

NXP contactless reader IC PR533

Contactless reader IC with USB host interface

Operating at 13.56 MHz and designed for PC, eID, and payment applications, this MCU-based transmission module lets you develop single-chip reader systems supported by existing Windows 7 and Linux OS drivers.

Key features

- ▶ Reader/writer functionality compatible with ISO/IEC 14443 A&B, MIFARE™, FeliCa, and NFC Forum tag types (Jewel, MIFARE Ultralight, FeliCa, FeliCa lite, MIFARE DESFire), and supports I-class (Picopass B type modulation)
- ▶ ISO18092 passive initiator
- ▶ PID/VID customization possible via external EEPROM
- ▶ Complies with German eID, ICAO, and EMVCo 2.1
- ▶ Supports PCSC part 3 release 2.01.07
- Integrated support for MIFARE reader
- USB 2.0 host interface, serial host interface (high-speed UART), and CCID protocol support
- ▶ I²C master enables additional contact interface via TDA8029
- ▶ Validated with Microsoft Windows and Linux CCID native drivers

Key benefits

- ▶ Extended reader functionality dedicated for PC applications
- ▶ Supports two LEDs
- ▶ Integrated microcontroller implements high-level RF protocols

- ▶ Integrated RF level data mode detector
- ▶ Small footprint (HVQFN40 = 6 x 6 x 1 mm)
- ▶ Easy integration, pin-compatible with PN533/C270
- Excellent design-in support available worldwide

Key applications

- ▶ PC integration, PC peripherals
- ▶ Single-chip reader connected by USB or serial host interface
- ▶ Electronic identity (eID) applications
- ▶ Online payment/Internet security

The NXP PR533 supports the CCID drivers and the smartcard reader function included in Windows7 and Linux operating systems. It supports reader and passive initiate modes as implemented by the CCID drivers.



Key technical data

Product features	PR533		
Operating distance [mm]	Up to 70 mm ⁽¹⁾		
	USB 2.0 or high-speed UART		
Host interfaces	I ² C master for connection to external additional EEPROM or TDA8029		
Microcontroller	Yes with ROM code		
Driver	CCID supported (Windows & Linux)		
RF interface			
Analog interface	Fully integrated		
Carrier frequency [MHz]	13.56		
Baud rates [kbit/s]	106 / 212 / 424 / 848		
Contactless protocols			
	ISO/IEC 14443 A&B, B'		
Reader / writer	MIFARE		
	FeliCA		
Peer-to-peer	ISO/IEC 18092 ⁽²⁾		
EMVCo compliance	Protocol level yes (3)		
Security features			
MIFARE Classic security (Crypto 1)	Yes		
Additional product information			
USB bus power supply	5 V single supply possible		
Supply voltage [V]	2.7 to 5.4		
Power-down mode [µA]	12		
Typical RF current [mA]	60		
Temperature range [°C]	-25 to +85		
Package	HVQFN40 (6 x 6 x 1 mm)		
Software	HAL, NFC Forum reference implementation, USB CCID driver		
Evaluation boards	OM5588, PREV533		

(1) Depends on antenna, coil size, tuning, and environment

(2) Passive initiator mode

(3) External booster required for RF compliance

Ordering information

Type number		PR5331C3HN/C360		
Orderable part number	Package	HVQFN40		
	Status	Available		
PR5331C3HN/C360,51	12 NC	9352 976 57518	Reel dry pack, SMD, 13	
PR5331C3HN/C360,55		9352 976 57557	Tray dry pack, bakeable, multiple	
PR5331C3HN/C360,55		9352 976 57551	Tray dry pack, bakeable, single	

Evaluation boards

To support product development and enable easy access to the PR533 and its contactless technology, NXP offers the OM5588/N5331U01 and PREV533 design-in kits. The necessary hardware, documentation, and software sources are available at NXP's website (www.nxp.com).

To order samples or design kits, please contact your local NXP distributor or access the NXP distributor portal (https://extranet.nxp.com).

MIFARE pedigree

NXP MIFARE is the leading technology platform for contactless ticket, card, and reader solutions. With more than 50 million core reader components, over five billion cards and ticket ICs sold, MIFARE is a proven and reliable technology that represents the largest installed base worldwide.

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