

Series 2: BG22 Bluetooth[®] SoCs and Modules

NEXT GENERATION IOT WIRELESS CONNECTIVITY



A Complete Solution for Enabling Bluetooth Products



The Bluetooth LE Opportunity

MESH NETWORKING



23% CAGR 2018 - 2023





32% CAGR



Advanced RF | Fast data transfer | High-volume optimized | 10-year battery life | Sub meter accuracy | Secure



DATA TRANSFER

Extending Battery Life in Bluetooth Applications



BG22: Optimized Battery Powered Bluetooth LE

Optimized



Secure Bluetooth 5.2 SoCs for High-Volume Products

Radio

Bluetooth 5.2 +6 dBm TX -106.7 dBm RX (125Kbps) AoA & AoD

Ultra-Low Power

3.5 mA TX (radio) 2.6 mA RX (radio) 1.4 μA EM2 with 32 kB RAM 0.5 μA w/ RTC in EM4

World Class Software

Bluetooth 5.2 Bluetooth mesh LPN Direction Finding Apple HomeKit

Compact Size 5x5 QFN40 (26 GPIO) 4x4 QFN32 (18 GPIO) 4x4 TQFN32 (18 GPIO)

ARM Cortex-M33 with TrustZone

76.8 MHz FPU and DSP 352/512 kB of flash 32kB RAM

Peripherals Fit for Purpose

2x USART, 2x I2C, 2x PDM and GPIO 12-bit ADC (16 channels) Built-in temperature sensor with +/- 1.5 °C 32 kHz, 500ppm PLFRCO eliminates crystal

Security

AES128/256,SHA-1, SHA-2 (256-bit) ECC (up to 256-bit), ECDSA and ECDH True Random Number Generator (TRNG) Secure boot with RTSL Secure debug with lock/unlock

Securing Bluetooth Products with BG22



- Hardware Accelerated Crypto
 - Faster, more energy efficient and secure than software
- True Random Number Generator (TRNG)
 - Compliant with NIST SP800-90 and AIS-31
- Secure Boot with Root of Trust and Secure Loader (RTSL)
 - Prevents malware injection and rollback
 - Ensures authentic firmware execution and OTA updates
- Secure Debug with Lock/Unlock
 - Allows authenticated access for enhanced Failure Analysis (FA)
- ARM Cortex M33 Core with TrustZone
 - Provides cost effective hardware isolation

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Bluetooth LE Software

	Application		72				
	ΑΡΙ		\$ 88				
GATT							
Attribute Protocol	Manager	GAP					
Bluetooth Link Layer							
Platform: Gecko Bootloader RAIL NVM3 emLib							
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A Bluetooth 5.2 compliant Bluetooth stack, with:

- Bluetooth 5.2 dynamic TX power control
- Bluetooth 5.1 Direction Finding
- Bluetooth 5.0 standard features
- Relevant Bluetooth 4.x features

Packed with advanced functionality

- Multiple connections and advertisers
- Concurrent advertising, scanning and LE connections
- Optimized throughput and power consumption

Built on top of the common EFR32 software platform

- Gecko bootloader
- emLib for MCU peripherals and drivers
- NVM3 key/value pair data storage with wear leveling
- RAIL radio driver

Bluetooth Mesh Software

	Appli	cation	72			
	A	ΑΡΙ				
	Plustooth LE	Bluetooth Mesh Model				
	Bluetooth LE	Bluetooth Mesh Profile				
-	Bluetooth					
3	EFR32 Platform: RAIL G	ecko bootloader NVM3				

A feature complete Bluetooth mesh profile, supporting:

- Proxy, relaying and friend nodes
- Bluetooth mesh low power nodes (LPN)
- Low latency communications down to 10ms per hop
- Large network support up to 4096 nodes

A comprehensive Mesh Model application layer, with:

- Basic lighting models for On/Off, Dimming & color temperature level (CTL)
- ALS and occupancy based lighting for commercial
- Generic, Sensor and Vendor models

Bluetooth LE support includes

- Beaconing for indoor positioning systems
- Scanning for asset tracking
- Phone connectivity
- Energy harvesting light switches

BG22 supports Bluetooth mesh LPN

BG21 is the solution for mains powered relaying nodes

It's More Than Just a Bluetooth Stack...



Secure Over-the-Air Updates

Helps you to easily implement secure in-field software updates

Network Co-Processor Mode

 Run applications on a separate MCU and use EFR32 as a Bluetooth co-processor

Direction Finding

 Direction Finding library converts raw IQ data to reliable azimuth and elevation data

Wi-Fi Co-Existence

 Wi-Fi co-ex scheme significantly improves performance in co-located radio designs

Apple® Homekit

 Build Apple HomeKit ecosystem compliant Bluetooth smart home devices

BG22 Block Diagram



BG22 Product Highlights

CP	VU and Memo	ory	Clock Ma	Clock Management Energy Management		Security	Feature available down to	
ARM Cortex-M33 with DSP, FPU &	Up to 512 kB Flash		High Freq Crystal Osc	High Freq RC Osc	Voltage Regulator	Brown-out Detector	AES-128/256, SHA-1/2	
			Fast Startup RC Osc	UL Freq RC Osc	DC-DC Converter	Power-on Reset	Secure Boot RTSL	Run
Debug nterface	32 KB RAM	Controller	Low Freq Crystal Osc	Precision LF RC Osc	Voltage Scaling		Secure Debug TRNG	EM1 _{Sleep}
ARM Cortex-M3 DSP Extensio	3 @ 76.8 MHz ons and FPU		 38.4MHz e Built-in 32i PLEBCO eli 	xternal HFXO kHz, 500ppm minates crystal	 1.71 to 3.8 voltage DC-DC for the second secon	V supply	 AES128/256 SHA-1/2 	EM Deep S

- ARM TrustZone
- LDMA
- ETM and SWD
- 32 kB RAM
- Up to 512 kB Flash

- Brown-Out Detection
- Power on Reset

- NIST SP800-90 and AIS-31 compliant TRNG

EM3

EM4

Shutoff

- Secure boot with RTSL
- Secure Debug with Lock/Unlock
- Secure OTA

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BG22 Product Highlights

- 2x USART (UART, I2S, IrDA, ISO7816)
- 1x EUART
- 2x I2C with SMBus
- 2x 16-bit PDM
- Up to 26x GPIO

- Package options
- QFN40: 5x5mm, 26x I/O
- QFN/TQFN32: 4x4mm, 18x I/O
- Up to +125°C

- 4× 16-bit Timer/Counter
- 1× 32-bit Timer/Counter
 Built-in +/- 1.5C
- 1x 32-bit Real Time Counter
- 1x 24-bit Low Energy Timer
- 1× Watchdog Timer

12-bit, 1Msps SAR

temperature sensor

- Bluetooth 5.2
 - 1M, 2M, 500k and 125k PHYs
 - IQ sampling for AoA/D
 - Up to +6 dBm TX
 - -99 dBm RX (1M)
 - -96 dBm RX (2M)
 - -106.7 dBm RX (125k)
 - RFSENSE
 - Dedicated M0+ and crypto



Feature available down to Energy Mode

EM0

EM1

Sleep

EM2

EM3

EM4

Shutoff

Selecting a BG22 Device

	BG22C112	BG22C222	BG22C224	
Use cases	High-volume, consumer	Better RF, more GPIO	Advanced features, higher temp rating	
Bluetooth features	1M and 2M PHYs AoA TX	1M and 2M PHYs AoA TX	1M and 2M PHYs 125k and 500k LE Coded PHYs Bluetooth mesh LPN IQ sampling for AoA	
Max TX power	0 dBm	6 dBm	6 dBm	
RAM	32 kB	32 kB	32 kB	
Flash	352 kB	352 kB	512 kB	
Max Temperature	-40 to +85°C	-40 to +85°C	-40 to +85∘C (G OPNs) -40 to +125∘C (I OPNs)	
Max GPIO	18	26	26	
Package options	4x4 QFN32	4x4 QFN32 4x4 TQFN32 5x5 QFN40	4x4 QFN32 4x4 TQFN32 5x5 QFN40	

Silicon Labs' Bluetooth SoC Families



	Series 1 - BG13	Series 2 - BG21	Series 2 - BG22
Target applications	General purpose Bluetooth LE and mesh	Mains powered Bluetooth LE and mesh	Lowest power Bluetooth LE, Direction Finding and Bluetooth mesh LPNs
Bluetooth features	5.1 and mesh 1.0 (1M, 2M, LE Coded PHYs and AE)	5.1 and mesh 1.0 (1M, 2M, LE Coded PHYs and AE)	5.2 and Bluetooth mesh LPN (1M, 2M, LE Coded PHYs, AE and AoA/D)
Proprietary 2.4G	2/4(G)FSK, OQPSK/(G)MSK, DSSS, BPSK/DBPSK TX, OOK/ASK	N/A	2/4(G)FSK, (G)MSK, OQPSK, DSSS
TX / RX (1M, GFSK)	+19 dBm / -95.8 dBm	+20 dBm / -97.5 dBm	+6 dBm / -99 dBm
TX Current (0 dBm)	9.5 mA	9.3 mA	4.1 mA* 8.2 mA (6 dBm)*
RX Current (1M, GFSK)	9.5 mA	8.8 mA	3.6 mA
CPU / Clock Speed	Cortex M4 (38.4 MHz)	Cortex M33 (80 MHz)	Cortex M33 (up to 76.8 MHz) Cortex M0+ for radio
Flash (kB)	512	Up to 1024	Up to 512
RAM (kB)	64	Up to 96	32
Sleep Current (EM2)	1.3 μA (16 kB RAM)	4.5 μA (16 RAM)	1.21 μΑ (8 kB RAM) - 1.4 μΑ (32 kB RAM)
Active Current (EM0)	87 μA/MHz	63.8 μA/MHz	25 μA/MHz
Security	2x AES-128/256, ECC, SHA-1/224/256, TRNG	AES-128/256, SHA-1/2 ECC, ECDSA and TRNG DPA countermeasures Secure boot with RTSL Secure debug with debug lock/unlock	AES-128/256, SHA-1/2 ECC, ECDSA and TRNG Secure boot with RTSL Secure debug with debug lock/unlock
Operating Voltage	1.8V – 3.6V	1.8V - 3.8V	1.71V – 3.8V
Packages (mm)	7x7 QFN48, 5x5 QFN32	4x4 QFN32 (20x GPIO)	5x5 QFN40 (26x GPIO) 4x4 QFN32, TQFN32 (18x GPIO)

BGM220: Ultra-Low-Power Bluetooth 5.2 Modules



The World's Smallest Bluetooth SIP Module

- 10x Smaller SIP Than Competition
- Worldwide Certifications
- 10-year longevity guarantee
- Up to 105°C

Selecting a BGM220 Module

	BGM220SC12WGA2	BGM220SC22WGA2	BGM220PC22WGA2	BGM220SC22HNA2	BGM220PC22HNA2
Availability	Q2 2020	Q3 2020	Q2 2020	Q3 2020	Q2 2020
Bluetooth features	1M and 2M PHYs AoA TX	1M and 2M PHYs AoA TX	1M and 2M PHYs AoA TX	1M and 2M PHYs 125k and 500k Coded PHYs Bluetooth mesh LPN IQ sampling for AoA/AoD	1M and 2M PHYs 125k and 500k Coded PHYs Bluetooth mesh LPN IQ sampling for AoA/AoD
Max TX power	+0 dBm	+6 dBm	+8 dBm	+6 dBm	+8 dBm
Flash	352 kB	352 kB	352 kB	512 kB	512 kB
Max GPIO	25	25	25	25	24
Antenna	Built-in or RF pin	Built-in or RF pin	Built-in	Built-in or RF pin	Built-in
RF Shield	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Sleep XTAL	PLFRCO or external XTAL	PLFRCO or external XTAL	PLFRCO or external XTAL	PLFRCO or external XTAL	Built-in LFXO
Regulatory cert.	CE and <u>limited</u> FCC/ISED, Telec	CE, FCC/ISED, MIC and Telec	CE, FCC/ISED, MIC and Telec	CE, FCC/ISED, MIC and Telec	CE, FCC/ISED, MIC and Telec
Max Temperature	-40 to +85°C	-40 to +85∘C	-40 to +85∘C	-40 to +105∘C	-40 to +105°C
Package	6x6 SIP	6x6 SIP	13x15 PCB	6x6 SIP	13x15 PCB

Silicon Labs' Bluetooth Module Families

	SILLEN LARS Blue Gecke BGMSP	SILICEN LARS BGM13S	SILIEON LABS BRATHP		SILICON LABS BGMZ20P	SILICON LABS BGM220S
	BGM13P	BGM13S	BGM210P	BGM210L	BGM220P (Q2'20)	BGM220S (Q3'20)
Protocols	5.1 and mesh (1M, 2M, Coded PHY and AE)	5.1 and mesh (1M, 2M, Coded PHY and AE)	5.1 and mesh 1.0 (1M, 2M, Coded PHY and AE)	5.1 and mesh 1.0 (1M, 2M, Coded PHY and AE)	5.2 and mesh 1.0 LPN (1M, 2M, Coded PHY, AE and AoA/D)	5.2 and mesh 1.0 LPN (1M, 2M, Coded PHY, AE and AoA/D)
EFR32 SoC	BG13	BG13	BG21	BG21	BG22	BG22
Antenna	Built-in or U.FL	Built-in or RF pin	Built-in or RF pin	Built-in	Built-in	Built-in or RF pin
Max TX power	+8 / +19 dBm	+8 / +18 dBm	+10 / +20 dBm	+12.5 dBm	+8 dBm	+6 dBm
Sensitivity (1M)	-94.8 dBm	-94.1 dBm	-97 dBm	-97 dBm	-98 dBm	-98 dbm
Flash (kB)	512	512	1024	1024	512	512
RAM (kB)	64	64	96	96	32	32
GPIO	25	30	20	12	24,25	25
Operating Voltage	1.8V – 3.6V	1.8V - 3.6V	1.8-3.8V	1.8-3.8V	1.71V – 3.8V	1.71V - 3.8V
Operating Temp.	-40 to +85C	-40 to +85C	-40 to +125C	-40 to +125C	-40 to +105C	-40 to +105C
Dimensions W x L x H (mm)	13.0 x 15.0 x 2.2	6.5 x 6.5 x 1.4	13.0 x 15.0 x 2.2	13.0 x 15.0 x 2.2	13.0 x 15.0 x 2.2	6 x 6 x 1.3
Certifications	BT, CE, FCC, ISED, Japan, S-Korea and Taiwan	BT, CE, FCC, ISED, Japan & S-Korea	BT, CE, FCC, ISED, Japan & S-Korea	BT, CE, FCC, ISED, Japan & S-Korea	BT, CE, FCC, ISED, Japan & S-Korea	BT, CE, FCC, ISED, Japan & S-Korea



Simplicity Studio 4

- Simplicity Studio IDEs
 - Free eclipse based IDE with code editing, compilation and debug for Windows, OSX and Linux
 - Pre-compiled demos, source code and documentation
- Value-add tools include
 - Graphical hardware configurator
 - Graphical Bluetooth GATT Editor
 - Energy Profiler visual energy anayzis
 - Network Analyzer packet capture & decode
- Example applications in source code
 - Bluetooth 5 beaconing and connections
 - Bluetooth mesh light and switch
 - Voice capture
 - NCP and more
- Compiler support
 - GCC 7.2.1 or IAR 7.80.4

Getting Started with BG22 SoCs



BG22 SoC Starter Kit SLWSTK6021A

Thunderboard BG22 SLTB010A

S	LW	ST	К6	02	21/	4

1x WSTK main boards 1x SLWRB4182A radio boards (QFN40) 1x SLWRB4183A radio boards (QFN32)

SLWRB4182A BG22 +6 dBm radio board (QFN40)

SLWRB4183A BG22 +6 dBm radio board (QFN32)

SLTB010A Thunderboard BG22 kit

Getting Started with the BGM220 Modules

BGM220 Bluetooth Module Starter Kit SLWSTK6103A

Wireless Starter Kit (WSTK) main board

BGM220P radio board SLWRB4311A SLWSTK6103A

1x WSTK main boards 1x SLWRB4310A radio boards (BGM220S) 1x SLWRB4311A radio boards (BGM220P)

SLWRB4310A

BGM220S +0 dBm radio board

SLWRB4311A BGM220P +8 dBm radio board

BGM220S radio board SLWRB4310A

Silicon Labs: Advancing What's Possible in the IoT

- Expertise: 20+ years providing RF solutions with more than 1 billion deployed wireless nodes worldwide
- Security: Providing enhanced security features to help developers increase consumer trust in connected products
- Platform: Simplifying IoT product design with highlyintegrated devices, reusable software and advanced development tools

BG22 SoC Orderable Part Numbers (OPNs)

	Flash	RAM	I/O	Package	Max. TX Output Power	Max. Operating Temperature	Other
EFR32BG22 C112F352GM32-C	352 kB	32 kB	18	QFN32	+0 dBm	-40°C to +85°C	-
EFR32BG22 C222F352GM32-C	352 kB	32 kB	18	QFN32	+6 dBm	-40°C to +85°C	-
EFR32BG22 C222F352GN32-C	352 kB	32 kB	18	TQFN32	+6 dBm	-40°C to +85°C	-
EFR32BG22 C222F352GM40-C	352 kB	32 kB	26	QFN40	+6 dBm	-40°C to +85°C	-
EFR32BG22 C224F512GM32-C	512 kB	32 kB	18	QFN32	+6 dBm	-40°C to +85°C	LE Coded PHY IQ sampling for AoA Bluetooth mesh LPN
EFR32BG22 C224F512IM32-C	512 kB	32 kB	18	QFN32	+6 dBm	-40°C to +125°C	LE Coded PHY IQ sampling for AoA Bluetooth mesh LPN
EFR32BG22 C224F512GM40-C	512 kB	32 kB	26	QFN40	+6 dBm	-40°C to +85°C	LE Coded PHY IQ sampling for AoA Bluetooth mesh LPN
EFR32BG22 C224F512GN32-C	512 kB	32 kB	18	TQFN32	+6 dBm	-40°C to +85°C	LE Coded PHY IQ sampling for AoA Bluetooth mesh LPN
EFR32BG22 C224F512IM40-C	512 kB	32 kB	26	QFN40	+6 dBm	-40°C to +125°C	LE Coded PHY IQ sampling for AoA Bluetooth mesh LPN

Bluetooth LE – Supported Features by Device

Bluetooth version	Feature	BG22	BG21	BG13	BG12	BG1
	LE Audio (multiple subfeatures)					
Bluetooth 5.2	Dynamic TX power control	\checkmark				
	Enhanced ATT					
	Direction Finding (AoA and AoD)	AoA TX/RX, AoD ready				
	GATT caching	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Bluetooth 5.1	Adv. Channel Index Change					
	Periodic Adv. Sync Transfer					
	Control Length Extension					
	Higher Output Power		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
	2M PHY	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
Plustoath 5.0	LE Long Range	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark		
Bidetootii 5.0	LE Advertising Extensions	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
	LE Periodic Advertising	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
	LE CSA#2	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
	LE Data Packet Length Extensions	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Bluetooth 4.2	LE Privacy 1.2	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
	LE Secure Connections	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Bluetooth 4.1	LE Link Layer Topolgy	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark

Bluetooth LE – Performance Figures

Feature	Value
Simultaneous connections	Up to 8 (BG1 and BG22) or 16 (xG12 and xG13, BG21)
Throughput (EFR32-2-EFR32)	1M PHY: ~700 Kbps 2M PHY: ~1300 Kbps 125k PHY: ~100 Kbps
Packets per connection interval	Not limited
Link Layer packet size	Up to 251 bytes
ADV payload size	Up to 191 bytes (per packet)
ATT MTU	Up to 250 bytes
Max bondings	Up to 14 with PS store More with NVM3

Bluetooth Mesh - Mesh 1.0 Profile Features

EFR32BG21/13/12

Support all Bluetooth mesh features (Relay, Proxy, Friend etc.)

Feature Value(s) Relay Proxy Proxy Friend Low Power Low Power Provisioning PB-ADV bearers PB-GATT

EFR32BG22

512 kB parts support Bluetooth mesh Low Power Node, but do not support Relay, Proxy nor Friend features

Customer is left with 3-4 kB of RAM for the application

352 kB parts do not have enough flash for Bluetooth mesh

OoB authentication Replay protection Security Key refresh (blacklist) ECDH AES-128 encryption, authentication and obfuscation

GATT services

Proxy Provisioning

Bluetooth Mesh – Supported Bluetooth Mesh Models

	Model	Stack/APIs	Example app(s)	iOS APIs	iOS app	Android APIs	Android app
Vendor	Vendor	\checkmark		\checkmark		\checkmark	
	On/Off	\checkmark	Light & Switch	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
	Level	\checkmark	Light & Switch	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	1
	Default Transition Time	\checkmark	Light & Switch	\checkmark		\checkmark	
	Power On/Off	\checkmark	Light & Switch	\checkmark		\checkmark	
	Power Level	\checkmark		\checkmark			
C	Battery	\checkmark		\checkmark		\checkmark	
Generic	Location	\checkmark		\checkmark			
	Admin property	\checkmark		\checkmark			
	Manufacturer property	\checkmark		\checkmark			
	User property	\checkmark		\checkmark			
	Client property	\checkmark		\checkmark			
	Property	\checkmark		\checkmark			
	Lightness	\checkmark	Light & Switch	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
	CTL	\checkmark	Light & Switch	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Lighting	LC	\checkmark	Light & Sensor	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
	HSL						
	xYL						
Sensors	Sensor	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark		\checkmark	
	Scene	\checkmark	Light & Switch	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
and Scenes	Time						
	Scheduler						

BG22/BG21 Flash Layout with AppLoader OTA

Gecko Bootloader	AppLoader	Bluetooth stack, application and OTA space	NVM3	User data
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Component	Typical size	Comments
Gecko bootloader	16 kB Size may depend slightly on used Gecko bootloader features	
AppLoader	49 kp	AppLoader is used for OTA updates directly to overriding Bluetooth stack and app area
	48 KD	See UG136 for latest information
Bluetooth stack, application and OTA space	133 kB+	Reserved for Bluetooth stack and application code Application and feature dependent.
		See UG136 for latest information
NMV3 memory	24 kB	User configurable, but minimum size is 3 flash pages (3 x 8 kB)
User data	8 kB	Last flash page
Total minimum size	~229 kB	

BG22/BG21 Flash Layout with non-AppLoader OTA

Component	Typical size	Comments
Gecko bootloader	16 kB	Size may depend slightly on used Gecko bootloader features
Bluetooth stack and application space	133 kB+	Reserved for Bluetooth stack and application code Application and feature dependent
		See UG136 for latest information
OTA space	~70% - 100% of bluetooth stack and application space	OTA space must be at least of equal size of Bluetooth stack and application space, but if OTA image compression is used it can be even 30% smaller (LZMA compression)
NMV3 memory	24 kB	User configurable, but minimum size is 3 flash pages (3 x 8 kB)
User data	8 kB	Last flash page
Total minimum size	~274 – 314 kB	From 30% compression to 0% compression