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RIOT ON ARM CORTEX 0 AND NORDIC BLUETOOTH LE

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Hardware

- ARM Cortex M0 processor [2]
 - Smallest ARM processor
 - Low power consumption
 - 32bit
- low energy bluetooth mod nRF51822 [3]
 - For 2.4 GHz ultra low-power wireless

applications





Source: Nordic Semiconductors

Project tasks

- Porting RIOT [4] to our hardware
- Get the Bluetooth LE module running
 - Access and read registers of that module
- Communicate between 2 boards
- Optinal: Integration in a wireless sensor network (WSN)

Outline - Introduction

- Get overview of documentation
 - Cortex M0 [2]
 - nrf BLE [3]
- Get in touch with RIOT [5]
- Installing toolchain for building code for Cortex M0
 - Starting with buildroot [6]

Outline - Porting RIOT

- Recompile / adjust RIOT modules for processor
- Build cycle
 - Add features
 - Compile binaries
 - Flash to board
 - Check for errors
- First programming: using onboard LED's
- Usung UART for debugging

Outline - nRF BLE support

- Access and read nRF registers
- Bluetooth communication between boards
- Embedding boards into wireless sensor network

Links

- [1] http://mi.fu-berlin.de/inf/groups/ag-tech/ teaching/2014_SS/P_19517g_SWP_Telematik/index.html
- [2] http://infocenter.arm.com/help/ index.jsp?topic=/com.arm.doc.dui0497a/index.html
- [3] https://www.nordicsemi.com/eng/Products/ Bluetooth-R-low-energy/nRF51822-Development-Kit
- [4] https://github.com/RIOT-OS/RIOT/wiki/RIOT-Platforms
- [5] https://github.com/RIOT-OS/RIOT/wiki#wiki-start-the-riot
- [6] http://buildroot.org/docs.html