

# HM0360 / AR3XA0 Add-On for GAP9\_EVK

## User Manual

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*Focus on HM0360 only, AR3XA0 to be added at a later step*

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# HM0360 Add-On Board Anatomy

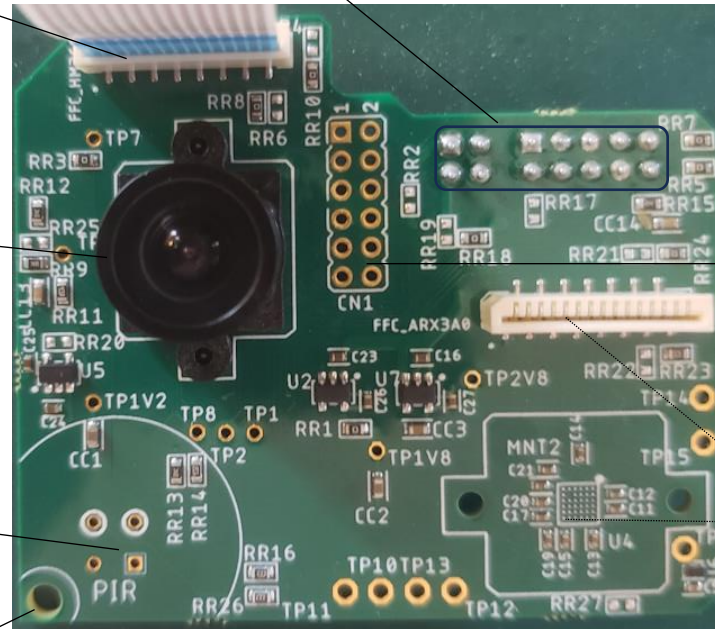
These connectors (on bottom face) to mate with CN8 and CN4 of GAP9\_EVK

FFC connector  
HM0360 <-> GAP9

S-Mount lens holder with  
interchangeable lens, mounted  
on top of HM0360 sensor.  
Select lens FOV according to  
application needs

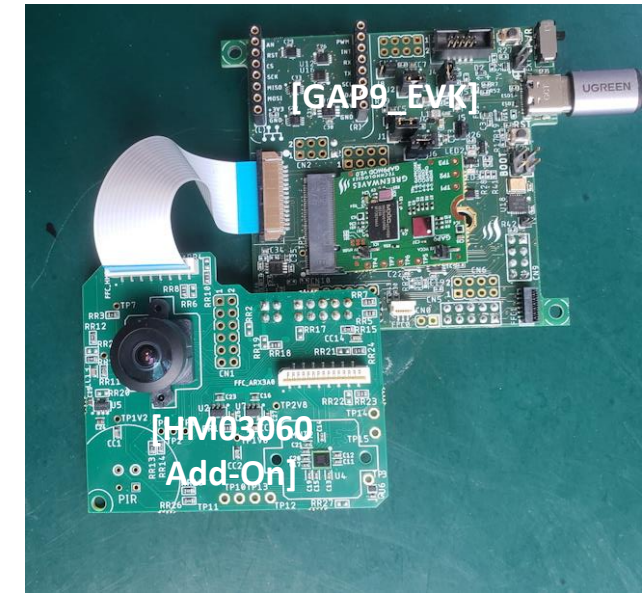
Optional PIR

Hole can be used to attach  
a supporting 'leg' for the board



HM0360 DVP Test Points  
for debug

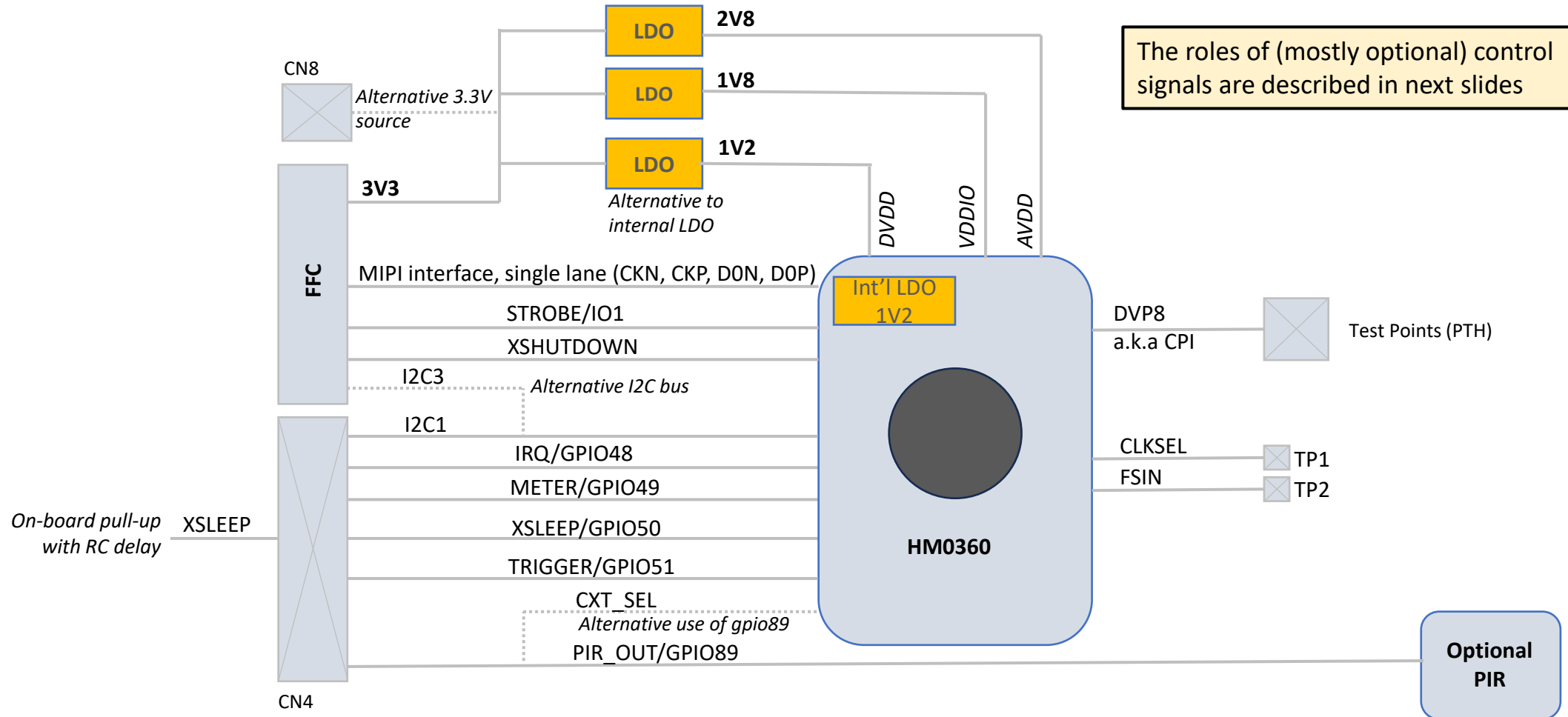
FFC and sensor footprint  
for alternative sensor,  
OnSemi ARX3A0



*Mated with GAP9\_EVK*

# HM0360 Add-On Board Architecture Outline

This is intended as an overview of the power supply scheme and control options available on the board.  
**Refer to full schematic for details.**



# HM0360 Default and Alternative Settings (1/2)

- **SOURCE POWER:**
  - **Default:** all on-board voltages derived from EVK's **3V3\_CAM** (carried through FFC) → 3V3\_CAM must be enabled on GAP9\_EVK, controlled by GAP9's GPIO0 (and J1 must be fitted).
  - Alternative (swap RR18 and RR19): can instead use 3V3\_PERIPH from EVK (carried through CN8) → 3V3\_PERIPH must be enabled on GAP9\_EVK, controlled by GAP9's GPIO35 (and J2 must be fitted).
- **HM0360 Power Supplies :**
  - 1.8V (I/Os) and 2.8V (analog core VCC) generated by on-board LDO
  - 1.2V (digital core VDD) can be generated internally by HM0360 (recommended default) or obtained from on-board LDO – Selection by I2C register [RR20 (0-ohm) must be mounted to use on-board LDO, do not mount if using internal generation]
- **XSHUTDOWN** (reset and power down control pin of HM0360, active low) : [BUG: should have been pulled high on-board by default]  
**To be driven by GAP9** (high to enable the camera, low to shut it down/reset it) - Driven through **IO0 of FFC cable, controlled through GPIO expander on GAP9\_EVK** (same as for RPi compatible modules – IO of FXL6408) – Can be forced through TP9 if needed.
- **XSLEEP** (low power sleep mode, active low) : **Default: pulled high (inactive)** on board. Can be driven from GAP9 with GPIO50 (present on position 5 of CN4)

## HM0360 Default and Alternative Settings (2/2)

- **CLOCKS:**

- **HM0360 Master Clock: Default** - CLK\_SEL pulled low on-chip → using **internally generated 48MHz clock**.

- Can be forced to any value through TP1. If driven to 1.8V, will use external clock MCLK\_HM360, NC by default but 12MHz if populated RR27 (0603) with 0-50ohm.

- **I2C control of HM0360:**

- Default:** is **I2C1 of GAP9**, passed through pins 7 and 9 of CN8 (different from case of Rpi compatible module)

- Alternative** (remove RR5+RR7, populate RR4+RR6 with 10K and RR8+RR10 with 0-ohm: I2C3 of GAP9, passed through camera FFC of GAP9\_EVK (same as Rpi compatible module)

- Other HM0360 control I/Os (optional use) that can be driven from GAP9

- **TRIGGER** (frame trigger input / optional use instead of s/w trigger): can be driven from **GPIO51** of GAP9
  - **METER** (exposure meter enable pin / optional use instead of s/w enable – useful for pre-metering feature, quickly setting exposure and gain): can be driven from **GPIO49** of GAP9
  - **INT** (HM0360 interrupt output, active high): can be monitored with **GPIO48** of GAP9

## Other Features

- An optional **PIR** can be mounted on the board, providing a single bit digital output – typically Panasonic's digital output EKMB or EKMC series. The PIR output is connected to **GPIO89** of GAP9 (wake-up capable).
- The HM0360 can also output pictures through a **parallel DVP (Digital Video Port) interface**. This interface is made available, mostly for debug purposes, on the HM0360 Add-On board on a **through-hole connector footprint, CN1**.  
GAP9 (in WLCSP package) cannot interface with a DVP (a.k.a CPI) interface – only CSI-2 is supported.

# Lens Selection - Effective FOV vs. Nominal SOV

- Most interchangeable lenses for S-Mounts are intended for sensors of size 1/3" to 1/4".

However **the HM0360 is only 1/6"**.

Therefore the image captured by the HM0360 will be a cropped version of the total picture provided by the lens.

Therefore **the effective FOV (Field of View) seen by the HM0360 will be smaller than that advertized by the lens.**

It is recommended to select a very large nominal FOV (very short focal length) to obtain a decently wide effective field of view.

- Example:

- consider lens M40160M12 from Arducam: Focal Length 1.6mm, intended for optical format: 1/4", with FOV (D/H/V): **145°/118°/92°**
- With some trigonometry, one can calculate that the HM0360 1/6" sensor will capture a (centered) fraction of the picture, with DFOV=**129°** (vs. 145° for full picture)

- For ARX3A0, the same holds, but the effective FOV reduction is even greater as this sensor is tiny, only 1/10.3 ''.

It will hardly be usable for most applications (unless narrow FOV is acceptable), but the main rationale for having ARX3A0 on the board is to facilitate driver development and validation.