

Xtrinsic Accelerometers

FXLS8471Q Xtrinsic SPI Accelerometer

Low-power, low-noise, pin-compatible SPI Accelerometer

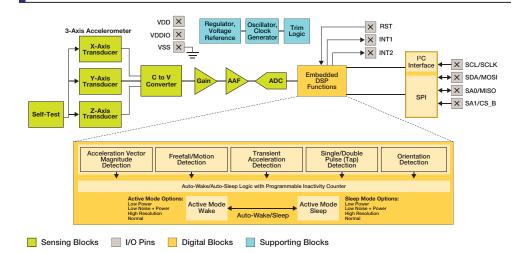
Overview

The Xtrinsic FXLS8471Q low-power, low-noise accelerometer has unique performance and compatibility for laptops, game controllers, white goods and mass market applications. This new FXLS8471Q accelerometer has a SPI interface that is pin compatible with Freescale's industry-leading I²C accelerometer portfolio.

The FXLS8471Q accelerometer is highly versatile for industrial and consumer high-performance low-g applications that offer noise density, board mount offset, temperature performance and sensitivity. Integrated motion detection features include tilt, shake and tap detection with a new vector magnitude output that simplifies implementation and reduces power consumption.

To operate with extremely low power, the FXLS8471Q accelerometer has six user-configurable sample rates that can be set over a wide range from 1.5 to 800 samples per second. The operating current is proportional to the sample rate. The power scheme contains normal mode and low-power operational modes, offering best-in-class savings in supply current and extremely high resolution for very small motion detection. See the Xtrinsic accelerometer family comparison table for more details.

FXLS8471Q Xtrinsic 14-bit Accelerometer Block Diagram



Target Applications

- Alarm systems
- · Asset tracking
- Digital still cameras
- · Game controllers
- Gaming
- Home medical
- Hospital equipment
- Inclinometers
- Instrumentation
- Laptops
- Medical
- Remote control cars/helicopters
- Remote controls
- · Shipment tracking
- Smartphones
- · Sports gear
- · Surveying equipment
- Tablets
- Toys





Freescale Accelerometer Product Feature Comparison



FXLS8471Q Accelerometer

- Extreme performance
 - .25 mg/count sensitivity
- Extended features
 - o FIFO
 - Configurable P/L trip angles
 - · High pass filter
 - o Transient detect
- SPI output
- Drivers available



MMA8491Q

Accelerometer

- Extreme low power
 - o 0.35 uA/Hz
- · Cost efficient
- 1 mg/count sensitivity
- Industrial package
- Drivers available



MMA845xQ

Accelerometers

- Extreme performance
 - .25 mg/count sensitivity
- Extended features
 - o FIFO
 - Configurable P/L trip angles
 - · High pass filter
 - Transient detect
- I2C output
- · Drivers available



MMA865xFC

Accelerometers

- High performance
- Well rounded
- · Cost competitive
- Low power consumption
- · Low-voltage compatibility
- Rich features
 - P/L detection
 - High pass filter
 - Transient detect
- Drivers available



FXOS8700CQ

6-Axis Sensor

- · Highly integrated
- High performance
- Low power consumption
- Wide dynamic range
- Embedded autonomous hard iron calibration
- Drivers available

Accelerometer Implementations

- Free fall
- Motion control
- Portrait/landscape
- Shock
- Til
- User interface
- Warranty reporting



Development Tools and Software

Kit Number	Description
FRDM-FXS-MULTI	Freescale Freedom Development Platform for Xtrinsic Sensors, including software
FRDM-FXS-MULTI-B	Freescale Freedom Development Platform for Xtrinsic Sensors with Bluetooth, including software
BRKOUT-FXLS8471Q	Breakout board for evaluating the FXLS8471Q Xtrinsic accelerometer
Component for Processor Expert	Supports Kinetis MCUs

Documentation

Document Number	Description
FXLS8471Q	Product specification data sheet.
AN4692	Using the Xtrinsic FXLS8471Q Accelerometer Vector Magnitude Function Application Note
AN4693	Using the Xtrinsic FXLS8471Q Transient-Acceleration Function Application Note
AN4694	Using the Xtrinsic FXLS8471Q Command Line Interface Software Application Note
FXLS8471UG	Freescale Xtrinsic FXLS8471Q Demonstration Software User Guide

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