

ABSTRACT

This user guide details the TCAN1046A/V CAN (Controller Area Network) EVM transceiver operation. The TCAN1046A/V CAN EVM is configurable for the SOIC package version of both TCAN1046A and TCAN1046AV. This user guide explains the EVM configurations for basic CAN evaluation, and various load and termination settings.

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1 Introduction

1.1 Overview

TI offers a broad portfolio of high speed (HS) CAN transceivers compatible with the ISO11898-2 high speed CAN standards. These include 5-V V_{CC} only, 3.3-V V_{CC} only, 5-V V_{CC} with I/O level shifting and galvanic-isolated CAN transceivers. These CAN transceiver families include product mixes with varying features such as low-power standby modes with and without wake up, silent modes, loop back, and diagnostic modes.

The TCAN1046A/V EVM helps designers evaluate the operation and performance of TCAN1046A and TCAN1046AV transceivers in the SOIC package. It also provides bus termination, bus filtering, and protection concepts. It is easily configured by the customer to test different configurations with jumper settings, simple soldering tasks, and replacement of standard components, as well as both CAN interfaces on the device separately.

1.2 CAN EVM

The TCAN1046A/V EVM has simple connections to all necessary pins of the CAN transceiver device, and jumpers where necessary to provide flexibility for device pin and CAN bus configuration. There are test points (loops) for all main points where probing is necessary for evaluation such as GND, V_{CC} , TXD, RXD, CANH, CANL, STBY, and VIO. The EVM supports many options for CAN bus configuration. It is pre-configured with two 120- Ω resistors that are connected on the bus via jumpers: a single resistor is used with the EVM as a terminated line end (CAN is defined for 120- Ω impedance twisted pair cable) or both resistors in parallel for electrical measurements representing the 60- Ω load the transceiver “sees” in a properly terminated network (that is, 120- Ω termination resistors at both ends of the cable). The bus also has termination of two 60- Ω resistors in series with a 4.7nF capacitor to GND at the midpoint, all soldered down. This gives the option to test the other typical termination network on CAN buses.

[Figure 1-1](#) shows the EVM board image.

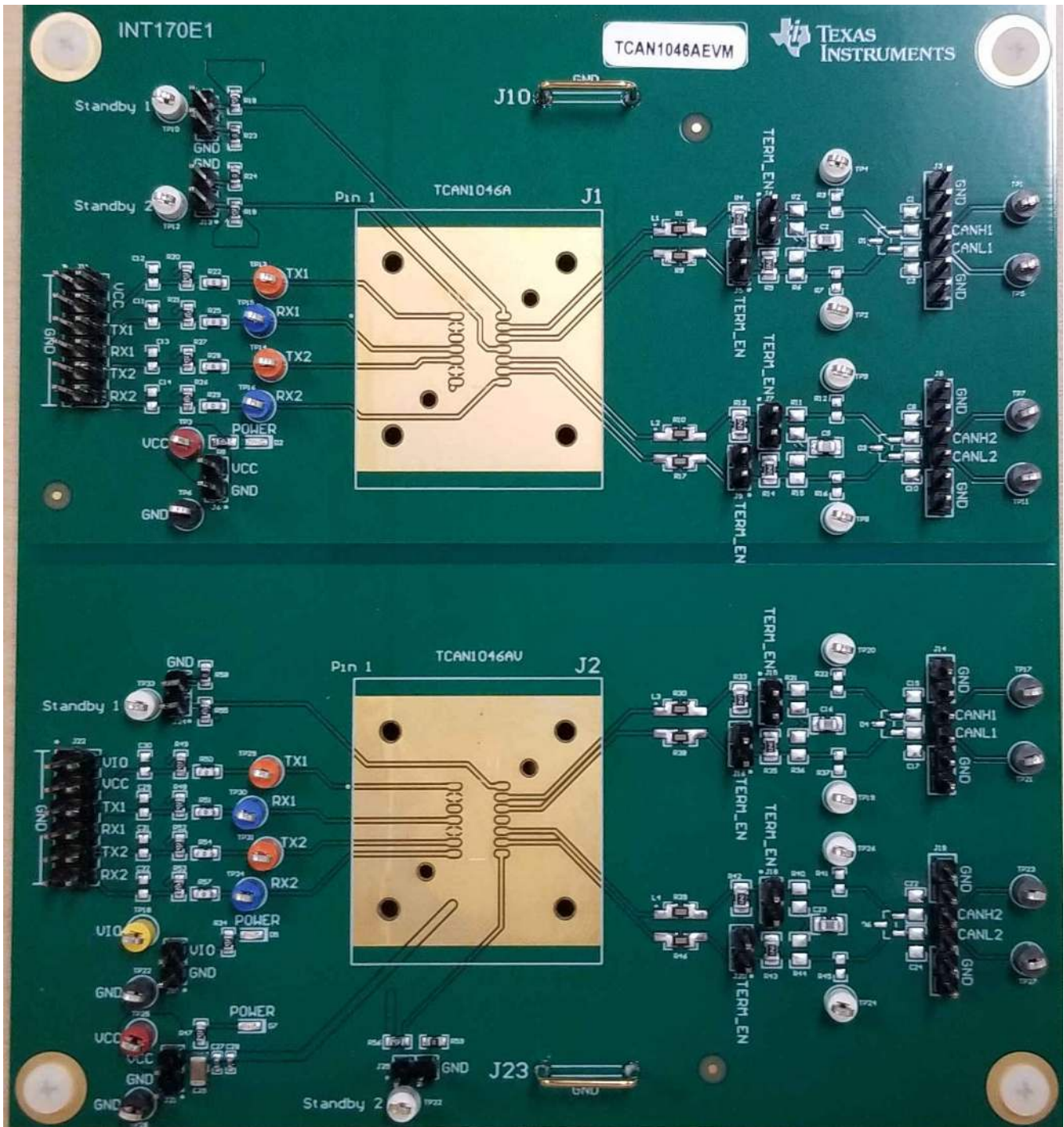


Figure 1-1. EVM PC Board

Figure 1-2 shows the EVM schematic.

1.2.1 Schematic

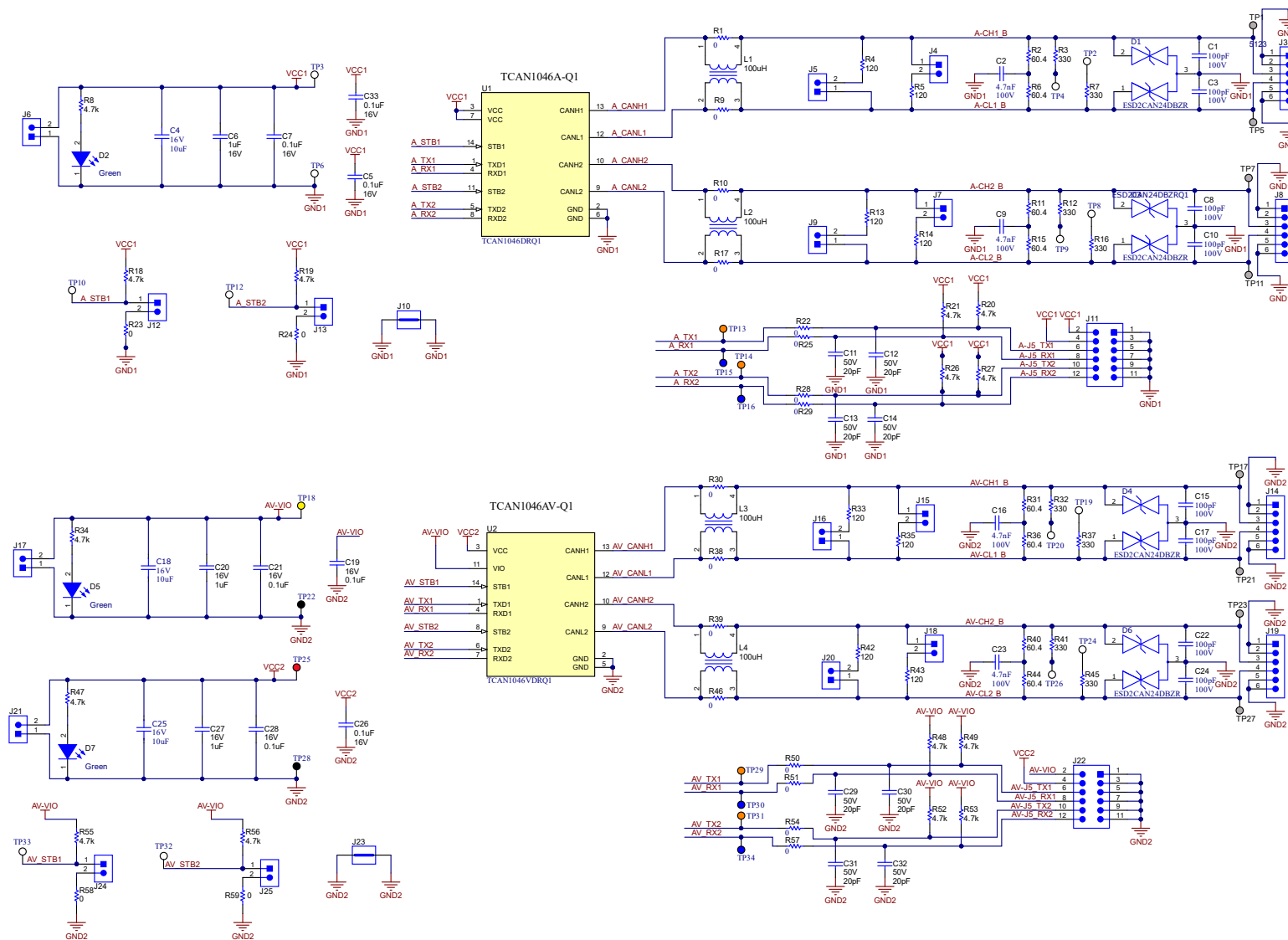


Figure 1-2. EVM Schematic

1.2.2 Jumper Connections

Table 1-1 lists the jumper connections for the EVM.

Table 1-1. Jumper Connections

Connection	Type	Description
J1	SOIC Socket	Removable socket adapter sized for 14-pin SOIC package type.
J2	SOIC Socket	Removable socket adapter sized for 14-pin SOIC package type.
J3	6-pin header	Used to monitor CANH1 and CANL1 on TCAN1046A CAN1 bus, GND connections available as well.
J4	2-pin jumper	Used to place R5 (120-Ω) on the TCAN1046A CAN1 bus. Use in combination with J5 to represent the combined 60-Ω CAN termination.
J5	2-pin jumper	Used to place R4 (120-Ω) on the TCAN1046A CAN1 bus. Use in combination with J4 to represent the combined 60-Ω CAN termination.
J6	2-pin header	VCC and GND connections for TCAN1046A.
J7	2-pin jumper	Used to place R14 (120-Ω) on the TCAN1046A CAN2 bus. Use in combination with J9 to represent the combined 60-Ω CAN termination.
J8	6-pin header	Used to monitor CANH2 and CANL2 on TCAN1046A CAN2 bus, GND connections available as well.
J9	2-pin jumper	Used to place R13 (120-Ω) on the TCAN1046A CAN2 bus. Use in combination with J7 to represent the combined 60-Ω CAN termination.
J10	GND rail	Ground rail connection
J11	12-pin header	Connections for VCC, TXD, and RXD for both CAN interfaces available, as well as GND connections.
J12	2-pin jumper	Used to apply either VCC or GND to Standby 1 (pin 14).
J13	2-pin jumper	Used to apply either VCC or GND to Standby 2 (pin 11).
J14	6-pin header	Used to monitor CANH1 and CANL1 on TCAN1046AV CAN1 bus, GND connections available as well.
J15	2-pin jumper	Used to place R35 (120-Ω) on the TCAN1046AV CAN1 bus. Use in combination with J16 to represent the combined 60-Ω CAN termination.
J16	2-pin jumper	Used to place R33 (120-Ω) on the TCAN1046AV CAN1 bus. Use in combination with J15 to represent the combined 60-Ω CAN termination.
J17	2-pin header	VIO logic supply and GND connections for TCAN1046AV.
J18	2-pin jumper	Used to place R43 (120-Ω) on the TCAN1046AV CAN2 bus. Use in combination with J20 to represent the combined 60-Ω CAN termination.
J19	6-pin header	Used to monitor CANH2 and CANL2 on TCAN1046AV CAN2 bus, GND connections available as well.
J20	2-pin jumper	Used to place R42 (120-Ω) on the TCAN1046AV CAN2 bus. Use in combination with J18 to represent the combined 60-Ω CAN termination.
J21	2-pin header	VCC supply and GND connections for TCAN1046AV.
J22	12-pin header	Connections for VCC, VIO, TXD, and RXD for both CAN interfaces available, as well as GND connections.
J23	GND rail	Ground rail connection
J24	2-pin jumper	Used to apply either VIO or GND to Standby 1 (pin 14).
J25	2-pin jumper	Used to apply either VIO or GND to Standby 2 (pin 8).

Table 1-1. Jumper Connections (continued)

Connection	Type	Description
TP1	Test Point	TCAN1046A CANH (CAN1)
TP2		TCAN1046A CANL (CAN1) via 330-Ω series resistor.
TP3		TCAN1046A VCC
TP4		TCAN1046A CANH (CAN1) via 330-Ω series resistor.
TP5		TCAN1046A CANL (CAN1)
TP6		TCAN1046A GND
TP7		TCAN1046A CANH (CAN2)
TP8		TCAN1046A CANL (CAN2) via 330-Ω series resistor.
TP9		TCAN1046A CANH (CAN2) via 330-Ω series resistor.
TP10		TCAN1046A Standby (CAN1)
TP11		TCAN1046A CANL (CAN2)
TP12		TCAN1046A Standby (CAN2)
TP13		TCAN1046A TXD (CAN1)
TP14		TCAN1046A TXD (CAN2)
TP15		TCAN1046A RXD (CAN1)
TP16		TCAN1046A RXD (CAN2)
TP17		TCAN1046AV CANH (CAN1)
TP18		TCAN1046AV VIO logic supply
TP19		TCAN1046AV CANL (CAN1) via 330-Ω series resistor.
TP20		TCAN1046AV CANH (CAN1) via 330-Ω series resistor.
TP21		TCAN1046AV CANL (CAN1)
TP22		TCAN1046AV GND
TP23		TCAN1046AV CANH (CAN2)
TP24		TCAN1046AV CANL (CAN2) via 330-Ω series resistor.
TP25		TCAN1046AV VCC
TP26		TCAN1046AV CANH (CAN2) via 330-Ω series resistor.
TP27		TCAN1046AV CANL (CAN2)
TP28		TCAN1046AV GND
TP29		TCAN1046AV TXD (CAN1)
TP30		TCAN1046AV RXD (CAN1)
TP31		TCAN1046AV TXD (CAN2)
TP32		TCAN1046AV Standby (CAN2)
TP33		TCAN1046AV Standby (CAN1)
TP34		TCAN1046AV RXD (CAN2)

2 EVM Setup and Operation

This section describes the setup and operation of the EVM for parameter performance evaluation.

2.1 Overview and Basic Operation Settings

2.1.1 V_{CC} Power Supply (J6 and J21)

The basic setup of the TCAN1046A/V EVM uses at most two power supply outputs required to evaluate a standard 5-V supply transceiver with the possibility of 3.3-V IO level device performance. For VCC the power supplied should meet 5-V and at least 100-mA. For the TCAN1046A footprint connect the 5-V supply to the J6. For the TCAN1046AV footprint connect the 5-V supply to the J21.

2.1.2 I/O Power Supply V_{IO} (J17)

When using the TCAN1046AV footprint, a power supply must be connected to J17. It is up to the user to decide if the J17 is connect to the same 5-V supply as VCC, or a seperate supply. The VIO pin can accept voltages down to 1.7 V. Connect this power supply via J17. The power supply must be capable of 1.8 V at 50 mA.

2.1.3 Transmit and Receive Connections(J11 and J22)

All transmit and receive (TXD and RXD) for both CAN interfaces, VIO, VCC, and GND connections are available on the J11 and J22 header. This allows the user the ability to evaluate the communication parameters of the transceiver in a straightforward manner.

Table 2-1. J11 Pin Definitions

Pin	Connection	Description
1	GND	Pin 2 and 6 of the transceiver, GND
2	VCC	Pin 3 and 7 of the transceiver, VCC
3	GND	Pin 2 and 6 of the transceiver, GND
4	VCC	Pin 3 and 7 of the transceiver, VCC
5	GND	Pin 2 and 6 of the transceiver, GND
6	TXD1	Pin 1 of the transceiver, TXD1
7	GND	Pin 2 and 6 of the transceiver, GND
8	RXD1	Pin 4 of transceiver, RXD1
9	GND	Pin 2 and 6 of the transceiver, GND
10	TXD2	Pin 5 of the transceiver, TXD2
11	GND	Pin 2 and 6 of the transceiver, GND
12	RXD2	Pin 8 of the transceiver, RXD2

Table 2-2. J22 Pin Definitions

Pin	Connection	Description
1	GND	Pin 2 and 5 of the transceiver, GND
2	VIO	Pin 11 of the transceiver, VIO
3	GND	Pin 2 and 5 of the transceiver, GND
4	VCC	Pin 3 of the transceiver, VIO
5	GND	Pin 2 and 5 of the transceiver, GND
6	TXD1	Pin 1 of the transceiver, TXD1
7	GND	Pin 2 and 5 of the transceiver, GND
8	RXD1	Pin 4 of transceiver, RXD1
9	GND	Pin 2 and 5 of the transceiver, GND
10	TXD2	Pin 6 of the transceiver, TXD2
11	GND	Pin 2 and 5 of the transceiver, GND
12	RXD2	Pin 7 of the transceiver, RXD2

This header is arranged to provide a separate ground for each signal pair (TXD/GND and RXD/GND). If the EVM is being used with lab equipment, connect separate cables to these main points via simple 2-pin header

connectors. If connecting the board to a processor-based system, connect a single cable with all power and signals via a 10-pin header cable to this port.

2.1.4 TXD Inputs (J11/J22, TP13 and TP14/TP29 and TP31)

For the TCAN1046A footprint, the TXD inputs (pin 1 and 5) of the transceiver; TXD1 is routed to pin 6 of J11, or TP13. The signal path to the J11 header is pre-installed with a 0-Ω series resistor, R22. TXD2 is routed to pin 10 of J11, or TP14, and the signal path to the J11 header is pre-installed with a 0-Ω resistor, R28.

For the TCAN1046AV footprint, the TXD inputs (pin 1 and 6) of the transceiver; TXD1 is routed to pin 6 of J22, or TP29. The signal path to the J22 header is pre-installed with a 0-Ω series resistor, R50. TXD2 is routed to pin 10 of J22, or TP31, and the signal path to the J22 header is pre-installed with a 0-Ω resistor, R54.

2.1.5 RXD Outputs (J11/J22, TP15 and TP16/TP30 and TP34)

For the TCAN1046A footprint, the RXD inputs (pin 4 and 8) of the transceiver; RXD1 is routed to pin 8 of J11, or TP15. The signal path to the J11 header is pre-installed with a 0-Ω series resistor, R25. RXD2 is routed to pin 12 of J11, or TP16, and the signal path to the J11 header is pre-installed with a 0-Ω resistor, R29.

For the TCAN1046AV footprint, the RXD inputs (pin 4 and 7) of the transceiver; RXD1 is routed to pin 8 of J22, or TP30. The signal path to the J22 header is pre-installed with a 0-Ω series resistor, R51. RXD2 is routed to pin 12 of J22, or TP34, and the signal path to the J22 header is pre-installed with a 0-Ω resistor, R57.

2.1.6 STBY inputs (J12 and J13/J24 and J25, TP10 and TP12/TP32 and TP33)

For the TCAN1046A footprint, pins 11 and 14 of the device are the STBY inputs. These pins control the state of the transceiver. STBY1 is routed to J12 or TP10. J12 allows the selection of VCC or GND to connect to the STBY1 pin, while TP10 is just for observation. STBY2 is routed to J13 or TP12. J13 allows the selection of VCC or GND to connect to the STBY2 pin, while TP12 is just for observation.

For the TCAN1046AV footprint, pins 8 and 14 of the device are the STBY inputs. These pins control the state of the transceiver. STBY1 is routed to J24 or TP33. J24 allows the selection of VCC or GND to connect to the STBY1 pin, while TP33 is just for observation. STBY2 is routed to J25 or TP32. J25 allows the selection of VCC or GND to connect to the STBY2 pin, while TP32 is just for observation.

2.1.7 Bus Observation (J3 or J8/J14 or J19)

For the TCAN1046A footprint, the CANH and CANL lines are available to be observed on an oscilloscope via the J3 or J8 headers. The CAN1 bus is routed to the J3 header, with CANH on pin 3, CANL on pin 4, and pins 1, 2, 5, and 6 are connected to GND. The CAN2 bus is routed to the J8 header, with CANH on pin 3, CANL on pin 4, and pins 1, 2, 5, and 6 are connected to GND.

For the TCAN1046AV footprint, the CANH and CANL lines are available to be observed on an oscilloscope via the J14 or J19 headers. The CAN1 bus is routed to the J14 header, with CANH on pin 3, CANL on pin 4, and pins 1, 2, 5, and 6 are connected to GND. The CAN2 bus is routed to the J19 header, with CANH on pin 3, CANL on pin 4, and pins 1, 2, 5, and 6 are connected to GND.

2.1.8 Bus protection

Footprints for the ESD2CAN24-Q1 ESD protection diodes are available on all CAN buses. D1, D3, D4, and D6 are all included in the SOT-23 package, which is a common package for ESD protection diodes for CAN interfaces.

2.2 Using CAN Bus Load, Termination, and Protection Configurations

The TCAN1046AEVM has several bus termination options for all available buses. For the TCAN1046A half of the board (top half), the termination on the CAN bus (CANH and CANL) can be configured with the J4 and J5 (CAN1) or J7 and J9 (CAN2) jumpers. For the TCAN1046AV half of the board (bottom half), the termination on the CAN bus (CANH and CANL) can be configured with the J15 and J16 (CAN1) or J18 and J20 (CAN2) jumpers. Each jumper adds 120-Ω termination to the respective bus. When using one resistor, the EVM is used as a terminated end of a bus. For electrical measurements to represent the total loading of the bus, use both 120-Ω resistors in parallel to give the standard 60-Ω load for parametric measurement. The footprint for split termination is also available and can be populated on all 4 buses. These components are not populated out of the box. [Table 2-3](#) summarizes how to use these termination options. If using split termination, match the resistors. Calculate the common mode filter frequency using: $f_c = 1 / (2\pi RC)$. Normally, the split capacitance is

in the range of 4.7 nF to 100 nF. Keep in mind this is the common-mode filter frequency, not a differential filter that impacts the differential CAN signal directly.

Table 2-3. TCAN1046A Bus Termination Configuration

Termination Configuration	120-Ω Resistors (CAN1)		120-Ω Resistors (CAN2)		Split Termination Footprints (CAN1)		Split Termination Footprints (CAN2)		Split Termination Footprints (CAN1)	Split Termination Footprints (CAN2)
	J5	J9	J4	J7	R2	R6	R15	R11		
Standard termination (120 Ω)	shorted		open		N/A		N/A		N/A	
60-Ω load - electrical parameters	shorted		shorted							
Split termination (common mode stabilization)	open		open		60 Ω		60 Ω		populated	

Table 2-4. TCAN1046AV Bus Termination Configuration

Termination Configuration	120-Ω Resistors (CAN1)		120-Ω Resistors (CAN2)		Split Termination Footprints (CAN1)		Split Termination Footprints (CAN2)		Split Termination Footprints (CAN1)	Split Termination Footprints (CAN2)
	J16	J20	J15	J18	R31	R36	R40	R44		
Standard termination (120 Ω)	shorted		open		N/A		N/A		N/A	
60-Ω load - electrical parameters	shorted		shorted							
Split termination (common mode stabilization)	open		open		60 Ω		60 Ω		populated	

The EVM also has footprints for various protection schemes to enhance robustness for extreme system-level EMC requirements. [Table 2-5](#) summarizes these options.

Table 2-5. TCAN1046A Protection and Filtering Configuration

Configuration	Footprint Reference	Use Case	Population and Description
Series resistors or common mode choke	R1/R9 or L1 (common footprint)	Direct CAN1 transceiver to bus connection	R1 and R9 populated with 0 Ω
		Series resistance protection, CAN1 transceiver to bus connection	R1 and R9 populated with MELF resistor as necessary for harsh EMC environment
		CM choke (CAN1 bus filter)	L1 populated with CM choke to filter noise as necessary for harsh EMC environment (default population)
	R10/R17 or L2 (common footprint)	Direct CAN2 transceiver to bus connection	R10 and R17 populated with 0 Ω
		Series resistance protection, CAN2 transceiver to bus connection	R10 and R17 populated with MELF resistor as necessary for harsh EMC environment
		CM choke (CAN2 bus filter)	L2 populated with CM choke to filter noise as necessary for harsh EMC environment (default population)
Bus filtering caps transient protection	C1/C3	Bus filter	Filter noise as necessary for harsh EMC environment. Use filter caps in combination with L1 CM choke.
	C8/C10		Filter noise as necessary for harsh EMC environment. Use filter caps in combination with L2 CM choke.

Table 2-5. TCAN1046A Protection and Filtering Configuration (continued)

Configuration	Footprint Reference	Use Case	Population and Description
	C1/C3 or D1	Transient and ESD protection	To add extra protection for system level transients and ESD protection, TVS diode population option via D1 footprint or varistor population via C1/C3 footprint.
	C8/C10 or D3		To add extra protection for system level transients and ESD protection, TVS diode population option via D3 footprint or varistor population via C8/C10 footprint.

Table 2-6. TCAN1046AV Protection and Filtering Configuration

Configuration	Footprint Reference	Use Case	Population and Description
Series resistors or common mode choke	R30/R38 or L3 (common footprint)	Direct CAN1 transceiver to bus connection	R30 and R38 populated with 0 Ω
		Series resistance protection, CAN1 transceiver to bus connection	R30 and R38 populated with MELF resistor as necessary for harsh EMC environment
		CM choke (CAN1 bus filter)	L3 populated with CM choke to filter noise as necessary for harsh EMC environment (default population)
	R39/R46 or L4 (common footprint)	Direct CAN2 transceiver to bus connection	R39 and R46 populated with 0 Ω
		Series resistance protection, CAN2 transceiver to bus connection	R39 and R46 populated with MELF resistor as necessary for harsh EMC environment
		CM choke (CAN2 bus filter)	L4 populated with CM choke to filter noise as necessary for harsh EMC environment (default population)
Bus filtering caps transient protection	C15/C17	Bus filter	Filter noise as necessary for harsh EMC environment. Use filter caps in combination with L3 CM choke.
	C22/C24		Filter noise as necessary for harsh EMC environment. Use filter caps in combination with L4 CM choke.
	C15/C17 or D4	Transient and ESD protection	To add extra protection for system level transients and ESD protection, TVS diode population option via D4 footprint or varistor population via C15/C17 footprint.
	C22/C24 or D6		To add extra protection for system level transients and ESD protection, TVS diode population option via D6 footprint or varistor population via C22/C24 footprint.

2.3 Using Customer Installable I/O Options for Current Limiting, Pullup and Pulldown, Noise Filtering

The TCAN1046AEVM has footprints on the PCB for the installation of various filtering and protection options to adapt the EVM to match CAN network topology requirements if the EVM is being used as a CAN node.

Each digital input or output pin has footprints allowing for series current-limiting resistors (default populated with 0 Ω), pull-up resistors (defaulted with 4.7 k Ω), and a capacitor to GND which allows for RC filters when configured with a series resistor. [Table 2-7](#) lists these features for each of the digital input and output pins of the EVM. Replace or populate the RC components as necessary for the application.

Table 2-7. TCAN1046A RC Filter and Protection Lists

Device Pin			Jumperable		Series R	Pullup	C to GND
No.	Description	Type	Pullup	Pulldown			
1/5	TXD1/TXD2	Input	N/A	N/A	R22/R28	R20/R27 PU	C12/C13
4/8	RXD1/RXD2	Output	N/A	N/A	R25/R29	R21/R26 PU	C11/C14

Table 2-8. TCAN1046AV RC Filter and Protection Lists

Device Pin			Jumperable		Series R	Pullup	C to GND
No.	Description	Type	Pullup	Pulldown			
1/6	TXD1/TXD2	Input	N/A	N/A	R50/R54	R49/R52 PU	C30/C31
4/7	RXD1/RXD2	Output	N/A	N/A	R51/R57	R48/R53 PU	C29/C32

3 CAN EVM Configuration for TCAN1046A and TCAN1046AV

The TCAN1046A/V device interfaces CAN protocol controllers with the physical bus in accordance to the ISO 11898 standard. These devices are compatible with the ISO 11898 High Speed CAN (Controller Area Network) Physical Layer standards: 11898-2. These devices are designed for use of up to 5 Mbit CAN systems, and they include many protection features providing device and CAN network robustness.

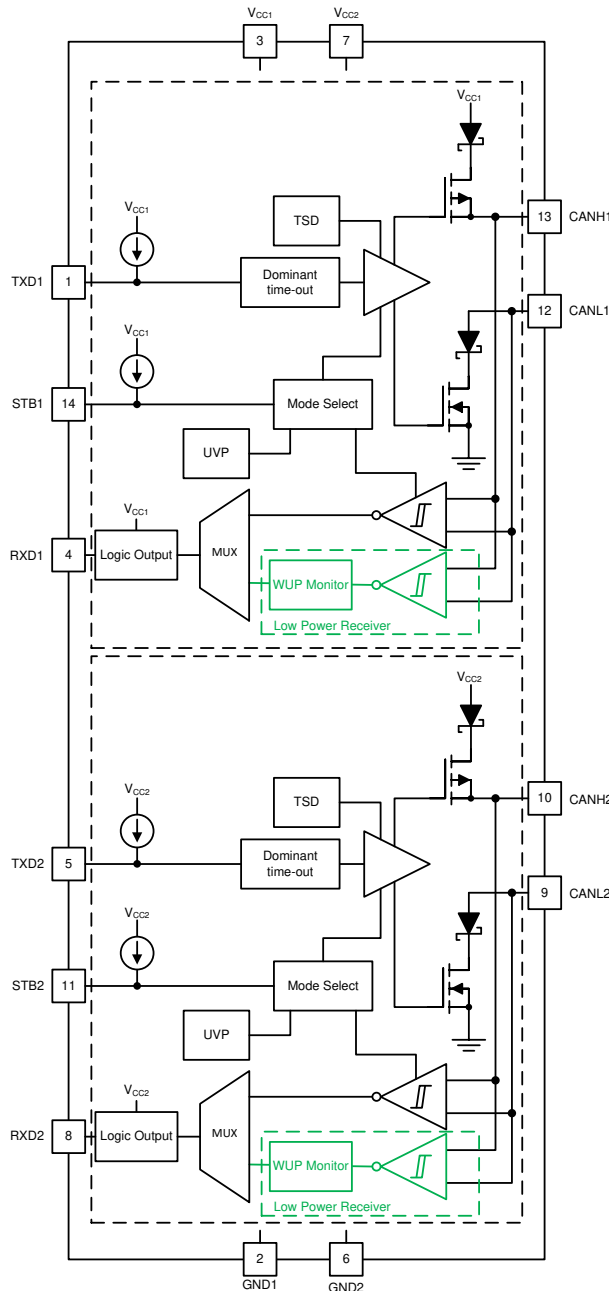


Figure 3-1. TCAN1046A Block Diagram

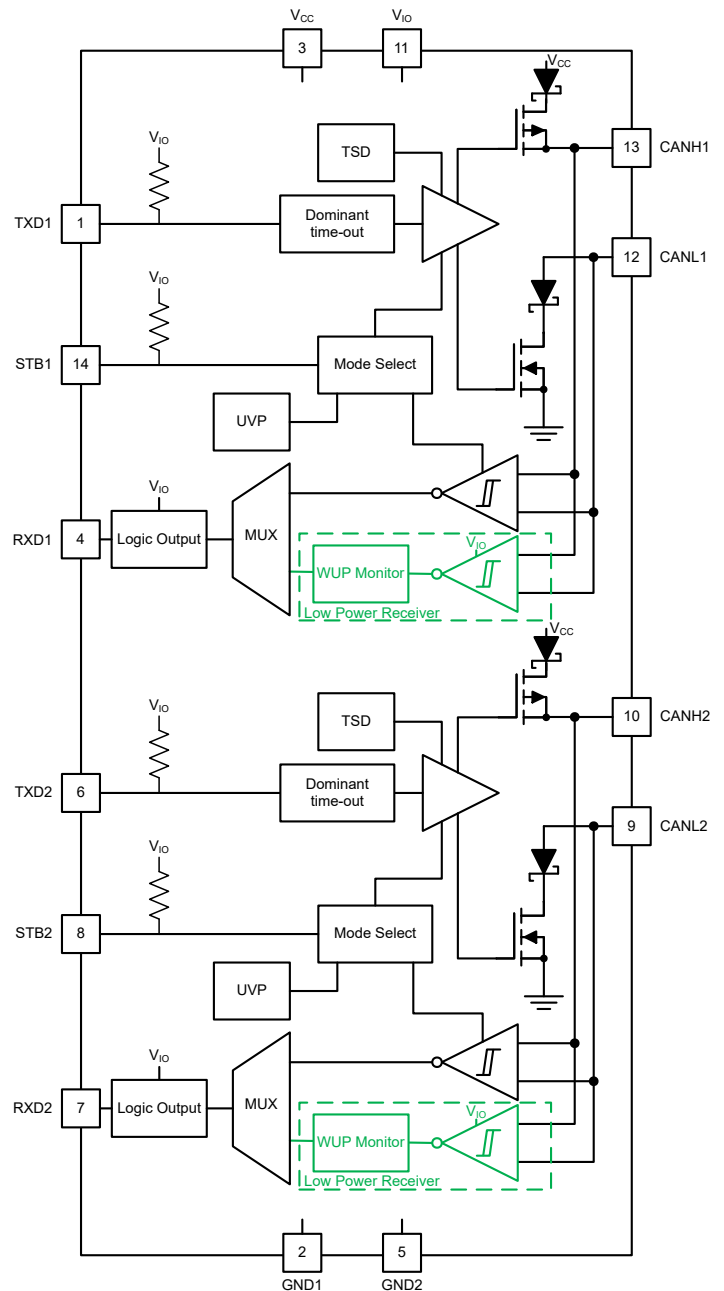


Figure 3-2. TCAN1046AV Block Diagram

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

FCC Interference Statement for Class B EVM devices

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

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

3.2 Canada

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

Concerning EVMs Including Radio Transmitters:

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

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

Concernant les EVMs avec appareils radio:

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

Concerning EVMs Including Detachable Antennas:

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

Concernant les EVMs avec antennes détachables

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

3.3 Japan

3.3.1 *Notice for EVMs delivered in Japan:* Please see http://www.tij.co.jp/lstds/ti_ja/general/eStore/notice_01.page 日本国内に輸入される評価用キット、ボードについては、次のところをご覧ください。
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If User uses EVMs in Japan, not certified to Technical Regulations of Radio Law of Japan, User is required to follow the instructions set forth by Radio Law of Japan, which includes, but is not limited to, the instructions below with respect to EVMs (which for the avoidance of doubt are stated strictly for convenience and should be verified by User):

1. Use EVMs in a shielded room or any other test facility as defined in the notification #173 issued by Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications on March 28, 2006, based on Sub-section 1.1 of Article 6 of the Ministry's Rule for Enforcement of Radio Law of Japan,
2. Use EVMs only after User obtains the license of Test Radio Station as provided in Radio Law of Japan with respect to EVMs, or
3. Use of EVMs only after User obtains the Technical Regulations Conformity Certification as provided in Radio Law of Japan with respect to EVMs. Also, do not transfer EVMs, unless User gives the same notice above to the transferee. Please note that if User does not follow the instructions above, User will be subject to penalties of Radio Law of Japan.

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This is a class A product intended for use in environments other than domestic environments that are connected to a low-voltage power-supply network that supplies buildings used for domestic purposes. In a domestic environment this product may cause radio interference in which case the user may be required to take adequate measures.

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- 4 *EVM Use Restrictions and Warnings:*
- 4.1 EVMS ARE NOT FOR USE IN FUNCTIONAL SAFETY AND/OR SAFETY CRITICAL EVALUATIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO EVALUATIONS OF LIFE SUPPORT APPLICATIONS.
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