Features
- 16 constant current output channels
- Output current: from 3 mA to 40 mA
- 20 V current generator rated voltage
- Provision for cascading multiple expansion boards
- Current adjustment:
  - 7-bit global current gain adjustment in two ranges
  - Current programmable through external resistor
  - 12/16-bit PWM grayscale brightness control
- Selectable LED Bus voltage supply
  - USB
  - $V_{\text{external}}$

Description
The X-NUCLEO-LED16A1 is an STM32 Nucleo expansion board designed to provide an application for the 16 channel LED driver LED1642GW. Multiple drivers can also be cascaded by coupling X-NUCLEO-LED16A1 expansion boards.

Depending upon the end application, RGB or single color LEDs can be connected to the board. Separate brightness control is possible for each channel.

It is compatible with the STM32 Nucleo board family and equipped the Arduino™ UNO R3 connector layout.
1 Schematic diagrams

Figure 1: X-NUCLEO-LED16A1 circuit schematic (1 of 2)
Figure 2: X-NUCLEO-LED16A1 circuit schematic (2 of 2)

RGB LED's

LED1: 
- LED1_R
- LED1_G
- LED1_B
- LED1_G
- LED1_B
- LED1_G
- LED1_B
- LED1_G
- LED1_B
- LED1_G
- LED1_B
- LED1_G
- LED1_B
- LED1_G
- LED1_B
- LED1_G

LED2: 
- LED2_R
- LED2_G
- LED2_B
- LED2_G
- LED2_B
- LED2_G
- LED2_B
- LED2_G
- LED2_B
- LED2_G
- LED2_B
- LED2_G
- LED2_B
- LED2_G
- LED2_B
- LED2_G

LED3: 
- LED3_R
- LED3_G
- LED3_B
- LED3_G
- LED3_B
- LED3_G
- LED3_B
- LED3_G
- LED3_B
- LED3_G
- LED3_B
- LED3_G
- LED3_B
- LED3_G
- LED3_B
- LED3_G

LED4: 
- LED4_R
- LED4_G
- LED4_B
- LED4_G
- LED4_B
- LED4_G
- LED4_B
- LED4_G
- LED4_B
- LED4_G
- LED4_B
- LED4_G
- LED4_B
- LED4_G
- LED4_B
- LED4_G

LED5: 
- LED5_R
- LED5_G
- LED5_B
- LED5_G
- LED5_B
- LED5_G
- LED5_B
- LED5_G
- LED5_B
- LED5_G
- LED5_B
- LED5_G
- LED5_B
- LED5_G
- LED5_B
- LED5_G

RGB LED's CATHODE
FEMALE HEADER

CON16

LED RAIL VOLTAGE

J5

GSPG2309161015SG
2 Revision history

Table 1: Document revision history

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