

# An SIC4310 Development Kit with LCD and temperature sensor

### **Features Summary**

#### SIC4310: RFID Tag IC with UART Interface

- Compatible with NFC tag type 2
- 228-byte EEPROM (196-byte user memory)
- Direct data transfer between RFID and UART
- Operating from either RF-harvesting or external supply
- Up to 10mA current sourcing to external circuit (depends on harvested power from RF)
- UART speed from 9600 to 115200 bps

#### **Supported Protocols**

ISO14443A @106kbps

#### Microcontroller

STM32F051 ARM Cortex M0

#### **Hardware Features**

- Closed Coupling Antenna: size 45 x 30 mm
- 1x LCD (16 char x 2 line)
- 1xLED direct controlled by SIC4310
- 1x programmable function button
- On-board temperature sensor
- Dimension: 85.47 mm x 47.63 mm

#### **Power Options**

fully passive mode or 3.3V external supply mode selectable by jumper

## Interfaces

- SIC4310 interface: UART 115.2 kbps
- Host Interfaces : SPI/ I2C/UART
- SWP interface connector for programming and debugging

#### **Operating Conditions**

- Storage temperature from -20 to 70°C
- Operating temperature from -30 to 80°C
- Input operating voltage 3.3V

#### **Information Support**

- Hardware Manual
- Protocol Information
- Demonstration Android Application
- Software/Firmware source code are available per request

### **Applications**

- Firmware Upgrade via NFC
- NFC Bridge for embedded system products
- NFC powering sensor
- Metering/Vending machine
- Smart Interactive Poster
- Smart Home Appliances
- Wireless industrial machine interface
- Customized, proprietary system RFID
- Smart toy/ Videogames affiliate
- Display-less home appliances



SIC4310-FU, An SIC4310 Development Kit with LCD and temperature sensor

#### **General Description**

The SIC4310-FU is a development kit of SIC4310, a high-performance ISO14443A RFID tag IC with UART interface from Silicon Craft Technology. The SIC4310-FU is integrated with peripheral components e.g. antenna, LCD, LED, function button, and temperature sensor. These components work perfectly with ARM CORTEX-M0 STM32F051 microcontroller, to indicate the possibilities of using SIC4310 in many applications.

Base on pin selection, the power source of SIC4310 can be selected to be the external 3.3V power supply or harvesting power from the RF. Not only for supplying SIC4310 itself, but the harvested power can also source current to the external circuit up to 10mA. This feature makes SIC4310 to be the "NFC Enabler" by sourcing the power from NFC phone to the external circuit as well as communicating the data in the same time.

SIC4310-FU use UART as a main channel to interface between SIC4310 and STM32F051. However, the communication ports are provided with all major communication protocols nowadays e.g. SPI, I2C, and UART. User can use these ports to connect between host computer and SIC4310-FU to command and monitor the SIC4310-FU. Moreover, SWP port is provided for the developer to program and debug the SIC4310-FU via the debugger.

All support information as well as the demonstration Android application is already provided on the website. However, Software and Firmware source code are available per request.

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# **Revision History**

Revision	Date	Description/ Change / Updated / Comment	Hardware version	Product Code
1.0	September2013	1 <sup>st</sup> Release	SIC4310-FU v1.2	P102HS4310FU-01
1.1	December 2013	Correct the description of JGND jumper	SIC4310-FU v1.2	P102HS4310FU-01

# **Ordering Information**

Product Code	Package				
P102HS4310FU-01	An SIC4310 Development Kit with LCD				
	and temperature sensor				

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## 1. Functional Overview

The SIC4310-FU is an SIC4310 Development Kit with LCD and temperature sensor. Its main purpose is to demonstrate usage and performance of the RFID Tag IC with UART Interface "SIC4310". **Figure 3** shows a simplified schematic diagram of the SIC4310-FU. The RF connection topology of the SIC4310-FU is a close-coupling antenna network. By pin selection (JP), the power supply can be either an external 3.3V or the harvested power from RF\*.

Demonstration software for Android phone is able to download at Google Play store. It can be used as a guideline based on the applications. The sample GUI pictures of the demonstration software are illustrated in **Figure 1**.

\*For supplying external 3.3V to SIC4310-HARVEST, please read the application note ""Supplying the external power to SIC4310" to understand how to supply the power to SIC4310.



Figure 1 The GUI pictures of the demonstration software

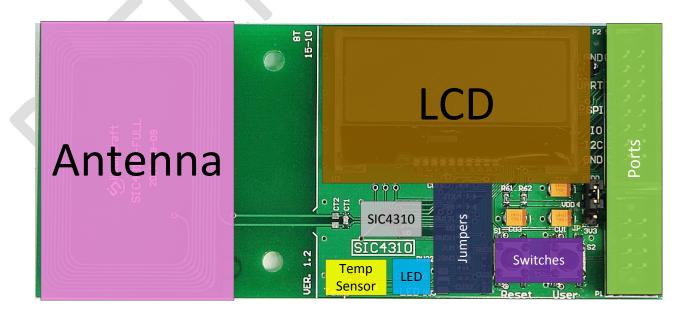


Figure 2 SIC4310-FU board layout



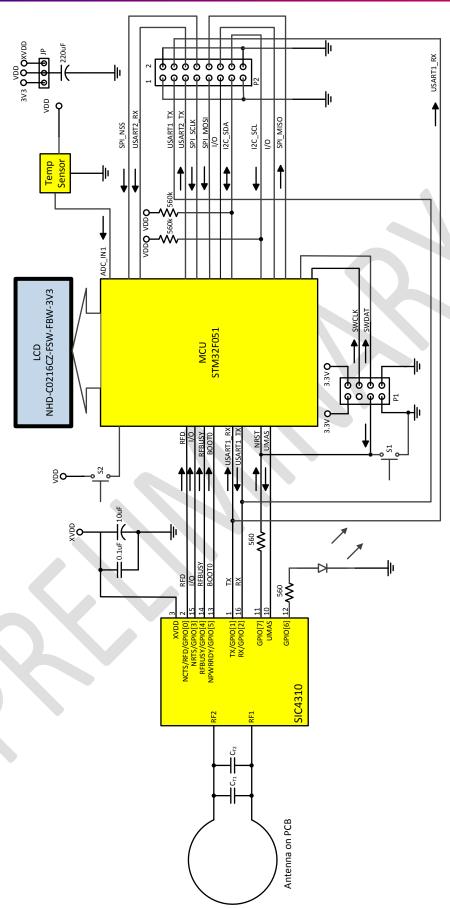


Figure 3 Simplified Schematic diagram of SIC4310-FU



# 2. Port and Pin Selection

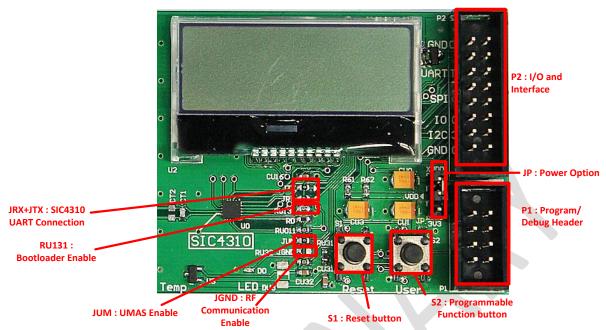


Figure 4 SIC4310-FU Picture shows key jumper and ports.

Table 1 Port and Ju	umper in SIC4310-FU	
Port/Jumper	Name	Note
P1	Program Header	3.3V
P2	I/O and Interface	GND O GND  USART1_TX O USART1_RX  USART2_TX O USART2_RX  SPI_SCK O SPI_NSS  SPI_MOSI O SPI_MISO  I/O MCU1 O O I/O MCU2  I2C_SDA GND O GND
JP	Power Option	= Use external 3.3V to supply the circuit (except SIC4310)
		= Use harvested power form RF to supply the circuit    VOD   VOD
JRX+JTX	SIC4310 UART Connection	= Connected  OO OO = Disconnected
RU131	Boot loader Enable	= Force to always run (cannot enter boot loader)  Boot loader enabled (controlled by SIC4310)
JUM	UMAS Enable	= UMAS pin is able to control by MCU  OO = UMAS pin cannot controlled by MCU
JGND	UMAS Control Enable	= UMAS pin is forced to '0' (RF Communication is enabled, EEPROM R/W via UART is disabled)  OO = UMAS pin is able to control by MCU if JUM is connected
S1	Reset button	Push to reset STM32F051
S2	Programmable Function Button	Function can be set through firmware programming



# 3. Specifications

# 3.1 Absolute maximum rating

Stresses above those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the device. Exposure to the absolute maximum rating conditions for an extended period of time may affect the device reliability. Only one absolute maximum rating can be applied at a time.

Table 2 Absolute maximum rating						
Parameter Rating						
Power supply input voltage (P1 and P2)	3V to 3.6V					
Operating Temperature Range	-20 °C to +70 °C					
Storage Temperature Range	-30°C to +80°C					

# 3.2 Electrical characteristic

Table 3 Operating condition							
Parameter	Description	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Conditions	
VDD	Input Supply Voltage	3	3.3	3.6	V		
I <sub>XVDD</sub>	Supply current at XVDD pin			10	mA	<ul> <li>Read range = 0</li> <li>Up to the power supplied from the NFC phone</li> </ul>	

Table 4 Performance Characteristic							
Parameter	Description	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Conditions	
Read range	Read range		TBD		cm		
UART Speed	UART Communication Speed	9.6		115.2	Kbit/s		
Temp. range	Temperature range of temperature sensor	-40		125	°C		

Table 5 Physical Characteristic							
Parameter	Description	Value	Unit	Conditions			
Dimension	Width	85.47	mm				
	Length	47.63	mm				
	Height	16	mm				
Weight	Weight	TDB	gram				

Table 6 LCD Characteristic							
Parameter	Description	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Conditions	
	Width	24.0	24.3	24.6	mm		
Dimension	Length	41.1	41.4	41.7	mm		
	Height	3.7	4.0	4.3	mm		
Viousing angle	Vertical	-60		+35	0	Cr ≥ 2	
Viewing angle	Horizontal	-40		+40	0	Cr ≥ 2	
Cr	Contrast Ratio		6				
Tr	Response time - rise		150	250	ms		
Tf	Response time - fall		150	250	ms		



# 4. Usage

Before operating the SIC4310-FU, user shall check the following lists to ensure the correct operation.

## 4.1 Power setup

The Power option jumper "JP" shall be set by the user to match the specific application before power-up the SIC4310-FU.

If SIC4310 is set to **use the external 3.3V supply**, user shall follow the instructions in "Special configuration for using external supply voltage" application note before power-up the SIC4310-FU.





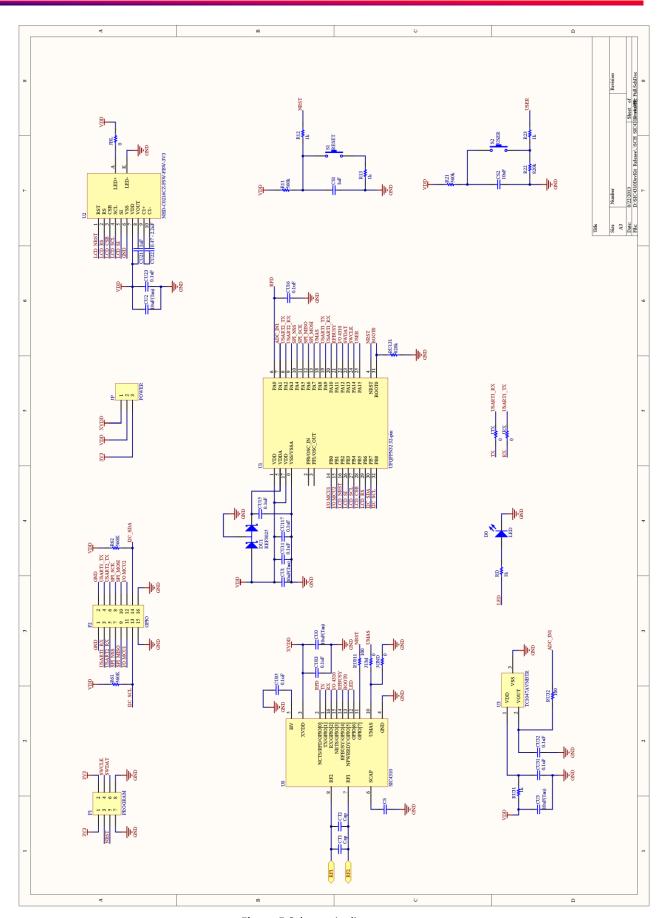


Figure 5 Schematic diagram