

BGM13S Blue Gecko *Bluetooth* **® SiP Module Data Sheet**

The BGM13S is Silicon Labs' first SiP module solution for Bluetooth 5 connectivity. It supports 2 Mbps, 1 Mbps and coded LE Bluetooth PHYs. Also, with 512 kB of flash and 64 kB of RAM, the BGM13S is suited to meet Bluetooth Mesh networking memory requirements effectively.

Based on the EFR32BG13 Blue Gecko SoC, the BGM13S delivers robust RF performance, low energy consumption, a wide selection of MCU peripherals, regulatory test certificates for various regions and countries, and a simplified development experience, all in a 6.5×6.5 mm package. Together with the certified software stacks and powerful tools also offered by Silicon Labs, the BGM13S minimizes the area requirements, engineering efforts and development costs associated with adding Bluetooth 5.0 or Bluetooth Mesh connectivity to any product, accelerating its time-to-market.

The BGM13S is intended for a broad range of applications, including:

- Wearables
- IoT end-node devices and gateways
- Health, sports, and wellness
- Industrial, home, and building automation
- Beacons
- Smart phone, tablet, and PC accessories

KEY FEATURES

- Bluetooth 5 compliant
- Fit for Bluetooth Mesh
- Antenna or RF Pin variants
- Up to +19 dBm TX power
- -94.1 dBm RX sensitivity at 1 Mbps
- 32-bit ARM® Cortex®-M4 core at 38.4 MHz
- 512/64 kB of flash/RAM memory
- Precision Low Frequency Oscillator meets Bluetooth Low Energy Sleep Clock accuracy requirements
- Autonomous Hardware Crypto Accelerators
- Integrated DC-DC converter
- 32 GPIO pins
- 6.5 mm × 6.5 mm × 1.4 mm

1. Feature List

- **Supported Protocols**
	- Bluetooth 5
	- Bluetooth Mesh
- **Wireless System-on-Chip**
	- 2.4 GHz radio
	- TX power up to +19 dBm
	- High Performance 32-bit 38.4 MHz ARM Cortex®-M4 with DSP instruction and floating-point unit for efficient signal processing
	- 512 kB flash program memory
	- 64 kB RAM data memory
	- Embedded Trace Macrocell (ETM) for advanced debugging
	- Integrated DC-DC converter

• **High Receiver Performance**

- -102.1 dBm sensitivity at 125 kbit/s GFSK
- -97.9 dBm sensitivity at 500 kbit/s GFSK
- -94.1 dBm sensitivity at 1 Mbit/s GFSK
- -90.2 dBm sensitivity at 2 Mbit/s GFSK

• **Low Energy Consumption**

- 9.7 mA RX current at 1 Mbps, GFSK
- 8.9 mA TX current at 0 dBm output power
- 87 μA/MHz in Active Mode (EM0)
- 1.4 μA EM2 DeepSleep current (full RAM retention and RTCC running from LFXO)
- 1.14 μA EM3 Stop current (State/RAM retention)
- Wake on Radio with signal strength detection, preamble pattern detection, frame detection and timeout

• **Regulatory Certifications**

- FCC
- CE / UKCA
- IC / ISEDC
- MIC / Telec

• **Wide Operating Range**

- 1.8 V to 3.8 V single power supply
- -40 °C to +85 °C
- **Dimensions**
	- 6.5 mm × 6.5 mm × 1.4 mm

• **Support for Internet Security**

- General Purpose CRC
- True Random Number Generator (TRNG)
- 2 × Hardware Cryptographic Accelerators (CRYPTO) for AES 128/256, SHA-1, SHA-2 (SHA-224 and SHA-256) and **ECC**

• **Wide Selection of MCU Peripherals**

- 12-bit 1 Msps SAR Analog to Digital Converter (ADC)
- 2 × Analog Comparator (ACMP)
- 2 × Digital to Analog Converter (VDAC)
- 3 × Operational Amplifier (Opamp)
- Digital to Analog Current Converter (IDAC)
- Low-Energy Sensor Interface (LESENSE)
- Multi-channel Capacitive Sense Interface (CSEN)
- 32 pins connected to analog channels (APORT) shared between analog peripherals
- 32 General Purpose I/O pins with output state retention and asynchronous interrupts
- 8 Channel DMA Controller
- 12 Channel Peripheral Reflex System (PRS)
- 2 ×16-bit Timer/Counter
	- 3 or 4 Compare/Capture/PWM channels
- 1 × 32-bit Timer/Counter
	- 3 Compare/Capture/PWM channels
- Precision Low Frequency RC Oscillator (PLFRCO)
- 32-bit Real Time Counter and Calendar
- 16-bit Low Energy Timer for waveform generation
- 32-bit Ultra Low Energy Timer/Counter for periodic wake-up from any Energy Mode
- 16-bit Pulse Counter with asynchronous operation
- 2 × Watchdog Timer
- 3 × Universal Synchronous/Asynchronous Receiver/Transmitter (UART/SPI/SmartCard (ISO 7816)/IrDA/I2S)
- Low Energy UART (LEUART™)
- 2 × I2C interface with SMBus support and address recognition in EM3 Stop

2. Ordering Information

Table 2.1. Ordering Information

Radio board development hardware is also available:

- **SLWRB4305A** for BGM13S32 Blue Gecko Module Radio Board
- **SLWRB4305C** for BGM13S22 Blue Gecko Module Radio Board

End-product manufacturers must verify that the module is configured to meet regulatory limits for each region in accordance with the formal certification test reports.

Devices ship with the Gecko UART DFU bootloader 1.4.1 + NCP application from Bluetooth SDK 2.7.0.0. The firmware settings conform to the diagrams shown in [Figure 5.1 Typical Connections for BGM13S using internal antenna with UART Network Co-Processor](#page-65-0) [on page 66](#page-65-0) and [Figure 5.2 Typical Connections for BGM13S using external antenna with UART Network Co-Processor on page 67.](#page-66-0)

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3. System Overview

3.1 Introduction

The BGM13S product family combines an energy-friendly MCU with a highly integrated radio transceiver and a high performance, ultra robust antenna. The devices are well suited for any battery operated application, as well as other system where ultra-small size, reliable high performance RF, low-power consumption and easy application development are key requirements. This section gives a short introduction to the full radio and MCU system.

A detailed block diagram of the BGM13S module is shown in the figure below.

Figure 3.1. BGM13S Block Diagram

3.2 Radio

The BGM13S features a radio transceiver supporting Bluetooth[®] low energy protocol. It features a memory buffer and a low-voltage circuit that can withstand extremely high data rates.

3.2.1 Antenna Interface

The BGM13S has two antenna solution variants. One of them is a high-performance integrated chip antenna (BGM13SxxFxxxxA) and the other is a 50 Ohm matched RF pin to attach an external antenna to the module (BGM13SxxFxxxxN).

Parameter Mith optimal layout Note Efficiency **Efficiency 1** to -2 dB Antenna efficiency, gain and radiation pattern are highly dependent on the application PCB layout and mechanical design. Refer to for PCB layout and antenna integration guidelines for optimal performance. Peak gain 1 dBi

Table 3.1. Antenna Efficiency and Peak Gain

3.2.2 Packet and State Trace

The BGM13S Frame Controller has a packet and state trace unit that provides valuable information during the development phase. It features:

- Non-intrusive trace of transmit data, receive data and state information
- Data observability on a single-pin UART data output, or on a two-pin SPI data output
- Configurable data output bitrate / baudrate
- Multiplexed transmitted data, received data and state / meta information in a single serial data stream

3.2.3 Random Number Generator

The Frame Controller (FRC) implements a random number generator that uses entropy gathered from noise in the RF receive chain. The data is suitable for use in cryptographic applications.

Output from the random number generator can be used either directly or as a seed or entropy source for software-based random number generator algorithms such as Fortuna.

3.3 Power

The BGM13S has an Energy Management Unit (EMU) and efficient integrated regulators to generate internal supply voltages. Only a single external supply voltage is required, from which all internal voltages are created. An integrated dc-dc buck regulator is utilized to further reduce the current consumption. Figure 3.2 Power Supply Configuration for BGM13S22xxx Devices on page 9 and Figure 3.3 Power Supply Configuration for BGM13S32xxx Devices on page 9 show how the external and internal supplies of the module are connected for different part numbers.

Figure 3.2. Power Supply Configuration for BGM13S22xxx Devices

Figure 3.3. Power Supply Configuration for BGM13S32xxx Devices

3.3.1 Energy Management Unit (EMU)

The Energy Management Unit manages transitions of energy modes in the device. Each energy mode defines which peripherals and features are available and the amount of current the device consumes. The EMU can also be used to turn off the power to unused RAM blocks, and it contains control registers for the dc-dc regulator and the Voltage Monitor (VMON). The VMON is used to monitor multiple supply voltages. It has multiple channels which can be programmed individually by the user to determine if a sensed supply has fallen below a chosen threshold.

3.3.2 DC-DC Converter

The dc-dc buck converter covers a wide range of load currents and provides up to 90% efficiency in energy modes EM0, EM1, EM2 and EM3. Patented RF noise mitigation allows operation of the dc-dc converter without degrading sensitivity of radio components. Protection features include programmable current limiting, short-circuit protection, and dead-time protection. The dc-dc converter may also enter bypass mode when the input voltage is too low for efficient operation. In bypass mode, the dc-dc input supply is internally connected directly to its output through a low resistance switch. Bypass mode also supports in-rush current limiting to prevent input supply voltage droops due to excessive output current transients.

3.3.3 Power Domains

The BGM13S has two peripheral power domains for operation in EM2 and EM3. If all of the peripherals in a peripheral power domain are configured as unused, the power domain for that group will be powered off in the low-power mode, reducing the overall current consumption of the device.

Table 3.2. Peripheral Power Subdomains

3.4 General Purpose Input/Output (GPIO)

BGM13S has up to 32 General Purpose Input/Output pins. Each GPIO pin can be individually configured as either an output or input. More advanced configurations including open-drain, open-source, and glitch-filtering can be configured for each individual GPIO pin. The GPIO pins can be overridden by peripheral connections, like SPI communication. Each peripheral connection can be routed to several GPIO pins on the device. The input value of a GPIO pin can be routed through the Peripheral Reflex System to other peripherals. The GPIO subsystem supports asynchronous external pin interrupts.

3.5 Clocking

3.5.1 Clock Management Unit (CMU)

The Clock Management Unit controls oscillators and clocks in the BGM13S. Individual enabling and disabling of clocks to all peripherals is performed by the CMU. The CMU also controls enabling and configuration of the oscillators. A high degree of flexibility allows software to optimize energy consumption in any specific application by minimizing power dissipation in unused peripherals and oscillators.

3.5.2 Internal Oscillators and Crystal

The BGM13S fully integrates two crystal oscillators, four RC oscillators, and a 38.4 MHz crystal.

- The high-frequency crystal oscillator (HFXO) and integrated 38.4 MHz crystal provide a precise timing reference for the MCU and radio.
- The low-frequency crystal oscillator (LFXO) provides an accurate timing reference for low energy modes and the real-time-clock circuits.
- An integrated high frequency RC oscillator (HFRCO) is available for the MCU system, when crystal accuracy is not required. The HFRCO employs fast startup at minimal energy consumption combined with a wide frequency range.
- An integrated auxilliary high frequency RC oscillator (AUXHFRCO) is available for timing the general-purpose ADC and the Serial Wire Viewer port with a wide frequency range.
- An integrated low frequency 32.768 kHz RC oscillator (LFRCO) for low power operation where high accuracy is not required.
- An integrated low frequency precision 32.768 kHz RC oscillator (PLFRCO) can be used as a timing reference in low energy modes, with 500 ppm accuracy.
- An integrated ultra-low frequency 1 kHz RC oscillator (ULFRCO) is available to provide a timing reference at the lowest energy consumption in low energy modes.

3.6 Counters/Timers and PWM

3.6.1 Timer/Counter (TIMER)

TIMER peripherals keep track of timing, count events, generate PWM outputs and trigger timed actions in other peripherals through the PRS system. The core of each TIMER is a 16-bit counter with up to 4 compare/capture channels. Each channel is configurable in one of three modes. In capture mode, the counter state is stored in a buffer at a selected input event. In compare mode, the channel output reflects the comparison of the counter to a programmed threshold value. In PWM mode, the TIMER supports generation of pulse-width modulation (PWM) outputs of arbitrary waveforms defined by the sequence of values written to the compare registers, with optional dead-time insertion available in timer unit TIMER_0 only.

3.6.2 Wide Timer/Counter (WTIMER)

WTIMER peripherals function just as TIMER peripherals, but are 32 bits wide. They keep track of timing, count events, generate PWM outputs and trigger timed actions in other peripherals through the PRS system. The core of each WTIMER is a 32-bit counter with up to 4 compare/capture channels. Each channel is configurable in one of three modes. In capture mode, the counter state is stored in a buffer at a selected input event. In compare mode, the channel output reflects the comparison of the counter to a programmed threshold value. In PWM mode, the WTIMER supports generation of pulse-width modulation (PWM) outputs of arbitrary waveforms defined by the sequence of values written to the compare registers, with optional dead-time insertion available in timer unit WTIMER_0 only.

3.6.3 Real Time Counter and Calendar (RTCC)

The Real Time Counter and Calendar (RTCC) is a 32-bit counter providing timekeeping in all energy modes. The RTCC includes a Binary Coded Decimal (BCD) calendar mode for easy time and date keeping. The RTCC can be clocked by any of the on-board oscillators with the exception of the AUXHFRCO, and it is capable of providing system wake-up at user defined instances. When receiving frames, the RTCC value can be used for timestamping. The RTCC includes 128 bytes of general purpose data retention, allowing easy and convenient data storage in all energy modes down to EM4H.

A secondary RTC is used by the RF protocol stack for event scheduling, leaving the primary RTCC block available exclusively for application software.

3.6.4 Low Energy Timer (LETIMER)

The unique LETIMER is a 16-bit timer that is available in energy mode EM0 Active, EM1 Sleep, EM2 Deep Sleep, and EM3 Stop. This allows it to be used for timing and output generation when most of the device is powered down, allowing simple tasks to be performed while the power consumption of the system is kept at an absolute minimum. The LETIMER can be used to output a variety of waveforms with minimal software intervention. The LETIMER is connected to the Real Time Counter and Calendar (RTCC), and can be configured to start counting on compare matches from the RTCC.

3.6.5 Ultra Low Power Wake-up Timer (CRYOTIMER)

The CRYOTIMER is a 32-bit counter that is capable of running in all energy modes. It can be clocked by either the 32.768 kHz crystal oscillator (LFXO), the 32.768 kHz RC oscillator (LFRCO), or the 1 kHz RC oscillator (ULFRCO). It can provide periodic Wakeup events and PRS signals which can be used to wake up peripherals from any energy mode. The CRYOTIMER provides a wide range of interrupt periods, facilitating flexible ultra-low energy operation.

3.6.6 Pulse Counter (PCNT)

The Pulse Counter (PCNT) peripheral can be used for counting pulses on a single input or to decode quadrature encoded inputs. The clock for PCNT is selectable from either an external source on pin PCTNn_S0IN or from an internal timing reference, selectable from among any of the internal oscillators, except the AUXHFRCO. The peripheral may operate in energy mode EM0 Active, EM1 Sleep, EM2 Deep Sleep, and EM3 Stop.

3.6.7 Watchdog Timer (WDOG)

The watchdog timer can act both as an independent watchdog or as a watchdog synchronous with the CPU clock. It has windowed monitoring capabilities, and can generate a reset or different interrupts depending on the failure mode of the system. The watchdog can also monitor autonomous systems driven by PRS.

3.7 Communications and Other Digital Peripherals

3.7.1 Universal Synchronous/Asynchronous Receiver/Transmitter (USART)

The Universal Synchronous/Asynchronous Receiver/Transmitter is a flexible serial I/O interface. It supports full duplex asynchronous UART communication with hardware flow control as well as RS-485, SPI, MicroWire and 3-wire. It can also interface with devices supporting:

- ISO7816 SmartCards
- IrDA
- I 2S

3.7.2 Low Energy Universal Asynchronous Receiver/Transmitter (LEUART)

The unique LEUARTTM provides two-way UART communication on a strict power budget. Only a 32.768 kHz clock is needed to allow UART communication up to 9600 baud. The LEUART includes all necessary hardware to make asynchronous serial communication possible with a minimum of software intervention and energy consumption.

3.7.3 Inter-Integrated Circuit Interface (I2C)

The I^2C interface enables communication between the MCU and a serial I^2C bus. It is capable of acting as both a master and a slave and supports multi-master buses. Standard-mode, fast-mode and fast-mode plus speeds are supported, allowing transmission rates from 10 kbit/s up to 1 Mbit/s. Slave arbitration and timeouts are also available, allowing implementation of an SMBus-compliant system. The interface provided to software by the I²C peripheral allows precise timing control of the transmission process and highly automated transfers. Automatic recognition of slave addresses is provided in active and low energy modes.

3.7.4 Peripheral Reflex System (PRS)

The Peripheral Reflex System provides a communication network between different peripherals without software involvement. Peripherals producing Reflex signals are called producers. The PRS routes Reflex signals from producers to consumer peripherals, which in turn perform actions in response. Edge triggers and other functionality such as simple logic operations (AND, OR, NOT) can be applied by the PRS to the signals. The PRS allows peripheral to act autonomously without waking the MCU core, saving power.

3.7.5 Low Energy Sensor Interface (LESENSE)

The Low Energy Sensor Interface LESENSETM is a highly configurable sensor interface with support for up to 16 individually configurable sensors. By controlling the analog comparators, ADC, and DAC, LESENSE is capable of supporting a wide range of sensors and measurement schemes, and can for instance measure LC sensors, resistive sensors and capacitive sensors. LESENSE also includes a programmable finite state machine which enables simple processing of measurement results without CPU intervention. LESENSE is available in energy mode EM2, in addition to EM0 and EM1, making it ideal for sensor monitoring in applications with a strict energy budget.

3.8 Security Features

3.8.1 General Purpose Cyclic Redundancy Check (GPCRC)

The GPCRC block implements a Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC) function. It supports both 32-bit and 16-bit polynomials. The supported 32-bit polynomial is 0x04C11DB7 (IEEE 802.3), while the 16-bit polynomial can be programmed to any value, depending on the needs of the application.

3.8.2 Crypto Accelerator (CRYPTO)

The Crypto Accelerator is a fast and energy-efficient autonomous hardware encryption and decryption accelerator. EFR32 devices support AES encryption and decryption with 128- or 256-bit keys, ECC over both GF(P) and GF(2^m), SHA-1 and SHA-2 (SHA-224 and SHA-256).

Supported block cipher modes of operation for AES include: ECB, CTR, CBC, PCBC, CFB, OFB, GCM, CBC-MAC, GMAC and CCM.

Supported ECC NIST recommended curves include P-192, P-224, P-256, K-163, K-233, B-163 and B-233.

The CRYPTO1 block is tightly linked to the Radio Buffer Controller (BUFC) enabling fast and efficient autonomous cipher operations on data buffer content. It allows fast processing of GCM (AES), ECC and SHA with little CPU intervention.

CRYPTO also provides trigger signals for DMA read and write operations.

3.8.3 True Random Number Generator (TRNG)

The TRNG is a non-deterministic random number generator based on a full hardware solution. The TRNG is validated with NIST800-22 and AIS-31 test suites as well as being suitable for FIPS 140-2 certification (for the purposes of cryptographic key generation).

3.8.4 Security Management Unit (SMU)

The Security Management Unit (SMU) allows software to set up fine-grained security for peripheral access, which is not possible in the Memory Protection Unit (MPU). Peripherals may be secured by hardware on an individual basis, such that only priveleged accesses to the peripheral's register interface will be allowed. When an access fault occurs, the SMU reports the specific peripheral involved and can optionally generate an interrupt.

3.9 Analog

3.9.1 Analog Port (APORT)

The Analog Port (APORT) is an analog interconnect matrix allowing access to many analog peripherals on a flexible selection of pins. Each APORT bus consists of analog switches connected to a common wire. Since many clients can operate differentially, buses are grouped by X/Y pairs.

3.9.2 Analog Comparator (ACMP)

The Analog Comparator is used to compare the voltage of two analog inputs, with a digital output indicating which input voltage is higher. Inputs are selected from among internal references and external pins. The tradeoff between response time and current consumption is configurable by software. Two 6-bit reference dividers allow for a wide range of internally-programmable reference sources. The ACMP can also be used to monitor the supply voltage. An interrupt can be generated when the supply falls below or rises above the programmable threshold.

3.9.3 Analog to Digital Converter (ADC)

The ADC is a Successive Approximation Register (SAR) architecture, with a resolution of up to 12 bits at up to 1 Msps. The output sample resolution is configurable and additional resolution is possible using integrated hardware for averaging over multiple samples. The ADC includes integrated voltage references and an integrated temperature sensor. Inputs are selectable from a wide range of sources, including pins configurable as either single-ended or differential.

3.9.4 Capacitive Sense (CSEN)

The CSEN peripheral is a dedicated Capacitive Sensing block for implementing touch-sensitive user interface elements such a switches and sliders. The CSEN peripheral uses a charge ramping measurement technique, which provides robust sensing even in adverse conditions including radiated noise and moisture. The peripheral can be configured to take measurements on a single port pin or scan through multiple pins and store results to memory through DMA. Several channels can also be shorted together to measure the combined capacitance or implement wake-on-touch from very low energy modes. Hardware includes a digital accumulator and an averaging filter, as well as digital threshold comparators to reduce software overhead.

3.9.5 Digital to Analog Current Converter (IDAC)

The IDAC can source or sink a configurable constant current. This current can be driven on an output pin or routed to the selected ADC input pin for capacitive sensing. The full-scale current is programmable between 0.05 µA and 64 µA with several ranges consisting of various step sizes.

3.9.6 Digital to Analog Converter (VDAC)

The Digital to Analog Converter (VDAC) can convert a digital value to an analog output voltage. The VDAC is a fully differential, 500 ksps, 12-bit converter. The opamps are used in conjunction with the VDAC, to provide output buffering. One opamp is used per singleended channel, or two opamps are used to provide differential outputs. The VDAC may be used for a number of different applications such as sensor interfaces or sound output. The VDAC can generate high-resolution analog signals while the MCU is operating at low frequencies and with low total power consumption. Using DMA and a timer, the VDAC can be used to generate waveforms without any CPU intervention. The VDAC is available in all energy modes down to and including EM3.

3.9.7 Operational Amplifiers

The opamps are low power amplifiers with a high degree of flexibility targeting a wide variety of standard opamp application areas, and are available down to EM3. With flexible built-in programming for gain and interconnection they can be configured to support multiple common opamp functions. All pins are also available externally for filter configurations. Each opamp has a rail to rail input and a rail to rail output. They can be used in conjunction with the VDAC peripheral or in stand-alone configurations. The opamps save energy, PCB space, and cost as compared with standalone opamps because they are integrated on-chip.

3.10 Reset Management Unit (RMU)

The RMU is responsible for handling reset of the BGM13S. A wide range of reset sources are available, including several power supply monitors, pin reset, software controlled reset, core lockup reset, and watchdog reset.

3.11 Core and Memory

3.11.1 Processor Core

The ARM Cortex-M processor includes a 32-bit RISC processor integrating the following features and tasks in the system:

- ARM Cortex-M4 RISC processor achieving 1.25 Dhrystone MIPS/MHz
- Memory Protection Unit (MPU) supporting up to 8 memory segments
- Up to 512 kB flash program memory
- Up to 64 kB RAM data memory
- Configuration and event handling of all peripherals
- 2-pin Serial-Wire debug interface

3.11.2 Memory System Controller (MSC)

The Memory System Controller (MSC) is the program memory unit of the microcontroller. The flash memory is readable and writable from both the Cortex-M and DMA. The flash memory is divided into two blocks; the main block and the information block. Program code is normally written to the main block, whereas the information block is available for special user data and flash lock bits. There is also a read-only page in the information block containing system and device calibration data. Read and write operations are supported in energy modes EM0 Active and EM1 Sleep.

3.11.3 Linked Direct Memory Access Controller (LDMA)

The Linked Direct Memory Access (LDMA) controller allows the system to perform memory operations independently of software. This reduces both energy consumption and software workload. The LDMA allows operations to be linked together and staged, enabling sophisticated operations to be implemented.

3.12 Memory Map

The BGM13S memory map is shown in the figures below. RAM and flash sizes are for the largest memory configuration.

Figure 3.4. BGM13S Memory Map — Core Peripherals and Code Space

Figure 3.5. BGM13S Memory Map — Peripherals

3.13 Configuration Summary

Many peripherals on the BGM13S are available in multiple instances. However, certain USART, TIMER and WTIMER instances implement only a subset of the full features for that peripheral type. The table below describes the specific features available on these peripheral instances. All remaining peripherals support full configuration.

Table 3.3. Configuration Summary

4. Electrical Specifications

4.1 Electrical Characteristics

All electrical parameters in all tables are specified under the following conditions, unless stated otherwise:

- Typical values are based on T_{AMB} =25 °C and V_{DD} = 3.3 V, by production test and/or technology characterization.
- Radio performance numbers are measured in conducted mode, based on Silicon Laboratories reference designs using output power-specific external RF impedance-matching networks for interfacing to a 50 Ω antenna.
- Minimum and maximum values represent the worst conditions across supply voltage, process variation, and operating temperature, unless stated otherwise.

The BGM13S module is powered primarily from the VBATT supply pin. GPIO are powered from the IOVDD supply pin. There are also several internal supply rails mentioned in the electrical specifications, whose connections vary based on transmit power configuration. Refer to [3.3 Power](#page-8-0) for the relationship between the module's external supply pins and the internal voltage supply rails.

Refer to [Table 4.2 General Operating Conditions on page 19](#page-18-0) for more details about operational supply and temperature limits.

4.1.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

Stress levels beyond those listed below may cause permanent damage to the device. This is a stress rating only and functional operation of the devices at those or any other conditions beyond those indicated in the operation listings of this specification is not implied. Exposure to maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability. For more information on the available quality and reliability data, see the Quality and Reliability Monitor Report at [http://www.silabs.com/support/quality/pages/default.aspx.](http://www.silabs.com/support/quality/pages/default.aspx)

Note:

1. When a GPIO pin is routed to the analog block through the APORT, the maximum voltage = IOVDD.

2. Valid for IOVDD in valid operating range or when IOVDD is undriven (high-Z). If IOVDD is connected to a low-impedance source below the valid operating range (e.g. IOVDD shorted to VSS), the pin voltage maximum is IOVDD + 0.3 V, to avoid exceeding the maximum IO current specifications.

3. To operate above the IOVDD supply rail, over-voltage tolerance must be enabled according to the GPIO_Px_OVTDIS register. Pins with over-voltage tolerance disabled have the same limits as Standard GPIO.

4.1.2 Operating Conditions

The following subsections define the operating conditions for the module.

4.1.2.1 General Operating Conditions

Table 4.2. General Operating Conditions

Note:

1. The minimum voltage required in bypass mode is calculated using R_{BYP} from the DCDC specification table. Requirements for other loads can be calculated as V_{VBATT_min}+I_{LOAD} * R_{BYP_max}.

4.1.3 DC-DC Converter

Test conditions: V_DCDC_I=3.3 V, V_DCDC_O=1.8 V, I_DCDC_LOAD=50 mA, Heavy Drive configuration, F_DCDC_LN=7 MHz, unless otherwise indicated.

Table 4.3. DC-DC Converter

Note:

1. Due to internal dropout, the DC-DC output will never be able to reach its input voltage, V_{VREGVDD}.

- 2. LP mode controller is a hysteretic controller that maintains the output voltage within the specified limits.
- 3. LPCMPBIASEMxx refers to either LPCMPBIASEM234H in the EMU_DCDCMISCCTRL register or LPCMPBIASEM01 in the EMU_DCDCLOEM01CFG register, depending on the energy mode.
- 4. Drive levels are defined by configuration of the PFETCNT and NFETCNT registers. Light Drive: PFETCNT=NFETCNT=3; Medium Drive: PFETCNT=NFETCNT=7; Heavy Drive: PFETCNT=NFETCNT=15.

4.1.4 Current Consumption

4.1.4.1 Current Consumption 3.3 V using DC-DC Converter

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: VBATT = 3.3 V. T = 25 °C. Minimum and maximum values in this table represent the worst conditions across process variation at T = 25 °C.

Table 4.4. Current Consumption 3.3 V using DC-DC Converter

Note:

1. DCDC Low Noise DCM Mode = Light Drive (PFETCNT=NFETCNT=3), F=3.0 MHz (RCOBAND=0), ANASW=DVDD.

2. CMU_HFXOCTRL_LOWPOWER=0.

3. DCDC Low Noise CCM Mode = Light Drive (PFETCNT=NFETCNT=3), F=6.4 MHz (RCOBAND=4), ANASW=DVDD.

4. DCDC Low Power Mode = Medium Drive, LPOSCDIV=1, LPCMPBIASEM234H=0, LPCLIMILIMSEL=1, ANASW=DVDD.

5. CMU_LFRCOCTRL_ENVREF = 1, CMU_LFRCOCTRL_VREFUPDATE = 1

4.1.4.2 Current Consumption 1.8 V (DC-DC Converter in Bypass Mode)

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: VBATT = 1.8 V. T = 25 °C. Minimum and maximum values in this table represent the worst conditions across process variation at T = 25 °C.

Table 4.5. Current Consumption 1.8 V (DC-DC Converter in Bypass Mode)

4.1.4.3 Current Consumption 3.3 V (DC-DC Converter in Bypass Mode)

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: VBATT = 3.3 V. T = 25 °C. Minimum and maximum values in this table represent the worst conditions across process variation at T = 25 °C.

Table 4.6. Current Consumption 3.3 V (DC-DC Converter in Bypass Mode)

4.1.4.4 Current Consumption Using Radio

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: VBATT = 3.3 V. T = 25 °C. DC-DC on. Minimum and maximum values in this table represent the worst conditions across process variation at $T = 25 \degree C$.

Table 4.7. Current Consumption Using Radio

4.1.5 Wake Up Times

Table 4.8. Wake Up Times

Note:

1. Time from wake up request until first instruction is executed. Wakeup results in device reset.

2. Scaling up from VSCALE0 to VSCALE2 requires approximately 30.3 µs + 28 HFCLKs.

3. VSCALE0 to VSCALE2 voltage change transitions occur at a rate of 10 mV/µs for approximately 20 µs. During this transition, peak currents will be dependent on the value of the DECOUPLE output capacitor, from 35 mA (with a 1 µF capacitor) to 70 mA (with a 2.7 µF capacitor).

4. Scaling down from VSCALE2 to VSCALE0 requires approximately 2.8 µs + 29 HFCLKs.

4.1.6 Brown Out Detector (BOD)

Table 4.9. Brown Out Detector (BOD)

4.1.7 Frequency Synthesizer

Table 4.10. Frequency Synthesizer

4.1.8 2.4 GHz RF Transceiver Characteristics

4.1.8.1 RF Transmitter General Characteristics for 2.4 GHz Band

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

Table 4.11. RF Transmitter General Characteristics for 2.4 GHz Band

Note:

1. Supported transmit power levels are determined by the ordering part number (OPN). Transmit power ratings for all devices covered in this datasheet can be found in the Max TX Power column of the Ordering Information Table.

4.1.8.2 RF Receiver General Characteristics for 2.4 GHz Band

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

4.1.8.3 RF Transmitter Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 125 kbps Data Rate

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

Table 4.13. RF Transmitter Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 125 kbps Data Rate

Note:

1. Output power limited to 14 dBm to ensure compliance with FCC specifications.

2. For 2476 MHz, 1.2 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

3. For 2478 MHz, 5.8 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

4.1.8.4 RF Receiver Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 125 kbps Data Rate

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

Table 4.14. RF Receiver Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 125 kbps Data Rate

Note:

1. Reference signal is defined 2GFSK at -79 dBm, Modulation index = 0.5, BT = 0.5, Bit rate = 125 kbps, desired data = PRBS9; interferer data = PRBS15; frequency accuracy better than 1 ppm.

4.1.8.5 RF Transmitter Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 500 kbps Data Rate

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

Table 4.15. RF Transmitter Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 500 kbps Data Rate

Note:

1. Output power limited to 14 dBm to ensure compliance with FCC specifications.

2. For 2476 MHz, 1.2 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

3. For 2478 MHz, 5.8 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

4.1.8.6 RF Receiver Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 500 kbps Data Rate

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

Table 4.16. RF Receiver Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 500 kbps Data Rate

Note:

1. Reference signal is defined 2GFSK at -72 dBm, Modulation index = 0.5, BT = 0.5, Bit rate = 500 kbps, desired data = PRBS9; interferer data = PRBS15; frequency accuracy better than 1 ppm.

4.1.8.7 RF Transmitter Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 1 Mbps Data Rate

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

Table 4.17. RF Transmitter Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 1 Mbps Data Rate

Note:

1. Per Bluetooth Core 5.0, Vol.6 Part A, Section 3.2.2, exceptions are allowed in up to three bands of 1 MHz width, centered on a frequency which is an integer multiple of 1 MHz. These exceptions shall have an absolute value of -20 dBm or less.

2. For 2476 MHz, 1.5 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

3. For 2478 MHz, 4.2 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

4.1.8.8 RF Receiver Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 1 Mbps Data Rate

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

Table 4.18. RF Receiver Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 1 Mbps Data Rate

Note:

1. Reference signal is defined 2GFSK at -67 dBm, Modulation index = 0.5, BT = 0.5, Bit rate = 1 Mbps, desired data = PRBS9; interferer data = PRBS15; frequency accuracy better than 1 ppm.
4.1.8.9 RF Transmitter Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 2 Mbps Data Rate

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

Table 4.19. RF Transmitter Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 2 Mbps Data Rate

Note:

1. Per Bluetooth Core 5.0, Vol.6 Part A, Section 3.2.2, exceptions are allowed in up to three bands of 1 MHz width, centered on a frequency which is an integer multiple of 1 MHz. These exceptions shall have an absolute value of -20 dBm or less.

2. For 2472 MHz, 1.3 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

3. For 2474 MHz, 3.8 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

4. For 2476 MHz, 7 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

5. For 2478 MHz, 11.2 dB of power backoff is used to achieve this value.

4.1.8.10 RF Receiver Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 2 Mbps Data Rate

Unless otherwise indicated, typical conditions are: T = 25 °C, VBATT = 3.3 V. DC-DC on. Crystal frequency = 38.4 MHz. RF center frequency 2.45 GHz. Conducted measurement from the antenna feedpoint.

Table 4.20. RF Receiver Characteristics for Bluetooth Low Energy in the 2.4GHz Band, 2 Mbps Data Rate

Note:

1. Reference signal is defined 2GFSK at -67 dBm, Modulation index = 0.5, BT = 0.5, Bit rate = 2 Mbps, desired data = PRBS9; interferer data = PRBS15; frequency accuracy better than 1 ppm.

4.1.9 Oscillators

4.1.9.1 Low-Frequency Crystal Oscillator (LFXO)

Note:

1. Total load capacitance as seen by the crystal.

2. The effective load capacitance seen by the crystal will be C_{LFXO-T} /2. This is because each XTAL pin has a tuning cap and the two caps will be seen in series by the crystal.

3. Block is supplied by AVDD if ANASW = 0, or DVDD if ANASW=1 in EMU_PWRCTRL register.

4. In CMU_LFXOCTRL register.

4.1.9.2 High-Frequency Crystal Oscillator (HFXO)

Table 4.22. High-Frequency Crystal Oscillator (HFXO)

4.1.9.3 Low-Frequency RC Oscillator (LFRCO)

Table 4.23. Low-Frequency RC Oscillator (LFRCO)

2. Block is supplied by AVDD if ANASW = 0, or DVDD if ANASW=1 in EMU_PWRCTRL register.

4.1.9.4 Precision Low-Frequency RC Oscillator (PLFRCO)

Note:

1. The Frequency accuracy limits, calculated with 3-sigma standard deviation, apply for temperatures -20 °C to 85 °C for G tempgrade and -20 °C to 125 °C for I temp-grade.

2. 99.953% (3.5 sigma) of the overall device population comply to the Max. and Min. limits.

Table 4.25. High-Frequency RC Oscillator (HFRCO)

4.1.9.6 Ultra-low Frequency RC Oscillator (ULFRCO)

Table 4.26. Ultra-low Frequency RC Oscillator (ULFRCO)

4.1.10 Flash Memory Characteristics¹

Table 4.27. Flash Memory Characteristics¹

Note:

1. Flash data retention information is published in the Quarterly Quality and Reliability Report.

2. From setting the ERASEPAGE bit in MSC_WRITECMD to 1 until the BUSY bit in MSC_STATUS is cleared to 0. Internal setup and hold times for flash control signals are included.

3. Mass erase is issued by the CPU and erases all flash.

4. Device erase is issued over the AAP interface and erases all flash, SRAM, the Lock Bit (LB) page, and the User data page Lock Word (ULW).

5. From setting the DEVICEERASE bit in AAP_CMD to 1 until the ERASEBUSY bit in AAP_STATUS is cleared to 0. Internal setup and hold times for flash control signals are included.

6. Measured at 25 °C.

4.1.11 General-Purpose I/O (GPIO)

Table 4.28. General-Purpose I/O (GPIO)

Note:

1. GPIO input threshold are proportional to the IOVDD supply, except for RESETn which is proportional to AVDD.

2. In GPIO_Pn_CTRL register.

3. GPIO pull-ups are referenced to the IOVDD supply, except for RESETn, which connects to AVDD.

4.1.12 Voltage Monitor (VMON)

Table 4.29. Voltage Monitor (VMON)

4.1.13 Analog to Digital Converter (ADC)

Specified at 1 Msps, ADCCLK = 16 MHz, BIASPROG = 0, GPBIASACC = 0, unless otherwise indicated.

Table 4.30. Analog to Digital Converter (ADC)

Note:

1. The absolute voltage allowed at any ADC input is dictated by the power rail supplied to on-chip circuitry, and may be lower than the effective full scale voltage. All ADC inputs are limited to the ADC supply (AVDD or DVDD depending on

EMU_PWRCTRL_ANASW). Any ADC input routed through the APORT will further be limited by the IOVDD supply to the pin.

2. PSRR is referenced to AVDD when ANASW=0 and to DVDD when ANASW=1 in EMU_PWRCTRL.

- 3. In ADCn_CTRL register.
- 4. In ADCn_BIASPROG register.
- 5. Derived from ADCCLK.

6. Internal reference option used corresponds to selection 2V5 in the SINGLECTRL_REF or SCANCTRL_REF register field. The differential input range with this configuration is ± 1.25 V. Typical value is characterized using full-scale sine wave input. Minimum value is production-tested using sine wave input at 1.5 dB lower than full scale.

7. External reference is 1.25 V applied externally to ADCnEXTREFP, with the selection CONF in the SINGLECTRL_REF or SCANCTRL_REF register field and VREFP in the SINGLECTRLX_VREFSEL or SCANCTRLX_VREFSEL field. The differential input range with this configuration is \pm 1.25 V.

4.1.14 Analog Comparator (ACMP)

Table 4.31. Analog Comparator (ACMP)

Note:

1. ACMPVDD is a supply chosen by the setting in ACMPn_CTRL_PWRSEL and may be IOVDD, AVDD or DVDD.

2. In ACMPn_CTRL register.

3. The total ACMP current is the sum of the contributions from the ACMP and its internal voltage reference. IACMPTOTAL = IACMP + IACMPREF.

4. In ACMPn_HYSTERESIS registers.

5. ± 100 mV differential drive.

6. In ACMPn_INPUTSEL register.

4.1.15 Digital to Analog Converter (VDAC)

DRIVESTRENGTH = 2 unless otherwise specified. Primary VDAC output.

Note:

1. In differential mode, the output is defined as the difference between two single-ended outputs. Absolute voltage on each output is limited to the single-ended range.

2. Supply current specifications are for VDAC circuitry operating with static output only and do not include current required to drive the load.

- 3. Current from HFPERCLK is dependent on HFPERCLK frequency. This current contributes to the total supply current used when the clock to the DAC peripheral is enabled in the CMU.
- 4. PSRR calculated as 20 $*$ log₁₀(Δ VDD / Δ V_{OUT}), VDAC output at 90% of full scale
- 5. Entire range is monotonic and has no missing codes.
- 6. Gain is calculated by measuring the slope from 10% to 90% of full scale. Offset is calculated by comparing actual VDAC output at 10% of full scale to ideal VDAC output at 10% of full scale with the measured gain.

4.1.16 Current Digital to Analog Converter (IDAC)

Table 4.33. Current Digital to Analog Converter (IDAC)

Note:

1. In IDAC_CURPROG register.

2. The IDAC is supplied by either AVDD, DVDD, or IOVDD based on the setting of ANASW in the EMU_PWRCTRL register and PWRSEL in the IDAC_CTRL register. Setting PWRSEL to 1 selects IOVDD. With PWRSEL cleared to 0, ANASW selects between AVDD (0) and DVDD (1).

4.1.17 Capacitive Sense (CSEN)

Table 4.34. Capacitive Sense (CSEN)

Note:

1. Current is specified with a total external capacitance of 33 pF per channel. Average current is dependent on how long the peripheral is actively sampling channels within the scan period, and scales with the number of samples acquired. Supply current for a specific application can be estimated by multiplying the current per sample by the total number of samples per period (total_current = single_sample_current * (number_of_channels * accumulation)).

4.1.18 Operational Amplifier (OPAMP)

Unless otherwise indicated, specified conditions are: Non-inverting input configuration, VDD = 3.3 V, DRIVESTRENGTH = 2, MAIN-OUTEN = 1, C_{LOAD} = 75 pF with OUTSCALE = 0, or C_{LOAD} = 37.5 pF with OUTSCALE = 1. Unit gain buffer and 3X-gain connection as specified in table footnotes^{[1](#page-59-0)[2](#page-59-0)}.

Table 4.35. Operational Amplifier (OPAMP)

4.1.19 Pulse Counter (PCNT)

Table 4.36. Pulse Counter (PCNT)

4.1.20 Analog Port (APORT)

Table 4.37. Analog Port (APORT)

Note:

1. Supply current increase that occurs when an analog peripheral requests access to APORT. This current is not included in reported peripheral currents. Additional peripherals requesting access to APORT do not incur further current.

2. Specified current is for continuous APORT operation. In applications where the APORT is not requested continuously (e.g. periodic ACMP requests from LESENSE in EM2), the average current requirements can be estimated by mutiplying the duty cycle of the requests by the specified continuous current number.

4.1.21 I2C

4.1.21.1 I2C Standard-mode (Sm)¹

Note:

1. For CLHR set to 0 in the I2Cn_CTRL register.

2. For the minimum HFPERCLK frequency required in Standard-mode, refer to the I2C chapter in the reference manual.

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

4.1.21.2 I2C Fast-mode (Fm)¹

Table 4.39. I2C Fast-mode (Fm)¹

Note:

1. For CLHR set to 1 in the I2Cn_CTRL register.

2. For the minimum HFPERCLK frequency required in Fast-mode, refer to the I2C chapter in the reference manual.

3. The 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}).

4.1.21.3 I2C Fast-mode Plus (Fm+)¹

Table 4.40. I2C Fast-mode Plus (Fm+)¹

Note:

1. For CLHR set to 0 or 1 in the I2Cn_CTRL register.

2. For the minimum HFPERCLK frequency required in Fast-mode Plus, refer to the I2C chapter in the reference manual.

4.1.22 USART SPI

SPI Master Timing

Table 4.41. SPI Master Timing

Note:

1. Applies for both CLKPHA = 0 and CLKPHA = 1 (figure only shows CLKPHA = 0).

2. Measurement done with 8 pF output loading at 10% and 90% of V_{DD} (figure shows 50% of V_{DD}).

3. t_{HFPERCLK} is one period of the selected HFPERCLK.

Figure 4.1. SPI Master Timing Diagram

SPI Slave Timing

Table 4.42. SPI Slave Timing

Note:

1. Applies for both CLKPHA = 0 and CLKPHA = 1 (figure only shows CLKPHA = 0).

2. Measurement done with 8 pF output loading at 10% and 90% of V_{DD} (figure shows 50% of V_{DD}).

3. t_{HFPERCLK} is one period of the selected HFPERCLK.

Figure 4.2. SPI Slave Timing Diagram

5. Typical Connection Diagrams

5.1 Typical BGM13S Connections

Typical connections for the BGM13S module are shown in Figure 5.1 Typical Connections for BGM13S using internal antenna with UART Network Co-Processor on page 66 and [Figure 5.2 Typical Connections for BGM13S using external antenna with UART Net](#page-66-0)[work Co-Processor on page 67](#page-66-0). These diagrams show connections for:

• Power supplies

Note: The 1V8 pin is the 1.8V output of the internal DC-DC converer. This pin should be left unconnected. Do not add external decoupling or power external circuits from this pin.

- Antenna loop for internal antenna usage The RF and ANTENNA pins should be tied together for correct operation of the module. An optional 0R resistor can be added between RF and ANTENNA, making it possible to measure the signal between these pins.
- Reset line

Note:

It is recommended to connect the RESETn line to an open-drain IO pin on the host CPU when NCP mode is used.

RESETn includes an internal pull-up to the VBATT supply and input logic levels on RESETn are referenced to VBATT. In systems where IOVDD is not equal to VBATT, additional considerations may need to be taken.

- UART connection to an external host for Network Co-Processor (NCP) usage (optional)
- 32.768 kHz crystal Required in applications that must meet 500 ppm Bluetooth Sleep Clock accuracy requirement. More accurate crystals can be used to reduce the listening window and thereby reduce overall current consumption. Recommended crystal is KDS part number *1TJG125DP1A0012* or equivalent. For additional information, refer to AN0016.1: Oscillator Design Considerations.

Figure 5.1. Typical Connections for BGM13S using internal antenna with UART Network Co-Processor

Figure 5.2. Typical Connections for BGM13S using external antenna with UART Network Co-Processor

Note: It is possible to power the IOVDD pin at 1.8 V from the DC-DC output (1V8). However, the 1V8 output is off by default, and IOVDD must be powered when programming the device. Any system that powers IOVDD directly from 1V8 must power IOVDD externally during initial programming.

Two common debug interface options are shown in Figure 5.3 Common Debug Connections on page 67. Refer to AN958 for more information and additional options.

Figure 5.3. Common Debug Connections

6. Layout Guidelines

For optimal performance of the BGM13S, please follow the PCB layout guidelines and ground plane recommendations indicated in this section.

6.1 Layout Guidelines

This section contains generic PCB layout and design guidelines for the BGM13S module. For optimal performance:

- Place the module at the edge of the PCB, as shown in the figures in this chapter.
- Do not place any metal (traces, components, etc.) in the antenna clearance area.
- Connect all ground pads directly to a solid ground plane.
- Place the ground vias as close to the ground pads as possible.

Figure 6.1. BGM13S PCB Top Layer Design

The following rules are recommended for the PCB design:

- Trace to copper clearance 150um
- PTH drill size 300um
- PTH annular ring 150um

Important:

The antenna area must align with the pads precisely. Please refer to the recommended PCB land pattern for exact dimensions.

Figure 6.2. BGM13S PCB Middle and Bottom Layer Design

Figure 6.3. Practical Installation of BGM13S on Application PCB

Figure 6.4. Poor Layout Designs for the BGM13S

Layout checklist for BGM13S:

- 1. Antenna area is aligned relative to the module pads as shown in the recommended PCB land pattern.
- 2. Clearance area within the inner layers and bottom layer is covering the whole antenna area as shown in the layout guidelines.
- 3. The antenna loop is implemented on the top layer as shown in the layout guidelines.
- 4. All dimensions within the antenna area are precisely as shown in the recommended PCB land pattern.
- 5. The module is placed near the edge of the PCB with max 1mm indentation.
- 6. The module is not placed in the corner of the PCB.

6.2 Effect of PCB Width

The BGM13S module should be placed at the center of the PCB edge. The width of the board has an impact to the radiated efficiency and, more importantly, there should be enough ground plane on both sides of the module for optimal antenna performance. Figure 6.5 BGM13S PCB Top Layer Design on page 69 gives an indication of ground plane size vs. maximum achievable range.

Figure 6.5. BGM13S PCB Top Layer Design

The impact of the board size to the radiated performance is a generic feature of all PCB and chip antennas and it is not a unique feature of the BGM13S. For the BGM13S the depth of the board is not important and does not impact the radiated performance.

6.3 Effect of Plastic and Metal Materials

The antenna on the BGM13S is insensitive to the effects of nearby plastic and other materials with low dielectric constant. No separation between the BGM13S and plastic or other materials is needed. The board thickness has an impact on the module and the additional inductor/capacitor will help to tune the antenna to any board thickness.

In some cases, it may be necessary to fine tune the antenna to optimize for any specific application layout or mechanical design. A capacitor or an inductor in parallel with the antenna input can be used for optimizing the antenna for any PCB layouts. A capacitor moves the antenna frequency lower and an inductor moves the antenna frequency higher. Capacitor values between 0.1 pF-10 pF and inductor values 3.6 nH-10 nH can be used.

The antenna is extremely robust against any objects in close proximity or in direct contact with the antenna and it is recommended not to adjust the dimensions of the antenna area unless it is clear that a metal object, such as a coin cell battery, within the antenna area is detuning the antenna.

6.4 Effects of Human Body

Placing the module in contact with or very close to the human body will negatively impact antenna efficiency and reduce range.

6.5 2D Radiation Pattern Plots

Figure 6.8. Typical 2D Radiation Pattern – Top View

7. Pin Definitions

7.1 BGM13S Device Pinout

Figure 7.1. BGM13S Device Pinout

The following table provides package pin connections and general descriptions of pin functionality. For detailed information on the supported features for each GPIO pin, see [7.2 GPIO Functionality Table](#page-73-0) or [7.3 Alternate Functionality Overview.](#page-101-0)

Table 7.1. BGM13S Device Pinout

1. GPIO with 5V tolerance are indicated by (5V).

7.2 GPIO Functionality Table

A wide selection of alternate functionality is available for multiplexing to various pins. The following table shows the name of each GPIO pin, followed by the functionality available on that pin. Refer to [7.3 Alternate Functionality Overview](#page-101-0) for a list of GPIO locations available for each function.

Table 7.2. GPIO Functionality Table

7.3 Alternate Functionality Overview

A wide selection of alternate functionality is available for multiplexing to various pins. The following table shows the name of the alternate functionality in the first column, followed by columns showing the possible LOCATION bitfield settings and the associated GPIO pin. Refer to [7.2 GPIO Functionality Table](#page-73-0) for a list of functions available on each GPIO pin.

Note: Some functionality, such as analog interfaces, do not have alternate settings or a LOCATION bitfield. In these cases, the pinout is shown in the column corresponding to LOCATION 0.

Table 7.3. Alternate Functionality Overview

7.4 Analog Port (APORT) Client Maps

The Analog Port (APORT) is an infrastructure used to connect chip pins with on-chip analog clients such as analog comparators, ADCs, DACs, etc. The APORT consists of a set of shared buses, switches, and control logic needed to configurably implement the signal routing. Figure 7.2 APORT Connection Diagram on page 114 shows the APORT routing for this device family (note that available features may vary by part number). A complete description of APORT functionality can be found in the Reference Manual.

Client maps for each analog circuit using the APORT are shown in the following tables. The maps are organized by bus, and show the peripheral's port connection, the shared bus, and the connection from specific bus channel numbers to GPIO pins.

Table 7.4. ACMP0 Bus and Pin Mapping

Table 7.5. ACMP1 Bus and Pin Mapping

Table 7.6. ADC0 Bus and Pin Mapping

Table 7.7. CSEN Bus and Pin Mapping

Table 7.8. IDAC0 Bus and Pin Mapping

Table 7.9. VDAC0 / OPA Bus and Pin Mapping

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8. Package Specifications

8.1 BGM13S Package Dimensions

Figure 8.1. BGM13S Package Dimensions

BGM13S Blue Gecko *Bluetooth* ® SiP Module Data Sheet Package Specifications

8.2 BGM13S Recommeded PCB Land Pattern

This section describes the recommended PCB land pattern for the BGM13S. The antenna copper clearance area is shown in Figure 8.2 BGM13S Recommended Antenna Clearance on page 126, while the X-Y cordinates of pads relative to the origin are shown in [Table 8.1 BGM13S Pad Coordinates and Sizing on page 127.](#page-126-0) The origin is the center point of pin number 47. It is very important to align the antenna area relative to the module pads precisely.

Figure 8.2. BGM13S Recommended Antenna Clearance

Table 8.1. BGM13S Pad Coordinates and Sizing

Figure 8.3. BGM13S Recommended PCB Land Pattern

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Notes:

1. All feature sizes shown are at Maximum Material Condition (MMC) and a card fabrication tolerance of 0.05mm is assumed.

2. Dimensioning and Tolerancing is per the ANSI Y14.5M-1994 specification.

3. A stainless steel, laser-cut and electro-polished stencil with trapezoidal walls should be used to assure good solder paste release.

4. The stencil thickness should be 0.100mm (4 mils).

- 5. The stencil aperture to land pad size recommendation is 70% paste coverage.
- 6. Above notes and stencil design are shared as recommendations only. A customer or user may find it necessary to use different parameters and fine tune their SMT process as required for their application and tooling.

8.3 BGM13S Package Marking

The figure below shows the package markings printed on the module.

Figure 8.4. BGM13S Package Marking

9. Tape and Reel Specifications

9.1 Tape and Reel Packaging

This section contains information regarding the tape and reel packaging for the BGM13S Blue Gecko Module.

9.2 Reel and Tape Specifications

- Reel material: Polystyrene (PS)
- Reel diameter: 13 inches (330 mm)
- Number of modules per reel: 1000 pcs
- Disk deformation, folding whitening and mold imperfections: Not allowed
- Disk set: consists of two 13 inch (330 mm) rotary round disks and one central axis (100 mm)
- Antistatic treatment: Required
- Surface resistivity: 10^4 10^9 Ω /sq.

Figure 9.1. Reel Dimensions - Side View

Figure 9.2. Cover tape information

Figure 9.3. Tape information

9.3 Orientation and Tape Feed

The user direction of feed, start and end of tape on reel and orientation of the modules on the tape are shown in the figure below.

Figure 9.4. Module Orientation and Feed Direction

9.4 Tape and Reel Box Dimensions

Figure 9.5. Tape and Reel Box Dimensions

9.5 Moisture Sensitivity Level

Reels are delivered in packing which conforms to MSL3 (Moisture Sensitivity Level 3) requirements.

10. Soldering Recommendations

10.1 Soldering Recommendations

The BGM13S is compatible with industrial standard reflow profile for Pb-free solders. The reflow profile used is dependent on the thermal mass of the entire populated PCB, heat transfer efficiency of the oven, and particular type of solder paste used.

- Refer to technical documentations of particular solder paste for profile configurations.
- Avoid usining more than two reflow cycles.
- A no-clean, type-3 solder paste is recommended.
- A stainless steel, laser-cut and electro-polished stencil with trapezoidal walls should be used to assure good solder paste release.
- Recommended stencil thickness is 0.100 mm (4 mils).
- General SMT application notes are provided in the AN1223 document.
- For further recommendation, refer to the JEDEC/IPC J-STD-020, IPC-SM-782 and IPC 7351 guidelines.
- The above notes are recommendations only. A customer or user may find it necessary to use different parameters and fine tune their SMT process as required for their application and tooling.

11. Certifications

Refer to AN1048 for information related to Regulatory Certifications.

11.1 Qualified Antenna Types

The BGM13S variants supporting an external antenna have been designed to operate with a standard 2.14 dBi dipole antenna. Any antenna of a different type or with a gain higher than 2.14 dBi is strictly prohibited for use with this device. Using an antenna of a different type or gain more than 2.14 dBi will require additional testing for FCC, CE and IC. The required antenna impedance is 50 Ω.

Table 11.1. Qualified Antennas for BGM13S

11.2 Bluetooth

The BGM13S is pre-qualified as a Low Energy RF-PHY tested component, having Declaration ID of D039577 and QDID of 119769. For the qualification of an end product embedding the BGM13S, the above should be combined with the most up to date Wireless Gecko Link Layer and Host components.

11.3 CE and UKCA - EU and UK

The BGM13S22 module is in conformity with the essential requirements and other relevant requirements of the Radio Equipment Directive (RED) (2014/53/EU) and of the UK's Radio Equipment Regulations (RER) (S.I. 2017/1206). Please note that every application using the BGM13S22 will need to perform the radio EMC tests on the end product, according to EN 301 489-17. It is ultimately the responsibility of the manufacturer to ensure the compliance of the end-product. The specific product assembly may have an impact to RF radiated characteristics, and manufacturers should carefully consider RF radiated testing with the end-product assembly.

The modules are entitled to carry the CE and UKCA Marks, and a formal Declaration of Conformity (DoC) is available at the product web page which is reachable starting from [https://www.silabs.com/.](https://www.silabs.com/)

With regards to the Bluetooth Low Energy protocol, the BGM13S32 module is in conformity with the essential requirements and other relevant requirements of the Radio Equipment Directive (RED) and of the UK's Radio Equipment Regulations (RER) at up to 10 dBm RF transmit power when not using Adaptive Frequency Hopping (AFH). With early module firmware versions that do not support AFH and that do not have built-in functionality to limit the max RF transmit power to 10 dBm automatically, it is responsibility of the endproduct's manufacturer to limit output power accordingly. With newer firmware versions supporting AFH, the end-product's manufacturer has the option to enable AFH and transmit at full output power while the module remains compliant or, alternatively, to disable AFH in which case the max RF transmit power will be automatically limited to 10 dBm, making the module compliant in all cases. Please refer to the firmware change log to verify which version introduced AFH.

11.4 FCC

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 undesirable operation.

Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by Silicon Labs could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

FCC RF Radiation Exposure Statement:

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. End users must follow the specific operating instructions for satisfying RF exposure compliance. This transmitter meets both portable and mobile limits as demonstrated in the RF Exposure Analysis. This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter except in accordance with FCC multi-transmitter product procedures.

OEM Responsibilities to comply with FCC Regulations:

OEM integrator is responsible for testing their end-product for any additional compliance requirements required with this module installed (for example, digital device emissions, PC peripheral requirements, etc.).

- With BGM13S32 the antenna(s) must be installed such that a minimum separation distance of 50.5 mm is maintained between the radiator (antenna) and all persons at all times.
- With BGM13S22 the antenna(s) must be installed such that a minimum separation distance of 0 mm is maintained between the radiator (antenna) and all persons at all times.
- The transmitter module must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter except in accordance with FCC multi-transmitter product procedures.

Important Note:

In the event that the above conditions cannot be met (for certain configurations or co-location with another transmitter), then the FCC authorization is no longer considered valid and the FCC ID cannot be used on the final product. In these circumstances, the OEM integrator will be responsible for re-evaluating the end product (including the transmitter) and obtaining a separate FCC authorization.

End Product Labeling

The variants of BGM13S Modules are labeled with their own FCC ID. If the FCC ID is not visible when the module is installed inside another device, then the outside of the device into which the module is installed must also display a label referring to the enclosed module. In that case, the final end product must be labeled in a visible area with the following:

"Contains Transmitter Module FCC ID: QOQ13"

Or

"Contains FCC ID: QOQ13"

The OEM integrator has to be aware not to provide information to the end user regarding how to install or remove this RF module or change RF related parameters in the user manual of the end product.

11.5 ISED Canada

ISEDC

This radio transmitter (IC: 5123A-13) has been approved by Industry Canada to operate with the antenna types listed above, with the maximum permissible gain indicared. 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.

This device complies with Industry Canada's license-exempt RSS standards. 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 **RF Exposure Statement**

Exception from routine SAR evaluation limits are given in RSS-102 Issue 5.

The models BGM13S32A and BGM13S32N meet the given requirements when the minimum separation distance to human body is 40 mm.

The models BGM13S22A and BGM13S22N meet the given requirements when the minimum separation distance to human body is 15 mm.

RF exposure or SAR evaluation is not required when the separation distance is same or more than stated above. If the separation distance is less than stated above the OEM integrator is responsible for evaluating the SAR.

OEM Responsibilities to comply with IC Regulations

The BGM13S modules have been certified for integration into products only by OEM integrators under the following conditions:

- The antenna(s) must be installed such that a minimum separation distance as stated above is maintained between the radiator (antenna) and all persons at all times.
- The transmitter module must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

As long as the two conditions above are met, further transmitter testing will not be required. However, the OEM integrator is still responsible for testing their end-product for any additional compliance requirements required with this module installed (for example, digital device emissions, PC peripheral requirements, etc.).

IMPORTANT NOTE

In the event that these conditions cannot be met (for certain configurations or co-location with another transmitter), then the ISEDC authorization is no longer considered valid and the IC ID cannot be used on the final product. In these circumstances, the OEM integrator will be responsible for re-evaluating the end product (including the transmitter) and obtaining a separate ISEDC authorization. **End Product Labeling**

The BGM13S module is labeled with its own IC ID. If the IC ID is not visible when the module is installed inside another device, then the outside of the device into which the module is installed must also display a label referring to the enclosed module. In that case, the final end product must be labeled in a visible area with the following:

"**Contains Transmitter Module IC: 5123A-13** "

or

"**Contains IC: 5123A-13"**

The OEM integrator has to be aware not to provide information to the end user regarding how to install or remove this RF module or change RF related parameters in the user manual of the end product.

ISEDC (Français)

Industrie Canada a approuvé l'utilisation de cet émetteur radio (IC: 5123A-13) en conjonction avec des antennes de type dipolaire à 2.14dBi ou des antennes embarquées, intégrée au produit. L'utilisation de tout autre type d'antenne avec ce composant est proscrite.

Ce composant est conforme aux normes RSS, exonérées de licence d'Industrie Canada. Son mode de fonctionnement est soumis aux deux conditions suivantes:

1. Ce composant ne doit pas générer d'interférences.

2. Ce composant doit pouvoir est soumis à tout type de perturbation y compris celle pouvant nuire à son bon fonctionnement.

Déclaration d'exposition RF

L'exception tirée des limites courantes d'évaluation SAR est donnée dans le document RSS-102 Issue 5.

Les modules BGM13S32A and BGM13S32N répondent aux exigences requises lorsque la distance minimale de séparation avec le corps humain est de 40 mm.

Les modules BGM13S22A and BGM13S22N répondent aux exigences requises lorsque la distance minimale de séparation avec le corps humain est de 15 mm.

La déclaration d'exposition RF ou l'évaluation SAR n'est pas nécessaire lorsque la distance de séparation est identique ou supérieure à celle indiquée ci-dessus. Si la distance de séparation est inférieure à celle mentionnées plus haut, il incombe à l'intégrateur OEM de procédé à une évaluation SAR.

Responsabilités des OEM pour une mise en conformité avec le Règlement du Circuit Intégré

Le module BGM13S a été approuvé pour l'intégration dans des produits finaux exclusivement réalisés par des OEM sous les conditions suivantes:

- L'antenne (s) doit être installée de sorte qu'une distance de séparation minimale indiquée ci-dessus soit maintenue entre le radiateur (antenne) et toutes les personnes avoisinante, ce à tout moment.
- Le module émetteur ne doit pas être localisé ou fonctionner avec une autre antenne ou un autre transmetteur que celle indiquée plus haut.

Tant que les deux conditions ci-dessus sont respectées, il n'est pas nécessaire de tester ce transmetteur de façon plus poussée. Cependant, il incombe à l'intégrateur OEM de s'assurer de la bonne conformité du produit fini avec les autres normes auxquelles il pourrait être soumis de fait de l'utilisation de ce module (par exemple, les émissions des périphériques numériques, les exigences de périphériques PC, etc.).

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ans le cas où ces conditions ne peuvent être satisfaites (pour certaines configurations ou co-implantation avec un autre émetteur), l'autorisation ISEDC n'est plus considérée comme valide et le numéro d'identification ID IC ne peut pas être apposé sur le produit final. Dans ces circonstances, l'intégrateur OEM sera responsable de la réévaluation du produit final (y compris le transmetteur) et de l'obtention d'une autorisation ISEDC distincte.

Étiquetage des produits finis

Les modules BGM13S sont étiquetés avec leur propre ID IC. Si l'ID IC n'est pas visible lorsque le module est intégré au sein d'un autre produit, cet autre produit dans lequel le module est installé devra porter une étiquette faisant apparaitre les référence du module intégré. Dans un tel cas, sur le produit final doit se trouver une étiquette aisément lisible sur laquelle figurent les informations suivantes:

"**Contient le module transmetteur: 5123A-13** "

or

"**Contient le circuit: 5123A-13"**

L'intégrateur OEM doit être conscient qu'il ne doit pas fournir, dans le manuel d'utilisation, d'informations relatives à la façon d'installer ou de d'enlever ce module RF ainsi que sur la procédure à suivre pour modifier les paramètres liés à la radio.

11.6 Japan

The BGM13S22A and BGM13S22N are certified in Japan with certification number 209-J00306.

Since September 1, 2014 it is allowed (and highly recommended) that a manufacturer who integrates a radio module in their host equipment can place the certification mark and certification number (the same marking/number as depicted on the label of the radio module) on the outside of the host equipment. The certification mark and certification number must be placed close to the text in the Japanese language which is provided below. This change in the Radio Law has been made in order to enable users of the combination of host and radio module to verify if they are actually using a radio device which is approved for use in Japan.

Certification Text to be Placed on the Outside Surface of the Host Equipment:

当該機器には電波法に基づく、技術基準適合証明等を受けた特定無線設備を装着している。

Translation of the text:

"This equipment contains specified radio equipment that has been certified to the Technical Regulation Conformity Certification under the Radio Law."

The "Giteki" marking shown in the figures below must be affixed to an easily noticeable section of the specified radio equipment. Note that additional information may be required if the device is also subject to a telecom approval.

Figure 11.1. GITEKI Mark and ID

Figure 11.2. GITEKI Mark

11.7 KC South Korea

The BGM13S22A and BGM13S22N have an RF certification for import and use in South-Korea.

Certification number: R-C-BGT-13

The RF-certified module is meant to be integrated into an end-product, which is then exempted from doing the RF emission testing, as long as the recommended design guidance is followed, and the approved antennas are used.

EMC testing and any other relevant test applicable to the end-product, plus appropriate labelling of the end-product, might still be required for the full regulatory compliance.

12. Revision History

Revision 1.4

November, 2022

• Updated certifications to reflect UK specifics: [1. Feature List](#page-1-0) and [11.3 CE and UKCA - EU and UK](#page-134-0)

Revision 1.3

June, 2022

- Added timing specifications for RESETn low time in [Table 4.28 General-Purpose I/O \(GPIO\) on page 43.](#page-42-0)
- Removed BIASPROG = 1, FULLBIAS = 0 specifications from [Table 4.31 Analog Comparator \(ACMP\) on page 48](#page-47-0).
- Removed all references to RFSENSE.

Revision 1.2

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- In the front page block diagram, updated the lowest energy mode for LETIMER.
- Updated [3.6.4 Low Energy Timer \(LETIMER\)](#page-10-0) lowest energy mode.
- Corrected factory Gecko bootloader SDK version and bootloader pin functionality [7.2 GPIO Functionality Table](#page-73-0); [7.3 Alternate Func](#page-101-0)[tionality Overview.](#page-101-0)
- Changed "Bluetooth 5.0 LE" to "Bluetooth 5" throughout.
- Updated [5.1 Typical BGM13S Connections](#page-65-0) with additional external antenna configuration and added reference to AN0016.1.
- Added reference to AN1223 and updated [10.1 Soldering Recommendations](#page-133-0) section.
- Added reference to AN1048 in [11. Certifications](#page-134-0) section.
- Corrected Korean package marking in [BGM13S Package Marking](#page-129-0) table.

Revision 1.1

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- Updated OPNs in [2. Ordering Information](#page-2-0).
- Added [11.7 KC South Korea](#page-138-0) with updated certification ID number.
- Updated certification ID number in [11.6 Japan](#page-138-0).
- Updated RF Exposure Statement to 15 mm distance for BGM13S22A and BGM13S22N in [11.5 ISED Canada](#page-136-0).
- Added PLFRCO block and associated specifications.
- Added PLFRCO block in [Figure 3.1 BGM13S Block Diagram on page 7](#page-6-0).
- Added PLFRCO current consumption value in [Table 4.4 Current Consumption 3.3 V using DC-DC Converter on page 22](#page-21-0), [Table](#page-23-0) [4.5 Current Consumption 1.8 V \(DC-DC Converter in Bypass Mode\) on page 24](#page-23-0), and [Table 4.6 Current Consumption 3.3 V \(DC-DC](#page-25-0) [Converter in Bypass Mode\) on page 26.](#page-25-0)
- Added [4.1.9.4 Precision Low-Frequency RC Oscillator \(PLFRCO\)](#page-39-0) section.
- Added [9. Tape and Reel Specifications.](#page-130-0)
- Updated [Figure 5.1 Typical Connections for BGM13S using internal antenna with UART Network Co-Processor on page 66](#page-65-0) with the new layout guidelines.
- Updated [6.3 Effect of Plastic and Metal Materials](#page-68-0) with the new layout guidelines.
- Removed the Antenna Tuning image from [6.3 Effect of Plastic and Metal Materials.](#page-68-0)
- Updated [Figure 8.2 BGM13S Recommended Antenna Clearance on page 126](#page-125-0) in [8.2 BGM13S Recommeded PCB Land Pattern](#page-125-0).
- Updated [Figure 6.1 BGM13S PCB Top Layer Design on page 68](#page-67-0) and [Figure 6.2 BGM13S PCB Middle and Bottom Layer Design on](#page-67-0) [page 68.](#page-67-0)
- Added [Figure 6.3 Practical Installation of BGM13S on Application PCB on page 68](#page-67-0).
- Changed "BLE" to "Bluetooth Low Energy" throughout.
- Changed "Bluetooth 5.0 LE" to "Bluetooth 5" throughout.

Revision 1.0

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- Added Electrical Specifications Tables for VDAC, CSEN, OPAMP, PCNT and APORT.
- [5.1 Typical BGM13S Connections](#page-65-0): Updated diagram to show IOVDD connection to Host CPU supply.
- [Table 7.2 GPIO Functionality Table on page 74](#page-73-0): Sorted by GPIO name.
- Removed unbonded I/O from APORT mapping tables.
- Packaging figures updated with latest annotations.
- Removed tape and reel specifications section.
- Added package marking specifications in [8.3 BGM13S Package Marking](#page-129-0).
- Added certification chapter .

Revision 0.5

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- Removed PLFRCO content.
- Added V2 part numbers to [Table 2.1 Ordering Information on page 3.](#page-2-0)
- Updated [4.1 Electrical Characteristics](#page-16-0) with latest characterization data and test limits.
- : Added optional 32.768 kHz crystal connection.
- : Corrected RTS/CTS naming on Host CPU for UART connection.
- : Corrected TCK/TMS order on standard ARM Cortex debug connector.
- [7.1 BGM13S Device Pinout:](#page-71-0) Changed pin 47 name from VSS to ANT_GND.
- [7.1 BGM13S Device Pinout:](#page-71-0) Corrected numbering of pins 50 and 51.
- Updated [8.2 BGM13S Recommeded PCB Land Pattern](#page-125-0) with latest drawings and dimension recommendations.

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