Si5321-EVB

EVALUATION BOARD FOR THE Si5321 SONET/SDH PRECISION CLOCK MULTIPLIER IC
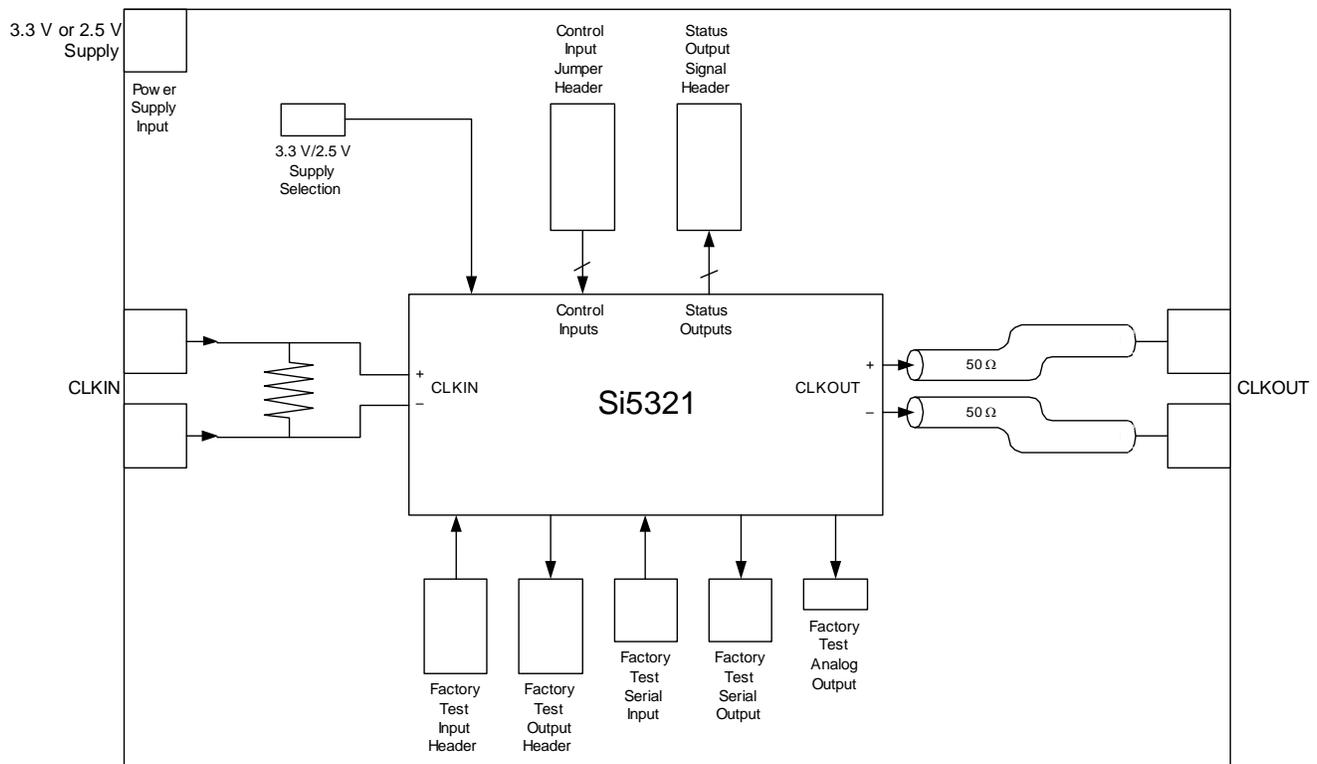
Description

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Features

- Single supply at either 3.3 or 2.5 V (jumper configurable)
- Differential I/Os ac coupled on board
- Differential inputs terminated on board
- Control input signals are switch configurable
- Status outputs brought out to headers for easy access.

Function Block Diagram

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Functional Overview

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Power Supply Selection and Connections

The Si5321-EVB board is switch selectable for operation using either a single 3.3 V or a single 2.5 V supply.

For operation using a 3.3 V supply, configure the board as follows:

1. Remove power supply connections from the VDD and GND terminals of the board's power connector, J3.

2. Remove the connection between VDD33 and VDD25 by removing the jumper on header JPI.

3. Set VSEL33 high by sliding the switch on the VSEL33 (JP6) to the side marked "1".

4. Connect the power supply ground lead and 3.3 V supply lead to the GND and VDD terminals of the board's power connector, J3.

For operation using a 2.5 V supply, configure the board as follows:

1. Remove power supply connections from the VDD and GND terminals of the board's power connector, J3.

2. Set VSEL33 low by sliding the switch on the VSEL33 (JP6) to the side marked "0".

3. Connect VDD33 and VDD25 by installing a jumper between one of the 3.3 V pins and one of the 2.5 V pins on header JPI.

4. Connect the power supply ground lead and 2.5 V supply lead to the GND and VDD terminals of the board's power connector, J3.

Power Consumption

Typical supply current draw for the Si5321-EVB is 110 mA.

Si5321 Control Inputs

The control inputs to the Si5321 are each routed from the center pin of a SPDT switch, JP5, to the Si5321 device. Additionally, the switches at JP5 are connected to GND on one side of the switch and to VDD33 on the other side. This arrangement allows easy configuration of each input to either a high or low state. To further reduce the coupling of noise into the device through these control inputs, the signals are routed on internal layers between ground planes.

RSTN/CAL Settings for Normal Operation and Self-Calibration

The RSTN/CAL signal is an LVTTL input to the Si5321 and has an on-chip pulldown mechanism. This pin must be set high for normal operation of the Si5321 device.

Setting RSTN/CAL low forces the Si5321 into the reset state. A low-to-high transition of RSTN/CAL enables the part and initiates a self-calibration sequence.

The Si5321 device initiates self-calibration at powerup if the RSTN/CAL signal is held high. A self-calibration of the device also can be manually initiated by momentarily pushing the RSTN/CAL switch, SWI and then releasing.

Manually initiate self-calibration after changing the state of either the BWSEL[1:0] control inputs or the FEC[1:0] inputs.

Whether manually initiated or automatically initiated at powerup, the self-calibration process requires a valid input clock. If the self-calibration is initiated without a valid clock present, the device waits for a valid clock before completing the self-calibration. The Si5321 clock output is set to the lower end of the operating frequency range while the device waits for a valid clock. After the clock input is validated, the calibration process runs to completion, the device locks to the clock input, and the clock output shifts to its target frequency. Subsequent losses of the input clock signal do not require re-calibration. If the clock input is lost after self-calibration, the device enters Digital Hold mode. When the input clock returns, the device re-locks to the input clock without performing a self-calibration.

Status Signals

The status outputs from the Si5321 device are each routed to one pin of a two-row header. The signals are arranged so that each signal has a ground pin adjacent to the signal pin for reference. The row of signal pins is marked with an "S", and the row of ground pins is marked with a "G".

Visible indicators are added to the LOS and CAL_ACTV signals. The LEDs glow when the signal is active and the LED enable switch is set to ON. The LOS LED is illuminated when the device does not recognize a valid clock input. The CAL_ACTV LED is illuminated when the device is calibrating to an input clock.

Differential Clock Input Signals

The differential Clock inputs to the Si5321-EVB board are ac coupled and terminated on the board at a location near the SMA input connectors. The termination components are located on the top side of the board. The termination circuit consists of two 50 Ω

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and a 0.1 µF capacitor, such that the positive and negative inputs of the differential pair each see a 50 Ω termination to "ac ground," and the line-to-line termination impedance is 100 Ω.

For single-ended operation, supply a signal to one of the differential inputs (usually the positive input). The other input should be shorted to ground using an SMA shorting plug. The on-board termination circuit provides a 50 Ω termination to ac-ground for each leg of the differential pair.

Differential Clock Output Signals

The differential clock outputs from the Si5321 device are routed to the perimeter of the circuit board using 50 Ω transmission line structures. The capacitors that provide ac-coupling are located near the clock output SMA connectors.

Internal Regulator Compensation

The Si5321-EVB contains pad locations for a resistor and a capacitor between the VDD25 node and ground. The resistor pads are populated with a 0 Ω resistor. The capacitor pads are populated with a low ESR 33 µF tantalum capacitor. This is the suggested compensation circuit for Si5321 devices.

There are two considerations for selecting this combination of compensation resistor and capacitor. First, is the stability of the regulator. The second is noise filtering.

The acceptable range for the time constant at this node is 15 µs to 50 µs. The capacitor used on the board is a 33 µF capacitor with an ESR of .8 Ω. This yields a time constant of 26.4 µs. The designer could decide to use a 330 µF capacitor with an ESR of .15 Ω. This yields a time constant of 49.5 µs. Each of these cases provide a compensation circuit that makes the output of the regulator stable.

The second issue is noise filtering. For this, more capacitance is usually better. For the two cases described above, the 330 µF case provides greater noise filtering. However, the large case size of the 330 µF capacitor might make it impractical for many applications. The Si5321 device is specified with the 33 µF cap.

Default Jumper Settings

The default jumper settings for the Si5321-EVB board are given in Table 1. These settings configure the board for operation from a 3.3 V supply.

Table 1. Si5321-EVB Assembly Rev B-01 Default Jumper/Switch Settings

Location	Signal	State	Notes
JP6	VSEL33	1	Internal Regulator enabled
JP1	VDD33	Open	3.3 V plane not connected to 2.5 V plane
JP5	VALTIME	0	100 ms Validation Time
	FEC[0]	0	No FEC scaling
	FEC[1]	0	No FEC scaling
	FEC[2]	0	No FEC scaling
	BWSEL[0]	0	Loop Filter Bandwidth = 800 Hz
	BWSEL[1]	1	Loop Filter Bandwidth = 800 Hz
	INFRQSEL[0]	1	Clock IN = 19.44 MHz
	INFRQSEL[1]	0	Clock IN = 19.44 MHz
	INFRQSEL[2]	0	Clock IN = 19.44 MHz
	FRQSEL[0]	1	Clock Out = 622.08 MHz
	FRQSEL[1]	1	Clock Out = 622.08 MHz
	FRQSEL[2]	0	Clock Out = 622.08 MHz
	BWBOOST	1	Selected bandwidth not doubled
	FXDDELAY	0	Fixed Delay disabled
JP7	LED ENABLE	On	LED Indicators enabled

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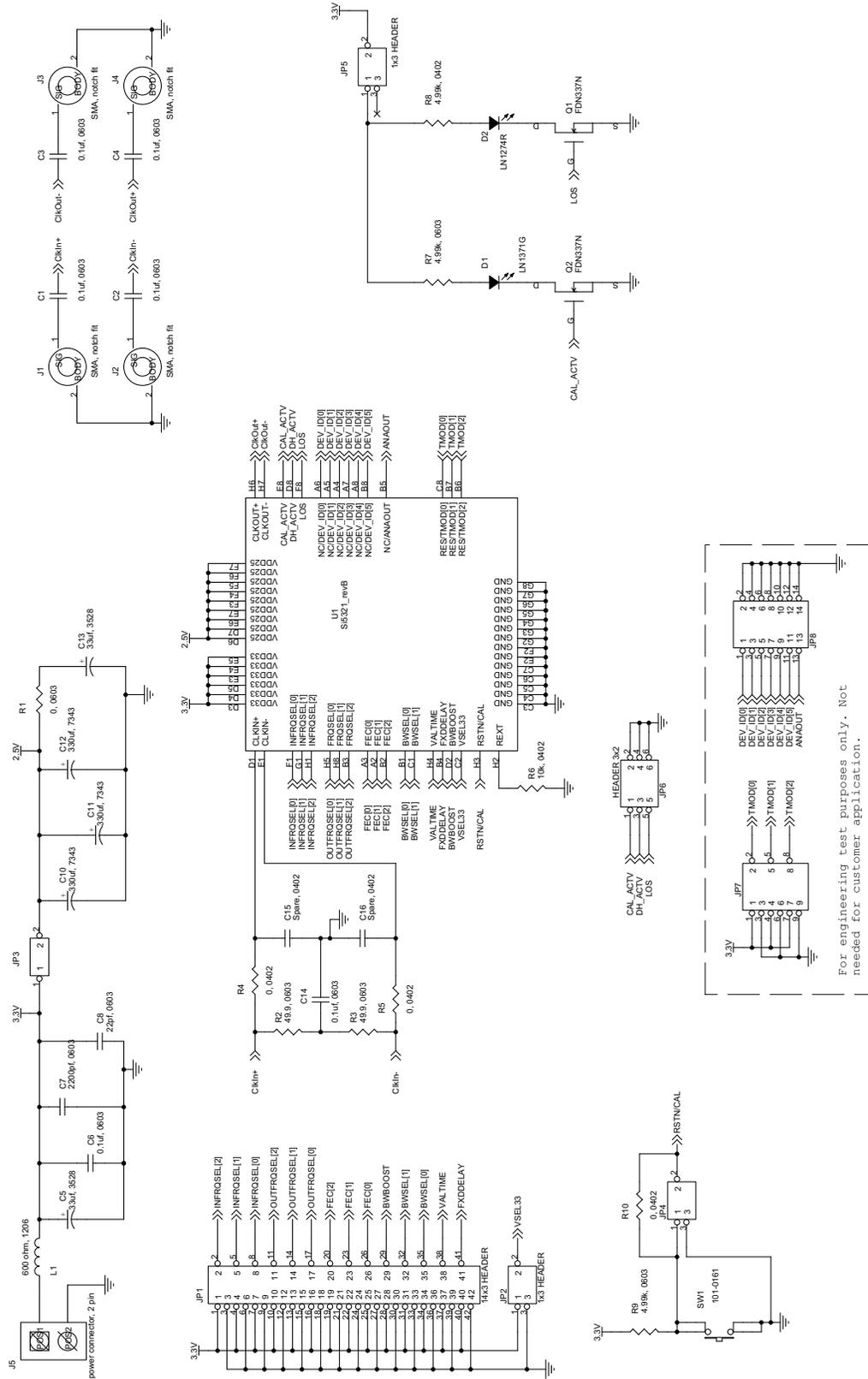
Figure 1. Si5321-EVB Schematic

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Bill of Materials

Reference	Description	Manufacturer	Part Number
C1,C2,C3,C4,C6,C14	0.1uf, 0603	Venkel	C0603X7R160-104KNE
C5,C13	33uf, 3528	Venkel	TA6R3TCR336KBR
C7	2200pf, 0603	Venkel	C0603X7R160-222KNE
C8	22pf, 0603	Venkel	C0603C0G500-220KNE
C10,C11,C12	330uf, 7343	Venkel	TA6R3TCR337KER
C15,C16	Spare, 0402		
D1	LED, SM, green	Panasonic	LN1371G
D2	LED, SM, red	Panasonic	LN1274R
JP1	14x3 HEADER		
JP2,JP4,JP5	1x3 HEADER		
JP3	1x2 HEADER		
JP6	HEADER 3x2		
JP7	5x3		
JP8	7x2 Header		
J1,J2,J3,J4	SMA, notch fit	Johnson Components	82 SMA-S50-0-45
J5	power connector, 2 pin	Phoenix Contact	140-A-111-02 1729018
L1	600 ohm, 1206	MURATA	BLM31A601S
Q1,Q2	MOS, SM, FDN337N	Fairchild	FDN337N
R1	0, 0603	Venkel	CR0603-16W-000T
R3,R2	49.9, 0603	Venkel	CR0603-16W-49R9FT
R4,R5,R10	0, 0402	Venkel	CR0402-16W-000T
R6	10k, 0402	Venkel	CR0402-16W-1002FT
R7,R8	60.4, 0402	Venkel	CR0402-16W-60R4FT
R9	4.99k, 0603	Venkel	CR0603-16W-4991FT
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U1	Si5321_revB	Silicon Laboratories	Si5321-BC

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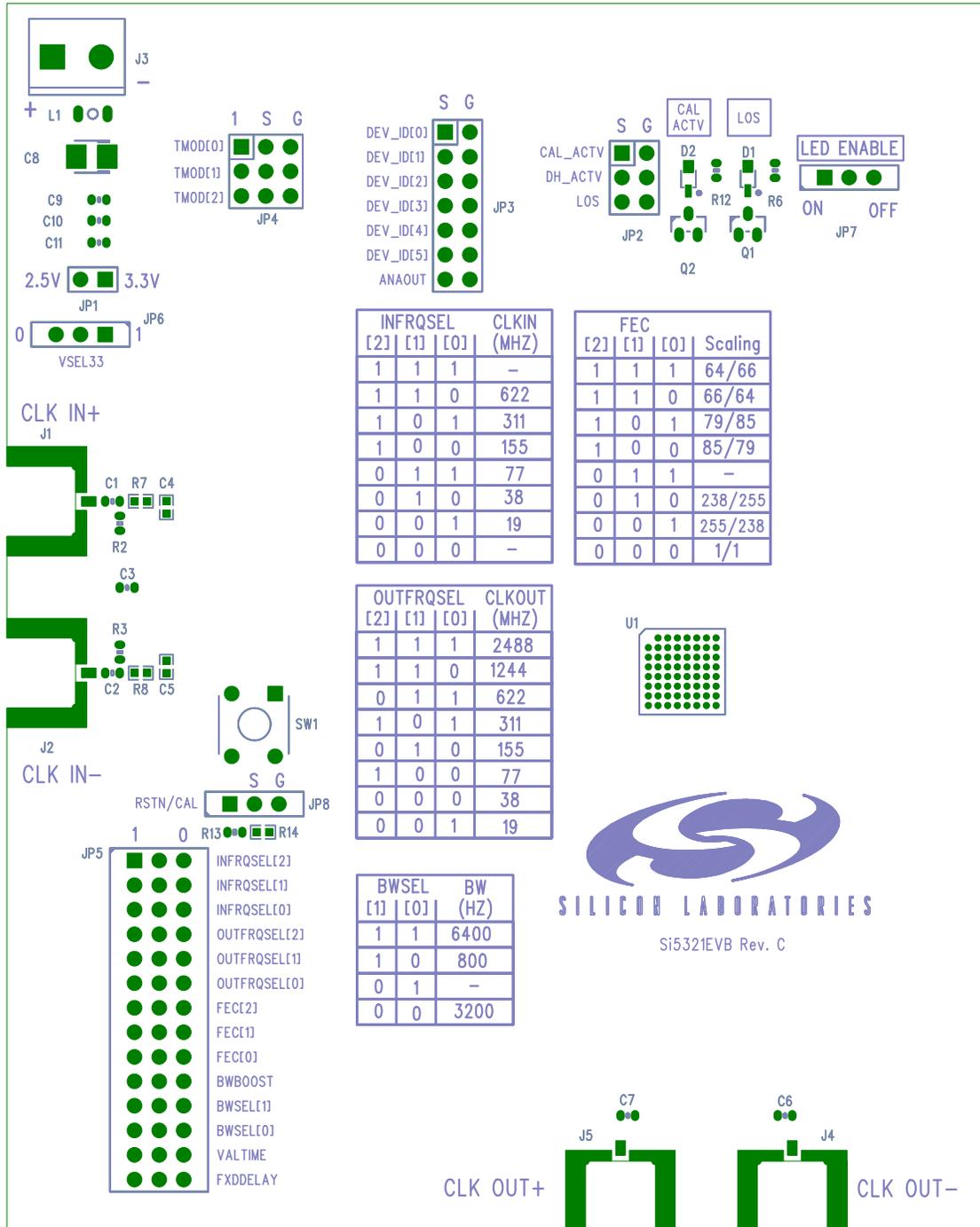
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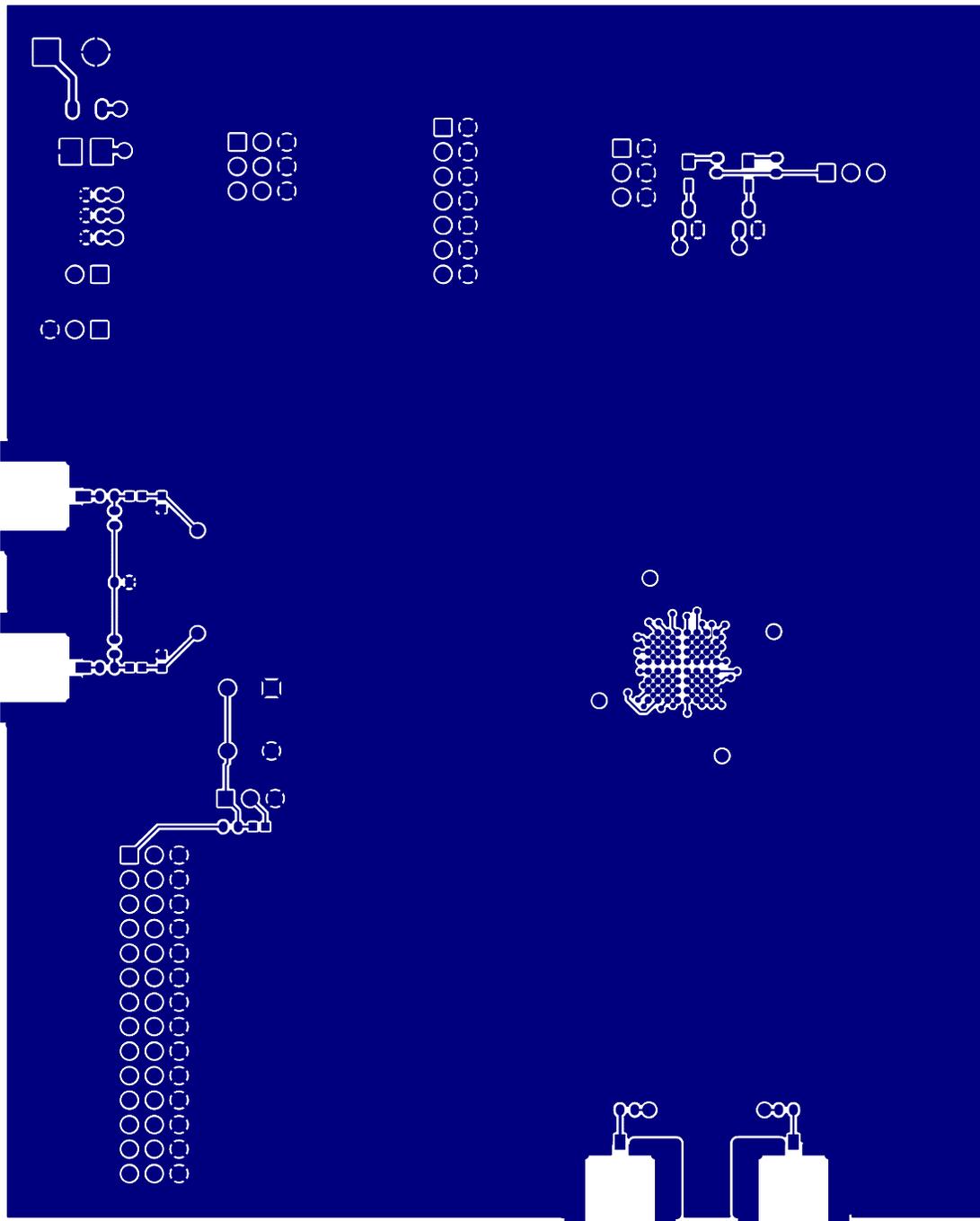
Figure 3. Si5321-EVB—Layer 1, Component Side
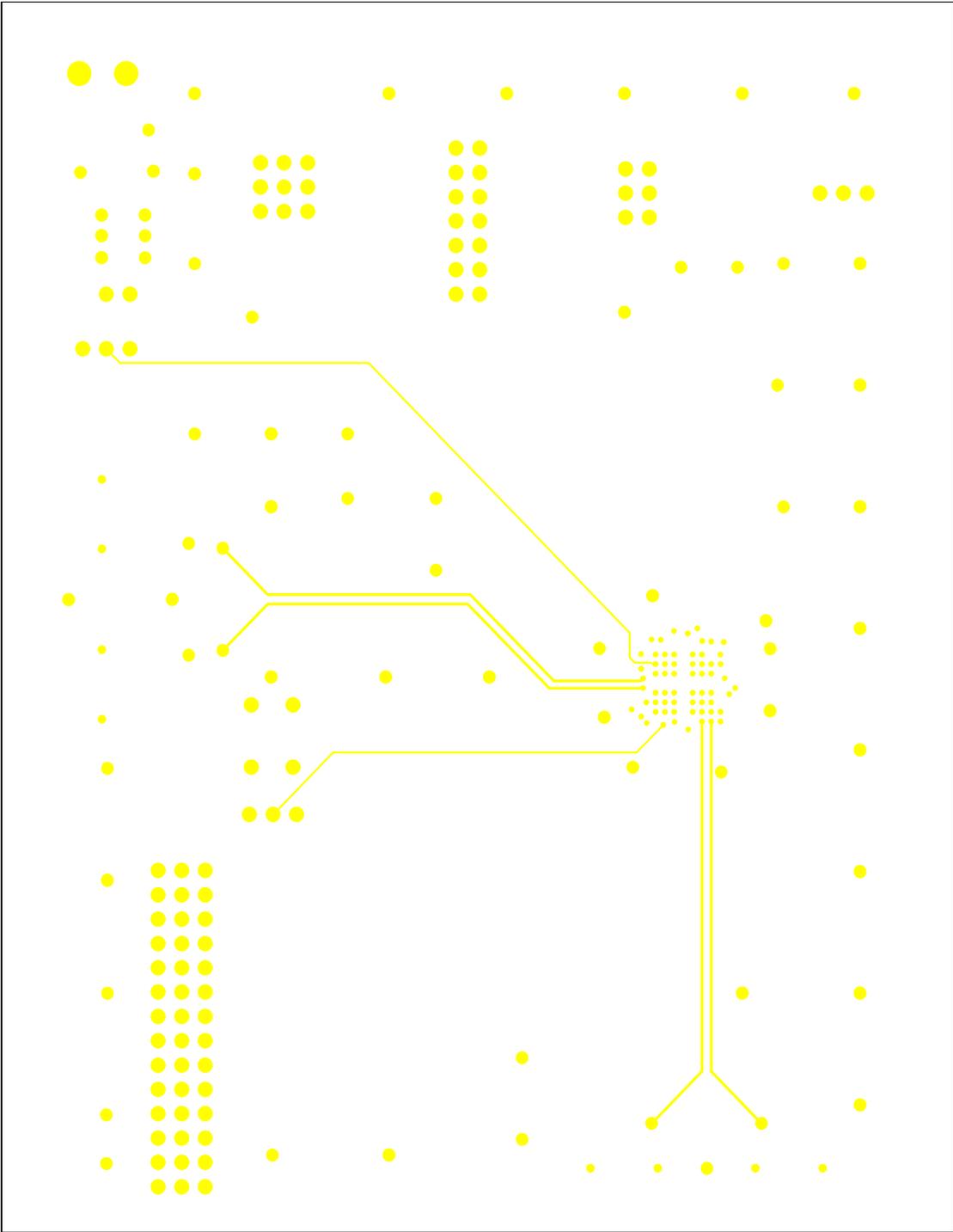
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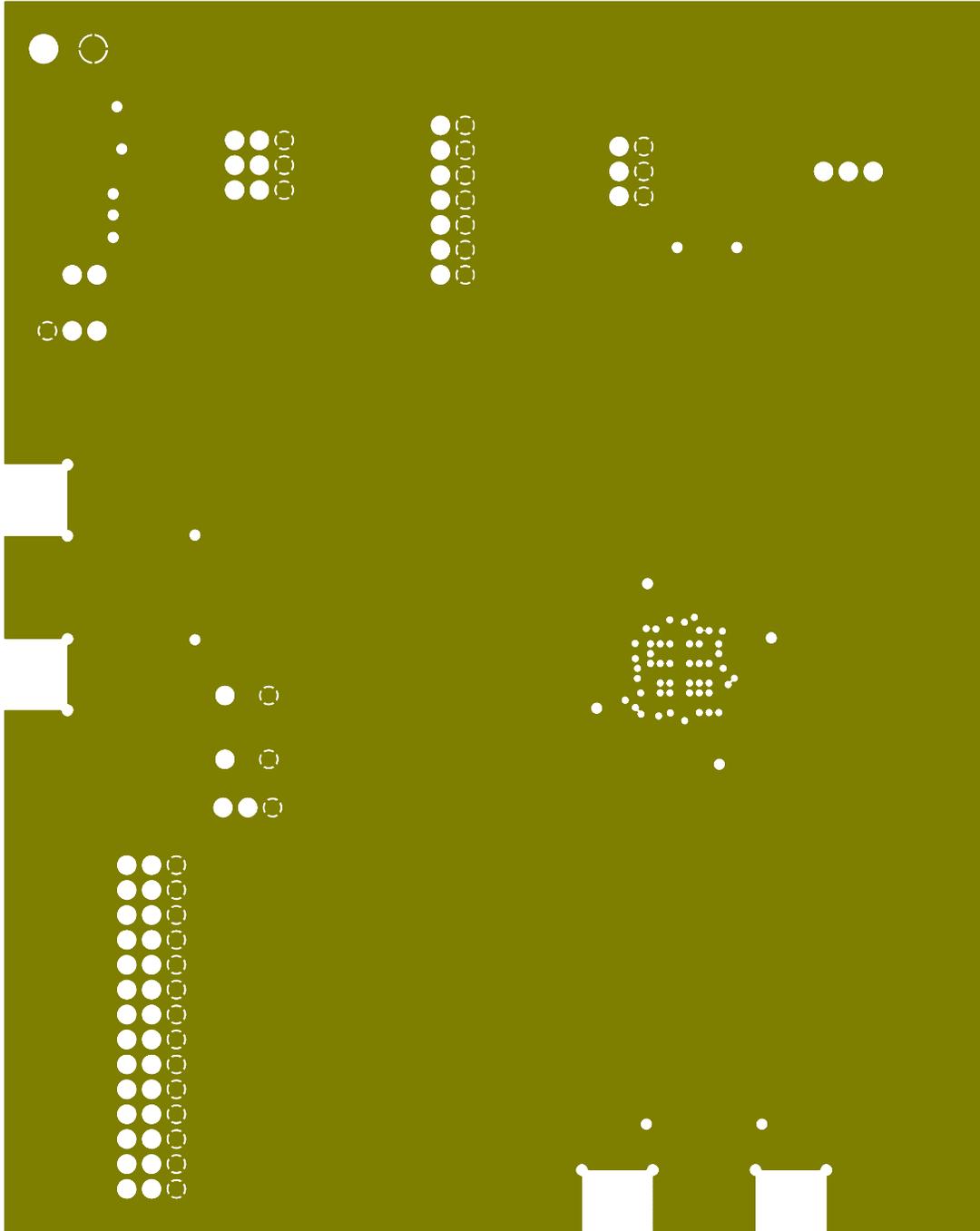
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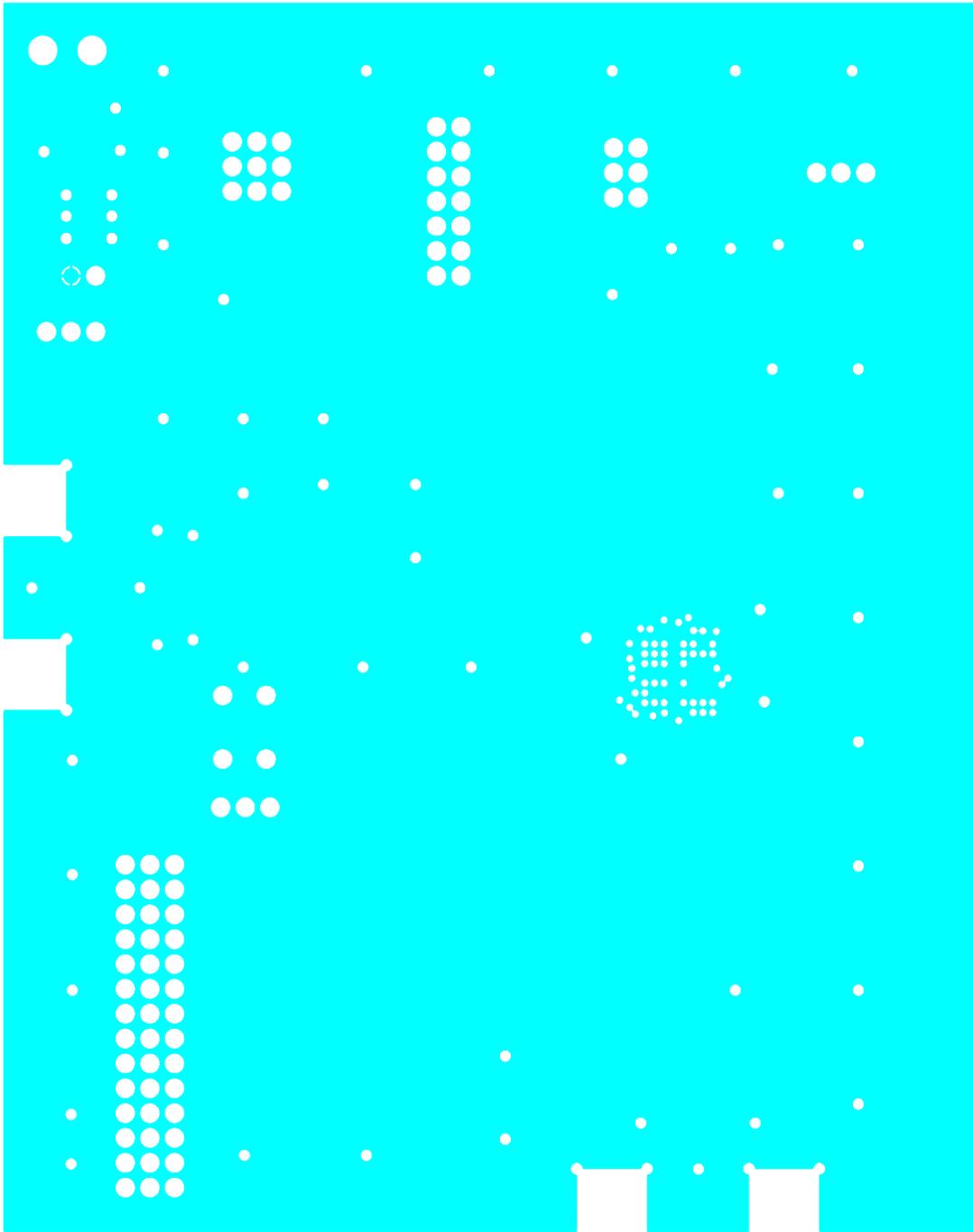
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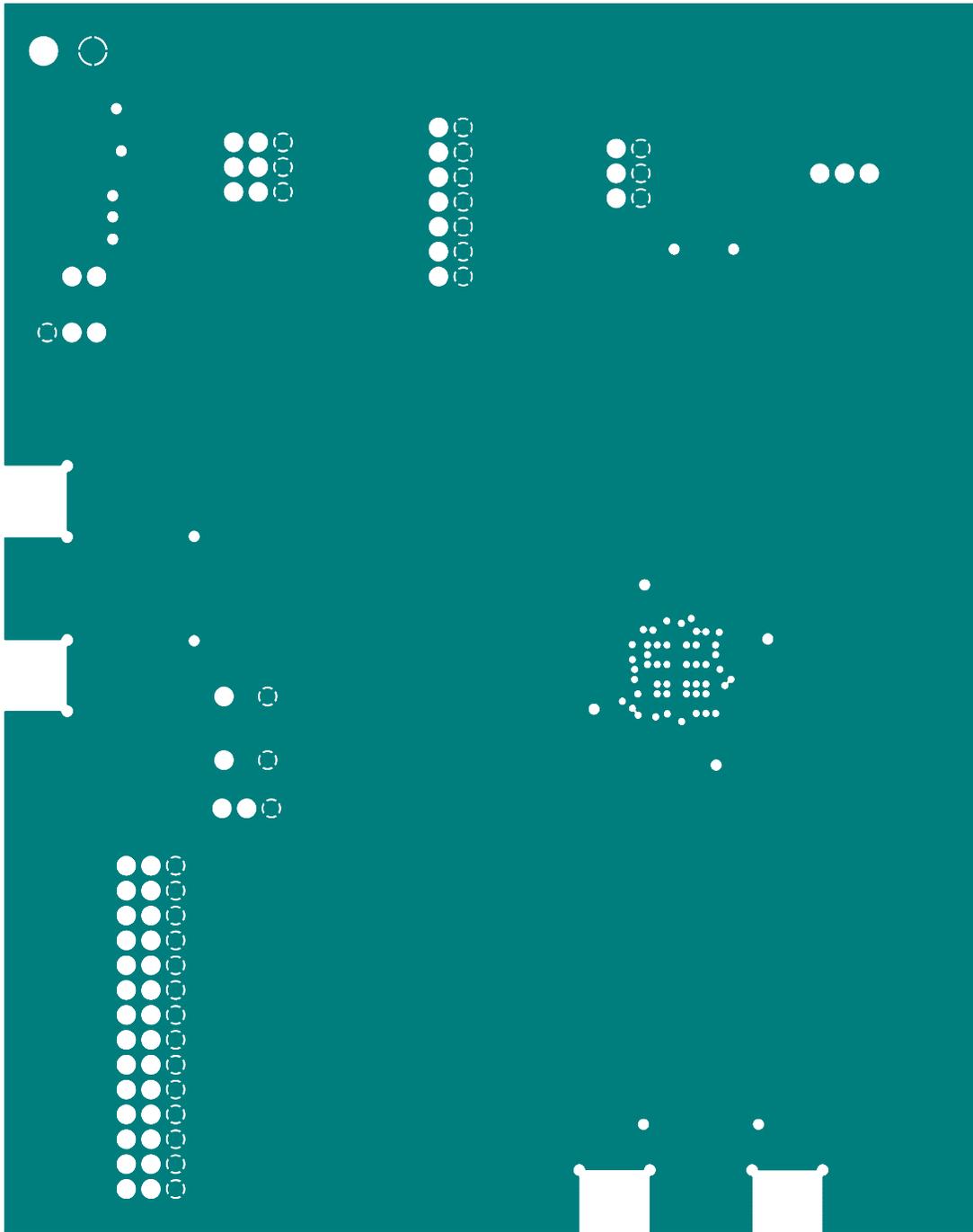
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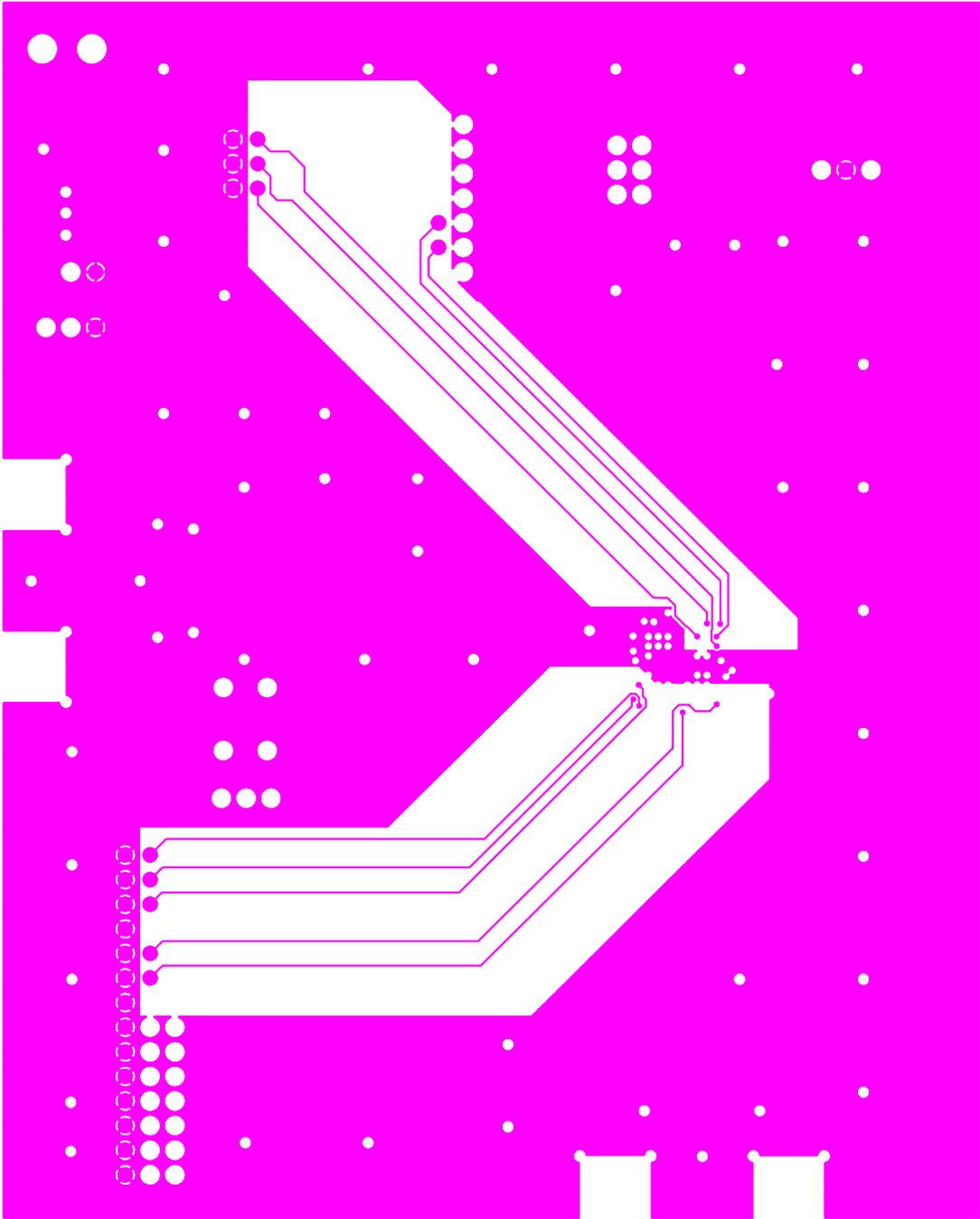
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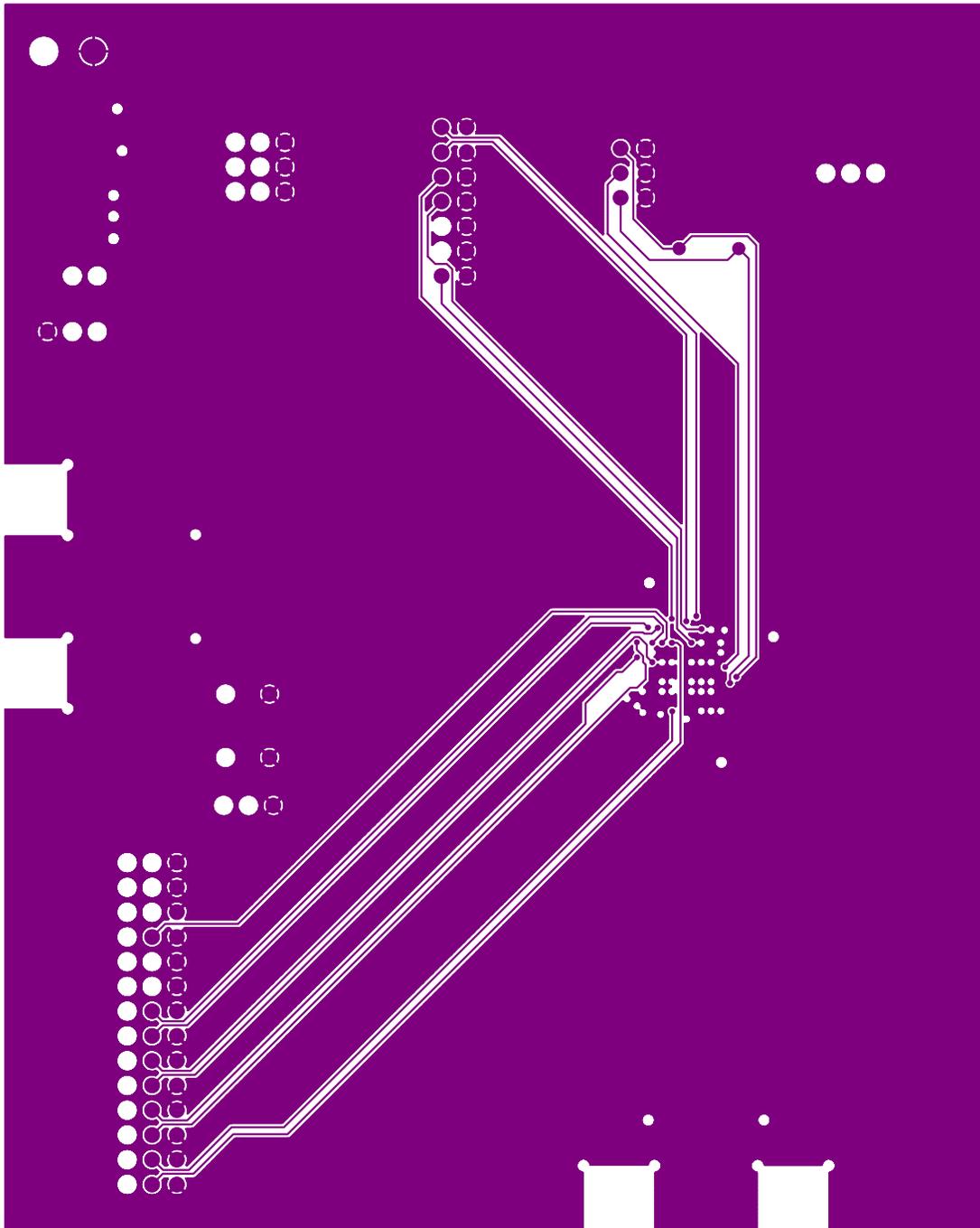
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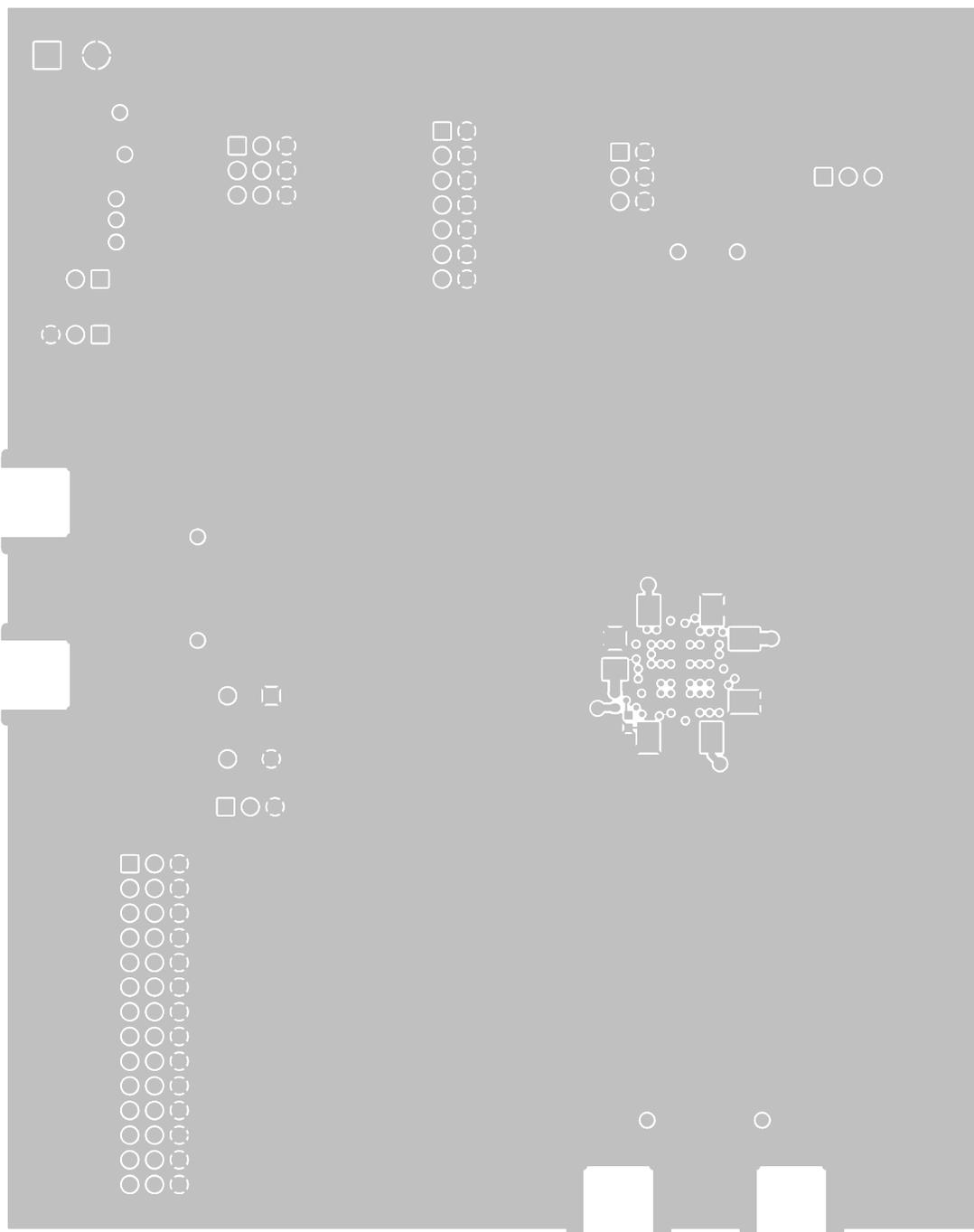
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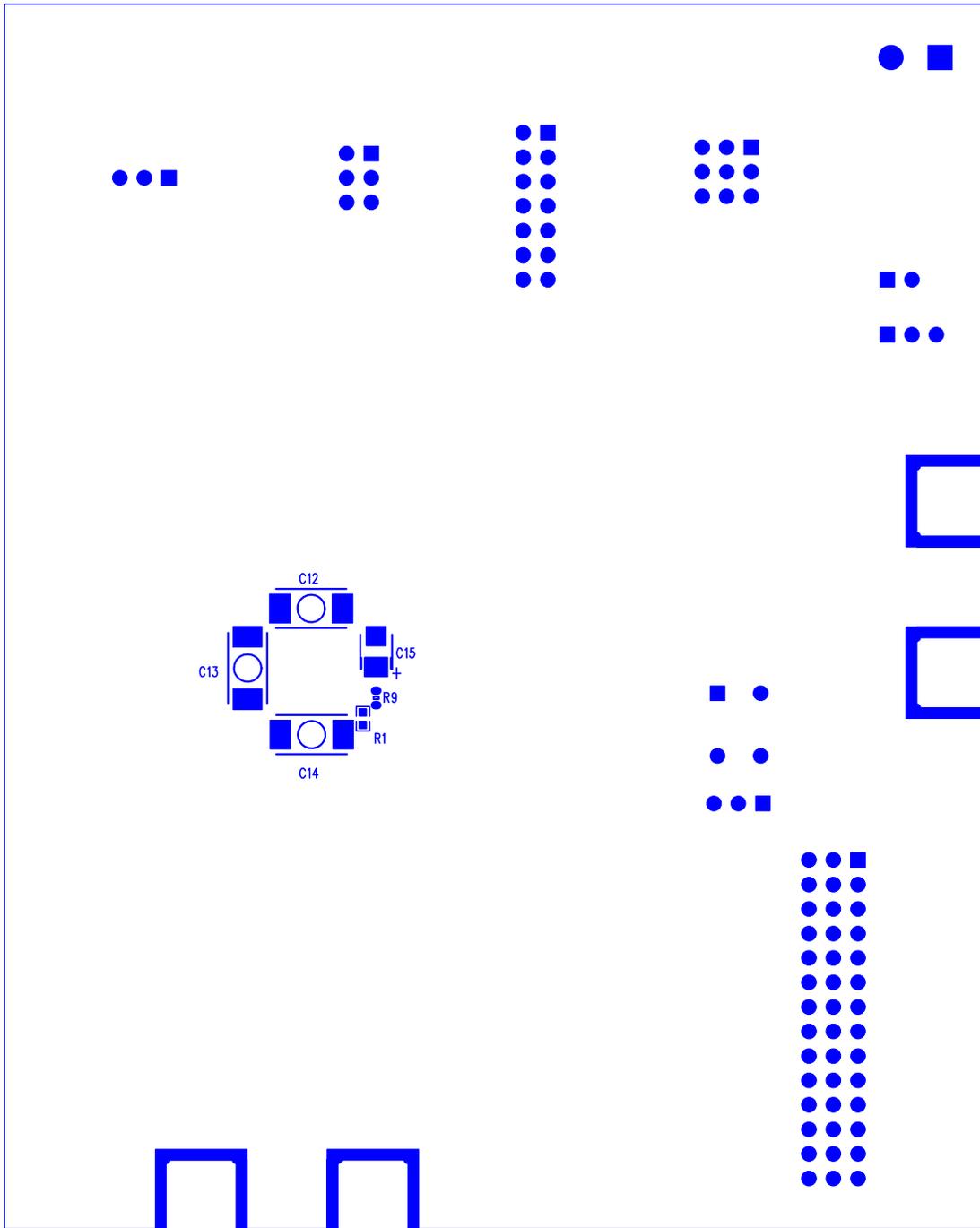
Figure 11. Si5321-EVB Bottom Silkscreen

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Document Revision Change List

Revision 0.1 to Revision 0.4

- Updated to reflect Rev. D printed circuit boards.
- Default jumper settings added.

Evaluation Board Assembly Revision History

Assembly Level	PCB Rev.	Si5321 Rev.	Assembly Notes
B-01	Rev. C	Rev. B	Assemble per BOM rev B-01

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Notes:

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