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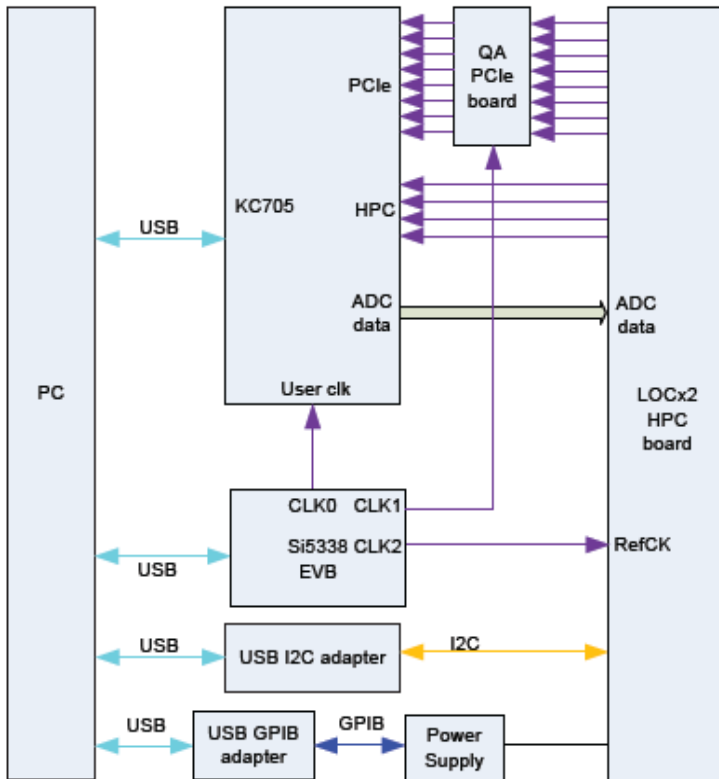
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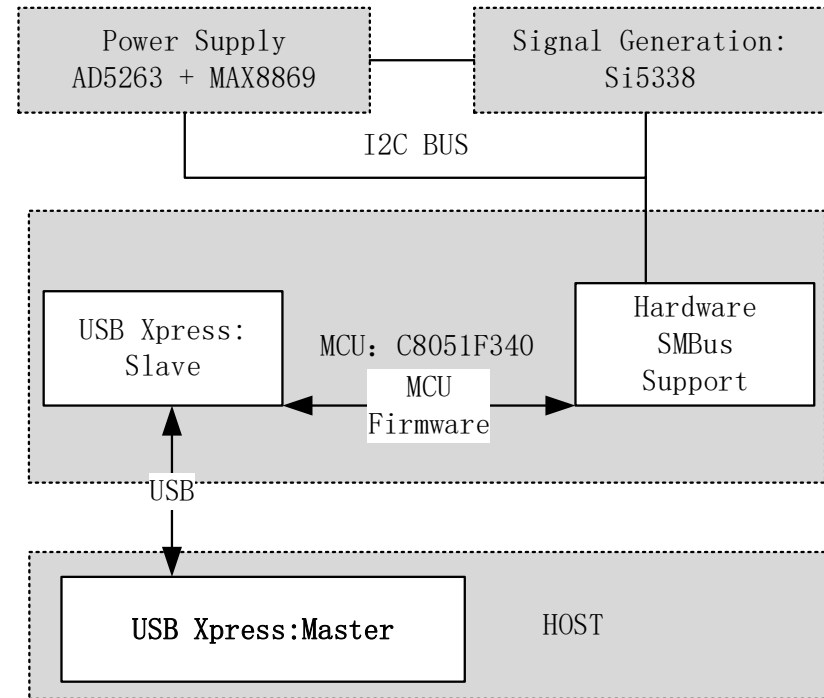
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The upgrade of ATLAS Liquid Argon Calorimeter (LAr) Phase-1 trigger requires high performance data transmission. About 7000 LOCx2, the readout IC were fabricated, and an automatic Quality Assurance was needed. This work is about the control of clock-generator of the QA system.



Block Diagram of QA system



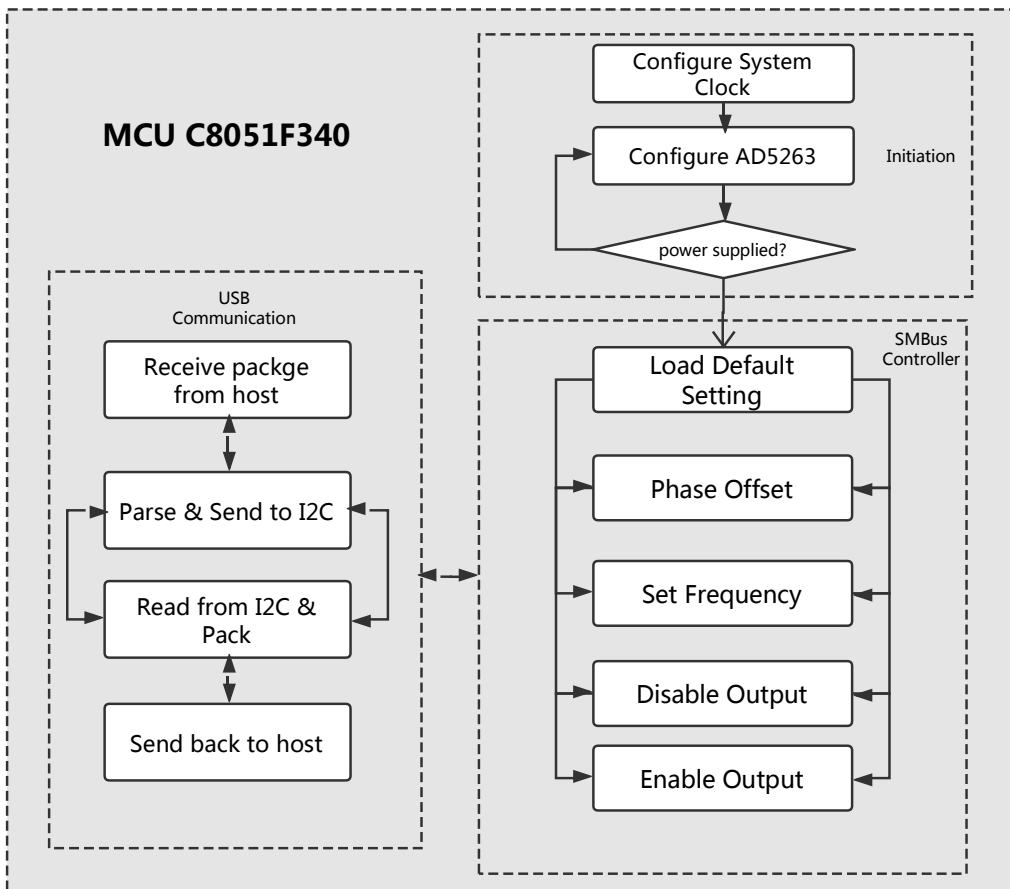
The block diagram of clock generator PCB based on Si5338 any-frequency signal generator,

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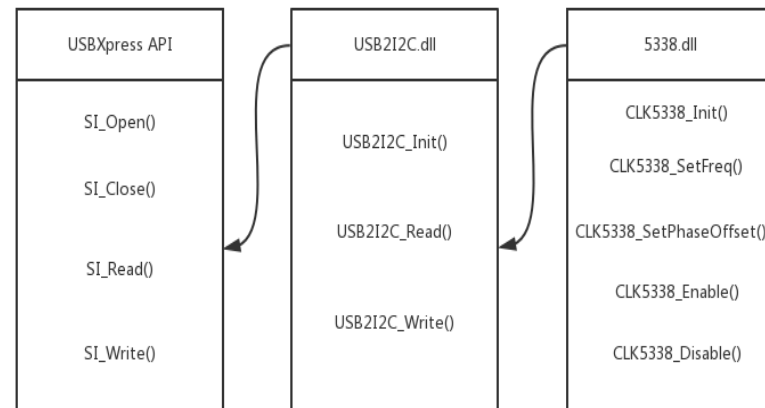


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A set of Device firmware and Host program was developed to control the Si5338



Block diagram of device firmware



Block diagram of host program