

TPS65903x-Q1 EVM User's Guide

This user's guide describes the characteristics, operation, and use of the TPS65903x-Q1 EVM. An EVM description, GUI description, interface requirements, and complete schematic are included.

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1 Introduction

The TPS659038-Q1 and TPS659039-Q1 devices are power-management integrated circuits (PMICs) for automotive applications. The device provides seven configurable step-down converters, with up to 9 A of output current for memory, processor core, input/output (I/O), or preregulation of LDOs. The TPS659038-Q1 device contains 11 LDO regulators while the TPS659039-Q1 device contains 6 LDO regulators for external use. For more details, see the device data sheet, [TPS65903x-Q1 Automotive Power Management Unit \(PMU\) for Processor](#).

1.1 EVM Overview

The features of this EVM are as follows:

- Allows monitoring of all LDO and SMPS output voltages.
- Allows loading of all SMPS outputs.
- Allows access to the GPIOs and other logic signals to test functionality.
- Optimized layout for stable operation of all SMPS.
- Onboard MSP430™ microcontroller to enable communication with the PMIC.
- Graphical User Interface (GUI) on Windows® to allow access to the registers of the PMIC through USB-I2C.

1.2 EVM with Components Identified

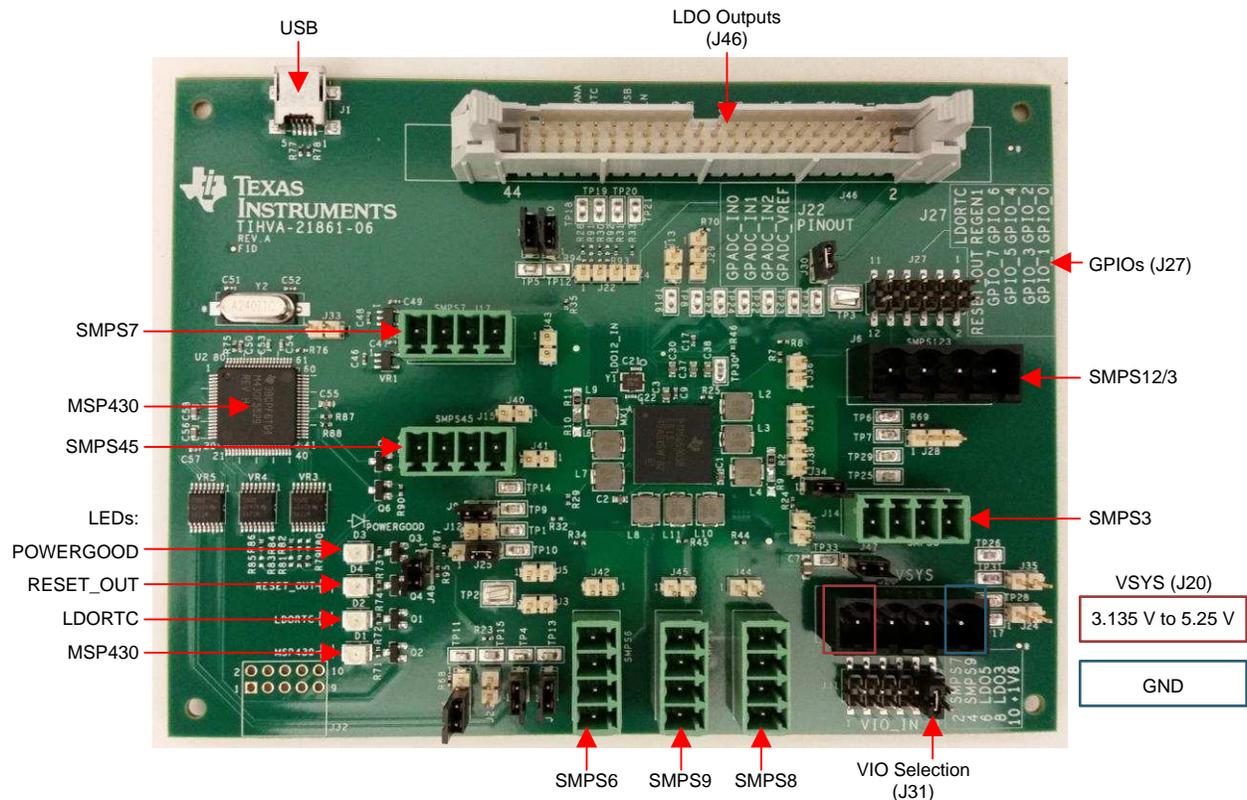


Figure 1. EVM

LEDs —Display status of POWERGOOD, RESET_OUT, LDORTC and power supply of MSP430

USB —Connection to PC to enable communication through the GUI

MSP430 —Microcontroller used to convert USB data to I²C format

SMPSxx —Monitor point for SMPS outputs

J46 —Monitor point for LDO outputs

J31 —Jumper used to select VIO voltage. J31 requires a jumper installed (only one), and by default is in position 10, 1V8.

J27 —Jumper that provides access to the GPIOs

J20 —VSYS power supply input. J20 is the same connector as SMPS123, and must not be confused to prevent applying VSYS to SMSP123-output.

1.3 Power-Supply Requirements and Connections

Only one power supply is needed to power the VSYS domain of the PMIC. Apply 3.135 VDC to 5.25 VDC to the J20 connector of the TPS65903EVM to supply power to the PMIC device. Four-wire sensing of the input power supply is recommended and can be achieved through the middle two terminals of J20.

Power for the MSP430 and the two fixed voltage LDOs (3.3-V and 1.8-V outputs) is supplied through the USB connection, as shown in [Figure 2](#).

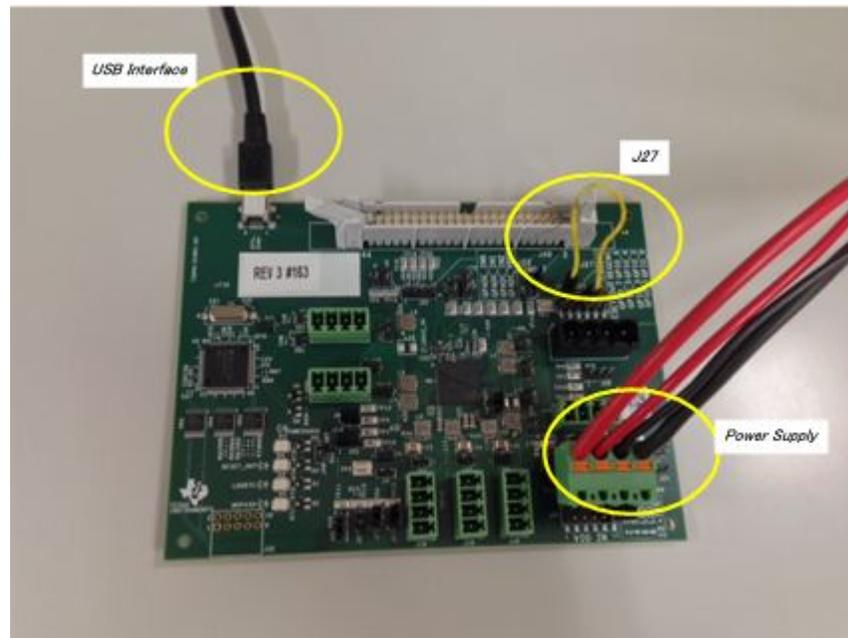


Figure 2. Power Supply

1.4 Default Jumper Settings

Table 1 lists the options for each header and the default jumper settings for the TPS659038EVM.

Table 1. Default Jumper Settings for the TPS659038EVM

| Reference | Jumper Setting | Function | Default |
|-----------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
| J3 | Closed | I2C1_SCL and I2C1_SDA are shorted | Open |
| | Open | I2C1_SCL and I2C1_SDA are separated | |
| J5 | Closed | I2C2_SCL and I2C2_SDA are shorted | Open |
| | Open | I2C2_SCL and I2C2_SDA are separated | |
| J7 | Closed | PWRDOWN pin is controlled by MSP430 | Closed |
| | Open | PWRDOWN pin is floating | |
| J8 | Closed | NRESWARM pin is controlled by MSP430 | Closed |
| | Open | NRESWARM is floating | |
| J9 | Closed | ENABLE1 pin is controlled by MSP430 | Closed |
| | Open | ENABLE1 is floating | |
| J10 | Closed | NSLEEP pin is controlled by MSP430 | Closed |
| | Open | NSLEEP is floating | |
| J11 | Closed | RESET_IN pin is controlled by MSP430 | Closed |
| | Open | RESET_IN is floating | |
| J12 | Closed | INT pin is connected to MSP430 | Open |
| | Open | INT pin is floating | |
| J13 | Closed | SYNCD CDC pin is connected to GND | Open |
| | Open | SYNCD CDC pin is floating | |
| J22 | 1 | GPADC_IN0 | Open |
| | 2 | GPADC_IN1 | |
| | 3 | GPADC_IN2 | |
| | 4 | GPADC_VREF | |
| J23 | Open | POWERGOOD pin is floating | Open |
| | Closed | POWERGOOD pin is connected to GND | |
| J24 | Open | CLK32KGO pin is floating | Open |
| | Closed | CLK32KGO pin is connected to GND | |
| J25 | Jumper b/w 1 and 2 | BOOT0 is tied to LDORTC | Jumper b/w 2 and 3 |
| | Jumper b/w 2 and 3 | BOOT0 is tied to GND | |
| J26 | Jumper b/w 1 and 2 | BOOT1 is tied to LDORTC | Jumper b/w 2 and 3 |
| | Jumper b/w 2 and 3 | BOOT1 is tied to GND | |

Table 1. Default Jumper Settings for the TPS659038EVM (continued)

| Reference | Jumper Setting | Function | Default |
|-----------|----------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| J27 | 1 | GPIO_0 | Jumper b/w 8 and 11 to tie POWERHOLD pin to VRTC |
| | 2 | GPIO_1 | |
| | 3 | GPIO_2 | |
| | 4 | GPIO_3 | |
| | 5 | GPIO_4 | |
| | 6 | GPIO_5 | |
| | 7 | GPIO_6 | |
| | 8 | GPIO_7 | |
| | 9 | REGEN1 | |
| | 10 | RESET_OUT | |
| | 11 | LODRTC | |
| | 12 | GND | |
| J28 | 1 | VSYS | Open |
| | 2 | PWRON | |
| | 3 | GND | |
| J29 | 1 | VSYS | Open |
| | 2 | PWRON | |
| | 3 | GND | |
| J30 | - | Reserved | Closed |
| J31 | 1 | VIO_IN | Jumper b/w 9 and 10 |
| | 2 | SMSP7 | |
| | 3 | VIO_IN | |
| | 4 | SMSP9 | |
| | 5 | VIO_IN | |
| | 6 | LDO5 | |
| | 7 | VIO_IN | |
| | 8 | LDO3 | |
| | 9 | VIO_IN | |
| | 10 | +1V8 | |
| | 11 | VIO_IN | |
| | 12 | +3V3 | |
| J34 | Open | All LDO_INs are floating | Closed |
| | Closed | All LDO_INs are connected to VSYS | |
| J35 | Open | VPROG/TESTV is floating | Open |
| | Closed | VPROG/TESTV is connected to GND | |
| J36 | — | SMPS12/3 | Open |
| J37 | — | SMPS12/3 | Open |
| J38 | — | SMPS12/3 | Open |
| J39 | — | SMPS3 | Open |
| J40 | — | SMPS45 | Open |
| J41 | — | SMPS45 | Open |
| J42 | — | SMPS6 | Open |
| J43 | — | SMPS7 | Open |
| J44 | — | SMPS8 | Open |
| J45 | — | SMPS9 | Open |
| J47 | Open | VCC1 isn't shorted to VSYS | Closed |
| | Closed | VCC1 is shorted to VSYS | |
| J48 | Open | POWERGOOD is floating | Closed |
| | Closed | POWERGOOD is pulled up to 3.3V | |

Table 1. Default Jumper Settings for the TPS659038EVM (continued)

| Reference | Jumper Setting | Function | Default |
|-----------|----------------|------------------|---------|
| | 1 | LDO1 | |
| | 2 | LDO1_SENSE | |
| | 3 | LDO1_GND_SENSE | |
| | 4 | LDO2 | |
| | 5 | LDO2_SENSE | |
| | 6 | LDO2_GND_SENSE | |
| | 7 | LDO3 | |
| | 8 | LDO3_SENSE | |
| | 9 | LDO3_GND_SENSE | |
| | 10 | LDO4 | |
| | 11 | LDO4_SENSE | |
| | 12 | LDO4_GND_SENSE | |
| | 13 | LDO5 | |
| | 14 | LDO5_SENSE | |
| | 15 | LDO5_GND_SENSE | |
| | 16 | LDO6 | |
| | 17 | LDO6_SENSE | |
| | 18 | LDO6_GND_SENSE | |
| | 19 | LDO7 | |
| | 20 | LDO7_SENSE | |
| | 21 | LDO7_GND_SENSE | |
| | 22 | LDO8 | |
| | 23 | LDO8_SENSE | |
| | 24 | LDO8_GND_SENSE | |
| | 25 | LDO9 | |
| | 26 | LDO9_SENSE | |
| | 27 | LDO9_GND_SENSE | |
| | 28 | LDOLN | |
| | 29 | LDOLN_SENSE | |
| | 30 | LDOLN_GND_SENSE | |
| | 31 | LDOUSB | |
| | 32 | LDOUSB_SENSE | |
| | 33 | LDOUSB_GND_SENSE | |
| | 34 | LDORTC | |
| | 35 | LDORTC | |
| | 36 | GND | |
| | 37 | LDOVANA | |
| | 38 | LDOVANA | |
| | 39 | GND | |
| | 40 | GND | |
| | 41 | GND | |
| | 42 | GND | |
| | 43 | GND | |
| | 44 | GND | |

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2 EVM Schematics

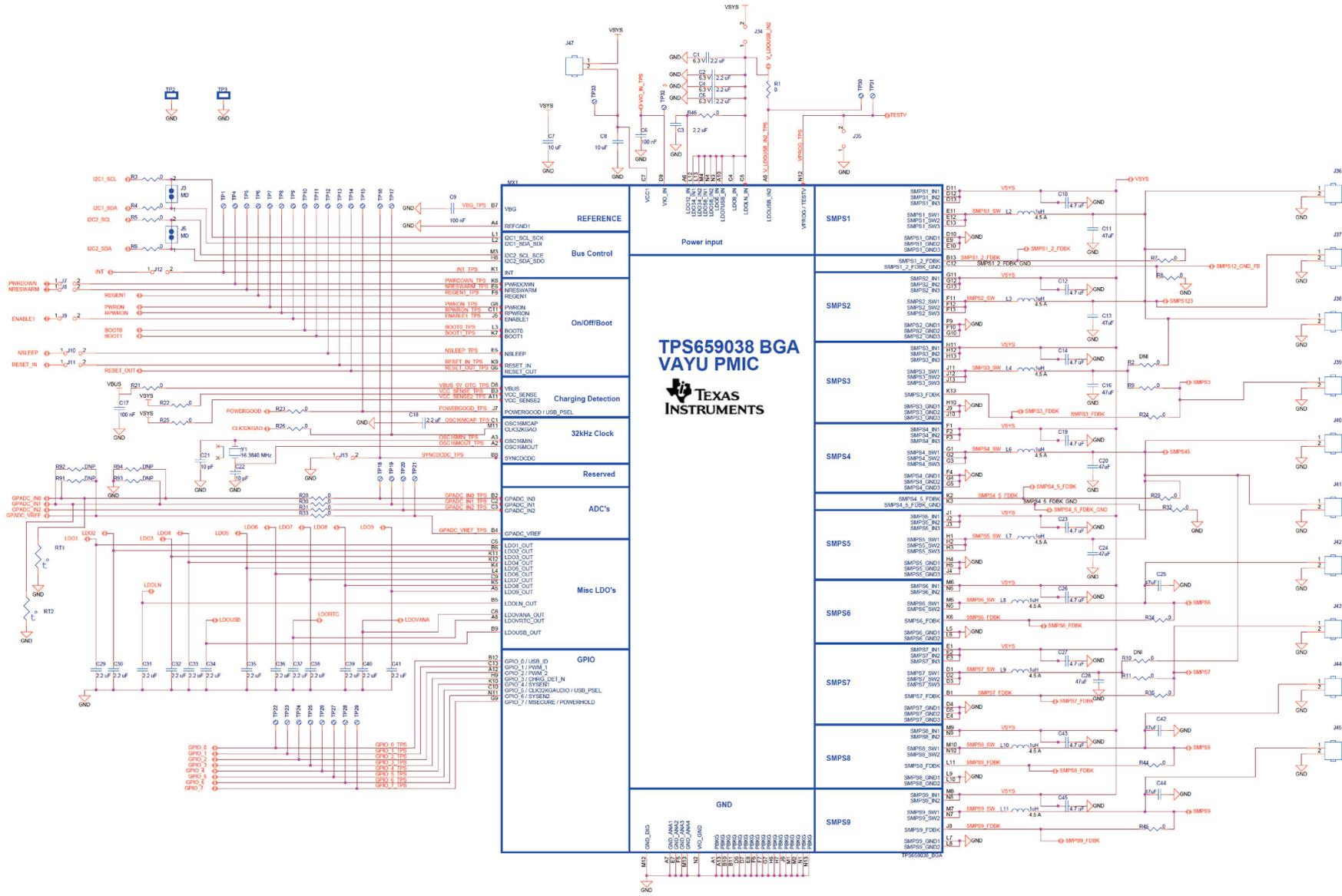


Figure 3. EVM Schematic

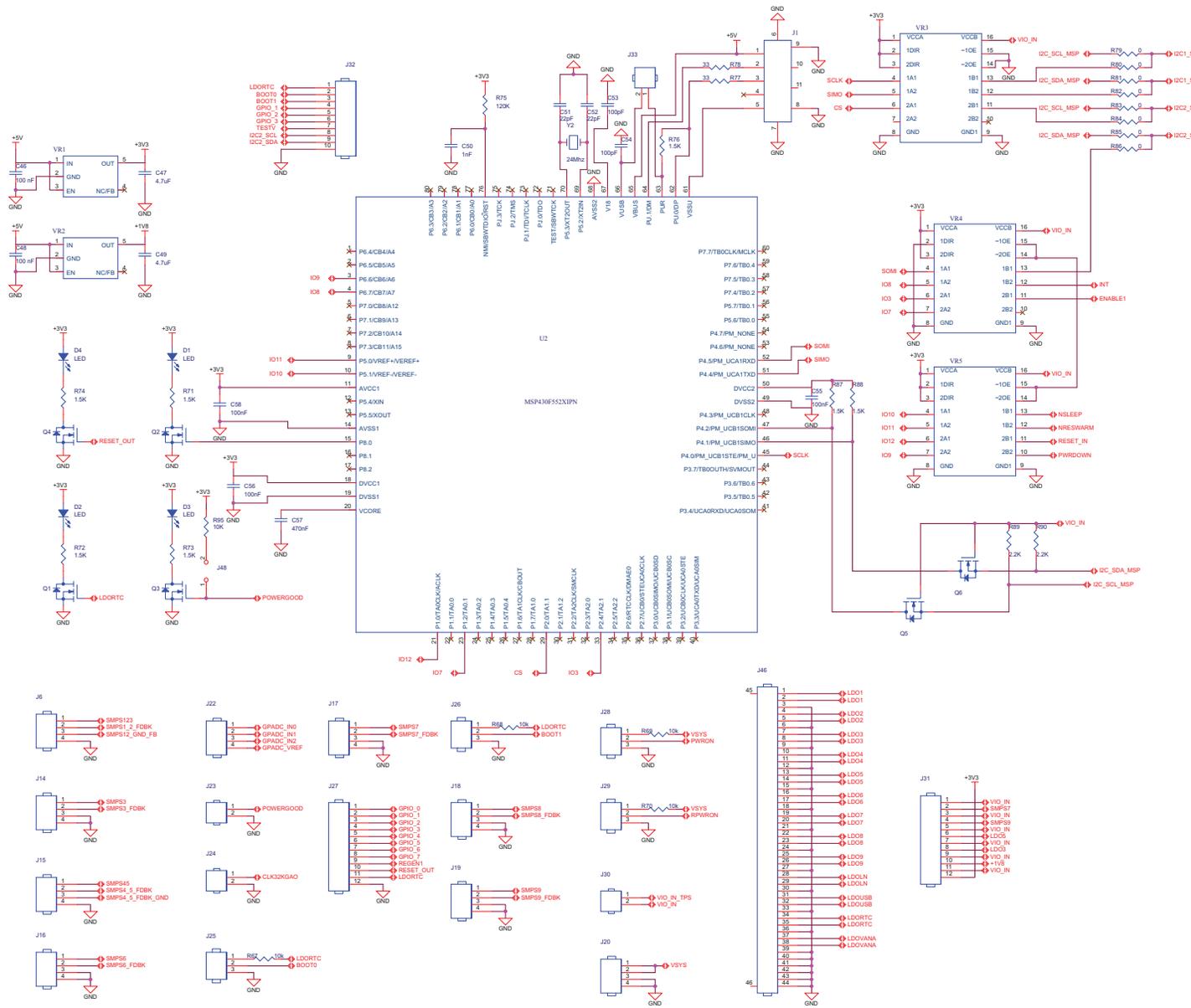


Figure 4. EVM Schematic

3 EVM BOM

Table 2 is for TPS65903x-Q1 EVM. The latest BOM is included in the TPS65903x-Q1 data sheet.

Table 2. EVM BOM

| Item | Manufacturer | Manufacturer Part No. | Quantity | Reference | PCB Footprint | Value |
|------|-----------------|-----------------------|----------|--|----------------------|---|
| 1 | Murata | GRM188R61A225KE34D | 5 | C1, C2, C3, C4, C5 | cns_0603 | 2.2µF/0603/10V |
| 2 | Murata | GRM155R61A104KA01D | 1 | C6 | cns_0402 | 100nF/0402/10V |
| 3 | Murata | GRM21BR61A106KE19L | 1 | C7 | cns_0805 | 10µF/0805/10V |
| 4 | KEMET | C0603C106M9PAC | 1 | C8 | cns_0603 | 10µF/6.3V |
| 5 | Murata | GRM155R60J104KA01D | 4 | C9, C17, C46, C48 | cns_0402 | 100nF/0402/6.3V |
| 6 | Murata | GRM21BR71A475KA73K | 9 | C10, C12, C14, C19, C23, C26, C27, C43, C45 | cns_0805 | 4.7µF/0805/10V |
| 7 | Murata | GRM32ER71A476ME15 | 9 | C11, C13, C15, C20, C24, C25, C28, C42, C44 | cns_1210_02 | 47µF/1210/10V |
| 8 | Murata | GRM32ER71A476ME15 | 0 | C16, C59 | cns_1210_02 | 47µF/1210/10V - DNP |
| 9 | Murata | GRM155R60J225ME15D | 14 | C18, C29, C30, C31, C32, C33, C34, C35, C36, C37, C38, C39, C40, C41 | cns_0402 | 2.2µF/0402/6.3V |
| 10 | Murata | GRM155C1H120GA01D | 2 | C21, C22 | cns_0402 | 12pF/0402/50V |
| 11 | Murata | GRM155R60J475ME87 | 2 | C47, C49 | cns_0402 | 4.7µF/0402/6.3V |
| 12 | Murata | GRM155R71H102KA01D | 1 | C50 | 0402 | 1nF/0402/50V |
| 13 | TDK | C1005C0G1H220J | 2 | C51, C52 | 0402 | 22pF/0402/50V |
| 14 | Murata | GRM1555C1H101JZ01D | 2 | C53, C54 | 0402 | 100pF/0402/50V |
| 15 | Murata | GRM188R71C104KA01 | 3 | C55, C56, C58 | 0603 | 100nF/0603/16V |
| 16 | AVX | 04026D474KAT2A | 1 | C57 | 0402 | 470nF/0402/50V |
| 17 | | | 0 | C60, C61 | 0603 | 4.7nF/0603/16V - DNP |
| 17 | Osram | LO T67K-L1M2 24 | 1 | D1 | PLCC-2 | LO T67K-L1M2-24 |
| 18 | Osram | LY T67K-K2M1 26 | 3 | D2, D3, D4 | PLCC-2 | LY T67K-K2M1 26 |
| 19 | Hirose | UX60-MB-5ST | 1 | J1 | 0.354 X 0.303 Inches | UX60-MB-5ST |
| 20 | Digi-Key | 277-6735-ND | 2 | J6, J20 | 5.08MM | CONN HEADER 4POS |
| 21 | Digi-Key | 277-1223-ND | 6 | J14, J15, J16, J17, J18, J19 | 3.81MM | CONN HEADER VERT 4POS |
| 22 | Sullins | PEC04SAAN | 1 | J22 | 2.54MM | CONN HEADER .100 SINGL STR 4POS |
| 23 | Sullins | PEC02SAAN | 27 | J3, J5, J7, J8, J9, J10, J11, J12, J13, J23, J24, J30, J33, J34, J35, J36, J37, J38, J39, J40, J41, J42, J43, J44, J45, J47, J48 | 2.54MM | CONN HEADER .100 SINGL STR 2POS |
| 24 | Sullins | PEC03SAAN | 4 | J25, J26, J28, J29 | 2.54MM | CONN HEADER .100 SINGL STR 3POS |
| 25 | TE Connectivity | 146130-5 | 2 | J27, J31 | 2.54MM | CONN HDR BRKWAY 12POS DUAL SMD |
| 26 | Sullins | PEC36DBAN | 1 | J32 | .500 x .378 inch | Header, Right Angle 10 pins [72 pins strip] (DNP) |
| 27 | FCI | 71918-144LF | 1 | J46 | 2.54MM | CONN HEADER 44POS DUAL VERT PCB |

Table 2. EVM BOM (continued)

| Item | Manufacturer | Manufacturer Part No. | Quantity | Reference | PCB Footprint | Value |
|------|-----------------|-----------------------|----------|---|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 28 | Vishay | IHLP1616ABER1R0M11 | 9 | L2, L3, L4, L6, L7, L8, L9, L10, L11 | | 1 μ H/4.5A |
| 29 | Vishay | IHLP1616ABER1R0M11 | 0 | L5, L12 | | 1 μ H/4.5A - DNP |
| 30 | TI | TPS6591038_BGA | 1 | MX1 | | TPS659038 (customer supplied) |
| 31 | Fairchild | BSS138 | 6 | Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4, Q5, Q6 | SOT23 | BSS138 |
| 32 | Panasonic | ERJ-2GE0R00X | 28 | R1, R3, R4, R5, R6, R7, R8, R21, R22, R23, R24, R25, R26, R28, R29, R30, R31, R32, R33, R34, R35, R44, R45, R46, R79, R81, R84, R86 | r-s_0402 | 0_0402 (0 Ω) |
| 33 | Panasonic | ERJ-2GE0R00X | 0 | R80, R82, R83, R85 | r-s_0402 | 0_0402 (0 Ω) - DNP |
| 34 | Panasonic | ERJ-2RKF1002X | 4 | R67, R68, R69, R70 | r-s_0402 | 10K_0402 (10 K Ω) |
| 35 | Panasonic | ERA-2AEB152X | 7 | R71, R72, R73, R74, R76, R87, R88 | r-s_0402 | 1.5k_0402 (1.5 K Ω) |
| 36 | Panasonic | ERJ-2RKF1203X | 1 | R75 | r-s_0402 | 120k_0402 (120 K Ω) |
| 37 | Yageo | RC0402FR-0733RL | 2 | R77, R78 | r-s_0402 | 33_0402 (33 Ω) |
| 38 | Yageo | RC0402FR-072K2L | 2 | R89, R90 | r-s_0402 | 2.2k_0402 (2.2 K Ω) |
| 39 | | | 0 | R91, R92, R93, R94 | r-s_0402 | 0402 Resistor - DNP |
| 41 | | | 0 | R96, R97 | r-s_0603 | 4.7_0603 (4.7 Ω) - DNP |
| 42 | | | 0 | RT1, RT2 | 0402 | 0402 RTC - DNP |
| 41 | TE Connectivity | 1625854-3 (RCU-0C) | 31 | TP1, TP4, TP5, TP6, TP7, TP8, TP9, TP10, TP11, TP12, TP13, TP14, TP15, TP16, TP17, TP18, TP19, TP20, TP21, TP22, TP23, TP24, TP25, TP26, TP27, TP28, TP29, TP30, TP31, TP32, TP33 | 1.60mm x 0.8mm x 1.15mm | 0603 Probe Pad |
| 42 | Keystone | 5016 | 2 | TP2, TP3 | | Test Point SMD |
| 43 | TI | MSP430F5529IPN | 1 | U2 | | MSP430F55XIPN |
| 44 | TI | TPS76333DBVT | 1 | VR1 | DBV | TPS76333DBVT |
| 45 | TI | TPS76318DBVT | 1 | VR2 | DBV | TPS76318DBVT |
| 46 | TI | SN74AVC4T245PW | 3 | VR3, VR4, VR5 | PW | SN74AVC4T245PW |
| 47 | Epson | FA-238 16.3840MB-C | 1 | Y1 | | 16.384MHz |
| 48 | Abracon | ABLS-24.000MHZ-K4F-T | 1 | Y2 | 3.7x12.7 mm | 24MHz |

4 Powering up the Device

To turn on the device, perform the following steps:

1. Turn off the supply voltage, unplug the USB, and close the GUI.
2. While the power supply is disabled, connect it to the EVM through the J20 connector.
3. Plug the USB cable to the EVM and the computer. The MSP430 LED should blink a few times and then stay on.
4. Set the power supply to a voltage between 3.135 V and 5.25 V. Turn on the supply voltage. The LDORTC LED should light up.
5. Launch the GUI on the computer. All sequenced rails will power up to the predefined voltage.
6. Under the *DUT_Control* tab, send a logic high signal to the RESET_IN pin by checking the box next to RESET_IN and clicking *Write Static*. The RESET_OUT LED should light up, and the PMIC is now enabled.

5 TPS65903x-Q1EVM Graphical User Interface (GUI)

The GUI for TPS659038EVM gives the user the ability to interact with the internal registers of the device while also allowing control of some input pins. The GUI can be downloaded here. The TPS659038EVM GUI installation requires the LabVIEW run-time engine, which can be downloaded from the National Instruments website.

5.1 GUI Tabs

The TPS659038EVM GUI has two tabs. The first tab is labeled Registers, and the second tab is labeled *DUT_Control*.

5.1.1 DUT_Control

The digital input signals to the PMIC are controlled through the DUT_Control tab of the GUI. There are six pins controlled by the GUI. To send a logic low to any of the pins, uncheck the corresponding box and click *Write Static*. To send a logic high to any of the pins, check the corresponding box and click *Write Static*.

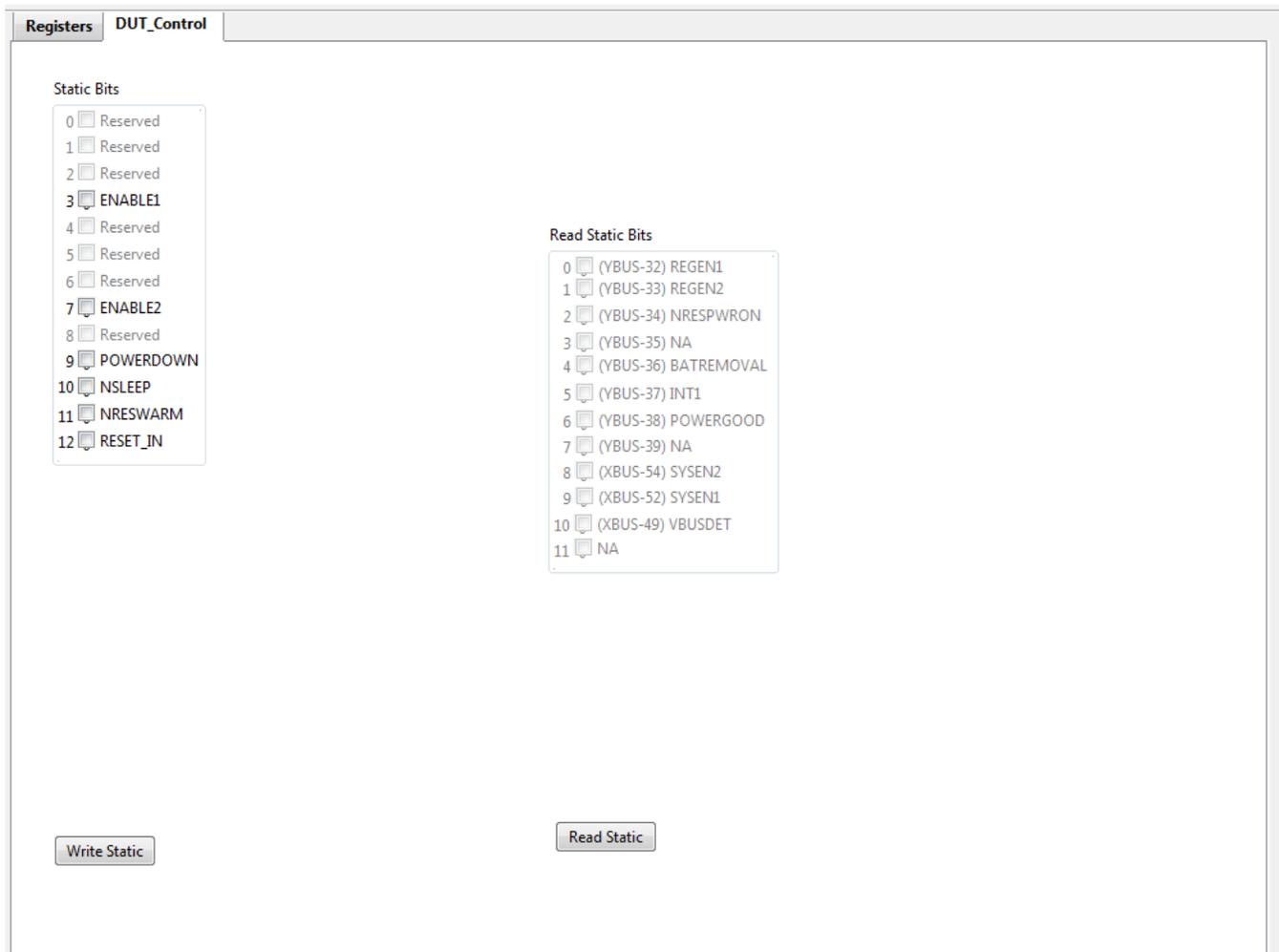


Figure 5. DUT_Control

5.1.2 Registers

I²C communication with the device uses the Registers tab of the GUI. There are five groups of registers. Clicking the + symbol next to the group lists all the registers in that group. A second column next to the register name shows the address offset of that register.

To read data from the register, select the appropriate register and click *Read*. The register data appears in the left column, and the hexadecimal value of the register appears in the *Read Data* field. To write data to the register, check the appropriate boxes in the right column and click *Write*, or enter the hex value in the *Write Data* field and click *Write*. The bits of the register are labeled on the left, with bit 0 in the top box and bit 7 in the bottom.

The screenshot shows the 'Registers' tab in the GUI, specifically the 'DUT_Control' group. A table lists various registers with their addresses, default values, modes, and sizes. The 'SMPS12_CTRL' register at address 0x20 is selected. Below the table, there is a 'Find Register' section with an input field and 'Find' and 'Search' buttons. A 'Description' box provides details for the selected register. To the right, there are controls for 'Write Data' (a hex input field with 'x0'), 'Read Data' (a hex input field with 'x0'), and 'I2C Write Control' (Speed set to 100kHz, Address Length set to 7 bits, and Pullups set to OFF). A 'Register Data' section shows a bitfield for bits 0-7, with bit 6 (ROOF_FLOOR_EN) checked.

| Block / Register Name | Address | Default | Mode | Size |
|-----------------------|-------------|------------|----------|----------|
| PMU_CONFIG | 0xB2 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SPARE | 0xB4 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SW_REVISION | 0xB7 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| PMU_SECONDARY_INT2 | 0xB9 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS12_CTRL | 0x20 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS12_TSTEP | 0x21 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS12_FORCE | 0x22 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS12_VOLTAGE | 0x23 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS3_CTRL | 0x24 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS3_VOLTAGE | 0x27 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS45_CTRL | 0x28 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS45_TSTEP | 0x29 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS45_FORCE | 0x2A | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS45_VOLTAGE | 0x2B | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS6_CTRL | 0x2C | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS6_TSTEP | 0x2D | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS6_FORCE | 0x2E | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS6_VOLTAGE | 0x2F | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS7_CTRL | 0x30 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS7_VOLTAGE | 0x33 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS8_CTRL | 0x34 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS8_TSTEP | 0x35 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS8_FORCE | 0x36 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS8_VOLTAGE | 0x37 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS9_CTRL | 0x38 | 0x0 | R | 8 |
| SMPS9_VOLTAGE | 0x3B | 0x0 | R | 8 |

Description

SMPS12 control register.
 WR_S: Warm reset sensitivity
 0: Re-load the default value (from OTP) in SMPS12_VOLTAGE.VSEL and SMPS12_FORCE.VSEL register and re-load the default value (reset value) in SMPS12_FORCE.CMD during Warm Reset.
 1: Maintain current voltage during Warm Reset (Registers remain unchanged - no voltage change).
 ROOF_FLOOR_EN: Roof Floor enable bit (only for DVS)

Register Data

0 MODE_ACTIVE[0]
 1 MODE_ACTIVE[1]
 2 MODE_SLEEP[2]
 3 MODE_SLEEP[3]
 4 STATUS[4]
 5 STATUS[5]
 6 ROOF_FLOOR_EN
 7 WR_S

Figure 6. Registers

5.2 Running a Script with the GUI

The script editor is used to automate a series of register writes, static bit writes, and delays. To launch the script window from the main GUI menu, go to *Tools* → *Show Script Window*. The Script Editor opens with a blank window. To record a script, click *Start/Rec*, and run the commands from the main GUI. After each register write or static bit, the script editor records the command that was run. When finished, click *Stop*.

To run the script again, click *Run*. To save the script that was created, click *Save*, and select the destination for the script file. Click *Load* to load a previously saved script.

The two commands are:

- `tlv_write_reg_i2c1(REGISTER_NAME, VALUE)`, where the value is the decimal value to write.
- `wait(TIME_IN_MS)`

The script in [Figure 7](#) turns on SMPS12 to 1.1 V, waits 2 ms, and then turns on SMPS3 to 1.35 V. These commands can be used to run a power up and power down sequence quickly, eliminating the need to manually turn on each rail.

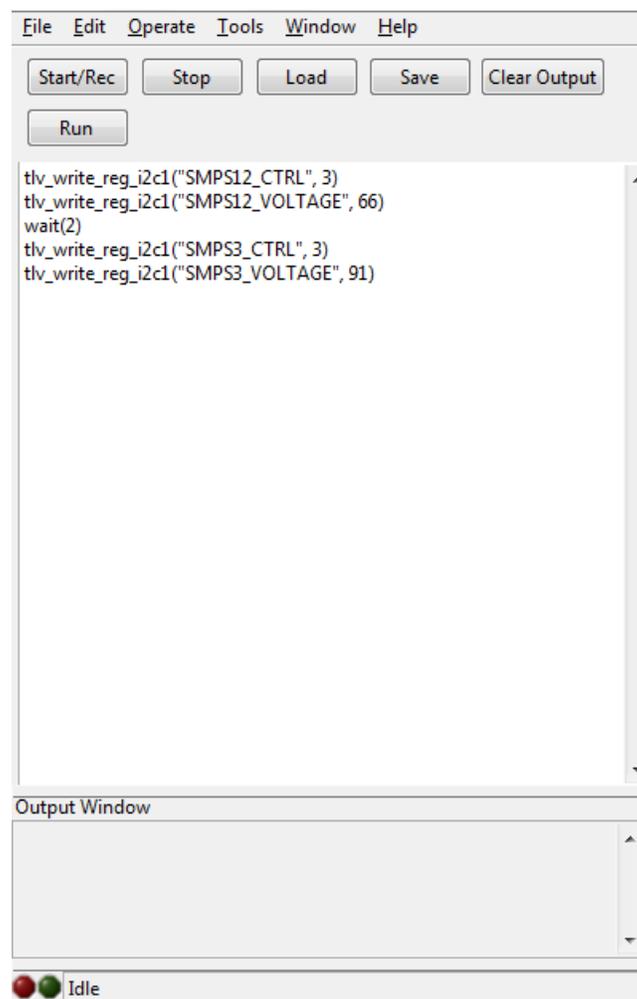


Figure 7. Sample Script

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 - 3.1 *United States*
 - 3.1.1 *Notice applicable to EVMs not FCC-Approved:*

FCC NOTICE: This kit is designed to allow product developers to evaluate electronic components, circuitry, or software associated with the kit to determine whether to incorporate such items in a finished product and software developers to write software applications for use with the end product. This kit is not a finished product and when assembled may not be resold or otherwise marketed unless all required FCC equipment authorizations are first obtained. Operation is subject to the condition that this product not cause harmful interference to licensed radio stations and that this product accept harmful interference. Unless the assembled kit is designed to operate under part 15, part 18 or part 95 of this chapter, the operator of the kit must operate under the authority of an FCC license holder or must secure an experimental authorization under part 5 of this chapter.
 - 3.1.2 *For EVMs annotated as FCC – FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Part 15 Compliant:*

CAUTION

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

FCC Interference Statement for Class A EVM devices

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

FCC Interference Statement for Class B EVM devices

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- 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.

3.2 Canada

3.2.1 For EVMs issued with an Industry Canada Certificate of Conformance to RSS-210 or RSS-247

Concerning EVMs Including Radio Transmitters:

This device complies with Industry Canada license-exempt RSSs. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

(1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Concernant les EVMs avec appareils radio:

Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Industrie Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts de licence. L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes: (1) l'appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

Concerning EVMs Including Detachable Antennas:

Under Industry Canada regulations, this radio transmitter may only operate using an antenna of a type and maximum (or lesser) gain approved for the transmitter by Industry Canada. To reduce potential radio interference to other users, the antenna type and its gain should be so chosen that the equivalent isotropically radiated power (e.i.r.p.) is not more than that necessary for successful communication. This radio transmitter has been approved by Industry Canada to operate with the antenna types listed in the user guide with the maximum permissible gain and required antenna impedance for each antenna type indicated. Antenna types not included in this list, having a gain greater than the maximum gain indicated for that type, are strictly prohibited for use with this device.

Concernant les EVMs avec antennes détachables

Conformément à la réglementation d'Industrie Canada, le présent émetteur radio peut fonctionner avec une antenne d'un type et d'un gain maximal (ou inférieur) approuvé pour l'émetteur par Industrie Canada. Dans le but de réduire les risques de brouillage radioélectrique à l'intention des autres utilisateurs, il faut choisir le type d'antenne et son gain de sorte que la puissance isotrope rayonnée équivalente (p.i.r.e.) ne dépasse pas l'intensité nécessaire à l'établissement d'une communication satisfaisante. Le présent émetteur radio a été approuvé par Industrie Canada pour fonctionner avec les types d'antenne énumérés dans le manuel d'usage et ayant un gain admissible maximal et l'impédance requise pour chaque type d'antenne. Les types d'antenne non inclus dans cette liste, ou dont le gain est supérieur au gain maximal indiqué, sont strictement interdits pour l'exploitation de l'émetteur.

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2. Use EVMs only after User obtains the license of Test Radio Station as provided in Radio Law of Japan with respect to EVMs, or
3. Use of EVMs only after User obtains the Technical Regulations Conformity Certification as provided in Radio Law of Japan with respect to EVMs. Also, do not transfer EVMs, unless User gives the same notice above to the transferee. Please note that if User does not follow the instructions above, User will be subject to penalties of Radio Law of Japan.

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4.1 EVMS ARE NOT FOR USE IN FUNCTIONAL SAFETY AND/OR SAFETY CRITICAL EVALUATIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO EVALUATIONS OF LIFE SUPPORT APPLICATIONS.

4.2 User must read and apply the user guide and other available documentation provided by TI regarding the EVM prior to handling or using the EVM, including without limitation any warning or restriction notices. The notices contain important safety information related to, for example, temperatures and voltages.

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