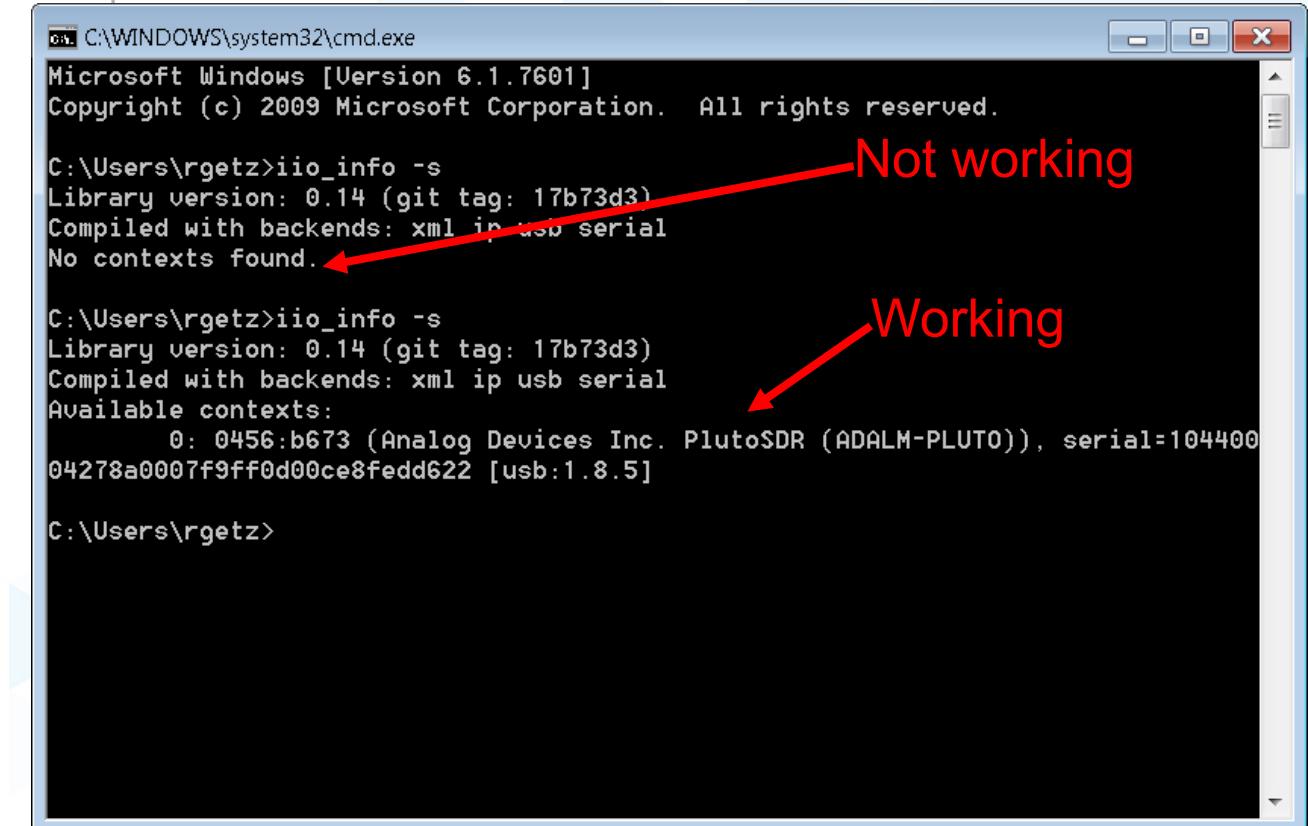


# Checking out your hardware/software

Try this out now! Help us help you.

- ▶ From console/DOS window type:
  - “**iio\_info -s<ret>**”
  - <ret> indicates return key
  - iio\_info (underscore), not iio-info (dash)
  - Should find the PlutoSDR
    - If this works – great
    - If this doesn’t work – please put up your hand, and someone will come to help



```
C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7601]
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C:\Users\rgetz>iio_info -s
Library version: 0.14 (git tag: 17b73d3)
Compiled with backends: xml ip usb serial
No contexts found.

C:\Users\rgetz>iio_info -s
Library version: 0.14 (git tag: 17b73d3)
Compiled with backends: xml ip usb serial
Available contexts:
    0: 0456:b673 (Analog Devices Inc. PlutoSDR (ADALM-PLUTO)), serial=104400
04278a00007f9ff0d00ce8fedd622 [usb:1.8.5]

C:\Users\rgetz>
```

## CONNECT LOOPBACK CABLE

# Get the labs (if you haven't already)



- ▶ Available at
- <https://github.com/sdrforengineers/LabGuides/tree/master/grcon2020>

# Hands-on Workshop: Introduction to ADALM-PLUTO and IIO

Robin Getz

Travis Collins, PhD



# What is an SDR?

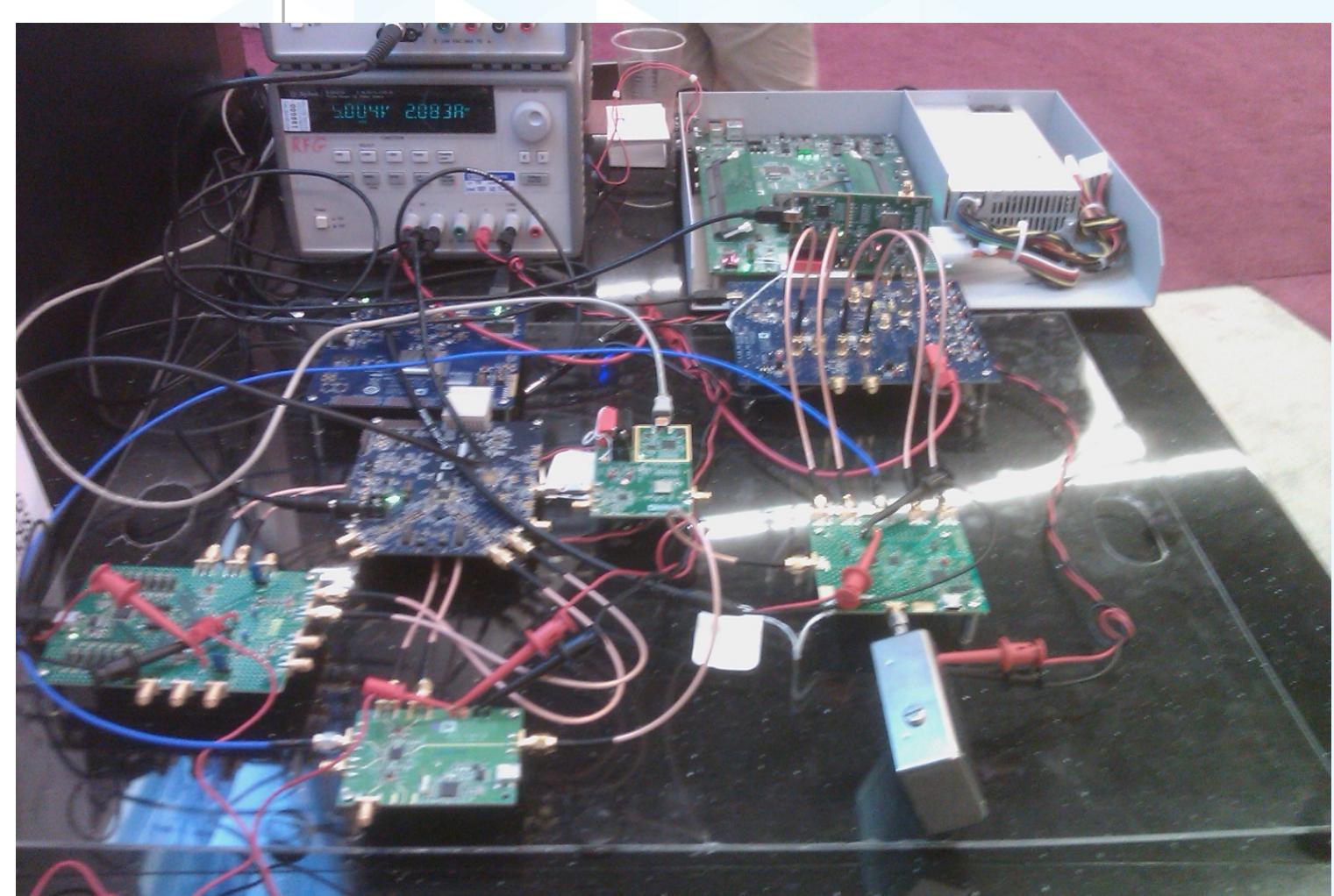
- ▶ **Software-defined radio (SDR)** is a radio communication system where components that have been traditionally implemented in hardware (e.g. mixers, filters, amplifiers, modulators/demodulators, detectors, etc.) are instead implemented by means of software on a personal computer or embedded system.
- ▶ While the concept of SDR is not new, the rapidly evolving capabilities of digital electronics render practical many processes which were once only theoretically possible.
- ▶ [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Software-defined\\_radio](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Software-defined_radio)



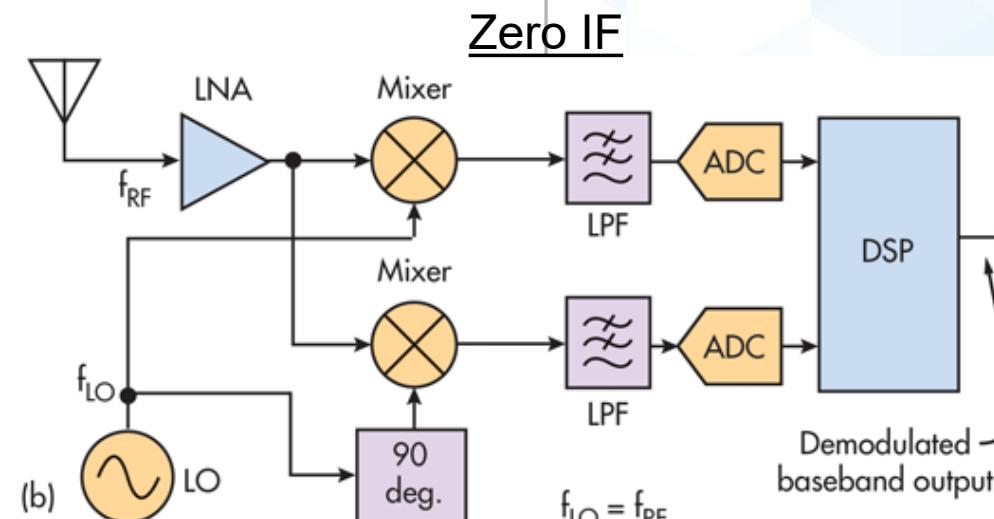
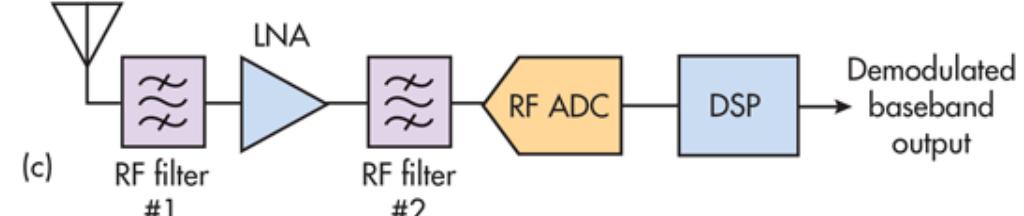
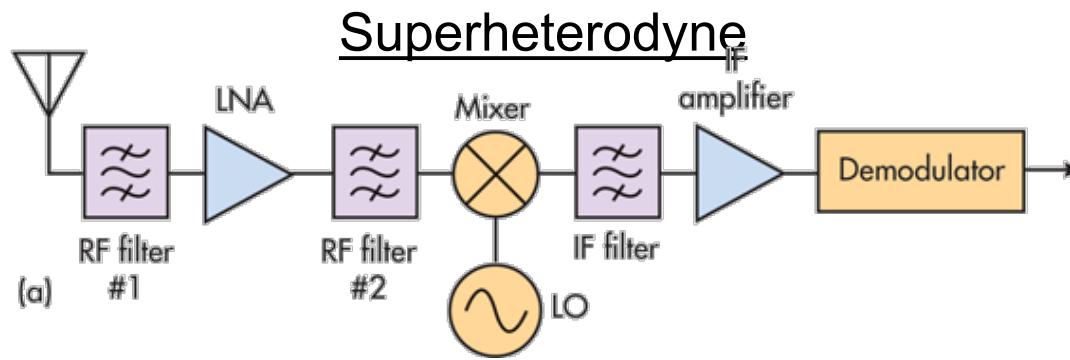
# Traditional RF Evaluation Platforms

(Antenna to Bits and Back™, circa IMS 2010)

- ▶ Discrete single product evaluation boards,
- ▶ connected with SMA cables
- ▶ Power supplies
- ▶ External oscillators
- ▶ Tuning filters
- ▶ No Antenna
- ▶ 6 power supplies
- ▶ 4 different USB applications
  
- ▶ Not easy to replicate, or use as part of a SDR prototyping solution
- ▶ Needed small form factor, open design



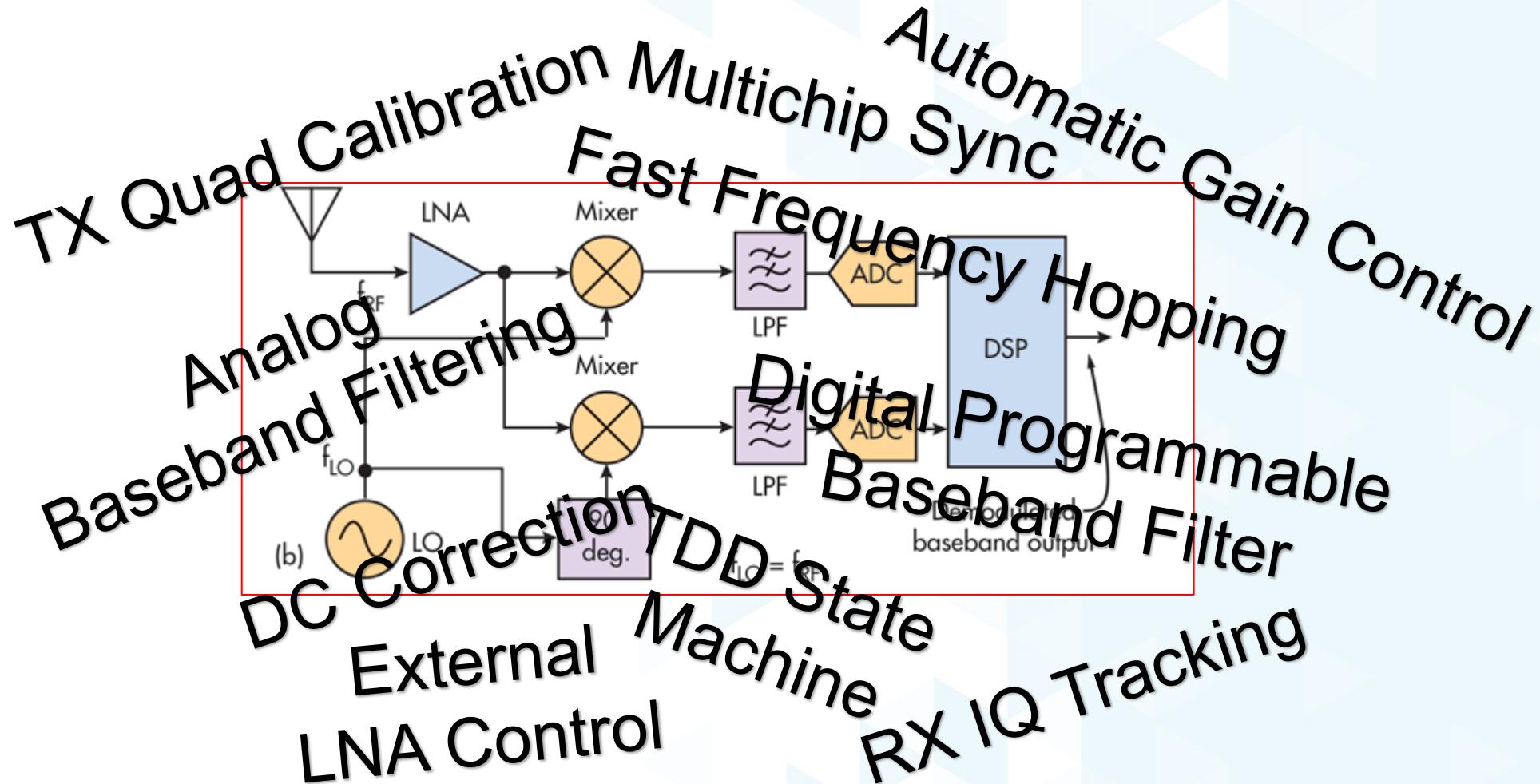
# Basics: Radio Architectures



Direct RF

<https://www.electronicdesign.com/adc/high-speed-rf-sampling-adc-boosts-bandwidth-dynamic-range>  
Lou Frenzel | Feb 22, 2017

# Zero IF : Not just a mixer + ADC/DAC



# Transceiver Family



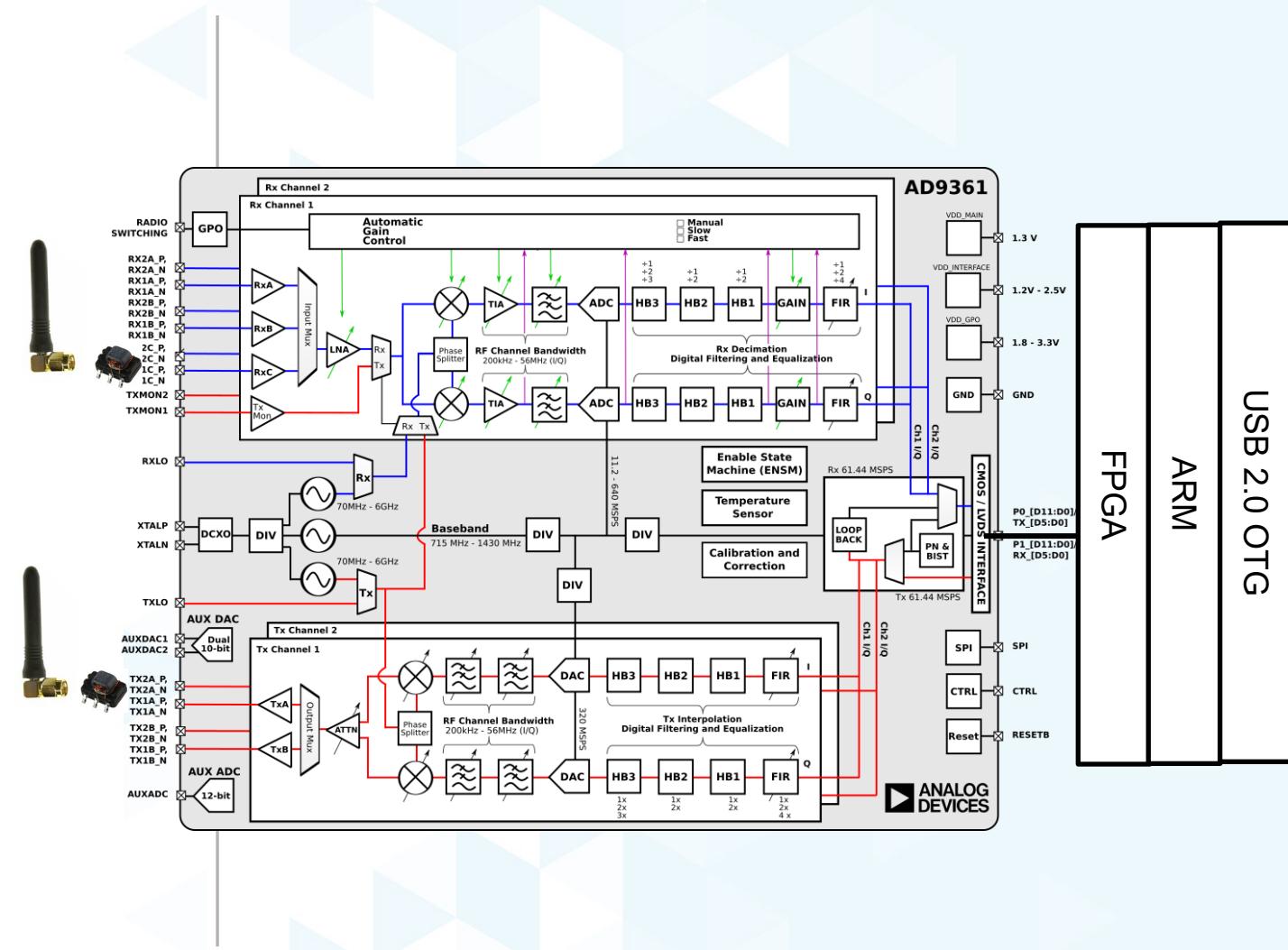
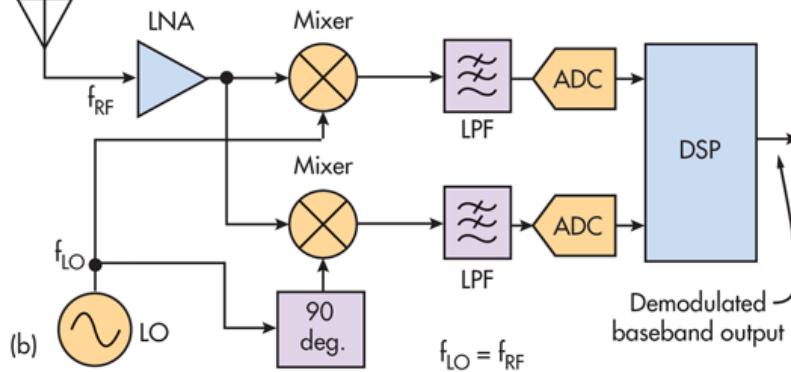
# Transceiver Family

Part #	Applications	Bandwidth	Functionality	RF Tuning Range	Rx Image Rejection*	Rx NF/IIP3**	Tx OIP3*	EVM	Package Size	Data Interface	DPD	Power Consumption
 AD9363	3G/4G Femtocell, UAV, Wireless Surveillance	200 kHz – 20 MHz	2 Rx (or Orx), 2 Tx	325 MHz to 3.8 GHz	50dB	3dB/-14dBm	+19dBm	-34 dB	10 × 10 mm 144-CSP_BGA 0.8 mm pitch	CMOS/LVDS	N/A	1.3 W
 AD9364	3G/4G Picocell, SDR	200 kHz – 56 MHz	1 Rx (or Orx), 1 Tx	70 MHz to 6 GHz	50dB	3dB/-14dBm	+19dBm	-40 dB	10 × 10 mm 144-CSP_BGA 0.8 mm pitch	CMOS/LVDS	N/A	0.8 W
 AD9361	3G/4G Picocell, SDR, Pt-Pt, Satcom, IoT Aggregator	200 kHz – 56 MHz	2 Rx (or Orx), 2 Tx	70 MHz to 6 GHz	50B	3dB/-14dBm	+19dBm	-40 dB	10 × 10 mm 144-CSP_BGA 0.8 mm pitch	CMOS/LVDS	N/A	1.3 W
 AD9371	3G/4G Macro BTS, Massive MIMO, SDR	100MHz Rx, 250MHz Tx/Orx	2Tx, 2Rx Orx & SnRx	300 MHz to 6GHz	75dB	13.5dB/+22dBm	+27dBm	-40 dB	12 × 12 mm 196-CSP_BGA 0.8 mm pitch	6.144 Gbps JESD204B	N/A	4.86 W
 AD9375	3G/4G Small Cell, 3G/4G Massive MIMO	100MHz Rx, 250MHz Tx/Orx	2Tx, 2Rx Orx & SnRx	300 MHz to 6GHz	75dB	13.5dB/+22dBm	+27dBm	-40 dB	12 × 12 mm 196-CSP_BGA 0.8 mm pitch	6.144 Gbps JESD204B	Linearization BW up to 40MHz	4.86 W
 ADRV9009	Macro BTS, Massive MIMO, Active Antenna, Phased Array Radar, Portable Test Equipment	200MHz Rx, 450MHz Tx/Orx	2 Rx (or 2 Orx), 2 Tx	75MHz to 6GHz	75dB	12dB/+15dBm	+27dBm	-43 dB	12 x 12 mm 196-CSP_BGA 0.8 mm pitch	12 Gbps JESD204B	N/A	5.66 W

\* typical performance @ 2.6GHz

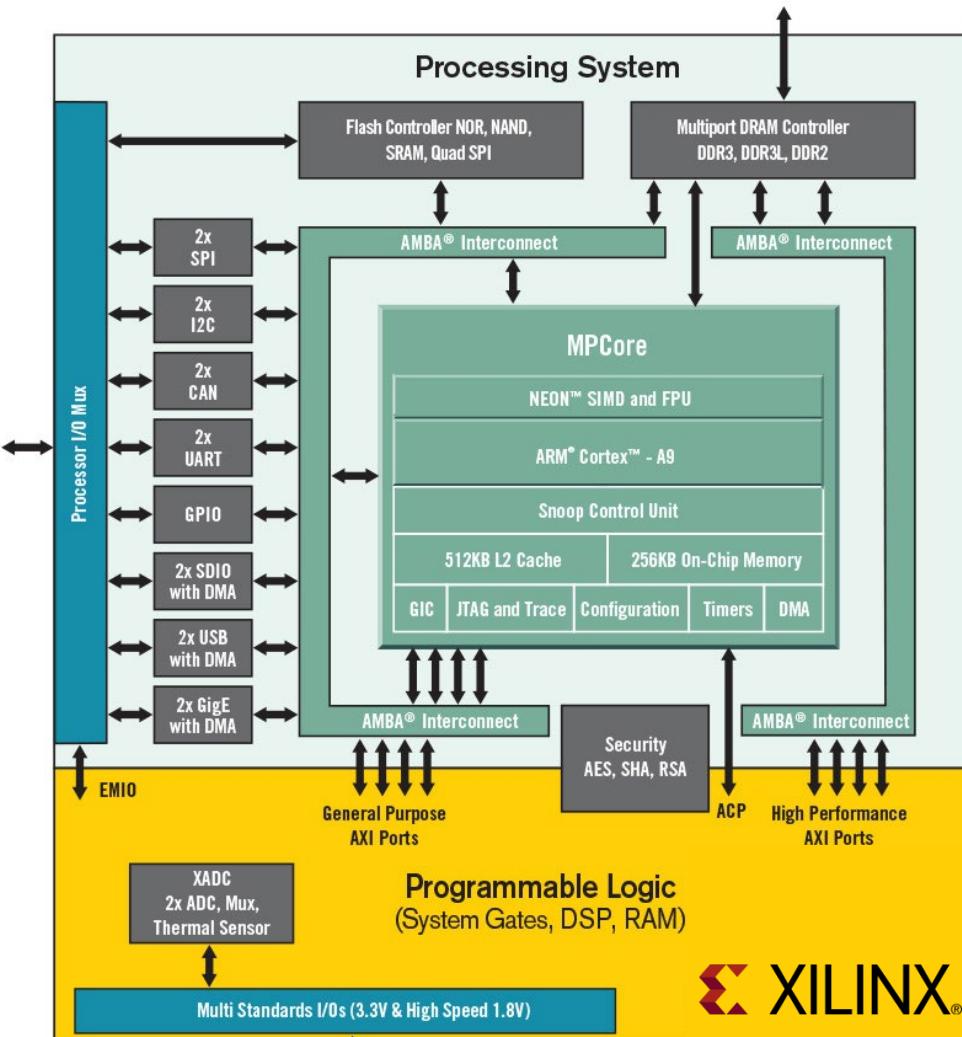
\*\* typical performance @ 2.6GHz, AD9361 assumes internal LNA; AD937x and ADRV9009 no internal LNA.

# Zero IF == ADALM-PLUTO SDR



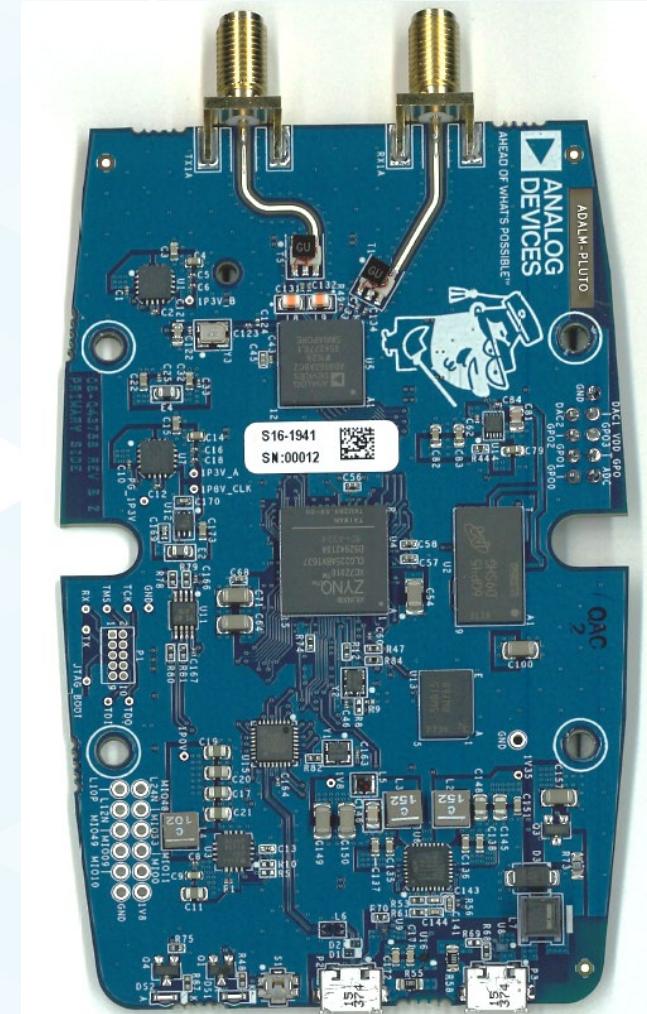
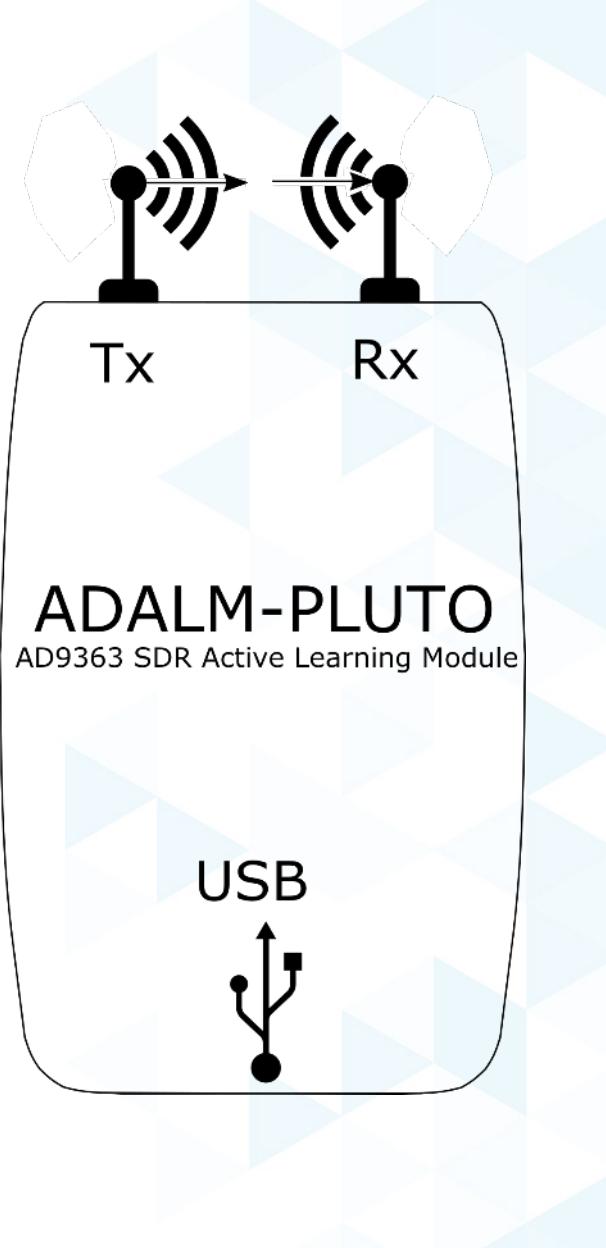
# Xilinx Zynq

- Single Core Zynq 7010-4334
  - ARM Cortex-A9 MPCore (666.6 MHz)
  - NEON™ SIMD Engine
  - Single/Double Precision Floating Point Unit
  - USB 2.0 OTG
  - SPI
- FPGA
  - 28K Logic Cells
  - 17,600 LUTs
  - 35,200 Flip Flops
  - 2.1Mb
  - 80 DSP Slices
- Single CLG225 (13x13) 0.8 mm pitch
  - 32 MIO pins
  - 16 DDR data
  - 4 pairs of XADC signals
  - 54 FPGA High Range Pins (1.2V to 3.3V)



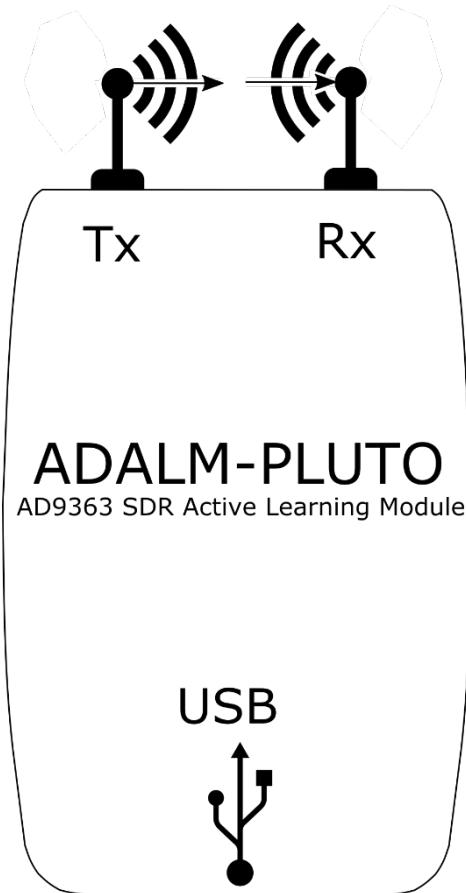
<https://www.xilinx.com/products/silicon-devices/soc/zynq-7000.html>

# ADALM-PLUTO (PlutoSDR)



# Newest Kit for students: ADALM-PLUTO

AD9363 Software Defined Radio Active Learning Module



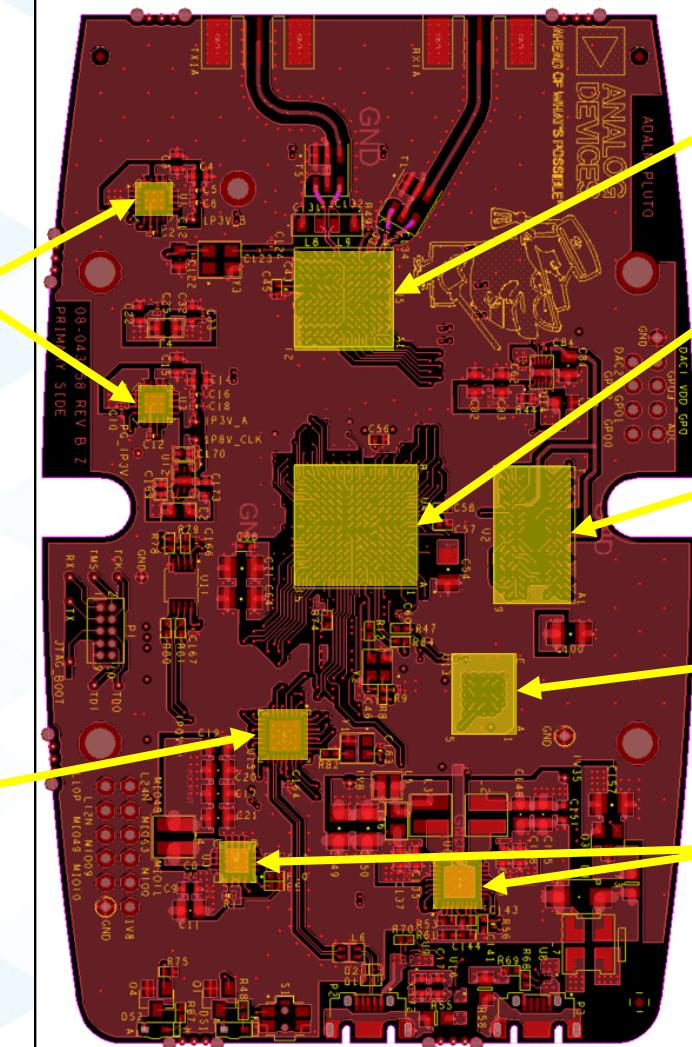
- ▶ Captures I/Q Samples
  - 12-bits
  - 65.1 kSPS to 61.44 MSPS
  - 200kHz to 20 MHz signal bandwidth
- ▶ Sends them to PC for processing over USB2
- ▶ \$149
- ▶ Tuning range;
  - ▶ 325 MHz to 3.8 GHz
    - ▶ Guaranteed performance
  - ▶ 70 MHz to 6.0 GHz
    - ▶ Unknown specs

# ADALM-PLUTO Design

- Design is open, just like all other ADI designs
  - Shows a minimal full system design
    - From antenna to USB
    - RF to bits
  - Only 72 parts on the BOM
    - All IC, R, C, L, connectors, etc
  - Schematics, Gerbers, BOM, Allegro Files posted
    - <https://wiki.analog.com/university/tools/pluto/hacking/hardware>
  - Passes FCC and CE tests
  - Achieves better RF than AD9363 datasheet specs

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Microchip  
USB Phy  
USB3320



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AD9363

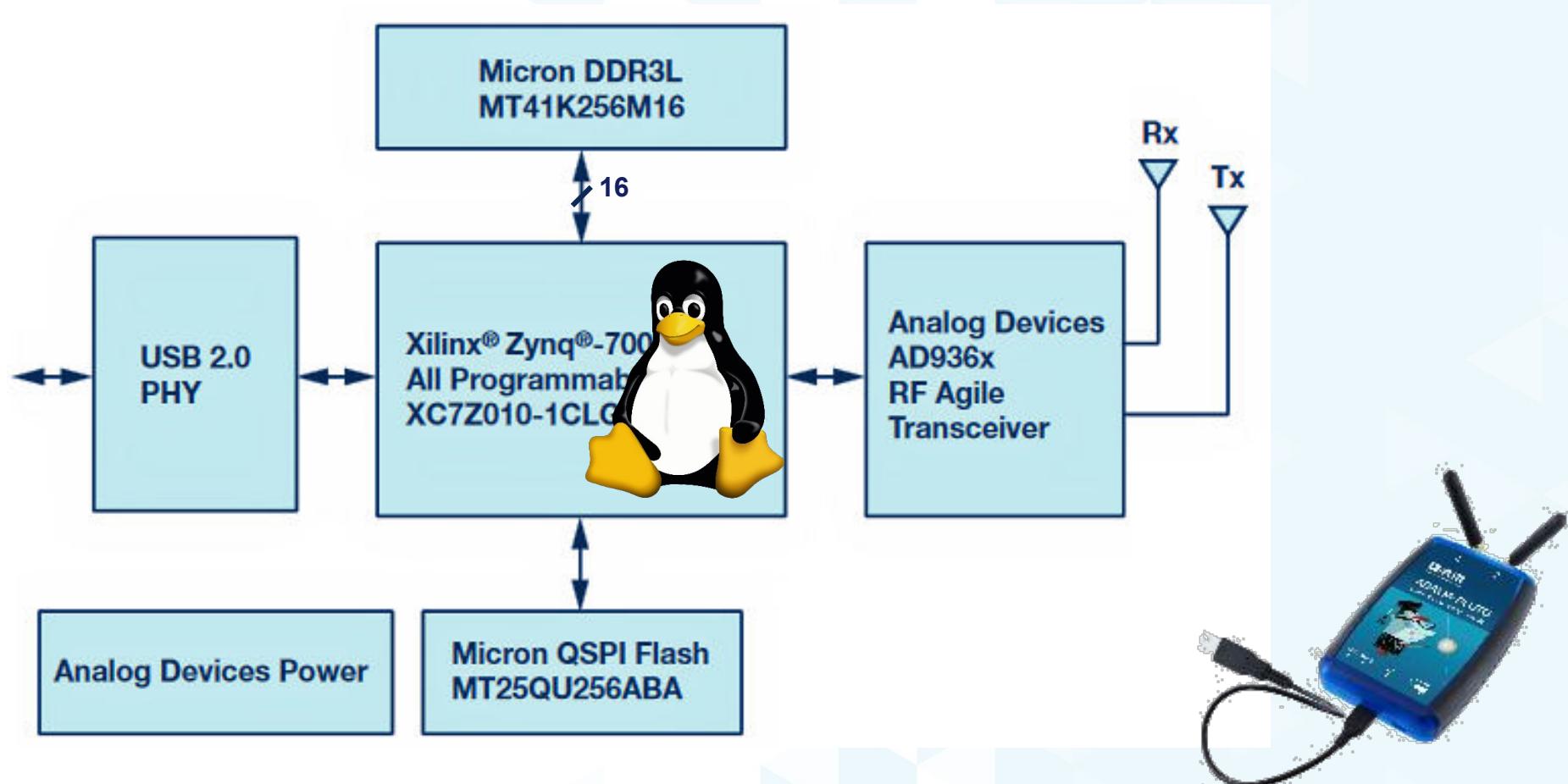
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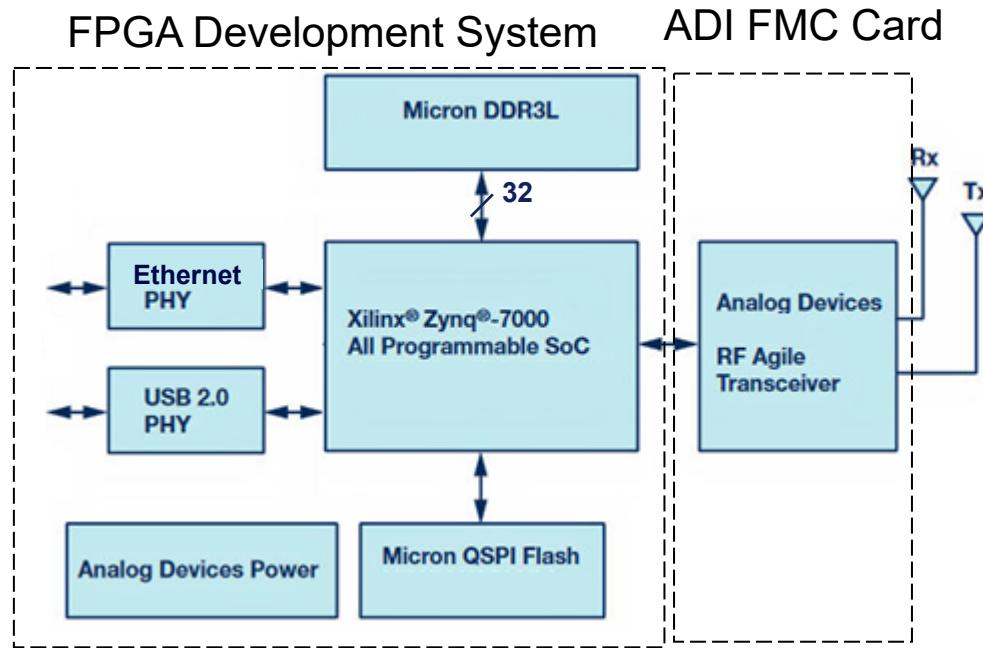
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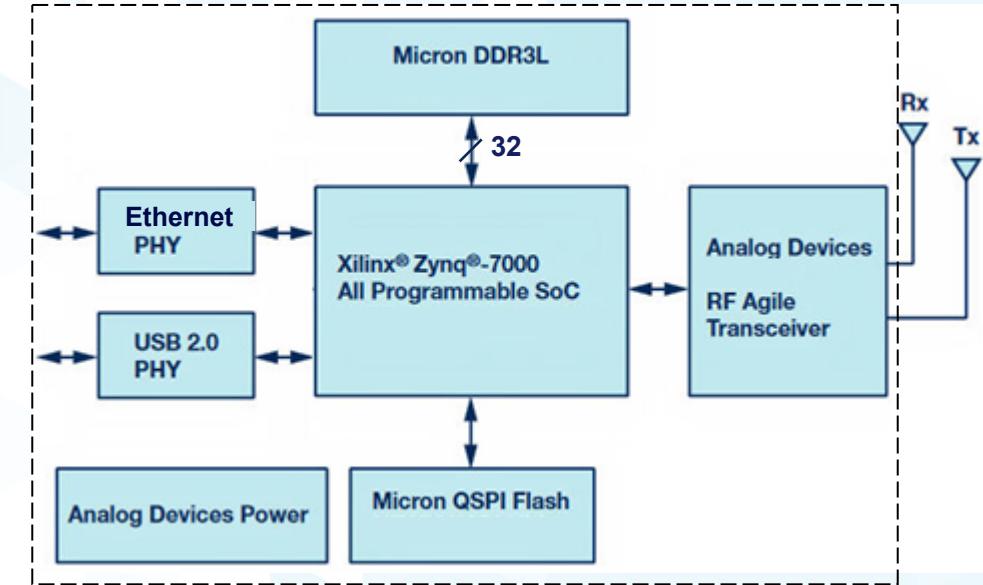
# PlutoSDR: Block Diagram



# SDR Hardware Block Diagram



## ADI (and 3<sup>rd</sup> Party) RF System on Modules



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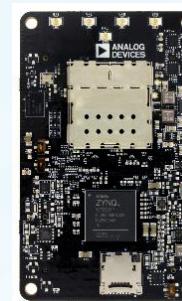
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ADALM-PLUTO



ADRV9361-Z7035  
ADRV9364-Z7020



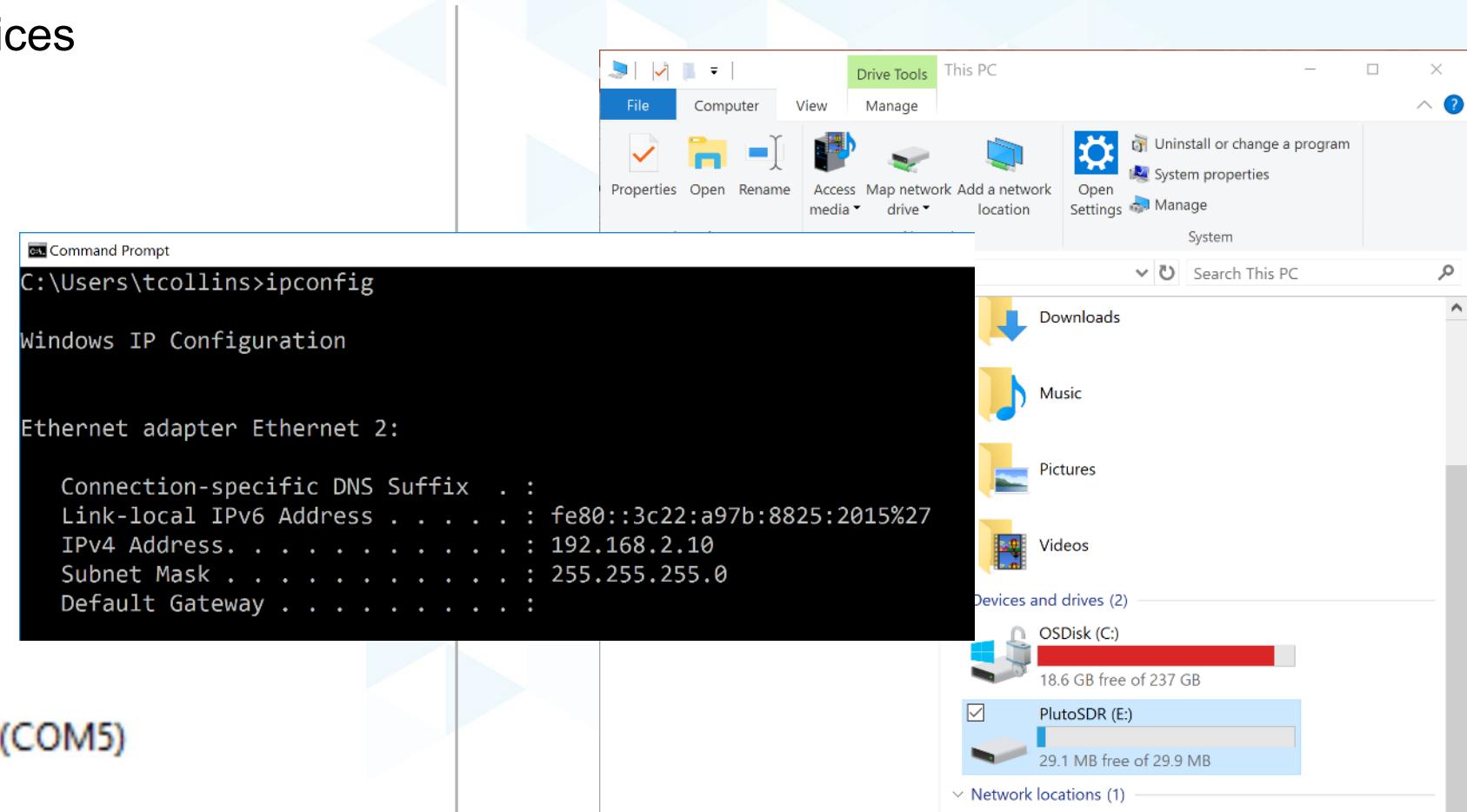
ADRV9009-ZU11EG



# Connecting With PlutoSDR

- ▶ Pluto enumerates four devices
  - Mass storage
  - Ethernet (RNDIS)
  - Serial
  - IIO

- >  Network adapters
- >  Portable Devices
- >  Ports (COM & LPT)
  -  PlutoSDR Serial Console (COM5)
- >  Print queues
- >  Printers



# Questions about Pluto SDR

- ▶ Pluto is an embedded Linux device
  - Uses Linux's USB Gadget
    - Mass storage
    - Serial
    - Ethernet (RNDIS)
    - IIO
  - Can be standalone
    - ~ same performance as Raspberry Pi 1
    - Single Core 666 MHz ARM A9
    - NEON + Floating Point
  - Supports USB Host
  - Open Source Firmware, Open Source HDL, Open Schematics
- ▶ For more information:
  - [www.analog.com/plutosdr](http://www.analog.com/plutosdr)
  - [wiki.analog.com/plutosdr](http://wiki.analog.com/plutosdr)
  - For further information, check out the text
    - Chapter 5: Understanding SDR Hardware



<http://www.iconarchive.com/show/noto-emoji-objects-icons-by-google/62807-radio-icon.html>

<http://www.streamlineicons.com>

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# USB OTG

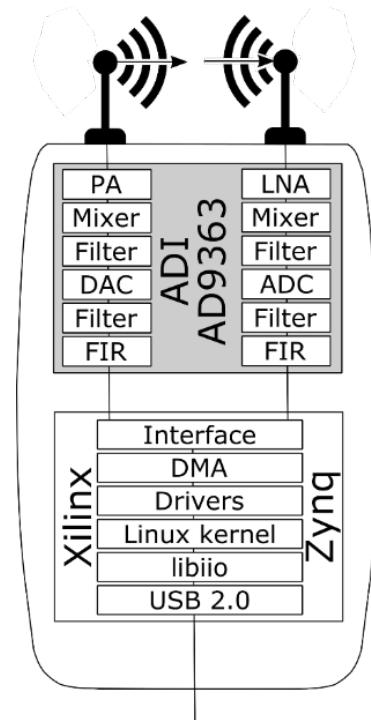
- ▶ The Pluto will automount any USB mass storage device such as thumb drive or Hard Drives
- ▶ The automounter will then look for some special file names:
  - `runme[0-9].sh` which it will run as a shell script
  - `runme[0-9]` which it will run as a binary file.
- ▶ For those interested, it will do that via the automounter script in  
`/lib/mdev/autounter.sh`



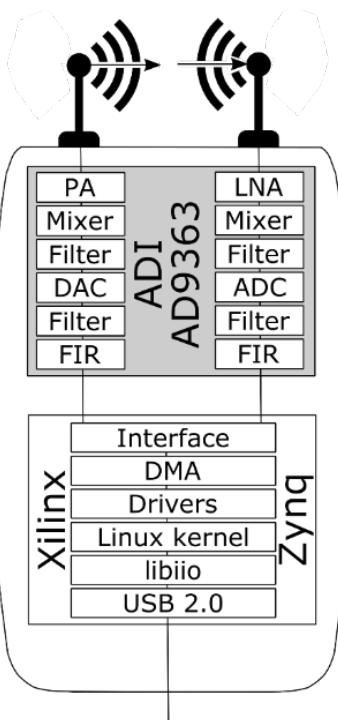
1. Provide power to right USB
2. Plug OTG+USB drive into left USB port
3. Left LED will become solid
4. Script runs

# ADALM-PLUTO USB OTG Connectivity Options

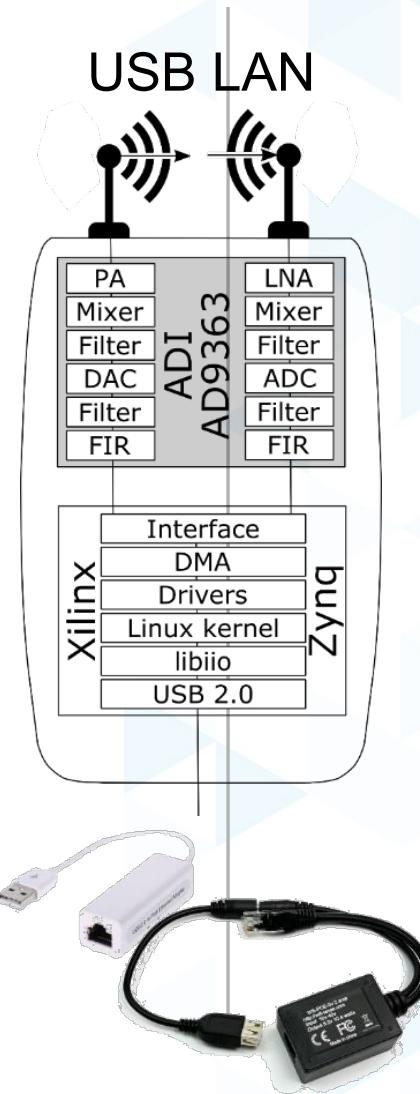
Connect to host



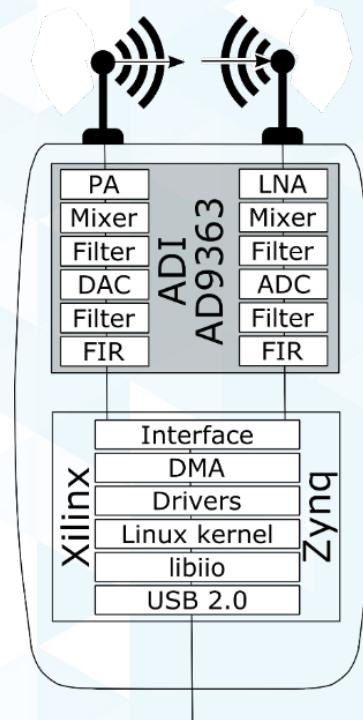
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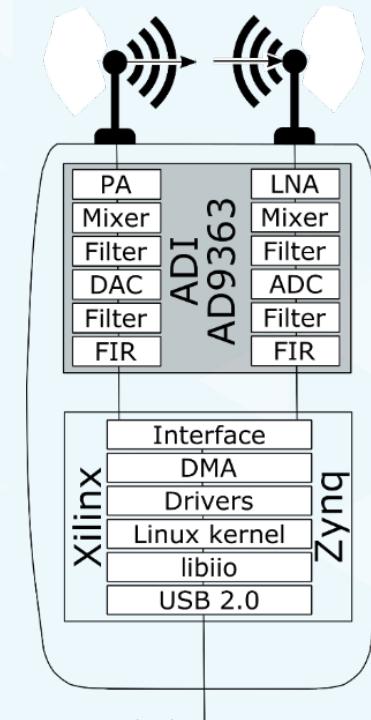
USB LAN



USB WiFi



USB Audio



# Evaluation and Prototyping Hardware

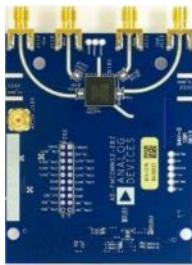
## ADALM-PLUTO

- AD9363
- 1 x Rx, 1 x Tx
- 325 MHz – 3.8GHz
- 200kHz – 20 MHz channel bandwidth



## AD-FMCOMMS2

- AD9361
- 2 x Rx, 2 x Tx
- *tuning range*
  - 2.2 GHz – 2.6GHz
  - 70 MHz – 6GHz
- 200kHz – 56 MHz channel bandwidth



## AD-FMCOMMS3

- AD9361
- 1 x Rx, 1 x Tx
- 70 MHz – 6GHz tuning range
- 200kHz – 56 MHz channel bandwidth
- Shipping Now



## AD-FMCOMMS4

- *AD9364*
- HSMC, not FMC
- 2 x Rx, 2 x Tx
- *2.2 GHz – 2.6GHz tuning range*
- 200kHz – 56 MHz channel bandwidth
- Shipping Now!



## ARRADIO

- AD9361
- 70 MHz – 6GHz tuning range
- 200kHz – 56 MHz channel bandwidth
- Shipping Now!

## AD-FMCOMMS5

- *2 x AD9361*
- 4 x Rx, 4 x Tx
- *Synchronized RF tuning range*
- 70 MHz – 6GHz tuning range
- 200kHz – 56 MHz channel bandwidth
- Shipping Now!



## ADRV9371-N/PCBZ ADRV9371-W/PCBZ

- *AD9371*
- 2 x Rx, 2 x Tx, 2 x Obs, 1x Sniffer
- tuning range
  - 1.8GHz – 2.6GHz
  - 300MHz – 6GHz
- Tx synthesis bandwidth 250 MHz
- Rx BW: 8 MHz to 100 MHz



## ADRV9375-N/PCBZ ADRV9375-W/PCBZ

- *AD9375*
- 2 x Rx, 2 x Tx, 2 x Obs, 1x Sniffer
- tuning range
  - 1.8GHz – 2.6GHz
  - 300MHz – 6GHz
- *DPD actuator and adaptation engine for PA linearization*



## ADRV9008-1W/PCBZ (Rx) ADRV9008-2W/PCBZ (Tx/Obs)

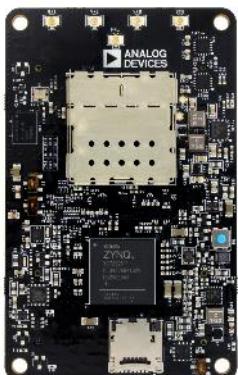
### ADRV9009-W/PCBZ (TDD)

- *ADRV9008-1, ADRV9008-2, ADRV9009*
- 2 x Rx, 2 x Tx, 2 x Obs, 1x Sniffer
- 75MHz – 6GHz tuning range
- Tx synthesis bandwidth 450 MHz
- Rx BW to 200 MHz



## ADRV9364-Z7020 ADRV9361-Z7035

- *AD9364 + Zynq 7020*
- *AD9361 + Zynq 7035*
- 70 MHz – 6GHz tuning range
- 200kHz – 56 MHz channel bandwidth
- 1GB DDR + 32MB FLASH
- Ethernet + USB Phy



## PACKRF

- *ADRV9361 reference design*
- Battery, PoE, Screen, Audio, GPS, IMU



## ADRV-DPD1

- *AD9375 + 250 mW PA*
- 2 Rx, 2 Rx
- LTE Band 7
- 2500 to 2570 Uplink
- 2620 to 2690 MHz Downlink
- 2 PAs, 2 LNAs, duplex filters



## ADRV9009-ZU11EG

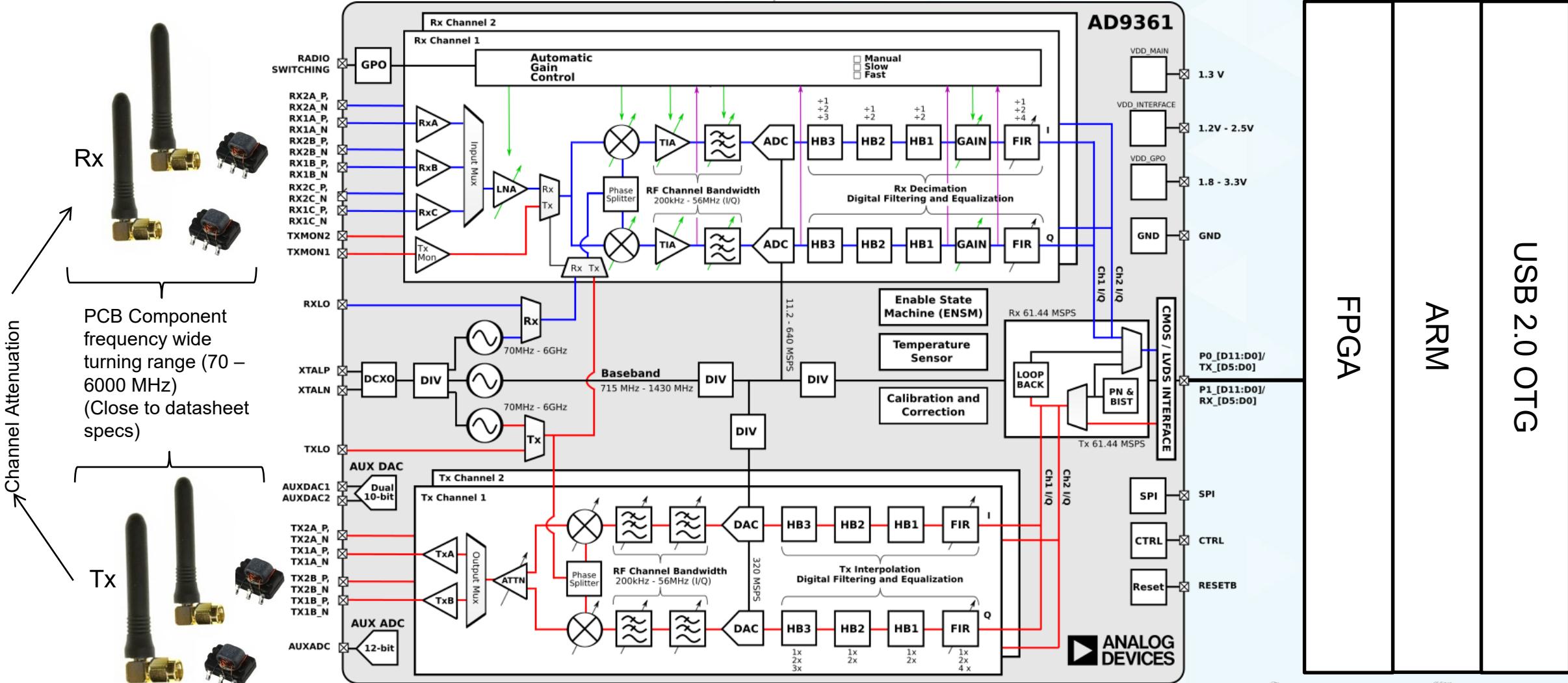
- *2 x ADRV9009 + Zynq Ultrascale*
- 75MHz to 6GHz tuning range
- Rx BW 200MHz
- Tx synthesis bandwidth 450 MHz
- Integrated LO and Phase synch between all channels and Modules
- 4G x64 w/ECC PS; 4G (2Gb x32 x2Banks) PL
- USB3, USB2, PCIe 3.0 x8, QSFP+, SFP+, 1Gb Ethernet x2, and CPRI



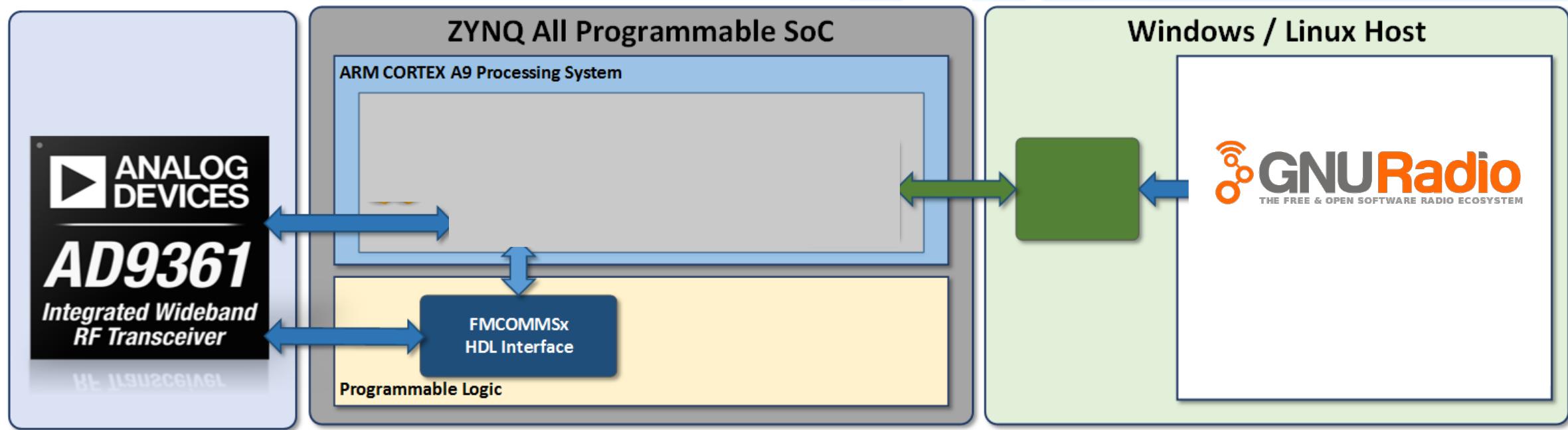
# Linux's Industrial Input/Output (IIO) infrastructure



# ADI ZIF Transceivers

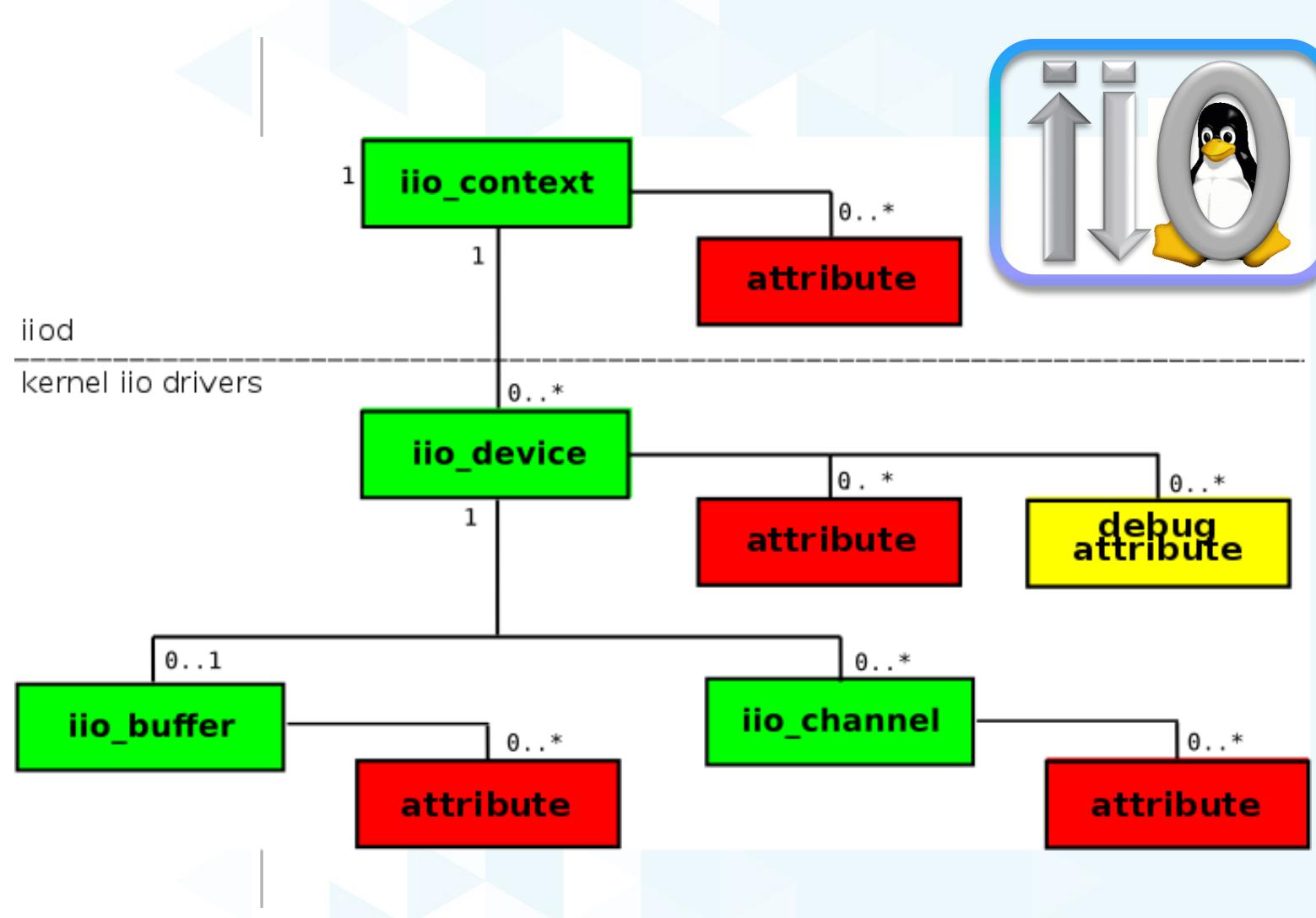


# Radio to Host Interface

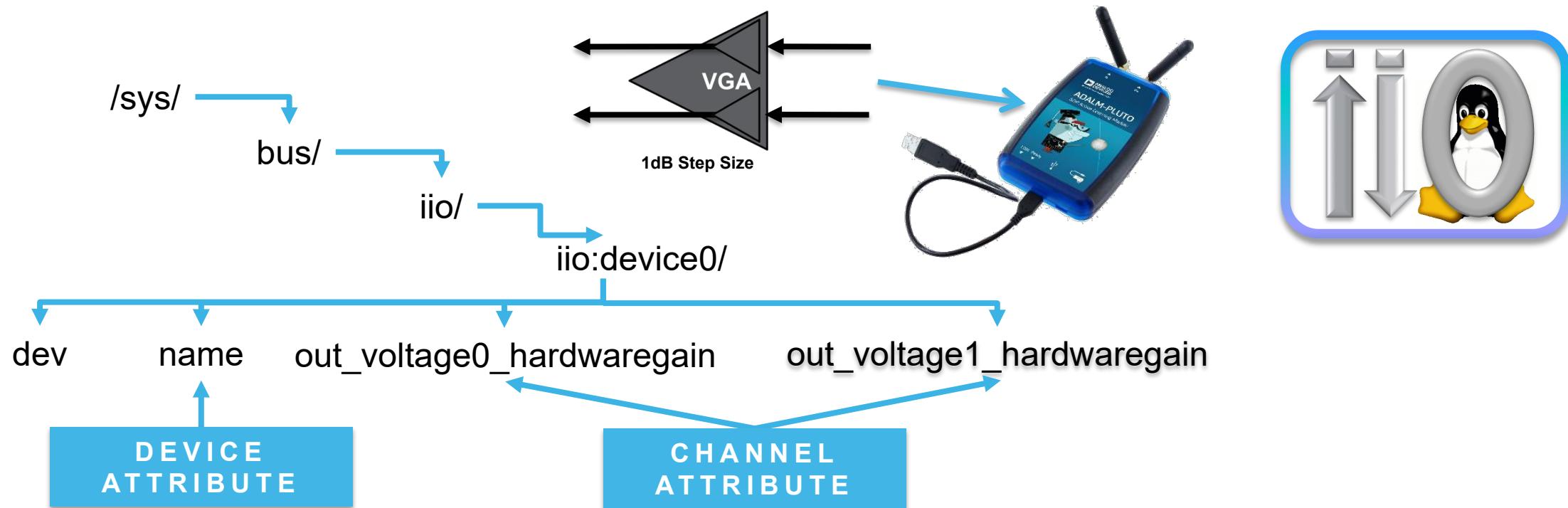


# IIO Concepts

- The Linux **Industrial I/O (IIO)** subsystem is intended to provide support for devices that, in some sense, are analog-to-digital or digital-to-analog converters
  - Devices that fall into this category are:
    - ADCs
    - DACs
    - Accelerometers, gyros, IMUs
    - Capacitance-to-Digital converters (CDCs)
    - Pressure, temperature, and light sensors, etc.
    - RF Transceivers (like the AD9361 / AD9364 / AD9371 / ADRV9009)
  - Can be used on ADCs ranging from a 1MSPS SoC ADC to >5 GSPS ADCs



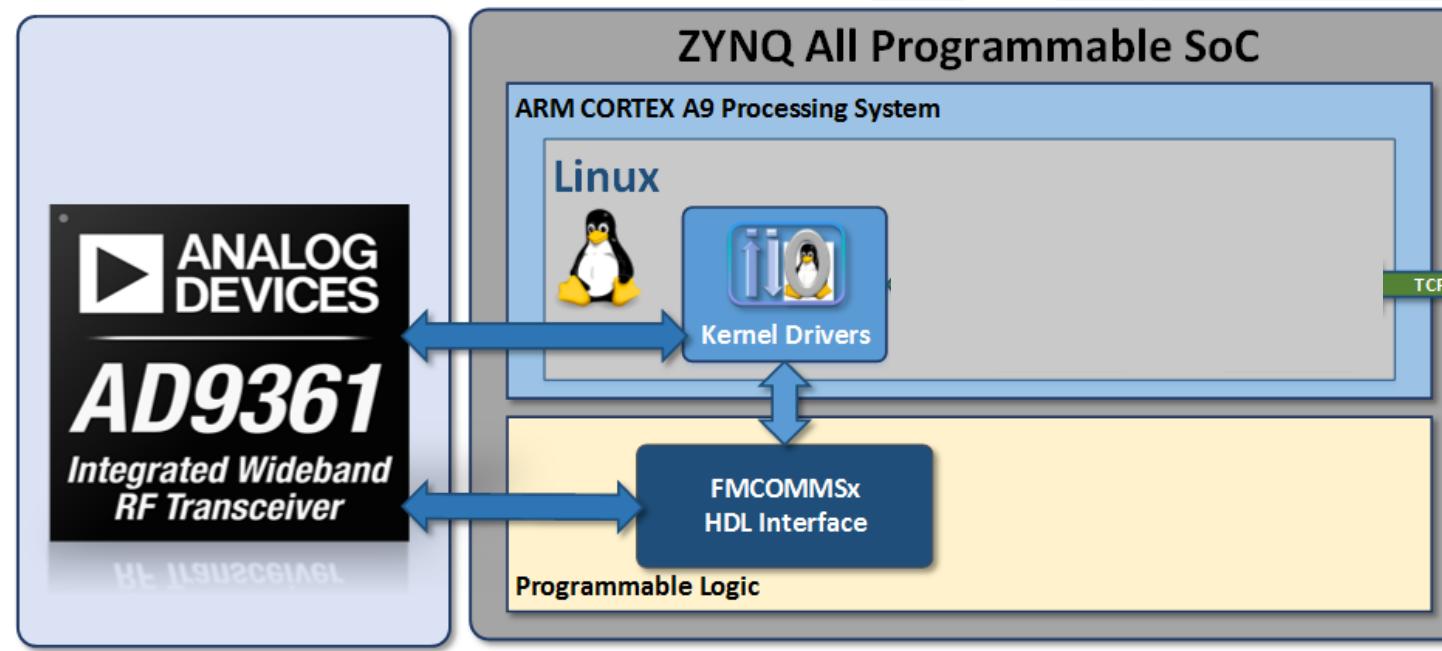
# Pluto Gain Control



## Shell Commands:

```
/sys/bus/iio/iio:device0 # cat name  
ad8366-lpc  
/sys/bus/iio/iio:device0 # echo 6 > out_voltage1_hardwaregain  
/sys/bus/iio/iio:device0 # cat out_voltage1_hardwaregain  
5.765000 dB
```

# IIO Driver



# Goal: How to I control the device?

LO Frequency  
Sample Rate  
Gain Mode  
TDD ENSM  
RSSI

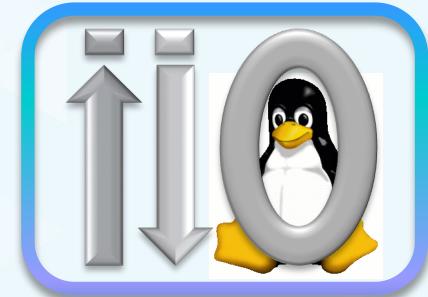


192.168.1.199 - PuTTY

```
# ls
calib_mode
calib_mode_available
dcxo_tune_coarse
dcxo_tune_coarse_available
dcxo_tune_fine
dcxo_tune_fine_available
dev
ensm_mode
ensm_mode_available
filter_fir_config
gain_table_config
in_out_voltage_filter_fir_en
in_temp0_input
in_voltage0_gain_control_mode
in_voltage0_hardwaregain
in_voltage0_hardwaregain_available
in_voltage0_rf_port_select
in_voltage0_rssi
in_voltage2_offset
in_voltage2_raw
in_voltage2_scale
in_voltage_bb_dc_offset_tracking_en
in_voltage_filter_fir_en
in_voltage_gain_control_mode_available
in_voltage_quadrature_tracking_en
#
```

```
in_voltage_rf_bandwidth
in_voltage_rf_bandwidth_available
in_voltage_rf_dc_offset_tracking_en
in_voltage_rf_port_select_available
in_voltage_sampling_frequency
in_voltage_sampling_frequency_available
multichip_sync
name
of_node
out_altvoltage0_RX_LO_external
out_altvoltage0_RX_LO_fastlock_load
out_altvoltage0_RX_LO_fastlock_recall
out_altvoltage0_RX_LO_fastlock_save
out_altvoltage0_RX_LO_fastlock_store
out_altvoltage0_RX_LO_frequency
out_altvoltage0_RX_LO_frequency_available
out_altvoltage0_RX_LO_powerdown
out_altvoltage1_TX_LO_external
out_altvoltage1_TX_LO_fastlock_load
out_altvoltage1_TX_LO_fastlock_recall
out_altvoltage1_TX_LO_fastlock_save
out_altvoltage1_TX_LO_fastlock_store
out_altvoltage1_TX_LO_frequency
out_altvoltage1_TX_LO_frequency_available
out_altvoltage1_TX_LO_powerdown
```

```
out_voltage0_hardwaregain
out_voltage0_hardwaregain_available
out_voltage0_rf_port_select
out_voltage0_rssi
out_voltage2_raw
out_voltage2_scale
out_voltage3_raw
out_voltage3_scale
out_voltage_filter_fir_en
out_voltage_rf_bandwidth
out_voltage_rf_bandwidth_available
out_voltage_rf_port_select_available
out_voltage_sampling_frequency
out_voltage_sampling_frequency_available
power
rssi_gain_step_error
rx_path_rates
subsystem
trx_rate_governor
trx_rate_governor_available
tx_path_rates
uevent
xo_correction
xo_correction_available
```



# IIO – libiio

- System library
- Abstracts away low level details of the IIO kernel ABI
  - Kernel ABI is designed to be simple and efficient
  - libiio focuses on ease of use
- Provides high-level C, C++, C# or Python programming interface to IIO (Language bindings)

```
ctx = iio_create_context_from_uri("ip:192.168.2.1");

phy = iio_context_find_device(ctx, "ad9361-phy");

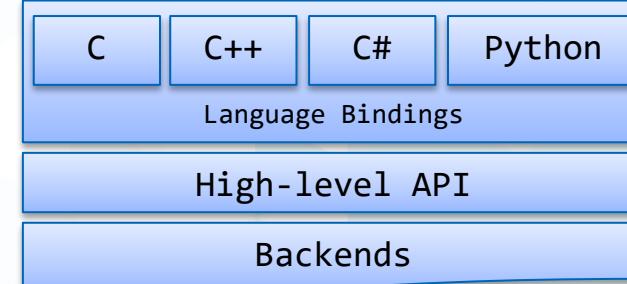
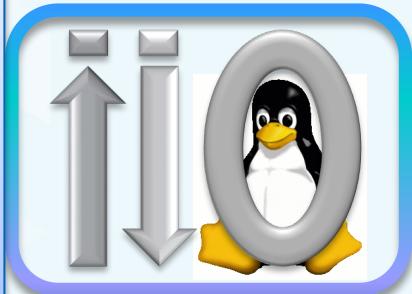
iio_channel_attr_write_longlong(
    iio_device_find_channel(phy, "altvoltage0", true),
    "frequency",
    2400000000); /* RX LO frequency 2.4GHz */

iio_channel_attr_write_longlong(
    iio_device_find_channel(phy, "voltage0", false),
    "sampling_frequency",
    5000000); /* RX baseband rate 5 MSPS */
```

```
ctx = iio.Context('ip:192.168.2.1')
phy = ctx.find_device('ad9361-phy')
chan1 = phy.find_channel('altvoltage0')

chan1.attrs['frequency'] = 2400000000

chan2 = phy.find_channel('voltage0')
chan2.attrs['sampling_frequency'] = 5000000
```



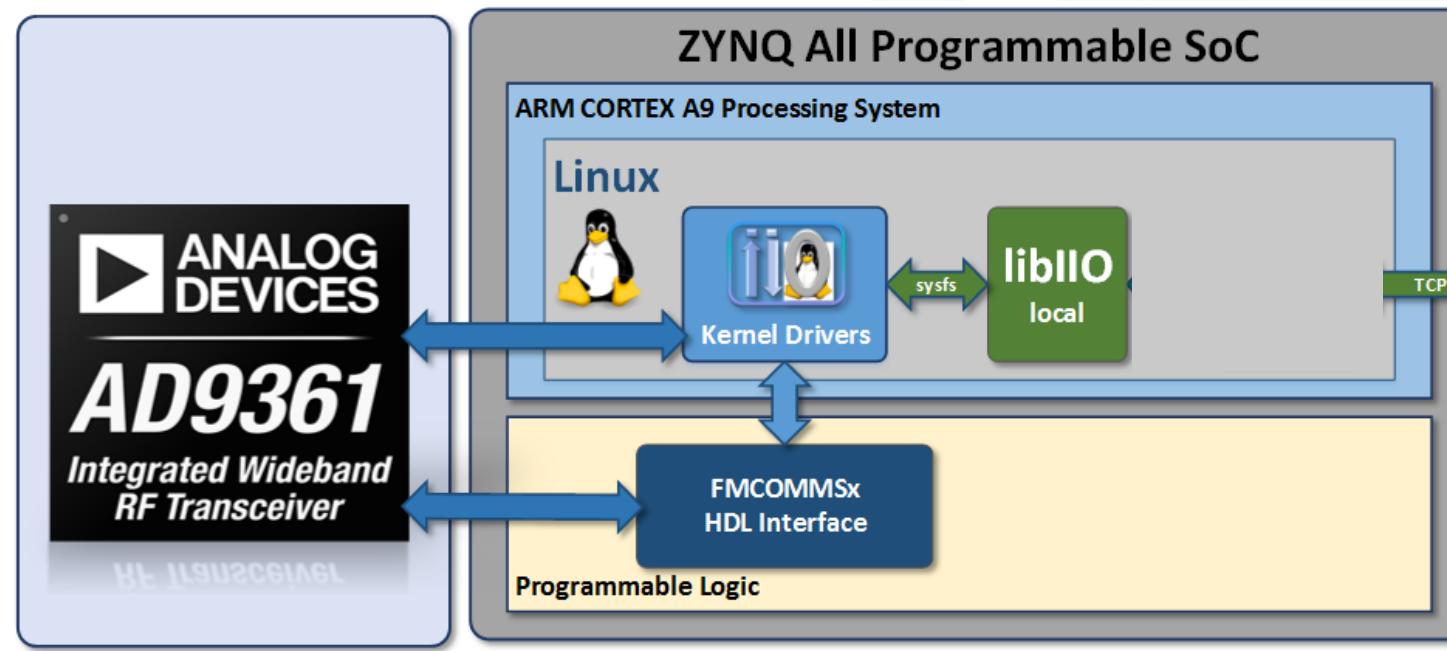
For more information:

<https://github.com/analogdevicesinc/libiio>

[http://wiki.analog.com/resources/tools-software/linux-software/libiio\\_internals](http://wiki.analog.com/resources/tools-software/linux-software/libiio_internals)

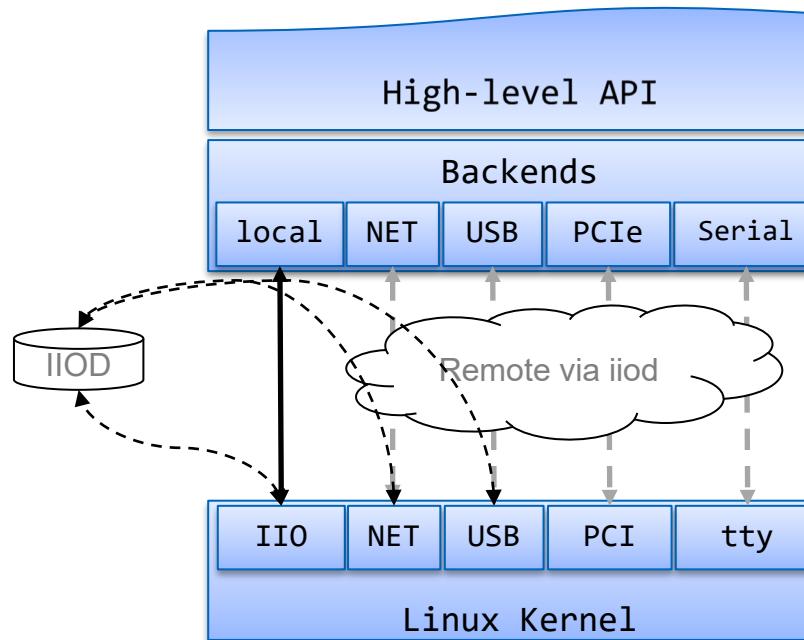
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# IIO Driver

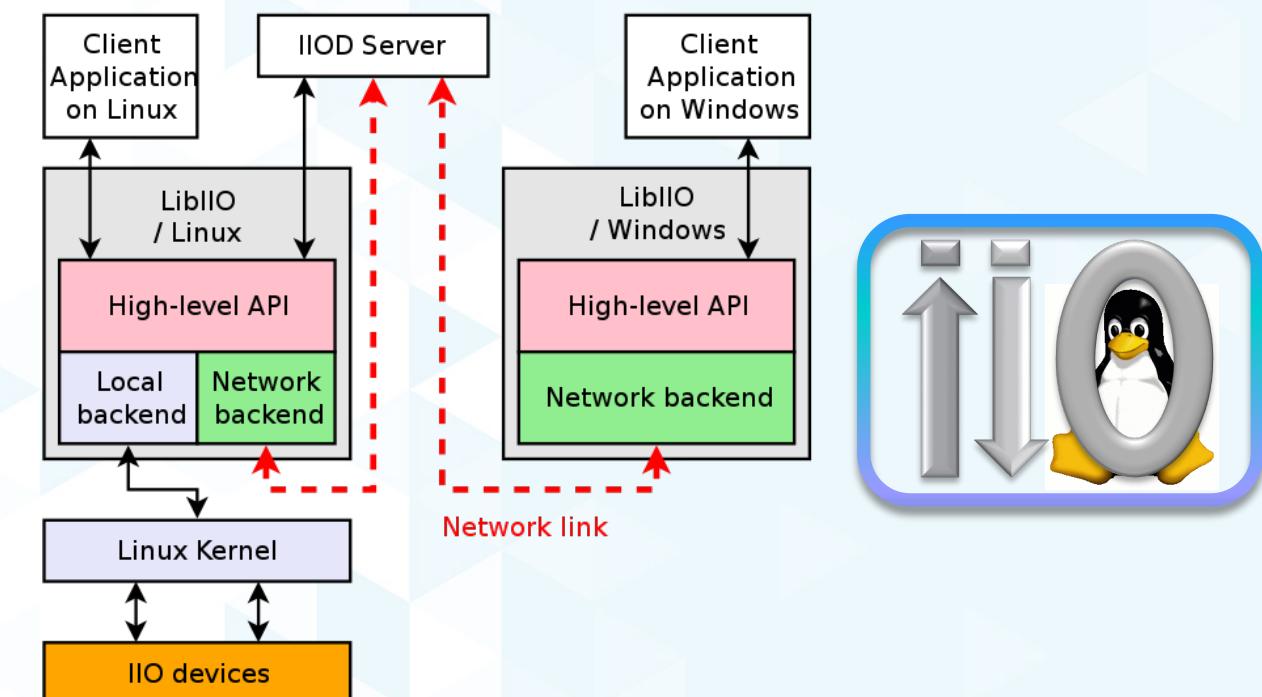


# IIO – libiio – Backends

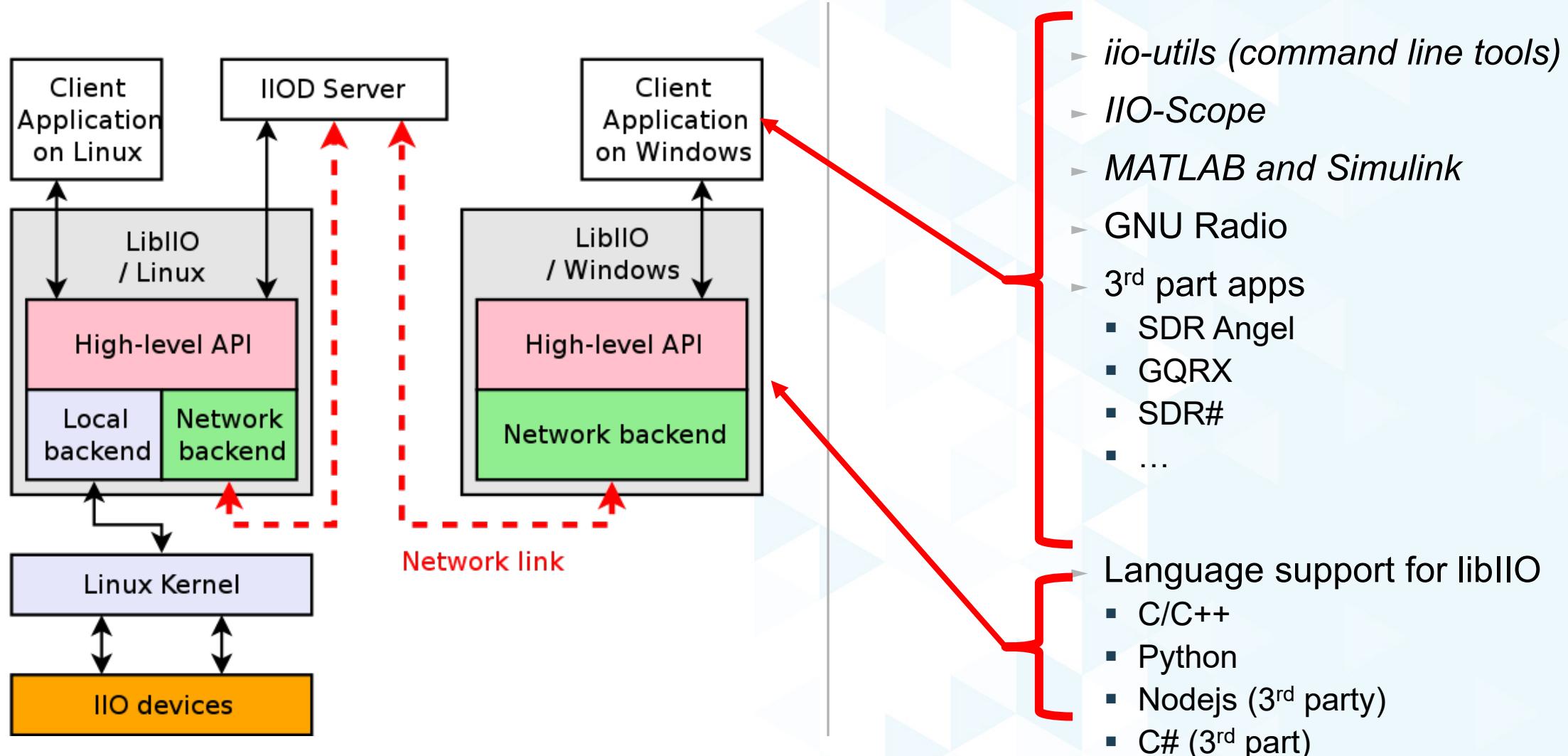
- ▶ Support for backends
  - Backend takes care of low-level communication details
  - Provide the same API for applications
  - Transparent from the applications point of view



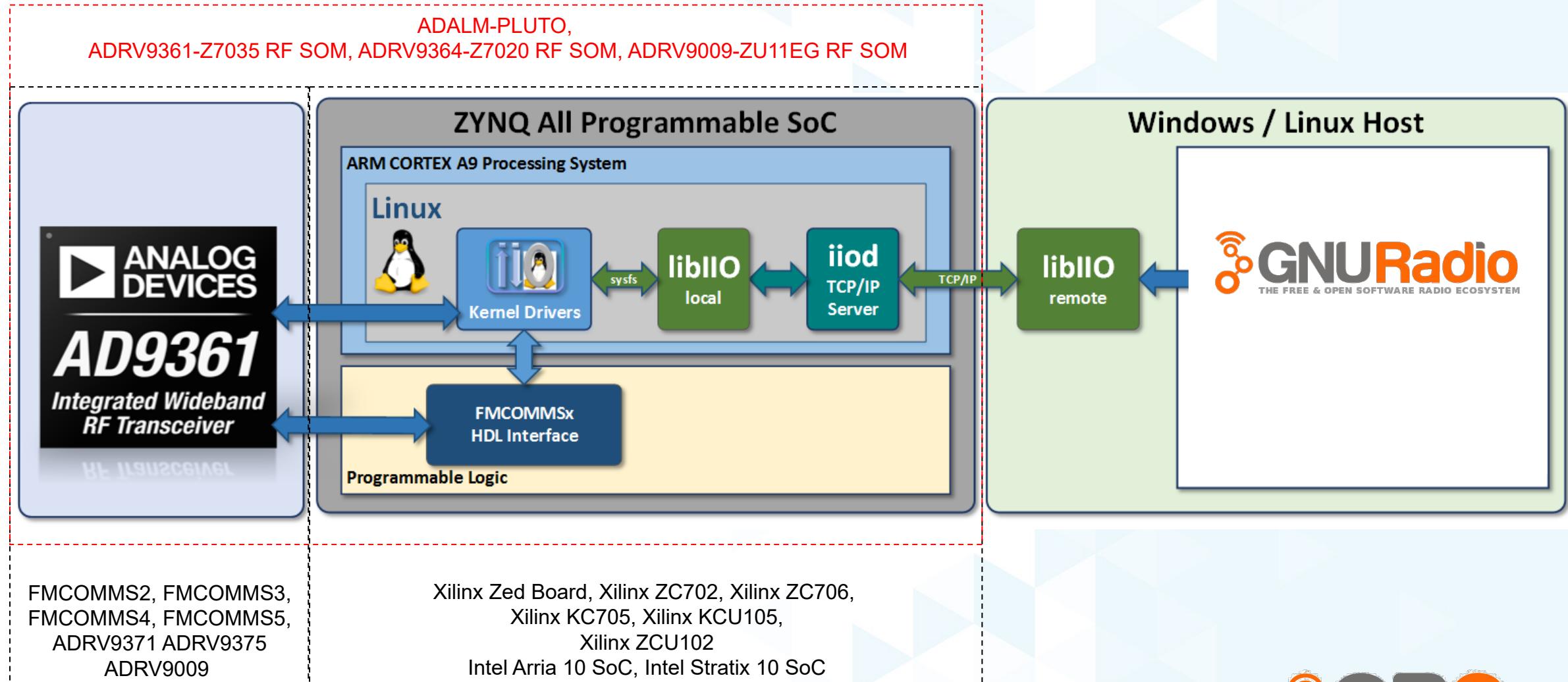
```
bash
# hostname
pluto
# ps aux | grep iio
 745 root      /usr/sbin/iiod -D -n 3 -F /dev/iio_ffe
5950 root      grep iio
#
```



# libIIO and applications

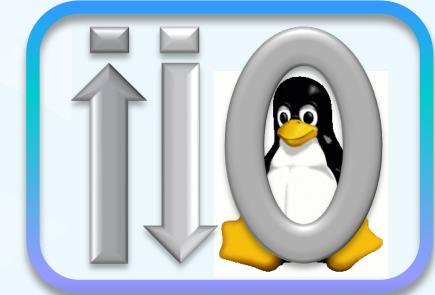


# IIO Driver



# IIO – libiio – Command line tools

- ▶ **iio\_info** : Information about all IIO devices, backends and context attributes
  - `iio_info -s`
  - `iio_info -u ip:192.168.2.1`
- ▶ **iio\_attr** : Read and write IIO attributes
  - `iio_attr -c ad9361-phy altvoltage0 frequency 2450000000`
- ▶ **iio\_readdev** : Read samples from an IIO device
  - `iio_readdev -u usb:1.100.5 -b 100000 cf-ad9361-lpc | pv > /dev/null`
- ▶ **iio\_writedev** : Write samples to an IIO device
  - `iio_readdev -b 100000 cf-ad9361-lpc | iio_writedev -b 100000 cf-ad9361-dds-core-lpc`
- ▶ **iio\_reg** : Read or write SPI or I2C registers in an IIO device (useful to debug drivers)
  - `iio_reg adrv9009-phy 0`



# Discovery & Resolution

## (Linux, Windows or macOS Host, Using iio-utils)

- ▶ Are there any iio devices on the local domain?

```
rgetz@brain:~/github/libiio$ iio_info -S
Library version: 0.21 (git tag: 565bf68)
Compiled with backends: local xml ip usb serial
Available contexts:
 0: 0456:b673 (Analog Devices Inc. PlutoSDR (ADALM-PLUTO)), serial=1044739659930006feff0f0010e1273635 [usb:3.33.5]
 1: 192.168.1.116 (AD-FMCOMMS2-EBZ on Xilinx Zynq ZED (armv7l)), serial=00100 [ip:analog-2.local]
 2: 192.168.2.1 (Analog Devices PlutoSDR Rev.C (Z7010-AD9363A)), serial=1044739659930006feff0f0010e1273635 [ip:pluto.local]
```

- ▶ Are there any iio devices on the local domain?

```
rgetz@brain:~/github/libiio$ iio_attr -S
Available contexts:
 0: 0456:b673 (Analog Devices Inc. PlutoSDR (ADALM-PLUTO)), serial=1044739659930006feff0f0010e1273635 [usb:3.33.5]
 1: 192.168.2.1 (Analog Devices PlutoSDR Rev.C (Z7010-AD9363A)), serial=1044739659930006feff0f0010e1273635 [ip:pluto.local]
 2: 192.168.1.116 (AD-FMCOMMS2-EBZ on Xilinx Zynq ZED (armv7l)), serial=00100 [ip:analog-2.local]
```

- ▶ Are there any iio devices on the local domain? (specifically ethernet)

```
rgetz@brain:~/github/libiio$ iio_attr -S ip
Available contexts:
 0: 192.168.2.1 (Analog Devices PlutoSDR Rev.C (Z7010-AD9363A)), serial=1044739659930006feff0f0010e1273635 [ip:pluto.local]
 1: 192.168.1.116 (AD-FMCOMMS2-EBZ on Xilinx Zynq ZED (armv7l)), serial=00100 [ip:analog-2.local]
```

## ► IIO version

```
32 # Setup contexts
33 try:
34     ctx = iio.Context('ip:192.168.2.1')
35 except:
36     print("No device found")
37     sys.exit(0)
38
39 ctrl = ctx.find_device("ad9361-phy")
40 txdac = ctx.find_device("cf-ad9361-dds-core-lpc")
41 rxadc = ctx.find_device("cf-ad9361-lpc")
42
43 # Configure transceiver settings
44 rxL0 = ctrl.find_channel("altvoltage0", True)
45 rxL0.attrs["frequency"].value = str(int(RXLO))
46 txL0 = ctrl.find_channel("altvoltage1", True)
47 txL0.attrs["frequency"].value = str(int(TXLO))
48
49 tx = ctrl.find_channel("voltage0",True)
50 tx.attrs["rf_bandwidth"].value = str(int(RXBW))
51 tx.attrs["sampling_frequency"].value = str(int(RXFS))
52 tx.attrs['hardwaregain'].value = '-30'
53
54 rx = ctrl.find_channel("voltage0")
55 rx.attrs["rf_bandwidth"].value = str(int(TXBW))
56 rx.attrs["sampling_frequency"].value = str(int(TXFS))
57 rx.attrs['gain_control_mode'].value = 'slow_attack'
58
```

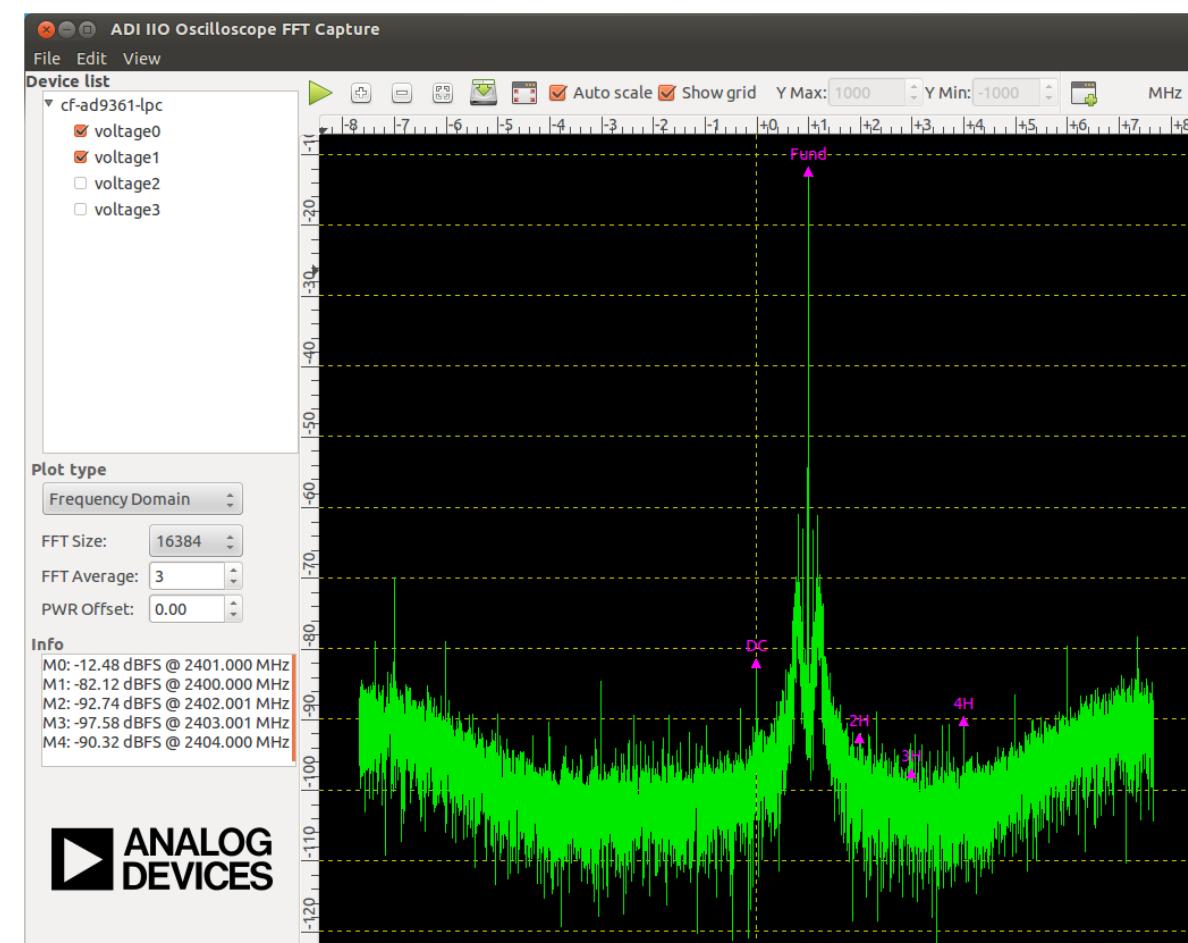
## ► Pyadi-iio version

```
41 # Create radio
42 sdr = adi.Pluto()
43
44 # Configure properties
45 sdr.rx_rf_bandwidth = 4000000
46 sdr.rx_lo = 2000000000
47 sdr.tx_lo = 2000000000
48 sdr.tx_cyclic_buffer = True
49 sdr.tx_hardwaregain = -30
50 sdr.gain_control_mode = "slow_attack"
51
```

pip install pyadi-iio

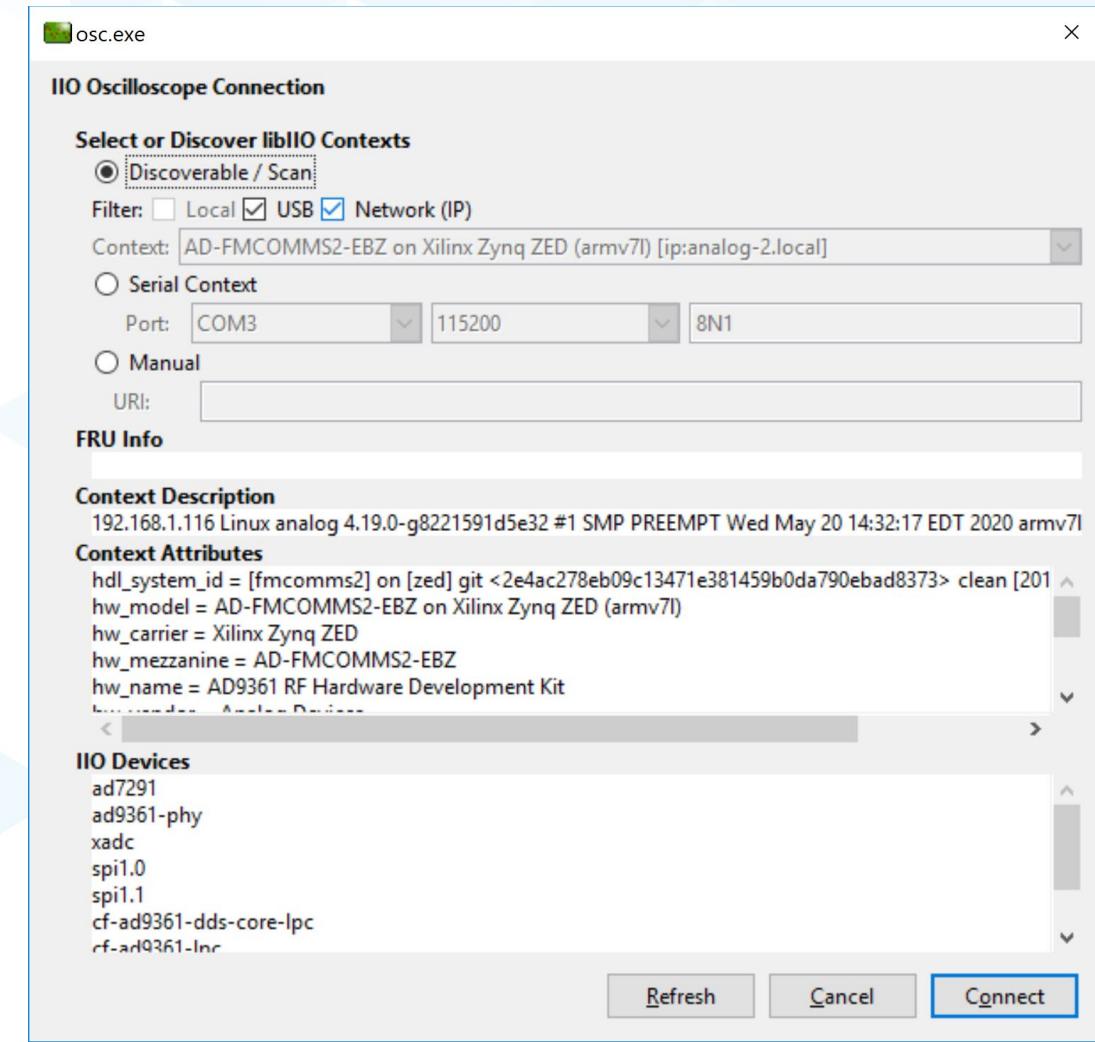
# IIO-Scope

- ▶ Capture and display data
  - Time domain
  - Frequency domain
  - Constellation plot
  - Markers
  - Math operations
- ▶ Device configuration
- ▶ Plug-in system allow to create device or complex specialized GU
- ▶ Should support any IIO device
- ▶ Cross platform



# IIO-Scope Zeroconf

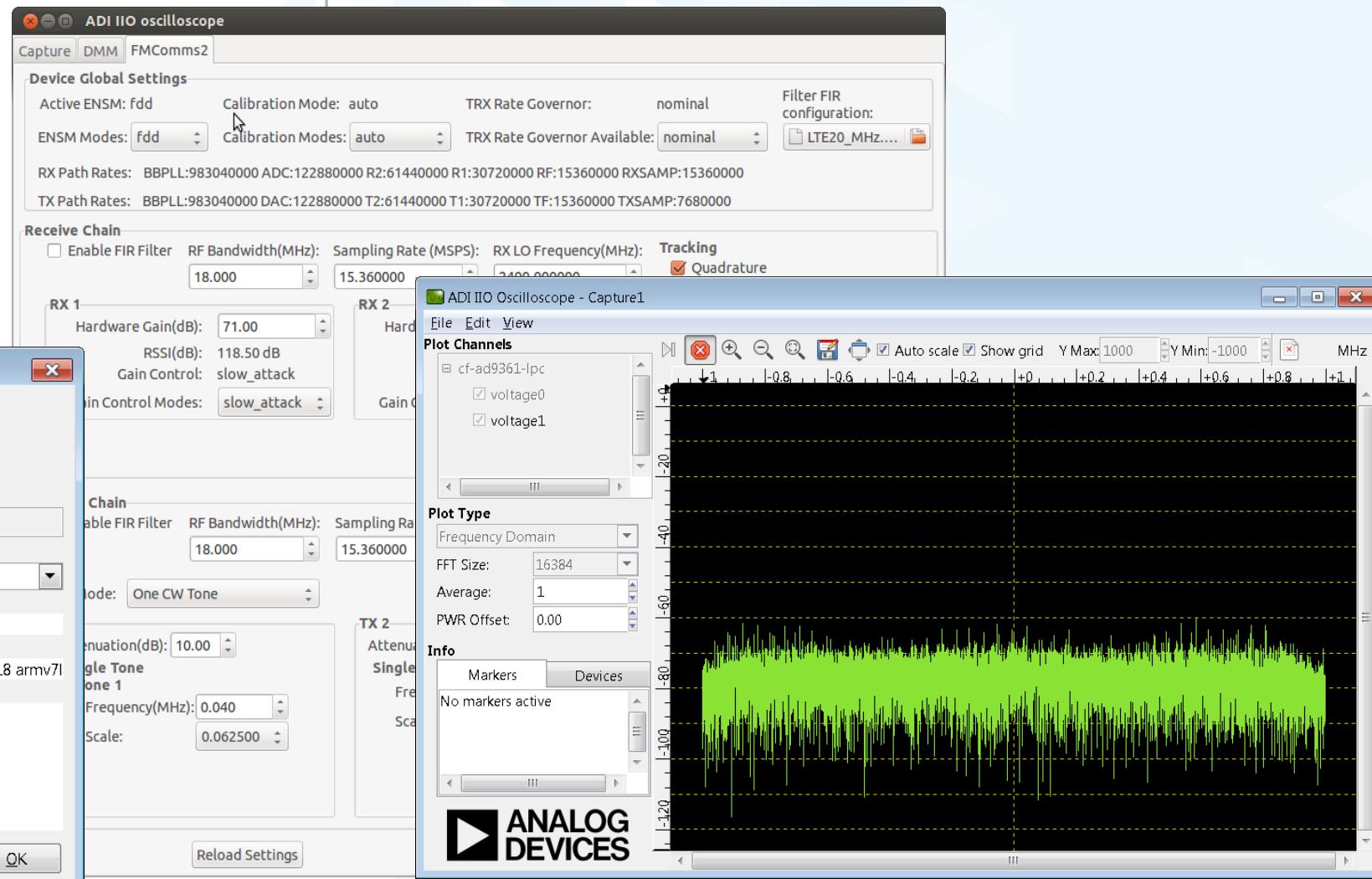
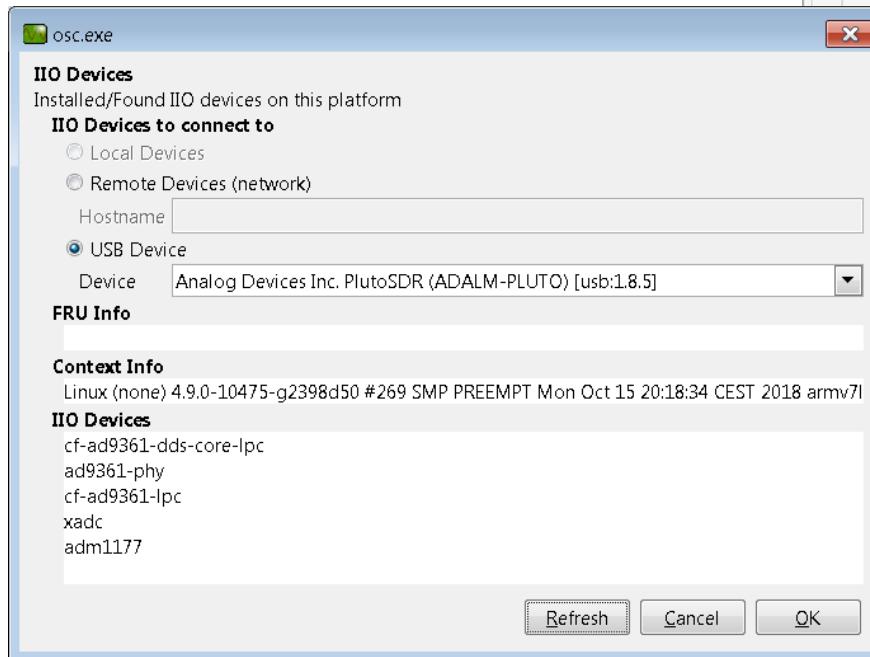
- ▶ GUI can use libiio functions, and get a list of any discoverable IIO devices:
  - USB
  - Network
  - local (Linux hosts only)
- ▶ Since GUI has access to both IP number, and context name, it keeps track and doesn't need Bonjour on Windows
  - It resolves the address itself.



# IIO-Tools + IIO-Scope

## Instructor-Led Demo

- ▶ Demo of iio-utils
  - Open IIO Scope
  - Attach USB Devices (Pluto)
  - Capture and Display Signals
  - Change LO



# Questions about IIO-Tools + IIO-Scope?

- ▶ IIO scope is cross platform
  - Linux, MAC, Windows
  - i386, amd64, arm (on Zynq, or Raspberry Pi)
  - Runs remote or local
    - Local requires linux
    - Lots of local devices on standard laptops
- ▶ IIO has lots of on-line documentation
  - [wiki.analog.com](http://wiki.analog.com)



<http://www.iconarchive.com/show/noto-emoji-objects-icons-by-google/62807-radio-icon.html>

<http://www.streamlineicons.com>

<http://pixelkit.com>

# Why can't I use IIO Scope for Everything?

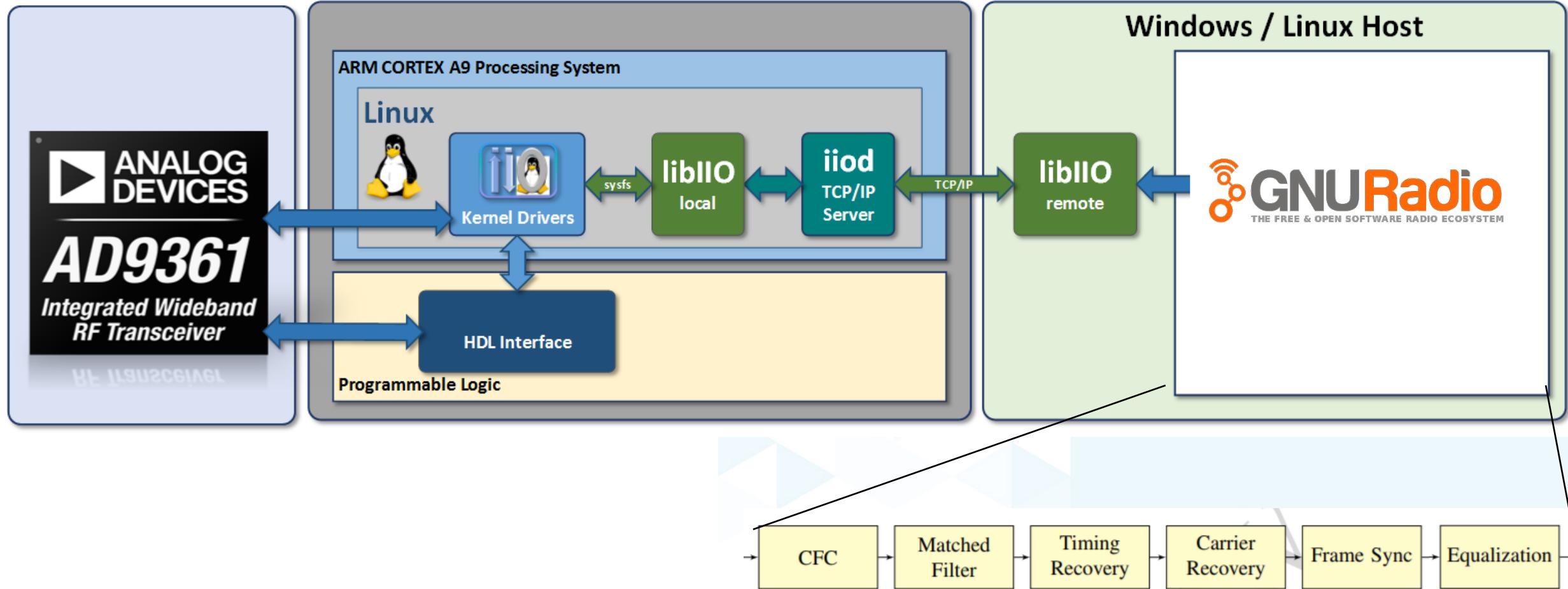
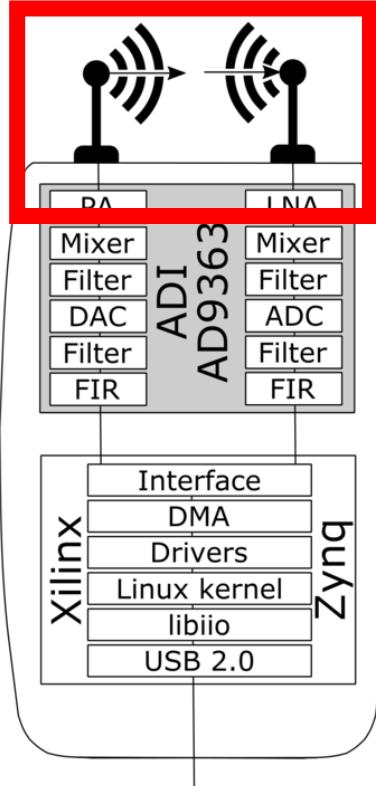


Figure 9.1: Receiver Block Diagram.

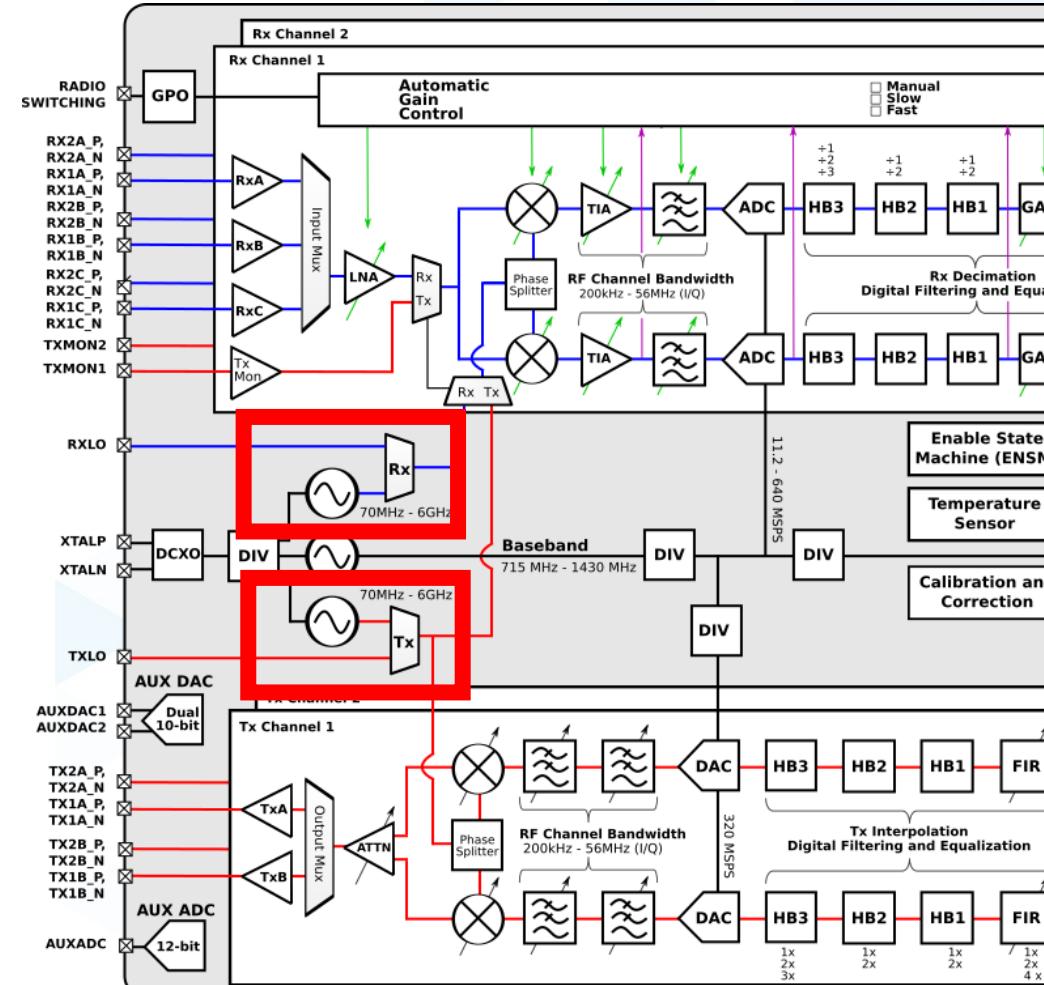
# Understanding Sources of “Offset”

## Analog Domain Propagation

Light travels ~33.6 ps/cm  
1 wavelength @ 2 GHz = 500ps  
1 cm = 24° phase shift @ 2 GHz



## Separate PLLs

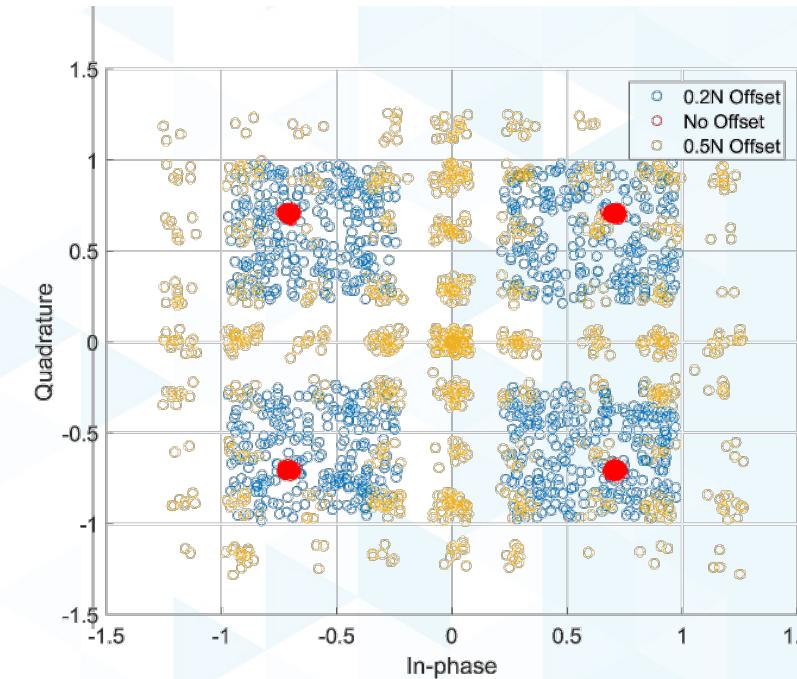
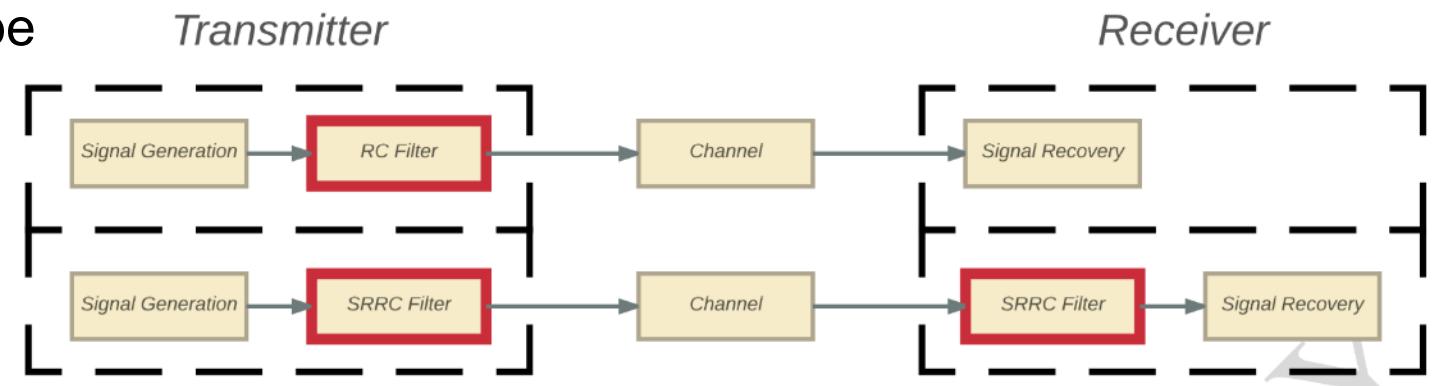
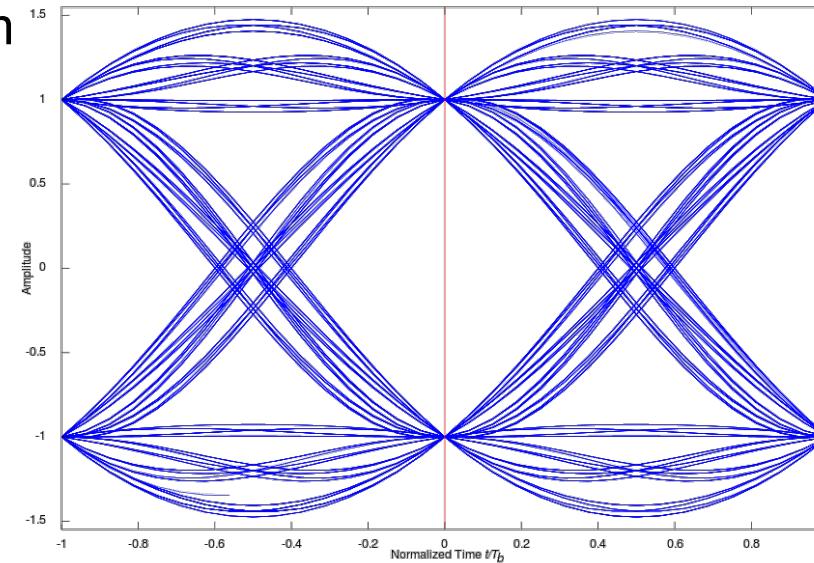


# Timing Offset

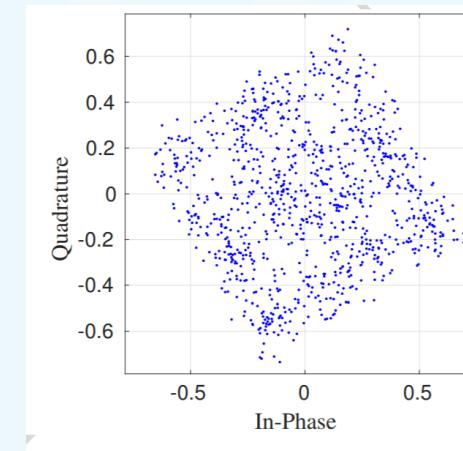
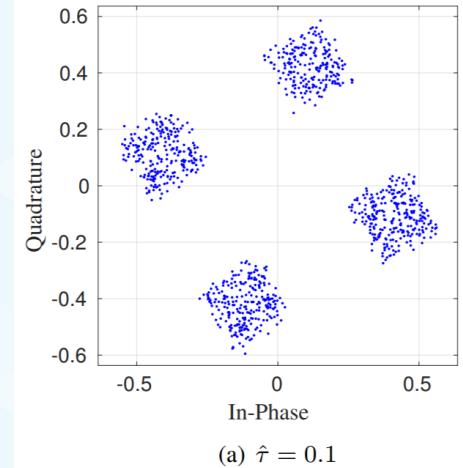
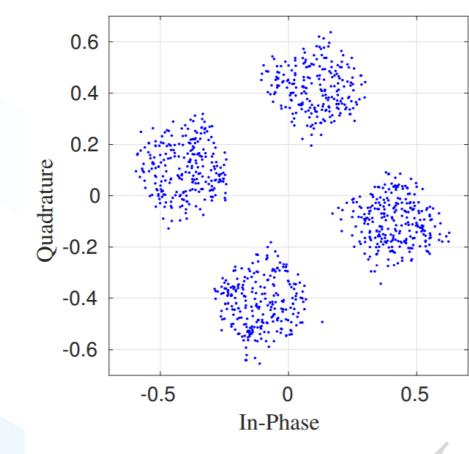
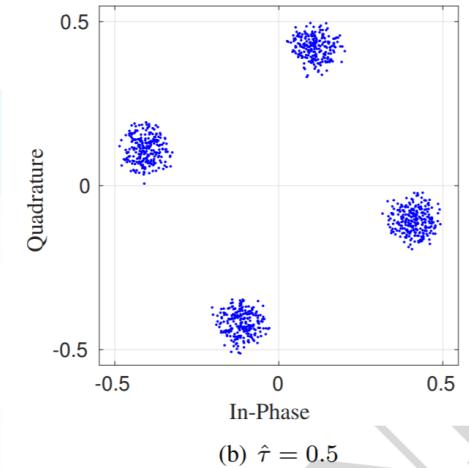
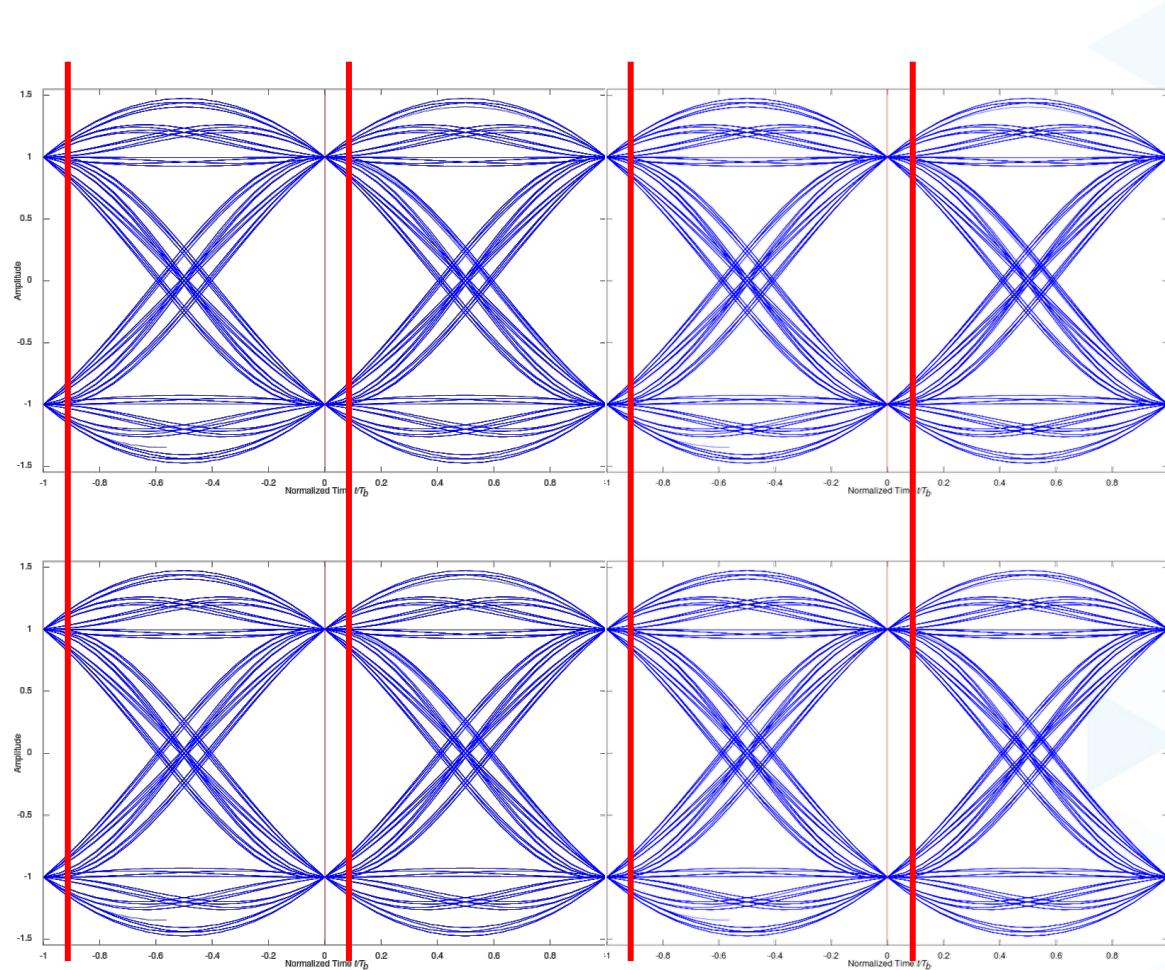
- Fractional and integer offsets can be modeled as:

$$r(t) = \sum_n x(n)h(t - \tau(t) - nT_s) + v(t),$$

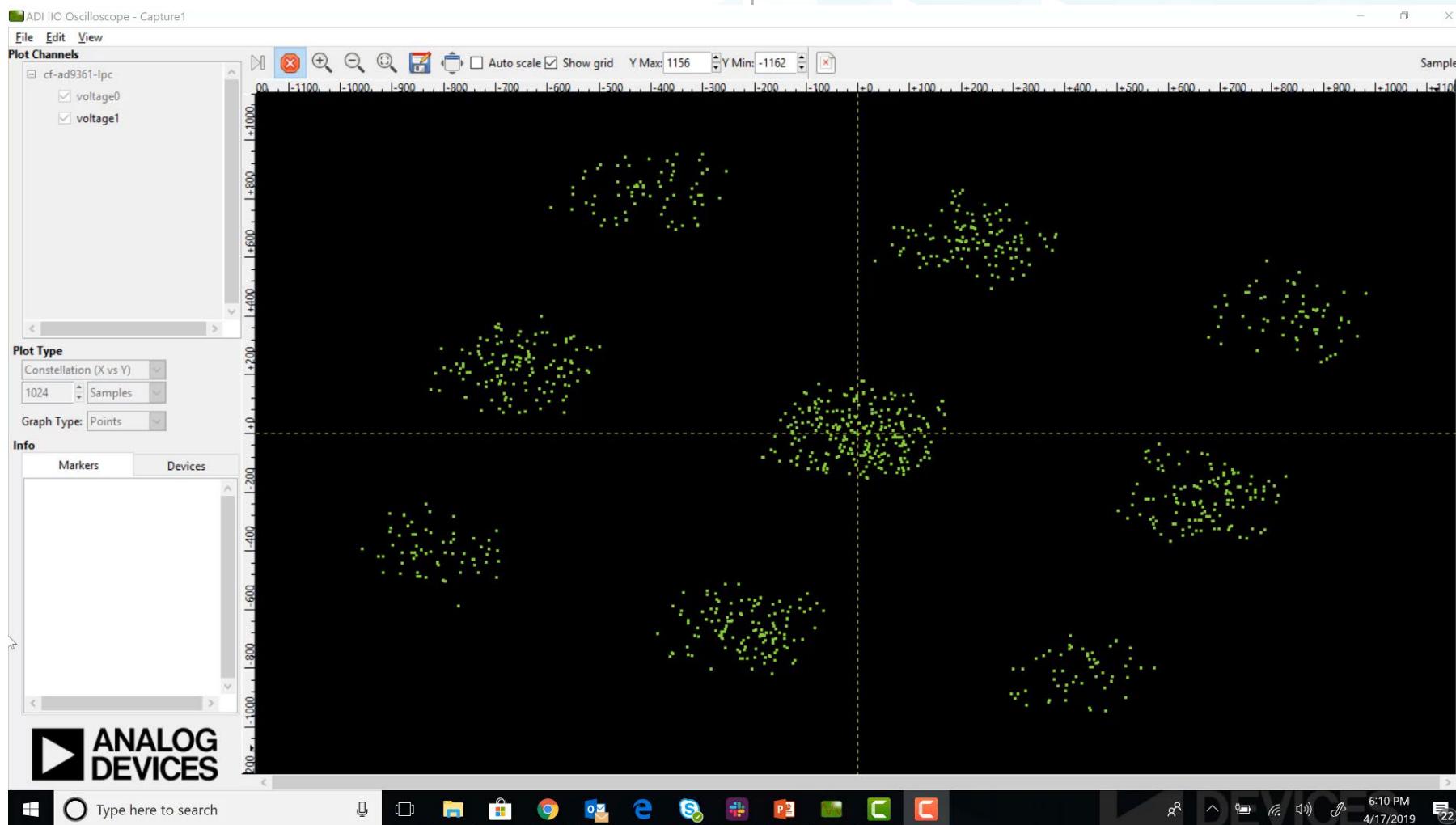
- Upsampling and selective decimation compensates for this problem



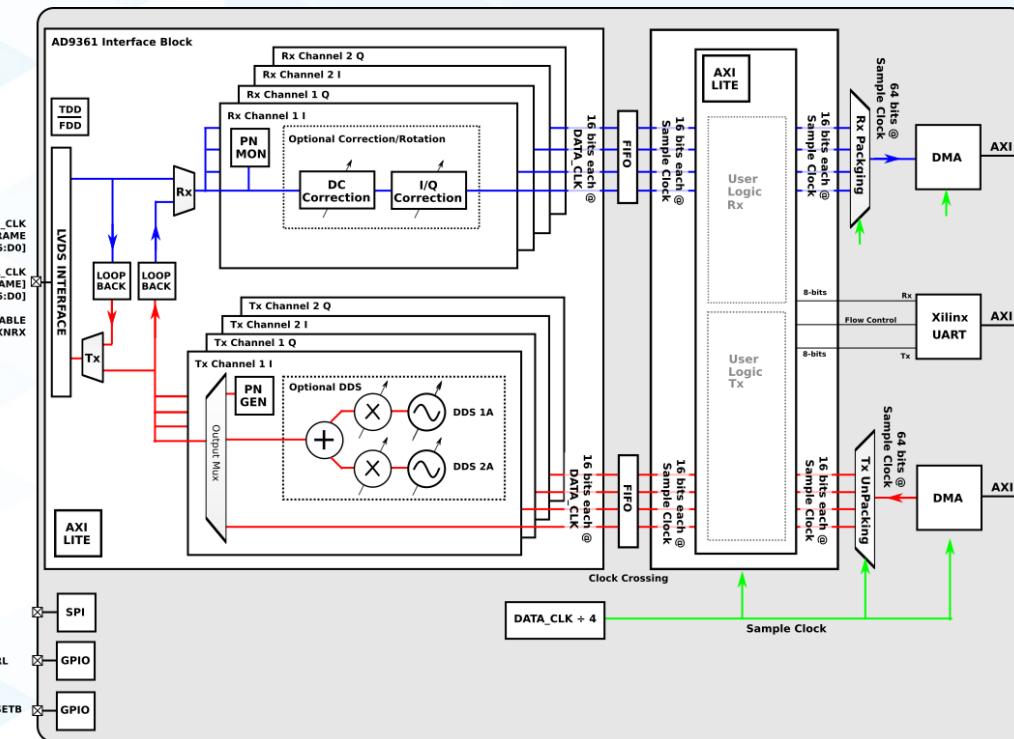
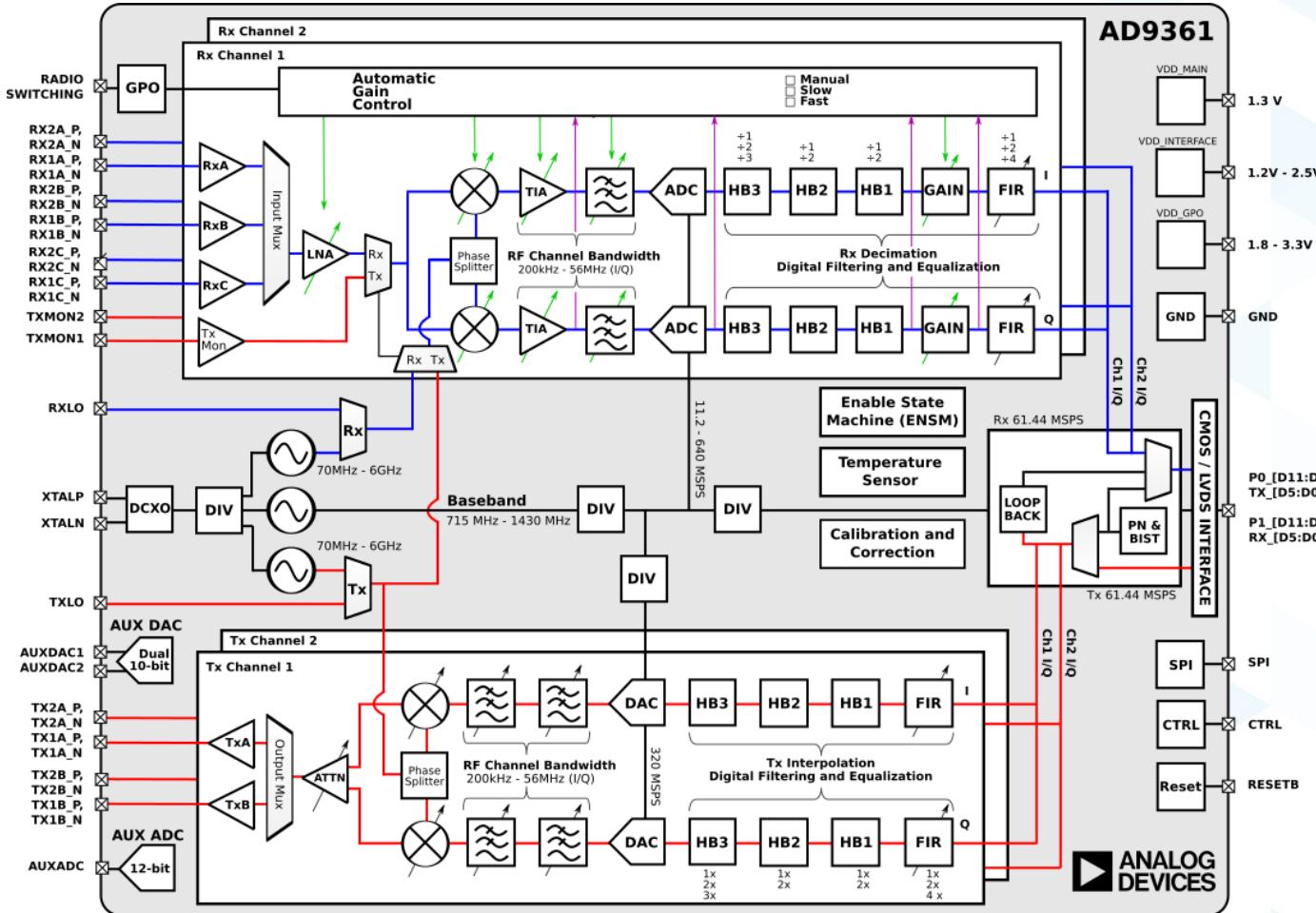
# Timing Offset



# Carrier Offset



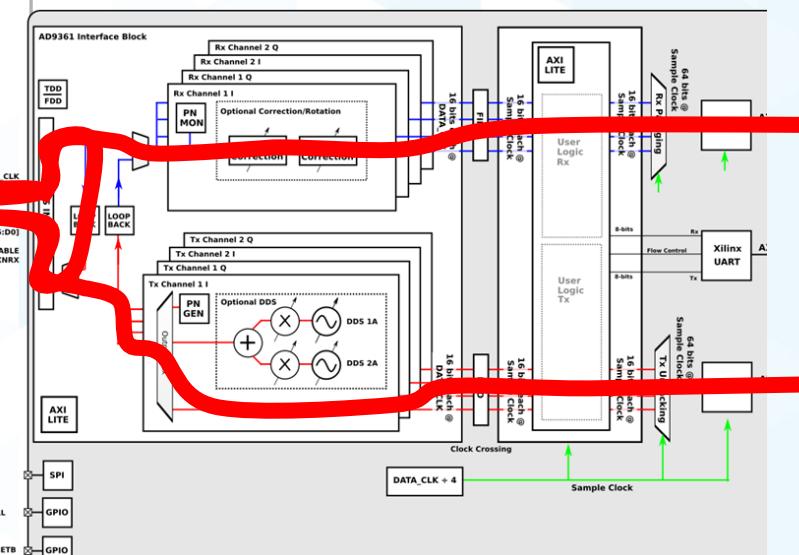
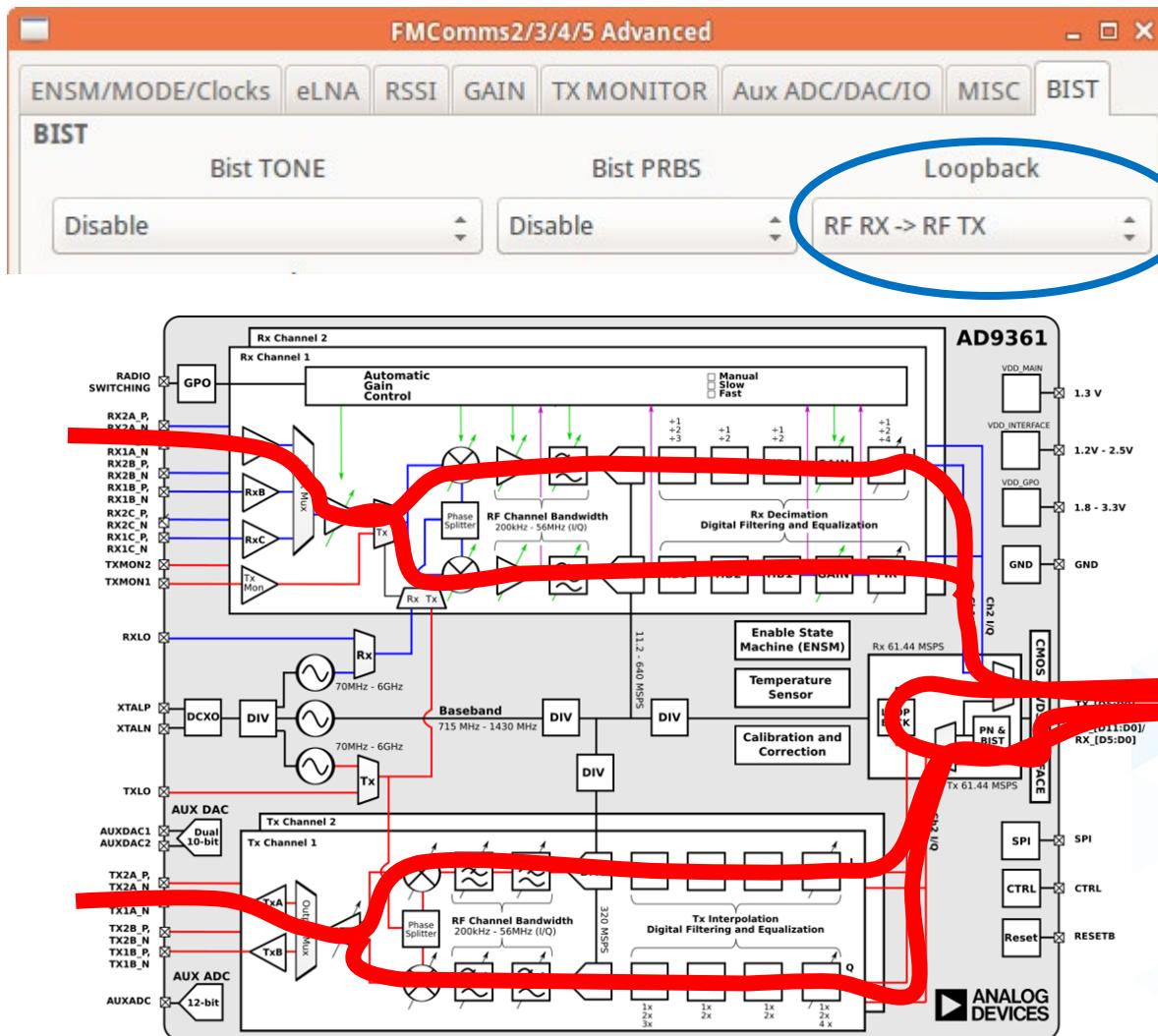
# FPGA Interface



# Loopback Paths

- Reuse the loopback paths for testing and development

- Investigate hardware RF issues without software or FPGA interaction
  - Signal still digitalized, still goes through filters
  - will see RF impairments due to AD9361 setup
  - Output will be baseband copy of input
  - LO (Rx/Tx) interaction will occur if the same frequency – use different frequencies
- Investigate digital FPGA or software algorithm issues without RF impairments



GNU Radio + iio =  
gr-iio



# gr-iio: Details

- Repository
  - <https://github.com/analogdevicesinc/gr-iio>
  - In gnuradio master since July!!!!
- Dependencies
  - libiio
  - libad9361-iio

```
git clone https://github.com/analogdevicesinc/gr-iio.git
cd gr-iio
cmake .
make
sudo make install
cd ..
sudo ldconfig
```

Releases Tags

Latest release

v 1.5.0 · tfcollins · 23 hours ago · 5 commits to gr-iio-support since this release · d7d0440

Initial gr-iio support

Assets 3

- gnuradio\_3.7.11\_iiosupport\_win64.msi
- Source code (zip)
- Source code (tar.gz)

This build is still beta but everything is functional with regards to IIO devices and associated blocks.

This program is distributed in the hope that it will be useful, but WITHOUT ANY WARRANTY. Please respect all associated licenses.

v1.4.0 · 6eb21af · zip · tar.gz · on Apr 16

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# IIO GNU Radio Support: gr-iio

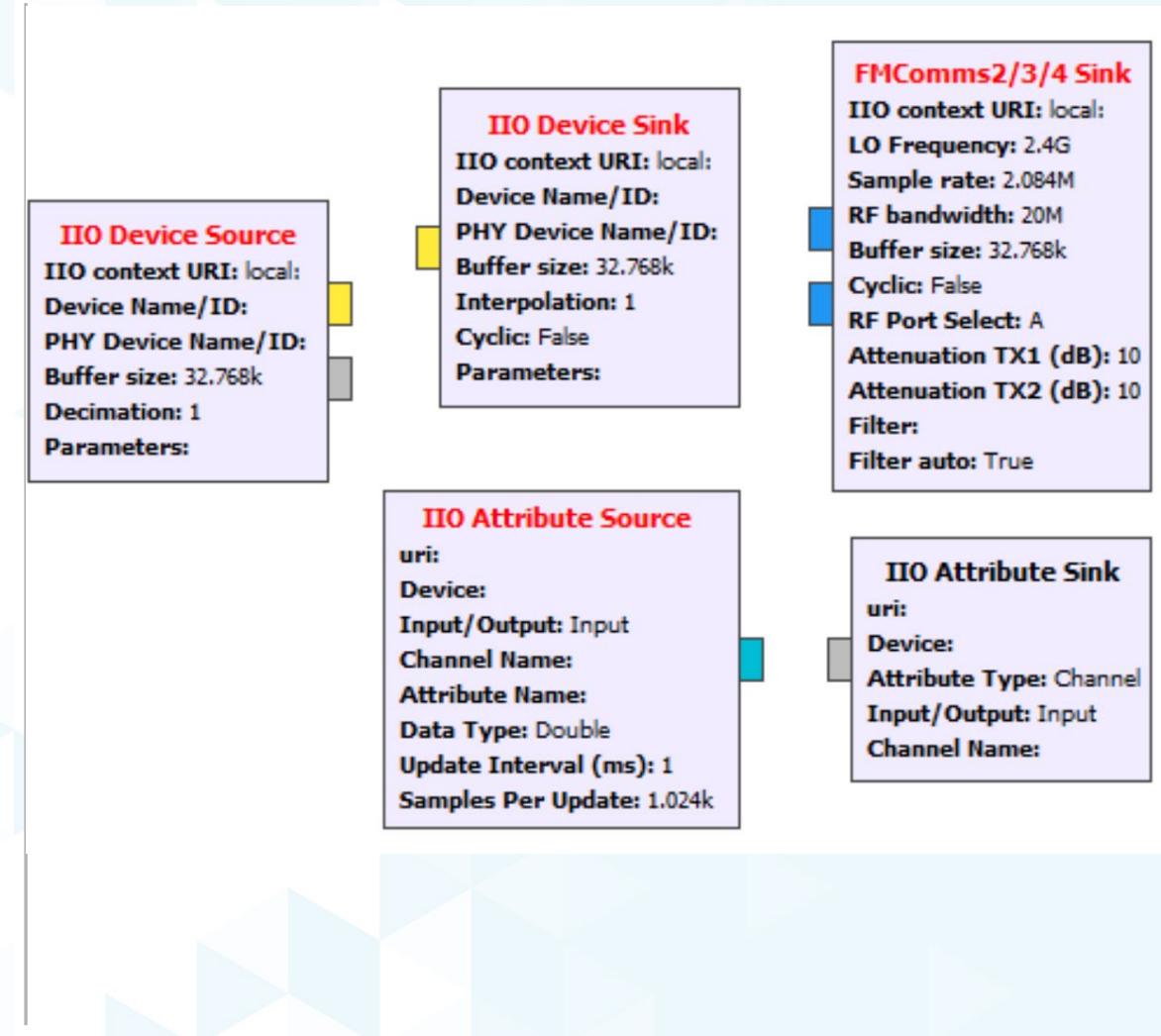
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    - FMComms2/3/4 Sink
    - FMComms2/3/4 Source
    - FMComms5 Sink
    - FMComms5 Source
  - IIO Attribute Sink
  - IIO Attribute Source
  - IIO Attribute Updater
  - IIO Device Sink
  - IIO Device Source
- Math Operators
  - Function
  - Modulo
  - Modulo Const
  - Power
- PlutoSDR
  - PlutoSDR Sink
  - PlutoSDR Source
- Waveform Generators
  - Function Generator

SDR  
Attributes  
Streams

Math (Scopy)

SDR

Math (Scopy)



# Hardware Support Through IIO

**IIO Device Source**  
**IIO context URI:** local:  
**Device Name/ID:**  
**PHY Device Name/ID:**  
**Buffer size:** 32.768k  
**Decimation:** 1  
**Parameters:**

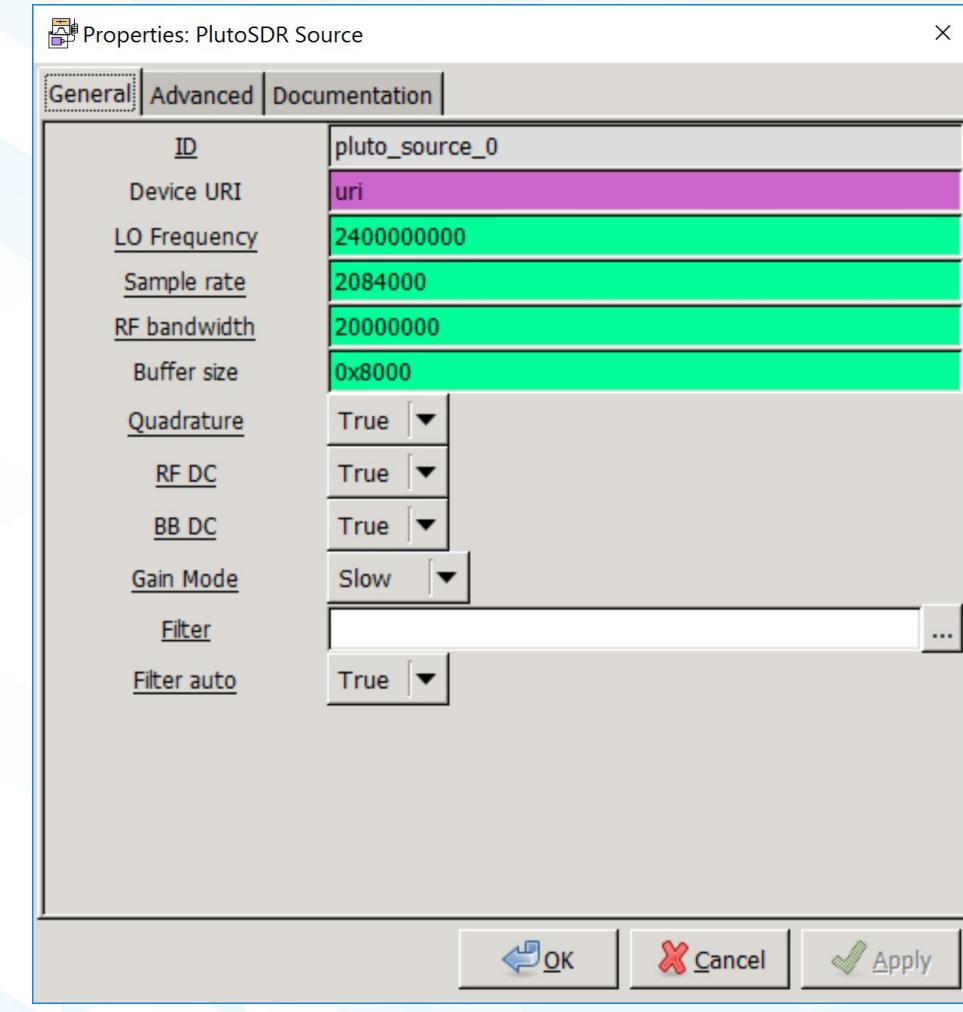
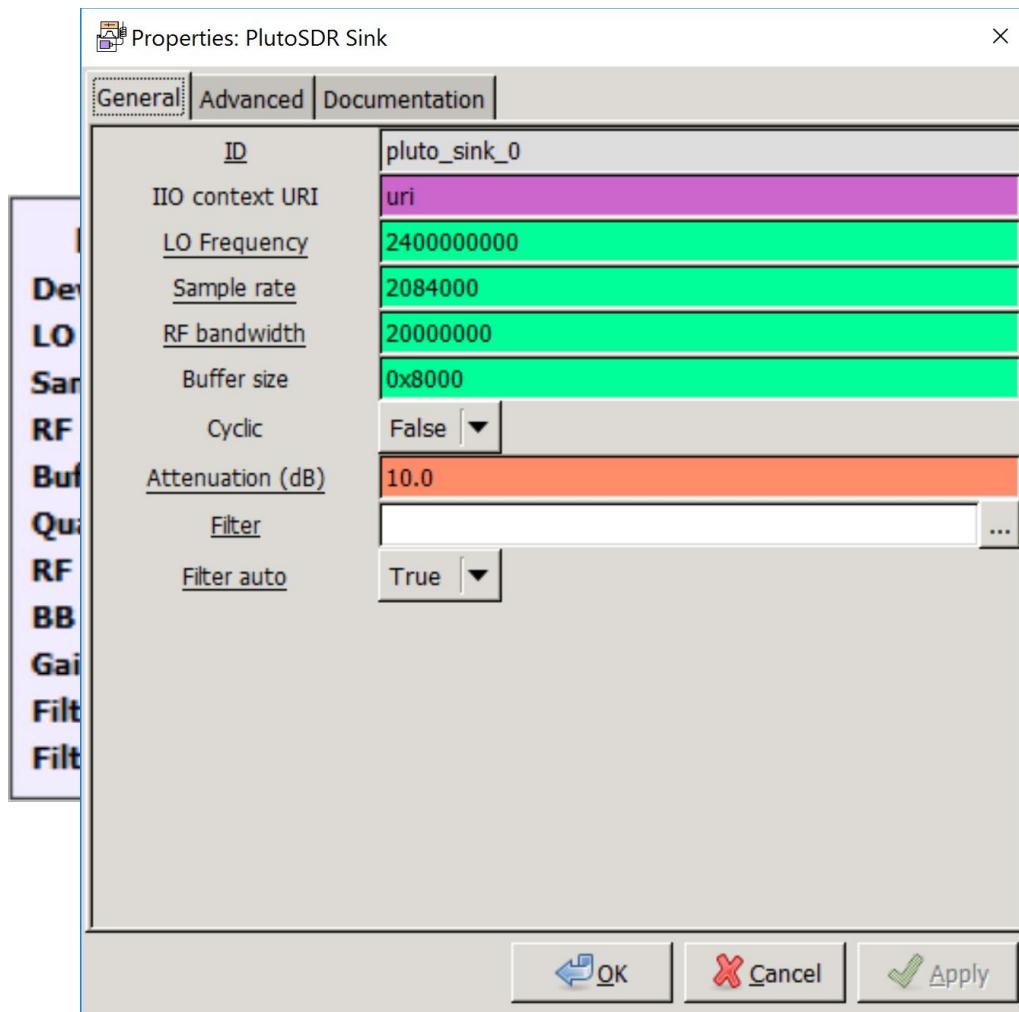
**FMComms2/3/4 Source**  
**IIO context URI:** local:  
**LO Frequency:** 2.4G  
**Sample rate:** 2.084M  
**RF bandwidth:** 20M  
**Buffer size:** 32.768k  
**Quadrature:** True  
**RF DC:** True  
**BB DC:** True  
**Gain Mode (RX1):** Manual  
**Manual Gain (RX1)(dB):** 64  
**Gain Mode (RX2):** Manual  
**Manual Gain (RX2)(dB):** 64  
**RF Port Select:** A\_BALANCED  
**Filter:**  
**Filter auto:** True

**PlutoSDR Source**  
**Device URI:**  
**LO Frequency:** 2.4G  
**Sample rate:** 2.084M  
**RF bandwidth:** 20M  
**Buffer size:** 32.768k  
**Quadrature:** True  
**RF DC:** True  
**BB DC:** True  
**Gain Mode:** Manual  
**Manual Gain (dB):** 64  
**Filter:**  
**Filter auto:** True

CUSTOM STREAM  
DEVICE

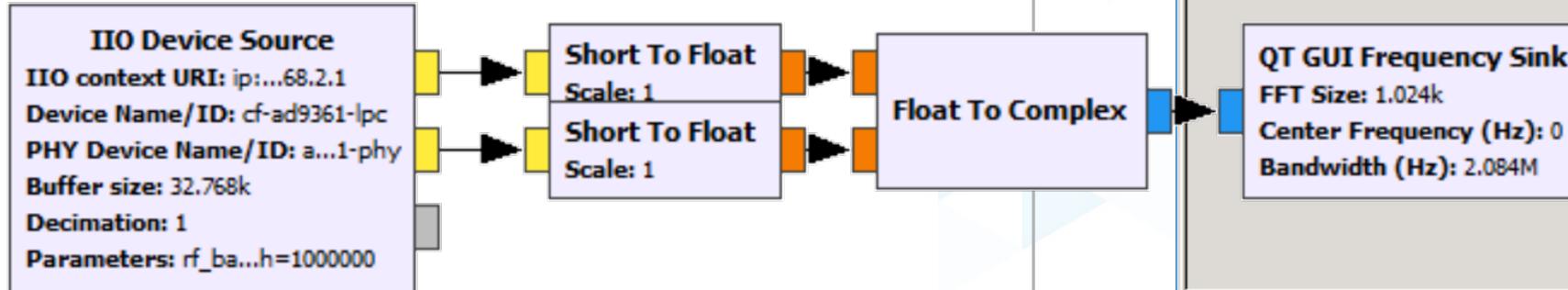
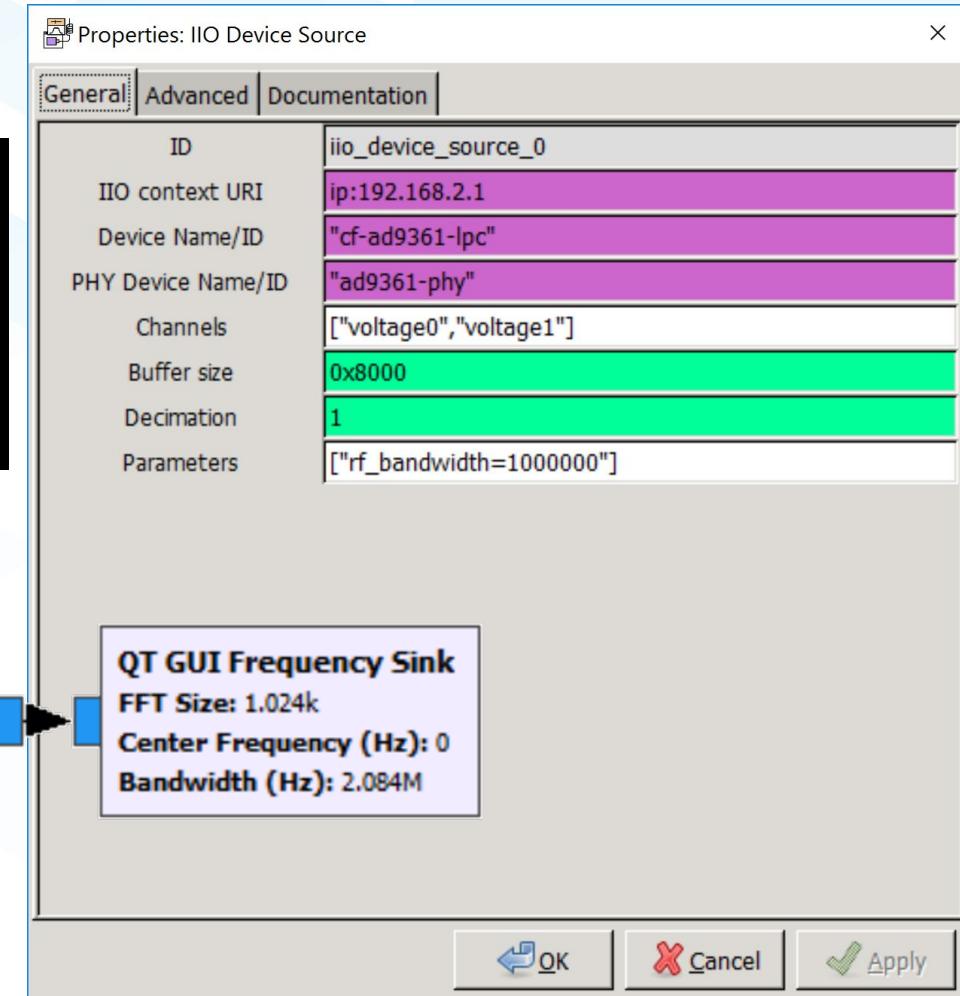


# Using Pluto Blocks



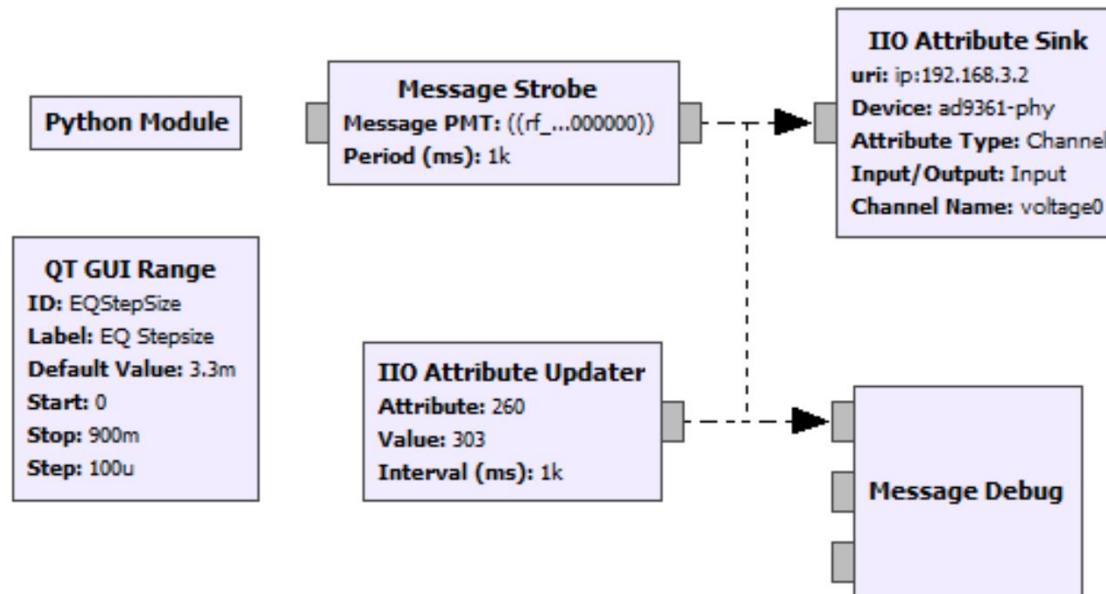
# Stream (Device) Blocks

```
C:\Users\tcollins>iio_attr -q -u ip:192.168.2.1 -d
IIO context has 5 devices:
    iio:device3: cf-ad9361-dds-core-lpc, found 0 device attributes
    iio:device1: ad9361-phy, found 18 device attributes
    iio:device4: cf-ad9361-lpc, found 0 device attributes
    iio:device2: xadc, found 1 device attributes
    iio:device0: adm1177, found 0 device attributes
```



# Using Attribute Sink

```
import pmtkey0 = pmt.intern("rf_bandwidth")
val0 = pmt.intern("23000000")
msg_dic = pmt.make_dict()
msg_dic = pmt.dict_add(msg_dic, key0, val0)
```



Properties: IIO Attribute Sink

ID	iio_attr_sink_0
uri	"ip:192.168.3.2"
Device	"ad9361-phy"
Attribute Type	Channel
Input/Output	Input
Channel Name	"voltage0"

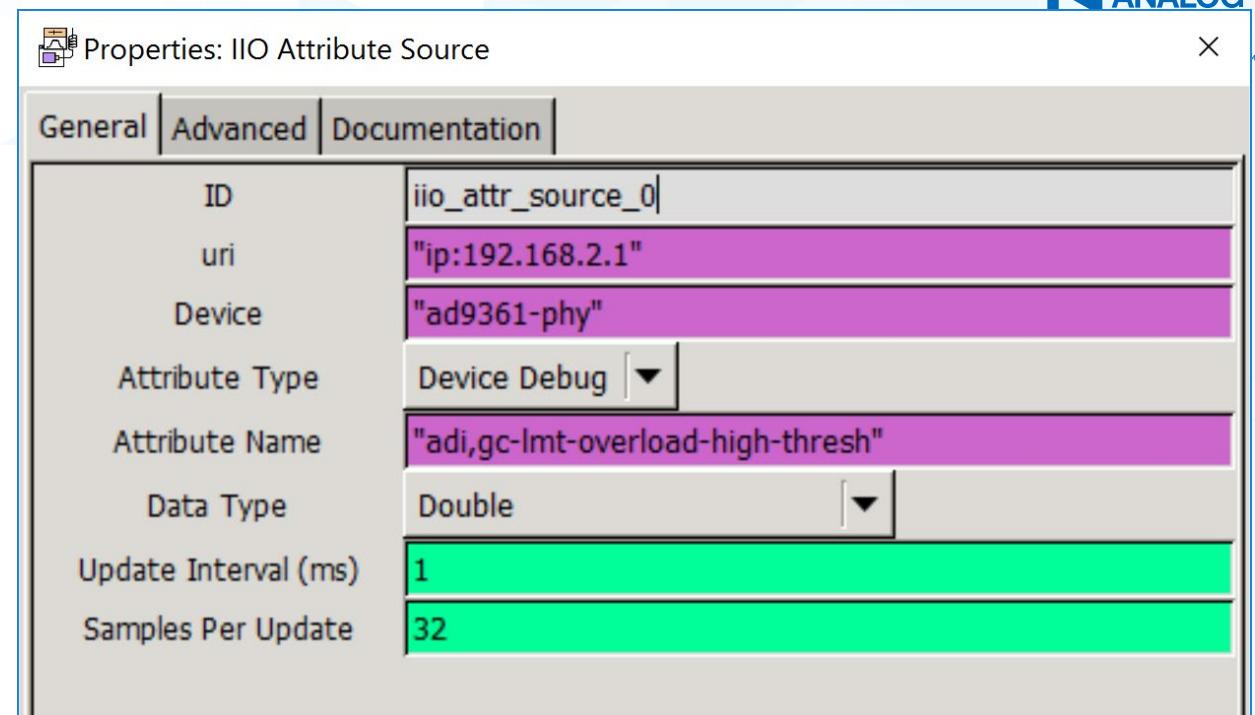
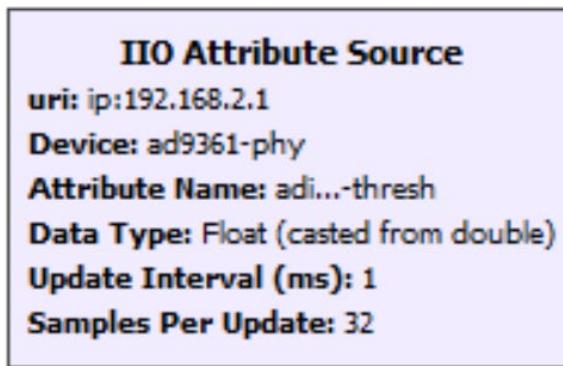
Properties: IIO Attribute Updater

ID	FreqRecLoopBandwidth_0
Attribute	str(eq_step_size)
Value	str(int(EQStepSize))
Interval (ms)	1000

OK Cancel Apply

GRCon

# Using Attribute Source



Command Prompt

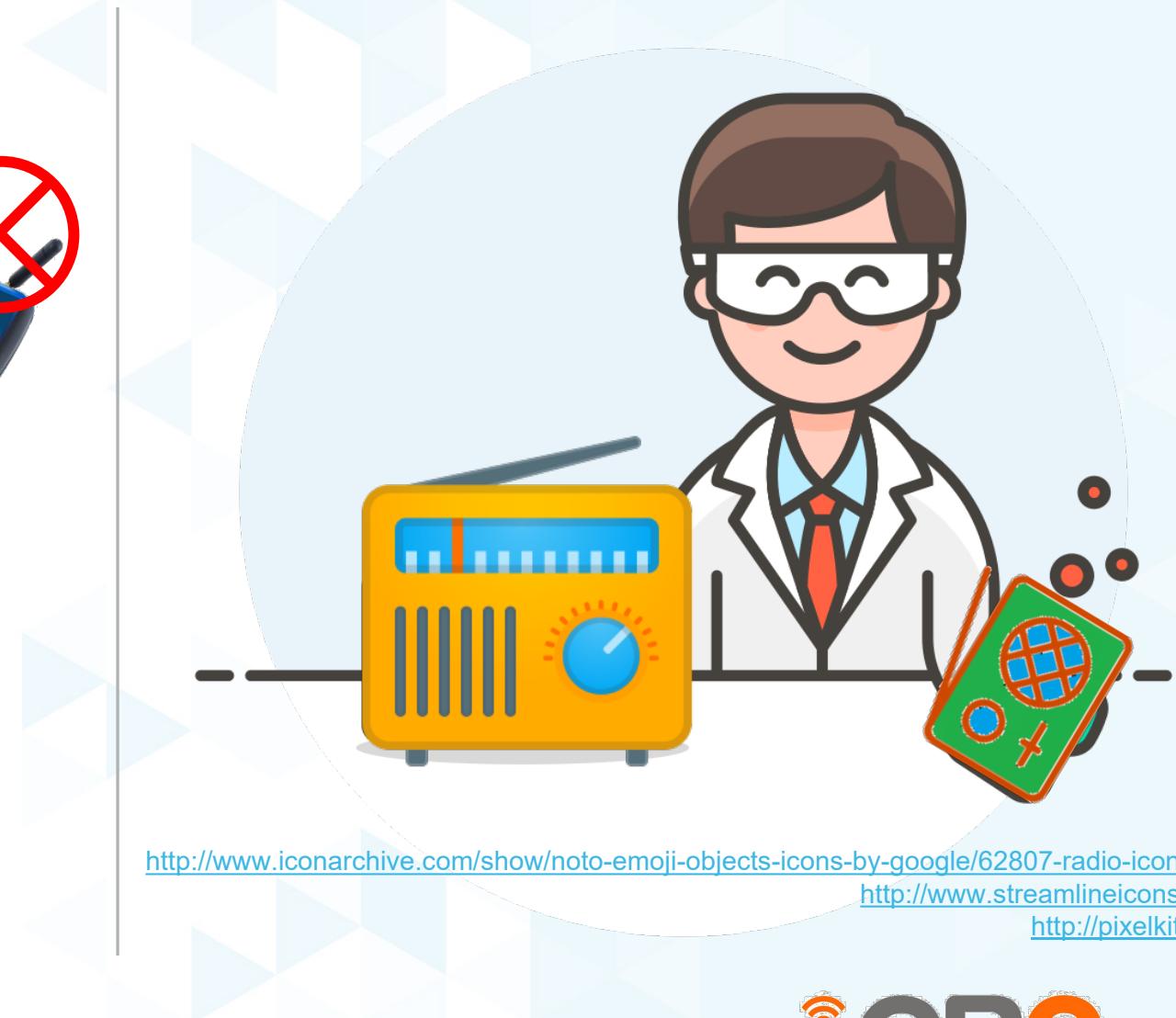
```
C:\Users\tcollins>iio_attr -q -u ip:192.168.2.1 -D ad9361-phy "adi,gc-lmt-overload-high-thresh"
800
```

```
C:\Users\tcollins>
```

# Hands On Lab

## USE LOOPBACK CABLE

- ▶ gr-iio in GNU Radio
- ▶ Lab file: **Intro-To-GNURadio-IIO-and-PlutoSDR.pdf**



# Thank you!



- ▶ For future support:
  - <http://ez.analog.com>
  - <http://wiki.analog.com>



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