Near Field WattUp® Wire-Free Charging

Ultra-small, location-flexible, RF charging solution for wearables, hearables and low-power electronics

Near Field WattUp RF-based charging provides an ultra-small wireless charging solution, expanding wireless charging into wearables, hearables and other low-power devices, which are challenged to include wireless charging due to large coil size required by coil-based designs. WattUp also provides greater placement freedom while charging compared to coil-based charging systems which require very tightly coupled designs.

WattUp® from Energous Corporation is a radio frequency (RF) based wireless charging solution that delivers intelligent, scalable power. WattUp technology is provided to Dialog under license from Energous Corporation. The Near Field WattUp transmitter represents the smallest and lowest cost transmitter option. The Near Field WattUp transmitter design is intended to be an in-box solution for many small electronics, ultimately replacing the USB cable and power adapter typically included in the box. The solution provides the convenience and waterproofing benefits of wireless charging without significantly affecting the overall BOM cost. The Near Field WattUp transmitter technology can be embedded into laptops, game consoles, furniture, automotive, other devices or as a stand-alone transmitter.

The Near Field WattUp system is comprised of a WattUp wireless power transmitter (DA4100), a WattUp wireless power receiver (DA2210 or DA2223), a DC regulator, a Li-Ion/Li-Poly battery charger and an optional Bluetooth® communication link (DA14680, DA14681 or DA14585) which supports battery status communication between the WattUp receiver and transmitter. The same link can be used to provide the user with full power management capabilities using the WattUp Application running on a Smartphone or tablet. Antennas are fabricated using low-cost PCB material.

Near Field WattUp System Block Diagram
Near Field WattUp Evaluation Kit

**DA4100 WattUp Wireless Power Transmitter SoC**
DA4100 is a fully integrated WattUp power transmitter IC which operates directly from 3.3V and only requires an external crystal, power amplifier and transmit antenna to complete a Near Field WattUp power transmitter design.

**DA2210/DA2223 WattUp Wireless Power RF-to-DC Receivers**
DA2210 and DA2223 are wireless power RF-to-DC receivers which can be connected to 1 to 4 antennas. Antennas can be as small as 2mm x 3mm, typically used for hearables, and from 8mm x 8mm to 10mm x 10mm for wearables. Multiple antennas can be used to increase received power for devices with increased area, such as remote controls or battery banks. With a form factor smaller than DA2210, DA2223 is ideal for use in very small electronic devices, thus offering further flexibility in integration.

**DA14680/DA14681/DA14585 SmartBond Bluetooth SoC and Battery Charger**
DA14680 (internal FLASH), DA14681 (external FLASH) and DA14585 (external FLASH, no charger) are Bluetooth Low Energy SoC with integrated Li-Ion battery charger, which provides a link between the WattUp transmitter and receiver as well as a communication link to a phone where battery status information can be shared to give a complete system solution.

**Applications**
- Fitness Bands
- Hearables
- Hearing Aids
- Bluetooth Headsets
- Bluetooth Trackers
- Smart Pens
- Remote Controls

**Key benefits**
- Ultra-small RF/antenna-based solution
- Improved spatial and orientation freedom
- Secure pairing of the transmitter and device-under-charge
- Eliminates connectors and charging contacts
- Enables fully sealed waterproof design

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