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About the Cover Photo

The cover photo shows a fully populated Rev B Bitsy with 16MB of onboard flash.

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1 Introduction

1.1 Overview

The Bitsy is a full-featured single board computer using the SA-1110 StrongARM RISC microprocessor. The Bitsy is designed to meet the needs of embedded and graphical systems developers.

1.2 Features

1.2.1 Processor

- SA-1110 32-bit StrongARM
- SA-1111 Companion Chip
- Clock rates up to 206 MHz

1.2.2 Power Supply

- 5-12V Input Range
- DC/Battery Switching
- Battery Charger

1.2.3 Memory

- 16, 32 or 64 MB synchronous DRAM (Runs 1/2 of CPU clock rate)
- 8, 16 or 32 MB Flash
- 3.3 and 5V PCMCIA

1.2.4 Communications

- Ethernet, RJ45 (with optional connector board)
- CompactFlash interface (with optional connector board)
- USB Master and Slave connections, Support for 12Mb/s
- Three Serial Ports
 - Serial 1: RS-232, TTL
 - Serial 2: TTL, RS-232 (IrDA with optional connector board)
 - Serial 3: RS-232, TTL

1.2.5 User Interface and Display

- Flat panel interface
- Onboard VEE generator with software contrast control
- Analog touch panel interface

1.2.6 I/O

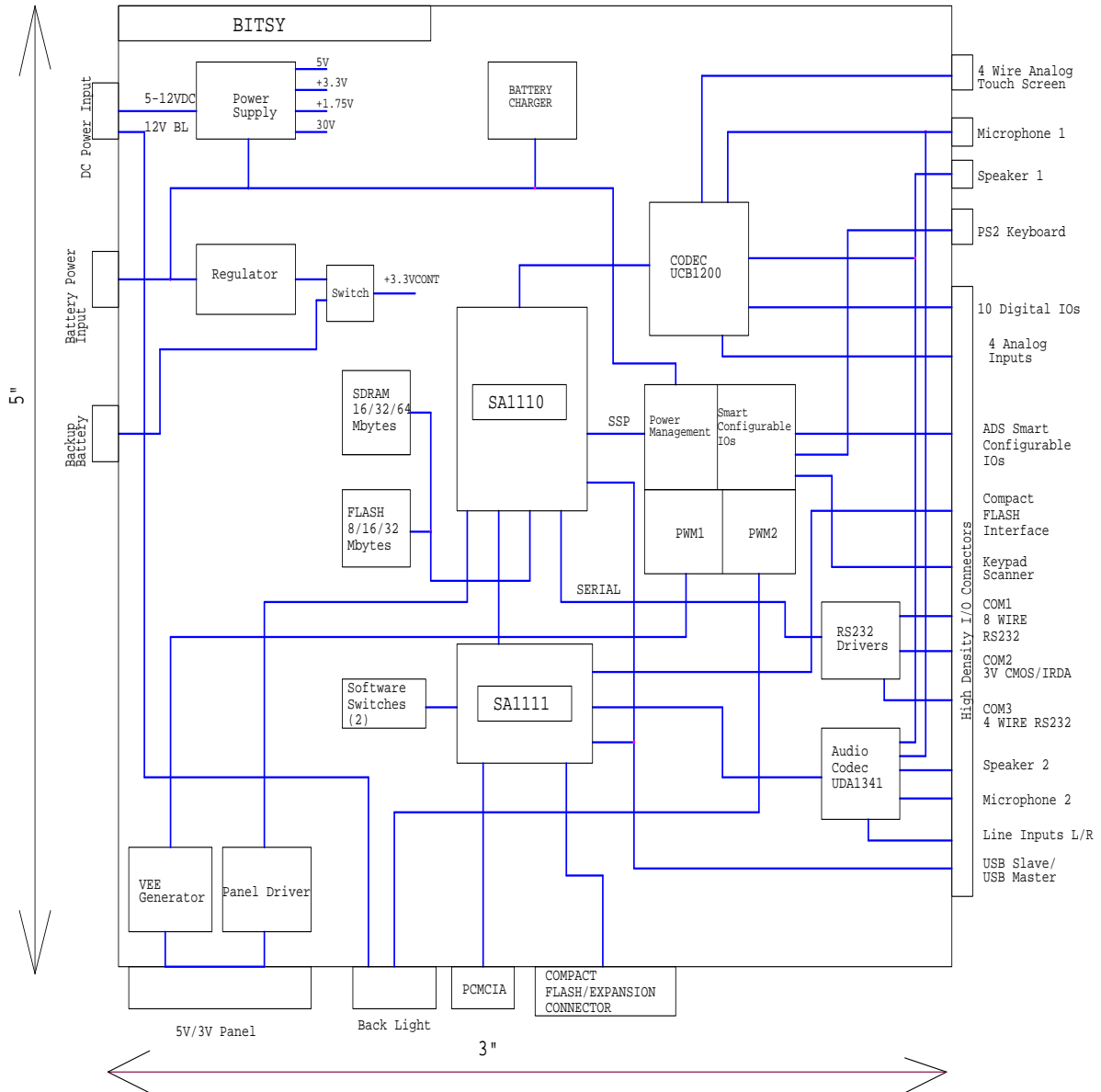
- ADSmartIO™ configurable for digital I/O, PWM and A/D inputs
- Up to eight analog inputs
- Up to 25 Digital I/O
- Backlight control signals for intensity and on/off
- Passive LCD contrast control
- External temperature probe support

1.2.7 Audio Interface

- Input mono microphone to UCB1200 codec
- Output mono speaker from UCB1200 codec
- Input stereo microphone to UDA1341 stereo codec
- Output stereo speaker from UDA1341 stereo codec

1.3 Block Diagram

The following diagram illustrates the system organization of the Bitsy.



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2 Getting Started

2.1 Evaluation Systems

Bitsy boards are shipped as evaluation systems designed to get the developer up and running quickly.

To use the system, simply plug power supply into the mini DIN-8 receptacle on the system.

If the screen does not display anything after five to ten seconds, check the *Frequently Asked Questions*, below. Most operating systems cold boot within twenty seconds.

An evaluation system consists of the following:

- Bitsy single-board computer
- Bitsy Compact Flash Connector Board
- Flat panel display and cable
- Backlight inverter and cable
- Touch screen and cable
- 120VAC power supply
- Plexiglas mounting
- Developer's Cable Kit including
 - Serial Port DB9 adapter (ADS cable #610111-80001)
 - DB9F/F null modem cable
- Operating system of your choice
- User's Guide (this document and operating system guide)
- Information about how to access ADS technical resources for the operating system you have chosen.

Make sure you have received *all* the components before you begin your development.

2.2 Frequently Asked Questions

The following are some of the most commonly asked questions for evaluation systems:

Q: When I turn on power, my screen is white and nothing comes up on it.

A: Check the connector seating. The flat panel connector may have come loose in shipping. Press it firmly into the panel and reapply power to your system.

Q: Do I have to turn off the system before I insert a PCMCIA or compact flash card?

A: No. The Bitsy supports hot-swapping of PCMCIA and compact flash cards. Consult the operating system documentation for details.

Q: Do I need to observe any ESD precautions when working with the system?

A: Yes. If possible, work on a grounded anti-static mat. At a minimum, touch an electrically grounded object before handling the board or touching any components on the board.

Q: What do I need to start developing my application for the system?

A: You will need a flash ATA card (8MB or larger) and the cables supplied with your system to interface your development station to the system. For further direction, consult the ADS guide for the installed operating system.

Q: Who can I call if I need help developing my application?

A: ADS provides technical support to get your development system running. For customers who establish a business relationship with ADS, we provide support to develop applications and drivers.

Q: Is there online support?

A: Yes. Information about the Bitsy hardware (such as this manual) is available on the ADS product page. ADS has operating-system-specific sites to support its customers. You should have received information about ADS's developers' web site for the operating system you have selected.

Q: Can I upgrade the version of the operating system?

A: Yes. ADS provides regular operating system updates on its developers' web site. For operating systems not maintained by ADS, contact the operating system vendor.

Q: I would like to interface to a different display panel. How can I do this?

A: ADS may have already interfaced to the panel you are interested in. Consult ADS for availability. ADS can interface to just about any panel you provide.

2.3 Organization of this Manual

The manual organizes information in three key sections:

Introduction	Provides an overview of the functionality and organization of the Bitsy.
Hardware Reference	Describes the configuration settings and connector pinouts for all systems of the Bitsy.
System Integration	Provides key information about power management, tips for system integration and electrical and mechanical interface specifications.

To locate the information you need, try the following:

1. Browse the *Table of Contents*. Section titles include connector designators and their function.
2. Follow cross-references between sections.
3. View and search this manual in PDF format

2.4 For Further Information...

ADS maintains a web site exclusively for its developers. The site includes downloads, troubleshooting guides, operating system updates and the "ADS Knowledge Base", a comprehensive document with dozens of questions answered about developing applications for ADS products. Instructions on how to access the site are shipped with every evaluation system.

3 Hardware Reference

This section gives an overview of the hardware features of the Bitsy. This overview includes a description of the switches, jumper settings, connectors and connector pinouts.

3.1 Locating "Pin 1"

Many connectors and headers have a visible number on the board that indicates pin 1. If that pin is not clearly marked, there are two other ways to locate pin 1:

1. The easiest method is to look at the underside of the board. The square pad is pin 1.
2. You can determine pin 1 from the mechanical drawing provided in section 4.2.

3.2 Switches

3.2.1 S1: DIP Switch

S1 is a four-position DIP switch. It connects to the system/interrupt controller. The settings of some individual switches can be read from the SA1111 I/O, others are available for off board use. Some operating systems on the Bitsy reserve these switches for their use. Consult the operating system manual for details.

3.3 ADSmartIO™

ADSmartIO™ is a second RISC microcontroller on the Bitsy. This device provides additional I/O functionality for specialized tasks. Your application software can configure the standard ADSmartIO™ firmware for a variety of functions, including digital I/O, PWM, A/D, keypad and PS/2 keyboard operation.

3.4 Onboard LEDs

The Bitsy has one onboard LED mapped as follows:

Signal	GPIO line	Part Designator	Color
LED0	20	D3	Green

3.5 Jumper Settings

Jumpers on the Bitsy select a variety of operational options. All use 2mm shorting blocks (shunts) to select settings. Make sure power is turned off to the Bitsy when changing the position of a shunt.

3.5.1 JP1, JP2: VEE Contrast Voltage Control

Type: 2-post header, 2mm

These jumpers are used when configuring the VEE voltage between a positive output and a negative output.

JP1,2 Jumper setting	Voltage Selected
1-2	Negative VEE
2-3	Positive VEE

3.5.2 JP3: Flat Panel Voltage Select

This jumper selects the supply voltage for the flat panel.

Jumper setting	Voltage Selected
1-2	3.3 V
2-3	5.0 V

WARNING! Make sure you have selected the correct voltage before connecting the panel. Flat panels are notoriously sensitive to--and are often irreparably damaged by--incorrect voltages.

3.5.3 JP4: Flat Panel Data Voltage Select

Type: 3-post header, 2mm

This jumper selects the voltage of the data signals for the flat panel display.

Important: These jumpers are set at the factory and cannot be changed by the user. Damage to the panel drivers may occur if this jumper setting is changed.

Hint: Some 5V panels will run correctly with 3.3V data.

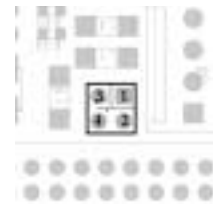
Jumper setting	Voltage Selected
1-2	3.3 V
2-3	5.0 V

3.5.4 J7: Flat Panel VEE Select

Type: 4-post header, 2mm

This jumper selects the VEE voltage for the flat panel. Note that VEE is installed only as an option and is not installed on all Bitsy boards.

Jumper setting	Voltage Selected
<i>none</i>	<i>none</i>
1-3, 2-4	Positive VEE
1-2, 3-4	Negative VEE



WARNING! Make sure you have selected the correct voltage before connecting the panel. Flat panels are sensitive to--and are often irreparably damaged by--incorrect voltages.

3.6 Connector Pinouts

The following tables describe connector pinouts and the type of connector. At least one pin of every connector is labeled on the Bitsy. Double-row headers on the board are all numbered as shown in the figure to the right.

2	4	6	8...
1	3	5	7...

For information about the location of the connectors on the Bitsy, refer to section 4.2, *Mechanical Specifications*:

Legend: n/c Not connected
 GND Bitsy ground plane

3.6.1 J1: LCD Panel Interface Connector

Board Connector: Samtec #STMM-117-02-T-D-SM

Recommended Mating Cable: Samtec TCSD Series

Pin	Signal name	Description	SA-1110 Pin Name
1	PNL_VEE	V_{EE} (contrast); see JP1, J2	
2	PNL_GND	Ground	
3	PNL_PIXCLK	Pixel Clock	L-PCLK
4	PNL_HSYNC	Horizontal Sync.	L-LCLK
5	PNL_VSYNC	Vertical Sync.	L-FCLK
6	PNL_GND	Ground	
7	PNL_RED0	Red Bit 0 (same as RED5)	GPIO9
8	PNL_RED1	Red Bit 1	GPIO5
9	PNL_RED2	Red Bit 2	GPIO6
10	PNL_RED3	Red Bit 3	GPIO7
11	PNL_RED4	Red Bit 4	GPIO8
12	PNL_RED5	Red Bit 5	GPIO9
13	PNL_GND	Ground	
14	PNL_GREEN0	Green Bit 0	LDD5
15	PNL_GREEN1	Green Bit 1	LDD6
16	PNL_GREEN2	Green Bit 2	LDD7
17	PNL_GREEN3	Green Bit 3	GPIO2
18	PNL_GREEN4	Green Bit 4	GPIO3
19	PNL_GREEN5	Green Bit 5	GPIO4
20	PNL_GND	Ground	
21	PNL_BLUE0	Blue Bit 0 (same as BLUE5)	LDD4
22	PNL_BLUE1	Blue Bit 1	LDD0
23	PNL_BLUE2	Blue Bit 2	LDD1
24	PNL_BLUE3	Blue Bit 3	LDD2
25	PNL_BLUE4	Blue Bit 4	LDD3
26	PNL_BLUE5	Blue Bit 5	LDD4
27	PNL_GND	Ground	
28	PNL_LBIAS	Data_Enable	L-BIAS
29	PNL_PWR	$V_{cc}(5V)$ or 3.3 V, depending on JP1 position	
30			
31	PNL_RL	Horizontal Mode Select (set by R22, R87)	
32	PNL_UD	Vertical Mode Select (set by R79, R17)	
33	PNL_ENA	Panel enable signal	GPIO24
34		Not Connected	

Be aware that the SA1110 LCD interface utilizes these pins differently depending on factors such as palette size and LCD technology. Consult the SA1110 User's Manual for more information.

3.6.2 J2: PCMCIA

Production option: Mating ejector Amp #146019-1

The 68-pin PCMCIA socket conforms to the PCMCIA standard for 3.3V and 5V Type II cards. It will supply up to 500 mA of 5V current. The socket is normally de-energized; the operating system is responsible for turning on the socket when a card is inserted and turning it off when the card is removed.

Ejector hardware is available for applications that require regular insertion and removal of PCMCIA cards.

3.6.3 J3: High Density IO connector

Board Connector : Samtec #STMM-125-02-T-D-SM

Recommended Mating Connector: Samtec # TCSD Series

Pin Number	Name	Description
1	UCB_IO9	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
2	UCB_IO8	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
3	UCB_IO7	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
4	AGCSTAT	Stereo CODEC Status Indicator
5	TEMP_SENSOR_MINUS	External Temperature Probe Connection
6	CODEC_OFL	Stereo CODEC Status Indicator
7	TEMP_SENSOR_PLUS	External Temperature Probe Connection
8	AMP_SDWN	Stereo Amplifier Shutdown Input (3.3V)
9	/IRDAON	External IRDA Control Output (0V = ON)
10	QMUTE	Stereo CODEC Mute Input
11	TSPX	Touchscreen Right Side Input
12	UCB_IO5	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
13	TSMY	Touchscreen Top Input
14	UCB_IO6	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
15	TSMX	Touchscreen Left Side Input
16	BACKLIGHT PWM	Backlight Intensity Adjustment Voltage (0-3.3V)
17	TSPY	Touchscreen Bottom Side Input
18	/BACKLIGHTON	Backlight On/Off Control Output (0-Backlight Voltage)
19	RXD2T	COM2 TTL Rx Input
20	TXD2T	COM2 TTL Tx Input
21	SPK+	External Mono Speaker Output +
22	SPK-	External Mono Speaker Output -
23	MICGND	External Mono Microphone Ground
24	MICSIG	External Mono Microphone Signal
25	CTS3	COM3 RS232 CTS Signal
26	TXD3	COM3 RS232 Tx Signal
27	RTS3	COM3 RS232 RTS Signal
28	RXD3	COM3 RS232 Rx Signal
29	SLAVE_USB+	USB Bus Slave Positive
30	SLAVE_USB-	USB Bus Slave Negative
31	SW2	On Board DIP Switch Connection
32	+30V	Connection to +30V Plane
33	SW3	On Board DIP Switch Connection

Pin Number	Name	Description
34	+30V_GND	Connection to 30V Ground
35	SMTIO2	Smart IO Digital I/O Bit 2 (Port C6)
36		Not Connected
37	SMTIO3	Smart IO Digital I/O Bit 2 (Port C7)
38	VBATT_POS	External Battery Positive Input
39		Not Connected
40	VBATT_NEG	External Battery Negative Input
41	POWERENABLE	Power Supply Control Output
42	VDDI	Connection to On-Board 1.75V Plane
43		Not Connected
44	DCIN_POS	External Power Positive Input
45	/RQONOFF	On/Off Switch Input
46	DCIN_NEG	External Power Negative Input
47	GPIO27_CLK	3.6864MHz Clock Output
48	12V_IN	12V Power Input for Backlight Support
49	Ground	Ground Input
50	BAT_POS	Backup Battery Voltage Input (3.0V)

3.6.4 J4: Manufacturing Test Connector:

Type: 2x3 header, 0.100-inch spacing

For manufacturing use.

3.6.5 J5: Manufacturing JTAG Test Connector:

Type: 1x6 header, 0.100-inch spacing

For manufacturing use.

3.6.6 J6: Line Input Power Connector:

Board Connector: Molex #22-23-2021

Recommended mating connector: Molex 22-01-3027

Pin Number	Name	Description
1	DCIN_POS	5-12V DC Power Input
2	DCIN_NEG	Ground

3.6.7 J8: Touch Screen Connector:

Board Connector: Molex #22-23-2041

Recommended mating connector: Molex 22-01-3047

Pin Number	Name	Description
1	TSMX	Touchscreen Left Hand Side
2	TSPX	Touchscreen Right Hand Side
3	TSPY	Touchscreen Bottom
4	TSMY	Touchscreen Top

3.6.8 J9: High Density External Compact Flash Signal Connector:

Board Connector : Samtec #STMM-125-02-T-D-SM

Recommended Mating Connector: Samtec # TCSD Series

Pin Number	Name	Description
1	Ground	Ground Connection
2	/CARDBDET2	External Compact Flash Card Detect 2
3	PCBD10	External Compact Flash Data
4	/CARDBI16	External Compact Flash 16 Bit Access
5	PCBD9	External Compact Flash Data
6	PCBD2	External Compact Flash Data)
7	PCBD8	External Compact Flash Data
8	PCBD1	External Compact Flash Data
9	CARDBSTSCHG	External Compact Flash Status Change
10	PCBD0	External Compact Flash Data
11	CARDBSPK	External Compact Flash Speaker Input
12	PCBA0	External Compact Flash Address
13	/CARDBREG	External Compact Flash Register Access
14	PCBA1	External Compact Flash Address
15	VCC	Connection to 5V
16	PCBA2	External Compact Flash Address
17	/CARDBWAIT	External Compact Flash Wait
18	PCBA3	External Compact Flash Address
19	CARDBRES	External Compact Flash Reset
20	PCBA4	External Compact Flash Address
21	/CARDBVS2	External Compact Flash Voltage Sense 2 Input
22	PCBA5	External Compact Flash Address
23	+3.3V	Connection to +3.3V
24	PCBA6	External Compact Flash Address
25	/CARDBON	External Compact Flash 5V Power Control
26	CARDBVCC	External Switched CardB Power Input
27	CARDBIRQ	External Compact Flash Interrupt Signal
28	PCBA7	External Compact Flash Address
29	/CARDBMWR	External Compact Flash Memory Write
30	PCBA8	External Compact Flash Address
31	/CARDBIOWR	External Compact Flash IO Write
32	PCBA9	External Compact Flash Address
33	/CARDBIORD	External Compact Flash IO Read
34	/CARDBMRD	External Compact Flash Memory Read
35	/CARDB_VS1	External Compact Flash Voltage Sense 1 Input
36	PCBA10	External Compact Flash Address
37	/CARDBCE2	External Compact Flash Low Byte Chip Select
38	/CARDBCE1	External Compact Flash High Byte Chip Select
39	PCBD15	External Compact Flash Data
40	PCBD7	External Compact Flash Data
41	PCBD14	External Compact Flash Data
42	PCBD6	External Compact Flash Data
43	PCBD13	External Compact Flash Data
44	PCBD5	External Compact Flash Data
45	PCBD12	External Compact Flash Data
46	PCBD4	External Compact Flash Data
47	PCBD11	External Compact Flash Data

Pin Number	Name	Description
48	PCBD3	External Compact Flash Data
49	/CARDBDET1	External Compact Flash Card Detect 1
50	/CARDBON_3P3V	External Compact Flash 3.3V Power Control

3.6.9 J10: High Density IO connector:

Board Connector : Samtec #STMM-125-02-T-D-SM

Recommended Mating Connector: Samtec # TCSD Series

Pin Number	Name	Description
1	/EXT_IRQ1	External Interrupt 1 Input
2	UCB_IO3	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
3	/EXT_IRQ2	External Interrupt 2 Input
4	UCB_IO2	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
5	UCB_IO4	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
6	UCB_IO1	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
7	SIGPS2	Data Input from external PS/2 Connector
8	UCB_IO0	Digital IO from UCB1200 (3.3V)
9	CLKPS2	Clock Input from external PS/2 Connector
10	USB_PWR_SENSE	Sense Input from external USB power switch
11		Not Connected
12	USB_PWR_CTRL	Discrete output to control external USB power switch
13	SMTIO1	Smart IO Digital I/O Bit 1
14	USB_UDC-	USB Bus Master Negative
15	SMTIO0	Smart IO Digital I/O Bit 0
16	UCB_UDC+	USB Bus Master Positive
17	ROW0	Smart IO Keyscan Row Connection
18	SPKR2-	Stereo Speaker 2 Negative Output
19	ROW1	Smart IO Keyscan Row Connection
20	SPKR2+	Stereo Speaker 2 Positive Output
21	ROW2	Smart IO Keyscan Row Connection
22	SPKR1-	Stereo Speaker 1 Negative Output
23	ROW3	Smart IO Keyscan Row Connection
24	SPKR1+	Stereo Speaker 1 Positive Output
25	ROW4	Smart IO Keyscan Row Connection
26	RIB1	COM1 RIB
27	COL0	Smart IO Keyscan Column Connection
28	DCD1	COM1 DCD Control Input (RS232)
29	COL1	Smart IO Keyscan Column Connection
30	DSR1	COM1 DSR Control Input (RS232)
31	COL2	Smart IO Keyscan Column Connection
32	DTR1	COM1 DTR Control Output (RS232)
33	COL3	Smart IO Keyscan Column Connection
34	RXD1	COM1 Rx Data
35	ANIN0	Analog Input to UCB1200
36	TXD1	COM1 Data Output (RS232)
37	ANIN1	Analog Input to UCB1200
38	CTS1	COM1 CTS Control Input (RS232)
39	ANIN2	Analog Input to UCB1200

Pin Number	Name	Description
40	RTS1	COM1 RTS Control Output (RS232)
41	ANIN3	Analog Input to UCB1200
42	MIC1_IN	Stereo Microphone Input
43	VREF	Analog Input to UCB1200 Reference Voltage
44	MIC2_IN	Stereo Microphone Input
45	/RESET_IN	External Reset Input
46	/SHDN_RS232	External RS232 Buffer Disable Input
47	+3.3V	Connection to 3.3V Plane
48	VCC	Connection to 5v Plane
49		Not Connected
50	Ground	Ground Connection

3.6.10 Functions of SA1110 GPIOs:

Pin Name	Signal Name	Direction	Description
GPIO0	SA1111_IRQ	Input	SA-1111 Interrupt input
GPIO1	WAKE_UP	Input	SMART IO signal to wake processor up during sleep mode
GPIO2	GREEN3	Output	LCD Green bit 3 in 16 bit color mode
GPIO3	GREEN4	Output	LCD Green bit 4 in 16 bit color mode
GPIO4	GREEN5	Output	LCD Green bit 5 in 16 bit color mode
GPIO5	RED0	Output	LCD Red bit 0 in 16 bit color mode
GPIO6	RED1	Output	LCD Red bit 1 in 16 bit color mode
GPIO7	RED2	Output	LCD Red bit 2 in 16 bit color mode
GPIO8	RED3	Output	LCD Red bit 3 in 16 bit color mode
GPIO9	RED4	Output	LCD Red bit 4 in 16 bit color mode
GPIO10	SSP_TXD	Output	SSP Port transmit for Smart IO microcontroller
GPIO11	SSP_RXD	Input	SSP Port Receive for Smart IO microcontroller
GPIO12	SSP_SCLK	Output	SSP Port Clock for Smart IO microcontroller
GPIO13	SSP_SFRM	Output	SSP Port Frame for Smart IO microcontroller
GPIO14	CTS1	Input	CTS signal for Serial port 1
GPIO15	RTS1	Output	RTS signal for Serial port 1
GPIO16	RIB1	Input	RIB signal for Serial port 1
GPIO17	DCD1	Input	DCD signal for Serial port 1
GPIO18	CTS3	Input	CTS signal for Serial port 3
GPIO19	RTS3	Output	RTS signal for Serial port 3
GPIO20	LED0/DTR1	Output	SMD LED Green on board (D3)/DTR Signal for Serial Port 1
GPIO21	GPIO21_MBGN T	Output	SA-1111 Memory Request Bus Grant
GPIO22	GPIO22_MBRE Q	Input	SA-1111 Memory Bus Request
GPIO23	IRDA_ON	Output	0-> IRDA On 1 -> IRDA Off
GPIO24	DSR1	Input	DSR signal for Serial Port 1
GPIO25	/RESET_AVR	Output	Reset control to SMART IO Device
GPIO26	/SA1111_RESET	Output	Reset control to SA-1111 Device
GPIO27	GPIO27_CLK	Output	External GPIO on J7 pin 32/Clock Source for SA-1111

4 System Integration

4.1 Tips for System Integration

4.1.1 Strategies for Backup Power

There are several ways to provide backup power to the Bitsy. Each has advantages that favor particular applications.

1. No Battery Backup. Applications that are entirely non-volatile (no critical data is stored in RAM), or that can recover from unexpected power failures, are good candidates for doing without a backup battery.

2. 3.0V to 3.6V Battery on J3.50 and J3.49. The backup battery supplies power to the system if the main battery or the DC main power source fails. Operating systems with power management will put the system to sleep if they detect that the system is operating from this supply.

4.1.2 Electrical Tips

Keep the following issues in mind when designing a system using the Bitsy.

- Make sure that the DC Input and Battery input (if used) are stable, clean and robust (will be able to provide enough current for the system). Since the Bitsy board directly provides power for the LCD display, make sure to take it into account when dimensioning the power supply that will run the bitsy board.
- Route the touch panel cabling away from the backlight inverter and other noisy systems. The touch panel driver algorithms can be adjusted to filter out large amounts of noise; however, the touch panel may then be less responsive.
- The backlight frequency can resonate with some flat panels. If beats appear, change the backlight frequency or panel refresh rate. Please contact ADS for assistance.

4.1.3 Utilizing the Compact Flash Interface

The Compact Flash Interface is offered to provide an extension of the SA1110 address and memory bus that can be used for as variety of purposes. When designing plug in modules to take advantage of this feature, it is recommended that these boards have robust power and ground planes. The logic on the Bitsy board will support 3.3/5V external devices. A limited amount of Bitsy board power is available to this connector on the VCC and +3.3V pins. For further information on these and other design requirements, please contact ADS.

4.1.4 Using the USB Interface

Separate connections are available on the Bitsy to support USB Slave and Master. When utilizing these interfaces on a custom designed daughter board, the designer must be aware of certain components that are required in order that the interface meets the requirements set out in USB Specification 2.0. Please contact ADS for more information. .

4.1.5 Bitsy Power Supply

The Bitsy has an on-board switching power supply which regulates from input voltage ranges between 5-12V. The input to this supply can come from Bitsy pins DC_IN or VBATT to support dual supply inputs. Should the unit be required to operate from a single supply, it is recommended to utilize the VBATT input. This circumvents the voltage drop associated with the blocking diode on the DC_IN input. System ground should be connected to DC_GND in this case.

The Bitsy supply outputs 5V, +3.3V, 30V (LCD VEE), and 1.75V (CPU Core). It is possible to regulate these voltages externally, and supply them through connector pins. See section 4.3 for more information.

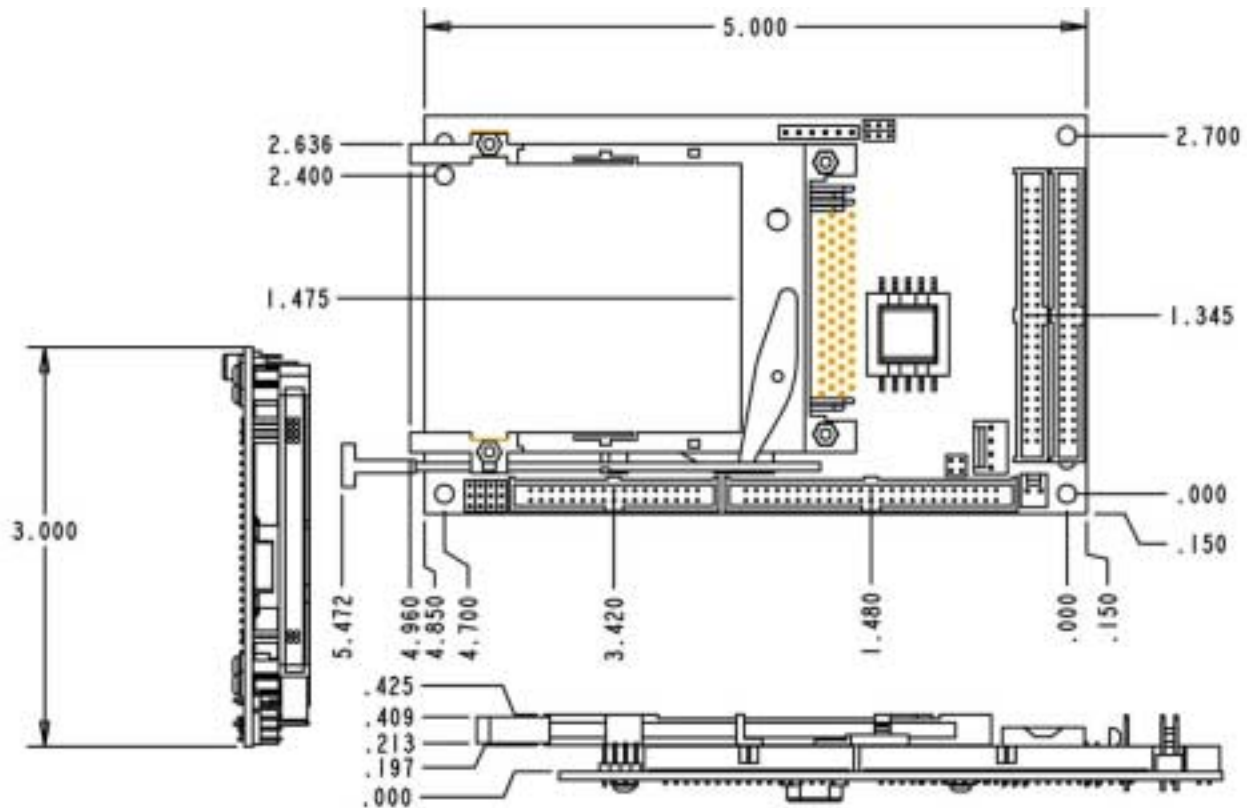
4.2 Mechanical Specifications

The Bitsy is 3 by 5 inches in size. This section describes the component dimensions and mounting of the board. Detailed drawings are available from ADS in PDF format for customers who are going into production.

4.2.1 Mechanical Drawing

The following mechanical drawing of the Bitsy specifies the dimensions of the Bitsy, as well as locations of key components on the board. The origin for measurements is the center of the mounting hole on the lower right corner of the board.

PCMCIA ejectors are available. These are the same height as the rest of the PCMCIA socket and extend beyond the forward edge of the board. The footprint is shown as crosshatching in the drawing.



4.2.2 Mounting Holes

Four holes are provided, one on each corner, for mounting; the diameter of the holes is 0.138-in. Mounting holes are plated through and connected to the Bitsy ground plane.

For reliable ground connections, use locking washers (star or split) when securing a Bitsy in an enclosure. Make sure that washers do not extend beyond the limits of the pads provided.

4.2.3 Clearances

The Bitsy has a low profile. It can fit in an enclosure as thin as 0.744-in I.D. Key clearances are as follows:

- Highest component: 0.425 inches
- Minimum clearance under board: 0.207 inches
- Board Thickness: 0.062 inches
- Clearance over top/Bottom: 0.05 inches

Note: Selection of connectors and wiring harnesses will determine height of final assembly.

4.3 Input Power Requirements

Power is supplied to the Bitsy through connector J6. A second source battery, with optimized power efficiency, can be connected on J3.38, J3.40 pins. A backup battery may also be connected to J3.50. Finally, it is possible to provide all the voltages the board needs in order to bypassing the on-board power supply. Be aware that this is a special situation that requires the removal of some components. The following are the power inputs to the Bitsy.

4.3.1 DC power input

The Bitsy requires a high-quality DC input of at least 5.0 VDC to operate normally, up to a maximum voltage of 12V. This voltage is used to generate additional on-board voltages through a switching power supply. The 5V supply enters the board on pin 1 of J6, while the Ground must be connected to J6.2. Please contact ADS to discuss higher input voltage options.

4.3.2 Main battery input

A battery of 5V to 12V may be connected to the board through pins J3.38 and J3.40. The board also provides a charging circuitry, specially suited for Lead-Acid batteries. In this way, the Bitsy board can become part of a portable unit.

4.3.3 3V Backup battery input

A 3V (to 3.6V) backup battery can be connected to the board to supply power when the main battery or the DC inputs are disconnected. This allows the board to retain its information and also allows the board to resume normal operations when power is reapplied. The connection of the battery can be performed through pins J3.50 (Positive connection) and J3.49 (ground connection).

4.3.4 Switching Supply Outputs

The onboard switching supply generates the following voltages: VCC(+5V), +3.3V, +1.75V, +30V. This supply can be configured to regulated from the +5V output, +3.3V output, or both. Please contact ADS if you have special power requirements. The 1.75V is a high quality output required to power the StrongARM processor core logic. The +30V is generated in order to support required by some passive LCD panels with high voltage input requirements.

4.3.5 Backlight Power

The Bitsy provides software control of Backlight Intensity and On/Off. Power for the Backlight is not generated by the Bitsy, instead this power is routed through the board from the input power connector. This provides the user greater choice when selecting Backlight Inverters.

4.3.6 EMI/RFI and Transient Suppression

It is the responsibility of the user to provide surge protection on the input power lines. This is especially important if the power supply wires will be subject to EMI/RFI or ESD.

4.4 Externally Available Voltages

The Bitsy board generates voltages for the processor and other on-board logic. Some of these power sources can be used to power external circuitry. The amount of current that is available for external use depends on many factors, including LCD selection, board part stuffing, and input voltage. Please discuss these applications with ADS. The externally available voltages are listed as follows:

Voltage	Maximum Output Current	Connector
VCC (+5V)	TBD	J9, pin 15
+3.3V	TBD	J9, pin 23 and J10, pin 47

4.5 Power Consumption

The Bitsy has been designed to use a minimum of power. When not active, the SA-1110 can be put into Idle or Sleep modes, further reducing power consumption.

The following measurements were made using production boards running Windows CE and driving an Active TFT display.

Mode	Fully populated, board only	Fully populated, driving Sharp LQ64D343 panel (mA)
206 MHz	0.27A @ 9.0V	TBD
Sleep (VBATT)	~2.7mA	TBD

Note that actual power consumption will vary according to input voltage, temperature, panel selection and processor and peripheral activity.

4.6 Power Management

The SA1110 supports three operational modes: RUN, IDLE, and SLEEP. RUN mode offers the greatest performance at the highest cost in power consumption. IDLE mode defines operation with reduced power consumption from RUN mode while offering a shorted transition time to RUN then from SLEEP. In IDLE mode, the StrongARM continues to run, while unused peripherals are disabled. SLEEP mode offers the greatest reduction of operating current. When the Bitsy is in SLEEP mode the switching regulator is disabled, and the system data will be maintained by a low current draw on the DC_IN or VBATT_POS pins. When power is not present on either of those two pins, the system contents will not be maintained unless power is present on the BATPOS input. Supply voltage must be restored to either DC_IN or VBATT_POS before the system will return to RUN mode. Switching from SLEEP mode to RUN mode can be triggered by a variety of methods, and is set by the OS prior to entry into SLEEP mode. These methods include external signal transition, internal timers, or DC power application..

If Main Power (DC_IN or VBATT_POS) fails, the Bitsy automatically goes in a sleep state and switches to Backup Power BATPOS. The transition from RUN mode to SLEEP mode is a function of the Operating System. In general, the Operating System should shut down operations, prepare for a wakeup condition (external interrupt, system timer wakeup, etc) and then put the system to sleep. Consult the reference manual for your Operating System to better understand this function.

4.7 EMI/RFI and ESD Protection

The Bitsy board incorporates a number of industry-leading features that protect it from electrostatic discharge (ESD) and suppress electromagnetic and radio-frequency interference (EMI/RFI). Transient voltage suppressors, EMI fences, filters on I/O lines and termination of high-frequency signals are included standard on all systems.

Many products using ADS single-board computers have successfully completed FCC emissions testing as a part of their design cycle. Because ADS supplies only the single-board computer and not fully integrated systems, ADS cannot provide meaningful system-level emissions test results.

4.8 Electrical Specifications for I/O Ports

4.8.1 ADSmartIO™ Controller

As Digital Outputs:

Push-pull 3.3V CMOS
Sink up to 20 mA and source up to 12mA

As Digital Inputs:

CMOS, $V_{DD}=3.3V$ (3.8V max)
Logical low @ $<0.3 V_{DD}$, logical high @ $> 0.6V_{DD}$
Software-selectable MOS pull-ups, 35-120k Ω

As Analog Inputs (Port A/Columns):

10-bit, 0~2.0V
Input impedance: 100M Ω , with overvoltage protection
 $V_{max}=V_{ref}=2.5V$

Additional information:

Row and column I/Os have 1k Ω series resistance and overvoltage protection to ground. SMTIO0-3 I/Os are directly connected to I/O controller without external protection. Control pullup resistors by writing to bits of IO port when the port is configured as a digital input (bit mask 1=enable, 0=disable).

4.8.2 UCB 1200

As Digital Outputs:

Push-pull 3.3V CMOS
Maximum output current: 4 mA

As Digital Inputs:

CMOS, $V_{DDD}=3.3V$ (3.8V max)
Logical low @ $<0.3 V_{DDD}$, logical high @ $> 0.7V_{DDD}$

Analog Inputs:

10-bit, 0~9.9V (11.0V max)
Input impedance: 1.3k Ω (0.76 voltage divider)
Range of maximum reading (0x3ff): 9.2-10.5V.

Additional information:

Digital I/Os have 1k Ω series resistance with overvoltage protection.

4.8.3 LCD Panel

LCD display panels have a wide range of voltage and data requirements. The Bitsy has a number of adjustable voltages to support these requirements.

PNL_PWR:

Voltage is 3.3 or 5V, depending on setting of JP3.
 Must be set to match panel specifications.

VEE:

Bias voltage used for many passive panels.
 Can be positive, negative or fixed at "26V" (from JP1 and JP2). Selected with J7.
 Voltage and current range can be changed at the factory for specific panels or needs and can be modified by the user through control of the PWM settings of the AVR microcontroller.

4.8.4 SA1111

Compact Flash Port

Outputs:

Push-Pull CMOS (0-CARDBVcc)
 Maximum output current: 4 mA

Inputs:

CARDBVcc = 3.3V:

Logical Low < .325 CARDBVcc
 Logical High >.475 CARDBVcc

CARDBVcc = 5V

Logical Low = < .8V
 Logical High = >.2.4V

Digital I/O:

As Digital Outputs:

Push-pull 3.3V CMOS
 Maximum output current: 2 mA

As Digital Inputs:

CMOS, V_{DDX}=3.3V (3.6V max)
 Logical low @ <0.2 V_{DDX}, logical high @ > 0.8V_{DDX}

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As Digital Outputs:

Push-pull 3.3V CMOS
 Maximum output current: 2 mA

As Digital Inputs:

CMOS, V_{DDX}=3.3V (3.6V max)
 Logical low @ <0.2 V_{DDX}, logical high @ > 0.8V_{DDX}

5 Board Revision History

5.1.1 Identifying the board revision

The product revision number of the Bitsy is etched on the underside of the printed circuit board. That number is 170111-1000x, where "x" is the board revision.

5.1.2 Revision History

The following are the most significant changes that have occurred.

Rev. A:

Initial release

Rev. B:

Change of Input power capacitor to provide for wider input range up to 12V.

Modified the VEE switching and optimized the VEE setting circuitry.

Provided possibility to bypass TTL to RS-232 conversion on COM1 and COM2 signals without need for rework.

Added Slave USB signals on J3 connector

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