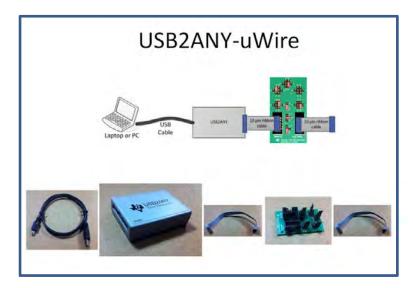
Codeloader is the software used to communicate with the EVM (Please download the latest version from TI.com - http://www.ti.com/tool/codeloader). This EVM can be controlled through the uWire interface on board. There are two options in communicating with the uWire interface from the computer.

OPTION 1



Open Codeloader.exe → Click "Select Device" → Click "Port Setup" tab → Click "LPT" (in Communication Mode)

OPTION 2



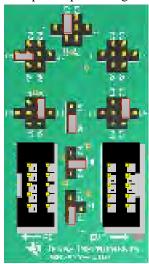


The Adapter Board

This table describes the pins configuration on the adapter board for each EVM board (See examples below table)

EMM	Jumper Bank								Code Loader Configuration
EVM	Α	В	C	D	Е	F	G	Н	
LMX2581	A4	B1	C2		E5	F1	G1	H1	BUFEN (pin 1), Trigger (pin 7)
LMX2541	A4		C3		E4	F1	G1	H1	CE (pin 1), Trigger (pin 10)
LMK0400x	A0		C3		E5	F1	G1	H1	GOE (pin 7)
LMK01000	A0		C1		E5	F1	G1	H1	GOE (pin 7)
LMK030xx	A0		C1		E5	F1	G1	H1	SYNC (pin 7)
LMK02000	A0		C1		E5	F1	G1	H1	SYNC (pin 7)
LMK0480x	A0	B2	C3		E5	F0	G0	H1	Status_CLKin1 (pin 3)
LMK04816/4906	A0	B2	C3		E5	F0	G0	H1	Status_CLKin1 (pin 3)
LMK01801	A0	B4	C5		E2	F0	G0	H1	Test (pin 3), SYNC0 (pin 10)
LMK0482x (prelease)	A0	B5	C3	D2	E4	F0	G0	H1	CLKin1_SEL (pin 6), Reset (pin 10)
LMX2531	A0				E5	F2	G1	H2	Trigger (pin 1)
LMX2485/7	A0		C1		E5	F2	G1	H0	ENOSC (pin 7), CE (pin 10)
LMK03200	A0				E5	F0	G0	H1	SYNC (pin 7)
LMK03806	A0		C1		E5	F0	G0	H1	
LMK04100	A0		C1		E5	F1	G1	H1	

Example adapter configuration (LMK01801)



Open Codeloader.exe \rightarrow Click "Select Device" \rightarrow Click "Port Setup" Tab \rightarrow Click "USB" (in Communication Mode) *Remember to also make modifications in "Pin Configuration" Section according to Table above.

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- · Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- · Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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