Phase 4 Project Update

For Escondido Amateur Radio Society

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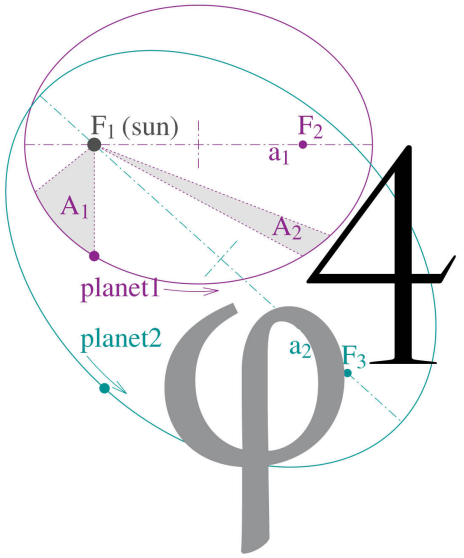

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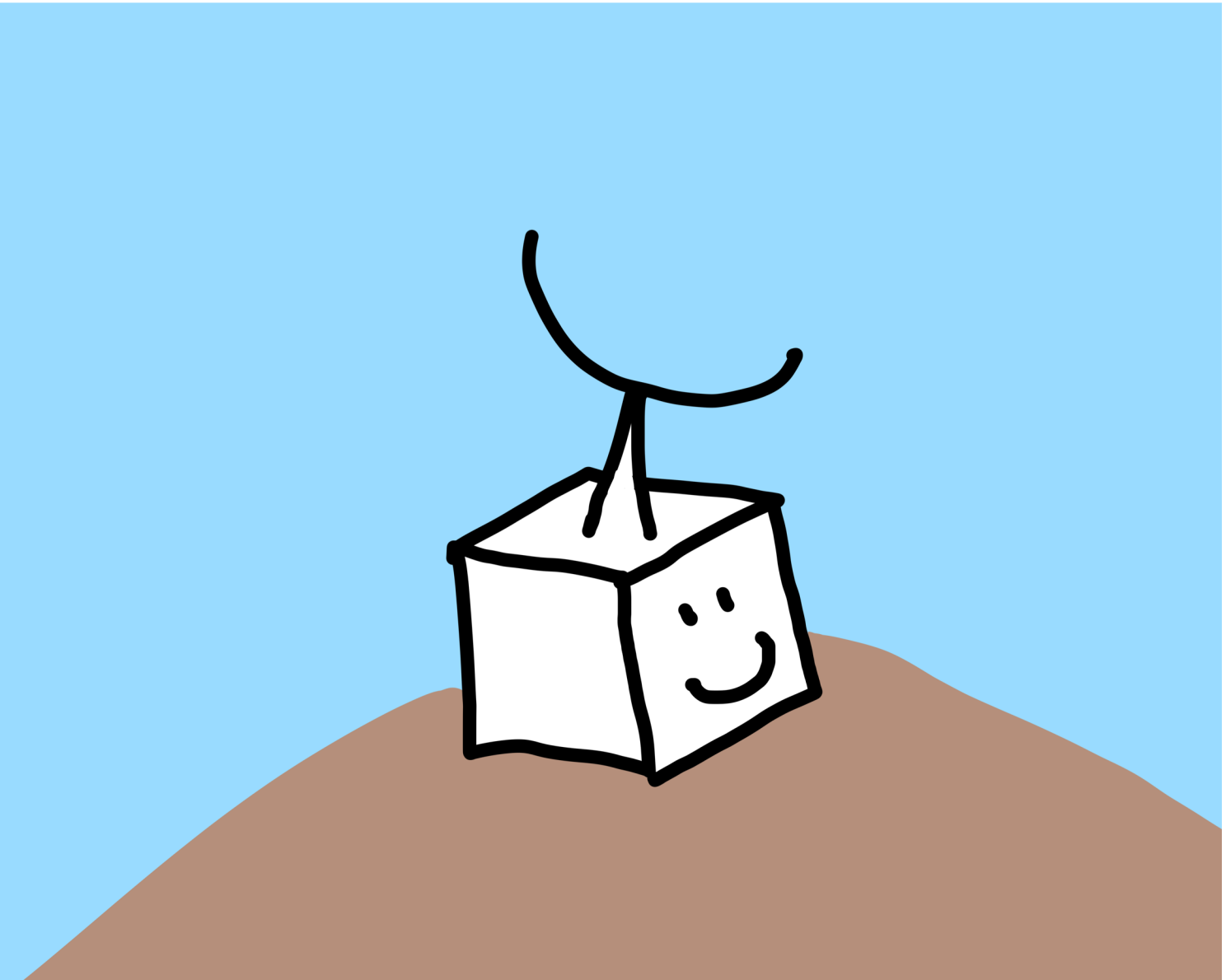
What do we do?

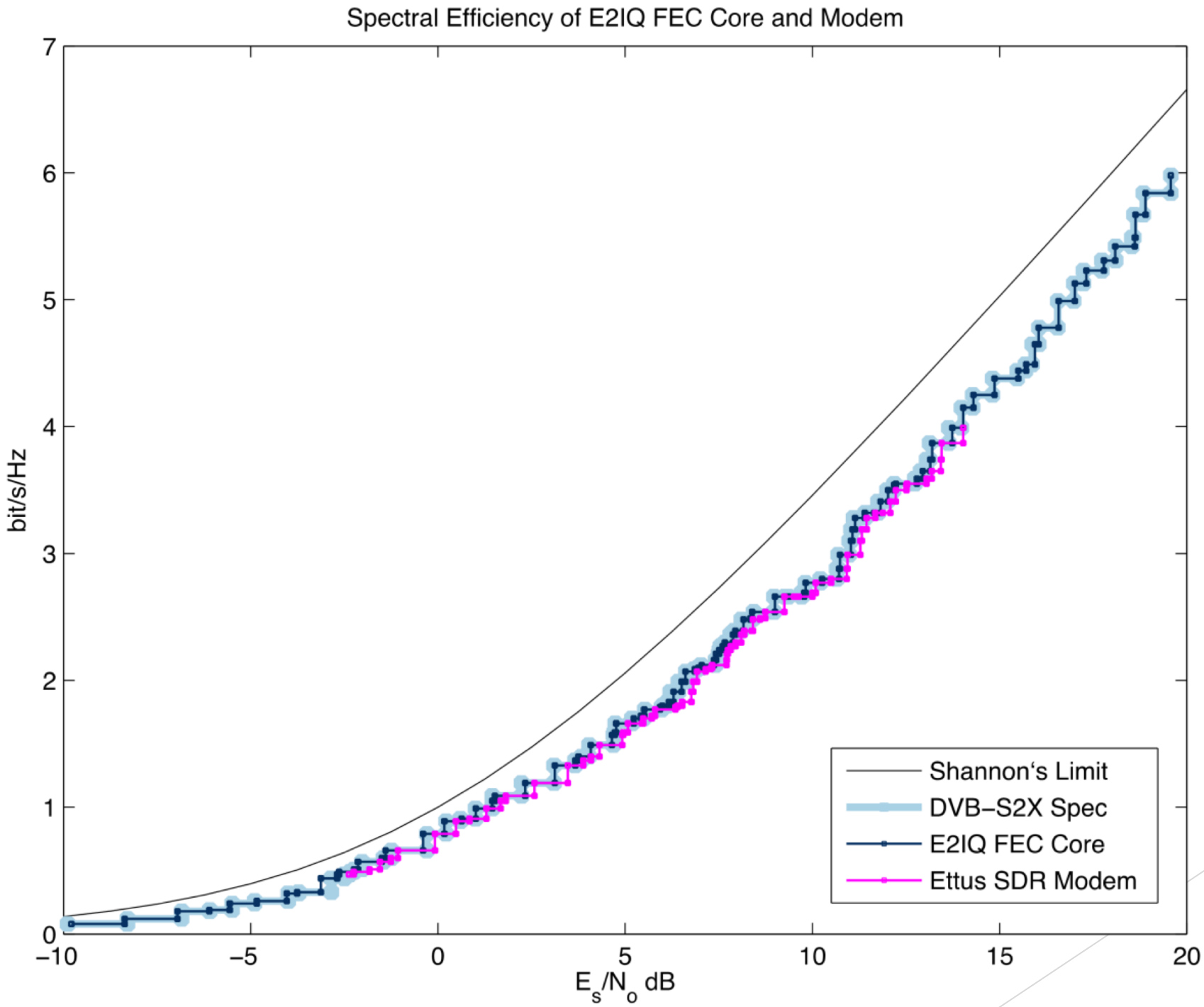


Why should you care?

Because a surprisingly large amount of software and hardware in amateur radio is closed, proprietary, or licensed in ways that make it very difficult to improve, learn from, or adapt.

What are we doing about it?

Liberating DVB-S2 and DVB-S2X for amateur radio use!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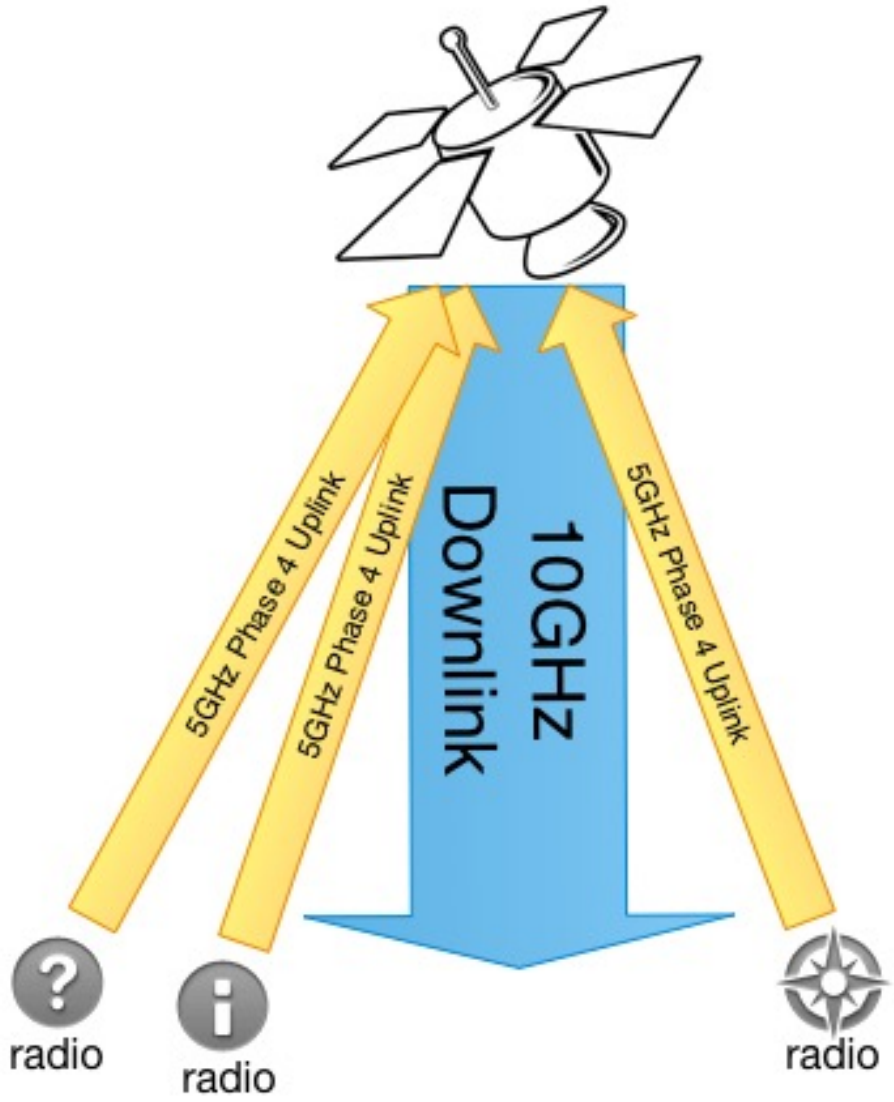

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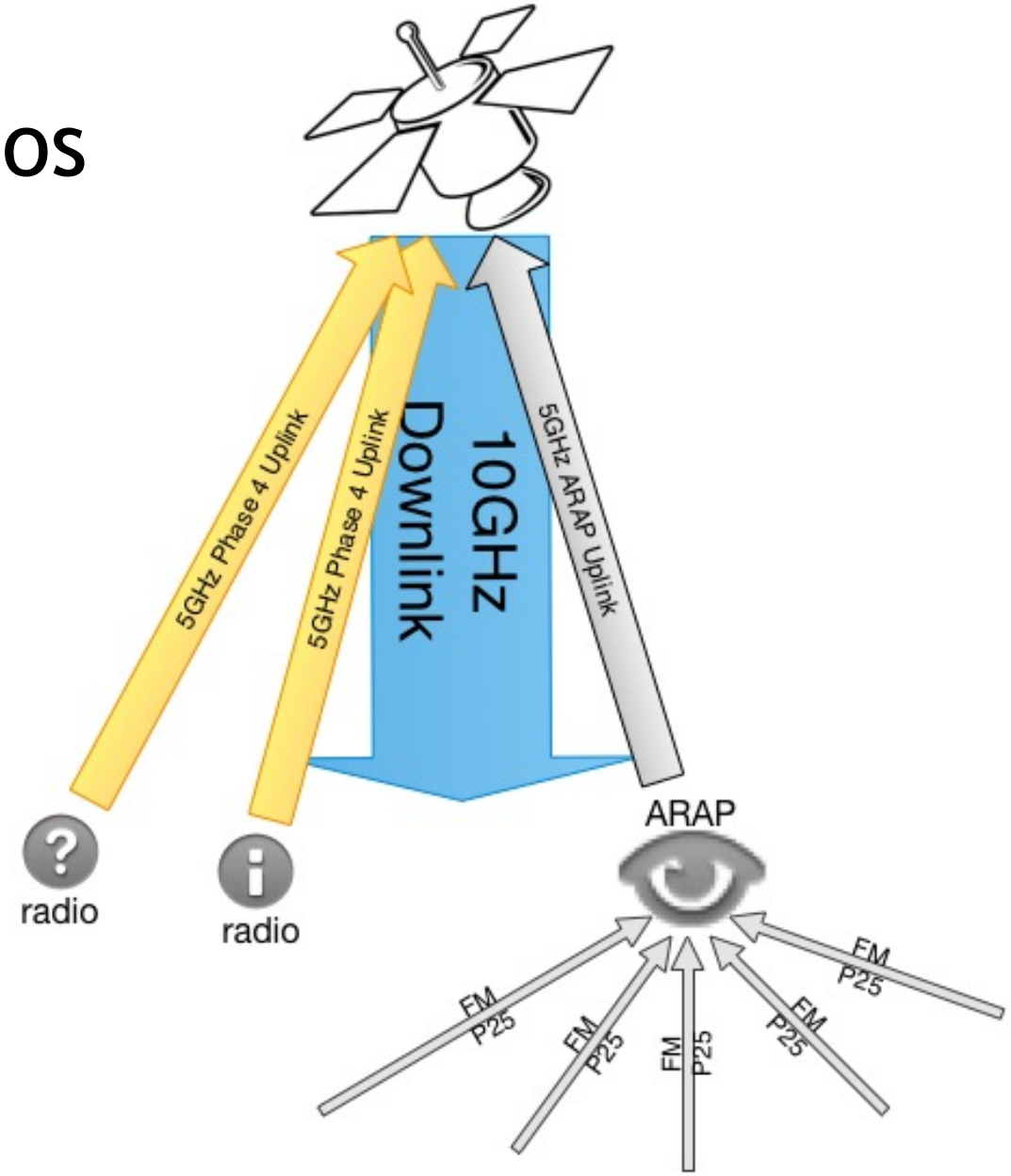

What does it look like?

What is the team doing?

- RTP multicast innovations
- DVB correlators
- Open Source LDPC
- Dual Band Feed
- Filters! 5GHz amps!
- ARAP demonstrations
- Having tons of fun
- Buying every SDR dev board

What do we need?

You!
Volunteers, cheerleaders, documentarians,
artists, designers, hardware hackers,
software, hardware, firmware,
Protocol design, testing, RF design,
And on and on!

everyone is welcome

Plans for finished products

- Reference design in GNU Radio
- Trans-Ionsopheric hackable badges
- Trans-Ionspheric Radios
- 10GHz filters
- Dual Band Feeds
- Lots of other possibilities!

What do these radios talk to?

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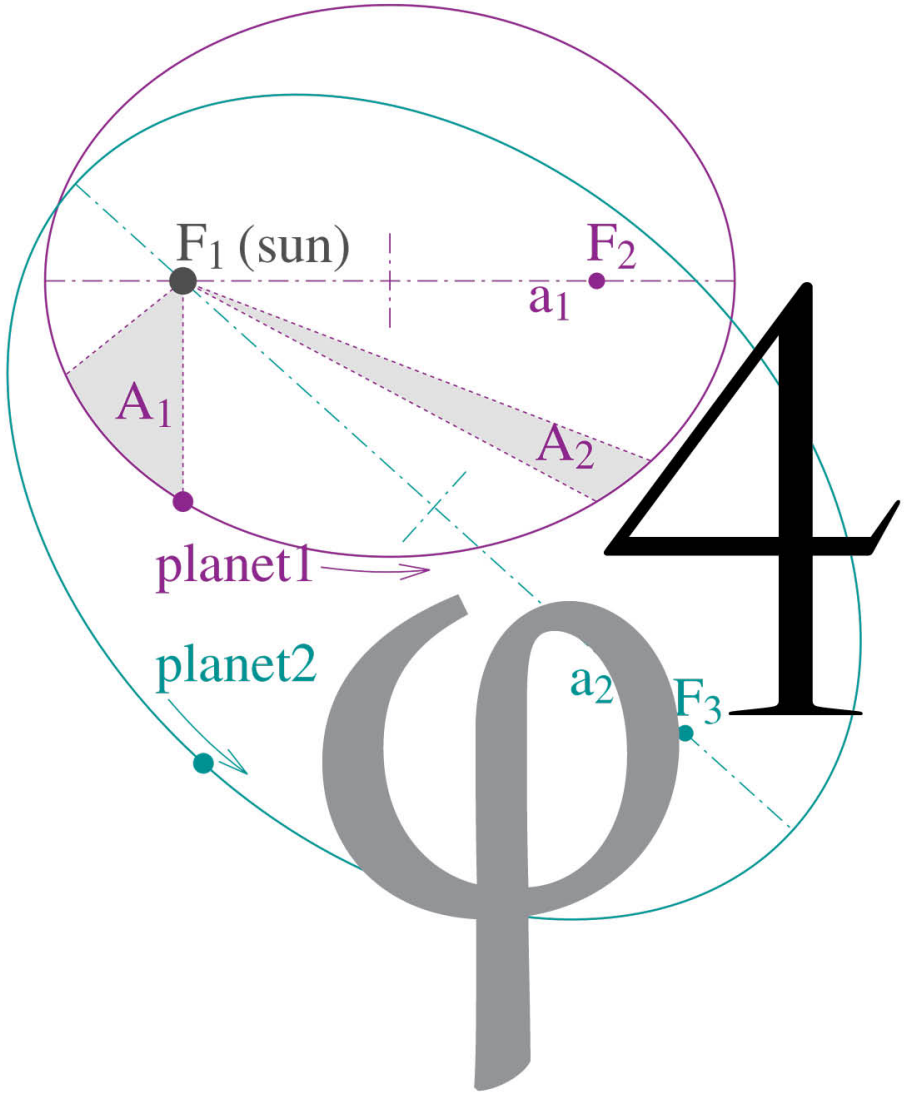

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DVB-S2/X Block Party GRCon2018

Build and Test
DVB-S2 and DVB-S2X
Receivers in GNU Radio
ready to start now?

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