



GSV2715

4 In to 1 Out HDMI 2.0/DisplayPort 1.4 to
HDMI 2.0 Mixed Switch with Embedded
MCU

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Preliminary Product Specification

1. General Description

1.1 General Information

Gscoolink GSV2715 is a high-performance, low-power 4 In to 1 Out HDMI 2.0/DisplayPort 1.4 to HDMI 2.0 mixed switch. By integrating enhanced microcontroller based on RISC-V, GSV2715 has created a cost-effective solution that provides time-to-market advantages. The DisplayPort Receiver supports up to 32.4Gbps (HBR3, 4-lane), HDMI Receiver and HDMI Transmitter supports up to 18Gbps (TMDS, 6G/3Lane). With embedded Channel Configuration (CC), Power Delivery (PD) controller and Billboard USB 2.0 controller, GSV2715 can directly map its one receiver to USB Type-C interface, and Alternate DisplayPort for Type-C can be supported for Type-C to HDMI application. The superior architecture of GSV2715 provides economical smaller footprint solutions using QFN124, targeting applications of TV/Monitor/Sound bar/Stream box and KVM.

GSV2715 supports all DisplayPort SDP packets to HDMI output. HDCP 1.4 and HDCP 2.2/2.3 are implemented in GSV2715 for its all DisplayPort and HDMI ports in HDMI 2.0 mode. DSC stream is not supported for all DisplayPort/HDMI ports. Color Space Conversion is supported at HDMI Tx in HDMI 2.0 mode. Flexible implementations of Audio Insertion, Audio Extraction and SPDIF to I2S conversion features are supported in GSV2715. Embedded CEC and eARC Rx engine enable downstream ARC/eARC to I2S and SPDIF audio extraction features.

An internal Video Generator can be used to generate any uncompressed video timing defined in HDMI 2.0, such as 4K@60Hz, 4K@30Hz, 480i@60Hz.

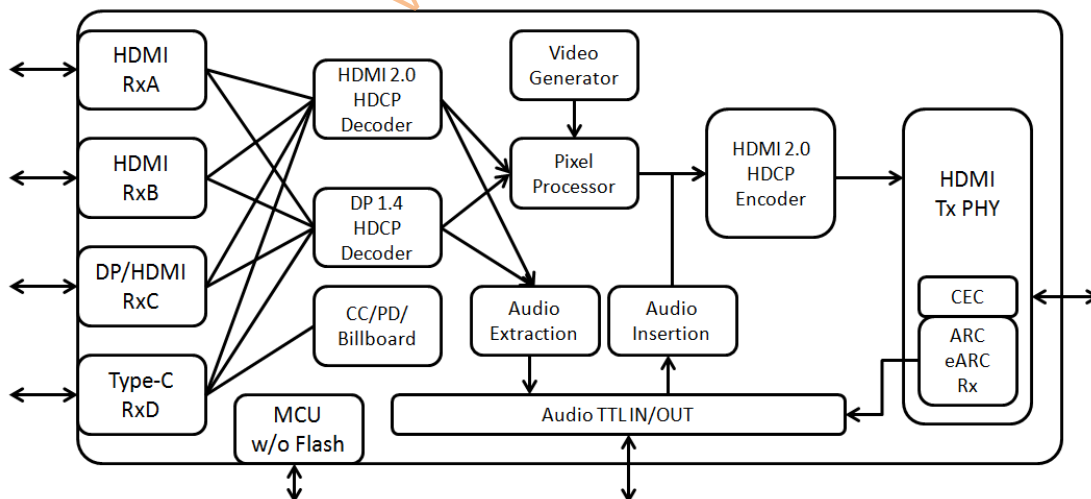


Figure 1. Top Diagram

The supported audio formats are listed in Table 1

Table 1. Supported Audio Format

Packet ID	Packet Type	Sampling Frequency (KHz)		
		32/44.1/48/88.2/ 96/176.4/192	256/352.8/384/ 512/705.6/768	64/128
0x02	Audio Sample Packet (LPCM and Compressed Audio)	Y		Y
0x07	One Bit Audio Sample Packet	Y		
0x08	DST Audio Packet	Y		
0x09	High Bit-rate Audio Stream Packet	Y	Y	

1.2 Features

1.2.0 DisplayPort Receiver

- Compliant with VESA DisplayPort 1.4a
- Compliant with HDCP 2.2/2.3 and HDCP 1.4
- Compliant with both DisplayPort and USB Type-C Alternative Mode
- Support HBR3, HBR2, HBR and RBR (8.1/5.4/2.7/1.62 Gbps)
- Flexible 1/2/4 lane Main-Link configuration
- Programmable Adaptive Equalization
- Support Full-Link Training and No-Link Training
- Support High Dynamic Range (HDR) and Dynamic/Static Metadata
- Support Adaptive Sync/FreeSync/G-Sync to HDMI VRR output conversion
- Support Audio Extraction
- Support Horizontal Blanking Expansion up to 4K120 format
- Support Forward Error Correction (FEC)
- Embedded arbitrary EDID and MCCS
- Support Spread Spectrum Clock (SSC)
- 3D format support of frame sequential, stacked frame, side-by-side, top-to-bottom

1.2.2 HDMI Receiver

- Compliant with HDMI 2.0b, HDMI 1.4b
- Compliant with HDCP 2.2/2.3 and HDCP 1.4 in repeater/receiver mode

- Data rate up to 18Gbps (TMDS 6Gbps/3 Lane)
- Programmable Adaptive Equalization
- Support High Dynamic Range (HDR) and Dynamic/Static Metadata
- Support Variable Refresh Rate (VRR), FreeSync, G-Sync
- Support ALLM
- Support Forward Error Correction (FEC)
- Embedded arbitrary EDID (up to 512 bytes)
- 5V tolerance on DDC/HPD pins
- 3D format support of frame packing, side-by-side, top-and-bottom

1.2.3 HDMI Transmitter

- Compliant with HDMI 2.0b, HDMI 1.4b
- Compliant with HDCP 2.2/2.3 and HDCP 1.4
- Data rate up to 18Gbps (TMDS 6Gbps/3 Lane)
- Programmable Voltage Swing, Slew-Rate and Pre-emphasis
- Support AC-coupling on TMDS input/output
- Support Color Space Converter in TMDS mode
- Support HDR (HDR10/HDR10+/Dolby Vision/HLG)
- Support Variable Refresh Rate (VRR), FreeSync, G-Sync
- Support ALLM
- Hardware CEC Engine for Low Level protocol decoding
- 5V tolerance on DDC/HPD/CEC pins
- 3D format support of frame packing, side-by-side, top-and-bottom
- Support eARC Rx to I2S/SPDIF audio extraction in HDMI 2.1a

1.2.4 USB Type-C DisplayPort Alternative Mode Receiver

- Compliant with USB Type-C 1.1/1.0 Specification
- Compliant with USB Power Delivery 3.0 Specification
- Programmable USB Type-C Channel Configuration function
- Support Billboard in USB 2.0

1.2.5 Audio Input/Output

- I2S and SPDIF Audio Extraction from DisplayPort Rx/HDMI Rx/Type-C Rx
- I2S and SPDIF Audio Extraction from downstream ARC /eARC

- I2S/SPDIF Audio Insertion to HDMI Tx
- SPDIF/I2S/HBR/DSD/TDM Format Supported for Audio Extraction and Insertion
- SPDIF to I2S Conversion using single Bi-directional TTL bus

1.2.6 System Features

- Optional External MCU (via I2C)/ Internal MCU mode
- Embedded MCU and External Flash
- External pins of Flash QSPI interface
- External 25MHz Crystal required
- Available Pins for UART/Timer/GPIO control from embedded MCU
- Mailbox feature for external MCU access on chip function status
- Temperature Sensor Monitoring Circuit

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1.3 Chip Application Modes

1.3.1 HDMI 3 Input, Type-C Alt-Mode 1 Input

RxA/RxB/RxC are configured as HDMI Rx Input, RxD is configured as Type-C Alt-Mode (DisplayPort) Rx Input. This mode is applicable for monitor application. In this application, Type-C Rx can maintain its stream with one HDMI Rx for fast hot-swap without HPD toggling during input switch.

Meanwhile, Audio extraction can be applicable if required.

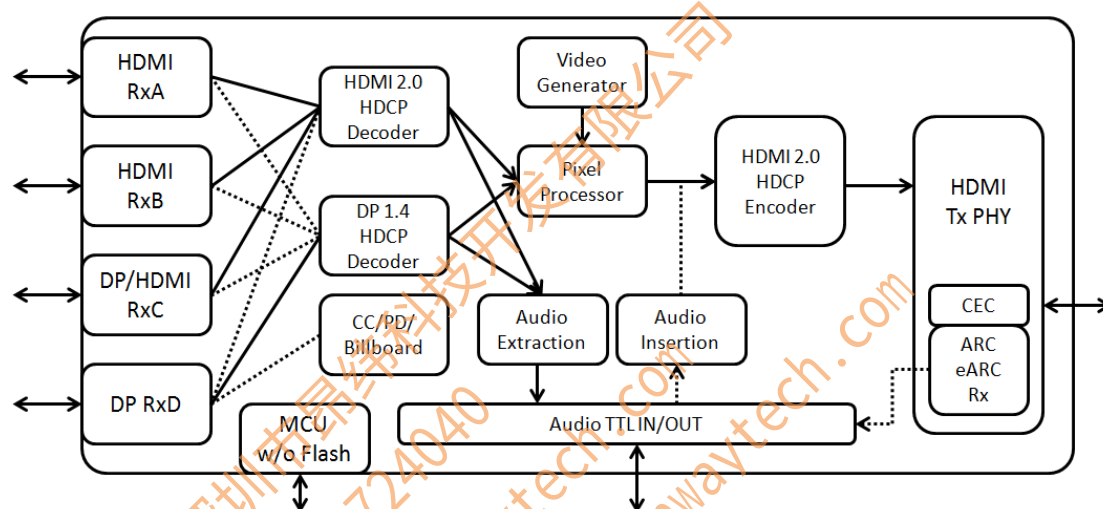


Figure 2. Input Switch Between Different Inputs

1.3.2 HDMI 2 Input, DisplayPort 1 Input, Type-C 1 Input

RxA/RxB are configured as HDMI Rx Input, RxC is configured as DisplayPort Rx Input, RxD is configured as Type-C Alt-Mode DisplayPort Rx Input. This would be applicable for monitor application.

I2S/SPDIF audio stream can be inserted into HDMI Tx if required.

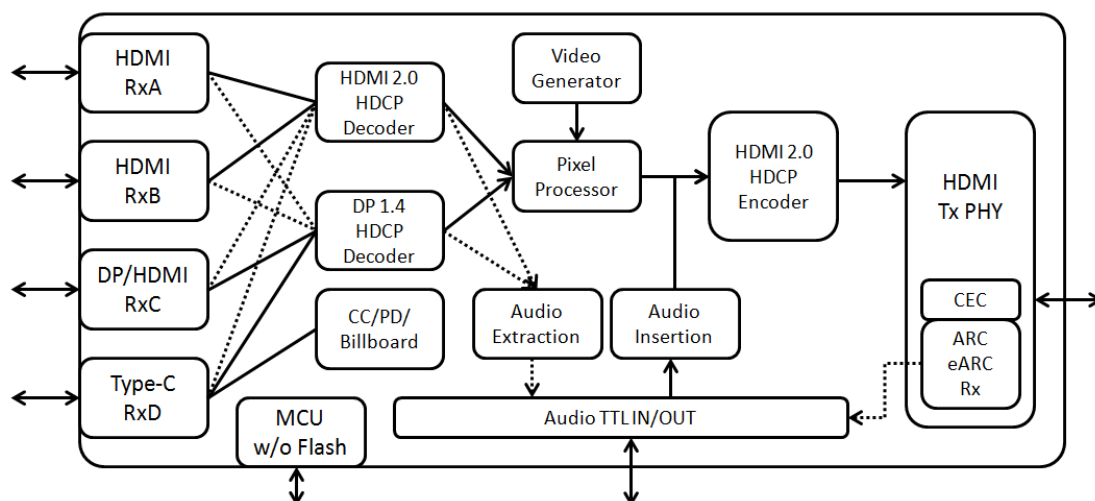


Figure 3. Audio Insertion Application

1.3.3 Audio Return to Audio Extraction

With embedded CEC engine, GSV2715 HDMI Tx can support ARC return channel defined in HDMI 1.4b specification. GSV2715 can convert SPDIF in ARC return stream to both SPDIF and I2S TTL output on Audio Bus.

With embedded eARC Rx engine, GSV2715 HDMI Tx can support eARC return channel defined in HDMI 2.0a specification. GSV2715 can convert SPDIF in eARC return stream to both SPDIF and I2S TTL output on Audio Bus.

HDMI Tx differential pairs can output HDMI 2.0 to downstream while ARC/eARC feature is enabled.

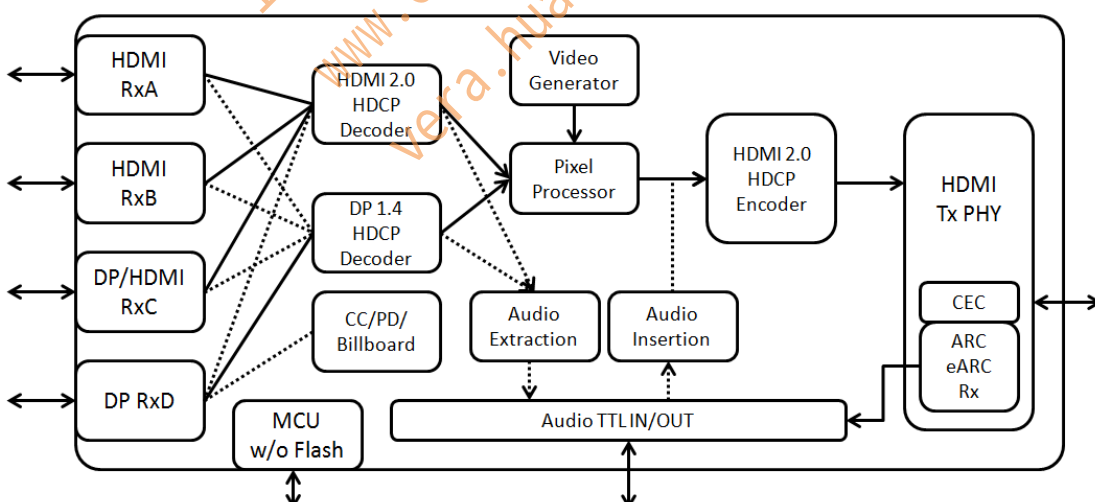


Figure 4. Audio Return Application

2. Pin Description

2.1 Pin Diagram

QFN124 Pin definition is defined as below.

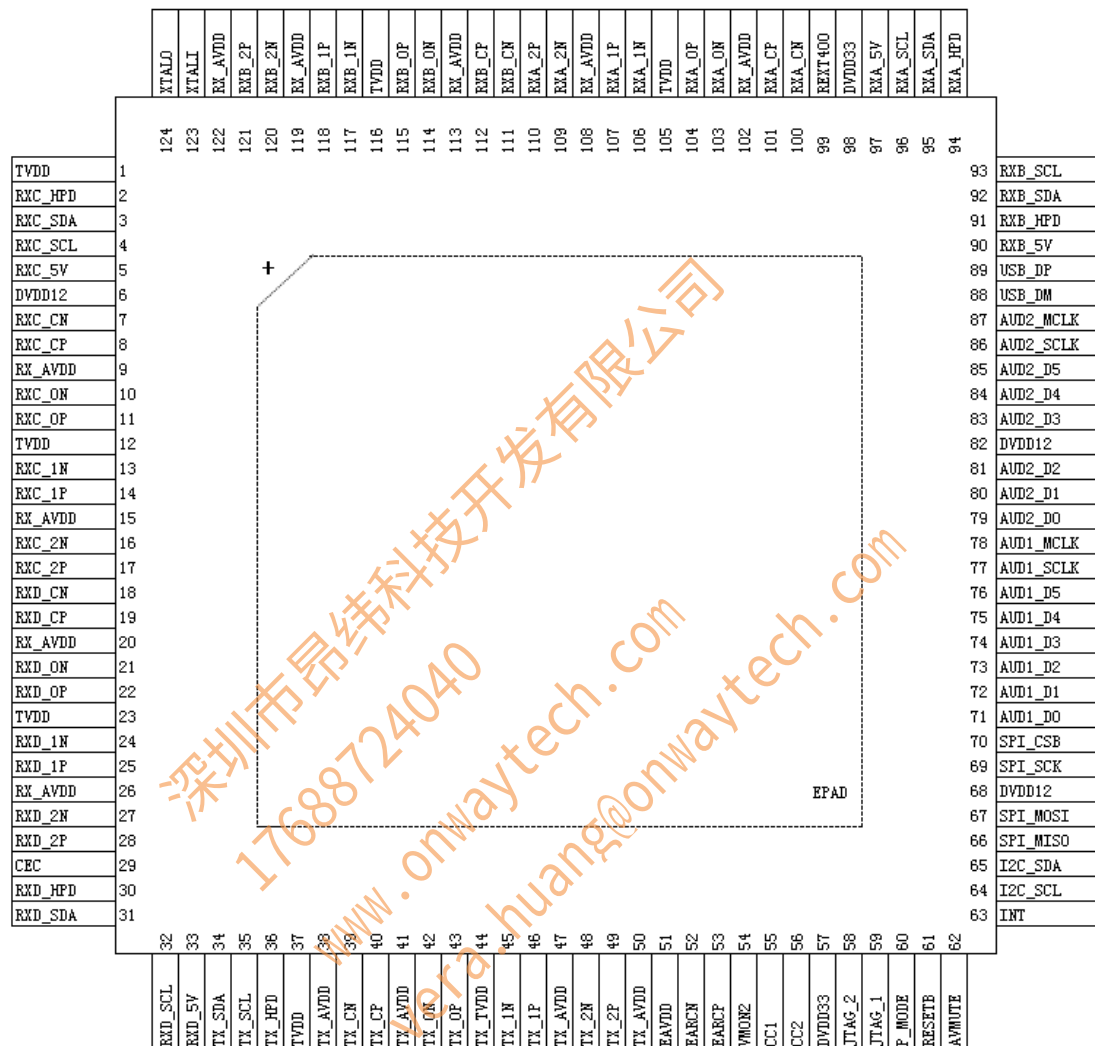


Figure 5. GSV2715 QFN124 Pin Diagram

2.4 QFN124 Pin Description

Table 8. QFN124 Pin Description

Pin Name	Direction	Pin No.	Description
HDMI RxA Pins			
RXA_5V	I	97	HDMI: RXA 5V Detection PAD DP: RXA DP Detection PAD

4. Package Information

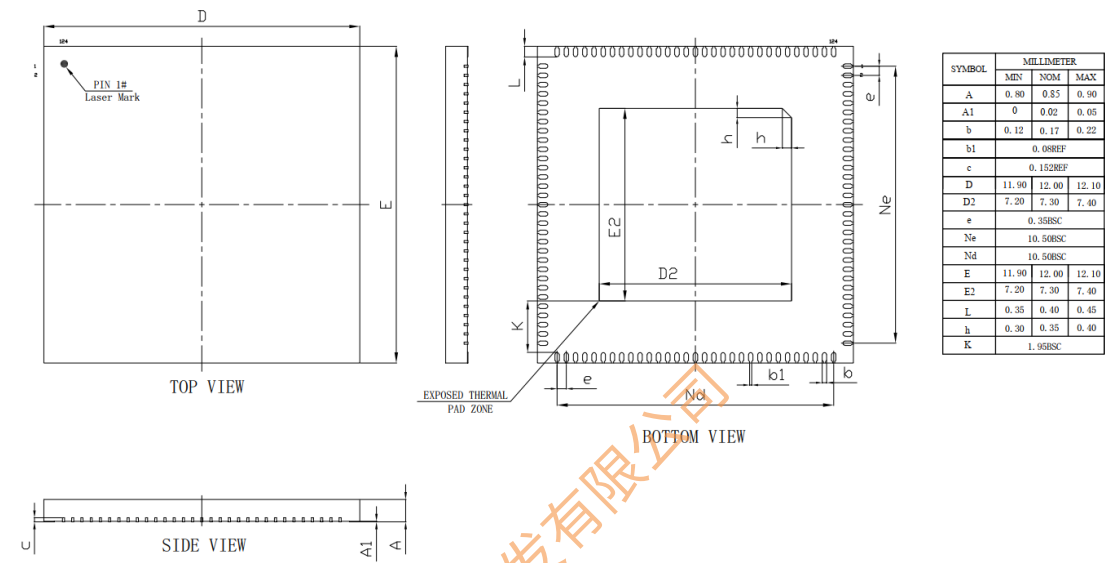


Figure 12. Package Dimensions (QFN124)

5. Ordering Guide

Table 12. Ordering Information

Part Number.	Temperature Range	Package Description	Packing Type
GSV2715	−20°C to +85°C	QFN124	Tray

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