

CT10459 Controller Board Specification

PCAP Microchip® mxT640T I²C

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1. General Description

The CT10459 is a base controller board designed for Dawar’s line of standard projected capacitive (PCAP) touch sensors. The board uses the Microchip® mxT640T maXTouch® controller. The communications interface is standard I²C @ 400kHz. The CT10459 is an unprogrammed board. Programmed versions of this board are assigned custom CT part numbers.

For more information on the mxT640T controller refer to the following Microchip® documentation:

- ▶ mxT640T Datasheet
- ▶ Interfacing with maXTouch Touchscreen Controllers

Both documents are available on [Microchip’s website](#).

2. Functional Description

The CT10459 controller supports the following features:

- ▶ Up to 16 finger touches
- ▶ Stylus touches (stylus diameter depends on sensor design)
- ▶ Glove touches
- ▶ Thick cover lenses (up to 4mm glass, 2mm plastic)
- ▶ Greater than 100Hz report rate
- ▶ Low latency (<10ms for first touch report from idle mode)
- ▶ Automatic self-calibration
- ▶ Aggressive noise avoidance and noise cancellation features
- ▶ Maximum resolution of 4095 x 4095

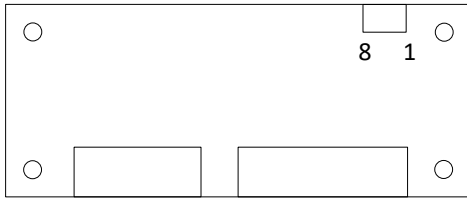
Additional tuning support from Dawar is available for specialized applications.

3. Electrical Specifications

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Remarks
Digital Power Supply (VDD)	3.0	3.3	3.4	V	
Active Current	-	18	-	mA	Note 1
Sleep Current	-	186	-	µA	
X Electrodes	-	-	30	-	
Y Electrodes	-	-	20	-	

Note 1: Active power depends on configuration settings and number of touches.

4. Connector



Pin	Description	Note
1	GPIO1	GPIO – contact Dawar for information
2	GPIO2	GPIO – contact Dawar for information
3	/RESET	Active low reset with 10k pull-up to 3.3V
4	/CHG	Active low interrupt indicating data is available with 3.3k pull-up to 3.3 V
5	SDA	I2C data with 3.3k pull-up to 3.3 V
6	SCL	I2C clock with 3.3k pull-up to 3.3 V
7	GND	
8	3.3V	

Mating connector is Molex 503480-0800.

I²C address is 0x4B.

5. Environmental Specifications

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Remarks
Operating Temperature	-40	-	85	°C	
Storage Temperature	-40	-	90	°C	
Relative Humidity	0	-	95	%RH	Note 1

Note 1: RH is defined at 60°C, non-condensing.

6. Operating System Support

Operating System	Supported	Remarks
Microsoft Windows XP	No	
Microsoft Windows 7	No	
Microsoft Windows 8	No	Note 1
Microsoft Windows 10	No	Note 1
Linux	Yes	Note 2

Note 1: Windows HID over I²C is supported on custom designs.

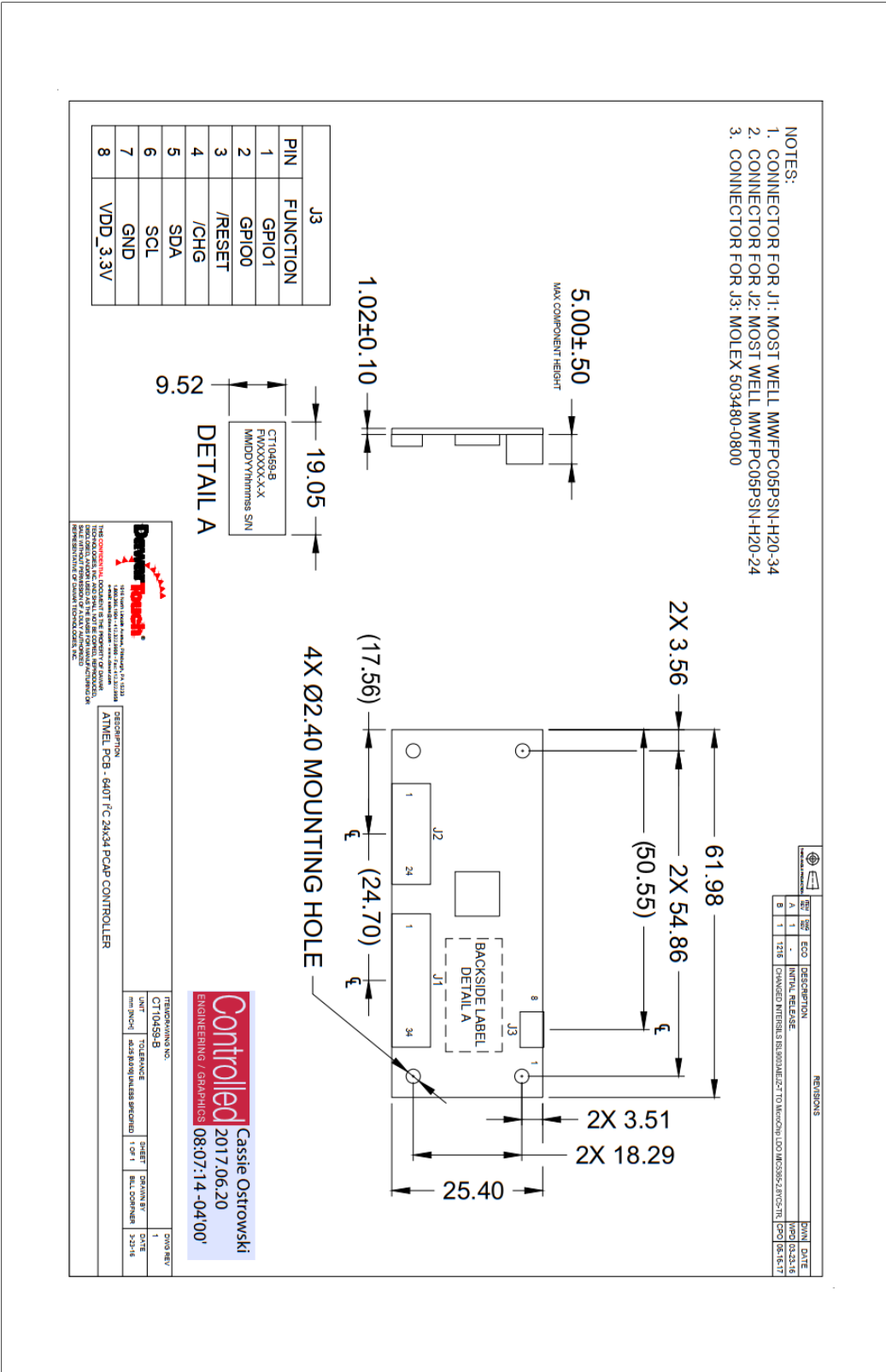
Note 2: For information on Linux drivers refer to <https://github.com/atmel-maxtouch/linux/wiki>.

7. Product Life

Dawar Technologies is committed to providing products stability and support to our valued customers throughout the life of the product. All Dawar Touch products meet the following

minimum requirements:

- ▶ 5 year minimum product lifecycle
- ▶ 12 month end of life (EOL) notification
- ▶ Last time buy option with EOL notification
- ▶ 60 day change notification for any change that affects form, fit, or function



Revision History

Revision	Date	Content	Author
A	9-6-2019	Initial Release	Tony Gray
B	1-29-2020	Updated drawing	Tony Gray