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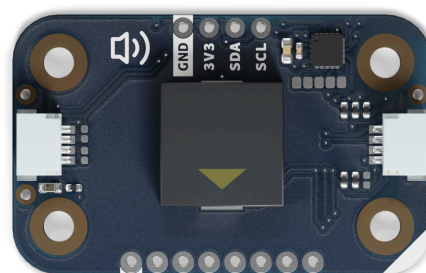
The Modulino® Buzzer, powered by an on-board **STM32C011F4** microcontroller, provides a compact and versatile way to generate sound alerts and tones through I2C control. Perfect for audible notifications, alarm systems, or simple musical applications in IoT and maker projects.

Target Areas

Maker, beginner, education

Contents

1 Application Examples

- **Audible Alerts** Integrate a buzzer notification when a sensor reading crosses a threshold (e.g., temperature limit, motion detected).

- **Alarm & Security Systems** Produce warning tones in response to environment triggers or user-defined events.

- **Interactive Learning Tools** Combine with other Modulino® nodes (e.g., buttons, sensors) to create hands-on educational projects showcasing real-time sound feedback.

2 Features

- **PKLCS1212E4001** buzzer controlled by an **STM32C011F4** microcontroller over I2C (Qwiic).
- Operates at **3.3 V** (in line with Qwiic standards, 2.0–3.6 V MCU range).
- **SWD** header for optional reprogramming or custom sound logic.
- Ideal for **alarm tones**, **status beeps**, or **simple audio feedback**.

2.1 Contents

SKU	Name	Purpose	Quantity
ABX00108	Modulino® Buzzer	Produce sounds or alerts via I2C control	1
	I2C Qwiic cable	Compatible with the Qwiic standard	1

3 Related Products

- *SKU: ASX00027* – Arduino® Sensor Kit
- *SKU: K000007* – Arduino® Starter Kit
- *SKU: AKX00026* – Arduino® Oplà IoT Kit

4 Rating

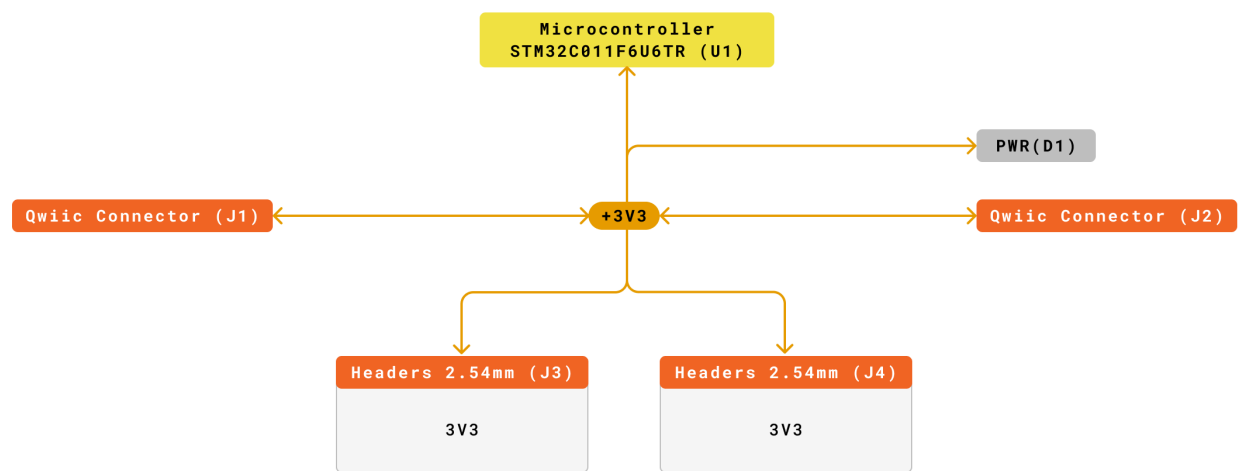### 4.1 Recommended Operating Conditions

- **Microcontroller supply range:** 2.0 V – 3.6 V (STM32C011F4)
- **Powered at 3.3 V** through the Qwiic interface (in accordance with the Qwiic standard)
- **Operating temperature:** –40 °C to +85 °C

Typical current consumption:

- ~6.4 mA when buzzer is active

5 Power Tree

The power tree for the Modulino® node can be consulted below:

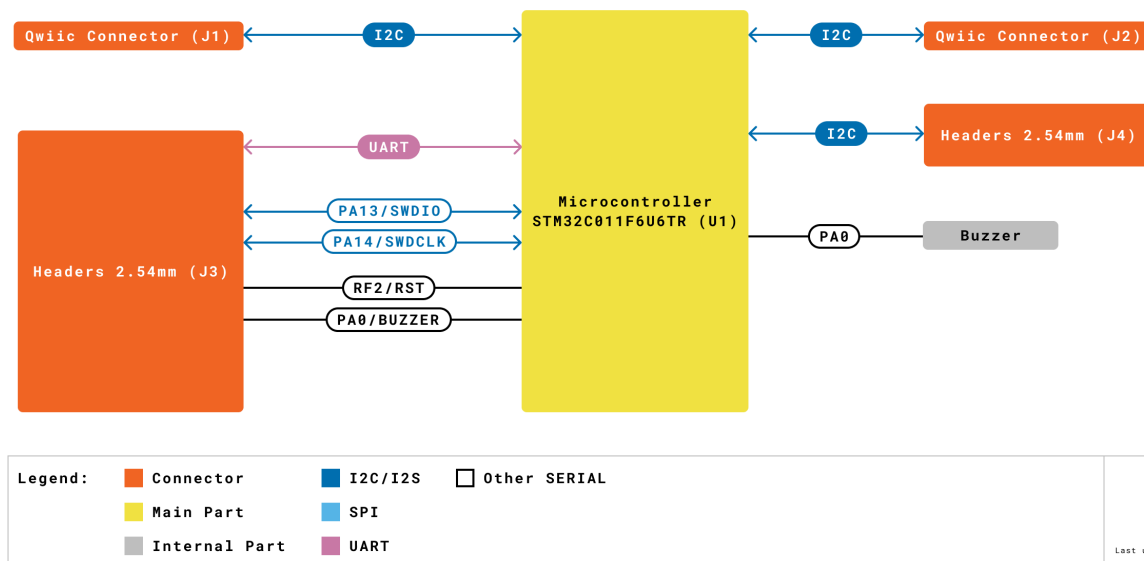*Modulino® Buzzer Power Tree*

6 Block Diagram

This module features an STM32C011F4 microcontroller that drives a PKLCS1212E4001 buzzer. It communicates with the host over I2C (Qwiic). Advanced users can reprogram the MCU for custom audio patterns or logic.

Modulino® Buzzer block diagram

7 Functional Overview

The Modulino® Buzzer node receives sound commands or frequency/tone data via I2C. The STM32C011F4 microcontroller then drives the buzzer, producing audible tones or beeps. For more advanced usage, users can re-flash the firmware via SWD to generate custom waveforms or integrate additional logic.

7.1 Technical Specifications (Module-Specific)

Specification	Details
Microcontroller	STM32C011F4
Actuator	PKLCS1212E4001 buzzer
Supply Voltage	Min: 2.0 V, Max: 3.6 V
Power Consumption	~6.4 mA (buzzer active)
Communication	I2C (Qwiic), SWD, optional UART if reprogrammed

7.2 Pinout

Qwiic / I2C (1×4 Header)

Pin	Function
GND	Ground
3.3 V	Power Supply (3.3 V)
SDA	I2C Data
SCL	I2C Clock

These pads and the Qwiic connectors share the same I2C bus at 3.3 V.

Additional 1×8 Header (Buzzer & MCU Signals)

Pin	Function
GND	Ground
3V3	3.3 V Power
RESET	Reset
SWCLK	SWD Clock
SWDIO	SWD Data
TX1	USART Transmit
RX1	USART Receive
PA0	Buzzer

Note: You can drive the buzzer with custom signals (PWM supplied to the PA0 pin) or reprogram the STM32C011F4 via SWD for alternate modes or advanced functionality.

Function		
	GND	
	3V3	
RESET	PF2	
SWD Clock	SWCLK	
SWD Data	SWDIO	
USART Transmit	TX1	
USART Receive	RX1	
Buzzer	PA0	

GND
3V3
SDA
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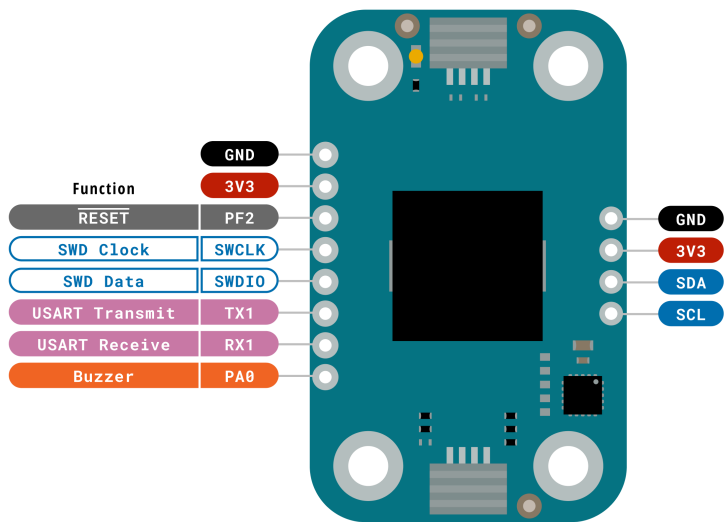
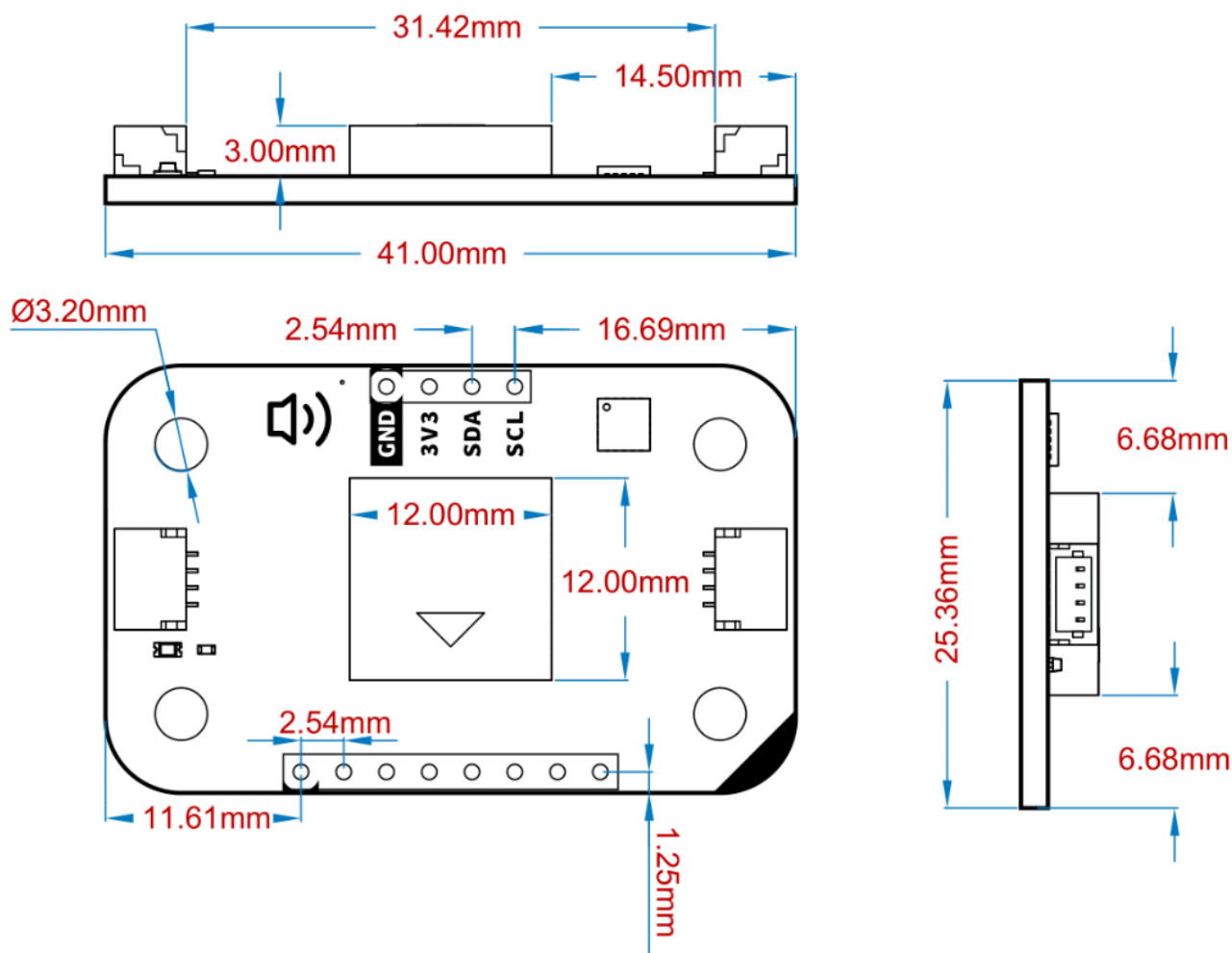| Legend:	■ Digital	■ I2C	□ Other SERIAL
■ Power	□ Analog	■ SPI	■ Analog
■ Ground	■ Main Part	■ UART/USART	□ PWM/Timer

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Modulino Buzzer
SKU code: ABX00108
Pinout
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Pinout Overview

7.3 Power Specifications

- **Nominal operating voltage:** 3.3 V via Qwiic
- **MCU voltage range:** 2.0 V–3.6 V

7.4 Mechanical Information

*Modulino® Buzzer Mechanical Information*

- Board dimensions: 41 mm × 25.36 mm
- Thickness: 1.6 mm (±0.2 mm)
- Four mounting holes (Ø 3.2 mm)
  - Hole spacing: 16 mm vertically, 32 mm horizontally

7.5 I2C Address Reference

Board Silk Name	Sensor/Actuator	Modulino® I2C Address (HEX)	Editable Addresses (HEX)	Hardware I2C Address (HEX)
MODULINO BUZZER	1× Buzzer	0x3C	Any custom address (via FW config)	0x1E

Note: Default address is **0x3C**, but custom firmware can reassign it. Check your library or code for details.
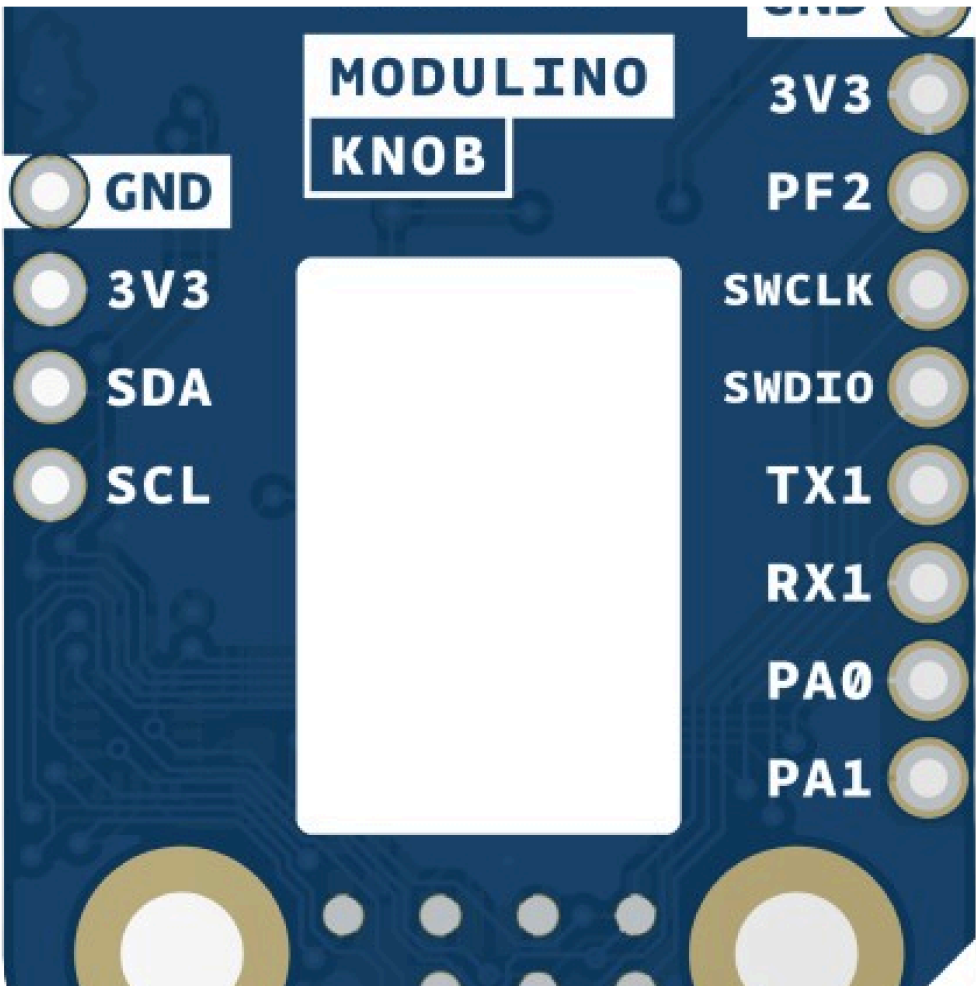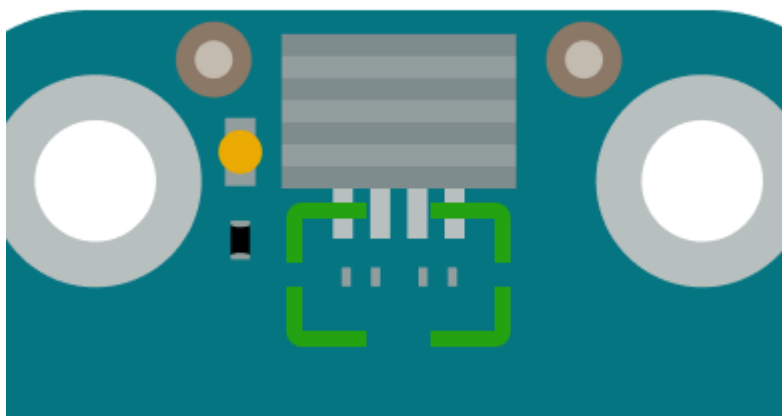

Blank silk for identification

7.5.1 Pull-up Resistors

The module has pads for optional I2C pull-up mounting in both data lines. No resistors are mounted by default but in case the resistors are need 4.7 K resistors in an SMD 0402 format are recommended.

These are positioned near the Qwiic connector on the power LED side.

Generic pull-up resistor position

8 Device Operation

By default, the Modulino® Buzzer node responds to I2C commands to produce tones or beep patterns. You can integrate it with the Arduino IDE or any 3.3 V microcontroller environment. Advanced users may flash custom code via the SWD header to implement unique waveforms or logic.

Certifications

9 Certifications Summary

Certification	Status
CE/RED (Europe)	Yes
UKCA (UK)	Yes
FCC (USA)	Yes
IC (Canada)	Yes
RoHS	Yes
REACH	Yes
WEEE	Yes

10 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).

11 Declaration of Conformity to EU RoHS & REACH 211 01/19/2021

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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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12 FCC WARNING

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, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

13 IC Caution

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, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

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Reference Documentation

Ref	Link
Arduino IDE (Desktop)	https://www.arduino.cc/en/Main/Software
Arduino Courses	https://www.arduino.cc/education/courses
Arduino Documentation	https://docs.arduino.cc/
Arduino IDE (Cloud)	https://create.arduino.cc/editor
Cloud IDE Getting Started	https://docs.arduino.cc/cloud/web-editor/tutorials/getting-started/getting-started-web-editor
Project Hub	https://projecthub.arduino.cc/
Library Reference	https://github.com/arduino-libraries/
Online Store	https://store.arduino.cc/

Revision History

Date	Revision	Changes
01/07/2025	4	Certification
17/06/2025	3	Nomenclature updates
23/05/2025	2	Fixed pinout table, power info, and unrelated characteristics
14/05/2025	1	First release