

ADS1258EVM-PDK Evaluation Module



ABSTRACT

This user's guide describes the characteristics, operation, and use of the [ADS1258](#) evaluation module (EVM). This EVM is an evaluation platform for the ADS1258, a 24-bit, 125-kSPS, 16-channel (multiplexed), delta-sigma ($\Delta\Sigma$) analog-to-digital converter (ADC). The ADS1258 offers excellent noise performance, fast sampling speeds, a programmable channel sequencer, and access to the multiplexer output for efficient signal conditioning. The ADS1258EVM eases the evaluation of the device with hardware, software, and computer connectivity through the universal serial bus (USB) interface. This user's guide includes complete circuit descriptions, schematic diagrams, and a bill of materials. Throughout this document, the abbreviation *EVM* and the term *evaluation module* are synonymous with the ADS1258EVM.

Note

The ADS1258EVM and software can also support the 16-bit [ADS1158](#) device. However, the user must manually remove the ADS1258 and install the ADS1158. See [Section 8.3](#) for the location of the ADS1258 on the EVM. The ADS1158 is not discussed further in this document.

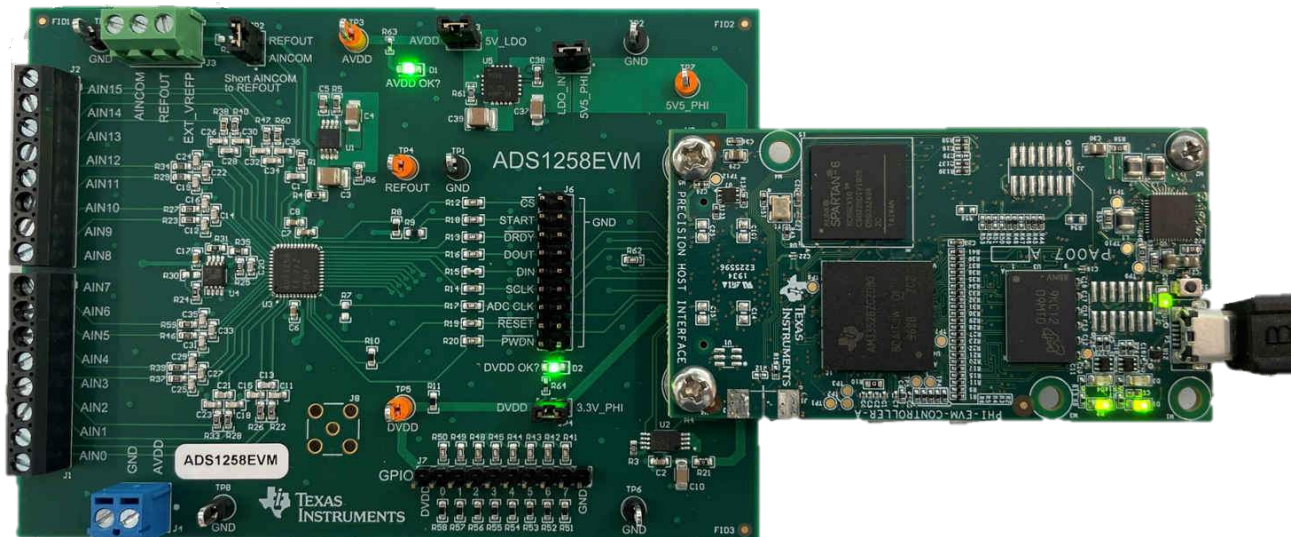


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1 ADS1258EVM Overview

The ADS1258EVM is a platform for evaluating the performance of the ADS1258, a 24-bit, 125-kSPS, 16-channel (multiplexed), $\Delta\Sigma$ ADC. The evaluation kit includes the ADS1258EVM and the precision host interface (PHI) controller board that enables the accompanying computer software to communicate with the ADC over USB for data capture and analysis. The ADS1258EVM includes the ADS1258 ADC as well as the high-performance peripheral analog circuits necessary to extract the best performance from the ADC. The PHI board primarily serves three functions:

- Provides a communication interface from the EVM to the computer through a USB port
- Provides the digital input and output signals necessary to communicate with the ADS1258
- Supplies power to all active circuitry on the ADS1258EVM board

1.1 ADS1258EVM Kit

The ADS1258 evaluation kit includes the following features:

- Hardware and software required for diagnostic testing as well as accurate performance evaluation of the ADS1258 ADC.
- USB powered: No external power supply is required.
- PHI controller that provides a convenient communication interface to the ADS1258 ADC over USB 2.0 (or higher) for power delivery as well as digital input and output.
- Microsoft® Windows® 8, and Windows 10 operating systems.
- Easy-to-use evaluation software for 64-bit Windows operating systems.
- The software suite includes graphical tools for data capture, histogram analysis, and spectral analysis. This suite also has a provision for exporting data to a text file for post-processing.

Figure 1-1 shows system connections for the EVM.

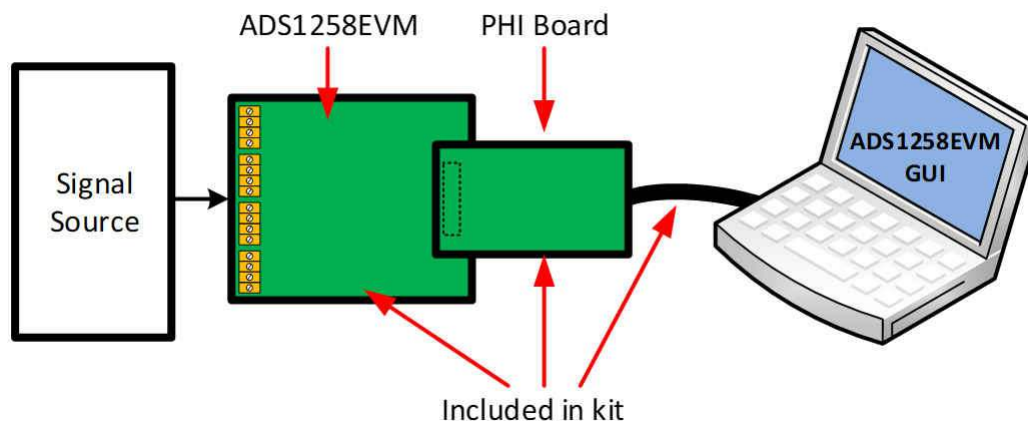


Figure 1-1. System Connection for Evaluation

1.2 ADS1258EVM

The ADS1258EVM includes the following features and configuration options:

- An [OPA2320](#) precision amplifier buffer between the multiplexer output and ADC input, or bypass external circuitry
- Low-noise, low-drift, 2.5-V [REF6025](#) as the default reference source, or use an external reference source
- A 16-MHz clock signal provided by the PHI controller, or use an external clock source
- Eight general-purpose input-output (GPIO) pins brought out to a dedicated header
- Ultra-low noise [TPS7A4700](#) low-dropout (LDO) linear regulator supplies 5-V ADC analog voltage (AVDD), or use an external voltage supply
- 3.3-V ADC digital voltage (DVDD) supplied by PHI controller, or use external voltage supply
- Test points for power, GND, reference, and all digital signals to and from the PHI controller

2 Getting Started With the ADS1258EVM

The following list of instructions provides an overview to quickly get the ADS1258EVM set up and operational. The subsequent sections in this document expand on each step to explain in detail the available features on the EVM and the corresponding GUI. Links are provided to navigate from this quick-start guide to the appropriate section at each applicable step.

1. Remove the ADS1258EVM, PHI board, and USB cable from the ADS1258EVM-PDK box.
2. If necessary, connect the PHI board to the ADS1258EVM (see [Figure 7-1](#)).
3. Configure the ADS1258EVM:
 - a. Power supplies (see [Section 5](#)).
 - b. Clocking (see [Section 3.4](#), if applicable).
 - c. Voltage reference (see [Section 3.5](#), if applicable)
4. Connect the micro-USB-to-USB cable from the PHI directly to a USB port on the computer. Do not connect the cable to the computer through a USB hub.
5. Open the latest version of the ADS1258EVM GUI on the connected computer.
 - a. First-time users must download the latest version of the EVM GUI installer from the *Tools and Software* folder of the [ADS1258EVM](#) and run the GUI installer to install the EVM GUI software on the host computer.
6. Connect the analog input (see [Section 3.1](#)) to the input terminal blocks (J1-J2).
7. Capture and analyze data (see [Section 7.2](#)) using the GUI.

3 Analog Interface

The ADS1258EVM is designed for convenient interfacing with analog input signals. This section covers the details of the front-end circuit, including jumper configurations for different input test signals and board connectors for signal sources.

3.1 Analog Input Options

The ADS1258EVM allows for up to 16 single-ended inputs or eight differential inputs, as well as combinations of single-ended and differential inputs. As shown in [Figure 3-1](#), connect analog input signals to terminal blocks J1 and J2 on the EVM.

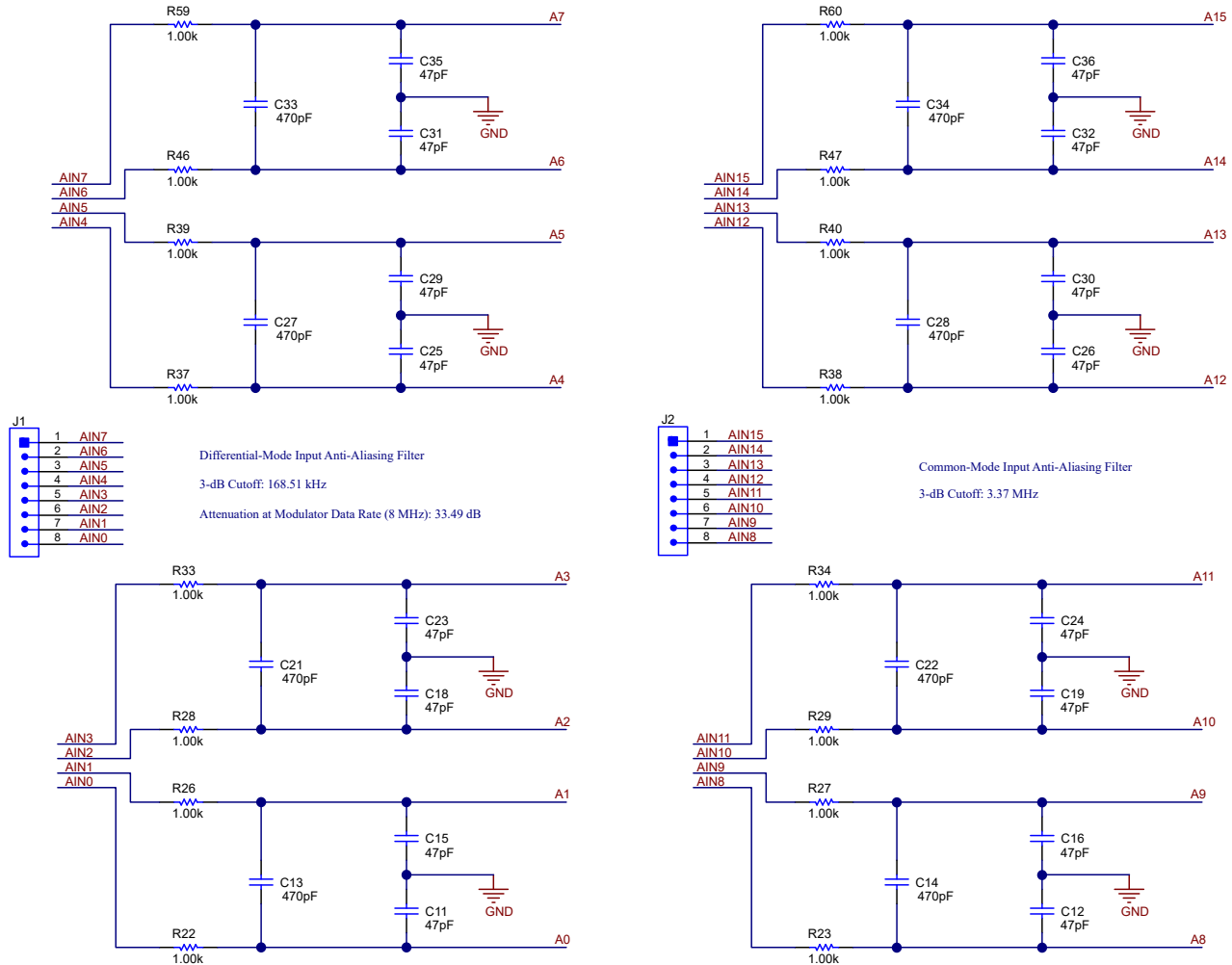


Figure 3-1. ADS1258EVM Analog Input Channels and Filtering

Each analog input signal passes through a set of low-pass filters to prevent aliasing. The differential filters have a 3-dB cutoff of 168.5 kHz, resulting in 33.49 dB of attenuation at the 8-MHz modulator frequency. As an example, [Figure 3-1](#) shows that capacitor C13 and resistors R22 and R26 create the differential filter between analog inputs AIN0 and AIN1. The common-mode filters have a 3-dB cutoff of 3.37 MHz. As an example, [Figure 3-1](#) shows that capacitor C11 and resistor R22 create the common-mode filter for analog input AIN0. Precision 5% COG or NPO-type capacitors and 0.1% resistors are used in the analog signal chain to reduce measurement error.

Use adjacent input pins when measuring differential input signals to benefit from differential filtering and to achieve best performance. For example, AIN0 and AIN1 are set up for differential signaling because C13 connects these two inputs. Conversely, do not use AIN1 and AIN2 as a differential pair because there is no capacitor connecting these two inputs.

3.2 ADC Connections and Decoupling

Figure 3-2 shows all ADC connections. Each power-supply and reference connection have a 100-nF decoupling capacitor. Place these capacitors as close as possible to the ADC pins and make sure each component has a low-impedance connection to the GND plane.

Each digital pin of the ADC has a 49.9-Ω series resistor. These resistors smooth the edges of the digital signals so that the signals have minimal overshoot and ringing. A resistor is most important on the serial clock (SCLK) trace because the SCLK signal can toggle as quickly as 8 MHz. Resistors on the other pins are not strictly required, though these components can be included in the final design to improve digital signal integrity.

Pullup resistors R8, R9, R10, and R11 prevent \overline{CS} , START, \overline{RESET} , and \overline{PWDN} , respectively, from floating when not driven. The differential voltage across test points TP4 and ground is the reference voltage used by the ADC.

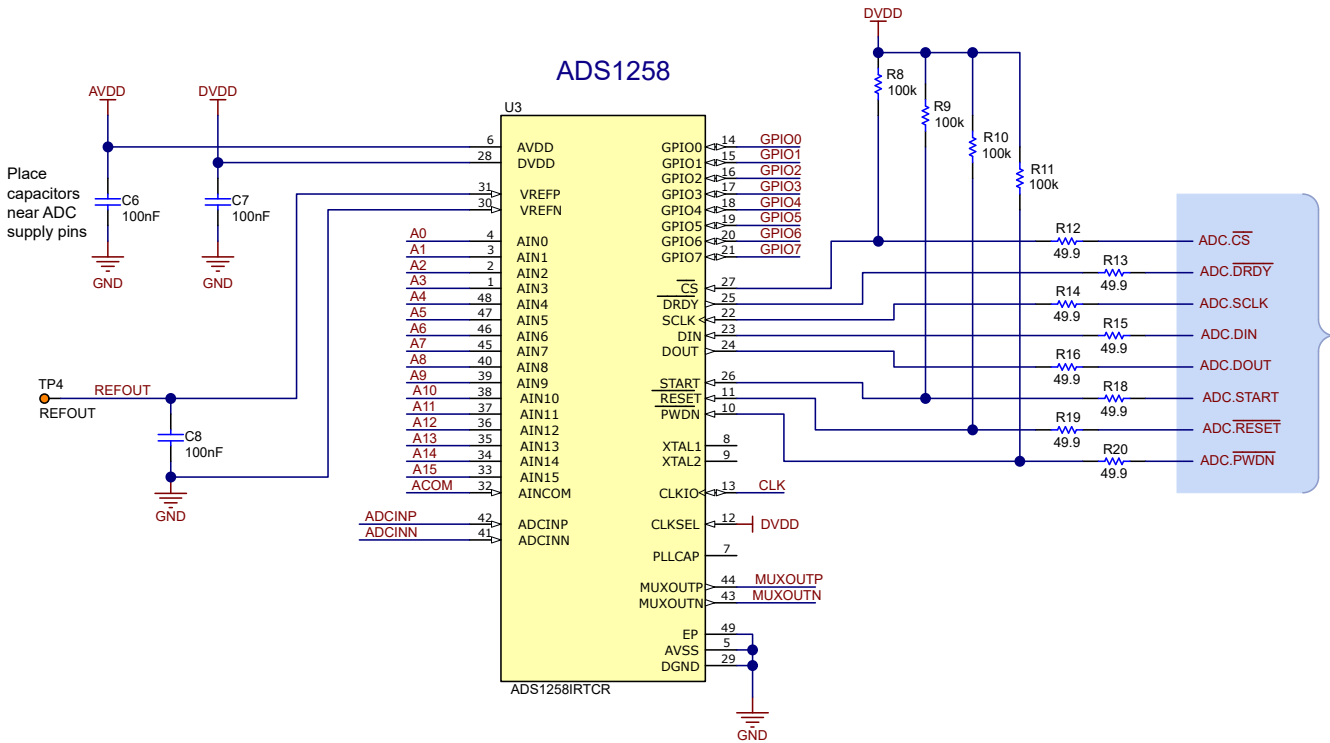


Figure 3-2. ADS1258EVM ADC Power-Supply Decoupling and Analog and Digital Connections

3.3 Configurable Multiplexer Loop

The ADS1258 multiplexer has optional differential output connections (MUXOUTx) that enable a single signal-conditioning circuit to be used for all analog inputs. The default signal conditioning circuit is a differential unity-gain buffer (OPA2320) between each MUXOUTx and ADCINx pin. A low-pass filter is connected to the output of the buffer. As shown in Figure 3-3, capacitor C20 is used to bypass the ADC sampling currents and resistors R25 and R35 are used to isolate the op-amp outputs from the filter capacitor.

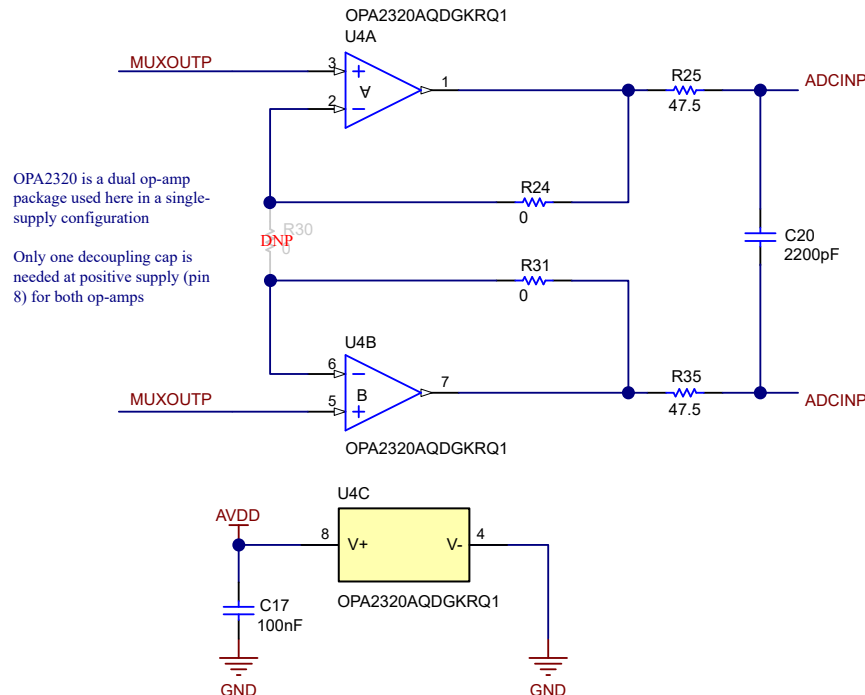


Figure 3-3. ADS1258EVm Configurable Multiplexer Loop With a Signal-Conditioning Circuit

The signal-conditioning circuit shown in Figure 3-3 can also be configured into a differential-input, differential-output gain stage by changing resistors R24, R30, and R31 as per Equation 1.

$$G = 1 + 2 \times (R24) / R30 \quad (1)$$

Importantly, Equation 1 assumes that $R31 = R24$.

As an example, replacing R24 and R31 with 10-kΩ resistors and R30 with a 2.2-kΩ resistor creates a gain of 10 V/V between the MUXOUTx and ADCINx pins. Choose R24, R30, and R31 to be size 0603 resistors with a tolerance $\leq 0.1\%$ to maintain system accuracy.

Enable the multiplexer loop by setting $BYPAS = 1$ in the CONFIG0 register. To bypass the multiplexer loop, set $BYPAS = 0$. One important caveat to the multiplexer bypass option is that the signal-conditioning circuit is only disconnected from the ADCINx pins. In other words, the signal-conditioning circuit is still connected to the MUXOUTx pins regardless of the state of the $BYPAS$ bit.

3.3.1 Measuring Single-Ended Inputs Using a Pseudo-Differential Configuration

Both the buffer or gain stage configuration can be used to directly measure true differential input signals. Measuring single-ended inputs requires additional consideration because the OPA2320 is powered by a unipolar, 5-V supply. Additionally, the OPA2320 requires up to 45 mV of headroom between the output voltage and either supply ($V+$ or $V-$). These two limitations restrict the ability of the default amplifier circuit shown in Figure 3-3 to measure single-ended signals referenced to ground. Instead, the amplifier negative input (MUXOUTN) must be level-shifted to a mid-supply voltage. This type of measurement is referred to as pseudo-differential, or a measurement with respect to some fixed voltage above ground.

Implement a pseudo-differential measurement on the ADS1258EVm by shorting the 2.5-V REFOUT voltage to the appropriate channel. In Auto-Scan mode, use jumper JP2 to short REFOUT to AINCOM because AINCOM

is used as the negative channel for all single-ended measurements. In Fixed-Channel mode, short REFOUT to whichever analog input is selected as AINN in the MUXSCH register. This short can be applied externally using terminal block J3. [Figure 3-4](#) shows both JP2 and J3.

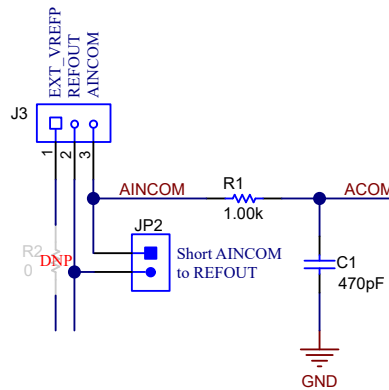


Figure 3-4. Shorting AINCOM to REFOUT

A pseudo-differential measurement only sets the voltage on the MUXOUTN pin to be within the amplifier output voltage limits. The user must also make sure that the voltage applied to the ADCINP pin is within this same range. To measure signals that are outside of the amplifier output voltage limitations, consider bypassing the external multiplexer loop as described in [Section 3.3](#).

3.4 Clocking

The ADS1258 requires a high-frequency system clock to oversample the inputs and provide digital data at the output data rate. By default, a 16-MHz system clock is provided by the PHI controller board. The PHI also generates the SCLK signal from the same clock domain, which improves overall ADC performance.

An external clock can also be used with the ADS1258EVM, though this setup requires altering the EVM components. First, install SMA connector J8, then remove termination resistor R17 and install this component at R7. [Figure 3-5](#) shows the external clocking circuit. See the ADS1258 data sheet for information about the allowable clock frequency range.

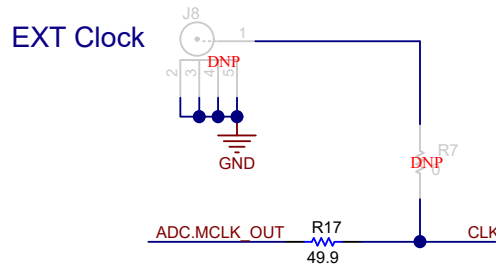


Figure 3-5. ADS1258EVM Clock Circuit

3.5 Voltage Reference

The ADS1258EVM requires a precision reference voltage to accurately convert the analog inputs to digital outputs. Figure 3-6 shows the EVM voltage reference circuitry.

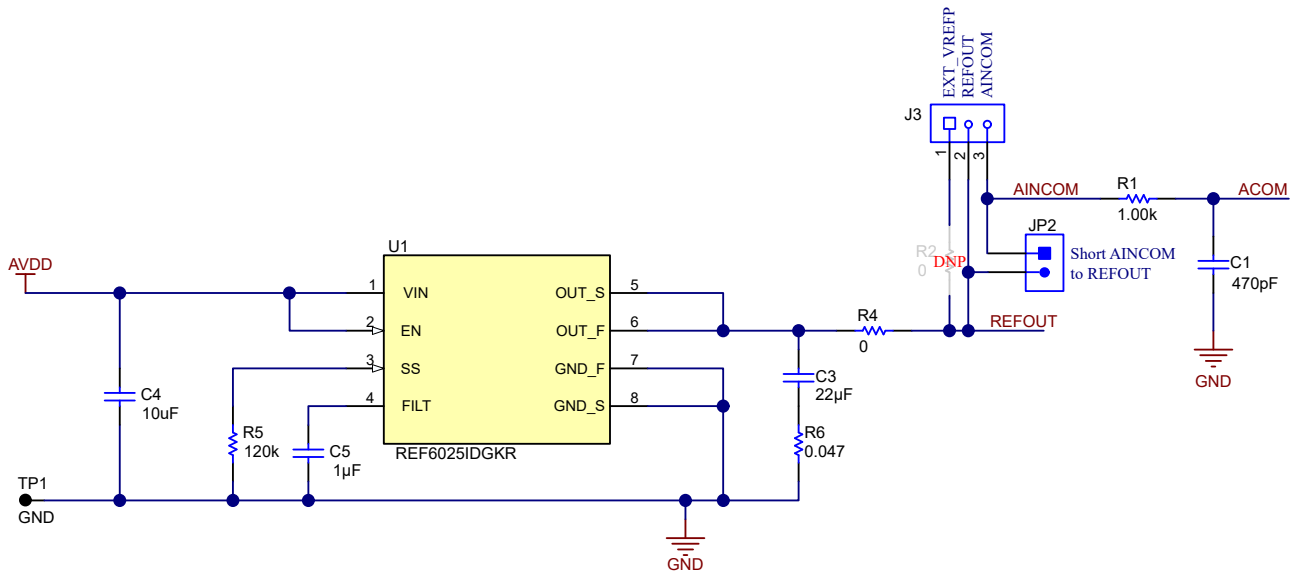


Figure 3-6. ADS1258EVM Voltage Reference Circuit

The EVM includes two options to provide a reference voltage to the ADC. The first option is an installed component: the low-noise, low-drift, buffered-output REF6025. This discrete voltage reference outputs a voltage of 2.5 V to the ADC reference pins (REFOUT and ground). Additionally, the REF6025 output voltage is also connected to the J3 terminal block as REFOUT.

The second voltage reference option on the EVM is to use an external voltage source. An external component can be useful if a reference voltage other than 2.5 V is required. Configure the EVM for an external voltage reference by moving the 0-Ω resistor at R4 to R2. Then connect EXT_VREFP on J3 to the external reference output voltage, and connect the external reference ground to the EVM ground. REFOUT on J3 is shorted to EXT_VREFP to make sure that the reference voltage can still be used to bias external circuitry. See the ADS1258 data sheet for information about the allowable voltage range on the VREFx pins.

4 Digital Interface

As noted in Section 1, the EVM interfaces with the PHI and communicates with the host over USB. Figure 4-1 shows how the PHI communicates with two devices on the EVM: the ADS1258 using the serial peripheral interface (SPI) and the EEPROM using the inter-integrated circuit (I²C) interface. The EEPROM comes preprogrammed with the information required to configure and initialize the ADS1258EVM. When the hardware is initialized, no further communication with the EEPROM is necessary and this device can be ignored by the user.

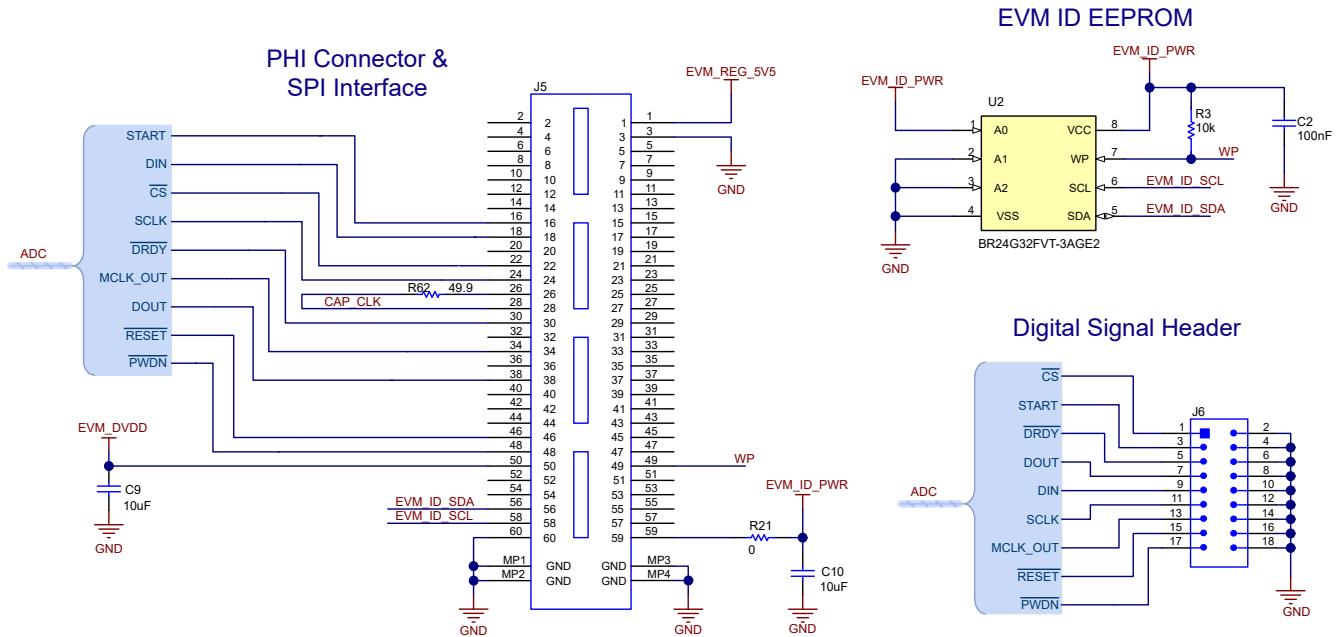


Figure 4-1. ADS1258EVM Digital Interface Connections (SPI and I²C)

The ADS1258 communicates with the PHI using an SPI interface in mode 00 (CPOL = 0, CPHA = 0). Header J6 in Figure 4-1 provides test points for all digital signals to and from the PHI controller. The test points can be connected to a logic analyzer for convenient visualization of the digital signals. These test points can also be used to communicate with the ADS1258EVM using an external controller.

4.1 GPIO

The ADS1258 has eight dedicated GPIO pins. The EVM connects a 100-k Ω pull-down resistor to each GPIO pin. These resistors prevent the pin voltage from floating because the default ADC settings configure each GPIO as an input. Additionally, 49.9- Ω resistors are placed in series with each GPIO pin to limit current flow into the ADC. All eight GPIO pins are terminated at header J7 for easy connection to external circuitry if desired. Figure 4-2 shows the GPIO circuitry.

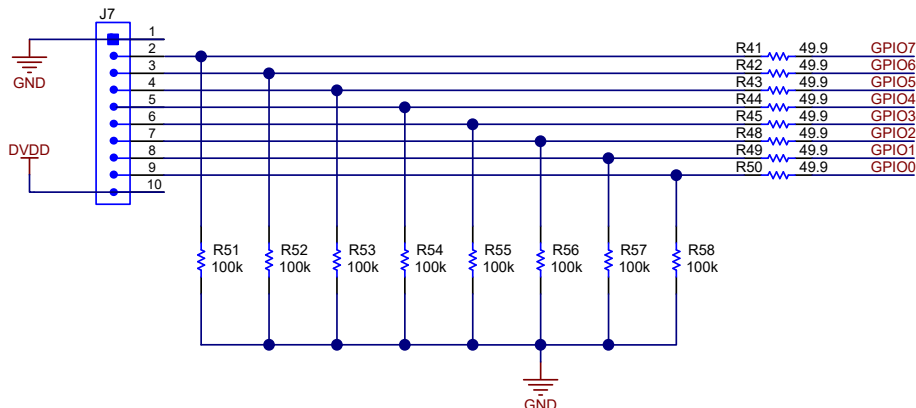


Figure 4-2. ADS1258EVM GPIO Circuit and Header

5 Power Supplies

The default ADC power-supply voltages (DVDD and AVDD) are generated by the PHI controller using power from the USB. The PHI provides 3.3-V and 5.5-V power rails. The 3.3-V power rail directly supplies the ADC DVDD voltage. The 5.5-V power rail is supplied to the input of the TPS7A4700, a low-noise, configurable-output LDO, to supply AVDD. The LDO output voltage depends on the internal reference voltage (V_{LDO_REF}) of 1.4 V and the pin connections. Grounding any LDO pin between pins 4 through pin 12 adds that pin voltage to V_{LDO_REF} and increases the LDO output voltage, LDO_{VOUT} . Figure 5-1 shows that the ADS1258EVM grounds pins 6 and 10 (3P2V and 0P4V, respectively) to set LDO_{VOUT} equal to 5 V.

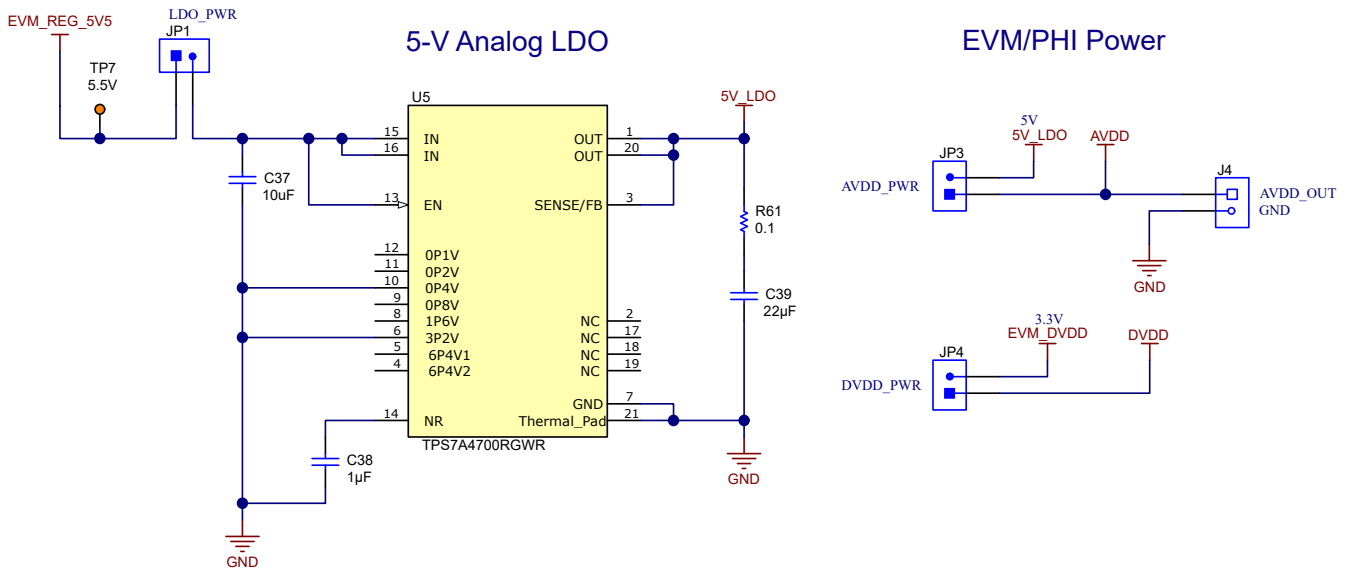


Figure 5-1. ADS1258EVM LDO Circuit and External Power Source Connections

Figure 5-1 shows that the 5V_LDO output is used for the AVDD connections across the EVM. Additionally, the user can measure the AVDD current by connecting an ammeter between pins 1 and 2 of JP3 or the DVDD current by connecting an ammeter between pins 1 and 2 of JP4.

External power sources can also be provided for each supply voltage:

- LDO: Remove the shunt on JP1 and connect external power to JP1:2
- AVDD: Remove the shunt on JP3 and connect external power to JP3:1
- DVDD: Remove the shunt on JP4 and connect external power to JP4:1

When using either internal or external power supplies, LEDs D1 and D2 indicate if power is connected to AVDD and DVDD, respectively. These LEDs do not necessarily indicate if AVDD is 5 V or if DVDD is 3.3 V. Check the AVDD voltage using test point TP3 and check the DVDD voltage using test point TP5. Figure 5-2 shows the portion of the ADS1258EVM schematic that includes the LEDs and test points.

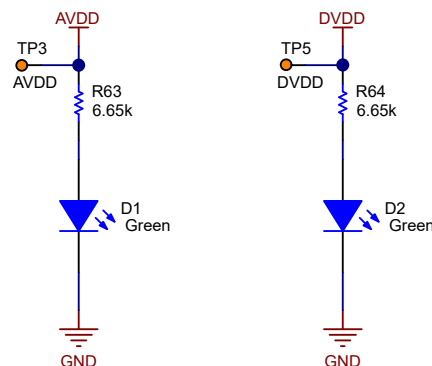


Figure 5-2. ADS1258EVM AVDD and DVDD Indicator LEDs

6 Software Installation

Download the latest version of the EVM GUI installer from the *Tools and Software* folder of the ADS1258EVM and run the GUI installer to install the EVM GUI software on the computer.

CAUTION

Manually disable any antivirus software running on the computer before downloading the EVM GUI installer onto the local hard disk. Depending on the antivirus settings, an error message may appear or the *installer.exe* file may be deleted.

As shown in [Figure 6-1](#), accept the license agreements and follow the on-screen instructions to complete the installation.

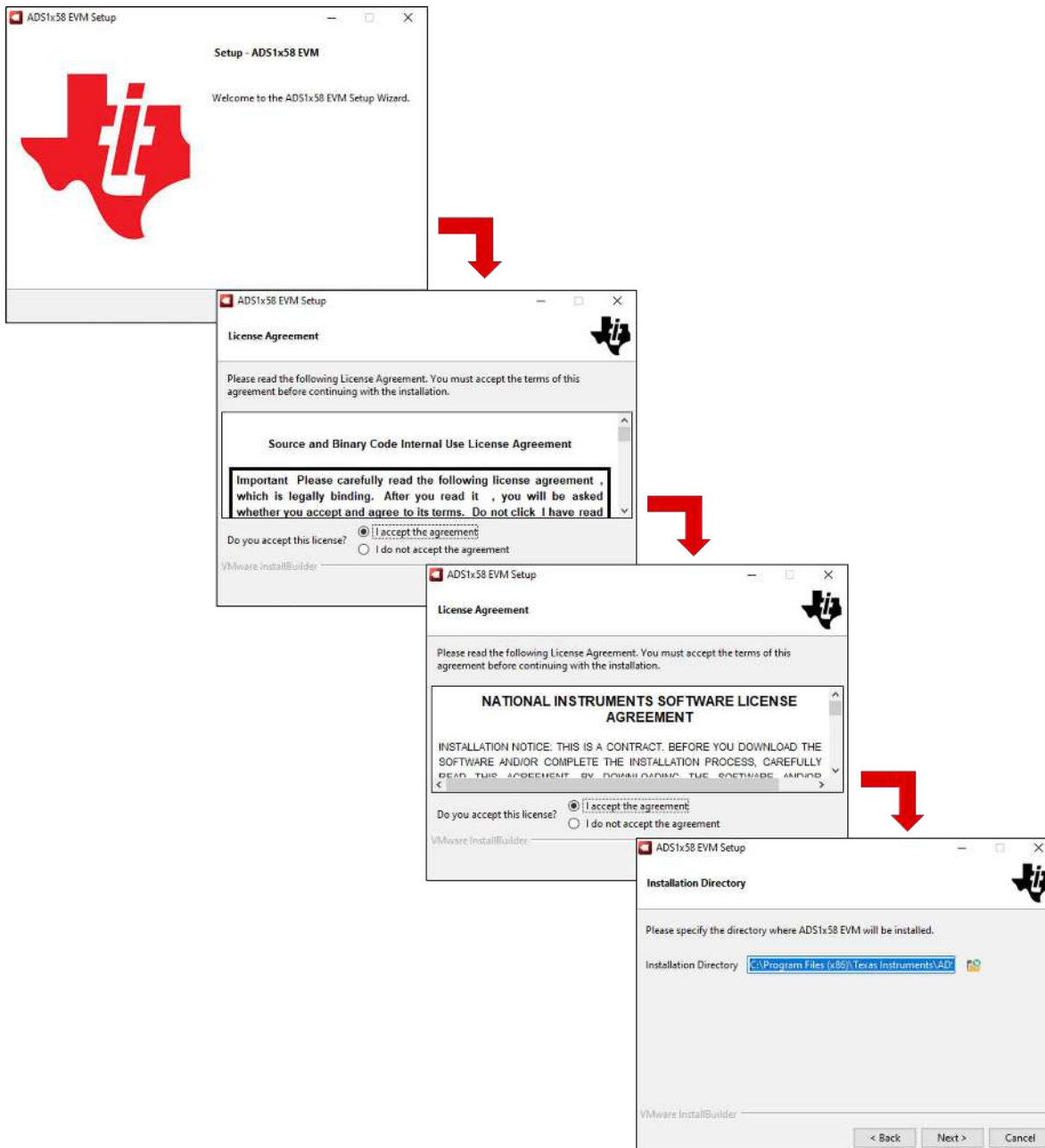


Figure 6-1. Software Installation and Prompts

As a part of the ADS1258EVM GUI installation, a prompt with a *Device Driver Installation*, as shown in [Figure 6-2](#), appears on the screen. Click *Next* to proceed.

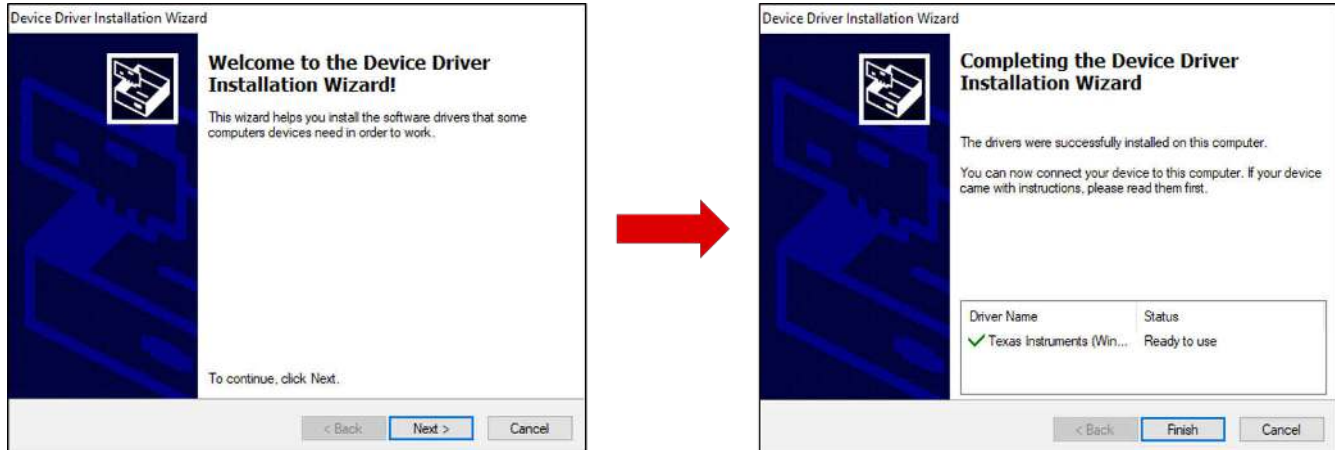


Figure 6-2. Device Driver Installation and Prompts

The ADS1258EVM requires the LabVIEW™ run-time engine and can prompt for the installation of this software, as shown in [Figure 6-3](#), if not already installed.

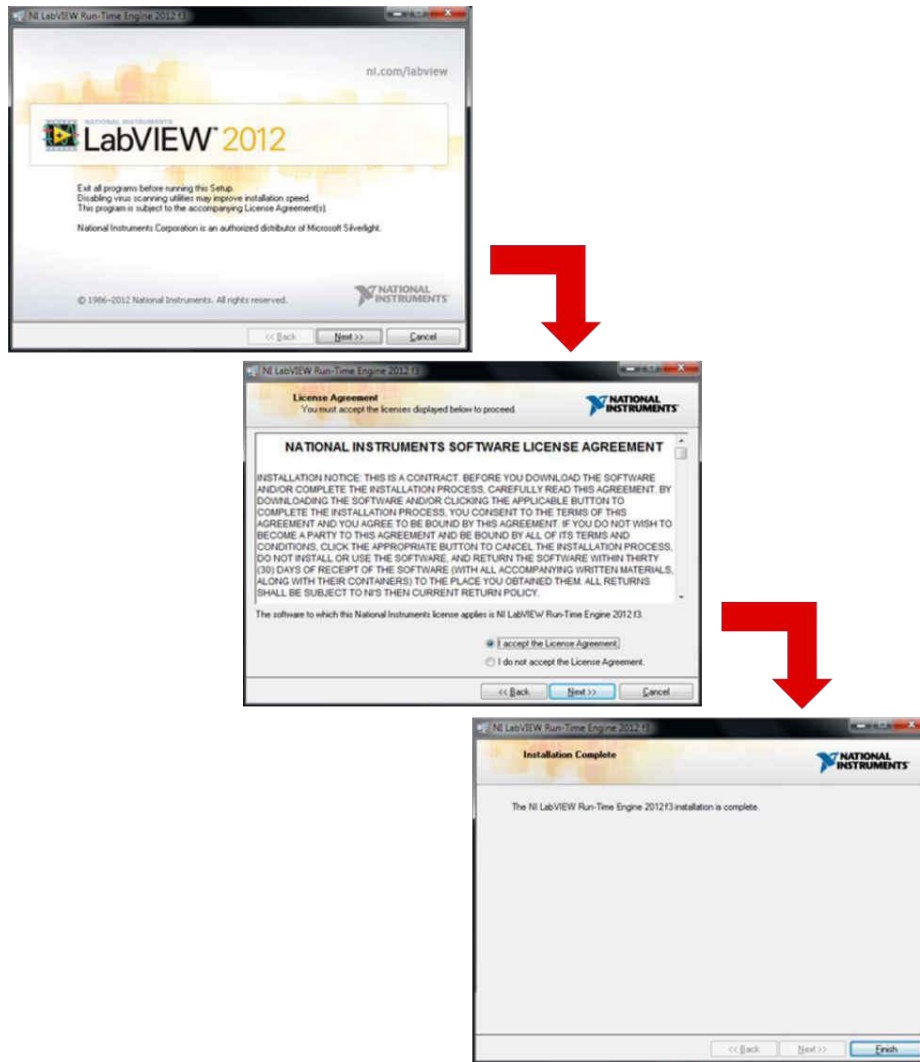


Figure 6-3. LabVIEW Run-Time Engine Installation

7 EVM Operation and GUI

7.1 Connecting the Hardware

Connect the EVM as shown in [Figure 7-1](#) after installing the software:

1. Physically connect P2 of the PHI to J5 of the ADS1258EVM. Install the screws to make a robust connection.
2. Connect the USB cable from the computer to the PHI:
 - a. LED D5 on the PHI lights up, indicating that the PHI is powered up.
 - b. LEDs D1 and D2 on the PHI start blinking to indicate that the PHI is booted up and communicating with the PC. [Figure 7-1](#) shows the resulting LED indicators.
3. Start the software GUI as shown in [Figure 7-2](#). The LEDs blink slowly as the FPGA firmware is loaded on the PHI. This loading takes a few seconds and then the AVDD and DVDD power supplies turn on, as indicated by LEDs D1 and D2 on the ADS1258EVM.
4. Connect the input signal using terminal blocks J1 and J2. The input range is 0 V to 5 V with the multiplexer loop bypassed. See [Section 3.3](#) for the input range limitations when the multiplexer loop is enabled.

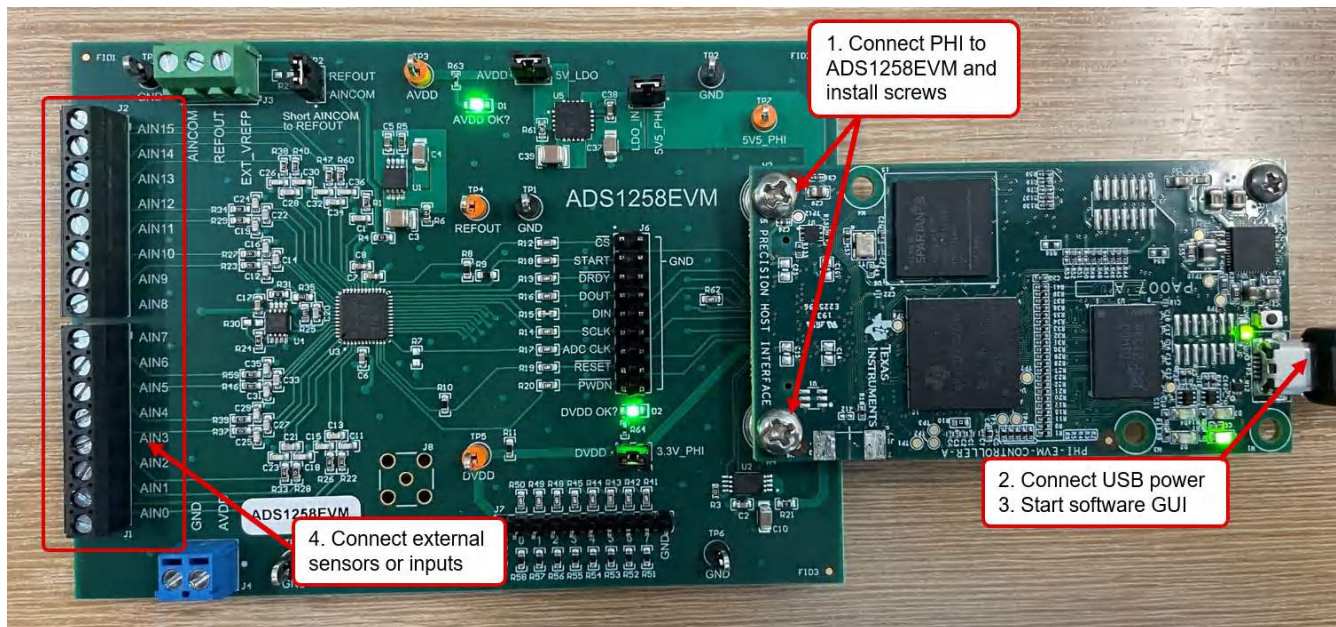


Figure 7-1. ADS1258EVM Hardware Connections

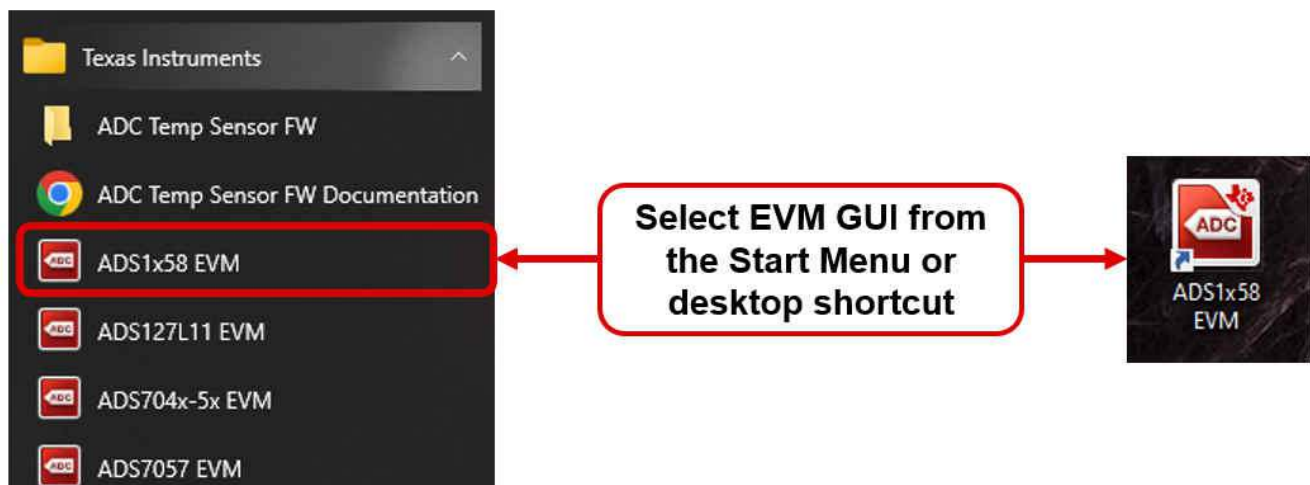
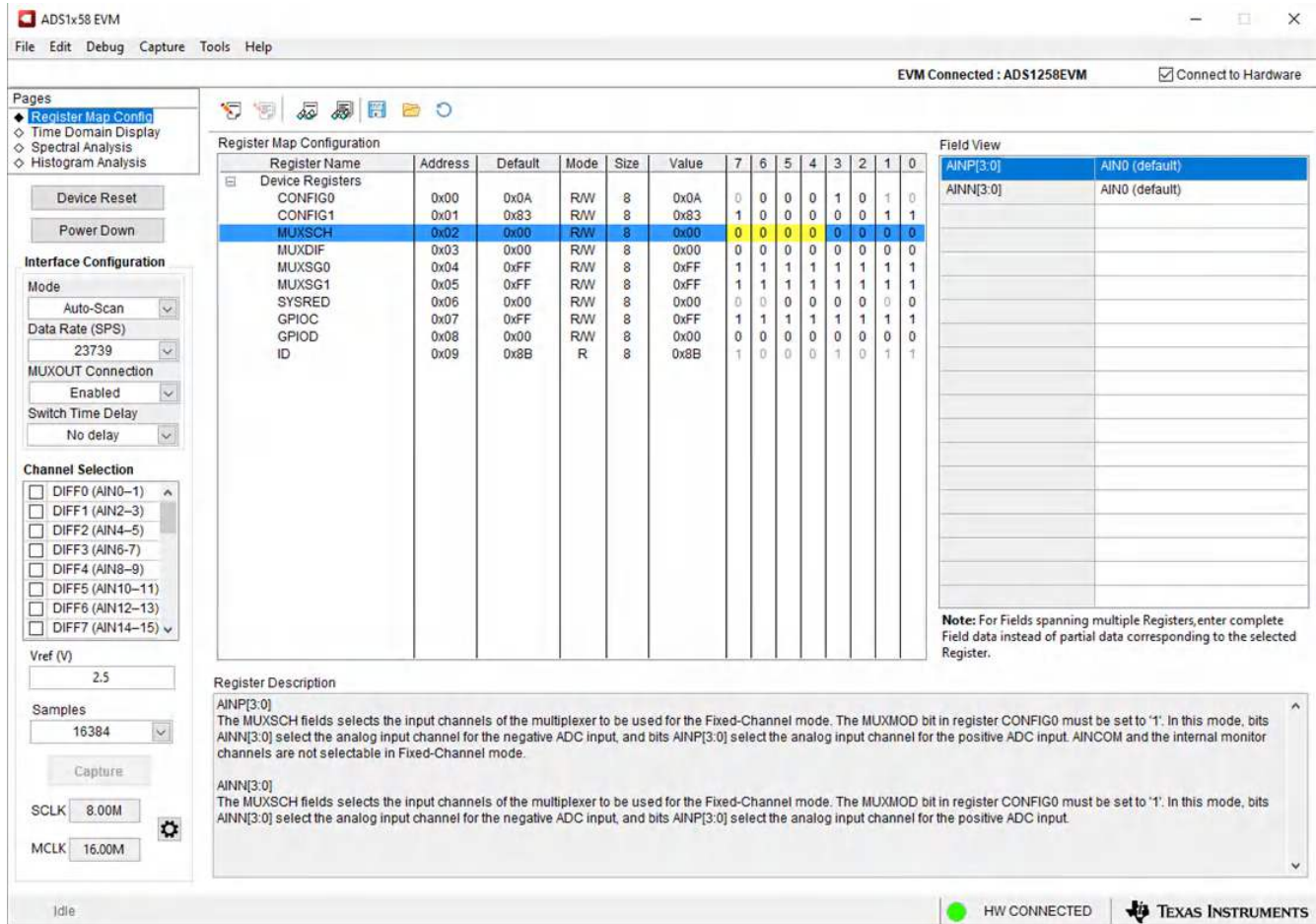


Figure 7-2. Launch the EVM GUI Software

7.2 EVM GUI Global Settings for ADC Control

Figure 7-3 shows that the EVM global controls are located on the left side of the GUI. These controls include the sampling mode, data rate, MUXOUT connection, switch time delay, channel selection, number of samples, and others. The Pages control in the upper-left corner allows access to the other pages in the GUI. Figure 7-3 also shows the available ADC register settings. The registers can be used to configure the ADC data rate, channel sequencer, or integrated features. Change the register settings by clicking on each bit, typing a value directly into the Value column, or by selecting from the drop-down menus in the Field View control.



The screenshot displays the ADS1258EVM GUI. On the left, there are several configuration sections: Pages (with 'Register Map Config' selected), Device Reset, Power Down, Interface Configuration (Mode: Auto-Scan, Data Rate: 23739 SPS, MUXOUT Connection: Enabled, Switch Time Delay: No delay), Channel Selection (DIFF0-7), Vref (V): 2.5, Samples: 16384, SCLK: 8.00M, and MCLK: 16.00M. The main area shows the Register Map Configuration table:

Register Name	Address	Default	Mode	Size	Value	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Device Registers													
CONFIG0	0x00	0x0A	R/W	8	0x0A	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
CONFIG1	0x01	0x83	R/W	8	0x83	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
MUXSCH	0x02	0x00	R/W	8	0x00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MUXDIF	0x03	0x00	R/W	8	0x00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MUXSG0	0x04	0xFF	R/W	8	0xFF	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
MUXSG1	0x05	0xFF	R/W	8	0xFF	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
SYSRED	0x06	0x00	R/W	8	0x00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GPIOC	0x07	0xFF	R/W	8	0xFF	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
GPIOD	0x08	0x00	R/W	8	0x00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ID	0x09	0x8B	R	8	0x8B	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1

Below the table is the Register Description for AINP[3:0] and AINN[3:0]. The AINP[3:0] description states: 'The MUXSCH fields selects the input channels of the multiplexer to be used for the Fixed-Channel mode. The MUXMOD bit in register CONFIG0 must be set to '1'. In this mode, bits AINN[3:0] select the analog input channel for the negative ADC input, and bits AINP[3:0] select the analog input channel for the positive ADC input. AINCOM and the internal monitor channels are not selectable in Fixed-Channel mode.' The AINN[3:0] description states: 'The MUXSCH fields selects the input channels of the multiplexer to be used for the Fixed-Channel mode. The MUXMOD bit in register CONFIG0 must be set to '1'. In this mode, bits AINN[3:0] select the analog input channel for the negative ADC input, and bits AINP[3:0] select the analog input channel for the positive ADC input.'

At the bottom right, there is a 'Field View' section with a table for AINP[3:0] and AINN[3:0], both currently set to 'AIN0 (default)'. A note below states: 'Note: For Fields spanning multiple Registers, enter complete Field data instead of partial data corresponding to the selected Register.'

Figure 7-3. ADS1258EVM GUI Global Settings for ADC Control Page

7.3 Time-Domain Display

The time-domain display tool allows visualization of the ADC response to a given input signal. This tool is useful for studying the behavior of and debugging any gross problems with the ADC or drive circuits. Trigger a data capture of the selected number of samples from the ADS1258EVM by using the *Capture* button in [Figure 7-4](#). The captured data are subject to the current interface mode settings. The time-domain plot has *Samples* on the x-axis and by default shows the corresponding *Codes* on the y-axis relative to the specified reference voltage. The y-axis units can also be changed to *Voltage/Temp/Gain* using the *Unit* control in the bottom right. The *Temp* and *Gain* units are only used with the Temp and Gain channel selections, respectively.

The *Measurements* control on the bottom of [Figure 7-4](#) calculates the code range, the mean code, and the code standard deviation. Switching pages to any of the *Analysis* tools described in the subsequent sections causes calculations to be performed on the same set of data.

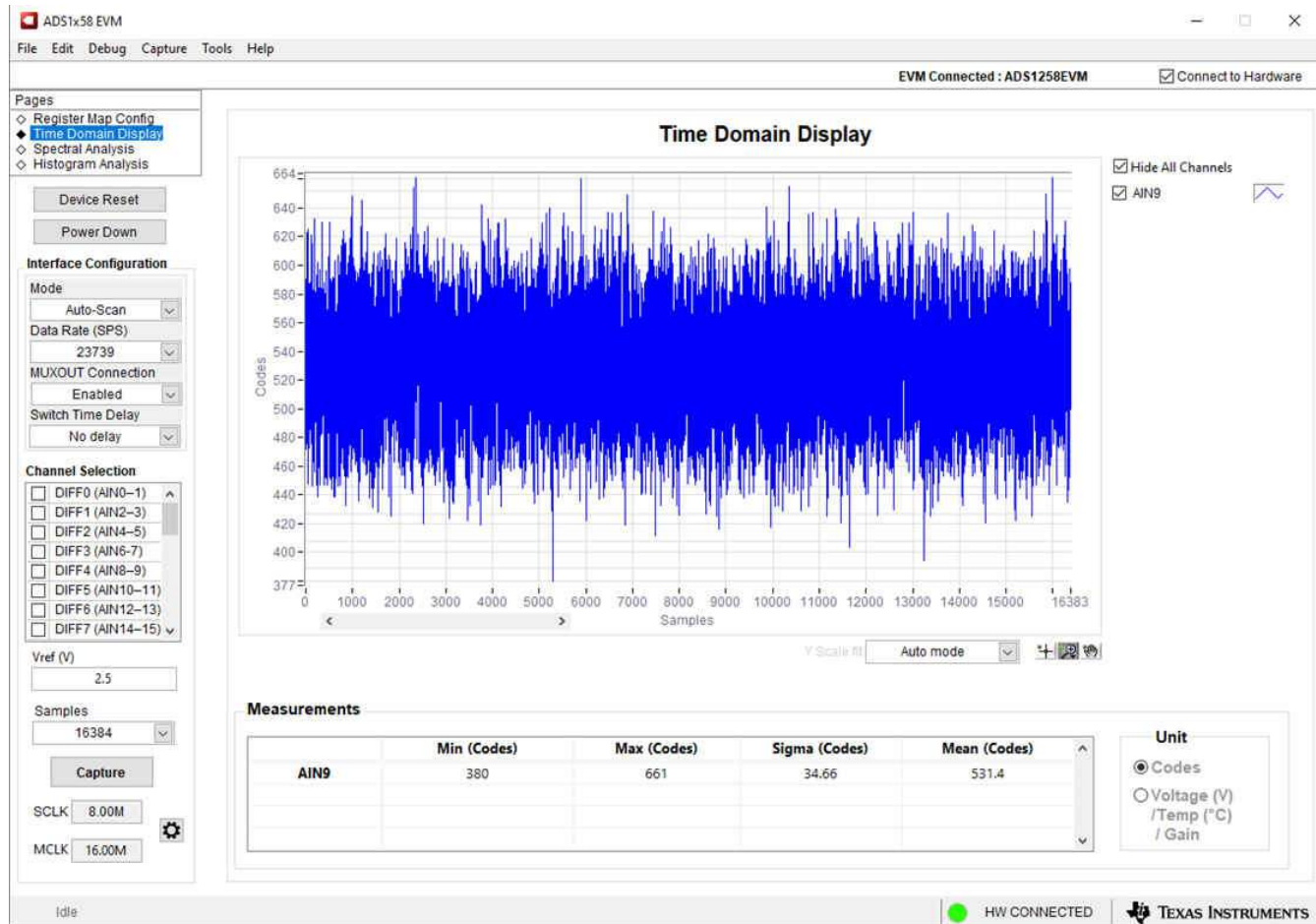


Figure 7-4. ADS1258EVM GUI Time Domain Display Page

7.4 Frequency-Domain Display

Figure 7-5 shows the spectral analysis tool that evaluates the dynamic performance (SNR, THD, SFDR, SINAD, and ENOB) of the ADS1258. This dynamic performance is calculated by single-tone sinusoidal signal FFT analysis using the 7-term Blackman-Harris window setting. The FFT tool includes windowing options that are required to mitigate the effects of non-coherent sampling (this discussion is beyond the scope of this document). The 7-term Blackman-Harris window is the default option and has sufficient dynamic range to resolve the frequency components of a 24-bit ADC. The *None* option corresponds to not using a window (or using a rectangular window) and is not recommended.

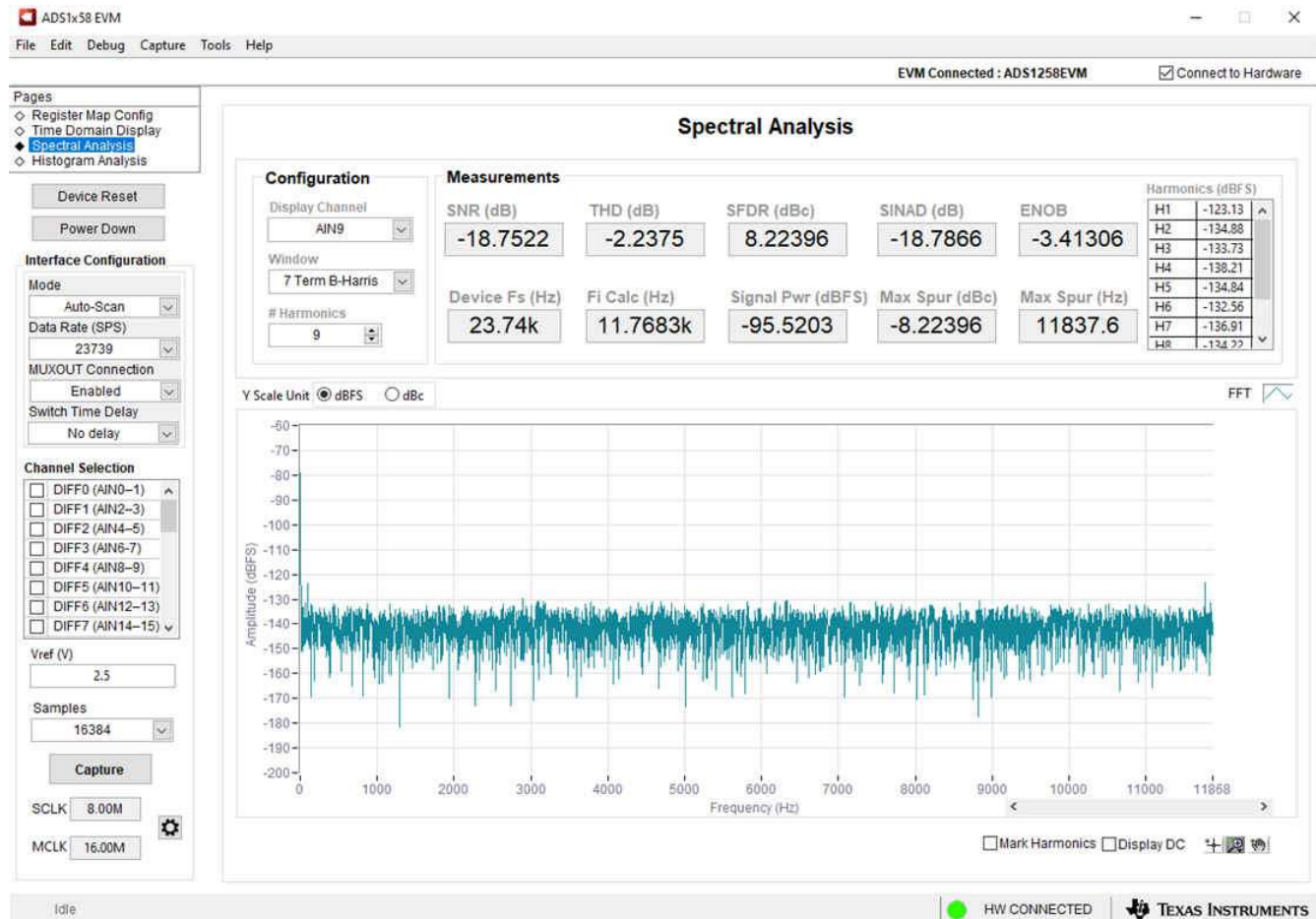


Figure 7-5. ADS1258EVM GUI Frequency Domain Display Page

7.5 Histogram Display

Noise degrades ADC resolution and the histogram tool shown in Figure 7-6 can be used to estimate effective resolution. Effective resolution is a metric describing the ADC resolution loss resulting from noise generated by the various sources connected to the ADC when measuring a dc signal. The cumulative effect of noise coupling to the ADC output from sources such as the input drive circuits, the reference drive circuit, the ADC power supply, and the ADC is reflected in the standard deviation of the ADC output code histogram that is obtained by performing multiple conversions of a dc input applied to a given channel.

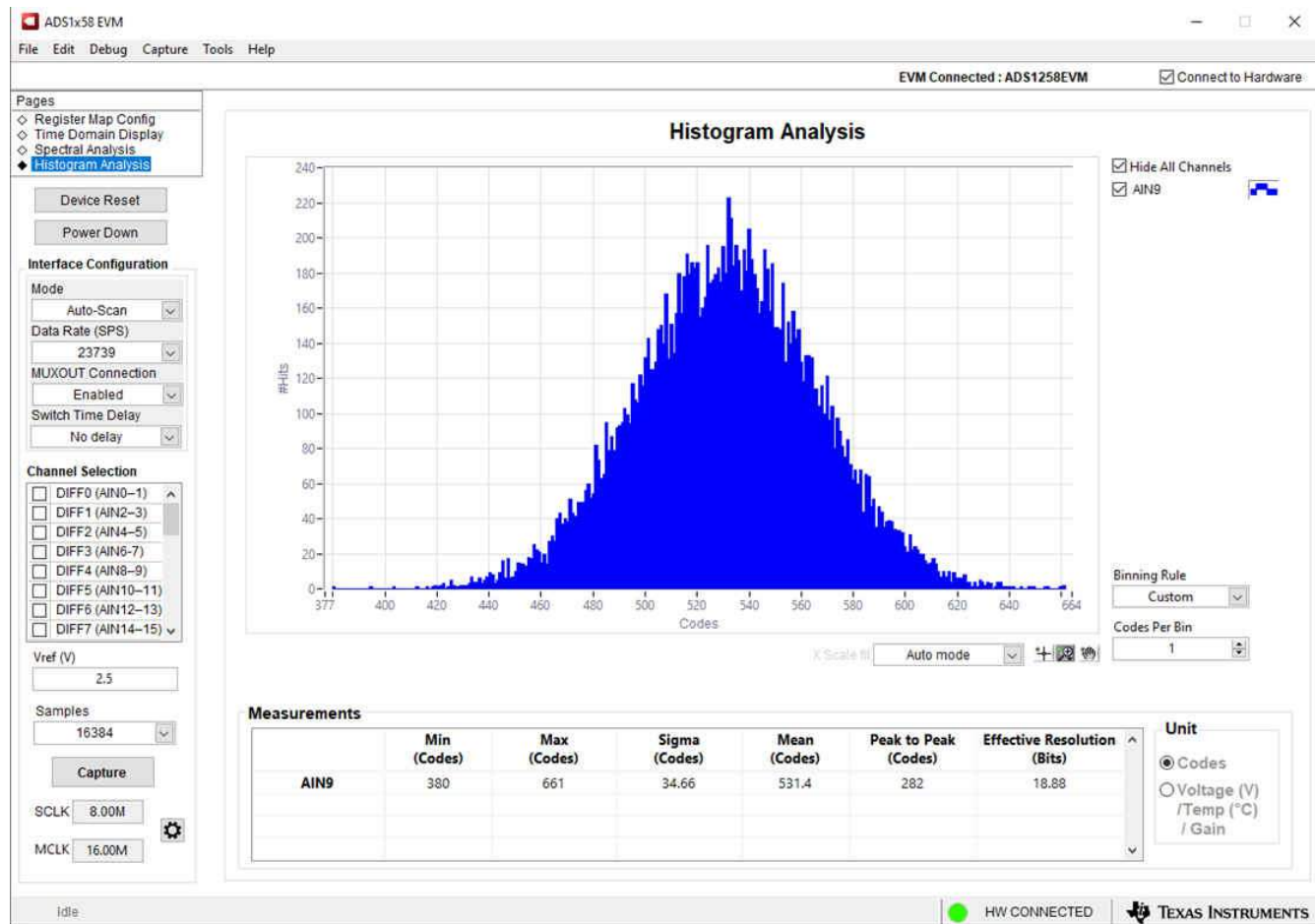


Figure 7-6. ADS1258EVM GUI Histogram Display Page

8 Bill of Materials, Layout, and Schematics

8.1 Bill of Materials

Table 8-1 lists the bill of materials (BOM) for the ADS1258EVM.

Table 8-1. Bill of Materials

Designator	Quantity	Value	Description	Package Reference	Part Number	Manufacturer
C1, C13, C14, C21, C22, C27, C28, C33, C34	9	470 pF	CAP, CERM, 470 pF, 50 V, +/- 5%, C0G/NP0, 0603	0603	06035A471JAT2A	AVX
C2, C6, C7, C8, C17	5	0.1 uF	CAP, CERM, 0.1 uF, 25 V, +/- 5%, X7R, 0603	0603	C0603C104J3RACTU	Kemet
C3, C39	2	22 uF	CAP, CERM, 22 uF, 25 V, +/- 10%, X7R, 1210	1210	CL32B226KAJNFNE	Samsung Electro-Mechanics
C4, C9, C10, C37	4	10 uF	CAP, CERM, 10 uF, 25 V, +/- 10%, X7R, 1206_190	1206_190	C1206C106K3RACTU	Kemet
C5, C38	2	1 uF	CAP, CERM, 1 uF, 16 V, +/- 10%, X7R, AEC-Q200 Grade 1, 0603	0603	CGA3E1X7R1C105K080AC	TDK
C11, C12, C15, C16, C18, C19, C23, C24, C25, C26, C29, C30, C31, C32, C35, C36	16	47 pF	CAP, CERM, 47 pF, 50 V, +/- 5%, C0G/NP0, 0603	0603	C0603C470J5GACTU	Kemet
C20	1	2200 pF	CAP, CERM, 2200 pF, 50 V, +/- 5%, C0G/NP0, 0603	0603	GRM1885C1H222JA01D	MuRata
D1, D2	2	Green	LED, Green, SMD	LED_0805	APT2012LZGCK	Kingbright
H1, H2	2		Machine Screw Pan PHILLIPS M3		RM3X4MM 2701	APM HEXSEAL
H3, H4	2		ROUND STANDOFF M3 STEEL 5MM	ROUND STANDOFF M3 STEEL 5MM	9774050360R	Würth Elektronik
H5, H6, H7, H8	4		Bumpon, Cylindrical, 0.312 X 0.200, Black	Black Bumpon	SJ61A1	3M
J1, J2	2		Terminal Block, 3.5mm, 8-Pos, TH	Terminal Block, 3.5mm, 8-Pos, TH	ED555/8DS	On-Shore Technology
J3	1		Terminal Block, 3.5mm, 3x1, Tin, TH	Terminal Block, 3.5mm, 3x1, Tin, TH	691214110003	Würth Elektronik
J4	1		Terminal Block, 2x1, 3.5mm, TH	2x1 Terminal Block	OSTTE020161	On-Shore Technology
J5	1		Header(Shrouded), 19.7mil, 30x2, Gold, SMT	Header (Shrouded), 19.7mil, 30x2, SMT	QTH-030-01-L-D-A	Samtec
J6	1		Header, 100mil, 9x2, Gold, TH	9x2 Header	TSW-109-07-G-D	Samtec
J7	1		Header, 100mil, 10x1, Gold, TH	10x1 Header	TSW-110-07-G-S	Samtec

Table 8-1. Bill of Materials (continued)

Designator	Quantity	Value	Description	Package Reference	Part Number	Manufacturer
JP1, JP2, JP3, JP4	4		Header, 100mil, 2x1, Gold, TH	2x1 Header	TSW-102-07-G-S	Samtec
R1, R22, R23, R26, R27, R28, R29, R33, R34, R37, R38, R39, R40, R46, R47, R59, R60	17	1.00 k	RES, 1.00 k, 0.1%, 0.1 W, 0603	0603	RT0603BRD071KL	Yageo America
R3	1	10 k	Res Thin Film 0603 10K Ohm 0.1% 1/10W ±10ppm/°C Molded SMD SMD Punched Carrier T/R	0603	ERA-3ARB103V	Panasonic
R4, R21, R24, R31	4	0	RES, 0, 5%, 0.1 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 0, 0603	0603	ERJ-3GEY0R00V	Panasonic
R5	1	120 k	RES, 120 k, 0.1%, 0.1 W, 0603	0603	RG1608P-124-B-T5	Susumu Co Ltd
R6	1	0.047	RES, 0.047, 1%, 0.1 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 1, 0603	0603	ERJ-L03KF47MV	Panasonic
R8, R9, R10, R11, R51, R52, R53, R54, R55, R56, R57, R58	12	100 k	RES, 100 k, 0.5%, 0.1 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 0, 0603	0603	CRCW0603100KDHEAP	Vishay-Dale
R12, R13, R14, R15, R16, R17, R18, R19, R20, R41, R42, R43, R44, R45, R48, R49, R50, R62	18	49.9	RES, 49.9, 0.5%, 0.1 W, 0603	0603	RT0603DRE0749R9L	Yageo America
R25, R35	2	47.5	RES, 47.5, 0.1%, 0.1 W, 0603	0603	RT0603BRD0747R5L	Yageo America
R61	1	0.1	RES, 0.1, 1%, 0.1 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 1, 0603	0603	ERJ-L03KF10CV	Panasonic
R63, R64	2	6.65 k	RES, 6.65 k, 1%, 0.063 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 0, 0402	0402	CRCW04026K65FKE D	Vishay-Dale
SH-J1, SH-J2, SH-J3, SH-J4	4	1x2	Shunt, 100mil, Flash Gold, Black	Closed Top 100mil Shunt	SPC02SYAN	Sullins Connector Solutions
TP1, TP2, TP6, TP8, TP9	5		Test Point, Multipurpose, Black, TH	Black Multipurpose Testpoint	5011	Keystone Electronics
TP3, TP4, TP5, TP7	4		Test Point, Multipurpose, Orange, TH	Orange Multipurpose Testpoint	5013	Keystone Electronics

Table 8-1. Bill of Materials (continued)

Designator	Quantity	Value	Description	Package Reference	Part Number	Manufacturer
U1	1		5ppm/C High-Precision Voltage Reference with Integrated High-Bandwidth Buffer, DGK0008A (VSSOP-8)	DGK0008A	REF6025IDGKR	Texas Instruments
U2	1		I2C BUS EEPROM (2-Wire), TSSOP-B8	TSSOP-8	BR24G32FVT-3AGE2	Rohm
U3	1		24 Bit Analog to Digital Converter 8, 16 Input 1 Sigma-Delta 48-VQFN (7x7)	VQFN48	ADS1258IRTCR	Texas Instruments
U4	1		Automotive Qualified Precision, Zero-Crossover, 20MHz, 0.9pA Ib, RRIO, CMOS Operational Amplifier, DGK0008A (VSSOP-8)	DGK0008A	OPA2320AQDGKRQ 1	Texas Instruments
U5	1		36-V, 1-A, 4.17- μ VRMS, RF low-dropout (LDO) voltage regulator 20-VQFN -40 to 125	VQFN20	TPS7A4700RGWR	Texas Instruments
J8	0		SMA Straight Jack, Gold, 50 Ohm, TH	SMA Straight Jack, TH	901-144-8RFX	Amphenol RF
R2, R7, R30	0	0	RES, 0, 5%, 0.1 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 0, 0603	0603	ERJ-3GEY0R00V	Panasonic

8.2 EVM PCB Layout

Figure 8-1 shows the EVM printed circuit board (PCB) layout for the ADS1258EVM.

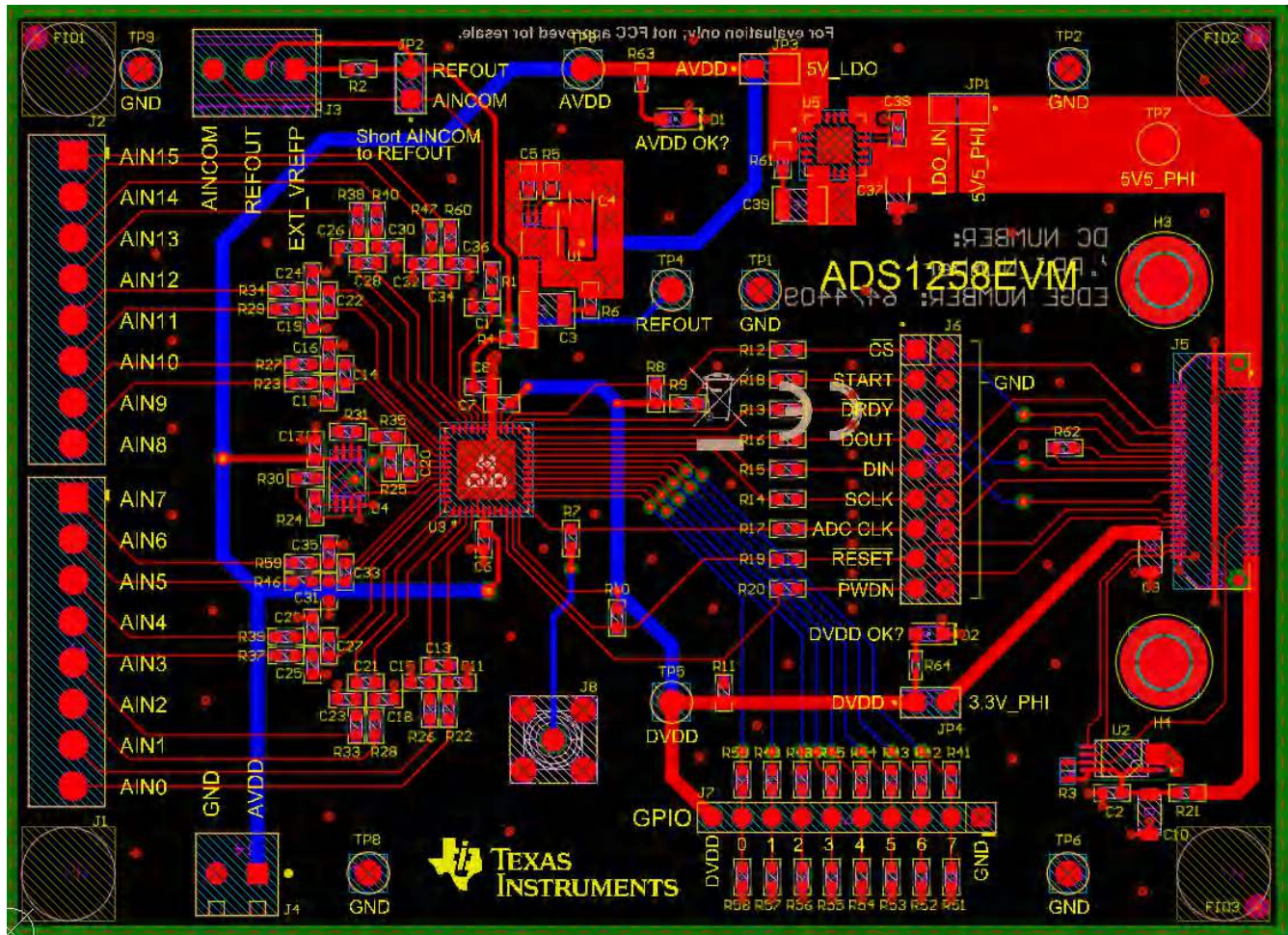


Figure 8-1. ADS1258EVM PCB Layout

8.3 Schematics

This section provides the schematics for the ADS1258EVM.

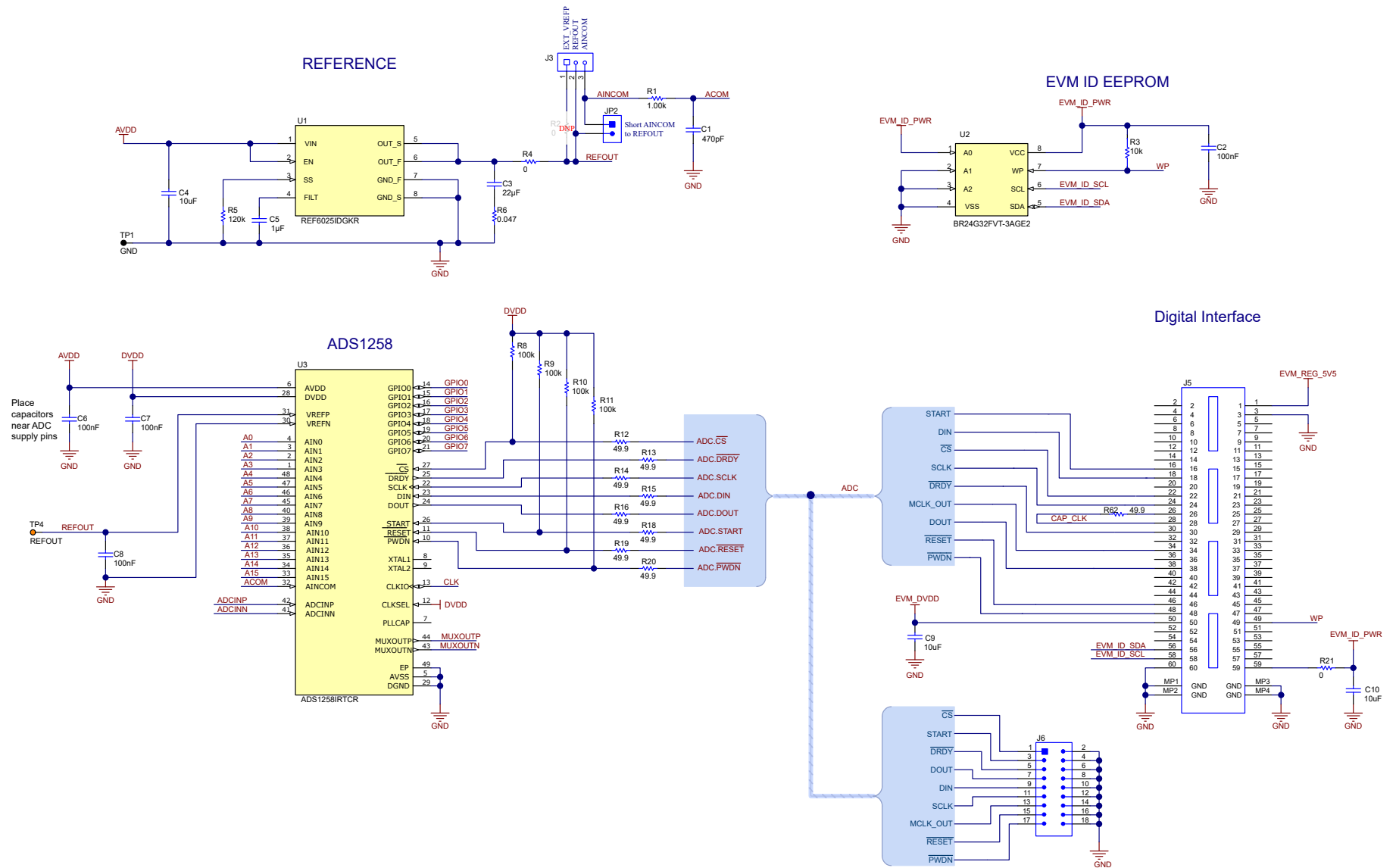
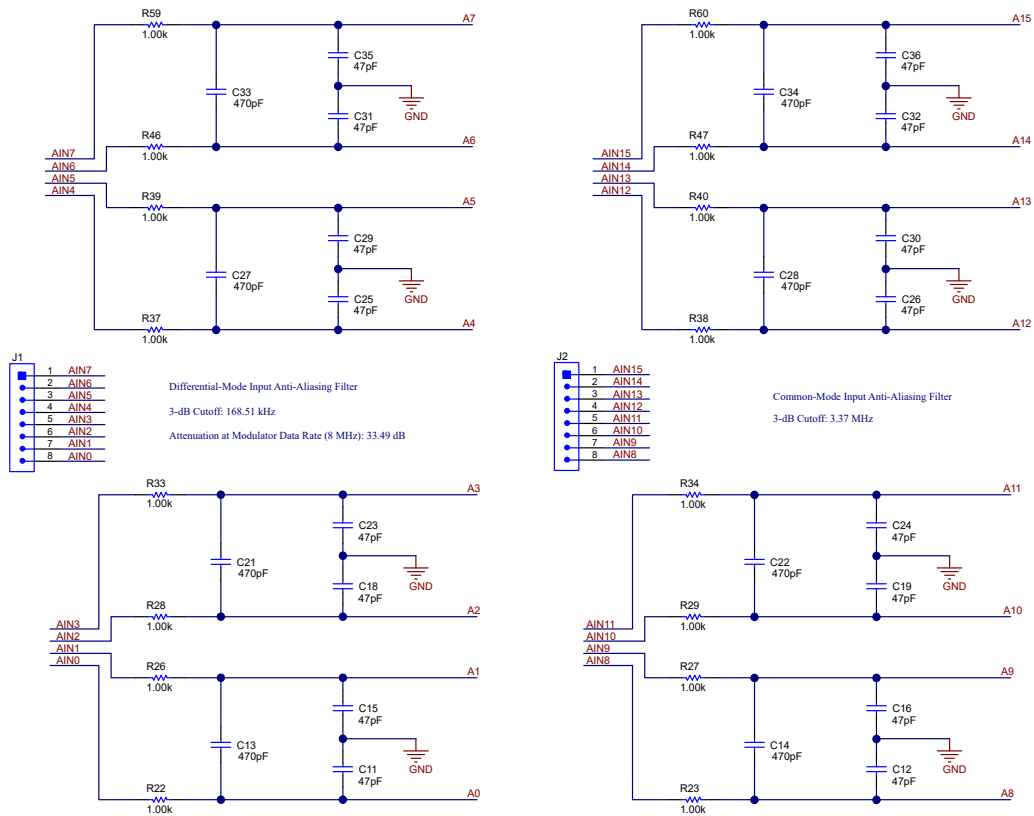


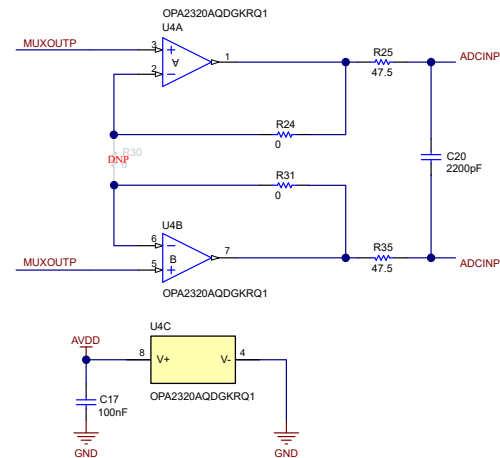
Figure 8-2. ADS1258EVM ADC, Voltage Reference, EEPROM, and Digital Interface Circuits

Analog Input Channels



Configurable Multiplexer Loop

OPA2320 is a dual op-amp package used here in a single-supply configuration. Only one decoupling cap is needed at positive supply (pin 8) for both op-amps.



Digital GPIO

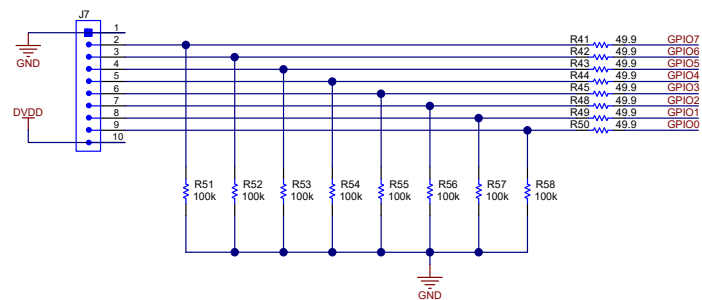
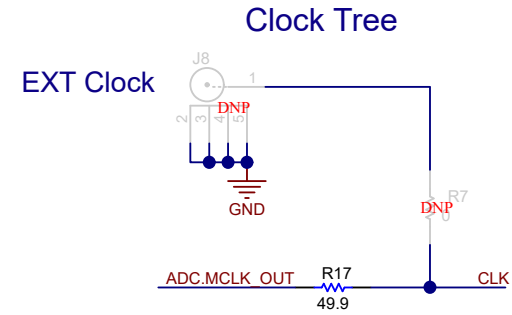
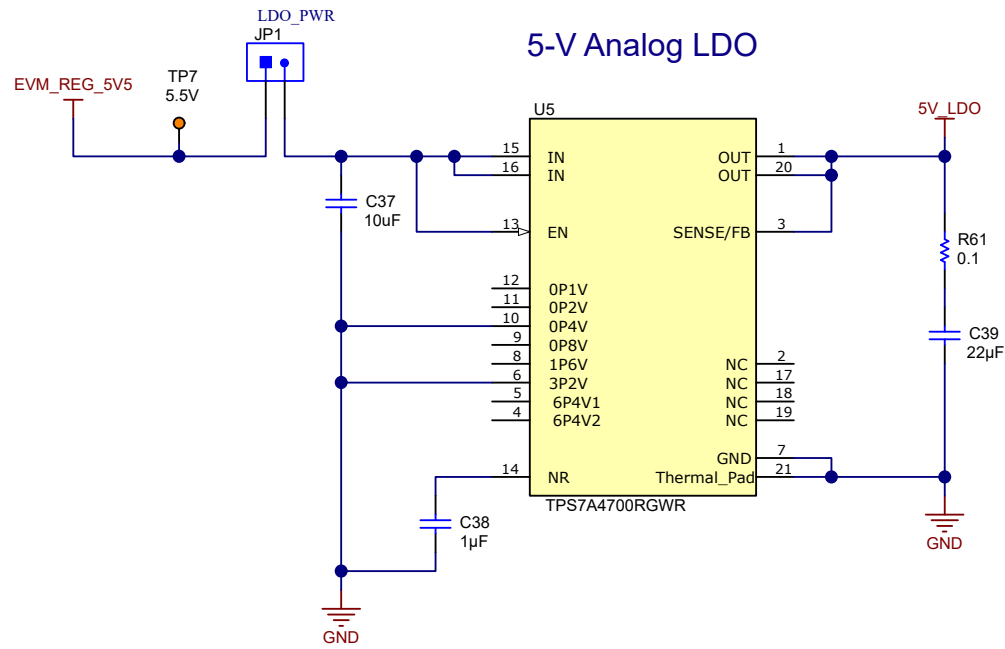
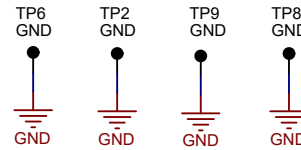
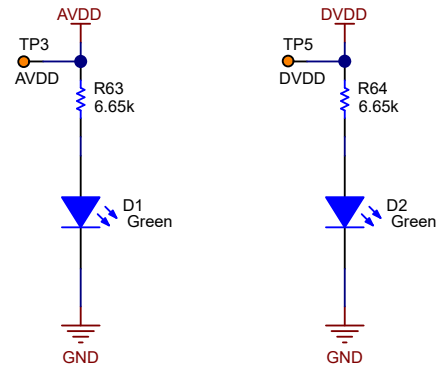


Figure 8-3. ADS1258EVM Analog Input, Multiplexer Loop, and GPIO Circuits



Power Indicator LEDs



EVM/PHI Power

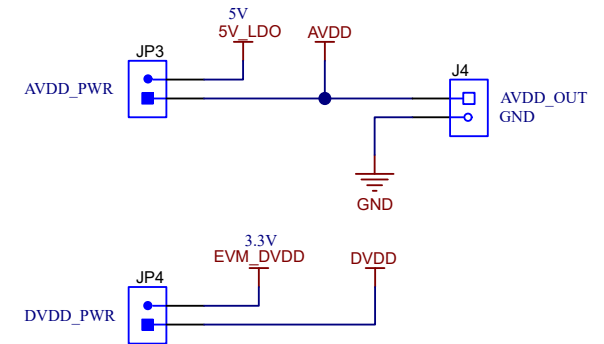


Figure 8-4. ADS1258EVM Power and Clock Circuits

9 Revision History

NOTE: Page numbers for previous revisions may differ from page numbers in the current version.

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• Changed entire document to reflect changes made in EVM moving to a new platform.....	3

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