

Users' Guide of BM77SPP03 EVB

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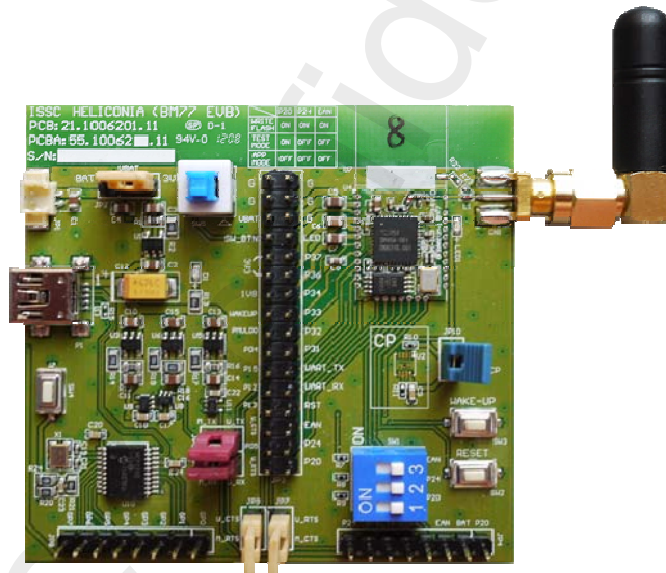
1. Overview

This EVB is for Bluetooth 4.0 dual solutions development and verification. It's made of ISSC BM77 SPP module. The main power supply of this EVB is USB 5V or Li-Ion BAT. The main power source gets into BM77 module, and the power management unit of this module will generate 3V3 and 1V8 out to provide the power of the IC. The mini USB connector only provides the 5V power from PC, it doesn't provide the charger function to charge battery.

There are two push buttons of this EVB- the "Reset" and "Wake-Up". When the module is in idle mode for a long time, it will get into sleep mode automatically for saving power. Press the Wake-Up button when you want to leave the sleep mode.

1.1. Outlook

1. BM77 EVB with BM77SPP Module

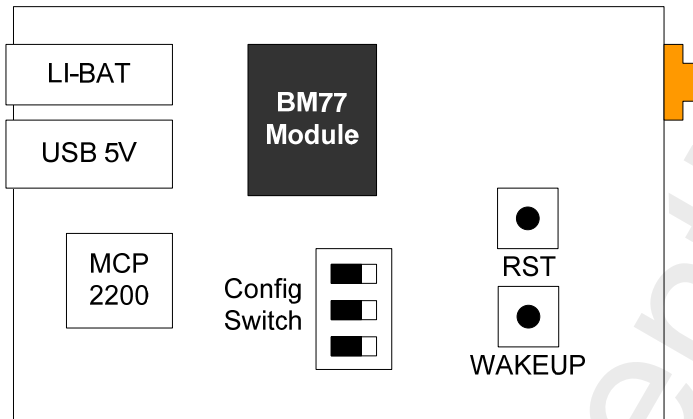


1.2. Features

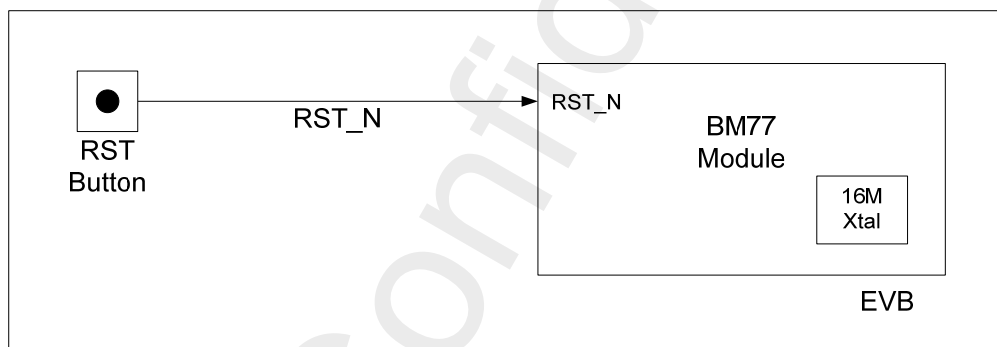
- Easy connect module with MUC or PC without welding
- Easy change EEPROM settings and update firmware code
- Switch for different modes settings (Flash write, EEPROM modified, Application)
- Jumper for 32- pin out
- Embedded MCP2200 USB-UART converter, no need extra convert board or cable
- RF connector for external Antenna

2. Block Diagram

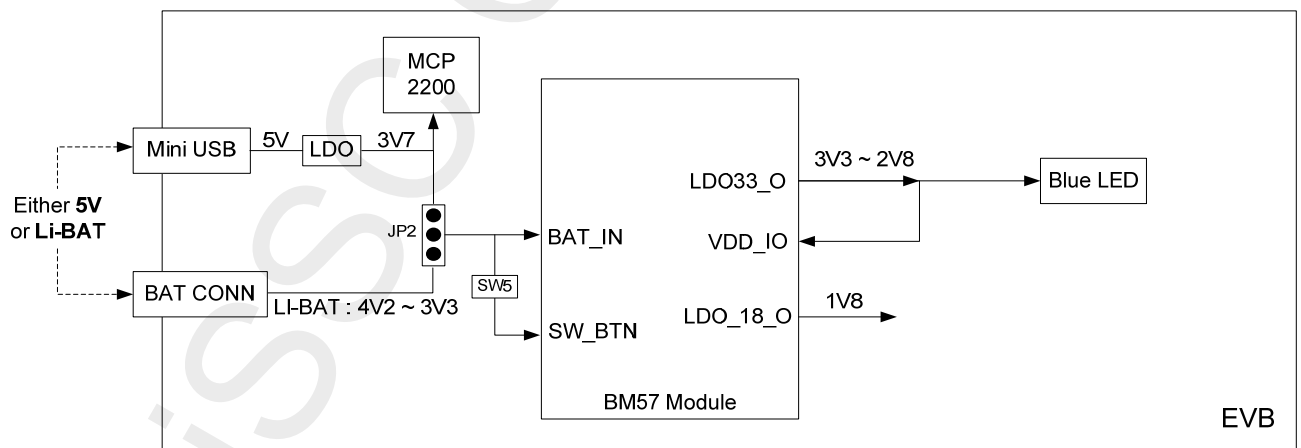
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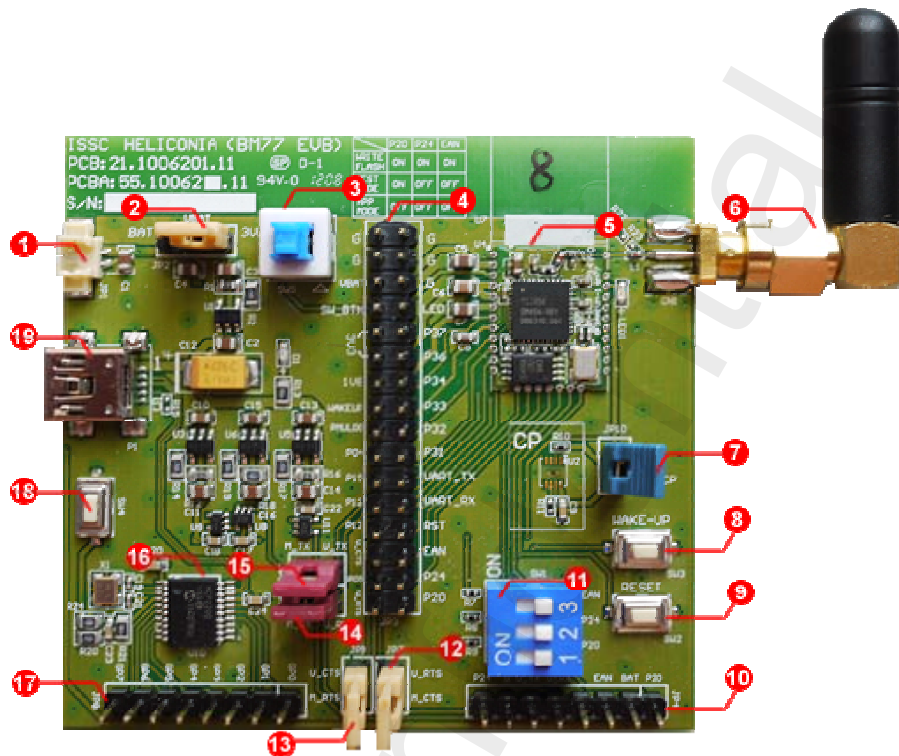
2.2. Reset/ Clock





2.3. Power Tree



3. Hardware Configuration





- ① JP1- Battery connector for Li-Ion Battery, Voltage range 4.2~3.3V
- ② JP2- Power source jumper

	Source from BAT (4.2V~3.3)
	Source from USB (5V->LDO->3.7V)

- ③ SW5- The path between SW_BTN & BAT_IN, the button must be pressed down to make BM77 work.
- ④ JP3- Module 32-PIN out for easy connect the Bluetooth module PIN out to MCU
- ⑤ Bluetooth Module- BM77
- ⑥ Dipole Antenna- SMA connector with dipole antenna.
- ⑦ Reserved.
- ⑧ SW3- Wake up button to wake up Bluetooth from Shutdown State
- ⑨ SW2- Reset button for Bluetooth module
- ⑩ JP4- Connect with iSSC propriety 8 PIN connector (EDGAR). Use Li-Ion battery power and switch SW1 OFF while using EDGAR.
- ⑪ SW1- Mode Switch (see 3.2 Mode Definition, 3.3 Mode Settings)
- ⑫ JP7- CTS path of UART between BM77 & MCP2200. Remove the jumper if without flow control.
- ⑬ JP9- RTS path of UART between BM77 & MCP2200. Remove the jumper if without flow control.
- ⑭ JP6- RX path of UART between BM77 & MCP2200. Remove the jumper if trying to connect MCU & BM77.
- ⑮ JP5- TX path of UART between BM77 & MCP2200. Remove the jumper if trying to connect MCU & BM77.
- ⑯ U10- Microchip MCP2200 chip, UART to USB converter.


- ⑰ JP8- All the GPIO PIN out of Microchip MCP2200.
- ⑱ SW4- Reset button for Microchip MCP2200
- ⑲ USB Connector- Mini USB connector

1.3. Power Switch Settings




Mode	JP2
USB 5V	
BAT 4.2V~3.3V	

* Notice: SW5 button must be pressed down to make BM77.

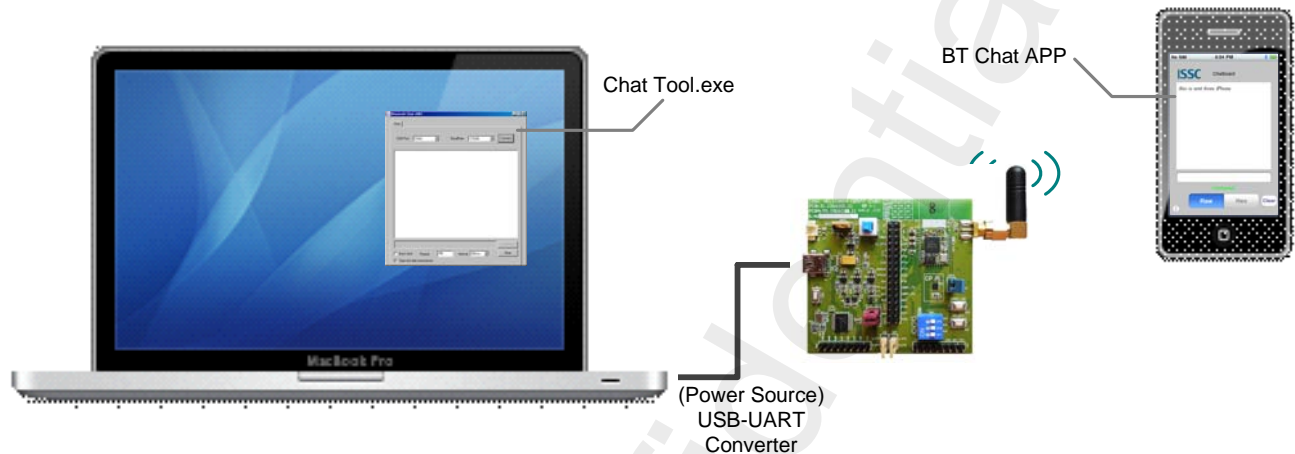
1.4. Mode Definitions

	Switch Number	1	2	3
	Pin	P20	P24	EAN
	ON	Low	Low	High
	Function	Test Mode High=Disable/ Application Low=Enable/ Test Mode	Flash Write High=Disable Low=Enable	Boot by Flash or ROM High=ROM Low=Flash

1.5. Mode Switch Settings

Mode	Switch	PIN Definition
Write Flash		1. P20: Low 2. P24: Low 3. EAN: High
Test Mode (Write EEPROM)		1. P20: Low 2. P24: High 3. EAN: Low
SPP Application		1. P20: High 2. P24: High 3. EAN: Low

4. Getting Started



Step 1. Check the Power Tree.

Default is using **USB** as the main power supply.

Step 2. Check the Setting of Switch.

Make sure the **SW1** is under the **Application** Mode. 1: OFF, 2: OFF, 3: OFF

Step 3. Connect the **USB** and **dipole antenna** to EVB.

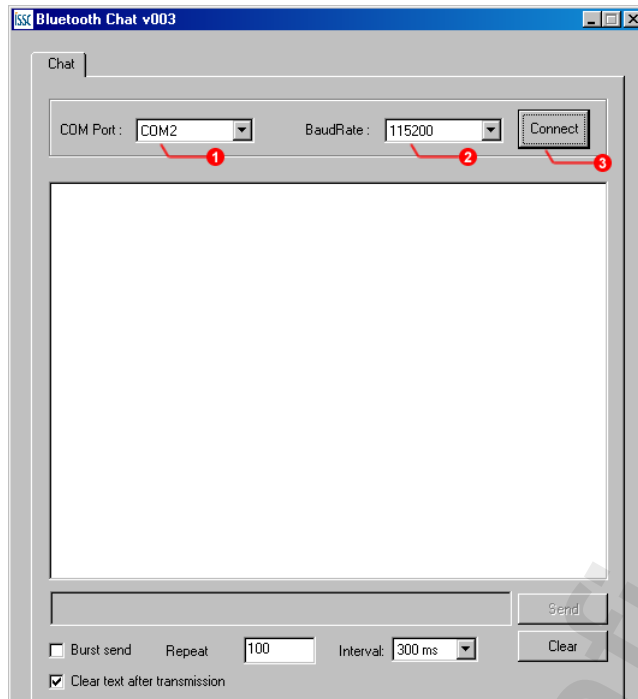
Step 4. Connect the power supply. The default LED behavior:

Stand-by State- the **LED1** of EVB will blink **once** at a time. (Blue)

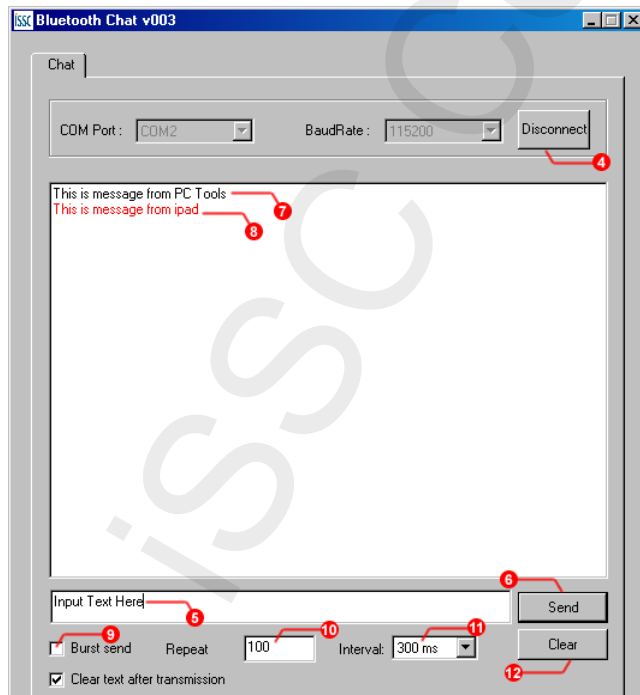
Pairing, Connected State- the **LED01** of EVB will blink **twice** at a time. (Blue)

Step 5. Install Microchip MCP2200 driver. (Search Internet by typing keyword" Microchip MCP2200 Driver")

Step 6. Run the **Chat Tool vXXX.exe** on your PC and make sure the COM Port is connected.



- ① Select the specific **COM Port** by your PC
- ② Default **BaudRate** is 115200
- ③ Click **Connect** button.



- ④ The **Connect** button will turn into **Disconnect** after connected.
- ⑤ **Input the Texts or dialogue in this box.**
- ⑥ Click **Send** to transmit texts from Bluetooth EVB to smart phone.

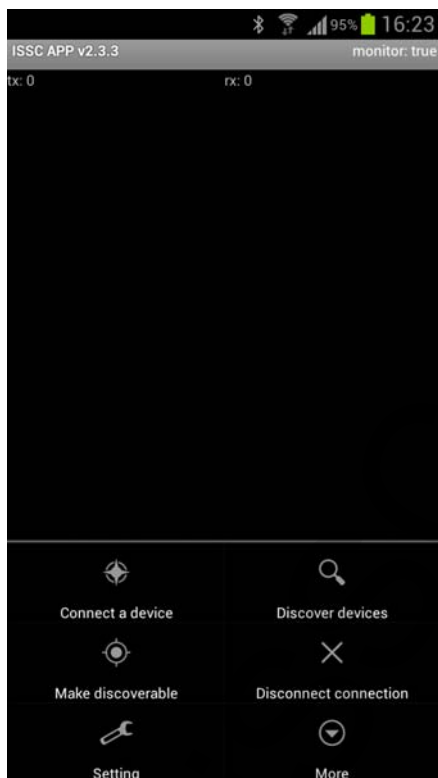
- ⑦ The **Black** texts are sent from PC tool (Bluetooth EVB)
- ⑧ The **Red** texts are sent from smart phone
- ⑨ Click the check box of **Burst Send** will be continuous to send text from this tool.
- ⑩ **Repeat** column means the how many times these texts will be resend.
- ⑪ **Interval** means the interval between two records.
- ⑫ **Clear** button will clear up the texts on the screen.

Step 7. Get your smart phone and APP ready. (iSSC offer an Android test APP, please check with your iSSC agent)

Step 8. Set up the smart phone **Bluetooth connection**

EX: on Samsung Galaxy S3

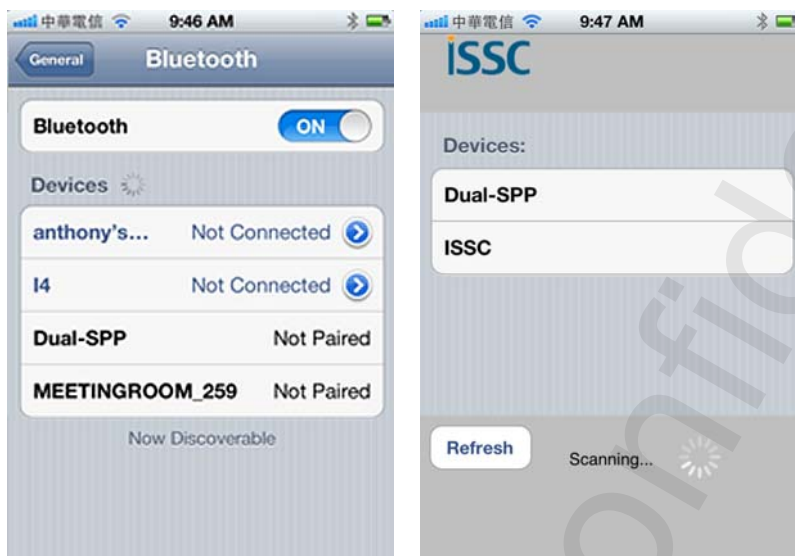
- ① Go to **Settings/ Bluetooth** Page.
- ② Turn **ON** the Bluetooth, and **Scan** the Devices. Find the **Dual-SPP** device and press to start Pairing Bluetooth device.
- ③ After Paired, RUN the ISSC **APP** on Android and Press the **Connect a device** in the Menu.



Step 9. This Android is very simple and could show the TX and RX data bytes. And could echo the TX data back the PC. (enable in Setting/ Echo Setting)

Step 10. ISSC BLE Chat APP could be downloading from APP Store (Search by **ISSC BT**)

- ① Get your iPhone 4S or New iPad device ready and install "**ISSC BLE Chat**" APP.
- ② Set up the iPhone, iPod or iPad **Bluetooth connection** by following operations.



- ③ Go to **Settings/ General/ Bluetooth** Page.
- ④ Turn **ON** the Bluetooth.
- ⑤ Launch the iSSC BLE Chat APP and it will scan the Devices automatically. Find the **Dual-SPP** device and press to start connecting Bluetooth device.
- ⑥ After Connected, the screen on iDevice is as following. You could type texts in the column and data will send through BLE. It will show on BT Chat screen of your PC.



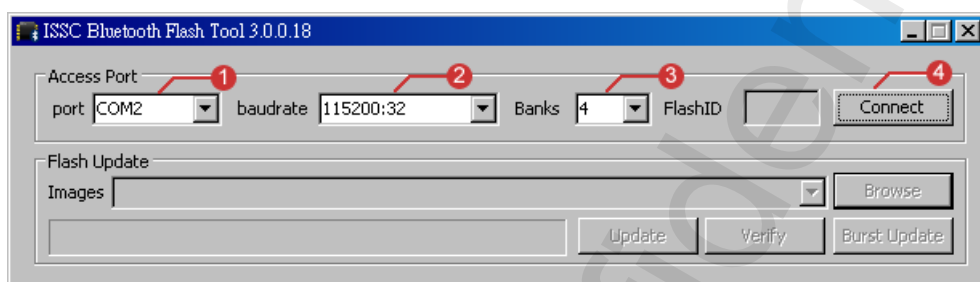
5. Procedure to Update Firmware

The firmware code of BM77 could be updated by following procedures. Make sure you got the correct and official released code from ISSC before starting the procedure.

Step 1. Switch the SW4 to **Write Flash** mode (2:ON, 3:ON, 4:ON), and connect the RS232 cable and Power supply (Default USB 5V) and then turn on the SW1 to **2:ON, 1:OFF** (the number was marked on PCB).

* LED1 will blink very quickly (around 20 msec)

Step 2. Run the **isbtfllash.exe** program on WinXP PC, and the window as below:



- ① Select the **Com Port** by your PC environment
- ② Set the baud rate (default is **115200**)
- ③ Select the banks as **4**
- ④ Click the **connect**

Step 3. Select the Flash code files and update the flash on chip.



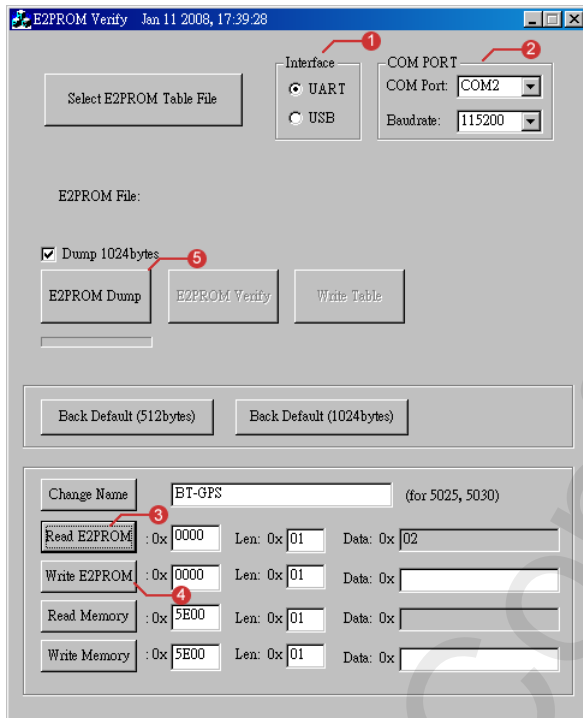
- ① Click **Browse** to select the new flash code files (**4 files have to be selected**)
- ② Click **Update** to start update
- ③ **Verify** is used for comparing the on chip flash code and selected files.
- ④ **Burst Update** is force updating
- ⑤ Click **Disconnect** after the update procedure is finished

6. Procedure to Change EEPROM Parameter

Step 1. Switch the SW4 to **Test Mode** (2:ON, 3:OFF, 4:OFF), and connect the RS232 cable and Power supply (Default USB 5V) and then turn on the SW1 to **2:ON, 1:OFF** (the number was marked on PCB).

* LED1 will keep lighting.

Step 2. Run the **E2PROM_Tool.exe** program and a window will show up as below



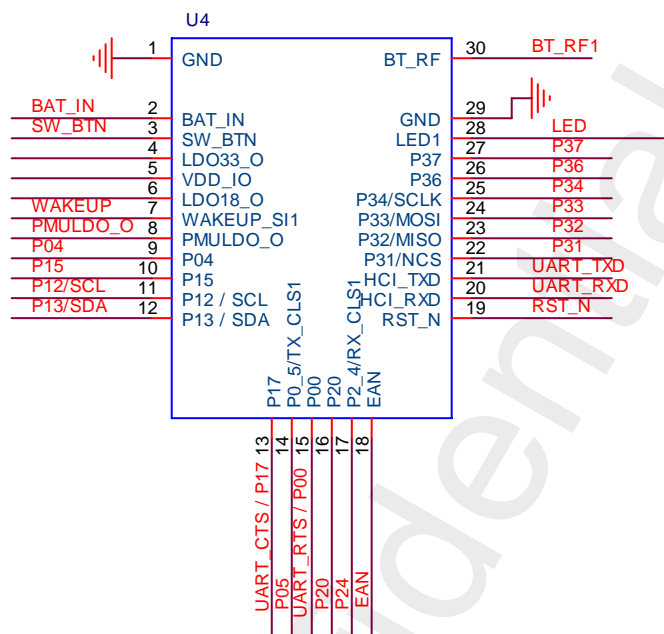
Step 3.

- ① Select the Interface as **UART**.
- ② Specify the COM Port and baud rate (default is **115200**).
- ③ Fill in the address that you are going to read and the length of the parameter, and then click the **Read E2PROM** button to read the value.
- ④ Fill in the address that you are going to change and the length of the parameter, and then click the **Write E2PROM** button to change the parameter.
- ⑤ **E2PROM Dump** can dump the EEPROM table from chip and save into text format.

Notice: Do **NOT** press the **Back Default (512bytes)** or **Back Default (1024bytes)** buttons; otherwise all the **calibration parameters** will be lost.

* Calibration parameters- for example: RF Frequency, Transmit Power and LDO Power

Appendix A: PIN Assignment

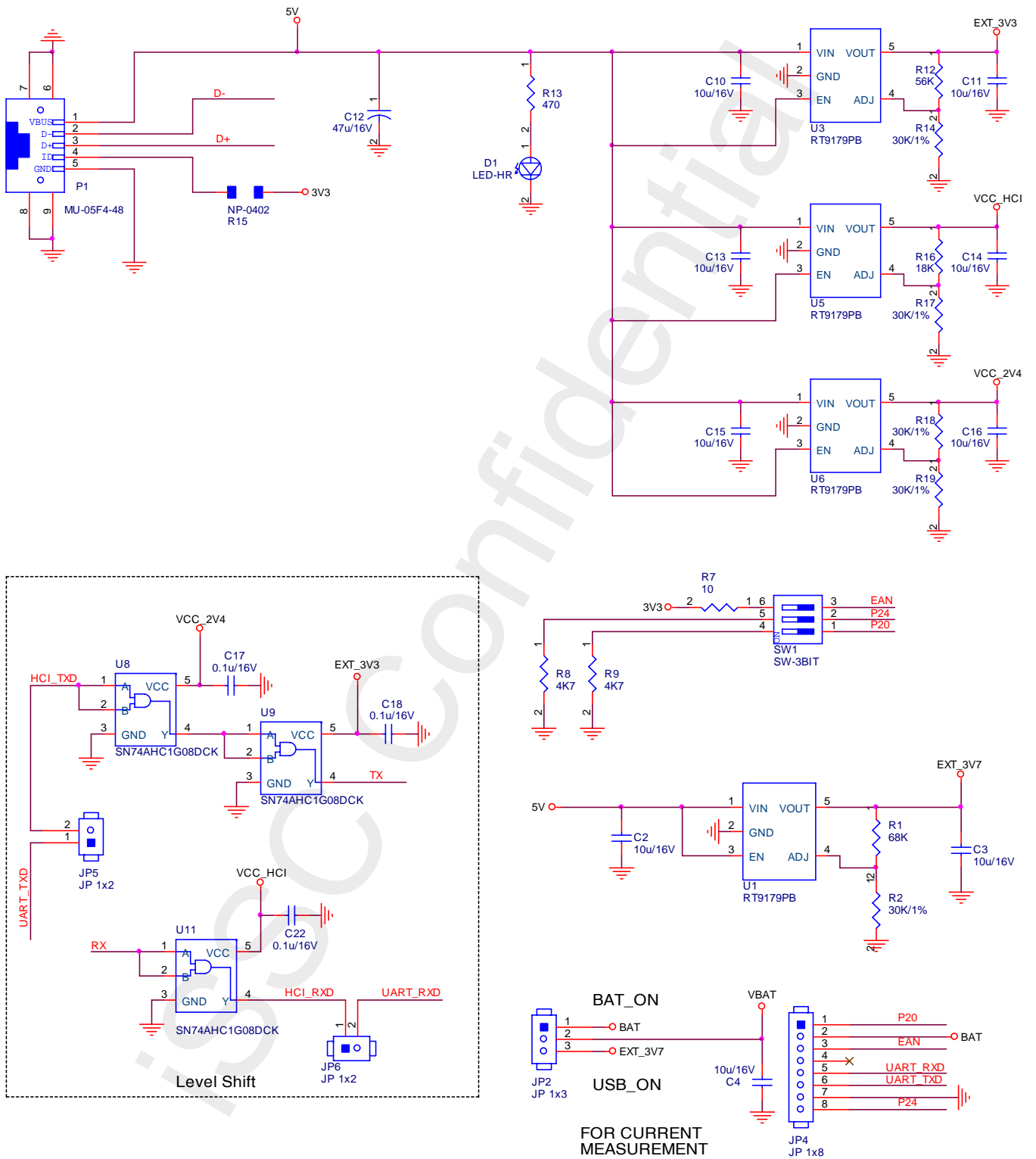


BM77 Module PIN Define

P/N	I/O	Name	Description
1	P	GND	Ground
2	P	BAT_IN	4.2~3.3V Power input
3	I	SW_BTN	Input for software button. H: Power On L: Power Off
4	P	LDO33_O	3V3 LDO output
5	P	VDD_IO	Main power supply
6	P	LDO18_O	LDO18 output
7	I	WAKEUP	Wakeup BM77 from Shutdown State. (Low Active) It is only valid while BM77 into Shutdown State.
8	P	PMULDO_O	Output of PMULDO
9	O	P04	UART_TX_IND: H: BM77 indicate UART data will be transmitted out after a certain timing. (Setting by EEPROM, default 5ms) L: Otherwise. STATUS_IND_2: BM77 State indication , refer to P15

P/N	I/O	Name	Description
10	O	P15	STATUS_IND: Bluetooth link status indication P15/P04: HH → Power default value and Shutdown State. P15/P04: HL → Access State. P15/P04: LL → Link State w/o UART_TXD. P15/P04: LH → Link State with UART_TXD.
11	N/A	P12/ SCL	I2C_SCL, Reserved
12	N/A	P13/ SDA	I2C_SDA, Reserved
13	I	P17	- UART_CTS: - Configurable Functional GPIO
14	I/O	P05	Configurable Functional GPIO
15	O	P00	- UART_RTS - Configurable Functional GPIO
16	I	P20	System configuration, refer to P2_4. (No drive under APP Mode)
17	I	P24	Boot mode selection. (No drive under APP Mode) P2_0/ P2_4: HH → Application LL → Boot mode LH → HCI UART mode for testing and system configuration.
18	I	EAN	ROM/Flash selection. (No drive under APP Mode) H: ROM code; L: Flash code
19	I	RST_N	External reset input (Low Active), Clock period 62.5n at least
20	I	HCI_RXD	UART_RXD
21	O	HCI_TXD	UART_TXD
22	I/O	P31	Configurable Functional GPIO
23	I	P32	Configurable Functional GPIO
24	I	P33	Configurable Functional GPIO
25	I	P34	Configurable Functional GPIO
26	O	P36	Reserved
27	I/O	P37	Configurable Functional GPIO
28	O	LED1	LED1 driver
29	P	GND	Ground
30	RI/O	BT_RF	RF Port

Appendix B: Schematic





Appendix C: Q & A

1. What is the maximum current which LDO33_O and LDO18_O can offer?

Ans:

Output Source	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
LDO18_O Output Current		60	100	mA
LDO33_O Output Current		100	150	mA

The output current has to contain the RF, GPIO, Flash so the maximum current for others usage would be:

Output Source	Max
LDO18_O	20mA
LDO33_O	70mA

2. Maximum baudrate of 16MHz?

Ans: 11520

Clock	Support Baudrate
16 MHz	2400
	4800
	9600
	14400
	19200
	28800
	38400
	57600
	115200

3. Can **EEPROM** be read/ wrote from UART port using "E2PROM_Tool"?

Ans: Yes, just adjust the switch to **Test Mode (Write EEPROM)** (see 3.3 Mode Switch Settings). And set baudrate as 115200. For more detail *please see chapter 6.*

4. How to flash the **new code** (Firmware) into the module?

Ans: Please see *the Chapter 5* for more detail.

Appendix D: Reversion History

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