

Fact Sheet

Home Energy Gateway Reference Platform

i.MX28 ARM9[™] processor and ZigBee[®] MC13224V Platform in Package solution

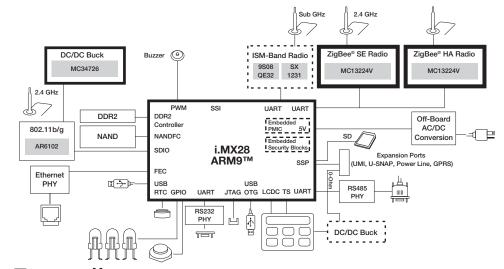
Overview

Current energy transmission methods create a demand for a more intelligent interface between the utility-controlled smart grid and the consumer. The Freescale home energy gateway (HEG) reference platform meets that challenge. Acting as the interface between the smart grid and energy-consuming in-house objects, the HEG allows every point of the smart home to be connected and controlled from a central location, enabling power efficiency and energy optimization.

Benefits

- Provides value to the consumer by allowing power configuration, predefined control management (HVAC) and energy production checks (solar panels, wind turbines)
- Provides value to the utility provider by performing granular real-time demand control, delivering alerts (tariff, peak) and designing consumer profiles for accurate energy reduction automation
- Provides a friendly user interface to encourage user interaction and long-term use
- Provides a highly integrated and flexible platform to help shorten development time and reduce time to market
- Dedicated hardware support for AES128based authenticated boot, signed/ authenticated firmware and dedicated hardware acceleration for AES, 3DES, SHA, MD5 encryption/decryption/hash algorithms and secure off-chip storage to address security, safety and privacy concerns
- Based on the low-power Freescale ARM926[™] based i.MX28 system-on-chip (SoC) solution with power management unit, Ethernet, LCD controller and dual High-Speed USB with embedded PHY

HEG Reference Design Block Diagram



- Freescale IC Optional
- Part of the Freescale Product Longevity Program. Learn more at freescale.com/ProductLongevity
- Pre-validated connectivity with Wi-Fi[®],
 ZigBee[®] and Ethernet
- Complete ecosystem of Linux® and Windows® Embedded Compact 7 OS available
- OSGi/ProSyst mBS Smart Home option providing a multi-services and multi-application execution environment with sophisticated remote management capabilities, such as software and firmware life cycle management, provisioning, remote configuration and remote monitoring
- Completely tested and validated in two different final application demos (figure 1 and figure 2)
- Hardware schematics, Gerber files, ZigBee certified stacks and software BSP are available
- HEG reference platform kit contains software support BSP optimization can be contracted with Adeneo Embedded

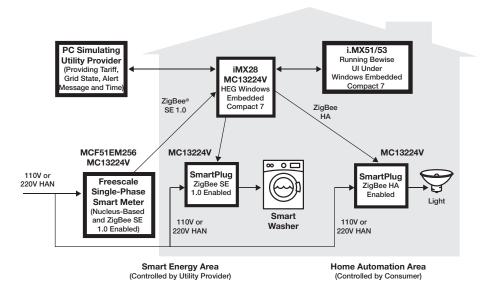
Features

- 454 MHz ARM926EJ-S[™] core based i.MX28 application processor w/32 KB
- 128 MB SLC NAND flash + 64 MB (or 128 MB) DDR2 DRAM (on board)
- Connectivity interfaces, including ZigBee SE 1.0 and HA profiles (based on Freescale ZigBee certified MC13224 PiP), Sub-GHz radio (based on Freescale 9S08QE32 8-bit MCU), Wi-Fi 802.11b/g, 10/100 Ethernet, RS-232, RS485, USB with on-chip PHY, SD/MMC card reader and UMI connector
- Optional Matrix LCD (flex connector) or 4"3 WVGA touch screen LCD (daughter card)
- RTC with coin battery (on board) backup
- AC-DC power supply (off board)
- Linux 2.6.31 and Windows Embedded Compact 7 OS





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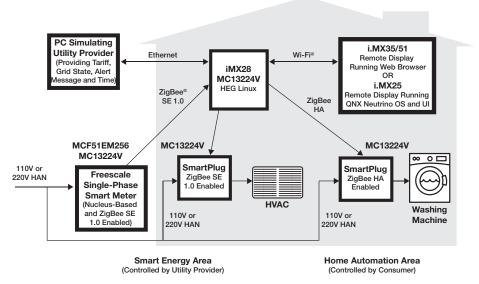
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Availability

The Freescale HEG reference platform is available from systems integrator Adeneo Embedded, who provides hardware manufacturing and BSP customization and support. Please visit adeneo-embedded.com/heg for more information.

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