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**MxL83411**  
**Quad Receiver**  
EVK User Manual

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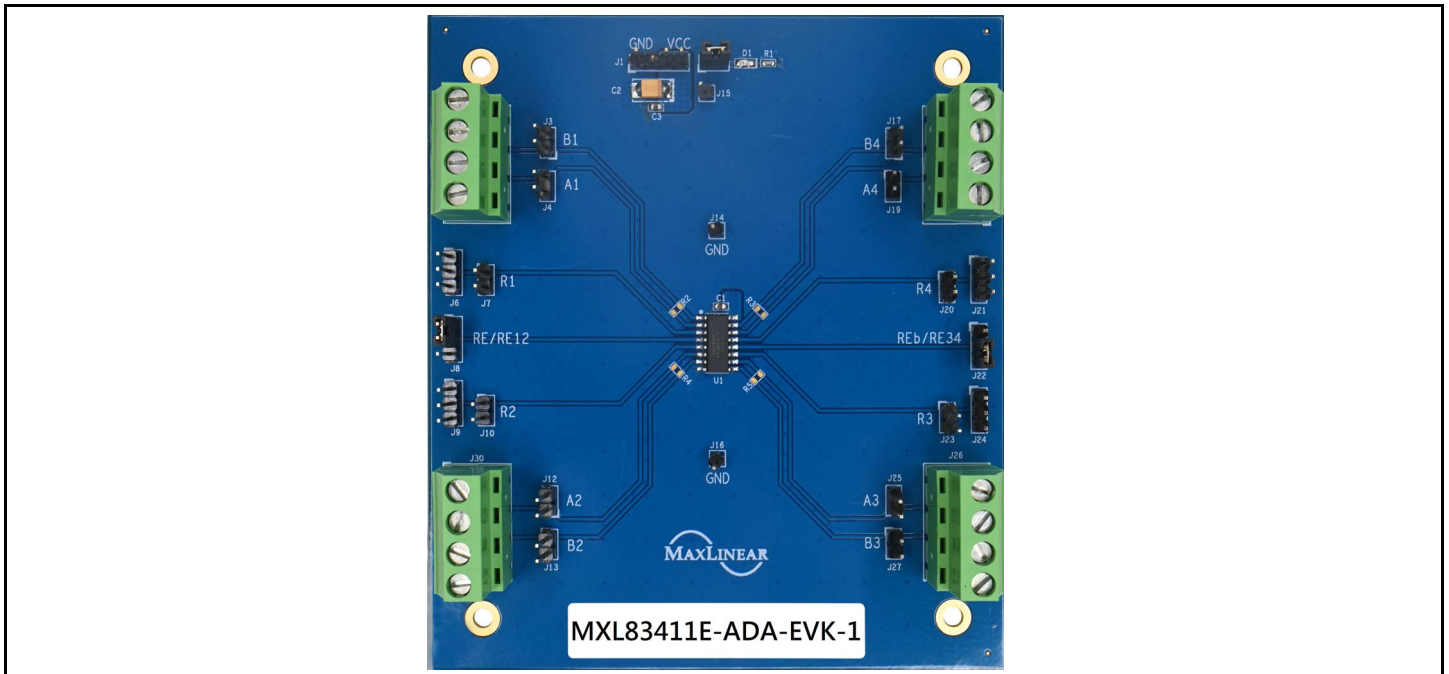
## Introduction

This document is used for the evaluation kits (EVKs) of the MxL83411 device. These EVKs provide a platform to evaluate the features and performance of the MxL83411.

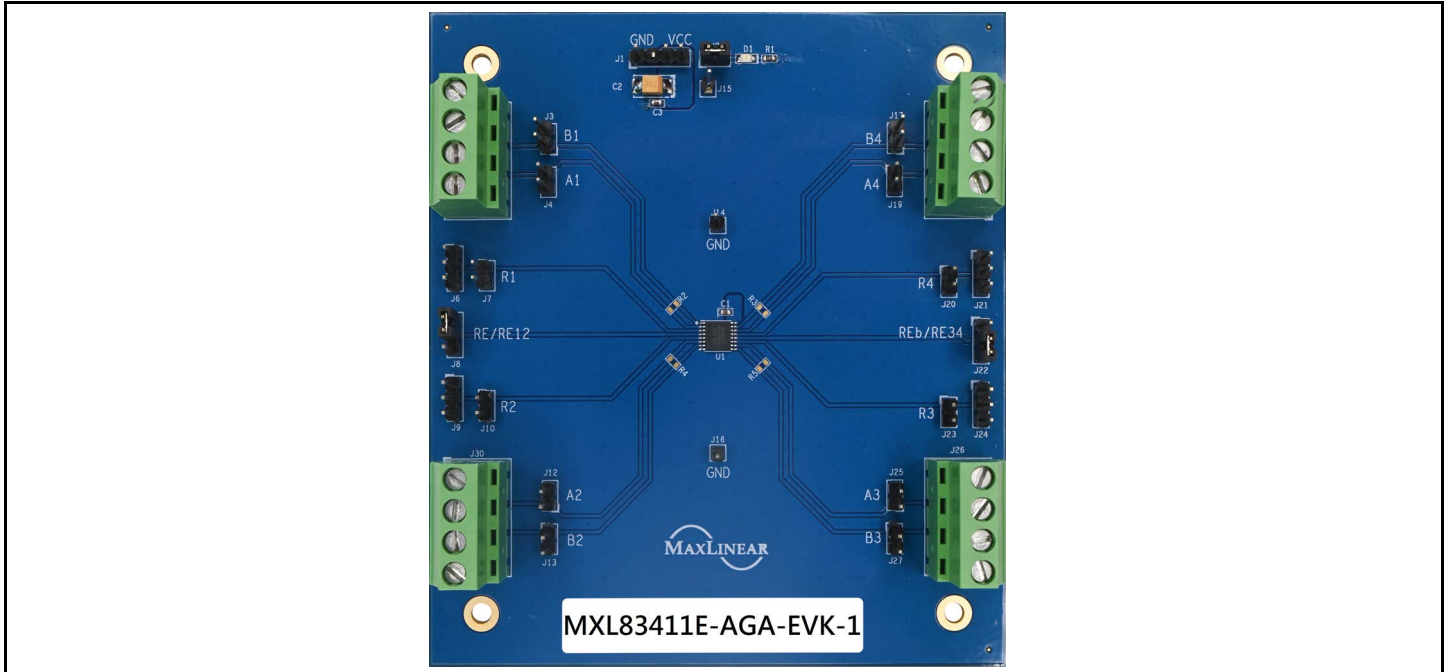
## EVK Setup and Pre-configuration

- The EVK is pre-configured for global enable with  $RE = V_{CC}$  and  $REb = GND$ . All four receiver outputs are enabled simultaneously in this configuration.
- Apply  $V_{CC} = 5.0V$  bench power supply to header J1 at pin 2 (J1.2) or pin3(J1.3).
- Apply GND connection to J1 at pin 1 (J1.1)
- J14 and J16 are GND probe points on the EVK.
- When the power  $V_{CC}$  is applied at header J1, the LED at location D1 is ON.
- Screw terminal block J5, J30, J26, and J18 are inputs to receiver channel 1, channel 2, channel 3, and channel 4 respectively.
- Apply differential signals at J5, J30, J26, and J18. Monitor receiver outputs at J7, J10, J23, and J20.
- [Figure 4 on page 4](#) shows the schematic of the EVK.

For more information about the MxL83411 device, refer to the *MxL83411 Data Sheet (281DS)*.



**Figure 1:** Top View of the MxL83411 (NSOIC16) EVK



**Figure 2: Top View of the MxL83411 (TSSOP16) EVK**

## Ordering Information

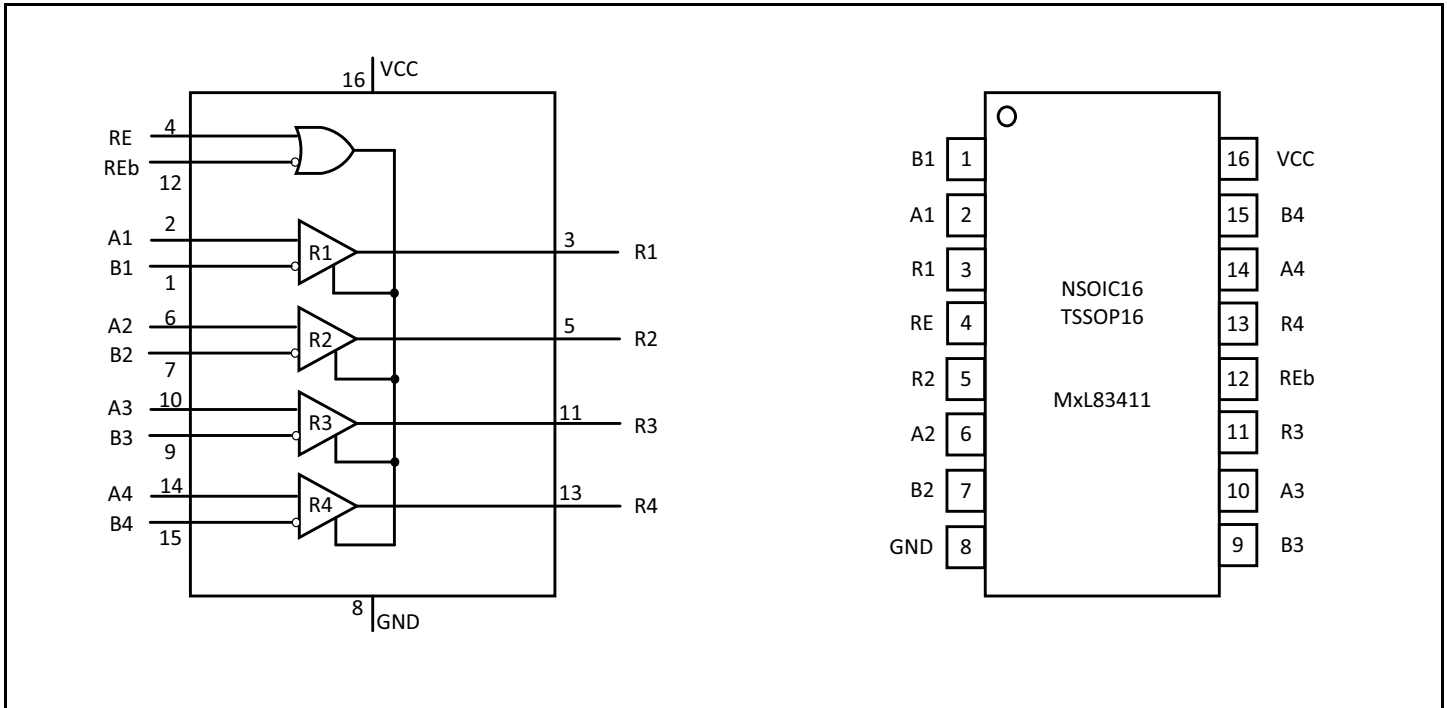
The following table lists the ordering part number for this evaluation kit.

**Table 1: EVK Ordering Part Number**

EVK Part Number	Description
MXL83411E-ADA-EVK-1	MxL83411 Evaluation Kit NSOIC16
MXL83411E-AGA-EVK-1	MxL83411 Evaluation Kit TSSOP16

# Evaluation Kit Overview

The following figures show the pin configuration and logic diagram of the MxL83411 device.



**Figure 3: MxL83411 Quad Receiver**



# EVK Schematic

The following figure show the EVK schematic design of the MxL83411 device.

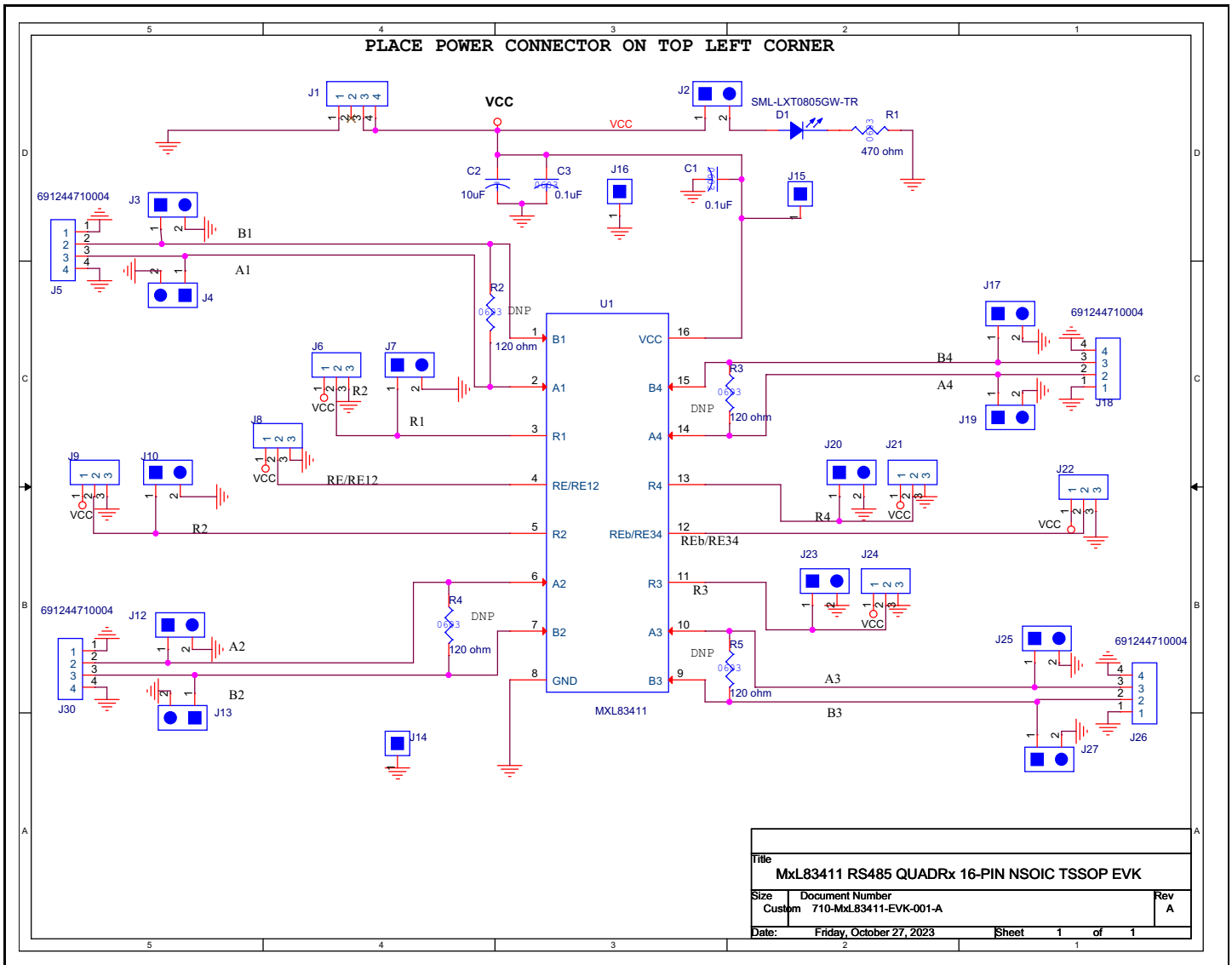
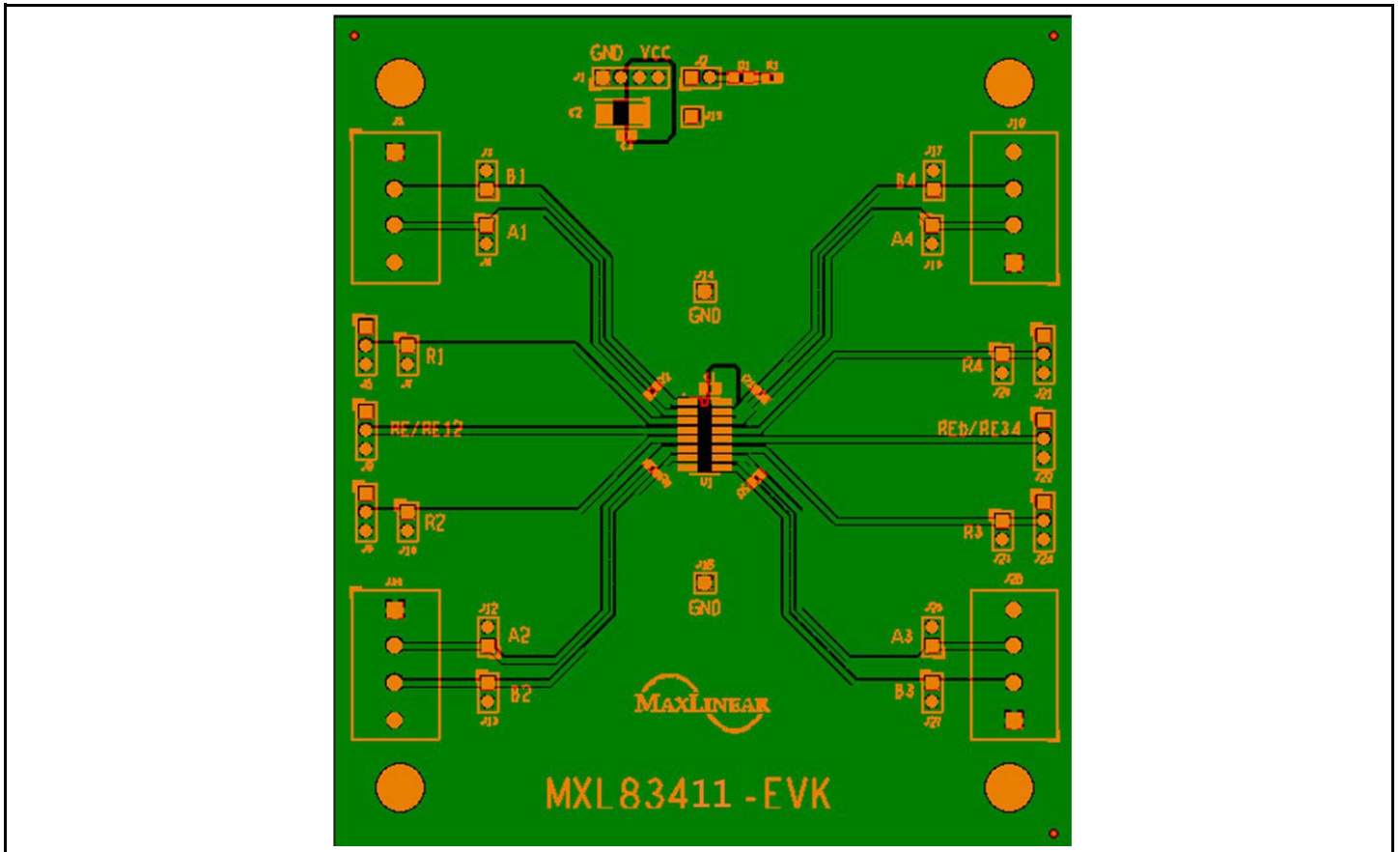
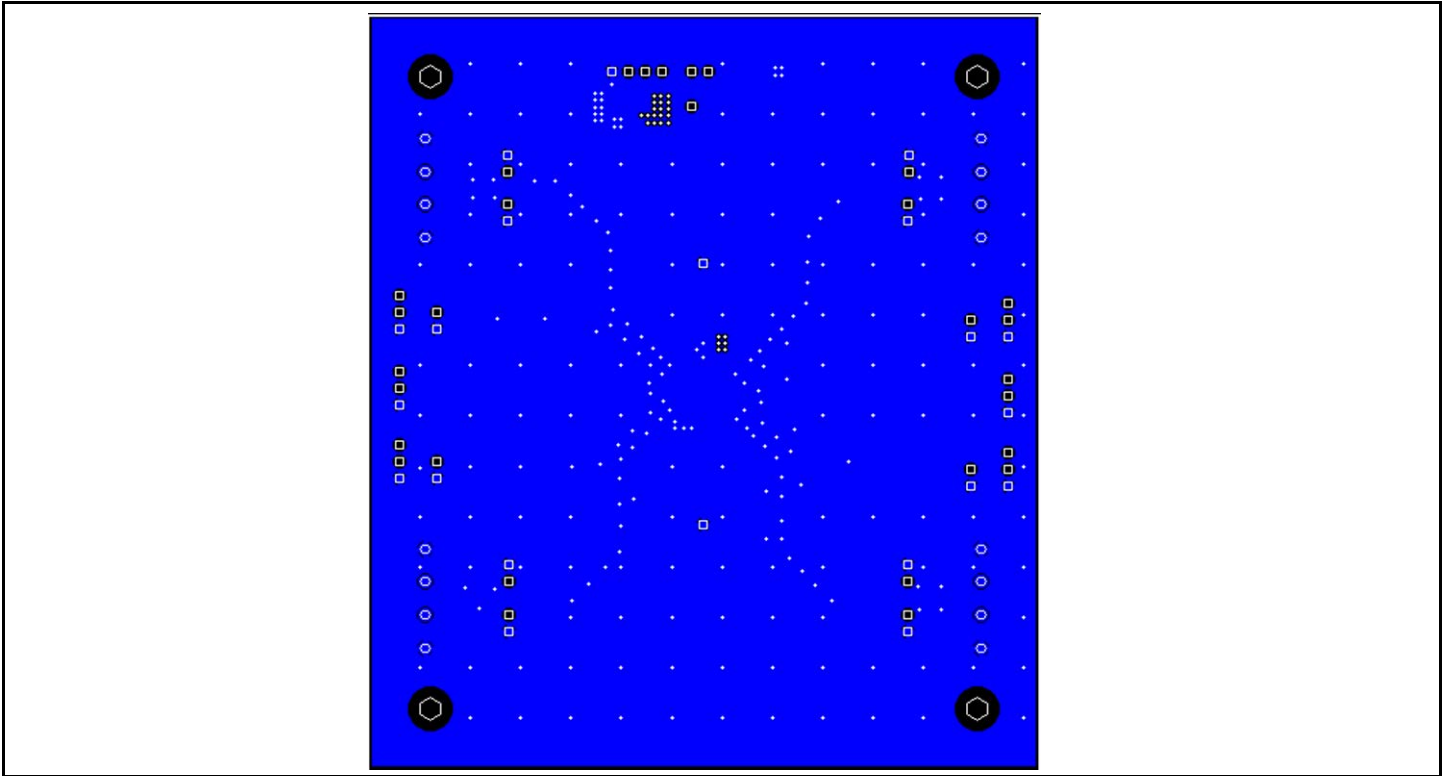


Figure 4: MxL83411 EVK Schematic

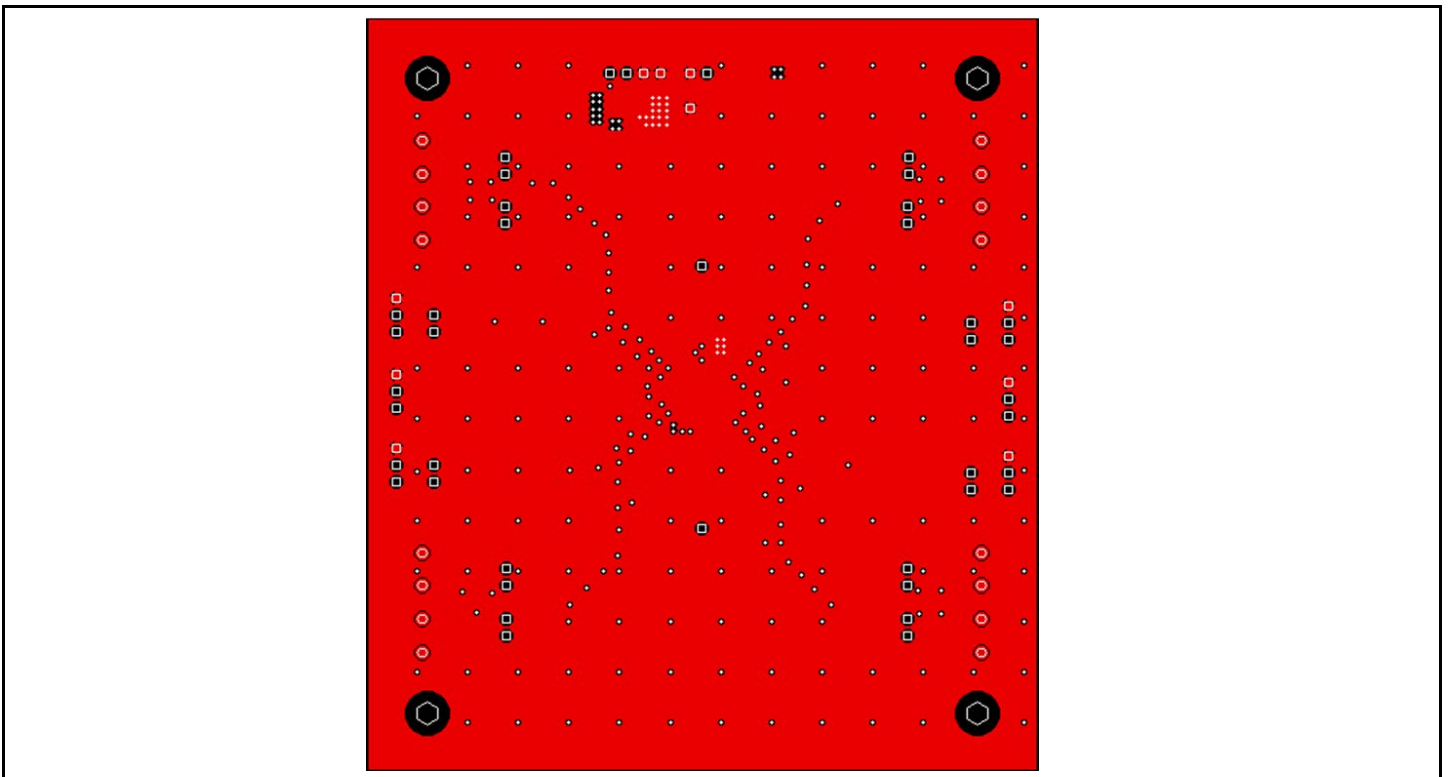
## EVK PCB Layers (NSOIC16 Package)



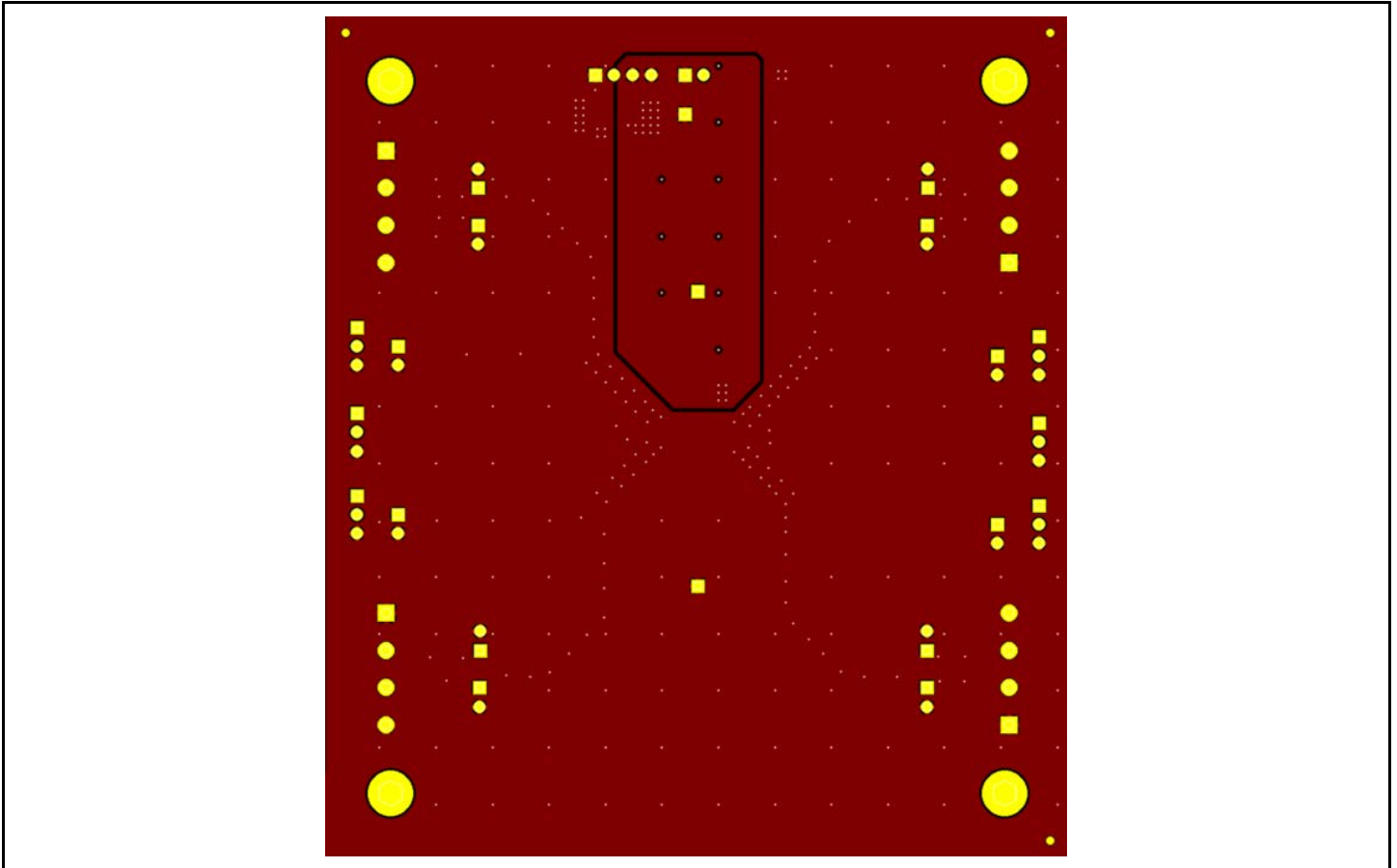
**Figure 5:** EVK PCB Layer 1—Top View (NSOIC16)



**Figure 6:** EVK PCB Layer 2—GND Plane (NSOIC16)



**Figure 7:** EVK PCB Layer 3—Power Plane (NSOIC16)



**Figure 8:** EVK PCB Layer 4—Bottom View (NSOIC16)

## EVK PCB Layers (TSSOP16 Package)

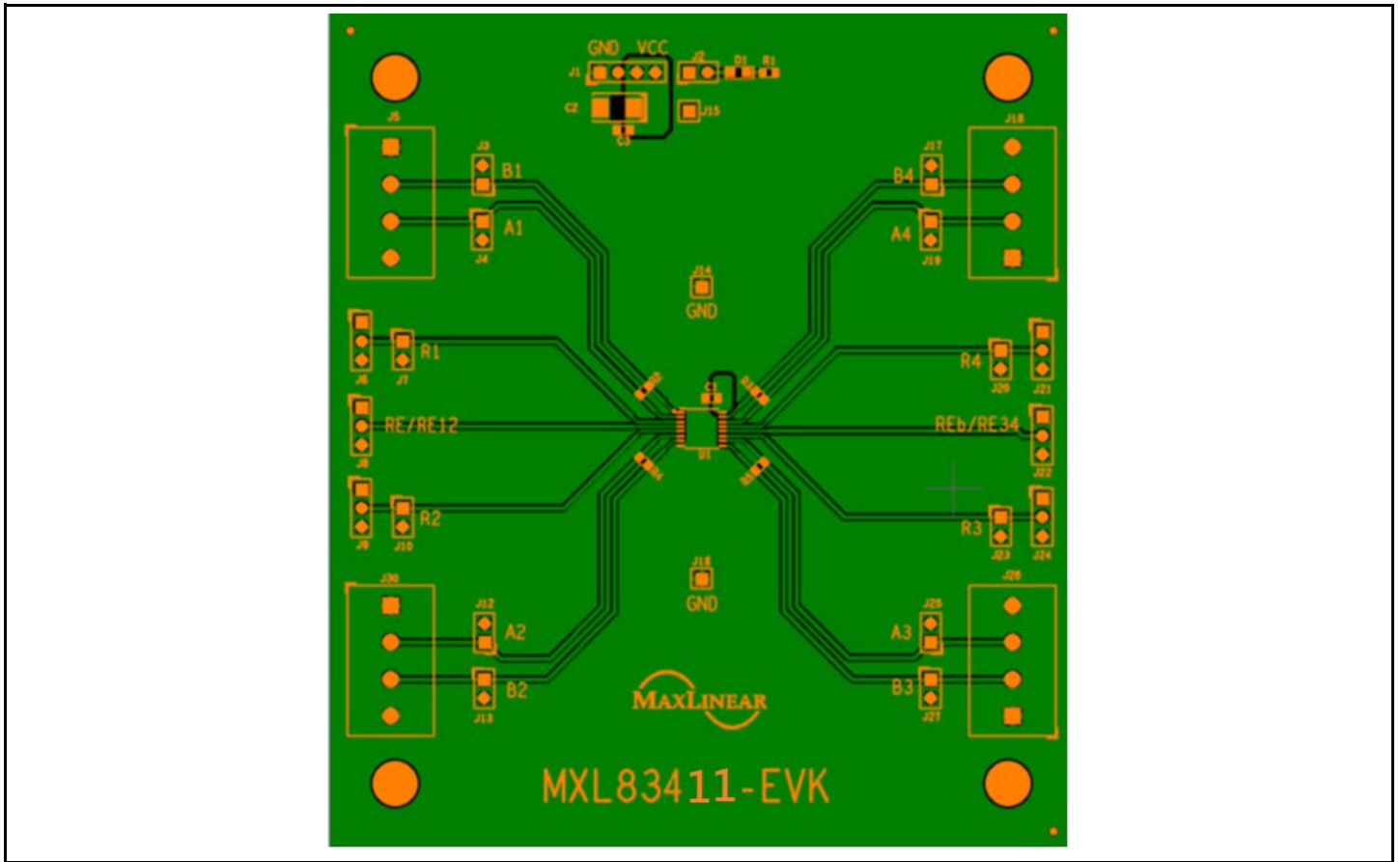
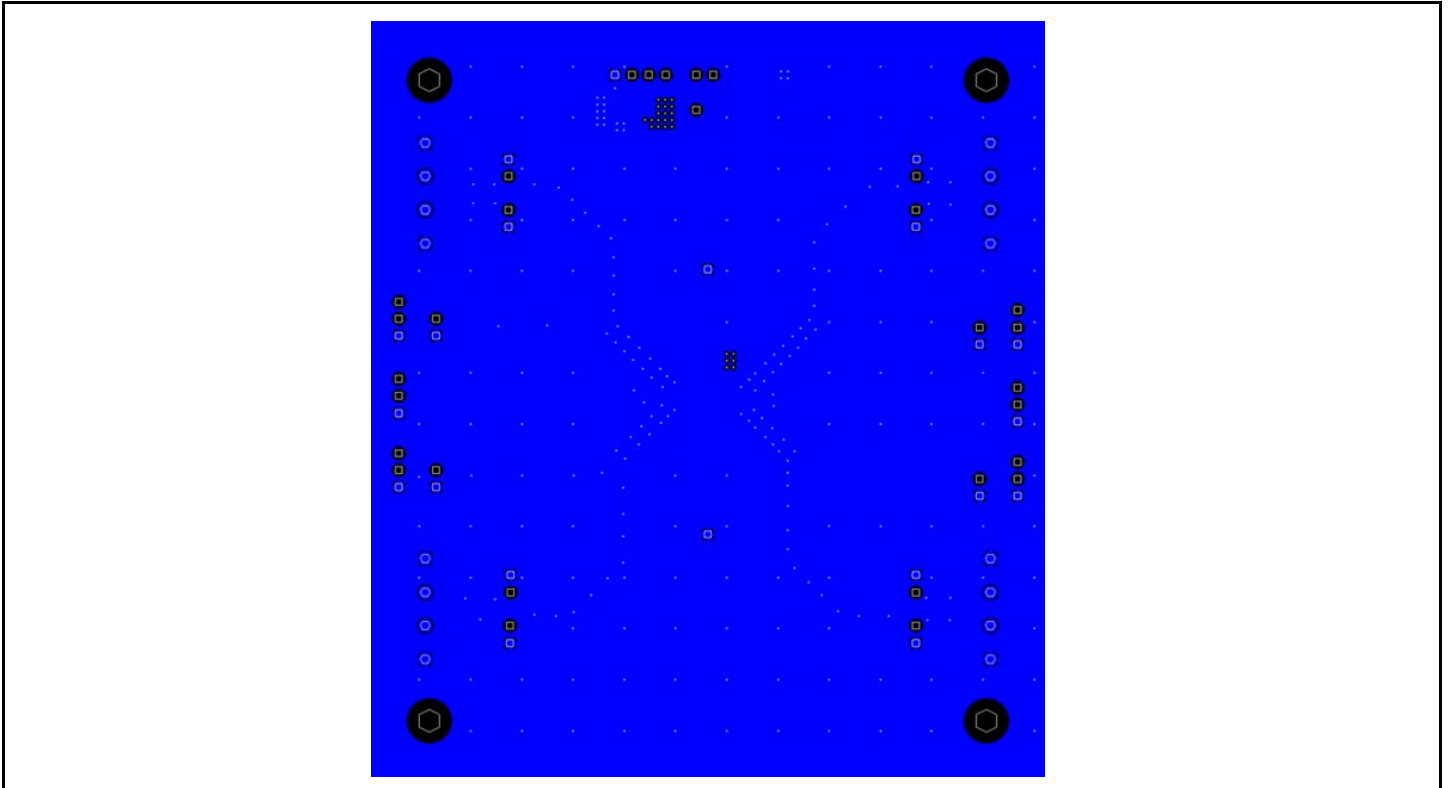
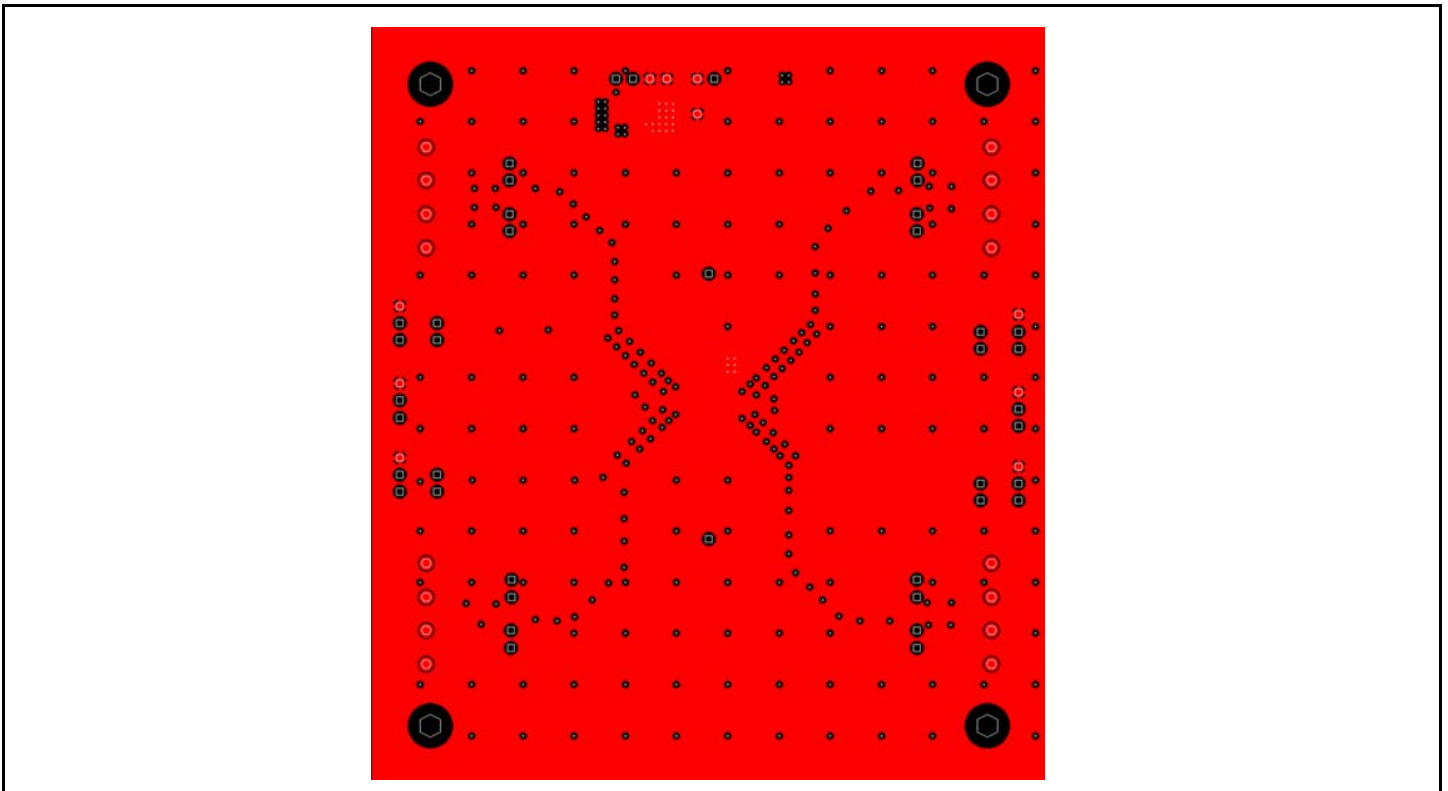


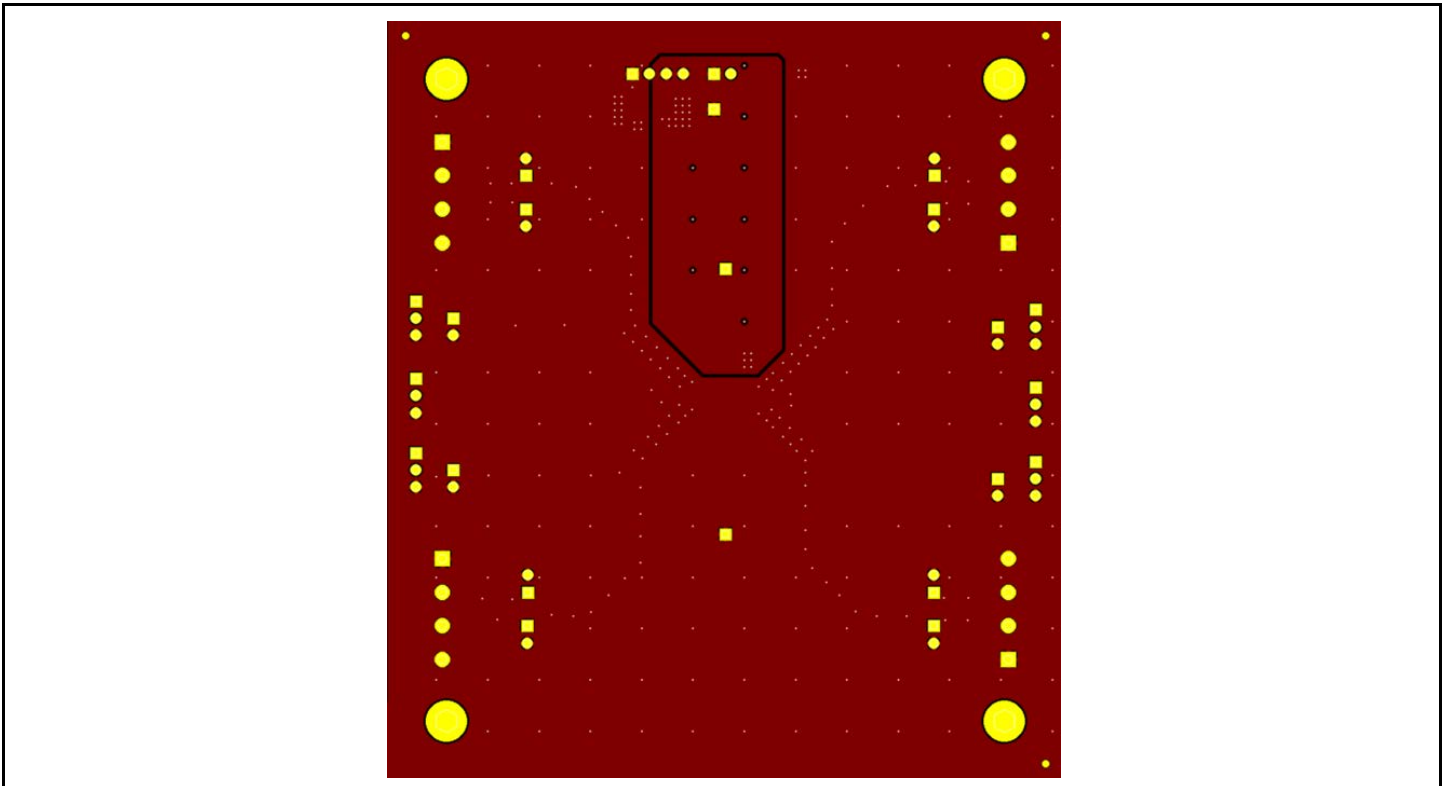
Figure 9: EVK PCB Layer 1—Top View (TSSOP16)



**Figure 10:** EVK PCB Layer 2—GND Plane (TSSOP16)



**Figure 11:** EVK PCB Layer 3—Power Plane (TSSOP16)



**Figure 12:** EVK PCB Layer 4—Bottom View (TSSOP16)

## EVK Bill of Material (BOM)

**Table 2: Bill of Materials for NSOIC16**

Item	Quantity	Reference	Manufacturer	Part
1	2	C1, C3	Kemet	C0603C104K5RAC7081, 0.1UF 50V, 0603 X7R
2	1	C2	AVX	478-5235-1-ND, TANTALUM, 10 $\mu$ F, 16V, 500m $\Omega$ , 2312
3	1	D1	Lumex	67-1553-1-ND LED GREEN DEFUSED SMD, 0805
4	1	J1	Samtec	TSW-104-07-G-S CONN. HEADER 1 $\times$ 4, 2.54mm, 4PIN
5	13	J2, J3, J4, J7, J10, J12, J13, J17, J19, J20, J23, J25, J27	Samtec	TSW-102-07-G-S CONN.HEADER, 1 $\times$ 2, 2mm, 2PIN
6	4	J5, J18, J26, J30	Würth Electronics	732 691 244 710 004 5.00 MM terminal block
7	6	J6, J8, J9, J21, J22, J24	Samtec	TSW-103-07-G-S CONN.HEADER, 1 $\times$ 3, 2mm, 1PIN
8	3	J14, J15, J16	Samtec	TSW-101-07-G-S CONN.HEADER, 1 $\times$ 1, 2mm, 1PIN
9	1	R1	Xicon	ERJ-3EKF4700V RES SMD, 470 $\Omega$ , 1%, 1/10W, 0603
10	4	R2, R3, R4, R5. Termination resistors. Optional, not stuff by default.	Xicon	ERJ-3EKF1200V RES SMD, 120 $\Omega$ , 1%, 1/10W, 0603
11	1	U1	MaxLinear	MXL83411E-ADA-R (NSOIC16)

**Table 3: Bill of Materials for TSSOP16**


Item	Quantity	Reference	Manufacturer	Part
1	2	C1, C3	Kemet	C0603C104K5RAC7081, 0.1UF 50V, 0603 X7R
2	1	C2	AVX	478-5235-1-ND, TANTALUM, 10 $\mu$ F, 16V, 500m $\Omega$ , 2312
3	1	D1	Lumex	67-1553-1-ND LED GREEN DEFUSED SMD, 0805
4	1	J1	Samtec	TSW-104-07-G-S CONN. HEADER 1 $\times$ 4, 2.54mm, 4PIN
5	13	J2, J3, J4, J7, J10, J12, J13, J17, J19, J20, J23, J25, J27	Samtec	TSW-102-07-G-S CONN.HEADER, 1 $\times$ 2, 2mm, 2PIN
6	4	J5, J18, J26, J30	Würth Electronics	732 691 244 710 004 5.00 MM terminal block
7	6	J6, J8, J9, J21, J22, J24	Samtec	TSW-103-07-G-S CONN.HEADER, 1 $\times$ 3, 2mm, 1PIN
8	3	J14, J15, J16	Samtec	TSW-101-07-G-S CONN.HEADER, 1 $\times$ 1, 2mm, 1PIN
9	1	R1	Xicon	ERJ-3EKF4700V RES SMD, 470 $\Omega$ , 1%, 1/10W, 0603
10	4	R2, R3, R4, R5. Termination resistors. Optional, not stuff by default.	Xicon	ERJ-3EKF1200V RES SMD, 120 $\Omega$ , 1%, 1/10W, 0603
11	1	U1	MaxLinear	MXL83411E-AGA-R (TSSOP16)



## Power Supply Recommendations



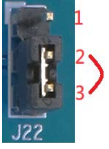


To ensure reliable operation at all data rates and supply voltages, each supply should have a ceramic capacitor of at least 100nF located as close to the supply terminals ( $V_{CC}$ ) as possible. If the supply source is generated from a linear power supply/regulator, MaxLinear recommends you to use additional 10 $\mu$ F (C2) and 100nF (C3) ceramic capacitors.

**Table 4: EVK Header Pin Description**










J1	J1-Pin 1	J1-Pin 2	J1-Pin 3	J1-Pin 4
Name	GND	NC	$V_{CC}$	$V_{CC}$
				

Where  $V_{CC}$  = 3.0V to 5.5V









**Table 5: EVK Header Pin Description and Default Settings**

Header	Factory Setting	Description
J2 	Jumper 1-2	Enable power LED.
J8 	Jumper 1-2	Enable all receivers, RE = $V_{CC}$
J22 	Jumper 2-3	Enable all receivers, REb = GND.
R2, R3, R4, R5	Not stuff	Receiver termination resistor. Optional, not stuff by default.
J3 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J3.1: B1 inverting input (test point).</li> <li>■ J3.2: GND.</li> </ul>
J4 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J4.1: A1 non-inverting input (test point).</li> <li>■ J4.2: GND.</li> </ul>





**Table 5: EVK Header Pin Description and Default Settings**

Header	Factory Setting	Description
J5 	4 Pins terminal block	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J5.1: GND.</li> <li>■ J5.2: B1 inverting input.</li> <li>■ J5.3: A1 non-inverting input.</li> <li>■ J5.4: GND.</li> </ul>
J6 	Header 3pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J6.1: V<sub>CC</sub></li> <li>■ J6.2: R1 output.</li> <li>■ J6.3: GND.</li> </ul>
J7 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J7.1: R1 output (test point).</li> <li>■ J7.2: GND.</li> </ul>
J9 	Header 3pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J9.1: V<sub>CC</sub></li> <li>■ J9.2: R2 output.</li> <li>■ J9.3: GND.</li> </ul>
J10 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J10.1: R2 output (test point).</li> <li>■ J10.2: GND.</li> </ul>
J12 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J12.1: A2 non-inverting input (test point).</li> <li>■ J12.2: GND.</li> </ul>
J13 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J13.1: B2 inverting input (test point).</li> <li>■ J13.2: GND.</li> </ul>
J30 	4 Pins terminal block	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J30.1: GND.</li> <li>■ J30.2: A2 non-inverting input.</li> <li>■ J30.3: B2 inverting input.</li> <li>■ J30.4: GND.</li> </ul>
J25 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J25.1: A3 non-inverting input (test point).</li> <li>■ J25.2: GND.</li> </ul>

**Table 5: EVK Header Pin Description and Default Settings**

Header	Factory Setting	Description
J27 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J27.1: B3 inverting input (test point).</li> <li>■ J27.2: GND.</li> </ul>
J26 	4 Pins terminal block	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J26.1: GND.</li> <li>■ J26.2: B3 inverting input.</li> <li>■ J26.3: A3 non-inverting input.</li> <li>■ J26.4: GND.</li> </ul>
J23 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J23.1: R3 output (test point).</li> <li>■ J23.2: GND.</li> </ul>
J24 	Header 3 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J24.1: V<sub>CC</sub></li> <li>■ J24.2: R3 output.</li> <li>■ J24.3: GND.</li> </ul>
J20 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J20.1: R4 output (test point).</li> <li>■ J20.2: GND.</li> </ul>
J21 	Header 3 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J21.1: V<sub>CC</sub></li> <li>■ J21.2: R4 output.</li> <li>■ J21.3: GND</li> </ul>
J19 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J17.1: B4 inverting input (test point).</li> <li>■ J17.2: GND.</li> </ul>
J19 	Header 2 pins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J19.1: A4 non-inverting input (test point).</li> <li>■ J19.2: GND.</li> </ul>

**Table 5: EVK Header Pin Description and Default Settings**

Header	Factory Setting	Description
J18 	4 Pins terminal block	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ J18.1: GND.</li> <li>■ J18.2: A4 non-inverting input.</li> <li>■ J18.3: B4 inverting input.</li> <li>■ J18.4: GND.</li> </ul>
J14 	Header 1 pins	J14.1: GND
J15 	Header 1 pins	J15.1: V <sub>CC</sub>
J16 	Header 1 pins	J16.1: GND

The MxL83411 device offers a global enable configuration.

All four receiver outputs are enabled simultaneously when RE = V<sub>CC</sub> or REb = GND.

When RE = GND and REb = V<sub>CC</sub>, all four receiver outputs are in high impedance state

## Layout Recommendations

- Apply bypass capacitors of at least 100nF as close as possible to the V<sub>CC</sub> terminal of device.
- Use at least two vias for V<sub>CC</sub> and ground connections of the bypass capacitors to minimize the effective via-inductance.
- When possible, use V<sub>CC</sub> and the ground plane to provide low-inductance traces and signal path.

For additional layout tips, refer to the *RS-232 and RS-485 PCB Layout Application Note (293AN)*.



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