

# Computer control of the NaCs experiment

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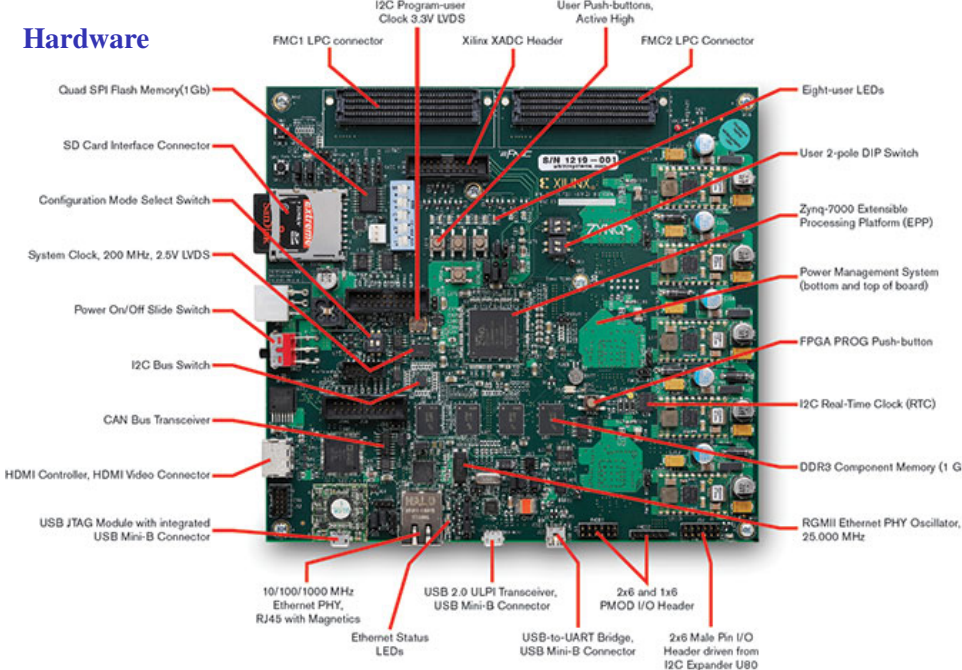
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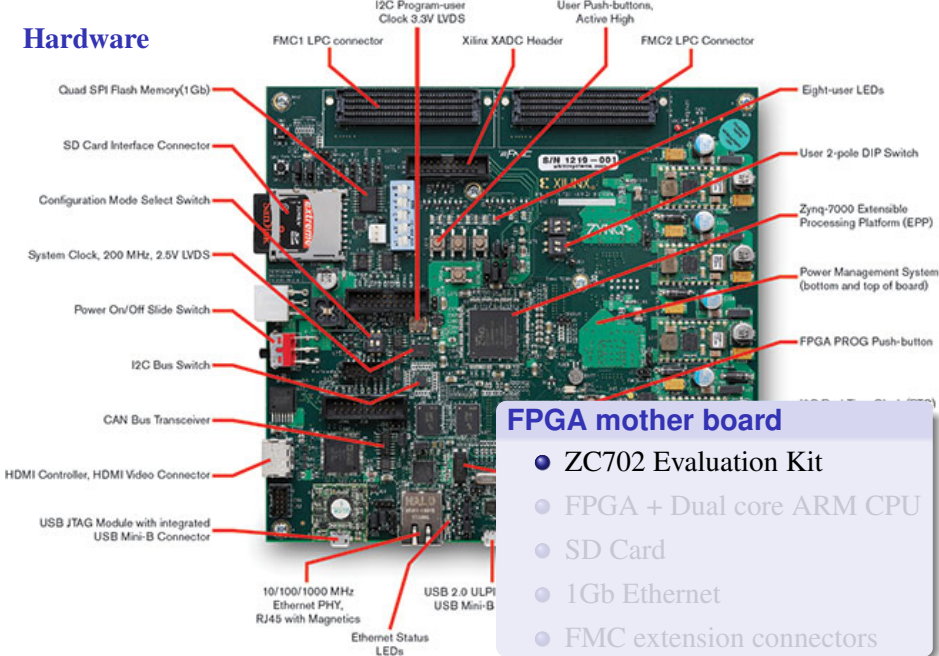
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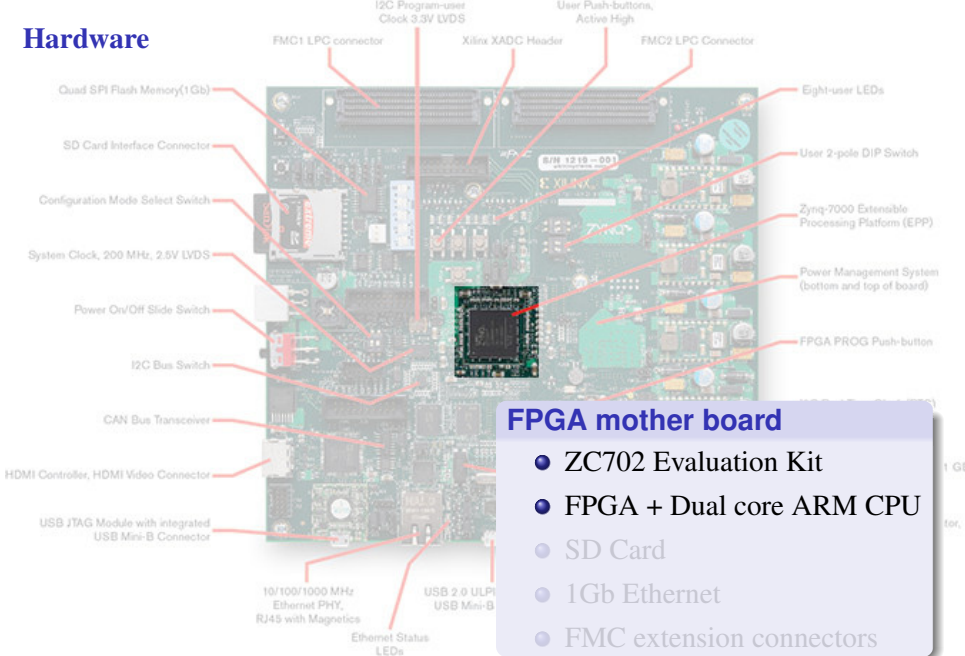
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- FPGA + Dual core ARM CPU
- SD Card
- 1Gb Ethernet
- FMC extension connectors

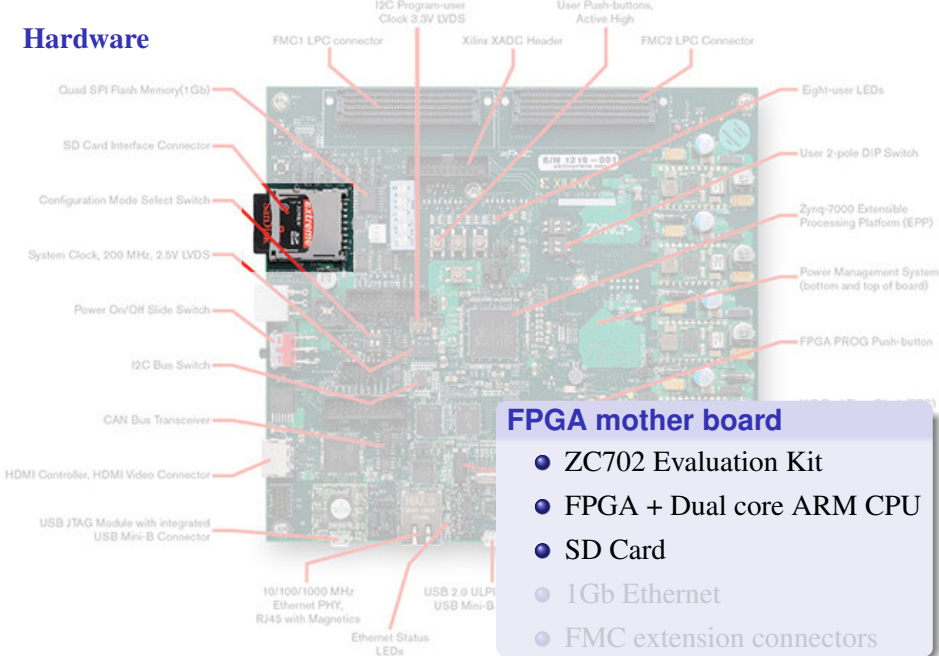
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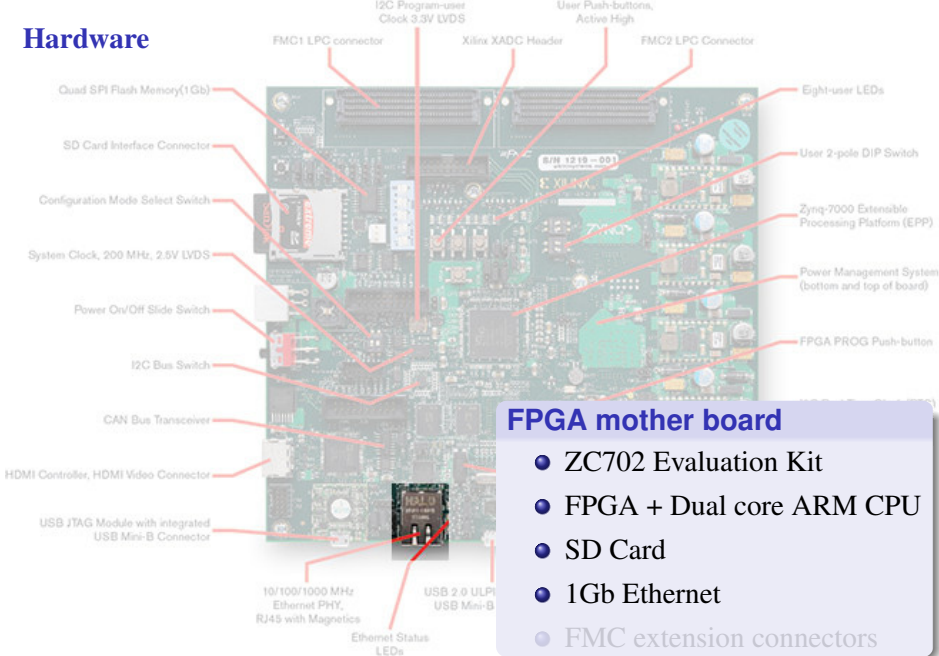
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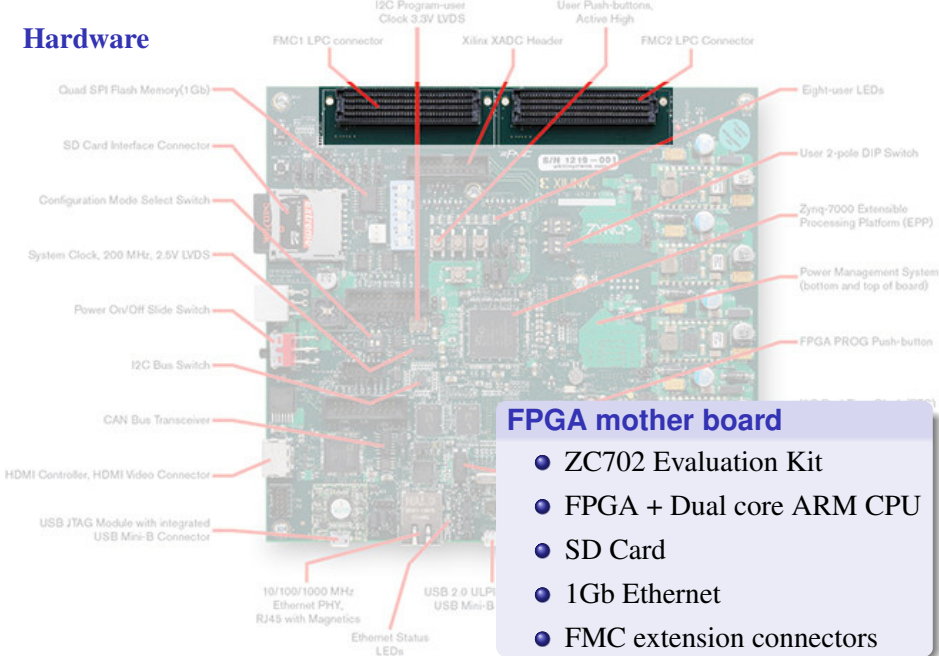


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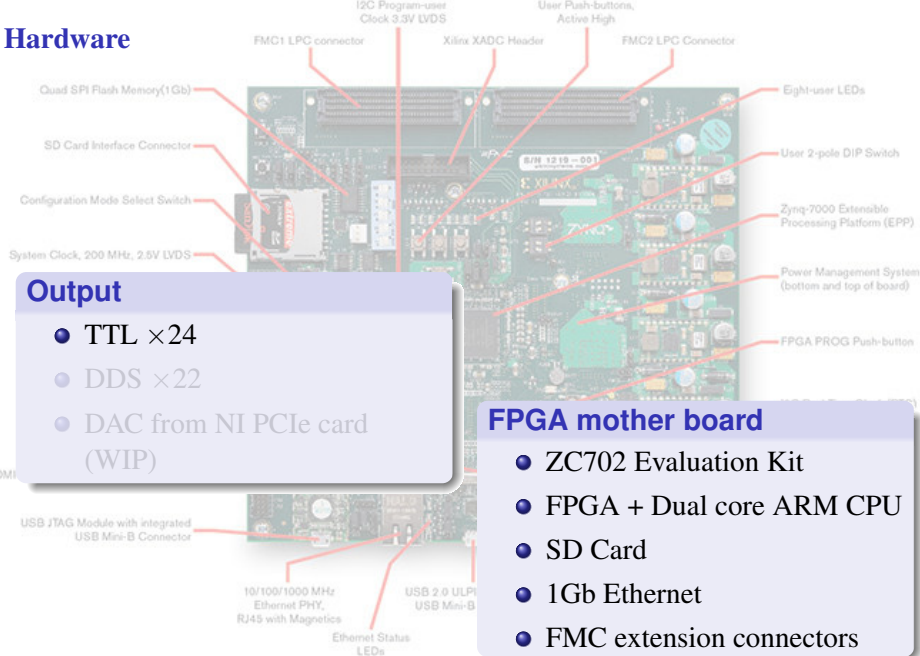




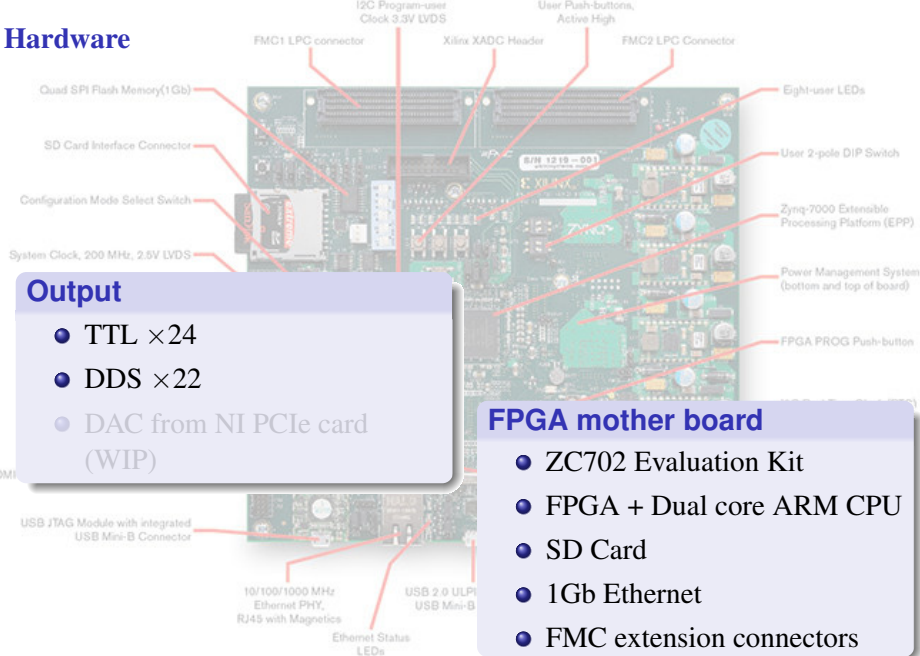
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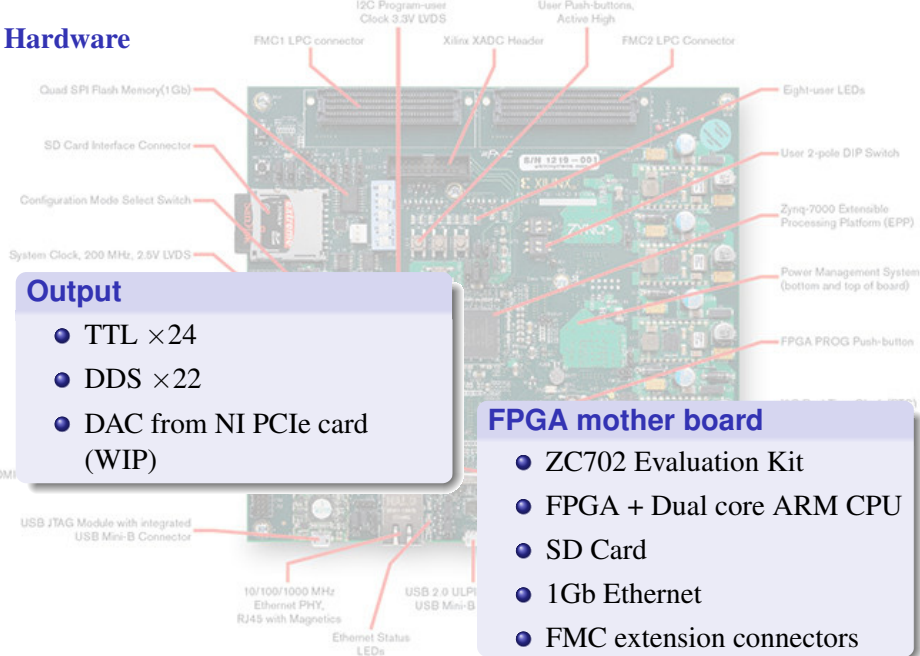
## Output

- TTL  $\times 24$
- DDS  $\times 22$
- DAC from NI PCIe card (WIP)

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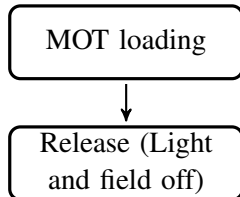
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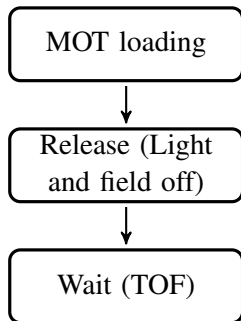
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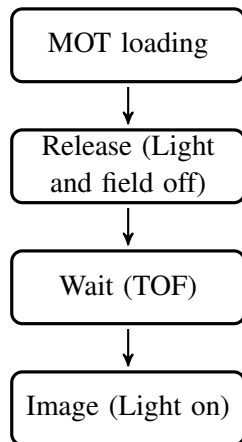
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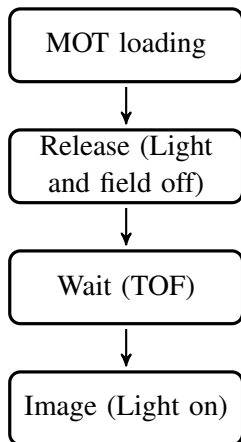
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- $T \approx 1\text{mK}$



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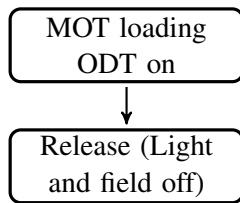
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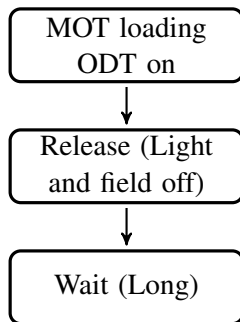
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