

# User's Manual

## **SMARC Computer on Module**

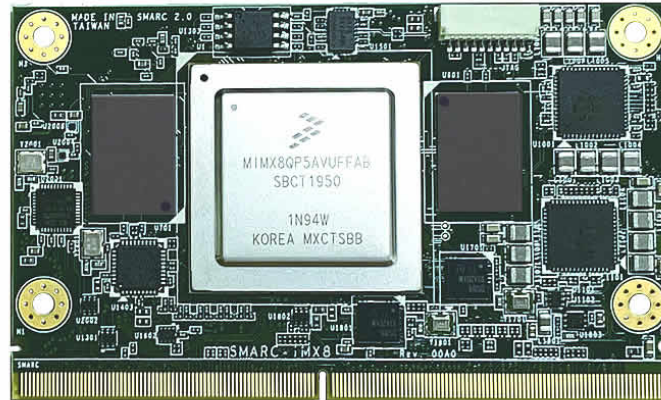
NXP *i.MX8QM* 2 x Cortex-A72, 4 x Cortex-A53  
and 2 x Cortex-M4F  
1 x 24bits dual-channel LVDS LCD  
HDMI 2.0a/DP, eDP  
4 x COM Ports  
1 x SDHC  
1 x USB OTG 2.0, 1 x USB 3.0, 4 x USB Host 2.0  
2 x 10/100/1000M Gigabit Ethernet  
2 x CAN-FD, 2 x SPIs, 4 x I2Cs, 1 x SATA  
PCIe 3.0, 2 x MIPI\_CSI

## ***SMARC-iMX8***

***QuadMax and QuadPlus Cores***

**(SMARC 2.0 Specification Compliant)**





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### ***Using this Manual***

This guide provides information about the Embedian *SMARC-iMX8* for NXP *i.MX8QM* embedded *SMARC* core module family.

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# Chapter 1

## Introduction

This Chapter gives background information on the *SMARC-iMX8*  
Section include :

- Features and Functionality
- Module Variant
- Differences between Module Variants
- Block diagram
- Software Support / Hardware Abstraction
- Module Variant
- Document and Standard References

## **Chapter 1 Introduction**

The SMARC-iMX8 introduces advanced processing power, high-end graphics, UltraHD video capabilities and a variety of high-speed interfaces and connectivity options.

Based on *NXP i.MX8 QuadMax* and *QuadPlus* cores, the *SMARC-iMX8* carries Dual 1.6GHz *ARM Cortex-A72*, Quad 1.2GHz *Cortex-A53* and Dual 266MHz real-time *Cortex-M4F* co-processor. An impressive multimedia performance spec encompasses UltraHD 4K video and display support, high-quality audio, a high performance 2D/3D graphics acceleration and camera inputs.

It is also a 100% SMARC 2.0 specification compliant module from Embedian.

The module connector has 314 edge fingers that mate with a low profile 314 pin 0.5mm pitch right angle connector (this connector is sometimes identified as an 321 pin connector, but 7 pins are lost to the key).

The SMARC-iMX8 includes a variety of interfaces and connectivity options: dual GbE, USB3, dual PCIe 3, CAN-FD, SPI, SATA3 and UARTs.

The module is the ideal choice for a broad range of target markets including

- eCockpit
- Motorcycle Engine Control Unit
- Medical Imaging
- Smart Home Robotic Appliance
- Avionics
- Electricity Generation
- Energy Gateway
- Automatic Vehicle Identification
- Motion Control and Robotics
- 3-Phase AC Induction Motor
- And more

Complete and cost-efficient Embedian evaluation kits for Yocto build, Debian 10, Ubuntu 18.04 and Android 10 allow immediate and professional embedded product development with dramatically reduced design risk and time-to-market.

## **1.1 Features and Functionality**

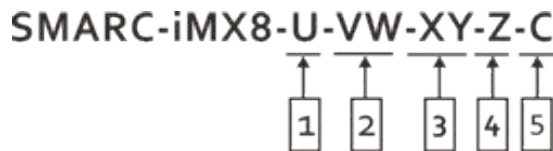
The *SMARC-iMX8* module is based on the *i.MX8QM* processor with quadmax and quadplus cores from NXP. This processor offers a high number of interfaces. The module has the following features:

- *SMARC* 2.0 compliant in an 82mm x 50mm form factor.
- Processor:
  - ◆ QuadMax: NXP *i.MX8* 2 x 1.6GHz ARM Cortex™-A72 (QuadMax) plus 4 x 1.2GHz ARM Cortex™-A53 and 2 x 266Mhz ARM Cortex™-M4F
  - ◆ QuadPlus: NXP *i.MX8* 1 x 1.6GHz ARM Cortex™-A72 (QuadMax) plus 4 x 1.2GHz ARM Cortex™-A53 and 2 x 266Mhz ARM Cortex™-M4F
- Memory: Onboard 32GB *eMMC* Flash
- Onboard 4GB or 8GB *LPDDR4*
- TPM 2.0
- Networking: 2 x 10/100/1000 Mbps Ethernet
- Display:
  - ◆ One 24-bit Single/Dual channel *LVDS* up to 1920X1080 at 60Hz (The 2nd channel *LVDS* is shared with the second channel of *eDP* interface)
  - ◆ *HDMI* 2.0a/*DP* 1.3
  - ◆ *eDP* 1.4 (from *MIPI-DSI*, the 2<sup>nd</sup> channel of *eDP* is shared with the 2<sup>nd</sup> channel *LVDS*)
- Expansion: 1 x *SDHC/SDIO*, 5x *USB* 2.0 (one OTG), 1 x *USB* 3.0, 2 x *PCIe* x 1 Gen 3.0 (only one instance for QuadPlus core)
- *USB*: 4 x *USB* 2.0 Host, 1 x *USB* 2.0 OTG, 1 x *USB* 3.0
- A single 4KB *EEPROM* is provided on *I2C1* that holds the board information. This information includes board name, serial number, and revision information.
- Additional Interface:
  - ◆ 4 x *UARTs*
  - ◆ 2 x *SPI* (one *eSPI*)
  - ◆ 5 x *I2C*
  - ◆ 2 x *I2S*
  - ◆ 2 x *CAN-FD*
  - ◆ 2 x *PWM*

- ◆ 1 x 4-Lane MIPI CSI and 1 x 2-Lane MIPI CSI (Camera Interface)
- ◆ 1 x SATA3
- ◆ 12 x GPIOs
- ◆ WDT
- SW Support: Linux, Yocto Build, Ubuntu 18.04, Debian 10, Android 10
- Power Consumption (Typcal)
  - ◆ TBD
- Thermal:
  - ◆ Commercial Temperature: 0°C ~ 80°C
  - ◆ Industrial Temperature: -40° ~85°C
- Power Supply
- 3V to 5.25V
- 1.8V module IO support (SMARC 2.0 compliant)

## **1.2 Module Variant**

The *SMARC-iMX8* module is available with various options based on processors in this family from NXP, LPDDR4 memory configuration, and operating temperature ranges.



1. "6" (CPU with DSP)  
"5" (No DSP in CPU)"2G" (2GB LPDDR4 memory)
2. "QM" (CPU is *QuadMax* Core, 2 x *Cortex-A72* + 4 x *Cortex-A53*)  
"QP" (CPU is *QuadPlus* Core, 1 x *Cortex-A72* + 4 x *Cortex-A53*)
3. "4G" (4GB LPDDR4 memory)  
"8G" (8GB LPDDR4 memory)
4. "I" Industrial temperature (-40°C~85°C for 4GB LPDDR4 and -30°C~85°C for 8GB LPDDR4)  
**Only industrial temperature grade processors available for i.MX8 series.**
5. "C" (Conformal coating) – Leave it blank if no needs of conformal coating.

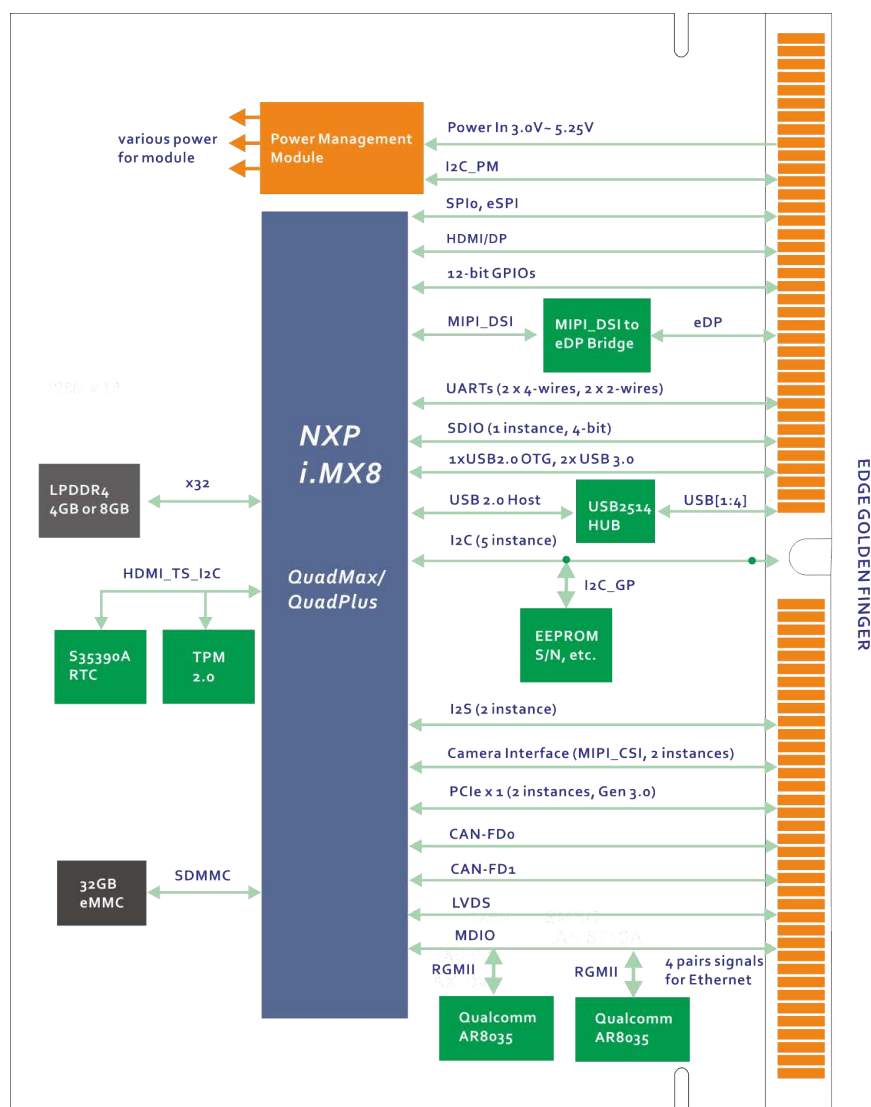
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For example, *SMARC-iMX8-5-QM-8G* stands for QuadMax core i.MX8 processor without DSP core and 8GB LPDDR4 memory in normal operating temperature.

### 1.3 Block Diagram

The following diagram illustrates the system organization of the *SMARC-iMX8*. Arrows indicate direction of control and not necessarily signal flow.

**Figure 1 SMARC-iMX8 Block Diagram**



Details for this diagram will be explained in the following chapters.

## ***1.4 Software Support / Hardware Abstraction***

The Embedian *SMARC-iMX8* Module is supported by Embedian BSPs (Board Support Package). The first *SMARC-iMX8* BSP targets Linux (Ubuntu 18.04 LTS, Debian 10, Yocto Build) and Android 10 support. BSPs for other operating systems are planned. Check with your Embedian contact for the latest BSPs. This manual goes into a lot of detail on I/O particulars – information is provided on exactly how the various *SMARC* edge fingers tie into the NXP *i.MX8QM* SoC and to other Module hardware. This is provided for reference and context. Almost all of the I/O particulars are covered and abstracted in the BSP and it should generally not be necessary for users to deal with I/O at the register level.

## 1.5 Document and Standard References

### 1.5.1. External Industry Standard Documents

- **eMMC (Embedded Multi-Media Card)** the eMMC electrical standard is defined by JEDEC JESD84-B45 and the mechanical standard by JESD84-C44 ([www.jedec.org](http://www.jedec.org)).
- **The I2C Specification**, Version 2.1, January 2000, Philips Semiconductor (now NXP) ([www.nxp.com](http://www.nxp.com)).
- **I2S Bus Specification**, Feb. 1986 and Revised June 5, 1996, Philips Semiconductor (now NXP) ([www.nxp.com](http://www.nxp.com)).
- **JTAG (Joint Test Action Group)** defined by IEEE 1149.1-2001 - IEEE Standard Test Access Port and Boundary Scan Architecture ([www.ieee.org](http://www.ieee.org)).
- **MXM3 Graphics Module Mobile PCI Express Module Electromechanical Specification**, Version 3.0, Revision 1.1, © 2009 NVIDIA Corporation ([www.mxm-sig.org](http://www.mxm-sig.org)).
- **PICMG® EEPROM Embedded EEPROM Specification**, Rev. 1.0, August 2010 ([www.picmg.org](http://www.picmg.org)).
- **SD Specifications Part 1 Physical Layer Simplified Specification**, Version 3.01, May 18, 2010, © 2010 SD Group and SD Card Association (Secure Digital) ([www.sdcard.org](http://www.sdcard.org)).
- **SPI Bus** – “Serial Peripheral Interface” - de-facto serial interface standard defined by Motorola. A good description may be found on Wikipedia ([http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Serial\\_Peripheral\\_Interface\\_Bus](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Serial_Peripheral_Interface_Bus)).
- **USB Specifications** ([www.usb.org](http://www.usb.org)).
- **PCI Express Specifications** ([www.pci-sig.org](http://www.pci-sig.org))
- **SPDIF (aka S/PDIF) (“Sony Philips Digital Interface”)**- IEC 60958-3
- **eSPI (“Enhanced Serial Peripheral Interface”)** The eSPI Interface Base Specification is defined by Intel (<https://downloadcenter.intel.com/de/download/22112>)
- **GBE MDI (“Gigabit Ethernet Medium Dependent Interface”)** defined by IEEE 802.3. The 1000Base-T operation over copper twisted pair cabling defined by IEEE 802.3ab ([www.ieee.org](http://www.ieee.org)).
- **RS-232 (EIA “Recommended Standard 232”)** this standard for asynchronous serial port data exchange dates from 1962. The original standard is hard to find. Many good descriptions of the standard can be

*found on-line, e.g. at Wikipedia, and in text books.*

- **CSI-2 (Camera Serial Interface version 2)** The CSI-2 standard is owned and maintained by the MIPI Alliance (“Mobile Industry Processor Interface Alliance”) ([www.mipi.org](http://www.mipi.org)).
- **CSI-3 (Camera Serial Interface version 3)** The CSI-3 standard is owned and maintained by the MIPI Alliance (“Mobile Industry Processor Alliance”) ([www.mipi.org](http://www.mipi.org))
- **CAN FD (“Controller Area Network Flexible Data-Rate”)** Bus Standard – ISO 11898-1
- **DisplayPort and Embedded DisplayPort** These standards are owned and maintained by VESA (“Video Electronics Standards Association”) ([www.vesa.org](http://www.vesa.org))

#### **1.5.2. SGET Documents**

- **SMARC\_Hardware\_Specification\_V200**, version 2.0, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016.
- **SMARC\_Hardware\_Specification\_V1p1**, version 1.1, May 29, 2014.

#### **1.5.3. Embedian Documents**

The following documents are listed for reference. The Module schematic is not usually available outside of Embedian, without special permission. The other schematics will be available. Contact your Embedian representative for more information. The SMARC Evaluation Carrier Board Schematic is particularly useful as an example of the implementation of various interfaces on a Carrier board.

- **SMARC Evaluation Carrier Board Schematic**, PDF and OrCAD format
- **SMARC Evaluation Carrier Board User’s Manual**
- **SMARC-iMX8 User’s Manual**
- **PinMux file for SMARC-iMX8**
- **SMARC-iMX8 Schematic Checklist**

#### **1.5.4. NXP Documents**

- ***IMX8QMRM, i.MX 8QuadMax Applications Processor Reference Manual, 06/2018 (rev. E)***
- 
- ***IMX8QPAEC, i.MX 8QuadPlus Automotive and Infotainment Applications Processors, 12/2020 (rev. 1)***
- 
- ***IMX8QMAEC, i.MX 8QuadMax Automotive and Infotainment Applications Processors, 12/2020 (rev. 1)***

#### ***1.5.5. NXP Development Tools***

- ***IOMUX\_TOOL v9 for ARM® i.MX8QM Microprocessors***

#### ***1.5.6. NXP Software Documents***

- ***Linux 5.4.70\_2.3.0\_ga, 5.10.9\_1.0.0\_ga***
- ***Android Q10.0.0\_2.6.0, 11.0.0\_1.2.0 Documentation***

#### ***1.5.7. Embedian Software Documents***

- ***Embedian Linux BSP for SMARC-iMX8 Module***
- ***Embedian Android BSP for SMARC-iMX8 Module***
- ***Embedian Linux BSP User's Guide***
- ***Embedian Android BSP User's Guide***

#### ***1.5.8. NXP Design Network***

- ***SABRE***
- ***Wandboard***
- ***Nucleus***
- ***QNX***

# Chapter 2

## Specifications

This Chapter provides *SMARC-iMX8* specifications.

Section include :

- *SMARC-iMX8* General Functions
- *SMARC-iMX8* Debug
- Mechanical Specifications
- Electrical Specification
- Environment Specification

## Chapter 2 Specifications

### 2.1 SMARC-iMX8 General Functions

#### 2.1.1. SMARC-iMX8 Feature Set

This section lists the complete feature set supported by the SMARC-iMX8 module.

| <b>SMARC Feature Specification</b>  | <b>SMARC 2.0 Specification Maximum Number Possible</b> | <b>SMARC-iMX8 Feature Support</b> | <b>SMARC-iMX8 Feature Support Instances</b>   |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <b>LVDS LCD Display Support</b>     | 1                                                      | Yes                               | 1(dual channel) <sup>Note1</sup>              |
| <b>DP/eDP</b>                       | 1                                                      | Yes                               | 1                                             |
| <b>HDMI Display Support</b>         | 1                                                      | Yes                               | 1                                             |
| <b>Serial Camera Support</b>        | 2                                                      | Yes                               | 2 (1 x 4-lane and 1 x 2-lane)                 |
| <b>USB Interface</b>                | 6                                                      | Yes                               | 5 (1 x USB 2.0 OTG, 4 x USB 2.0, 1 x USB 3.0) |
| <b>PCIe Interface</b>               | 4                                                      | Yes                               | 2 ( 1-lane Gen 3.0) <sup>Note2</sup>          |
| <b>SATA Interface</b>               | 1                                                      | Yes                               | 1                                             |
| <b>GbE Interface</b>                | 1                                                      | Yes                               | 1                                             |
| <b>2<sup>nd</sup> GBE Interface</b> | 1                                                      | Yes                               | 1                                             |
| <b>SDIO Interface (4bit)</b>        | 1                                                      | Yes                               | 1                                             |
| <b>SPI Interface</b>                | 2                                                      | Yes                               | 2                                             |
| <b>I2S Interface</b>                | 2                                                      | Yes                               | 2                                             |
| <b>I2C Interface</b>                | 6                                                      | Yes                               | 5                                             |
| <b>Serial</b>                       | 4                                                      | Yes                               | 4                                             |

| <i>SMARC Feature Specification</i> | <i>SMARC 2.0 Specification Maximum Number Possible</i> | <i>SMARC-iMX8 Feature Support</i> | <i>SMARC-iMX8 Feature Support Instances</i> |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| <b>CAN</b>                         | 2                                                      | Yes                               | 2 (CAN-FD)                                  |
| <b>VDDIO</b>                       | 1.8V                                                   | 1.8V                              | 1.8V                                        |

**Note:**

1. There are one dual channel 4-lane LVDS interface up to 1,920 × 1,080 @60 fps at 24 bpp. The 2nd lvds channel is shared with the 2<sup>nd</sup> channel eDP interface by SMARC definition.
2. There are two PCIe 3 controllers in *QuadMax* core and **only one instance for QuadPlus core.**

**2.1.2. Form Factor**

The *SMARC-iMX8* module complies with the *SMARC* General Specification module size requirements in an 82mm x 50mm form factor.

### 2.1.3. CPU

The SMARC-iMX8 implements NXP's i.MX8QM and i.MX8QP ARM processor.

| <b>NXP CPU</b>              | <b>i.MX8 QuadMax</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>i.MX8 QuadPlus</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>ARM Cortex-A72 cores</b> | 2x 1.6GHz Cortex-A72                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 1x 1.6GHz Cortex-A72                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>ARM Cortex-A53 cores</b> | 4x 1.2GHz Cortex-A53                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 4x 1.2Ghz Cortex-A53                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>ARM Cortex-M4F cores</b> | 1x 266Mhz Cortex-M4F                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 1x 266Mhz Cortex-M4F                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>Memory Speed</b>         | LPDDR4-3200                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | LPDDR4-3200                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>L2 Cache</b>             | 1MB L2                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 1MB L2                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>GPU</b>                  | Supports OpenGL 3.0, 2.1,; OpenGL ES 3.2, 3.1 (with AEP), 3.0, 2.0, and 1.1; OpenCL 1.2 Full Profile and 1.1; OpenVG 1.1; and Vulkan                                                                                                                                                                             | Supports OpenGL 3.0, 2.1,; OpenGL ES 3.2, 3.1 (with AEP), 3.0, 2.0, and 1.1; OpenCL 1.2 Full Profile and 1.1; OpenVG 1.1; and Vulkan                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>VPU</b>                  | H.265 decode (4Kp60), Video Processing Unit (VPU) H.264 decode (4Kp30), WMV9/VC-1 imple decode, MPEG 1 and 2 decode, AVS decode, MPEG4.2 ASP, H.263, Sorenson Spark decode, Divx 3.11 including GMC decode, ON2/Google VP6/VP8 decode, RealVideo 8/9/10 decode, JPEG and MJPEG decode, 2x H.264 encode (1080p30) | H.265 decode (4Kp60), Video Processing Unit (VPU) H.264 decode (4Kp30), WMV9/VC-1 imple decode, MPEG 1 and 2 decode, AVS decode, MPEG4.2 ASP, H.263, Sorenson Spark decode, Divx 3.11 including GMC decode, ON2/Google VP6/VP8 decode, RealVideo 8/9/10 decode, JPEG and MJPEG decode, 2x H.264 encode (1080p30) |
| <b>PCIe</b>                 | 2 x 1-Lane PCIe 3.0                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 1 x 1-Lane PCIe 3.0                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |

#### **2.1.4. Onboard Storage**

The *SMARC-iMX8* module supports a 32GB *eMMC* flash memory device, and a 32Kb I2C serial *EEPROM* on the Module *I2C\_GP* (I2C3) bus. The device used is an On Semiconductor 24C32 equivalent. The Module serial EEPROM is intended to retain Module parameter information, including a module part number, revision number and serial number. The Module serial EEPROM data structure conforms to the PICMG® EEPROM Embedded *EEPROM* Specification.). The onboard 32GB *eMMC* flash is used as boot media and operating systems. The module will always boot up from the onboard *eMMC* flash first. The firmware in *eMMC* flash will read the *BOOT\_SEL* configuration from the boot selection and boot up the devices from that selected.

#### **2.1.5. Clocks**

A 24 MHz oscillator is used as the primary clock source for the PLLs to generate the clock for CPU, BUS, and high-speed interfaces. For fractional PLLs, the 24 MHz clock from the oscillator can be directly used as the PLL reference clock.

A 32.768 KHz clock is required for the *i.MX8QM* CPU RTC (Real Time Clock) and external (S-35390A) RTC.

A 24Mhz crystal is used on on-module *USB2514* USB hub.

A 27 MHz *HCSL* oscillator is used as the reference clock for *PCIe clock generator*.

A 27 Mhz oscillator is used as the primary clock source of MIPI-DSI to eDP bridge chip.

The Qualcomm AR8035 PHY, *PCIe HCSL* clock generator is provided with a 25 MHz clock using a crystal in normal oscillation mode.

### **2.1.6 LVDS Interface**

The *SMARC-iMX8* implements one 24 bit single/dual channel *LVDS* output streams. The 2<sup>nd</sup> channel of *LVDS* interface is shared with the 2<sup>nd</sup> channel *eDP* interface by *SMARC* definition.

The *LVDS* Display Bridge (*LDB*) from the NXP® *i.MX8* processor found on the *SMARC-iMX8* offers two *LVDS* channels, with up to 1920x1080 @60Hz. Each channel consists of one clock pair and four data pairs.

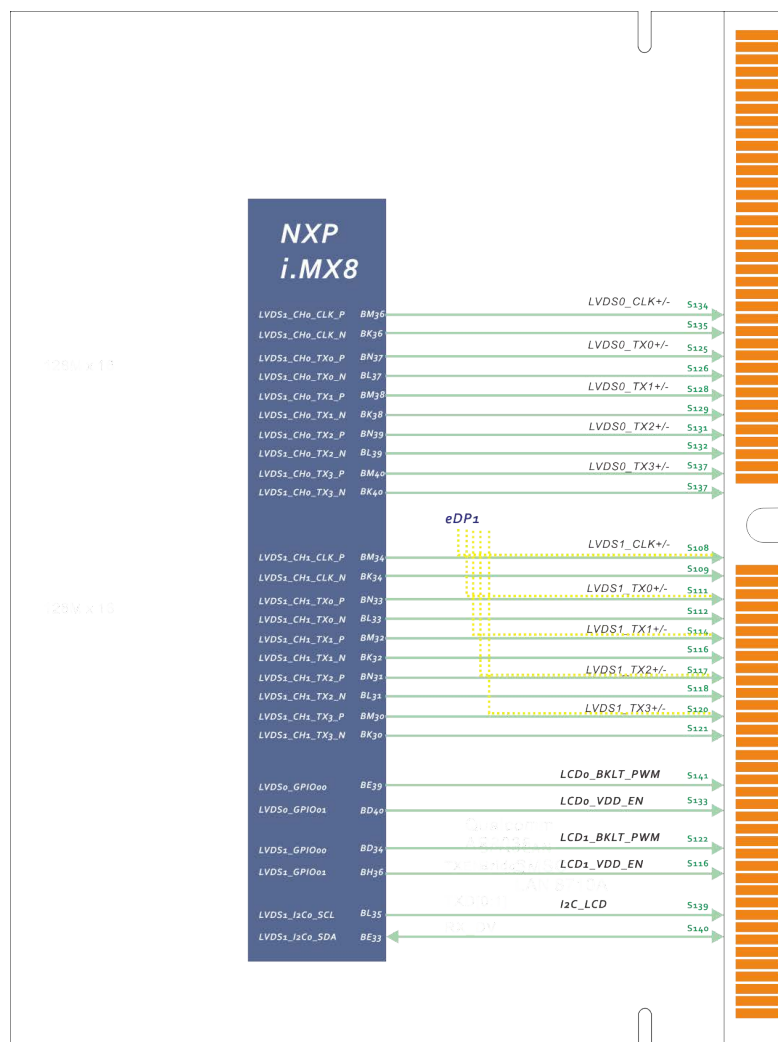
The *LVDS* ports support the following configurations:

- One single channel output
- One dual channel output

Note:

The *LVDS* interface can be used either as a single channel or as a dual channel. The 2<sup>nd</sup> *LVDS* channel is shared with the 2<sup>nd</sup> *eDP* channel.

The following figure shows the *LVDS LCD* block diagram.



**Figure 2 SMARC-iMX8 LVDS LCD Diagram**

### 2.1.6.1 LVDS Signals Data Flow

The LVDS signals data flow from i.MX8QM processor to the golden finger connector is shown in the following table:

| NXP i.MX8 CPU  |      |                 | SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br>Golden Finger |           | Note                                              |
|----------------|------|-----------------|----------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Ball           | Mode | Pin Name        | Pin#                             | Net Name  |                                                   |
| LVDS Channel 0 |      |                 |                                  |           |                                                   |
| BN37           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_TX0_P | S125                             | LVDS0_D0+ | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 1 |
| BL37           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_TX0_N | S126                             | LVDS0_D0- |                                                   |
| BM38           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_TX1_P | S128                             | LVDS0_D1+ | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 2 |
| BK38           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_TX1_N | S129                             | LVDS0_D1- |                                                   |
| BN39           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_TX2_P | S131                             | LVDS0_D2+ | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 3 |
| BL39           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_TX2_N | S132                             | LVDS0_D2- |                                                   |
| BM40           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_TX3_P | S137                             | LVDS0_D3+ | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 4 |
| BK40           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_TX3_N | S138                             | LVDS0_D3- |                                                   |
| BM36           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_CLK_P | S134                             | LVDS0_CK+ | LVDS0 LCD differential<br>clock pairs             |
| BK36           | N/A  | LVDS1_CH0_CLK_N | S135                             | LVDS0_CK- |                                                   |

| NXP i.MX8 CPU                                               |      |                 | SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br>Golden Finger |                     | Note                                              |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|------|-----------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Ball                                                        | Mode | Pin Name        | Pin#                             | Net Name            |                                                   |
| LVDS Channel 1 (shared with 2 <sup>nd</sup> channel of eDP) |      |                 |                                  |                     |                                                   |
| BN33                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_TX0_P | S111                             | LVDS1_D0+/eDP1_TX0+ | LVDS1 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 1 |
| BL33                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_TX0_N | S112                             | LVDS1_D0-/eDP1_TX0- |                                                   |
| BM32                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_TX1_P | S114                             | LVDS1_D1+/eDP1_TX1+ | LVDS1 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 2 |
| BK32                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_TX1_N | S115                             | LVDS1_D1-/eDP1_TX1- |                                                   |
| BN31                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_TX2_P | S117                             | LVDS1_D2+/eDP1_TX2+ | LVDS1 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 3 |
| BL31                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_TX2_N | S118                             | LVDS1_D2-/eDP1_TX2- |                                                   |
| BM30                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_TX3_P | S120                             | LVDS1_D3+/eDP1_TX3+ | LVDS1 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 4 |
| BK30                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_TX3_N | S121                             | LVDS1_D3-/eDP1_TX3- |                                                   |
| BM34                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_CLK_P | S108                             | LVDS1_CK+/eDP1_AUX+ | LVDS1 LCD<br>differential clock<br>pairs          |
| BK34                                                        | N/A  | LVDS1_CH1_CLK_N | S109                             | LVDS1_CK-/eDP1_AUX- |                                                   |

A 24 bit dual channel LVDS implementation comprises 10 differential pairs: 4 pairs for odd pixel and control data; 1 pair for the LVDS clock for the odd data; 4 pairs for the even pixel data and control data, and 1 pair for the even LVDS clock. To use the dual channel LVDS mode, you need a display supporting the dual channel LVDS mode in order to receive odd and even pixel data.

### 2.1.6.2 Other LCD Control Signals

The signals in the table below support the *LVDS LCD* interfaces (as these are created from the same *i.MX8QM* source).

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i>     | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                                  |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>LCD0_VDD_EN</i>                            | <i>Output</i>        | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>High enables LVDS0 panel VDD</i>                 |
| <i>LCD0_BKLT_EN</i>                           | <i>Output</i>        | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>High enables LVDS0 panel backlight</i>           |
| <i>LCD0_BKLT_PWM</i>                          | <i>Output</i>        | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>LVDS0 display backlight PWM control</i>          |
| <i>LCD1_VDD_EN</i>                            | <i>Output</i>        | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>High enables LVDS1 panel VDD</i>                 |
| <i>LCD1_BKLT_EN</i>                           | <i>Output</i>        | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>High enables LVDS1 panel backlight</i>           |
| <i>LCD1_BKLT_PWM</i>                          | <i>Output</i>        | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>LVDS1 display backlight PWM control</i>          |
| <i>I2C_LCD_DAT</i>                            | <i>Bi-Dir<br/>OD</i> | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>I2C data – to read LCD display EDID EEPROMs</i>  |
| <i>I2C_LCD_CK</i>                             | <i>Output</i>        | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>I2C clock – to read LCD display EDID EEPROMs</i> |

Below list LCD control signals that mapping to CPU iomux and SMARC edge connector.

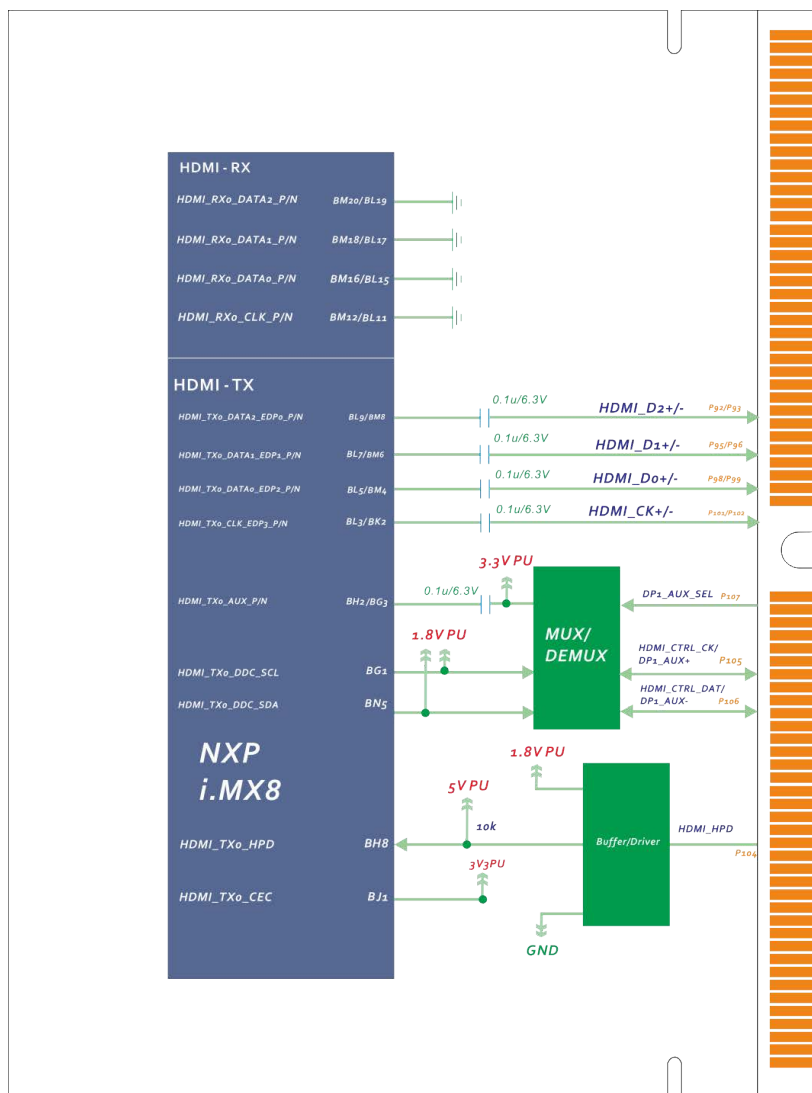
| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                     | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |               | Net Names             | Note                                              |
|-----------------|------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                            | Pin#                          | Pin Name      |                       |                                                   |
| BD38            | ALT3 | LVDS0_I2C0_SCL__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO06 | S127                          | LCD0_BKLT_EN  | LCD0_<br>BKLT_EN      | High enables<br>lvds0 panel<br>backlight          |
| BD40            | ALT3 | LVDS0_GPIO01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO05   | S133                          | LCD0_VDD_EN   | LCD0_<br>VDD_EN       | High enables<br>lvds0 panel VDD                   |
| BE39            | ALT3 | LVDS0_GPIO00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO04   | S141                          | LCD0_BKLT_PWM | LCD0_<br>BKLT_<br>PWM | Lvds0 display<br>backlight PWM<br>control         |
| BD36            | ALT3 | LVDS0_I2C0_SDA__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO07 | S107                          | LCD1_BKLT_EN  | LCD1_<br>BKLT_EN      | High enables<br>lvds1 panel<br>backlight          |
| BH36            | ALT3 | LVDS1_GPIO01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO11   | S116                          | LCD1_VDD_EN   | LCD1_<br>VDD_EN       | High enables<br>lvds1 panel VDD                   |
| BD34            | ALT3 | LVDS1_GPIO00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO10   | S141                          | LCD1_BKLT_PWM | LCD1_<br>BKLT_<br>PWM | Lvds1 display<br>backlight PWM<br>control         |
| BL35            | ALT0 | LVDS1_I2C0_SCL__<br>LVDS1_I2C0_SCL  | S139                          | I2C_LCD_CK    | I2C_<br>LCD_CK        | I2C data – to<br>read LCD display<br>EDID EEPROMs |
| BE33            | ALT0 | LVDS1_I2C0_SDA__<br>LVDS1_I2C0_SDA  | S140                          | I2C_LCK_DAT   | I2C_<br>LCD_DAT       | I2C data – to<br>read LCD display<br>EDID EEPROMs |

### ***2.1.7. HDMI Interface***

High-Definition Multimedia Interface (*HDMI*) is a licensable compact audio/video connector interface for transmitting uncompressed digital streams. *HDMI* encodes the video data into *TMDS* for digital transmission and is backward-compatible with the single-link Digital Visual Interface (*DVI*) carrying digital video. *i.MX8 HDMI* Video quality can reach full 4K UltraHD resolution and HDR (Dolby Vision, HDR10, and HLG).

The *SMARC-iMX8* provides *HDMI* connection directly from the *NXP® i.MX8QM* processor. Video data is provided through three differential *TMDS* data pairs (*HDMI\_D0±* to *HDMI\_D2±*) and one differential clock pair (*HDMI\_CLK±*). In addition, the *SMARC-iMX8* includes one standard *I2C* interface (*HDMI\_CTRL\_SDA* and *HDMI\_CTRL\_SCL*) for configuring and testing the *HDMI 3D Tx PHY* and a pin (*HDMI\_HPD*) for *HDMI* hot plug detection support.

The following figure shows the *HDMI* block diagram.



**Figure 3 SMARC-iMX8 HDMI Diagram**

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU                  |      |                                    | SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br>Golden Finger |                            | Note                                             |
|----------------------------------|------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Ball                             | Mode | Pin Name                           | Pin#                             | Net Names                  |                                                  |
| <b>HDMI</b>                      |      |                                    |                                  |                            |                                                  |
| BM4                              | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DATA0_<br>EDP2_N          | P99                              | HDMI_D0-                   | TMDS / HDMI data<br>differential pair 0          |
| BL5                              | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DATA0_<br>EDP2_P          | P98                              | HDMI_D0+                   |                                                  |
| BM6                              | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DATA1_<br>EDP1_N          | P96                              | HDMI_D1-                   | TMDS / HDMI data<br>differential pair 1          |
| BL7                              | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DATA1_<br>EDP1_P          | P95                              | HDMI_D1+                   |                                                  |
| BM8                              | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DATA2_<br>EDP0_N          | P93                              | HDMI_D2-                   | TMDS / HDMI data<br>differential pair 2          |
| BL9                              | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DATA2_<br>EDP0_P          | P92                              | HDMI_D2+                   |                                                  |
| BK2                              | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_CLK_<br>EDP3_N            | P102                             | HDMI_CK-                   | HDMI differential<br>clock output pair           |
| BL3                              | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_CLK_<br>EDP3_P            | P101                             | HDMI_CK+                   |                                                  |
| BH8                              | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_HPD                       | P104                             | HDMI_HPD                   | HDMI Hot Plug<br>Detect input                    |
| <b>I2C Dedicate for HDMI/DP1</b> |      |                                    |                                  |                            |                                                  |
| BN5/<br>BG3                      | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DDC_SDA/<br>HDMI_TX0_AUX- | P106                             | HDMI_CTRL_DAT/<br>DP1_AUX- | I2C Data/<br>DP AUX Channel<br>(- part of pair)  |
| BG1/<br>BH2                      | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DDC_SCL/<br>HDMI_TX0_AUX+ | P105                             | HDMI_CTRL_CLK/<br>DP1_AUX+ | I2C Clock/<br>DP AUX Channel<br>(+ part of pair) |

### 2.1.7.1 HDMI Signals

The table below shows the HDMI related signals.

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i>           | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i>  | <i>Description</i>                         |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| <i>HDMI_D[0:2]+</i><br><i>HDMI_D[0:2]-</i>    | <i>Output</i>              | <i>TDMS</i>                | <i>TMDS / HDMI data differential pairs</i> |
| <i>HDMI_CK+</i><br><i>HDMI_CK-</i>            | <i>Output</i>              | <i>TDMS</i>                | <i>HDMI differential clock output pair</i> |
| <i>HDMI_HPD</i>                               | <i>Input</i>               | <i>CMOS</i><br><i>1.8V</i> | <i>HDMI Hot Plug Detect input</i>          |
| <i>HDMI_CTRL_DAT</i>                          | <i>Bi-Dir</i><br><i>OD</i> | <i>CMOS</i><br><i>1.8V</i> | <i>I2C data line dedicated to HDMI</i>     |
| <i>HDMI_CTRL_CK</i>                           | <i>Bi-Dir</i><br><i>OD</i> | <i>CMOS</i><br><i>1.8V</i> | <i>I2C clock line dedicated to HDMI</i>    |

HDMI displays uses 5V I2C signaling. The Module *HDMI\_CTRL\_DAT* and *HDMI\_CTRL\_CK* signals are level translated on the Carrier from the Module 1.8V level. A similar consideration applies to the *HDMI\_HPD* signal. There are a number of single chip devices on the market that perform ESD protection and control signal level shifting for HDMI interfaces. The Texas Instruments *TPD12S016* is one such device.

### 2.1.7.2 DP++ Operation Over SMARC HDMI Pins

The *SMARC-iMX8* HDMI pins could alternatively be used for *DisplayPort++* (DP++) operation. Dual Mode (HDMI and *DisplayPort* on the same pins) implementations could be realized. This is desirable for SOCs that natively implement this capability. The *HDMI\_CTRL\_DAT* and *HDMI\_CTRL\_CK* lines are DC coupled, but the *DP\_AUX+* /- pair must be AC coupled. A set of FET switches is used on *SMARC-iMX8* to sort this out. The FET gates are controlled by the *AUX\_SEL* pin function.

The table below shows the *AUX\_SEL* signals.

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |              | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |             | Net Names   | Note                                                                                                                                                                           |
|-----------------|------|--------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name     | Pin#                          | Pin Name    |             |                                                                                                                                                                                |
| BH8             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_HPD | P107                          | DP1_AUX_SEL | DP1_AUX_SEL | Pulled to GND on Carrier for DP operation in Dual Mode (DP++) implementations . Driven to 1.8V on Carrier for HDMI operation. Terminated on Module through 1M resistor to GND. |

### 2.1.7.3 Display Port Signals

The table below shows the Display Port related signals.

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Coupling<br/>Tolerance</i>    | <i>Description</i>                                                                                                                                                                   |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>DP1_LANE[0:3]+</i>                         | <i>Output</i>    | <i>AC Coupled<br/>off module</i> | <i>DP Data Pair [0:3] positive</i>                                                                                                                                                   |
| <i>DP1_LANE[0:3]-</i>                         | <i>Output</i>    | <i>AC Coupled<br/>off module</i> | <i>DP Data Pair [0:3] negative</i>                                                                                                                                                   |
| <i>DP1_HPD</i>                                | <i>Input</i>     | <i>DC coupled<br/>CMOS 1.8V</i>  | <i>DP Hot Plug Detect input</i>                                                                                                                                                      |
| <i>DP1_AUX-</i>                               | <i>Bi-Dir</i>    | <i>AC Coupled<br/>on module</i>  | <i>DP AUX Channel (- part of pair)</i>                                                                                                                                               |
| <i>DP1_AUX+</i>                               | <i>Bi-Dir</i>    | <i>AC Coupled<br/>on module</i>  | <i>DP AUX Channel (+ part of pair)</i>                                                                                                                                               |
| <i>DP1_AUX_SEL</i>                            | <i>Input</i>     | <i>DC coupled<br/>CMOS 1.8V</i>  | <i>Pulled to GND on Carrier for DP operation in Dual Mode (DP++) implementations. Driven to 1.8V on Carrier for HDMI operation. Terminated on Module through 1M resistor to GND.</i> |

## 2.1.8 USB Interface

The *Embedian SMARC-iMX8* module supports five *USB 2.0* ports (*USB 0:4*) and one *USB 3.0* ports (*USB2\_SS*). The *USB 2.0* and *USB 3.0* IP in *i.MX8QM* processor are independent. A Microchip *USB2514* is used to expand four *USB 2.0* ports from *i.MX8* *USB 2.0* Host Port. Per the *SMARC* specification, the module supports a *USB “On-The-Go” (OTG)* port capable of functioning either as a client or host device, on the *SMARC USB0* port.

The following figure shows the *USB 0:4 (USB2.0)* and *USB2\_SS (USB3.0)* block diagram.

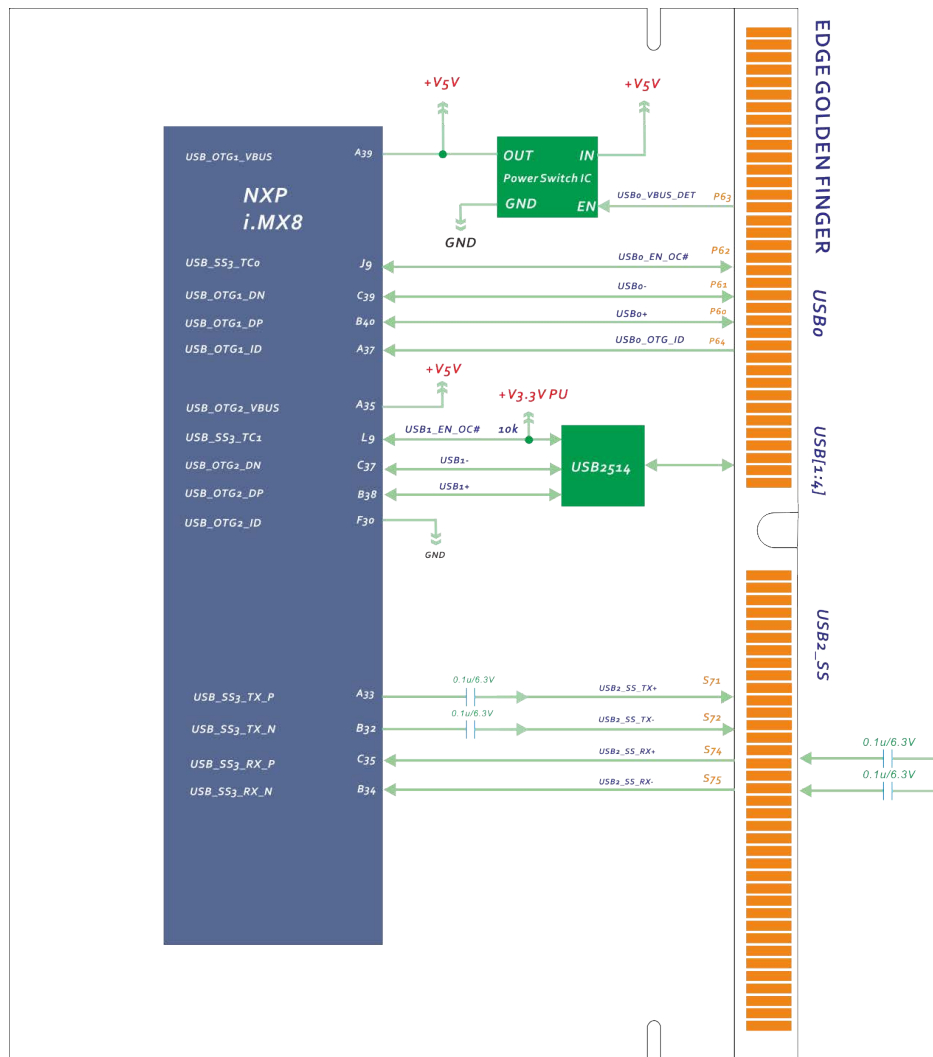


Figure 4 USB Block Diagram

USB interface signals are exposed on the *SMARC-iMX8* edge connector as shown below:

| <i>NXP i.MX8QM CPU</i>         |             |                                                     | <i>SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br/>Golden Finger</i> |                           | <i>Net Names</i>          | <i>Note</i>                                                           |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>Ball</i>                    | <i>Mode</i> | <i>Pin Name</i>                                     | <i>Pin#</i>                              | <i>Pin Name</i>           |                           |                                                                       |
| <i>USB0 Port (USB 2.0 OTG)</i> |             |                                                     |                                          |                           |                           |                                                                       |
| <i>B40</i>                     |             | <i>USB_OTG1_DP</i>                                  | <i>P60</i>                               | <i>USB0+</i>              | <i>USB0+</i>              | <i>USB0 data pair</i>                                                 |
| <i>C39</i>                     |             | <i>USB_OTG1_DN</i>                                  | <i>P61</i>                               | <i>USB0-</i>              | <i>USB0-</i>              |                                                                       |
| <i>J9</i>                      | <i>ALT3</i> | <i>USB_SS3_TC0__<br/>LSIO_GPIO4_IO03</i>            | <i>P62</i>                               | <i>USB0_EN_OC#</i>        | <i>USB0_EN_OC#</i>        | <i>USB0 power enable/over current indication signal</i>               |
| <i>A39</i>                     |             | <i>USB_OTG1_VBUS<br/>(Turn on<br/>USB_OTG_VBUS)</i> | <i>P63</i>                               | <i>USB0_VBUS_<br/>DET</i> | <i>USB0_VBUS_<br/>DET</i> | <i>USB0 host power detection, when this port is used as a device.</i> |
| <i>A37</i>                     |             | <i>USB_OTG1_ID</i>                                  | <i>P64</i>                               | <i>USB0_OTG_ID</i>        | <i>USB0_OTG_ID</i>        | <i>USB0 OTG ID input, active high</i>                                 |

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU              |      |                                   | SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br>Golden Finger |             | Net Names   | Note                                                         |
|------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball                         | Mode | Pin Name                          | Pin#                             | Pin Name    |             |                                                              |
| USB[1:4] Port (USB 2.0 Host) |      |                                   |                                  |             |             |                                                              |
|                              |      |                                   | P65                              | USB1+       | USB1+       | USB_DN3 of<br>USB2514                                        |
|                              |      |                                   | P66                              | USB1-       | USB1-       |                                                              |
| L9                           | ALT3 | USB_SS3_TC1___<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO04 |                                  |             | VBUS_DET#   | USB2514 HUB<br>VBUS Detect                                   |
|                              |      |                                   | P69                              | USB2+       | USB2+       | USB_DN1 of<br>USB2514                                        |
|                              |      |                                   | P70                              | USB2-       | USB2-       |                                                              |
|                              |      |                                   | S68                              | USB3+       | USB3+       | USB_DN2 of<br>USB2514                                        |
|                              |      |                                   | S69                              | USB3-       | USB3-       |                                                              |
|                              |      |                                   | S35                              | USB4+       |             | USB_DN4 of<br>USB2514                                        |
|                              |      |                                   | S36                              | USB4-       |             |                                                              |
| From USB2514                 |      |                                   | P76                              | USB4_EN_OC# | USB2_EN_OC# | USB4 power<br>enable/over<br>current<br>indication<br>signal |

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU             |      |              | SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br>Golden Finger |             | Net Names   | Note                                                         |
|-----------------------------|------|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball                        | Mode | Pin Name     | Pin#                             | Pin Name    |             |                                                              |
| USB2_SS Port (USB 3.0 Host) |      |              |                                  |             |             |                                                              |
| A33                         |      | USB_SS3_TX_P | S71                              | USB2_SSTX+  | USB2_SSTX+  | USB2 transmit<br>signal<br>differential pair<br>positive     |
| B32                         |      | USB_SS3_TX_N | S72                              | USB2_SSTX-  | USB2_SSTX-  | USB2 transmit<br>signal<br>differential pair<br>negative     |
| A12                         |      | USB_SS3_RX_P | S74                              | USB2_SSRX+  | USB2_SSRX+  | USB2 receive<br>signal<br>differential pair<br>positive      |
| B12                         |      | USB_SS3_RX_N | S75                              | USB2_SSRX-  | USB2_SSRX-  | USB2 receive<br>signal<br>differential pair<br>negative      |
| From USB2514                |      |              | P71                              | USB2_EN_OC# | USB2_EN_OC# | USB2 power<br>enable/over<br>current<br>indication<br>signal |

**Note:**

1. *USB0 OTG* role switch in *i.MX8* is implemented via *Vbus* switch from software driver. The *USB0\_VBUS\_DET (P63)* and *USB0\_OTG\_ID (P64)* pins defined in *SMARC 2.0* specification are not used.
2. If using *USB Type-C* connector, a *PTN5110* cc logic needs to be added in your carrier board. Please refer to *i.MX8 MEK* evaluation board. The *USB Type-C* specification describes how the *USB* device uses pull-down/pull-up resistors on configuration channel pins to signify that it is a device or host.
3. If implementing *USB 3.0* function, *USB 2.0* signal lines need to be routed to *USB 3.0* connector to make it downward compatible.

### 2.1.8.1 USB Signals

The table below shows the USB related signals.

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| USB[0:4]+<br>USB[0:4]-                        | Bi-Dir           | USB                       | Differential US 2.0 Data Pair                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| USB[0:4]_EN_OC#                               | Bi-Dir<br>OD     | CMOS<br>3.3V              | Pulled low by Module OD driver to disable USB0 power.<br><br>Pulled low by Carrier OD driver to indicate over-current situation.<br><br>A 10k pull-up is present on the Module to a 3.3V rail. The pull-up rail may be switched off to conserve power if the USB port is not in use. Further details may be found in Section 2.1.8.2 USBx_EN_OC# Discussion below. |
| USB0_VBUS_DET<br>USB1_VBUS_DET                | Input            | USB VBUS 5V               | USB host power detection, when this port is used as a device.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| USB0_OTG_ID                                   | Input            | CMOS<br>3.3V              | USB OTG ID input, active high.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| USB2_SSRX-<br>USB2_SSRX+                      | Input            | USB SS                    | Receive signal differential pairs for SuperSpeed USB data Coupling caps for RX pairs are <b>off-Module (on Carrier Board)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| USB2_SSTX-<br>USB2_SSTX+                      | Output           | USBSS                     | Transmit signal differential pairs for SuperSpeed USB data Coupling caps for RX pairs are <b>on-Module</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

### **2.1.8.2 USB[0:4]\_EN\_OC# Discussion**

The Module *USB[0:4]\_EN\_OC#* pins are multi-function Module pins, with a 10k pull-up to a 3.3V rail on the Module, an OD driver on the Module, and, if the OC# (over-current) monitoring function is implemented on the Carrier, an OD driver on the Carrier. The use is as follows:

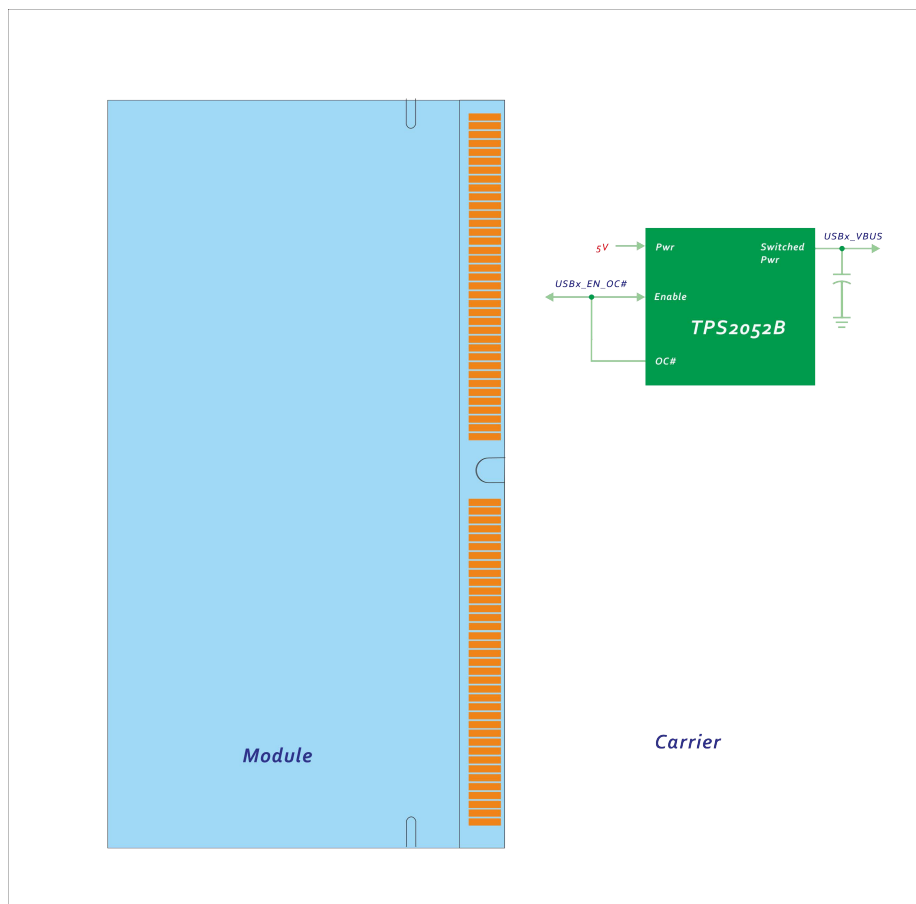
- 1) On the Carrier board, for external plug-in *USB* peripherals (*USB* memory sticks, cameras, keyboards, mice, etc.) *USB* power distribution is typically handled by *USB* power switches such as the Texas Instruments *TPS2052B* or the *Micrel MIC2026-1* or similar devices. The Carrier implementation is more straightforward if the Carrier *USB* power switches have active-high power enables and active low open drain *OC#* outputs (as the *TI* and *Micrel* devices referenced do). The *USB* power switch Enable and *OC#* pins for a given *USB* channel are tied together on the Carrier. The *USB* power switch enable pin must function with a low input current. The *TI* and *Micrel* devices referenced above require 1 microampere or less, at a 3.3V enable voltage level.
- 2) The Module drives *USB[0:4]\_EN\_OC#* low to disable the power delivery to the *USBx* device.
- 3) The Module floats *USB[0:4]\_EN\_OC#* to enable power delivery. The line is pulled to 3.3V by the Module pull-up, enabling the Carrier board *USB* power switch.
- 4) If there is a *USB* over-current condition, the Carrier board *USB* power switch drives the *USB[0:4]\_EN\_OC#* line low. This removes the over-current condition (by disabling the *USB* switch enable input), and allows Module software to detect the over-current condition.
- 5) The Module software should look for a falling edge interrupt on *USB[0:4]\_EN\_OC#*, while the port is enabled, to detect the *OC#* condition. The *OC#* condition will not last long, as the *USB* power switch is disabled when the switch IC detects the *OC#* condition.
- 6) If the *USB* power to the port is disabled (*USB[0:4]\_EN\_OC#* is driven low by the Module) then the Module software is aware that the port is disabled, and the low input value on the port does not indicate an over-current condition (because the port power is disabled).

Carrier Board *USB* peripherals that are not removable often do not make use of *USB* power switches with current limiting and over-current detection. It is usually deemed un-necessary for non-removable devices. In these cases, the

$USB[0:4]_{EN\_OC\#}$  pins may be left unused, or they may be used as  $USB[0:4]$  power enables, without making use of the over-current detect Module input feature.

The *SMARC-iMX8* Module *USB* power enable and over current indication logic implementation is shown in the following block diagram. There are 10k pull-up resistors on the Module on the *SMARC USB[0:4]\_EN\_OC#* lines. Outputs driving the  $USBx_{EN\_OC\#}$  lines are open-drain. The Carrier board *USB* power switch, if present, is enabled by  $USB[0:4]_{EN\_OC\#}$  after a device connection is detected on the *DP/DM* lines.

The Enable pin on the Carrier board *USB* power switch must be active high and the Over-Current pin ( $OC\#$ ) must be open drain, active low (these are commonly available). No pull-up is required on the *USB* power switch Enable or  $OC\#$  line on carrier board; they are tied together on the Carrier and fed to the Module  $USB[0:4]_{EN\_OC\#}$  pin.



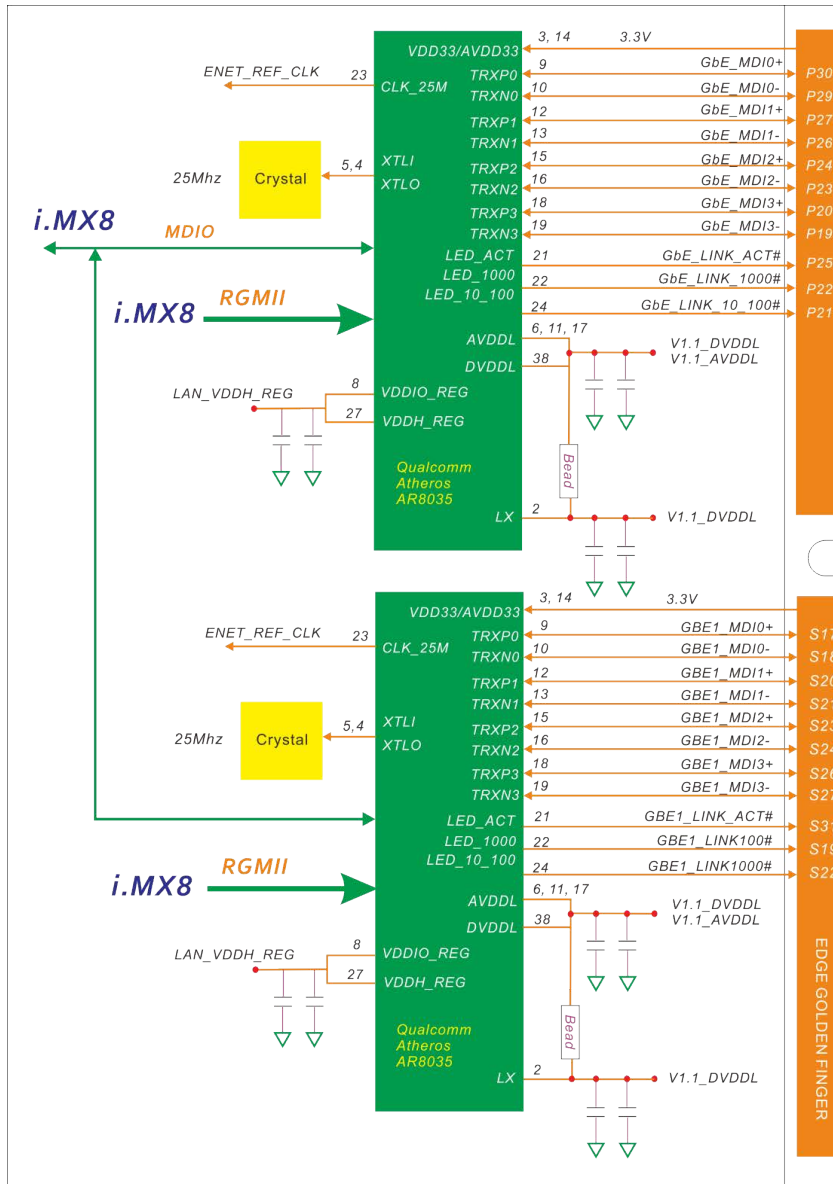
**Figure 5 USB Power Distribution Implementation on Carrier**

### ***2.1.9. Gigabit Ethernet Controller (10/100/1000Mbps) Interface***

The *SMARC-iMX8* module supports two Gigabit Ethernet (10/100/1000Mbps) interfaces. The Gigabit Ethernet controller interfaces are accomplished by using the low-power Qualcomm Atheros AR8035 physical layer (PHY) transceiver with variable I/O voltage that is compliant with the *IEEE 802.3-2005* standards. The *AR8035* supports communication with an Ethernet MAC via a standard *RGMII* interface.

The Ethernet interface consists of 4 pairs of low voltage differential pair signals designated from *GBE0(1)\_MDIO±* to *GBE0(1)\_MDI3±* plus control signals for link activity indicators. These signals can be used to connect to a 10/100/1000 BaseT RJ45 connector with integrated or external isolation magnetics on the carrier board.

This is diagrammed below.



**Figure 6 Gigabit Ethernet Connection from i.MX8 to Qualcomm Atheros AR8035**

### 2.1.9.1. Path of Gigabit LAN1

i.MX8 processor and the first Qualcomm Atheros AR8035 implementation is shown in the following table:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU     |      |                                                     | Qualcomm AR8035 |          | Net Names    | Note                                                                                                         |
|---------------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball                | Mode | Pin Name                                            | Pin#            | Pin Name |              |                                                                                                              |
| <b>Gigabit LAN1</b> |      |                                                     |                 |          |              |                                                                                                              |
| D10                 | ALT0 | ENET0_MDIO__<br>CONN_ENET_MDIO                      | 39              | MDIO     | ENET_MDIO    | Serial Management Interface data input/output                                                                |
| A9                  | ALT0 | ENET0_MDC__<br>CONN_ENET_MDC                        | 40              | MDC      | ENET_MDC     | Serial Management Interface clock                                                                            |
| A47                 | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_RXD0__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_RXD0     | 29              | RXD0     | RMII_RD0     | Bit 0 of the 4 data bits that are sent by the transceiver on the receive path.                               |
| D44                 | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_RXD1__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_RXD1     | 28              | RXD1     | RMII_RD1     | Bit 1 of the 4 data bits that are sent by the transceiver on the receive path.                               |
| C45                 | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_RXD2__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_RXD2     | 26              | RXD2     | RMII1_RD2    | Bit 2 of the 4 data bits that are sent by the transceiver on the receive path.                               |
| E45                 | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_RXD3__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_RXD3     | 25              | RXD3     | RGMII_RD3    | Bit 3 of the 4 data bits that are sent by the transceiver on the receive path.                               |
| B44                 | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_RXC__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_RXC       | 31              | RX_CLK   | RGMII_RXC    | Reference clock                                                                                              |
| E43                 | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_RX_CTL__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_RX_CTL | 30              | RX_DV    | RGMII_RX_CTL | Indicates both the receive data valid (RXDV) and receive error (RXER) functions per the RGMII specification. |

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                                     | Qualcomm AR8035 |          | Net Names    | Note                                                                                                               |
|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                                            | Pin#            | Pin Name |              |                                                                                                                    |
| Gigabit LAN1    |      |                                                     |                 |          |              |                                                                                                                    |
| E41             | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_TX_CTL__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_TX_CTL | 32              | TX_EN    | RGMII_TX_CTL | Indicates that valid transmission data is present on TXD[3:0].                                                     |
| A43             | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_TXD0__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_TXD0     | 34              | TXD0     | RGMII_TD0    | The MAC transmits data to the transceiver using this signal.                                                       |
| B42             | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_TXD1__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_TXD1     | 35              | TXD1     | RGMII_TD1    | The MAC transmits data to the transceiver using this signal.                                                       |
| A45             | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_TXD2__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_TXD2     | 36              | TXD2     | RGMII_TD2    | The MAC transmits data to the transceiver using this signal.                                                       |
| D42             | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_TXD3__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_TXD3     | 37              | TXD3     | RGMII_TD3    | The MAC transmits data to the transceiver using this signal.                                                       |
| A41             | ALT0 | ENET0_RGMII_TXC__<br>CONN_ENET0_<br>RGMII_TXC       | 33              | GTX_CLK  | RGMII_TXC    | Used to latch data from the MAC into the PHY.<br>1000BASE-T:<br>125MHz<br>100BASE-TX:<br>25MHz<br>10BASE-T: 2.5MHz |
| D12             | ALT3 | QSPI1A_DATA0__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO26                   |                 |          |              | LAN1 interrupt pin                                                                                                 |
| BD32            | ALT3 | LVDS1_I2C1_SCL__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO14                 |                 |          |              | IEEE 1588 Trigger Signal. For hardware implementation of PTP (precision time protocol).                            |

The path from AR8035 to the golden finger edge connector is show in the following table.

| <b>Qualcomm<br/>AR8035</b> |                 | <b>Golden Finger Edge<br/>Connector</b> |                 | <b>Net Names</b> | <b>Note</b>                                            |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Pin</b>                 | <b>Pin Name</b> | <b>Pin#</b>                             | <b>Pin Name</b> |                  |                                                        |
| <b>AR8035 PHY1</b>         |                 |                                         |                 |                  |                                                        |
| 9                          | TRXP0           | P30                                     | GbE_MDI0+       | GBE_MDI0+        | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 0 |
| 10                         | TRXN0           | P29                                     | GbE_MDI0-       | GBE_MDI0-        | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 0 |
|                            |                 | P28                                     | GbE_CTREF       | GBE_CTREF        | Center tap<br>reference voltage                        |
| 12                         | TRXP1           | P27                                     | GbE_MDI1+       | GBE_MDI1+        | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 1 |
| 13                         | TRXN1           | P26                                     | GbE_MDI1-       | GBE_MDI1-        | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 1 |
| 15                         | TRXP2           | P24                                     | GbE_MDI2+       | GBE_MDI2+        | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 2 |
| 16                         | TRXN2           | P23                                     | GbE_MDI2-       | GBE_MDI2-        | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 2 |
| 18                         | TRXP3           | P20                                     | GbE_MDI3+       | GBE_MDI3+        | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 3 |
| 19                         | TRXN3           | P19                                     | GbE_MDI3-       | GBE_MDI3-        | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 3 |

| Qualcomm<br>AR8035 |            | Golden Finger Edge<br>Connector |               | Net Names     | Note                                                                                                                                                                           |
|--------------------|------------|---------------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin                | Pin Name   | Pin#                            | Pin Name      |               |                                                                                                                                                                                |
| AR8035 PHY1        |            |                                 |               |               |                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 21                 | LED_ACT    | P25                             | GbE_LINK_ACT# | GBE_LINK_ACT# | <p>Link / Activity Indication LED</p> <p>Driven low on Link (10, 100 or 1000 mbps)</p> <p>Blinks on Activity</p> <p>Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current</p> |
| 24                 | LED_10_100 | P21                             | GbE_LINK100#  | GBE_LINK100#  | <p>Link Speed Indication LED for 100Mbps</p> <p>Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current</p>                                                                     |
| 22                 | LED_1000   | P22                             | GbE_LINK1000# | GBE_LINK1000# | <p>Link Speed Indication LED for 1000Mbps</p> <p>Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current</p>                                                                    |

### 2.1.9.2. Path of Gigabit LAN2

i.MX8QM processor and the second Qualcomm Atheros AR8035 implementation is shown in the following table:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                                     | Qualcomm AR8035 |          | Net Names     | Note                                                                                                         |
|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                                            | Pin#            | Pin Name |               |                                                                                                              |
| Gigabit LAN 2   |      |                                                     |                 |          |               |                                                                                                              |
| D10             | ALT0 | ENET0_MDIO__<br>CONN_ENET_MDIO                      | 39              | MDIO     | ENET_MDIO     | Serial Management Interface data input/output                                                                |
| A9              | ALT0 | ENET0_MDC__<br>CONN_ENET_MDC                        | 40              | MDC      | ENET_MDC      | Serial Management Interface clock                                                                            |
| E51             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_RXD0__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_RXD0     | 29              | RXD0     | RGMII2_RD0    | Bit 0 of the 4 data bits that are sent by the transceiver on the receive path.                               |
| C51             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_RXD1__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_RXD1     | 28              | RXD1     | RGMII2_RD1    | Bit 1 of the 4 data bits that are sent by the transceiver on the receive path.                               |
| D52             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_RXD2__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_RXD2     | 26              | RXD2     | RGMII2_RD2    | Bit 2 of the 4 data bits that are sent by the transceiver on the receive path.                               |
| E53             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_RXD3__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_RXD3     | 25              | RXD3     | RGMII2_RD3    | Bit 3 of the 4 data bits that are sent by the transceiver on the receive path.                               |
| B50             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_RXC__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_RXC       | 31              | RX_CLK   | RGMII2_RXC    | Reference clock                                                                                              |
| E49             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_RX_CTL__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_RX_CTL | 30              | RX_DV    | RGMII2_RX_CTL | Indicates both the receive data valid (RXDV) and receive error (RXER) functions per the RGMII specification. |

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                                     | Qualcomm AR8035 |          | Net Names         | Note                                                                                                               |
|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                                            | Pin#            | Pin Name |                   |                                                                                                                    |
| Gigabit LAN 2   |      |                                                     |                 |          |                   |                                                                                                                    |
| B48             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_TX_CTL__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_RX_CTL | 32              | TX_EN    | RGMII2_TX_C<br>TL | Indicates that valid transmission data is present on TXD[3:0].                                                     |
| A49             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_TXD0__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_TXD0     | 34              | TXD0     | RGMII2_TD0        | The MAC transmits data to the transceiver using this signal.                                                       |
| C47             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_TXD1__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_TXD1     | 35              | TXD1     | RGMII2_TD1        | The MAC transmits data to the transceiver using this signal.                                                       |
| G47             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_TXD2__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_TXD2     | 36              | TXD2     | RGMII2_TD2        | The MAC transmits data to the transceiver using this signal.                                                       |
| D48             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_TXD3__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_TXD3     | 37              | TXD3     | RGMII2_TD3        | The MAC transmits data to the transceiver using this signal.                                                       |
| D46             | ALT0 | ENET1_RGMII_TXC__<br>CONN_ENET1_<br>RGMII_TXC       | 33              | GTX_CLK  | RGMII2_TXC        | Used to latch data from the MAC into the PHY.<br>1000BASE-T:<br>125MHz<br>100BASE-TX:<br>25MHz<br>10BASE-T: 2.5MHz |
| D14             |      | QSPI1A_DATA1__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO25                   |                 |          |                   | LAN2 interrupt pin                                                                                                 |
| BN35            | ALT3 | LVDS1_I2C1_SDA__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO15                 |                 |          |                   | IEEE 1588 Trigger Signal. For hardware implementation of PTP (precision time protocol).                            |

The path from the second AR8035 to the golden finger edge connector is show in the following table.

| <b>Qualcomm<br/>AR8035</b> |                 | <b>Golden Finger Edge<br/>Connector</b> |                 | <b>Net Names</b> | <b>Note</b>                                            |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>Pin</i>                 | <i>Pin Name</i> | <i>Pin#</i>                             | <i>Pin Name</i> |                  |                                                        |
| <b>AR8035 PHY 2</b>        |                 |                                         |                 |                  |                                                        |
| 9                          | TRXP0           | S17                                     | GBE1_MDI0+      | GBE1_MDI0+       | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 0 |
| 10                         | TRXN0           | S18                                     | GBE1_MDI0-      | GBE1_MDI0-       | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 0 |
|                            |                 | S28                                     | GBE1_CTREF      | GBE1_CTREF       | Center tap<br>reference voltage                        |
| 12                         | TRXP1           | S20                                     | GBE1_MDI1+      | GBE1_MDI1+       | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 1 |
| 13                         | TRXN1           | S21                                     | GBE1_MDI1-      | GBE1_MDI1-       | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 1 |
| 15                         | TRXP2           | S23                                     | GBE1_MDI2+      | GBE1_MDI2+       | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 2 |
| 16                         | TRXN2           | S24                                     | GBE1_MDI2-      | GBE1_MDI2-       | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 2 |
| 18                         | TRXP3           | S26                                     | GBE1_MDI3+      | GBE1_MDI3+       | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 3 |
| 19                         | TRXN3           | S27                                     | GBE1_MDI3-      | GBE1_MDI3-       | Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 3 |

| Qualcomm<br>AR8035 |            | Golden Finger Edge<br>Connector |                | Net Names      | Note                                                                                                                                                                           |
|--------------------|------------|---------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin                | Pin Name   | Pin#                            | Pin Name       |                |                                                                                                                                                                                |
| AR8035 PHY 2       |            |                                 |                |                |                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 21                 | LED_ACT    | S31                             | GBE1_LINK_ACT# | GBE1_LINK_ACT# | <p>Link / Activity Indication LED</p> <p>Driven low on Link (10, 100 or 1000 mbps)</p> <p>Blinks on Activity</p> <p>Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current</p> |
| 24                 | LED_10_100 | S19                             | GBE1_LINK100#  | GBE1_LINK100#  | <p>Link Speed Indication LED for 100Mbps</p> <p>Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current</p>                                                                     |
| 22                 | LED_1000   | S22                             | GBE1_LINK1000# | GBE1_LINK1000# | <p>Link Speed Indication LED for 1000Mbps</p> <p>Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current</p>                                                                    |

### 2.1.9.3. Gigabit LAN Signals

The table below shows the Gigabit LAN related signals.

| <i>Edge Golden FINDER<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                                                                                                                |
|-------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| GBE0(1)_MDI0+<br>GBE0(1)_MDI0-            | Bi-Dir           | GBE_MDI                   | Bi-directional transmit/receive pair 0 to magnetics (Media Dependent Interface)                                                   |
| GBE0(1)_MDI1+<br>GBE0(1)_MDI1-            | Bi-Dir           | GBE_MDI                   | Bi-directional transmit/receive pair 1 to magnetics (Media Dependent Interface)                                                   |
| GBE0(1)_MDI2+<br>GBE0(1)_MDI2-            | Bi-Dir           | GBE_MDI                   | Bi-directional transmit/receive pair 2 to magnetics (Media Dependent Interface)                                                   |
| GBE0(1)_MDI3+<br>GBE0(1)_MDI3-            | Bi-Dir           | GBE_MDI                   | Bi-directional transmit/receive pair 3 to magnetics (Media Dependent Interface)                                                   |
| GBE0(1)_100#                              | Output           | CMOS                      | Link Speed Indication LED for 100Mbps                                                                                             |
|                                           | OD               | 3.3V                      | Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current                                                                            |
| GBE0(1)_1000#                             | Output           | CMOS                      | Link Speed Indication LED for 1000Mbps                                                                                            |
|                                           | OD               | 3.3V                      | Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current                                                                            |
| GBE0(1)_LINK_ACK#                         | Output           | CMOS                      | Link / Activity Indication LED                                                                                                    |
|                                           | OD               | 3.3V                      | Driven low on Link (10, 100 or 1000 mbps)<br><br>Blinks on Activity<br><br>Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current |
| GBE0(1)_CTREF                             | Output           | Reference Voltage         | Center-Tap reference voltage for GBE0 Carrier board Ethernet magnetic (not required by the Module GBE PHY)                        |

#### **2.1.9.4. Suggested Magnetics**

Listed below are suggested magnetics.

For normal temperature (0°C ~70°C) products.

| <i>Vendor</i> | <i>P/N</i>           | <i>Package</i>         | <i>Cores</i> | <i>Temp</i>       | <i>Configuration</i> |
|---------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Halo</i>   | <i>HFJ11-1G02E</i>   | <i>Integrated RJ45</i> | <i>8</i>     | <i>0°C~70°C</i>   | <i>HP Auto-MDIX</i>  |
| <i>UDE</i>    | <i>RB1-BA6BT9WA</i>  | <i>Integrated RJ45</i> | <i>8</i>     | <i>-40°C~85°C</i> | <i>HP Auto-MDIX</i>  |
| <i>Halo</i>   | <i>TG1G-S002NZRL</i> | <i>24-pin SOIC-W</i>   | <i>8</i>     | <i>0°C~70°C</i>   | <i>HP Auto-MDIX</i>  |

For industrial temperature (-40°C ~85°C) products.

| <i>Vendor</i> | <i>P/N</i>           | <i>Package</i>         | <i>Cores</i> | <i>Temp</i>       | <i>Configuration</i> |
|---------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| <i>UDE</i>    | <i>RB1-BA6BT9WA</i>  | <i>Integrated RJ45</i> | <i>8</i>     | <i>-40°C~85°C</i> | <i>HP Auto-MDIX</i>  |
| <i>Halo</i>   | <i>TG1G-E012NZRL</i> | <i>24-pin SOIC-W</i>   | <i>8</i>     | <i>-40°C~85°C</i> | <i>HP Auto-MDIX</i>  |

### **2.1.10 eDP Interface**

The *SMARC-iMX8* implements two 4-lane *eDP* output streams that are defined in *SMARC 2.0* edge connector from *i.MX8QM MIPI\_DSI0* and *MIPI\_DSI1* interface.

The *eDP LCD* signals found on the *SMARC-i.MX8* offers two 4-lane channels, with resolutions up to  $1,920 \times 1,200$  @60 fps at 24 bpp. They are generated from *MIPI\_DSI* signals from the *NXP® i.MX8* processor passing through a TI *SN65DSI86 MIPI® DSI* to embedded DisplayPort (*eDP*) bridge. Each *eDP* consists of one aux pair and four data pairs. The *eDP* signals support the flow of *MIPI DSI* data from the *i.MX8* CPU to external display devices through *eDP* interface.

**Note:**

1. The I2C slave address of *MIPI\_DSI0\_I2C0* and *MIPI\_DSI1\_I2C0* to *SN65DSI86* are all 0x2C.

The following figure shows the *eDP LCD* block diagram.

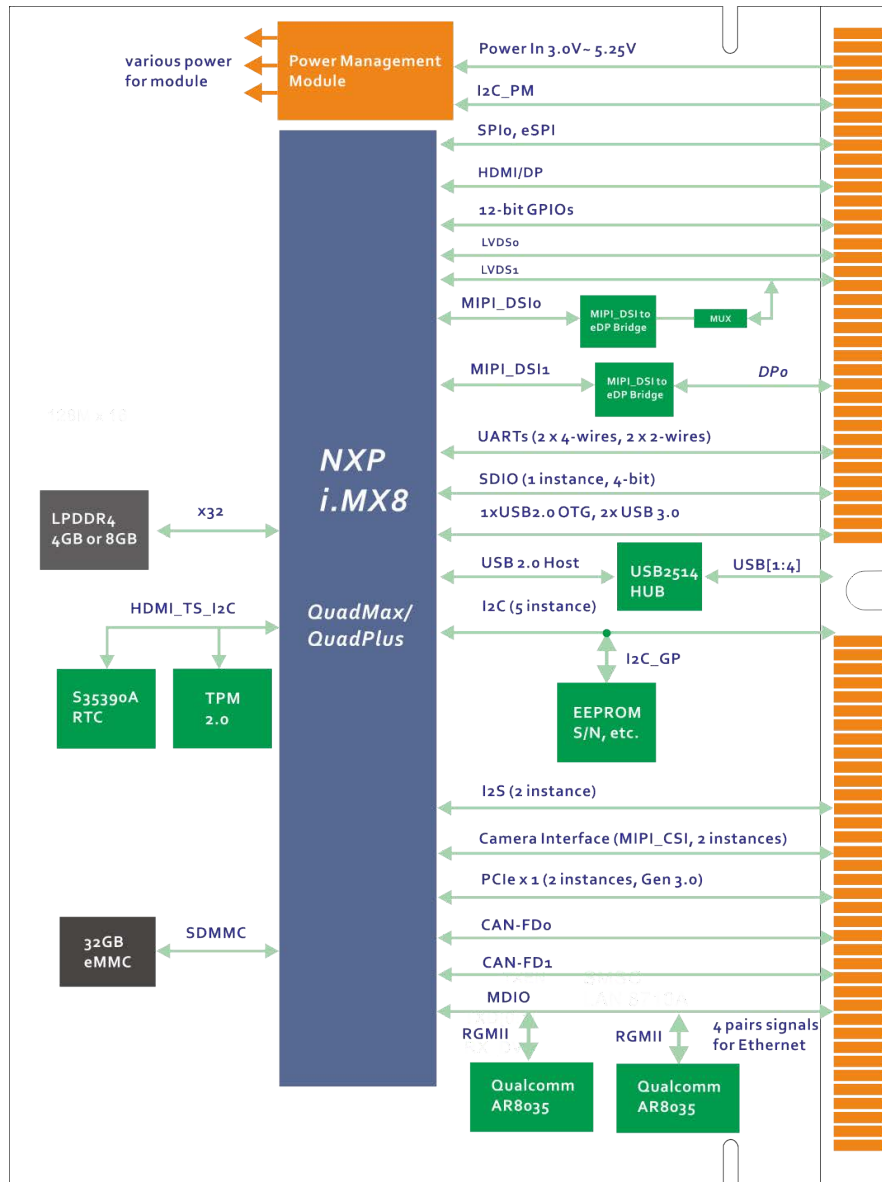


Figure 7 SMARC-iMX8 eDP LCD Diagram

### 2.1.10.1 eDP0 Signals Data Flow

The first eDP interface (eDP0) from i.MX8QM processor to TI SN65DSI86 implementation is shown in the following table:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU                   |      |                                            | TI SN65DSI86 |          | Net Names          | Note |
|-----------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------|--------------|----------|--------------------|------|
| Ball                              | Mode | Pin Name                                   | Pin#         | Pin Name |                    |      |
| BH30                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_CLK_N                            | J5           | DACN     | DPO_AUX-           |      |
| BG31                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_CLK_P                            | H5           | DACP     | DPO_AUX+           |      |
| BH32                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_DATA0_N                          | J3           | DA0N     | DPO_LANE0-         |      |
| BG33                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_DATA0_P                          | H3           | DA0P     | DPO_LANE0+         |      |
| BH28                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_DATA1_N                          | J4           | DA1N     | DPO_LANE1-         |      |
| BG29                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_DATA1_P                          | H4           | DA1P     | DPO_LANE1+         |      |
| BH34                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_DATA2_N                          | J6           | DA2N     | DPO_LANE2-         |      |
| BG35                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_DATA2_P                          | H6           | DA2P     | DPO_LANE2+         |      |
| BH26                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_DATA3_N                          | J7           | DA3N     | DPO_LANE3-         |      |
| BG27                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_DATA3_P                          | H7           | DA3P     | DPO_LANE3+         |      |
| BK24                              | ALT3 | MIPI_DSI1_GPIO0_01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO23    | A3           | IRQ      | DPO_IRQ            |      |
| BM24                              |      | MIPI_DSI1_GPIO0_00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO22    | B1           | EN       | DPO_EN             |      |
| I2C for 1 <sup>st</sup> SN65DSI86 |      |                                            |              |          |                    |      |
| BE27                              | ALT0 | MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SCL__<br>MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SCL | H1           | SCL      | MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SCL |      |
| BG25                              | ALT0 | MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SDA__<br>MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SDA | J1           | SDA      | MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SDA |      |

The path from *TI SN65DSI86* to the golden finger edge connector is show in the following table.

| <i>TI<br/>SN65DSI86</i> |                 | <i>Golden Finger Edge<br/>Connector</i> |                   | <i>Net Names</i>  | <i>Note</i>                            |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------------|
| <i>Pin</i>              | <i>Pin Name</i> | <i>Pin#</i>                             | <i>Pin Name</i>   |                   |                                        |
| <i>SN65DSI86</i>        |                 |                                         |                   |                   |                                        |
| <i>F8</i>               | <i>ML0P</i>     | <i>S93</i>                              | <i>DPO_LANE0+</i> | <i>DPO_LANE0+</i> | <i>eDPO data pair 0</i>                |
| <i>F9</i>               | <i>ML0N</i>     | <i>S94</i>                              | <i>DPO_LANE-</i>  | <i>DPO_LANE-</i>  |                                        |
| <i>E8</i>               | <i>ML1P</i>     | <i>S96</i>                              | <i>DPO_LANE1+</i> | <i>DPO_LANE1+</i> | <i>eDPO data pair 1</i>                |
| <i>E9</i>               | <i>ML1N</i>     | <i>S97</i>                              | <i>DPO_LANE1-</i> | <i>DPO_LANE1-</i> |                                        |
| <i>E8</i>               | <i>ML2P</i>     | <i>S99</i>                              | <i>DPO_LANE2+</i> | <i>DPO_LANE2+</i> | <i>eDPO data pair 2</i>                |
| <i>E9</i>               | <i>ML2N</i>     | <i>S100</i>                             | <i>DPO_LANE2-</i> | <i>DPO_LANE2-</i> |                                        |
| <i>B8</i>               | <i>ML3P</i>     | <i>S102</i>                             | <i>DPO_LANE3+</i> | <i>DPO_LANE3+</i> | <i>eDPO data pair 3</i>                |
| <i>B9</i>               | <i>ML3N</i>     | <i>S103</i>                             | <i>DPO_LANE3-</i> | <i>DPO_LANE3-</i> |                                        |
| <i>H8</i>               | <i>AUXP</i>     | <i>S105</i>                             | <i>DPO_AUX+</i>   | <i>DPO_AUX+</i>   | <i>eDPO auxiliary<br/>channel pair</i> |
| <i>H9</i>               | <i>AUXN</i>     | <i>S106</i>                             | <i>DPO_AUX-</i>   | <i>DPO_AUX-</i>   |                                        |
| <i>J8</i>               | <i>HPD</i>      | <i>S98</i>                              | <i>eDPO_HPD</i>   | <i>eDPO_HPD</i>   | <i>eDPO Hot Plug<br/>Detect pins</i>   |

### 2.1.10.2 eDP1 Signals Data Flow

The 2nd eDP interface (eDP1) from i.MX8QM processor to TI SN65DSI86 implementation is shown in the following table and is shared with 2<sup>nd</sup> LVDS interface:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU       |      |                                            | TI SN65DSI86 |          | Net Names          | Note |
|-----------------------|------|--------------------------------------------|--------------|----------|--------------------|------|
| Ball                  | Mode | Pin Name                                   | Pin#         | Pin Name |                    |      |
| BN27                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_CLK_N                            | J5           | DACN     | DP1_AUX-           |      |
| BL27                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_CLK_P                            | H5           | DACP     | DP1_AUX+           |      |
| BM28                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_DATA0_N                          | J3           | DA0N     | DP1_LANE0-         |      |
| BK28                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_DATA0_P                          | H3           | DA0P     | DP1_LANE0+         |      |
| BM26                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_DATA1_N                          | J4           | DA1N     | DP1_LANE1-         |      |
| BK26                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_DATA1_P                          | H4           | DA1P     | DP1_LANE1+         |      |
| BN29                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_DATA2_N                          | J6           | DA2N     | DP1_LANE2-         |      |
| BL29                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_DATA2_P                          | H6           | DA2P     | DP1_LANE2+         |      |
| BN25                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_DATA3_N                          | J7           | DA3N     | DP1_LANE3-         |      |
| BL25                  |      | MIPI_DSIO_DATA3_P                          | H7           | DA3P     | DP1_LANE3+         |      |
| BD28                  | ALT3 | MIPI_DSIO_GPIO0_01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO19    | A3           | IRQ      | DP1_IRQ            |      |
| BD30                  | ALT3 | MIPI_DSIO_GPIO0_00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO18    | B1           | EN       | DP1_EN             |      |
| I2C for 2nd SN65DSI86 |      |                                            |              |          |                    |      |
| BE29                  | ALT0 | MIPI_DSIO_I2CO_SCL__<br>MIPI_DSIO_I2CO_SCL | H1           | SCL      | MIPI_DSIO_I2CO_SCL |      |
| BE31                  | ALT0 | MIPI_DSIO_I2CO_SDA__<br>MIPI_DSIO_I2CO_SDA | J1           | SDA      | MIPI_DSIO_I2CO_SDA |      |

The path from *TI SN65DSI86* to the golden finger edge connector is show in the following table.

| <i>TI<br/>SN65DSI86</i> |                 | <i>Golden Finger Edge<br/>Connector</i> |                                 | <i>Net Names</i>  | <i>Note</i>                            |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------------|
| <i>Pin</i>              | <i>Pin Name</i> | <i>Pin#</i>                             | <i>Pin Name</i>                 |                   |                                        |
| <i>SN65DSI86</i>        |                 |                                         |                                 |                   |                                        |
| <i>F8</i>               | <i>ML0P</i>     | <i>S111</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_0+/<br/>eDP1_TX0+</i>  | <i>DP1_LANE0+</i> | <i>eDP1 data pair 0</i>                |
| <i>F9</i>               | <i>ML0N</i>     | <i>S112</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_0-/<br/>eDP1_TX0-</i>  | <i>DP1_LANE-</i>  |                                        |
| <i>E8</i>               | <i>ML1P</i>     | <i>S114</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_1+/<br/>eDP1_TX1+</i>  | <i>DP1_LANE1+</i> | <i>eDP1 data pair 1</i>                |
| <i>E9</i>               | <i>ML1N</i>     | <i>S115</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_1-/<br/>eDP1_TX1-</i>  | <i>DP1_LANE1-</i> |                                        |
| <i>E8</i>               | <i>ML2P</i>     | <i>S117</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_2+/<br/>eDP1_TX2+</i>  | <i>DP1_LANE2+</i> | <i>eDP1 data pair 2</i>                |
| <i>E9</i>               | <i>ML2N</i>     | <i>S118</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_2-/<br/>eDP1_TX2-</i>  | <i>DP1_LANE2-</i> |                                        |
| <i>B8</i>               | <i>ML3P</i>     | <i>S120</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_3+/<br/>eDP1_TX3+</i>  | <i>DP1_LANE3+</i> | <i>eDP1 data pair 3</i>                |
| <i>B9</i>               | <i>ML3N</i>     | <i>S121</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_3-/<br/>eDP1_TX3-</i>  | <i>DP1_LANE3-</i> |                                        |
| <i>H8</i>               | <i>AUXP</i>     | <i>S108</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_CK+/<br/>eDP1_AUX+</i> | <i>DP1_AUX+</i>   | <i>eDP1 auxiliary<br/>channel pair</i> |
| <i>H9</i>               | <i>AUXN</i>     | <i>S109</i>                             | <i>LVDS1_CK-/<br/>eDP1_AUX-</i> | <i>DP1_AUX-</i>   |                                        |
| <i>J8</i>               | <i>HPD</i>      | <i>S113</i>                             | <i>eDP1_HPD</i>                 | <i>eDP1_HPD</i>   | <i>eDP1 Hot Plug<br/>Detect pins</i>   |

### 2.1.10.3 Other LCD Control Signals

The signals in the table below support the *eDP* LCD interfaces (as these are created from the same *i.MX8* source).

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                        |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| <i>LCD0_VDD_EN</i>                            | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>High enables edp0 panel VDD</i>        |
| <i>LCD0_BKLT_EN</i>                           | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>High enables edp0 panel backlight</i>  |
| <i>LCD0_BKLT_PWM</i>                          | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>eDP0 display backlight PWM control</i> |
| <i>LCD1_VDD_EN</i>                            | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>High enables edp1 panel VDD</i>        |
| <i>LCD1_BKLT_EN</i>                           | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>High enables edp1 panel backlight</i>  |
| <i>LCD1_BKLT_PWM</i>                          | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>eDP1 display backlight PWM control</i> |

Below list LCD control signals that mapping to CPU iomux and SMARC edge connector.

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                     | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |               | Net Names             | Note                                      |
|-----------------|------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                            | Pin#                          | Pin Name      |                       |                                           |
| BD38            | ALT3 | LVDS0_I2C0_SCL__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO06 | S127                          | LCD0_BKLT_EN  | LCD0_<br>BKLT_EN      | High enables<br>lvds0 panel<br>backlight  |
| BD40            | ALT3 | LVDS0_GPIO01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO05   | S133                          | LCD0_VDD_EN   | LCD0_<br>VDD_EN       | High enables<br>lvds0 panel VDD           |
| BE39            | ALT3 | LVDS0_GPIO00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO04   | S141                          | LCD0_BKLT_PWM | LCD0_<br>BKLT_<br>PWM | Lvds0 display<br>backlight PWM<br>control |
| BD36            | ALT3 | LVDS0_I2C0_SDA__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO07 | S107                          | LCD1_BKLT_EN  | LCD1_<br>BKLT_EN      | High enables<br>lvds1 panel<br>backlight  |
| BH36            | ALT3 | LVDS1_GPIO01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO11   | S116                          | LCD1_VDD_EN   | LCD1_<br>VDD_EN       | High enables<br>lvds1 panel VDD           |
| BD34            | ALT3 | LVDS1_GPIO00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO10   | S141                          | LCD1_BKLT_PWM | LCD1_<br>BKLT_<br>PWM | Lvds1 display<br>backlight PWM<br>control |

### 2.1.11. PCIe Interfaces

The *SMARC-iMX8 QuadMax* core offers two *PCI Express* Gen 3.0 single lane lanes and *QuadPlus* core offers one *PCI Express* Gen 3.0 single lane interface. The *PCIe* signals are routed from the *NXP® i.MX8* processor to the *PCI Express* port A and B (*QuadMax*) of the *SMARC-iMX8* edge finger. These signals support *PCI Express* Gen. 3.0 interfaces at 6 Gb/s and are backward compatible to Gen. 2.0 and 1.1 interfaces at 5Gb/s and 2.5 Gb/s. Only single lane *PCI Express* link configuration is possible. *Microchip DSC557-04444KI1* clock generators are used on each *PCIe* port to make *PCIe* reference clock *HCSL* signals.

The following figure shows the *PCIe* port A and B block diagram.

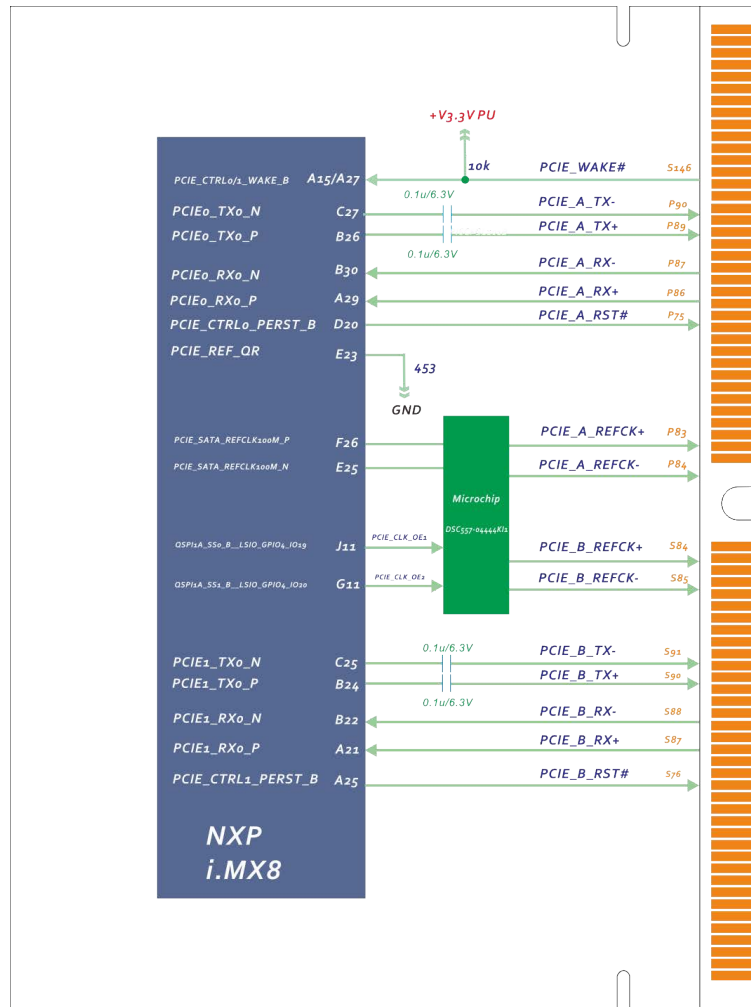


Figure 8 PCI Express Block Diagram

PCI Express interface signals are exposed on the SMARC-iMX8 edge connector as shown below:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU     |      |                                         | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |               | Net Names     | Note                                                         |
|---------------------|------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball                | Mode | Pin Name                                | Pin#                          | Pin Name      |               |                                                              |
| PCI Express Port A  |      |                                         |                               |               |               |                                                              |
| D20                 | ALT3 | PCIE_CTRL0_PERST_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO29 | P75                           | PCIE_A_RST#   | PCIE_A_RST#   | Reset Signal for external devices.                           |
| N/A                 |      | From Clock Generator                    | P83                           | PCIE_A_REFCK+ | PCIE_A_REFCK+ | Differential PCI Express Reference Clock Signals for Lanes A |
| N/A                 |      | From Clock Generator                    | P84                           | PCIE_A_REFCK- | PCIE_A_REFCK- |                                                              |
| A29                 |      | PCIE0_RX0_P                             | P86                           | PCIE_A_RX+    | PCIE_A_RX+    | Differential PCIe Link A receive data pair 0                 |
| B30                 |      | PCIE0_RX0_N                             | P87                           | PCIE_A_RX-    | PCIE_A_RX-    |                                                              |
| B26                 |      | PCIE0_TX0_P                             | P89                           | PCIE_A_TX+    | PCIE_A_TX+    | Differential PCIe Link A transmit data pair 0                |
| C27                 |      | PCIE0_TX0_N                             | P90                           | PCIE_A_TX-    | PCIE_A_TX-    |                                                              |
| A15                 | ALT3 | PCIE_CTRL0_WAKE_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO28  | S146                          | PCIE_WAKE#    | PCIE_WAKE#    | PCIe wake up interrupt to host                               |
| Clock Enable Signal |      |                                         |                               |               |               |                                                              |
| J11                 | ALT3 | QSPI1A_SS0_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO19       |                               |               |               | Enable port1 of PCIe clock generator                         |

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU     |      |                                         | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |               | Net Names     | Note                                                         |
|---------------------|------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball                | Mode | Pin Name                                | Pin#                          | Pin Name      |               |                                                              |
| PCI Express Port B  |      |                                         |                               |               |               |                                                              |
| G25                 | ALT3 | PCIE_CTRL1_PERST_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO5_IO00 | S76                           | PCIE_B_RST#   | PCIE_B_RST#   | Reset Signal for external devices.                           |
|                     |      | From Clock Generator                    | S84                           | PCIE_B_REFCK+ | PCIE_B_REFCK+ | Differential PCI Express Reference Clock Signals for Lanes B |
|                     |      | From Clock Generator                    | S85                           | PCIE_B_REFCK- | PCIE_B_REFCK- |                                                              |
| A21                 |      | PCIE1_RX0_P                             | S87                           | PCIE_B_RX+    | PCIE_B_RX+    | Differential PCIe Link B receive data pair 0                 |
| B22                 |      | PCIE1_RX0_N                             | S88                           | PCIE_B_RX-    | PCIE_B_RX-    |                                                              |
| B24                 |      | PCIE1_TX0_P                             | S90                           | PCIE_B_TX+    | PCIE_B_TX+    | Differential PCIe Link B transmit data pair 0                |
| C25                 |      | PCIE1_TX0_N                             | S91                           | PCIE_B_TX-    | PCIE_B_TX-    |                                                              |
| A27                 | ALT5 | PCIE_CTRL1_WAKE_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO31  | S146                          | PCIE_WAKE#    | PCIE_WAKE#    | PCIe wake up interrupt to host                               |
| Clock Enable Signal |      |                                         |                               |               |               |                                                              |
| G11                 | ALT3 | QSPI1A_SS1_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO20       |                               |               |               | Enable port2 of PCIe clock generator                         |

**Note:**

Only one PCIe instance (PCIe-A) for QuadPlus core.

### 2.1.11.1. PCIe\_Link Signals

The table below shows the *PCIe\_Link A and B* related signals.

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                                                                                                            |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>PCI Express Port A</i>                     |                  |                           |                                                                                                                               |
| <i>PCIE_A_TX+<br/>PCIE_A_TX-</i>              | <i>Output</i>    | <i>HCSL PCIe</i>          | <i>Differential PCIe Link A transmit data pair 0<br/>Series coupling caps is on the Module<br/>Caps is 0402 package 0.1uF</i> |
| <i>PCIE_A_RX+<br/>PCIE_A_RX-</i>              | <i>Input</i>     | <i>HCSL PCIe</i>          | <i>Differential PCIe Link A receive data pair 0<br/>No coupling caps on Module</i>                                            |
| <i>PCIE_A_REFCK+<br/>PCIE_A_REFCK-</i>        | <i>Output</i>    | <i>HCSL PCIe</i>          | <i>Differential PCIe Link A reference clock output<br/>DC coupled</i>                                                         |
| <i>PCIE_A_RST#</i>                            | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>3.3V</i>      | <i>PCIe Port A reset output</i>                                                                                               |
| <i>PCI Express Port B</i>                     |                  |                           |                                                                                                                               |
| <i>PCIE_B_TX+<br/>PCIE_B_TX-</i>              | <i>Output</i>    | <i>HCSL PCIe</i>          | <i>Differential PCIe Link B transmit data pair 0<br/>Series coupling caps is on the Module<br/>Caps is 0402 package 0.1uF</i> |
| <i>PCIE_B_RX+<br/>PCIE_B_RX-</i>              | <i>Input</i>     | <i>HCSL PCIe</i>          | <i>Differential PCIe Link B receive data pair 0<br/>No coupling caps on Module</i>                                            |
| <i>PCIE_B_REFCK+<br/>PCIE_B_REFCK-</i>        | <i>Output</i>    | <i>HCSL PCIe</i>          | <i>Differential PCIe Link B reference clock output<br/>DC coupled</i>                                                         |
| <i>PCIE_B_RST#</i>                            | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>3.3V</i>      | <i>PCIe Port B reset output</i>                                                                                               |

### **2.1.11.2. PCIe Wake Signals**

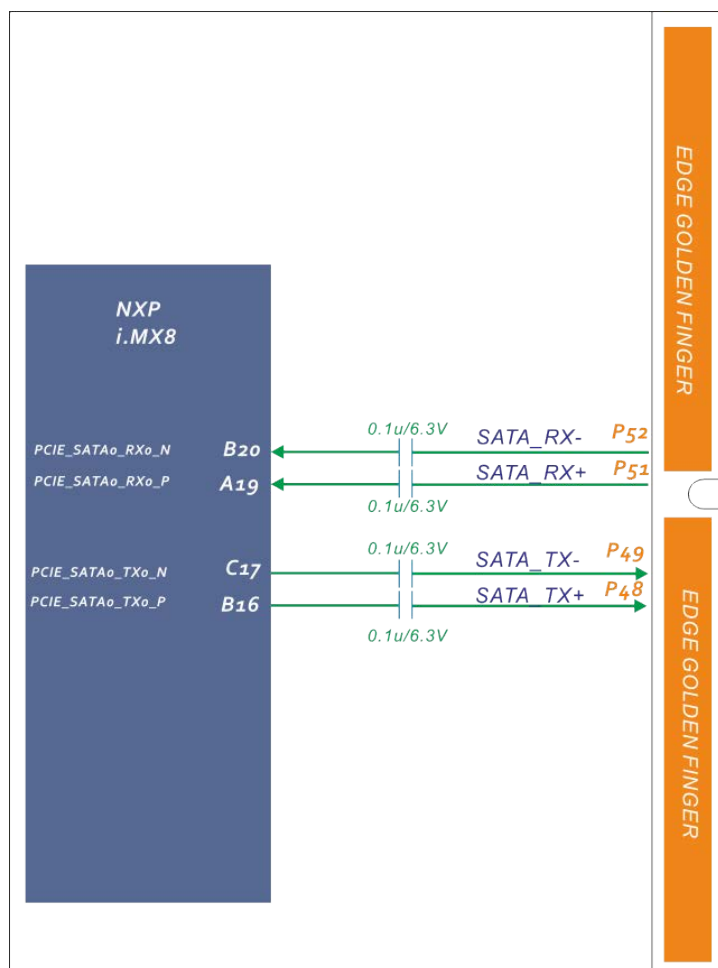
The table below shows the *PCIe Wake* signal.

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                                                                                               |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>PCIE_WAKE#</i>                             | <i>Input</i>     | <i>CMOS 3.3V</i>          | <i>PCIe wake up interrupt to host – common to<br/>PCIe links A, B, C – pulled up or terminated on<br/>Module</i> |

### ***2.1.12. SATA Interface***

The *NXP® i.MX8QM* processor on the *SMARC-iMX8* supports one *SATA 3.0* port. The supported signals are coupled with 0.1uF capacitors and then routed to *SMARC-iMX8* edge finger per defined in *SMARC* specification. The *SMARC-iMX8* offers this *SATA* port on the *MXM* connector. This port supports *SATA I* (1.5Gbps), *SATA II* (3Gbps) and *SATA III* (6Gbps) and is compliant with *SATA* specification 3.0, *AHCI* specification 1.3 and Advanced Microcontroller Bus Architecture (*AMBA*) specification 2.0.

The following figure shows the SATA port block diagram.



**Figure 9 SATA Block Diagram**

SATA interface signals are exposed on the *SMARC-iMX8* edge connector as shown below:

| <i>NXP i.MX8QM CPU</i> |             |                  | <i>SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger</i> |                 | <i>Net Names</i> | <i>Note</i>                                                                    |
|------------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>Ball</i>            | <i>Mode</i> | <i>Pin Name</i>  | <i>Pin#</i>                          | <i>Pin Name</i> |                  |                                                                                |
| <b>SATA</b>            |             |                  |                                      |                 |                  |                                                                                |
| A19                    | N/A         | PCIE_SATA0_RX0_P | P51                                  | SATA_RX+        | SATA_RX+         | Receive Input differential pair.                                               |
| B20                    | N/A         | PCIE_SATA0_RX0_N | P52                                  | SATA_RX-        | SATA_RX-         |                                                                                |
| B16                    | N/A         | PCIE_SATA0_TX0_N | P48                                  | SATA_TX+        | SATA_TX+         | Transmit Output differential pair.                                             |
| C17                    | N/A         | PCIE_SATA0_TX0_N | P49                                  | SATA_TX-        | SATA_TX-         |                                                                                |
| N/A                    |             |                  | S54                                  | SATA_ACT#       | SATA_ACT#        | Serial ATA Led. Open collector output pin driven during SATA command activity. |

### **2.1.12.1. SATA Signals**

The table below shows the SATA related signals.

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                                                                                            |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| SATA_TX+<br>SATA_TX-                          | Output           | SATA                      | Differential SATA 0 transmit data Pair<br>Series coupling caps is on the Module<br>Caps is 0201 package 0.1uF |
| SATA_RX+<br>SATA_RX-                          | Input            | SATA                      | Differential SATA 0 transmit data<br>Series coupling caps is on the Module<br>Caps is 0201 package 0.1uF      |
| SATA_ACT#                                     | Output<br>OD     | CMOS<br>3.3V              | Active low SATA activity indicator<br>It is able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED<br>current                  |

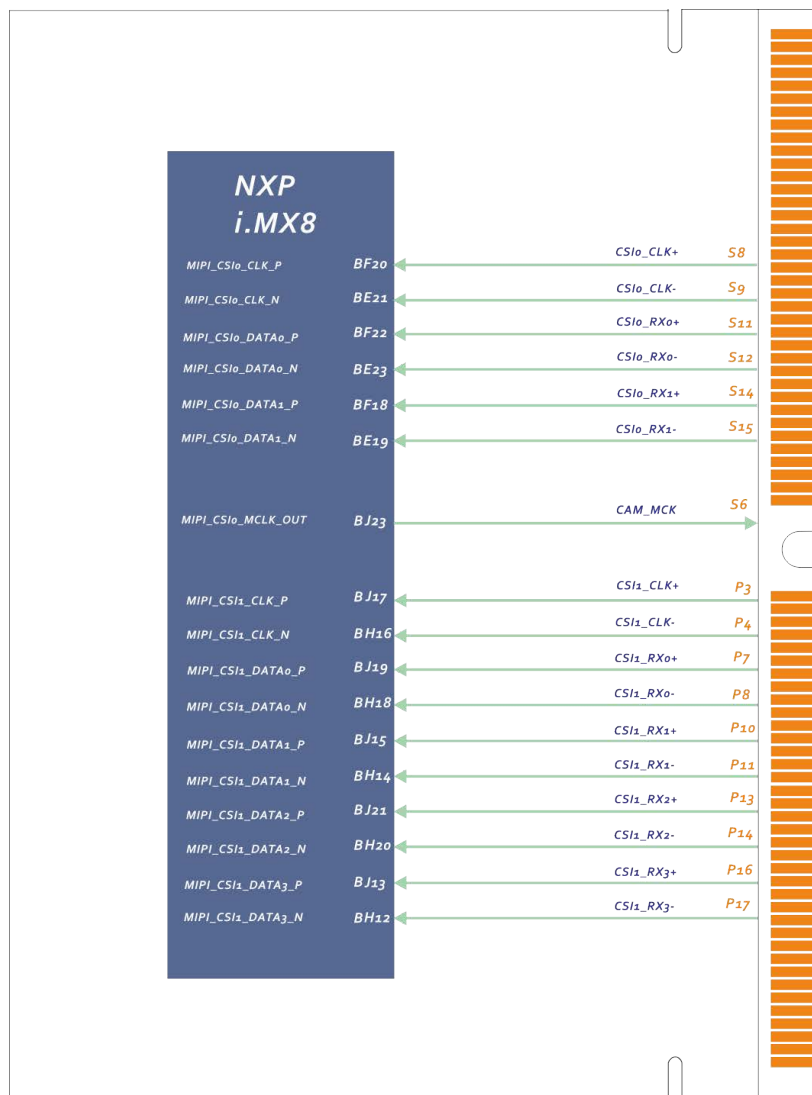
### ***2.1.13. MIPI/CMOS Serial Camera Interface (MIPI\_CSI)***

The *NXP® i.MX8QM* provides connectivity to cameras via the *MIPI/CSI-2* transmitter and maintains image manipulation and processing with adequate synchronization and control. The Camera Serial Interface (*CSI*) controls the camera port and provides interface to an image sensor or a related device. The role of the camera ports is to receive input from video sources and to provide support for time-sensitive signals to the camera. Non-time-sensitive controls such as configuration, reset are performed by the ARM platform through I2C interface or GPIO signals.

The camera interface on *SMARC-iMX8* is designed as serial interfaces on *CSI0* pin groups that can support 4 lanes and *CSI1* pin groups that can support 2 lanes providing an interface between the system and the *MIPI* D-PHY, allowing communication with an *MIPI CSI-2* compliant camera sensor.

The *MIPI-CSI2* in *SMARC-iMX8* supports high speed mode (80Mbps - 1.5Gbps) per lane, providing 4K@30fps capability for the 4 lanes.

The following figure shows the serial camera interface block diagram.



**Figure 10 MIPI/Serial Camera Interface Block Diagram**

MIPI/Serial Camera interface signals are exposed on the *SMARC-iMX8* edge connector as shown below:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU                       |      |                                                | SMARC-iMX8<br>Edge Golden<br>Finger |           | Net Names | Note                                       |
|---------------------------------------|------|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|--------------------------------------------|
| Ball                                  | Mode | Pin Name                                       | Pin#                                | Pin Name  |           |                                            |
| MIPI/Serial Camera Interface 1 (CSI0) |      |                                                |                                     |           |           |                                            |
| BJ23                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI0_MCLK_OUT__<br>MIPI_CSI0_ACM_MCLK_OUT | S6                                  | CAM_MCK   | CAM_MCK   | Master clock output for CSI camera support |
| BE21                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI0_CLK_N                                | S9                                  | CSI0_CK-  | CSI0_CK-  | CSI0 differential clock inputs             |
| BF20                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI0_CLK_P                                | S8                                  | CSI0_CK+  | CSI0_CK+  |                                            |
| BE23                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI0_DATA0_N                              | S12                                 | CSI0_RX0- | CSI0_D0-  | CSI0 differential data inputs              |
| BF22                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI0_DATA0_P                              | S11                                 | CSI0_RX0+ | CSI0_D0+  |                                            |
| BE19                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI0_DATA1_N                              | S15                                 | CSI0_RX1- | CSI0_D1-  |                                            |
| BF18                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI0_DATA1_P                              | S14                                 | CSI0_RX1+ | CSI0_D1+  |                                            |
| MIPI/Serial Camera Interface 2 (CSI1) |      |                                                |                                     |           |           |                                            |
| BH16                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_CLK_N                                | P4                                  | CSI1_CK-  | CSI1_CK-  | CSI1 differential clock inputs             |
| BJ17                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_CLK_P                                | P3                                  | CSI1_CK+  | CSI1_CK+  |                                            |
| BH18                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_DATA0_N                              | P8                                  | CSI1_RX0- | CSI1_D0-  | CSI1 differential data inputs              |
| BJ19                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_DATA0_P                              | P7                                  | CSI1_RX0+ | CSI1_D0+  |                                            |
| BH14                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_DATA1_N                              | P11                                 | CSI1_RX1- | CSI1_D1-  |                                            |
| BJ15                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_DATA1_P                              | P10                                 | CSI1_RX1+ | CSI1_D1+  |                                            |
| BH20                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_DATA2_N                              | P14                                 | CSI1_RX2- | CSI1_D2-  |                                            |
| BJ21                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_DATA2_P                              | P13                                 | CSI1_RX2+ | CSI1_D2+  |                                            |
| BH12                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_DATA3_N                              | P17                                 | CSI1_RX3- | CSI1_D3-  |                                            |
| BJ13                                  | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_DATA3_P                              | P16                                 | CSI1_RX3+ | CSI1_D3+  |                                            |

### 2.1.13.1. Camera I2C Support

The I2C\_CAM0/1 port is intended to support serial and parallel cameras. Most contemporary cameras with I2C support allow a choice of two I2C address ranges.

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU         |      |                                                | SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br>Golden Finger |                           | Net Names    | Note |
|-------------------------|------|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|------|
| Ball                    | Mode | Pin Name                                       | Pin#                             | Pin Name                  |              |      |
| <b>I2C_CAM0</b>         |      |                                                |                                  |                           |              |      |
| BH24                    | ALT0 | MIPI_CSIO_I2CO_SCL__<br>MIPI_CSIO_I2CO_SCL     | S5                               | CSIO_TX+/<br>I2C_CAM0_CK  | I2C_CAM0_CK  |      |
| BN19                    | ALT0 | MIPI_CSIO_I2CO_SDA__<br>MIPI_CSIO_I2CO_SDA     | S7                               | CSIO_TX-/<br>I2C_CAM0_DAT | I2C_CAM0_DAT |      |
| <b>I2C_CAM1</b>         |      |                                                |                                  |                           |              |      |
| BN17                    | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_I2CO_SCL__<br>MIPI_CSI1_I2CO_SCL     | S1                               | I2C_CAM1_CK               | I2C_CAM1_CK  |      |
| BE15                    | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_I2CO_SDA__<br>MIPI_CSI1_I2CO_SDA     | S2                               | I2C_CAM1_DAT              | I2C_CAM1_DAT |      |
| <b>CSI Clock Output</b> |      |                                                |                                  |                           |              |      |
| BJ23                    | ALT6 | MIPI_CSIO_MCLK_OUT__<br>MIPI_CSIO_ACM_MCLK_OUT | S6                               | CAM_MCK                   | CAM_MCK      |      |

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                     |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| <b>I2C_CAM0</b>                               |                  |                           |                                        |
| I2C_CAM0_DAT                                  | Bi-Dir<br>OD     | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Serial camera support link - I2C data  |
| I2C_CAM0_CK                                   | Bi-Dir<br>OD     | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Serial camera support link - I2C clock |
| <b>I2C_CAM1</b>                               |                  |                           |                                        |
| I2C_CAM1_DAT                                  | Bi-Dir<br>OD     | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Serial camera support link - I2C data  |
| I2C_CAM1_CK                                   | Bi-Dir<br>OD     | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Serial camera support link - I2C clock |

### 2.1.13.2. MIPI Serial Camera In – MIPI CSI0/1

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                          |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| MIPI_CSI0_D[0:1]+<br>MIPI_CSI0_D[0:1]-        | Input            | LVDS D-PHY                | CSI1 differential data inputs               |
| MIPI_CSI0_CK+<br>MIPI_CSI0_CK-                | Input            | LVDS D-PHY                | CSI1 differential clock inputs              |
| MIPI_CSI1_D[0:3]+<br>MIPI_CSI1_D[0:3]-        | Input            | LVDS D-PHY                | CSI1 differential data inputs               |
| MIPI_CSI1_CK+<br>MIPI_CSI1_CK-                | Input            | LVDS D-PHY                | CSI1 differential clock inputs              |
| CAM_MCK                                       | Output           | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Master clock output for CSI1 camera support |

### 2.1.14 SD/SDMMC Interface

SMARC-iMX8 is configured to support two MMC controllers. One is used for on-module 8-bit eMMC support, and the other one is used for external SDHC/SDIO interface. The SMARC-iMX8 module supports one 4-bit SDIO interface, per the SMARC 2.0 specification. The SDIO interface uses 3.3V signaling, per the SMARC spec and for compatibility with commonly available SDIO cards.

The following figure shows the SDIO block diagram.

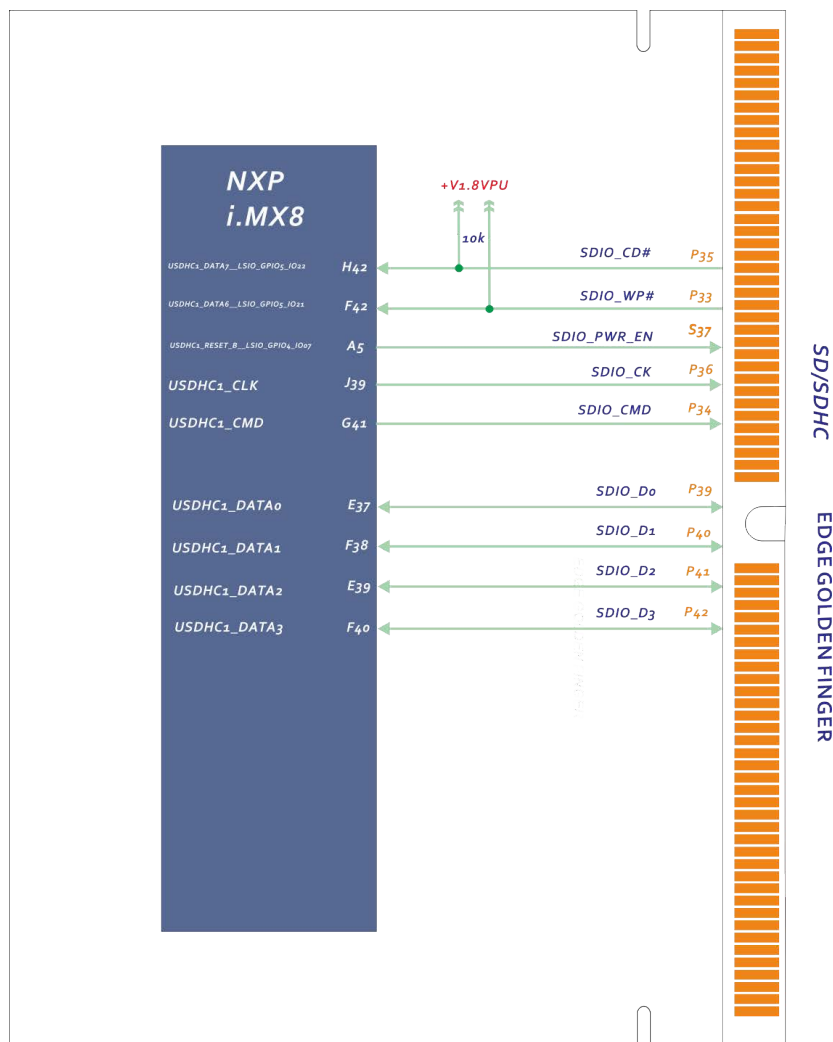


Figure 11 SD/SDIO/eMMC Interface Block Diagram

SDIO interface signals are exposed on the SMARC golden finger edge connector as shown below:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                      | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |                 | Net Names      | Note                      |
|-----------------|------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                             | Pin#                          | Pin Name        |                |                           |
| SD/SDIO         |      |                                      |                               |                 |                |                           |
| E37             | ALT0 | USDHC1_DATA0___<br>CONN_USDHC1_DATA0 | P39                           | SDIO_D0         | SDIO_D0        | SDIO Data 0               |
| F38             | ALT0 | USDHC1_DATA1___<br>CONN_USDHC1_DATA1 | P40                           | SDIO_D1         | SDIO_D1        | SDIO Data 1               |
| E39             | ALT0 | USDHC1_DATA2___<br>CONN_USDHC1_DATA2 | P41                           | SDIO_D2         | SDIO_D2        | SDIO Data 2               |
| F40             | ALT0 | USDHC1_DATA3___<br>CONN_USDHC1_DATA3 | P42                           | SDIO_D3         | SDIO_D3        | SDIO Data 3               |
| F42             | ALT3 | USDHC1_DATA6___<br>LSIO_GPIO5_IO21   | P33                           | SDIO_WP         | SDIO_WP        | SDIO write protect signal |
| G41             | ALT0 | USDHC1_CMD___<br>CONN_USDHC1_CMD     | P34                           | SDIO_CMD        | SDIO_CM<br>D   | SDIO Command signal       |
| H42             | ALT3 | USDHC1_DATA7___<br>LSIO_GPIO5_IO22   | P35                           | SDIO_CD#        | SDIO_CD#       | SDIO card detect          |
| J39             | ALT0 | USDHC1_CLK___<br>CONN_USDHC1_CLK     | P36                           | SDIO_CK         | SDIO_CK        | SDIO Clock Signal         |
| A5              | ALT3 | USDHC1_RESET_B___<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO07 | P37                           | SDIO_PWR_<br>EN | SDIO_<br>PWREN | SD card power enable      |

**Note:**

1. The *SDIO* card power should be switched on the Carrier board and the *SDIO* lines should be *ESD* protected. The *SMARC* Evaluation Carrier schematic is useful as an implementation reference.
2. If *SD* boot up function is required, the pull-up resistor to 3.3V of *SDIO\_PWR\_EN* # should be 4.7k or less.
3. *SDIO\_WP* and *SDIO\_CD#* are 10k pull up to 3.3V on module.

#### 2.1.14.1. *SDIO Card (4 bit) Interface*

The Carrier *SDIO* Card can be selected as the Boot Device (See section 4.3).

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>          |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <i>SDIO_D[0:3]</i>                            | <i>Bi-Dir</i>    | <i>CMOS 3.3V</i>          | <i>4 bit data path</i>      |
| <i>SDIO_CMD</i>                               | <i>Bi-Dir</i>    | <i>CMOS 3.3V</i>          | <i>Command Line</i>         |
| <i>SDIO_CK</i>                                | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS 3.3V</i>          | <i>Clock</i>                |
| <i>SDIO_WP</i>                                | <i>Input</i>     | <i>CMOS 3.3V</i>          | <i>Write Protect</i>        |
| <i>SDIO_CD#</i>                               | <i>Input</i>     | <i>CMOS 3.3V</i>          | <i>Card Detect</i>          |
| <i>SDIO_PWR_EN</i>                            | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS 3.3V</i>          | <i>SD Card Power Enable</i> |

**Note:**

*SD* Cards are not typically available with a 1.8V *I/O* voltage. The Module *SD* Card *I/O* level is specified as 3.3V and **not** *CMOS 1.8V*.

### ***2.1.15 SPI/eSPI Interface***

The *SMARC-iMX8* module supports two *NXP i.MX8QM* SPI interfaces (*LPSPi*) that are available off-Module for general purpose use. One of them is implemented as *eSPI* interface by *SMARC 2.0* definition. Each SPI channel has two chip-selects that can connect two SPI slave devices on each channel. SPI devices will share the "*SPIO\_DIN*", "*SPIO\_DO*" and "*SPIO\_CK*" pins, but each device will have its own chip select pin. The chip select signal is a low active signal. *eSPI* devices will share the "*ESPI\_IO\_0*", "*ESPI\_IO\_1*" and "*ESPI\_CK*" pins, but each device will have its own chip select pin. The chip select signal is also a low active signal.

The SPI interface is diagramed below.

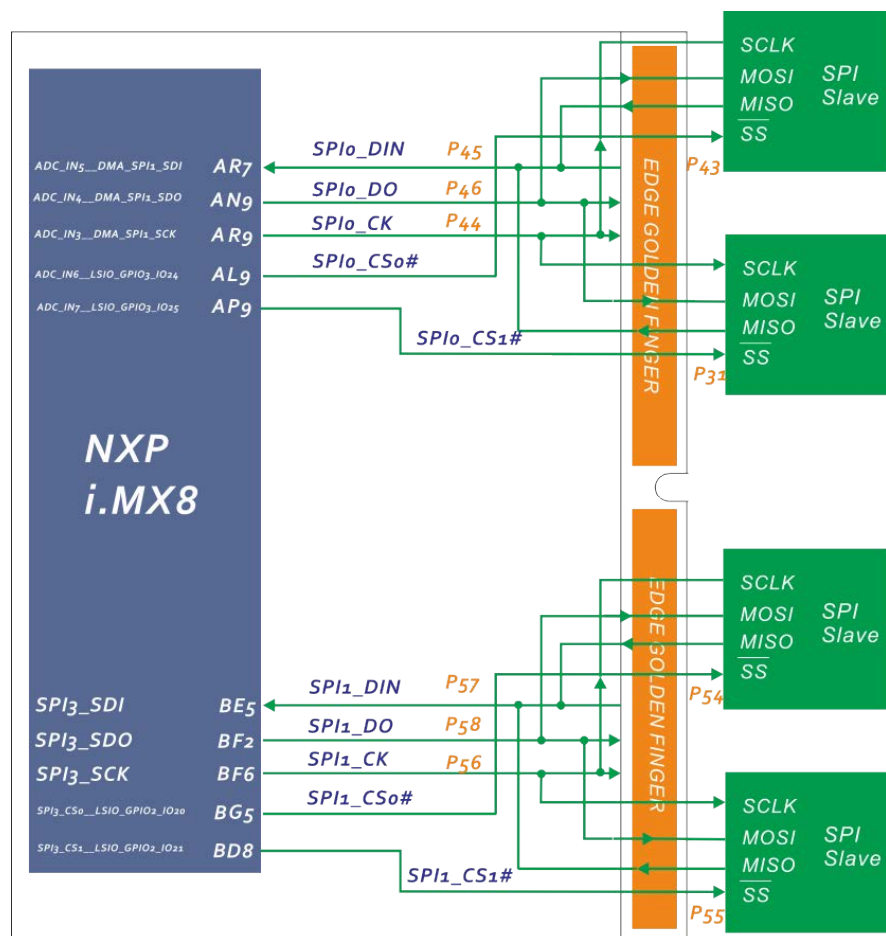


Figure 12 SPI Interface Block Diagram

SPI interface signals are exposed on the SMARC golden finger edge connector as shown below:

| <i>NXP i.MX8QM CPU</i> |             |                              | <i>SMARC-iMX8<br/>Edge Golden<br/>Finger</i> |                 | <i>Net Names</i> | <i>Note</i>                                                             |
|------------------------|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>Ball</i>            | <i>Mode</i> | <i>Pin Name</i>              | <i>Pin#</i>                                  | <i>Pin Name</i> |                  |                                                                         |
| <i>SPI0 Port</i>       |             |                              |                                              |                 |                  |                                                                         |
| AL9                    | ALT3        | ADC_IN6__<br>LSIO_GPIO3_IO24 | P43                                          | SPI0_CS0#       | SPI0_CS0#        | SPI0 Master Chip<br>Select 0 output                                     |
| AP6                    | ALT3        | ADC_IN7__<br>LSIO_GPIO3_IO25 | P31                                          | SPI0_CS1#       | SPI0_CS1#        | SPI0 Master Chip<br>Select 1 output                                     |
| AR9                    | ALT1        | ADC_IN3__<br>DMA_SPI1_SCK    | P44                                          | SPI0_CK         | SPI0_SCLK        | SPI0 Master Clock<br>output                                             |
| AR7                    | ALT1        | ADC_IN5__<br>DMA_SPI1_SDI    | P45                                          | SPI0_DIN        | SPI0_DIN         | SPI0 Master Data<br>input (input to CPU,<br>output from SPI<br>device)  |
| AN9                    | ALT1        | ADC_IN4__<br>DMA_SPI1_SDO    | P46                                          | SPI0_DO         | SPI0_DO          | SPI0 Master Data<br>output (output<br>from CPU, input to<br>SPI device) |

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                               | SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br>Golden Finger |             | Net Names               | Note                                                                    |
|-----------------|------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                      | Pin#                             | Pin Name    |                         |                                                                         |
| eSPI/SPI1 Port  |      |                               |                                  |             |                         |                                                                         |
| BG5             | ALT3 | SPI3_CS0__<br>LSIO_GPIO2_IO20 | P54                              | ESPI_CS0#   | ESPI_CS0#/<br>SPI1_CS0# | ESPI Master Chip<br>Select 0 output                                     |
| BD8             | ALT3 | SPI3_CS1__<br>LSIO_GPIO2_IO21 | P55                              | ESPI_CS1#   | ESPI_CS1#/<br>SPI1_CS1# | ESPI Master Chip<br>Select 1 output                                     |
| BF6             | ALT0 | SPI3_SCK__<br>DMA_SPI3_SCK    | P56                              | ESPI_CK     | ESPI_CK/<br>SPI1_CK     | ESPI Master Clock<br>output                                             |
| BF2             | ALT0 | SPI3_SDO__<br>DMA_SPI3_SDO    | P58                              | ESPI_IO_0   | ESPI_IO_0/<br>SPI1_DO   | ESPI Master Data<br>input (input to<br>CPU, output from<br>SPI device)  |
| BE5             | ALT0 | SPI3_SDI__<br>DMA_SPI3_SDI    | P57                              | ESPI_IO_1   | ESPI_IO_1/<br>SPI1_DI   | ESPI Master Data<br>output (output<br>from CPU, input to<br>SPI device) |
|                 |      |                               | S56                              | ESPI_IO_2   | ESPI_IO_2               | Not Connected                                                           |
|                 |      |                               | S57                              | ESPI_IO_3   | ESPI_IO_3               | Not Connected                                                           |
|                 |      |                               | S58                              | ESPI_RESET# | ESPI_RESET#             | Not Connected                                                           |

### **2.1.15.1. SPI0 Signals**

SMARC-iMX8 does not support SPI0 device boot up. The Carrier SPI0 device cannot be selected as the Boot Device – see Section 4.3 Boot Select.

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                                                    |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>SPI0_CS0#</i>                              | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>SPI0 Master Chip Select 0 output</i>                               |
| <i>SPI0_CS1#</i>                              | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>SPI0 Master Chip Select 1 output</i>                               |
| <i>SPI0_CK</i>                                | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>SPI0 Master Clock output</i>                                       |
| <i>SPI0_DIN</i>                               | <i>Input</i>     | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>SPI0 Master Data input (input to CPU, output from SPI device)</i>  |
| <i>SPI0_DO</i>                                | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>SPI0 Master Data output (output from CPU, input to SPI device)</i> |

### 2.1.15.2. ESPI/SPI1 Signals

SMARC-iMX8 does not support ESPI device boot up either. The Carrier ESPI device cannot be selected as the Boot Device – see Section 4.3 Boot Select.

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                      |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| <i>ESPI_CS0#/<br/>SPI1_CS0#</i>               | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>ESPI Master Chip Select 0 output</i> |
| <i>ESPI_CS1#/<br/>SPI1_CS1#</i>               | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>ESPI Master Chip Select 1 output</i> |
| <i>ESPI_CK/<br/>SPI1_CK</i>                   | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>ESPI Master Clock output</i>         |
| <i>ESPI_IO_[0:1]/<br/>SPI1_[DO:DIN]</i>       | <i>Bi-Dir</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>ESPI Master Data input/output</i>    |
| <i>ESPI_RESET#</i>                            | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>Not Supported</i>                    |
| <i>ESPI_ALERT[0:1]#</i>                       | <i>Input</i>     | <i>CMOC<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>Not Supported</i>                    |

#### ***2.1.16. I2S Interface***

The *SMARC-iMX8* module uses *I2S* format for Audio signals. These signals are derived from the Synchronous Audio Interface (SAI) of the *NXP® i.MX8QM* processor. The Serial Audio Interface (SAI) implements a synchronous serial bus interface for connecting digital audio devices. It is by far the most common mechanism used to transfer two channels of audio data between devices within a system.

SMARC-iMX8 supports two I2S instances (I2S0 and I2S2). I2S interface signals are exposed on the SMARC-iMX8 golden finger edge connector as shown below:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                      | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |                        | Net Names  | Note                                    |
|-----------------|------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                             | Pin #                         | Pin Name               |            |                                         |
| BD4             | ALT0 | MCLK_OUT0__<br>AUD_ACM_<br>MCLK_OUT0 | S38                           | AUDIO_MCK              | AUD_MCLK   | Master clock output to Audio codecs     |
| I2S0 interface  |      |                                      |                               |                        |            |                                         |
| AV2             | ALT0 | SAI1_TXFS__<br>AUD_SAI1_TXFS         | S39                           | I2S0_LRCK              | I2S0_LRCK  | Left& Right audio synchronization clock |
| AU1             | ALT0 | SAI1_TXD__<br>AUD_SAI1_TXD           | S40                           | I2S0_SDOUT             | I2S0_SDOUT | Digital audio Output                    |
| AV4             | ALT0 | SAI1_RXD__<br>AUD_SAI1_RXD           | S41                           | I2S0_SDIN              | I2S0_SDIN  | Digital audio Input                     |
| AU5             | ALT0 | SAI1_TXC__<br>AUD_SAI1_TXC           | S42                           | I2S0_CK                | I2S0_CK    | Digital audio clock                     |
| I2S2 interface  |      |                                      |                               |                        |            |                                         |
| AY2             | ALT1 | SPI2_CS1__<br>AUD_SAI0_TXFS          | S50                           | HDA_SYNC/<br>I2S2_LRCK | I2S2_LRCK  | Left& Right audio synchronization clock |
| AY6             | ALT1 | SPI0_SDO__<br>AUD_SAI0_TXD           | S51                           | HDA_SDO/<br>I2S2_SDOUT | I2S2_SDOUT | Digital audio Output                    |
| BA5             | ALT1 | SPI0_SDI__<br>AUD_SAI0_RXD           | S52                           | HDA_SDI/<br>I2S2_SDIN  | I2S2_SDIN  | Digital audio Input                     |
| BA3             | ALT1 | SPI0_CS1__<br>AUD_SAI0_TXC           | S53                           | HAD_CK/<br>I2S2_CK     | I2S2_CK    | Digital audio clock                     |

**Note:**

SGTL5000 I2S audio codec is used in EVK-STD-CARRIER-S20 evaluation carrier board.

**2.1.16.1 I2S Signals**

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                      |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| AUDIO_MCK                                     | Output           | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Master clock output to Audio codecs     |
| <i>I2S0 Signals</i>                           |                  |                           |                                         |
| I2S0_LRCK                                     | Bi-Dir           | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Left& Right audio synchronization clock |
| I2S0_SDOUT                                    | Output           | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Digital audio Output                    |
| I2S0_SDIN                                     | Input            | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Digital audio Input                     |
| I2S0_CK                                       | Bi-Dir           | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Digital audio clock                     |
| <i>I2S2 Signals</i>                           |                  |                           |                                         |
| I2S2_LRCK                                     | Bi-Dir           | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Left& Right audio synchronization clock |
| I2S2_SDOUT                                    | Output           | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Digital audio Output                    |
| I2S2_SDIN                                     | Input            | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Digital audio Input                     |
| I2S2_CK                                       | Bi-Dir           | CMOS<br>1.8V              | Digital audio clock                     |

### **2.1.17. Asynchronous Serial Port (UARTs)**

The *SMARC-iMX8* module supports four UARTs (*SER0:3*). UART *SER0* and *SER2* support flow control signals (*RTS#*, *CTS#*). UART *SER1* and *SER3* do not support flow control (*TX*, *RX* only). When working with software, *SER3* is used for *SMARC-iMX8* debugging console port.

The module asynchronous serial port signals have a *VDDIO* (1.8V) level signal swing. If the asynchronous ports are to interface with RS232 level devices, then a Carrier RS-232 transceiver is required. The logic side of the transceiver must be able to run at 1.8V levels. The selection of 1.8V compatible transceivers is a bit limited, although more are appearing with time. Two such devices are the Texas Instruments TRS3253E, and the Maxim MAX13235E, illustrated in the figures below. The TI part is more cost effective, but has a top speed of 1 Mbps. The MAX 13235E can operate at maximum speeds over 3 Mbps. The transceivers invert the polarity of the incoming and outgoing data and handshake lines.

The other alternative is to use a level-shift IC from 1.8V to 3.3V when designing carrier board and almost all transceivers available accept a 3.3V signal level: example includes the Texas Instruments MAX3243. Note that RS232 transceivers invert the signal; a logic '1' is a negative voltage (-3.0V to -15V) and a logic '0' a positive voltage (3.0V to 15V) on the RS232 line.

Asynchronous serial ports interface signals are exposed on the SMARC golden finger edge connector as shown below:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU  |      |                                  | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |           | Net Names | Note                                    |
|------------------|------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------------------------|
| Ball             | Mode | Pin Name                         | Pin#                          | Pin Name  |           |                                         |
| <b>SER0 Port</b> |      |                                  |                               |           |           |                                         |
| AV48             | ALT0 | UART0_TX__<br>DMA_UART0_TX       | P129                          | SER0_TX   | SER0_TX   | Asynchronous serial port data out       |
| AV50             | ALT0 | UART0_RX__<br>DMA_UART0_RX       | P130                          | SER0_RX   | SER0_RX   | Asynchronous serial port data in        |
| AU45             | ALT0 | UART0_RTS_B__<br>DMA_UART0_RTS_B | P131                          | SER0_RTS# | SER0_RTS# | Request to Send handshake line for SER0 |
| AW49             | ALT0 | UART0_CTS_B__<br>DMA_UART0_CTS_B | P132                          | SER0_CTS# | SER0_CTS# | Clear to Send handshake line for SER0   |
| <b>SER1 Port</b> |      |                                  |                               |           |           |                                         |
| AU47             | ALT2 | M41_GPIO0_01__<br>DMA_UART3_TX   | P134                          | SER1_TX   | SER1_TX   | Asynchronous serial port data out       |
| AP44             | ALT2 | M41_GPIO0_00__<br>DMA_UART3_RX   | P135                          | SER1_RX   | SER1_RX   | Asynchronous serial port data in        |

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU            |      |                                  | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |           | Net Names | Note                                    |
|----------------------------|------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------------------------|
| Ball                       | Mode | Pin Name                         | Pin#                          | Pin Name  |           |                                         |
| SER2 Port                  |      |                                  |                               |           |           |                                         |
| AY48                       | ALT0 | UART1_TX__<br>DMA_UART1_TX       | P136                          | SER2_TX   | SER2_TX   | Asynchronous serial port data out       |
| AT44                       | ALT0 | UART1_RX__<br>DMA_UART1_RX       | P137                          | SER2_RX   | SER2_RX   | Asynchronous serial port data in        |
| AR43                       | ALT0 | UART1_RTS_B__<br>DMA_UART1_RTS_B | P138                          | SER2_RTS# | SER2_RTS# | Request to Send handshake line for SER2 |
| AV46                       | ALT0 | UART1_CTS_B__<br>DMA_UART1_CTS_B | P139                          | SER2_CTS# | SER2_CTS# | Clear to Send handshake line for SER2   |
| SER3 Port (Debugging Port) |      |                                  |                               |           |           |                                         |
| AU53                       | ALT2 | M41_GPIO0_01__<br>DMA_UART3_TX   | P140                          | SER3_TX   | SER3_TX   | Asynchronous serial port data out       |
| AR47                       | ALT2 | M41_GPIO0_00__<br>DMA_UART3_RX   | P141                          | SER3_RX   | SER3_RX   | Asynchronous serial port data in        |

**2.1.17.1. UART Signals**

Module pins for up to four asynchronous serial ports are defined. The ports are designated *SER0* – *SER3*. Ports *SER0* and *SER2* are 4 wire ports (2 data lines and 2 handshake lines). Ports *SER1* and *SER3* are 2 wire ports (data only).

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>                             |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| <i>SER[0:3]_TX</i>                            | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>Asynchronous serial port data out</i>       |
| <i>SER[0:3]_RX</i>                            | <i>Input</i>     | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>Asynchronous serial port data in</i>        |
| <i>SER[0]_RTS#</i>                            | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>Request to Send handshake line for SER0</i> |
| <i>SER[0]_CTS#</i>                            | <i>Input</i>     | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>Clear to Send handshake line for SER0</i>   |
| <i>SER[2]_RTS#</i>                            | <i>Output</i>    | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>Request to Send handshake line for SER2</i> |
| <i>SER[2]_CTS#</i>                            | <i>Input</i>     | <i>CMOS<br/>1.8V</i>      | <i>Clear to Send handshake line for SER2</i>   |

### 2.1.18. I2C Interface

There is a minimum configuration of I2C ports up to a maximum of 6 ports defined in the *SMARC* specification: *PM* (Power Management), *LCD* (Liquid Crystal Display), *GP* (General Purpose), *CAM0* (Camera 0), and *CAM1* (Camera 1) and *HDMI*. *SMARC-iMX8* supports these six I2C in fast mode (400 KHz operation). In addition to that, there are also dedicated i2c buses that are not exposed to golden finger connector for *PMIC*, *real-time clock*, *eDP* and *TPM2.0* chips.

All I2C interfaces are implemented directly from *NXP i.MX8* processor interfaces.

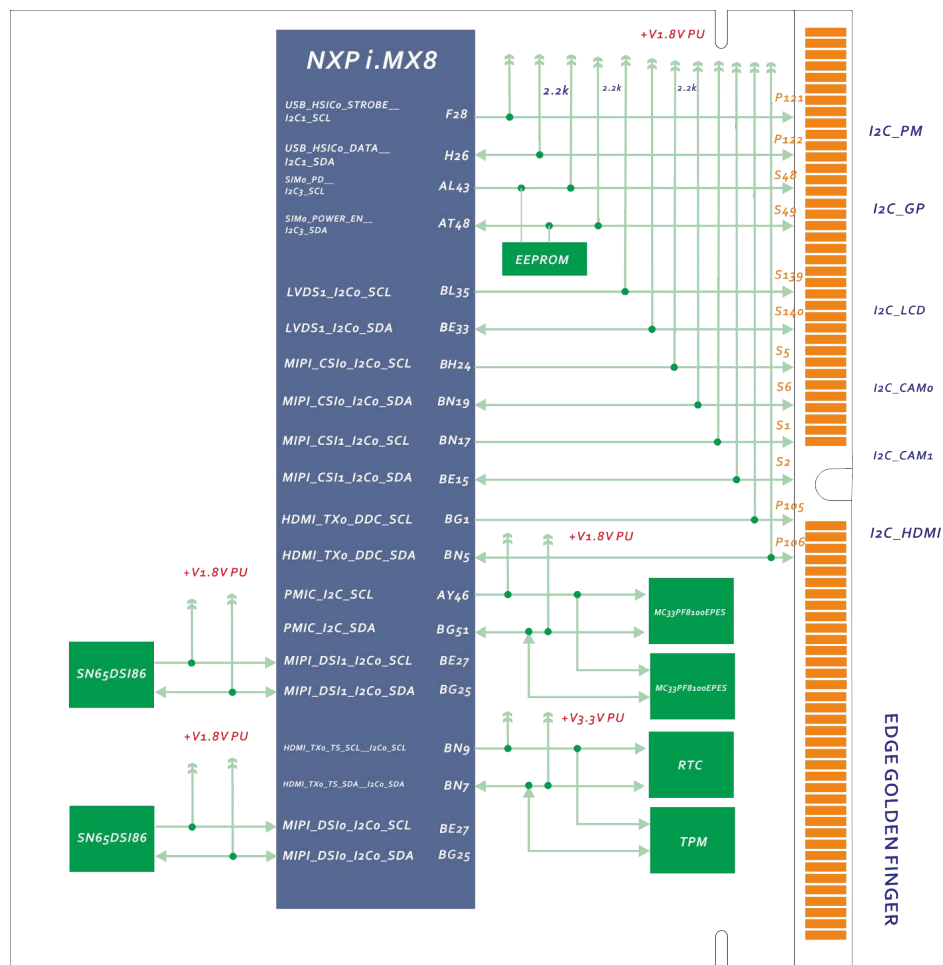


Figure 13 I2C Interface Block Diagram

This will be summarized below.

| <b>I2C Port</b>                |                         | <b>Primary Purpose</b>                                                                                  | <b>Alternative Use</b>                 | <b>I/O Level</b> | <b>Voltage</b> |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| <i>Golden Finger Connector</i> | <i>i.MX8QM CPU</i>      |                                                                                                         |                                        |                  |                |
| <i>I2C_PM</i>                  | <i>I2C1</i>             | <i>Power Management support</i>                                                                         | <i>System configuration management</i> | <i>CMOS</i>      | <i>1.8V</i>    |
| <i>I2C_GP</i>                  | <i>I2C3</i>             | <i>General purpose use</i>                                                                              |                                        | <i>CMOS</i>      | <i>1.8V</i>    |
| <i>I2C_LCD</i>                 | <i>LVDS1_I2C0</i>       | <i>LCD display support, to read LCD display EDID EEPROMs</i><br><br><i>(for parallel and LVDS LCD,)</i> | <i>General Purpose</i>                 | <i>CMOS</i>      | <i>1.8V</i>    |
| <i>I2C_CAM0</i>                | <i>MIPI_CSI0_I2C0</i>   | <i>Serial camera 0</i>                                                                                  | <i>General Purpose</i>                 | <i>CMOS</i>      | <i>1.8V</i>    |
| <i>I2C_CAM1</i>                | <i>MIPI_CSI1_I2C0</i>   | <i>Serial camera 1</i>                                                                                  | <i>General Purpose</i>                 | <i>CMOS</i>      | <i>1.8V</i>    |
| <i>HDMI_CTRL</i>               | <i>HDMI_TX0_DDC_SCL</i> | <i>HDMI Control</i>                                                                                     |                                        | <i>CMOS</i>      | <i>1.8V</i>    |

**Note:**

1. The 2.2k pull-up resistors for *I2C\_SCL* and *I2C\_SDA* signals are on module.

The I2C interface signals that are exposed on the SMARC golden finger edge connector as shown below:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                           | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |              | Note                           |
|-----------------|------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                                  | Pin#                          | Net Names    |                                |
| <b>I2C_PM</b>   |      |                                           |                               |              |                                |
| F28             | ALT1 | USB_HSIC0_STROBE_<br>DMA_I2C1_SCL         | P121                          | I2C_PM_CK    | Power management I2C bus clock |
| H26             | ALT1 | USB_HSIC0_DATA_<br>DMA_I2C1_SDA           | P122                          | I2C_PM_DAT   | Power management I2C bus data  |
| <b>I2C_GP</b>   |      |                                           |                               |              |                                |
| AL43            | ALT1 | SIM0_PD_<br>DMA_I2C3_SCL                  | S48                           | I2C_GP_CK    | General purpose I2C bus clock  |
| AT48            | ALT1 | SIM0_POWER_EN<br>DMA_I2C3_SDA             | S49                           | I2C_GP_DAT   | General purpose I2C bus data   |
| <b>I2C_LCD</b>  |      |                                           |                               |              |                                |
| BL35            | ALT0 | LVDS1_I2C0_SCL_<br>LVDS1_I2C0_SCL         | S5/<br>S139                   | I2C_LCD_CK   | LCD display I2C bus clock      |
| BE33            | ALT0 | LVDS1_I2C0_SDA_<br>LVDS1_I2C0_SDA         | S7/<br>S140                   | I2C_LCD_DAT  | LCD display I2C bus data       |
| <b>I2C_CAM0</b> |      |                                           |                               |              |                                |
| BH24            | ALT0 | MIPI_CSIO_I2C0_SCL_<br>MIPI_CSIO_I2C0_SCL | S5                            | I2C_CAM0_CK  | Camera 0 I2C bus clock         |
| BN19            | ALT0 | MIPI_CSIO_I2C0_SDA_<br>MIPI_CSIO_I2C0_SDA | S7                            | I2C_CAM0_DAT | Camera 0 I2C bus data          |
| <b>I2C_CAM1</b> |      |                                           |                               |              |                                |
| BN17            | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_I2C0_SCL_<br>MIPI_CSI1_I2C0_SCL | S1                            | I2C_CAM1_CK  | Camera 1 I2C bus clock         |
| BE15            | ALT0 | MIPI_CSI1_I2C0_SDA_<br>MIPI_CSI1_I2C0_SDA | S2                            | I2C_CAM1_DAT | Camera 1 I2C bus data          |

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                  | SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br>Golden Finger |               | Note                      |
|-----------------|------|------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name         | Pin#                             | Net Names     |                           |
| HDMI_CTRL       |      |                  |                                  |               |                           |
| BG1             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DDC_SCL | P105                             | HDMI_CTRL_CK  | Camera 1 I2C<br>bus clock |
| BN5             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DDC_SDA | P106                             | HDMI_CTRL_DAT | Camera 1 I2C<br>bus data  |

There are also i2c buses in *SMARC-iMX8* NOT exposed on the *SMARC* golden finger edge connector as shown below

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU                      |      |                                            | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |          | Note                           |
|--------------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------|
| Ball                                 | Mode | Pin Name                                   | Pin#                          | Pin Name |                                |
| For Module PMIC                      |      |                                            |                               |          |                                |
| AY46                                 | ALT0 | PMIC_I2C_SCL__<br>SCU_PMIC_I2C_SCL         |                               |          | Power management I2C bus clock |
| BG51                                 | ALT0 | PMIC_I2C_SDA__<br>SCU_PMIC_I2C_SDA         |                               |          | Power management I2C bus data  |
| For Module RTC Chip and TPM 2.0 chip |      |                                            |                               |          |                                |
| BN9                                  | ALT1 | HDMI_TX0_TS_SCL__<br>DMA_I2C0_SCL          |                               |          | I2C bus clock                  |
| BN7                                  | ALT1 | HDMI_TX0_TS_SCL__<br>DMA_I2C0_SCL          |                               |          | I2C bus data                   |
| For MIPI_DSI1 to eDP0 Bridge Chip    |      |                                            |                               |          |                                |
| BE27                                 | ALT0 | MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SCL__<br>MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SCL |                               |          | eDP0 display I2C bus clock     |
| BG25                                 | ALT0 | MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SDA__<br>MIPI_DSI1_I2C0_SDA |                               |          | eDP0 display I2C bus data      |
| For MIPI_DSI0 to eDP1 Bridge Chip    |      |                                            |                               |          |                                |
| BE29                                 | ALT0 | MIPI_DSI0_I2C0_SCL__<br>MIPI_DSI0_I2C0_SCL |                               |          | eDP1 display I2C bus clock     |
| BE31                                 | ALT0 | MIPI_DSI0_I2C0_SDA__<br>MIPI_DSI0_I2C0_SDA |                               |          | eDP1 display I2C bus data      |

**Note:**

All I2C bus defined in SMARC 2.0 specification are operated at 1.8V. The slave devices and their address details are listed in the following table:

| #      | Device                       | Description | Address<br>(7-bit) | Address<br>(8-bit) |       | Notes                                                                       |
|--------|------------------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|        |                              |             |                    | Read               | Write |                                                                             |
| I2C_GP |                              |             |                    |                    |       |                                                                             |
| 1      | On Semiconductor<br>CAT24C32 | EEPROM      | 0x50               | 0xA1               | 0xA0  | General purpose parameter EEPROM, Serial number, etc in PICMG EEPROM format |

**Note:**

On-module EEPROM has been moved from I2C\_PM to I2C\_GP at SMARC 2.0 specification.

The slave devices and their address details on the i2c buses that are *NOT* exposed to the golden finger connector are listed in the following table:

| #                                    | Device                 | Description          | Address<br>(7-bit) | Address<br>(8-bit) |       | Notes                  |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
|                                      |                        |                      |                    | Read               | Write |                        |
| For Module PMIC                      |                        |                      |                    |                    |       |                        |
| 1                                    | NXP<br>MC33PF8100EPES  | PMIC1                | 0x08               | 0x11               | 0x10  | Power<br>Management IC |
| 2.                                   | NXP<br>MC33PF8100EPES  | PMIC2                | 0x09               | 0x13               | 0x12  | Power<br>Management IC |
| For Module RTC Chip and TPM 2.0 chip |                        |                      |                    |                    |       |                        |
| 1                                    | Seiko S-35390A         | RTC                  | 0x30               | 0xA1               | 0xA0  | Real-Time Clock        |
| 2                                    | ST<br>ST33HTPH2E32AHC2 | TPM                  | 0x2E               | 0x5D               | 0x5C  | TPM 2.0                |
| For Module MIPI_DSI1 to eDP0 chip    |                        |                      |                    |                    |       |                        |
| 1                                    | TI<br>SN65DSI86ZQE     | MIPI DSI1 to<br>eDP0 | 0x2C               | 0x59               | 0x58  | MIPI_DSI1 to eDP0      |
| For Module MIPI_DSI0 to eDP1 chip    |                        |                      |                    |                    |       |                        |
| 1                                    | TI<br>SN65DSI86ZQE     | MIPI DSI0 to<br>eDP1 | 0x2C               | 0x59               | 0x58  | MIPI_DSI0 to eDP1      |

### 2.1.19. CAN Bus Interface

The FlexCAN module in *i.MX8QM* processor is a communication controller implementing the CAN protocol according to the ISO 11898-1 standard and CAN 2.0 B protocol specifications (CAN-FD). The Flexible Controller Area Network (FlexCAN) is a serial communications protocol which efficiently supports distributed real-time control with a high level of security. The *SMARC-iMX8* module supports two *CAN-FD* bus interfaces.

CAN-FD interface signals are exposed on the *SMARC* golden finger edge connector as shown below:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                  | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |           | Note                 |
|-----------------|------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                         | Pin#                          | Net Names |                      |
| CAN0 BUS        |      |                                  |                               |           |                      |
| H6              | ALT0 | FLEXCAN0_TX__<br>DMA_FLEXCAN0_TX | P143                          | CAN0_TX   | CAN0 Transmit output |
| C5              | ALT0 | FLEXCAN0_RX__<br>DMA_FLEXCAN0_RX | P144                          | CAN0_RX   | CAN0 Receive input   |
| CAN1 BUS        |      |                                  |                               |           |                      |
| G7              | ALT0 | FLEXCAN1_TX__<br>DMA_FLEXCAN1_TX | P145                          | CAN1_TX   | CAN1 Transmit output |
| E5              | ALT0 | FLEXCAN1_RX__<br>DMA_FLEXCAN1_RX | P146                          | CAN1_RX   | CAN1 Receive input   |

A CAN transceiver on carrier is necessary to adapt the signals from *SMARC* golden finger edge connector, which is TTL levels, to the physical layer used. Because the CAN bus system is typically used to connect multiple systems and is often run over very long distances, both power supply and signal path must be electrically isolated to meet a certain isolation level. Users can refer the “**SMARC Carrier Board Hardware Design Guide**” or CAN transceiver application note such as TI SLLA270 for more details.

### **2.1.19.1. CAN0 BUS Signals**

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>   |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| CAN0_TX                                       | Output           | CMOS<br>VDDIO             | CAN0 Transmit output |
| CAN0_RX                                       | Input            | CMOS<br>VDDIO             | CAN0 Receive input   |

### **2.1.19.2. CAN1 BUS Signals**

| <i>Edge Golden<br/>Finder<br/>Signal Name</i> | <i>Direction</i> | <i>Type<br/>Tolerance</i> | <i>Description</i>   |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| CAN1_TX                                       | Output           | CMOS<br>VDDIO             | CAN1 Transmit output |
| CAN1_RX                                       | Input            | CMOS<br>VDDIO             | CAN1 Receive input   |

### **2.1.20. GPIOs**

The *SMARC-iMX8* module supports 12 GPIOs, as defined by the *SMARC* specification. Specific alternate functions are assigned to some *GPIOs* such as *PWM / Tachometer* capability, Camera support, CAN Error Signaling and HD Audio reset. All pins are capable of bi-directional operation. A default direction of operation is assigned, with half of them (*GPIO0 – GPIO5*) for use as outputs and the remainder (*GPIO6 – GPIO11*) as inputs by *SMARC* hardware specification.

GPIO signals are exposed on the SMARC golden finger edge connector as shown below:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                         | SMARC-iMX8 Edge Golden Finger |                 | Net Names | Note                                       |
|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|--------------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name                                | Pin#                          | Pin Name        |           |                                            |
| GPIOs           |      |                                         |                               |                 |           |                                            |
| BM22            | ALT3 | MIPI_CSI0_GPIO0_01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO28 | P108                          | GPIO0/CAM0_PWR# | GPIO0     | Camera 0 Power Enable, active low output   |
| BN13            | ALT3 | MIPI_CSI1_GPIO0_01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO31 | P109                          | GPIO1/CAM1_PWR# | GPIO1     | Camera 1 Power Enable, active low output   |
| BL23            | ALT3 | MIPI_CSI0_GPIO0_00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO27 | P110                          | GPIO2/CAM0_RST# | GPIO2     | Camera 0 Reset, active low output          |
| BN15            | ALT3 | MIPI_CSI1_GPIO0_00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO30 | P111                          | GPIO3/CAM1_RST# | GPIO3     | Camera 1 Reset, active low output          |
| AY52            | ALT3 | GPT0_CLK__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO14           | P112                          | GPIO4/HDA_RST#  | GPIO4     | HD Audio Reset, active low output          |
| AW53            | ALT3 | GPT0_COMPARE__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO16       | P113                          | GPIO5/PWM_OUT   | GPIO5     | PWM output                                 |
| AV52            | ALT3 | GPT0_CAPTURE__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO15       | P114                          | GPIO6/TACHIN    | GPIO6     | Tachometer input (used with the GPIO5 PWM) |
| BA51            | ALT3 | GPT1_COMPARE__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO19       | P115                          | GPIO7           | GPIO7     |                                            |
| AY50            | ALT3 | GPT1_CAPTURE__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO18       | P116                          | GPIO8           | GPIO8     |                                            |
| BA53            | ALT3 | GPT1_CLK__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO17           | P117                          | GPIO9           | GPIO9     |                                            |
| E7              | ALT3 | FLEXCAN2_TX__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO02        | P118                          | GPIO10          | GPIO10    |                                            |
| C3              | ALT3 | FLEXCAN2_RX__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO01        | P118                          | GPIO11          | GPIO11    |                                            |

### 2.1.20.1. GPIO Signals

Twelve Module pins are allocated for *GPIO* (general purpose input / output) use. All pins are capable of bi-directional operation. By *SMARC* specification, *GPIO0* – *GPIO5* are recommended for use as outputs and the remainder (*GPIO6* – *GPIO11*) as inputs.

At Module power-up, the state of the GPIO pins may not be defined, and may briefly be configured in the “wrong” state, before boot loader code corrects them. Carrier designers should be aware of this and plan accordingly. All GPIO pins are capable of generating interrupts. The interrupt characteristics (edge or level sensitivity, polarity) are generally configurable in the *i.MX8QM* register set.

| Edge Golden FINDER<br>Signal Name | Preferred<br>Direction | Type<br>Tolerance | Description                                       |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| <i>GPIO0/CAM0_PWR#</i>            | Output                 | CMOS<br>1.8V      | Camera 0 Power Enable, active low output          |
| <i>GPIO1/CAM1_PWR#</i>            | Output                 | CMOS<br>1.8V      | Camera 1 Power Enable, active low output          |
| <i>GPIO2/CAM0_RST#</i>            | Output                 | CMOS<br>1.8V      | Camera 0 Reset, active low output                 |
| <i>GPIO3/CAM1_RST#</i>            | Output                 | CMOS<br>1.8V      | Camera 1 Reset, active low output                 |
| <i>GPIO4/HDA_RST#</i>             | Output                 | CMOS<br>1.8V      | HD Audio Reset, active low output                 |
| <i>GPIO5/PWM_OUT</i>              | Output                 | CMOS<br>1.8V      | PWM output                                        |
| <i>GPIO6/TACHIN</i>               | Input                  | CMOS<br>1.8V      | Tachometer input (used with the <i>GPIO5</i> PWM) |
| <i>GPIO7/PCAM_FLD</i>             | Input                  | CMOS<br>1.8V      |                                                   |
| <i>GPIO8/CAN0_ERR#</i>            | Input                  | CMOS<br>1.8V      |                                                   |
| <i>GPIO9/CAN1_ERR#</i>            | Input                  | CMOS<br>1.8V      |                                                   |
| <i>GPIO10</i>                     | Input                  | CMOS<br>1.8V      |                                                   |
| <i>GPIO11</i>                     | Input                  | CMOS<br>1.8V      |                                                   |

### 2.1.21 Watchdog Timer Interface

*i.MX8QM* features an internal *WDT*. Embedian's Linux kernel enables the internal *i.MX8QM* *WDT* and makes this functionality available to users through the standard Linux Watchdog API.

A description of the API is available following the link below:

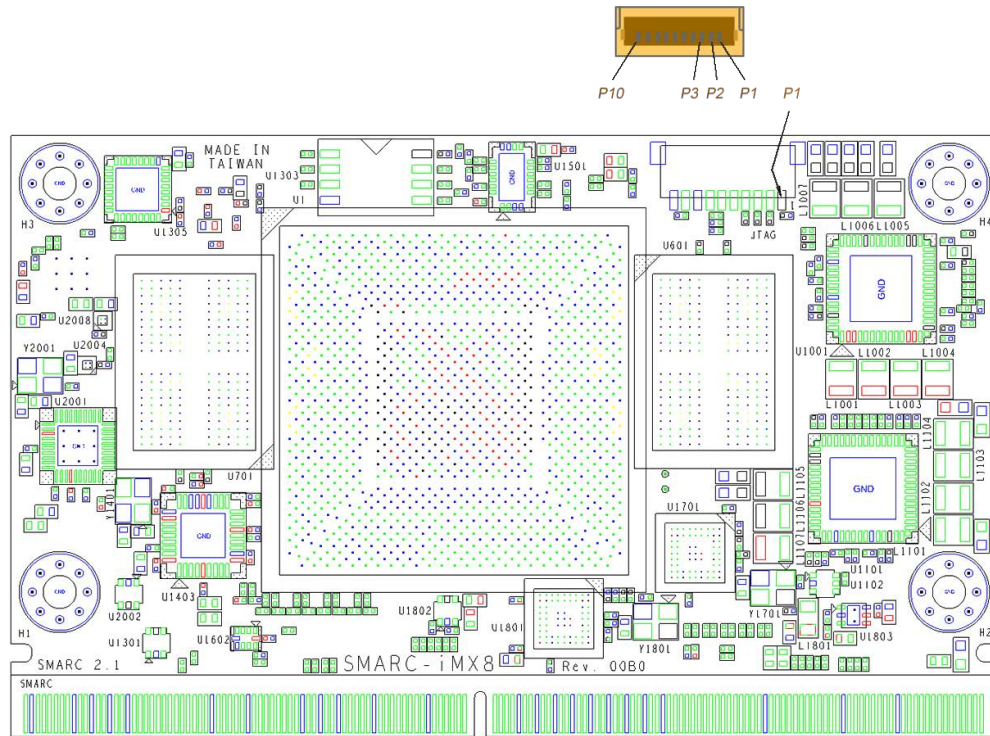
<http://www.kernel.org/doc/Documentation/watchdog/watchdog-api.txt>

WDT signals are exposed on the *SMARC* golden finger edge connector as shown below:

| NXP <i>i.MX8QM</i> CPU |      |                                | SMARC- <i>iMX8</i> Edge<br>Golden Finger |                   | Net Names     | Note                      |
|------------------------|------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Ball                   | Mode | Pin Name                       | Pin#                                     | Pin Name          |               |                           |
| Watchdog Timer         |      |                                |                                          |                   |               |                           |
| BC9                    | ALT3 | SPDIF0_TX__<br>LSIO_GPIO2_IO15 | S145                                     | WDT_TIME_<br>OUT# | WDT_TIME_OUT# | Watchdog-<br>Timer Output |

## 2.1.22 JTAG

The following figure shows the *SMARC-iMX8 JTAG* connectors location and pin out.



**Figure 14 JTAG Connector Location and Pinout**

JTAG functions for CPU debug and test are implemented on separate small form factor connector (CN3: *JST SM10B-SRSS-TB*, 1mm pitch R/A SMD Header). The JTAG pins are used to allow test equipment and circuit emulators to have access to the Module CPU. The pin-outs shown below are used:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |             | JTAG(Connector: JST SM10B-SRSS-TB, 1mm pitch R/A SMD Header) |           | Type   | Note                                          |
|-----------------|------|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|--------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Ball            | Mode | Pin Name    | Pin#                                                         | Pin Name  |        |                                               |
| JTAG            |      |             |                                                              |           |        |                                               |
|                 |      |             | 1                                                            | VDD_33A   | Power  | JTAG I/O Voltage (sourced by Module)          |
| BE53            | ALT0 | JTAG_TRST_B | 2                                                            | nTRST     | I      | JTAG Reset, active low                        |
| BA49            | ALT0 | JTAG_TMS    | 3                                                            | TMS       | I      | JTAG mode select                              |
| BD52            | ALT0 | JTAG_TDO    | 4                                                            | TDO       | O      | JTAG data out                                 |
| BE51            | ALT0 | JTAG_TDI    | 5                                                            | TDI       | I      | JTAG data in                                  |
| BC51            | ALT0 | JTAG_TCK    | 6                                                            | TCK       | I      | JTAG clock                                    |
|                 |      |             | 7                                                            | RTCK      | I      | JTAG return clock                             |
|                 |      |             | 8                                                            | GND       | Ground | Ground                                        |
|                 |      |             | 9                                                            | MFG_Mode# | I      | Pulled low to allow in-circuit SPI ROM update |
|                 |      |             | 10                                                           | GND       | Ground | Ground                                        |

### **2.1.23 Boot ID EEPROM**

The *SMARC-iMX8* module includes an I2C serial *EEPROM* available on the *I2C\_GP* bus. An On Semiconductor 24C32 or equivalent *EEPROM* is used in the module. The device operates at 1.8V. The Module serial *EEPROM* is placed at I2C slave addresses *A2 A1 A0* set to 0 (I2C slave address 50 hex, 7 bit address format or *A0 / A1* hex, 8 bit format) (for I2C *EEPROMs*, address bits *A6 A5 A4 A3* are set to binary 0101 convention).

The module serial *EEPROM* is intended to retain module parameter information, including serial number. The module serial *EEPROM* data structure conforms to the *PICMG*® *EEP* Embedded *EEPROM* Specification.

**Note:**

The *EEPROM ID* memory layout is now follow the mainline and as follows.

| <b>Name</b>          | <b>Size (Bytes)</b> | <b>Contents</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Header</b>        | 4                   | MSB 0xEE3355AA LSB                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Board Name</b>    | 8                   | <p>Name for Board in ASCII</p> <p>“SMC8MQ8G” = Embedian SMARC-iMX8 Computer on Module with QuadMax Core and 8GB LPDDR4 Configuration</p> <p>“SMC8MQ4G” = Embedian SMARC-iMX8 Computer on Module with QuadMax Core and 4GB LPDDR4 Configuration</p> <p>“SMC8MP8G” = Embedian SMARC-iMX8 Computer on Module with QuadPlus Core and 8GB LPDDR4 Configuration</p> <p>“SMC8MP4G” = Embedian SMARC-iMX8 Computer on Module with QuadPlus Core and 4GB LPDDR4 Configuration</p> |
| <b>Version</b>       | 4                   | Hardware version code for version in ASCII “00A0” = rev. A0                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Serial Number</b> | 12                  | <p>Serial number of the board. This is a 12 character string which is: WWYYM8QMnnnn</p> <p>Where: WW = 2 digit week of the year of production</p> <p>YY = 2 digit year of production</p> <p>M8 = Module iMX8</p> <p>QM/QP= QuadMax or QuadPlus Core</p> <p>nnnn = incrementing board number</p>                                                                                                                                                                          |

| <b><i>Name</i></b>                 | <b><i>Size (Bytes)</i></b> | <b><i>Contents</i></b>                                                                              |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b><i>Configuration Option</i></b> | 32                         | <i>Codes to show the configuration setup on this board. These 32 bytes are reserved by default.</i> |
| <b><i>MAC Address</i></b>          | 6                          | <i>Ethernet MAC Address (10:0D:32:XX:XX:XX)</i>                                                     |
| <b><i>MAC Address</i></b>          | 6                          | <i>Ethernet MAC Address for 2nd LAN (10:0D:32:XX:XX:XX)</i>                                         |
| <b><i>Available</i></b>            | 32720                      | <i>Available space for other non-volatile codes/data</i>                                            |

## 2.2 SMARC-iMX8 Debug

### 2.2.1. Serial Port Debug

SMARC module has 4 serial output ports, *SER0*, *SER1*, *SER2* and *SER3*. Out of these 4 serial ports, *SER3* is set as the serial debug port use for *i.MX8QM* from Embedian. Users can change to any port they want to from *u-boot* defconfig file. *SER3* is exposed (along with all other serial ports available on the module) in the *SMARC-iMX8* Evaluation Carrier. The default baud rate setting is 115,200 8N1.

*SER3* pin out of the *SMARC-iMX8* is shown below:

| NXP i.MX8QM CPU              |                                | SMARC-iMX8 Edge<br>Golden Finger |          | Net Names | Notes                                |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|-----------|--------------------------------------|
| mode                         | Pin Name                       | Pin#                             | Pin Name |           |                                      |
| <i>SER3 (Debugging Port)</i> |                                |                                  |          |           |                                      |
| ALT2                         | M41_GPIO0_01__<br>DMA_UART3_TX | P140                             | SER3_TX  | SER3_TX   | Asynchronous serial<br>port data out |
| ALT2                         | M41_GPIO0_00__<br>DMA_UART3_RX | P141                             | SER3_RX  | SER3_RX   | Asynchronous serial<br>port data in  |

## 2.3 Mechanical Specifications

### 2.3.1. Module Dimensions

The *SMARC-iMX8* complies with *SMARC* Hardware Specification in an 82mm x 50 mm form factor.

### 2.3.2. Height on Top

2.9mm maximum (without PCB) complied with *SMARC* specification defines as 3mm as the maximum.

### 2.3.3. Height on Bottom

0.9mm maximum (without PCB) complied with *SMARC* specification defines as 1.3mm as the maximum.

### 2.3.4. Mechanical Drawings

The mechanical information is shown in Figure 15: *SMARC-iMX8* Mechanical Drawings (Top View) and Figure 16: *SMARC-iMX8* Mechanical Drawings (Bottom View)

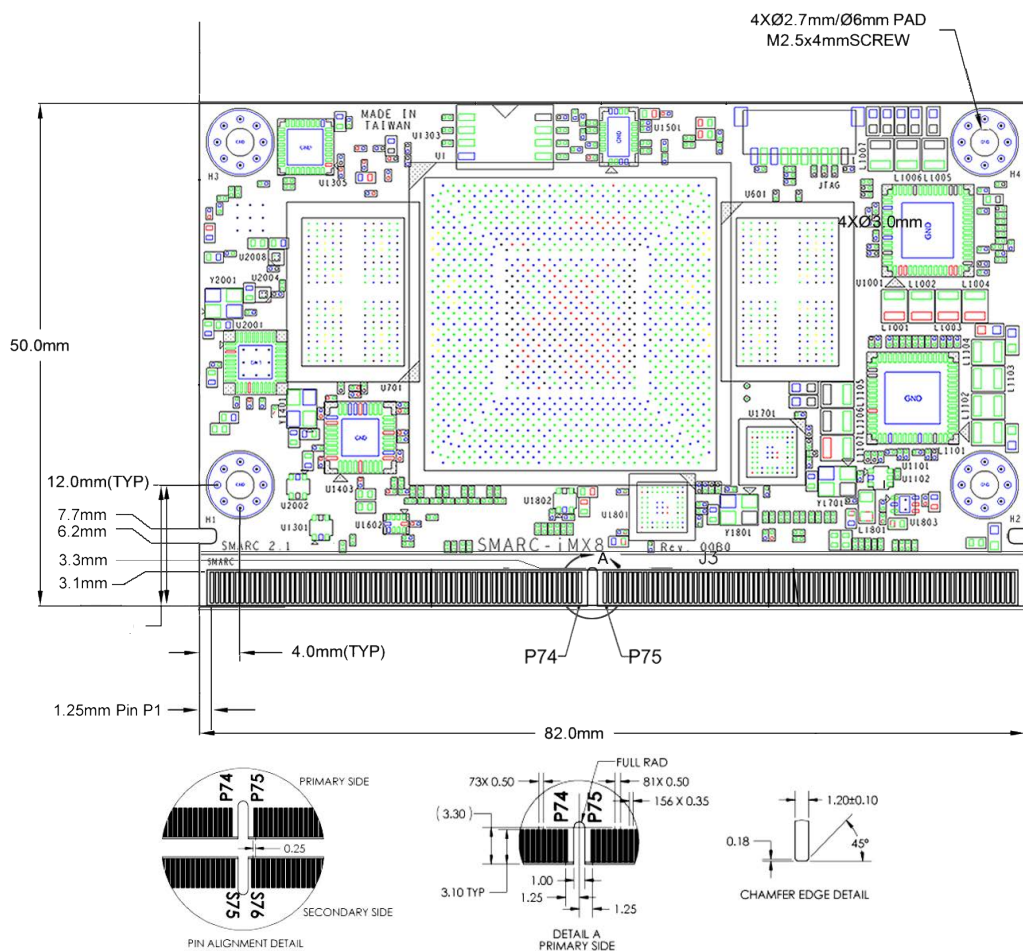
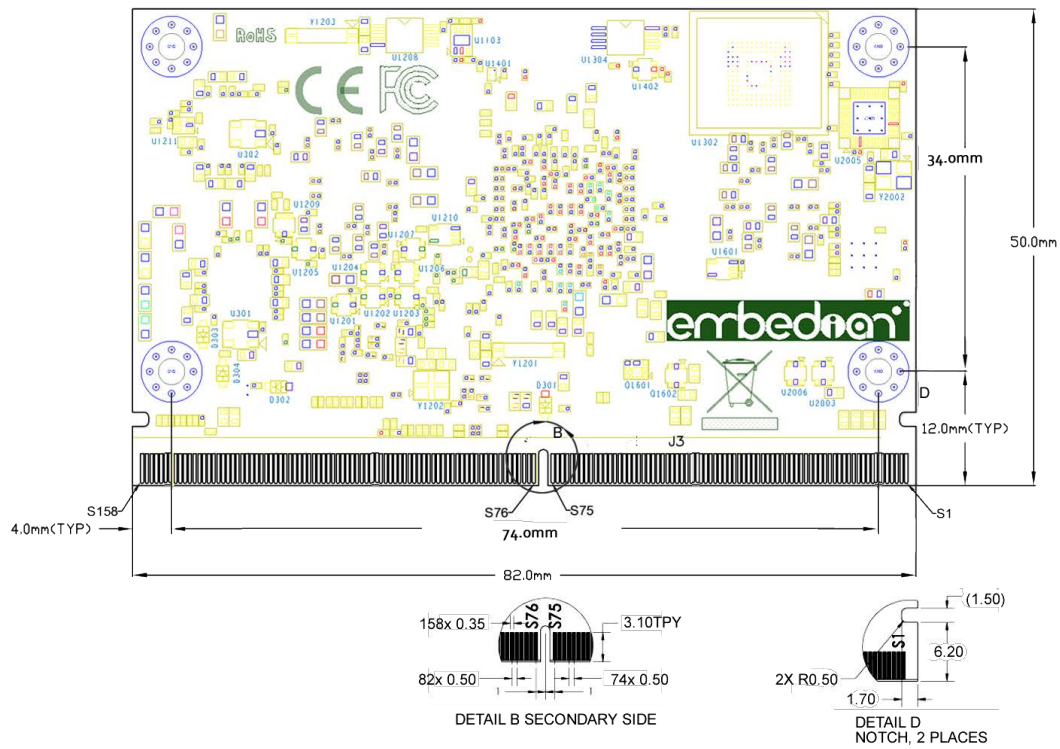


Figure 15 *SMARC-iMX8* Mechanical Drawings (Top View)



**Figure 16 SMARC-iMX8 Mechanical Drawings (Bottom View)**

The figure on the following page details the 82mm x 50mm Module mechanical attributes, including the pin numbering and edge finger pattern.

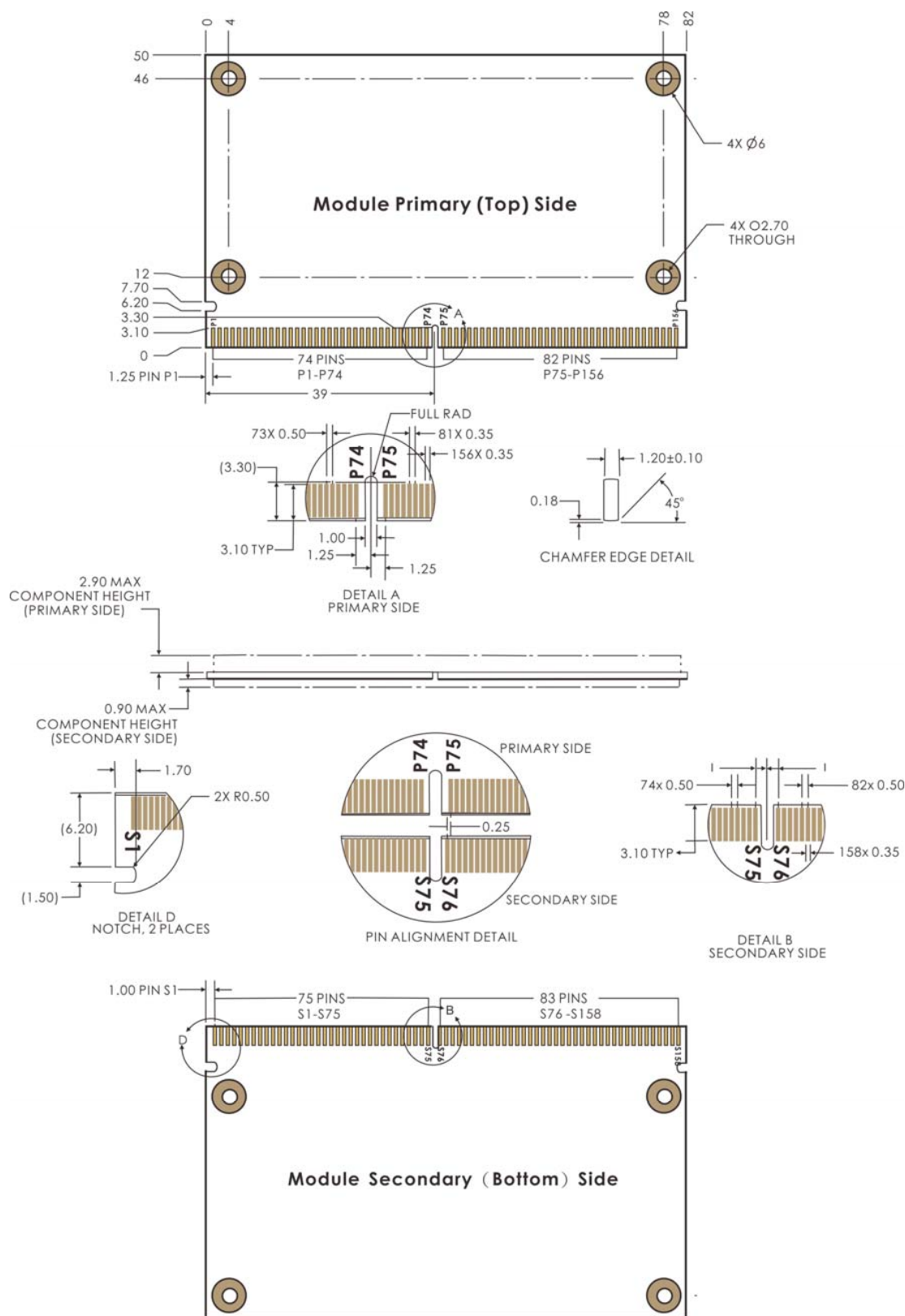
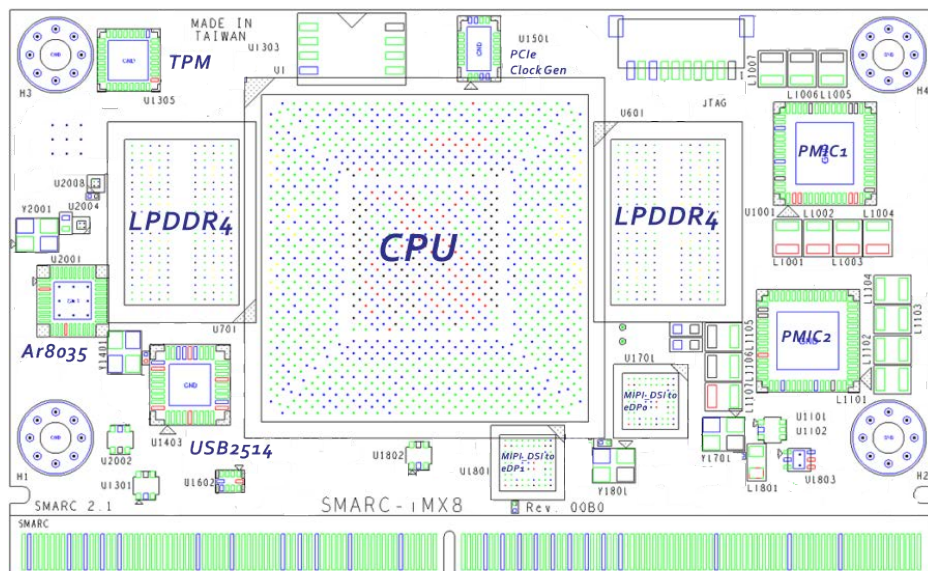


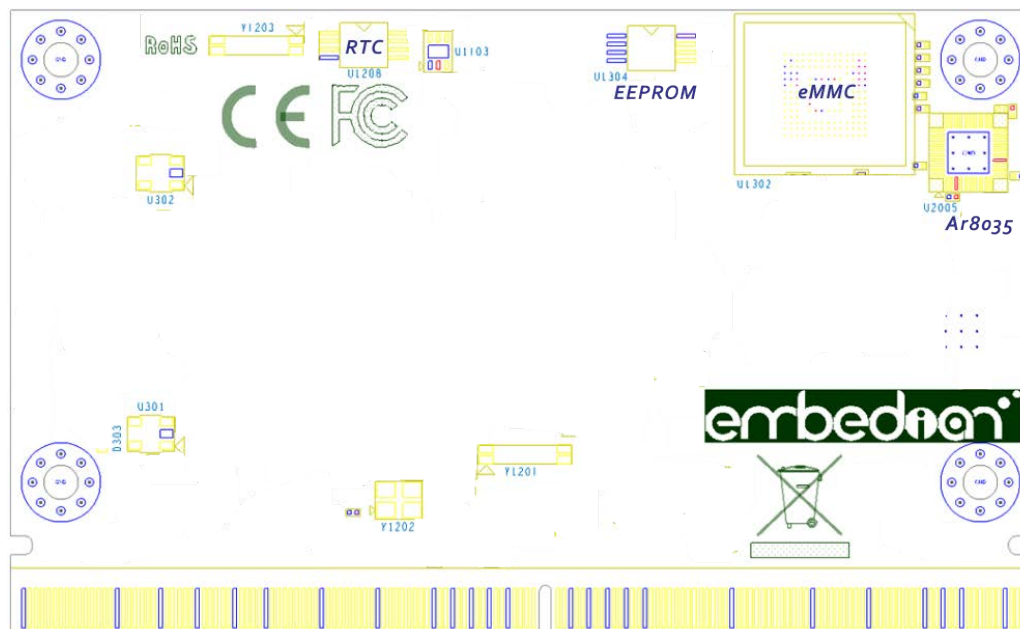
Figure 17 SMARC-iMX8 Module Mechanical Outline

Top side major component (IC and Connector) information is shown in Figure 18: *SMARC-iMX8* Top side components.



### Figure 18 SMARC-iMX8 Top Side Components

Bottom side major component (IC and Connector) information is shown in Figure 19: *SMARC-iMX8* Bottom side components.



**Figure 19** *SMARC-iMX8* Bottom Side Components

SMARC-iMX8 height information from Carrier board Top side to tallest Module component is shown in Figure 20: SMARC-iMX8 Minimum “Z” Height:

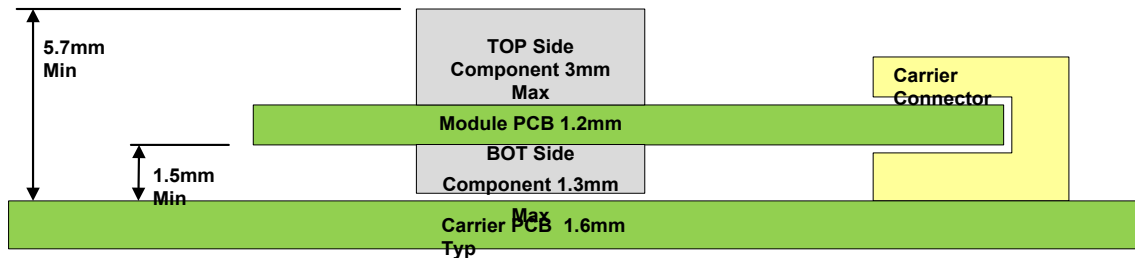


Figure 20 SMARC-iMX8 Minimum “Z” Height

The SMARC connector board-to-board stack heights that are available may result in the use of non-standard spacer lengths. The board-to-board stack heights available include 1.5mm, 2.7mm and 5mm. Of these three, only the spacer for the 5mm stack would likely be a standard length.

When a 1.5mm stack height Carrier board connector is used, there shall not be components on the Carrier board Top side in the Module region. Additionally, when 1.5mm stack height connectors are used, there should not be PCB traces on the Carrier top side in the Module shadow. This is to prevent possible problems with metallic Module heat sink attachment hardware that may protrude through the Module.

If Carrier board components are required in this region, then the Carrier components must be on the Carrier Bottom side, or a taller Module-to-Carrier connector may be used. Stack heights of 2.7mm, 3mm, 5mm and up are available.

### 2.3.5. Carrier Board Connector PCB Footprint

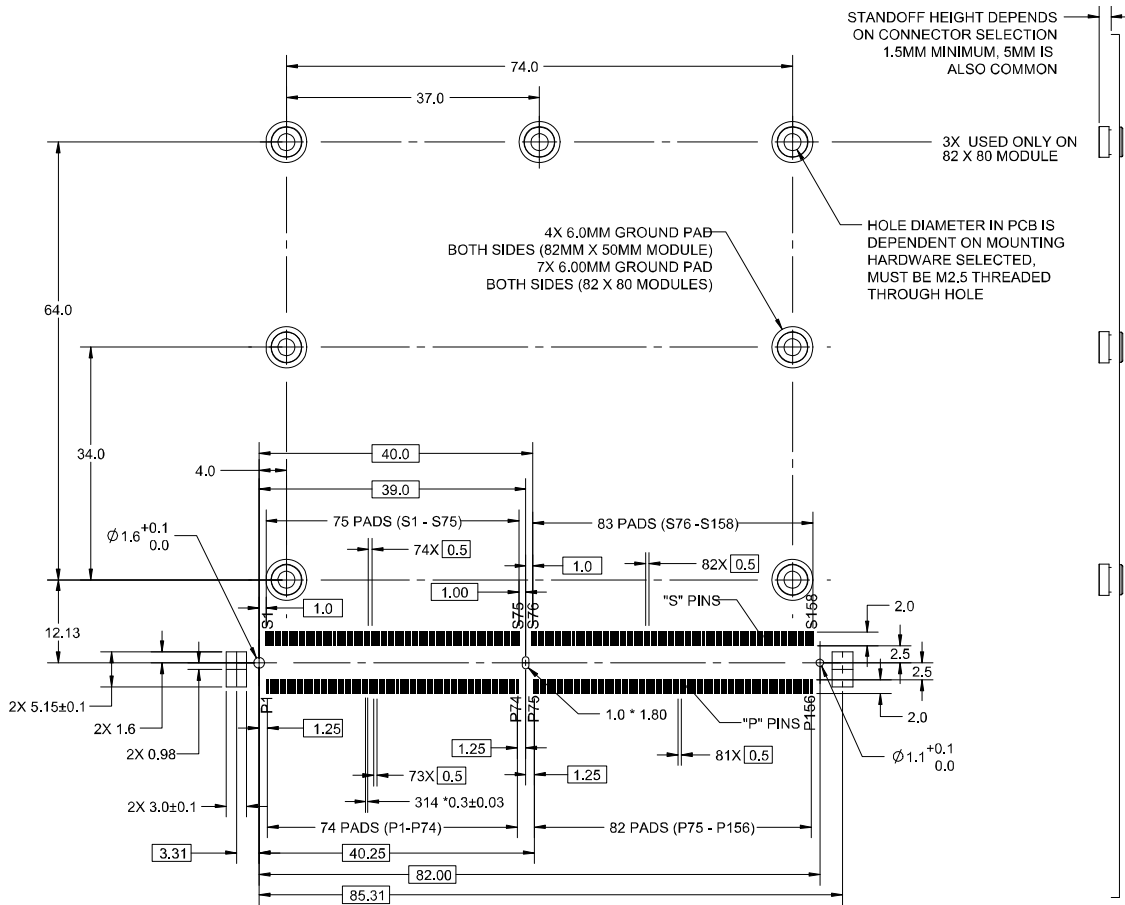


Figure 21 Carrier Board Connector PCB Footprint

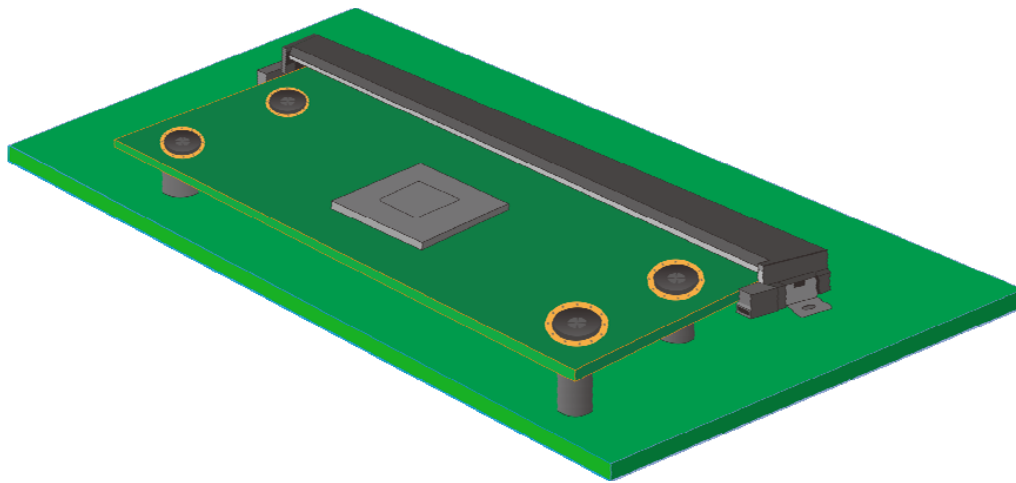
**Note:**

The hole diameter for the 4 holes (82mm x 50mm Module) or 7 holes (82mm x 80mm Module) depends on the spacer hardware selection. See the section below for more information on this.

### **2.3.6. Module Assembly Hardware**

The *SMARC-iMX8* module is attached to the carrier with four M2.5 screws. A 4mm length screw is usually used. The attachment holes are located on the corners of the module. Attachment holes have a 6mm diameter pad, 2.7 mm dia drill hole as shown Figure 15: *SMARC-iMX8* Mechanical Drawings (Top View)

### **2.3.7. Carrier Board Standoffs**



**Figure 22 Screw Fixation**

Standoffs secured to the Carrier board are expected. The standoffs are to be used with M2.5 hardware. Most implementations will use Carrier board standoffs that have M2.5 threads (as opposed to clearance holes). A short M2.5 screw and washer, inserted from the Module top side, secures the Module to the Carrier board threaded standoff.

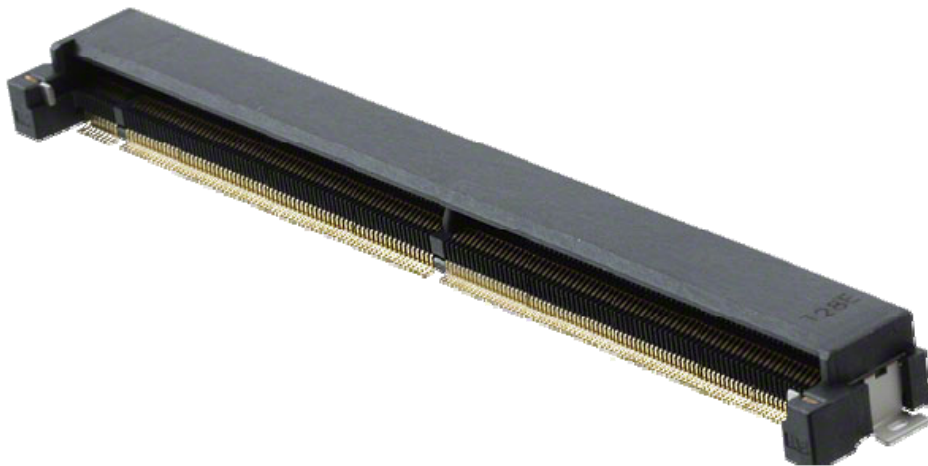
The *SMARC* connector board-to-board stack heights that are available may result in the use of non-standard spacer lengths. The board-to-board stack heights available include 1.5mm, 2.7mm and 5mm. Of these three, only the

spacer for the 5mm stack would likely be a standard length.

Penn Engineering and Manufacturing (PEM) ([www.pemnet.com](http://www.pemnet.com)) makes surface mount spacers with M2.5 internal threads. The product line is called SMTSO (“surface mount technology stand offs”). The shortest standard length offered is 2mm. A custom part with 1.5mm standoff length, M2.5 internal thread, and 5.56mm standoff OD is available from PEM. The Carrier PCB requires a 4.22mm hole and 6.2mm pad to accept these parts.

Other vendors such as RAF Electronic Hardware ([www.rafhdwe.com](http://www.rafhdwe.com)) offer M2.5 compatible swaged standoffs. Swaged standoffs require the use of a press and anvil at the CM. Their use is common in the industry. The standoff OD and Carrier PCB hole size requirements are different from the PEM SMTSO standoffs described above.

#### **2.3.8. Carrier Connector**



**Figure 23 MXM3 Carrier Connector**

The Carrier board connector is a 314 pin 0.5mm pitch right angle part designed for use with 1.2mm thick mating PCBs with the appropriate edge finger pattern. The connector is commonly used for MXM3 graphics cards. The *SMARC* Module uses the connector in a way quite different from the *MXM3* usage.

| <i>Vender</i>    | <i>Vendor P/N</i>        | <i>Stack Height</i> | <i>Body Height</i> | <i>Contact Plating</i> | <i>Pin Style</i> | <i>Body Color</i> |
|------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <i>Foxconn</i>   | <i>AS0B821-S43B - *H</i> | <i>1.5mm</i>        | <i>4.3mm</i>       | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Foxconn</i>   | <i>AS0B821-S43N - *H</i> | <i>1.5mm</i>        | <i>4.3mm</i>       | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Ivory</i>      |
| <i>Foxconn</i>   | <i>AS0B826-S43B - *H</i> | <i>1.5mm</i>        | <i>4.3mm</i>       | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Foxconn</i>   | <i>AS0B826-S43N - *H</i> | <i>1.5mm</i>        | <i>4.3mm</i>       | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Ivory</i>      |
| <i>Lotes</i>     | <i>AAA-MXM-008-P04_A</i> | <i>1.5mm</i>        | <i>4.3mm</i>       | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Tan</i>        |
| <i>Lotes</i>     | <i>AAA-MXM-008-P03</i>   | <i>1.5mm</i>        | <i>4.3mm</i>       | <i>15 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Tan</i>        |
| <i>Speedtech</i> | <i>B35P101-02111-H</i>   | <i>1.56mm</i>       | <i>4.0mm</i>       | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Speedtech</i> | <i>B35P101-02011-H</i>   | <i>1.56mm</i>       | <i>4.0mm</i>       | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Tan</i>        |
| <i>Speedtech</i> | <i>B35P101-02112-H</i>   | <i>1.56mm</i>       | <i>4.0mm</i>       | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Speedtech</i> | <i>B35P101-02012-H</i>   | <i>1.56mm</i>       | <i>4.0mm</i>       | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Tan</i>        |
| <i>Speedtech</i> | <i>B35P101-02113-H</i>   | <i>1.56mm</i>       | <i>4.0mm</i>       | <i>15 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Speedtech</i> | <i>B35P101-02013-H</i>   | <i>1.56mm</i>       | <i>4.0mm</i>       | <i>15 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Tan</i>        |
| <i>Aces</i>      | <i>91781-314 2 8-001</i> | <i>2.7mm</i>        | <i>5.2mm</i>       | <i>3 u-in</i>          | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |

| <i>Vender</i>                  | <i>Vendor P/N</i>        | <i>Stack Height</i> | <i>Body Height</i> | <i>Contact Plating</i> | <i>Pin Style</i> | <i>Body Color</i> |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <i>Foxconn</i>                 | <i>AS0B821-S55B - *H</i> | <i>2.7mm</i>        | <i>5.5mm</i>       | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Foxconn</i>                 | <i>AS0B821-S55N - *H</i> | <i>2.7mm</i>        | <i>5.5mm</i>       | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Ivory</i>      |
| <i>Foxconn</i>                 | <i>AS0B826-S55B - *H</i> | <i>2.7mm</i>        | <i>5.5mm</i>       | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Foxconn</i>                 | <i>AS0B826-S55N - *H</i> | <i>2.7mm</i>        | <i>5.5mm</i>       | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Ivory</i>      |
|                                |                          |                     |                    |                        |                  |                   |
| <i>Speedtech</i>               | <i>B35P101-02121-H</i>   | <i>2.76mm</i>       | <i>5.2mm</i>       | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Speedtech</i>               | <i>B35P101-02021-H</i>   | <i>2.76mm</i>       | <i>5.2mm</i>       | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Tan</i>        |
| <i>Speedtech</i>               | <i>B35P101-02122-H</i>   | <i>2.76mm</i>       | <i>5.2mm</i>       | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Speedtech</i>               | <i>B35P101-02022-H</i>   | <i>2.76mm</i>       | <i>5.2mm</i>       | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Tan</i>        |
| <i>Speedtech</i>               | <i>B35P101-02123-H</i>   | <i>2.76mm</i>       | <i>5.2mm</i>       | <i>15 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Speedtech</i>               | <i>B35P101-02023-H</i>   | <i>2.76mm</i>       | <i>5.2mm</i>       | <i>15 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Tan</i>        |
|                                |                          |                     |                    |                        |                  |                   |
| <i>Foxconn</i>                 | <i>AS0B821-S78B - *H</i> | <i>5.0mm</i>        | <i>7.8</i>         | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Foxconn</i>                 | <i>AS0B821-S78N - *H</i> | <i>5.0mm</i>        | <i>7.8</i>         | <i>Flash</i>           | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Ivory</i>      |
| <i>Foxconn</i>                 | <i>AS0B826-S78B - *H</i> | <i>5.0mm</i>        | <i>7.8</i>         | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |
| <i>Foxconn</i>                 | <i>AS0B826-S78N - *H</i> | <i>5.0mm</i>        | <i>7.8</i>         | <i>10 u-in</i>         | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Ivory</i>      |
|                                |                          |                     |                    |                        |                  |                   |
| <i>Yamaichi</i> <sup>(1)</sup> | <i>CN113-314-2001</i>    | <i>5.0mm</i>        | <i>7.8</i>         | <i>0.3 u-meter</i>     | <i>Std</i>       | <i>Black</i>      |

Other, taller stack heights may be available from these and other vendors. Stack heights as tall as 11mm are shown on the Aces web site.

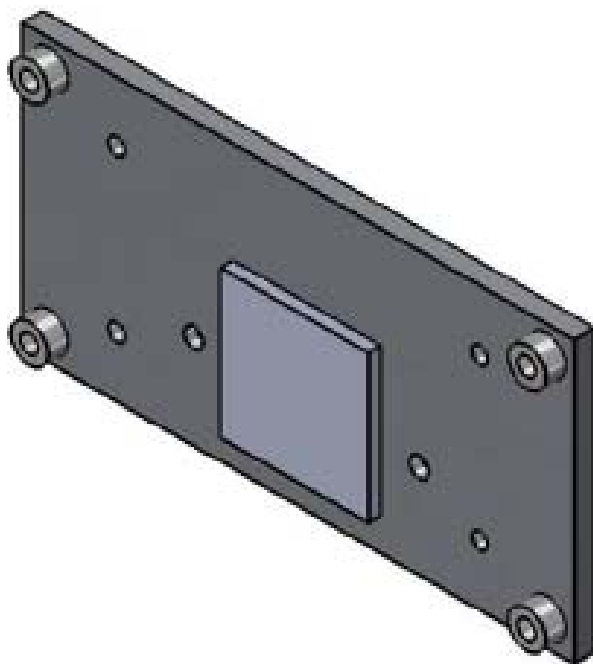
**Note:**

1. *Yamaichi CN113-314-2001* is automotive grade.
2. The vendor drawings for the connectors listed above show a PCB footprint pattern for use with an MXM3 graphics card. This footprint, and the associated pin numbering, is not suitable for *SMARC* use. The MXM3 standard gangs large groups of pins together to provide ~80W capable power paths needed for X86 graphics cards. The *SMARC* module “ungangs” these pins to allow more signal pins. Footprint and pin numbering information for application of this 314 pin connector to *SMARC* is given in the sections below.

### ***2.3.9. Module Cooling Solution—Heat Spreader***

A standard heat-spreader plate for use with the *SMARC* 82mm x 50mm form factor is described below. A standard heat spreader plate definition allows the customer to use a Module from multiple vendors.

The heat spreader plate is sized at 82mm x 42mm x 3mm, and sits 3mm above the *SMARC* Module. The heat spreader plate ‘Y’ dimension is deliberately set at 42mm and not 50mm, to allow the plate to clear the *SMARC MXM3* connector. The plate is shown in the figures below.



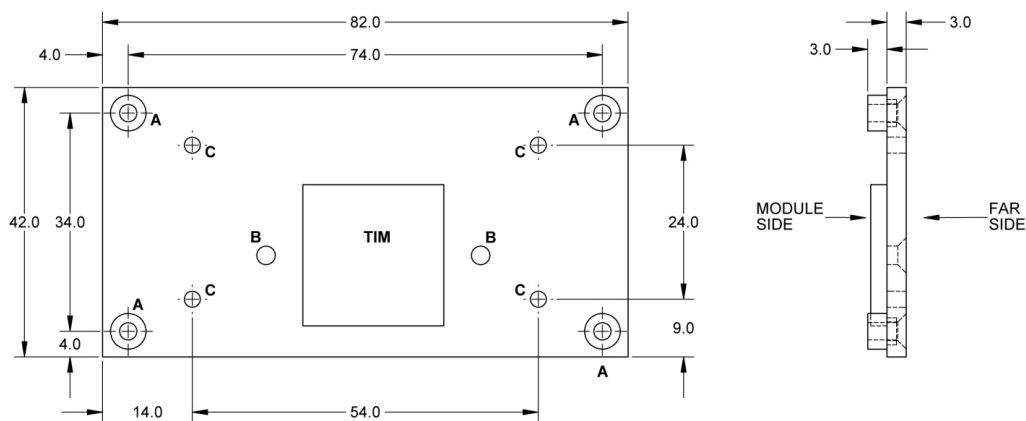
***Figure 24 Heat Spreader***

The internal square in the figure above is a thermally conductive and mechanically compliant Thermal Interface Material (or “TIM”). The exact X-Y position and Z thickness details of the TIM vary from design to design.

The two holes immediately adjacent to the TIM serve to secure the PCB in the SOC area and compress the TIM.

The four interior holes that are further from the center allow a heat sink to be attached to the heat spreader plate, or they can be used to secure the heat spreader plate to a chassis wall that serves as a heat sink.

Dimensions and further details may be found in the following figure.



Dimensions in the figure above are in millimeters. “TIM” stands for “Thermal Interface Material”. The TIM takes up the small gap between the SOC top and the Module - facing side of the heat spreader.

| Hole Reference | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Size                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>A</b>       | <p>SMARC Module corner mounting holes Spacing determined by SMARC specification for 82mm x 50mm Modules.</p> <p>Typically these holes have 3mm length press fit or swaged clearance standoffs on the Module side.</p> <p>These holes are typically countersunk on the far side of the plate, to allow the heat spreader plate to be flush with a secondary heat sink.</p> | <p>Hole size depends on standoffs used. Standoff diameter must be compatible with SMARC Module mounting hole pad and hole size (6.0mm pads, 2.7mm holes on the Module). The holes and standoffs are for use with M2.5 screw hardware.</p> <p>The far side of these holes are counter-sunk to allow the attachment screw to be flush with the far side heat spreader surface.</p> |
| <b>B</b>       | Not Defined                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>C</b>       | Fixed location holes to allow the attachment of a heat sink to the heat spreader, or to allow the heat spreader to be secured to a chassis wall that can serve as a heat sink.                                                                                                                                                                                            | M3 threaded holes                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

## **2.4 Electrical Specifications**

### **2.4.1. Supply Voltage**

The *SMARC-iMX8* module operates over an input voltage range of 3.0V to 5.25V. Power is provided from the carrier through 10 power pins as defined by the *SMARC* specification.

**Caution!** A single 5V or 3.3V DC input is recommended.

### **2.4.2. RTC/Backup Voltage**

3.0V RTC backup power is provided through the VDD\_RTC pin from the carrier board. This connection provides back up power to the module PMIC. The RTC is powered via the primary system 3.3V supply during normal operation and via the VBAT power input, if it is present, during power-off.

### **2.4.3. No Separate Standby Voltage**

The *SMARC-iMX8* does not have a standby power rail. Standby operation is powered through the main supply voltage rail, as defined in the *SMARC* specification.

### **2.4.4. Module I/O Voltage**

The *SMARC-iMX8* module supports 1.8V (*SMARC* v2.0 compliant) level I/O voltage depending on the part number that users selected.

#### **2.4.5. MTBF**

The *SMARC-iMX8* System *MTBF* (hours) : >100,000 hours

The above *MTBF* (Mean Time Between Failure) values were calculated using a combination of manufacturer's test data, if the data was available, and a Bellcore calculation for the remaining parts. The Bellcore calculation used is "Method 1 Case 1". In that particular method the components are assumed to be operating at a 50 % stress level in a 40° C ambient environment and the system is assumed to have not been burned in. Manufacturer's data has been used wherever possible. The manufacturer's data, when used, is specified at 50°C, so in that sense the following results are slightly conservative. The *MTBF* values shown below are for a 40°C in an office or telecommunications environment. Higher temperatures and other environmental stresses (extreme altitude, vibration, salt water exposure, etc.) lower *MTBF* values.

#### **2.4.6. Power Consumption**

The power consumption values listed in this document were measured under a controlled environment. The hardware used for testing includes an *SMARC-iMX8* module, carrier board is *EVK-STD-CARRIER-S20* with 7-inch LVDS display, SD card and USB keyboard. The carrier board was powered externally by a power supply unit so that it does not influence the power consumption value that is measured for the module. The USB keyboard was detached once the module was configured within the OS. All recorded values were averaged over a 30 second time period. The modules were cooled by the heatspreader specific to the module variants.

Each module was measured while running Yocto Sumo. To measure the worst case power consumption, the cooling solution was removed and the CPU core temperature was allowed to run between 95° and 100°C at 100% workload. The peak current value was then recorded. This value should be taken into consideration when designing the system's power supply to ensure that the power supply is sufficient during worst case scenarios.

Power consumption values were recorded during the following stages:

Yocto Sumo

- Desktop Idle
- 100% CPU workload
- 100% CPU workload at approximately 100°C peak power consumption

**Note:** With the linux stress tool, we stressed the CPU to maximum frequency.

The table below provides additional information about the different variants offered by the *SMARC-iMX8*.

| <i>SMARC Part Number</i>  | <i>Desktop Idle</i> | <i>100% workload</i> | <i>Max. power consumption (Amp/Watts)</i> |
|---------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| <i>SMARC-iMX8-5-QM-8G</i> | <i>TBD</i>          | <i>TBD</i>           | <i>TBD</i>                                |
| <i>SMARC-iMX8-5-QP-4G</i> | <i>TBD</i>          | <i>TBD</i>           | <i>TBD</i>                                |

## ***2.5 Environmental Specifications***

### ***2.5.1. Operating Temperature***

The *SMARC-iMX8* module operates from -40°C to 85°C air temperature, with a passive heat sink arrangement.

### ***2.5.2. Humidity***

Operating: 10% to 90% RH (non-condensing).

Non-operating: 5% to 95% RH (non-condensing).

### ***2.5.3. ROHS/REACH Compliance***

The *SMARC-iMX8* module is compliant to the *2002/95/EC RoHS* directive and *REACH* directive.

# Chapter 3

## Connector PinOut

This Chapter gives detail pinout of *SMARC-iMX8* golden finger edge connector.

Section include :

- *SMARC-iMX8* Connector Pin Mapping

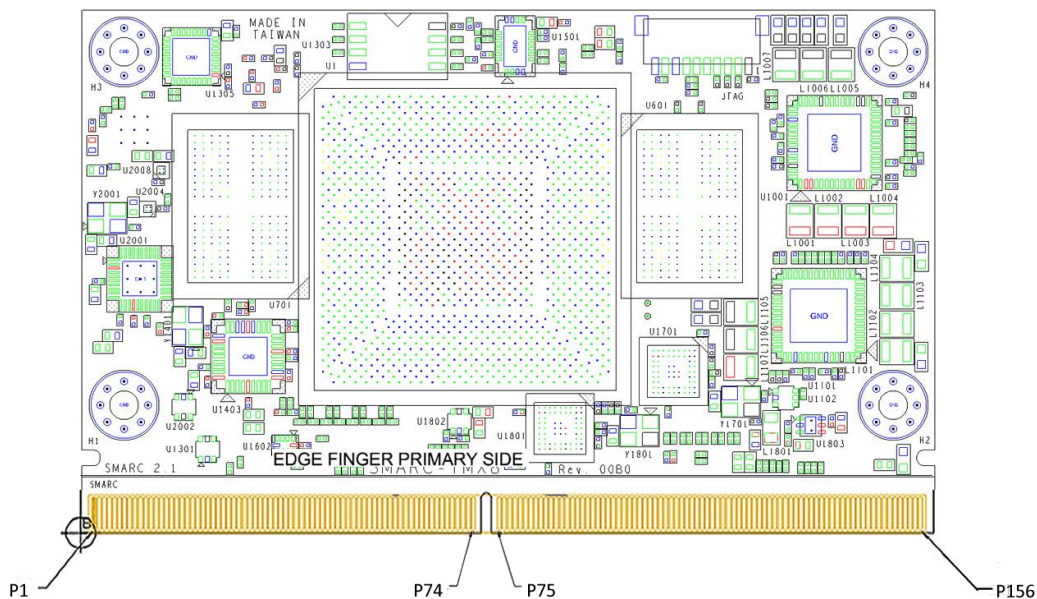
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The Module pins are designated as P1 – P156 on the Module Primary (Top) side, and S1 – S158 on the Module Secondary (Bottom) side. There are total of 314 pins on the Module. The connector is sometimes identified as a 321 pin connector, but 7 pins are lost to the key (4 on the primary side and 3 on secondary side).

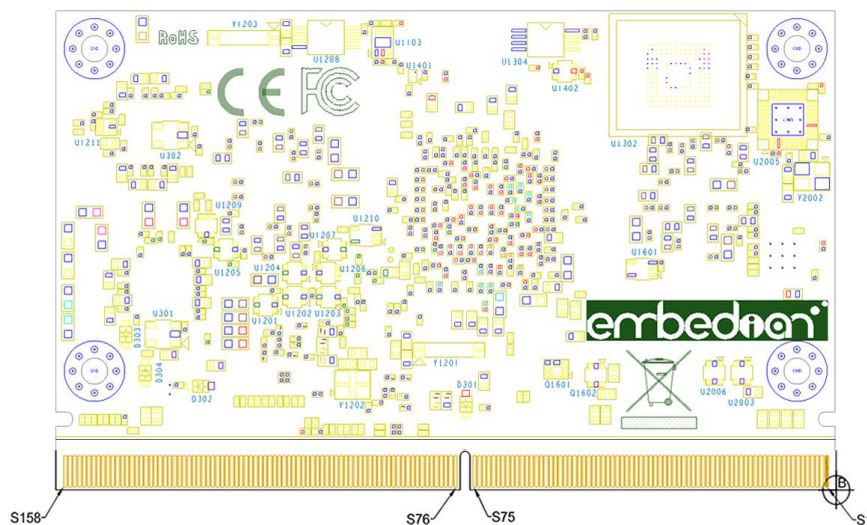
The Secondary (Bottom) side faces the Carrier board when a normal or standard Carrier connector is used.

The *SMARC-iMX8* module pins are deliberately numbered as P1 – P156 and S1 – S158 for clarity and to differentiate the *SMARC* Module from *MXM3* graphics modules, which use the same connector but use the pins for very different functions. *MXM3* cards and *MXM3* baseboard connectors use different pin numbering scheme.

### 3.1 *SMARC-iMX8* Connector Pin Mapping



**Figure 25** *SMARC-iMX8* edge finger primary pins



**Figure 26 SMARC-iMX8 edge finger secondary pins**

The next tables describe each pin, its properties, and its use on the module and development board.

The “*SMARC Edge Finger*” column shows the connection of the signals defined in the *SMARC* specification. The “*NXP i.MX8QM CPU*” column shows the connection of the CPU signals on the module. The format of this column is “*Ball/Mode/Signal Name*” where “*Signal Name*” is the chip where the signals are connected, and “*Ball*” is the name of the pad where the signals are connected as they are defined in the *i.MX8QM* processor datasheet.

### Pinout Legend

|            |                                          |
|------------|------------------------------------------|
| <b>I</b>   | <i>Input</i>                             |
| <b>O</b>   | <i>Output</i>                            |
| <b>I/O</b> | <i>Input or output</i>                   |
| <b>P</b>   | <i>Power</i>                             |
| <b>AI</b>  | <i>Analogue input</i>                    |
| <b>AO</b>  | <i>Analogue output</i>                   |
| <b>AIO</b> | <i>Analogue Input or analogue output</i> |
| <b>OD</b>  | <i>Open Drain Signal</i>                 |
| <b>#</b>   | <i>Low level active signal</i>           |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      | Type                                | Description                                  |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name       | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                         |                                              |
| P1                | SMB_ALERT_1V8# |                 |      |                                     | Not used                                     |
| P2                | GND            |                 |      |                                     | P Ground                                     |
| P3                | CSI1_CK+       | BJ17            |      | MIPI_CSI1_CLK_P                     | I CSI1 differential clock inputs             |
| P4                | CSI1_CK-       | BH16            |      | MIPI_CSI1_CLK_N                     | I CSI1 differential clock inputs             |
| P5                | GBE1_SDP       | BN35            | ALT3 | LVDS1_I2C1_SDA__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO15 | IEEE 1588 Trigger Signal.                    |
| P6                | GBE0_SDP       | BD32            | ALT3 | LVDS1_I2C1_SCL__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO14 | IEEE 1588 Trigger Signal.                    |
| P7                | CSI1_RX0+      | BJ19            |      | MIPI_CSI1_DATA0_P                   | I CSI1 differential data inputs 0 (positive) |
| P8                | CSI1_RX0-      | BH18            |      | MIPI_CSI1_DATA0_N                   | I CSI1 differential data input 0 (negative)  |
| P9                | GND            |                 |      |                                     | P Ground                                     |
| P10               | CSI1_RX1+      | BJ15            |      | MIPI_CSI1_DATA1_P                   | I CSI1 differential data input 1 (positive)  |
| P11               | CSI1_RX1-      | BH14            |      | MIPI_CSI1_DATA1_N                   | I CSI1 differential data inputs 1 (negative) |
| P12               | GND            |                 |      |                                     | P Ground                                     |
| P13               | CSI1_RX2+      | BJ21            |      | MIPI_CSI1_DATA2_P                   | CSI1 differential data inputs 2 (positive)   |
| P14               | CSI1_RX2-      | BH20            |      | MIPI_CSI1_DATA2_N                   | CSI1 differential data inputs 2 (negative)   |
| P15               | GND            |                 |      |                                     | P Ground                                     |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      | Type              | Description                                                                                        |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|------|-------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name       | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name       |                                                                                                    |
| P16               | CSI1_RX3+      | BJ13            |      | MIPI_CSI1_DATA3_P | CSI1 differential data inputs 3 (positive)                                                         |
| P17               | CSI1_RX3-      | BH12            |      | MIPI_CSI1_DATA3_N | CSI1 differential data inputs 3 (negative)                                                         |
| P18               | GND            |                 |      |                   | P Ground                                                                                           |
| P19               | GbE0_MDI3-     |                 |      |                   | AIO Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Negative Channel 3                               |
| P20               | GbE0_MDI3+     |                 |      |                   | AIO Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Positive Channel 3                               |
| P21               | GbE0_LINK100#  |                 |      |                   | O OD Link Speed Indication LED for 100Mbps Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current  |
| P22               | GbE0_LINK1000# |                 |      |                   | O OD Link Speed Indication LED for 1000Mbps Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current |
| P23               | GbE0_MDI2-     |                 |      |                   | AIO Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Negative Channel 2                               |
| P24               | GbE0_MDI2+     |                 |      |                   | AIO Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Positive Channel 2                               |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                              | Type | Description                                                                                                                                                 |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|------|------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name       | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                  |      |                                                                                                                                                             |
| P25               | GbE0_LINK_ACT# |                 |      |                              | O OD | Link / Activity Indication LED<br>Driven low on Link (10, 100 or 1000 mbps)<br>Blinks on Activity<br>Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current |
| P26               | GbE0_MDI1-     |                 |      |                              | AIO  | Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Negative Channel 1                                                                                            |
| P27               | GbE0_MDI1+     |                 |      |                              | AIO  | Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Positive Channel 1                                                                                            |
| P28               | GbE0_CTREF     |                 |      |                              | O    | Qualcomm AR8035 Center tap reference voltage for GBE Carrier board Ethernet magnetic                                                                        |
| P29               | GbE0_MDI0-     |                 |      |                              | AIO  | Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Negative Channel 0                                                                                            |
| P30               | GbE0_MDI0+     |                 |      |                              | AIO  | Qualcomm AR8035: Differential Transmit/Receive Positive Channel 0                                                                                           |
| SMARC Edge Finger |                | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                              | Type | Description                                                                                                                                                 |
| Pin#              | Pin Name       | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                  |      |                                                                                                                                                             |
| P31               | SPI0_CS1#      | AP6             | ALT3 | ADC_IN7__<br>LSIO_GPIO3_IO25 | O    | SPI0 Master Chip Select 1 output.                                                                                                                           |

|     |             |     |      |                                         |    |                      |
|-----|-------------|-----|------|-----------------------------------------|----|----------------------|
| P32 | GND         |     |      |                                         | P  | Ground               |
| P33 | SDIO_WP     | F42 | ALT3 | USDHC1_DATA6__<br>LSIO_GPIO5_IO21       | I  | Write Protect        |
| P34 | SDIO_CMD    | G41 | ALT0 | USDHC1_CMD__<br>CONN_USDHC1_<br>CMD     | IO | Command Line         |
| P35 | SDIO_CD#    | H42 | ALT3 | USDHC1_DATA7__<br>LSIO_GPIO5_IO22       | I  | Card Detect          |
| P36 | SDIO_CLK    | J39 | ALT0 | USDHC1_CLK__<br>CONN_USDHC1_<br>CLK     | O  | Clock                |
| P37 | SDIO_PWR_EN | A5  | ALT3 | USDHC1_RESET_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO07     | O  | SD card power enable |
| P38 | GND         |     |      |                                         | P  | Ground               |
| P39 | SDIO_D0     | E37 | ALT0 | USDHC1_DATA0__<br>CONN_USDHC1_<br>DATA0 | IO | Data path            |
| P40 | SDIO_D1     | F38 | ALT0 | USDHC1_DATA1__<br>CONN_USDHC1_<br>DATA1 | IO | Data path            |
| P41 | SDIO_D2     | E39 | ALT0 | SD2_DATA2__<br>SD2_USDHC2_<br>DATA2     | IO | Data path            |
| P42 | SDIO_D3     | F40 | ALT0 | SD2_DATA3__<br>SD2_USDHC2_<br>DATA3     | IO | Data path            |

| SMARC Edge Finger |           | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                              | Type | Description                                                    |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------------|------|------------------------------|------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name  | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                  |      |                                                                |
| P43               | SPI0_CS0# | AL9             | ALT3 | ADC_IN6__<br>LSIO_GPIO3_IO24 | O    | SPI0 Master Chip Select 0 output,                              |
| P44               | SPI0_CK   | AR9             | ALT1 | ADC_IN3__<br>DMA_SPI1_SCK    | O    | SPI0 Master Clock output                                       |
| P45               | SPI0_DIN  | AR7             | ALT1 | ADC_IN5__<br>DMA_SPI1_SDI    | I    | SPI0 Master Data input (input to CPU, output from SPI device)  |
| P46               | SPI0_DO   | AN9             | ALT1 | ADC_IN4__<br>DMA_SPI1_SDO    | O    | SPI0 Master Data output (output from CPU, input to SPI device) |
| P47               | GND       |                 |      |                              | P    | Ground                                                         |
| P48               | SATA_TX+  | B16             |      | PCIE_SATA0_TX0_P             |      | Differential SATA 0 transmit data Pair+                        |
| P49               | SATA_TX-  | C17             |      | PCIE_SATA0_TX0_N             |      | Differential SATA 0 transmit data Pair-                        |
| P50               | GND       |                 |      |                              | P    | Ground                                                         |
| P51               | SATA_RX+  | A19             |      | PCIE_SATA0_RX0_P             |      | Differential SATA 0 transmit data+                             |
| P52               | SATA_RX-  | B20             |      | PCIE_SATA0_RX0_P             |      | Differential SATA 0 transmit data-                             |
| P53               | GND       |                 |      |                              | P    | Ground                                                         |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                         | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                  | Type     | Description                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------|----------------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name                | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                      |          |                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| P54               | ESPI_CS0#/<br>SPI1_CS0# | BG5             | ALT3 | SPI3_CS0__<br>LSIO_GPIO2_IO20    | O        | SPI1 Master Chip Select 0 output                                                                                                                                                            |
| P55               | ESPI_CS1#/<br>SPI1_CS1# | BD8             | ALT3 | SPI3_CS1__<br>LSIO_GPIO2_IO21    | O        | SPI1 Master Chip Select 1 output                                                                                                                                                            |
| P56               | ESPI_CK/<br>SPI1_CK     | BF6             | ALT0 | SPI3_SCK__<br>DMA_SPI3_SCK       | O        | SPI1 Master Clock output                                                                                                                                                                    |
| P57               | ESPI_IO_1/<br>SPI1_DIN  | BE5             | ALT0 | SPI3_SDI__<br>DMA_SPI3_SDI       | I        | SPI1 Master Data input (input to CPU, output from SPI device)                                                                                                                               |
| P58               | ESPI_IO_0/<br>SPI1_DO   | BF2             | ALT0 | SPI3_SDO__<br>DMA_SPI3_SD        | O        | SPI1 Master Data output (output from CPU, input to SPI device)                                                                                                                              |
| P59               | GND                     |                 |      |                                  | P        | Ground                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| P60               | USB0+                   | B40             |      | USB_OTG1_DP                      | AIO      | Differential USB0 data                                                                                                                                                                      |
| P61               | USB0-                   | C39             |      | USB_OTG1_DN                      | AIO      | Differential USB0 data                                                                                                                                                                      |
| P62               | USB0_EN_OC#             | J9              | ALT3 | USB_SS3_TC0__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO03 | IO<br>OD | Pulled low by Module OD driver to disable USB0 power.<br>Pulled low by Carrier OD driver to indicate over-current situation<br>If this signal is used, a pull-up is required on the Carrier |

| SMARC Edge Finger |               | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      | Type          | Description                                                                                                                                                                                            |
|-------------------|---------------|-----------------|------|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name      | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name   |                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| P63               | USB0_VBUS_DET | A39             |      | USB_OTG1_VBUS | I<br>USB host power detection, when this port is used as a device                                                                                                                                      |
| P64               | USB0_OTG_ID   | A37             |      | USB_OTG1_ID   | I<br>USB OTG ID input, active high                                                                                                                                                                     |
| P65               | USB1+         |                 |      |               | IO<br>Differential USB1 data pair (from USB2514 port 3)                                                                                                                                                |
| P66               | USB1-         |                 |      |               | IO<br>Differential USB1 data pair (from USB2514 port 3)                                                                                                                                                |
| P67               | USB1_EN_OC#   | From USB2514    |      |               | IO<br>OD<br>Pulled low by Module OD driver to disable USB0 power<br>Pulled low by Carrier OD driver to indicate over-current situation<br>If this signal is used, a pull-up is required on the Carrier |
| P68               | GND           |                 |      |               | P<br>Ground                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| P69               | USB2+         |                 |      |               | IO<br>Differential USB2 data pair (from USB2514 port2)                                                                                                                                                 |
| P70               | USB2-         |                 |      |               | IO<br>Differential USB2 data pair (from USB2514 port2)                                                                                                                                                 |

| SMARC Edge Finger |             | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |             | Type     | Description                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|-------------------|-------------|-----------------|------|-------------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name    | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| P71               | USB2_EN_OC# | From USB2514    |      |             | IO<br>OD | <p>Pulled low by Module OD driver to disable USB0 power</p> <p>Pulled low by Carrier OD driver to indicate over-current situation</p> <p>If this signal is used, a pull-up is required on the Carrier</p> |
| P72               | RSVD        |                 |      |             |          | Not used                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| P73               | RSVD        |                 |      |             |          | Not used                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| P74               | USB3_EN_OC# | From USB2514    |      |             | IO<br>OD | <p>Pulled low by Module OD driver to disable USB0 power</p> <p>Pulled low by Carrier OD driver to indicate over-current situation</p> <p>If this signal is used, a pull-up is required on the Carrier</p> |

| SMARC Edge Finger |               | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                         | Type | Description                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|-------------------|---------------|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name      | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                             |      |                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| P75               | PCIE_A_RST#   | D20             | ALT3 | PCIE_CTRL0_PERST_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO29 | O    | Reset Signal for external devices.                                                                                                                                                                        |
| P76               | USB4_EN_OC#   | From USB2514    |      |                                         |      | <p>Pulled low by Module OD driver to disable USB0 power</p> <p>Pulled low by Carrier OD driver to indicate over-current situation</p> <p>If this signal is used, a pull-up is required on the Carrier</p> |
| P77               | PCIE_B_CKREQ# |                 |      |                                         |      | Not used                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| P78               | PCIE_A_CKREQ# |                 |      |                                         |      | Not used                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| P79               | GND           |                 |      |                                         | P    | Ground                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| P80               | PCIE_C_REFCK+ |                 |      |                                         |      | Not used                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| P81               | PCIE_C_REFCK- |                 |      |                                         |      | Not used                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| P82               | GND           |                 |      |                                         | P    | Ground                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

| SMARC Edge Finger |               | NXP i.MX8QM CPU      |      |             | Type | Description                                                  |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------------|------|-------------|------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name      | Ball                 | Mode | Signal Name |      |                                                              |
| P83               | PCIE_A_REFCK+ | from DSC557-04444KI1 |      |             | O    | Differential PCI Express Reference Clock Signals for Lanes A |
| P84               | PCIE_A_REFCK- | from DSC557-04444KI1 |      |             | O    | Differential PCI Express Reference Clock Signals for Lanes A |
| P85               | GND           |                      |      |             | P    |                                                              |
| P86               | PCIE_A_RX+    | A29                  |      | PCIE0_RX0_P | I    | Differential PCIe Link A receive data pair 0                 |
| P87               | PCIE_A_RX-    | B30                  |      | PCIE0_RX0_N | I    | Differential PCIe Link A receive data pair 0                 |
| P88               | GND           |                      |      |             | P    | Ground                                                       |
| P89               | PCIE_A_TX+    | A21                  |      | PCIE0_TX0_P | O    | Differential PCIe Link A transmit data pair 0                |
| P90               | PCIE_A_TX-    | B22                  |      | PCIE0_TX0_N | O    | Differential PCIe Link A transmit data pair 0                |
| P91               | GND           |                      |      |             | P    | Ground                                                       |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                          | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                           | Type | Description                                                  |
|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|------|---------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name                 | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name               |      |                                                              |
| P92               | HDMI_D2+ /<br>DP1_LANE0+ | BL9             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_<br>DATA2_EDP0_P | O    | TMDS / HDMI data<br>differential pair 2 /<br>DP Data Pair 0+ |
| P93               | HDMI_D2- /<br>DP1_LANE0- | BM8             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_<br>DATA2_EDP0_N | O    | TMDS / HDMI data<br>differential pair 2 /<br>DP Data Pair 0- |
| P94               | GND                      |                 |      |                           | P    | Ground                                                       |
| P95               | HDMI_D1+ /<br>DP1_LANE1+ | BL7             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_<br>DATA1_EDP1_P | O    | TMDS / HDMI data<br>differential pair 1                      |
| P96               | HDMI_D1- /<br>DP1_LANE1- | BM6             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_<br>DATA1_EDP1_N | O    | TMDS / HDMI data<br>differential pair 1                      |
| P97               | GND                      |                 |      |                           | P    | Ground                                                       |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                            | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                     | Type     | Description                                                                         |
|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|------|-------------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name                   | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                         |          |                                                                                     |
| P98               | HDMI_D0+/<br>DP1_LANE2+    | BL5             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_<br>DATA0_EDP2_P           | O        | TMDS / HDMI data<br>differential pair 0                                             |
| P99               | HDMI_D0-/<br>DP1_LANE2-    | BM4             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_<br>DATA0_EDP2_N           | O        | TMDS / HDMI data<br>differential pair 0                                             |
| P100              | GND                        |                 |      |                                     | P        | Ground                                                                              |
| P101              | HDMI_CK+/<br>DP1_LANE3+    | BL3             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_CLK_<br>EDP3_P             | O        | HDMI differential clock<br>output pair                                              |
| P102              | HDMI_CK-/<br>DP1_LANE3-    | BK2             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_CLK_<br>EDP3_N             | O        | HDMI differential clock<br>output pair                                              |
| P103              | GND                        |                 |      |                                     | P        | Ground                                                                              |
| P104              | HDMI_HPD/<br>DP1_HDP       | BH8             | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_HPD                        | I        | HDMI Hot Plug Detect<br>input                                                       |
| P105              | HDMI_CTRL_CK/<br>DP1_AUX+  | BG1/<br>BH2     | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DDC_SCL/<br>HDMI_TX0_AUX_P | IO<br>OD | I2C Clock                                                                           |
| P106              | HDMI_CTRL_DAT/<br>DP1_AUX- | BN5/<br>BG3     | N/A  | HDMI_TX0_DDC_SDA/<br>HDMI_TX0_AUX_N | IO<br>OD | I2C Data                                                                            |
| P107              | DP1_AUX_SEL                |                 |      |                                     | I        | Pulled to GND on<br>Carrier for DP<br>operation in Dual<br>Mode<br>implementations. |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                   | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                         | Type | Description                                |
|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name          | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                             |      |                                            |
| P108              | GPIO0 / CAM0_PWR# | BM22            | ALT3 | MIPI_CSIO_GPIO0_01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO28 | IO   | Camera 0 Power Enable, active low output   |
| P109              | GPIO1 / CAM1_PWR# | BN13            | ALT3 | MIPI_CSIO_GPIO0_01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO31 | IO   | Camera 1 Power Enable, active low output   |
| P110              | GPIO2 / CAM0_RST# | BL23            | ALT3 | MIPI_CSIO_GPIO0_00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO27 | IO   | Camera 0 Reset, active low output          |
| P111              | GPIO3 / CAM1_RST# | BN15            | ALT3 | MIPI_CSIO_GPIO0_00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO30 | IO   | Camera 1 Reset, active low output          |
| P112              | GPIO4 / HDA_RST#  | AY52            | ALT3 | GPT0_CLK__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO14           | IO   | HD Audio Reset, active low output          |
| P113              | GPIO5 / PWM_OUT   | AW53            | ALT3 | GPT0_COMPARE__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO16       | IO   | PWM output                                 |
| P114              | GPIO6 / TACHIN    | AV52            | ALT3 | GPT0_CAPTURE__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO15       | IO   | Tachometer input (used with the GPIO5 PWM) |
| P115              | GPIO7             | BA51            | ALT3 | GPT1_COMPARE__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO19       | IO   |                                            |
| P116              | GPIO8             | AY50            | ALT3 | GPT1_CAPTURE__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO18       | IO   |                                            |
| P117              | GPIO9             | BA53            | ALT3 | GPT1_CLK__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO17           | IO   |                                            |
| P118              | GPIO10            | E7              | ALT3 | FLEXCAN2_TX__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO02        | IO   |                                            |
| P119              | GPIO11            | C3              | ALT3 | FLEXCAN2_RX__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO01        | IO   |                                            |
| P120              | GND               |                 |      |                                         | P    | Ground                                     |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name   | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                        |       |                                                                                                      |
| P121              | I2C_PM_CK  | F28             | ALT1 | USB_HSIC0_STROBE__<br>DMA_I2C1_SCL | IO OD | Power management<br>I2C bus clock                                                                    |
| P122              | I2C_PM_DAT | H26             | ALT1 | USB_HSIC0_DATA__<br>DMA_I2C1_SDA   | IO OD | Power management<br>I2C bus data                                                                     |
| P123              | BOOT_SEL0# | AP10            | ALT3 | ADC_IN0__<br>LSIO_GPIO3_IO18       | I     | SYSBOOT and Line<br>De-multiplexer Logic<br>Pulled up on Module.<br>Driven by OD part on<br>Carrier. |
| P124              | BOOT_SEL1# | AN11            | ALT3 | ADC_IN1__<br>LSIO_GPIO3_IO19       | I     | SYSBOOT and Line<br>De-multiplexer Logic<br>Pulled up on Module.<br>Driven by OD part on<br>Carrier. |
| P125              | BOOT_SEL2# | AP8             | ALT3 | ADC_IN2__<br>LSIO_GPIO3_IO20       | I     | SYSBOOT and Line<br>De-multiplexer Logic<br>Pulled up on Module.<br>Driven by OD part on<br>Carrier. |
| P126              | RESET_OUT# |                 |      |                                    | O     | General purpose<br>reset output to<br>Carrier board.                                                 |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name   | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                      |      |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| P127              | RESET_IN#  |                 |      |                                  | I    | Reset input from Carrier board. Carrier drives low to force a Module reset, floats the line otherwise. Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier.                                            |
| P128              | POWER_BTN# |                 |      |                                  | I    | Power-button input from carrier board. Carrier to float the line in in-active state. Active low, level sensitive. It is de-bounced on the Module. Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier. |
| P129              | SER0_TX    | AV48            | ALT0 | UART0_TX__<br>DMA_UART0_TX       | O    | Asynchronous serial port data out                                                                                                                                                                    |
| P130              | SER0_RX    | AV50            | ALT0 | UART0_RX__<br>DMA_UART0_RX       | I    | Asynchronous serial port data in                                                                                                                                                                     |
| P131              | SER0_RTS#  | AU45            | ALT0 | UART0_RTS_B__<br>DMA_UART0_RTS_B | O    | Request to Send handshake line for SER0                                                                                                                                                              |
| P132              | SER0_CTS#  | AW49            | ALT0 | UART0_CTS_B__<br>DMA_UART0_CTS_B | I    | Clear to Send handshake line for SER0                                                                                                                                                                |
| P133              | GND        |                 |      |                                  | P    | Ground                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| P134              | SER1_TX    | AU47            | ALT2 | M41_GPIO0_01__<br>DMA_UART3_TX   | O    | Asynchronous serial port data out                                                                                                                                                                    |
| P135              | SER1_RX    | AP44            | ALT2 | M41_GPIO0_00__<br>DMA_UART3_RX   | I    | Asynchronous serial port data in                                                                                                                                                                     |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name  | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                      |      |                                         |
| P136              | SER2_TX   | AY48            | ALT0 | UART1_TX__<br>DMA_UART1_TX       |      | Asynchronous serial port data out       |
| P137              | SER2_RX   | AT44            | ALT0 | UART1_RX__<br>DMA_UART1_RX       |      | Asynchronous serial port data in        |
| P138              | SER2_RTS# | AR43            | ALT0 | UART1_RTS_B__<br>DMA_UART1_RTS_B |      | Request to Send handshake line for SER2 |
| P139              | SER2_CTS# | AV46            | ALT0 | UART1_CTS_B__<br>DMA_UART1_CTS_B |      | Clear to Send handshake line for SER2   |
| P140              | SER3_TX   | AU53            | ALT2 | M40_GPIO0_01__<br>DMA_UART4_TX   | O    | Asynchronous serial port data out       |
| P141              | SER3_RX   | AR47            | ALT2 | M40_GPIO0_00__<br>DMA_UART4_RX   | I    | Asynchronous serial port data in        |
| P142              | GND       |                 |      |                                  | P    | Ground                                  |
| P143              | CAN0_TX   | H6              | ALT0 | FLEXCAN0_TX__<br>DMA_FLEXCAN0_TX | O    | CAN0 Transmit output                    |
| P144              | CAN0_RX   | C5              | ALT0 | FLEXCAN0_RX__<br>DMA_FLEXCAN0_RX | I    | CAN0 Receive input                      |
| P145              | CAN1_TX   | G7              | ALT0 | FLEXCAN1_TX__<br>DMA_FLEXCAN1_TX | O    | CAN1 Transmit output                    |
| P146              | CAN1_RX   | E5              | ALT0 | FLEXCAN1_RX__<br>DMA_FLEXCAN1_RX | I    | CAN1 Receive input                      |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name |      |             |
| P147              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |
| P148              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |
| P149              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |
| P150              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |
| P151              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |
| P152              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |
| P153              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |
| P154              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |
| P155              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |
| P156              | VDD_IN   |                 |      |             | P    | Power in    |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name                   | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                                    |          |                                                  |
| S1                | CSI1_TX+/<br>I2C_CAM1_CK   | BN17            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI1_I2C0_SCL__<br>MIPI_CSI1_I2C0_SCL     | IO<br>OD | Camera1 I2C bus<br>clock                         |
| S2                | CSI1_TX-/<br>I2C_CAM1_DAT  | BE15            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI1_I2C0_SDA__<br>MIPI_CSI1_I2C0_SDA     | IO<br>OD | Camera1 I2C bus<br>data                          |
| S3                | GND                        |                 |      |                                                | P        | Ground                                           |
| S4                | RSVD                       |                 |      |                                                |          | Not used                                         |
| S5                | CSI0_TX+ /<br>I2C_CAM0_CK  | BH24            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI0_I2C0_SCL__<br>MIPI_CSI0_I2C0_SCL     | IO<br>OD | Camera0 I2C bus<br>clock                         |
| S6                | CAM_MCK                    | BJ23            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI0_MCLK_OUT__<br>MIPI_CSI0_ACM_MCLK_OUT | O        | Master clock<br>output for CSI<br>camera support |
| S7                | CSI0_TX- /<br>I2C_CAM0_DAT | BN19            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI0_I2C0_SDA__<br>MIPI_CSI0_I2C0_SDA     | IO<br>OD | Camera0 I2C bus<br>data                          |
| S8                | CSI0_CK+                   | BF20            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI0_CLK_P                                | I        | CSI0 differential<br>clock inputs                |
| S9                | CSI0_CK-                   | BE21            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI0_CLK_N                                | I        | CSI0 differential<br>clock inputs                |
| S10               | GND                        |                 |      |                                                | P        | Ground                                           |
| S11               | CSI0_RX0+                  | BF22            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI0_DATA0_P                              | I        | CS0 differential<br>data inputs 0+               |
| S12               | CSI0_RX0-                  | BE23            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI0_DATA0_N                              | I        | CSI0 differential<br>data input 0-               |
| S13               | GND                        |                 |      |                                                | P        | Ground                                           |
| S14               | CSI0_RX1+                  | BF18            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI0_DATA1_P                              | I        | CSI0 differential<br>data input 1+               |
| S15               | CSI0_RX1-                  | BE19            | ALTO | MIPI_CSI0_DATA1_N                              | I        | CSI0 differential<br>data inputs 1-              |
| S16               | GND                        |                 |      |                                                | P        | Ground                                           |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name       | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name |         |                                                                                                           |
| S17               | GbE1_MDI0+     |                 |      |             | AIO     | Qualcomm AR8035<br>Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 0                                 |
| S18               | GbE1_MDI0-     |                 |      |             | AIO     | Qualcomm AR8035:<br>Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 0                                |
| S19               | GbE1_LINK100#  |                 |      |             | O<br>OD | Link Speed Indication<br>LED for 100Mbps<br>Could be able to sink<br>24mA or more Carrier<br>LED current  |
| S20               | GbE1_MDI1+     |                 |      |             | AIO     | Qualcomm AR8035<br>Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Positive Channel 1                                 |
| S21               | GbE1_MDI1-     |                 |      |             | AIO     | Qualcomm AR8035<br>Differential<br>Transmit/Receive<br>Negative Channel 1                                 |
| S22               | GbE1_LINK1000# |                 |      |             | O<br>OD | Link Speed Indication<br>LED for 1000Mbps<br>Could be able to sink<br>24mA or more Carrier<br>LED current |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name       | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name |         |                                                                                                                                                             |
| S23               | GbE1_MDI2+     |                 |      |             | AIO     | Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Positive Channel 2                                                                                            |
| S24               | GbE1_MDI2-     |                 |      |             | AIO     | Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Negative Channel 2                                                                                            |
| S25               | GND            |                 |      |             | P       | Ground                                                                                                                                                      |
| S26               | GbE1_MDI3+     |                 |      |             | AIO     | Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Positive Channel 3                                                                                            |
| S27               | GbE1_MDI3-     |                 |      |             | AIO     | Qualcomm AR8035 Differential Transmit/Receive Negative Channel 3                                                                                            |
| S28               | GbE1_CTREF     |                 |      |             | O       | Qualcomm AR8035 Center tap reference voltage for GBE Carrier board Ethernet magnetic                                                                        |
| S29               | PCIE_D_TX+     |                 |      |             |         | Not used                                                                                                                                                    |
| S30               | PCIE_D_TX-     |                 |      |             |         | Not used                                                                                                                                                    |
| S31               | GBE1_LINK_ACK# |                 |      |             | O<br>OD | Link / Activity Indication LED<br>Driven low on Link (10, 100 or 1000 mbps)<br>Blinks on Activity<br>Could be able to sink 24mA or more Carrier LED current |
| S32               | PCIE_D_RX+     |                 |      |             |         | Not used                                                                                                                                                    |
| S33               | PCIE_D_RX-     |                 |      |             |         | Not used                                                                                                                                                    |
| S34               | GND            |                 |      |             |         | Ground                                                                                                                                                      |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name      | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                          |      |                                                   |
| S35               | USB4+         |                 |      |                                      |      | Differential USB4 data pair (from USB2514 port 4) |
| S36               | USB4-         |                 |      |                                      |      | Differential USB4 data pair (from USB2514 port 4) |
| S37               | USB3_VBUS_DET |                 |      |                                      |      | Not used                                          |
| S38               | AUDIO_MCK     | BD4             | ALT0 | MCLK_OUT0__<br>AUD_ACM_<br>MCLK_OUT0 | O    | Master clock output to Audio codecs               |
| S39               | I2S0_LRCK     | AV2             | ALT0 | SAI1_TXFS__<br>AUD_SAI1_TXFS         | IO   | Left& Right audio synchronization clock           |
| S40               | I2S0_SDOUT    | AU1             | ALT0 | SAI1_TXD__<br>AUD_SAI1_TXD           | O    | Digital audio Output                              |
| S41               | I2S0_SDIN     | AV4             | ALT0 | SAI1_RXD__<br>AUD_SAI1_RXD           | I    | Digital audio Input                               |
| S42               | I2S0_CK       | AU5             | ALT0 | SAI1_TXC__<br>AUD_SAI1_TXC           | IO   | Digital audio clock                               |
| S43               | ESPI_ALERT0#  |                 |      |                                      |      | Not used                                          |
| S44               | ESPI_ALERT1#  |                 |      |                                      |      | Not used                                          |
| S45               | RSVD          |                 |      |                                      |      | Not used                                          |
| S46               | RSVD          |                 |      |                                      |      | Not used                                          |
| S47               | GND           |                 |      |                                      | G    | Ground                                            |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name               | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                     |          |                                                      |
| S48               | I2C_GP_CK              | AL43            | ALT1 | SIM0_PD__<br>DMA_I2C3_SCL       | IO<br>OD | Port1 of TCA9546<br>General purpose I2C<br>bus clock |
| S49               | I2C_GP_DAT             | AT48            | ALT1 | SIM0_POWER_EN__<br>DMA_I2C3_SDA | IO<br>OD | Port1 of TCA9546<br>General purpose I2C<br>bus clock |
| S50               | HDA_SYNC/<br>I2S2_LRCK | AY2             | ALT1 | SPI2_CS1__<br>AUD_SAI0_TXFS     | IO       | Left& Right audio<br>synchronization clock           |
| S51               | HDA_SDO/<br>I2S2_SDOUT | AY6             | ALT1 | SPI0_SDO__<br>AUD_SAI0_TXD      | O        | Digital audio Output                                 |
| S52               | HDA_SDI/<br>I2S2_SDIN  | BA5             | ALT1 | SPI0_SDI__<br>AUD_SAI0_RXD      | I        | Digital audio Input                                  |
| S53               | HDA_CK/<br>I2S2_CK     | BA3             | ALT1 | SPI0_CS1__<br>AUD_SAI0_TXC      | IO       | Digital audio clock                                  |
| S54               | SATA_ACT#              |                 |      |                                 |          | Not used                                             |
| S55               | USB5_EN_OC#            |                 |      |                                 |          | Not used                                             |
| S56               | ESPI_IO_2              |                 |      |                                 |          | Not used                                             |
| S57               | ESPI_IO_3              |                 |      |                                 |          | Not used                                             |
| S58               | ESPI_RESET#            |                 |      |                                 |          | Not used                                             |
| S59               | USB5+                  |                 |      |                                 |          | Not used                                             |
| S60               | USB5-                  |                 |      |                                 |          | Not used                                             |
| S61               | GND                    |                 |      |                                 | P        | Ground                                               |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name    | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name  |                                                          |
| S62               | USB3_SSTX+  |                 |      |              | Not used                                                 |
| S63               | USB3_SSTX-  |                 |      |              | Not used                                                 |
| S64               | GND         |                 |      |              | P Ground                                                 |
| S65               | USB3_SSRX+  |                 |      |              | Not used                                                 |
| S66               | USB3_SSRX-  |                 |      |              | Not used                                                 |
| S67               | GND         |                 |      |              | P Ground                                                 |
| S68               | USB3+       |                 |      |              | Differential USB3 data pair (from USB2514 port 1 )       |
| S69               | USB3-       |                 |      |              | Differential USB3 data pair (from USB2514 port 1)        |
| S70               | GND         |                 |      |              | P Ground                                                 |
| S71               | USB2_SSTX+  | A33             |      | USB_SS3_TX_P | AO USB2 data transmit signal differential pairs positive |
| S72               | USB2_SSTX-- | B32             |      | USB_SS3_TX_N | AO USB2 data transmit signal differential pairs negative |
| S73               | GND         |                 |      |              | P Ground                                                 |
| S74               | USB2_SSRX+  | C35             |      | USB_SS3_RX_P | AI USB2 data receive signal differential pairs positive  |
| S75               | USB2_SSRX-  | B34             |      | USB_SS3_RX_N | AI USB2 receive signal differential pairs negative       |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name      | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                             |      |                                                                                     |
| S76               | PCIE_B_RST#   | G25             | ALT3 | PCIE_CTRL1_PERST_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO5_IO00 | O    | Reset Signal for external devices.                                                  |
| S77               | PCIE_C_RST#   |                 |      |                                         |      | Not used                                                                            |
| S78               | PCIE_C_RX+    |                 |      |                                         |      | Not used                                                                            |
| S79               | PCIE_C_RX-    |                 |      |                                         |      | Not used                                                                            |
| S80               | GND           |                 |      |                                         | P    | Ground                                                                              |
| S81               | PCIE_C_TX+    |                 |      |                                         |      | Not used                                                                            |
| S82               | PCIE_C_TX-    |                 |      |                                         |      | Not used                                                                            |
| S83               | GND           |                 |      |                                         | P    | Ground                                                                              |
| S84               | PCIE_B_REFCK+ |                 |      |                                         | O    | Differential PCI Express Reference Clock Signals for Lanes B (from DSC557-04444K11) |
| S85               | PCIE_B_REFCK- |                 |      |                                         | O    | Differential PCI Express Reference Clock Signals for Lanes B (from DSC557-04444K11) |
| S86               | GND           |                 |      |                                         | P    | Ground                                                                              |
| S87               | PCIE_B_RX+    | A21             |      | PCIE1_RX0_P                             | I    | Differential PCIe Link B receive data pair 0                                        |
| S88               | PCIE_B_RX-    | B22             |      | PCIE1_RX0_N                             | I    | Differential PCIe Link B receive data pair 0                                        |
| S89               | GND           |                 |      |                                         | P    | Ground                                                                              |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name    | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name |                                                    |
| S90               | PCIE_B_TX+  | B24             |      | PCIE1_TX0_P | O<br>Differential PCIe Link A transmit data pair 0 |
| S91               | PCIE_B_TX-  | C25             |      | PCIE1_TX0_N | O<br>Differential PCIe Link A transmit data pair 0 |
| S92               | GND         |                 |      |             | P<br>Ground                                        |
| S93               | DPO_LANE0+  |                 |      |             | AIO<br>eDP0 data pair 0+ (From SN65DSI86)          |
| S94               | DPO_LANE0-  |                 |      |             | AIO<br>eDP0 data pair 0- (From SN65DSI86)          |
| S95               | DPO_AUX_SEL |                 |      |             | Not used                                           |
| S96               | DPO_LANE1+  |                 |      |             | AIO<br>eDP0 data pair 1+ (From SN65DSI86)          |
| S97               | DPO_LANE1-  |                 |      |             | AIO<br>eDP0 data pair 1- (From SN65DSI86)          |
| S98               | DPO_HPD     |                 |      |             | I<br>eDP0 Hot Plug Detect pins                     |
| S99               | DPO_LANE2+  |                 |      |             | AIO<br>eDP0 data pair 2+ (From SN65DSI86)          |
| S100              | DPO_LANE2-  |                 |      |             | AIO<br>eDP0 data pair 2- (From SN65DSI86)          |
| S101              | GND         |                 |      |             | P<br>Ground                                        |
| S102              | DPO_LANE3+  |                 |      |             | AIO<br>eDP0 data pair 3+ (From SN65DSI86)          |
| S103              | DPO_LANE3-  |                 |      |             | AIO<br>eDP0 data pair 3- (From SN65DSI86)          |

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| Pin#              | Pin Name                                | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                         |      |                                                   |
| S104              | USB3_OTG_ID                             |                 |      |                                     |      | Not used                                          |
| S105              | DPO_AUX+                                |                 |      |                                     |      | eDP0 auxiliary channel pair +<br>(From SN65DSI86) |
| S106              | DPO_AUX-                                |                 |      |                                     |      | eDP0 auxiliary channel pair -<br>(From SN65DSI86) |
| S107              | LCD1_BKLT_EN                            | BD36            | ALT3 | LVDS0_I2C0_SDA__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO07 | O    | High enables lvs1 panel backlight                 |
| S108              | LVDS1_CK+ /<br>eDP1_AUX+ /<br>DSI1_CLK+ |                 |      |                                     | O    | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD differential clock pairs           |
| S109              | LVDS1_CK- /<br>eDP1_AUX- /<br>DSI1_CLK- |                 |      |                                     | O    | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD differential clock pairs           |
| S110              | GND                                     |                 |      |                                     | P    | Ground                                            |
| S111              | LVDS1_0+ /<br>eDP1_TX0+ /<br>DSI1_D0+   |                 |      |                                     | AIO  | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD data channel differential pairs 1  |
| S112              | LVDS1_0- /<br>eDP1_TX0- /<br>DSI1_D0-   |                 |      |                                     | AIO  | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD data channel differential pairs 1  |
| S113              | eDP1_HPD                                |                 |      |                                     | I    | eDP1 Hot Plug Detect pins                         |

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|-------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name                              | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                       |      |                                                        |
| S114              | LVDS1_1+ /<br>eDP1_TX1+ /<br>DSI1_D1+ |                 |      |                                   | AIO  | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD<br>data channel<br>differential pairs 2 |
| S115              | LVDS1_1- /<br>eDP1_TX1- /<br>DSI1_D1- |                 |      |                                   | AIO  | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD<br>data channel<br>differential pairs 2 |
| S116              | LCD1_VDD_EN                           | BH36            | ALT3 | LVDS1_GPIO01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO11 | O    | High enables lvds1<br>panel VDD                        |
| S117              | LVDS1_2+ /<br>eDP1_TX2+ /<br>DSI1_D2+ |                 |      |                                   | AIO  | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD<br>data channel<br>differential pairs 3 |
| S118              | LVDS1_2- /<br>eDP1_TX2- /<br>DSI1_D2- |                 |      |                                   | AIO  | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD<br>data channel<br>differential pairs 3 |
| S119              | GND                                   |                 |      |                                   | P    | Ground                                                 |
| S120              | LVDS1_3+ /<br>eDP1_TX3+ /<br>DSI1_D3+ |                 |      |                                   | AIO  | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD<br>data channel<br>differential pairs 4 |
| S121              | LVDS1_3- /<br>eDP1_TX3- /<br>DSI1_D3- |                 |      |                                   | AIO  | LVDS1/eDP1 LCD<br>data channel<br>differential pairs 4 |
| S122              | LCD1_BKLT_<br>PWM                     | BD34            | ALT3 | LVDS1_GPIO00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO10 | O    | LCD1 display<br>backlight PWM<br>control               |
| S123              | RSVD                                  |                 |      |                                   |      | Not used                                               |
| S124              | GND                                   |                 |      |                                   | P    | Ground                                                 |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                                       | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                     | Type | Description                                       |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|------|-------------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name                              | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                         |      |                                                   |
| S125              | LVDS0_0+ /<br>eDP0_TX0+ /<br>DSIO_D0+ |                 |      |                                     | AIO  | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 1 |
| S126              | LVDS0_0- /<br>eDP0_TX0- /<br>DSIO_D0- |                 |      |                                     | AIO  | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 1 |
| S127              | LCD_BKLT_EN                           | BD38            | ALT3 | LVDS0_I2C0_SCL__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO06 | O    | High enables lvds0<br>panel backlight             |
| S128              | LVDS0_1+ /<br>eDP0_TX1+ /<br>DSIO_D1+ |                 |      |                                     | AIO  | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 2 |
| S129              | LVDS0_1- /<br>eDP0_TX1- /<br>DSIO_D1- |                 |      |                                     | AIO  | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 2 |
| S130              | GND                                   |                 |      |                                     | P    | Ground                                            |
| S131              | LVDS0_2+ /<br>eDP0_TX2+ /<br>DSIO_D2+ |                 |      |                                     | AIO  | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 3 |
| S132              | LVDS0_2- /<br>eDP0_TX2- /<br>DSIO_D2- |                 |      |                                     | AIO  | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 3 |
| S133              | LCD_VDD_EN                            | BD40            | ALT3 | LVDS0_GPIO01__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO05   | O    | High enables lvds0<br>panel VDD                   |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                                         | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                                                                   | Type     | Description                                                                                        |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name                                | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                                                                       |          |                                                                                                    |
| S134              | LVDS0_CK+ /<br>eDP0_AUX+ /<br>DSIO_CLK+ |                 |      |                                                                                   | O        | LVDS0 LCD<br>differential clock<br>pairs                                                           |
| S135              | LVDS0_CK- /<br>eDP0_AUX- /<br>DSIO_CLK- |                 |      |                                                                                   | O        | LVDS0 LCD<br>differential clock<br>pairs                                                           |
| S136              | GND                                     |                 |      |                                                                                   | P        | Ground                                                                                             |
| S137              | LVDS0_3+ /<br>eDP0_TX3+ /<br>DSIO_D3+   |                 |      |                                                                                   | AIO      | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 4                                                  |
| S138              | LVDS0_3- /<br>eDP0_TX3- /<br>DSIO_D3-   |                 |      |                                                                                   | AIO      | LVDS0 LCD data<br>channel differential<br>pairs 4                                                  |
| S139              | I2C_LCD_CK                              | BL35            | ALT0 | LVDS1_I2C0_SCL__<br>LVDS1_I2C0_SCL                                                | IO<br>OD | LCD display I2C bus<br>clock                                                                       |
| S140              | I2C_LCD_DAT                             | BE33            | ALT0 | LVDS1_I2C0_SDA__<br>LVDS1_I2C0_SDA                                                | IO<br>OD | LCD display I2C bus<br>clock                                                                       |
| S141              | LCD_BKLT_PWM                            | BE39            | ALT3 | LVDS0_GPIO00__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO04                                                 | O        | LCD0 display<br>backlight PWM<br>control                                                           |
| S142              | RSVD                                    |                 |      |                                                                                   |          | Not used                                                                                           |
| S143              | GND                                     |                 |      |                                                                                   | P        | Ground                                                                                             |
| S144              | eDP0_HPD                                |                 |      |                                                                                   |          | Not used                                                                                           |
| S145              | WDT_TIME_OUT#                           | BC9             | ALT3 | SPDIF0_TX__<br>LSIO_GPIO2_IO15                                                    | O        | Watchdog-Timer<br>Output                                                                           |
| S146              | PCIE_WAKE#                              | A15/<br>A27     | ALT3 | PCIE_CTRL0_WAKE_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO28/<br>PCIE_CTRL1_WAKE_B__<br>LSIO_GPIO4_IO31 | I        | PCI Express Wake<br>Event: Sideband<br>wake signal asserted<br>by components<br>requesting wakeup. |

| SMARC Edge Finger |          | NXP i.MX8QM CPU |      |                                  | Type | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|-------------------|----------|-----------------|------|----------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                      |      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| S147              | VDD_RTC  |                 |      |                                  | P    | Low current RTC circuit backup power - 3.0V nominal<br>It is sourced from a Carrier based Lithium cell or Super Cap                                                                                                                                                                              |
| S148              | LID#     | BB46            | ALT3 | SCU_GPIO0_03_<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO31 | I    | Lid open/close indication to Module.<br>Low indicates lid closure (which system may use to initiate a sleep state).<br>Carrier to float the line in in-active state.<br>Active low, level sensitive. Should be de-bounced on the Module<br>Pulled up on Module.<br>Driven by OD part on Carrier. |
| S149              | SLEEP#   | BC47            | ALT3 | SCU_GPIO0_04_<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO00 | I    | Sleep indicator from Carrier board. May be sourced from user Sleep button or Carrier logic. Carrier to float the line in in-active state.<br>Active low, level sensitive. Should be de-bounced on the Module.<br>Pulled up on Module.<br>Driven by OD part on Carrier.                           |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                 | NXP i.MX8MQ CPU |      |                                   | Type | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name        | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                       |      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| S150              | VIN_PWR_BAD#    |                 |      |                                   | I    | Power bad indication from Carrier board. Module and Carrier power supplies (other than Module and Carrier power supervisory circuits) shall not be enabled while this signal is held low by the Carrier. Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier. |
| S151              | CHARGING#       | AY44            | ALT3 | SCU_GPIO0_05__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO01 | I    | Held low by Carrier if DC input for battery charger is present. Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier.                                                                                                                                          |
| S152              | CHARGER_PRSENT# | BG49            | ALT3 | SCU_GPIO0_06__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO02 | I    | Held low by Carrier if DC input for battery charger is present.                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| S153              | CARRIER_STBY#   | AW45            | ALT5 | SCU_GPIO0_02__<br>LSIO_GPIO0_IO30 | O    | The Module shall drive this signal low when the system is in a standby power state                                                                                                                                                                          |

| SMARC Edge Finger |                | NXP i.MX8MQ CPU |      |                                   | Type | Description                                                                                                                                               |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name       | Ball            | Mode | Signal Name                       |      |                                                                                                                                                           |
| S154              | CARRIER_PWR_ON |                 |      |                                   | O    | Carrier board circuits (apart from power management and power path circuits) should not be powered up until the Module asserts the CARRIER_PWR_ON signal. |
| S155              | FORCE_RECOV#   |                 |      |                                   | I    | Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier.                                                                                                        |
| S156              | BATLOW#        | BF48            | ALT3 | SCU_GPIO0_07__<br>LSIO_GPIO1_IO03 | I    | Battery low indication to Module. Carrier to float the line in in-active state. Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier.                        |
| S157              | TEST#          |                 |      |                                   | I    | Held low by Carrier to invoke Module SD Boot UP. Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier.                                                       |
| S158              | GND            |                 |      |                                   | P    | Ground                                                                                                                                                    |

# Chapter

# 4

## Power Control Signals between SMARC Module and Carrier

This Chapter points out the handshaking rule between *SMARC* module and carrier.

Section include :

- *SMARC-iMX8* Module Power
- Power Signals
- Power Flow and Control Signals Block Diagram
- Power States
- Power Sequences
- Terminations
- Boot Select

## **Chapter 4 Power Control Signals between SMARC-iMX8 Module and Carrier**

SMARC modules are designed to be driven with a single +3V to +5.25V input power rail. Unlike Q7 module, there is no separate voltage rail for standby power, other than the very low current RTC voltage rail. All module operating and standby power comes from the single set of *VDD\_IN* pins. This suits battery power sources well, and is also easy to use with non-battery sources.

SMARC module has specific handshaking rules to the carrier by SMARC hardware specification. To design the carrier board, users need to follow these rules or it might not boot up. Some pull-up and pull-down also need to be cared to make all functions work.

### **4.1 SMARC-iMX8 Module Power**

#### **4.1.1. Input Voltage / Main Power Rail**

The allowable Module DC input voltage range for SMARC-iMX8 is from 3.0V to 5.25V. This voltage is brought in on the *VDD\_IN* pins and returned through the numerous *GND* pins on the connector.

Ten pins are allocated to *VDD\_IN*. The connector pin current rating is 0.5A per pin. This works out to 5A total for the 10 pins. At the lowest allowed Module input voltage, this would allow up to 16.75W of electrical power to be brought in (with no de-rating on the connector current capability). With a 40% connector current de-rating, up to 10W may be brought in at 3V. SMARC-iMX8 typically consumes 1.5~2W depending on dual or quad cores and is pretty safe in using the connector.

#### ***4.1.2. No Separate Standby Voltage***

There is no separate voltage rail for standby power, other than the very low current RTC voltage rail. *SMARC-iMX8* operating and standby power comes from the single set of *VDD\_IN* pins. This suits battery power sources well, and is also easy to use with non-battery sources.

#### ***4.1.3. RTC/Backup Voltage***

RTC backup power is brought in on the *VDD\_RTC* rail. The RTC consumption is typically 15 microA or less. The allowable *VDD\_RTC* voltage range shall be 2.0V to 3.25V. The *VDD\_RTC* rail is sourced from a Carrier based Lithium cell, or it may be left open if the RTC backup functions are not required. *SMARC-iMX8* module is able to boot without a *VDD\_RTC* voltage source.

Lithium cells, if used on Carrier, shall be protected against charging by a Carrier Schottky diode. The diode is placed in series with the positive battery terminal. The diode anode is on the battery side, and the cathode on the Module *VDD\_RTC* side.

Note that if a Super cap is used, current may flow out of the Module *VDD\_RTC* rail to charge the Super Cap.

#### ***4.1.4. Power Sequencing***

The Module signal *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON* exists to ensure that the Module is powered before the main body of Carrier circuits (those outside the power and power control path on the Carrier). The main body of Carrier board circuits should not be powered until the Module asserts the *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON* signal as a high. Module hardware will assert *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON* when all Module supplies necessary for Module booting are up.

The IO power of carrier board will be turn on at the stage of power on sequence. If the IO power of carrier board been turn on earlier than the *SMARC* module, the power on carrier board might feedback to *SMARC*

module through IO lines and disturbs the *SMARC* module power on sequence. More seriously, it might cause the CPU won't boot up. It is always recommended that the power on module has to be earlier than that on carrier board.

The boot up of module depends on when you release the reset signal of your carrier board. The module will boot up when the reset signal on your carrier board is released. Before that, the module will not boot up. That's why designer needs to put the *RESET\_IN#* in the last stage of power to serve as the "power good" signal of the carrier board.

The module will not boot up till the module power is ready because the carrier board hasn't released the reset signal yet.

The sequence is as follows:

Module Power Ready --> *CARRIER\_POWER\_ON* --> *RESET\_IN#* --> Boot Up

#### **4.1.5. *RESET\_IN#***

The *SMARC* module does not know the IO power status from the carrier board, and put *RESET\_IN#* in the last stage of power can serve as the "power good" signal of carrier board. This also assures that the power of carrier board is good when *SMARC* module booting up.

#### **4.1.6. *VDD\_IO***

The 3.3V *VDD\_IO* is depreciated from *SMARC* 1.1 specification.

*SMARC-iMX8* supports 1.8V *VDD\_IO* only.

#### **4.1.7. *Power Bad Indication (VIN\_PWR\_BAD#)***

Power bad indication is from carrier board and is an input signal for Module. Module and Carrier power supplies (other than Module and Carrier power

supervisory circuits) will not be enabled while this signal is held low by the Carrier.

This signal has a 100K pull-up on module and is driven by *OD* part on Carrier.

#### **4.1.8. System Power Domains**

It is useful to describe an *SMARC* system as being divided into a hierarchy of three power domains:

- 1) Battery Charger power domain (can be neglected if the system is not battery powered only)
- 2) *SMARC* Module power domain
- 3) Carrier Circuits power domain

The Battery Charger domain includes circuits that are active whenever either charger input power and / or battery power are available. These circuits may include power supply supervisor(s), battery chargers, fuel gauges and, depending on the battery configuration, switching power section(s) to step down a high incoming battery voltage.

The *SMARC* Module domain includes the *SMARC* module.

The Carrier Circuits domain includes “everything else” (and does not include items from the Battery Charger and Module domain, even though they may be mounted on the Carrier).

This is illustrated in the figure below.

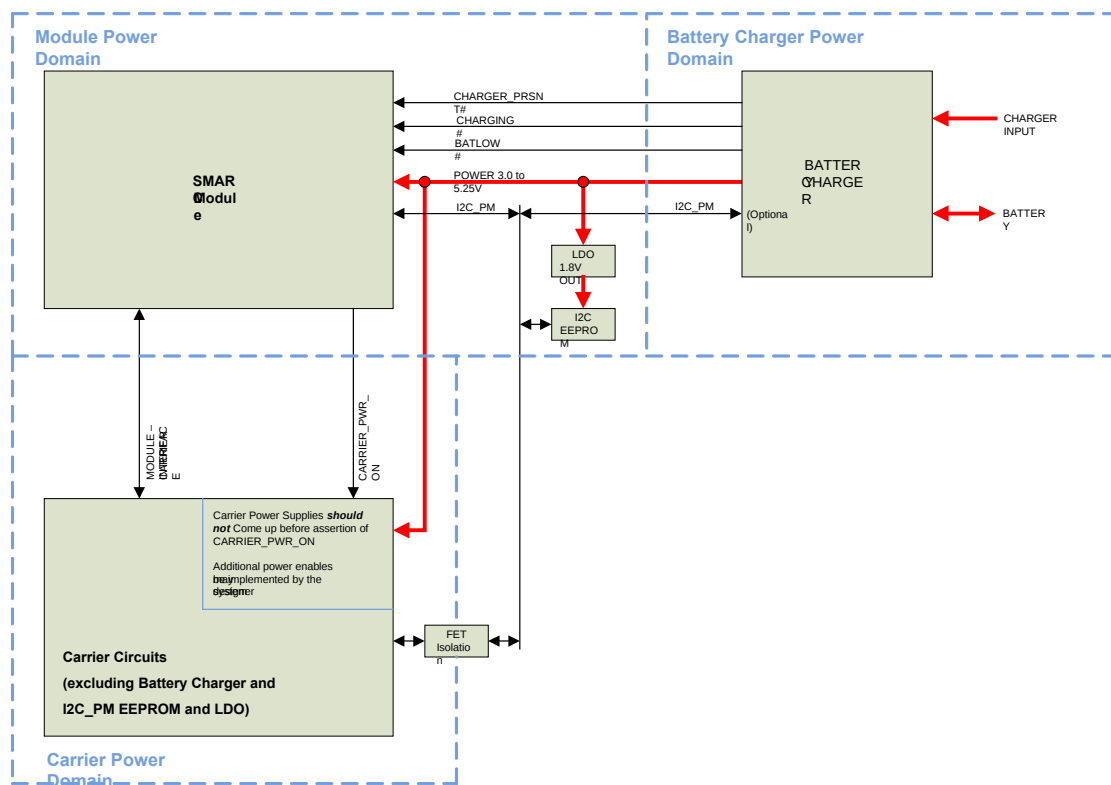


Figure 27 System Power Domains

## 4.2 Power Signals

### 4.2.1. Power Supply Signals

| SMARC Edge Finger                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |          | I/O | Type | Power Rail              | Description                                                     |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----|------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Pin Name |     |      |                         |                                                                 |
| P147, P148, P149, P150, P151, P152, P153, P154, P155, P156                                                                                                                                                                                                    | VDD_IN   | I   | PWR  | 3.0V~5.25V <sup>1</sup> | Main power supply input for the module                          |
| P2, S3, P9, S10, P12, S13, P15, S16, P18, S25, P32, S34, P38, S47, P47, P50, P53, P59, S61, S64, S67, P68, S70, S73, P79, S80, P82, S83, P85, S86, P88, S89, P91, S92, P94, P97, P100, S101, P103, S110, S119, P120, S124, S130, P133, S136, P142, S143, S158 | GND      | I   | PWR  |                         | Common signal and power ground                                  |
| S147                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | VDD_RTC  | I   | PWR  | 3.3V                    | RTC supply, can be left unconnected if internal RTC is not used |

#### 4.2.2. Power Control Signals

The input pins listed in the following table are all active low and are meant to be driven by *OD* (open drain) devices on the Carrier. The Carrier either floats the line or drives it to *GND*. No Carrier pull-ups are needed. The pull-up functions are performed on the Module. The voltage rail that these lines are pulled to on the Module varies, depending on the design, and may be 3.3V or *VDD\_IN*.

| SMARC Edge Finger |                | I/O | Type | Power Rail | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|-------------------|----------------|-----|------|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name       |     |      |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| S150              | VIN_PWR_BAD#   | I   | CMOS | VDD_IN     | Power bad indication from Carrier board                                                                                                                                                                           |
| S154              | CARRIER_PWR_ON | O   | CMOS | VDD_IO     | Signal to inform Carrier board circuits being powered up                                                                                                                                                          |
| P126              | RESET_OUT#     | O   | CMOS | VDD_IO     | General purpose reset output to Carrier board.                                                                                                                                                                    |
| P127              | RESET_IN#      | I   | CMOS | VDD_IO     | Reset input from Carrier board. Carrier drives low to force a Module reset, floats the line otherwise.<br><br>Pulled up on Module.<br><br>Driven by OD part on Carrier.                                           |
| P128              | POWER_BTN#     | I   | CMOS | VDD_IO     | Power-button input from Carrier board. Carrier to float the line in in-active state. Active low, level sensitive. It is de-bounced on the Module<br><br>Pulled up on Module.<br><br>Driven by OD part on Carrier. |

### 4.2.3. Power Management Signals

The pins listed in the following table are related to power management. They will be used in a battery-operated system.

| SMARC Edge Finger |                 | I/O | Type | Power Rail | Description                                                                                                                                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----|------|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name        |     |      |            |                                                                                                                                             |
| S156              | BATLOW#         | I   | CMOS | VDD_IO     | Battery low indication to Module.<br>Carrier to float the line in in-active state.<br>Pulled up on Module.<br>Driven by OD part on Carrier. |
| S154              | CARRIER_PWR_ON  | O   | CMOS | VDD_IO     | Signal to inform Carrier board circuits being powered up                                                                                    |
| S153              | CARRIER_STBY#   | O   | CMOS | VDD_IO     | Module will drive this signal low when the system is in a standby power state                                                               |
| S152              | CHARGER_PRSENT# | I   | CMOS | VDD_IO     | Held low by Carrier if DC input for battery charger is present.<br>Pulled up on Module.<br>Driven by OD part on Carrier.                    |

| SMARC Edge Finger |           | I/O | Type  | Power Rail | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|-------------------|-----------|-----|-------|------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pin#              | Pin Name  |     |       |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| S151              | CHARGING# | I   | Strap | VDD_IO     | Held low by Carrier during battery charging. Carrier to float the line when charge is complete. Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier.                                                                                                                                 |
| S149              | SLEEP#    | I   | CMOS  | VDD_IO     | Sleep indicator from Carrier board. May be sourced from user Sleep button or Carrier logic. Carrier to float the line in in-active state. Active low, level sensitive. Should be de-bounced on the Module. Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier.                      |
| S148              | LID#      | I   | CMOS  | VDD_IO     | Lid open/close indication to Module. Low indicates lid closure (which system may use to initiate a sleep state). Carrier to float the line in in-active state. Active low, level sensitive. Should be de-bounced on the Module. Pulled up on Module. Driven by OD part on Carrier. |

#### ***4.2.4. Special Control Signals (TEST#)***

*SMARC-iMX8* does not support to boot up from *SPI NOR* flash. *SMARC-iMX8* module boots up from the onboard *eMMC* Flash first. The firmware in the *eMMC* flash will read the *BOOT\_SEL* configuration and decides where to load the u-boot.

In some situations like the firmware in *eMMC* flash needed to be upgrade/restore or at factory default where the firmware in *eMMC* flash is empty or at development stage that the firmware in *eMMC* needs to be modified, users will need an alternative way to boot up from SD card first. The *TEST#* pin serves as this purpose. The *TEST#* pin is pulled high on module. If carrier board leaves this pin floating or pulls high, the module will boot up from on-module *eMMC*. If carrier board pulls this pin to *GND*, the module will boot up from *SD* card first. The first stage bootloader in *i.MX8QM* CPU ROM codes will load the 2<sup>nd</sup> stage bootloader based on the setting of this *#TEST* pin (S157).

### 4.3 Power Flow and Control Signals Block Diagram

Following figures shows the power flow and control signals block diagram.

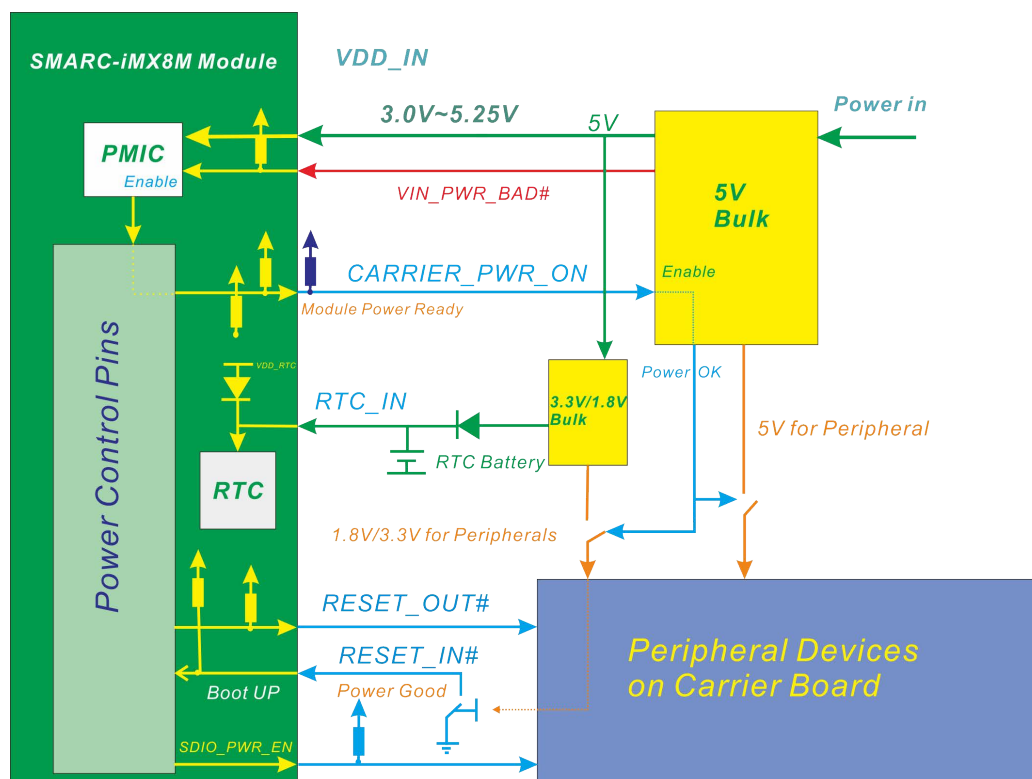


Figure 28 Power Block Diagram

When main power is supplied from the carrier, a voltage detector will assert *VIN\_PWR\_BAD#* signal to tell the module and carrier that the power is good. This signal will turn on the *PMIC* on module to power on the module.

Carrier power circuits in the carrier Power domain should not power up unless the module asserts *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON*. The module signal *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON* exists to ensure that the module is powered before the main body of carrier circuits (those outside the power and power control path on the carrier).

The main body of carrier board circuits will not be powered until the module asserts the *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON* signal being correct. Module hardware will assert *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON* when all power supplies necessary for module booting are ready. The module will continue to assert signal *RESET\_OUT#* after the release of *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON*, for a period sufficient to allow carrier power circuits to come up. When Carrier power is ready, it will assert *RESET\_IN#* to inform module booting up.

If users would like to have SD boot up, *SDIO\_PWR\_EN* signal have to be pull up to 3.3V on carrier.

Module and carrier power supplies will not be enabled if the *VIN\_PWR\_BAD#* is held low by carrier. It is a power bad indication signal from carrier and is 200k pull up to *VDD\_IN* on module.

## 4.4 Power States

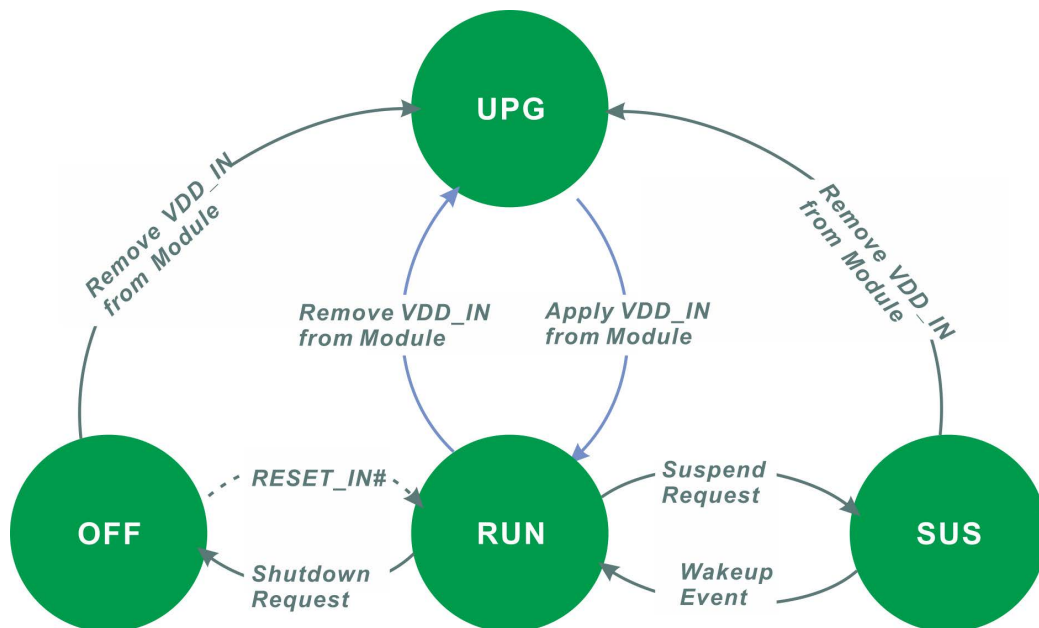
The *SMARC-iMX8* module supports different power states. The table below describes the behavior in the different states and which power rails and peripherals are active. Additional power states can be implemented if required using available GPIOs to control additional power domains and peripherals.

| <i>Abbr.</i> | <i>Name</i>      | <i>Description</i>                                                                  | <i>Module</i>                                                                                              | <i>Carrier Board</i>                                                                        |
|--------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>UPG</i>   | <i>Unplugged</i> | <i>No power is applied to the system, except the RTC battery might be available</i> | <i>No main VDD_IN applied from fixed DC supply, VDD_IN available if backup battery is implemented</i>      | <i>No power supply input, RTC battery maybe inserted</i>                                    |
| <i>OFF</i>   | <i>off</i>       | <i>System is off, but the carrier board input supply is available</i>               | <i>The main VDD_IN is available, but the CPU and peripherals are not running. Only the PMIC is running</i> | <i>Carrier board provides power for module, the peripheral supplies are not available</i>   |
| <i>SUS</i>   | <i>Suspend</i>   | <i>System is suspended and waits for wakeup sources to trigger</i>                  | <i>CPU is suspended, wakeup capable peripherals are running while others might be switched off</i>         | <i>Power rails are available on carrier board, peripherals might be stopped by software</i> |
| <i>RUN</i>   | <i>Running</i>   | <i>System is running</i>                                                            | <i>All power rails are available, CPU and peripherals are running</i>                                      | <i>All power rails are available, peripherals are running</i>                               |
| <i>RST</i>   | <i>Reset</i>     | <i>System is put in reset state by holding RESET_IN# is low</i>                     | <i>All power rails are available, CPU and peripherals are in reset state</i>                               | <i>All power rails are available, peripherals are in reset state</i>                        |

The figure below shows a sequence diagram for the different power states. The module automatically enters into the running mode when the main power rail is applied to the module. In the running mode, the system can be set to

suspend by software. There might be different wake up sources available. Consult the datasheet for *SMARC-iMX8* module for more information about the available wakeup events.

In the running state, a shutdown request can be triggered by software. This turns off all power rails on the module and requests the carrier board to switch of the power rails for the peripherals. The module can be brought back to the running mode in two ways. The module main voltage rail (*VDD\_IN*) can be removed and applied again. If needed, this could also be done with a button and a small circuit. *SMARC-iMX8* module supports being power cycled by asserting the *RESET\_IN#* signal (e.g. by pressing the reset button or shunt and relief the reset jumper), please consult the associated module datasheet for more information about the support power cycle methods.



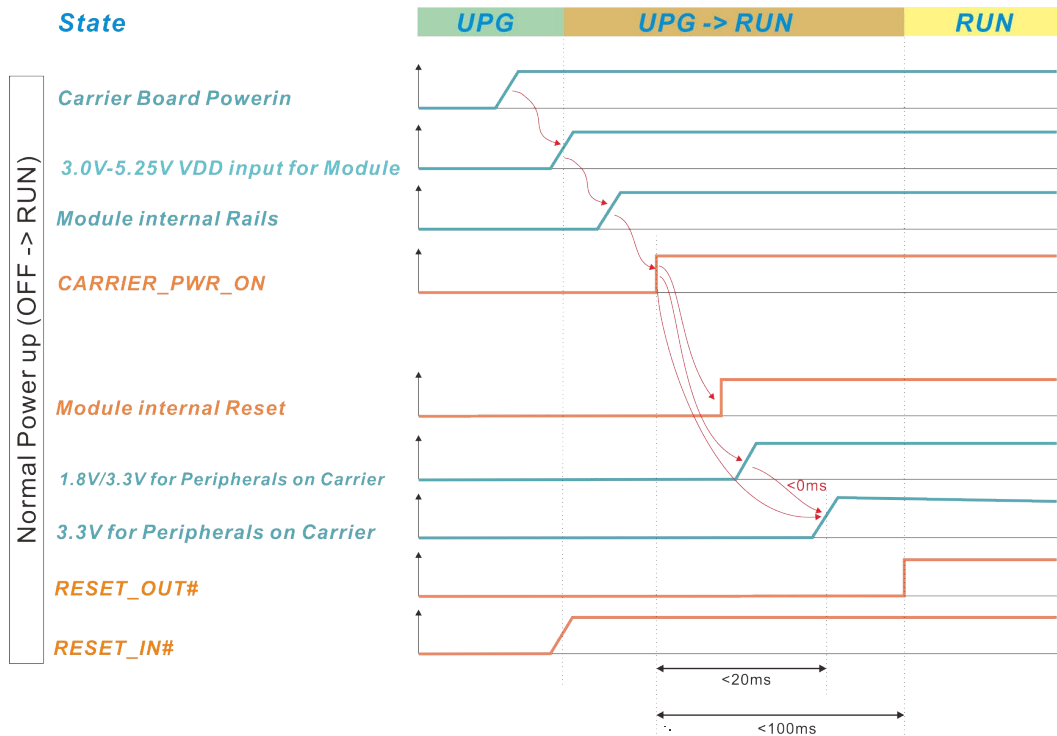
**Figure 29 Power States and Transitions**

## **4.5 Power Sequences**

When main power is supplied from the carrier, a voltage detector will assert *VIN\_PWR\_BAD#* signal to tell the module and carrier that the power is good. This signal will enable the *PMIC* on module to power on the module. The module will not power up if the module receives a low-active *VIN\_PWR\_BAD#* signal.

The *SMARC-iMX8* module starts asserting *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON* as soon as the main voltage supply being applied to the module and all power supplies necessary for module booting are up. This is to ensure that the module is powered before the main body of carrier circuits (those outside the power and power control path on the carrier). The module will continue to assert signal *RESET\_OUT#* after the release of *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON*, for a period sufficient time (at least 10ms) to allow carrier power circuits that the peripheral supplies need to ramp up.

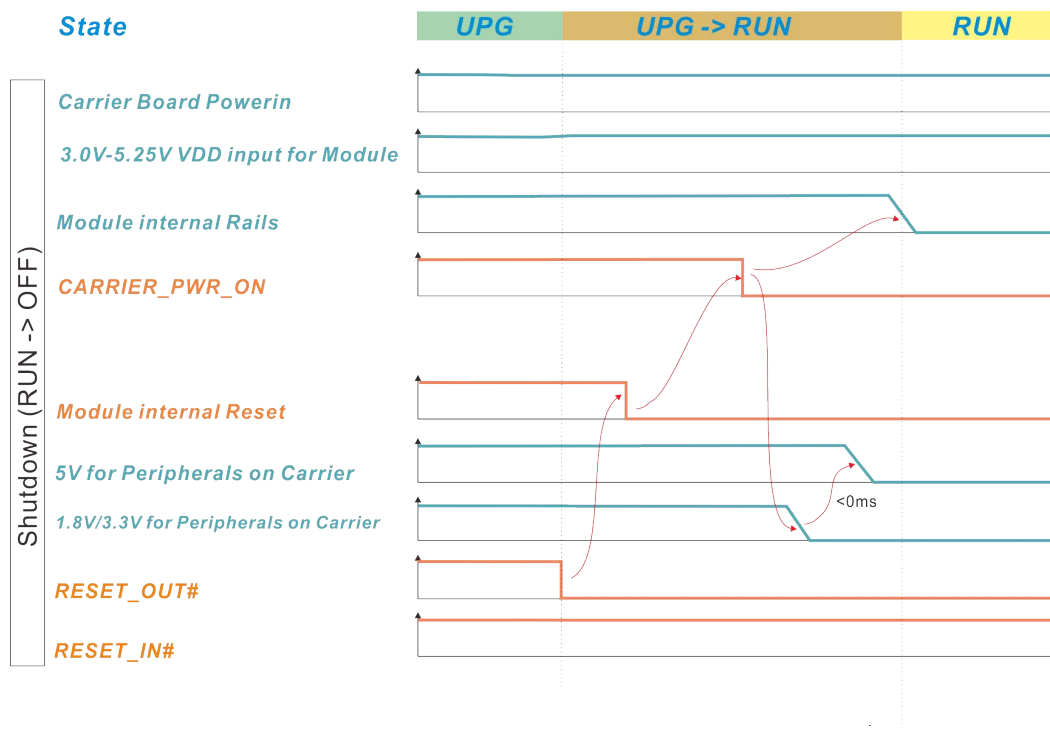
The peripheral power rails on the carrier board need to ramp up in a correct sequence. The sequence starts normally with the highest voltage (e.g. 5V) followed by the lower voltages (e.g. 3.3V then 1.8V and so on). Peripherals normally require that a lower voltage rails is never present if a higher rail is missing. Check the datasheet of all peripheral components on the carrier board for a proper sequencing. The *SMARC-iMX8* modules guarantees to apply the reset output *RESET\_OUT#* not earlier than 100ms after the *CARRIER\_PWR\_ON* goes high. This gives the carrier board a sufficient time for ramping up all power rails. *SDIO\_PWR\_EN* signal have to be pull up to 3.3V on carrier if users would like to have SD boot up functionality.



**Figure 30 Power-Up Sequence**

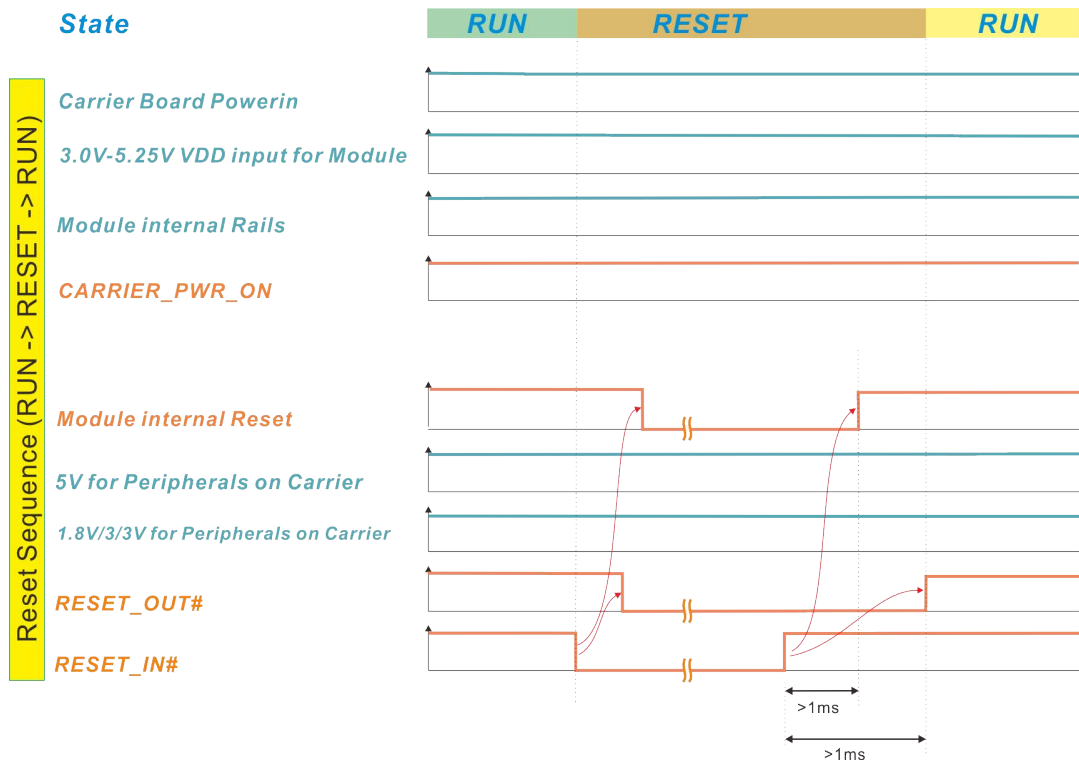
If the operating system supports it, a shutdown sequence can be initiated. Some systems may benefit from shutting down instead of just removing the main power supply as this allows the operating system to take care of any housekeeping (e.g. bringing mass storage devices to a controlled halt). Some operating system may not provide the shutdown function.

As it is not permitted that a lower voltage rail is present when a higher voltage rail has been switched off, the sequence of shutting down the peripheral voltages needs to be considered. The lower voltages (e.g. peripheral 3.3V) need to ramp down before the higher ones do (e.g. peripheral 5V).



**Figure 31 Shutdown Sequence**

When the *RESET\_IN#* is asserted, a reset cycle is initiated. The module internal reset and the external reset output *RESET\_OUT#* are asserted as long as *RESET\_IN#* is asserted. If the reset input *RESET\_IN#* is de-asserted, the internal reset and the *RESET\_OUT#* will remain low for at least 1ms until they are also de-asserted and the module starts booting again. This guarantees a minimum reset time of 1ms even if the reset input *RESET\_IN#* is triggered for a short time.



**Figure 32 Reset Sequence**

## 4.6 Terminations

### 4.6.1. Module Terminations

The Module signals listed below will be terminated on the Module. The terminations follow the guidance given in the table below.

| <i>Signal Name</i>      | <i>Series Termination</i> | <i>Parallel Termination</i> | <i>Notes</i>             |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>HDMI_CTRL_DAT</b>    |                           | 1.5k pull-up to 1.8V        | Carrier pull-up required |
| <b>HDMI_CTRL_CK</b>     |                           | 1.5k pull-up to 1.8V        | Carrier pull-up required |
| <b>PCIE_[A:B]_TX+</b>   | 0.2uF Capacitor           |                             |                          |
| <b>PCIE_[A:B]_TX-</b>   | 0.2uF Capacitor           |                             |                          |
| <b>I2C_PM_DAT</b>       |                           | 2.2K pull-up to 1.8V        |                          |
| <b>I2C_PM_CK</b>        |                           | 2.2K pull-up to 1.8V        |                          |
| <b>I2C_LCD_DAT</b>      |                           | 2.2K pull-up to 1.8V        |                          |
| <b>I2C_LCD_CK</b>       |                           | 2.2K pull-up to 1.8V        |                          |
| <b>I2C_CAM[0:1]_DAT</b> |                           | 2.2K pull-up to 1.8V        |                          |
| <b>I2C_CAM[0:1]_CK</b>  |                           | 2.2K pull-up to 1.8V        |                          |
| <b>I2C_GP_DAT</b>       |                           | 2.2K pull-up to 1.8V        |                          |
| <b>I2C_GP_CK</b>        |                           | 2.2K pull-up to 1.8V        |                          |
| <b>SDIO_CD#</b>         |                           | 10k pull-up to 3.3V         |                          |
| <b>SDIO_WP</b>          |                           | 10k pull-up to 3.3V         |                          |

| <i>Signal Name</i>     | <i>Series Termination</i> | <i>Parallel Termination</i>                                | <i>Notes</i>                                                                                                                                                               |
|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>USB[0:4]_EN_OC#</b> |                           | 10K pull-up to 3.3V or<br>a switched 3.3V on the<br>Module | x is '0' or '1'<br><br>Switched 3.3V: if a<br>USB channel is not<br>used, then the<br>USBx_EN_OC#<br>pull-up rail may be<br>held at GND to<br>prevent leakage<br>currents. |
|                        |                           |                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>VIN_PWR_BAD#</b>    |                           | 200k pull-up to VIN                                        |                                                                                                                                                                            |
|                        |                           |                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>USB2_SSTX+</b>      | 0.2uF Capacitor           |                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>USB2_SSTX-</b>      | 0.2uF Capacitor           |                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                            |

#### 4.6.2. Carrier/Off-Module Terminations

The following Carrier terminations are required, if the relevant interface is used. If unused, the SMARC Module pins may be left un-connected.

| <i>Module Signal</i>                             | <i>Carrier Series</i>                                                | <i>Carrier Parallel</i>                                                                                                                | <i>Notes</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>Group Name</i>                                | <i>Termination</i>                                                   | <i>Termination</i>                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>GBE_MDI</b>                                   | <i>Magnetics module appropriate for 10/100/1000 GBE transceivers</i> | <i>Secondary side center tap terminations appropriate for Gigabit Ethernet implementations</i>                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>GBE_LINK</b><br><b>(GBE status LED sinks)</b> |                                                                      | <i>If used, current limiting resistors and diodes to pulled to a positive supply rail</i>                                              | <i>The open drain GBE status signals, GBE_LINK100#, GBE_LINK1000# and GBE_LINK_ACT#, if used, need Carrier based current limiting resistors and LEDs. The LED may be integrated into a Carrier RJ45 jack. A resistor of 68 ohms, and a LED with the anode tied to Carrier 3.3V, is typical.</i> |
| <b>LVDS LCD</b>                                  |                                                                      | <i>100 ohm resistive termination across the differential pairs at the endpoint of the signal path, usually on the display assembly</i> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |

| <i>Module Signal</i>                        | <i>Carrier Series</i>                                                                    | <i>Carrier Parallel</i> | <i>Notes</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>Group Name</i>                           | <i>Termination</i>                                                                       | <i>Termination</i>      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>HDMI_CTRL_DAT</b><br><b>HDMI_CTRL_CK</b> |                                                                                          |                         | <p><i>Pull-ups to VDD_IO on each of these lines is required on the Carrier.</i></p> <p><i>The pull-ups may be part of an integrated HDMI ESD protection and control-line level shift device, such as the Texas Instruments TPD12S016.</i></p> <p><i>If discrete Carrier pull-ups are used, they should be 10K.</i></p> |
| <b>PCle_A_RX+</b><br><b>PCle_A_RX-</b>      | <i>Series coupling caps near the TX pins of the Carrier board PCIe device (0.2uF)</i>    |                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>PCle_B_RX+</b><br><b>PCle_B_RX-</b>      | <i>Series coupling caps near the TX pins of the Carrier board PCIe device (0.2uF)</i>    |                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>USB2_SSRX+</b><br><b>USB2_SSRX-</b>      | <i>Series coupling caps near the TX pins of the Carrier board USB 3.0 device (0.2uF)</i> |                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |

| <i>Module Signal</i>                     | <i>Carrier Series</i> | <i>Carrier Parallel</i>                                                                                                     | <i>Notes</i> |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| <i>Group Name</i>                        | <i>Termination</i>    | <i>Termination</i>                                                                                                          |              |
| <b>DP1_AUX_SEL</b>                       |                       | Carrier DP1_AUX_SEL should be connected to pin 13 of the DisplayPort connector to enable a dual-mode DisplayPort interface. |              |
| <b>DP1_LANE[0:3]+<br/>DP1_LANE[0:3]-</b> |                       | DC blocking capacitors shall be placed on the Carrier for the DP1_LANE[0:3] signals.                                        |              |
| <b>DP1_HPD</b>                           |                       | The carrier shall include a blocking FET on DP1_HPD to prevent back-drive current from damaging the module.                 |              |

## 4.7 Boot Device Selection

SMARC hardware specification defines three pins (*BOOT\_SEL[0:2]*) that allow the Carrier board user to select from eight possible boot devices. *SMARC-iMX8* does not support boot up from SPI flash. If *TEST#* is not shunt cross to GND, the first stage of bootloader on *SMARC-iMX8* will boot up from on-module *eMMC* first. The firmware on *eMMC* will read the boot device configuration and load the second stage bootloader from selected boot devices. The *BOOT\_SELx#* pins are weakly pulled up on the Module and the pin states decoded by module logic. The Carrier shall either leave the Module pin Not Connected (“Float” in the table below) or shall pull the pin to GND, per the table below.

| Carrier Connection |                   |                   |                   | Boot Source         |
|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
|                    | <i>BOOT_SEL2#</i> | <i>BOOT_SEL1#</i> | <i>BOOT_SEL0#</i> |                     |
| 0                  | GND               | GND               | GND               | Carrier SATA        |
| 1                  | GND               | GND               | Float             | Carrier SD Card     |
| 2                  | GND               | Float             | GND               | Carrier eSPI (CS0#) |
| 3                  | GND               | Float             | Float             | Carrier SPI         |
| 4                  | Float             | GND               | GND               | Module Device (USB) |
| 5                  | Float             | GND               | Float             | Remote Boot (GBE)   |
| 6                  | Float             | Float             | GND               | Module eMMC Flash   |
| 7                  | Float             | Float             | Float             | Module SPI          |

If *TEST#* pin is shunt cross to GND, the first stage of bootloader on *SMARC-iMX8* will boot up from off-module *SD* card. This is a back door to restore/upgrade the firmware in on-module *eMMC*.