

ADC 18 Click



PID: MIKROE-5132

ADC 18 Click is a compact add-on board that contains a high-performance data converter. This board features the [MAX2205](#), an SPI-configurable twelve-channel 24-bit analog-to-digital converter (ADC) from [Analog Devices](#). Input channels can be used as twelve single-ended, six differential, and up to eight multichannel configurable differential inputs. In total, the device supports up to 26 different configurations. The ADC is used with an integrated 5ppm/°C precision reference. Using high-voltage, zero-drift input amplifiers, standard industrial analog input voltage ranges are converted to the ADC input voltage range. This Click board™ offers high accuracy for the most demanding applications, from general-purpose remote data acquisition to industrial applications.

ADC 18 Click is supported by a [mikroSDK](#) compliant library, which includes functions that simplify software development. This [Click board™](#) comes as a fully tested product, ready to be used on a system equipped with the [mikroBUS™](#) socket.

How does it work?

ADC 18 Click as its foundation uses the MAX2205, a high-performance twelve-channel analog-to-digital converter from Analog Devices. The MAX2205 comes with an integrated 24-bit delta-sigma ADC, input multiplexer, signal conditioning, and control logic block allowing ADC to communicate with MCU through a high-speed serial interface. An integrated delta-sigma ADC is shared between all channels with an integrated 5ppm/°C precision reference. Using high-voltage, zero-drift input amplifiers, standard industrial analog input voltage ranges are converted to the ADC input voltage range.

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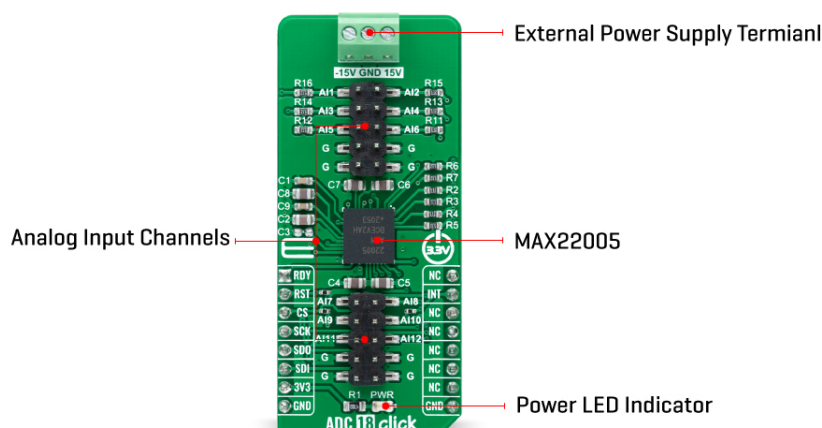
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Input channels can be used as twelve single-ended, six differential, and up to eight multichannel configurable differential inputs. In total, the device supports up to 26 different configurations. The MAX22005 can also be configured as an analog-input current-mode device using an external precision resistor per channel or configurable analog-input using an external precision resistor and low-cost switch per channel. All input ports are robustly protected up to $\pm 36V$ reverse polarity and $\pm 2kV$ surge pulses without the need for TVS diodes and factory calibrated with a best-in-class system performance of less than 0.05% FSR Total-Unadjusted-Error (TUE) over temperature.

ADC 18 Click communicates with MCU through a standard SPI interface and operates at clock rates up to 30MHz, for all configurations and information management and acquiring conversion results. In addition, it also uses several mikroBUS™ pins. An active-low reset signal routed on the RST pin of the mikroBUS™ socket activates a hardware reset of the system, while the INT pin on the mikroBUS™ socket represents a standard interrupt feature providing a user with feedback information. It also has an additional data ready interrupt marked as RDY and routed on the AN pin of the mikroBUS™ socket, used to signal when a new ADC conversion result is available in the data register.

This Click board™ can be operated only with a 3.3V logic voltage level. It also has an analog inputs external power supply terminal where it is necessary to bring $\pm 15V$ to accept $\pm 10V$ inputs, whose full-scale range is $\pm 12.5V$. The board must perform appropriate logic voltage level conversion before using MCUs with different logic levels. However, the Click board™ comes equipped with a library containing functions and an example code that can be used, as a reference, for further development.

Specifications

Type	ADC
Applications	Can be used for the most demanding applications, from general-purpose remote data acquisition to industrial applications
On-board modules	MAX22005 - twelve-channel analog-to-digital converter from Analog Devices
Key Features	Factory-calibrated configurable industrial-analog input, high accuracy, software configurability, 24-bit sigma-delta ADC, low

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	power consumption, high-speed serial interface, high performance, and more
Interface	SPI
ClickID	No
Compatibility	mikroBUS™
Click board size	L (57.15 x 25.4 mm)
Input Voltage	3.3V, External

Pinout diagram

This table shows how the pinout on ADC 18 Click corresponds to the pinout on the mikroBUS™ socket (the latter shown in the two middle columns).

Notes	Pin	mikroBUS™				Pin	Notes
Data Ready	RDY	1	AN	PWM	16	NC	
Reset	RST	2	RST	INT	15	INT	Interrupt
SPI Chip Select	CS	3	CS	RX	14	NC	
SPI Clock	SCK	4	SCK	TX	13	NC	
SPI Data OUT	SDO	5	MISO	SCL	12	NC	
SPI Data IN	SDI	6	MOSI	SDA	11	NC	
Power Supply	3.3V	7	3.3V	5V	10	NC	
Ground	GND	8	GND	GND	9	GND	Ground

Onboard settings and indicators

Label	Name	Default	Description
LD1	PWR	-	Power LED Indicator
J1-J2	-	Populated	Analog Input Channel Headers

ADC 18 Click electrical specifications

Description	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Supply Voltage	-	3.3	-	V
Input-Voltage Range	-	±15	-	V
Resolution	-	24	-	bits
Operating Temperature Range	-40	+25	+120	°C

Software Support

We provide a library for the ADC 18 Click as well as a demo application (example), developed using MikroElektronika [compilers](#). The demo can run on all the main MikroElektronika [development boards](#).

Package can be downloaded/installed directly from NECTO Studio Package Manager(recommended way), downloaded from our [LibStock™](#) or found on [Mikroe github account](#).

Library Description

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This library contains API for ADC 18 Click driver.

Key functions

- `adc18_set_active_channel` This function sets the active channel.
- `adc18_start_conversion` This function starts the conversion with the selected data rate.
- `adc18_read_voltage` This function reads RAW ADC value of previous conversion and converts it to voltage.

Example Description

This example demonstrates the use of ADC 18 Click board™ by reading the voltage from 12 analog input single-ended channels.

The full application code, and ready to use projects can be installed directly from NECTO Studio Package Manager(recommended way), downloaded from our [LibStock™](#) or found on [Mikroe github account](#).

Other Mikroe Libraries used in the example:

- MikroSDK.Board
- MikroSDK.Log
- Click.ADC18

Additional notes and informations

Depending on the development board you are using, you may need [USB UART click](#), [USB UART 2 Click](#) or [RS232 Click](#) to connect to your PC, for development systems with no UART to USB interface available on the board. UART terminal is available in all MikroElektronika [compilers](#).

mikroSDK

This Click board™ is supported with [mikroSDK](#) - MikroElektronika Software Development Kit. To ensure proper operation of mikroSDK compliant Click board™ demo applications, mikroSDK should be downloaded from the [LibStock](#) and installed for the compiler you are using.

For more information about mikroSDK, visit the [official page](#).

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[MAX22005 datasheet](#)

[ADC 18 click 2D and 3D files](#)

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