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 - When EVM readiness is complete, energize the EVM as intended.

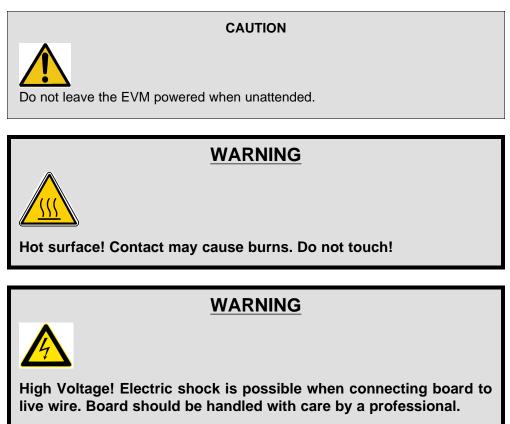


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- Personal Safety:
 - Wear personal protective equipment, for example, latex gloves and/or safety glasses with side shields or protect EVM in an adequate lucent plastic box with interlocks from accidental touch.
- Limitation for Safe Use:
 - EVMs are not to be used as all or part of a production unit.

Safety and Precautions

The EVM is designed for professionals who have received the appropriate technical training, and is designed to operate from an AC power supply or a high-voltage DC supply. Please read this user guide and the safety-related documents that come with the EVM package before operating this EVM.



For safety, use of isolated test equipment with overvoltage and overcurrent protection is highly recommended.



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The LMG3410-HB-EVM features two LMG3410 600V/12A GaN power transistors with integrated drivers that are configured in a half bridge with all the required bias circuit and logic/power level shifting. Essential power stage and gate driving high frequency current loops are fully enclosed on the board to minimize parasitic inductances, reducing voltage overshoots and improving performance. The LMG3410-HB-EVM is configured to have a socket style external connection for easy interface with external power stages to run the LMG3410 in various applications.

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1 Description

The LMG3410-HB-EVM operates as a daughter card as part of a larger custom designed system or with the LMG34XX-BB-EVM breakout motherboard.

1.1 LMG3410-HB-EVM

The LMG3410-HB-EVM configures two LMG3410 GaN FETs in a half bridge. All the bias and level shifting components are included, allowing low side referenced signals to control both FETs. High frequency bypass capacitors are included on the power stage in an optimized layout to minimize parasitic inductance and reduce voltage overshoot.

There are 6 logic pins on the FET card

Pin	Description
AGND	Logic and bias power ground return pin. Functionally isolated from PGND.
12V	Auxiliary power input for when the LMG3410-HB-EVM is configured in bootstrap mode. Pin is not used when configured in isolated power mode.
5V	Auxiliary power input for the LMG3410-HB-EVM. Used to power logic isolators. Used as input bias power of LMG3410 devices when configured in isolated power mode.
FAULT	Logic AND output from FAULT signal from LMG3410. Pin is either pulled to AGND or 5V.
Q2 Gate	AGND referenced logic gate signal input for bottom LMG3410. Compatible with both 3.3V and 5V logic.
Q1 Gate	AGND referenced logic gate signal input for top LMG3410. Compatible with both 3.3V and 5V logic.

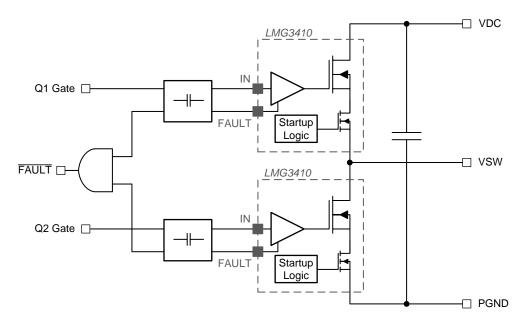
Table 1. Logic Pin Function Description

There are 3 power pins on the FET card.

Table 2. Power Pin Function Description

Pin	Description
VSW	Switch node of the half bridge
VDC	Input DC voltage of the half bridge
PGND	Power ground of the half bridge. Functionally isolated from AGND.





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Figure 1. Simplified LMG3410-HB-EVM Schematic

CAUTION

High-voltage levels are present on the evaluation module whenever it is energized. Proper precautions must be taken when working with the EVM.

1.1.1 FAULT

The FAULT pin of LMG3410-HB-EVM is active low when an under voltage lockout on an auxiliary voltage rail, over temperature or overcurrent even occurs on the LMG3410. The FAULT signal for both LMG3410 devices are level shifted to AGND, where they are logic AND connected to the FAULT pin.

CAUTION

Please do NOT ignore \overline{FAULT} signal when using LMG3410-HB-EVM. Turn off both top and bottom devices, if any device is generating \overline{FAULT} signal. The device under fault condition may operate in undesired 3rd-quadrant mode and may be over heated and damaged due to the high source-drain voltage drop if the other device is still switching.

1.1.2 Power Pins

While there are some power stage bypass capacitors on the LMG3410-HB-EVM from VDC to PGND to minimize voltage overshoot during switching, more bulk capacitance is required to hold up the DC voltage during operation. It is highly recommended to minimize, and ideally prevent, any overlap and parasitic capacitance from VSW to VDC, PGND and any logic pins. The two grounds PGND and AGND are functionally isolated from each other on the LMG3410-HB-EVM.



1.1.3 Bootstrap Mode

The LMG3410-HB-EVM card can be modified to operate in bootstrap mode, where the 12V bias voltage is used to power both LMG3410 devices. This can be achieved by removing U3, U4 and R2, and placing a 20 Ω resistor on R1, a 0 Ω resistor on R18 and a 600V SOD-123 diode on D1, such as Micro Commercial Components UFM15PL-TP. Do NOT power up the LMG3410-HB-EVM when R1, R2, R18, D1, U3 and U4 are all populated.

1.1.4 Heatsink

Heatsink is installed to help with heat dissipation of the LMG3410. Exposed copper pads that are attached to the die attach pad (DAP) of both the high and low side devices are provided for a low thermal impedance point to a heatsink. The two copper pads have high voltage potential difference between them so an electrically isolative thermal interface material (TIM) is required. Bergquist BP100-0.005-00-1112 double sided adhesive tape TIM and Cool Innovations 3-101004U heatsink are recommended.

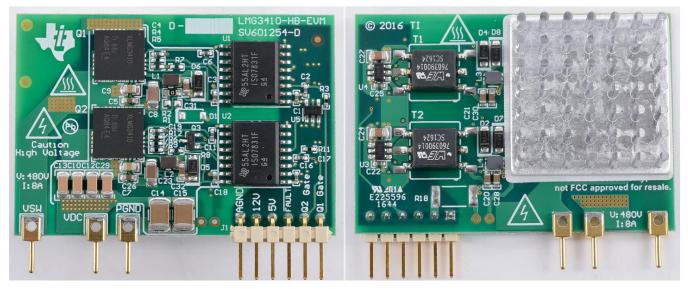


Figure 2. Front and Back Side Photos of LMG3410-HB-EVM

1.2 LMG34XX-BB-EVM

To allow for quick operation the LMG34XX-BB-EVM is available to interface with the LMG3410-HB-EVM. This mother board is designed to operate the LMG3410 as a synchronous open loop buck converter. Easy probe locations are provided for measurement of logic and power stage voltages.

1.2.1 Bias Supply

The motherboard requires one 12V bias supply. A linear drop off regulator steps the voltage down to a tightly regulated 5V for logic and auxiliary power of the LMG3410 when the LMG3410-HB-EVM is configured in isolated power mode. When the LMG3410-HB-EVM is configured in bootstrap mode the 12V input is used to power the two LMG3410 devices.

1.2.2 Logic PWM Input

The LMG34XX-BB-EVM supports a single PWM, with complimentary signal and corresponding dead time generated on board. A 0 V to 5 V magnitude input square wave is required. The complementary PWM generation circuit creates 50 ns of dead time between both transitions of the PWM signals.

1.2.3 Fault Protection

There is an option to disable PWM input to the FET card in the event of a fault signal from the LMG3410-HB-EVM. When the FAULT Protect jumper is placed in the EN mode PWM is disabled when either LMG3410 has an active fault. This disable is not latching, so when the fault clears PWM immediately resumes. If FAULT Protect mode is not desired it can be disabled by placing the jumper in the DIS position. The FAULT LED will still illuminate when either LMG3410 has an active fault, regardless of the position of FAULT Protect jumper.

1.3 Typical Applications

The LMG3410-HB-EVM is designed for use in AC/DC, DC/DC and DC/AC applications

- Totem-Pole PFC converters
- Phase-Shifted Full Bridge or LLC Converter
- Buck converter such as the LMG34XX-BB-EVM

1.4 Features

The LMG3410-HB-EVM has the following features and specifications:

- Two options to bias the LMG3410, isolated power or from bootstrap diode
- Over temperature, overcurrent, and under voltage lockout protection with FAULT indication that is level shifted to an AGND referenced signal
- Gate logic input support of either 3.3V or 5V logic
- Maximum recommended operating voltage of 480V and absolute maximum voltage of 600V

The LMG34XX-BB-EVM has the following features and specifications:

- Requires only a single 12V bias supply
- Requires only a single 0V to 5V PWM input to generate gate drive signal
- PWM disable in the event of a fault from the LMG3410-HB-EVM
- Maximum recommended operating voltage of 480V and absolute maximum voltage of 600V
- Maximum recommended operating inductor current of 8A

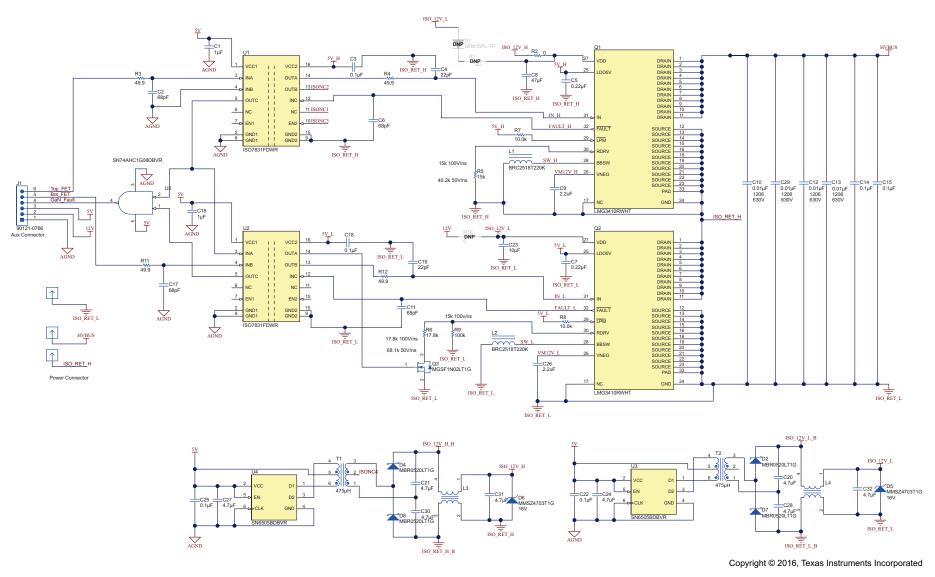
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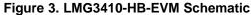


Schematic

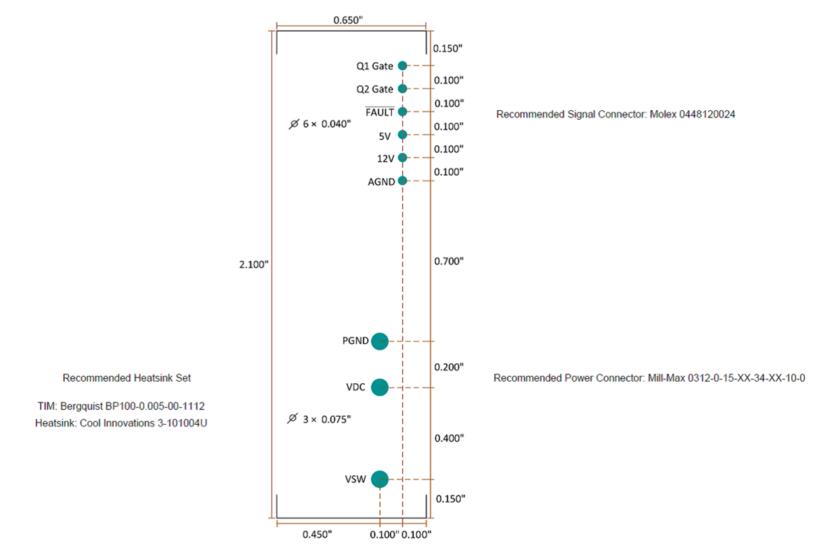
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2 Schematic





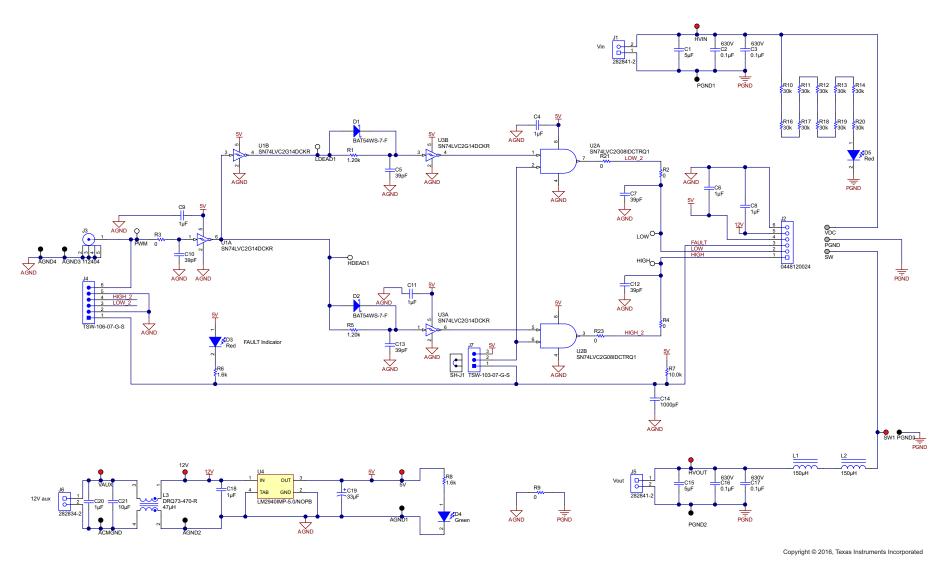








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3 Test Setup

3.1 Test Equipment

DC Voltage Source: Capable of supplying the input of the EVM up to 480 V

DC Bias Source: Capable of 12 V output at up to 0.7 A

Function Generator: Capable of 0 V to 5 V square wave output with adjustable duty cycle and frequency in desired operating range. It is recommended to operate the LMG3410-HB-EVM and LMG34XX-BB-EVM with a switching frequency between 50 kHz to 200 kHz.

Oscilloscope: Capable of at least 200 MHz operation. A 1 GHz or greater oscilloscope and probes with short ground springs are recommended for accurate measurements.

DC Multimeter(s): Capable of 600 V measurement, suitable for determining operation and efficiency (if desired).

DC Load: Capable of 600 V operation at up to 8 A in current-mode operation.

Fan: 200 LFM minimum airflow is recommended

3.2 Recommended Test Setup

The LMG3410-HB-EVM connects to the LMG34XX-BB-EVM as Figure 6 shows.

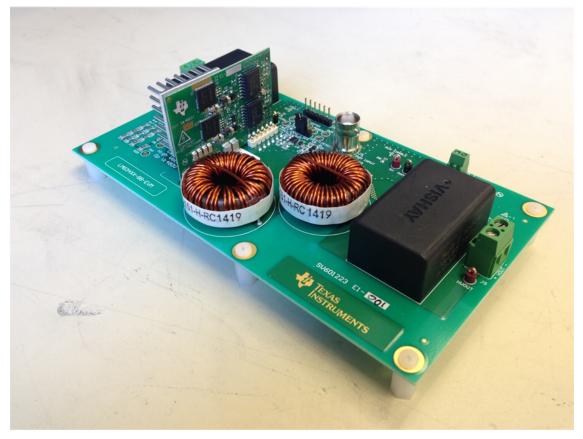


Figure 6. LMG3410-HB-EVM Connected with LMG34XX-BB-EVM

The LMG34XX-BB-EVM power and probe connection points are shown in Figure 7.



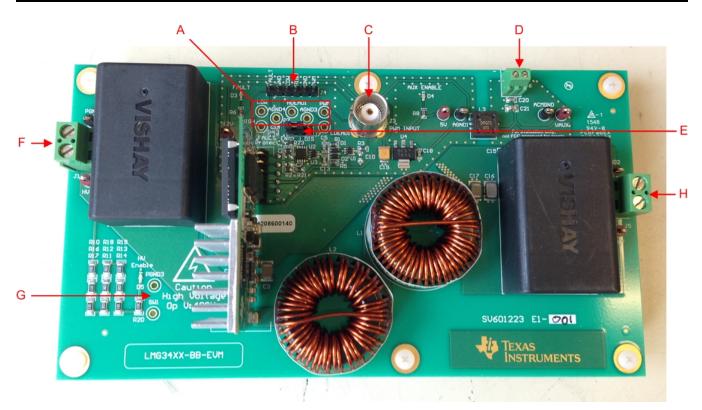


Figure 7. Recommended Connection Points

PCB Notes:

- Probe points for gate drive logic
- 100 mil header for PWM input, PWM signals to LMG3410-HB-EVM and FAULT output
- BNC connector for PWM input
- 12V bias supply input
- FAULT Protection option header
- Power stage high voltage input
- Probe point for power stage switch node
- Power stage high voltage output

WARNING

There are very high voltages present on the EVM. Some components reach temperatures above 50°C. Precautions must be taken when handling the board.

3.3 List of Test Points

Key test points on this EVM have been designed for use with oscilloscope probes with short ground springs. Using the short ground spring instead of the alligator ground lead will minimize measurement error and produce a cleaner signal with the fast switching GaN devices used on this EVM. The data shown in this user guide has been obtained using such a measurement method.

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Table 3. Test Point Functional Description

NAME	DESCRIPTION
VAUX	12 V bias input connection before filter
ACMGND	Ground for 12 V bias input before filter
5V	5 V bias
AGND1	Analog ground for logic
PWM	Single input PWM signal
LDEAD1	Low side PWM signal before dead time generation
AGND3	Analog ground for logic
HDEAD1	High side PWM signal before dead time generation
AGND4	Analog ground for logic
LOW	Low side PWM signal with dead time
HIGH	High side PWM signal with dead time
AGND2	Analog ground for logic
12V	12 V bias after filter
PGND1	Power ground
HVIN	DC input voltage
PGND2	Power ground
HVOUT	DC output voltage
PGND3	Power ground
SW1	Switch node voltage

3.4 List of Terminals

Table 4. List of Terminals

TERMINAL	NAME	DESCRIPTION
J1	VIN	Input DC voltage input
J5	VOUT	Output DC voltage output
J6	12V AUX	12 V bias voltage input
J3	PWM INPUT	Single 0 V to 5 V PWM input for gate
J4	LOGIC	Header to connect PWM, FAULT logic
J2	HB Card PIN	Connector to interface LMG3410-HB-EVM board

4 **Test Procedure**

4.1 Setup

The following procedure is recommended to set up the LMG34XX-BB-EVM with the LMG3410-HB-EVM:

- Connect LMG3410-HB-EVM to LMG34XX-BB-EVM •
- Connect oscilloscope or multimeter probes to desired test points as shown in A or G
- Connect the 12 V bias supply, load to the output, and input supply to the input
- Connect the function generator to either the BNC connector PWM input at C or 100 mil header connector input at pin 6 (PWM) and pin 5 (GND) at B.
- Enable an external fan to direct airflow across the heatsink attached to the LMG3410-HB-EVM

4.2 Startup and Operating Procedure

The following procedure is recommended to enable the LMG34XX-BB-EVM with the LMG3410-HB-EVM:

- 1. Power up the 12 V bias supply. Ensure the top right green "Aux Enable" LED is illuminated.
- 2. Enable PWM on the function generator
- 3. Power up high voltage input supply. Ensure the red "HV Enable" LED is illuminated when the input supply is above 20 V.

WARNING

Do NOT turn on device at absolute maximum voltage. It is recommended to start at voltages at or below 480 V, and then increase the input voltage slowly while monitoring V_{sw} to insure the peak voltage does not exceed the absolute maximum rating of 600 V.

4.3 Shutdown Procedure

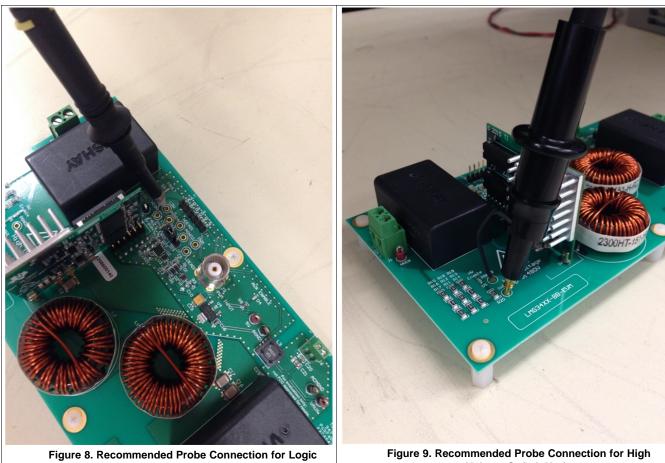
- 1. Turn off input supply then PWM. Wait until red "HV Enable" LED turns off.
- 2. Disable 12 V bias supply

4.4 Additional Operation Notes

Fault protection on the LMG34XX-BB-EVM is not latching, so if a fault clears and the LMG34XX-BB-EVM is still operational PWM will resume.



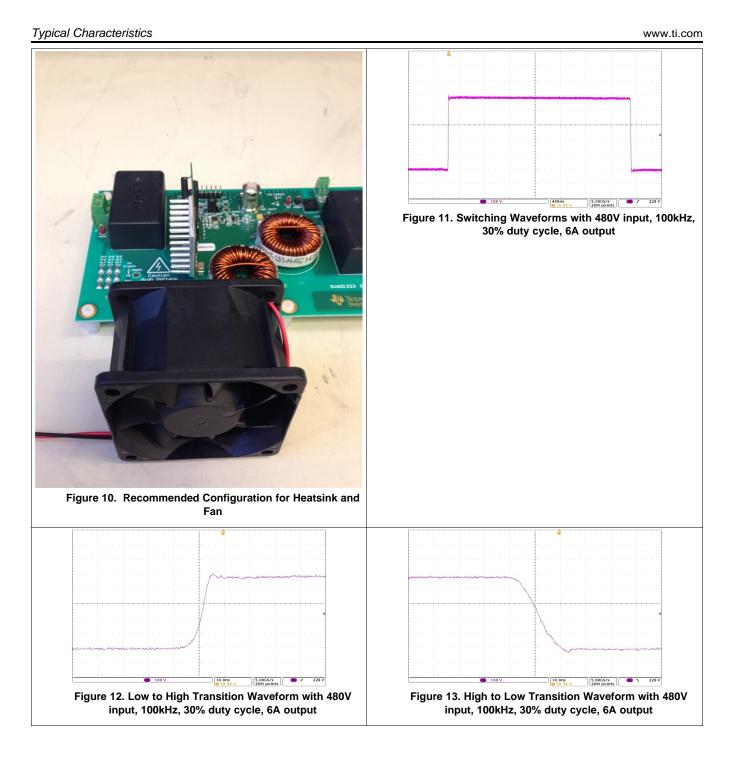
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Signals

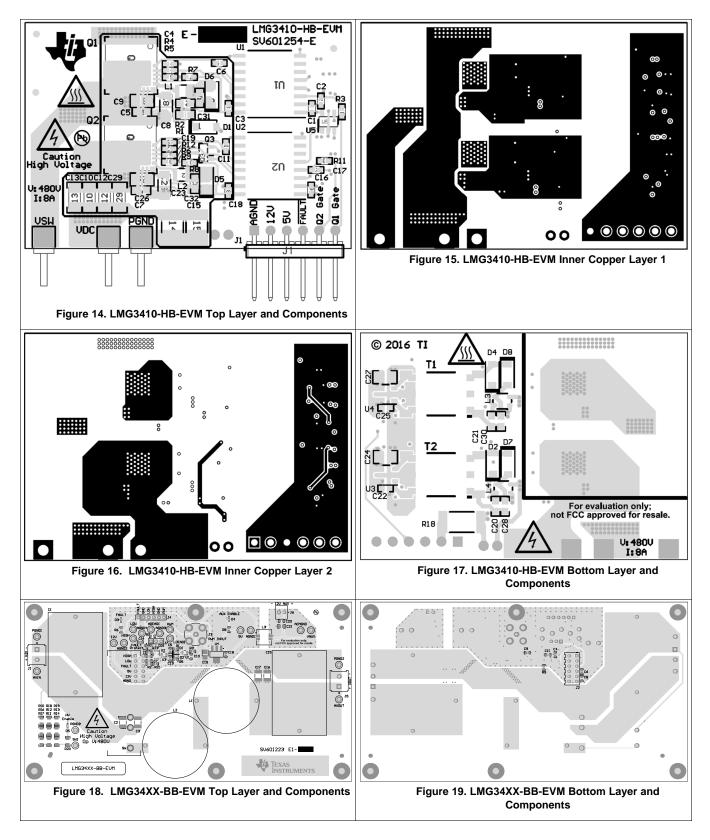
Voltage Switch Node







6 EVM Assembly Drawing and PCB Layout





Bill of Materials

7 Bill of Materials

Qty	Designator	Description	Part Number	Manufacturer
2	C1, C16	CAP, CERM, 1 µF, 16 V, +/- 10%, X5R, 0402	EMK105BJ105KVHF	Taiyo Yuden
4	C2, C6, C11, C17	CAP, CERM, 68 pF, 50 V, +/- 5%, C0G/NP0, 0402	GRM1555C1H680JA01D	MuRata
4	C3, C18, C22, C25	CAP, CERM, 0.1 µF, 50 V, +/- 10%, X7R, 0402	C1005X7R1H104K050BB	TDK
2	C4, C19	CAP, CERM, 22 pF, 50 V, +/- 5%, C0G/NP0, 0402	C1005C0G1H220J050BA	TDK
2	C5, C7	CAP, CERM, 0.22 µF, 50 V, +/- 10%, X7R, 0603	C1608X7R1H224K080AB	TDK
1	C8	CAP, CERM, 47 µF, 25 V, +/- 20%, X5R, 1206_190	C3216X5R1E476M160AC	TDK
2	C9, C26	CAP, CERM, 2.2uF, 25V, +/-10%, X7R, 0805	GRM21BR71E225KA73L	MuRata
4	C10, C12, C13, C29	CAP, CERM, 0.01uF, 630V, +/-10%, X7R, 1206	GRM31BR72J103KW01L	MuRata
2	C14, C15	CAP, CERM, 0.1 µF, 1000 V, +/- 10%, X7R, 1812	C1812W104KDRACTU	Kemet
6	C20, C21, C28, C30, C31, C32	CAP, CERM, 4.7 µF, 35 V, +/- 10%, X5R, 0603	GRM188R6YA475KE15D	MuRata
1	C23	CAP, CERM, 10 μF, 25 V, +/- 10%, X7R, 1206_190	C1206C106K3RACTU	Kemet
2	C24, C27	CAP, CERM, 4.7 μF, 16 V, +/- 10%, X7R, AEC-Q200 Grade 1, 0805	GCM21BR71C475KA73K	MuRata
4	D2, D4, D7, D8	Diode, Schottky, 20 V, 0.5 A, SOD-123	MBR0520LT1G	ON Semiconductor
2	D5, D6	Diode, Zener, 16 V, 500 mW, SOD-123	MMSZ4703T1G	ON Semiconductor
1	HS1	'Cool Innovations Heat sink 1.00"x1.00"	3-101004U	Cool Innovations
1	J1	Header, 2.54mm, 6x1, Gold, R/A, TH	90121-0766	Molex
2	L1, L2	Inductor, Wirewound, 22 µH, 0.49 A, 0.56 ohm, SMD	BRC2518T220K	Taiyo Yuden
2	L3, L4	Coupled inductor, 0.2 A, 0.45 ohm, SMD	ACM2520-601-2P-T002	TDK
2	Q1, Q2	600-V 12-A Single Channel GaN Power Stage, RWH0032A (VQFN-32)	LMG3410RWHT	Texas Instruments
1	Q3	MOSFET, N-CH, 20 V, 0.75 A, SOT-23	MGSF1N02LT1G	ON Semiconductor
1	R2	RES, 0, 5%, 0.1 W, 0603	CRCW06030000Z0EA	Vishay-Dale
4	R3, R4, R11, R12	RES, 49.9, 1%, 0.063 W, 0402	RC0402FR-0749R9L	Yageo America
1	R5	RES, 15 k, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	CRCW040215K0JNED	Vishay-Dale
1	R6	RES, 17.8 k, 1%, 0.063 W, 0402	CRCW040217K8FKED	Vishay-Dale
2	R7, R8	RES, 10.0 k, 1%, 0.1 W, 0402	ERJ-2RKF1002X	Panasonic
1	R9	RES, 100 k, 1%, 0.063 W, 0402	RC1005F104CS	Samsung Electro- Mechanics
2	T1, T2	Transformer, 475uH, SMT	760390014	Wurth Elektronik
1	TIM1	'Bergquist double sided thermal tape	'TI-Bond Ply100 0.005"/.127mm(1).cu- 27.0mm by 27.0mm	Bergquist
3	TP1, TP2, TP3	Edge-Mount Pin, Gold	3620-1-32-15-00-00-08-0	Mill-Max
2	U1, U2	High-Performance, 8000 VPK Reinforced Triple Digital Isolator, DW0016B	ISO7831FDWR	Texas Instruments
2	U3, U4	Low-Noise 1 A, 420 kHz Transformer Driver, DBV0006A (SOT-6)	SN6505BDBVR	Texas Instruments
1	U5	Single 2-Input Positive-AND Gate, DBV0005A	SN74AHC1G08DBVR	Texas Instruments

Table 5. LMG3410-HB-EVM List of Materials

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Qty	Designator	Description	Part Number	Manufacturer
5	5V, 12V, HVIN, HVOUT, VAUX	Test Point, Compact, Red, TH	5005	Keystone
5	ACMGND, AGND1, AGND2, PGND1, PGND2	Test Point, Compact, Black, TH	5006	Keystone
2	C1, C15	CAP, Film, 5 µF, 1000 V, +/- 5%, 0.016 ohm, TH	MKP1848S55010JP2C	Vishay-Components
4	C2, C3, C16, C17	CAP, CERM, 0.1uF, 630V, +/-10%, X7R, 1812	GRM43DR72J104KW01L	MuRata
5	C4, C6, C8, C9, C11	CAP, CERM, 1 µF, 25 V, +/- 10%, X7R, 0603	C1608X7R1E105K080AB	TDK
2	C5, C13	CAP, CERM, 39 pF, 50 V, +/- 5%, C0G/NP0, 0603	C1608C0G1H390J	TDK
1	C14	CAP, CERM, 1000 pF, 25 V, +/- 5%, C0G/NP0, 0603	GRM1885C1E102JA01D	MuRata
2	C18, C20	CAP, CERM, 1 µF, 25 V, +/- 10%, X7R, 0603	GRM188R71E105KA12D	MuRata
1	C19	CAP, TA, 33 µF, 16 V, +/- 10%, 0.35 ohm, SMD	TPSB336K016R0350	AVX
1	C21	CAP, CERM, 10 µF, 25 V, +/- 10%, X5R, 0805	GRM219R61E106KA12D	MuRata
2	D1, D2	Diode, Schottky, 30 V, 0.2 A, SOD-323	BAT54WS-7-F	Diodes Inc.
2	D3, D5	LED, Red, SMD	LS L29K-G1J2-1-Z	OSRAM
	D4	LED, Green, SMD	LG L29K-G2J1-24-Z	OSRAM
6	H1, H2, H3, H4, H9, H10	Machine Screw, Round, #4-40 x 1/4, Nylon, Philips panhead	NY PMS 440 0025 PH	B and F Fastener Supply
6	H5, H6, H7, H8, H11, H12	Standoff, Hex, 0.5"L #4-40 Nylon	1902C	Keystone
2	J1, J5	Terminal Block, 2x1, 5.08mm, TH	282841-2	TE Connectivity
1	J2	Receptacle, 2.54mm, 6x1, Gold, TH	448120024	Molex
1	J3	Connector, TH, BNC	112404	Amphenol Connex
1	J4	Header, 100mil, 6x1, Gold, TH	TSW-106-07-G-S	Samtec
1	J6	Terminal Block, 2x1, 2.54mm, TH	282834-2	TE Connectivity
1	J7	Header, 100mil, 3x1, Gold, TH	TSW-103-07-G-S	Samtec
2	L1, L2	Inductor, Toroid, 150 µH, 7.5 A, 0.05 ohm, TH	2300HT-151-H-RC	Bourns
1	L3	Coupled inductor, 47 µH, 1.14 A, 0.241 ohm, +/- 20%, SMD	DRQ73-470-R	Cooper Bussman
3	PGND, SW, VDC	Pin Receptacle, .032046" .075" Dia, Gold, TH	0312-0-15-15-34-27-10-0	Mill-Max
2	R1, R5	RES, 1.20 k, 1%, 0.1 W, 0603	RC0603FR-071K2L	Yageo America
5	R2, R3, R4, R9, R21, R23	RES, 0, 5%, 0.1 W, 0603	CRCW06030000Z0EA	Vishay-Dale
2	R6, R8	RES, 1.6 k, 5%, 0.1 W, 0603	CRCW06031K60JNEA	Vishay-Dale
1	R7	RES, 10.0 k, 1%, 0.1 W, 0603	ERJ-3EKF1002V	Panasonic
10	R10, R11, R12, R13, R14, R16, R17, R18, R19, R20	RES, 30 k, 5%, 0.25 W, 1206	CRCW120630K0JNEA	Vishay-Dale
1	SH-J1	Shunt, 100mil, Gold plated, Black	969102-0000-DA	3M
2	U1, U3	Dual Schmitt-Trigger Inverter, DCK0006A	SN74LVC2G14DCKR	Texas Instruments
1	U2	DUAL 2-INPUT POSITIVE-AND GATE, DCT0008A	SN74LVC2G08IDCTRQ1	Texas Instruments
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