

Configuring the ADC with MCUXpresso Config Tools

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Herewith just a short overview of the process that I used to create the “LPC55S69_Configtool_ADC” MCUXpresso project for the OKDO E1 board which uses the lpc55s69 MCU.

My aim is to simply get the ADC running by setting it up using the SDK Wizard and MCUXpresso Config Tools, instead of having to shove values into registers all over the show.

When I debug the project, I read 32768 from all the inputs, but if I first run the lpcxpresso55s69_lpadc_polling sample, I read the correct values.

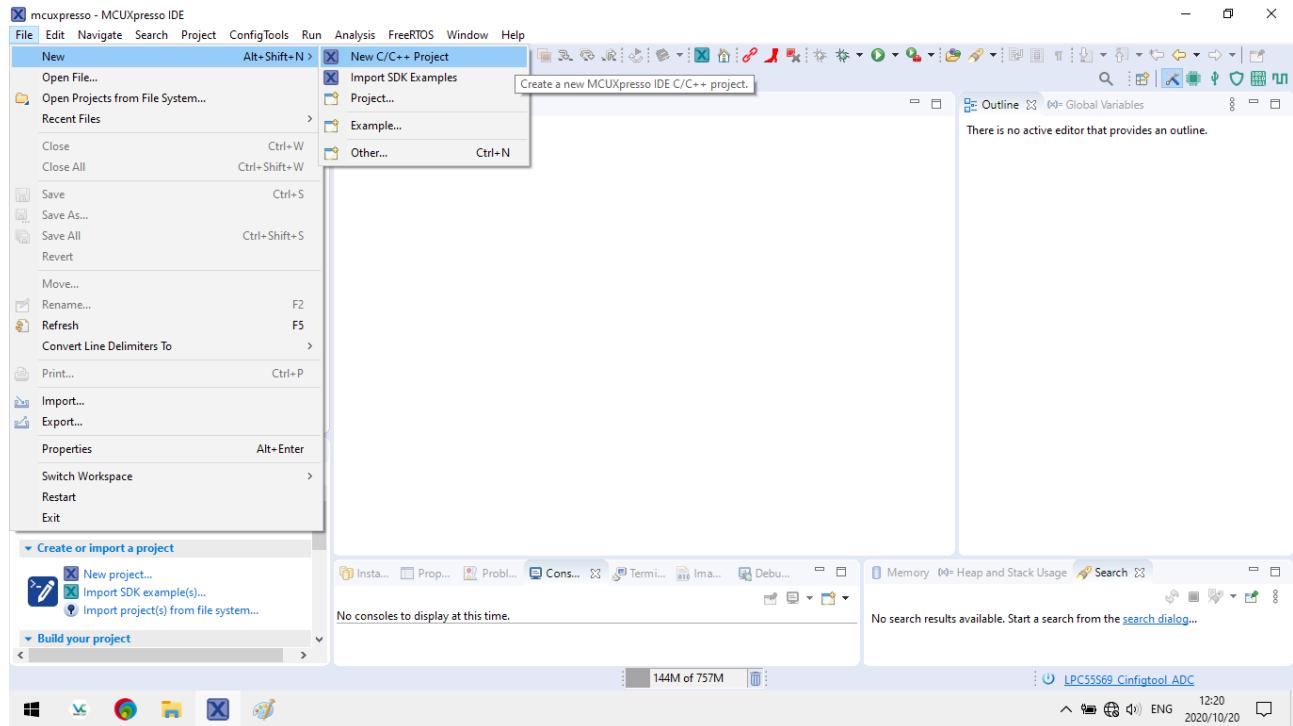
This clearly shows that something is not correctly configured using the SDK wizard and MCUXpresso Config Tools

Note that the OKDO E1 board does not have the 32MHz crystal, and I use the 12MHz free running oscillator through PLL1 as clock source and PLL0 as clock source for the ADC. (Refer to Mark from EmbeddedPro’s excellent YouTube video on doing it)

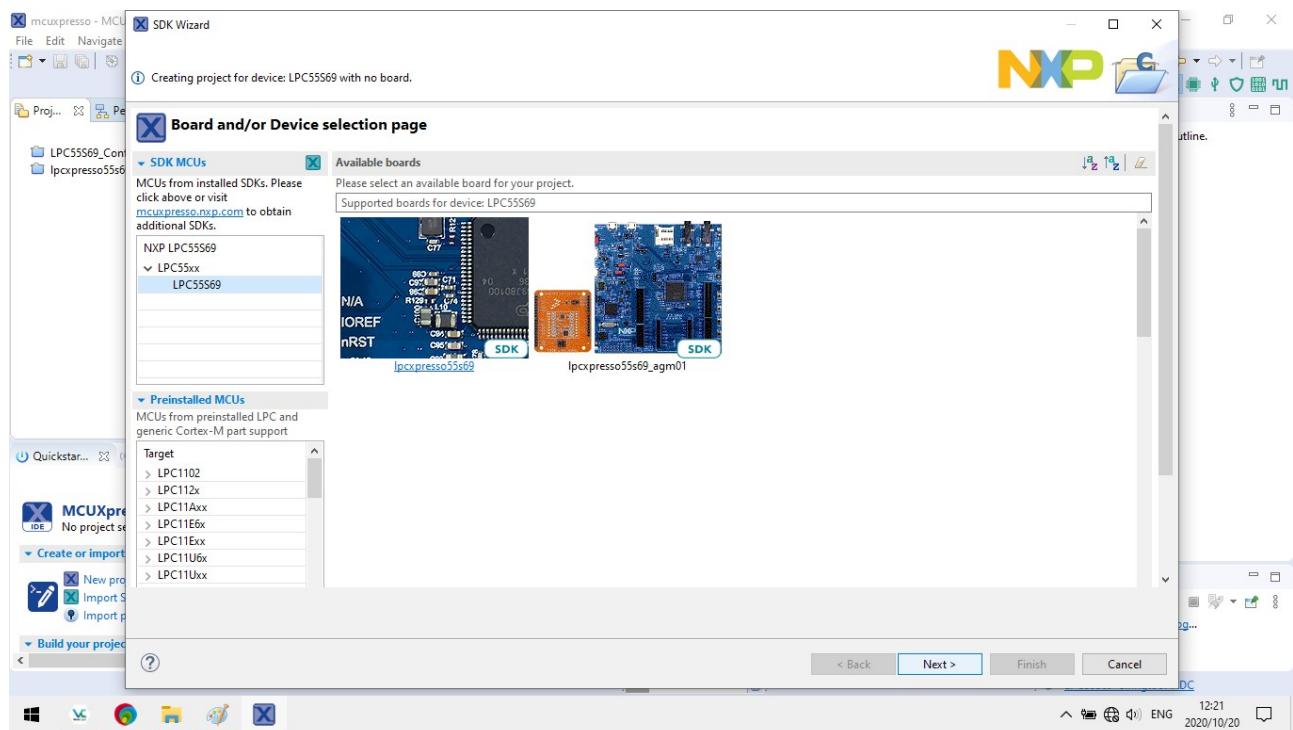
To start off with:

1. Open MCUXpresso IDE and close all the open projects

2. Select File -> New -> New C/C++ project



3. Choose ONLY the LPC55S69 processor! And NOT one of the lpcxpresso dev board, and press next



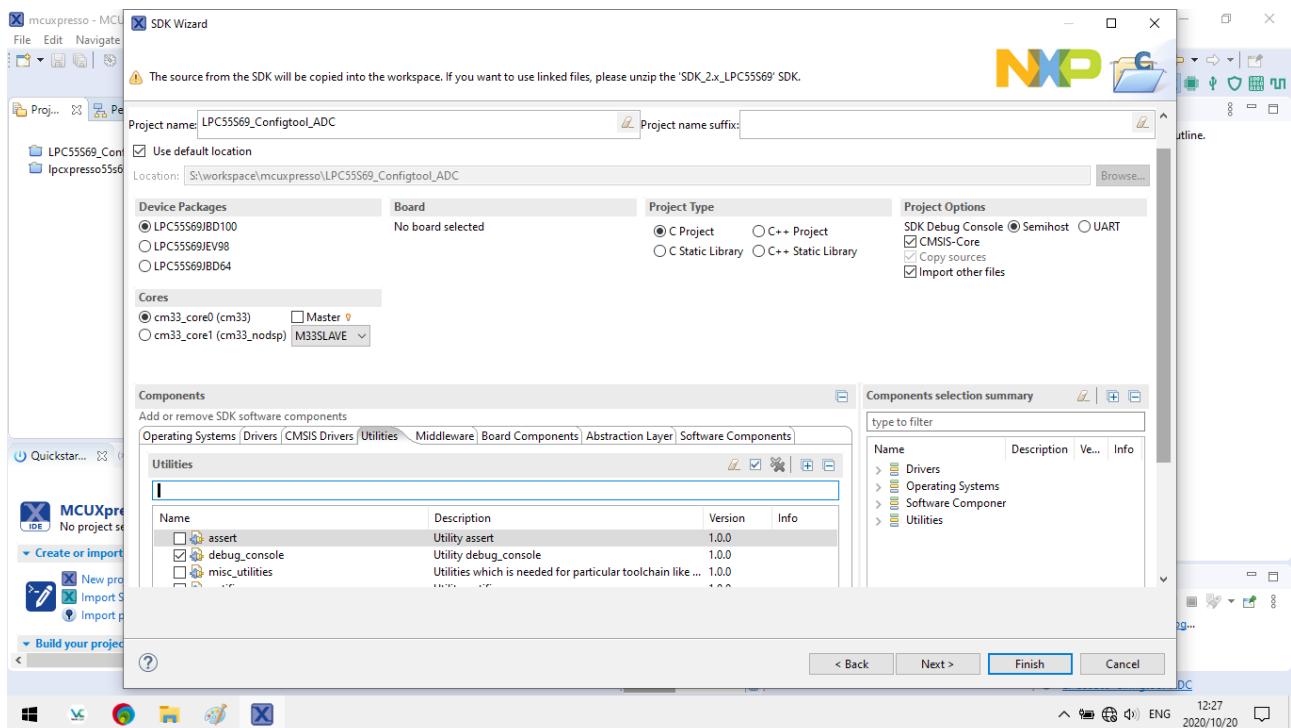
4. On the SDK wizard screen, give the project a name and select the following components:

Operating System Tab -> Bare metal

Drivers -> Gpio an Lpadc

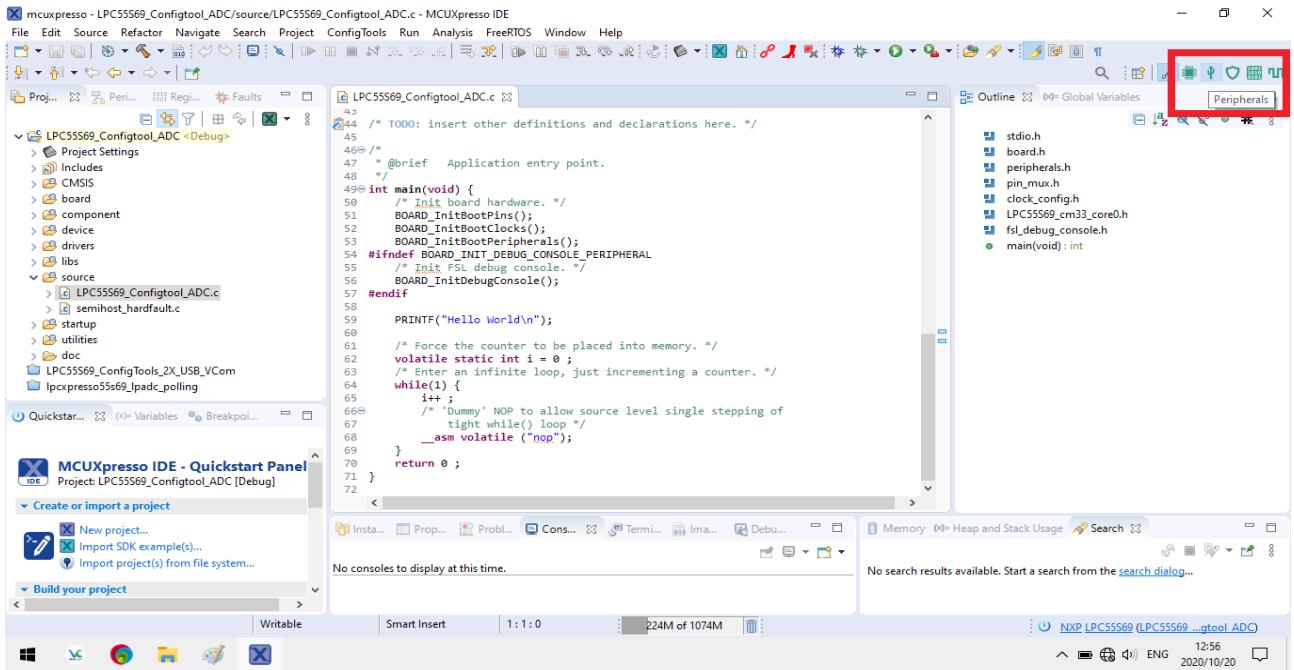
Utilities -> Debug Console

-> Finish

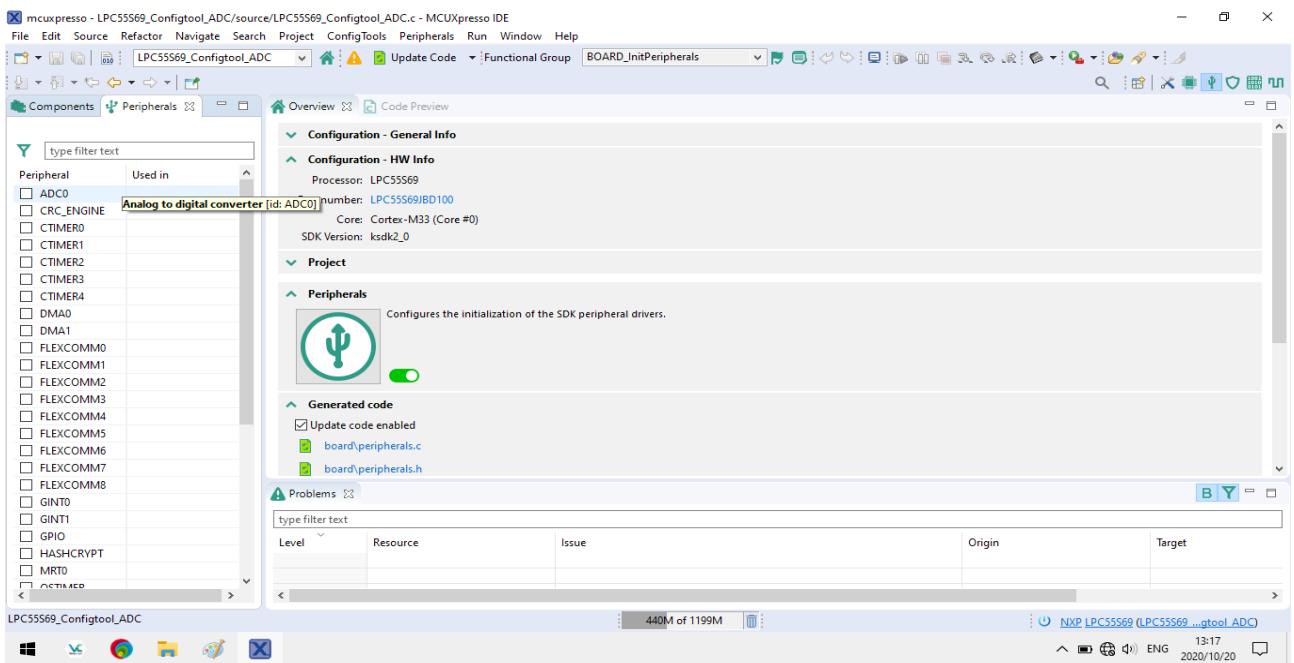


5. the SDK wizard will disappear into the wild blue yonder for a while, and then return you to the code editor in MCUXpresso

Select the Peripherals button in the top right . . .

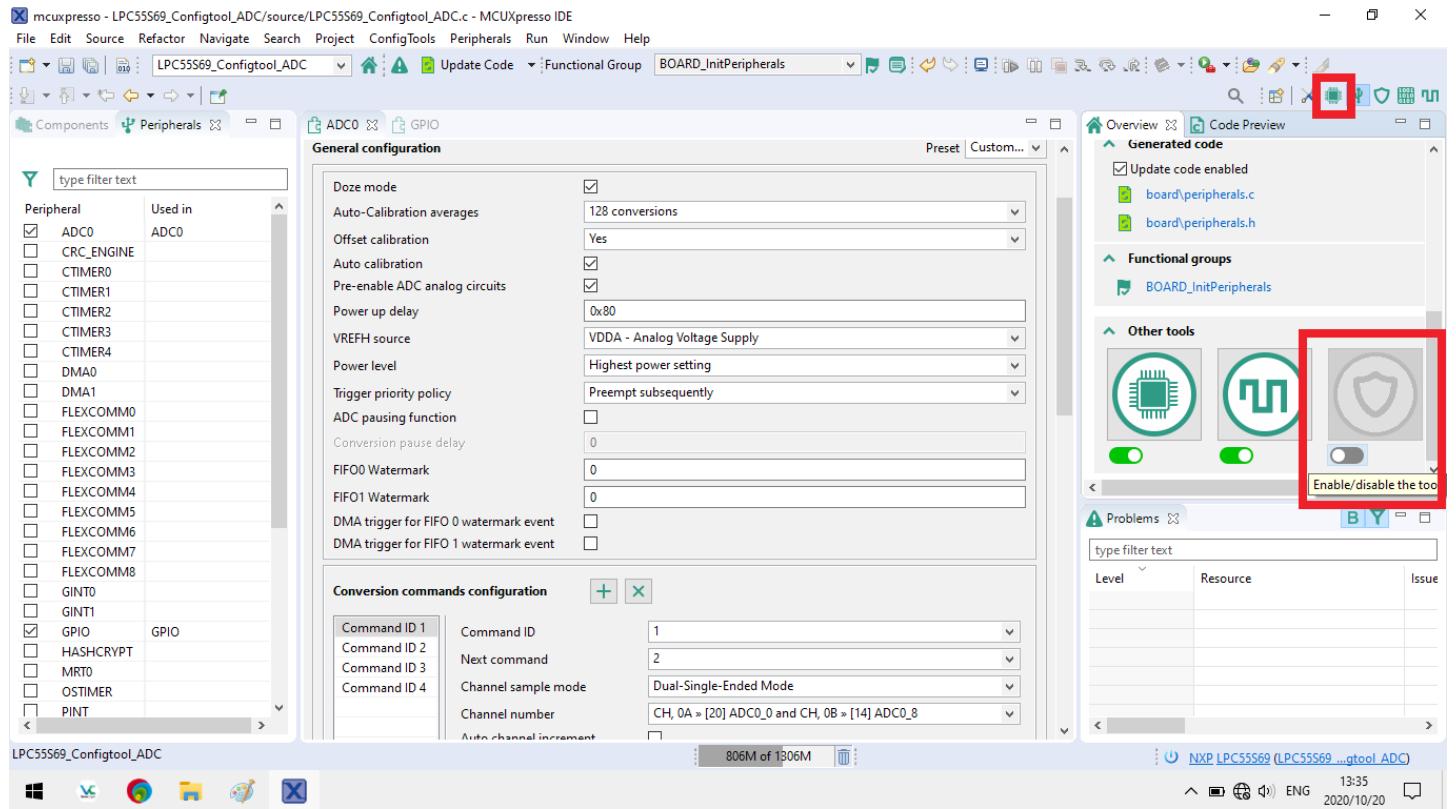


Which will drop you into the peripherals configuration screen,



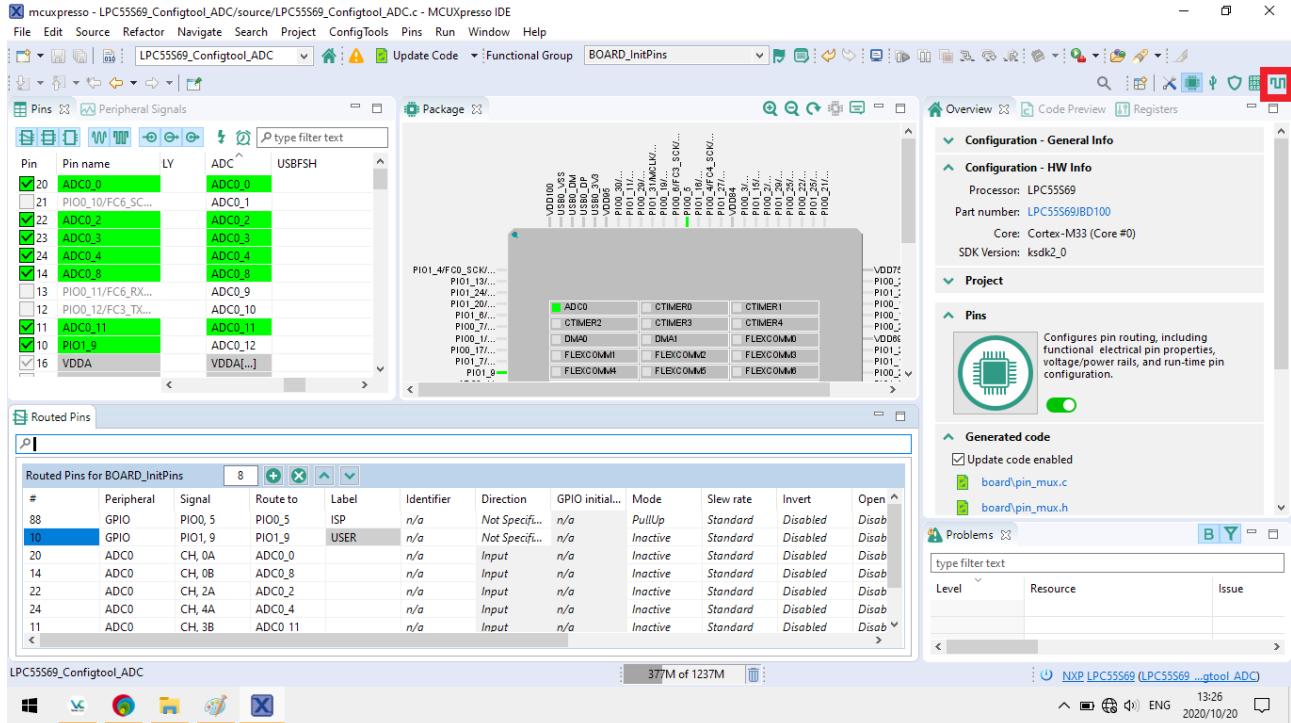
6. Select the Gpio and select the ADC and populate the values, as well as a few ADC conversion commands and an ADC trigger

Also deselect the TEE functionality



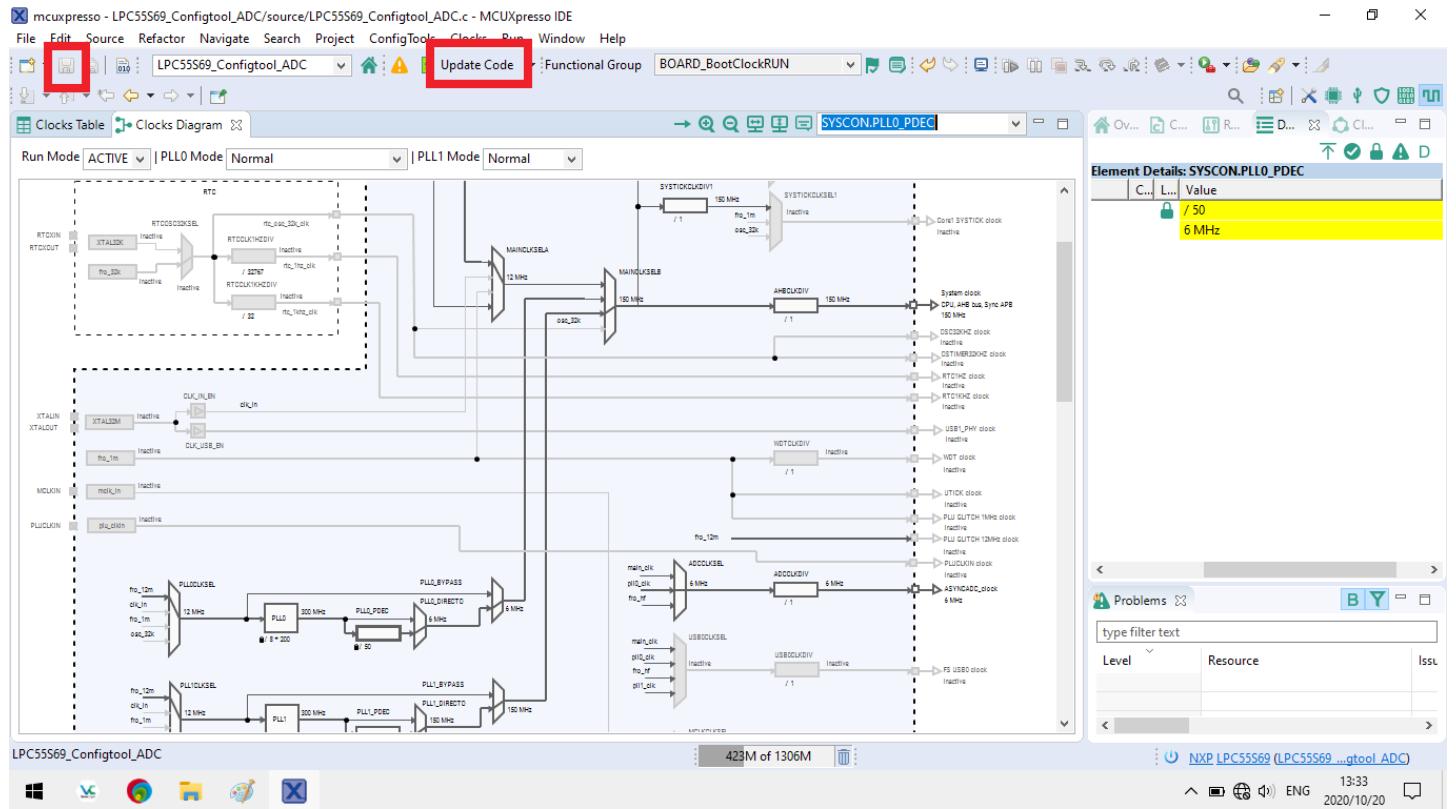
When finished, select the Pins tool, to go and route input pins to their desired functionality...

7. Route all the inputs to their destinations



Select the clocks button top right to set up the clock sources....

8. Configure your clocks



Save the configuration, and VERY importantly click on “Update code” which will generate code from your configuration

The Config Tool will now exit and MCUXpresso will take you back to the Code Editor

9. Add the following code to the while(1) loop to read and print the ADC values:

```
int main(void)
{
    /* Init board hardware. */
    BOARD_InitBootPins();
    BOARD_InitBootClocks();
    BOARD_InitBootPeripherals();
#ifndef BOARD_INIT_DEBUG_CONSOLE_PERIPHERAL
    /* Init FSL debug console. */
    BOARD_InitDebugConsole();
#endif

    PRINTF("Hello All! OKDO E1 Board; LPC55S69 MCU; ADC configured with MCUXpresso Config Tools\n");

    lpadc_conv_result_t mLpadcResultConfigStruct;
    uint32_t conv_result_count;

    while(1)
    {
        LPADC_DoSoftwareTrigger(ADC0_PERIPHERAL, 1U); /* 1U is trigger0 mask. */

        conv_result_count = LPADC_GetConvResultCount(ADC0_PERIPHERAL, 0);
        while (conv_result_count < 6)
        {
            conv_result_count = LPADC_GetConvResultCount(ADC0_PERIPHERAL, 0);
        }
        PRINTF("Result fifo0, Count %d; ", LPADC_GetConvResultCount(ADC0_PERIPHERAL, 0));

        while (!LPADC_GetConvResult(ADC0_PERIPHERAL, &mLpadcResultConfigStruct, 0U))
        {
            __asm volatile ("nop");
        }
        PRINTF("ADC config %d: %5d; ", mLpadcResultConfigStruct.commandIdSource, mLpadcResultConfigStruct.convValue);

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    return 0 ;
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