

# **Quectel BG77xA-GL**

## Ultra-Compact LTE Cat M1/ NB1/ NB2 Module



12.9 mm





BG77xA-GL is 5G-ready ultra-compact LPWA modules compliant with 3GPP E-UTRA Release 13/ 14 specification. The module supports LTE Cat M1 and LTE Cat NB1/ NB2 bands and integrated SIM (iSIM). Besides, it features ultra-low power consumption implemented by ARM Cortex-M4 MCU and integrated RAM and flash, which help reduce current consumption to rather low levels in various modes, including PSM, e-I-DRX, etc. It is further integrated with a GNSS engine that supports GPS and GLONASS systems. BG77xA-GL comes in three variants: BG770A-GL, BG772A-GL and BG773A-GL.

BG77xA-GL boasts a comprehensive hardware-based security feature - Integrated Security Elements (ISE). With an ultra-compact SMT form factor of 14.9 mm  $\times$  12.9 mm  $\times$  1.9 mm and a high integration level, the module enables integrators and developers to design applications easily leveraging its low power consumption and compact structure design. The BG77xA-GL's advanced LGA package allows for fully automated manufacturing required for large-scale applications.

A rich set of Internet protocols, industry-standard interfaces and abundant functionalities extend the applicability of the module to a wide range of M2M applications, such as wireless POS, smart metering, tracking, wearable devices, and many more.



#### **Key Features**

- ✓ Extremely compact LTE Cat M1/ NB1/ NB2 module with ultra-low power consumption
- ✓ Super slim profile in LGA package
- ✓ Support integrated SIM (iSIM)
- ✓ Embedded with abundant Internet service protocols
- ✓ Support DFOTA
- ✓ Support second development of embedded applications, ARM Cortex-M4 MCU, running FreeRTOS
- ✓ Support QuecOpen® to simplify the development of embedded applications
- ✓ A rich set of external interfaces (including RF control interfaces) that ensure convenient applications
- ✓ Fast time-to-market: reference designs, evaluation tools and timely technical support minimize time and efforts in design and development



LTE Cat M1 & Cat NB1/ NB2



LGA Package



Super Compact Size



Abundant Protocols
Embedded



DFOTA



USB 2.0 Interface



Ultra-Low Power Consumption



Quectel Enhanced AT Commands



iSIM

Version: 1.9 | Status: Released

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LTE Cat	M1/ NB1	/ NB2	BG770A-GL	BG772A-GL	BG773A-GL
Region/ Operator			Global	Global	Global
Dimensions (mm)			14.9 × 12.9 × 1.9	14.9 × 12.9 × 1.9	14.9 × 12.9 × 1.9
Package			LGA	LGA	LGA
Temperat	ture Range				
Operating	g Temperat	ure	-35 °C to +75 °C	-35 °C to +75 °C	-35 °C to +75 °C
Extended Temperature			-40 °C to +85 °C	-40 °C to +85 °C	-40 °C to +85 °C
Frequency	y Bands				
LTE-FDD			Cat M1: B1/ 2/ 3/ 4/ 5/ 8/ 12/ 13/ 18/ 19/ 20/ 25/ 26/ 27/ 28/ 66		Cat M1: B1/ 2/ 3/ 4/ 5/ 8/ 12/ 13/ 18/ 19/ 20/ 25/ 26/ 27/ 28/ 66
			Cat NB1/ NB2: B1/ 2/ 3/ 4/ 5/ 8/ 12/ 13/ 17/	18/ 19/ 20/ 25/ 28/ 66	Cat NB2: B1/ 2/ 3/ 4/ 5/ 8/ 12/ 13/ 17/ 18/ 19/ 20/ 25/ 28/ 66
Data Rate	(Max.)				
		Cat M1	300 (DL)/ 375 (UL)	300 (DL)/ 375 (UL)	300 (DL)/ 375 (UL)
LTE	Rel-13	Cat NB1	27.2 (DL)/ 62.5 (UL)	27.2 (DL)/ 62.5 (UL)	27.2 (DL)/ 62.5 (UL)
(kbps)		Cat M1	588 (DL)/ 1119 (UL)	588 (DL)/ 1119 (UL)	588 (DL)/ 1119 (UL)
	Rel-14	Cat NB2	127 (DL)/ 158 (UL)	127 (DL)/ 158 (UL)	127 (DL)/ 158 (UL)
Certificati	ions				
Carrier			Europe: Vodafone/ Deutsche Telekom America: Verizon/ AT&T South Korea: KT/ SKT/ LGU+ Australia: Telstra Japan: NTT DOCOMO/ KDDI	Europe: Deutsche Telekom America: AT&T South Korea: KT Australia: Telstra	TBD
Regulatory			Global: GCF Europe: CE North America: PTCRB America: FCC Canada: IC South Korea: KC Japan: JATE/ TELEC Australia/New Zealand: RCM South Africa: ICASA	Global: GCF Europe: CE North America: PTCRB America: FCC Canada: IC South Korea: KC Japan: JATE/ TELEC Australia/New Zealand: RCM	Global: GCF Europe: CE North America: PTCRB America: FCC Canada: IC Japan: JATE/ TELEC Australia/New Zealand: RCM
Others			RoHS	RoHS	RoHS
Interfaces	S				
USB 2.0			× 1 (Full speed only)	× 1 (Full speed only)	× 1 (Full speed only)
UART			×3	Max. × 2	× 3
I2C			-	Max. × 2	-
SPI			-	Max. x 2 (1 for master only, 1 for master/ slave)	-
ADC			× 2	Max. × 2	× 2
(U)SIM			× 1 (Supports 1.8 V only)	× 1 (Supports 1.8 V only)	× 1 (Supports 1.8 V only)
GPIO			× 7	Max. × 15	× 7
GRFC			× 2	× 2	× 2
NET_STATUS			× 1 (For network status indication)	× 1 (For network status indication)	× 1 (For network status indication)
STATUS			× 1 (For power on/ off indication)	× 1 (For power on/ off indication)	× 1 (For power on/ off indication)
Antenna			× 2 (For the main antenna and GNSS antenna respectively)	a, × 2 (For the main antenna and GNSS antenna, respectively)	x 2 (For the main antenna and GNSS antenna, respectively)
SMS			respectively)	antenna, respectively)	antenna, respectively)
Short Message Service			Point-to-point MO and MT SMS Cell Broadcast Text and PDU Mode	Point-to-point MO and MT SMS Cell Broadcast Text and PDU Mode	Point-to-point MO and MT SMS Cell Broadcast Text and PDU Mode
Enhanced	l Features				
GNSS			GPS/ GLONASS	GPS/ GLONASS	GPS/ GLONASS
DFOTA			Delta Firmware Upgrade Over The Air	Delta Firmware Upgrade Over The Air	Delta Firmware Upgrade Over The Air
QuecOpen®			-	•	-

#### Note:

- 1. •: Supported.
- 2. -: Not supported.
- 3. TBD: To Be Determined.



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LTE Cat M1/NB1/NB2	BG770A-GL	BG772A-GL	BG773A-GL		
Software Features					
3GPP	3GPP E-UTRA Release 13/14	3GPP E-UTRA Release 13/14	3GPP E-UTRA Release 14		
AT Commands	3GPP TS 27.007 3GPP TS 27.005 Quectel Enhanced AT Commands	3GPP TS 27.007 3GPP TS 27.005 Quectel Enhanced AT Commands	3GPP TS 27.007 3GPP TS 27.005 Quectel Enhanced AT Commands		
iSIM	-	-	•		
Protocols	PPP/ TCP/ UDP/ SSL/ DTLS/ FTP(S)/ HTTP(S)/ NITZ/ PING/ NIDD/ MQTT(S)/ NTP/ LWM2M/ COAP				
Firmware Upgrade	UART/ DFOTA/ USB*	UART/ DFOTA/ USB*	UART/ DFOTA/ USB*		
Electrical Features					
Output Power (Max.)	23 dBm	23 dBm	23 dBm		
Supply Voltage Range	VBAT_BB: 2.2–4.35 V, typ. 3.3 V VBAT_RF: 3.1–4.2 V, typ. 3.3 V	VBAT_BB: 2.2–4.35 V, typ. 3.3 V VBAT_RF: 3.1–4.2 V, typ. 3.3 V	VBAT_BB: 2.2–4.35 V, typ. 3.3 V VBAT_RF: 3.1–4.2 V, typ. 3.3 V		
Power Consumption (Typical)	Sleep Mode:   Cat M1:   1.1 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s     0.06 mA @ e-l-DRX = 40.96 s; PTW = 1.28 s; DRX = 1.28 s     0.05 mA @ e-l-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 1.28 s; DRX = 1.28 s     0.05 mA @ e-l-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 1.28 s; DRX = 1.28 s     0.16 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s     0.16 mA @ e-l-DRX = 40.96 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s     0.12 mA @ e-l-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s     Idle Mode:   Cat M1:   16.5 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s     16.0 mA @ e-l-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s	Power Saving Mode + QuecOpen @ Shutdown mode: 1.4 μA  Rock Bottom: QuecOpen @ Shutdown mode: 43 μA QuecOpen @ Standby mode: 45 μA QuecOpen @ Stop mode: 0.68 mA  Sleep Mode + QuecOpen @ Standby mode: Cat M1:  1.1 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s 0.06 mA @ e-I-DRX = 40.96 s; PTW = 1.28 s; DRX = 1.28 s 0.05 mA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 1.28 s; DRX = 1.28 s  Cat NB1: 2.2 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s 0.16 mA @ e-I-DRX = 40.96 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s	Rock Bottom: 45 µA  Sleep Mode: Cat M1:  1.1 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s  0.06 mA @ e-I-DRX = 40.96 s; PTW = 1.28 s; DRX = 1.28 s  0.05 mA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 1.28 s; DRX = 1.28 s  Cat NB1:  2.2 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s  0.16 mA @ e-I-DRX = 40.96 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s  1.12 mA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s  Idle Mode: Cat M1:  16.5 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s  16.0 mA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s		
	Cat NB1:  17.0 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s  16.0 mA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s  Active Mode (GNSS off): Cat M1: 192.7 mA @ 23 dBm Cat NB1: 184.3 mA @ 23 dBm	<ul> <li>U.12 MA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s</li> <li>Idle Mode + QuecOpen @Standby mode: Cat M1:</li> <li>16.5 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s</li> <li>16.0 mA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s</li> <li>17.0 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s</li> <li>16.0 mA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s</li> <li>4 16.0 mA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s</li> <li>Active Mode (GNSS disabled): Cat M1: 192.7 mA @ 23 dBm Cat NB1: 184.3 mA @ 23 dBm</li> </ul>	Cat NB1:  17.0 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s  16.0 mA @ e-I-DRX = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 1.28 s  Active Mode (GNSS off): Cat M1: 192.7 mA @ 23 dBm Cat NB2: 184.3 mA @ 23 dBm		

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- 1. \*: Under development/planning/in progress.
- 2. •: Supported.
- 3. -: Not supported.

