POL Evaluation Board
ROA 128 3836

User Guide
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1 Schematics

Fig 1.1 Top level schematics of ROA 128 3836
Fig 1.2 12A/20A POL schematics of ROA 128 3836

Fig 1.3 40A POL schematics of ROA 128 3836
2 Component layout

In Fig 2.1 and Fig 2.2 the component layout is shown.

Fig 2.1 Top side component layout of ROA 128 3836

Fig 2.2 Bottom side component layout of ROA 128 3836
3 User Guide

3.1 Power Up/Down Instructions

This section of the document describes how to connect power supply for different cases in order to avoid mistake during measurements.

The jumpers that you need shall be mounted before power-up. See Sec 3.2 for information about jumper positions.

3.1.1 Power Supply Connection

Add the 5-14V DC power to the “MAX 14V” connectors (see Fig 3.1).

Fig 3.1 Connect 5-14V to either of the “Max 14V” DC power connectors located in both ends of the board (see blue rectangles).

Fig 3.2 shows the RC switch in “On” position.

Fig 3.2 the RC switch in “On” position.
Fig 3.3a and Fig 3.3b shows the connection of two types of USB-to-PMBus adapters.

Fig 3.3a Connection of the Flex KEP 910 17 PMBus-to-USB adapter (connector is found on the back side of the ROA 128 3836 board)
A. Power-up instruction:

- **Mount** the BMRs in the desired positions
- Connect and turn **On** the 5-14 V supply
- Turn RC **switch** in **On** position
  - The LEDs should now give green light. (unless the outputs of the BMRs are not configured to be disabled).
- Connect the PMBus Adapter/Cable to the board.
- Start the software program.

B. Power-down instruction:

- Turn **RC switch** in **Off** position or turn **Off** the 5-14V Supply
- Now, the BMR modules can be removed/replaced.

*Fig 3.3b Connection of the Intersil ZLUSBREF02 PMBus-to-USB adapter (connector is found on the back side of the ROA 128 3836 board)*
3.2 Jumper positions

3.2.1 Default settings

The factory default jumper positions are shown in Fig 3.4.

Fig 3.4 Factory default jumper settings of ROA 128 3836
3.2.2 Jumper settings for BMR 450, 462, and 463

In Fig 3.5 the jumper position numbers for BMR 450, 462 and 463 are given. Using Table 3.1, the User can make a custom configuration of the board.

Fig 3.5. Position number of the jumpers for BMR 450, 462 and 463

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<th>Jumper Position No.</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<th>Notes</th>
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<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Address pin ground reference connection</td>
<td>BMR 462</td>
<td>Only one jumper in pos 1 or 2.</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>BMR 463</td>
<td></td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Address pin ground reference connection</td>
<td>BMR 450</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>Connection to second address pin</td>
<td>BMR 450</td>
<td>Only one jumper in pos 3 or 4.</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>Connects module GCB pin to global GCB</td>
<td>BMR 462</td>
<td></td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>BMR 463</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Vout_max limitation connection</td>
<td>BMR 450</td>
<td>Only one jumper in pos 5 or 6.</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>BMR 462</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>BMR 463</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>Connects module Sync to global Sync</td>
<td>BMR 450</td>
<td></td>
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<td>7</td>
<td>Connection module Sync to global Sync</td>
<td>BMR 462</td>
<td>Only one jumper in pos 7 or 8.</td>
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<td>BMR 463</td>
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<td>8</td>
<td>Shorts module Sync signal to GND/DGND</td>
<td>BMR 462</td>
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<td>BMR 463</td>
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Table 3.1. Description of jumper positions for BMR 450, 462 and 463.
3.2.3 Jumper settings for BMR 451 and BMR 464

In Fig 3.6 the jumper position numbers for BMR 451 and 464 are given. Using Table 3.2, the User can make a custom configuration of the board.

![Fig 3.6. Position number of the jumpers for BMR 451 and 464](image)

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<td>Only one jumper in pos 1 or 2.</td>
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<td>Address pin ground reference connection</td>
<td>BMR 451</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>-</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>Connects module GCB pin to global GCB</td>
<td>BMR 464</td>
<td>Only one jumper in pos 3 or 4.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Vout_max limitation connection</td>
<td>BMR 451 BMR 464</td>
<td>Only one jumper in pos 5 or 6.</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>Connects module Sync to global Sync</td>
<td>BMR 451</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>Connection module Sync to global Sync</td>
<td>BMR 464</td>
<td>Only one jumper in pos 7 or 8.</td>
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<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>Shorts module Sync signal to GND/DGND</td>
<td>BMR 464</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>Connection to second address pin</td>
<td>BMR 451</td>
<td>-</td>
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Table 3.2. Description of jumper positions for BMR 451 and 464
4 Address and vout range resistors

This section describes the locations of the Address and Vout-range pinstrap resistors. To know what resistor value to mount, please look in the actual technical specification of the BMR product.

Fig 4.1 shows the positions of the address and vout range resistors.
4.1 Change of address resistors

4.1.1 BMR 462/463 adjustment of address resistors

To change the address in a position, change the R103, R203, R303 and R403 resistors values as shown in fig. 4.2.

![Image of circuit board with labeled resistors]

Fig 4.2 Address resistors in positions for BMR 462/463.
4.1.2 BMR 464 adjustment of address resistors

To change the address in a position, change the R503 and R603 resistors values as shown in fig. 4.3.

Fig 4.3 Address resistors in positions for BMR 464.
4.2 Change of Vout range resistors

4.2.1 BMR 462/463 adjustment of vout range resistors

To change the address in a position, change the R105, R205, R305 and R405 resistors values as shown in fig. 4.4.

Fig 4.4 Vout range resistors in positions for BMR 462/463.
4.2.2 BMR 464 adjustment of Vout range resistors

To change the address in a position, change the R505 and R605 resistors values as shown in fig. 4.5.

Fig 4.5 Vout range resistors in positions for BMR 464.
5 Dimensions

The outer dimensions (in mm) of the test board are shown in Fig 5.1.

![Diagram of the test board dimensions](image)

Fig 5.1 The outer dimensions (in mm).

The whole test board has the outer dimensions 133.2 x 92 x 36.14 mm (L x W x H). Weight of the complete test board including 24 jumpers is 193 g.