

TMP468EVM and TMP468QFNEVM

This user's guide describes the characteristics, operation, and use of both the TMP468EVM and TMP468QFNEVM evaluation boards. This user's guide discusses how to set up and configure the software, reviews the hardware, and reviews various aspects of the software operation. Throughout this document, the terms *evaluation board*, *evaluation module*, and *EVM* are synonymous with the *TMP468EVM* and *TMP468QFNEVM*. This user's guide also includes information regarding operating procedures, the input and output connections, an electrical schematic, printed-circuit board (PCB) layout drawings, and a parts list for the EVM.



Figure 1. TMP468EVM Top Side



Figure 2. TMP468QFNEVM Top Side

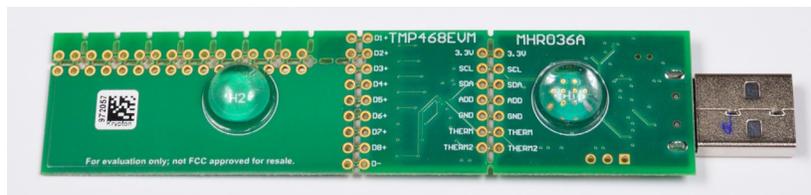


Figure 3. EVM Bottom Side

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1 Overview

The TMP468 is a high-accuracy, low-power, remote temperature sensor monitor with a built-in, local temperature sensor. The remote temperature sensors are typically low-cost, discrete, NPN or PNP transistors, substrate thermal transistors, or diodes that are integral parts of microprocessors, microcontrollers, or field-programmable gate arrays (FPGAs). Temperature is represented as a 12-bit digital code for both the local and remote sensors, providing a resolution of 0.0625°C. The two-wire serial interface accepts the SMBus communication protocol with up to four different pin-programmable addresses.

1.1 EVM Kit Contents

Table 1 details the contents of the EVM kit, and Figure 4 illustrates all of the included hardware. Contact the Texas Instruments Product Information Center nearest you if any component is missing. It is highly recommended that you check the TI website at <http://www.ti.com> to verify that you have the latest versions of the related software.

Table 1. EVM Kit Contents

ITEM	QUANTITY
PCB test board: TMP468EVM or TMP468QFNEVM	1
USB cable extender	1

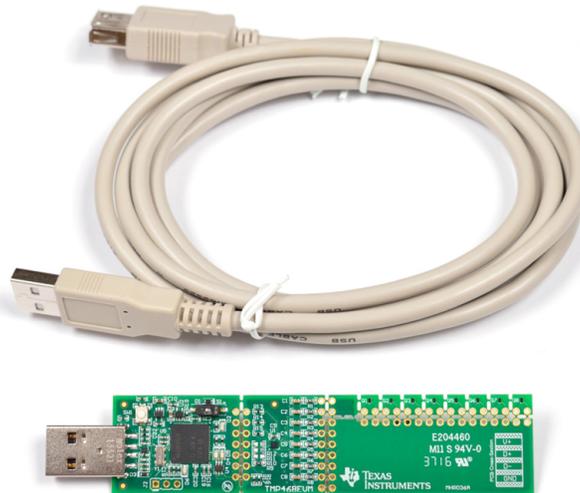


Figure 4. Hardware Included With EVM Kit

1.2 Related Documentation From Texas Instruments

The following documents provide information regarding Texas Instruments integrated circuits used in the assembly of the TMP468EVM and TMP468QFNEVM. This user's guide is available from the TI website under literature number [SBOU184](#). Any letter appended to the literature number corresponds to the document revision that is current at the time of the writing of this document. Newer revisions may be available from the TI website at www.ti.com, or call the Texas Instruments Literature Response Center at (800) 477-8924, or the Product Information Center at (972) 644-5580. When ordering, identify the document by both title and literature number.

Table 2. Related Documentation

DOCUMENT	LITERATURE NUMBER
TMP468 Product Data Sheet	SBOS762

2 Theory of Operation for the EVM Hardware

The EVM consists of three sections that can be separated by breaking the PCB at the perforations. The dashed lines in [Figure 5](#) represent sections of the PCB that can be separated. The left-most section contains a standard USB Type A connector and a [MSP430](#) microcontroller acting as a USB-to-I²C converter. The middle section features the TMP468 device as well as the recommended passive components. The right-most section provides eight discrete transistors that can be used as remote junctions for sensing temperature.

If the left and middle sections of the PCB are separated, they can be reconnected remotely using the 0.1-inch spaced pin holes provided. All of the pin holes serve as test points, and are labeled on the back of the PCB. The middle section featuring TMP468 may be connected to another I²C host for evaluation. In the remote junction section of the PCB, each individual transistor may be separated and re-wired for remote testing.

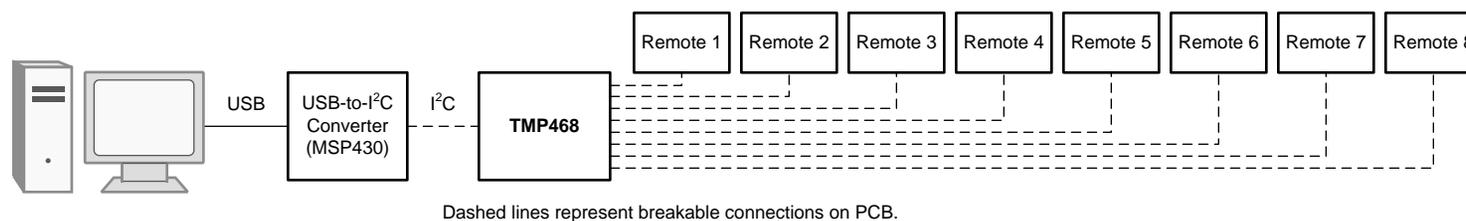


Figure 5. EVM Hardware Overview

3 EVM Hardware Overview

CAUTION

Many components on the EVM are susceptible to damage by electrostatic discharge (ESD). Customers are advised to observe proper ESD handling precautions when unpacking and handling the EVM, including the use of a grounded wrist strap at an approved ESD workstation.

3.1 Connecting the USB Cable to the USB-to-I²C Converter

Figure 6 shows the typical response to connecting the USB-to-I²C converter board to a PC USB port for the first time. Typically, the computer responds with a *Found New Hardware, USB device* pop-up dialog. The pop-up window then typically changes to *Found New Hardware, USB Human Interface Device*. This pop-up indicates that the device is ready to be used. The USB-to-I²C converter uses the human interface device drivers that are part of the Microsoft Windows® operating system.

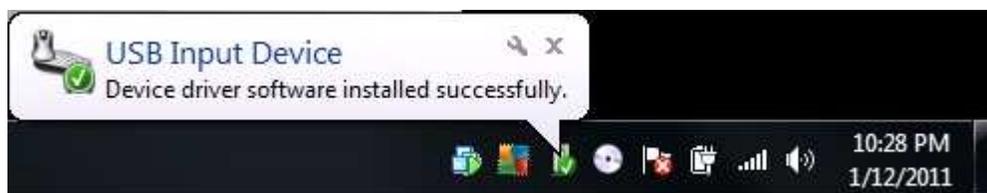


Figure 6. Confirmation of USB-to-I²C Converter Driver Installation

In some cases, the Windows *Add Hardware Wizard* is shown. If this prompt occurs, allow the system device manager to install the human interface drivers by clicking *Yes* when requested to install drivers. Windows confirms installation of the drivers with the message shown in Figure 6.

3.2 EVM Features

This section describes some of the hardware features present on the EVM.

3.2.1 USB-to-I²C Converter Firmware

The USB-to-I²C converter included in the EVM is based on [MSP430F5528](#). The microcontroller is preloaded with firmware that enables its use as a USB-to-I²C converter. Push button SW1 and unpopulated pin hole header J2 are available for BSL and SBW programming, respectively. However, the included firmware is necessary for correct operation of the EVM-GUI software.

3.2.2 USB-to-I²C Converter 3.3-V Regulator

Use switch S1 to disable the onboard 3.3-V regulator. This regulator powers the TMP468 through the test point on the back of the EVM labeled 3.3 V. When the regulator is disabled, the 3.3-V test point can be connected to an external source between 1.7 V to 3.6 V. LED D2 indicates power to the 3.3-V test point, and thus power to the TMP468.

3.2.3 USB-to-I²C Converter THERM Indicators

LEDs D4 and D5 indicate the status of the TMP468 THERM and THERM2 pin holes, respectively. These LEDs are driven by an inverter, therefore the LEDs illuminate when a THERM event is asserted by the TMP468.

3.2.4 TMP468 Serial Bus Address

The TMP468 can be configured for one of four serial bus addresses depending on the state of the ADD pin hole, as shown in [Table 3](#). The EVM ships with resistor R9 populated by a 0-Ω resistor, shown in [Figure 7](#). This R9 resistor sets the default address of the EVM to 48h (hex).

Table 3. TMP468 Slave Address Options

CORRESPONDING EVM RESISTOR	ADD PIN HOLE CONNECTION	SLAVE ADDRESS	
		BINARY	HEX
R9	GND	1001000	48
R10	V+	1001001	49
R11	SDA	1001010	4A
R12	SCL	1001011	4B



Figure 7. EVM Address Pin Hole Connections

3.2.5 Shunt Resistor

Shunt resistor R13 connects directly to the TMP468 device. R13 can be removed or replaced in order to directly measure the current consumption of the TMP468 device.

3.2.6 RC Filter

Each remote channel features an RC Filter. Resistors R1 through R8 and capacitors C1 through C8 comprise the RC filter for each respective channel.

3.2.7 Remote Junction Transistors

The EVM features eight MMBT3904LP transistors for use as remote temperature sensors. Each transistor is perforated so that it can be separated from the EVM, as shown in [Figure 8](#). The schematic connections for each transistor section is shown in [Figure 9](#).



Figure 8. Remote Junction Transistors

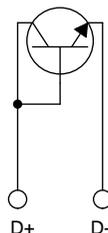


Figure 9. Connection for NPN Transistors Q1 to Q8

4 TMP468EVM Software Overview

This section discusses how to install the EVM software.

4.1 TMP468EVM Software Installation

The EVM software is tested on both the Microsoft Windows 7 and 10 operating system (OS). The software also functions on other Windows operating systems. The EVM software is available through the EVM product folder on the TI website through the hyperlink. The hyperlink will redirect to the TI Cloud where a common repository of all published applications using GUI Composer framework. The applications can run directly from the Gallery with minimal install, or can be downloaded from the Gallery with runtime to run on a desktop local machine. The applications is supported to use on many platforms (web, Windows, Linux, OSX); however, Linux and OSX might require additional drivers. To download the software to your system, follow the instructions below.

4.1.1 Running GUI Online

Go to the TMP468EVM web page on the TI website: <http://www.ti.com/tool/TMP468EVM>. Scroll down to the “Software” section and click on the hyperlink to download the latest evaluation software, or go to <http://dev.ti.com/gallery/> for a direct link to the Gallery. It might require login user account privileges to use the online version, as well as the installation of the applications. On the top-middle of the Gallery main page, navigate to the search box and type TMP468EVM GUI as shown in [Figure 10](#).

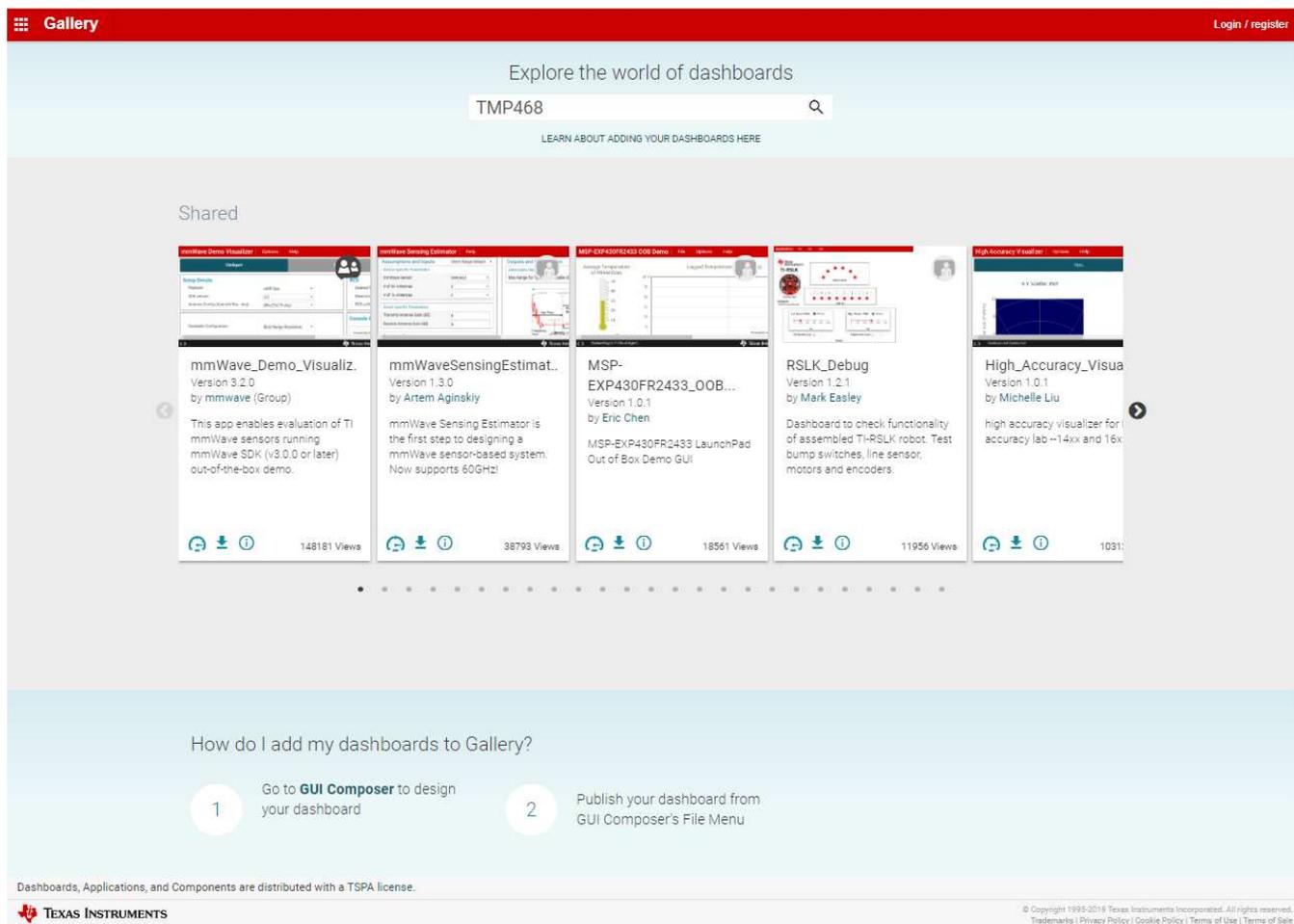


Figure 10. Gallery Home Page

Click on the TMP468EVM GUI icon. Users may be prompted to download and install the browser extensions for Firefox or Chrome, and the TI Cloud Agent Application for the first time. Click on Agree and Proceed. After this, the TMP468GUI should launch in your browser window.

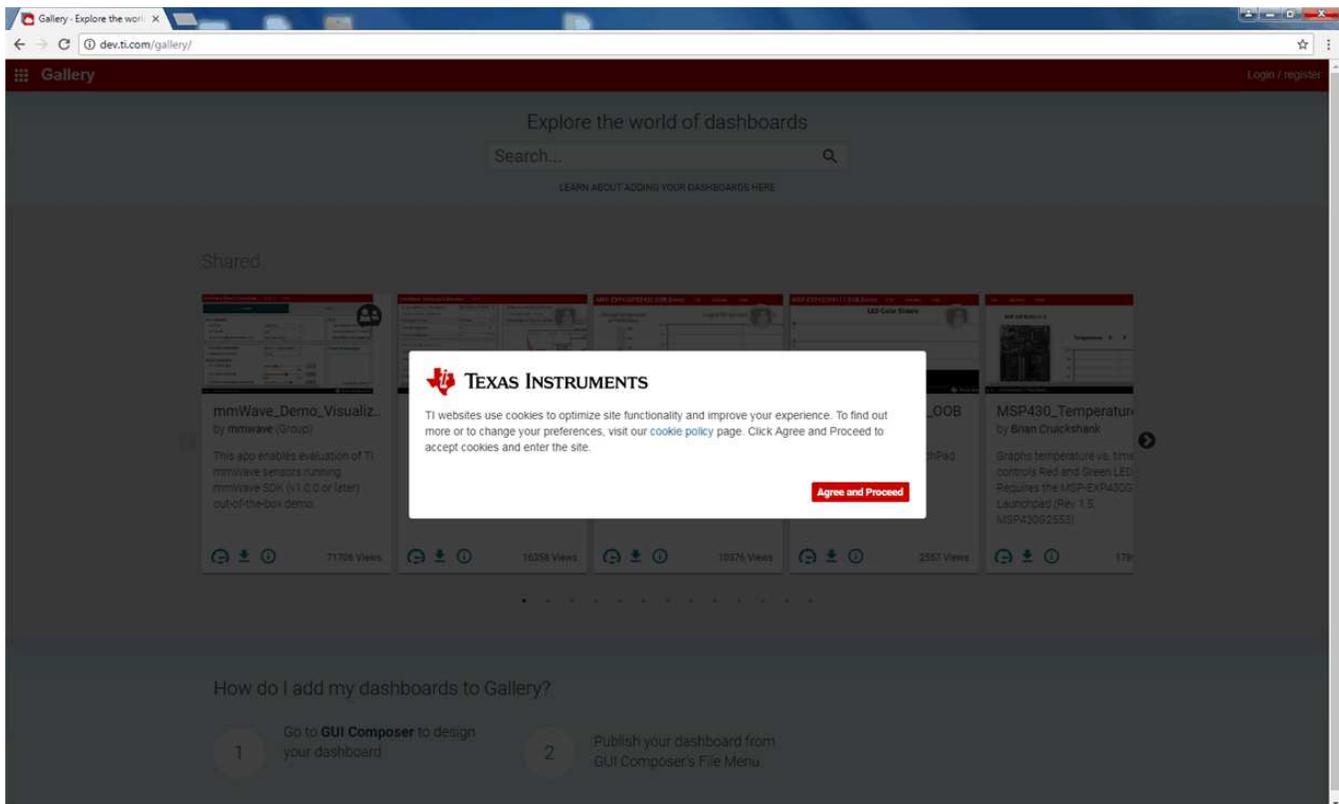


Figure 11. Cookies Agreement

4.1.2 Running GUI on Desktop

In the TMP468EVM GUI icon, click on the download icon to download the TMP468EVM_GUI_installer_win.zip. When the pop-up screen appears, select the desired platform to install into your local machine as shown in [Figure 12](#).

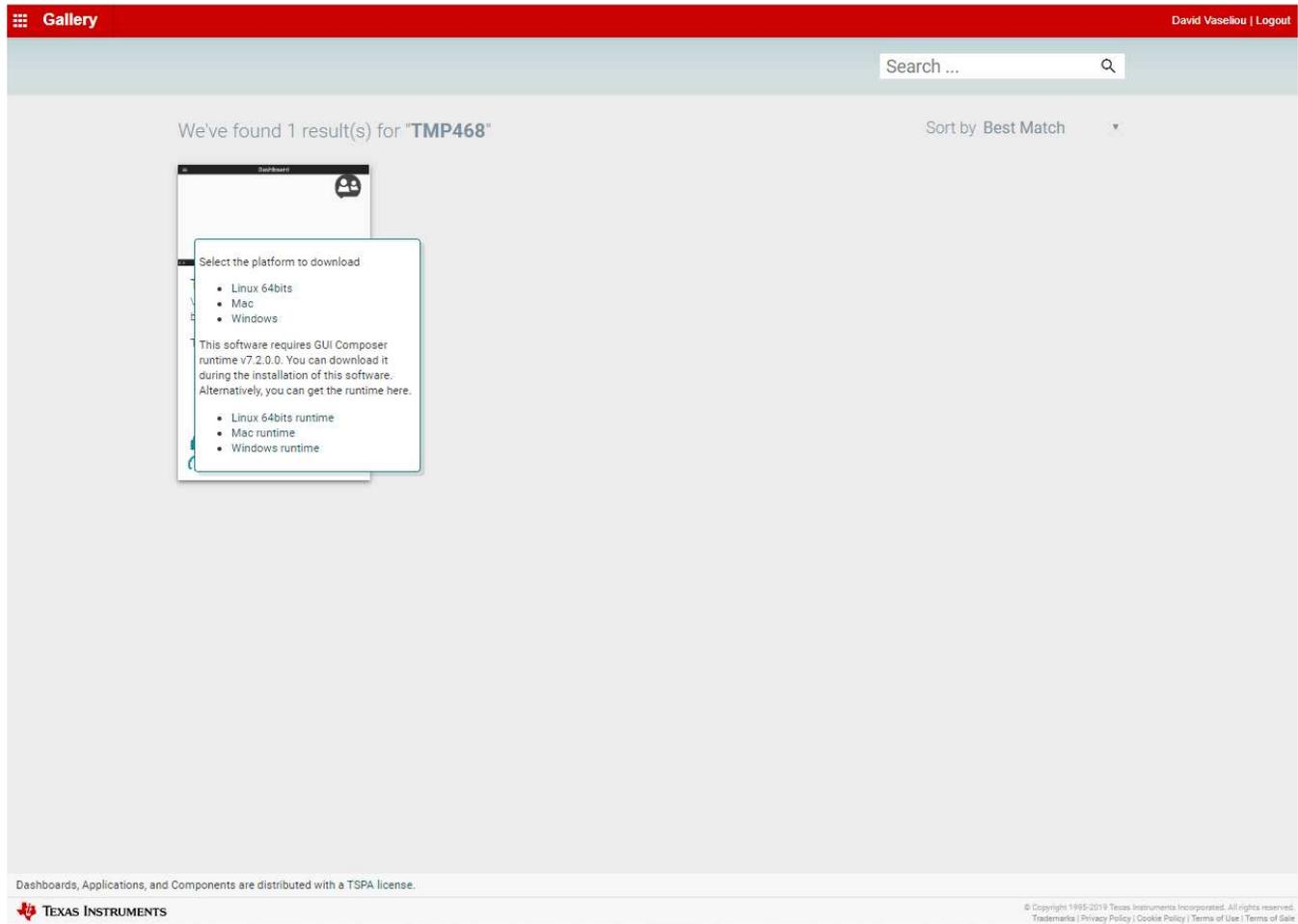


Figure 12. TMP468EVM GUI Download From the Gallery

Unzip the downloaded file into a known directory, and run the “TMP468EVM_GUI-1.0.0.setupwin_7.2.0.exe” file located in [Unzipped location]. The EVM software installer then begins the installation process. Follow the on-screen instructions by clicking the “Next” button to install the GUI Composer runtime engine. If it is the first-time installation, the TMP468EVM GUI requires the GUI Composer runtime engine v7.2 to operate properly.



Figure 13. GUI Composer Runtime Wizard

Read through the License Agreement, click the checkbox if you agree, and click "Next".

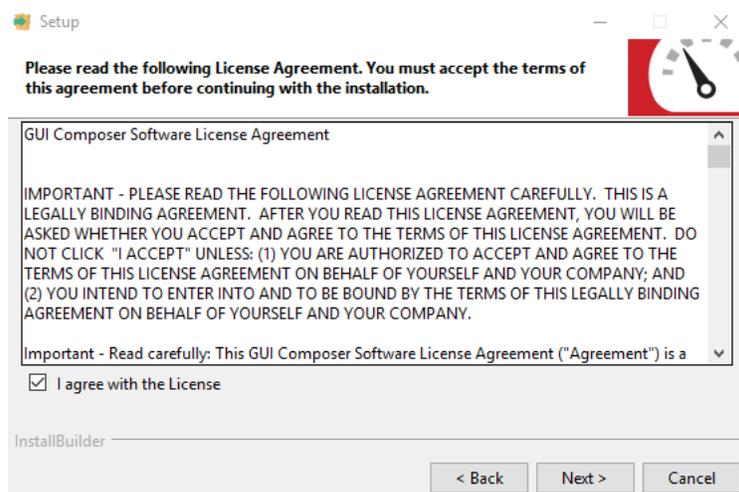


Figure 14. TMP468EVM GUI License Agreement

Click on the "Next" button to accept the default installation directory. Installation takes some time to complete.

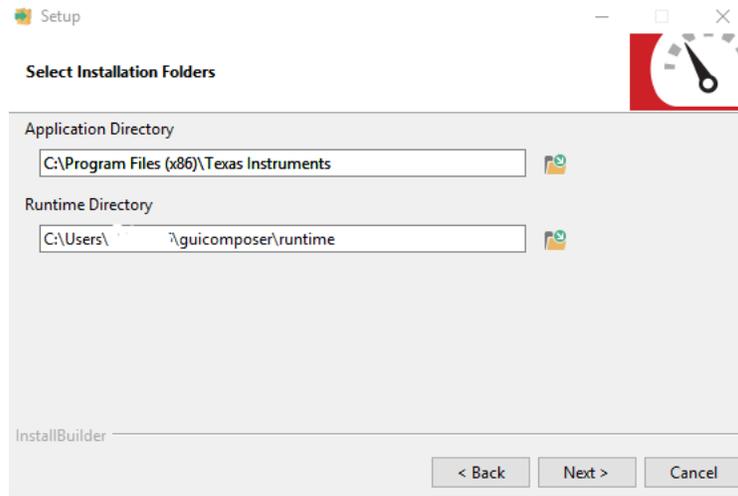


Figure 15. GUI Composer Installation Directory

Click "Next" to start the installation.

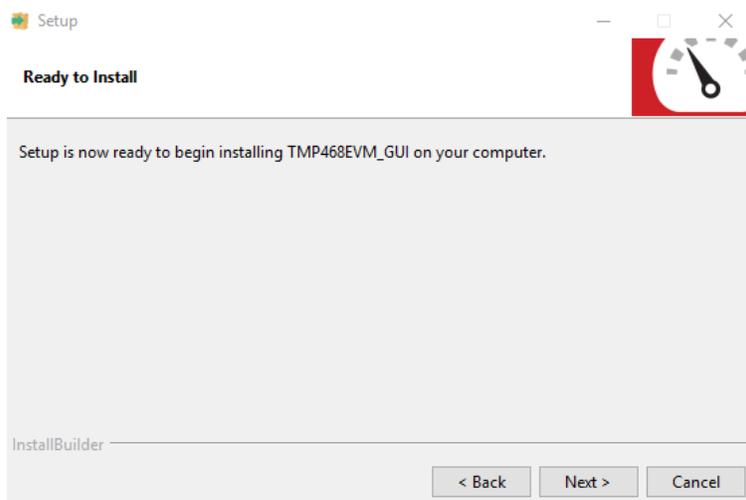


Figure 16. Ready to Install

The TMP468EVM GUI will start to install as shown in [Figure 17](#)

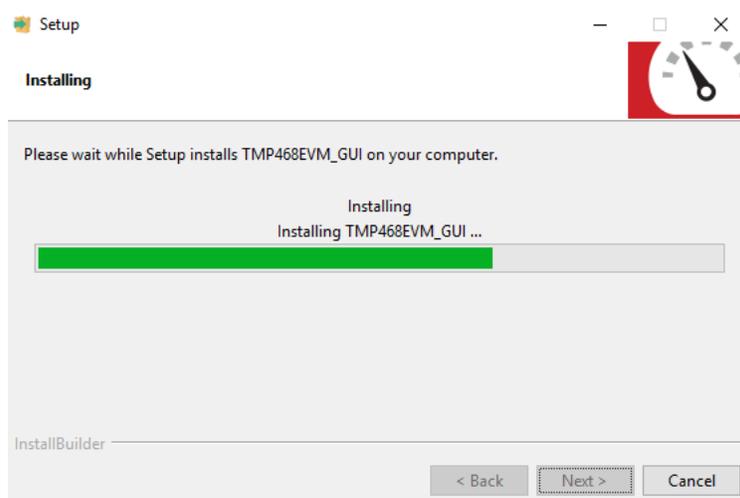


Figure 17. Installing GUI Composer Runtime

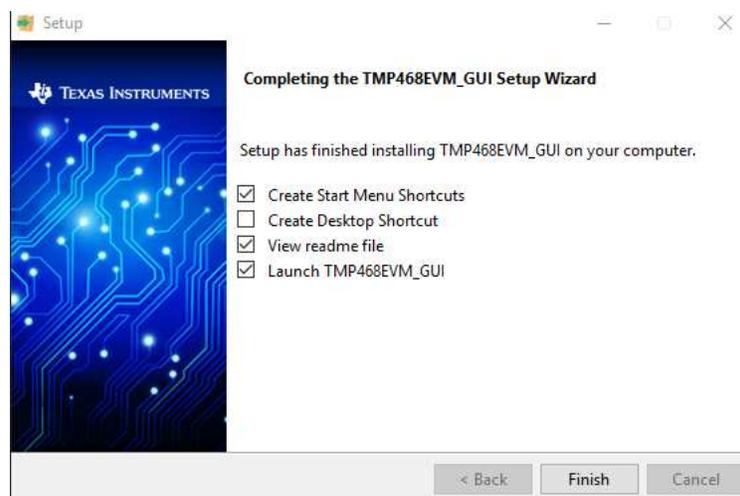


Figure 18. TMP468EVM Installation Finish

Read the readme file and close it out after you are done. If you choose to Launch TMP468_GUI, it should launch shortly after closing the readme file.

4.2 Using the TMP468EVM Software

4.2.1 Launching and Running the Software

The TMP468EVM GUI can be run from TI Cloud repository (<http://dev.ti.com/gallery/>) from the Firefox or Chrome browser, or from Windows desktop offline. Start the launch by connecting the TMP468EVM to a USB port on a PC.

Launch the TMP468EVM software by clicking on the TMP468EVM GUI icon in the Gallery or the Windows offline app. The TMP468EVM GUI should automatically initialize and connect to the HID port. A successful connection will show “HARDWARE CONNECTED” on the bottom of the GUI status indicator. If there is a connection problem, verify if the TMP468EVM has an established connection with the PC. If the GUI failed to connect, the status indicator shows as “HARDWARE NOT CONNECTED”.

Once connected to the GUI, the software will change the default settings of the N-Factor Correction and will unlock the registers for user convenience. If the user tries to write to the device while the register map is locked, the device will send a NACK which will disconnect the device from the GUI. The software updates the N-Factor to more closely reflect the N-Factor of the transistors on the EVM. Further adjustments to the N-Factor correction register may be needed as N-factor of the transistors can vary.

4.2.2 Home Tab

When the TMP468EVM GUI is launched, the Home tab will be selected and shown by default. You can navigate to any one of the other five tabs on this page. On the left, you will see the tab bar that will be available on every tab in the GUI. Clicking on a tab icon will bring you to the respective tab. On the bottom, you will see the same list of icons with a short description of each of the tabs. Similarly to the tab bar icons, these icons will also bring you to the respective tab.

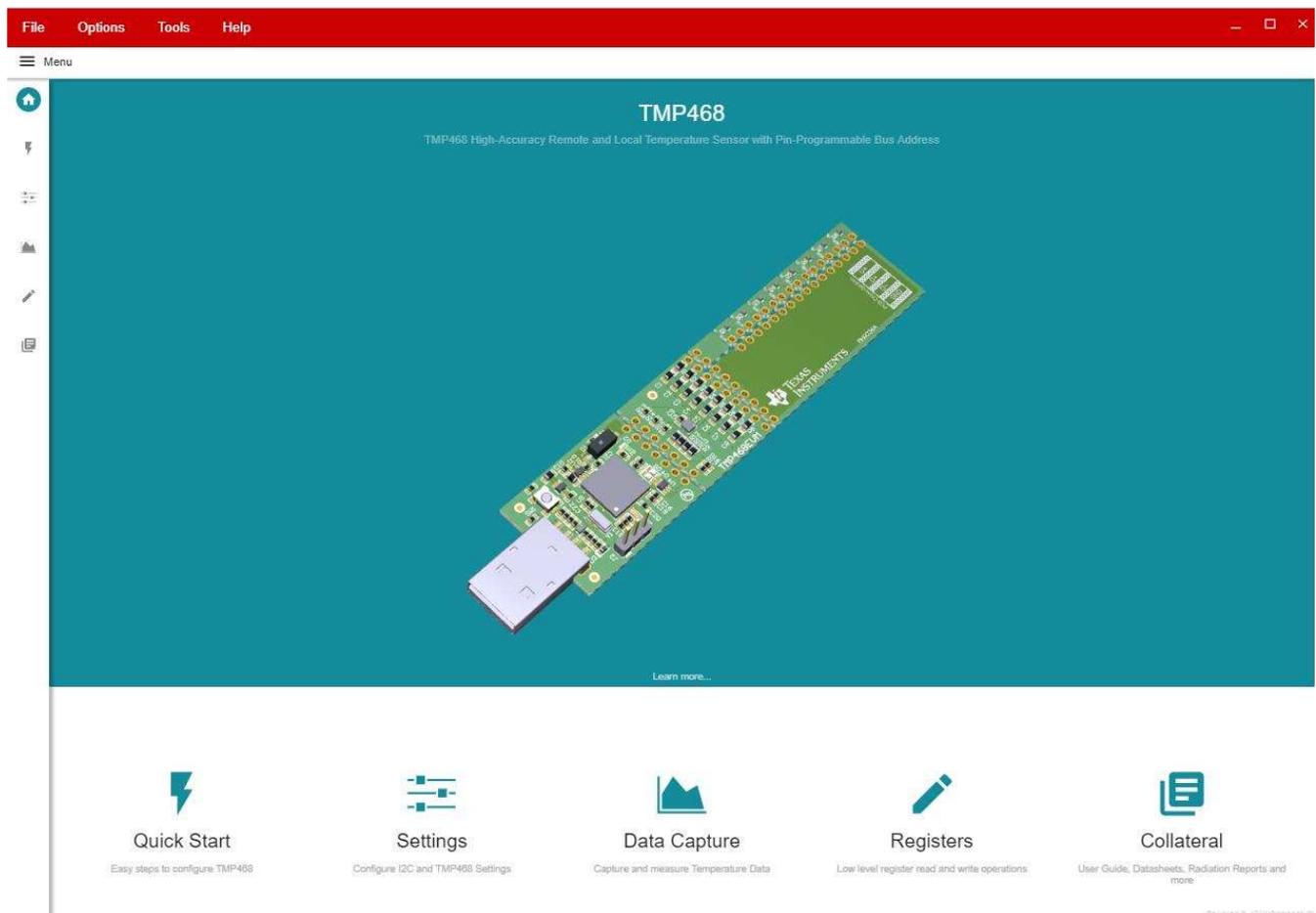


Figure 19. TMP468EVM Home Tab

4.2.3 Quick Start Tab

The Quick Start Tab is used to guide the user through the basic settings of the TMP468EVM. The user can choose to either use default settings or be guided through the setup. Choosing to use default settings will take you straight to the Data Capture Tab. After choosing default settings, the user can always go back to the Quick Start Tab and choose to be guided through the setup or change the device settings in the Basic Settings Tab.

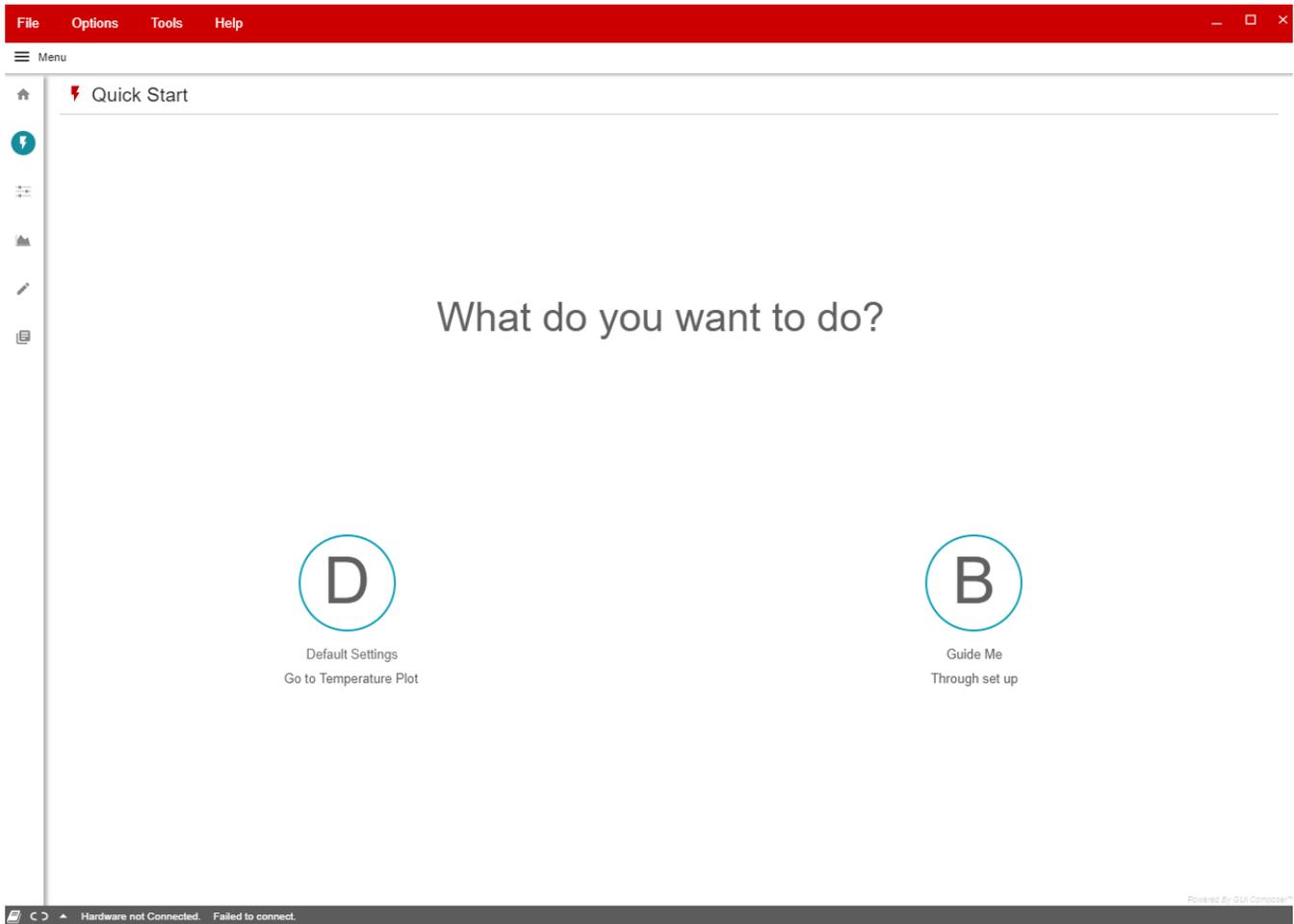


Figure 20. TMP468EVM Quick Start Tab

If you choose to be guided through the setup, you will see a page that will make sure the TMP468EVM is connected correctly. Select the I2C address that correlates to in which the ADD pin is set. If it is connected correctly, click the "YES" button and a list of high-level settings to configure will appear as seen in Figure 22.

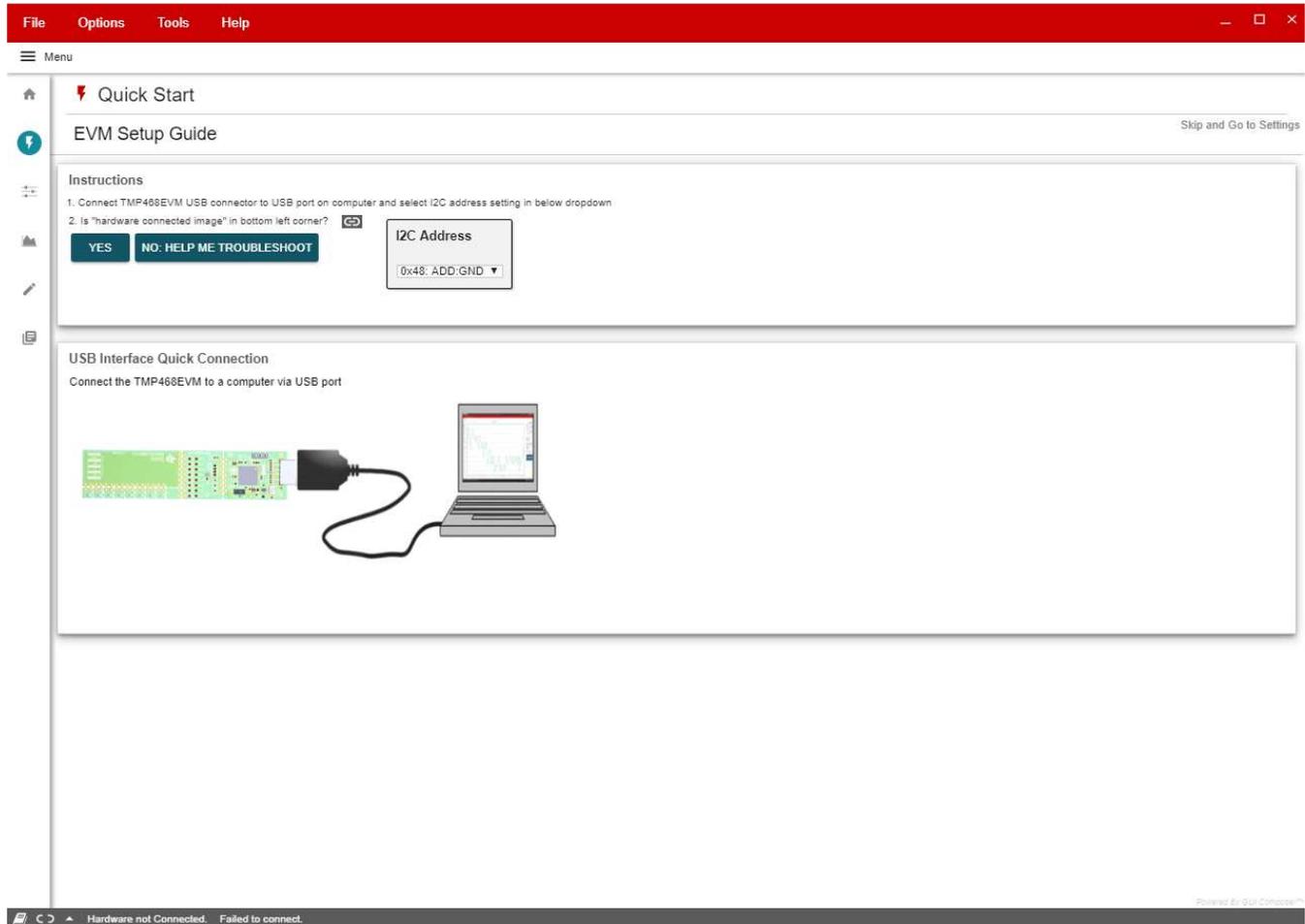


Figure 21. Quick Start Connection Check

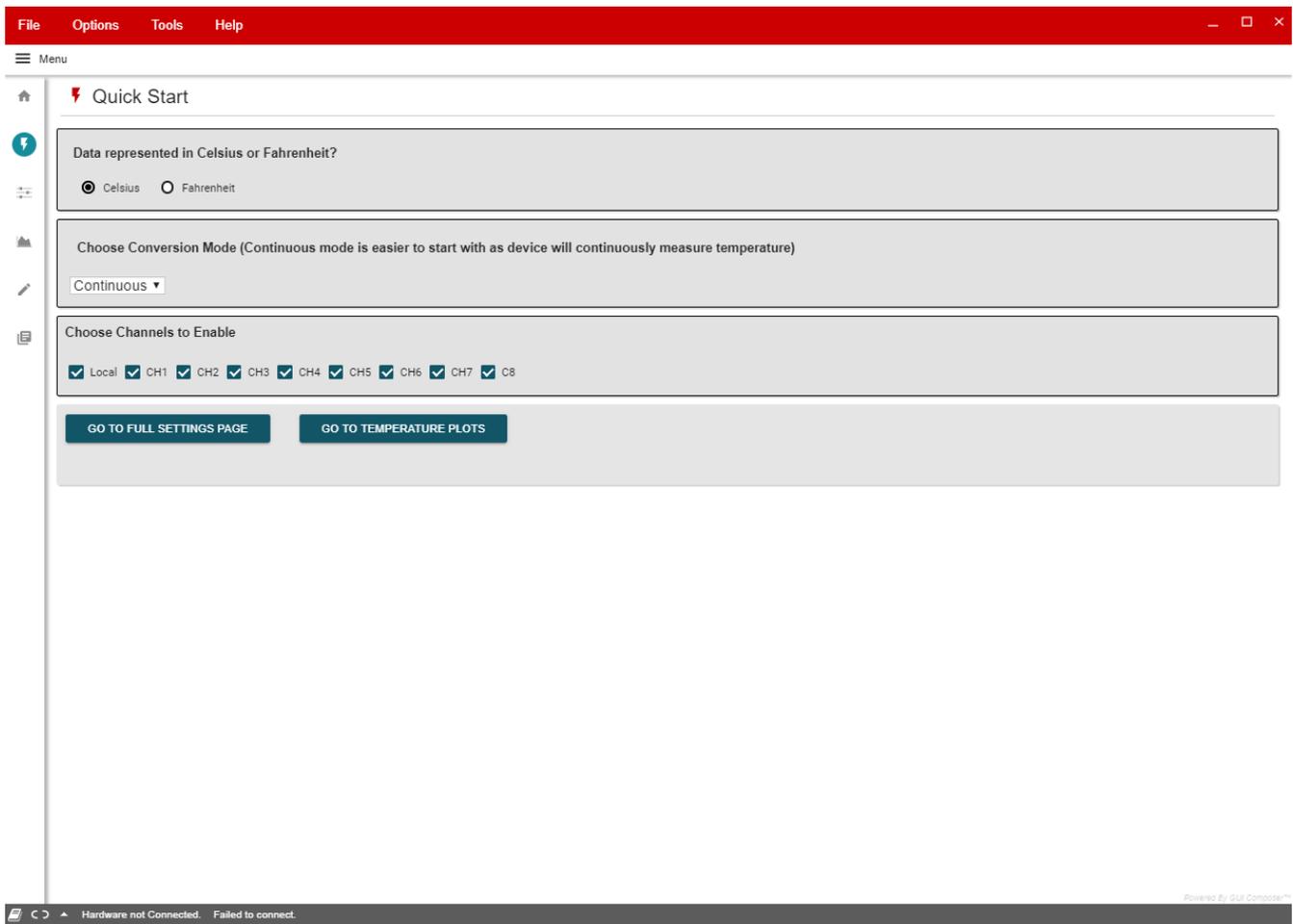


Figure 22. Quick Start Guide

At the bottom of these settings, you will see a choice to go to the Basic Settings tab where a more extensive list of settings will be, or go to the Data Capture tab.

4.2.4 Basic Settings Tab

The Basic Settings tab is where all the device settings along with I2C settings are configured.

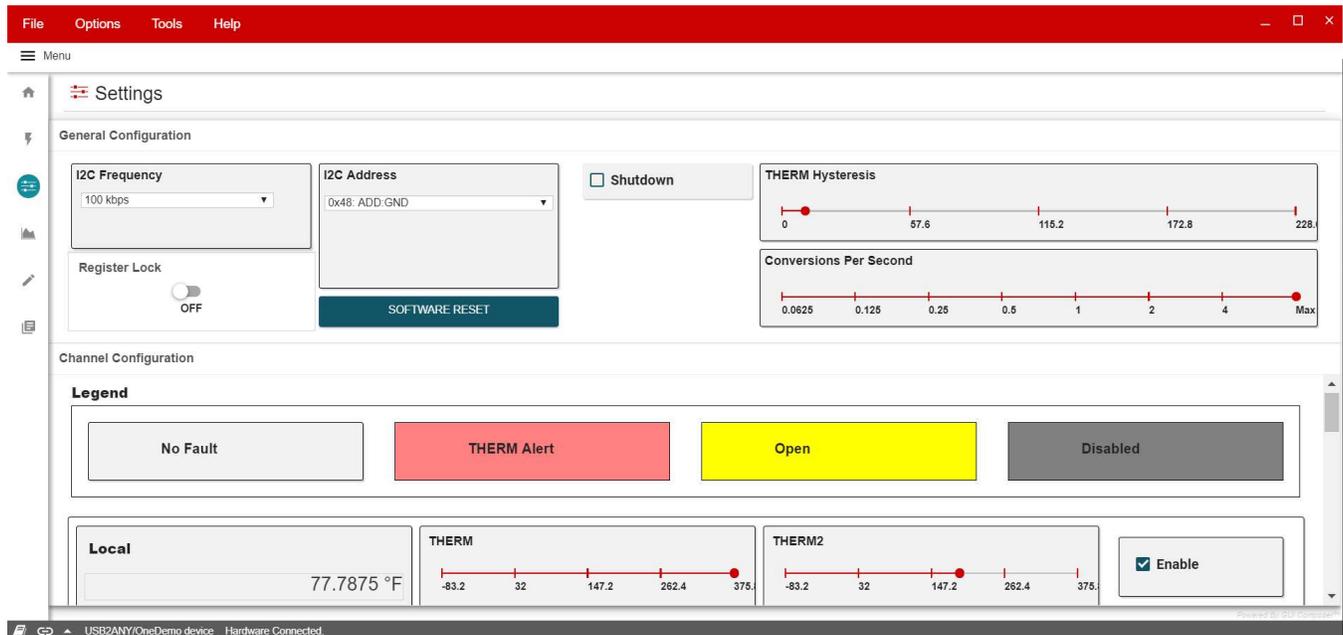


Figure 23. TMP468EVM Basic Settings Tab

4.2.4.1 I2C Configuration

I2C Frequency: this drop-down sets the I2C clock frequency to either 100 kbps or 400 kbps

I2C Address: this displays the I2C address of the TMP468

Software Reset: clicking this push button will send a software reset to the device

Register Lock: this toggle switch will lock or unlock the registers

4.2.4.2 Device Configuration

Shutdown: setting this checkbox will place the device into shutdown mode

Conversion per second: this slider will set how many temperature conversions the TMP468 will perform per second

THERM Hysteresis: this slider will set the THERM hysteresis value

4.2.4.3 Channel Configuration

The TMP468EVM has one local channel and eight remote channels. The Channel Configuration section is where the settings for specific channels can be configured.

4.2.4.3.1 Local

Temperature Reading: displays the temperature of the channel

THERM Limit: this slider sets the THERM limit threshold

THERM2 Limit: this slider sets the THERM2 limit threshold

Enable: this checkbox will enable this channel to calculate new temperature data during a conversion cycle

4.2.4.3.2 Remote1-8

Temperature Reading: displays the temperature of the channel

THERM Limit: this slider sets the THERM limit threshold

THERM2 Limit: this slider sets the THERM2 limit threshold

Remote Offset: this number spinner will set the temperature offset of the remote channel temperature reading

N-Factor Correction: this number spinner is used to adjust for the N-factor of the remote BJT. Set this spinner to the N-factor of the remote BJT that is connected to the TMP468EVM

Enable: this checkbox will enable this channel to calculate new temperature data during a conversion cycle

4.2.5 Data Capture Tab

The Data Capture Tab is where the temperature readings as well as the set temperature thresholds will be graphed.

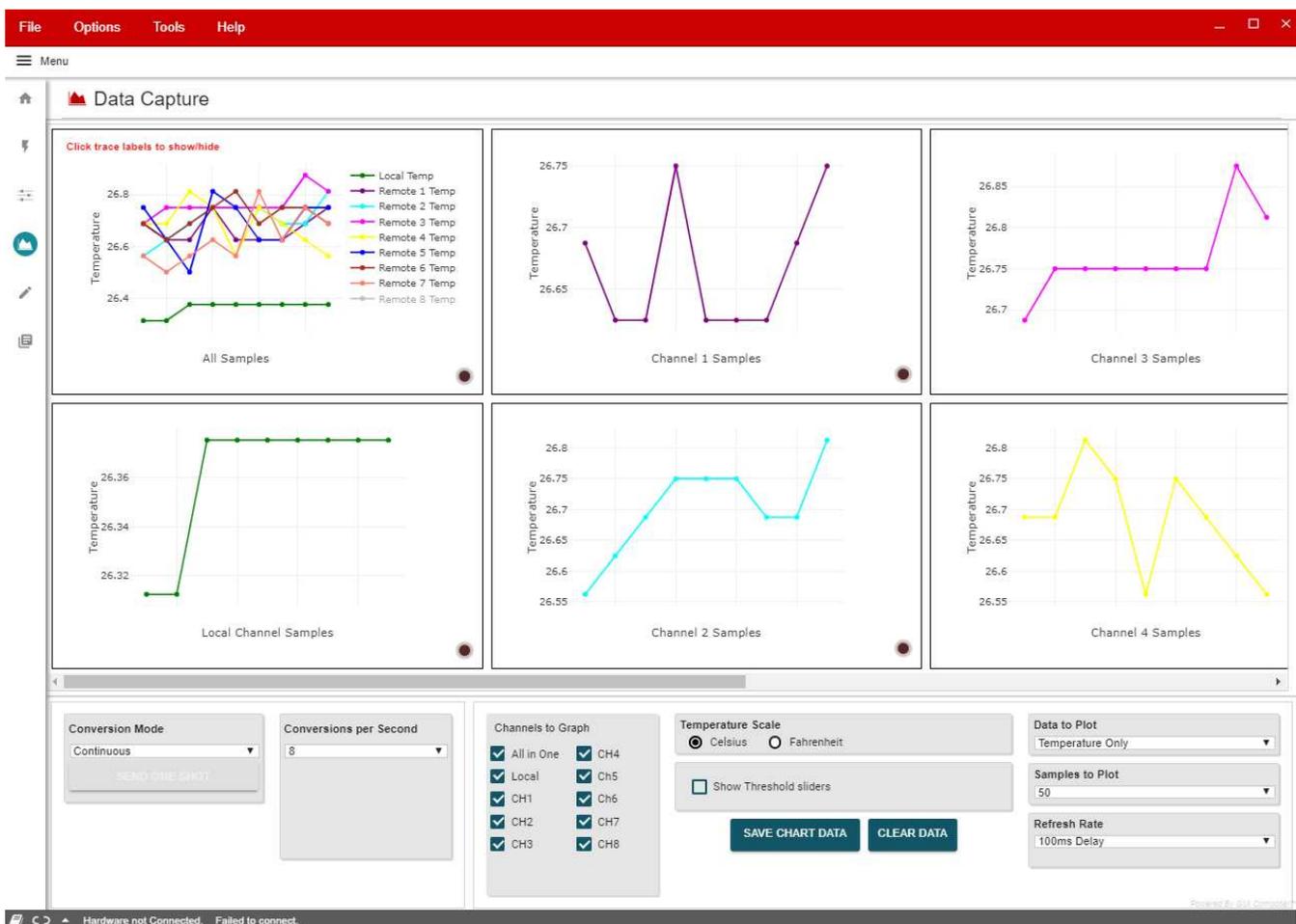


Figure 24. TMP468EVM Basic Settings Tab

In the bottom-left of the Data Capture tab, there is a list of some device configurations that are also found on the Basic Settings tab with the addition of the "SEND ONE SHOT" button. This button will enable only when the conversion mode is set to "Shutdown." When this button is clicked, a One Shot command will be sent to the device and a single temperature conversion will be done.

At the bottom-right of the Data Capture tab, there are the GUI settings. These settings change how the GUI will handle the data collected from the TMP468EVM.

Channels to Graph: these checkboxes enable and disable specific channels as well as hide the respective graph

Temperature Scale: this radio button group sets the units the temperature information is displayed

Show Threshold Sliders: setting this check box will show the threshold sliders to the right of the graph as well as displays for the temperature readings

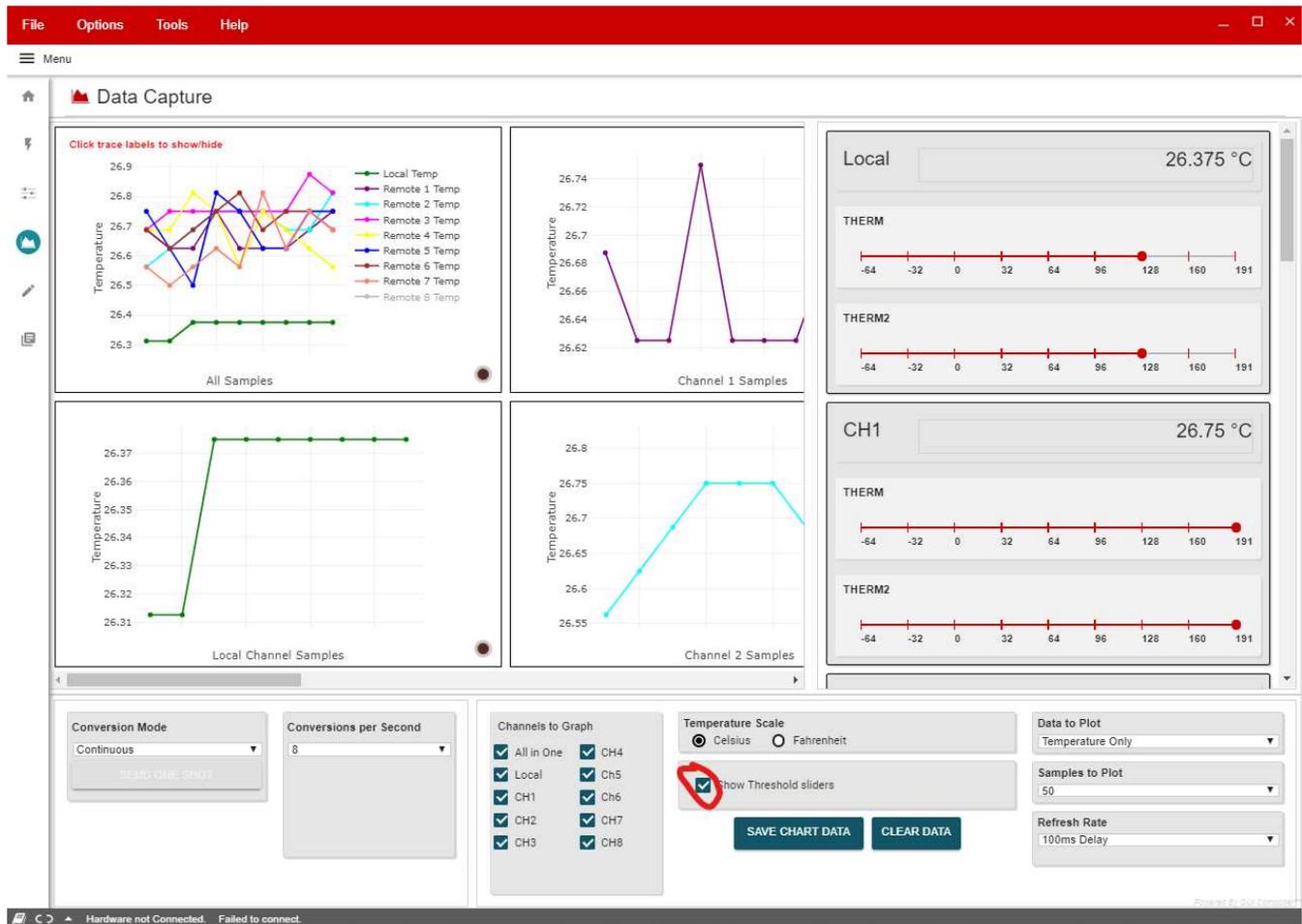


Figure 25. Threshold Sliders

Graph: this is where the temperature data and thresholds are plotted. Clicking on the traces in the legend at the top-right will hide/show different traces. Hovering over the graph will display different point information, and other feature icons will appear at the top-right.

Data to Plot: this drop-down determines which data is plotted on the graph

Samples to Plot: this drop-down sets how many samples are plotted on the graph

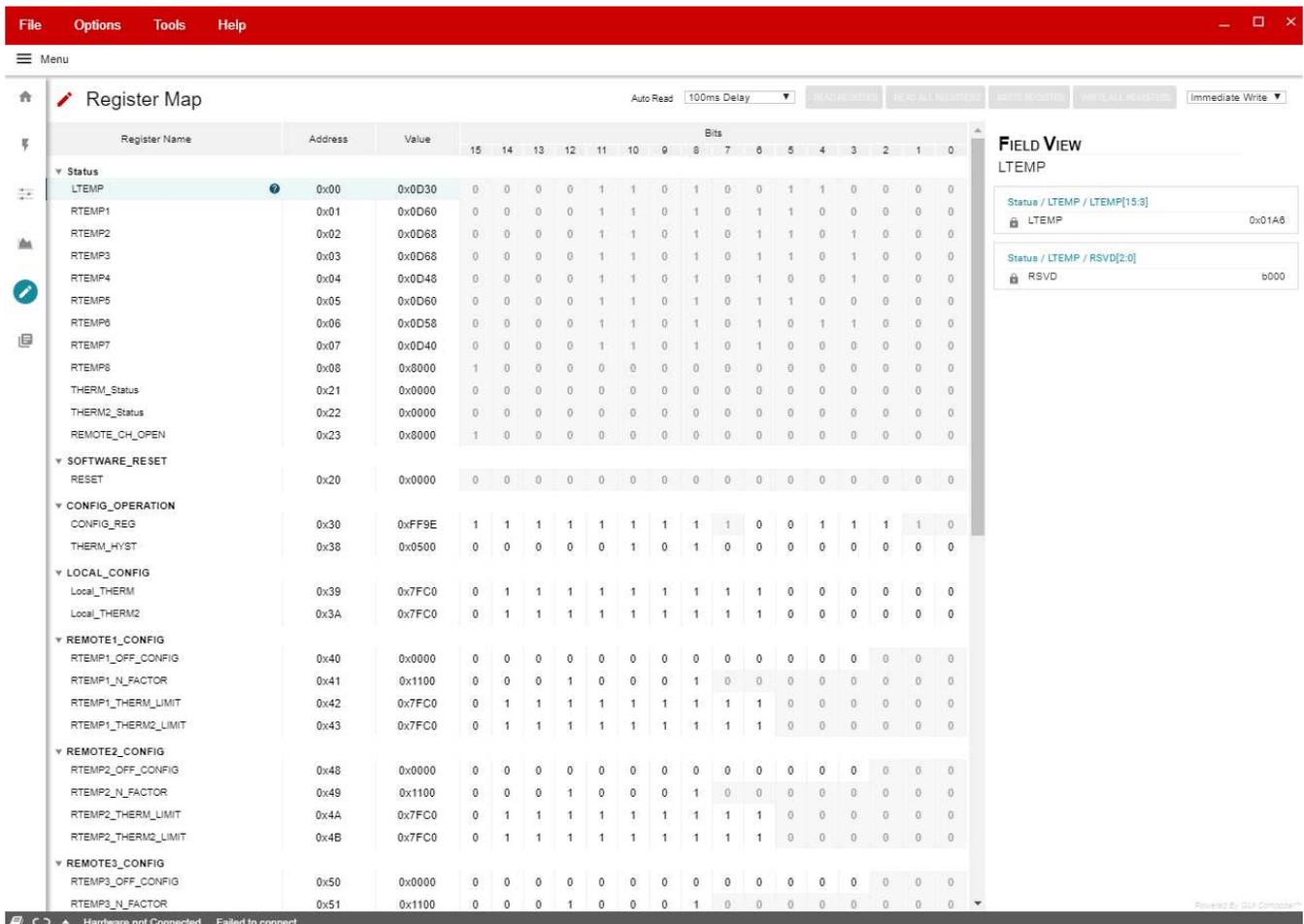
Refresh Rate: this drop-down sets the desired time frame to fetch the register data. This is directly tied to the Auto-read drop-down on the Register Tab

Save Data: clicking this button will save the plotted data into an .csv file

Clear Data: clicking this button will clear all the data that is plotted on the graph

4.2.6 Register Tab

The Register Map page shown in [Figure 26](#) allows low-level access to all the I2C registers of the TMP468 device. Clicking on the question mark to the right of the Register Name will bring up an extraction short version from the data sheet describing that register. Clicking on a specific Register Name will populate the Field View to on the right side of the screen. The Field View describes each bit field within that register. The “Registers” tab provides access to the registers raw data of the TMP468. Changes to the basic settings page are mirrored here, and vice versa.



The screenshot shows the Register Map software interface. At the top, there is a menu bar with 'File', 'Options', 'Tools', and 'Help'. Below the menu bar, there are buttons for 'READ REGISTER', 'READ ALL REGISTERS', 'WRITE REGISTER', and 'WRITE ALL REGISTERS', along with an 'Immediate Write' dropdown. The main area is a table with columns for 'Register Name', 'Address', 'Value', and 'Bits' (15 to 0). The table lists various registers such as LTEMP, RTEMP1 through RTEMP8, THERM_Status, THERM2_Status, REMOTE_CH_OPEN, SOFTWARE_RESET, CONFIG_OPERATION, LOCAL_CONFIG, REMOTE1_CONFIG, REMOTE2_CONFIG, and REMOTE3_CONFIG. On the right side, there is a 'FIELD VIEW' panel for the selected 'LTEMP' register, showing bit fields like 'Status / LTEMP / LTEMP[15:3]' and 'RSVD'.

Figure 26. TMP468EVM Register Tab

Read Registers: performs a single read for the selected register.

Read All Registers: performs a read for all registers contents.

Auto Read: allows the user to set the desired time frame to fetch the register data.

4.2.7 Collateral

The Collateral Tab as shown in [Figure 27](#) contains links to web documents pertinent to the TMP468EVM. The page is divided into four sections: (1) User Guide, (2) Datasheet, (3) Application Notes, and (4) MSP432 Firmware.

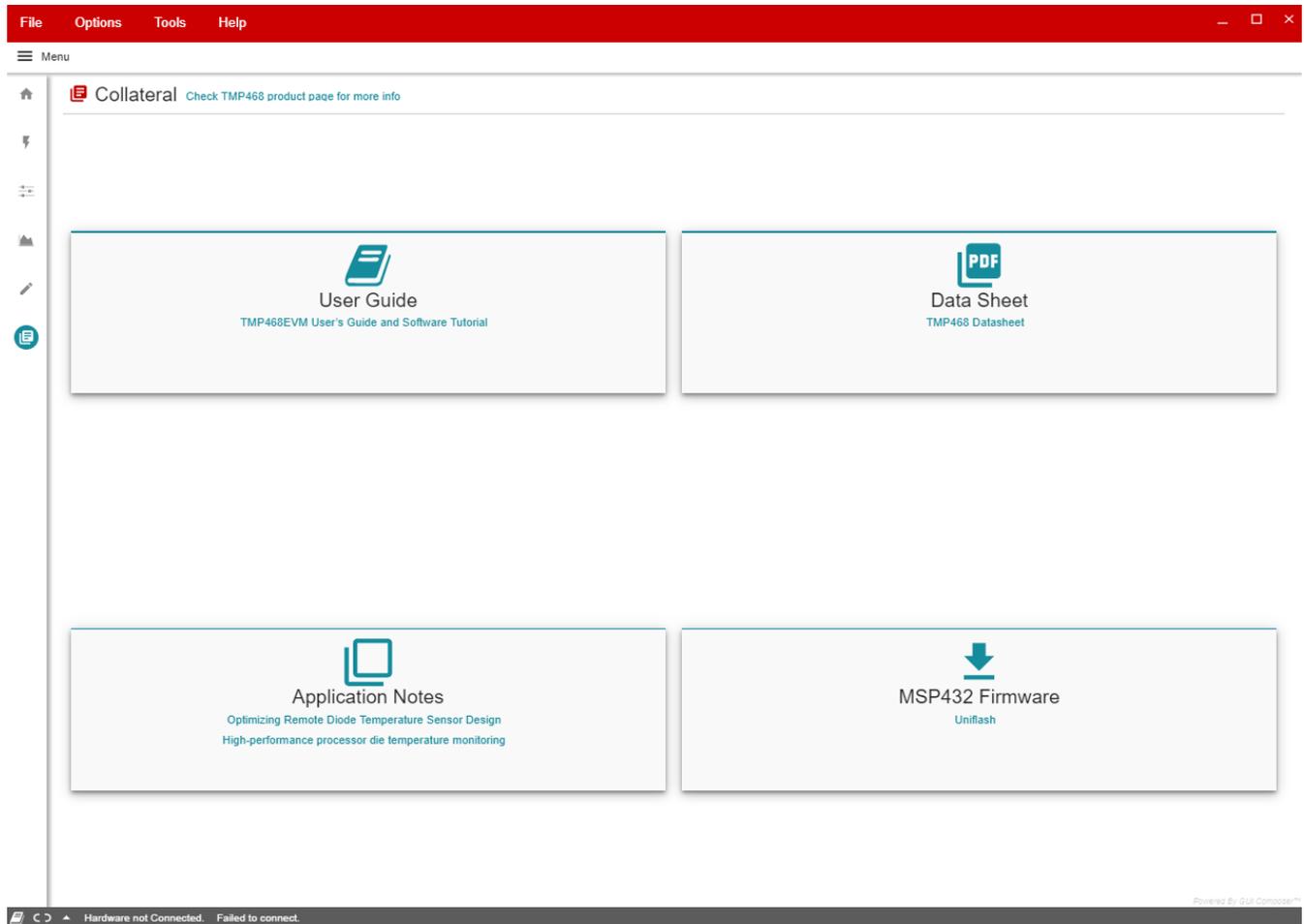


Figure 27. TMP468EVM Collateral Tab

5 EVM Documentation

This section contains the schematic diagram, layout, and complete bill of materials (BOM) for the EVM.

5.1 EVM Board Schematic

Figure 28 shows the schematic for the TMP468EVM board. The TMP468QFNEVM board is the same, except that U1 is labeled TMP468AIRGTR.

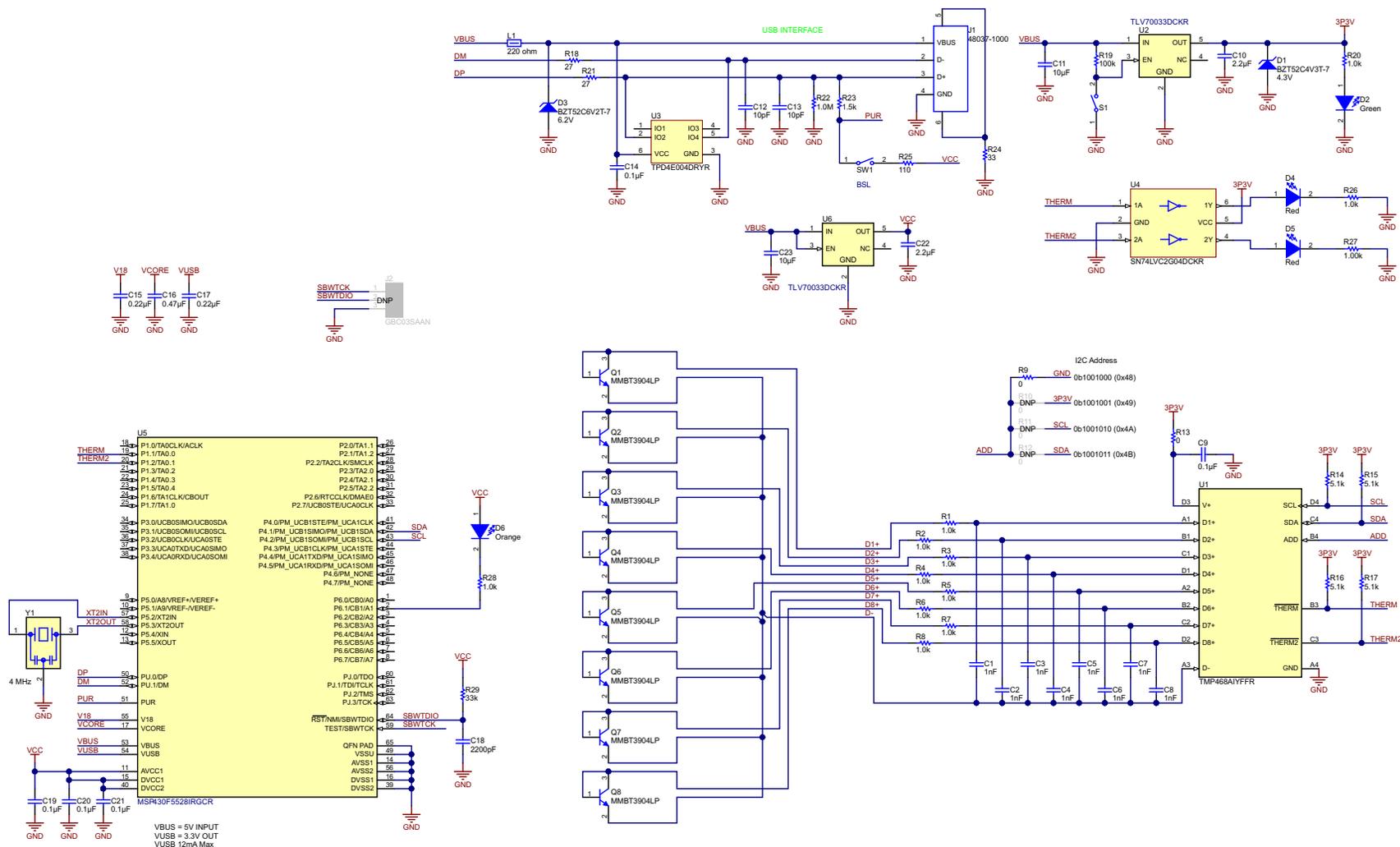


Figure 28. EVM Board Schematic

5.2 EVM PCB Components Layout

Figure 29 shows the layout of the components for the TMP468EVM board. Figure 30 shows the layout of the components for the TMP468QFNEVM board.

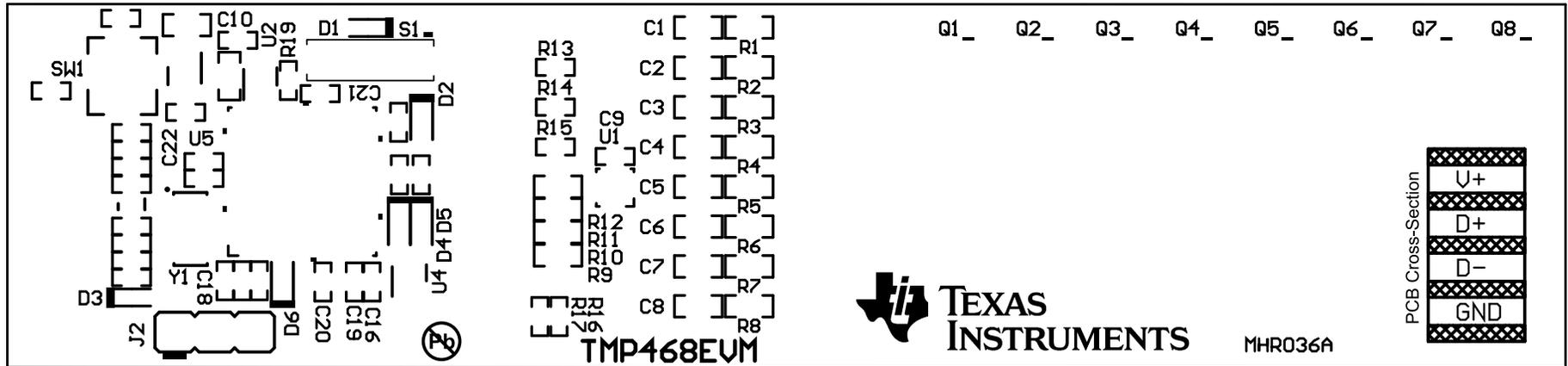


Figure 29. TMP468EVM Components Layout

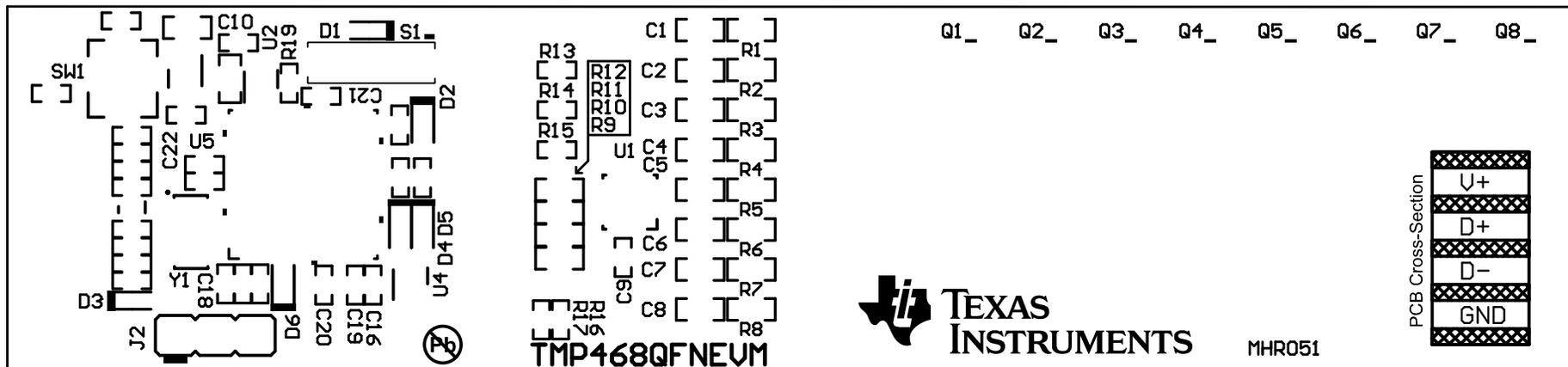


Figure 30. TMP468QFNEVM Components Layout

5.3 EVM Bill of Materials

Table 4 lists the bill of materials for the EVM.

Table 4. EVM Bill of Materials

DESIGNATOR	QUANTITY	VALUE	DESCRIPTION	PACKAGE REFERENCE	PART NUMBER	MANUFACTURER
!PCB1	1		Printed-Circuit Board		MHR036 or MHR051	Any
C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7, C8	8	1000 pF	CAP, CERM, 1000 pF, 50 V, +/- 5%, C0G/NP0, 0603	0603	C0603C102J5GACTU	Kemet
C9, C14, C19, C20, C21	5	0.1 uF	CAP, CERM, 0.1 µF, 16 V, +/- 5%, X7R, 0402	0402	GRM155R71C104JA88D	MuRata
C10, C22	2	2.2 uF	CAP, CERM, 2.2 µF, 16 V, +/- 10%, X5R, 0402	0402	GRM155R61C225KE11D	MuRata
C11, C23	2	10 uF	CAP, CERM, 10 µF, 10 V, +/- 20%, X5R, 0603	0603	C1608X5R1A106M080AC	TDK
C12, C13	2	10 pF	CAP, CERM, 10 pF, 50 V, +/- 5%, C0G/NP0, 0402	0402	GRM1555C1H100JA01D	MuRata
C15, C17	2	0.22 uF	CAP, CERM, 0.22 µF, 10 V, +/- 10%, X5R, 0402	0402	C1005X5R1A224K050BC	TDK
C16	1	0.47 uF	CAP, CERM, 0.47 µF, 10 V, +/- 10%, X5R, 0402	0402	GRM155R61A474KE15D	MuRata
C18	1	2200 pF	CAP, CERM, 2200 pF, 6.3 V, +/- 10%, X5R, 0402	0402	GRM155R60J222KA01D	MuRata
D1	1	4.3 V	Diode, Zener, 4.3 V, 300 mW, SOD-523	SOD-523	BZT52C4V3T-7	Diodes Inc.
D2	1	Green	LED, Green, SMD	LED_0603	LTST-C191TGKT	Lite-On
D3	1	6.2 V	Diode, Zener, 6.2 V, 300 mW, SOD-523	SOD-523	BZT52C6V2T-7	Diodes Inc.
D4, D5	2	Red	LED, Red, SMD	LED_0603	LTST-C191KRKT	Lite-On
D6	1	Orange	LED, Orange, SMD	LED_0603	LTST-C191KFKT	Lite-On
H1, H2	2		Bumpon, Hemisphere, 0.44 X 0.20, Clear	Transparent Bumpon	SJ-5303 (CLEAR)	3M
J1	1		Connector, Plug, USB Type A, R/A, Top Mount SMT	USB Type A right angle	48037-1000	Molex
L1	1	220 ohm	Ferrite Bead, 220 ohm @ 100 MHz, 0.45 A, 0402	0402	BLM15AG221SN1D	MuRata
Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4, Q5, Q6, Q7, Q8	8	40 V	Transistor, NPN, 40 V, 0.2 A, 3-UFDFN	3-UFDFN	MMBT3904LP	Diodes Inc.
R1, R2, R3, R4, R5, R6, R7, R8	8	1.0k	RES, 1.0 k, 5%, 0.1 W, 0603	0603	RC0603JR-071KL	Yageo America
R9	1	0	RES, 0, 5%, 0.1 W, 0603	0603	CRCW06030000Z0EA	Vishay-Dale
R13	1	0	RES, 0, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW04020000Z0ED	Vishay-Dale
R14, R15, R16, R17	4	5.1k	RES, 5.1 k, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW04025K10JNED	Vishay-Dale
R18, R21	2	27	RES, 27, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW040227R0JNED	Vishay-Dale
R19	1	100k	RES, 100 k, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW0402100KJNED	Vishay-Dale
R20, R26, R28	3	1.0k	RES, 1.0 k, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW04021K00JNED	Vishay-Dale
R22	1	1.0Meg	RES, 1.0 M, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW04021M00JNED	Vishay-Dale

Table 4. EVM Bill of Materials (continued)

DESIGNATOR	QUANTITY	VALUE	DESCRIPTION	PACKAGE REFERENCE	PART NUMBER	MANUFACTURER
R23	1	1.5k	RES, 1.5 k, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW04021K50JNED	Vishay-Dale
R24	1	33	RES, 33, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW040233R0JNED	Vishay-Dale
R25	1	110	RES, 110, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW0402110RJNED	Vishay-Dale
R27	1	1.00k	RES, 1.00 k, 1%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW04021K00FKED	Vishay-Dale
R29	1	33k	RES, 33 k, 5%, 0.063 W, 0402	0402	CRCW040233K0JNED	Vishay-Dale
S1	1		Switch, Slide, SPST, Top Slide, SMT	Switch, Single Top Slide, 2.5x8x2.5mm	CHS-01TB	Copal Electronics
SW1	1		Switch, SPST-NO, Off-Mom, 0.05A, 12VDC, SMD	3.9x2.9mm	PTS820 J20M SMTR LFS	C&K Components
U1	1		8-Channel High-Accuracy Remote and 1 Local Temperature Sensor with Pin-Programmable Bus Address, YFF0016AWAW	YFF0016AWAW or RGT0016C	TMP468AIYFFR or TMP468AIRGTR	Texas Instruments
U2, U6	2		Single Output LDO, 200 mA, Fixed 3.3 V Output, 2 to 5.5 V Input, with Low IQ, 5-pin SC70 (DCK), -40 to 125 degC, Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	DCK0005A	TLV70033DCKR	Texas Instruments
U3	1		ESD-Protection Array for High-Speed Data Interfaces, 4 Channels, -40 to +85 degC, 6-pin SON (DRY), Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	DRY0006A	TPD4E004DRYR	Texas Instruments
U4	1		Dual Inverter Gate, DCK0006A	DCK0006A	SN74LVC2G04DCKR	Texas Instruments
U5	1		25 MHz Mixed Signal Microcontroller with 128 KB Flash, 8192 B SRAM and 47 GPIOs, -40 to 85 degC, 64-pin QFN (RGC), Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	RGC0064B	MSP430F5528IRGCR	Texas Instruments
Y1	1		Resonator, 4MHz, 39pF SMD	4.5x1.2x2 mm	CSTCR4M00G15L99-R0	MuRata
FID1, FID2, FID3	0		Fiducial mark. There is nothing to buy or mount.	Fiducial	N/A	N/A
J2	0		Header, 2.54 mm, 3x1, Gold, TH	Header, 2.54 mm, 3x1, TH	GBC03SAAN	Sullins Connector Solutions
R10, R11, R12	0	0	RES, 0, 5%, 0.1 W, 0603	0603	CRCW06030000Z0EA	Vishay-Dale

Revision History

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Changes from A Revision (February 2017) to B Revision Page

- Changed the *EVM Software Setup* section. Renamed section to *TMP468EVM Software Installation* 7
- Changed the *Using the EVM Software* section. Renamed section to *Using the TMP468EVM Software* 12

Changes from Original (November 2016) to A Revision Page

- Added TMP468QFNEVM to user's guide 1
- Added Figure 2, photo of TMP468QFNEVM 1
- Added Figure 20, layout for TMP468QFNEVM board 23

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- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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