

Release Notes

CY8CKIT-029 PSoC® LCD Segment Drive EBK

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Thank you for your interest in the CY8CKIT-029 PSoC® LCD Segment Drive EBK. This document lists installation requirements, software and hardware updates, limitations, and known issues with the kit.

System Requirements and Recommendations

| Hardware/Operating System Requirements | Minimum | Recommended |
|---|-----------------|--------------|
| Processor Speed | 1 GHz | 2 GHz |
| RAM | 2 GB | 2 GB |
| Free Hard Drive Space | 1 GB | 1 GB |
| Screen Resolution | 1024x768 | 1280x1024 |
| CD/DVD Drive | ✓ | ✓ |
| USB | Full Speed | 2.0 Hi-Speed |
| XP (SP2 or higher), Vista, or Windows 7 | ✓ | ✓ |
| Software Prerequisites | Minimum | Recommended |
| Microsoft Internet Explorer | 7 | |
| Adobe Reader (for PDFDocumentation) | 6 | 9+ |
| Windows Installer | 3.1 | |
| .NET Framework | 2.0 SP1 | |
| PSoC Programmer | 3.12.3 or later | |
| | 1.0 Service | |

Installation

To install, insert the kit CD into your PC's CD-ROM drive. If the installer does not start automatically, run *cyautorun.exe* in the root directory of the CD/DVD. Follow the installation instructions.

Note Do not plug in your MiniProg3 to the USB port of PC until all software installations are complete

Updates

All example projects are updated with PSoC 3 production Silicon.

Go to http://www.cypress.com/?rID=39399 for the latest software downloads and documents.

Kit Revision

There are no changes in the hardware (PSoC LCD SEGMENT DRIVE EXPANSION BOARD (Rev. **)).



Limitations and Known Issues

- Firmware example projects have been tested with 3.3 and 5.0 Volts only.
- Best viewing angle for the LCD glass is 6 O' Clock.

Documentation

Kit documents are located in the \Documentation folder in the default install location:

Documents include:

- CY8CKIT-029_PSoC LCD Segment Drive EBK_Guide.pdf
- CY8CKIT-029 PSoC LCD Segment Drive EBK Quick Start Guide.pdf
- PSoC 3_CY8C38_Family_Datasheet.pdf

Release Notes are located in the Release_Notes subdirectory under the Documentation folder. Refer to:

CY8CKIT-029_Release_Notes.pdf

After installing the PSoC Creator software, refer to the documentation as needed:

PSoC Creator → Help → Documentation

The default location for PSoC Creator documents is:

C:\Program Files\Cypress\PSoC Creator\1.0\PSoC Creator\Documentation

Technical Support

For assistance, go to http://www.cypress.com/go/support or contact our customer support at +1(800) 541-4736 Ext. 8 (in the USA), or +1 (408) 943-2600 Ext. 8 (International).

Additional Information

- For more information about PSoC Creator functionality and releases, visit the PSoC Creator web page: http://www.cypress.com/go/psoccreator
- For more information about PSoC Programmer, and supported hardware, visit the PSoC Programmer web page: http://www.cypress.com/go/psocprogrammer
- For a list of trainings on PSoC Creator, visit http://www.cypress.com/?rID=40547



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