

**TLC4541/5EVM, TLC3541/5EVM,  
TLC2551/2/5EVM AND  
TLV2541/2/5EVM**

*User's Guide*

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### ***About This Manual***

This user's guide describes the EVM used to evaluate ten different serial analog-to-digital converters. These converters are the TLC4541/5, TLC3541/5, TLC2551/2/5, and TLV2541/2/5; 16-bit, 14-bit, 12-bit, and 12-bit devices respectively. A complete circuit description as well as a schematic and bill of materials are included.

### ***How to Use This Manual***

This document contains the following chapters:

Chapter 1 - EVM Overview

Chapter 2 - Layout

Chapter 3 - EVM Bill of Materials and EVM Schematic

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<b>Data Sheets</b>	<b>Literature Numbers</b>
TLV2541/2/5	SLAS245
TLC2551/2/5	SLAS276
TLC3541/5	SLAS345
TLC4541/5	SLAS293
OPA132	SBOS054
REF102	SBVS003
SN74HC1G125DBV	SCLS377

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# EVM Overview

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This chapter provides an overview of the TLC4541/5EVM, TLC3541/5EVM, TLC2551/2/5EVM and TLV2541/2/5EVM.

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## 1.1 Introduction

The series of TLC4541/5, TLC3541/5, TLC2551/2/5 and TLV2541/2/5 are high-performance low-power, miniature, CMOS, serial analog to digital converters (ADCs). The low power performance of these ADCs is further enhanced by an auto-power-down mode incorporated in each series. Three series of the devices run at a maximum sample rate of 200 Ksps and have their own internal conversion clock. The TLC2551/2/5 series runs at 360 Ksps and uses the external SCLK for conversion.

The EVM is designed to accommodate all of the above devices. The analog input signal is buffered through an operational amplifier follower. The data output (DO) signal, from the device under test (DUT), is conditioned through a digital buffer. An on-board voltage reference is generated and buffered to drive the DUT. An off-board reference, which is user optional, can be supplied by reconfiguring jumper (W3). The analog electronics operates with bipolar or unipolar power supplies, by changing two jumpers.

## 1.2 Features

The EVM is a full featured board designed to accommodate ten serial ADCs. Device types and resolutions are listed in the following tables:

*Table 1-1. Single Input Channel*

Device	Resolution
TLC4541	16 Bits
TLC3541	14 Bits
TLC2551	12 Bits
TLV2541	12 Bits

*Table 1-2. Pseudo Differential Input Channels*

Device	Resolution
TLC4545	16 Bits
TLC3545	14 Bits
TLC2555	12 Bits
TLV2545	12 Bits

*Table 1-3. Dual Input Channels*

Device	Resolution
TLC2552	12 Bits
TLV2542	12 Bits

### 1.3 Default Jumper Settings

Table 1-4. TLC4541EVM, TLC3541EVM, TLC2551EVM, and TLV2541EVM

Designator		1-2	2-3
W1	Enables reference offset for single-supply amplifier U1	Not installed	N/A
W2	Connects or bypasses buffer U1 to DUT	Not installed	Installed
W3	Connects onboard or offboard REF	Installed	Not installed
W4	Connects FS to pin 7 on single input DUTs	Not installed	Installed
W5	Connects - SCLK to pin 5 for single input ADCs	Installed	Not installed
W6	Connects either +Va or +5 V to positive power pin of op-amps U1 and U3	Installed	Not installed
W7	Connects either -Va or GND to negative power pin of op-amps U1 and U3	Installed	Not installed

Table 1-5. TLC4545EVM, TLC3545EVM, TLC2552/5EVMs, and TLV2542/5EVMs

Designator		1-2	2-3
W1	Enables reference offset for single-supply amplifier U1	Not installed	N/A
W2	Connects or bypasses buffer U1 to DUT	Not installed	Installed
W3	Connects onboard or offboard REF	Installed	Not installed
W4	Connects SCLK to pin 7 on dual input DUTs	Installed	Not installed
W5	Connects -AIN0 to pin 5 on dual input DUT	Not installed	Installed
W6	Connects either +Va or +5 V to positive power pin of op-amps U1 and U3	Installed	Not installed
W7	Connects either -Va or GND to negative power pin of op-amps U1 and U3	Installed	Not installed

## 1.4 Analog Interface

The EVM board is designed for easy interfacing to analog sources such as signal generators and sensors. The buffer amplifier U1 is in a follower configuration, non-inverting gain of one. Output of this buffer drives the AIN(+) pin of the DUT through a 33-Ω resistor (R4). If desired, the user can bypass U1 by connecting pins 1-2 of jumper W2. *For low level common mode rejection (< 0.2V P-P) dual input pseudo-differential devices TLC4545, TLC3545, TLC2555 or TLV2545 can be used, byassing U1.*

Table 1-6. Analog Input Connector J1

Pin	Signal	Description
J1.1	AIN0	Analog input signal to the non-inverting input of U1
J1.3	-AIN0	Second input to dual and pseudo differential devices
J1.5		N/C
J1.7		N/C
J1.9		N/C
J1.11		N/C
J1.13		N/C
J1.15		N/C
J1.17	REF+	External refence voltage for the DUT
J1.19		N/C

## 1.5 Digital Interface

The EVM is designed for easy interfacing to multiple platforms. Samtec part numbers SSW-110-22-F-D-VS-K and TSM-110-01-T-DV-P provide a convenient 10-pin dual-row header and socket combination at P2. This header/socket provides access to the digital control and serial data pins for all 10 of the 12-, 14-, and 16-bit ADCs. Consult Samtec at [www.samtec.com](http://www.samtec.com) or 1-800-SAMTEC-9 for a variety of mating connector options.

Table 1-7. Digital Connector J2

Pin Number	Signal	Description
J2.1	CS	Chip select – Active low signal, enables data transfer and device configuration
J2.3	CLKXa	Serial clock—damped with 33-Ω resistor
J2.5	CLKRa	Serial Clock
J2.7	FSXa	Frame sync—damped with 33-Ω resistor
J2.9	FSRa	Frame sync (see Note)
J2.11	Reserved	
J2.13	DXRa	Serial data out
J2.15	Reserved	
J2.17	Reserved	
J2.19	Reserved	

**Note:** When using a single input ADC, TLC4541, TLC3541, TLC2551 or TLV2541, Frame Sync must be held at  $V_{DD}$ .

## 1.6 Power Supplies

The EVM requires three power supplies.

- 1) A dual-tracking  $\pm 12$ -V supply for the dual-supply op amps U1 and U3. The voltage reference (REF02) is supplied by the +12-V supply. Jumpers W6 and W7 are default settings for this voltage condition.
- 2) A single +5-V supply is used for the ADC (DUT) and the digital interface. *Op amps U1 and U3 can be used in a unipolar power supply mode (+5 V and ground) by shorting pins 2-3 of jumper W6 and W7.*

## 1.7 Voltage References

The EVM can be configured to use its onboard reference (REF02) by connecting pins 1-2 of jumper W3. For an external reference source, configure W3 by connecting pins 2-3 and a DC supply reference voltage to pin 18 of J1.

## 1.8 EVM Operation

DC voltages can be applied to the EVM board either through the 10-pin standard power connector (J3) or the test points labeled -12 V, +12 V, +5, and GND. Apply the appropriate current limited (500 mA max) DC sources to the board prior to connecting the analog input and digital control signals. The digital control signals are applied directly to P2, or the EVM can be connected to a DSP interface board. The interface board is equipped with a power connector to mate with the 10-pin power connector (J3) on the EVM to supply the required voltages.

There are a number of interface options available for this style of EVM. Consult the product folder for a complete list of DSP interface cards and optional analog interface modules. If the interface options listed are not suitable, contact the PIC at (972) 644-5580, for the latest information.



# Layout

This chapter provides the board layouts.

Figure 2-1. Top Assembly Layer

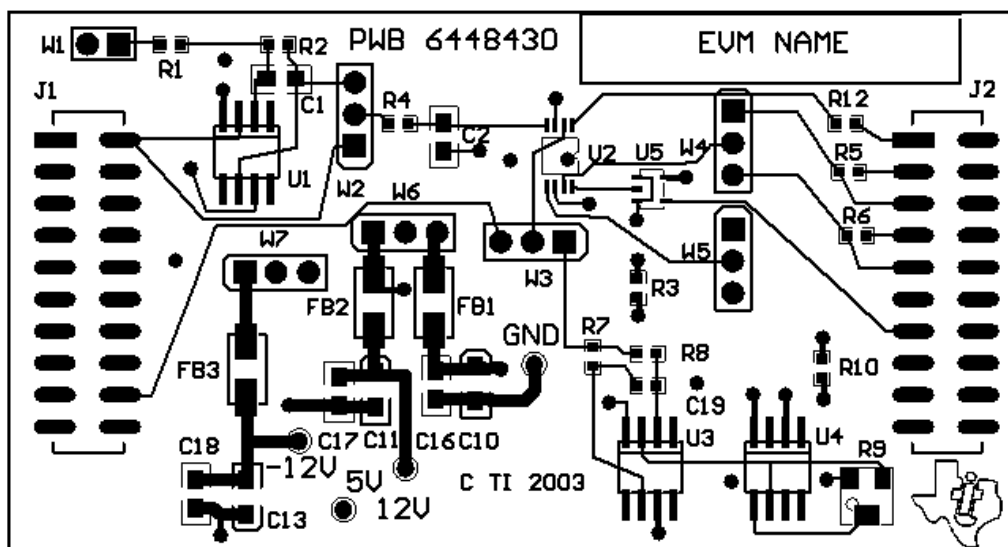


Figure 2-2. Ground Plane Layer

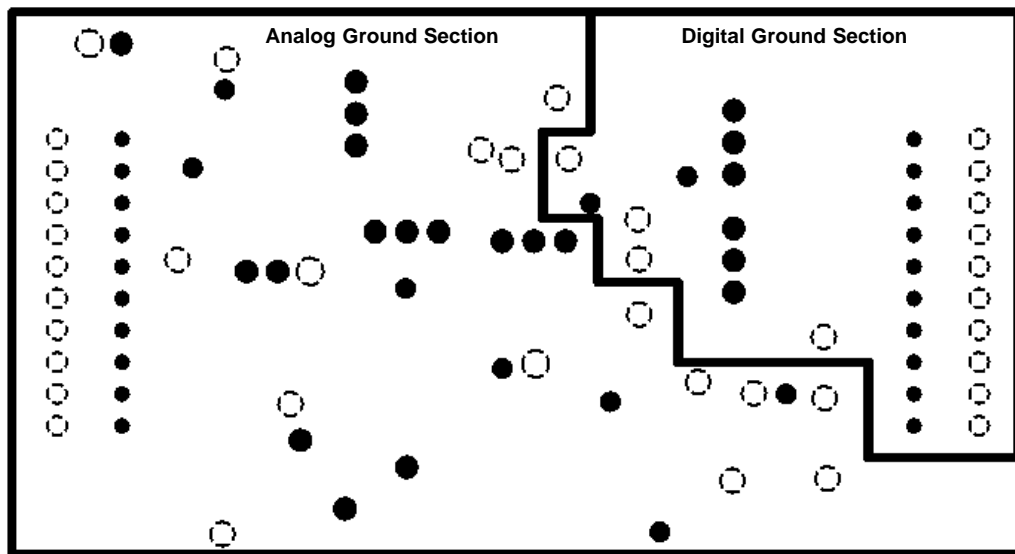


Figure 2-3. Voltage Plane Layer

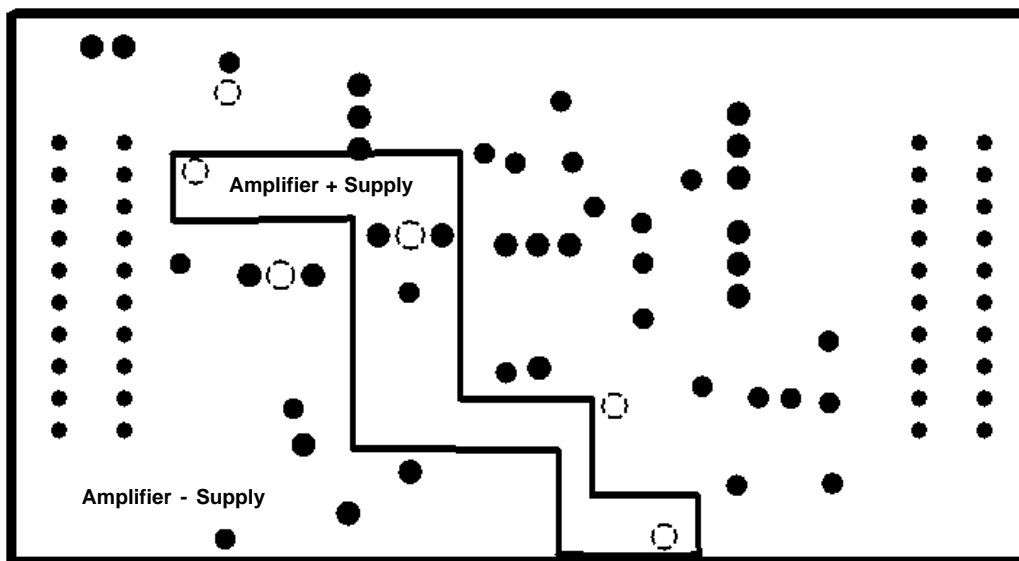
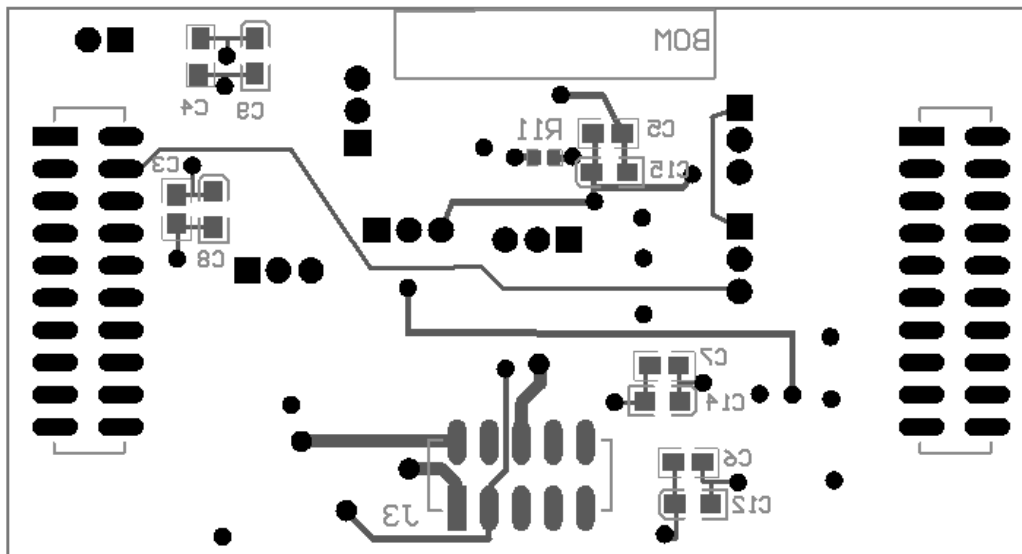




Figure 2-4. Bottom Assembly (Viewed From Top)





# **EVM Bill of Materials and EVM Schematic**

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This chapter provides a bill of materials and schematic for the TLC4541/5EVM, TLC3541/5EVM, TLC2551/2/5EVM and TLV2541/2/5EVM.

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### 3.1 EVM Bill of Materials

The following table contains a complete bill of materials for the TLC4541/5EVM, TLC3541/5EVM, TLC2551/2/5EVM and TLV2541/2/5EVM. Contact the Product Information Center (PIC) or e-mail [dataconvapps@list.ti.com](mailto:dataconvapps@list.ti.com) if you have questions regarding this EVM.

Table 3-1. EVM Bill of Materials

Ref Des	Description	Vendor	Part Number
C1 C2	NI		
C19	10 pF	Panasonic or equivalent	ECJ-1VC1H100D
C3 C4 C5 C6			
C7 C16 C17 C18	0.1 $\mu$ F	Panasonic or equivalent	ECJ-2YB1H104K
C8 C9 C10 C11			
C12 C13 C14 C15	10uF	Panasonic or equivalent	ECS-T1CX106R
FB1 FB2 FB3	SM_FB_2773044447	Fair-Rite	2744044447
J1 J2	Header 10 $\times$ 2	Samtec	TSM-110-01-T-DV-P
J3	Header 5 $\times$ 2	Samtec	SSW-105-22-F-D-VS-K
P1 P2	Socket 10 $\times$ 2	Samtec	SSW-110-22-F-D-VS-K
PCB	Gerbers	Texas Instruments	6448430
R1 R3 R10	NI	Panasonic or equivalent	
R2 R11 R12	0R	Panasonic or equivalent	ERJ-3GEY0R00V
R4 R5 R6	33R	Panasonic or equivalent	ERJ-3GEYJ330V
R7 R8	100R	Panasonic or equivalent	ERJ-3GEYJ101V
R9	NI	Bourns	3214W-103E
SH1 - SH7	Shunts	Samtec or equivalent	SNT-100-BK-T-H
U1 U3	Precision op amp	Texas Instruments	OPA132AU
U2	TLC4541		TLC4541IDGK
U4	REF02	Texas Instruments	REF02AU
U5	SN74AHC1G125DBV	Texas Instruments	SN74AHC1G125DBV
W1	2POS_JUMPER	Samtec	TSW-102-07-L-S
W2 W3 W4	3POS_JUMPER	Samtec	TSW-103-07-L-S
W5 W6 W7			
GND	Black test point loop	Keystone	5001
12V 5V 12V	Red test point loop	Keystone	5000

### **3.2 EVM Schematic**

The schematic diagram for the TLC4541/5EVM, TLC3541/5EVM, TLC2551/2/5EVM and TLV2541/2/5EVM is furnished as an attachment to this chapter.

