

### **QUICK START GUIDE**

## **Apollo3 Blue Plus Voice-on-SPOT**

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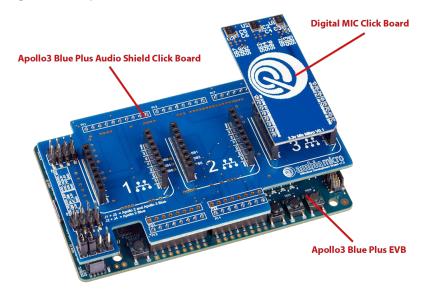
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# **Apollo3 Blue Plus Voice-on- SPOT Evaluation Kit**

#### 1.1 Hardware

- Apollo3 Blue Plus EVB
- Apollo3 Blue Plus Audio Shield Click Board
- Digital MIC Click Board

Figure 1-1: Apollo3 Blue Plus Voice-on-SPOT Kit



### 1.2 Software

- Ambiq Voice-on-SPOT SDK: AmbiqSuite-VoS\_v1.3.0\_Light.7z
- Ambiq Voice-on-SPOT SDK add-ons:
  - DSPC TalkTo add-on: VoS add-on DSPC AWE v1.3.0.7z
  - Sensory THF add-on: VoS\_add-on\_Sensory THF\_v1.3.0.7z

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### **Alexa Voice Service Demo**

### 2.1 Light Version

Use the following to try the light version demo using the MEMSensing Digital MIC Click Board:

**NOTE:** The light version supports Push to Talk for user utterance transfer.

- Build vos example with target "Light": vos/boards/apollo3p\_evb/examples/vos
- 2. Make sure the default setting is for DMIC (Slot 0).
- 3. Download binary to the Apollo3 Blue Plus EVB using Segger J-Flash Lite or download from IDEs (e.g., IAR, Keil).
- 4. Reset and connect with the Alexa app (e.g., iOS, Android).
- 5. Open the Alexa app, select **Device**, **Add Device**, then select **Headphones**.
- 6. Connect to VoS-xxx-AMA-xxx.
- 7. Push **BTN1** button on the Apollo3 Blue Plus EVB.
- 8. Ask a question or command (e.g., "what time is it?", "what's the weather in NY?")

Figure 2-1: Light Version Demo



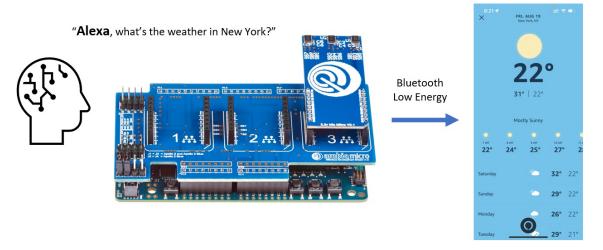
## 2.2 Always-on Listening (Wake Word Detection) - Sensory TrulyHandsFree (THF) Engine

Use the following to try the always-on listening (wake word detection) Sensory THF engine demo:

**NOTE:** In order to support wake word detection, you must have the Sensory THF add-on package.

- 1. Extract and overwrite files to the VoS SDK root folder.
- Build vos example with build target "THF": vos/boards/apollo3p\_evb/examples/vos
- 3. Make sure the default setting is for DMIC (Slot 0).
- 4. Download binary to Apollo3 Blue Plus EVB using Segger J-Flash Lite or download from IDEs (e.g., IAR, Keil).
- 5. Reset and connect with Alexa app (e.g., iOS, Android).
- 6. Open the Alexa app, select **Device**, **Add Device**, then select **Headphones**.
- 7. Connect to VoS-xxx-AMA-xxx.
- 8. Ask a question or command (e.g., "Alexa, what time is it?", "Alexa, what's the weather in New York?")

Figure 2-2: Always-on Listening (Wake Word Detection) - Sensory THF Engine



For additional information regarding the VoS SDK, refer to the *Apollo3 Blue Plus Voice-on-SPOT Kit Reference Design*.



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