



SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 System Reference Manual

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1 INTRODUCTION

This document is the **System Reference Manual** for the SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 board and covers its use and design. The board will primarily be referred to in the remainder of this document simply as the board, although it may also be referred to as the SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 board as a reminder.

2 CHANGE HISTORY

This section describes the change history of this document and board. Document changes are not always a result of a board change. A board change will always result in a document change.

2.1 Document Change History

Rev	Changes	Date	By
A 0.0.1	Preliminary	August 19th, 2013	PTU
A 1.0.2	Add Jetmobile logo contact product name, update footer and header.	February 28th, 2014	PTU
B 1.0.0	Main changes : reset key affected to GPIO, update RTC power, mDDR power planes (board)	March 12th, 2014	PTU

2.2 Board Changes

2.2.1 Rev A 1.0.2

This is the initial production release of the board. We will be tracking changes from this point forward.

2.2.2 Rev B 1.0.0

List of modifications :

- Change required PCB revision to B.
- Change PCB Copyright 2014 labels.
- Reset key is connected to GPIO2_1.
- RTC power is managed by an external LDO 1.8V U203.
- Change Ethernet Phy address : R934 connected, R923 not connected.
- Change C556 value to 1uF.
- Change R443 value to 100 ohms.
- FB400 connected (Ferrite Bead 150 Ohm 800mA connected).
- Noise issues was observed where the clock oscillator was getting hit due to a suspected issue in ground bounce. R2 and R3 zero ohm resistors were added to connect the OSC_GND to the system ground.
- Changes C300 to 2.2uF. This resolved an issue we were seeing in a few boards where the board would not boot in 1 in 20 tries.

3 SECUREJET INTELLIGENT APPLIANCE 8.1 OVERVIEW

The board is designed by KWETCH embedded Systems.

3.1 SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 Features and Specification

This section covers the specifications and features of the board and provides a high level description of the major components and interfaces that make up the board.

Tableau 1 : provides a list of the features.

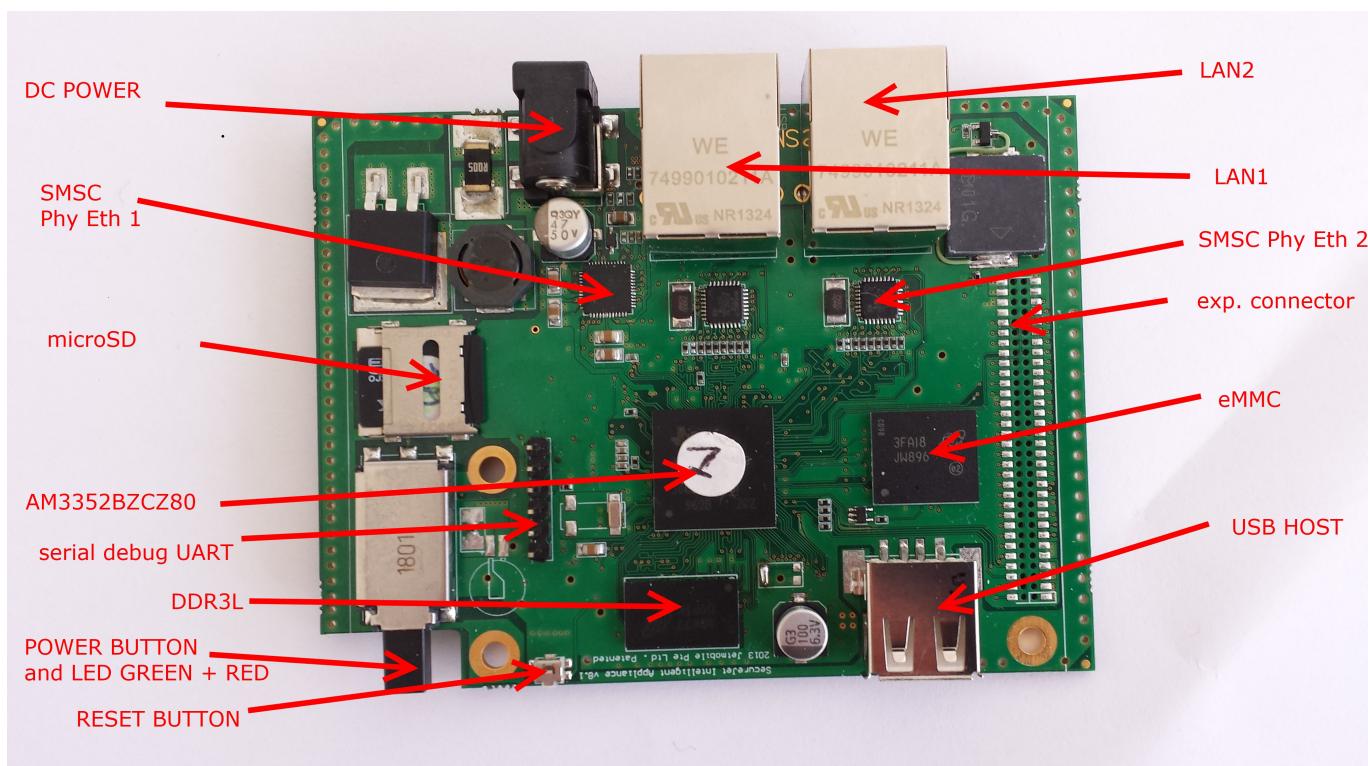
Features	
Processor	Sitara AM3352BZCZ800 800MHz
SDRAM Memory	256MB DDR3L 400 Mhz
Onboard Flash	2GB 8bit Embedded MMC
PMIC	TPS65217C PMIC regulator and one additional LDO
Power Source	miniUSB USB or DC Jack
Indicator	2 User controllable LED's integrated into button, 4 Ethernet Access to USB1, type A socket, 500mA LS/FS/HS
HS USB 2.0 Host Port	UART0 access via 6 pin 3.3V TTL Header, Header is populated
Serial Port	10/100, RJ45 with LED's
Ethernet 1	10/100, RJ45 with LED's
Ethernet 2	MicroSD, 3.3V
SD/MMC Connector	Reset Button
User Input	Boot Button
Audio	Power Button
RTC	Buzzer
Expansion Connectors	RTC function with LiOn battery
Weight	Power 5V, 3.3V, USB0 client mode, GPIO...
PCB	TBD
Power	TBD
	5/9/12 DC

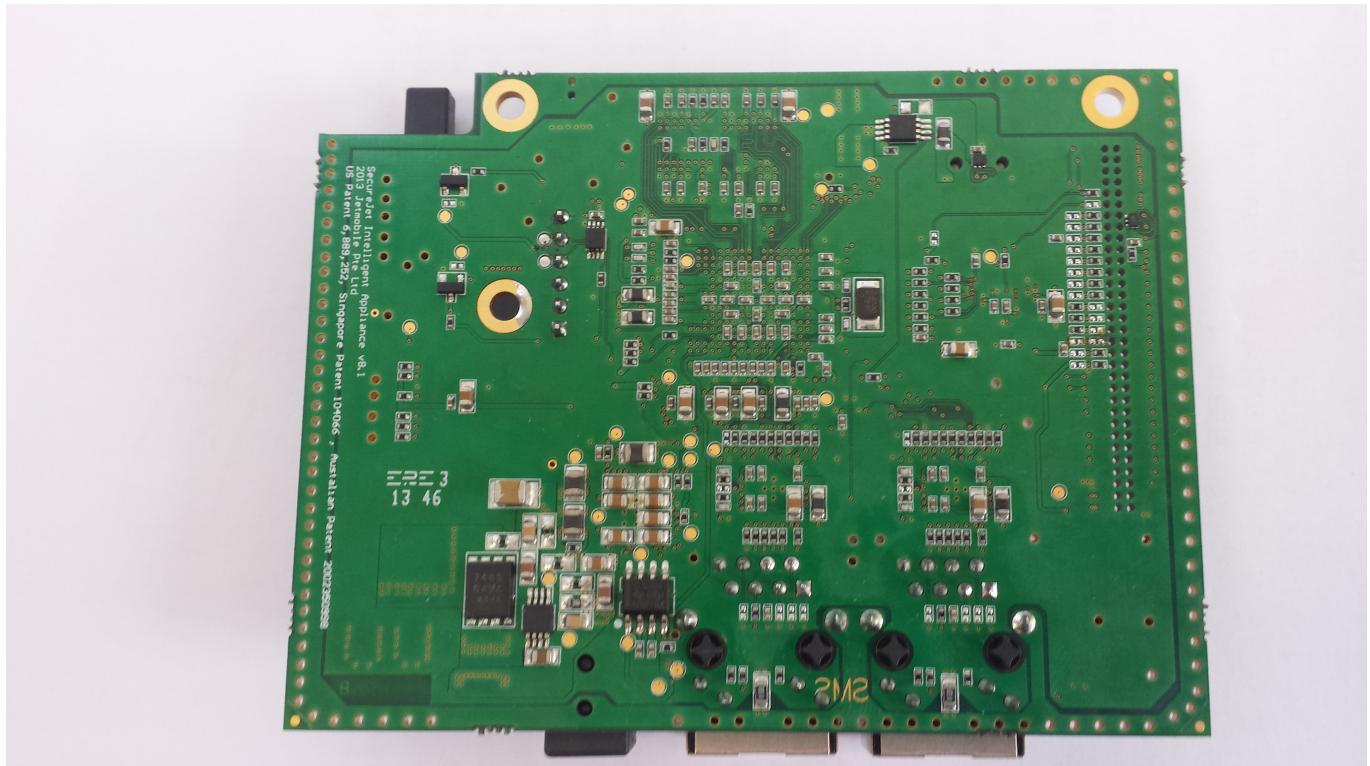
Tableau 1: SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 feature list

3.2 Board Component Locations

This section describes the key components on the board. It provides information on their location and function. Familiarize yourself with the various components on the board.

- **DC Power** is the main DC input that accepts 5V or 9V or 12V DCpower.
- **Power Button** alerts the processor to initiate the power down sequence, 2 LED are integrated into power button.
- **10/100 Ethernet** are the connection to the LAN1 and LAN2.
- **Serial Debug** is the serial debug port.
- **USB Host** can be connected different USB interfaces such as Wi-Fi, BT, Keyboard, etc.
- **Extension connector** will be used to connect SSD later
- **BOOT switch** can be used to force a boot from the microSD card if the power is cycled on the board, removing power and reapplying the power to the board.
- **Reset Button** allows the user to reset product with factory setting.
- **microSD slot** is where a microSD card can be installed.
- **Sitara AM3352BZCZ80** is the processor for the board.
- **Micron 256MB DDR3L** is the Dual Data Rate RAM memory.
- **TPS65217C PMIC** provides the power rails to the various components on the board.
- **SMSC Ethernet PHY** is the physical interface to the network.
- **Micron eMMC** is an onboard MMC chip that holds up to 2GB of data





4 SECUREJET INTELLIGENT APPLIANCE 8.1 BOARD HIGH LEVEL SPECIFICATION

This section provides the high level specification of the SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 board.

4.1 Processor

For the initial release, the board uses the Sitara XAM3359BZCZ processor in the 15x15 package.

4.2 Memory

Described in the following sections are the three memory devices found on the board.

4.2.1 256MB DDR3L

A single 128Mb x16 DDR3L 2Gb (256MB) memory device is used. The memory used is the MT41K128M1 from Micron. It will operate at a clock frequency of 400MHz yielding an effective rate of 800MHZ on the DDR3L bus allowing for 1.6GB/S of DDR3L memory bandwidth.

4.2.2 2GB Embedded MMC

A single 2GB embedded MMC (eMMC) device is on the board. The device connects to the MMC1 port of the processor, allowing for 8bit wide access. Default boot mode for the board will be MMC1 with an option to change it to MMC0, the SD card slot, for booting from the SD card as a result of removing and reapplying the power to the board. Simply pressing the reset button will not change the boot mode. MMC0 cannot be used in 8Bit mode because the lower data pins are located on the pins used by the Ethernet port. This does not interfere with SD card operation but it does make it unsuitable for use as an eMMC port if the 8 bit feature is needed.

4.2.3 MicroSD Connector

The board is equipped with a single microSD connector to act as the secondary boot source for the board and, if selected as such, can be the primary boot source. The connector will support larger capacity microSD cards. The microSD card is not provided with the board. Booting from MMC0 will be used to flash the eMMC in the production environment or can be used by the user to update the SW as needed.

4.2.4 Boot Modes

As mentioned earlier, there are four boot modes:

- ▲ **eMMC Boot...** This is the default boot mode and will allow for the fastest boot time and will enable the board to boot out of the box using.
- ▲ **SD Boot...** This mode will boot from the microSD slot. This mode can be used to override what is on the eMMC device and can be used to program the eMMC when used in the manufacturing process or for field updates.
- ▲ **Serial Boot...** This mode will use the serial port to allow downloading of the software direct. A separate USB to serial cable is required to use this port.
- ▲ **USB Boot...** This mode supports booting over the USB port.

Software to support USB and serial boot modes is not provided. Please contact KWETCH Embedded Systems for support of this feature.

A switch is provided to allow switching between the modes.

- ▲ Holding the boot switch down during a removal and reapplication of power without a microSD card inserted will force the boot source to be the USB port and if nothing is detected on the USB client port, it will go to the serial port for download.
- ▲ Without holding the switch, the board will boot try to boot from the eMMC. If it is empty, then it will try booting from the microSD slot, followed by the serial port, and then the USB port.
- ▲ If you hold the boot switch down during the removal and reapplication of power to the board, and you have a microSD card inserted with a bootable image, the board will boot from the microSD card.

NOTE: Pressing the RESET button on the board will NOT result in a change of the boot mode. You MUST remove power and reapply power to change the boot mode. The boot pins are sampled during power on reset from the PMIC to the processor. The reset button on the board is a warm reset only and will not force a boot mode change.

4.3 Power Management

The **TPS65217C** power management device is used along with a separate LDO to provide power to the system. The **TPS65217C** version provides for the proper voltages required for the DDR3L and the processor. DDR3L requires 1.35V.

An external **LDO TL5209** provides the 3.3V rail for the rest of the board.

4.4 Serial Debug Port

Serial debug is provided via UART0 on the processor via a single 1x6 pin header. In order to use the interface a USB to TTL adapter will be required. The header is compatible with the one provided by FTDI and can be purchased for about \$12 to \$20 from various sources. Signals supported are TX and RX. None of the handshake signals are supported.

4.5 USB1 Host Port

On the board is a single USB Type A female connector with full LS/FS/HS Host support that connects to USB1 on the processor. The port can provide power on/off control and up to 500mA of current at 5V. Under USB power, the board will not be able to supply the full 500mA, but should be sufficient to supply enough current for a lower power USB device supplying power between 50 to 100mA.

4.6 Power Sources

The board can be powered from four different sources:

- ▲ A 12VDC, 9VDC or 5VDC 1A power supply plugged into the DC connector.
- ▲ A power supply with a USB connector.

The USB port is limited to 500mA by the Power Management IC. It is possible to change the settings in the **TPS65217C** to increase this current, but only after the initial boot.

4.7 Reset Button

When pressed during systems boot will reset factory setting.

4.8 Power Button

A power button is provided. This button takes advantage of the input to the PMIC for power down features. These features include:

^ Interrupt is sent to the processor to facilitate an orderly shutdown to save files and to unmount drives.

^ No sleep mode since the unit works as a LAN switch and the printer would be unreachable.

If you hold the button down the board will power off and the power LED turns off.

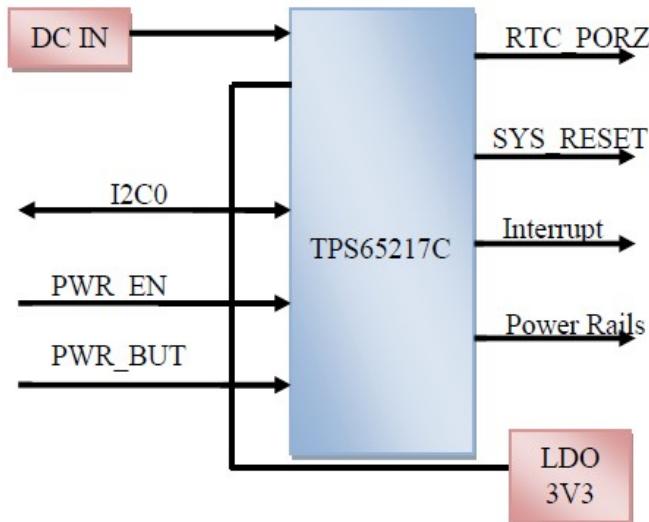
If you continue to hold it, the board will power back up completing a power cycle.

5 DETAILED HARDWARE DESIGN

This section provides a detailed description of the Hardware design. This can be useful for interfacing, writing drivers, or using it to help modify specifics of your own design.

5.1 Power Section

Figure xxx is the high level block diagram of the power section of the board.



This section describes the power section of the design and all the functions performed by the **TPS65217C**.

5.1.1 TPS65217C PMIC

The main Power Management IC (PMIC) in the system is the **TPS65217C** which is a single chip power management IC consisting of a linear dual-input power path, three step-down converters, and four LDOs. LDO stands for Low Drop Out. If you want to know more about an LDO, you can go to http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Low-dropout_regulator. If you want to learn more about step-down converters, you can go to http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/DC-to-DC_converter

The system is supplied by DC adapter. Three high-efficiency 2.25MHz step-down converters are targeted at providing the core voltage, MPU, and memory voltage for the board.

The step-down converters enter a low power mode at light load for maximum efficiency across the widest possible range of load currents. For low-noise applications the devices can be forced into fixed frequency PWM using the I2C interface. The step-down converters allow the use of small inductors and capacitors to achieve a small footprint solution size.

LDO1 and LDO2 are intended to support system standby mode. In normal operation, they can support up to 100mA each. LDO3 and LDO4 can support up to 285mA each.

By default only LDO1 is always ON but any rail can be configured to remain up in SLEEP state. In particular the DCDC converters can remain up in a low-power PFM mode to support processor suspend mode. The **TPS65217C** offers flexible power-up and power-down

sequencing and several house-keeping functions such as power-good output, pushbutton monitor, hardware reset function and temperature sensor to protect the battery.

For more information on the **TPS65217C**, refer to <http://www.ti.com/product/tps65217C>

5.1.2 DC POWER

An input DC power adapter 5V or 9V or 12V DC is plug into the board. A LDO LM25085 convert the input DC power into 5V DC for the complete system.

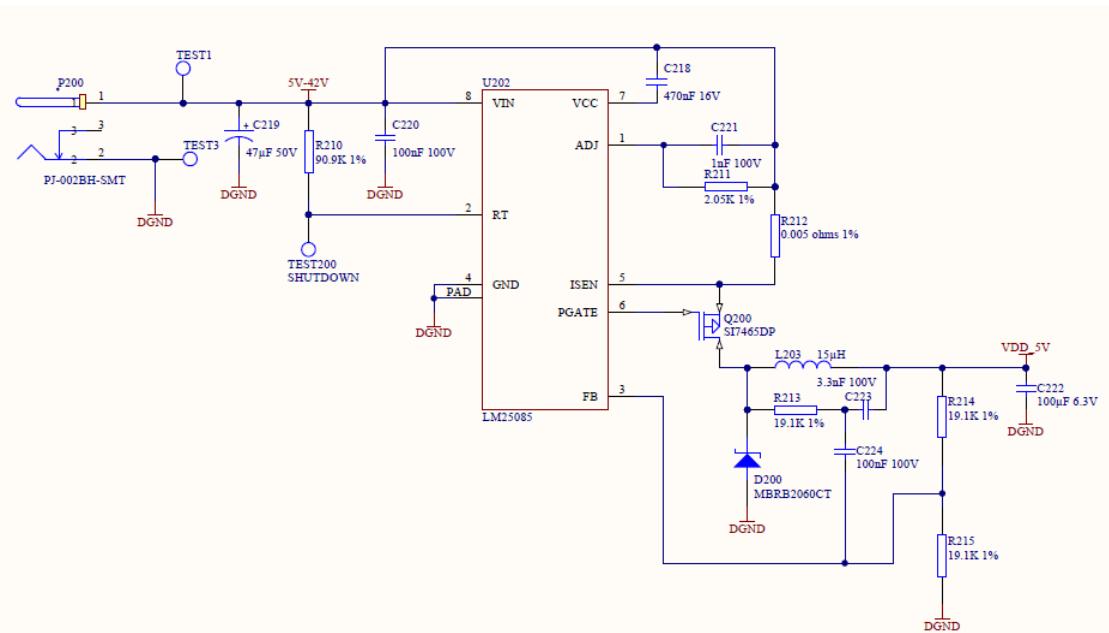


Illustration 1: Input DC power

5.1.3 Power Button

A power button is connected to the input of the **TPS65217C**. This is a momentary switch.

If you push the button the **TPS65217C** will send an interrupt to the processor. It is up to the processor to then pull the **PMIC_POWER_EN** pin low at the correct time to power down the board. At this point, the PMIC is still active, assuming that the power input was not removed. Pressing the power button will cause the board to power up again if the processor puts the board in the power off mode.

In power off mode, the RTC rail is still active, keeping the RTC powered. The RTC is powered using a battery.

5.1.4 Power Consumption

The power consumption of the board varies based on power scenarios and the board boot processes.

5.1.5 Processor Interfaces

The processor interacts with the **TPS65217C** via several different signals. Each of these signals is described below.

5.1.5.1 I2C0

I2C0 is the control interface between the processor and the **TPS65217C**. It allows the processor to control the registers inside the **TPS65217C** for such things as voltage scaling and switching of the input rails.

5.1.5.2 PMC_POWR_EN

On power up the **VDD_RTC** rail activates first. After the RTC circuitry in the processor has activated it instructs the **TPS65217C** to initiate a full power up cycle by activating the **PMIC_POWR_EN** signal by taking it HI. When powering down, the processor can take this pin low to start the power down process.

5.1.5.3 LDO_GOOD

This signal connects to the **RTC_PORZn** signal, RTC power on reset. The small **n** indicates that the signal is an active low signal. Word processors seem to be unable to put a bar over a word so the **n** is commonly used in electronics. As the RTC circuitry comes up first, this signal indicates that the LDOs, the 1.8V VRTC rail, is up and stable. This starts the power up process.

5.1.5.4 PMIC_PGOOD

Once all the rails are up, the **PMIC_PGOOD** signal goes high. This releases the **PORZn** signal on the processor which was holding the processor reset.

5.1.5.5 WAKEUP

The WAKEUP signal from the **TPS65217C** is connected to the **EXT_WAKEUP** signal on the processor. This is used to wake up the processor when it is in a sleep mode. When an event is detected by the **TPS65217C**, such as the power button being pressed, it generates this signal.

5.1.5.6 PMIC_INT

The **PMIC_INT** signal is an interrupt signal to the processor. Pressing the power button will send an interrupt to the processor allowing it to implement a power down mode in an orderly fashion, go into sleep mode, or cause it to wake up from a sleep mode. All of these require SW support.

5.1.6 Power Rails

The following illustration shows the connections of each of the rails from the TPS65217C.

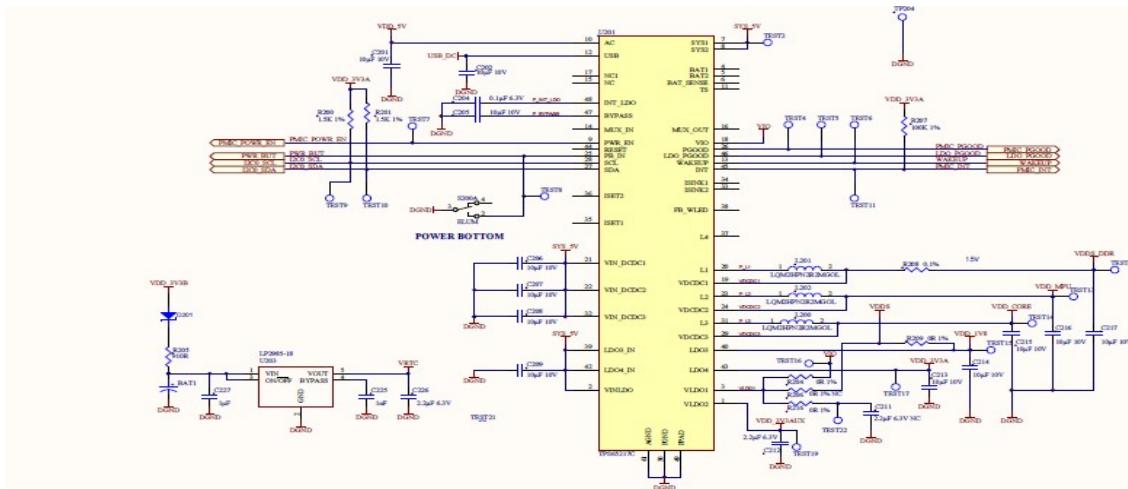


Illustration 2: TPS65217C power rails

5.1.6.1 VRTC Rail

The **VRTC** rail is a 1.8V rail and it is supplied by the U203 LP2985-18.

5.1.6.2 VDD_3V3A Rail

The **VDD_3V3A** rail is supplied by the **TPS65217C** and provides the 3.3V for the processor rails and can provide up to 400mA.

5.1.6.3 VDD_3V3B Rail

The current supplied by the **VDD_3V3A** rail is not sufficient to power all of the 3.3V rails on the board. So a second LDO is supplied, U200, a **TL5209A**, which sources the **VDD_3V3B** rail. It is powered up just after the **VDD_3V3A** rail.

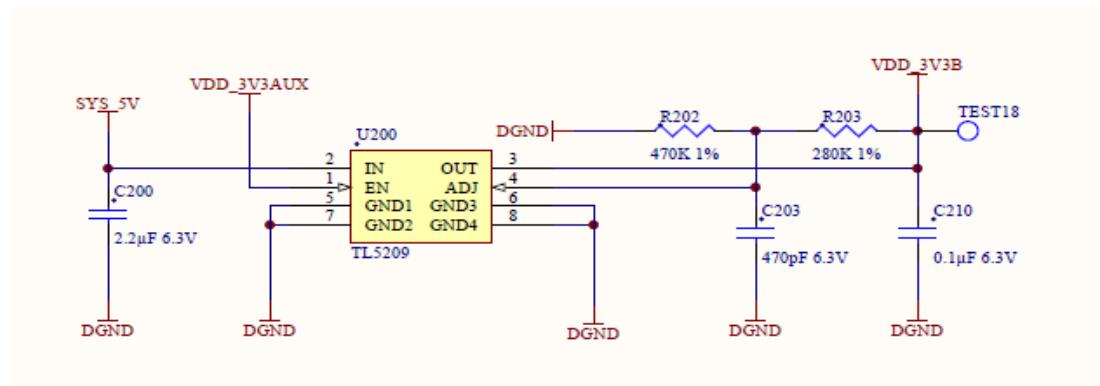


Illustration 3: VDD_3V3B power rail

5.1.6.4 VDD_1V8 Rail

The **VDD_1V8** rail can deliver up to 400mA and provides the power required for the 1.8V rails on the processor and the HDMI framer. This rail is not accessible for use anywhere else on the board.

5.1.6.5 VDD_CORE Rail

The **VDD_CORE** rail can deliver up to 1.2A at 1.1V. This rail is not accessible for use anywhere else on the board and connects only to the processor. This rail is fixed at 1.1V and is should not be adjusted by SW using the PMIC. If you do, then the processor will no longer process.

5.1.6.6 VDD_MPU Rail

The **VDD_MPU** rail can deliver up to 1.2A. This rail is not accessible for use anywhere else on the board and connects only to the processor. This rail defaults to 1.1V and can be scaled up to allow for higher frequency operation. Changing of the voltage is set via the I2C interface from the processor.

5.1.6.7 VDDS_DDR Rail

The **VDDS_DDR** rail defaults to **1.5V** to support the DDR3L rails and can deliver up to 1.2A. It is possible to adjust this voltage rail down to **1.35V** for lower power operation of the DDR3L device. Only DDR3L devices can support this voltage setting of 1.35V.

5.1.6.8 Power Sequencing

The power up process consists of several stages and events. Figure XXXX describes the events that make up the power up process for the processor from the PMIC. This diagram is used elsewhere to convey additional information. I saw no need to bust it up into smaller diagrams. It is from the processor datasheet supplied by Texas Instruments.

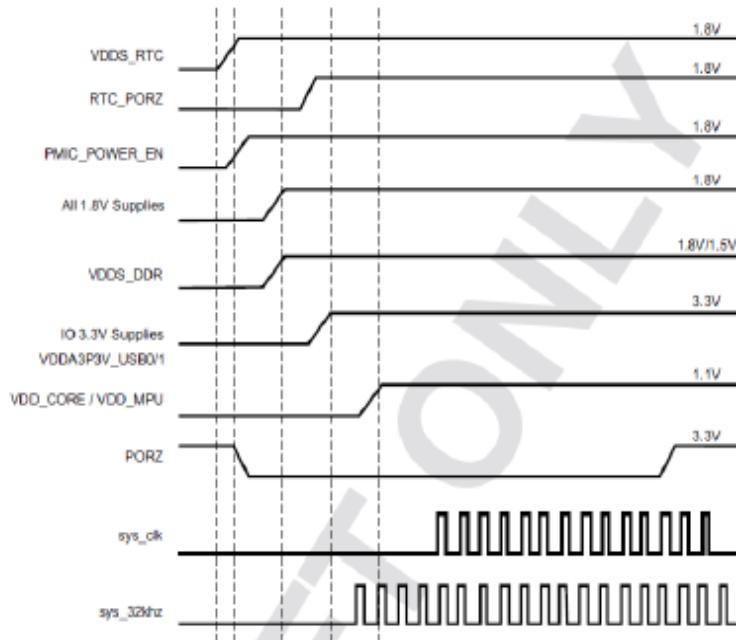


Illustration 4: Power sequence

The voltage rail sequencing for the **TPS65217C** as it powers up and the voltages on each rail. The power sequencing starts at 15 and then goes to one. That is the way the **TPS65217C** is configured. You can refer to the TPS65217C datasheet for more information.

TPS65217C (Targeted at AM335x - ZCZ)	
VOLTAGE (V)	SEQUENCE (STROBE)
1.5	1
1.1	5
1.1	5
1.8	15
3.3	3
1.8 (LDO, 400 mA)	2
3.3 (LDO, 400 mA)	4

5.1.7 TPS65217C Power Up Process

The interface between the **TPS65217C** and the processor. It is a cut from the PDF form of the schematic and reflects what is on the schematic.

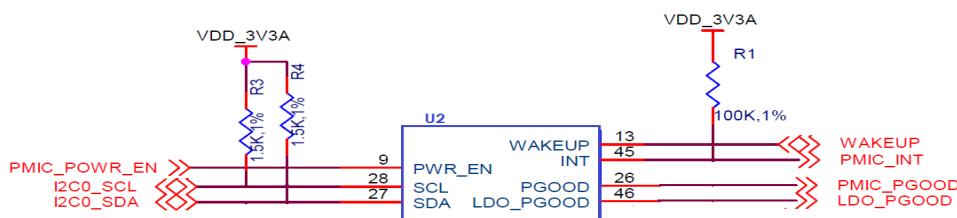


Illustration 5: TPS65217C interface with processor

When voltage is applied, DC or USB, the **TPS65217C** connects the power to the SYS output pin which drives the switchers and LDOs in the **TPS65217C**.

At power up all switchers and LDOs are off except for the **VRTC LDO** (1.8V), which provides power to the VRTC rail and controls the **RTC_PORZn** input pin to the processor, which starts the power up process of the processor. Once the RTC rail powers up, the **RTC_PORZn** pin, driven by the **LDO_PGOOD** signal from the **TPS65217C**, of the processor is released.

Once the **RTC_PORZn** reset is released, the processor starts the initialization process. After the RTC stabilizes, the processor launches the rest of the power up process by activating the **PMIC_POWER_EN** signal that is connected to the **TPS65217C** which starts the **TPS65217C** power up process.

The **LDO_PGOOD** signal is provided by the **TPS65217C** to the processor. As this signal is 1.8V from the **TPS65217C** by virtue of the **TPS65217C** VIO rail being set to 1.8V, and the **RTC_PORZ** signal on the processor is 3.3V, a voltage level shifter, **U4**, is used. Once the LDOs and switchers are up on the **TPS65217C**, this signal goes active releasing the processor. The LDOs on the **TPS65217C** are used to power the VRTC rail on the processor.

5.1.8 Processor Control Interface

Figure xxxx above shows two interfaces between the processor and the **TPS65217C** used for control after the power up sequence has completed.

The first is the **I2C0** bus. This allows the processor to turn on and off rails and to set the voltage levels of each regulator to support such things as voltage scaling.

The second is the interrupt signal. This allows the **TPS65217C** to alert the processor when there is an event, such as when the optional power button is pressed. The interrupt is an open drain output which makes it easy to interface to 3.3V of the processor.

5.1.9 Low Power Mode Support

This section covers three general power down modes that are available. These modes are only described from a Hardware perspective as it relates to the HW design.

5.1.9.1 RTC Only

In this mode all rails are turned off except the **VDD_RTC**. The processor will need to turn off all the rails to enter this mode. The **VDD_RTC** staying on will keep the RTC active and provide for the wakeup interfaces to be active to respond to a wake up event.

5.1.9.2 RTC Plus DDR

In this mode all rails are turned off except the **VDD_RTC** and the **VDDS_DDR**, which powers the DDR3L memory. The processor will need to turn off all the rails to enter this mode. The **VDD_RTC** staying on will keep the RTC active and provide for the wakeup interfaces to be active to respond to a wake up event.

The **VDDS_DDR** rail to the DDR3L is provided by the 1.5V rail of the **TPS65217C** and with **VDDS_DDR** active, the DDR3L can be placed in a self refresh mode by the processor prior to power down which allows the memory data to be saved.

Currently, this feature is not included in the software release.

5.1.9.3 Voltage Scaling

For a mode where the lowest power is possible without going to sleep, this mode allows the voltage on the ARM processor to be lowered along with slowing the processor frequency down. The I2C0 bus is used to control the voltage scaling function in the **TPS65217C**.

5.2 Sitara XAM3352BZCZ Processor

The board is designed to use either the Sitara AM3352BZCZ processor in the 15 x 15 package.

5.2.1 Description

A high level block diagram of the processor. For more information on the processor, go to <http://www.ti.com/product/am3352>

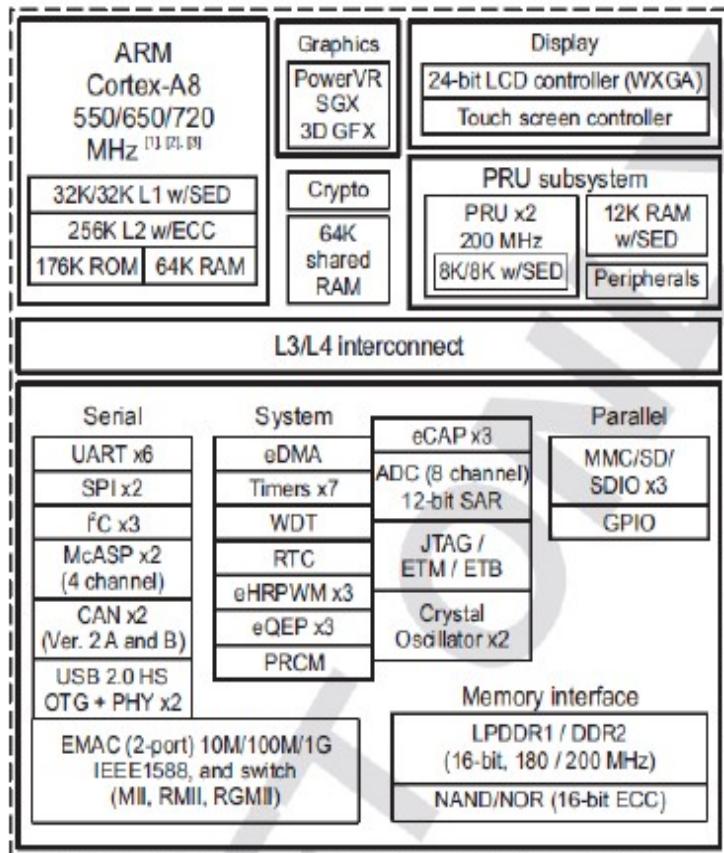


Illustration 6: 5.2 Sitara XAM3352BZCZ Processor

5.3 DDR3L Memory

The SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 board uses a single **MT41K128M16JT-125** 256MB DDR3L device from Micron that interfaces to the processor over 16 data lines, 16 address lines, and 14 control lines. The following sections provide more details on the design.

5.3.1 Memory Device

The design supports the standard DDR3 and DDR3L x16 devices and is built using the DDR3L. A single x16 device is used on the board and there is no support for two x8 devices. The DDR3 devices work at 1.5V and the DDR3L devices can work down to 1.35V to achieve lower power. The specific Micron device used is the **MT41K128M16JT-125**. It comes in a 96-BALL FBGA package with 0.8 mil pitch. Other standard DDR3 devices can also be supported, but the DDR3L is the lower power device and was chosen for its ability to work at 1.5V or 1.35V. The standard frequency that the DDR3L is run at on the board is 400MHZ.

5.3.2 DDR3L Memory Design

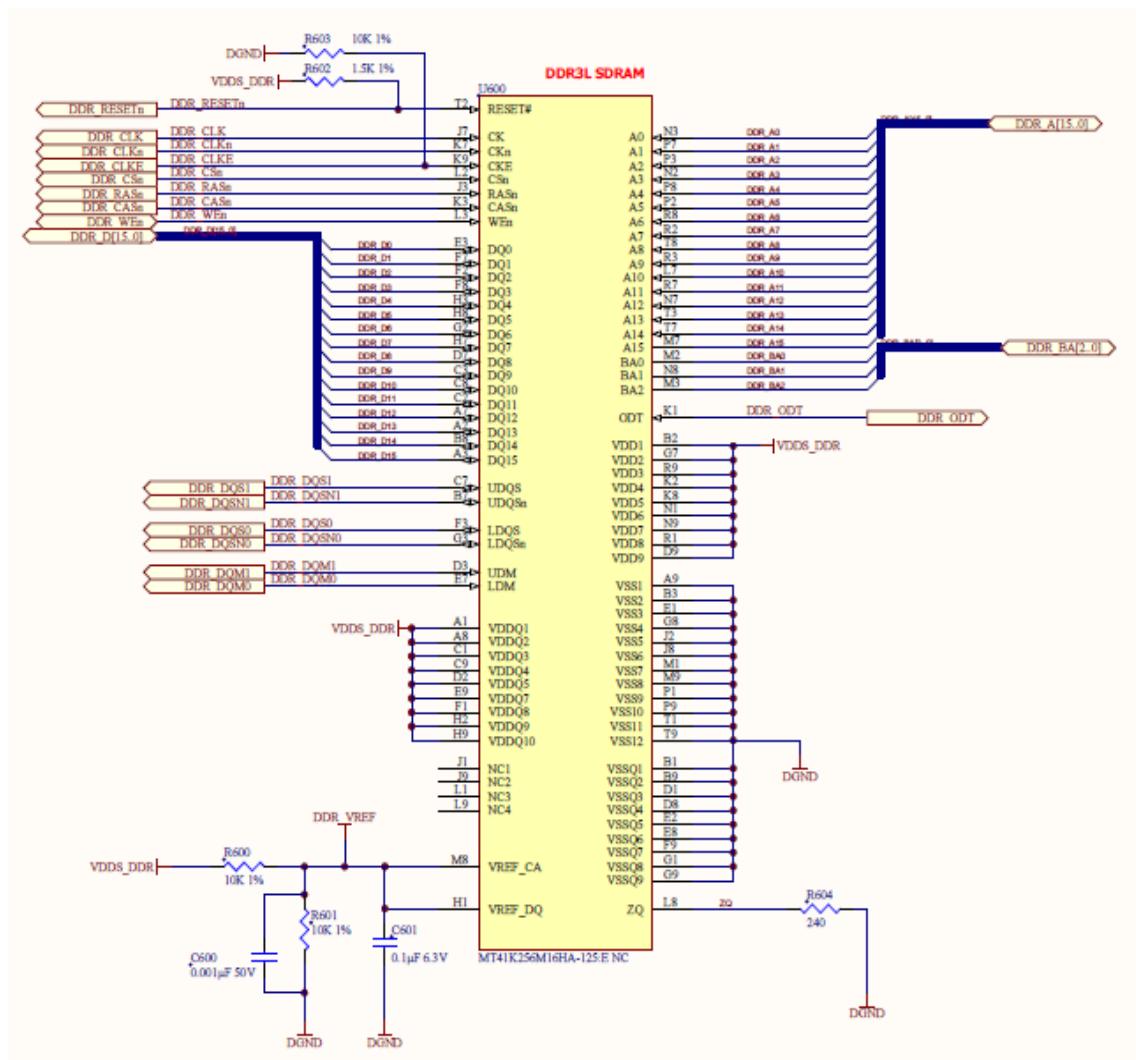


Illustration 7: DDR3L schematic

The schematic for the DDR3L memory device. Each of the groups of signals is described in the following lines.

Address Lines: Provide the row address for ACTIVATE commands, and the column address and auto pre-charge bit (A10) for READ/WRITE commands, to select one location out of the memory array in the respective bank. A10 sampled during a PRECHARGE command determines whether the PRECHARGE applies to one bank (A10 LOW, bank selected by BA[2:0]) or all banks (A10 HIGH). The address inputs also provide the op-code during a LOAD MODE command. Address inputs are referenced to VREFCA. A12/BC#: When enabled in the mode register (MR), A12 is sampled during READ and WRITE commands to determine whether burst chop (on-the-fly) will be performed (HIGH = BL8 or no burst chop, LOW = BC4 burst chop).

Bank Address Lines: BA[2:0] define the bank to which an ACTIVATE, READ, WRITE, or PRECHARGE command is being applied. BA[2:0] define which mode register (MR0, MR1, MR2, or MR3) is loaded during the LOAD MODE command. BA[2:0] are referenced to VREFCA.

CK and CK# Lines: are differential clock inputs. All address and control input signals are sampled on the crossing of the positive edge of CK and the negative edge of CK#. Output data strobe (DQS, DQS#) is referenced to the crossings of CK and CK#.

Clock Enable Line: CKE enables (registered HIGH) and disables (registered LOW) internal circuitry and clocks on the DRAM. The specific circuitry that is enabled/disabled is dependent upon the DDR3 SDRAM configuration and operating mode. Taking CKE LOW provides PRECHARGE power-down and SELF REFRESH operations (all banks idle) or active power-down (row active in any bank). CKE is synchronous for power-down entry and exit and for self refresh entry. CKE is asynchronous for self refresh exit. Input buffers (excluding CK, CK#, CKE, RESET#, and ODT) are disabled during power-down. Input buffers (excluding CKE and RESET#) are disabled during SELF REFRESH. CKE is referenced to VREFCA.

Chip Select Line: CS# enables (registered LOW) and disables (registered HIGH) the command decoder. All commands are masked when CS# is registered HIGH. CS# provides for external rank selection on systems with multiple ranks. CS# is considered part of the command code. CS# is referenced to VREFCA.

Input Data Mask Line: DM is an input mask signal for write data. Input data is masked when DM is sampled HIGH along with the input data during a write access. Although the DM ball is input-only, the DM loading is designed to match that of the DQ and DQS balls. DM is referenced to VREFDQ.

On-die Termination Line: ODT enables (registered HIGH) and disables (registered LOW) termination resistance internal to the DDR3L SDRAM. When enabled in normal operation, ODT is only applied to each of the following balls: DQ[7:0], DQS, DQS#, and DM for the x8; DQ[3:0], DQS, DQS#, and DM for the x4. The ODT input is ignored if disabled via the LOAD MODE command. ODT is referenced to VREFCA.

5.3.3 Power Rails

The **DDR3L** memory device and the DDR3 rails on the processor are supplied by the **TPS65217C**. Default voltage is 1.5V but can be scaled down to 1.35V if desired.

5.3.4 VREF

The **VREF** signal is generated from a voltage divider on the **VDDS_DDR** rail that powers the processor DDR rail and the DDR3L device itself. Below shows the configuration of this signal and the connection to the DDR3L memory device and the processor.

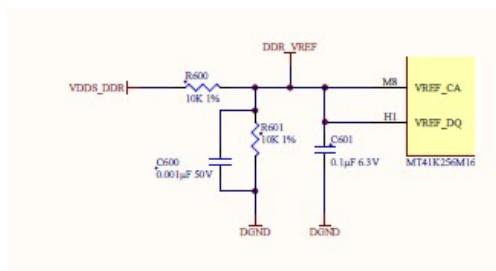


Illustration 8: DDR3L VREF

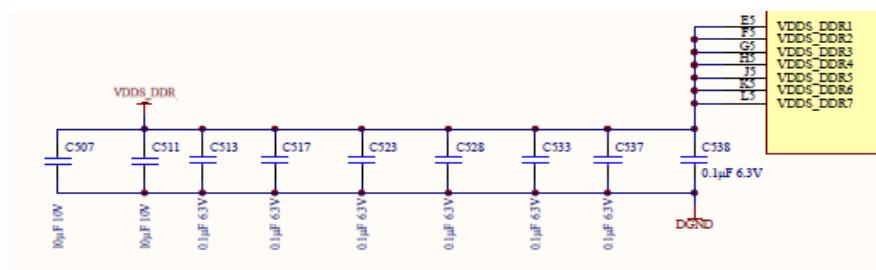


Illustration 9: AM335x DDR VREF

5.4 2GB eMMC Memory

The eMMC is a communication and mass data storage device that includes a Multi-MediaCard (MMC) interface, a NAND Flash component, and a controller on an advanced 11-signal bus, which is compliant with the MMC system specification. The nonvolatile eMMC draws no power to maintain stored data, delivers high performance across a wide range of operating temperatures, and resists shock and vibration disruption.

One of the issues faced with SD cards is that across the different brands and even within the same brand, performance can vary. Cards use different controllers and different memories, all of which can have bad locations that the controller handles. But the controllers may be optimized for reads or writes. You never know what you will be getting. This can lead to varying rates of performance. The eMMC card is a known controller and when coupled with the 8bit mode, 8 bits of data instead of 4, you get double the performance which should result in quicker boot times.

The following sections describe the design and device that is used on the board to implement this interface.

5.4.1 6.4.1 eMMC Device

The device used in a Micron **MTFC2GMTEA-0F_WT** 2GB eMMC device. This is a new device and so for documentation and support, you will need to contact your local Micron representative.

The package is a 153 ball WFBGA device. The footprint for this device supports 4GB and 8GB devices. As this is a JEDEC standard, there are other suppliers that may work in this design as well. The only device that has been tested is the **MTFC2GMTEA-0F_WT**.

5.4.2 eMMC Circuit Design

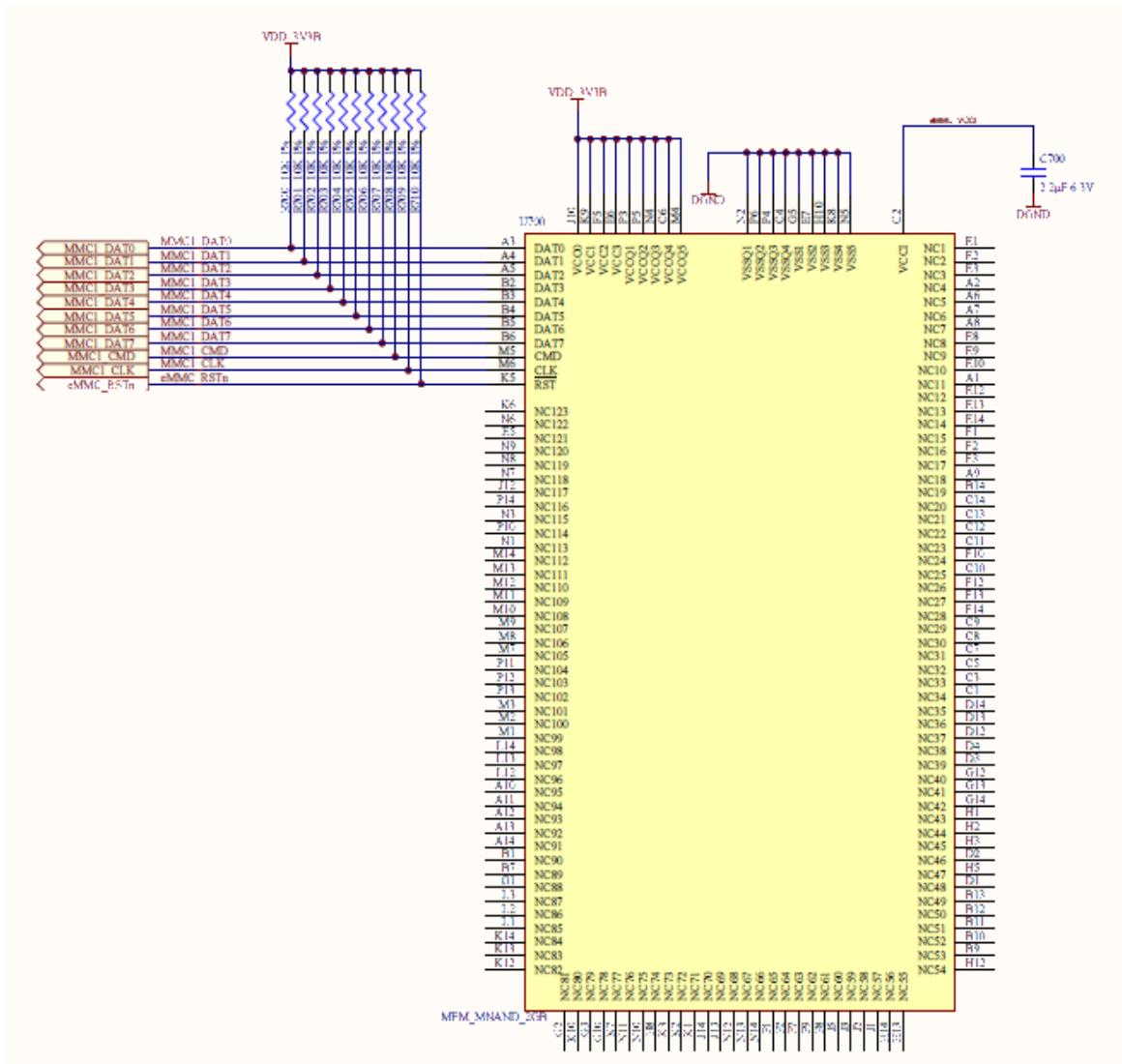


Illustration 10: eMMC design

The design of the eMMC circuitry. The eMMC device is connected to the MMC1 port on the processor. MMC0 is still used for the microSD card.

The device runs at 3.3V both internally and the external I/O rails. The VCCI is an internal voltage rail to the device. The manufacturer recommends that a 1uf capacitor be attached to this rail, but a 2.2uF was chosen to provide a little margin.

Pullup resistors are used to increase the rise time on the signals to compensate for any capacitance on the board.

The pins used by the eMMC1 in the boot mode are listed below ;

Signal name	Pin Used in Device
clk	gpmc_csn1
cmd	gpmc_csn2
dat0	gpmc_ad0
dat1	gpmc_ad1
dat2	gpmc_ad2
dat3	gpmc_ad3

For eMMC devices the ROM will only support raw mode. The ROM Code reads out raw sectors from image or the booting file within the file system and boots from it. In raw mode the booting image can be located at one of the four consecutive locations in the main area: offset 0x0 / 0x20000 (128 KB) / 0x40000 (256 KB) / 0x60000 (384 KB). For this reason, a booting image shall not exceed 128KB in size. However it is possible to flash a device with an image greater than 128KB starting at one of the aforementioned locations. Therefore the ROM Code does not check the image size. The only drawback is that the image will cross the subsequent image boundary. The raw mode is detected by reading sectors #0, #256, #512, #768. The content of these sectors is then verified for presence of a TOC structure. In the case of a **GP Device**, a Configuration Header (CH) **must** be located in the first sector followed by a **GP header**. The CH might be void (only containing a CHSETTINGS item for which the Valid field is zero).

The ROM only supports the 4-bit mode. After the initial boot, the switch can be made to 8-bit mode for increasing the overall performance of the eMMC interface.

5.5 Micro Secure Digital

The microSD connector on the board will support a microSD card that can be used for booting or file storage.

5.5.1 microSD Design

Below is the design of the microSD interface on the board.

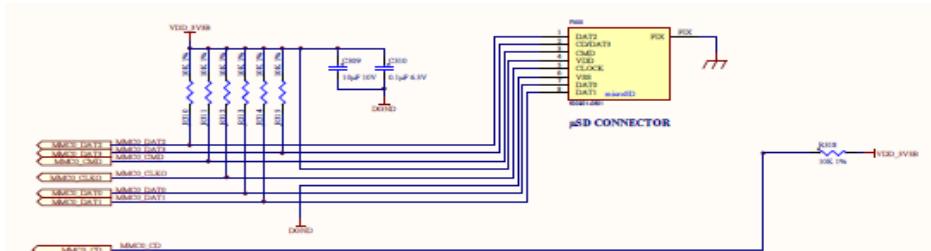


Illustration 11: microSD design

The signals **MMC0-3** are the data lines for the transfer of data between the processor and the microSD connector.

The **MMC0_CLK** signal clocks the data in and out of the microSD card.

The **MMC0_CMD** signal indicates that a command versus data is being sent.

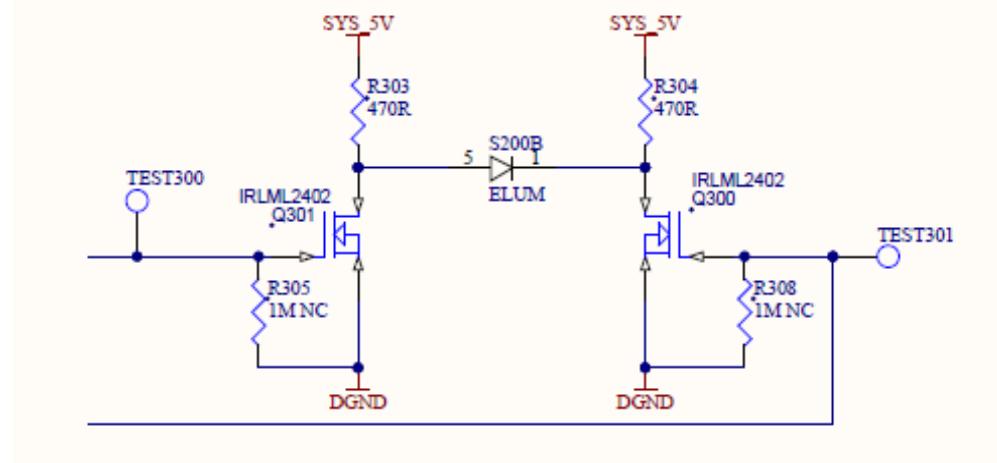
There is no separate card detect pin in the microSD specification. It uses **MMC0_DAT3** for that function. However, most microSD connectors still supply a CD function on the connectors. In the SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 design, this pin is connected to the **MMC0_SD_CD** pin for use by the processor.

Pullup resistors are provided on the signals to increase the rise times of the signals to overcome PCB capacitance.

Power is provided from the **VDD_3V3B** rail and a 10uf capacitor is provided for filtering.

5.6 User LEDs

There is one user LED on the SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 design. That is connected to GPIO2_2 and GPIO2_3 pin on the processor.



A logic level of "1" will cause the LEDs to turn on.

5.7 Boot Configuration

The design supports two groups of boot options on the board. The user can switch between these modes via the Boot button. The primary boot source is the onboard eMMC device. By holding the Boot button, the user can force the board to boot from the microSD slot. This enables the eMMC to be overwritten when needed or to just boot an alternate image. The following sections describe how the boot configuration works.

5.7.1 Default Boot Options

Based on the selected option found in **table** below, each of the boot sequences for each of the two settings is shown.

SYSBOOT[15:14]	SYSBOOT[13:12]	SYSBOOT[11:10]	SYSBOOT[9]	SYSBOOT[8]	SYSBOOT[7:6]	SYSBOOT[5]	SYSBOOT[4:3]	Boot Sequence
00b = 10.2MHz 01b = 24MHz 10b = 25MHz 11b = 26MHz	00b (all other values reserved)	Don't care for ROM code	0 = CLKOUT1 disabled 1 = CLKOUT1 enabled	11100b	MMC1 MMC2 UART0 USB0 ^[5]			
00b = 19.2MHz 01b = 24MHz 10b = 25MHz 11b = 26MHz	00b (all other values reserved)	Don't care for ROM code	0 = CLKOUT1 disabled 1 = CLKOUT1 enabled	11000b	SPI0 MMC0 USB0 ^[5] UART0			

The first row is the default setting. On boot, the processor will look for the eMMC on the MMC1 port first, followed by the microSD slot on MMC0, USB0 and UART0. In the event there is no microSD card and the eMMC is empty, UART0 or USB0 could be used as the board source.

If you have a microSD card from which you need to boot from, hold the boot button down. On boot, the processor will look for the SPI0 port first, then microSD on the MMC0 port, followed by USB0 and UART0. In the event there is no microSD card and the eMMC is empty, USB0 or UART0 could be used as the board source.

5.8 10/100 Ethernet

The SecureJet Intelligent Appliance 8.1 board is equipped with two 10/100 Ethernet interface. The design is described in the following sections.

5.8.1 Ethernet Processor Interface

The connections between the processor and the PHY. The interface is in the MII mode of operation.

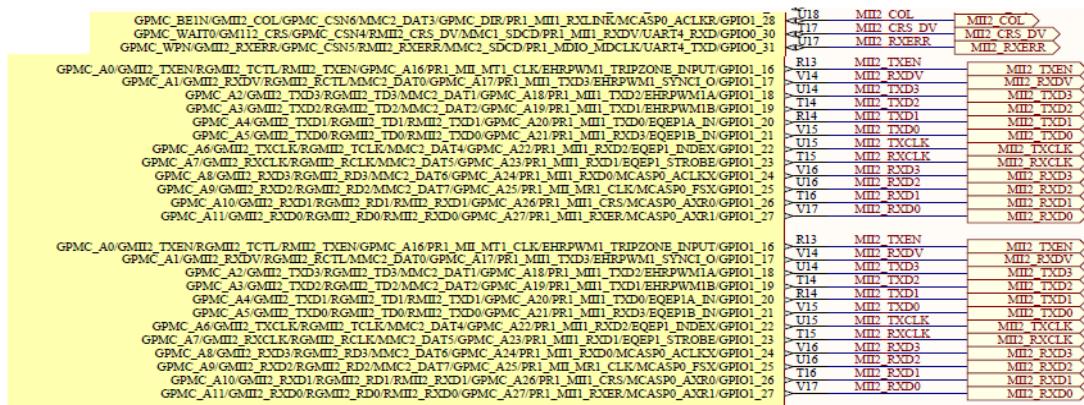


Illustration 12: AM335x RGMII interfaces

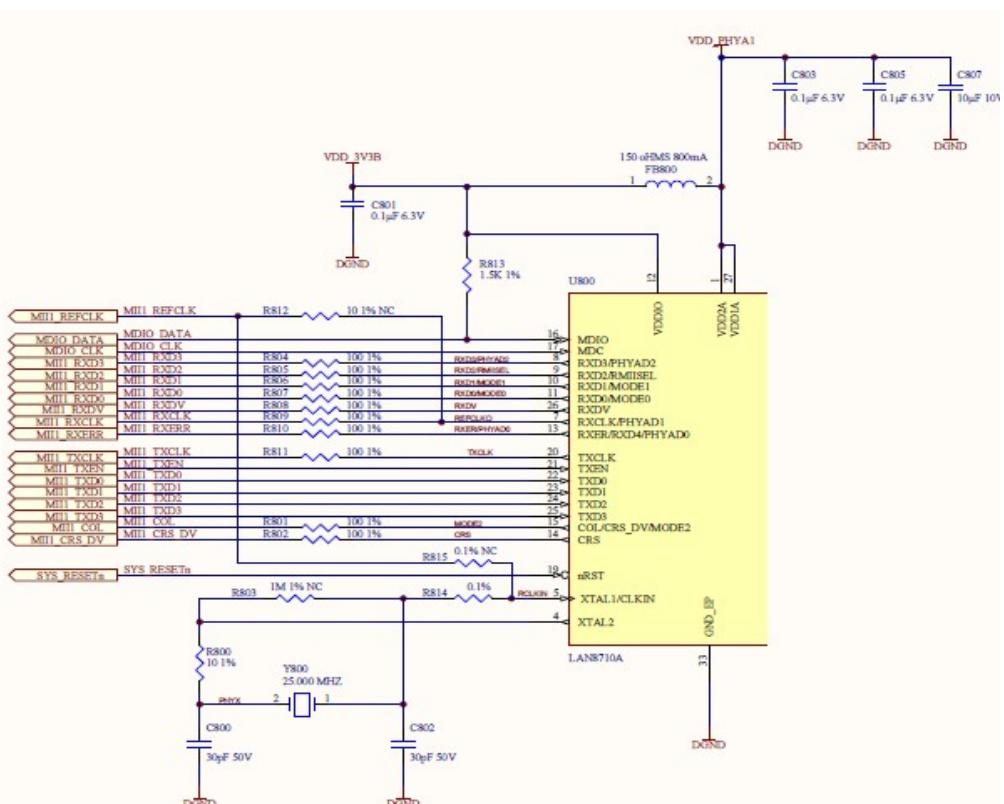


Illustration 13: PHY1 Interface

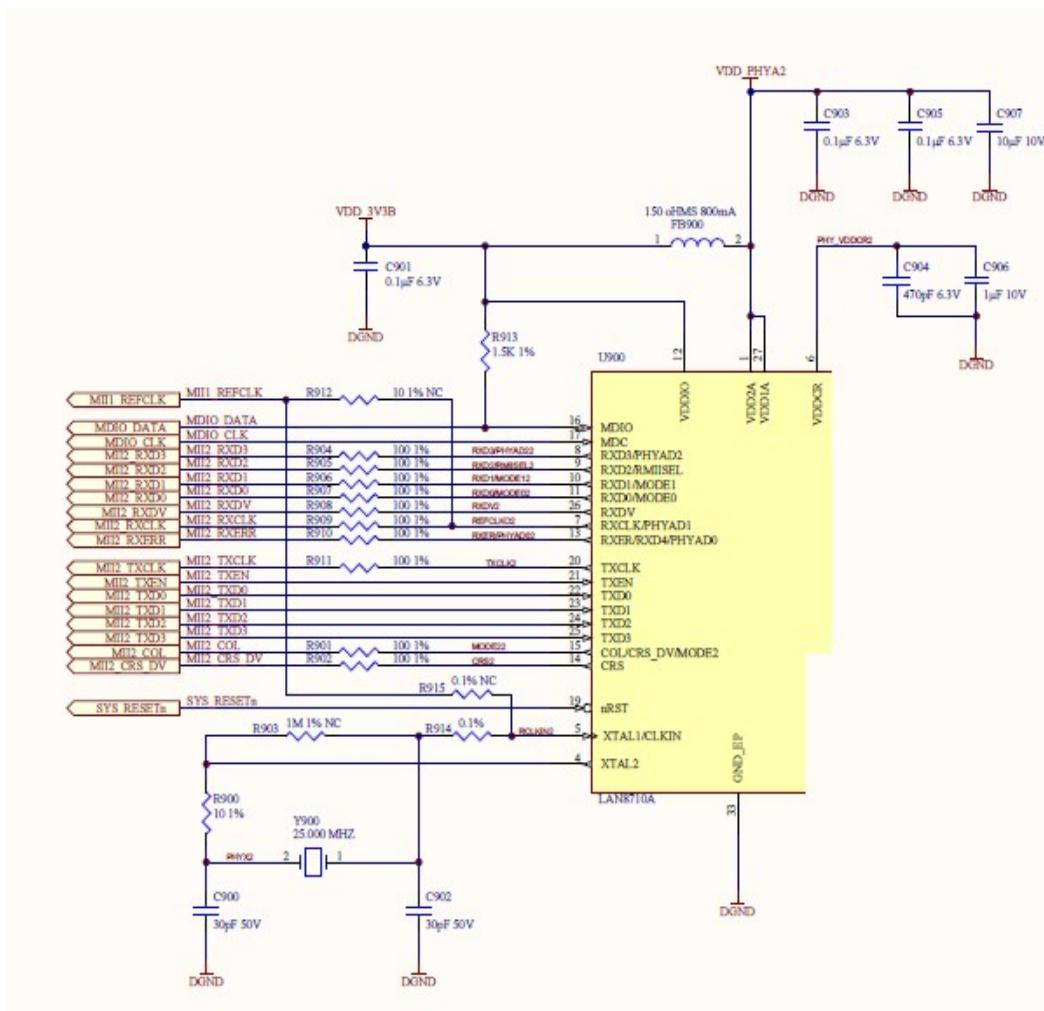


Illustration 14: PHY2 Interface

5.8.2 Ethernet Connector Interface

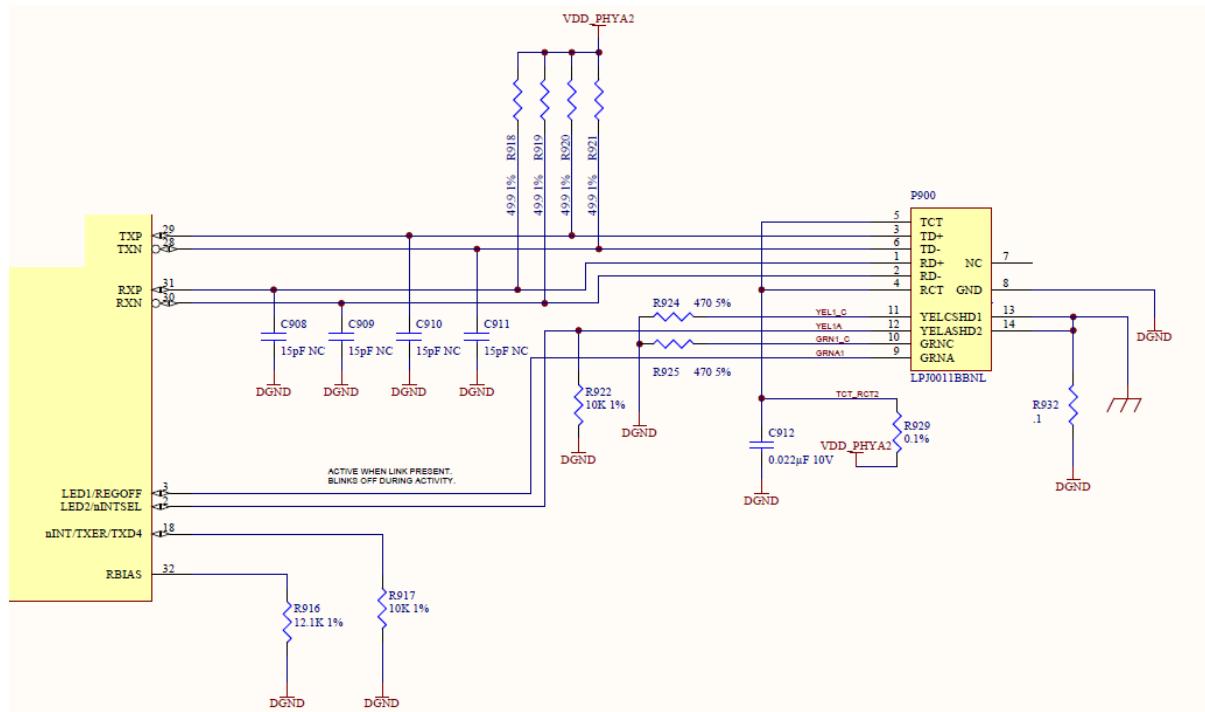


Illustration 15: Ethernet Connector Interface

5.8.3 Ethernet PHY Power, Reset, and Clocks

The power, reset, and lock connections to the **LAN8710A** PHY are illustrated in illustration 14.

5.8.3.1 VDD_3V3B Rail

The **VDD_3V3B** rail is the main power rail for the **LAN8710A**. It originates at the **VD_3V3B** regulator and is the primary rail that supports all of the peripherals on the board. This rail also supplies the **VDDIO** rails which set the voltage levels for all of the I/O signals between the processor and the **LAN8710A**.

5.8.3.2 VDD_PHYA Rail

A filtered version of **VDD_3V3B** rail is connected to the **VDD** rails of the **LAN8710** and the termination resistors on the Ethernet signals. It is labeled as **VDD_PHYA**. The filtering inductor helps block transients that may be seen on the **VDD_3V3B** rail.

5.8.3.3 PHY_VDDCR Rail

The **PHY_VDDCR** rail originates inside the **LAN8710A**. Filter and bypass capacitors are used to filter the rail. Only circuitry inside the **LAN8710A** uses this rail.

5.8.3.4 SYS_RESET

The reset of the LAN8710A is controlled via the **SYS_RESETn** signal, the main board reset line.

5.8.3.5 Clock Signals

A crystal is used to create the clock for the LAN8710A. The processor uses the **RMII_RXCLK** signal to provide the clocking for the data between the processor and the LAN8710A.

5.8.4 LAN8710A Mode Pins

There are mode pins on the LAN8710A that sets the operational mode for the PHY when coming out of reset. These signals are also used to communicate between the processor and the LAN8710A. As a result, these signals can be driven by the processor which can cause the PHY not to be initiated correctly. To ensure that this does not happen, three low value pull up resistors are used.

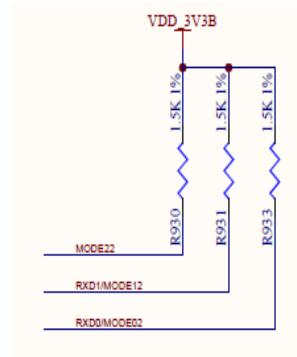


Illustration 16: PHY pin modes

This will set the mode to be 111, which enables all modes and enables auto-negotiation.

5.9 USB Host

The board is equipped with a single USB host interface accessible from a single USB Type A female connector. The design of the USB Host circuitry (extract from schematic page 4).

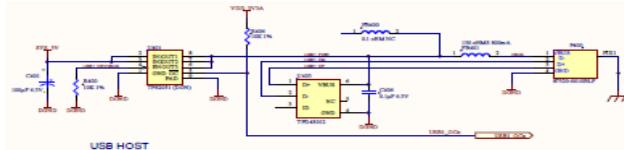


Illustration 17: USB Host

5.9.1 Power Switch

U401 is a switch that allows the power to the connector to be turned on or off by the processor. It also has an over current detection that can alert the processor if the current gets too high via the **USB1_OC** signal. The power is controlled by the **USB1_DRVBUS** signal from the processor.

5.9.2 ESD Protection

U403 is the ESD protection for the signals that go to the connector.

5.9.3 Filter Options

FB400 and **FB401** were added to assist in passing the FCC emissions test. The **USB1_VBUS** signal is used by the processor to detect that the 5V is present on the connector.

6 CONNECTORS

Each board has a debug serial interface that can be accessed by using a special serial cable that is plugged into the serial header.

Two signals are provided, TX and RX on this connector. The levels on these signals are 3.3V. In order to access these signals, a FTDI USB to Serial cable is recommended as shown in **Figure** below.



The cable can be purchased from several different places and must be the 3.3V version TTL-232R-3V3. Information on the cable itself can be found direct from FTDI at:

http://www.ftdichip.com/Support/Documents/DataSheets/Cables/DS_TTL-232R_CABLES.pdf

FCC 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.

Caution: Any changes or modifications to this device not explicitly approved by manufacturer could void your authority to operate this equipment.

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.