

User Manual SKU: ASX00039



Description

The Arduino® GIGA Display Shield is an easy way to add a touchscreen display with orientation detection to your Arduino® GIGA R1 WiFi board.

Target Areas

Human-Machine Interface, Display, Shield



Features

Note: The GIGA Display Shield requires a GIGA R1 WiFi board to function. It has no microcontroller and cannot be programmed independently.

- **KD040WVFID026-01-C025A** 3.97" TFT Display
 - 480x800 resolution
 - 16.7 million colors
 - 0.108 mm pixel size
 - Capacitive Touch sensor
 - 5-point and gesture support
 - Edge LED backlight
- **BMI270** 6-axis IMU (Accelerometer and Gyroscope)
 - 16-bit
 - 3-axis accelerometer with ±2g/±4g/±8g/±16g range
 - 3-axis gyroscope with ±125dps/±250dps/±500dps/±1000dps/±2000dps range
- SMLP34RGB2W3 RGB LED
 - Common Anode
 - IS31FL3197-QFLS2-TR Driver with integrated charge pump
- MP34DT06JTR Digital Microphone
 - AOP = 122.5 dbSPL
 - 64 dB signal-to-noise ratio
 - Omnidirectional sensitivity
 - -26 dBFS ± 3 dB sensitivity
- I/O
 - GIGA Connector
 - 2.54 mm Camera Connector



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The Board

1 Application Examples

The GIGA Display Shield provides easy cross-form factor support for an external touch display, together with several useful peripherals.

- **Human-Machine Interface Systems:** The GIGA Display Shield can be paired together with a GIGA R1 WiFi board for rapid development of a Human-Machine Interface system. The included gyroscope allows for easy orientation detection to adjust the visual element orientation.
- Interaction Design Prototyping: Quickly explore novel interaction design concepts and develop new ways to communicate with technology, including social robots that respond to sound.
- **Voice Assistant** Use the included microphone, together with the edge computing power of the GIGA R1 WiFi for voice automation with visual feedback.

2 Accessories (Not Included)

3 Related Products

Arduino GIGA R1 WiFi (ABX00063)



Rating

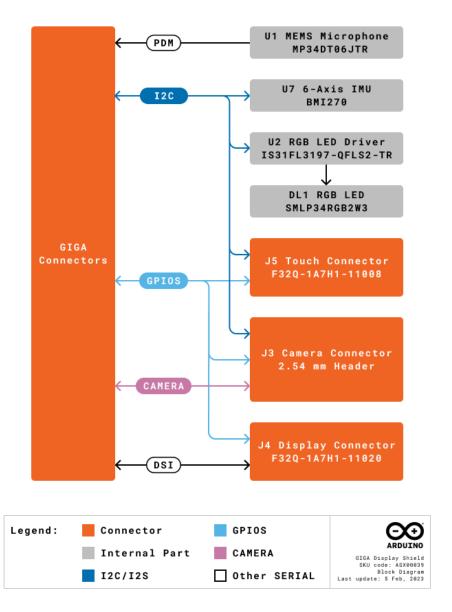
4 Recommended Operating Conditions

Symbol	Description	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
V _{IN}	Input voltage from VIN header	6	7.0	32	V
V_{DD}	Input high-level voltage	2.31		3.3	V
V _{IL}	Input low-level voltage	0		1	V
T _{OP}	Operating Temperature	-20	+25	+70	°C



Functional Overview

5 Block Diagram

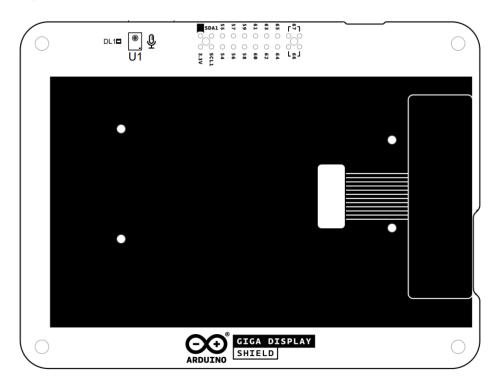


Arduino GIGA Display Shield Block Diagram



6 Board Topology

6.1 Front View

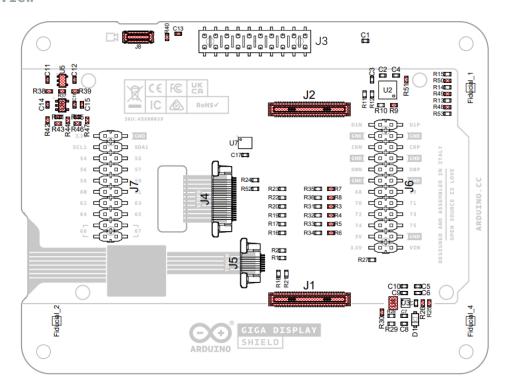


Top View of Arduino GIGA Display Shield

Ref.	Description	Ref.	Description
U1	MP34DT06JTR MEMS Microphone IC		TFT Display
DL1	SMLP34RGB2W3 LED RGB DIFFUSED PICOLED SMD		



6.2 Back View



Back View of Arduino GIGA Display Shield

Ref.	Description	Ref.	Description
U2	IS31FL3197-QFLS2-TR	U3	LV52204MTTBG LED Driver IC
U7	BMI270 6-axis IMU	J3	21TW-247 Camera Connector 2.54 mm Header
J4	F32Q-1A7H1-11020 Display Connector	J5	F32Q-1A7H1-11008 Touch Connector
J6	2.54 mm Header GIGA Connector	J7	2.54mm Header GIGA Connector



7 TFT Display

The KD040WVFID026-01-C025A TFT Display has a 3.97" diagonal size with two connectors. The J4 connector for video (DSI) signals and the J5 connector for the touch panel signals. TFT display and capacitance touch panel resolution is 480 x 800 with a pixel size of 0.108 mm. The touch module communicates via I2C to the main board. The edge LED backlight is driven by the LV52204MTTBG (U3) LED Driver.

8 6-Axis IMU

The GIGA Display Shield provides 6-axis IMU capabilities, via the 6-axis BMI270 (U7) IMU. The BMI270 includes both a three-axis gyroscope as well as a three-axis accelerometer. The information obtained can be used for measuring raw movement parameters as well as for machine learning. The BMI270 is connected to the GIGA R1 WiFi via a common I2C connection.

9 RGB LED

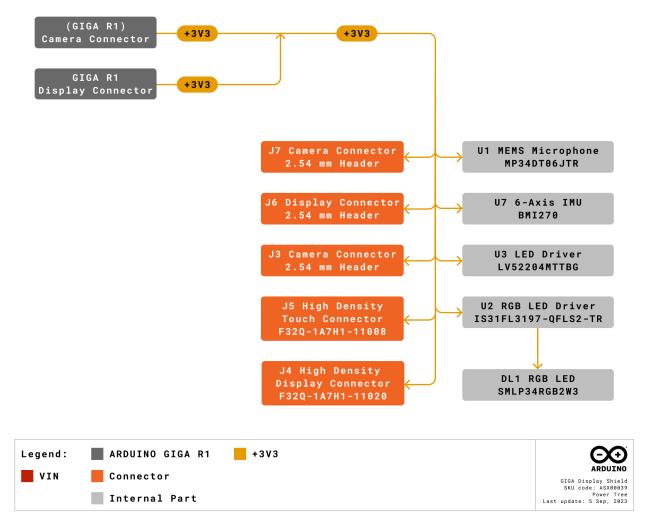
A common anode RGB (DL1) is driven by a dedicated IS31FL3197-QFLS2-TR RGB LED Driver IC (U2) which can deliver sufficient current to each LED. The RGB LED Driver is connected via a common I2C connection to the GIGA main board. An included integrated charge pump ensures that the voltage delivered to the LED is sufficient.

10 Digital Microphone

The MP34DT06JTR is an ultra-compact, low-power, omnidirectional, digital MEMS microphone built with a capacitive sensing element and an PDM interface. The sensing element, capable of detecting acoustic waves, is manufactured using a specialized silicon micromachining process dedicated to produce audio sensors. The microphone is in a single channel configuration, with audio signals transmitter over PDM.



11 Power Tree



Arduino GIGA Display Shield Power Tree

The 3V3 voltage power is delivered by the GIGA R1 WiFi (J6 and J7). All onboard logic including the microphone (U1) and IMU (U7) operate at 3V3. The RGB LED Driver includes an integrated charge pump which increases the voltage as defined by the I2C commands. The edge backlight intensity is controlled by the LED driver (U3).



12 Board Operation

12.1 Getting Started - IDE

If you want to program your GIGA Display Shield while offline you need to install the Arduino Desktop IDE [1]. A GIGA R1 WiFi is needed to use it.

12.2 Getting Started - Arduino Cloud Editor

All Arduino boards, including this one, work out-of-the-box on the Arduino Cloud Editor [2], by just installing a simple plugin.

The Arduino Cloud Editor is hosted online, therefore it will always be up-to-date with the latest features and support for all boards. Follow [3] to start coding on the browser and upload your sketches onto your board.

12.3 Getting Started - Arduino Cloud

All Arduino IoT enabled products are supported on Arduino Cloud which allows you to log, graph and analyze sensor data, trigger events, and automate your home or business.

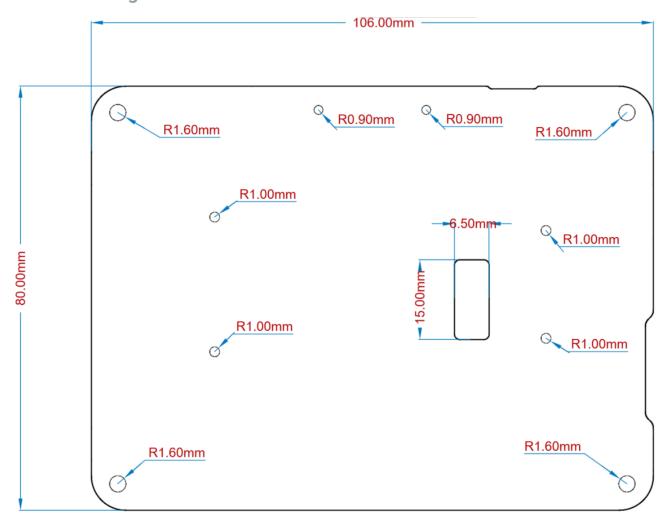
12.4 Online Resources

Now that you have gone through the basics of what you can do with the board you can explore the endless possibilities it provides by checking exciting projects on Arduino Project Hub [4], the Arduino Library Reference [5] and the online store [6] where you will be able to complement your board with sensors, actuators and more.



Mechanical Information

13 Mounting Holes And Board Outline



Mechanical View of Arduino GIGA Display Shield



Certifications

14 Declaration of Conformity CE DoC (EU)

We declare under our sole responsibility that the products above are in conformity with the essential requirements of the following EU Directives and therefore qualify for free movement within markets comprising the European Union (EU) and European Economic Area (EEA).

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Arduino boards are in compliance with RoHS 2 Directive 2011/65/EU of the European Parliament and RoHS 3 Directive 2015/863/EU of the Council of 4 June 2015 on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment.

Substance	Maximum Limit (ppm)
Lead (Pb)	1000
Cadmium (Cd)	100
Mercury (Hg)	1000
Hexavalent Chromium (Cr6+)	1000
Poly Brominated Biphenyls (PBB)	1000
Poly Brominated Diphenyl ethers (PBDE)	1000
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl} phthalate (DEHP)	1000
Benzyl butyl phthalate (BBP)	1000
Dibutyl phthalate (DBP)	1000
Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP)	1000

Exemptions: No exemptions are claimed.

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This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) This device may not cause harmful interference
- (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

FCC RF Radiation Exposure Statement:

- 1. This Transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.
- 2. This equipment complies with RF radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment.
- 3. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body.

English: User manuals for licence-exempt radio apparatus shall contain the following or equivalent notice in a conspicuous location in the user manual or alternatively on the device or both. This device complies with Industry Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) this device may not cause interference
- (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

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18 Company Information

Company name	Arduino SRL	
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19 Reference Documentation

Ref	Link	
Arduino IDE (Desktop)	https://www.arduino.cc/en/Main/Software	
Arduino Cloud Editor	https://create.arduino.cc/editor	
Arduino Cloud Editor - Getting Started	https://docs.arduino.cc/arduino-cloud/guides/editor/	
Arduino Project Hub	https://create.arduino.cc/projecthub? by=part∂_id=11332&sort=trending	
Library Reference	https://github.com/arduino-libraries/	
Online Store	https://store.arduino.cc/	

20 Change Log

Date	Changes
25/04/2024	Updated link to new Cloud Editor
24/07/2023	Release
17/11/2023	Update operating temperature