

ES9016K2M SABRE<sup>32</sup> Ultra 32-bit Stereo Mobile Audio DAC Product Brief

The *ES9016K2M SABRE<sup>32</sup> Ultra DAC* is a high-performance 32-bit, 2-channel audio D/A converter targeted for portable high-fidelity audio applications such as mobile phones and digital music players, consumer applications such as Blu-ray players, audio pre-amplifiers and A/V receivers, as well as professional applications such as recording systems, mixer consoles and digital audio workstations.

Using the critically acclaimed ESS patented 32-bit Hyperstream<sup>™</sup> DAC architecture and Time Domain Jitter Eliminator, the **ES9016K2M SABRE<sup>32</sup> Ultra DAC** delivers a DNR of up to 122dB and THD+N of −110dB, a performance level that will satisfy the most demanding audio enthusiasts.

The *ES9016K2M SABRE<sup>32</sup> Ultra DAC*'s 32-bit Hyperstream<sup>™</sup> architecture can handle up to 32-bit, 384kHz PCM data via l<sup>2</sup>S, DSD-11.2MHz data as well as mono mode for highest performance applications. Both synchronous and ASRC (asynchronous sample rate conversion) modes are supported.

The **ES9016K2M SABRE Ultra DAC** is powered by a +1.8V to +3.3V supply for both the digital and analog sections, with internal regulators generating the core supply. The DAC comes in a 28-QFN package, supports 1.8V logic levels and consumes less than 40mW in normal operating mode (< 1mW in standby mode)

The **SABRE Ultra DAC** sets a new standard for high quality audio performance, **SABRE SOUND<sup>™</sup>**, in a cost effective, easy-to-use form factor for today's most demanding digital audio applications.

FEATURE		DESCRIPTION
Patented 32-bit Hyperstream™ DAC ○ +122dB DNR ○ -110dB THD+N	0	32-bit audio DAC powered by Sabre <sup>32</sup> DAC architecture with unmatched dynamic range and ultra low distortion Supports both synchronous and ASRC (asynchronous sample rate converter) modes
Patented Time Domain Jitter Eliminator	0	Unmatched audio clarity free from input clock jitter
64-bit accumulator and 32-bit processing	0	Distortion free signal processing
Integrated DSP Functions	0 0 0	Click-free soft mute and volume control Programmable Zero detect De-emphasis for 32kHz, 44.1kHz, and 48kHz sampling
Customizable output configuration	0	Mono or stereo output in current or voltage mode based on performance criterion
I <sup>2</sup> C control	0	Allows software control of DAC features
28-QFN (5mm x 5mm) package	0	Minimizes PCB footprint
< 40mW operating, < 1mW standby power	0	Maximizes battery life
1.8 to 3.3V analog & digital power supplies	0	Reduces power and simplifies power supply design
1.8V digital logic supported	0	Connects to Application Processor without level shifter
Versatile digital input	0	Supports SPDIF, PCM (I <sup>2</sup> S, LJ 16-32-bit) or DSD input
Customizable filter characteristics (revision V only)	0 0	User programmable filter allowing custom roll-off response Bypassable oversampling filter

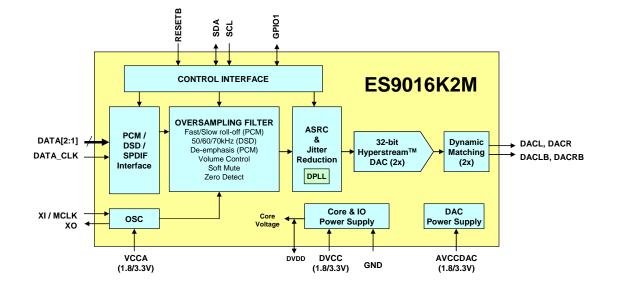
## **APPLICATIONS**

- Mobile phones / Tablets / Digital music players / Portable multimedia players
- Blu-ray / SACD / DVD-Audio player
- Audio preamplifier and A/V receiver
- Professional audio recording systems / Mixing consoles / Digital audio workstation

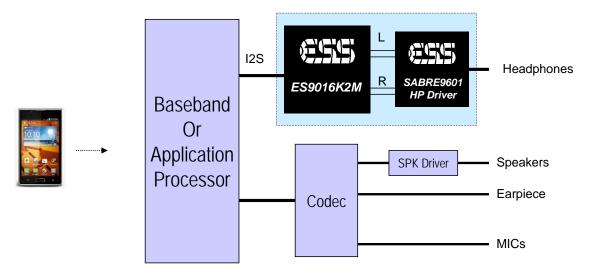


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## FUNCTIONAL BLOCK DIAGRAM



## **TYPICAL MOBILE APPLICATION DIAGRAM**



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