

User's Guide SBOU164–July 2016

INA210-215EVM User's Guide



This user's guide describes the characteristics, operation, and use of the INA210-215EVM evaluation module (EVM). This EVM is designed to evaluate the performance of the INA210-215 voltage output current shunt monitors in a variety of configurations. This document also includes a schematic, reference printed circuit board (PCB) layouts, and a complete bill of materials. NOTE: This user guide is for the new revision of the EVM board. For users of the original-version EVM board, see the previous EVM user's guide, SBOU065A.

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1 Overview

The INA210-215 devices are voltage output, high-side measurement, bi-directional, zero-drift current shunt monitors. This family of devices has gains that range from 50 V/V to 1000 V/V. The voltage developed across the device inputs is amplified by the corresponding gain of the specific device and is presented at the output pin. These devices can sense voltage drops across shunts at common-mode voltages from –0.3 V to 26 V, independent of supply voltages. These devices operate with supply voltages between 2.7 V and 26 V and draw a maximum of 100 μ A. The low offset of the zero-drift architecture enables current sensing with maximum drops across the shunt as low as 10-mV full-scale.

The INA210-215 devices are currently available in an SC70 surface-mount package. Table 1 summarizes the available device options.

Product	Gain
INA210	200
INA211	500
INA212	1000
INA213	50
INA214	100
INA215	75

Table 1. INA210-215 Device Summary

1.1 INA210-215 Kit Contents

Table 2 summarizes the contents of the INA210-215EVM kit. Contact the Texas Instruments Product Information Center nearest you if any component is missing. It is highly recommended that you also check the INA210 device product folder on the TI web site at www.ti.com for any further information regarding this product.

Table 2. INA210-215EVM Kit Contents

Item	Quantity
INA210-215 test board	1

1.2 Related Documentation From Texas Instruments

This document provides information regarding Texas Instruments' integrated circuits used in the assembly of the INA210-215EVM. This user's guide is available from the TI web site under literature number SBOU164. Any letter appended to the literature number corresponds to the document revision that is current at the time of the writing of this document. Newer revisions are available from www.ti.com, or call the Texas Instruments' Literature Response Center at (800) 477-8924 or the Product Information Center at (972) 644-5580. When ordering, identify the document by both title and literature number.

Table 3. Related Documentation

Document	Literature Number
INA21x product data sheet	SBOS437

2 INA210-215EVM Hardware

The INA210-215EVM is intended to provide basic functional evaluation of the INA210-215 device family. The fixture layout is not intended to be a model for the target circuit, nor is it laid out for electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) testing. The INA210-215EVM consists of one PCB with an option to cut out six individual PCBs, one for each of the six devices (INA210, INA211, INA212, INA213, INA214, and INA215). Each of the PCB cutouts consists of the INA21x device (where x is 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5) and test points for external hardware connections.

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Overview



INA210-215EVM Hardware

2.1 Features

The INA210-215EVM printed circuit board (PCB) provides the following features:

- Evaluation of all gain options through provided device boards
- Ease of access to device pins with test points
- Space for optional input filtering capacitors and resistors
- Multiple input signal options

Refer to the INA210-215 product data sheet (SBOS437) for comprehensive information about the INA210-215 family of devices.

3 Quick Start Setup and Use

Follow these procedures to set up and use the INA210-215EVM. For the following instructions, x = 0 to 5.

- Step 1. Connect an external dc supply voltage between 2.7-V and 26-V to the V+ test point TPx01 or TPx11, and connect ground reference of that supply to the GND test point TPx02 or TPx12. The INA210-215 device output voltage is limited to 50 mV above ground to 200 mV below the supply level.
- Step 2. The REF pin is connected to GND in the default board. The voltage applied at the reference input can vary depending on how the device is going to be used. Further details regarding the use of the reference voltage are discussed later in this document.
- Step 3. Connect the input.

3.1 Measurements

The INA210-215EVM allows the user to either simulate the voltage developed across a sense resistor based on a given set of system conditions, or to connect it remotely to an existing shunt already included in an example application.

To configure a measurement evaluation without a shunt, follow these procedures:

- 1. Connect a differential voltage to the IN+ (TPx03 or TPx13) and IN– (TPx04 or TPx14) test points. With the reference voltage set at ground, ensure that the IN+ pin is the more positive of the two inputs.
- 2. Measure the output voltage at the OUT test point (TPx06 or TPx16).
 - **NOTE:** The output voltage is equal to the gain of the device multiplied by the differential voltage measured directly at the device input pins.

4 INA210-215EVM Circuit

This section summarizes the INA210-215EVM components. For the following instructions, x = 0 to 5.

4.1 Rx05, Rx06, Cx03

Rx05 and Rx06 are factory-installed 0- Ω resistors. These resistors, in combination with Cx03, form an input filter. These locations allow for 0805 surface-mount package size. Additional information regarding the use of input filtering is provided in the INA210-215 product data sheet (SBOS437).

4.2 Cx05

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Cx05 are $0.1-\mu F$ supply bypass capacitors.



INA210-215EVM Circuit

4.3 Ux01

Ux01 is the location for the test device. Six device boards are supplied with the INA210-215EVM board. Each board is populated with one of the available device gains. This option allows users to test the devices and determine the gain setting that is best suited for a given application.

Here is a list of the factors involved in selecting the appropriate device:

- The INA210-215 devices are identical with the exception of different gain settings.
- The differential input voltage is either applied across the inputs or developed based on the load current that flows through the shunt resistor.
- The limiting factor that requires attention to be given to device selection is the output voltage.
- The selected device must allow the output voltage to remain within the acceptable range after the developed input voltage is amplified by the respective device gain. The output voltage must remain with the range of 50 mV above ground to 200 mV below the supply voltage.
- An output below the minimum allowable output requires the selection of a device with a higher gain. Likewise, an output above the maximum allowable output requires the selection of a device with a lower gain.

4.4 Voltage Inputs

The IN+ (TPx03 or TPx13) and IN– (TPx04 or TPx14) inputs accept a differential voltage that is amplified by the selected device gain and is presented at the OUT test point (TPx06 or TPx16). These inputs could also be used to connect the differential voltage developed across an external shunt in an existing circuit. The acceptable differential input voltage range and polarity are determined by the supply voltage, reference voltage, and gain of the selected device.

5 Reference Voltage Setup

The INA210-215 devices allow for the use of an external reference. This reference determines how the output responds to certain input conditions. The reference also allows these devices to be used in both unidirectional and bi-directional applications.

5.1 Unidirectional Mode

Unidirectional refers to a load current that flows in only one direction. For unidirectional applications, the reference voltage can be set to ground or to 5 V. If the reference is set to ground, the output is set at near ground with no input voltage, and responds to input voltages that are positive with respect to IN– /Load. If the reference is set to 5 V, the output is set near 5 V with no input voltage, and responds to input voltages that are negative with respect to IN– /Load.

5.2 Bi-Directional Mode

Bi-directional refers to a load current that flows in both directions. For bi-directional applications, the reference voltage can be set anywhere within the 0-V to 5-V range specified for the reference input. The voltage applied to the reference pin establishes the output voltage of the device with no input voltage. The output voltage is limited by the supply voltage, so there is a greater available range for positive input voltages than negative voltages because the reference voltage is limited to the range of 0 V to 5 V.

The maximum range for the output of this device to accommodate a bi-directional application involves applying 5 V to the reference pin and a supply voltage of 18 V. This configuration allows for a maximum output voltage range of -4.95 V/20.8 V about the 5-V reference.



5.3 REF Pin Configuration

The REF test point (Tx05 or TPx15) allows the user to configure the INA210-215EVM for either unidirectional or bi-directional operation. The INA210-215EVM has an external circuit that allows the user to connect different voltages to the REF pin. Table 4 summarizes the possible configurations.

In Table 4, x = 1 to 3. External components are needed and are listed in Table 4 and Table 5.

Buffe	r (Not Populated)	Buffer (Populated)		
$\begin{array}{l} Rx01 = disconnected \\ Rx02 = 0 \ \Omega \\ Rx03 = 0 \ \Omega \end{array}$	Rx02 = 0 Ω REF = GND (default)		REF = GND	
$\begin{array}{l} \text{Rx01} = \text{disconnected} \\ \text{Rx02} = \text{disconnected} \\ \text{Rx03} = 0 \ \Omega \end{array}$	REF = Voltage selected by user	Rx01 = disconnected Rx02 = disconnected Rx03 = disconnected	REF = Voltage selected by user	
$\begin{aligned} & Rx01 = 0 \ \Omega \\ & Rx02 = disconnected \\ & Rx03 = 0 \ \Omega \end{aligned}$	REF = V+	$\begin{array}{l} Rx01 = 0 \ \Omega \\ Rx02 = disconnected \\ Rx03 = disconnected \end{array}$	REF = V+	
Rx01 = 5k Ω Rx02 = 5k Ω Rx03 = 0 Ω	REF = V+/ 2	$Rx01 = 5k \Omega$ $Rx02 = 5k \Omega$ $Rx03 = disconnected$	REF = V+/ 2	

Table 4. REF Voltage Setup

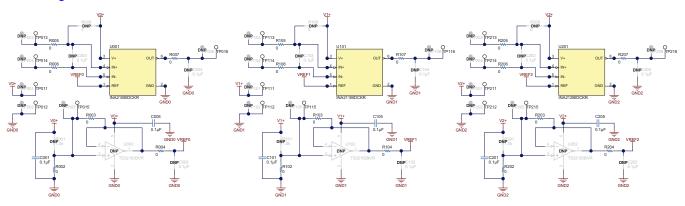


6 INA210-215EVM Schematic and PCB Layout

NOTE: Board layouts are not to scale. These figures are intended to show how the board is laid out; they are not intended to be used for manufacturing INA210-215EVM PCBs.

6.1 Schematic

Figure 1 shows the schematic for the INA210-215EVM PCB.



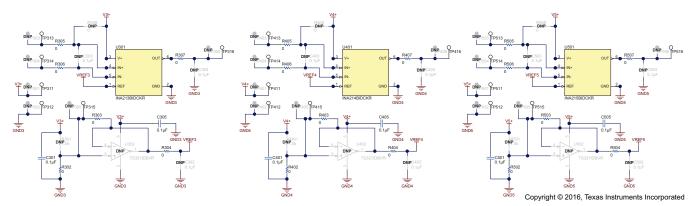


Figure 1. INA210-215EVM Schematic



6.2 PCB Layout

Figure 2 through Figure 8 illustrate the PCB layout for the INA210-215EVM.

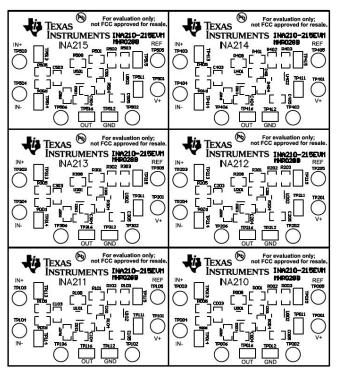


Figure 2. INA210-215EVM Top Overlay

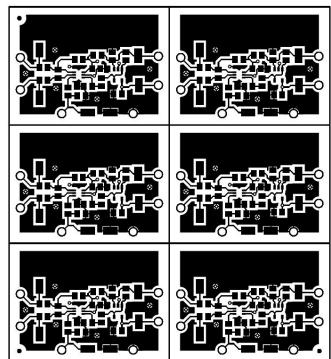


Figure 3. INA210-215EVM Top Solder Mask

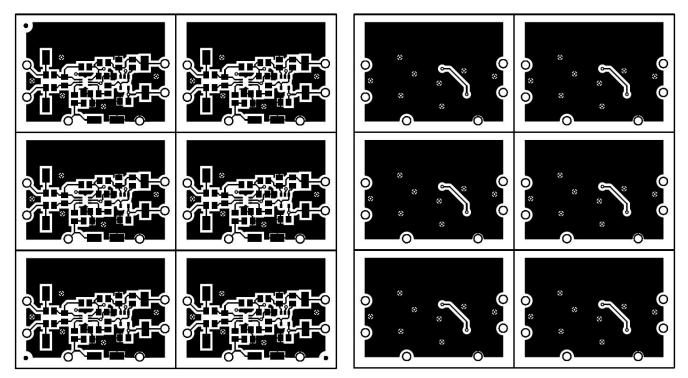


Figure 4. INA210-215EVM Top Layer

Figure 5. INA210-215EVM Bottom Layer



INA210-215EVM Schematic and PCB Layout

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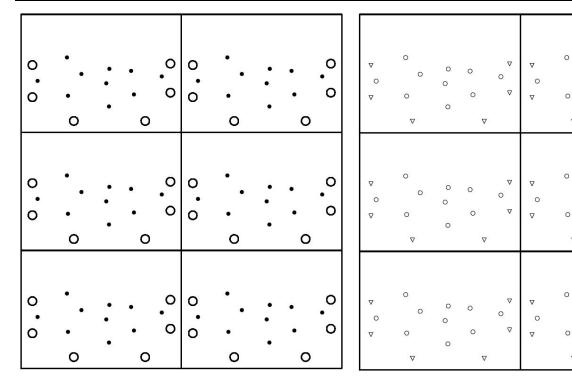
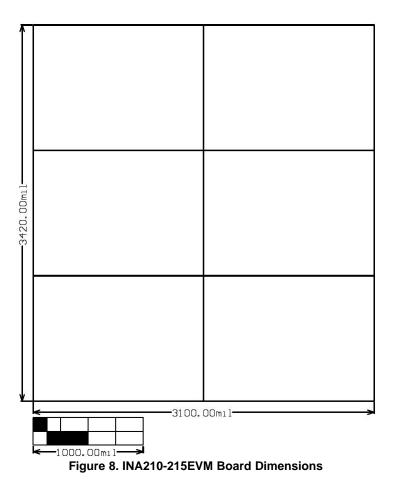


Figure 6. INA210-215EVM Bottom Solder Mask

Figure 7. INA210-215EVM Drill Drawing





Bill of Materials

7 Bill of Materials

Table 5 provides the parts list for the INA210-215EVM.

Quantity	RefDes	Value	Description	Part Number	MFR
12	C001, C005, C101, C105, C201, C205, C301, C305, C401, C405, C501, C505	0.1uF	CAP, CERM, 0.1 μF, 50 V, +/- 5%, X7R, 0805	08055C104JAT2A	AVX
36	R002, R003, R004, R005, R006, R007, R102, R103, R104, R105, R106, R107, R202, R203, R204, R205, R206, R207, R302, R303, R304, R305, R306, R307, R402, R403, R404, R405, R406, R407, R502, R503, R504, R505, R506, R507	0	RES, 0, 5%, 0.125 W, 0805	CRCW08050000Z0EA	Vishay-Dale
36	TP011, TP012, TP013, TP014, TP015, TP016, TP111, TP112, TP113, TP114, TP115, TP116, TP211, TP212, TP213, TP214, TP215, TP216, TP311, TP312, TP313, TP314, TP315, TP316, TP411, TP412, TP413, TP414, TP415, TP416, TP511, TP512, TP513, TP514, TP515, TP516	SMT	Test Point, Miniature, SMT	5015	Keystone
1	U001		Voltage Output, Low- or High-Side Measurement, Bidirectional, Zero-Drift Series, Current-Shunt Monitor, DCK0006A	INA210BIDCKR	Texas Instruments
1	U101		Voltage Output, Low- or High-Side Measurement, Bidirectional, Zero-Drift Series, Current-Shunt Monitor, DCK0006A	INA211BIDCKR	Texas Instruments
1	U201		Voltage Output, Low- or High-Side Measurement, Bidirectional, Zero-Drift Series, Current-Shunt Monitor, DCK0006A	INA212BIDCKR	Texas Instruments
1	U301		Voltage Output, Low- or High-Side Measurement, Bidirectional, Zero-Drift Series, Current-Shunt Monitor, DCK0006A	INA213BIDCKR	Texas Instruments
1	U401		Voltage Output, Low- or High-Side Measurement, Bidirectional, Zero-Drift Series, Current-Shunt Monitor, DCK0006A	INA214BIDCKR	Texas Instruments
1	U501		Voltage Output, Low- or High-Side Measurement, Bidirectional, Zero-Drift Series, Current-Shunt Monitor, DCK0006A	INA215BIDCKR	Texas Instruments
0	C002, C003, C004, C102, C103, C104, C202, C203, C204, C302, C303, C304, C402, C403, C404, C502, C503, C504	0.1uF	CAP, CERM, 0.1 µF, 50 V, +/- 5%, X7R, 0805	08055C104JAT2A	AVX

Table 5. Bill of Materials



Quantity	RefDes	Value	Description	Part Number	MFR
Quantity			•		
0	R001, R101, R201, R301, R401, R501	1.0k	RES, 1.0 k, 5%, 0.125 W, 0805	CRCW08051K00JNEA	Vishay-Dale
0	R008, R108, R208, R308, R408, R508	0	RES, 0, 5%, 0.125 W, 0805	CRCW08050000Z0EA	Vishay-Dale
0	TP001, TP002, TP003, TP004, TP005, TP006, TP101, TP102, TP103, TP104, TP105, TP106, TP201, TP202, TP203, TP204, TP205, TP206, TP301, TP302, TP303, TP304, TP305, TP306, TP401, TP402, TP403, TP404, TP403, TP406, TP501, TP502, TP503, TP504, TP505, TP506	White	Test Point, Compact, White, TH	5007	Keystone
0	U002, U102, U202, U302, U402, U502		LOW-POWER SINGLE OPERATIONAL AMPLIFIER, DBV0005A	TS321IDBVR	Texas Instruments

Table 5. Bill of Materials (continued)

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3.1.2 For EVMs annotated as FCC – FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Part 15 Compliant:

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- 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

Concerning EVMs Including Radio Transmitters:

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Concernant les EVMs avec antennes détachables

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- 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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