\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* motivation \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

* I want to work with low cost neoway Chinese gsm modules
* My first task is to test its different AT commands but for that it should be powered up
* Now I will communicate with it by atmega1284p based board which is custom
* So I need usb asp
* Usbasp installation in windows 10 is tricky
* <https://netmaxtech.com/how-to-make/install-usbasp-driver-windows-8-and-windows>
* then i will use avrdudes sw to burn
* <http://blog.zakkemble.co.uk/avrdudess-a-gui-for-avrdude/> installation of it generates error in windows 10 as libusb not found so installation steps in the links should be followed
* first I am going to use arduino ide for the unit tests ‘
* then I will use vMicro in avrstudio 7 to test a compleset class like code
* after that I will merge it with knollery’s mqtt library
* now lets check my custom board with usb asp
* preset saved as commModule atmega1284p read ok
* now lets connect the ftdi usb module which will be used for debug
* checking device manager it was also not installed
* download driver from here <http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/D2XX.htm>
* driver install complete

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* mcu setup \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

* now we are going to test the comm module custom board neoway gsm with atmega 1284P
* but now I want transform atmega 1284p as an arduino
* sniffing web I got microduino which has atmega 1284p support <https://wiki.microduino.cc/index.php/Microduino-Module_Core%2B>
* it has 2 serial (hardware)
* now lets install this microduino core to our arduino <https://github.com/MCUdude/MightyCore> download zip then extract to hardware folder of sketchbook and install it manually or do it with Arduino IDE by using this tutorial <https://learn.adafruit.com/add-boards-arduino-v164/setup> you have to add this json link <https://mcudude.github.io/MightyCore/package_MCUdude_MightyCore_index.json> then go to boards manager in arduino ide and install mightycore by this the core actually goes to \Users\User\AppData\Local\Arduino15\packages\MightyCore\hardware\avr\1.0.7\cores\MightyCore

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* Now lets check a simple sketch on the hardware
* Before that turn on verbose output and ll compiler error output enable in arduino IDE
* Now our custom board has no ftdi on it so no upload via bootloader so we will use usbasp to burn code to it . this custom boards dev kit board sch files are at hardware folder to get some connection idea
* RGB Led is at 13,14,15 pins
* The atmega1284p as an arduino is also at /hardware folder
* So lets see whether a sketch works or not

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Blinky example opened

New sketch created

Board setup is 8MHz external, bod level 1.8V, pin standard , mcu 1284p , LTO disabled

Using usbasp burn by arduino ide fails

So get hex from temp and burn

Fuse is LowFuse=DC HighFuse=D7 ExtendedFuse =FE for this custom board