

# **Quectel BG77xA-GL**

## Ultra-Compact LTE Cat M1/NB1/NB2\* Module



12.9 mm





BG77xA-GL is an ultra-compact LPWA module compliant with the 3GPP E-UTRA Release 13/14\* specification and has an integrated GNSS and cellular-based positioning engine that supports GPS and GLONASS systems. The module supports LTE Cat M1 and LTE Cat NB1/NB2\* bands and global carrier band combinations. Besides, it features the MIPS 5150 processor and integrated RAM and flash, which help reduce current consumption to rather low levels in various standby/hibernation modes, including PSM and eDRX. BG77xA-GL comes in two variants: BG770A-GL and BG772A-GL.

BG77xA-GL has a comprehensive hardware-based security feature - Integrated Security Elements (ISE). With an ultra-compact SMT form factor of 14.9 mm × 12.9 mm × 1.9 mm and a high integration level, the module enables integrators and developers to design applications easily leveraging its low power consumption and compact structure design. The BG77xA-GL's advanced LGA package allows for fully automated manufacturing required for large-scale applications.

A rich set of Internet protocols, industry-standard interfaces and abundant functionalities extend the applicability of the module to a wide range of M2M applications, such as wireless POS, smart metering, tracking, wearable devices, and many more.



# **Key Features**

- ✓ Extremely compact LTE Cat M1/NB1/NB2\* module with ultralow power consumption
- ✓ Integrated RAM and flash
- ✓ Super slim profile in LGA package
- ✓ Embedded with abundant Internet service protocols
- ✓ Support VoLTE\* (Cat M1 only), QuecLocator®, PoLTE and DFOTA
- ✓ Support QuecOpen® to simplify the development of embedded applications
- ✓ A rich set of external, multi-band interfaces that ensure convenient applications
- ✓ Fast time-to-market: reference designs, evaluation tools and timely technical support minimize time and efforts in design and development
- ✓ Robust mounting and interfaces



LTE Cat M1 & Cat NB1/NB2\*



Abundant Protocols
Embedded



Ultra-Low Power Consumption



LGA Package



DFOTA



Super Compact Size

USB 2.0 Interface\*



Quectel Enhanced AT Commands



Integrated RAM and Flash

Version: 1.1 | Status: Released

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LTE Cat M1/NB1/NB2*	BG770A-GL	BG772A-GL	
Region/Operator	Global	Global	
Dimensions (mm)	14.9 × 12.9 × 1.9	14.9 × 12.9 × 1.9	
Package	LGA	LGA	
Temperature Range			
Operating Temperature	-35 °C to +75 °C	-35 °C to +75 °C	
Extended Temperature	-40 °C to +85 °C	-40 °C to +85 °C	
Frequency Bands			
	Cat M1: B1/B2/B3/B4/B5/B8/B12/B13/B18/B19/B20/B25/B26	6/B27/B28/B66	
LTE-FDD	Cat NB1/NB2*: B1/B2/B3/B4/B5/B8/B12/B13/B17/B18/B19/B20/B25/B28/B66		
Data Rate (Max.)			
Cat M1	588 kbps (DL)/ 1119 kbps (UL)	588 kbps (DL)/ 1119 kbps (UL)	
Cat NB2*	127 kbps (DL)/ 158 kbps (UL)	127 kbps (DL)/ 158 kbps (UL)	
Certifications			
Carrier	Europe: Vodafone*/Deutsche Telekom America: Verizon*/AT&T* South Korea: SKT* Japan: NTT DOCOMO*/KDDI*	Europe: Vodafone*/Deutsche Telekom* America: Verizon*/AT&T* South Korea: SKT* Japan: NTT DOCOMO*/KDDI*	
Regulatory	Global: GCF Europe: CE North America: PTCRB America: FCC Canada: IC South Korea: KC Japan: JATE/TELEC Australia/New Zealand: RCM South Africa: ICASA	Global: GCF* Europe: CE * North America: PTCRB* America: FCC * Canada: IC* South Korea: KC* Japan: JATE/TELEC* Australia/New Zealand: RCM*	
Others*	RoHS	RoHS	
Interfaces			
USB 2.0*	× 1 (Full speed only)	× 1 (Full speed only)	
UART	× 3	Max. × 3 (2 for QuecOpen® application, 1 for debug)	
PCM*	× 1 (For VoLTE only)	× 1 (For VoLTE only)	
I2C*	× 1 (For VoLTE only)	Max. × 2	
SPI	-	Max. × 2 (1 for master only, 1 for master/slave)	
ADC	× 2	Max. × 4	
(U)SIM	× 1 (Supports 1.8 V only)	× 1 (Supports 1.8 V only)	
GPIO	×7	Max. × 27	
GRFC*	× 2	× 2	
NET_STATUS	× 1 (For network status indication)	× 1 (For network status indication)	
STATUS	× 1 (For power on/off indication)	× 1 (For power on/off indication)	
Antenna	$\times2$ (For the main antenna and GNSS antenna, respectively)	$\times$ 2 (For the main antenna and GNSS antenna, respectively)	
Voice			
VoLTE*	Voice over LTE (For Cat M1 only)	Voice over LTE (For Cat M1 only)	
SMS			
Short Message Service	<ul> <li>Point-to-point MO and MT</li> <li>SMS Cell Broadcast</li> <li>Text and PDU Mode</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Point-to-point MO and MT</li> <li>SMS Cell Broadcast</li> <li>Text and PDU Mode</li> </ul>	
Enhanced Features			
GNSS	GPS, GLONASS	GPS, GLONASS	
DFOTA	Delta Firmware Upgrade Over The Air	Delta Firmware Upgrade Over The Air	
PoLTE	Positioning over LTE	Positioning over LTE	
QuecLocator®	Cell ID Positioning	Cell ID Positioning	
QuecOpen®	_	Simplify the development of embedded applications	

#### Notes



<sup>\*:</sup> Under development / in progress.

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LTE Cat M1/NB1/NB2*	BG770A-GL	BG772A-GL	
Software Features			
3GPP	3GPP E-UTRA Release 13/14*	3GPP E-UTRA Release 13/14*	
	• 3GPP TS 27.007	• 3GPP TS 27.007	
AT Commands	<ul><li>3GPP TS 27.005</li><li>Quectel Enhanced AT Commands</li></ul>	<ul><li>3GPP TS 27.005</li><li>Quectel Enhanced AT Commands</li></ul>	
	PPP/ TCP/ UDP/ SSL/ DTLS/ FTP(S)/ HTTP(S)/ NITZ/ PING/	PPP/ TCP/ UDP/ SSL/ DTLS/ FTP(S)/ HTTP(S)/ NITZ/ PING/	
Protocols	NIDD/ MQTT/ NTP/ LwM2M/ CoAP	NIDD/ MQTT/ NTP/ LwM2M/ CoAP	
Firmware Upgrade	• UART	• UART	
	• DFOTA	• DFOTA	
Electrical Features	• USB*	• USB*	
	May 22 days	May 22 dDay	
Output Power	Max. 23 dBm	Max. 23 dBm	
Supply Voltage Range	VBAT_BB: 2.2–4.35 V, Typ. 3.3 V	VBAT_BB: 2.2–4.35 V, Typ. 3.3 V	
	VBAT_RF: 3.1–4.2 V, Typ. 3.3 V Power Saving Mode: 1.4 μA	<b>VBAT_RF:</b> 3.1–4.2 V, Typ. 3.3 V	
	rower Saving Wode. 1.4 µA		
	Sleep Mode (modem disabled): $45~\mu A$		
	Sleep Mode (ECL0):		
	Cat M: 1.1 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s		
	0.06 mA @ eDRX Cycle = 40.96 s; PTW = 1.28 s; DRX = 0.05 mA @ eDRX Cycle = 81.92 s; PTW = 1.28 s; DRX =		
	NB-IoT: 2.2 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s		
	0.16 mA @ eDRX Cycle = 40.96 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX = 0.12 mA @ eDRX Cycle = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX =		
	Idle Mode (ECL0):		
	Cat M: 16.5 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s		
	16.0 mA @ eDRX Cycle = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX =	= 1.28 s	
Power Consumption (Typical)	NB-IoT: 17.0 mA @ DRX = 1.28 s		
	16.0 mA @ eDRX Cycle = 81.92 s; PTW = 2.56 s; DRX =	= 1 28 s	
	25.0 6 65.0.0 67.0.0 62.52.57 2.55.57.51.0.	1.20 0	
	Active Mode (GNSS disabled):		
	Cat M: 189 mA @ 23 dBm, B1/2/3/4/5/18/19/20/25/26/27/6	56	
	201 mA @ 23 dBm, B8/B13		
	225 mA @ 23 dBm, B12/B28		
	NB-IoT (max power mode 3.75 kHz):		
	322 mA @ 23 dBm, B1/B2/B3/B4/B25/B66		
	359 mA @ 23 dBm, B5/B8/B13/B18/B19/B20		
	225 mA @ 23 dBm, B12/B17/B28		
	NB-IoT (max power mode 15 kHz):		
	169 mA @ 23 dBm, B1/B2/B3/B4/B25/B66		
	191 mA @ 23 dBm, B5/B8/B13/B18/B19/B20		
	225 mA @ 23 dBm, B12/B17/B28		

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