

LP5890 48x16 Common Cathode Matrix LED Display Driver Evaluation Module



Abstract

This user's guide describes the LP5890 evaluation module used as a reference for engineering demonstration and evaluation. Included in this user's guide are setup instructions, a schematic diagram, printed board (PCB) layout, and a bill of materials (BOM).

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1 Introduction

1.1 Features

The LP5890 is a highly integrated, common cathode matrix LED display driver with 48 constant current sources and 16 scanning FETs. One LP5890 is capable of driving 16×16 RGB LED pixels, while stacking two LP5890 can drive 32×32 RGB LED pixels, which simplifies component placement and control. With the common cathode structure, the device supports separated power supplies for the red, green, and blue LEDs to achieve low power consumption. Furthermore, the operation power of the LP5890 is significantly reduced by ultra-low operation voltage range (V_{cc} down to 2.5 V) and ultra-low operation current (I_{cc} down to 3.9 mA).

The LP5890 device supports per-channel current from 0.2 mA to 20 mA, with typical 1% channel-to-channel current deviation and typical 1% device-to-device current deviation. The DC current value of all 48 channels is set by an external IREF resistor and can be adjusted by the 8-step global brightness control (BC) and the 256-step per-color group brightness control (CC_R/CC_G/CC_B).

The LP5890 implements a high speed, rising-edge transmission interface to support up to 32 cascaded devices. The device supports up to 50 MHz SCLK (external) and high refresh rate with maximum 160 MHz GCLK (internal). Meanwhile, the device integrates enhanced circuits and intelligent algorithms to solve the various display challenges in Narrow Pixel Pitch(NPP) LED display applications and mini or micro-LED products: dim at the first scan line, upper and downside ghosting, non-uniformity in low grayscale, coupling, caterpillar caused by open or short LEDs, which make the LP5890 a perfect choice in such applications.

The LP5890 also implements LED open, weak short, short detection and removal during operations and can also report the accurate fault position information out to the accompanying digital processor.

1.2 Applications

The LP5890EVM can be used as a basic function evaluation module for the following applications:

- LED digital signage
- Keyboard and gaming accessories
- Major and smart home appliances
- Smart speaker, wired and wireless speaker
- Audio mixer, DJ equipment, and broadcast
- Access equipment, switches, and servers

2 Function Descriptions

This section describes the connectors, jumpers and switches on LP5890EVM board.

Figure 2-1 shows the image of the driver IC side of the LP5890EVM board.

Figure 2-2 shows the image of the LED side of the LP5890EVM board.

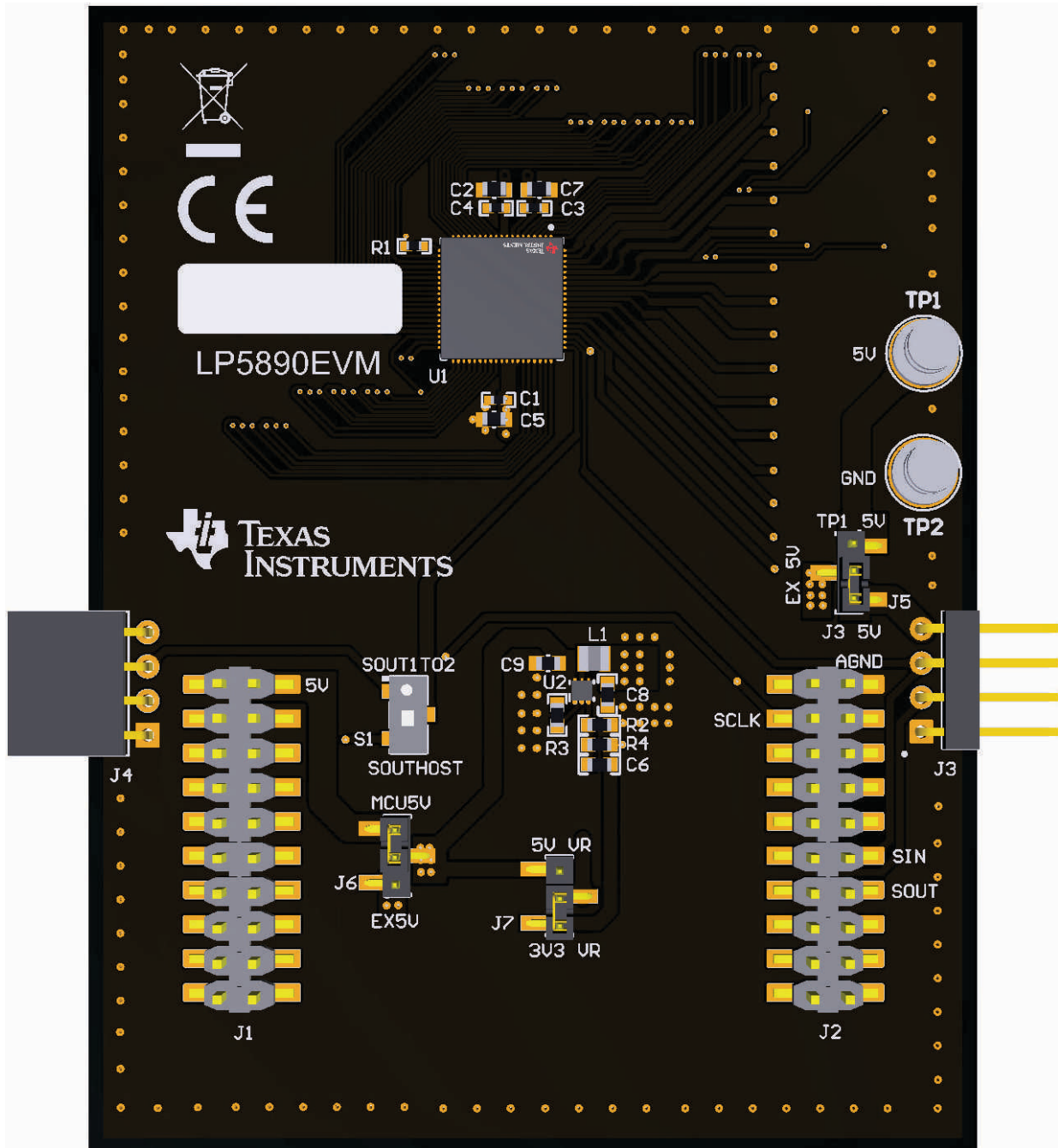


Figure 2-1. Driver IC Side of the LP5890EVM Board

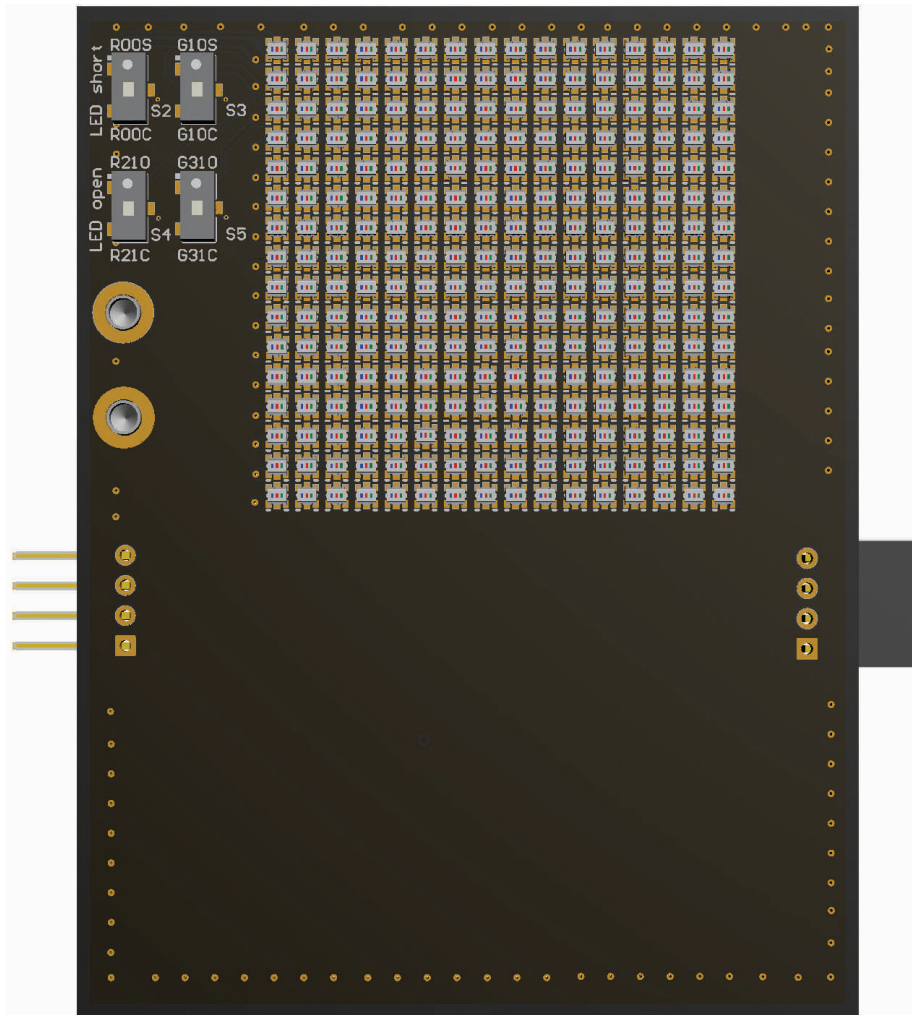


Figure 2-2. LED Side of the LP5890EVM Board

The LP5890EVM works with a host controller, the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad™. The LP5890EVM is designed with connectors, jumpers and switches to support device-to-device connection, device-to-host connection and flexible power supply scheme. In addition, there are four switches on the LED side of the LP5890EVM board that enables the evaluation of LED open and short detection and removal functions of the LP5890.

[Table 2-1](#) lists the connectors of LP5890EVM board and their descriptions.

[Table 2-2](#) lists the jumpers of LP5890EVM board and their descriptions.

[Table 2-3](#) lists the switches of LP5890EVM board and their descriptions.

Table 2-1. Connectors

Name	Description
J1, J2	Boosterpack connectors for connecting with the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad.
J3	Input board-to-board connectors between LP5890EVM boards, including +5V, SIN (serial data input), SCLK (serial clock) and GND.
J4	Output board-to-board connectors between LP5890EVM boards, including +5V, SOUT (serial data output), SCLK (serial clock) and GND.
TP1 (+5 V)	External power supply that can be selected for VLEDG/VLEDB and DC/DC.
TP2 (GND)	Supply ground.

Table 2-2. Jumpers

Name	Description
J3	<p>J3 is used to select external +5V power supply.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Put the jumper on "TP1 5V" and "EX 5V" to select the external power supply from TP1. Put the jumper on "J3 5V" and "EX 5V" to select the external power supply from J3.
J6	<p>J3 is used to select the +5V power supply that supplies VLEDG/VLEDB and DC/DC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Put the jumper on "MCU5V" and the middle to select the +5V power supply from the host controller. Put the jumper on "EX5V" and the middle to select the external +5V power supply, which is previously selected by J3.
J7	<p>J7 is used to select the power supply that supplies VLEDR.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Put the jumper on "5V VR" and the middle to select +5V power supply for VLEDR. The +5V power supply is previously selected by J6. Put the jumper on "3V3 VR" and the middle to select +3.3V power supply for VLEDR. The +3.3V power supply is generated by DC/DC.

Table 2-3. Switches

Name	Description
S1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the switch is set towards "SOUTHST", the serial data output from LP5890 chip is sent back to the host controller. If the switch is set towards "SOUT1TO2", the serial data output from the first LP5890 chip is sent to J4 port, which is further sent to the second chip if several LP5890EVM are cascaded.
S2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the switch is set towards "R00C", the red LED in row 0, column 0 is connected in normal state. If the switch is set towards "R00S", the red LED in row 0, column 0 is shorted (The anode and the cathode of the LED are shorted).
S3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the switch is set towards "G10C", the green LED in row 1, column 0 is connected in normal state. If the switch is set towards "G10S", the green LED in row 1, column 0 is shorted (The anode and the cathode of the LED are shorted).
S4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the switch is set towards "R21C", the red LED in row 2, column 1 is connected in normal state. If the switch is set towards "R21O", the red LED in row 2, column 1 is opened (The anode of the LED is disconnected from the current source channel).
S5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the switch is set towards "G31C", the green LED in row 3, column 1 is connected in normal state. If the switch is set towards "G31O", the green LED in row 3, column 1 is opened (The anode of the LED is disconnected from the current source channel).

3 Test Setup

Table 3-1 shows the typical parameters for LP5890EVM.

Table 3-1. LP5890EVM Parameters

Parameter	Value
VCC Device supply voltage	2.5–5.5 V
VLEDR/G/B supply voltage	2.5–5.5 V
ICH Constant output source current	0.2–20 mA

The LP5890EVM can work with the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad.

The LP5890EVM is designed to work in two different modes:

- Single device
- Multiple cascaded devices in independent mode

For simplicity, the test setup for single device and dual devices are illustrated.

3.1 System/Tool Requirements

To perform the test, these hardware tools are required:

- LP5890EVM × 1 (or more)
- [MSP430F5529 USB LaunchPad development kit](#) × 1
- Computer × 1
- (optional) DC power supply × 1
- (optional) DC power supply cables
- (optional) 1-pin female-to-female jumper wire × 1

To perform the test, these software tools are required:

- [Code Composer Studio™ integrated development environment \(IDE\)](#) (Version ≥ 11)
- [LP5890EVM-SW-F5529](#) (Sample code guide can be found at [LP589x and TLC698x Sample Code Quick Start Guide](#))
- (optional) [LP5890 Registers Map Generation Tool](#)

3.2 Software Setup

In order to set up the software for the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad, please follow these steps (demonstrated in a computer with Windows 10 OS):

1. Download and install Code Composer Studio
 - a. Download [Code Composer Studio integrated development environment \(IDE\)](#) (Version ≥ 11).
 - b. Follow the [installation instructions](#) to install Code Composer Studio. During the installation process, if you choose the "Setup type" to be "Custom Installation", make sure that you select "MSP430 ultra-low power MCUs" in "Select Components", as is marked with red box in [Figure 3-1](#).

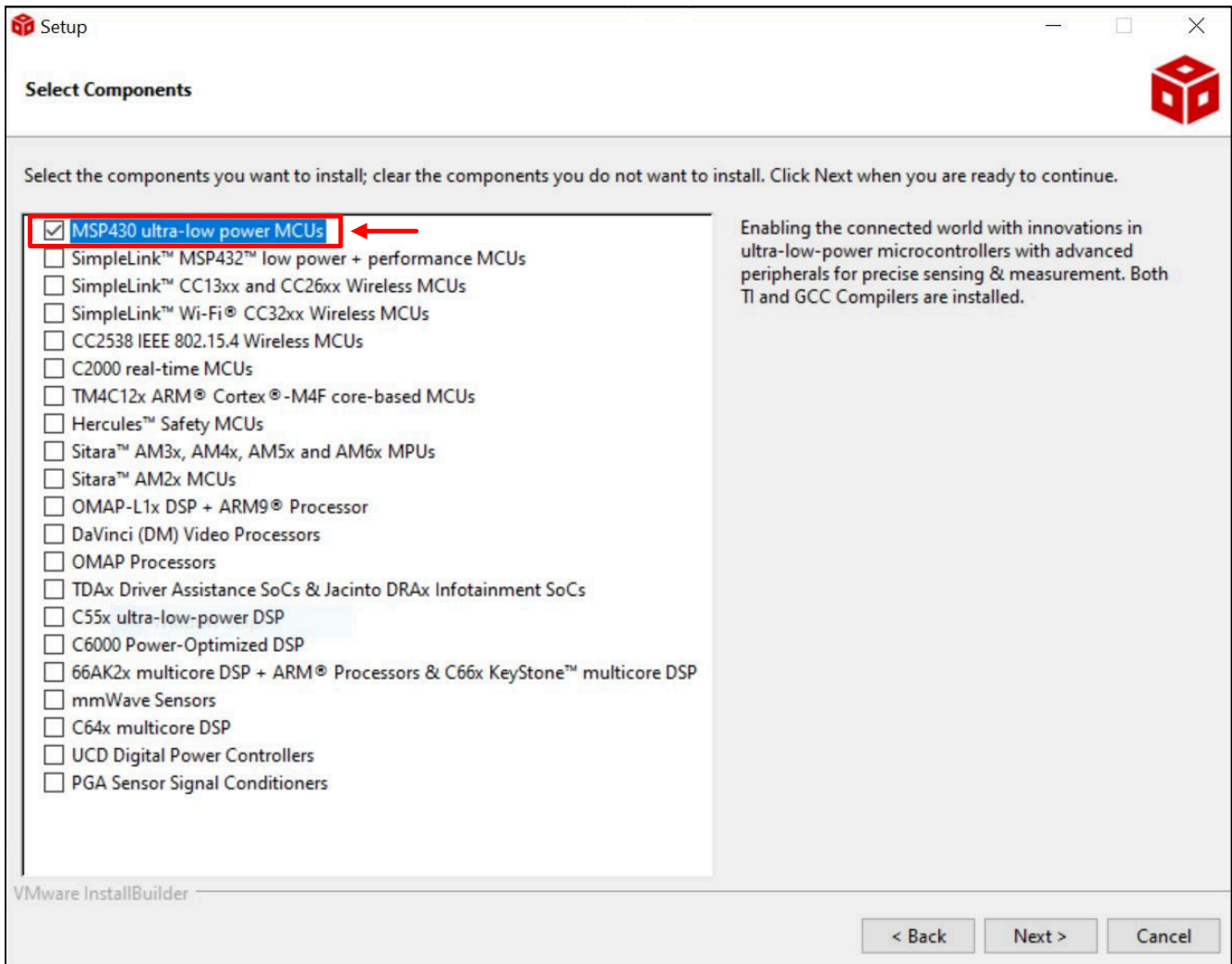


Figure 3-1. Installation Process of Code Composer Studio

2. Download and import LP5890 sample code
 - a. Download link: [LP5890EVM-SW-F5529](#)
 - b. Importing the CCS (Code Composer Studio) project according to the process provided in the link: [Importing a CCS Project](#).
3. Load the program according to the process provided in the link: [Building and Running Your Project](#).
4. (optional) Download [LP5890 Registers Map Generation Tool](#), which is a handy tool if you want to further configure the registers of LP5890.
5. (optional) Check [LP589x and TLC698x Sample Code Quick Start Guide](#), where you can find guidance on software setup for LED fault diagnostics, cascading devices, animation control, etc.

3.3 Hardware Setup for Single Device

The LP5890EVM can be powered either by the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad with the USB power (when the current consumption is low) or an external power supply (the LP5890EVM and the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad are powered separately). Single LP5890EVM can be quickly set up and tested by following these steps:

1. USB power supply from the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad
 - a. Download the code to the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad with TI Code Composer Studio software.
 - b. Put the J6 jumper on "MCU5V" and the middle, and set the switch S1 towards "SOUTHST" , which are marked with red boxes in [Figure 3-2](#).
 - c. Connect BoosterPack connectors (J1, J2) on the LP5890EVM with the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad, the connection method is shown in [Figure 3-2](#).
 - d. Power the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad through the USB cable.

2. External power supply
 - a. Download the code to the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad with TI Code Composer Studio software.
 - b. Put the J5 jumper on "TP1 5V" and "EX 5V". Then put the J6 jumper on "EX5V" and the middle. Set the switch S1 towards "SOUTHST".
 - c. Connect BoosterPack connectors (J1, J2) on the LP5890EVM with the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad, the connection method is shown in [Figure 3-2](#).
 - d. Power the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad through the USB cable.
 - e. Connect TP1 and TP2 to 5V/GND power source.
 - f. Power on 5V/GND power supply.

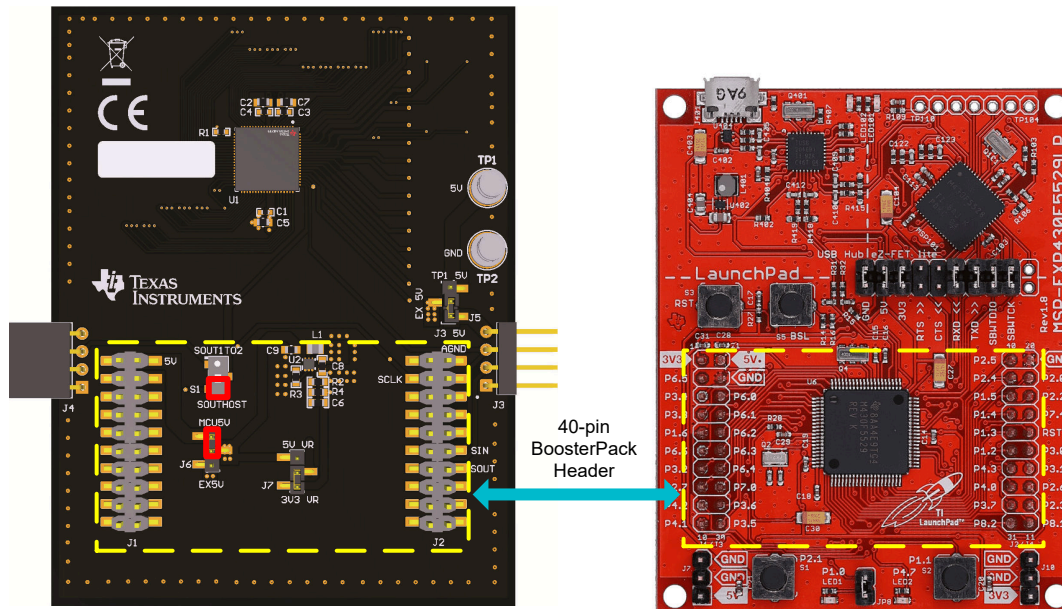


Figure 3-2. Single LP5890EVM Connected with the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad

3.4 Hardware Setup for Dual Cascaded Devices

The LP5890EVM can be cascaded in a daisy chain. In such case, each LP5890 works in the independent mode (compared to the stackable mode). The host MSP430F5529 LaunchPad sends the serial data to the first LP5890 through the 40-pin BoosterPack Header. Then the first LP5890 transmits the serial data through board-to-board connector (J3 and J4) to the second LP5890. The second LP5890 can transmit the serial data to the host with an additional 1-pin cable. The serial data are transmitted through the daisy chain, while the clock signal is shared between multiple devices.

When multiple LP5890EVM are cascaded in a daisy chain, using an external power supply is recommended due to the large current consumption. Also, an additional digital buffer for SCLK may be needed if the drive strength of the controller is not enough.

Dual cascaded LP5890EVM in independent mode can be quickly set up and tested by following these steps:

1. Download the code to the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad with TI Code Composer Studio software.
2. For the first LP5890EVM, put the J5 jumper on "TP1 5V" and "EX 5V". Then put the J6 jumper on "EX5V" and the middle. Set the switch S1 towards "SOUT1TO2". These setups are marked with red boxes on the "First Device" in [Figure 3-3](#).
3. For the second LP5890EVM, put the J5 jumper on "J3 5V" and "EX 5V". Then put the J6 jumper on "EX5V" and the middle. Set the switch S1 towards "SOUTHST". These setups are marked with red boxes on the "Second Device" in [Figure 3-3](#).
4. Connect BoosterPack connectors (J1, J2) on the first LP5890EVM with the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad, the connection method is shown in [Figure 3-3](#).
5. Connect the J4 connector of the first LP5890EVM to the J3 connector of the second LP5890EVM. The direction is shown in [Figure 3-3](#).

6. (Optional) Connect the SOUT pin of connector J2 on the second LP5890EVM to the P3.1 pin of connector J4 on the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad through an additional 1-pin cable that is marked as the bottom blue line in [Figure 3-3](#). This step enables LP5890EVM to report LOD (LED Open Detection), and LSD (LED Short Detection) out to the host MSP430F5529 LaunchPad.
7. Power the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad through the USB cable.
8. Connect TP1 and TP2 on the first LP5890EVM to 5V/GND power source.
9. Power on 5V/GND power supply.

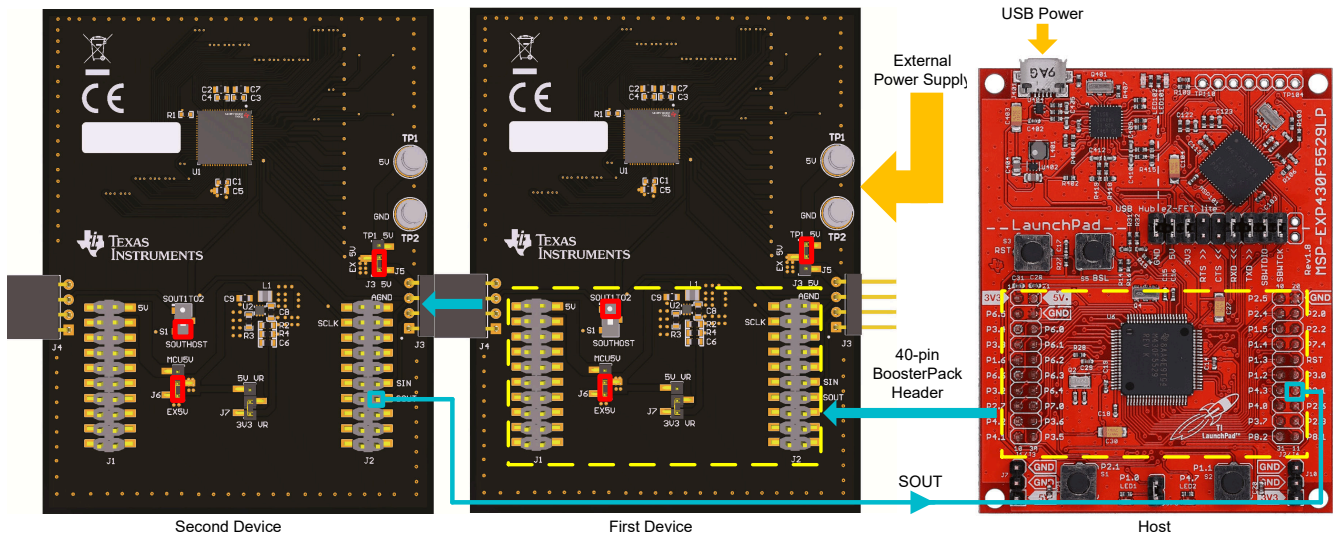


Figure 3-3. Dual Cascaded LP5890EVM Connected with the MSP430F5529 LaunchPad

4 Additional Resources

More information about the LP5890 can be found at:

- [LP5890 data sheet, product information and support | TI.com](#)
- [LP5890EVM Evaluation board | TI.com](#)
- [\[FAQ\] How to master LP589x / TLC698x devices with LED display applications within five minutes? - Power management forum - Power management - TI E2E support forums](#)

5 Schematic

The schematic of the EVM is shown below.

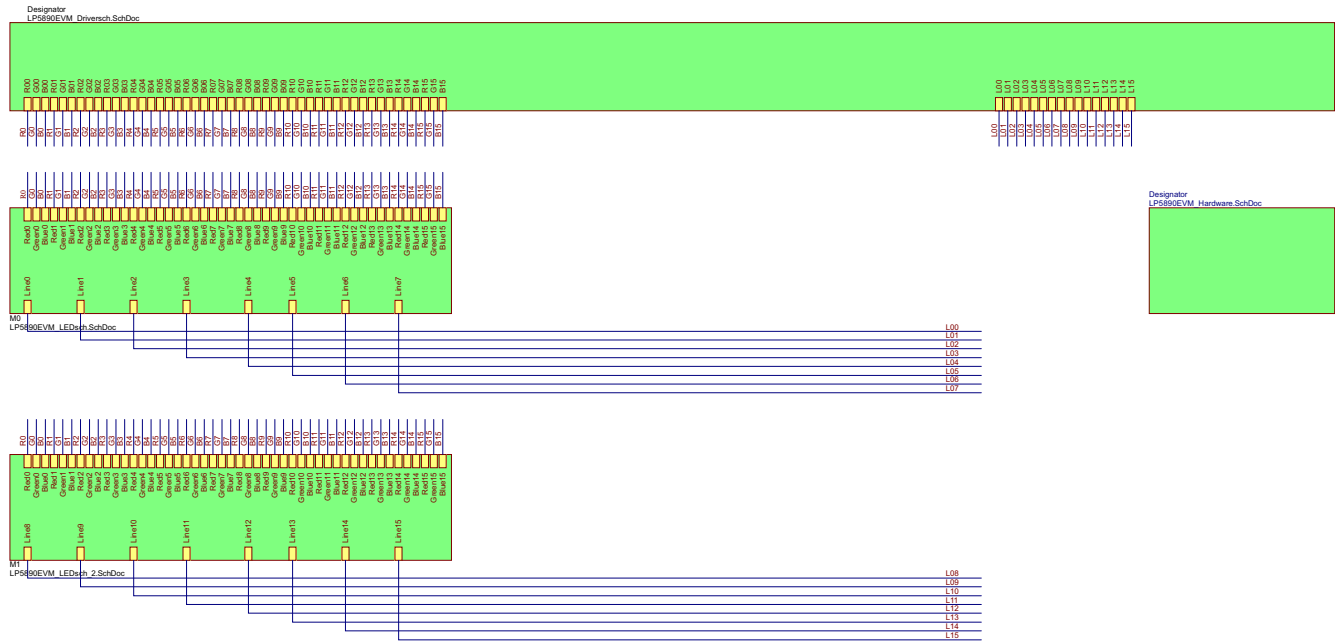


Figure 5-1. LP5890EVM Schematic (1 of 4)

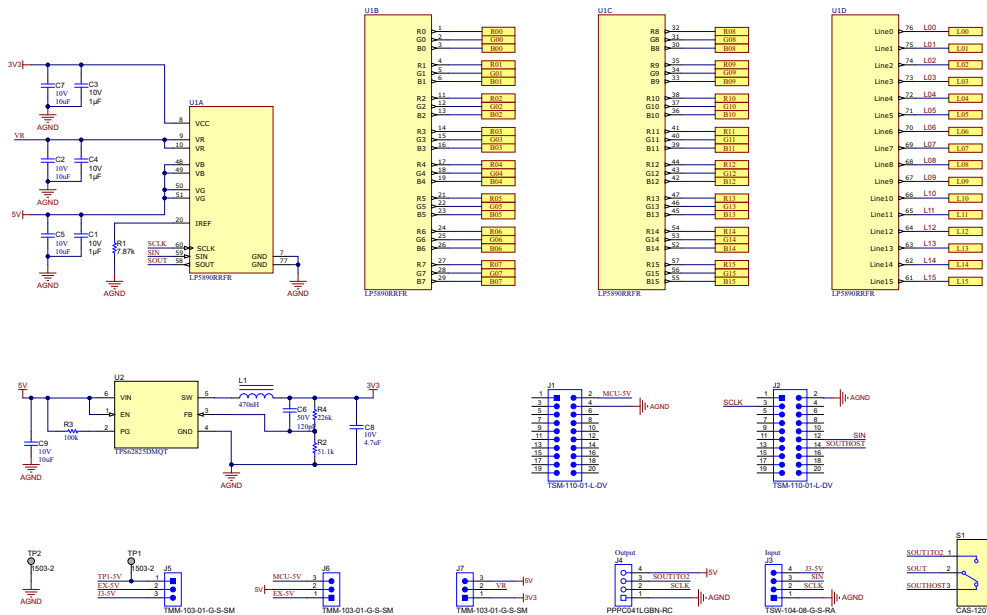


Figure 5-2. LP5890EVM Schematic (2 of 4)

Schematic

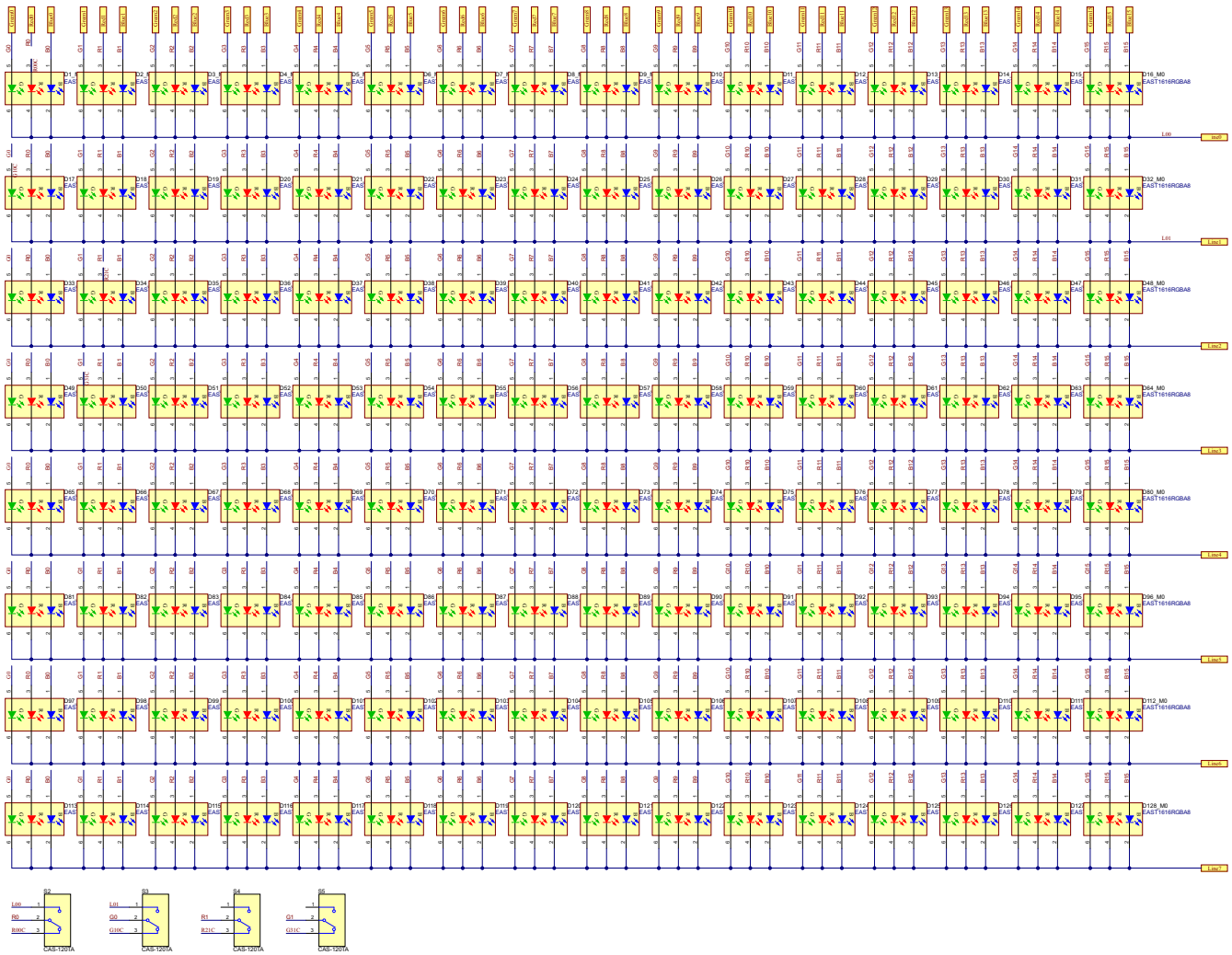


Figure 5-3. LP5890EVM Schematic (3 of 4)



Figure 5-4. LP5890EVM Schematic (4 of 4)

6 Layout

The PCB layout of the EVM is shown below.

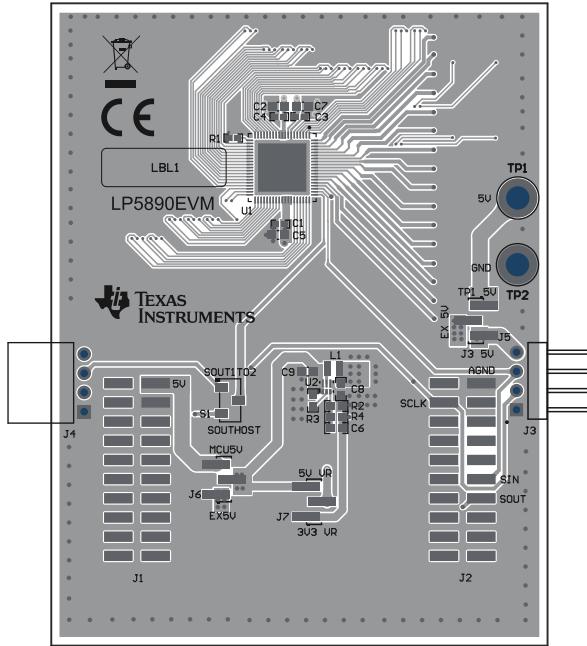


Figure 6-1. LP5890EVM Top Layer

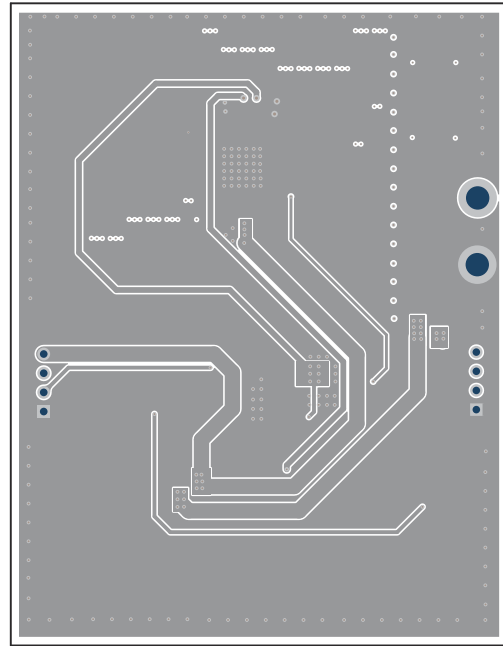


Figure 6-2. LP5890EVM Signal Layer 1

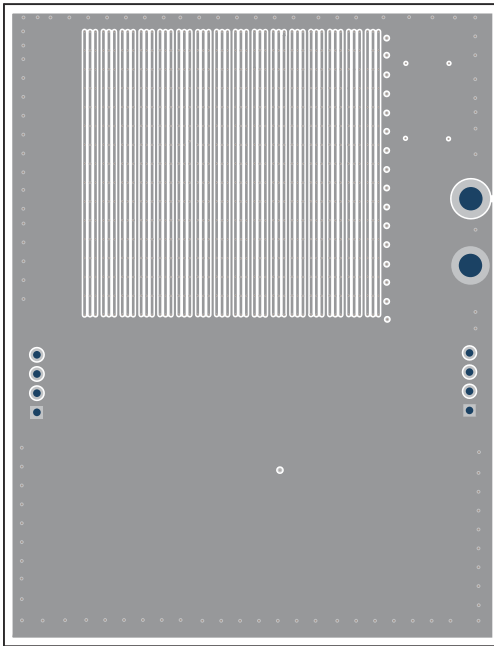


Figure 6-3. LP5890EVM Signal Layer 2

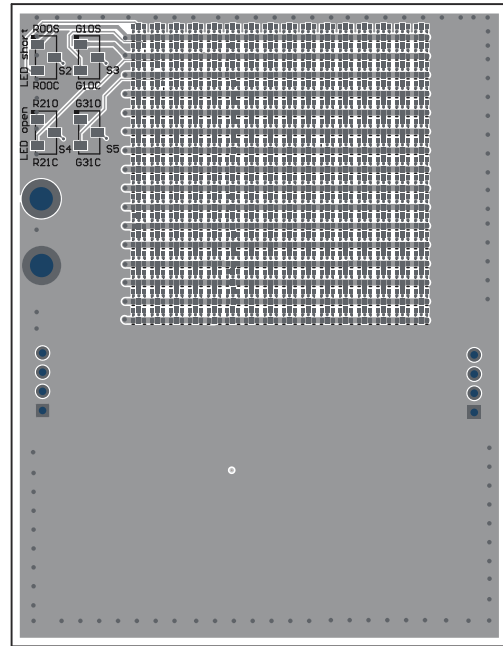


Figure 6-4. LP5890EVM Bottom Layer

7 Bill of Materials

Table 7-1 lists the bill of materials for LP5890EVM.

Table 7-1. Bill of Materials

Designator	Qty.	Description	Part Number	Manufacturer
C1, C3, C4	3	CAP, CERM, 1 μ F, 10 V, \pm 20%, X5R, 0402	CC0402MRX5R6BB105	Yageo America
C2, C5, C7, C9	4	CAP, CERM, 10 μ F, 10 V, \pm 10%, X7T, 0603	ZRB18AD71A106KE01L	MuRata
C6	1	CAP, CERM, 120 pF, 50 V, \pm 1%, C0G/NP0, 0603	VJ0603A121FXACW1BC	Vishay-Sprague
C8	1	CAP, CERM, 4.7 μ F, 10 V, \pm 10%, X5R, 0603	CGB3B1X5R1A475K055AC	TDK
D1_M0... D128_M1	256	LED, RGB, SMD	EAST1616RGBA8	Everlight
J1, J2	2	Header, 2.54mm, 10x2, Gold, SMT	TSM-110-01-L-DV	Samtec
J3	1	Header, 100mil, 4x1, Gold, R/A, TH	TSW-104-08-G-S-RA	Samtec
J4	1	Receptacle, 100mil, 4x1, Gold, R/A, TH	PPPC041LGBN-RC	Sullins Connector Solutions
J5, J6, J7	3	Header, 2 mm, 3x1, Gold, SMT	TMM-103-01-G-S-SM	Samtec
L1	1	Inductor, Shielded, Metal Composite, 470 nH, 3.6 A, 0.032 ohm, SMD	DFE201610E-R47M=P2	MuRata
LBL1	1	Thermal Transfer Printable Labels, 0.650" W x 0.200" H - 10,000 per roll	THT-14-423-10	Brady
R1	1	RES, 7.87 k, 1%, 0.063 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 0, 0402	CRCW04027K87FKED	Vishay-Dale
R2	1	RES, 51.1 k, 0.1%, 0.1 W, 0603	RT0603BRD0751K1L	Yageo America
R3	1	RES, 100 k, 1%, 0.1 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 0, 0603	CRCW0603100KFKEA	Vishay-Dale
R4	1	RES, 226 k, 1%, 0.1 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 0, 0603	CRCW0603226KFKEA	Vishay-Dale
S1, S2, S3, S4, S5	5	Switch, Slide, SPDT 100 mA, SMT	CAS-120TA	Copal Electronics
SH-J1, SH-J2, SH-J3	3	Shunt, 2 mm, Gold plated, Black	2SN-BK-G	Samtec
TP1, TP2	2	Terminal, Turret, TH, Double	1503-2	Keystone
U1	1	48 Current Sources, 32 Scans, Common Cathode Matrix LED Display Driver	LP5890RRFR	Texas Instruments
U2	1	2-A High Efficiency Synchronous Buck Converter, DMQ0006A (VSON-HR-6)	TPS62825DMQT	Texas Instruments

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CAUTION

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 undesired operation.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

FCC Interference Statement for Class A EVM devices

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

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Concernant les EVMs avec antennes détachables

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