



USER MANUAL

Adrastea-I FeatherWing Kit 2615039336001

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We strongly recommend including the possibility of a firmware update in the customer system design.

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1 Abbreviations

Abbreviation	Name	Description
CISPR	Comité International Spécial des Perturbations Radioélectriques	International Special Committee on Radio
CTS	Clear to Send	
EV	Evaluation	
ESD	Electro Static Discharge	
FOTA	Firmware Over The Update	
EMC	Electro Magnetic Compatibility	
GND	Ground	Ground signal level that corresponds to 0 V
HIGH	High signal level	Digital voltage level that is detected as high by the module
IDE	Integrated Development Environment	
IEC	International Electrotechnical Commission	
IEEE	Institute for Electrical and Electronic Engineers	
JTAG	JTAG Joint Test Action Group	
LED	Light Emitting Diode	
Li-Po	Lithium-Polymer	
LOW Low signal level		Digital voltage level that is detected as low by the module
MCU	Microcontroller Unit	
PC	Personal Computer	
РСВ	Printed Circuit Board	
RAM	Random Access Memory	
RTS	Request to Send	
SDK	Software Development Kit	Collection of drivers and example codes
SIM	Subscriber Identity Module	
UMRF	Ultraminiature Radio Frequency	
USB	Universal Serial Bus	
VCC	Voltage Common Collector	Supply voltage
VDD	Voltage Drain Drain	Supply voltage



2 Revision history

Manual version	HW version	Notes	Date
1.0	2.0	Initial version	February 2024
1.1	2.0	 Updated chapter Important notes Updated chapter Legal notice 	
1.2	2.0	Updated the document to include the changes corresponding to the addition of Sensor FeatherWing to the kit.	



3 General description

3.1 Introduction

The Würth Elektronik eiSos Adrastea-I FeatherWing kit is an EV-Board set with open-source software that enables easy creation and evaluation of a secure end-to-end IoT solution.

This kit consists of the Adrastea-I FeatherWing and the Sensor FeatherWing *2501000201291* and all the necessary accessories required to get the system up and running.

This design kit offers a reliable hardware platform for rapid prototyping using FeatherWings. The Würth Elektronik eiSos's FeatherWing development boards are open source and fully compatible with the Feather form factor from Adafruit.

The open-source reference firmware and SDK available on *GitHub* enable easy integration with any IoT platform. Currently a connection to the following cloud platforms are supported out-of-the-box

- Eclipse Mosquitto broker
- AWS IoT Core
- Azure IoT Hub
- KaaloT



Figure 1: The WE Adrastea-I FeatherWing kit (2615039336001)



3.2 Adrastea-I FeatherWing

The Würth Elektronik eiSos Adrastea-I FeatherWing is a development board consisting of an Adrastea-I radio module. The Adrastea-I module is a compact LTE-M/NB-IoT cellular module with integrated GNSS, integrated ARM Cortex-M4 and 1MB flash memory for customer developed applications.

The Adrastea-I FeatherWing is fully compatible to the popular Adafruit Feather line of development boards and extends the Feathers with IoT connectivity.



Figure 2: The WE Adrastea-I FeatherWing



Figure 3: Block diagram - Adrastea-I FeatherWing



3.3 Sensor FeatherWing

The Würth Elektronik eiSos Sensor FeatherWing is a sensor development board fully compatible to the popular Adafruit Feather line of development boards. It consists of the following four sensors,

- WSEN-PADS Absolute pressure sensor (2511020213301)
- WSEN-ITDS 3-axis acceleration sensor (2533020201601)
- WSEN-TIDS Temperature sensor (2521020222501)
- WSEN-HIDS Humidity sensor (2525020210002)

All four sensors are connected over the shared I^2C bus and hence can be connected to any of the Feather microcontroller boards. The Arduino (C/C++) drivers and examples (see chapter 6) made available make it easy to build a prototype to kick-start the application development.

The Sensor FeatherWing also has the 4-pin JST QWIIC[®] connector on-board. This enables easy connection to the QWIIC[®] ecosystem of development boards. Additionally, a 6 pin connector enables extension of the FeatherWing with a host of EV-Boards from Würth Elektronik eiSos.



Figure 4: The WE Sensor FeatherWing (2501000201291)



3.4 Contents

Description	Quantity
WE Adrastea-I FeatherWing	1
WE Sensor FeatherWIng	1
LTE dipole antenna	1
GNSS dipole antenna	1
WR-UMRF SMA Bulkhead Jack to UMRF Right Angle Plug	2
Packaging: ESD safe cardboard Box (230mmx230mmx78mm)	1

Table 3: Contents 2615039336001



A SIM card is not included in this kit. LTE-M/NB-IoT enabled SIM card in nano formfactor is required for cellular operation.

3.5 Usage

There are two ways of prototyping using the Adrastea-I FeatherWing kit.

3.5.1 Using the on-board application MCU

The Adrastea-I cellular module comes with an integrated ARM Cortex-M4 and 1MB flash memory for customer developed applications. In order to develop prototypes using the on-board MCU, use the source code and examples provided in the following GitHub Pages

- Adrastea SDK
- Quick Start guide

3.5.2 Using an external MCU

It is also possible to use an external MCU to implement your end-application. In this case the host MCU sends AT-style commands to configure and control the Adrastea-I FeatherWing. Würth Elektronik eiSos FeatherWing SDK provides source code and examples on the Adafruit M0 Feather Platform.

The SDK can be accessed on Github at *https://github.com/WurthElektronik/FeatherWings*.



4 Functional description

The Adrastea-I FeatherWing was designed with rapid prototyping in mind. Being fully compatible with the Adafruit ecosystem, this FeatherWing allows the user the flexibility to choose the preferred host microcontroller.

The inherent modularity of the ecosystem allows the FeatherWing to be easily integrated into any project.

The next sections provide a brief introduction to Adafruit's Feather ecosystem and details on the Adrastea-I module.

Feel free to check our YouTube channel:

www.youtube.com/user/WuerthElektronik/videos for video tutorials, hands-ons and webinars relating to our products.

4.1 Adafruit Feather

The Adafruit Feather ecosystem consists of two types of boards apart from a host of accessories:

- **Feather:** Adafruit Feathers are a complete line of development boards from Adafruit that are standalone and stackable. They can be powered either over the on-board micro-USB plugs or using a Li-Po battery. Feathers are portable, flexible and light as their namesake.
- **FeatherWing:** FeatherWings are stackable boards that when used along with a Feather add a certain functionality to the system.

The Feather system with more than 50+ Wings, several different types of accessories and arduino/circuit python based code support, provides a perfect ecosystem for rapid prototyping. Please refer to *adafruit.com/feather* for more details on the Adafruit Feather ecosystem.

4.2 Adrastea-I cellular module (2615011136000)

The Adrastea-I module is a compact LTE-M/NB-IoT cellular module with integrated GNSS, integrated ARM Cortex-M4 and 1MB flash memory for customer developed applications.

Based on the Sony Altair ALT1250 chipset, the Adrastea-I module provides AT-Command based multi-band configurability, enabling international multi-regional coverage in LTE Cat M1 / NB1 radio access technologies.

Adrastea-I includes a fully integrated global navigation satellite system solution that supports GPS and GLONASS positioning systems.

The ARM Cortex-M4 processor is exclusively designed for user application software and it offers 1 MB of flash and 256 kB of RAM dedicated to this use.



The compact 13.4 mm x14.6 mm x 1.85 mm design allows the module to fit in small-size applications.

The module can be operated through one of two available cellular communication technologies:

- LTE-Cat.M or
- LTE-Cat.NB-IoT.

The module comes with the declaration of conformity (CE), is compliant to RoHS, REACh. The Adrastea-I module is GCF and Deutsche Telekom certified.

4.2.1 Module Key Features

Feature	Description	
Physical Dimensions	13.4mm x 14.6mm x 1.85mm	
Supported Networks	- LTE-Cat.M - LTE-Cat.NB-IoT	
LTE Supported Bands	LTE-Cat.M: B2/B3/B4/B5/B8/B12/B20/B25/B26/B28 LTE-Cat.NB-IoT: B3/B5/B8/B20/B28	
- USIM - UART - I ² C Master - SPI Master - GPIO - ADC - JTAG		
Integrated GNSSThe Adrastea-I includes a fully integrated global navigation saIntegrated GNSSsystem solution that supports GPS and GLONASS positioning system.		
Integrated User MCU	User MCU is exclusively for user application software: - ARM Cortex-M4 - 1 MB Flash Memory - 256 kB RAM	
Maximum Data Rate	LTE-Cat.M: Downlink: 300 Kbps, Uplink: 375 Kbps	
	LTE-Cat.NB-IoT: Downlink: 27.2 Kbps, Uplink: 62.5 Kbps	
3GPP Standard Compliance3GPP Release 13 compliant, Upgradable to Release 14		
Output Power class	Power Class 3 (23 dBm)	
Firmware Upgrade - Firmware upgrade over USB interface - Firmware upgrade over the air (FOTA)		



Supported Protocols	- IPv4, IPv6 - TPC/UDP SOCKET - HTTP/HTTPS - TLS/DTLS - LWM2M Client - MQTT
AT Commands	3GPP TS 27.007 and 3GPP TS 27.005 AT commands, as well as Würth Elektronik eiSos enhanced AT commands
Operating Voltage	- VDD: From 2.3 V to 4.3 V - VDD_FEM: From 3.1 V to 4.3 V
Temperature Range	Operation temperature: -40 ℃ to +85 ℃

Further details about the LTE-M / NB-IoT cellular module can be found under *www.we-online.de/adrastea-i*



5 Hardware description

This chapter contains a detailed description of the hardware features of the Adrastea-I FeatherWing. The design files for this hardware can be downloaded from https://github.com/WurthElektronik/FeatherWings.

The hardware description of the Sensor FeatherWing can be found in the Sensor FeatherWing *User manual*.

5.1 Connectors

This section explains all connectors of the Adrastea-I FeatherWing.



Figure 5: Connectors Top



Figure 6: Connectors Bottom



Pin header	Function	WE- article number
Feather connector	Connection to feather M0 or other Featherwings	-
CON1	Micro-USB connector for host connection and VDD bus supply	629105150521
CON2	Li-Po battery connector	-
CON3	SIMcard connection	693043020611
CON4	LTE RF signal	636101111001
CON5	GNSS RF signal	636101111001

Table 5: Default assembled connectors and pin headers

5.1.1 Feather connector

This is the standard set of connectors that is used across the Feather ecosystem. The table below describes the functions of each of the 28 pins as applicable to this FeatherWing.

Pin Number	Pin name	Function
1	/RST	Reset
2	3V3	3.3 V power supply via R2
3	AREF	Not connected
4	GND	Ground
5	GPIOA0	Adrastea ADC0/GPIO1 via R16
6	GPIOA1	Adrastea ADC1/GPIO2 via R17
7	GPIOA2	Not connected
8	GPIOA3	Not connected
9	GPIOA4	Not connected
10	GPIOA5	Adrastea SPIM1_CS/GPIO40
11	GPIOSCK	Adrastea SPIM1_CLK/GPIO41
12	GPIOMOSI	Adrastea SPIM1_MOSI/GPIO38
13	GPIOMISO	Adrastea SPIM1_MISO/GPIO39
14	GPIORX	Adrastea UART0 TX pin
15	GPIOTX	Adrastea UART0 RX pin
16	N.C.	Not connected
17	GPIOSDA	Adrastea I2C0_SDA
18	GPIOSCL	Adrastea I2C0_SCL
19	GPIO5	Not connected
20	GPIO6	Adrastea WAKEUP pin
21	GPIO9	Not connected



22	GPIO10	Not connected
23	GPIO11	Not connected
24	GPIO12	Not connected
25	GPIO13	Not connected
26	USB	USB 5V power via R4
27	EN	Not connected
28	VBAT	Battery

5.1.2 CON1

Connector CON1 is a micro-USB connector that enables connection to PC via standard micro-USB cable.

CON1	Function
-	Micro-USB connector for host connection and 5 V bus power supply

Table 7: Micro-USB connector

5.1.3 CON2

Connector CON2 is a Li-Po battery connector that allows to power board via 3.7 V Lithium battery. VBAT is given by a charging IC with I_{Charge} = 200 mA. I_{Charge} can be modifed by changing R6 which is a 5.1 k Ω by default. A 2 k Ω resistor for example allows a current of 500 mA. In charging mode (D9 lights up) VBAT is 4.2 V.



The maximum output current of the supply source must be considered when changing R6.

CON2	Function
1	VBAT
2	GND

Table 8: Battery connector

5.1.4 CON3

Connector CON3 is a push/pull nano SIMcard holder.



CON3	Function
1	Voltage supply for SIMcard
2	SIMcard reset signal
3	SIMcard clock signal
5	SIMcard GND
6	Not connected
7	SIMcard data signal

Table 9: Nano SIMcard holder

A SIM card is not included in this kit. LTE-M/NB-IoT enabled SIM card in nano formfactor is required for cellular operation.

IoT SIM cards can be ordered from WE-DTAG Connectivity Portal *https://iotcreators.com/wuerth/*.

5.1.5 CON4

Connector CON4 (UMRF receptacle) is used to connect the LTE antenna.

CON4	Function
Inner	RF Signal
Outer	GND

Table 10: UMRF connector for LTE



Optional: The antenna is matched with the marked components. Depending on the exact application and band of operation, experts may use the placeholder (C46, C50 and R34) for additional filtering and tuning.







5.1.6 CON5

Connector CON5 (UMRF receptacle) is used to connect the GNSS antenna.

CON5	Function
Inner	RF Signal
Outer	GND

Table 11: UMRF connector for GNSS



Optional: The antenna is matched with the marked components. Following this reference design, it served experts for filtering and fine tuning.



Figure 8: Matching filter for GNSS transmission line





Figure 9: Buttons

5.2 Push buttons

5.2.1 S1

This push button is connected to the */RESET* pin of the Adrastea module. Pressing this button resets the module.

5.2.2 S2

This push button is connected to the *WAKEUP* pin of the Adrastea module. Pressing this button allows the module to get out from sleep mode.



After pushing the S2, the command "sleepSet disable" should be sent to indefinitely wake-up the module. If this command is not received, the module goes back to the sleep state.

If S2 is not pushed, it enables the module to get into sleep mode.

5.3 Power supply

The Adrastea-I FeatherWing is powered with 5 V by USB or the Feather 5 V pin. It can also be powered by battery via CON2. The internal voltage regulator regulates the voltage down to 3.3 V and 1.8 V to supply the remaining parts of the circuit. The 3.3 V power-rail is connected to the 3 V Feather pin. The FeatherWing can also be powered with 3.3 V via the 3 V Feather pin. In this case, battery charging is disabled.

If the FeatherWing is power sourced, the power LED (D3) lights up.



If an other Featherwing is connected and both are connected to different power supplies, R4 should be removed to avoid undesirable leakage current. If the second board also has a 3.3 V power rail, which is connected to the 3 V Feather pin, R2 should also be removed.





Figure 10: Resistor R2 and R4

5.4 UART/USB

The UART of the module is available on the USB jack, so that the module can be connected directly to a PC. Using the FTDI-driver, the PC will show four virtual COM-Ports. Normally, the PC assings the COM-PORT number in ascending order, which respectively corresponds to the UART0, UART1 and UART2. The following table shows an example of possible assingment of COM-PORTs.

COM-Port number	UART	Function
COM57	UART0	Miniconsole (AT command). Only UTX and URX
COM58	UART1	Console Logs. Only UTX and URX
COM59	UART2	FW update. Full UART (inc. /CTS and /RTS)
COM60	not used	-

Table 12: COM-PORT to UART assignment example



Only UART2 is available as full UART. Flow control pins are available (/CTS and /RTS).



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Application GNSS Support					
Module Status C Serial No.: Sim card: NotInserted Network: Not Available Get your SIM card.	COME7	Baud rate: 115200 V	Connect Controls Clear Copy	y Save	Commands Command groups New Collaps Expand
-0	Quick selection				
	AT%MEAS="4"	AT%MEAS="8"	AT+CPIN?	AT+CFUN=0	
	AT%TSTRF=1	AT%MEAS="96"	AT%PINGCMD=0,"8.8.8.8",	at%cmatt=1	

Figure 11: COM ports detected - Adrastea commander



The USB cable length must not exceed 3 meters.

5.5 LEDs

The following table shows the function of the leds included in the board.

NAme	Designator	Function
Power led	LED1	lights on when board is power sourced
Status led	LED2	turn off when the module is in a DH0 state
Charging led	LED3	Indicates when a battery connected to the board is being charged

Table 13: LED indicators



5.6 Schematics



Figure 12: Schematic part 1





Figure 13: Schematic part 2





Figure 14: Schematic part 3



5.7 Layout



Figure 15: Assembly diagram top layer



Figure 16: Assembly diagram bottom layer











Figure 17: Top layer (upper), second layer (second), third layer (third), fourth layer (bottom)



5.8 Bill of material

Part	Value	Pack	Manufacturer	NR
C1	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C2	1µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105012
C3	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C4	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C5	10µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105020
C6	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C7	4,7µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105008
C8	10pF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012005055
C9	1µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105012
C10	10pF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012005055
C11	4,7µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105008
C12	4,7µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105008
C13	4,7µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105008
C14	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C15	10µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105020
C16	10µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105020
C17	1µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105012
C18	10µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105020
C19	10µF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012105020
C20	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C21	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C22	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C23	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C24	27pF	SMT	Samsung	CL05C270JB5NNNC
C25	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C26	27pF	SMT	Samsung	CL05C270JB5NNNC
C27	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C28	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C29	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C30	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C31	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C32	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037

Table 14: Bill of materials part 1

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Part	Value	Pack	Manufacturer	NR
C33	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C34	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C35	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C36	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C37	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C38	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C39	10µF	0603	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012106031
C40	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C41	47µF	0805	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012107006
C46	n.m.	0402	n.m.	n.m.
C47	n.m.	0402	n.m.	n.m.
C48	100pF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012005061
C49	100pF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012005061
C50	n.m.	0402	n.m.	n.m.
C51	n.m.	0402	n.m.	n.m.
C55	100nF	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	885012205037
C56	n.m.	0402	n.m.	n.m.
D1	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.
D2	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.
D3	8231706A	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	8231706A
D4	8231706A	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	8231706A
D5	DFLS130L-7	SOT123	Diodes inc.	DFLS130L-7
D6	BAT54	SMT	Diodes inc.	BAT54LP-7
D7	DFLS130L-7	SOT123	Diodes inc.	DFLS130L-7
D8	DFLS130L-7	SOT123	Diodes inc.	DFLS130L-7
IC1	WIRL-CELL	SMT	Würth Elektronik eiSos	2615011136000
IC2	TLV1117LV18DCY	SOT223-4	Texas Instruments	TLV1117LV18DCY
IC3	FT4232H-56Q	VQFN-56	FTDI	FT4232H-56Q
IC4	TLV1117LV33	SOT223-4	Texas Instruments	TLV1117LV33DCY
IC5	SN74AVC4T245	TSSOP16	Texas Instruments	SN74AVC4T245PWR
IC6	82400152	SOT563	Würth Elektronik eiSos	82400152
IC7	MCP73831T	SOT23-5	Microchip	MCP73831T-2ACI/OT
IC8	SN74AVC4T245	TSSOP16	Texas Instruments	SN74AVC4T245PWR
IC9	TXS0108EPWR	TSSOP-20	Texas Instruments	TXS0108EPWR
CON1	Micro USB	SMT	Würth Elektronik eiSos	629105150521
CON2	LiPoly-Plug	SMT	Adafruit	1769

Table 15: Bill of materials part 2

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Part	Value	Pack	Manufacturer	NR
CON3	Nano SIMcard	SMT	Würth Elektronik eiSos	693043020611
CON4	UMRF	SMT	Würth Elektronik eiSos	636101111001
CON5	UMRF	SMT	Würth Elektronik eiSos	636101111001
L1	742792625	0603	Würth Elektronik eiSos	742792625
L2	7427927311	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	7427927311
L3	7427927311	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	7427927311
L4	7427927311	0402	Würth Elektronik eiSos	7427927311
LED1	Red	1204	Würth Elektronik eiSos	155124RS73200
LED2	Blue	1204	Würth Elektronik eiSos	155124BS73200
LED3	Yellow	1204	Würth Elektronik eiSos	155124YS73200
MS1	header:1 x 12 & 1 x 16	THT	Adafruit	2830
Q1	12 MHz	CFPX-180	Würth Elektronik eiSos	830070868
R1	2.2 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-072K2L
R2	0 Ω	0603	Yageo	RC0603JR-070RL
R3	2.2 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-072K2L
R4	0 Ω	0603	Yageo	RC0603JR-070RL
R5	4.7 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-074K7L
R6	5.1 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-075K1L
R7	100 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-07100KL
R8	100 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-07100KL
R9	10 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710KL
R10	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL
R11	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL
R12	12 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0712KL
R13	1 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-071KL
R14	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL
R15	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL
R16	n.m.	0402	n.m.	n.m.
R17	n.m.	0402	n.m.	n.m.
R18	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL
R19	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL
R20	100 kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-07100KL
R22	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL
R23	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL

Table 16: Bill of materials part 3

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Part	Value	Pack	Manufacturer	NR
R24	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL
R25	10 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-0710RL
R34	0 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-070RL
R35	0 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-070RL
R42	100 Ω	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-07100RL
R43	1kΩ	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-071KL
S1	434331013822	SMT	Würth Elektronik eiSos	434331013822
S2	434331013822	SMT	Würth Elektronik eiSos	434331013822
T1	BSS138	SOT-23	onsemi	BSS138

Table 17: Bill of materials part 4



6 Software description

Würth Elektronik eiSos provides a Software Development Kit (SDK) with examples to support all the WE FeatherWings.

6.1 Adrastea SDK

This SDK contains the source code and examples for the integrated Cortex M4 application MCU on the Adrastea-I Cellular module. It guides you the process of installing the tool chain, the IDE and provides the example source code for developing embedded applications on the Adrastea-I platform.

The SDK can be accessed on Github at https://github.com/WurthElektronik/Adrastea-SDK.

6.2 WE FeatherWing SDK

This SDK uses "M0 Feather" as host and "Adrastea-I Module" as client. This does not require writing a Firmware for the Adrastea's integrated Cortex M4 application MCU.

- The SDK is open-source and well documented.
- It uses popular open-source tool chain including an IDE.
- The examples are written in Arduino-styled C/C++ for quick prototyping.
- The core components of the SDK are written in pure C to enable easy porting to any microcontroller platform.
- Development platform independent (Windows, Linux or MAC).
- Modular structure of the software stack makes it easy to integrate into any project.

The SDK can be accessed on Github at https://github.com/WurthElektronik/FeatherWings.

6.2.1 Software architecture

The WE FeatherWing SDK is built up in a modular way using a set of open-source tools to enable complete flexibility for the user.

The figure 18 shows the architecture of the WE FeatherWing SDK.

- **PlatformIO:** is a cross-platform, cross-architecture, multiple framework professional tool for embedded software development. It provides the tool chain necessary for the software development including building, debugging, code-upload and many more. PlatformIO works well on all the modern operating systems and supports a host of development boards including the Feathers from Adafruit. Further details about PlatformIO can be found under *platformio.org*
- **Platform interface:** This layer provides abstraction to the peripheral drivers for the platform being used. Currently, this SDK implements an abstraction to the Arduino peripheral drivers for the Feather M0 express platform.





Figure 18: Software architecture

- WE SDK: This is a layer of platform-independent pure C drivers for sensors and wireless connectivity modules from Würth Elektronik eiSos. These drivers implement all the necessary functions to utilize full feature set of the sensors and wireless connectivity modules. More details on the SDK and downloads under, *we-online.com/wcs-software*.
- **Board files:** This layer provides abstraction at a board level and provides functions to configure and control individual FeatherWings from WE.
- User application: The SDK currently implements a quick start example for each of the FeatherWing.



6.2.2 IDE

Although platformIO provides a versatile command line interface for development, the SDK provides quick start projects for the Visual Studio Code. This popular IDE makes for better code organization as well as code editing. Visual Studio Code is available on all modern operating systems. Support for extensions, built-in Git and a versatile code editor make it a well rounded tool for embedded software development. Please refer to *code.visualstudio.com* for more details on Visual Studio Code.

6.2.3 Installation steps

- Install Visual Studio Code on the platform of your choice following the instructions under *code.visualstudio.com/docs*
- Follow the instructions under *platformio.org/install/ide?install=vscode* to install PlatformIO IDE extension.

6.2.4 Hardware setup

The quick start examples in the SDK are written to be run on *Adafruit's Feather M0 express*. The hardware setup is as simple as stacking up the FeatherWing on top of the M0 Feather and powering up the board.

6.2.5 Running the quick start example

- Clone or download the WE FeatherWing SDK from Github. https://github.com/WurthElektronik/FeatherWings
- Open the workspace of interest with the filename <FeatherWing>.code-workspace in Visual Studio code.
- Build and upload the code from the PlatformIO tab as shown in the Figure 19.
- After successful upload, click on Monitor to view the debug logs in the serial terminal (see Figure 19).



Make sure that PlatformIO has installed all dependencies properly. Manual actions for installing required plugins and drivers, when behind a firewall or proxy may be required. Local admin rights to do so may also be required.

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Figure 19: Running the quick start example





7 Regulatory compliance information

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