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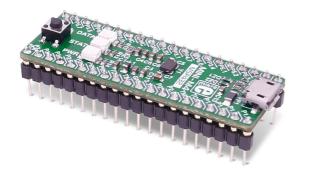
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# MINI-M4

development board for MSP432

The whole MSP432 development board fitted in DIP40 form factor, containing powerful MSP432P401R microcontroller.









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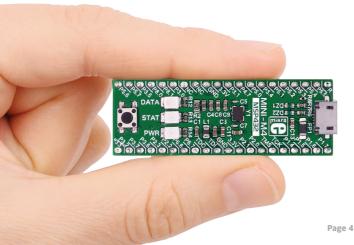
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## Introduction to MINI-M4 for MSP432

Miniature and powerful development tool designed to work as stand alone device or as MCU card in DIP40 socket.

MINI-M4 for MSP432 is pre programmed with USB UART Bootloader so it is not necessary to have external programmer.

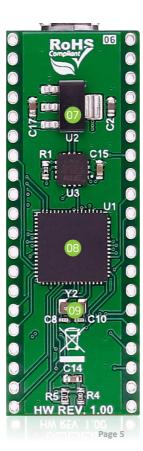
If there is need for external programmers (mikroProg<sup>TM</sup> or ST-LINK V2) attach it to MINI-M4 for STM32 via pads marked with TCK/SWC, TMS/SWD, INTO, INT1.



## **Key features**

- 01 Connection pads
- micro USB connector
- OB DATA LED
- 04 STAT LED
- 05 POWER supply LED
- 06 Reset button
- 07 Power supply regulator
- 08 MSP432P401RIRGC microcontroller
- 32.768kHz Crystal oscillator
- 48 MHz Crystal oscillator





### **System specifications**



#### power supply

3.3V via pads or 5V via USB



#### power consumption

depends on MCU state (max current into 3.3V pad is 300mA)



#### **board dimensions**

50.8 x 17.78mm (2 x 0.7")



#### weight

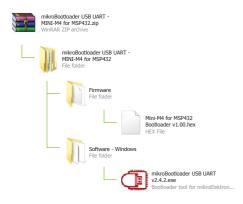
~6g (0.013 lbs)

## 1. Programming with mikroBootloader

You can program the microcontroller with the bootloader which is pre-programmed into the device by default. To transfer .hex file from a PC to MCU you need bootloader software (mikroBootloader USB UART) which can be downloaded from:

https://download.mikroe.com/examples/starter-boards/mini/msp432/mini-m4-msp432-bootloader-v242.zip

After the software is downloaded unzip it to the desired location and start mikroBootloader USB UART software.



#### step 1 - Connecting MINI-M4



Figure 1-1: USB UART mikroBootloader

To start, connect the USB cable, or if already connected press the **Reset** button on your MINI-M4 board. Click the **Connect** button within 5s to enter the bootloader mode, otherwise existing microcontroller program will execute.

#### step 2 - Browsing for .HEX file



Figure 1-2: Browse for HEX

Old Click the "Browse for HEX" button and from a pop-up window (Figure 1-3) choose the .HEX file which will be uploaded to MCU memory.

#### step 3 - Selecting .HEX file

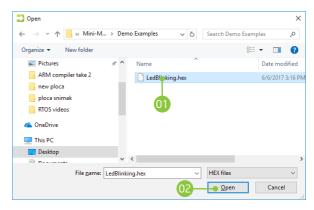


Figure 1-3: Selecting HEX

- OI Select .HEX file using open dialog window.
- OZ Click Open.

#### step 4 - Uploading .HEX file



Figure 1-4: Begin uploading

To start .HEX file bootloading click the **Begin uploading** button.



Figure 1-5: Progress bar

01) You can monitor .HEX file uploading via progress bar

#### step 5 - Finish upload



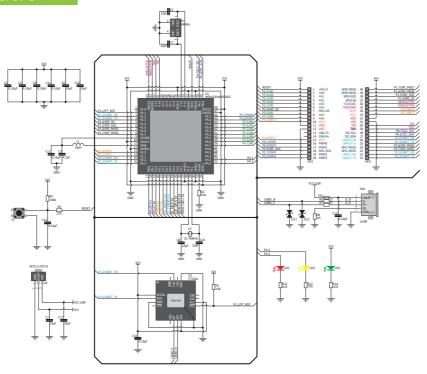
Figure 1-6: Restarting MCU

Olick OK after uploading is finished and wait for 5 seconds. Board will automatically reset and your new program will execute.



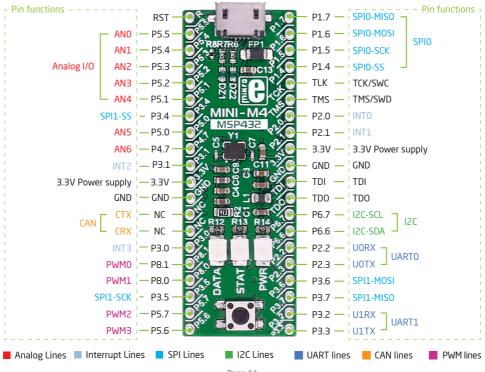
Figure 1-7: mikroBootloader ready for next job

## 2. Schematic

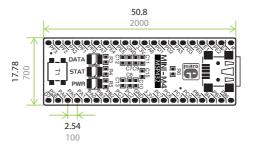


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## 3. Pinout

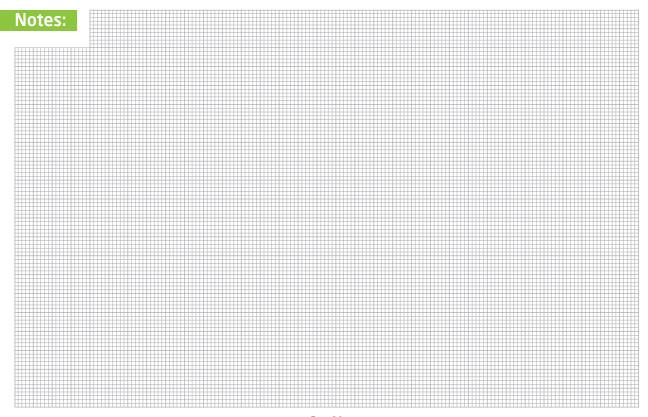


# 4. Dimensions





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