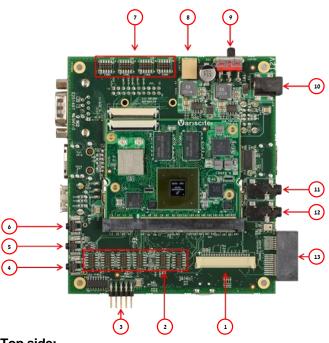


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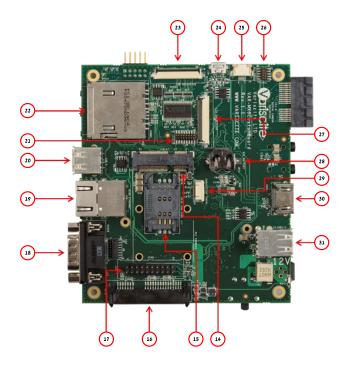
Top side:

- 1. LVDS Display
- 2. Extension Headers
- 3. Debug UART (J34)
- 4. Reset Button
- 5. Boot Select button (SW3)
- 6. User/Back Button
- 7. Extension Headers
- 8. Capacitive LCD Backlight
- 9. On/Off switch (SW1)
- 10. 12V DC In Jack (J19)
- 11. Headphones
- 12. Line In
- 13. MIPI CSI-2 Camera connects to Variscite's <u>VAR-EXT-CB402</u> Camera board

Bottom side:

- 14. PCI Express
- 15. SIM Card

- 16. SATA
- 17. JTAG
- 18. UART DTE
- 19. Gigabit Ethernet
- 20. USB Host
- 21. Extension Header
- 22. SD Card (J13)
- 23. Resistive LCD
- 24. USB OTG
- 25. Resistive Touch
- 26. Extension Header
- 27. Capacitive LCD
- 28. RTC Battery Holder
- 29. Capacitive Touch
- 30. HDMI
- 31. USB Host x 2



Evaluation Kit initial Setup

- 1. Carefully remove the Evaluation Kit from the package.
- 2. Plug the RS232 cable between Debug UART connector (J34) and a PC serial interface (DTE).

Note: Pin #1 on the RS323 cable marked with arrow should be connected To Pin #2 of J34 marked on PCB.

3. Plug the wall adapter's pin into the VAR-MX6CustomBoard 12V power jack (J19) and to a 120VAC~240VAC power source.



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Setting the Host PC for Debug

1. Download any PC terminal program. Variscite suggests using Putty

2. Set PC terminal software parameters as follows:

- Baud Rate: 115200

Data bits: 8Stop bits: 1Parity: None

- Flow Control: None

Using Default file System

- 1. Switch ON (leftwards) the On/Off switch (SW1).
- 2. Boot messages are printed within PC's terminal window.

Booting from SD Card

The SD card is supplied within the package. The image can be also downloaded from Variscite FTP site. Please refer to "Burning Recovery File System" section.

- 1. Verify Switch SW1 is OFF.
- Push SD card into the SD card slot (J13) of the VAR-MX6CustomBoard.
- 3. Press and hold down Boot select button (SW3) to boot from SD Card.
- 4. Switch ON (leftwards) the On/Off switch (SW1).
- 5. Wait for 5 sec and release the Boot Select button.
- 6. Boot messages are printed within PC's terminal window.

Burning Recovery File System

Please refer to Variscite's wiki pages for preparing recovery SD card and burning internal storage (NAND/eMMC) at: https://variwiki.com/index.php?title=Yocto Recovery SD card latest

Additional Support Links

- Wiki pages: https://variwiki.com/index.php?title=Main_Page
- Customer portal: https://varisciteportal.axosoft.com/login

VAR-SOM-MX6 Evaluation Kit: https://www.variscite.com/product/evaluation-kits/var-som-mx6-kits

- VAR-SOM-MX6:
 https://www.variscite.com/product/system-on-module-som/cortex-a9/var-som-mx6-cpu-freescale-imx6
- VAR-MX6CustomBoard: https://www.variscite.com/product/single-board-computers/var-mx6customboard

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