



SFS600 Switch Box

User Guide

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Preface

This manual describes use of the SFS600 StarFabric Switch Box for the purpose of evaluating SG1010 StarFabric switch devices and developing software.

Audience

This manual was written for users of the SFS600 Evaluation board, revision SFS600-X0. The revision can be determined by looking on the bottom of the Switch Box. For all other revisions, please obtain support from StarGen.

Overview

This manual contains the following chapters, appendices, and a glossary:

- Chapter 1 Introduction – Overview of the SFS600.
- Chapter 2 Feature Summary– High level description of the product.
- Chapter 3 Operation and Installation – Describes typical installation and configuration of the board.
- Appendix A Bill of Materials - Lists all of the components on the PCB Assembly

References and Additional Information

If you need additional information, please contact StarGen at support@stargen.com or refer to one or more of the following reference documents:

PCI Special Interest Group (PCISIG) Specifications

PCI Local Bus Specification, Revision 2.2

PCI-to-PCI Bridge Architecture Specification, Rev 1.1

PCI Industrial Computer Manufacturers Group (PICMG) Specifications

PICMG 2.17 StarFabric Specification

StarFabric Trade Association

StarFabric Protocol Reference Manual

StarGen Specifications

SG1010 Hardware Reference Manual

SG1010 Data Sheet

Fabric Programmer's Manual

SFS600 Schematics

Revision History

Revision Number	Date dd/mm/yy	Description
1.0	1/05/05	Initial Revision

Introduction

The SFS600 is a 1U (1.75 inch; 4.445 cm) high form factor box containing a single printed circuit board (PCB) that is used to evaluate the SG1010 StarFabric Switch device.

The SFS600 can be used for the following purposes:

- Evaluation of the SG1010 operation and features
- Evaluation and development of application specific code for the SG1010 and other Starfabric compatible devices
- StarFabric system design
- Use as a general reference for SG1010 design

Features Summary

2.1 Main Features

The SG1010 StarFabric Switch Box has the following features:

- SG1010 6 port StarFabric switch device
- Six (6) 2.5 Gbps full-duplex StarFabric serial links available through standard RJ45 front-panel connector
- Link status LEDs for each differential pair. By default only one LED is used per SG1010 link. This can be changed to 4-LED mode by adding JP1
- Register configuration pre-load serial ROM

2.2 SFS600 Switch Box

Figure 2–1 SFS600 Front Panel

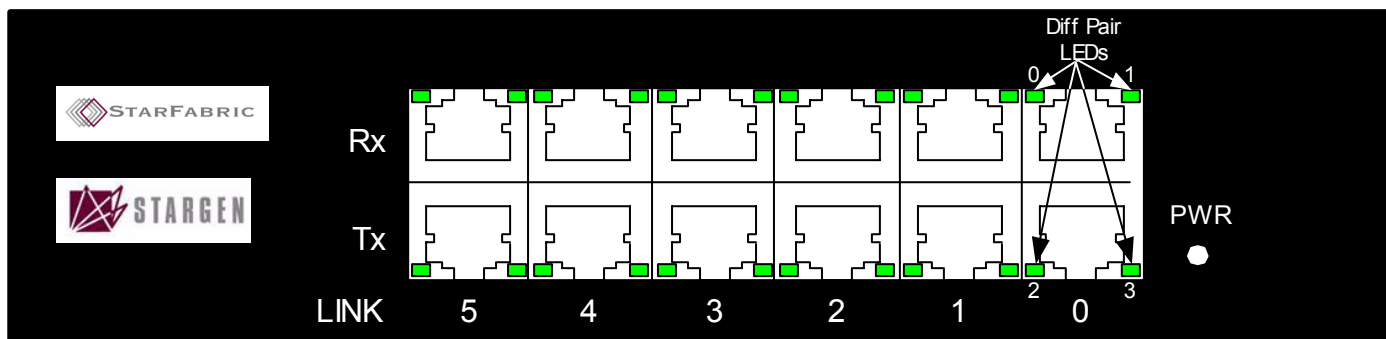


Figure 2–2 SFS600 Rear Panel

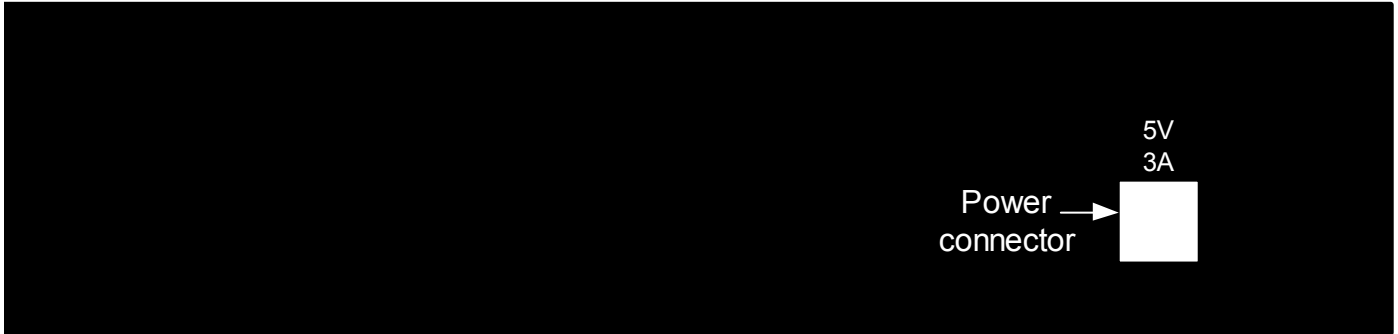
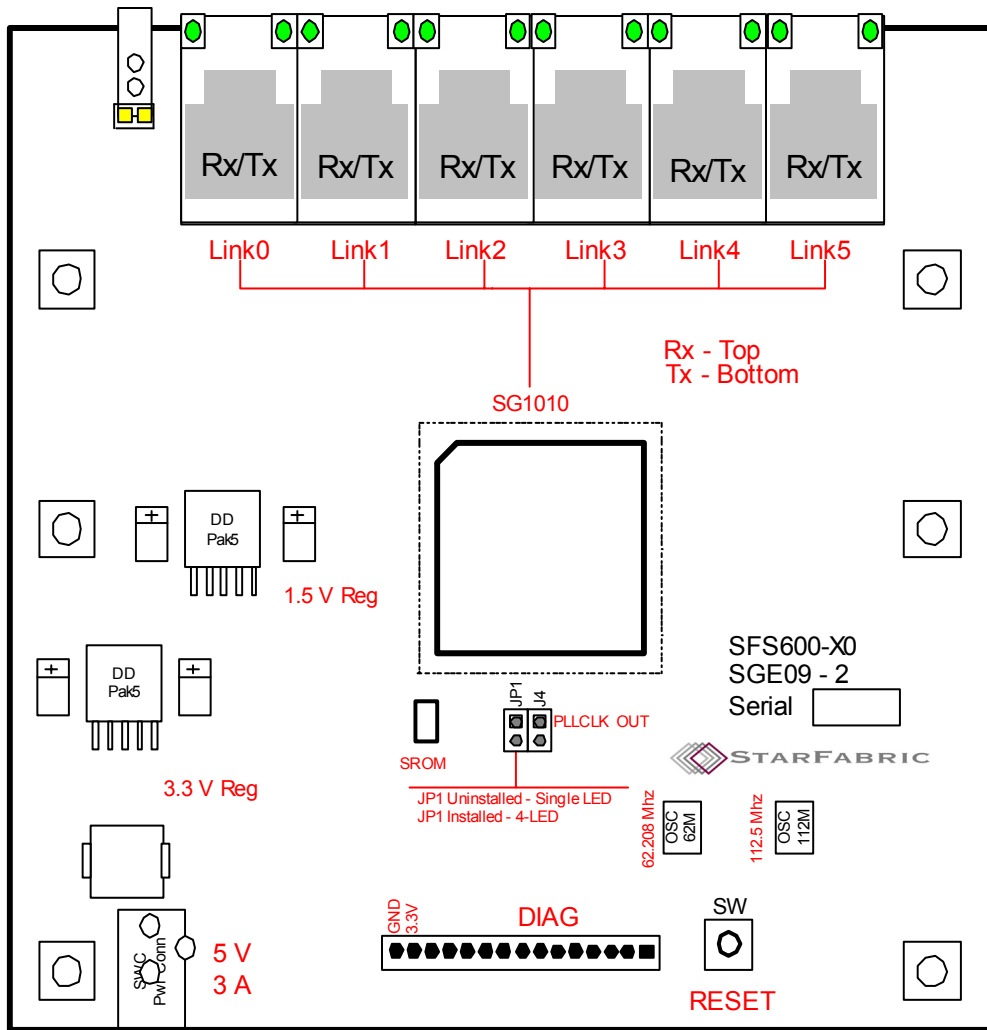


Figure 2–3 SFS600 Printed Circuit Board Design



2.3 Status LEDs

The SFS600 contains 4 status LEDs per StarFabric link, one for each receiver differential pair. Please see Figure 2–1 for details on how the LEDs correspond to the differential pairs. These LEDs are integrated into the RJ45 connector. By default the SG1010 is put into single LED mode, one LED is used to indicate the status per StarFabric link. This mode conserves power and provides the status information required for most users. If 4-LED mode is desired, users can populate JP1 as seen in Figure 2–3.

The LED operating modes are described as follows:

1. Four status LEDs for each StarFabric link. (one LED per differential pair).
2. One status LED, the LED associated with differential pair 0, is used for each StarFabric link. If any of the differential pairs is synchronized and traffic is enabled, then the LED will be on. If none of the differential pairs are synchronized, the LED will be off. If at least one of the differential pairs is synchronized and link traffic is disabled, the LED will flash.

The link LED's indicate the state of the associated LVDS receivers as described in Table 2–1.

Table 2–1 Link States

LED State	Description
Off	Link is unsynchronized and traffic is disabled.
Flashing	Link is synchronized but traffic is disabled.
On	Link is synchronized and traffic is enabled.

Operation and Installation

3.1 Hardware Requirements

SFS600 Switch Box (supplied)

External 5V/3A power supply (supplied)

Mains line cord with IEC320 connector to connect to the power supply (supplied for North America)

CAT5/5E patch cables; two per StarFabric link (not supplied)

3.2 Software Requirements

3.2.1 PCI Address Routing Mode

None required. In this mode, the SG1010 acts as a PCI-PCI Bridge as defined in the reference documents section.

3.2.2 Path Routing Mode or Mixed Mode

StarGen Software Development Kit (SDK).

3.3 Installation Procedure

1. Connect main power (100-240VAC) to the power supply and the 5V connector to the SFS600 power connector, located on the back of the chassis. When the power is turned on the LED labeled PWR should be illuminated.
2. Confirm that the jumper settings are correct. The only user-selectable jumper setting is the LED mode. By default the SG1010 is setup in single LED mode. To set 4-LED mode a jumper must be installed in JP1.
3. Insert the link cables into the RJ45 connectors taking care to insure that receive and transmit cables are properly connected. As soon as cables are connected to other powered StarFabric components, LEDs should either turn on or blink/flash. If they don't, check the cabling to insure that a transmitter is connected to a receiver and vice versa. Also insure that the receive/transmit pair are connected to a single link.

3.4 Operation

After the links are connected, and power is applied to the switch box, insure that the StarFabric root device is powered up or started last. The root of any StarFabric will send out a Fabric reset symbol which should set links to the “LED on” state, that is, synchronized with the Traffic Enable set.

If the StarFabric topology connected to an SG1010 is changed, a reset needs to be generated to reinitialize Fabric IDs (FIDs). This reset can be either a Fabric reset from the Root StarFabric device or a physical reset (unplug and replug of the power connector).

Also, care should be taken when hot-plugging links in and out of SG1010's. If the link from another StarFabric device is disconnected from an SG1010 link and then the same link is reinserted into another link of the same SG1010, the SG1010 will believe the link is bundled and the link will become unstable.

3.5 Bundling

High bandwidth applications may require bundled links, 2 links from 1 StarFabric Device are connected to 2 links of another device. If a bundle is detected, the SG1010 automatically combines the 2 links, creating a 5 Gb/s link as opposed to the normal 2.5 Gb/s. There are two restrictions when using bundling 1) The ordering of the links has to be consistent (Low link # -> Low link #) and 2) if non-sequential links are used to create the bundle any links in between can not be used. Table 3–1 provides recommended bundling configurations.

1. Link Ordering (Low -> Low, High -> High)

The lower link number from 1 StarFabric device has to connect to the lower link number of its link partner.

Illegal Configuration

SG2010 Link 0 -> SG1010 Link 5

SG2010 Link 1 -> SG1010 Link 4

Legal Configuration

SG2010 Link 0 -> SG1010 Link 3

SG2010 Link 1 -> SG1010 Link 4

2. Using Non-Sequential Link Numbers to Create a Bundled Link

If contiguous links are not used any links in between can not be used. Using contiguous links is recommended.

Illegal Configuration (Link 3 from the SG1010 can not connect to another StarFabric device if 2 and 4 are used to create a bundled link)

SG2010 1 Link 0 -> SG1010 Link 2

SG2010 1 Link 1 -> SG1010 Link 4

SG1010 Link 3 -> SG2010 2 Link 0 or SG2010 2 Link 0 (Illegal)

Legal Configuration

SG2010 1 Link 0 -> SG1010 Link 0

SG2010 1 Link 1 -> SG1010 Link 1

SG1010 Link 3 -> SG2010 2 Link 0 or SG2010 2 Link 0

Table 3-1 Recommended Bundling Configurations

SG1010		SG2010	
Link A	Link B	Link A	Link B
0	1	0	1
1	2	0	1
2	3	0	1
3	4	0	1
4	5	0	1

If 2 SG1010's are connected, any AB to AB configuration can be used. For example:

SG1010 (1) Link 0 -> SG1010 (2) Link 2

SG1010 (1) Link 1 -> SG1010 (2) Link 3

3.6 LED Mode Jumper

The factory default operating mode for the SFS600 Box is single LED mode. 4-LED mode can be set by installing a jumper into JP1.



Bill of Materials

Materials List

#	QTY	REFDES	VENDOR	VENDOR PN	PACKAGE	VALUE	PART_SPEC
1	6	XM1-6			HOLE_156DI		MOUNTING HOLE 0.156-DIA
2	4	M1-4	3M	SJ5518-0-ND	MECH		BLACK FEET FOR BOTTOM OF BOX
3	1	R24	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	40	SMT 1% 0.0625W
4	4	C63-66	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	B	10UF	TANTALUM 10UF 16V
5	2	C177-178	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	C0402	.001UF	X7R SMT 16V 10%
6	6	C189-190, C282-283, C288-289	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	C	22UF	TANTALUM 22UF 16V
7	68	C1,C5-22, C31-52, C54-62, C79-80, C83-84, C86,C88, C172-173, C175-176, C260, C269-275	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	C0402	.01UF	X7R SMT 16V 10%
8	10	R43,R46, R50, R53-54, R56, R105-107, R118	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	1K	SMT 1% 0.0625W
9	17	C2-4, C23-30, C142, C144-148	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	C0603	.1UF	X7R SMT 16V 10%
10	1	R26	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	10	SMT 1% 0.0625W
11	6	R44-45, R51-52, R55,R57	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	1.75K	SMT 1% 0.0625W
12	2	R16,R89	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	6.2	SMT 5% 0.0625W
13	2	R3,R25	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	100	SMT 1% 0.0625W
14	11	R1,R27-35, R117	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	10K	SMT 1% 0.0625W
15	2	C53,C159	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	C0402	.068UF	Y5V SMT 16V 20%
16	1	R23	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	180	SMT 1% 0.0625W
17	2	R17,R88	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	43	SMT 1% 0.0625W
18	25	R4-15, R18-22, R36-42,	ANY	TO PART_SPEC	R0402	120	SMT 5% 0.0625W

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R116
19 1 U3 ATMEL AT25640N-10SC-2.7 8PSOIC ATMEL AT25640N-10SC-2.7
20 1 OSC2 CARDINAL C CPPFXC7L-BD-112.5PD 5X7SMD 112.5MHZ 112 MHZ OSC 20PPM
21 1 OSC1 CARDINAL C CPPFXC7L-BD-62.208PD 5X7SMD 62.208MHZ 62.208 MHZ OSC 20PPM
22 1 LP1 CHICAGO MI 7511A85 2P LIGHT PIPE
23 1 DS1 CHICAGO MI CMD15-21VYC/TR8 SMT-1206 1206 YELLOW LED 2.0V
24 2 L1,L6 COILCRAFT 0805CS-821X_BC 0805CS 820NH
25 4 L2-3,L5,L7 COILCRAFT 0603CS-R12X_BC 0603CS 120NH
26 1 L4 COILCRAFT DS1608C-153 DS1608C 15UH 15UH POWER INDUCTOR
27 1 M5 CUI DTS050300UDC-P5P FWR 5V 3A POWER SUPPLY
28 1 U2 DALLAS SEM DS1830AS SOIC DS1830A
29 4 M28-31 ELEC FASTE SEE PART_SPEC MECH 4-40 X 3/16 LONG PHILLIPS FLAT HEAD
UNDE
30 6 M6-11 ELEC FASTE SEE PART_SPEC MECH SCREW 6-32 X 1/4 LONG PHILLIPS PAN
HEAD
31 1 XS1 IRONWOOD E SG-BGA-6010 X272PBGA SOCKET FOR SG1010 272BGA
32 1 U5 LINEAR TEC LT1764AEQ-3.3 DDPAK5 LDO 3.3V 3A
33 1 U6 LINEAR TEC LT1963AEQ-1.5 DDPAK5 LDO 1.5V 1.5A
34 24 L22-39, MURATA DLW21HN900SQ2L CM3_2X1_6 HIGH FREQ COMMON MODE CHOKES
L45-50
35 1 SW1 OMRON B3S-1000 PBSWITCH B3S-1000 PUSH BUTTON MOMENTARY SWITCH
36 2 R2,R70 PANASONIC EZJS2YC822 R0805 VARIABLE RES, ESD PROTECTION
37 1 M16 STARGEN SFS600CV MECH SWITCHBOX_COVER
38 1 M17 STARGEN SFS600BS MECH SWITCHBOX_BASE
39 1 U4 STARGEN SG1010 272PBGA STARFABRIC 6 PORT SWITCH
40 1 L14 SUMIDA CDRH125-100MC 12X12 10UH 4A 25 MILLIOHM
41 1 J3 SWITCHCRAF RAPC722 CNSWRAPC72 2.1 MM MINI POWERJACK CONN
42 14 M12-15, TECH-ETCH 187S32-.17-08 MECH SHIELDING SNAP-ON MOUNTING .32 X
.11 X .
M18-27
43 1 J4 TYCO 644695-2 CAMP644695 SINGLE ROW 2 PIN .1 HEADER
44 1 J1 TYCO 1-644695-5 SIP-15P SINGLE ROW 15 PIN .1 HEADER
45 1 JP1 TYCO 644695-2 CAMP644695 SINGLE ROW 2 PIN .1 HEADER
46 1 J2 XMULTIPLE XRJD-S-26-8-8-5 RJ12STACKE 12 PORT DUAL STACKED RJ45 W/LED
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Do Not Install List

RefDes	Value
R16,R89	6.2
R30,R32	10K
R88	43
OSC2	112.5 Mhz
L6	
SW1	
J4	
J1	



Glossary

LVDS	Low Voltage Differential Signaling
PCI	Peripheral Component Interconnect
PLL	Phase Lock Loop
SROM	Serial Read-Only Memory