



Swakeup

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1 Introduction

Idea

It is a well-known fact, that it is quite dark in Sweden in the winter. In a strong winter every source of light is a source of happiness. This wakeup light, which is based on a strong light source (10 W RGB LED), is able to give one the optimal start into a dark winter day. The *Swakeup* (from engl. "Swedish Wakeup Light") is communicating to the user through the light. It does not simply wake one up, but also gives one information about Facebook, latest mails, calendar and weather. The user interface consists besides of a big LED of an OLED screen. *Swakeup* is also part of the *IoT* as it has the ability to communicate via *IEEE 802.11*. This of course enables a lot of possibilities e.g. connecting your phone to the wakeup light. A lot of effort has been put into the designing maxim, that everything should be as small as possible. The whole electronics fit on an base area of 5 cm x 4 cm. So the *Swakeup* fits smoothly on the bedside table. And honestly: What is the last thing you are doing before you go to sleep? Right! You look on your phone. That is why *Swakeup* comes with a USB charger for your e.g. phone as well.

Sytem Overview

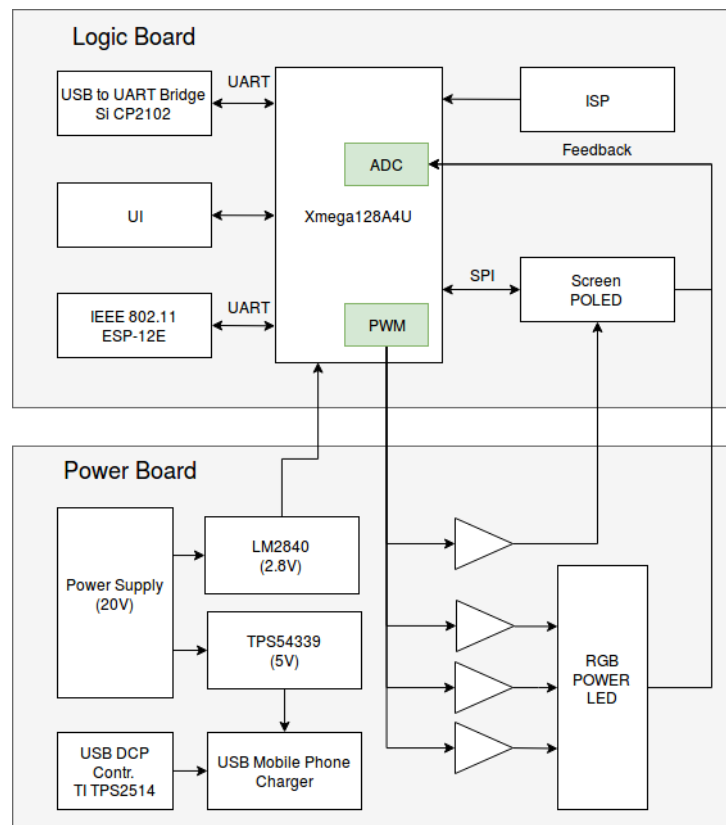


Figure 1.1: Blockdiagram of the Swakeup wakeup light.

In fig. 1.2 the actual system architecture from an abstract point of view is displayed. One can clearly see, that the system is divided into two physical boards. The logic board consists of the μC , a serial connection infrastructure, an OLED screen, an *IEEE 802.11* module, a ISP programming infrastructure and some LEDs/a button (UI).

The power board takes the 20 V input of a low-cost power supply and breaks it down to 2.8 V (Vcc), 5 V for phone charging and the power which is needed for the RGB LED.

The partitioning of the system functionalities on two boards has a bunch of advantages: Two people worked on this project, so each could develop a PCB; It is quite common to separate signals from power lines out of EMI reasons; There was simply not enough space on one two-layer board for the whole system keeping a base area of 5 cm x 4 cm.

The two boards are connected together through four headers. By these headers an electrical and mechanical connection is maintained. The headers allow a feedback from the LED driver on the power board to the logic board (ADC). Also the control variable (PWM) comes via the headers from the μC to the LED driver. The 2.8 V Vcc is produced and regulated on the power board and is also available at one header. Another voltage available from one header is the OLED driver voltage.

2 Hardware

Logic Board

Power Board

The whole board design has been made in *KiCAD*. *Git* was used for version control. In the schematics (Appendix A) one can see that the whole board consists of three main building blocks: Connectors, a LED driver with feedback and two step-down converters. A part of the LED driver is also "abused" to drive the OLED.

Microcontroller Power Supply

There are two step-down converter ICs on the power board. It is the LM2840 which in combination with a simple voltage divider ensures the 2.8 V for Vcc. All step-down converters use the same inductor with a value of 33 μ H. It is a low-cost, quite small, shielded inductor which is ment to be used for switching power supplies. Moreover all step-down converters are enhanced with a SMD schottky diode and a of course SMD capacitor for smoothing the output signal. As it is good practice to do so all ICs are making use of decoupling capacitors.

Designated USB Charging Port

For charging ones phone the TS30012, another step-down converter IC, is used. The feedback voltage divider of this IC is already onboard and does not need to be provided externally as the IC provides fixed 5 V. The output is connected to a USB connector type A. This IC can deliver up to 2 A. An interesting feature of the phone charging circuitry on the power board is the "Dedicated Charging Port" (DCP) functionality. The TPS2514 is a small, easy-to-use, 6-pin component, which complies to the USB standard and a majority of the minefield of propriatary standards to signal a DCP. What does that mean? Well this means, that if you connect your iPhone, it will know, that it can draw more than 100 mA, which are the minimum provided by a normal USB port. Otherwise the current drawn by the phone will be limited. The charging functionality can be turned on and off via a GPIO pin. The TS30012 comes in a QFN16 package (pad pitch of 0.5 mm) to save space.

HW Debugging

For testing purposes a lot of test points have been created on the board. Futhermore there are LEDs for different voltages.

RGB LED Driver

The LED driver consists of an actual power electronics part and a feedback part. The idea is, that the voltage driven through the three color channels of the RGB LED can be controlled by software (PID controller). In the power electronics part there are three analog circuits mainly consisting out of a p-channel MOSFET, which is switched by a NPN bipolar transistor. This bipolar transistor gets its input signal from the μ Processor (PWM). By pulling the 20 V to GND the PMOS "sees" a negative Vgs and opens.

3 Software

Code Structure

Operating System

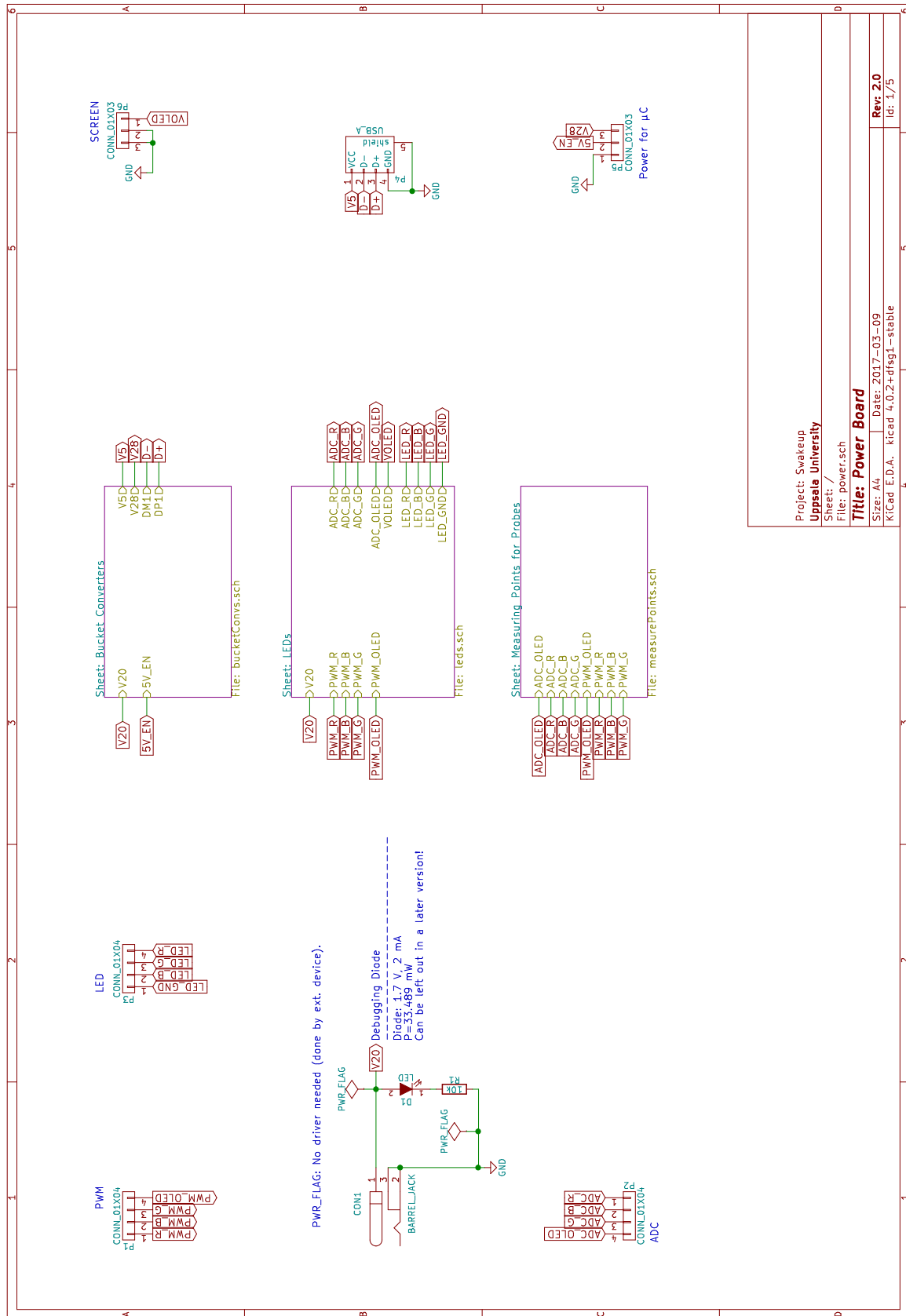
Realization

4 Status Quo and Outlook

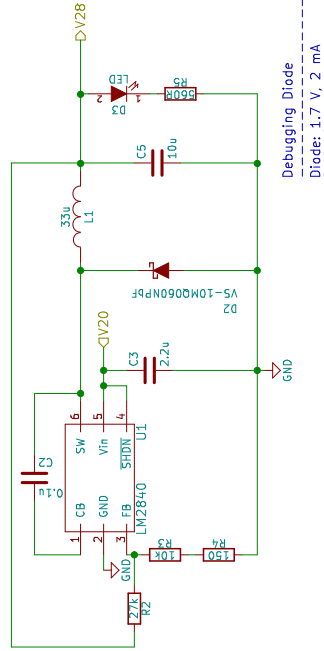
What works? What does not work?

Outlook

A Schematics Power Board



$$2.8 \text{ V for } \mu\text{C}$$

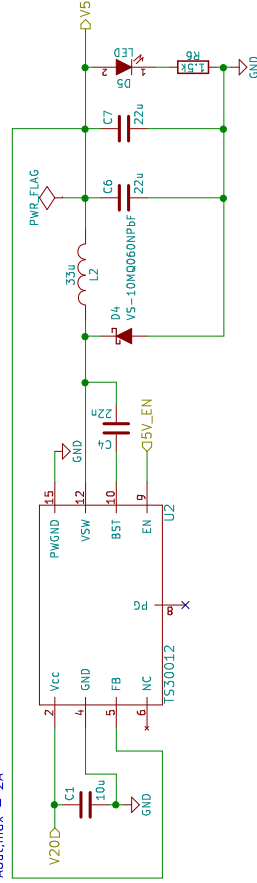
$$V_{\text{out}} = 0.765 \text{ V} \left(1 + \frac{27\text{k}\Omega}{27\text{k}\Omega / 10.15\text{k}\Omega} \right) = 2.8 \text{ V}$$


Debugging Diode

Diode: 1.7 V, 2 mA
P=2.161 mW
Can be left out in a later version!

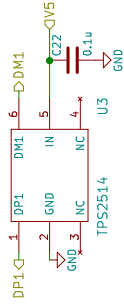
5V for Mobile Phone

Vout,max=5 V
Aout,max = 2A



Debugging Diode

Diode: 1.7 V, 2 mA
P=7.26 mW
Can be left out in a later version!



USB Dedicated Charging Port Control.

Simple S01-23-6 IC for detecting proprietary and open standards used by a device and providing the corresponding electrical signature at the data lines (voltage or impedance).

