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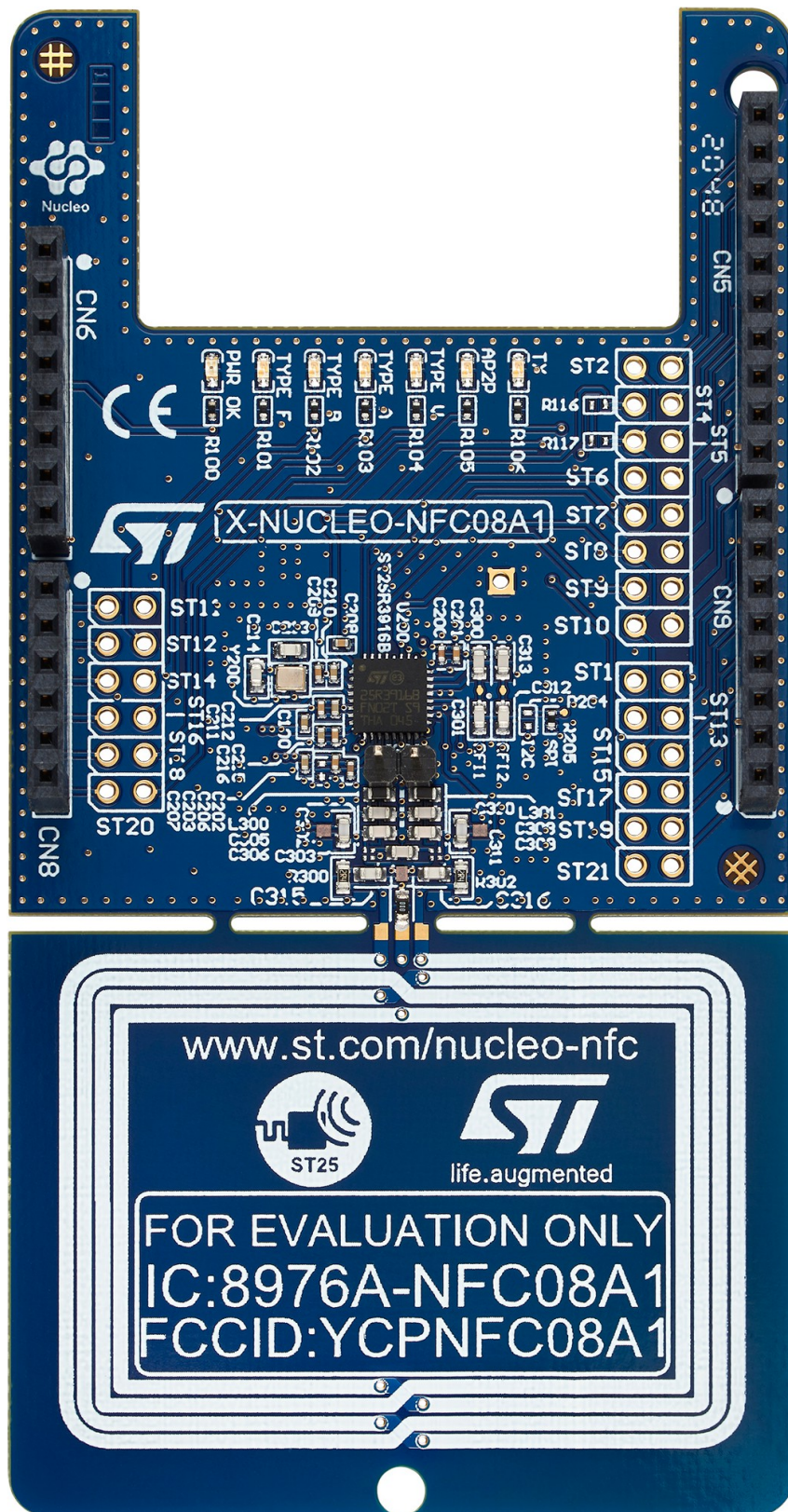
## UM3007 User manual

Getting started with the NFC card reader expansion board based on ST25R3916B for STM32 and STM8 Nucleos

### Introduction

The X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 NFC card reader expansion board is based on the ST25R3916B device. The expansion board is configured to support ISO14443A/B, ISO15693, FeliCa™, and AP2P communication. The ST25R3916B manages frame coding and decoding in reader mode for standard applications, such as NFC, proximity, and vicinity HF RFID standards. It supports ISO/IEC 14443 type A and B, ISO/IEC 15693 (single subcarrier only) and ISO/IEC 18092 communication protocols as well as the detection, reading and writing of NFC forum type 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 tags. The on-board low-power capacitive sensor performs ultra-low power wake-up without switching the reader field on and traditional inductive wake-up to select amplitude or phase measurement. The automatic antenna tuning (AAT) technology enables operation close to metallic parts and/or in changing environments.

**Figure 1. X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board**



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## Getting started

### Overview

The X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board features:

- On-board NFC card reader IC: ST25R3916B
- 47 mm x 34 mm, four turns, 13.56 MHz inductive antenna etched on PCB and associated tuning circuit
- Six general-purpose LEDs
- ISO 18092 passive and active initiator, ISO 18092 passive, and active target
- NFC-A and NFC-F card emulation
- ISO 14443A and ISO14443B
- ISO 15693
- FeliCa™
- Up to 1.7 W output power with differential antenna
- Possibility of driving two antennas in single-ended configuration
- Inductive wake-up
- Automatic antenna-tuning system
- Transparent and stream modes to implement MIFARE™ classic compliant or other custom protocols
- Equipped with Arduino UNO R3 connector
- Free comprehensive development firmware library compatible with STM32Cube and samples for ST25R3916B
- Scalable solution for multiple board cascade
- FCC certified
- RoHS and WEEE compliant

### Board connection

Connect the X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 to an STM32 Nucleo-64 development board via Arduino UNO R3 connectors. The PC USB port has to be capable of delivering at least 300 mA at 5 V supply.

A green LED indicates whether the 5 V supply is present, while the six status LEDs are controlled via MCU. Provision for unpopulated jumpers enable alternative connections of all lines (except the SPI) to the STM32 MCU. To demonstrate the wake-up feature, two capacitive electrodes are placed on the PCB and the automatic antenna tuning variable capacitors are also implemented.

The board is connected to a power supply. It should be used on a clean and non-flammable surface.

## Hardware requirements

The X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board is designed to be used with any STM32 Nucleo board, although complete testing has been performed using the NUCLEO-L476RG hosting the STM32L476RG microcontroller.

The STM32 Nucleo firmware and the related documentation are available at <http://www.st.com/stm32nucleo>.

## System requirements

To use STM32 Nucleo boards with the X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board the following software and hardware are required:

- an STM32 Nucleo-64 development board
- a Windows® PC to install the firmware package
- a USB type A to Mini-B USB cable to connect the STM32 Nucleo board to the PC
- the unit must be supplied by a safety extra low voltage with falling characteristics (<5 V, <15 W), according to EN60950-1. This power supply has to be classified as ES1 (Electrical Source1), PS1 according to EN62368-1

To install the board firmware package (order code: X-CUBE-NFC6) the PC must have:

- 128 MB of RAM
- 40 MB of free hard disk space

The X-CUBE-NFC6 firmware and the related documentation are available at [www.st.com](http://www.st.com).

## Board setup

### To set up the board:

**Step 1.** Connect the X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board to the STM32 Nucleo board from the top through the Arduino UNO R3 connectors

**Step 2.** Power the STM32 Nucleo board using a Mini-B USB cable

**Step 3.** Program the firmware on the STM32 Nucleo board using the provided example

**Step 4.** Reset the MCU using the reset button available on the STM32 Nucleo board. The evaluation kit is ready to be used.

## Hardware

The X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board allows the user to test the functionality of the ST25R3916B, which supports the reader/writer and the card emulation modes.

The ST25R3916B IC module and the STM32 Nucleo board are connected through CN5, CN6, CN8 and CN9 connectors (see the tables below).

**Table 1.** Interconnections between the X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board and the NUCLEO-L476RG board

(left side)

Signal	Connector	Pin number	NUCLEO-L476RG	X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1
NC	CN6 Power	1	–	–
IOREF		2	–	(NC)
RESET		3	–	–
3V3		4	–	3V3 (VDD_IO)
5V		5	–	5V (VDD)
GND		6	–	GND
GND		7	–	GND
VIN		8	–	–
AO	CN8 Power	1	PAO	IRQ_MCU
AI		2	PA1	MCU_LED1
A2		3	PM	MCU_LED2
A3		4	PBO	MCU_LED3
A4		5	PC1	MCU_LED4
A5		6	PCO	MCU_LED5

**Table 2.** Interconnections between the X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board and the NUCLEO-L476RG board (right side)

Signal	Connector	Pin number	NUCLEO-L476RG	X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1
D15	CN5 Digital	10	PB8	SCL MCU
D14		9	PB9	SDA MCU
AVDD		8	AVDD	NC
GND		7	GND	GND
D13		6	PM	SCLK_MCU
D12		5	PA6	MISO_MCU
D11		4	PA7	MOSI_MCU
D10		3	PB6	/SS_MCU
D9		2	PC7	IRQ_MCU (aR.)
D8		1	PM	/SS_MCU (aft.)
D7	CN9 Digital	8	PM	MCU_LED6
D6		7	PB10	MCU_LED6 (aft.)
D5		6	PB4	/SS_MCU (att.)
D4		5	PB5	MCU_LED2 (aft.)
D3		4	PB3	SCLK_MCU (alt.)
D2		3	PA10	MCU_LED3 (aft.)

Signal	Connector	Pin number	NUCLEO-L476RG	X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1
D1	CN9 Digital	2	PA2	NC
D0		1	PA3	NC

#### Host interface and GPIO connection

The X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board contains the ST25R3916-AQFT chip and is powered by the STM32 Nucleo board.

The ST25R3916B is driven by the microcontroller via SPI interface.

The six LEDs indicate the detected RFID technology (for example, ISO14443 Type A for LED4).

#### X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 expansion board component placement

**Figure 2.** X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 component placement

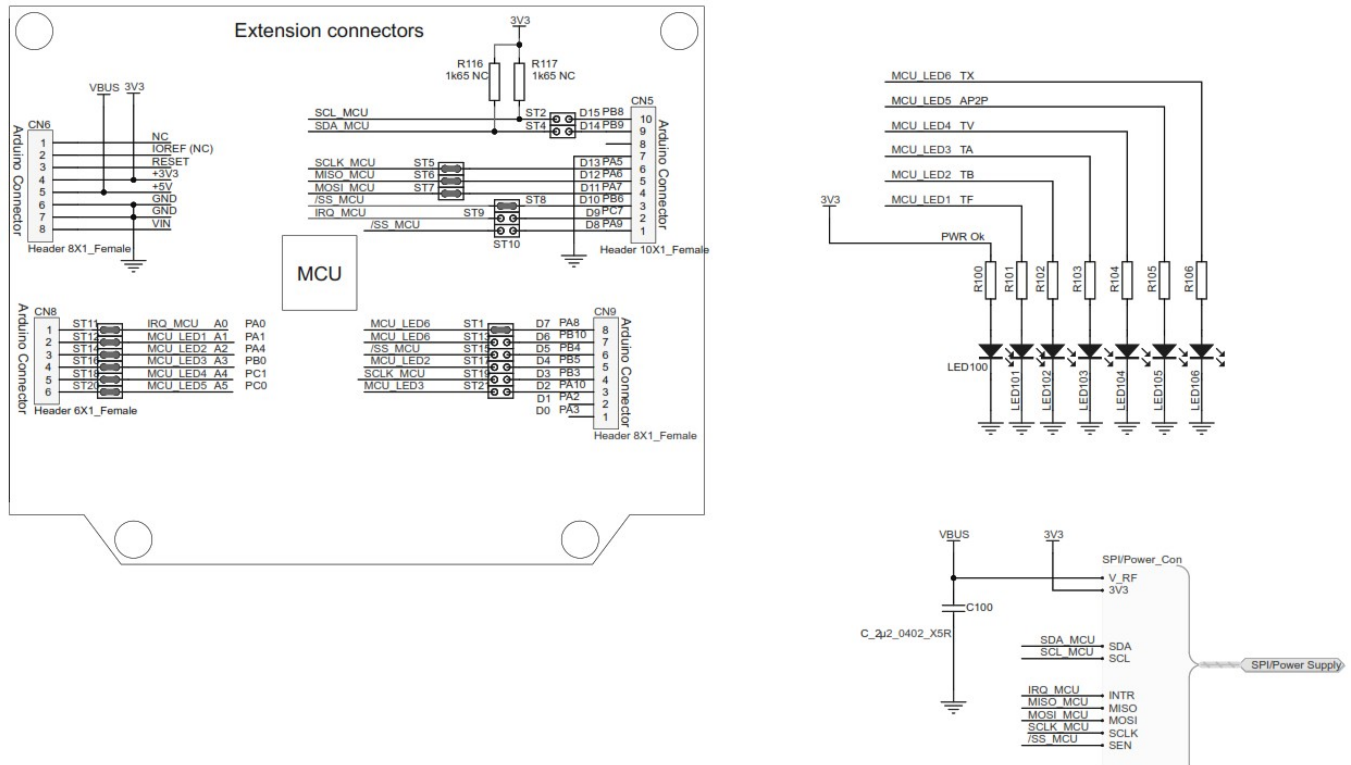




- NFC-A/B (ISO 14443A/B) reader including higher bit rates
- NFC-F (Felica™) reader · NFC-V (ISO 15693) reader up to 53 kbps
- NFC-A and NFC-F card emulation Special stream and transparent modes of the AFE and framing system can be used to implement other custom protocols such as MIFARE® classic in reader or card emulation mode.

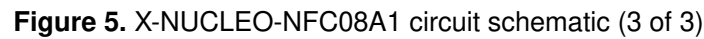
## Schematic diagrams

**Figure 3.** X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 circuit schematic (1 of 3)



**Figure 4.** X-NUCLEO-NFC08A1 circuit schematic (2 of 3)





Item	Q.ty	Ref.	Part/Value	Description	Manufacturer	Order code
1	9	AAT A, AAT_ B, CSI, TP200, TP2 01, TP202, TP203, TP2 04		Test points	Any	Any
2	6	C100, C203, C207, C210, C212, C216	2p2 X5R 0402 6.3 V $\pm 20\%$	Capacitors	MURATA	GRM155R60J225M E15D
3	1	C200	1 p X5R 0402 25 V $\pm 10\%$	Capacitors	MURATA	GRM155R61C105K AI2D
4	8	C201, C202, C204, C206, C208, C209, C211, C215	10 n x7R 0402 25 V $\pm 10\%$	Capacitors	AVX	04023C103KAT2A
5	1	C205	4p7 X5R 0402 6.3 V $\pm 10\%$	Capacitors	TDK	C1005X5R0J475K05 0BC
6	4	C213, C214, C301, C312	10 p COG 060 3 50 V $\pm 1\%$	Capacitors	MULTICOMP	MC0603N100F500C T
7	1	C217	10 n X7R NC 0 402 25 V $\pm 10\%$	Ca pacitors	AVX	04023C103KAT2A NOT FITTED
8	1	C218	2 p2 X5R NC 0 402 6.3 V $\pm 20\%$	Capacitors	MURATA	GRM155R60J225M E15D NOT FITTED
9	2	C300, C313	180 p COG 06 03 50 V $\pm 1\%$	Capacitors	MURATA	GRM1885C1H181G AO1D
10	3	C302, C311, C314	CSP_06_06	Capacitors	muRata	LXRWOYV600-054
11	2	C304, C307	CSP 06 07		muRata	LXRWOYV600-054
12	2	C303, C310	100 p COG 06 03 50 V $\pm 1\%$	Capacitors	MURATA	GRM1885C1H101F AO1D
13	2	C303, C310	680 p COG 06 03 $\pm 2\%$	Capacitors	MURATA	GRM1885C1H681G AO1D
14	2	C306, C309	56 p COG 060 3	Capacitors	MURATA	GRM1885C1H560 FAO1D
15	2	C315, C316	82 p COG 060 3	Capacitors	MURATA	GRM1885C1H820 FAO1D
16	1	C317	47 p COG NC 0603	Capacitors	MURATA	GRM1885C1H470F AO1D

17	1	CN5	Single row, female	10-pin header	Samtec	SSQ-110-03-L-S
18	2	CN6, CN9	Single row, female	8-pin header	Samtec	SSQ-108-03-L-S
19	1	CN8	Single row, female	6-pin header	Samtec	SSQ-106-03-L-S
20	1	300	SOT323	Dual surface mount switching diode	Diodes Inc	BAV70W-7-F
21	1	J300	Male single row horizontal 2 pin_NC	Jumper	Any	Any
22	2	L300, L301	D 0603 5LQW 18CNR27J00 550 mA	Multi-layer ferrite	TDK	MLJ1608WR27JT000
23	1	LED100	603	Green LED	Lite-On	LTST-C190KGKT
24	6	LED101, LED102, LED103, LED104, LED105, LED106	603	Blue LED	Lite-On	LTST-C190TBKT
25	4	P200, P201, P202, P203	U.FL-R-SMT-1 (not fitted)	Co-axial connectors	HIROSE(HRS)	U.FL-R-SMT-1(10)
26	1	Q300	NX3008NBK SOT23	NCh MOSFET	NEXPERIA	NX3008NBK
27	1	R100	680 R, 0402 100 V 1/16 A $\pm 5\%$	Resistors	Yageo	RC0402JR-07680RL
28	6	R101, R102, R103, R104, R105, R106	1k, 0402	Resistors	Panasonic	ERJ2GEJ102X
29	2	R116, R117	1 k65, 0402 (not fitted)	Resistors	MULTICOMP	MC00625W040211K65
30	2	R200, R202	50 R, 0402 50 V	Resistors	MULTICOMP	MCMR04X49R9FTL
31	1	R204	0 R, 0402 (not fitted)	Resistors	MULTICOMP	MC00625W040210R
32	1	R205	0 R, 0402	Resistors	MULTICOMP	MC00625W040210R
33	2	R300, R302	2 R4, 0603	Resistors	Any	Any
34	1	R301	100 R 0402	Resistors	ANY	Any

35	1	R303	47 K 0402	Resistors	ANY	Any
36	1	R304	0 R, 0603	Resistors	Any	Any
37	11	ST1, ST5, S T6, ST7, ST8, S T11, ST12, ST14, ST16, ST18, ST20	CONN HE14 2 PTS male vertical ( not fitted)	Connectors	Any	Any
38	9	ST2, ST4, S T9, ST10, ST13, ST15, ST17, ST19, ST21	CONN HE14 2 PTS male vertical ( not fitted)	Connectors	Any	Any
39	1	U200	ST25R3916B AQWTRTUB	High performance NFC universal device and EM VCo reader	ST	ST25R3916B
40	1	Y200	NDK NX2016S A 27.12 MHz	Crystal	MURATA	NX2016SA STD-CZ S-5

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### FCC Compliance Statement

#### Part 15.19

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- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- 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.

## FCC ID

FCC ID: YCPNFC08A1

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**Note:** The grantee is not responsible for any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance. Such modifications could void the user’s authority to operate the equipment.

## Revision history

**Table 4.** Document revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
21-Apr-22	1	Initial release.

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