## EA DOGM204-A

## INCL. CONTROLLER SSD1803A FOR 4-/8-BIT, SPI AND I²C

## FEATURES

* HIGH-CONTRAST LCD SUPERTWIST DISPLAY
* OPTIONAL LED BACKLIGHT UNITS IN DIFFERENT COLORS
* 4x20 CHARACTER WITH 4.8 mm HEIGHT
* SSD1803A CONTROLLER FOR 4-/8-BIT, SPI (2-/3-/4-WIRE) AND I²C (2-WIRE) INTERFACE
* SINGLE POWER SUPPLY +3.3V (typically 250 2 A )
* NO ADDITIONAL VOLTAGES REQUIRED
* OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE -20 THROUGH $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
* LED BACKLIGHT 3 through 80mA@3.3V or 2 through $40 \mathrm{~mA} @ 5 \mathrm{~V}$
* NO MOUNTING REQUIRED, SIMPLY SOLDER INTO PCB
* 3 DIFFERENT CHARACTER SETS (CYRILLIC, ENGLISH-JAPANESE AND EUROPEAN) INCLUDED IN THE SAME CONTROLLER
* 2 VIEWING DIRECTION POSSIBLE (BOTTOM AND TOP VIEW)


## ORDERING CODE

LCD MODULE 4x20-4.8 mm
EA DOGM204x-A
$\times \mathrm{B}=$ blue background
$\mathrm{W}=$ white background transfelctive
$\mathrm{S}=$ black background
$\mathrm{N}=$ white background reflective
LED BACKLIGHT, WHITE
EA LED66X40-W
LED BACKLIGHT, AMBER
EA LED66X40-A
LED BACKLIGHT, GREEN/RED

SOCKET CONNECTOR 4.8 mm HIGH (1x22-PIN, 2.54mm PITCH)

## EA DOG SERIES

With its EA DOG series, ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLY presents the world's first display series which will run on 3.3 V systems without auxiliary power.
Unlike normal LCD modules, you order the display and the corresponding backlight separately. This gives you a wealth of possible combinations.
Designed for compact hand-held devices, this modern LCD range provides a number of real benefits with or without backlight:

* extremely compact at $66 \times 40 \mathrm{~mm}$ at the standard font size of $4.8 \mathrm{~mm}(4 \times 10)$
* ultra-flat at 2.0 mm without backlight or 5.8 mm including LED backlight
* 4-bit, 8-bit, SPI interface (2-/3-/4-wire) and I²C (2-wire)
* typical power consumption of only $250 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ in full operation (LED white backlight as of 3 mA )
* easy installation by simply soldering into the board
* A whole range of design variants can be supplied as of single units
* Changing background color


## LED BACKLIGHTS

5 different variants are available for individual backlighting: white, yellow/green, red, amber and bicolor.
For monochrome backlights, 2 separate LED paths are available, which can be switched in parallel or in series to ideally match the system voltage. This means that all the backlights can be run either at 3.3 V and higher voltages.
Operation of the backlight requires an external series resistor for current limiting. This can be calculated by $\mathrm{R}=\mathrm{U} / \mathrm{l}$; you will find the values in the table. To improve life time it is recommanded to use a current source only.
The operating life of the yellow/green, red and amber backlights is 100,000 hours and that of the white backlight is a bit shorter.
Important: Never operate the backlight directly on a $5 \mathrm{~V} / 3.3 \mathrm{~V}$ supply, as this can immediately destroy the LEDs!

## INSTALLATION

| $\begin{gathered} \text { amber } \\ \text { EA LED66x40-A } \end{gathered}$ | Forward voltage | Current max. | Limiting resistor |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | @ 3,3 V | @ 5 V |
| Connected in parallel | 2,1 V | 72 mA | 18 ohm | 47 ohm |
| Connected in series | 6,3 V | 24 mA | - | - |


| white <br> EA LED66x40-W | Forward | Current | Limiting resistor |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | @ $3,3 \mathrm{~V}$ | $@ 5 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Connected in parallel | $3,2 \mathrm{~V}$ | 90 mA | 1,2 ohm | 24 ohm |
| Connected in series | $9,6 \mathrm{~V}$ | 30 mA | - | - |


| green/red <br> EA LED66x40-GR | Forward <br> voltage | Current <br> max. | Limiting resistor |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $@ 5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |
| red path (ARG/CR) | $2,1 \mathrm{~V}$ | 80 mA | 24 ohm | 48 ohm |
| green path (ARG/CG) | $2,1 \mathrm{~V}$ | 80 mA | 18 ohm | 39 ohm |

First, the display and the corresponding backlight are clipped together. The complete unit is then inserted into a PCB and soldered. Note that the 4 pins for the backlight must also be soldered from the top with less tin.
Important: There are one or two protective films on the display (top and/or rear side) and one on each backlight. Those have to be removed during or after production.

## 4 DIFFERENT TECHNOLOGIES

As a standard we provide 4 different technologies as STN and FSTN:

| display type | technology | optional backlight | readability | display color non backlighted | display color with backlighted | recommende backlight color |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EA DOGM2014W-A <br> FSTH positiv <br> white LED <br> transfleotive | FSTN pos. transflective | it's fine with and without backlight | readable even without backlight | black on white | black on backlight color | white, blue, RGB |
| EA DITOM204E-A STN megetiv blue white LED transmissive | STN neg. blue transmissive | usage only with backlight | --- | --- | backlight color on blue background | white, yellow/green |
| EA DOIM2045-A FSTN negativ white LED transmissive | FSTN neg. transmissive | usage only with backlight | --- | --- | backlight color on black background | white, RGB |
| EA DOGM204N-A FSTN mositiv refleotive no backlight | FSTN pos. white reflective | no backlight possible | finest readable without backlight | black on white | --- | --- |

## 3 DIFFERENT BACKLIGHTS

3 different backlight colors are available to match equipments design as much as possible. The most effective and brightest one is the white one EA LED66x40-W.


EA LED66x40-GR
Bi-color green and red
When you can see black and white pictures only here on this page then you're able to download a coloured version from our website http://www.Icd-module.de/eng/pdf/doma/dogm204e.pdf

## USB-TEST BOARD EA 9780-4USB

For easy startup, a USB test board is available that can be connected to a PC. An USB cable and a Windows software is supplied with the product. This allows individual text and to be displayed directly on the connected display.

## SIMULATION WITH WINDOWS

Without ordering a display, the simulator software may show all the displays and colors even without the hardware. You can download for free from our website. There's no need to install, it's a simple EXE file, also running from USB stick e.g. http://www.Icd-module.de/deu/disk/startdog V33.zip

## APPLICATION EXAMPLES

Different wiring must be used depending on the interface.
Note that the COG technology means that the current capacity of the outputs is limited. Therefore, a large load on the bus may cause signal loops and unclean levels. If in doubt, additional pull-down resistors (8051) are required or additional waits/NOPs must be incorporated.



To guarantee an error-free functionality and initialization of display it is recommended to operate the reset input actively. This can be done via microcontroller port or external circuit. Here's an application example:


## INITIALISATION EXAMPLES

| Initialization Example 8-Bit, SPI and I2C |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| Command | RS | R/w | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 | Hex | Remark |
| Function Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | $\$ 3 \mathrm{~A}$ | 8 bit data length extension Bit RE=1; REV=0 |
| Extended function set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | $\$ 09$ | 4 line display |
| Entry mode set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | $\$ 06$ | bottom view |
| Bias setting | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | $\$ 1 \mathrm{E}$ | BS1=1 |
| Function Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | $\$ 39$ | 8 bit data length extension Bit RE=0; IS=1 |
| Internal OSC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | $\$ 1 \mathrm{~B}$ | BS0=1 -> Bias=1/6 |
| Follower control | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | $\$ 6 \mathrm{E}$ | Devider on and set value |
| Power control | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | $\$ 57$ | Booster on and set contrast (DB1=C5, DB0=C4) |
| Contrast Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | $\$ 72$ | Set contrast (DB3-DB0=C3-C0) |
| Function Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | $\$ 38$ | 8 bit data length extension Bit RE=0; IS=0 |
| Display On | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | $\$ 0 \mathrm{~F}$ | Display on, cursor on, blink on |


| Initialization Example 4-Bit |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Command | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | Hex | Remark |
| Synchronize 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | \$33 | Make sure to switch to 8 bit data length |
| Synchronize 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | \$32 | Switch to 4 bit data length |
|  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |  |  |
| Function Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | \$2A | 4 bit data length extension Bit $\mathrm{RE}=1$; $\mathrm{REV}=0$ |
| Extended funcionset | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | \$09 | 4 line display |
|  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| Entry mode set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | \$06 | bottom view |
| Bias setting | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | \$1E | 4 bit data length extension Bit RE=0; $\mathrm{IS}=1$ |
|  |  |  | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |  |  |
| Function Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | \$29 | 4 bit data length extension Bit RE=0; IS=1 |
| Internal OSC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | \$1B | 4 bit data length extension Bit RE=0; $\mathrm{IS}=1$ |
|  |  |  | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |  |  |
| Follower control | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | \$6E | Devider on and set value |
|  |  |  | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |  |  |
| Power control | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | \$57 | Booster on and set contrast (DB1=C5, DB0=C4) |
| Contrast Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | \$72 | Set contrast (DB3-DB0=C3-C0) |
|  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |  |  |
| Function Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | \$28 | 4 bit data length extension Bit RE=0; IS=0 |
| Display on | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  | \$0F | Display on, cursor on, blink on |
|  |  |  | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |

## 12:00 VIEWING ANGLE, TOP VIEW OPTION

If the display is read mostly from above (on the front of a laboratory power supply unit, for example), the preferred angle of viewing can be set to 12 o'clock. This rotates the display by $180^{\circ}$. A slightly different initialization setup is required for this.

## SETTING THE CONTRAST

The contrast for the EA DOGM204-A can be set by command. This is done using bits C0 through C5 in the commands "Contrast Set" and "Power/Icon Control/

6 o'clock (Bottom View)

EA DOGM204x-A $4 \times 20$ characters 4.8 mm height temperature -20..70

12 o'clock (Top View) Contrast Set". Generally, the contrast is set once only. Thanks to the integrated temperature compensation function it is kept constant allover the entire operating temperature range $\left(-20\right.$ to $\left.+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$.

| Contrast set (8-Bit) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Command | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 DB2 | DB1 DB0 | Hex | Remark |
| Function Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 10 | $0 \quad 1$ | \$39 | 8-Bit data length extension Bit RE=0; IS=1 |
| Power control | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | $0 \quad 1$ | 1 | \$57 | Booster on and set contrast (DB1=C5, DB0=C4) |
| Contrast Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | $0 \quad 0$ | 10 | \$72 | Set contrast (DB3-DB0=C3-C0) |
| Function Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 10 | \$38 | 8-Bit data length extension Bit RE=0; IS=0 |

Further information about the commands of the SSD1803A, please refer to the datasheet: http://www.Icd-module.de/fileadmin/eng/pdf/zubehoer/ssd1803a 2 0.pdf

## CHARACTER SET

The controller has 3 built－in character sets．They can be selected with the command＂ROM－Selection＂ in the extended command set．


ROM B
 300123456789：$\ll=>$ 40 EABCDEFEHIJKLMND 50PRESTUUWRYZ［ ］＂ 60＊bcdefghijk 1mho 70 Fqrstuvbx＝z 1 ）w：


 B0 co育ARAERCEEEEXIXI




ROM C

 30 $0123456789: 3<=>?$ 40 DABCDEFGHI JKLNND 50PERSTUUWRYZ［等 $]^{\wedge}$ 60 abcedefghijk 1mno 70 F4r stuvux $=$ Z $\{1\rangle \div+$





 E0 シísutexryi


| Change character table |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Command | RS | Rw |  |  | D85 | D84 | D83 D82 |  |  |  | Remark |
| Function Set | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 0 | ${ }_{53}$ | 8 －Bit dat length extension Bit RE＝1 |
| ROM Selection | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 0 |  | 572 | ROM selection double byte command |
|  | 1 | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | R2 R1 | 0 | 0 | sox | $\$ 00=$ ROMA；$\$ 04=$ ROMB；$\$ 08=R O M C$ |
| unction |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 －Bit data lengt extension Bit RE＝0 |

Example code

## CREATING YOUR OWN CHARACTERS

It＇s possible to create 8 own additional characters（ASCII Codes $0 . .7$ ）to the fixes ROM codes．Please be informed，that RE－and IS－Bit need to be 0 ．
1．）The command＂CG RAM Address Set＂defines the ASCII code（Bit $3,4,5$ ）and the dot line（Bit $0,1,2$ ）of the new character．Example demonstrates creating ASCII code $\$ 00$ ．
2．）Doing 8 times the write command＂Data Write＂defines line by line the new character．8th．byte stands for the cursor line．
3．）The new defined character can be used as a＂normal＂ASCII code（0．．7）；use with＂DD RAM Address Set＂and＂Data Write＂．

| Character－data |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bit |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Hex |
|  | 6 | 5 | 43 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |  |
|  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | \＄04 |
|  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | \＄04 |
|  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | \＄04 |
|  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | \＄04 |
|  |  |  |  | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | \＄15 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 | 0 | \＄0E |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 0 |  | \＄04 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | \＄00 |


| Define own character |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Command | RS | R／W | DB7 DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | dBo | Hex | Remark |
| CG－RAM address set | 0 | 0 | $0 \quad 1$ | AC5 | AC4 | AC3 | AC2 | AC1 | ACO | \＄40 | Set address of character $\$ 40=0 ; \$ 48=1$ ； |
| Character－data | 1 | 0 | $x \quad x$ | $x$ | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | \＄04 | first line |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | \＄04 | second line |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | \＄04 | third line |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | \＄04 | fourth line |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | \＄15 | fifth line |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | \＄0E | sixth line |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | \＄04 | seventh line |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | \＄00 | eighth line，cursor line |

## SERIAL INTERFACE (SPI)

The serial interface always needs a synchronization byte. In write mode, the byte to send hast to be devided in two bytes, into the "lower data" and "upper data". Please refer to the chart below. The maximum clock frequency for SCLK is 1 MHz .

## SPI, 2-/3-WIRE

With 2 or 3 lines SCLK, SID and SOD (if necessary) the display EA DOGM204-A may be connected directly to the SPI interface of a $\mu \mathrm{C}$.

## SPI, 4-WIRE

If there is more than one component connected to the SPI, an additional "Chipselect" line is required. For those you need to insert an AND-gate (e.g. 74HC1G08) with the SCLK line. On page 4 you do find an application example. Please mention that the logic for CS ist H -active.


Serial Read Operation


## ${ }^{12}$ C INTERFACE

The display can be assigned to the slave adress $0 \times 78$ or $0 \times 3 \mathrm{C}$ (SA0=VSS) and $0 \times 7 \mathrm{~A}$ or $0 \times 3 \mathrm{D}$ (SA0=VDD). After transfering the start condition, the hardware adress, togehter with the Read(1)/ Write(0) bit has to be transmitted. While writing to the display, after the slave adress, there always is a control byte holding the information Data(1) or Command(0) and the continuation bit. If the continuation bit is set to 0 , the following bytes are data bytes until the next stop condition occurs. The maximum clock rate for ${ }^{2} \mathrm{C}$ bus is 400 kHz .
Please be informed, that the pins SDA+SCK contain an internal resistance of 600 to 1000 Ohm, or even more (Important, because of the LO-level while reading data and the
 ACK-Bit).

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[^0]:    Further information about the interfaces and the timing of the SSD1803A, please refer to the datasheet http://www.lcd-module.de/fileadmin/eng/pdf/zubehoer/ssd1803a_2_0.pdf

