

Highly Integrated PMIC for Powering the Marvell PXA270

PMP-DC Power Mgmt Units

ABSTRACT

This reference design was created to help those needing to power the Marvel PXA270 and doing so by implementing a highly simplistic and efficient design that uses the TPS65021 power management unit.

1 Introduction

This reference design is for powering one Marvell PXA270 using the TPS65021 power management unit and accounts for voltage and current; requirements are given in Table 1. The TPS65021 is an integrated power management integrated circuit (PMIC), suitable for applications that require multiple power rails. The TPS65021 provides three highly efficient, step-down converters targeted at providing the core voltage, peripheral, I/O, and memory rails in the system. The Marvell PXA270 requires 0.85-V/1.1-V, 1.8-V, 2.5-V, 3-V, and 3.3-V input.

2 Power Requirements

The power requirements for each Marvell PXA270 are listed in the following table.

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Table 1. Marvell PXA270 Power Requirements

Core and I/O	Pin Name	Voltage (V)	I _{max} (mA)	Tolerance
Core	Vcc_Core	0.85 (min)	900	±5%
		1.4 (max)		
I/O	Vcc_IO	3; 3.3	1200	±5%
	Vcc_LCD; Vcc_BB; Vcc_MEM;	1.8, 2.5, 3, 3.3	1200	±5%
	Vcc_SRAM	1.1	120	±5%
	Vcc_PLL	1.3	120	±5%
	Vcc_USIM	1.8, 3	120	±5%
	Vcc_Batt	3	30	±5%

2.1 Device Features

TPS65021

- 1.2-A, 97% Efficient Step-Down Converter for System Voltage (VDCDC1)
- 1 A, Up to 95% Efficient Step-Down Converter for Memory Voltage (VDCDC2)
- 900-mA, 90% Efficient Step-Down Converter for Processor Core (VDCDC3)
- 30-mA LDO/Switch for Real Time Clock (VRTC)
- 2 × 200-mA, General-Purpose LDO
- Dynamic Voltage Management for Processor Core
- Preselectable LDO Voltage Using Two Digital Input Pins
- Externally Adjustable Reset Delay
- Battery Backup Functionality
- Separate Enable Pins for Inductive Converters
- I²C™ Compatible Serial Interface

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- 85- μ A Quiescent Current
- Low Ripple PFM Mode
- Thermal Shutdown Protection
- 40-Pin 6-mm \times 6-mm QFN Package

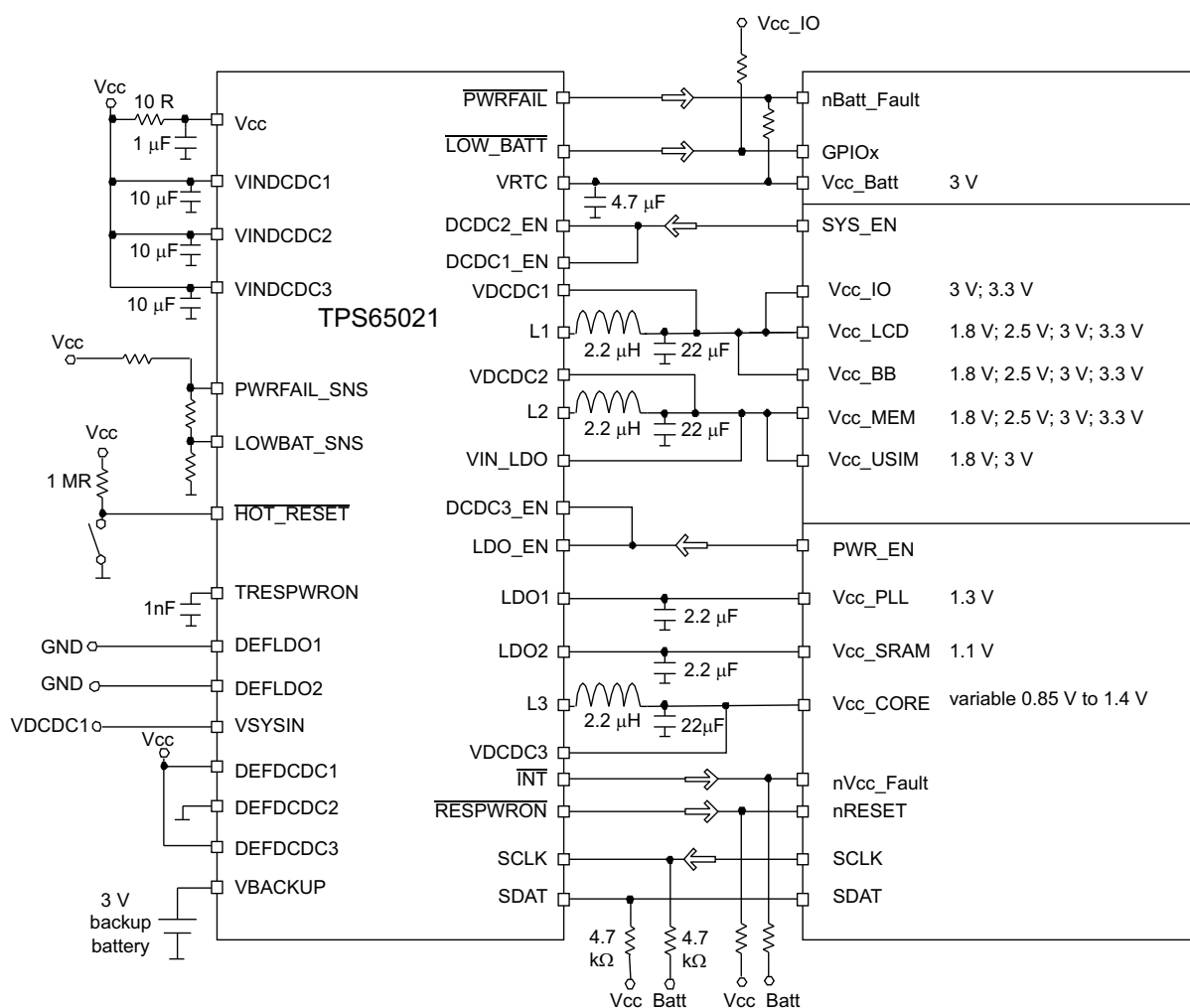


Figure 1. Typical Configuration for Powering the Marvell PXA270 Processor

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