

## MAX31342 SHIELD

Evaluates: MAX31342

### General Description

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### Features

- Easy Evaluation of the MAX31342
- +1.6V to 3.6V Single-Supply Operation
- Proven PCB Layout
- Mbed/Arduino Platform Compatible
- Fully Assembled and Tested

### Shield Contents

- Assembled MAX32625PICO controller board
- Micro-USB cable
- Assembled circuit board includes the MAX31342EWA+T

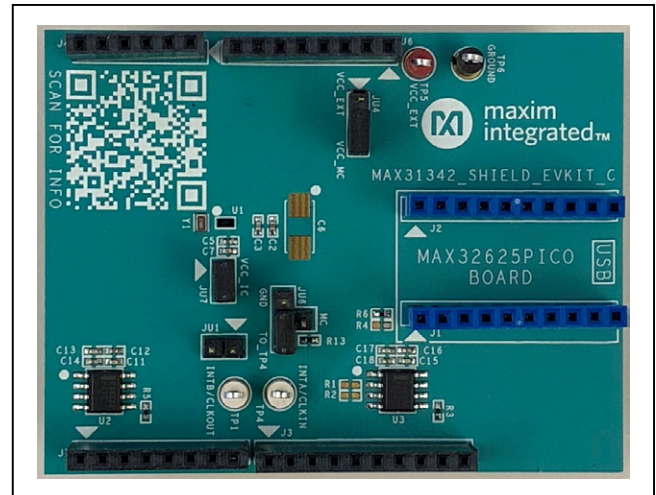
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### Quick Start

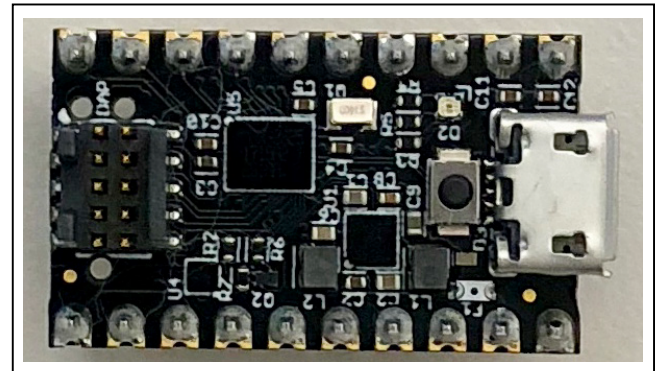
#### Required Equipment

- One Pico Ammeter for measuring the current
- One oscilloscope with probe
- One PC with Microsoft Windows 7, or later
- One USB A male to micro B USB cable
- One assembled and programmed MAX32625PICO board
- One MAX31342 Shield

### Shield Board



### MAX32625PICO Board



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**Procedure**

The shield is fully assembled and tested. Follow the steps below to verify board operation.

- 1) Place the MAX31342 shield on a nonconductive surface to ensure that nothing on the PCB gets shorted to the workspace.
- 2) Set the jumpers of JU4, JU6, and JU7 to their default positions. Leave the jumper JU1 open.
- 3) Connect the MAX32625PICO Board to the shield as shown in [Figure 1](#).
- 4) Connect the USB A male to micro B male cable between the MAX32625PICO board and PC/laptop.
- 5) Go to the MAX31342 Shield product page to download and install the latest version of the MAX31342 RTC Shield software.
- 6) Open the MAX31342 RTC Shield software. Configuration and Time tab will be shown [Figure 2](#).

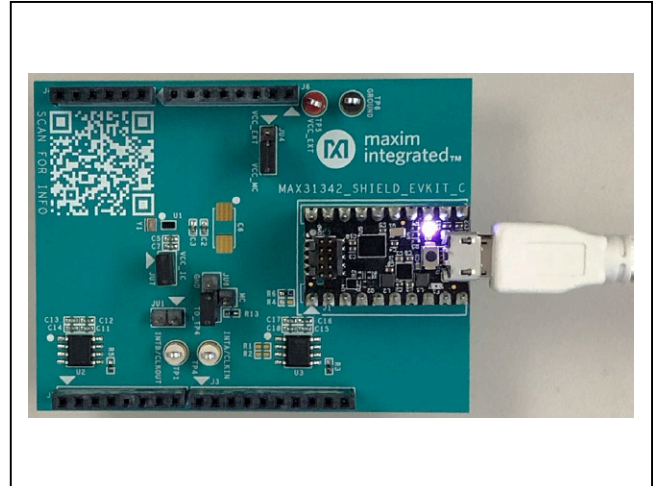


Figure 1. Connection and Setup

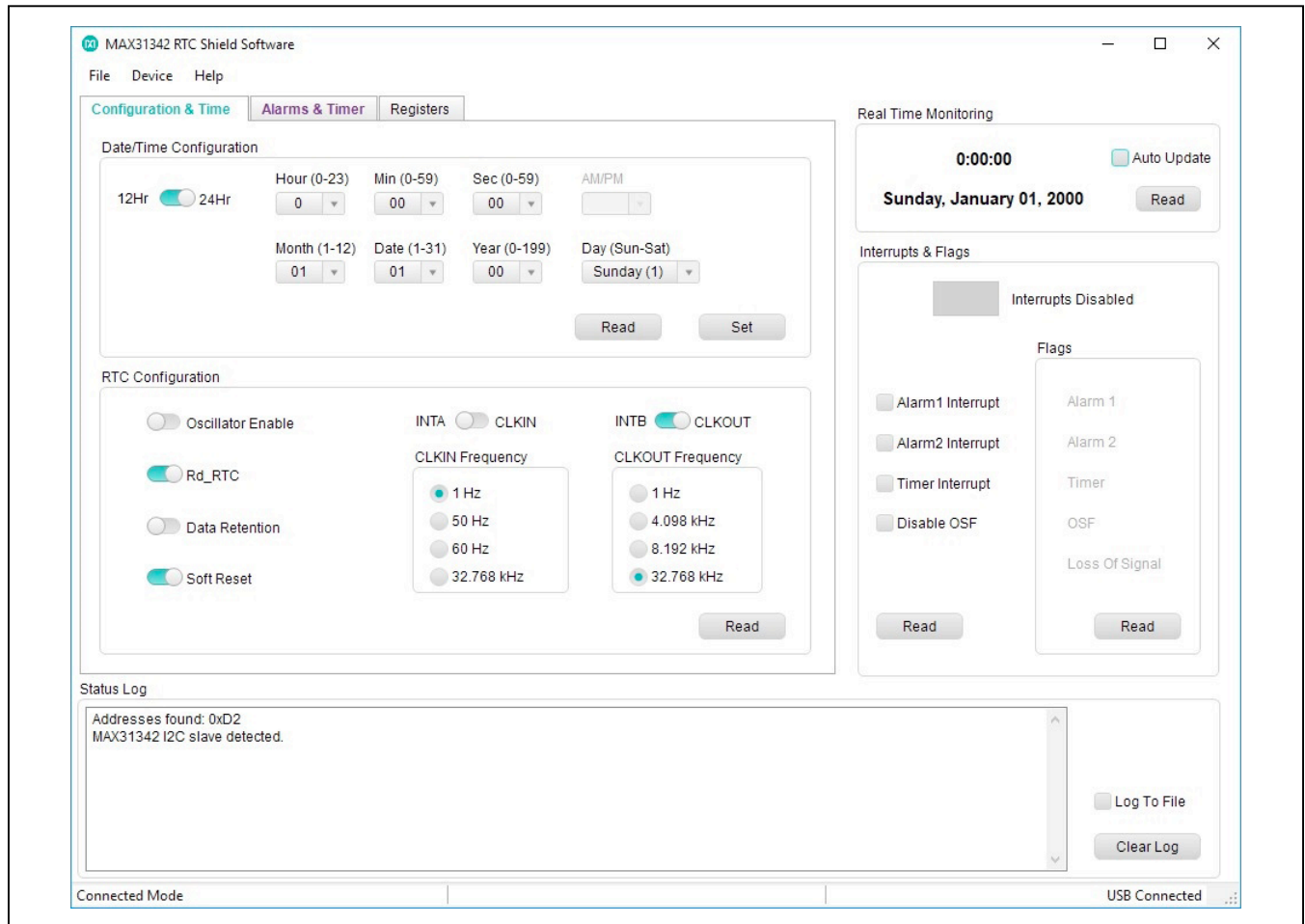


Figure 2. MAX31342 RTC Shield Software-Configuration and Time Tab

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## Detailed Description

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## Functional Test Procedure

### Real-Time Monitoring

To monitor the time and date, on **Configuration and Time** tab, in **RTC Configuration** group box, enable **Oscillator Enable**, and under **Real Time Monitoring** group box, press **Read** button for one-time reading or check the **Auto Update** checkbox for continuous reading.

The time and date values can be updated by selecting the required values in the **Date/Time Configuration** group box and clicking the **Set** button.

The time stops counting when enabling **Data Retention** in **RTC Configuration** group box and restarts when disabling **Data Retention** and toggling **Oscillator Enable**. The time resets to **00:00:00** by enabling **Soft Reset** in **RTC Configuration** group box and it restarts by disabling **Soft Reset**.

### Current Draw at Time-Keeping Mode

To measure the current draw under normal Real-Time Clock condition, without any interrupt or clock input/output:

- 1) Remove the jumper from **JU7** on the shield.
- 2) With the output set to the desired DC voltage (1.6V to 3.6V) and disabled, connect the positive terminal of the DC supply, through the pico ammeter, to pin 1 of **JU7** and negative terminal to the ground of the shield.
- 3) In **Configuration and Time** tab of the software, under **RTC Configuration** group box, press **Read** button, disable the **CLKIN** and **CLKOUT**, and select **1Hz** for **CLKIN Frequency** and **CLKOUT Frequency**. Under **Real Time Monitoring**, uncheck **Auto Update**.
- 4) The reading on the pico ammeter is the current drawn by MAX31342 only.

**Note:** All instruments need to be disconnected from the I/O ports of the IC, since any loading would increase current consumption.

### CLKOUT Frequency

In **Configuration and Time** tab of the software, under **RTC Configuration** group box, select **CLKOUT** and the desired **CLKOUT Frequency**. The clock output can be monitored using an oscilloscope connected to the  $\overline{\text{INTB}}$ /CLKOUT test point. A frequency counter can also be used to measure the clock frequency accurately.

### Alarm Configuration

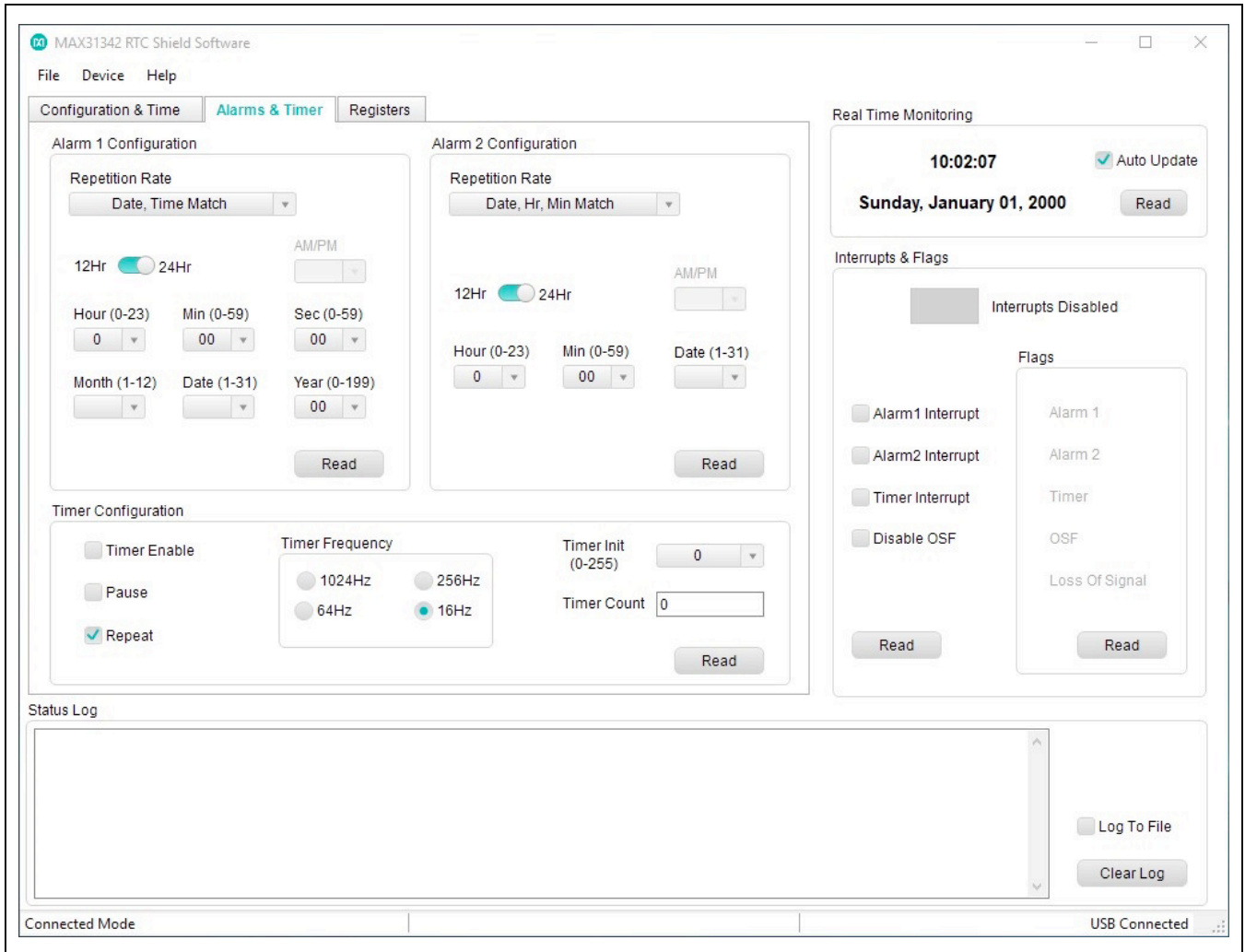
On the MAX31342 shield board, set jumper JU1 to 1-2 and jumper JU6 to 1-4.

In **Alarms and Timer** tab of the software, under **Alarm 1 Configuration** group box, select the Repetition Rate to set the alarm, and make selections for all other relevant fields (such as Min, Sec, etc.). In **Interrupts and Flags** group box, enable alarm 1 by checking the **Alarm 1 Interrupt** check box. When the Real-Time clock reaches the alarm1 match condition,  $\overline{\text{INTA}}$ /CLKIN will go from high to low. Under **Flags** group box, press **Read** button to read the status and clear the alarm flag bit if it has been previously set.

Repeat the same steps for Alarm 2 but measure the alarm interrupt output at  $\overline{\text{INTB}}$ /CLKOUT test point.

**Note:** When testing alarm interrupts, **CLKIN** and **CLKOUT** need to be disabled under **RTC Configuration** group box in **Configuration and Time** tab of the software.

For more detail on using the software, refer to the MAX31342 shield software user's guide.



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Figure 3. MAX31342 RTC Shield Software—Alarms and Timer Tab

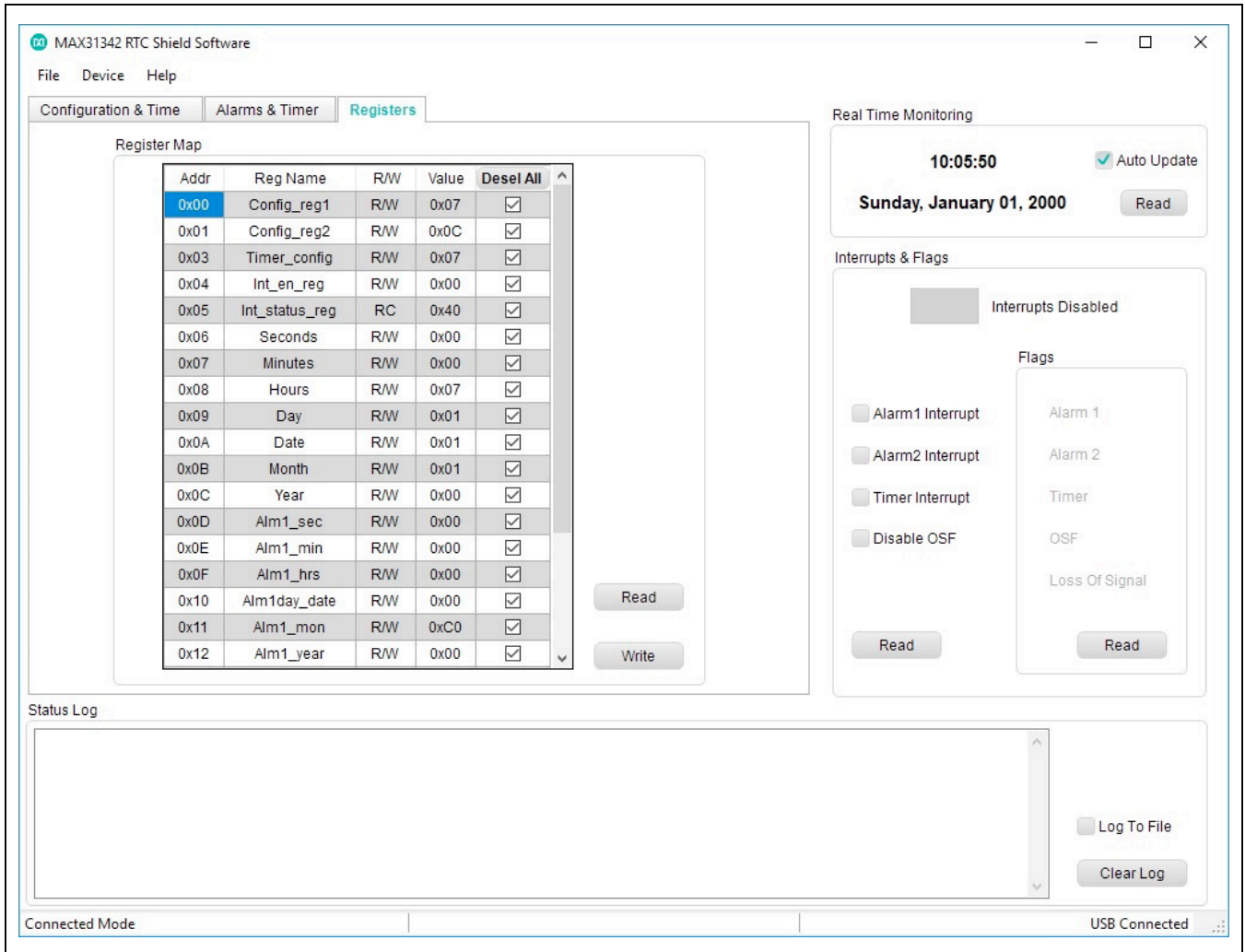


Figure 4. MAX31342 RTC Shield Software—Registers Tab

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## Jumper Settings

JUMPER	SHUNT POSITION	DESCRIPTION
JU1	1-2	$\overline{\text{INTB}}/\text{CLKOUT}$ pin of U1 is connected to IO $V_{\text{CC}2}$ pin of the level translator (U2)
	OPEN*	$\overline{\text{INTB}}/\text{CLKOUT}$ pin of U1 is unconnected
JU4	1-2	System $V_{\text{CC}}$ powered by $V_{\text{CC\_EXT}}$ test point
	2-3*	System $V_{\text{CC}}$ powered by 3.3V supply on mbed/Arduino platform
JU6	1-2	$\overline{\text{INTA}}/\text{CLKIN}$ pin of U1 is connected to ground
	1-3	$\overline{\text{INTA}}/\text{CLKIN}$ pin of U1 is connected to IO $V_{\text{CC}1}$ pin of the level translator (U2)
	1-4*	$\overline{\text{INTA}}/\text{CLKIN}$ is connected to TP4 test point and a 4.7K $\Omega$ pullup resistor to system $V_{\text{CC}}$
JU7	1-2*	$V_{\text{CC}}$ pin of U1 is powered by system $V_{\text{CC}}$
	OPEN	$V_{\text{CC}}$ pin of U1 is unconnected. Connect an ammeter between the pins of JU7 to measure the current consumption of U1.

## Ordering Information

PART	TYPE
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#Denotes RoHS compliant.

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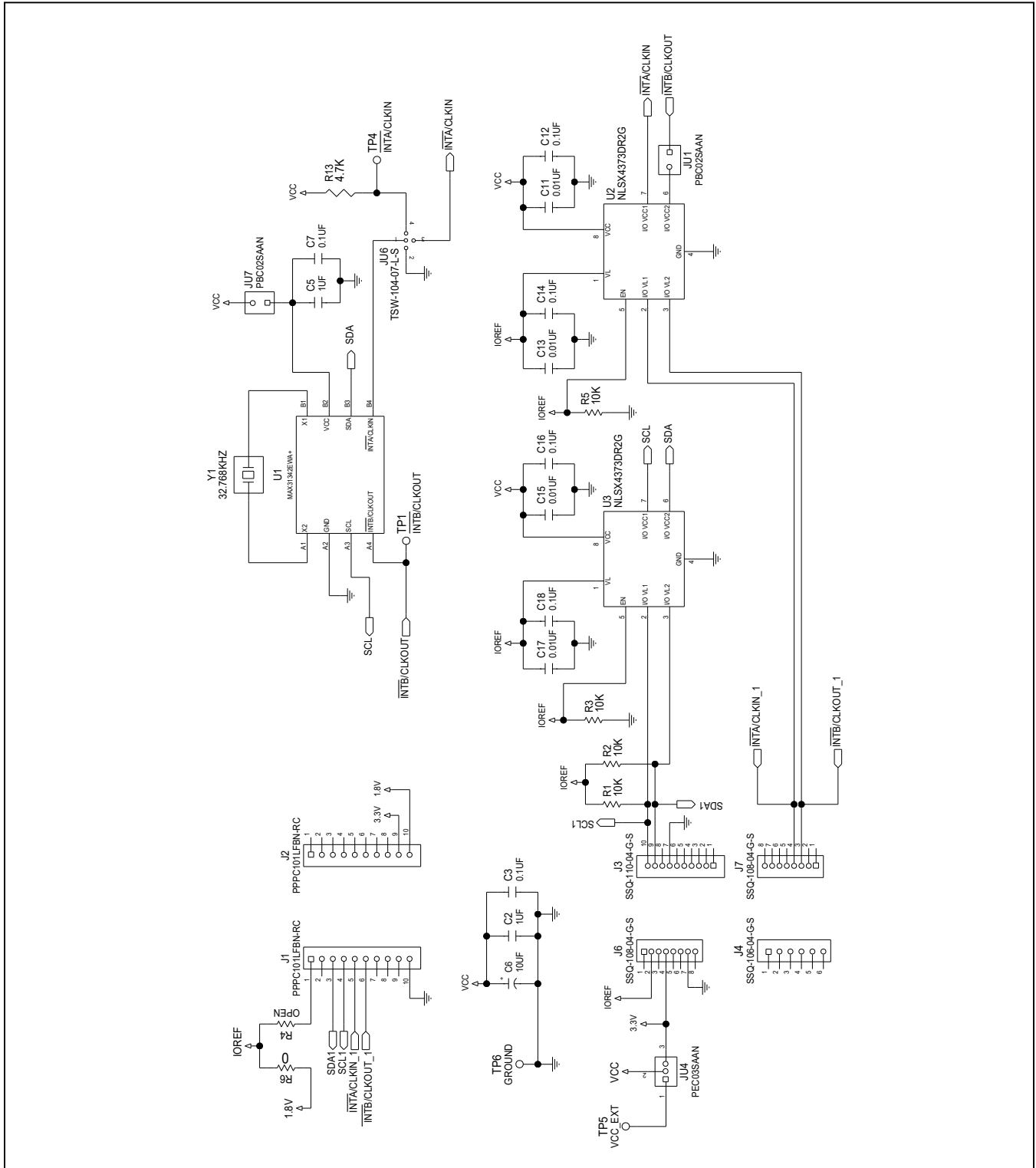
MAX31342 SHIELD Bill of Materials

NOTE: DNI--> DO NOT INSTALL(PACKOUT) ; DNP--> DO NOT PROCURE

ITEM	REF_DES	QTY	MFG PART #	MANUFACTURER	VALUE	DESCRIPTION
1	C2, C5	2	CL05B105K05NQNC; GRM155R70J105KA12	SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS; MURATA	1UF	CAPACITOR; SMT (0402); CERAMIC CHIP; 1UF; 6.3V; TOL=10%; TG=-55 DEGC TO +125 DEGC; TC=X7R
2	C3, C7, C12, C14, C16, C18	6	GRM155R70J104KA01	MURATA	0.1UF	CAPACITOR; SMT (0402); CERAMIC CHIP; 0.1UF; 6.3V; TOL=10%; TG=-55 DEGC TO +125 DEGC; TC=X7R
3	C6	1	TAJ106K016RNJ	AVX	10UF	CAPACITOR; SMT (6032); TANTALUM CHIP; 10UF; 16V; TOL=10%; MODEL=TAJ SERIES; TG=-55 DEGC TO +125 DEGC
4	C11, C13, C15, C17	4	ATC520L103KT16T	AMERICAN TECHNICAL CERAMICS	0.01UF	CAPACITOR; SMT (0402); CERAMIC CHIP; 0.01UF; 16V; TOL=10%; MODEL=ULTRA-BROADBAND; TG=-55 DEGC TO +125 DEGC; TC=X7R
5	J1, J2	2	PPPC101LFBN-RC	SULLINS ELECTRONICS CORP.	PPPC101LFBN-RC	CONNECTOR; FEMALE; THROUGH HOLE; HEADER CONNECTOR; STRAIGHT; 10PINS
6	J3	1	SSQ-110-04-G-S	SAMTEC	SSQ-110-04-G-S	CONNECTOR; FEMALE; THROUGH HOLE; .025IN SQ POST SOCKET; STRAIGHT; 10PINS ;
7	J4	1	SSQ-106-04-G-S	SAMTEC	SSQ-106-04-G-S	CONNECTOR; FEMALE; THROUGH HOLE; .025IN SQ POST SOCKET; STRAIGHT; 6PINS ;
8	J6, J7	2	SSQ-108-04-G-S	SAMTEC	SSQ-108-04-G-S	CONNECTOR; FEMALE; THROUGH HOLE; .025IN SQ POST SOCKET; STRAIGHT; 8PINS ;
9	JU1, JU7	2	PBC02SAAN	SULLINS ELECTRONICS CORP.	PBC02SAAN	EVKIT PART-CONNECTOR; MALE; THROUGH HOLE; BREAKAWAY; STRAIGHT; 2PINS; -65 DEGC TO +125 DEGC;
10	JU4	1	PEC03SAAN	SULLINS ELECTRONICS CORP.	PEC03SAAN	EVKIT PART-CONNECTOR; MALE; THROUGH HOLE; BREAKAWAY; STRAIGHT; 3PINS; -65 DEGC TO +125 DEGC;
11	JU6	1	TSW-104-07-L-S	SAMTEC	TSW-104-07-L-S	EVKIT PART-CONNECTOR; MALE; THROUGH HOLE; TSW SERIES; SINGLE ROW; STRAIGHT; 4PINS
12	R1-R3, R5	4	CRCW040210K0FK;RC04 02FR-0710KL	VISHAY DALE;YAGEO PHICOMP	10K	RESISTOR; 0402; 10K; 1%; 100PPM; 0.0625W; THICK FILM
13	R6	1	RC0402JR-070RL; CR0402-16W-000RJT	YAGEO PHYCOMP;VENKEL LTD.	0	RESISTOR; 0402; 0 OHM; 5%; JUMPER; 0.063W; THICK FILM
14	R13	1	CRCW04024K70JN	VISHAY DALE	4.7K	RESISTOR; 0402; 4.7K OHM; 5%; 200PPM; 0.063W; THICK FILM
15	TP1, TP4-TP6	4	5010	KEYSTONE	N/A	TEST POINT; PIN DIA=0.125IN; TOTAL LENGTH=0.445IN; BOARD HOLE=0.063IN; RED; PHOSPHOR BRONZE WIRE SIL;
16	U1	1	MAX31342EWA+	MAXIM	MAX31342EWA+	EVKIT PART-IC; MAX31342EWA+; LOW CURRENT REAL TIME CLOCK WITH I2C INTERFACE; PACKAGE OUTLINE: 21-100291; PACKAGE CODE: W80D1-1
17	U2, U3	2	NLSX4373DR2G	ON SEMICONDUCTOR	NLSX4373DR2G	IC; TRANS: 2-BIT 20 MB/S DUAL-SUPPLY LEVEL TRANSLATOR; NSOIC8
18	Y1	1	ECS-327-6-12	ECS INC	32.768KHZ	CRYSTAL; SMT 2.0 MM X 1.2 MM; 6PF; 32.768KHZ; +/-20PPM; -0.03PPM/DEGC2
19	PCB	1	MAX31342SHIELD	MAXIM	PCB	PCB:MAX31342SHIELD
20	R4	DNP	N/A	N/A	OPEN	PACKAGE OUTLINE 0402 RESISTOR
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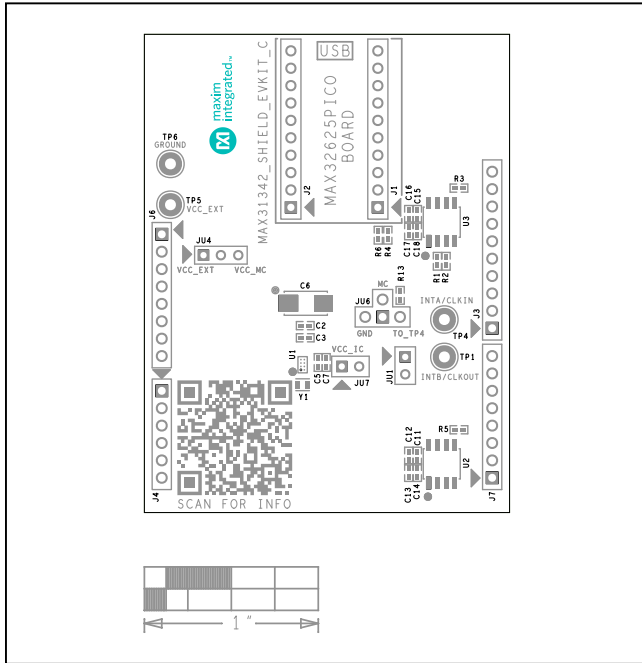
MAX31342 SHIELD Schematic



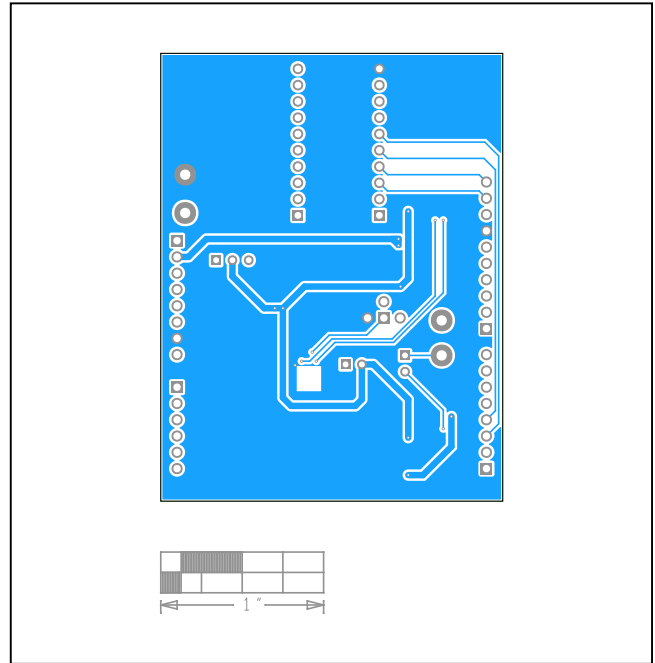
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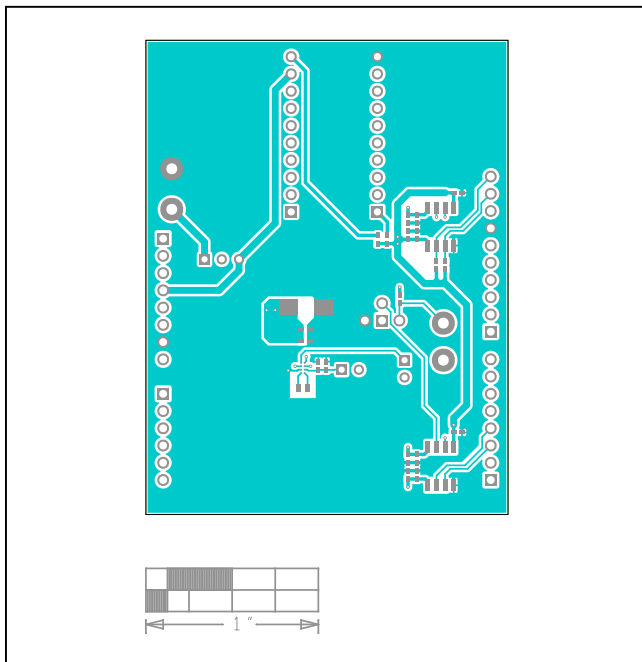
MAX31342 SHIELD PCB Layout Diagrams



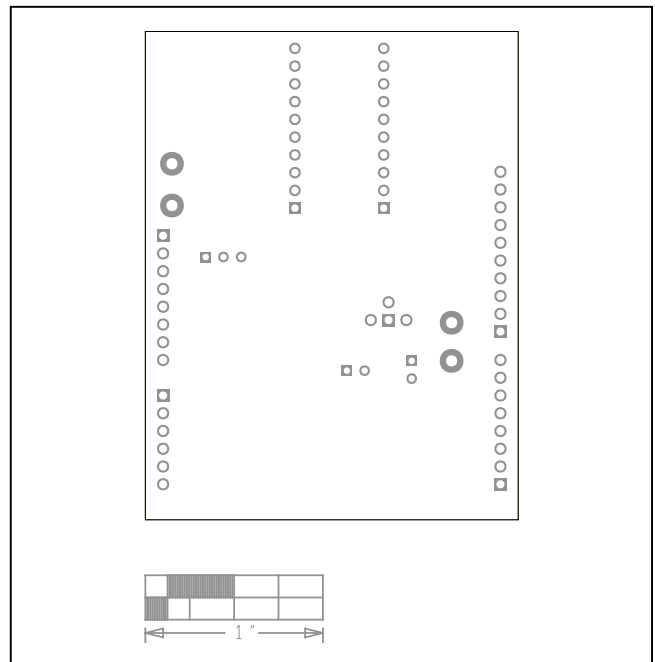
MAX31342 Shield—Assembly Top Silkscreen



MAX31342 Shield—PCB Bottom Layer



MAX31342 Shield—PCB Top Layer



MAX31342 Shield—PCB Bottom Silkscreen

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### Revision History

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