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## MAX77812 Evaluation Kit

Evaluates: MAX77812

### General Description

The MAX77812 evaluation kit (EV kit) is a fully assembled and tested printed circuit board (PCB) that demonstrates the MAX77812. The EV kit allows for easy evaluation of each feature. It supports user-programmable phase configuration to one of five options:

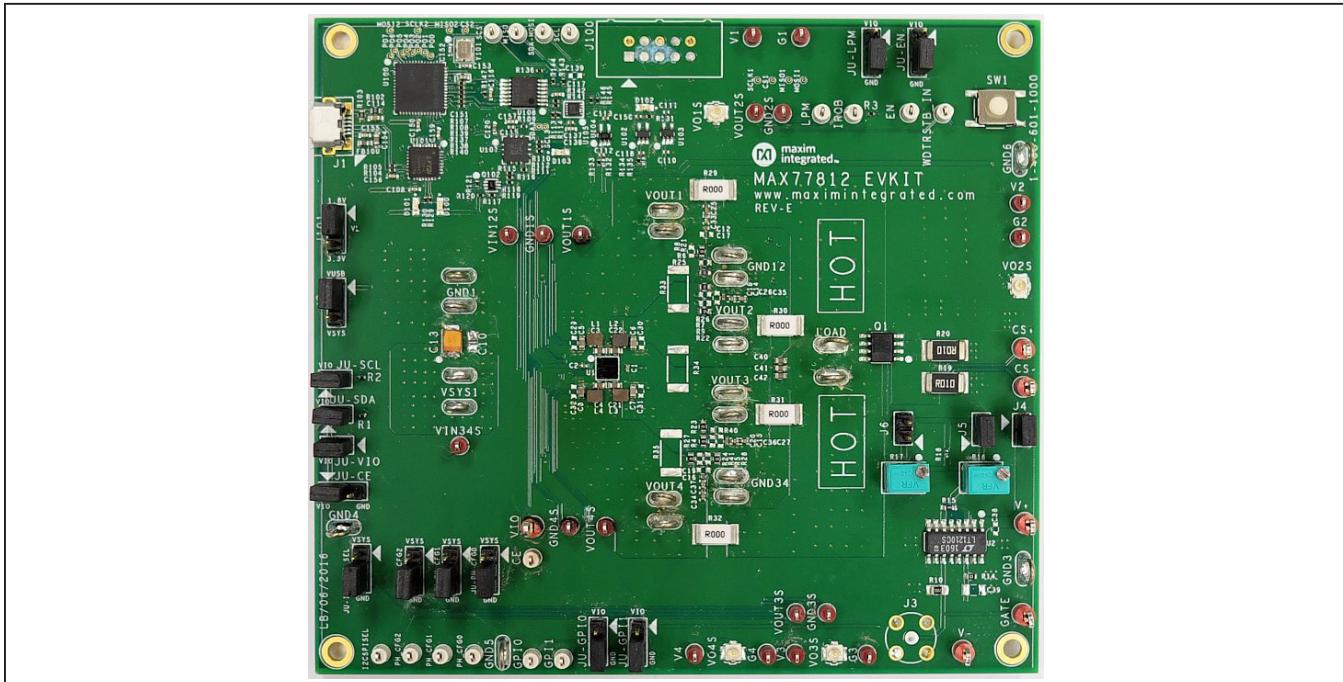
- Single output in 4 phase configuration (default)
- Dual outputs in 3 + 1 phase configuration
- Dual outputs in 2 + 2 phase configuration
- Three outputs in 2 + 1 + 1 phase configuration
- Four outputs in 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 phase configuration

A Micro-B USB cable is included in the package to serve as the USB to I<sup>2</sup>C interface for easy testing. Windows®-based software provides a user-friendly interface to exercise the features of the MAX77812. This software offers a graphical user interface (GUI) as well as a register-based interface.

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### Features

- 20A Maximum Output Current (5A per phase)
- VIN Range: 2.5V to 5.5V
- VOUT Range: 0.250V to 1.525V with 5mV Steps
- ±0.5% Initial Output Accuracy with Differential Sensing
- 5 User-selectable Phase Configurations
- 91% Peak Efficiency (VIN = 3.8V, VOUT = 1.1V)
- Auto (SKIP/PWM) and Forced PWM Modes
- Enhanced Load Transient Response
- Programmable Ramp-up/down Slew Rates
- Programmable Startup/Shutdown Sequence
- UVLO, Short-Circuit, and Thermal Protections
- 2 User-programmable General-Purpose Inputs
- 3.4MHz High Speed I<sup>2</sup>C and 30MHz SPI Interface
- 3.408mm x 3.368mm 64-Bumps WLP Package



## Quick Start

### Required Equipment

The MAX77812 evaluation package includes:

- MAX77812 EV kit
- Micro-B USB cable
- MAX77812 EV kit software (GUI)
- Adjustable DC power supply capable of supplying 12A
- Electronic load capable of sinking 20A
- Oscilloscope
- Two voltmeters
- Two ammeters

**Note:** In the following sections, software-related items are identified by bolding. Text in **bold** only refers to items directly from the EV kit software. Text in **bold and underlined** refers to items from the Windows OS.

### Procedure

The EV kit is fully assembled and tested. Follow the steps below to verify board operation:

- 1) Identify the connections and test points shown in [Figure 2](#). Confirm all shunts and jumpers are at their default positions as indicated in [Table 1](#).

- 2) Install the MAX77812 EV kit software (GUI) on to your PC as instructed. Connect the Micro-B USB cable between PC and MAX77812 EV kit.
- 3) Set up the test circuit as shown in [Figure 3](#). Preset the DC power supply to 3.8V and current limit to 0.5A. **Do not turn on the power supply until all connections are completed.**
- 4) Enable the power supply output and confirm the input current is low (< 100µA). Open the MAX77812 GUI window and click on **Device** then **Connect**. If the connection is successful, it displays the message **Currently connected to MINIQUICK CMOD and DEVICE MAX77812**. Click **Read and close** ([Figure 4](#)).
- 5) Go to the **Buck** then **Master 1** tab and select the following settings ([Figure 5](#)):
  - Buck Master1 Output to 1 = Enabled**
  - Buck Master1 Output Voltage to 1000mV**
  - Click Write.**
- 6) Verify that the voltage at V1 is approximately 1V.
- 7) AC measurements, e.g., output ripple and load transient can be monitored using oscilloscope at VO1S.

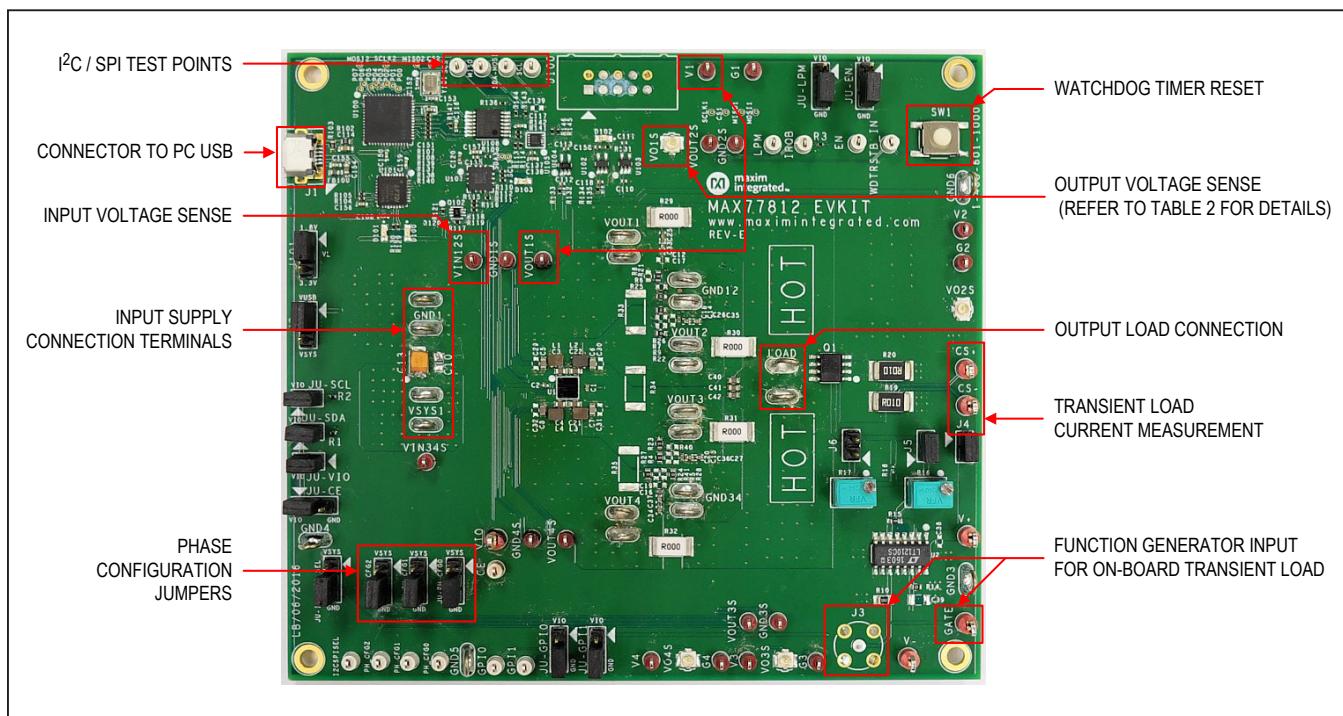


Figure 2. MAX77812 EV Kit Description

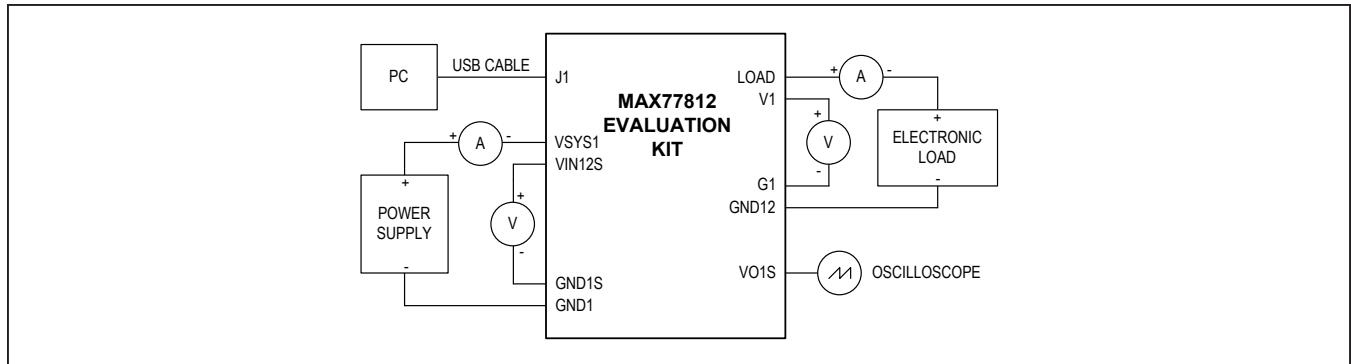


Figure 3. Quick Start Connection Diagram

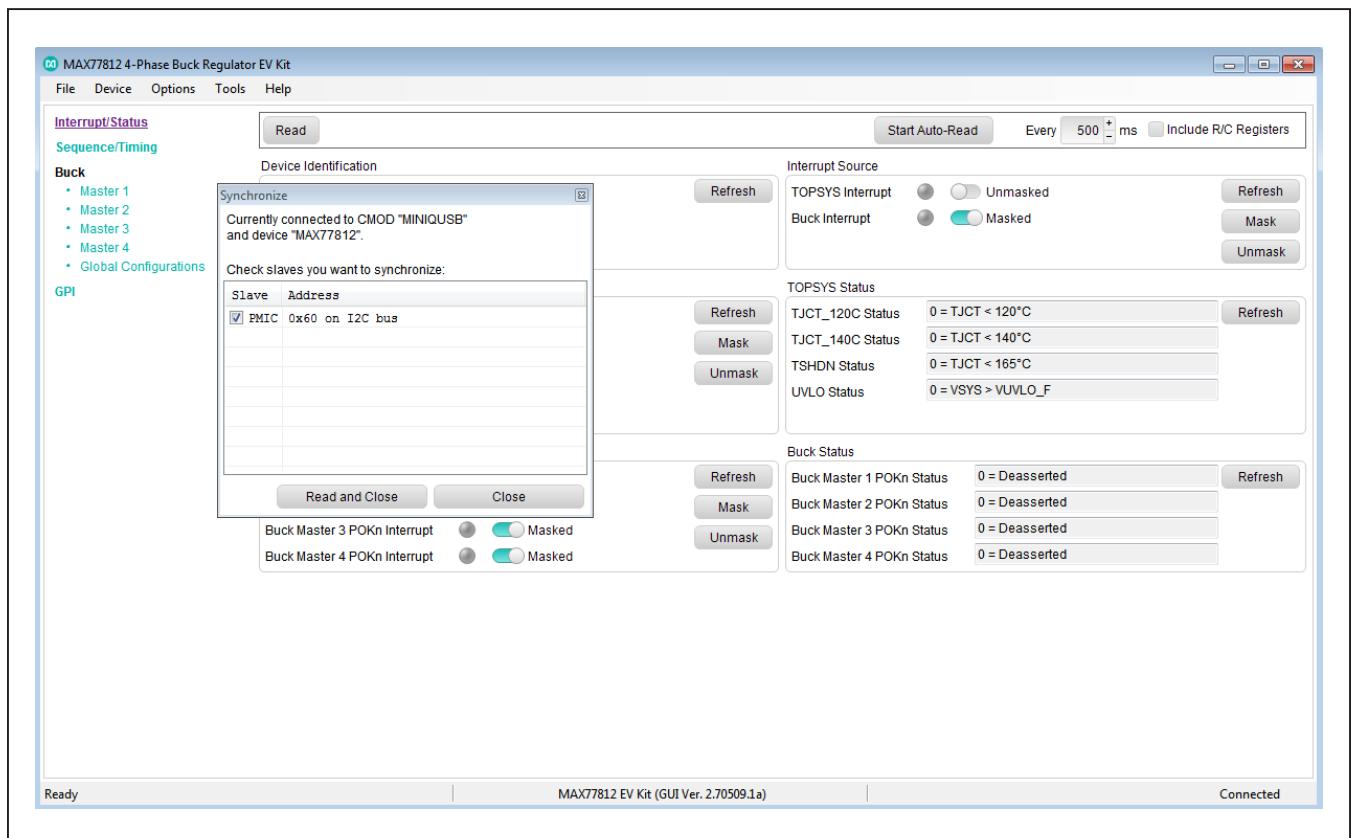
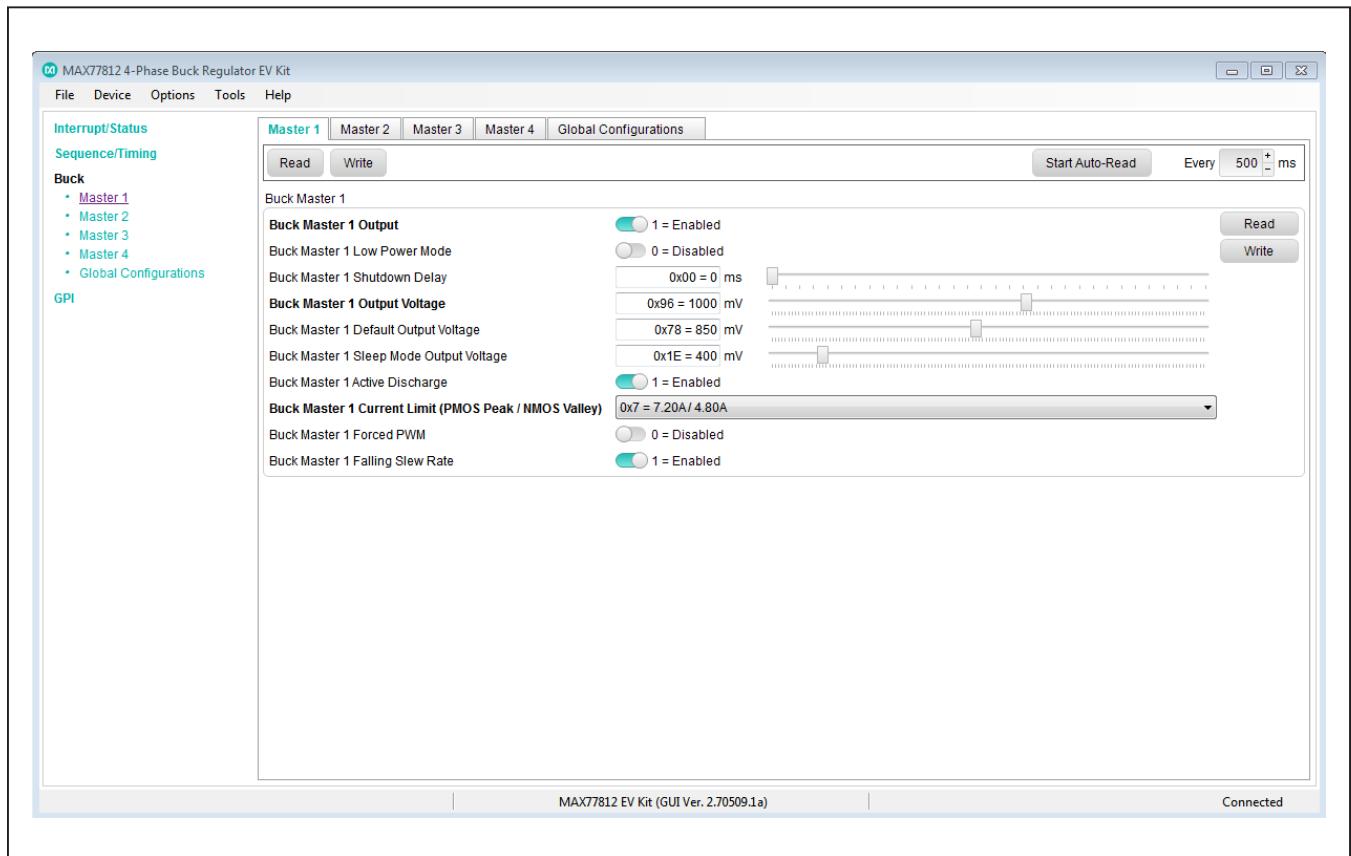


Figure 4. MAX77812 EV Kit GUI Connection

Figure 5. MAX77812 EV Kit GUI  $V_{OUT}$  Enable

## Detailed Description of Hardware and Software

### AC and DC Measurement Points

The EV kit has various optimized test points for AC and DC measurements to evaluate performance during load transient, output voltage ripple, load regulation, line regulation, output voltage accuracy and efficiency. These recommended test points are summarized in [Table 2](#).

**Table 1. Default Shunt Positions and Jumper Descriptions**

| REFERENCE DESIGNATOR         | DEFAULT POSITION | FUNCTION                           |
|------------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|
| JU-CE                        | 1-2              | Chip enable                        |
| JU-EN                        | 2-3              | Global enable                      |
| JU-LPM                       | 2-3              | Global low power mode              |
| JU-GPI0                      | 2-3              | GPI0 input                         |
| JU-GPI1                      | 2-3              | GPI1 input                         |
| JU-SCL                       | CLOSE            | SCL pullup                         |
| JU-SDA                       | CLOSE            | SDA pullup                         |
| JU-VIO                       | CLOSE            | On-board VIO supply                |
| J2 (MINIQ Supply)            | 1-2              | V <sub>USB</sub> supply            |
| J101 (V <sub>L</sub> Supply) | 1-2              | 1.8V supply                        |
| J4                           | CLOSE            | On-board transient load supply     |
| J5                           | CLOSE            | On-board transient load adjustment |
| J6                           | OPEN             | On-board transient load adjustment |
| JU-I2C_SPI_SEL               | 2-3              | Select I <sup>2</sup> C            |
| JU-PH_CFG2                   | 2-3              | Select 4-phase configuration       |
| JU-PH_CFG1                   | 2-3              |                                    |
| JU-PH_CFG0                   | 2-3              |                                    |

**Table 2. Test Points**

| CONFIGURATION       | LOAD TRANSIENT,<br>OUTPUT RIPPLE   | LOAD REGULATION,<br>LINE REGULATION, V <sub>OUT</sub><br>ACCURACY                | EFFICIENCY   |  |
|---------------------|--|--|--|--|
|                     |  |  | OUTPUT VOLTAGE   | INPUT VOLTAGE  |
| 4 Phase             | V <sub>O1S</sub>   | V <sub>1/G1</sub>  | V <sub>OUT1S/GND1S</sub>   | V <sub>IN12S/GND1S</sub>   |
| 3 + 1 Phase         | V <sub>O1S</sub> , V <sub>O4S</sub>  | V <sub>1/G1</sub> , V <sub>4/G4</sub>  | V <sub>OUT1S/GND1S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>OUT4S/GND4S</sub>   | V <sub>IN12S/GND1S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>IN34S/GND4S</sub>   |
| 2 + 2 Phase         | V <sub>O1S</sub> , V <sub>O3S</sub>  | V <sub>1/G1</sub> , V <sub>3/G3</sub>  | V <sub>OUT1S/GND1S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>OUT3S/GND3S</sub>   | V <sub>IN12S/GND1S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>IN34S/GND3S</sub>   |
| 2 + 1 + 1 Phase     | V <sub>O1S</sub> , V <sub>O3S</sub> , V <sub>O4S</sub>                       | V <sub>1/G1</sub> , V <sub>3/G3</sub> , V <sub>4/G4</sub>                        | V <sub>OUT1S/GND1S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>OUT3S/GND3S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>OUT4S/GND4S</sub>                               | V <sub>IN12S/GND1S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>IN34S/GND3S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>IN34S/GND4S</sub>                               |
| 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 Phase | V <sub>O1S</sub> , V <sub>O2S</sub> , V <sub>O3S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>O4S</sub> | V <sub>1/G1</sub> , V <sub>2/G2</sub> ,<br>V <sub>3/G3</sub> , V <sub>4/G4</sub> | V <sub>OUT1S/GND1S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>OUT2S/GND2S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>OUT3S/GND3S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>OUT4S/GND4S</sub> | V <sub>IN12S/GND1S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>IN12S/GND2S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>IN34S/GND3S</sub> ,<br>V <sub>IN34S/GND4S</sub> |

### Load Transient Testing

The MAX77812 EV kit has an on-board circuit to create fast load transients. Measurements should be done at VO1S. This enables SNS1P/SNS1N signals to sense directly across the output capacitor near the transient load for more accurate measurements. Connect a signal generator output (1.6V, 1kHz square, 20% duty cycle) to J3 to drive the on-board circuit. If needed, adjust the signal generator output and variable resistor R16 to change the load current level and slew rate.

To use the on-board fast-load transient circuit in other phase configurations, first program the EV kit as described in the [Phase/Output Configuration Programming](#) section, then follow the guidance in [Table 3](#) and [Table 4](#) to select the desired master to connect to the on-board transient load output.

### GUI Programmable Features

The MAX77812 requires the use of the GUI to fully exercise the capabilities of the device. The MAX77812 features a number of different programmable options to customize the behavior of the buck regulator during startup, operation, and shutdown. [Figure 6](#) and [Figure 7](#) show the various GUI window settings to configure the MAX77812 to enable these options.

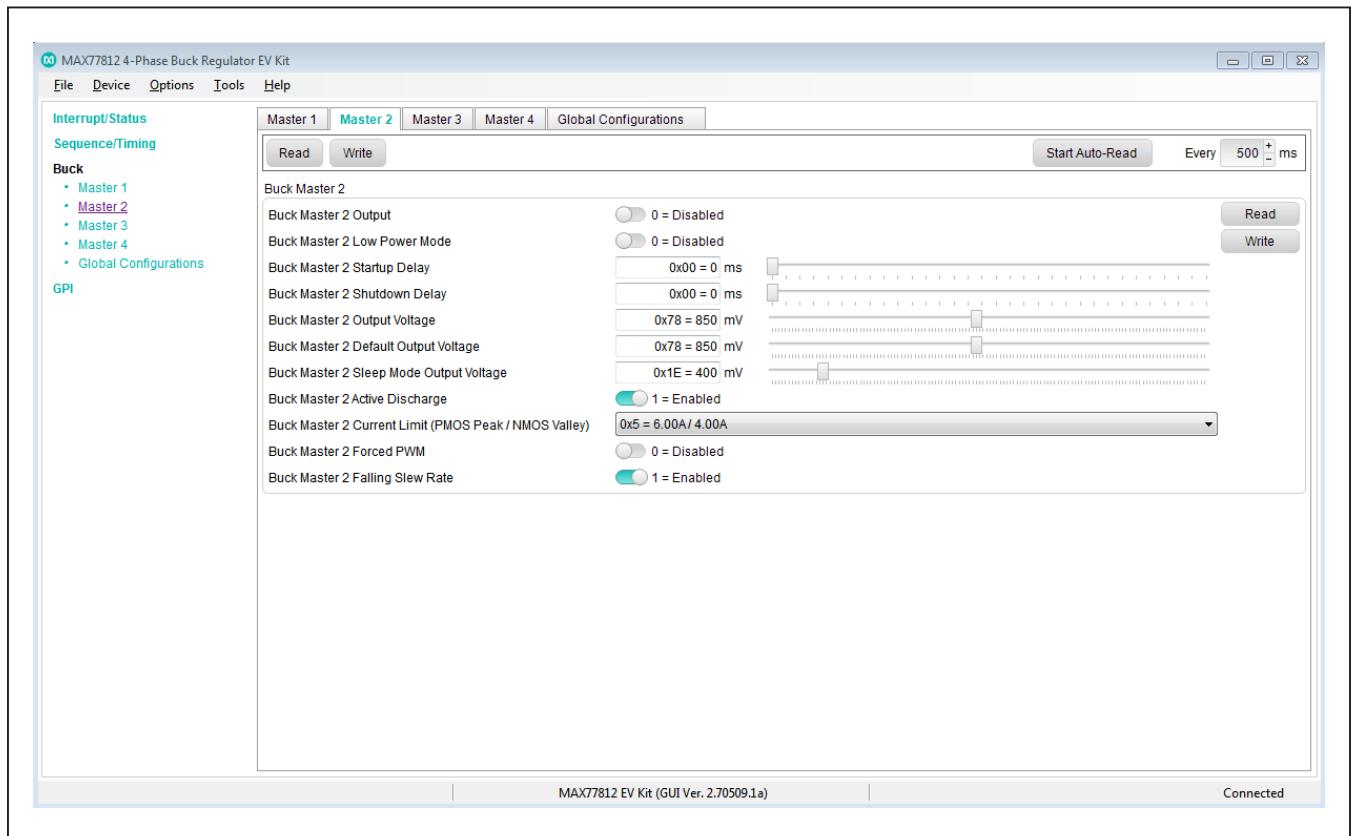


Figure 6. MAX77812 EV Kit Startup/Shutdown Delay, Low Power Mode, Forced PWM, Active Discharge, Output Voltage Settings

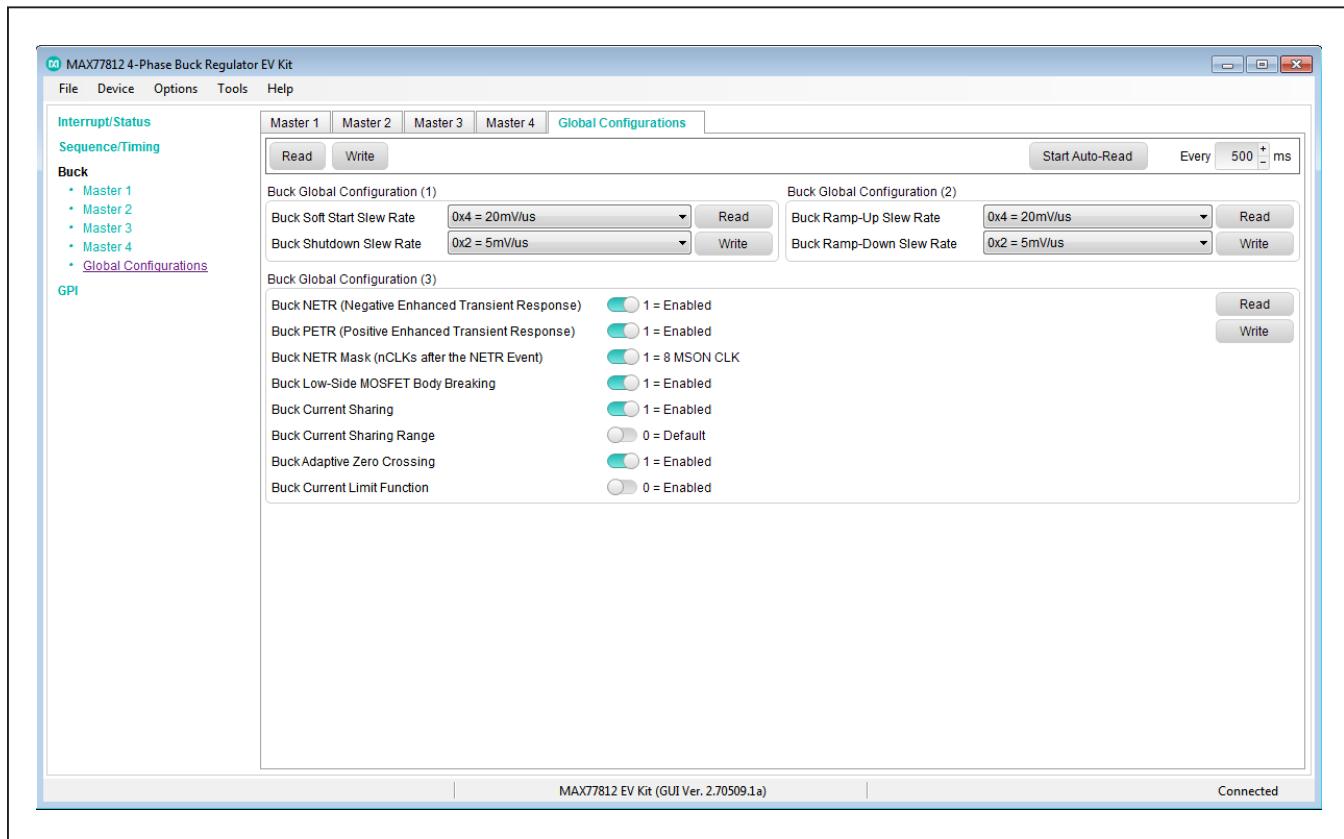


Figure 7. MAX77812 EV Kit Startup/Shutdown Slew Rate, Ramp-Up/Down Slew Rate, ETR, Current Sharing and Limit Function Settings

### Phase/Output Configuration Programming

The MAX77812 supports user-programmable phase configurations. All supported phase configurations are shown below:

- 1 Output: 4-phase (Master 1)
- 2 Outputs: 3-phase (Master 1) + 1-phase (Master 4)
- 2 Outputs: 2-phase (Master 1) + 2-phase (Master 3)
- 3 Outputs: 2-phase (Master 1) + 1-phase (Master 3) + 1-phase (Master 4)

- 4 Outputs: 1-phase (Master 1) + 1-phase (Master 2) + 1-phase (Master 3) + 1-phase (Master 4)

The MAX77812 EV kit default setting is 4-phase. See the [Quick Start](#) section and [Table 1](#) for operating the EV kit in 4-phase configuration and its default settings. To program to other phase configurations, [Figure 8](#), [Table 3](#), and [Table 4](#) summarize the changes needed in GUI instructions and hardware setup as well as jumper and  $0\Omega$  resistor settings. [Table 4](#) also describes the options to select local or remote differential sense for each buck master.

**Table 3. Phase/Output Configuration Programming**

| CONFIGURATION                  | JU-PH_CFG2/<br>JU-PH_CFG1/<br>JU-PH_CFG0 SETTING | GUI OUTPUT VOLTAGES<br>ENABLE SETTING  |
|--------------------------------|--|--|
| 1 Output: 4 Phase              | Low/Low/Low                                      | 4 Phase: <b>Buck Master 1 Output 1 = Enabled</b>   |
| 2 Outputs: 3 + 1 Phase         | Low/Low/High                                     | 3 Phase: <b>Buck Master 1 Output 1 = Enabled</b><br>1 Phase: <b>Buck Master 4 Output 1 = Enabled</b>   |
| 2 Outputs: 2 + 2 Phase         | Low/High/Low                                     | 2 Phase: <b>Buck Master 1 Output 1 = Enabled</b><br>2 Phase: <b>Buck Master 3 Output 1 = Enabled</b>   |
| 3 Outputs: 2 + 1 + 1 Phase     | Low/High/High                                    | 2 Phase: <b>Buck Master 1 Output 1 = Enabled</b><br>1 Phase: <b>Buck Master 3 Output 1 = Enabled</b><br>1 Phase: <b>Buck Master 4 Output 1 = Enabled</b>   |
| 4 Outputs: 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 Phase | High/X/X   | 1 Phase: <b>Buck Master 1 Output 1 = Enabled</b><br>1 Phase: <b>Buck Master 2 Output 1 = Enabled</b><br>1 Phase: <b>Buck Master 3 Output 1 = Enabled</b><br>1 Phase: <b>Buck Master 4 Output 1 = Enabled</b> |

**Table 4. Programming Output Options**

| PHASE CONFIG | TEST LOAD CONNECTION OPTIONS   | BUCK OUTPUT CONNECTION |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | LOCAL SENSE |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | REMOTE SENSE AT TRANSIENT LOAD |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
|--------------|--|------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|--------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|
|              |  | R                      | R | R | R | R | R | R | R | R           | R | R | R | R | R | R | R | R                              | R | R | R | R | R | R | R | R |  |
| 4 Phase      | 1 M1 connects to on-board transient load   | X                      | X | X |   |   |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | X                              | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |  |
|              | 2 M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12  |                        |   |   | X | X | X | X | X | X           | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |                                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| 3 + 1 Phase  | 3 M1 connects to on-board transient load<br>M4 connects to external load at VOUT4/GND34    |                        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | X                              | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |  |
|              | 4 M4 connects to on-board transient load<br>M1 connects to external load                   |                        |   | X | X | X |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | X                              | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |  |
| 5            | M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M4 connects to external load at VOUT4/GND34 |                        |   |   | X | X |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | X                              | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |  |
|              | M1 connects to on-board transient load<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34      |                        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | X                              | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |  |
| 6            | M1 connects to on-board transient load<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34      |                        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | X                              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
|              | M3 connects to on-board transient load<br>M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12      |                        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                                | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |  |
| 7            | M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34 |                        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                                | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |  |
|              |  |                        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| 8            | M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34 |                        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |

**Table 4. Programming Output Options (continued)**

| PHASE CONFIG | TEST LOAD CONNECTION OPTIONS  | BUCK OUTPUT CONNECTION |    |    |    | LOCAL SENSE |   |   |   | REMOTE SENSE AT TRANSIENT LOAD |   |    |   |    |
|--------------|---|------------------------|----|----|----|-------------|---|---|---|--------------------------------|---|----|---|----|
|              |   | R                      | R  | R  | R  | R           | R | R | R | R                              | R | R  | R | R  |
| 29           | 30  | 31                     | 32 | 33 | 34 | 35          | 6 | 8 | 7 | 9                              | 4 | 40 | 5 | 41 |
|              | M1 connects to on-board transient load<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34<br>M4 connects to external load at VOUT4/GND34      | X                      | X  |    |    |             |   |   | X | X                              | X | X  | X |    |
| 9            |   |                        |    |    |    |             |   |   |   |                                |   |    |   |    |
| 10           | M3 connects to on-board transient load<br>M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M4 connects to external load at VOUT4/GND34      |                        | X  |    |    |             |   | X | X |                                |   | X  | X |    |
| 2+1+1 Phase  | M4 connects to on-board transient load<br>M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34      |                        |    |    |    |             |   | X | X |                                |   | X  | X |    |
| 11           |   |                        |    |    |    |             |   |   |   |                                |   |    |   |    |
| 12           | M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34<br>M4 connects to external load at VOUT4/GND34 |                        |    |    |    |             |   | X | X | X                              | X |    |   |    |

**Table 4. Programming Output Options (continued)**

| PHASE CONFIG  | TEST LOAD CONNECTION OPTIONS   | BUCK OUTPUT CONNECTION |    |    |    |    |   |   |   | LOCAL SENSE |   |    |   |    |    |    |    | REMOTE SENSE AT TRANSIENT LOAD |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
|---------------|--|------------------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|-------------|---|----|---|----|----|----|----|--------------------------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|
|               |  | R                      | R  | R  | R  | R  | R | R | R | R           | R | R  | R | R  | R  | R  | R  | R                              | R  | R  | R  | R  | R | R | R | R |
| 29            | 30   | 31                     | 32 | 33 | 34 | 35 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 9           | 4 | 40 | 5 | 41 | 21 | 25 | 22 | 26                             | 23 | 27 | 24 | 28 |   |   |   |   |
| 13            | M1 connects to on-board transient load<br>M2 connects to external load at VOUT2/GND12<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34<br>M4 connects to external load at VOUT4/GND34      | X                      |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |             |   |    |   |    |    |    |    |                                |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
| 14            | M2 connects to on-board transient load<br>M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34<br>M4 connects to external load at VOUT4/GND34      |                        |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |             |   |    |   |    |    |    |    |                                |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
| 1+1+1+1 Phase | M3 connects to on-board transient load<br>M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M2 connects to external load at VOUT2/GND12<br>M4 connects to external load at VOUT4/GND34      |                        |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |             |   |    |   |    |    |    |    |                                |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
| 15            |  |                        |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |             |   |    |   |    |    |    |    |                                |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
| 16            | M4 connects to on-board transient load<br>M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M2 connects to external load at VOUT2/GND12<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34      |                        |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |             |   |    |   |    |    |    |    |                                |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
| 17            | M1 connects to external load at VOUT1/GND12<br>M2 connects to external load at VOUT2/GND12<br>M3 connects to external load at VOUT3/GND34<br>M4 connects to external load at VOUT4/GND34 |                        |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |             |   |    |   |    |    |    |    |                                |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |

X = Install a 0Ω resistor.

**Table 4. Programming Output Options  
(continued)****Instructions**

- 1) R29, R30, R31, R32, R33, R34, and R35 connect the output of the buck regulators when MAX77812 is configured as a 2, 3, or 4-phase regulator. Install these resistors as instructed in [Table 4](#) to avoid unintentional shorting of the buck regulator outputs.
- 2) R6, R8, R7, R9, R4, R40, R5, and R41 connect the differential sense input of the buck regulator to the local sense point at the buck regulator output. R21, R25, R22, R26, R23, R27, R24, and R28 connect the differential sense input to the remote sense point at the on-board transient load. Use either local sense or remote sense but not both at the same time. Connecting the differential sense input to both local and remote sense points at the same time can lead to poorer regulation.
- 3) *Example:* User would like to set up the MAX77812 EV kit to (2+2) phase configuration with the first output

(M1) connected to the on-board transient load and the second output (M3) connected to external load. In this case, option 6 is selected and the  $0\Omega$  resistors are installed as instructed in the table:

- R29 and R30 are installed to connect VOUT1 and VOUT2 to form a 2-phase regulator connected to the on-board transient load.
- R35 is installed to connect VOUT3 and VOUT4 to form a 2-phase regulator but does not connect to the on-board transient load. An external load can be connected between VOUT3/VOUT4 and GND34.
- R4, R40, R5, and R41 are installed to connect the differential sense input of M3 and M4 to the local sense points.
- R21, R25, R22, and R26 are installed to connect the differential sense input of M1 and M2 to the remote sense point at the on-board transient load.
- R31, R32, R33, R34, R6, R8, R7, R9, R23, R27, R24, and R28 are not installed.

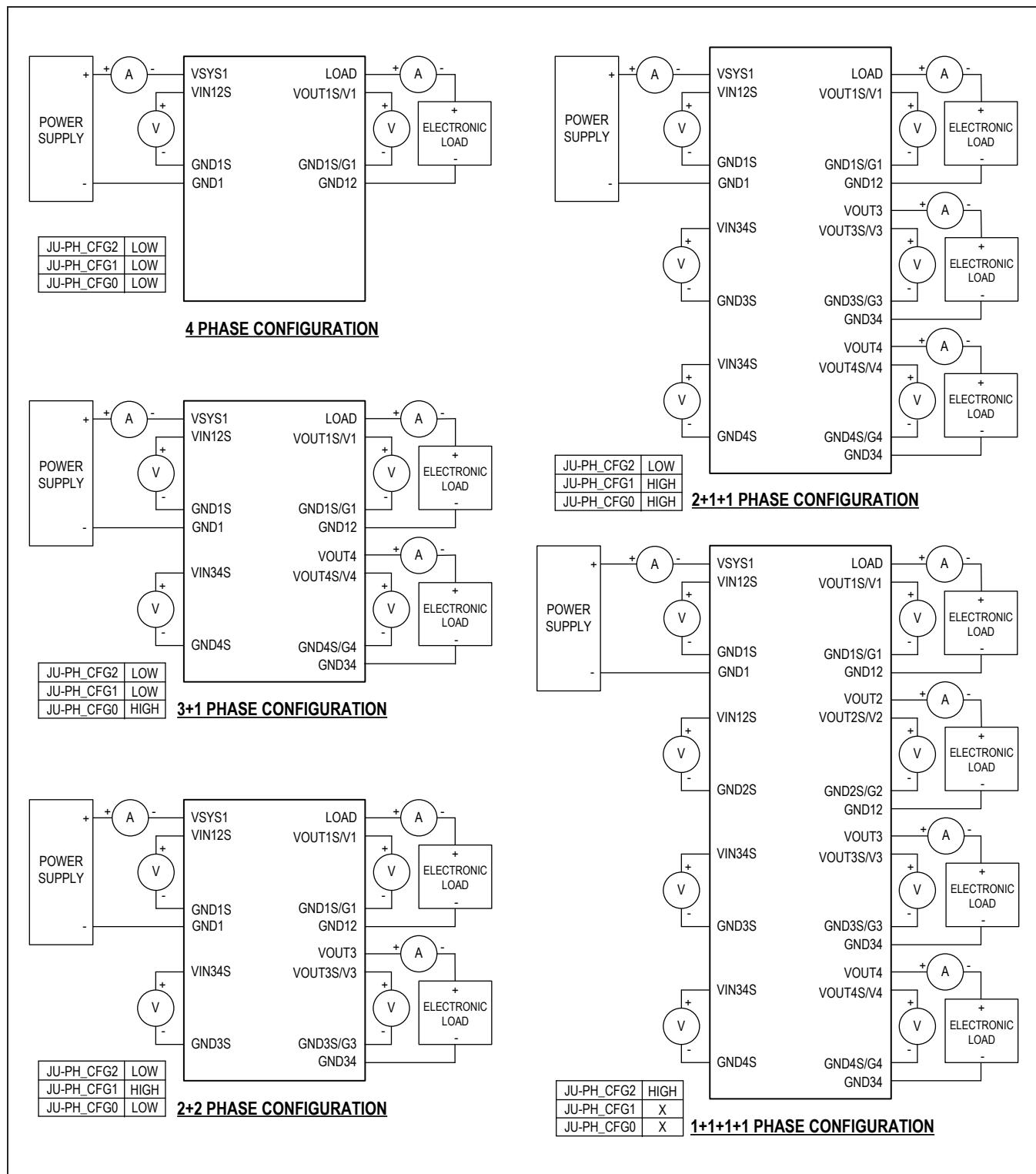


Figure 8. Various Phase Configurations Hardware Setup

## Component Suppliers

| SUPPLIER                  | PHONE             | WEBSITE  |
|---------------------------|-------------------|--|
| MURATA                    | 770-436-1300      | <a href="http://www.murata-northamerica.com">www.murata-northamerica.com</a> |
| KEYSTONE                  | 718-956-8900      | <a href="http://www.keyelco.com">www.keyelco.com</a>                         |
| LITE-ON ELECTRONICS; INC. | 408-946-4873      | <a href="http://www.us.lite-on.com">www.us.lite-on.com</a>                   |
| NXP SEMICONDUCTORS        | 800-521-6274      | <a href="http://www.nxp.com">www.nxp.com</a>                                 |
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| TOKO                      | 847-803-6100      | <a href="http://www.tokoam.com">www.tokoam.com</a>                           |
| FAIRCHILD SEMICONDUCTOR   | 408-822-2000      | <a href="http://www.fairchildsemi.com">www.fairchildsemi.com</a>             |
| VISHAY DALE               | 402-563-6866      | <a href="http://www.vishay.com">www.vishay.com</a>                           |
| YAGEO PHICOMP             | 408-240-6200      | <a href="http://www.yageo.com">www.yageo.com</a>                             |
| BOURNS                    | 951-781-5500      | <a href="http://www.bourns.com">www.bourns.com</a>                           |
| PANASONIC                 | 800-344-2112      | <a href="http://www.panasonic.com">www.panasonic.com</a>                     |
| FUTURE TECHNOLOGY DEVICES | 503-547-0988      | <a href="http://www.ftdichip.com">www.ftdichip.com</a>                       |
| HIROSE ELECTRIC CO LTD.   | 805-522-7958      | <a href="http://www.hirose-connector.com">www.hirose-connector.com</a>       |
| KYOCERA-KINSEKI           | 864-967-2150      | <a href="http://www.global.kyocera.com">www.global.kyocera.com</a>           |
| TE CONNECTIVITY           | 800-522-6752      | <a href="http://www.te.com">www.te.com</a>                                   |
| JOHNSON COMPONENTS        | 507-833-8822      | <a href="http://www.cinchconnectivity.com">www.cinchconnectivity.com</a>     |
| ALPS ELECTRIC             | +81 (3) 5499-8154 | <a href="http://www.alps.com">www.alps.com</a>                               |

**Note:** Indicate that you are using the MAX77812 when contacting these component suppliers.

## Ordering Information

| PART           | TYPE   |
|----------------|--------|
| MAX77812EVKIT# | EV Kit |

#Denotes RoHS compliant.

**MAX77812 EV Kit Bill of Materials**

| PART   | QTY | DESCRIPTION  |
|--|-----|--|
| C1   | 1   | CAPACITOR; SMT 0402; CERAMIC; 1µF; 10V; 10%; X5R<br>MURATA GRM188R61A105KA61           |
| C2, C12, C14-C16   | 5   | CAPACITOR; SMT 0402; CERAMIC; 0.1µF; 10V; 10%; X5R<br>MURATA GRM155R71A104KA01D        |
| C3, C4, C21, C22   | 4   | CAPACITOR; SMT 0603; CERAMIC; 10µF; 6.3V; 5%; X5R<br>MURATA GRM188R60J106ME47J         |
| C5-C8  | 4   | CAPACITOR; SMT 0603; CERAMIC; 22µF; 6.3V; 20%; X5R<br>MURATA GRM188C80J226ME15D        |
| C13  | 1   | CAPACITOR; SMT 3528; TANTALUM; 100µF; 6.3V; 20%<br>AVX TCJB107M006R0070                |
| C25-C27, C33-C37   | 8   | CAPACITOR; SMT 0402; CERAMIC; 4.3µF; 4V; 20%; X5R<br>MURATA LLD154R60G435ME01          |
| C40-C42  | 3   | CAPACITOR; SMT 0603; CERAMIC; 10µF; 16V; 20%; X5R<br>MURATA GRM188R61C106MA73D         |
| C108, C116, C117, C138, C150,<br>C151, C155-C157, C159   | 10  | CAPACITOR; SMT 0402; CERAMIC; 0.1µF; 25V; 10%; X7R<br>TDK C1005X7R1E104K050BB          |
| C110-C113, C115, C118,<br>C137, C158   | 8   | CAPACITOR; SMT 0402; CERAMIC; 1µF; 6.3V; 10%; X5R<br>MURATA GRM155R60J105KE19D         |
| C114   | 1   | CAPACITOR; SMT; 0603; CERAMIC; 0.47µF; 10V; 10%<br>KEMET C0603C474K8PAC                |
| C120   | 1   | CAPACITOR; SMT 0402; CERAMIC; 1µF; 6.3V; 20%; X5R<br>TDK C1005X5R01105M050BB           |
| C152, C153   | 2   | CAPACITOR; SMT; 0402; CERAMIC; 8.2pF; 50V; 0.25%<br>MURATA GJM1555C1H8R2CB01D          |
| C154   | 1   | CAPACITOR; SMT 0603; CERAMIC; 4.7µF; 16V; 10%; X5R<br>TDK C1608X5R1C475K080AC          |
| CE, EN, LPM, SCL, SCS, GPIO,<br>GPIO1, IRQB, MISO, PH_CFG0-<br>PH_CFG2, SDA-MOSI, I2CSPISEL,<br>WDTRSTB_IN | 15  | TEST POINT; PIN DIA=0.1IN; TOTAL LENGTH=0.3IN<br>KEYSTONE 5002                         |
| V+, V-, CS+, CS-, VIO, GATE  | 6   | TESTPOINT; MULTIPURPOSE<br>KEYSTONE 5010   |
| D100, D101   | 2   | DIODE; LED; STANDARD; YELLOW; SMT 0603; PIV=5.0V; IF=0.02A<br>LITE-ON LTST-C190YKT     |
| D102, D103   | 2   | DIODE; LED; STANDARD; RED; SMT 0603; PIV=5.0V; IF=0.04A<br>LITE-ON LTST-C190CKT        |
| FB100  | 1   | INDUCTOR; SMT 0603; FERRITE-BEAD; 220Ω; +/-25%; 1.4A<br>MURATA BLM18PG221SN1           |
| G1-G4, V1-V4, GND1S-GND4S,<br>VIN12S, VIN34S, VOUT1S-<br>VOUT4S  | 18  | TEST POINT; PIN DIA=0.1IN; TOTAL LENGTH=0.3IN<br>KEYSTONE 5000                         |
| GND1-GND6, GND12, GND34,<br>VOUT1-VOUT4, VSYS1, VSYS2,<br>GND12A, GND34A, VOUT1A-<br>VOUT4A                | 20  | MAXIM PAD; WIRE; 20AWG<br>WEICO 9020 BUSS  |
| J1   | 1   | CONNECTOR; FEMALE; SMT; MICRO USB B-TYPE REVERSE; 5PINS<br>FCI CONNECT 10103592-0001LF |
| J2, J101, JU-CE, JU-EN, JU-LPM,<br>JU-GPIO, JU-GPI1, JU-PH_CFG0-<br>JU-PH_CFG2, JU-I2C_SPI_SEL             | 11  | CONNECTOR; THROUGH HOLE; SINGLE ROW; STRAIGHT; 3PINS<br>SAMTEC TSW-103-07-L-S          |
| J4-J6  | 3   | CONNECTOR; MALE; THROUGH HOLE; STRAIGHT; 2PINS<br>SULLINS PBC02SAAN                    |
| JU-SCL, JU-SDA, JU-VIO   | 3   | CONNECTOR; THROUGH HOLE; 2PINS<br>SAMTEC TSW-102-07-T-S                                |
| L1-L4  | 4   | INDUCTOR; SMT 2520; 0.22µH; ±20%; 7A<br>ALPS GLULMR2201A                               |

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| PART  | QTY | DESCRIPTION   |
|---|-----|---|
| LOAD, LOAD1                                     | 2   | MAXIM PAD   |
| Q1  | 1   | TRAN; HEXFET POWER MOSFET; NCH; SO-8; PD-(2.5W); I-(18A); V-(30V)<br>INTERNATIONAL RECTIFIER IRF8736PBF   |
| Q102  | 1   | TRAN; DUAL N-CHANNEL 2.5V SPECIFIED POWERTRENCH MOSFET; NCH; SOT563-6; PD-(0.625W); I-(0.6A); V-(20V)<br>FAIRCHILD FDY3000NZ                        |
| R1, R2  | 2   | RESISTOR, 0402, 1.5kΩ, 1%, 100PPM, 0.0625W, THICK FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW04021K50FK   |
| R3, R120  | 2   | RESISTOR; 0402; 100kΩ; 1%; 100PPM; 0.0625W; THICK FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW0402100KFK   |
| R10   | 1   | RESISTOR, 0805, 10kΩ, 1%, 100PPM, 0.125W, THICK FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW080510K0FK; ROHM MCR10EZF1002;<br>PANASONIC ERJ-GENF1002V; YAGEO RC0805FR-0710KL |
| R14   | 1   | RESISTOR; 0603; 0Ω; 5%; JUMPER; 0.10W; THICK FILM<br>SAMSUNG RC1608J000CS; BOURNS CR0603-J-000ELF;<br>YAGEO RC0603JR-070RL                          |
| R15   | 1   | RESISTOR, 0603, 500Ω, 1%, 100PPM, 0.10W, THICK FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW0603500RFK  |
| R16   | 1   | RESISTOR; THROUGH HOLE-RADIAL LEAD; 100Ω; 5%; 10PPM;<br>0.25W; METAL FOIL<br>VISHAY FOIL RESISTOR Y4053100R000J0                                    |
| R17   | 1   | RESISTOR; THROUGH HOLE-RADIAL LEAD; 1kΩ; 5%; 10PPM;<br>0.25W; METAL FOIL<br>VISHAY FOIL RESISTOR Y40531K00000J0                                     |
| R19, R20  | 2   | RESISTOR; 2512; 0.01Ω; 1%; 75PPM; 3.0W; THICK FILM<br>BOURNS CRA2512-FZ-R10ELF  |
| R21-R28, R102                                   | 9   | RESISTOR; 0603; 0Ω; 0%; JUMPER; 0.10W; THICK FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW06030000Z0EA  |
| R29-R32   | 4   | RESISTOR; 2512; 0Ω; 1%; JUMPER; 1.0W; METAL FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW25120000ZS   |
| R103  | 1   | RESISTOR; 0603; 1MΩ; 1%; 100PPM; 0.10W; THICK FILM<br>YAGEO RC0402FR-071ML  |
| R104, R105                                      | 2   | RESISTOR, 0402, 22Ω, 1%, 100PPM, 0.0625W, THICK FILM<br>YAGEO RC0402FR-0722R  |
| R107, R108, R112-R118, R133,<br>R134, R136-R147 | 23  | RESISTOR; 0402; 0Ω; 0%; JUMPER; 0.10W; THICK FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW04020000ZS  |
| R109, R110                                      | 2   | RESISTOR, 0402, 4.7kΩ, 1%, 100PPM, 0.0625W, THICK FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW04024K70FK   |
| R111, R131                                      | 2   | RESISTOR, 0402, 470Ω, 1%, 100PPM, 0.0625W, THICK FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW0402470RFK  |
| R119  | 1   | RESISTOR; 0402; 1MΩ; 1%; 100PPM; 0.10W; THICK FILM<br>PANASONIC ERJ-2RKF1004  |
| R121  | 1   | RESISTOR; 0402; 10kΩ; 1%; 100PPM; 0.0625W; THICK FILM<br>VISHAY DALE CRCW040210K0FK<br>YAGEO PHICOMP RC0402FR-0710K                                 |
| R129, R130                                      | 2   | RESISTOR; 0402; 100Ω; 1%; 100PPM; 0.063W; THICK FILM<br>VISHAY DALE CRCW0402100RFK<br>PANASONIC 9C04021A1000FL<br>YAGEO PHICOMP RC0402FR-07100RL    |
| SW1   | 1   | SWITCH; SPST; SMT; 15V; 0.02A; LIGHT TOUCH SWITCH<br>PANASONIC EVQ-Q2K03W   |
| U1  | 1   | IC; MAX77812; 64 BUMPS WLP PKG. 0.40mm PITCH<br>MAXIM 77812   |
| U2  | 1   | IC; AMP; 1.1A; 35MHz CURRENT FEEDBACK AMPLIFIER; NSOIC16<br>LINEAR TECHNOLOGY LT1210CS#PBF  |
| U100  | 1   | IC; CTRL; LOW-POWER LCD MICROCONTROLLER; TQFN56-EP 8X8<br>MAXIM MAXQ2000-RBX+   |
| U101  | 1   | IC; INF; UART INTERFACE IC USB TO SERIAL; QFN32-EP 5X5<br>FUTURE TECHNOLOGY FT232RQ   |

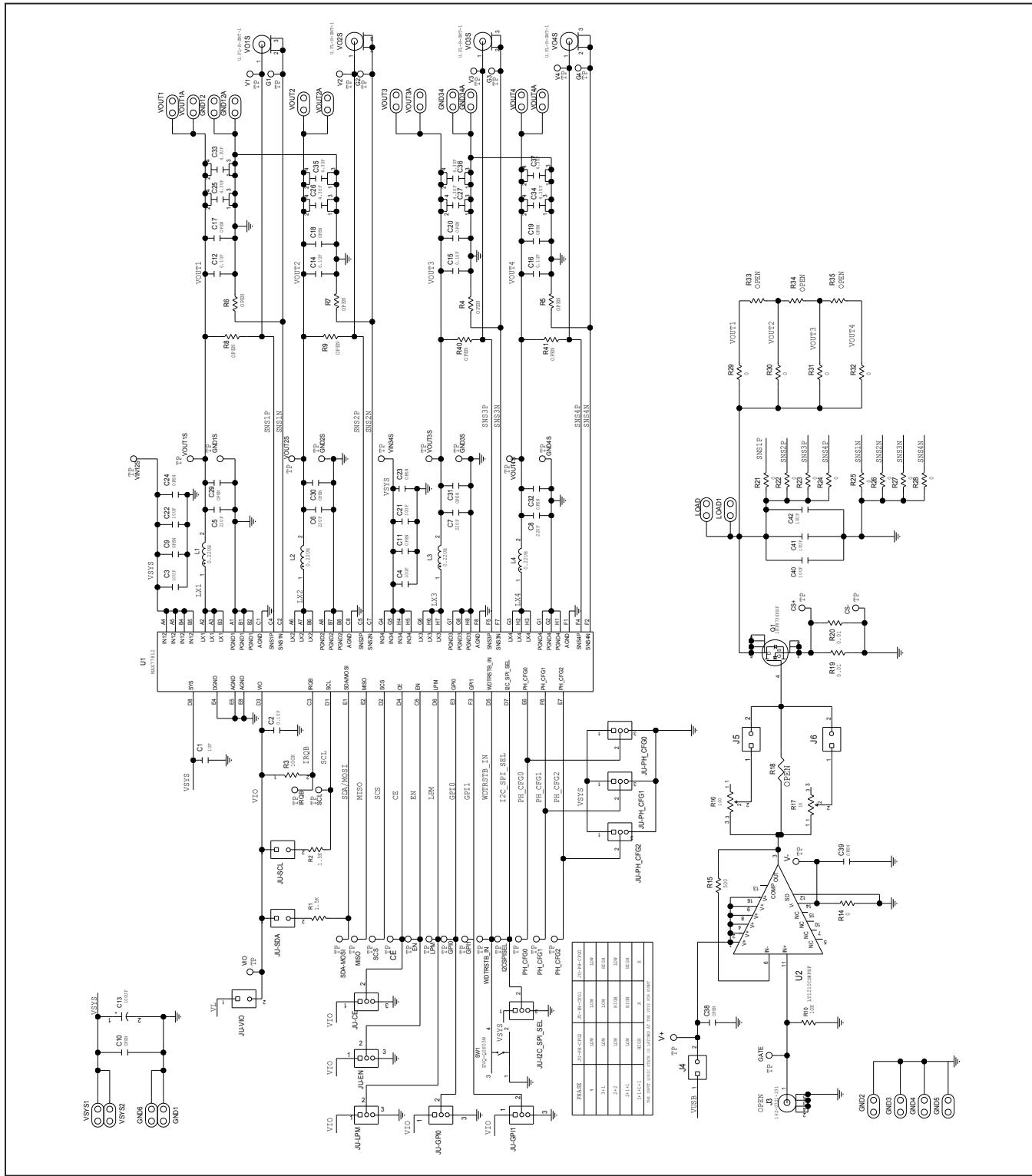
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|---|-----|---|
| U102  | 1   | IC; VREG; ULTRA-LOW-NOISE, HIGH PSRR, LOW-DROPOUT, LINEAR REGULATOR; SC70-5<br>MAXIM MAX8511EXK33+                              |
| U103  | 1   | IC; VREG; ULTRA-LOW-NOISE; HIGH PSRR; LOW-DROPOUT; LINEAR REGULATOR; SC70-5<br>MAXIM MAX8511EXK18+                              |
| U104  | 1   | IC; VREG; ULTRA-LOW-NOISE HIGH PSRR LOW-DROPOUT LINEAR REGULATOR; SC70-5<br>MAXIM MAX8511EXK25+                                 |
| U105  | 1   | HIGH-/FULL-SPEED USB 2.0 SWITCH, DUALSPDT<br>MAXIM MAX4906ELB+  |
| U107  | 1   | IC; TRANS; 15kV ESD-PROTECTED HIGH-DRIVE CURRENT QUAD-LEVEL TRANSLATOR WITH SPEED-UP CIRCUITRY; TQFN12 4X4<br>MAXIM MAX3395EETC |
| U108  | 1   | IC; TRANS; QUAD-LEVEL TRANSLATOR; TSSOP14<br>MAXIM MAX3023EUD   |
| VO1S-VO4S                                   | 4   | CONNECTOR; MALE; SMT; ULTRA SMALL SURFACE MOUNT COAXIAL CONNECTOR; STRAIGHT; 2PINS<br>HIROSE ELECTRIC U.FL-R-SMT-1              |
| Y101  | 1   | CRYSTAL; SMT 3225 3.2X2.5; 8PF; 16MHz; +/-10PPM; +/-15PPM<br>KYOCERA-KINSEKI CX3225SB16000D0FLJZZ                               |
| J3  | 0   | NOT INSTALLED: CONNECTOR; FEMALE THREADED; THROUGH HOLE; SMA; 5PINS<br>JOHNSON COMPONENTS 142-0701-231                          |
| J100  | 0   | CONNECTOR; MALE; THROUGH HOLE; STRAIGHT; 10PINS<br>TE CONNECTIVITY 2-1761603-3  |
| C9,C11,C17-C20,C23,C24,<br>C29-C32,C38,C139 | 0   | NOT INSTALLED: CAPACITOR; SMT 0603  |
| C10   | 0   | NOT INSTALLED: CAPACITOR; SMT 0805  |
| C39   | 0   | NOT INSTALLED: CAPACITOR; SMT 1206  |
| R33-R35                                     | 0   | RESISTOR; 2512; 0Ω; 1%; JUMPER; 1.0W; METAL FILM<br>VISHAY CRCW25120000ZS   |
| R4-R9,R40,R41                               | 0   | NOT INSTALLED: RESISTOR; 0603; 0Ω<br>Vishay CRCW06030000Z0EA  |
| R18,R132,R135                               | 0   | NOT INSTALLED: RESISTOR; 0402   |
| PCB   | 1   | PCB: MAX77812 EVALUATION KIT+   |

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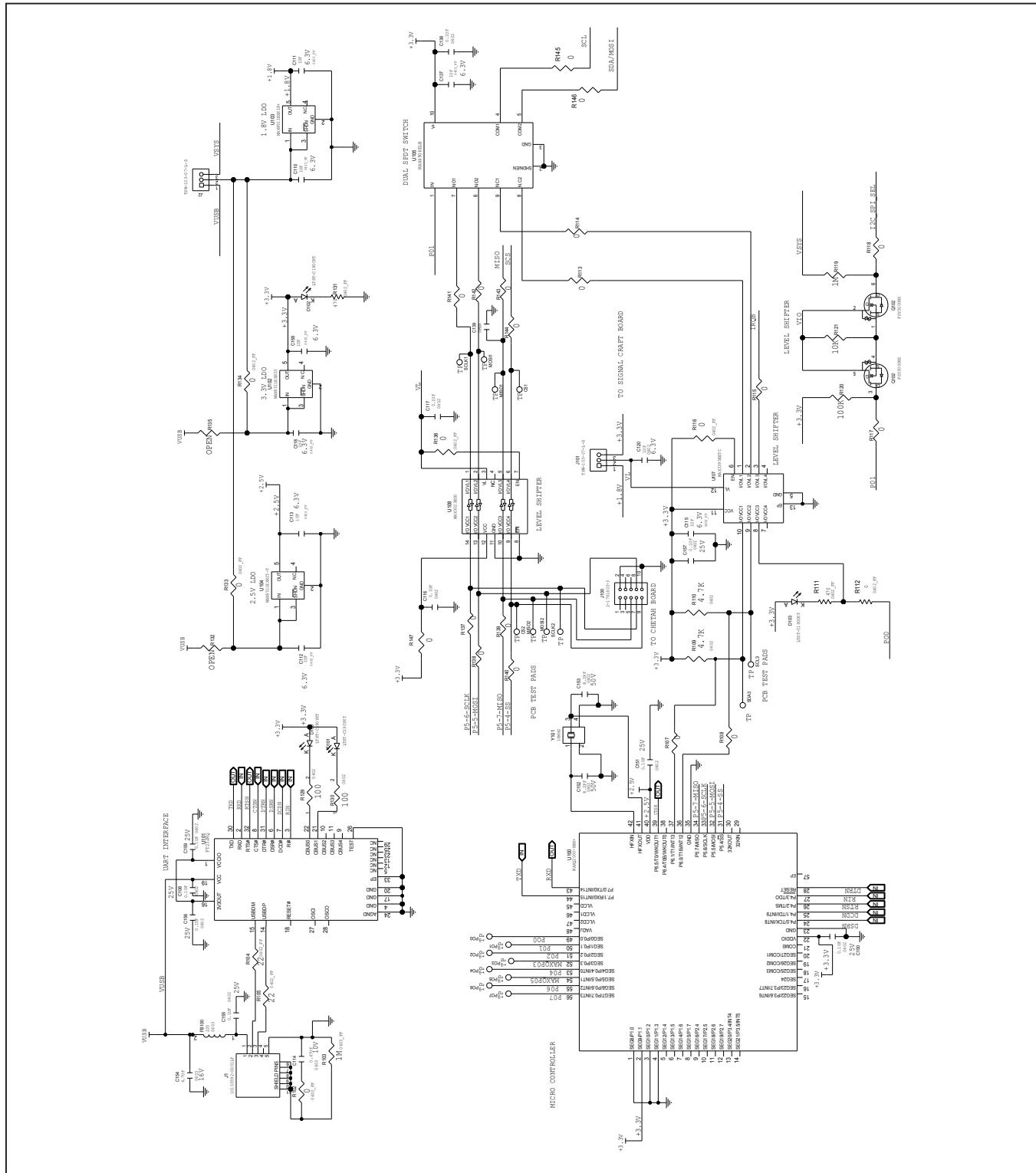
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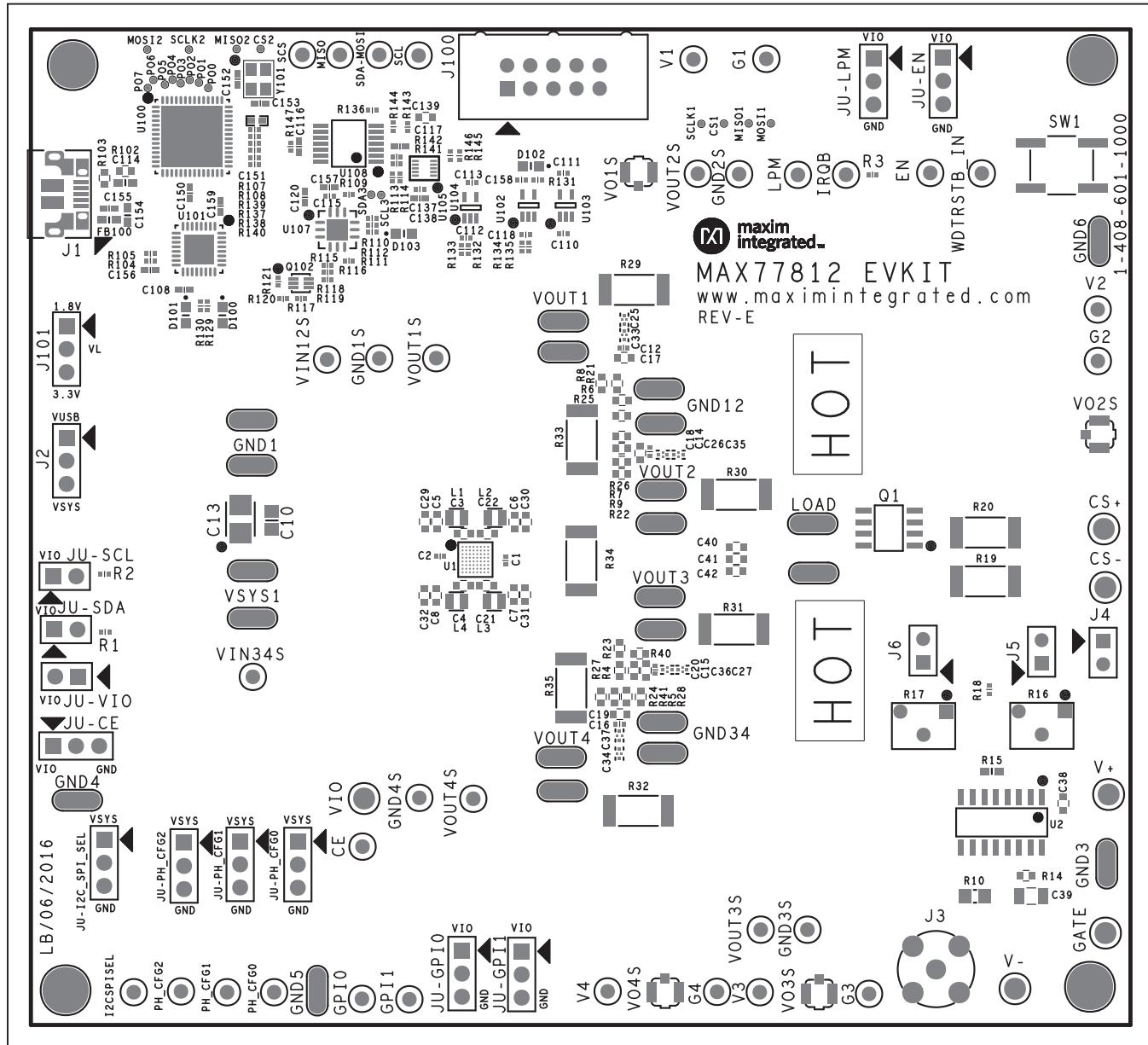
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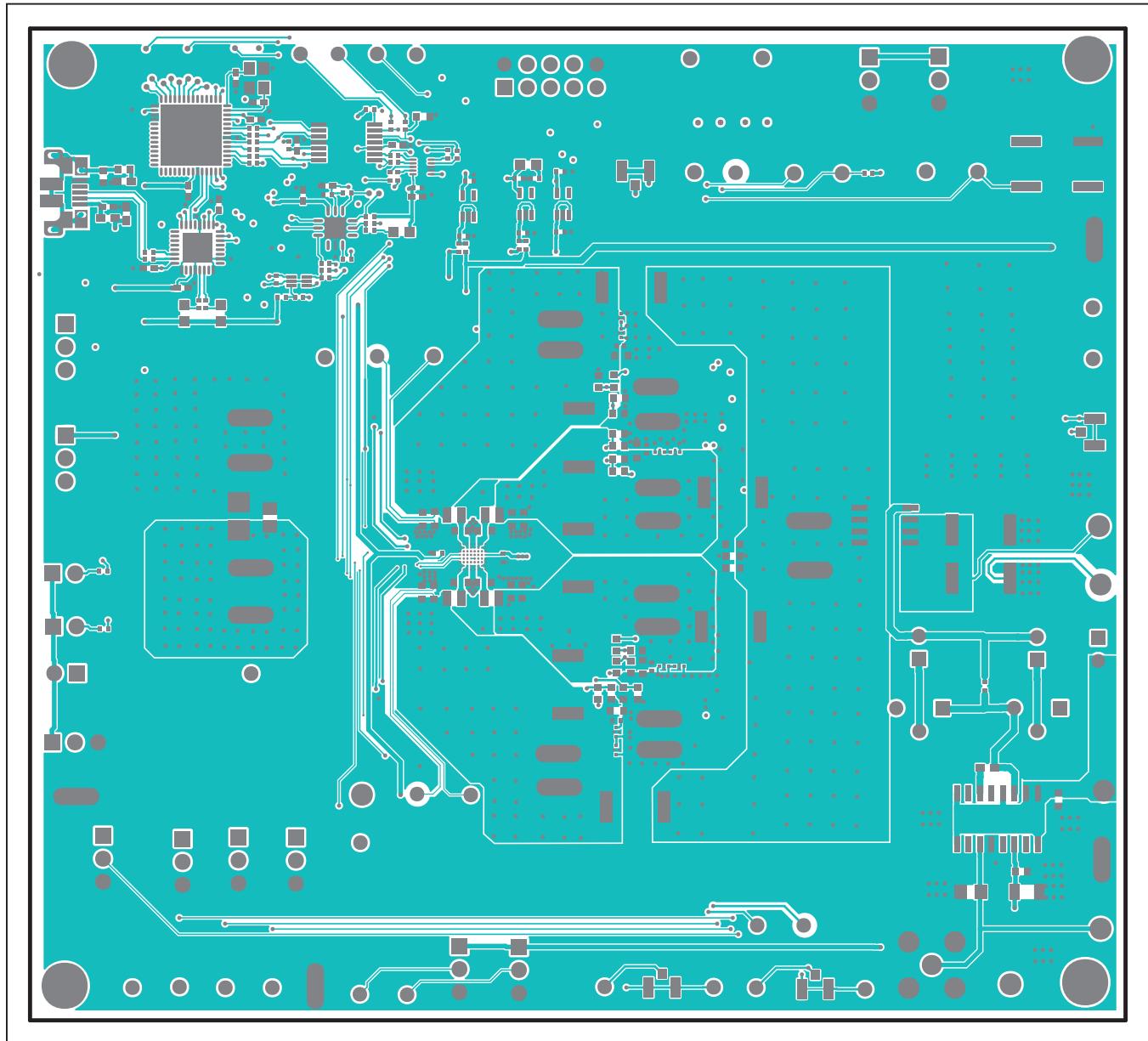
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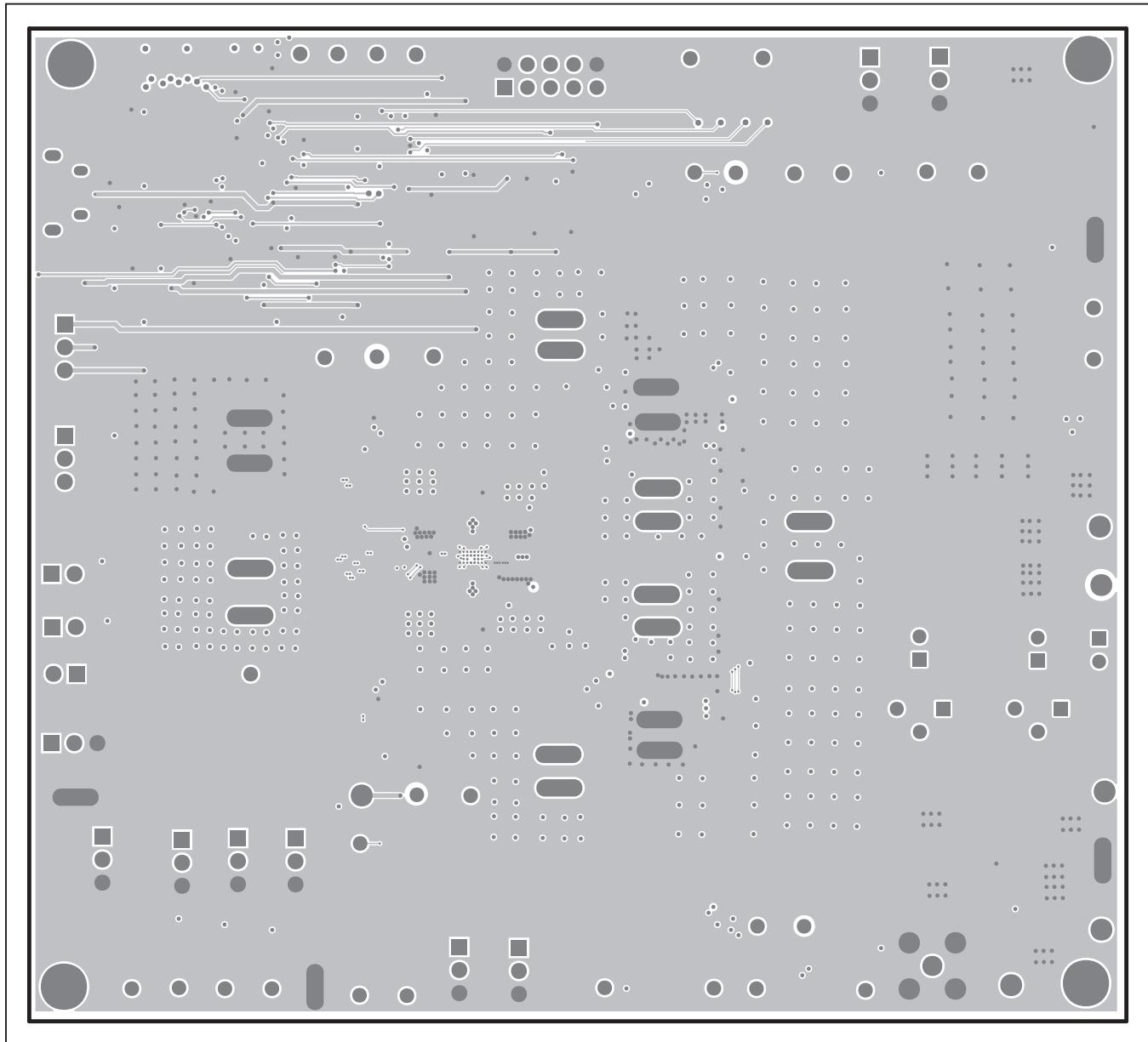
## MAX77812 EV Kit PCB Layouts



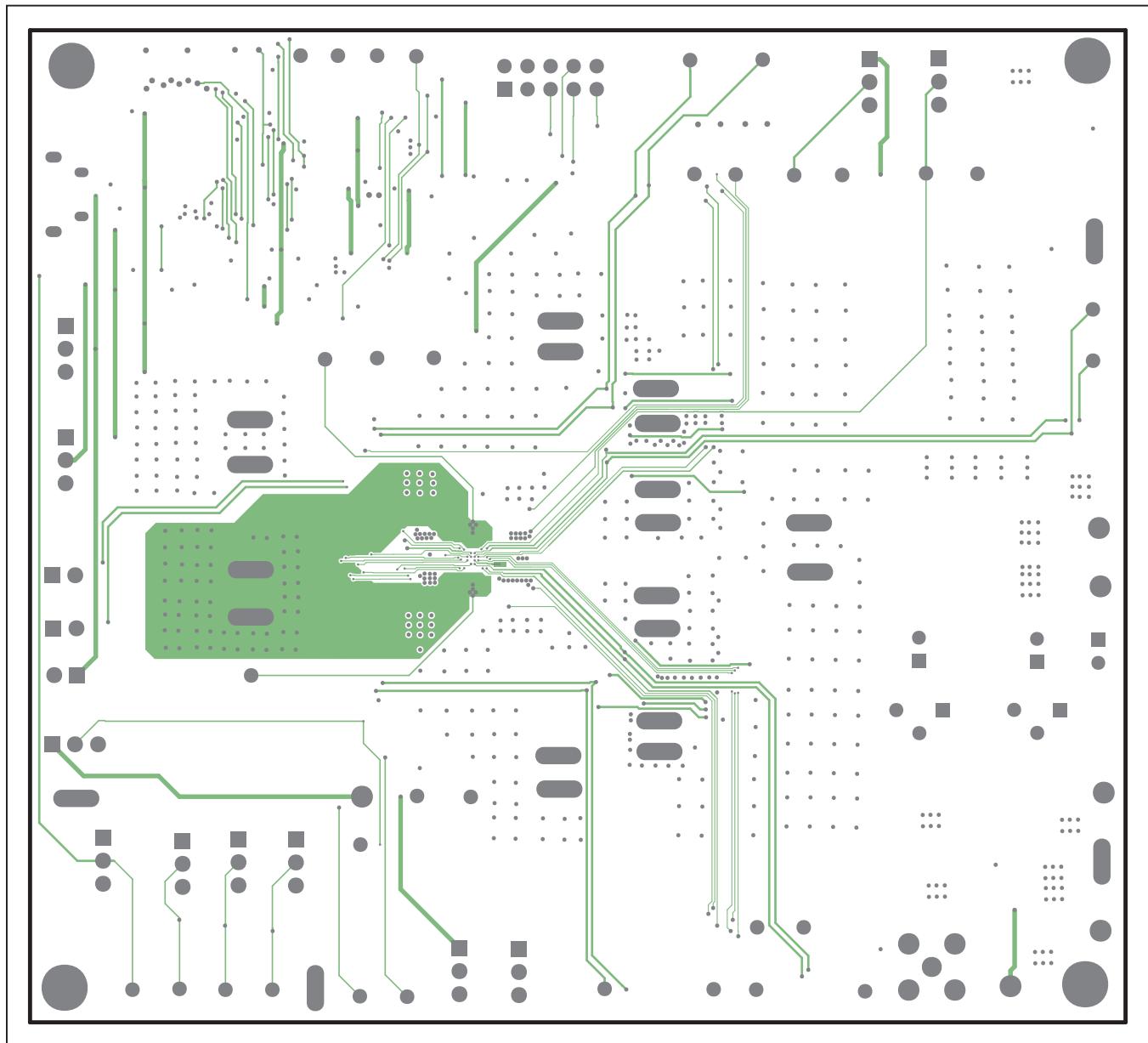
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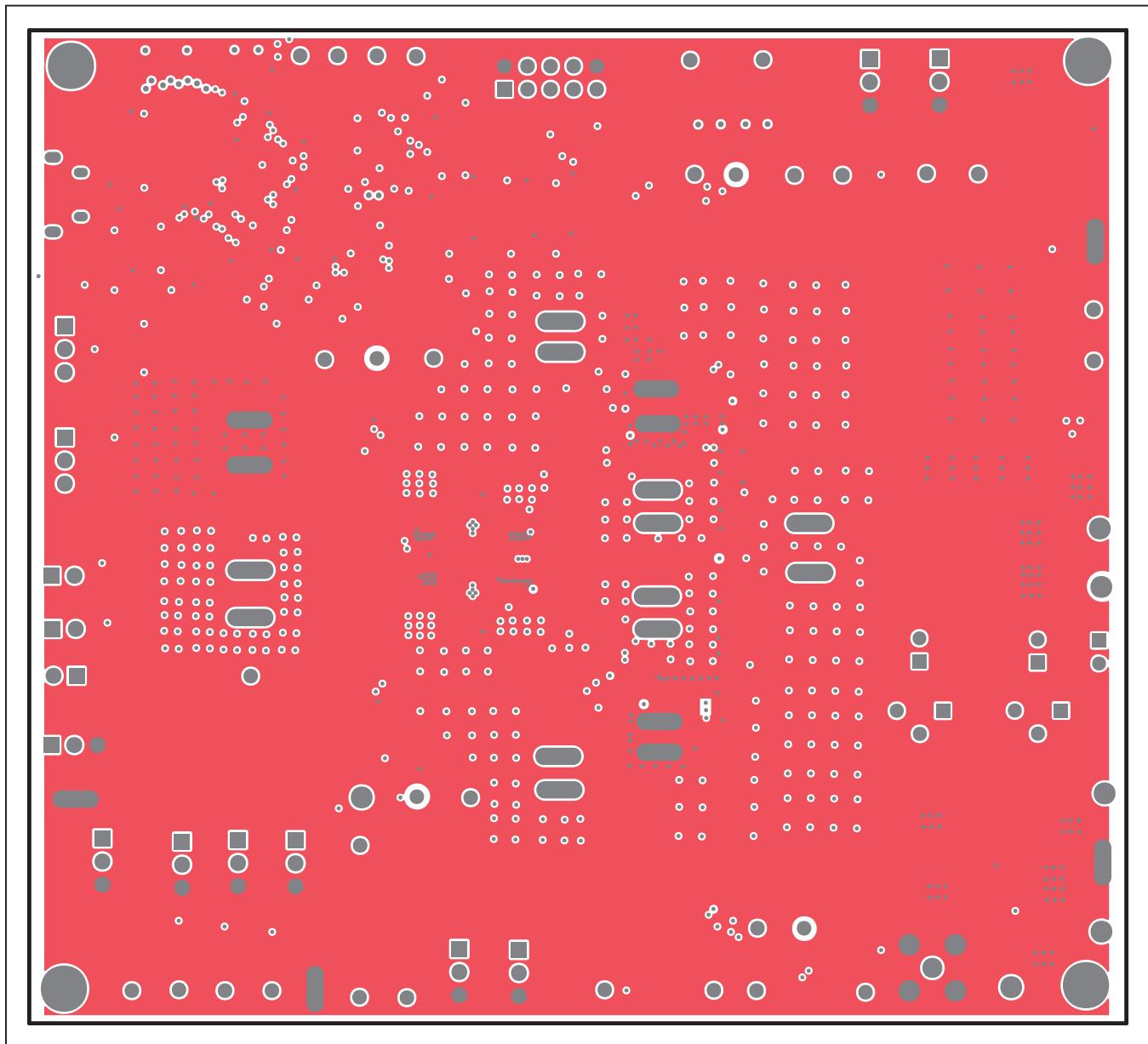
MAX77812 EV Kit PCB Layout—Top Layer

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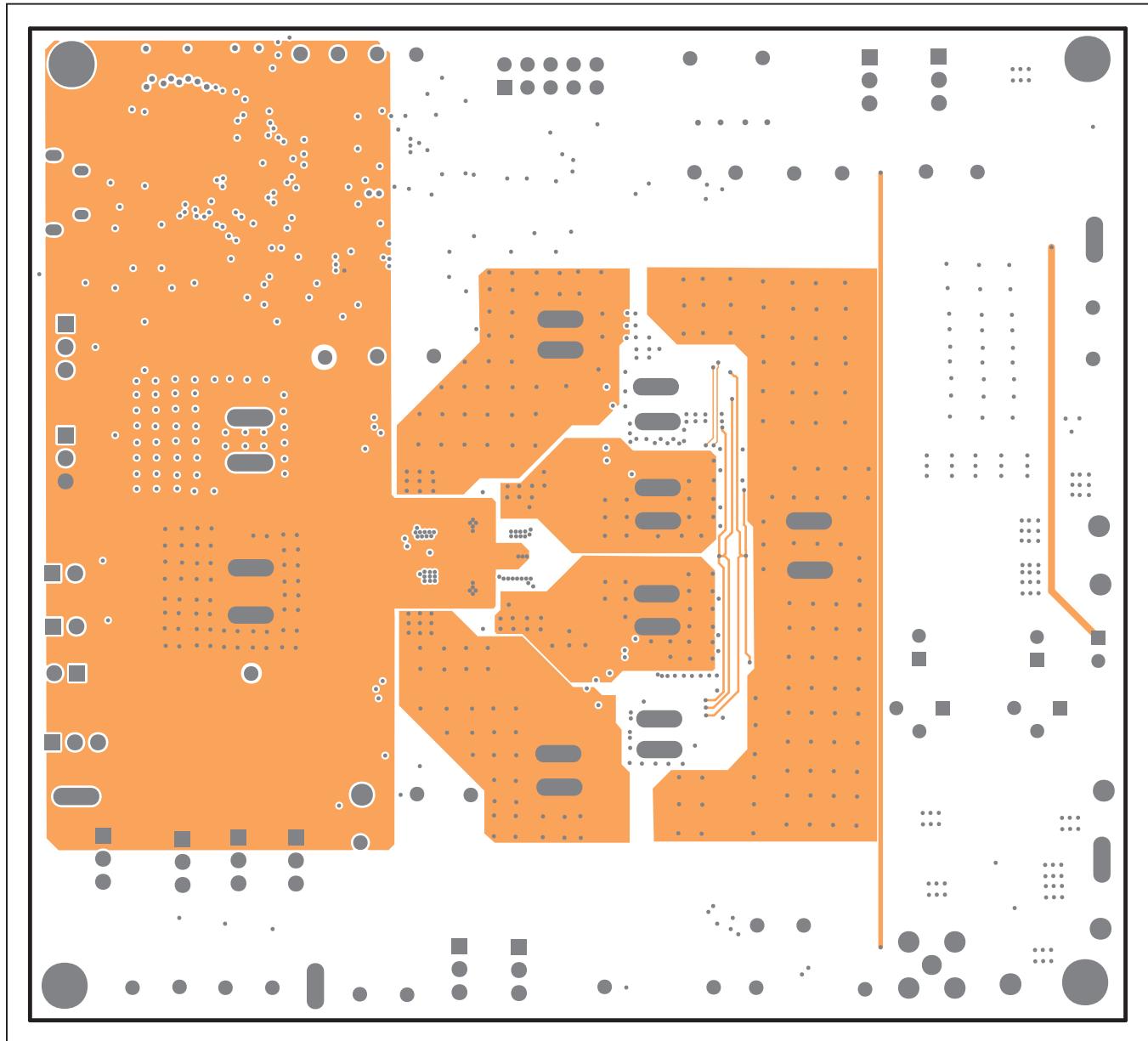
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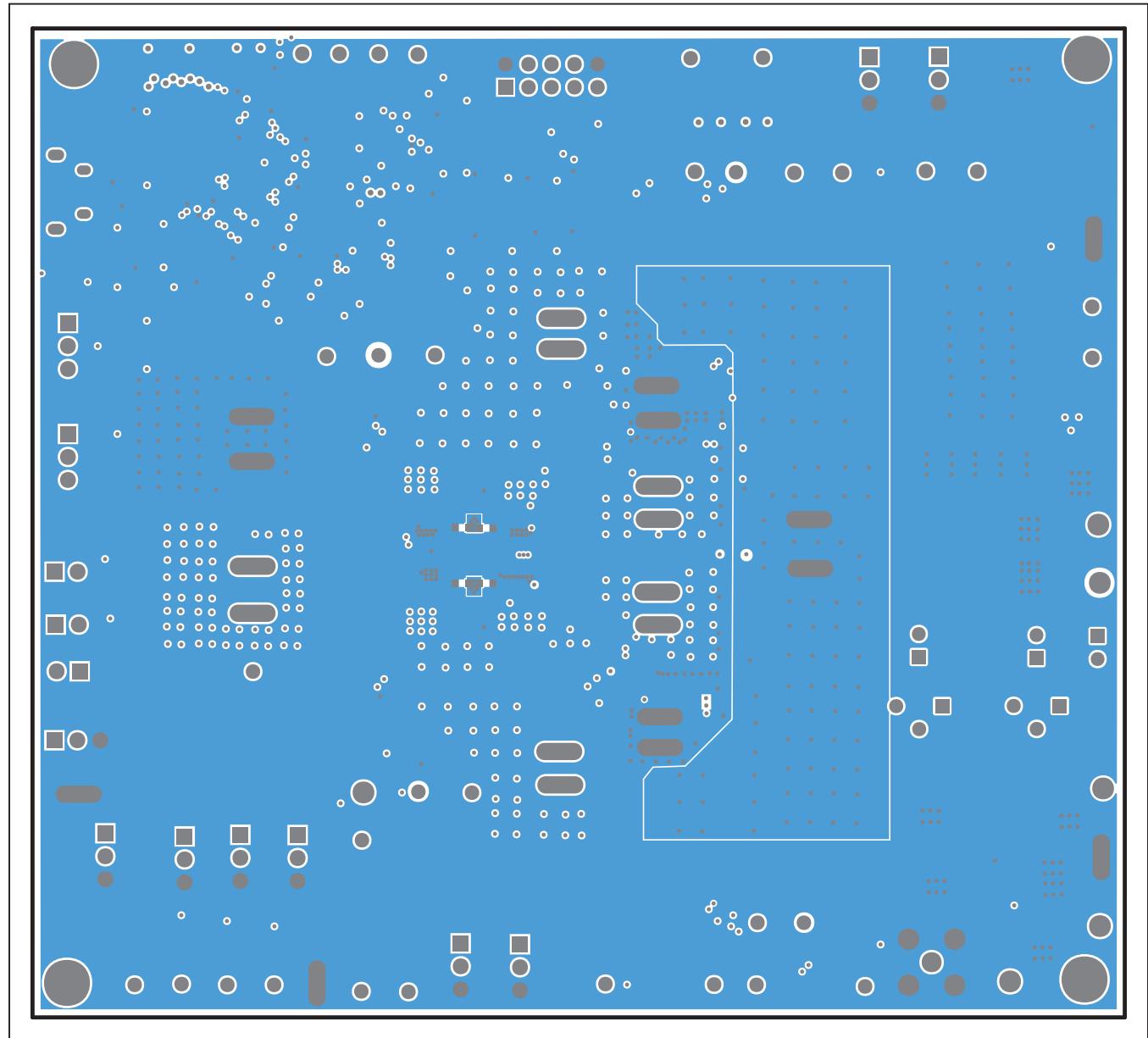
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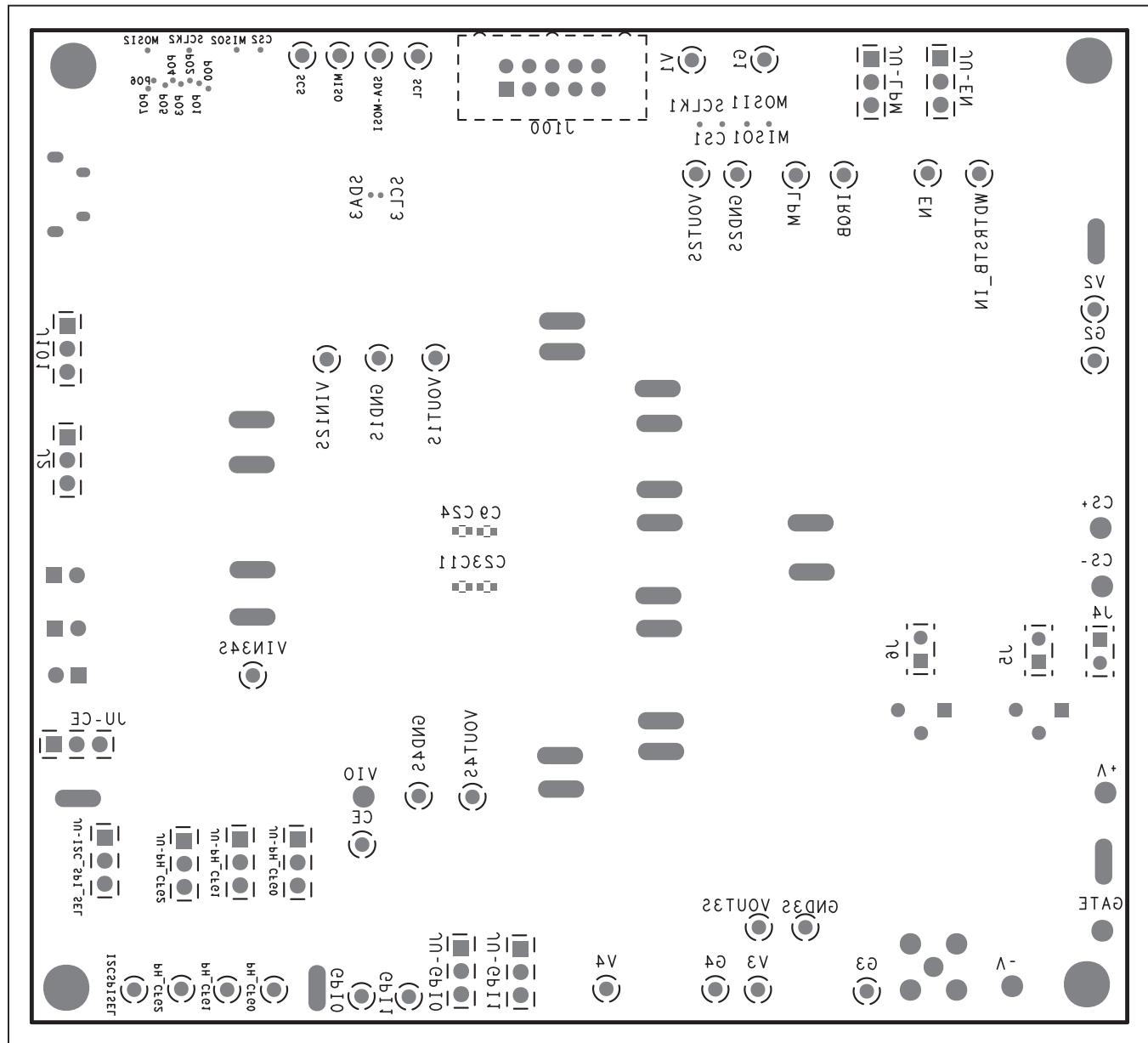
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MAX77812 EV Kit PCB Layout—Internal Layer 5

**MAX77812 EV Kit PCB Layouts (continued)**

MAX77812 EV Kit PCB Layout—Bottom Layer

## MAX77812 EV Kit PCB Layouts (continued)



MAX77812 EV Kit Component Placement Guide—Bottom Silkscreen

## Revision History

| REVISION NUMBER | REVISION DATE | DESCRIPTION   | PAGES CHANGED        |
|-----------------|---------------|---|----------------------|
| 0               | 6/16          | Initial release   | —                    |
| 1               | 7/16          | Updated Figure 1, Figure 2, Table 1, Table 2, <i>Load Transient Testing</i> section, <i>Phase Configuration Programming</i> section, Table 3, Bill of Materials, Schematics, PCB Layouts, and added Table 4 | 1, 2, 6, 7, 9, 12–24 |
| 2               | 4/17          | Updated Figures 1–8, Table 2, Schematics, PCB Layouts, Bill of Materials, and text in <i>Features</i> and <i>Quick Start</i> sections   | 1–13, 15–24          |
| 3               | 5/17          | Updated Figures 2–8, Table 1, Table 2, Bill of Materials, and text in <i>Features</i> and <i>Quick Start</i> sections   | 1–7, 9, 11–13        |
| 4               | 12/17         | Updated <i>Features</i> section, Figure 1, Figure 2, <i>Component Suppliers</i> table, and <i>MAX77812 EV Kit Bill of Materials</i> table   | 1, 2, 10, 11         |
| 5               | 7/18          | Updated <i>Features</i> section, Figure 1, Figure 2, <i>Phase/Output Configuration Programming</i> section, Table 4, and <i>MAX77812 EV Kit Bill of Materials</i> table                                     | 1, 2, 6, 8, 11–13    |

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