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# **BIG 7-SEG R click**

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### BIG 7-SEG R click

**BIG 7-SEG R click** is what you need if you want to add a seven-segment **LED display** to your project. This click features an SC10-21SRWA 7-segment display. Communication between the MCU and the SC10-21SRWA display is established via serial-IN, parallel-OUT shift register 74HC595 IC.

The click runs on either a 3.3V or 5V power supply and communicates with the target MCU over an SPI interface.

### Features and usage notes

#### **Display**

The click displays letters, numbers and symbols in highly readable form. It can be used in any simple interface and combined with other click boards. The color of the displayed character is red, as the R in the name of the click states.

Seven segment displays use different combinations of the segments to display symbols, most commonly Arabic numerals.

Each segment is connected to one of the pins on the 74HC595 IC.

### Light intensity

The light intensity on the display is controlled via the **PWM pin** on the board.

### Application

Adding a seven-segment LED display to your device with SPI interface. It can be used for digital clocks, vending machine displays, electronic meters and many other devices.

### **Key features**

- SC10-21SRWA display
  - 1.0 inch digit height
  - Standard: gray face, white segment
  - Low current operation
- Serial-IN, parallel-OUT shift register 74HC595 IC
- Interface: SPI
- 3.3V or 5V power supply

# **Pinout diagram**

This table shows how the pinout on BIG 7-SEG R click corresponds to the pinout on the mikroBUS<sup>TM</sup> socket (the latter shown in the two middle columns).

Notes	Pin	••					Pin	Notes
		ł		m	ikroBU	Stm		
Not connected	NC	1	AN		PWM	16	PWM	Display light intensity control
Master Reset for 74HC595	MR	2	RST		INT	15	NC	Not connected
Latch for 74HC595	LAT	3	CS		TX	14	NC	Not connected
Clock for 74HC595	CLK	4	SCK		RX	13	NC	Not connected
Serial Data from 74HC595 to MCU	DSO	5	MISO		SCL	12	NC	Not connected
Serial Data from MCU to 74HC595	DSI	6	MOSI		SDA	11	NC	Not connected
Data line when interfaced with 3.3V MCU	3.3V	7	+3.3V		+5V	10	5V	Data line when interfaced with 5V MCU and also power supply pin for display and the whole click hardware
Ground	GND	8	GND		GND	9	GND	Ground

# Jumpers and settings

Information about onboard jumpers:

Designator	Name	Default Position	Default Option	Description: describe the use + list all options with respective descriptions
JP1	Logic level	Left	3.3V	Logic Level Selection toward host mcu 3.3V/5V, left position 3.3V, right position 5V

#### Programming

This demo is using BIG 7-SEG R click board to display characters in an endless loop, with fixed time interval whilst changing its PWM duty.

- Operating Voltage Range: 2.0 to 6.0 V
- Operating Temperature: 55 to 125 C

This example for STM32F107VC MCU (EasyMx PRO v7 for ARM), resets and initializes the BIG 7-SEG R click board takes characters from the static array and displays them while changing PWM duty cycle, all in an endless loop.

```
extern char dig_array[MAX_CHARACTERS];
  // Variables
 unsigned short counter;
 unsigned int luminosity;
 unsigned int pwm_period;
  int8_t valid;
  char demo_array[20] =
  { 'M', 'I', 'K', 'R', 'O',
    'E', 'L', 'E', 'K', 'T', 'R', 'O', 'N', 'I', 'K', 'A',
    '2', '0', '1', '6'
  };
 void main()
  {
   // MCU Init
   GPIO_Digital_Output(&GPIOD_ODR, _GPIO_PINMASK_13);
                                                        // Set
PORTD.B13 as digital input
   GPIO_Digital_Output(&GPIOC_ODR, _GPIO_PINMASK_2);
                                                        // Set
PORTC.B2 as digital output
   // SPI Init
  SPI3_Init_Advanced( _SPI_FPCLK_DIV16, _SPI_MASTER | _SPI_8_BIT |
  _SPI_CLK_IDLE_LOW | _SPI_FIRST_CLK_EDGE_TRANSITION |
  _SPI_MSB_FIRST | _SPI_SS_DISABLE | _SPI_SSM_ENABLE |
  _SPI_SSI_1, &_GPIO_MODULE_SPI3_PC10_11_12 );
   // PWM Init
  pwm_period = PWM_TIM5_Init(5000);
                                                           // PWM Init
on 5kHz
  PWM_TIM5_Set_Duty(100, _PWM_NON_INVERTED, _PWM_CHANNEL1);
   PWM_TIM5_Start(_PWM_CHANNEL1, &_GPIO_MODULE_TIM5_CH1_PA0);
   // 74HC595 Init
   HC595\_LAT = 0;
   HC595\_RES = 0;
   HC595_reset();
```

```
// Init counter and segment luminosity
  counter = 0;
  luminosity = 0;
  // Endless loop
  while (1)
    {
    valid = seg_7_display(demo_array[counter]);
    PWM_TIM5_Set_Duty(100 + luminosity, _PWM_NON_INVERTED,
_PWM_CHANNEL1);
    delay_ms(750);
    luminosity += 100;
    counter++;
    if (counter == 20)
      counter = 0;
    if (luminosity == 4000)
      luminosity = 0;
    }
 }
```

### Resources

- BIG 7-SEG R click schematic <sup>[4]</sup>
- SC10-21SRWA datasheet <sup>[1]</sup>
- 74HC595 datasheet <sup>[2]</sup>
- Libstock Library <sup>[5]</sup>
- mikroBUS<sup>™</sup> standard specifications <sup>[6]</sup>

### References

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