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1. Introduction

The PN5331B3HN with embedded firmware has following features:

- Supports ISO/IEC 14443A reader/writer up to 847Kbit/s
- Supports ISO/IEC 14443B reader/writer up to 847Kbit/s
- Supports MIFARE 1K/4K encryption in reader/writer mode at 106Kbit/s
- Supports all NFCIP-1 modes up to 424Kbit/s. The PN533 handles the complete NFC framing and error detection.
- Supports contactless RF communication according to the Felica protocol at 212Kbit/s and 424Kbit/s
- Embedded firmware commands allow compliancy with Paypass v1.1 and EMVCo v2.0 specifications
- Embedded firmware commands allow use of the NFC secure layer
- Embedded firmware commands allow RF Activation application
- Reader mode for Jewel cards
- Includes 80C51 micro-controller
- Integrated LDO to allow 2.7 to 5.4V power supply voltage
- Integrated antenna component detector
- Host interface: USB 2.0 full speed
- USB bus-powered or host-powered mode possibility
- On-chip PLL to generate internally 96MHz for the USB interface
- I2C master interface to fetch PID, VID, USB descriptor and RF settings from an external EEPROM
- I2C master interface to support the bridge to the TDA8029 contact reader (2 dedicated GP-IOs)
- 3 additional GP-IOs for external devices control

The PN533 demoboard so-called BSX0052 is described in this application note.

This board is an example of implementation of a Near Field Communication reader/writer on a small USB stick.

The BSX0052 board is described in paragraph 2.1.

Information for using this demoboard is given in paragraph 2.2.

Paragraphs 2.3, 2.4, and 2.5 contain electrical schematic, PCB layout and components information.



2. PN533 USB stick description

The BSX0052 board can be used as a reference design for a PN533 USB stick. The interface with the host controller is USB 2.0 full speed.



2.1 Description

On the stick board 4 parts are easily visible:

- The USB connector
- The IC part (containing PN533 IC + oscillator crystal + decoupling capacitors)
- The antenna matching components
- The antenna itself.

The 2 jumpers connecting matching components to antenna may be removed to use another antenna.

Two long holes can be seen: they may be used to fix a ferrite antenna instead of the usual antenna made of printed circuit. Using a small ferrite antenna makes the USB stick shorter.

The board uses a type A male USB connector to be connected to a PC.

It is bus powered. All the IC supplies (DVDD, AVDD, TVDD, PVDD) are generated from the USB supply (VBUS) by the internal LDO regulator.

2.2 How to use this demoboard

This demoboard has simply to be connected through USB interface to a PC using a **PC/SC driver** or our proprietary **software demonstrator SCRTester** that we provide with the complete demo kit. Please refer to the **Quick Start Guide** (or Readme file) of the demo kit for more details about installation and use.

When this software demonstrator is installed on PC, then just plug the PN533 USB stick to PC and start using it.

Refer to user manual of the software demonstrator for more details.

Few software scripts are provided as examples. Using these scripts, cards reading and writing or peer to peer communication with another NFC device can be demonstrated.

Notice that due to very small size of the antenna, communication distance is limited to about 3cm.



2.3 Electrical diagram



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2.4 Layout



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2.5 Components list

NOMENCLATURE		BSX0052-1.a		2008-06
COMPANY PART NO.	COUNT	REFERENCE	GEOMETRY	DESCRIPTION
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