NIT MEGHALAYA

EMBEDDED SYSTEM DESIGN AND APPLICATION (CS 313)

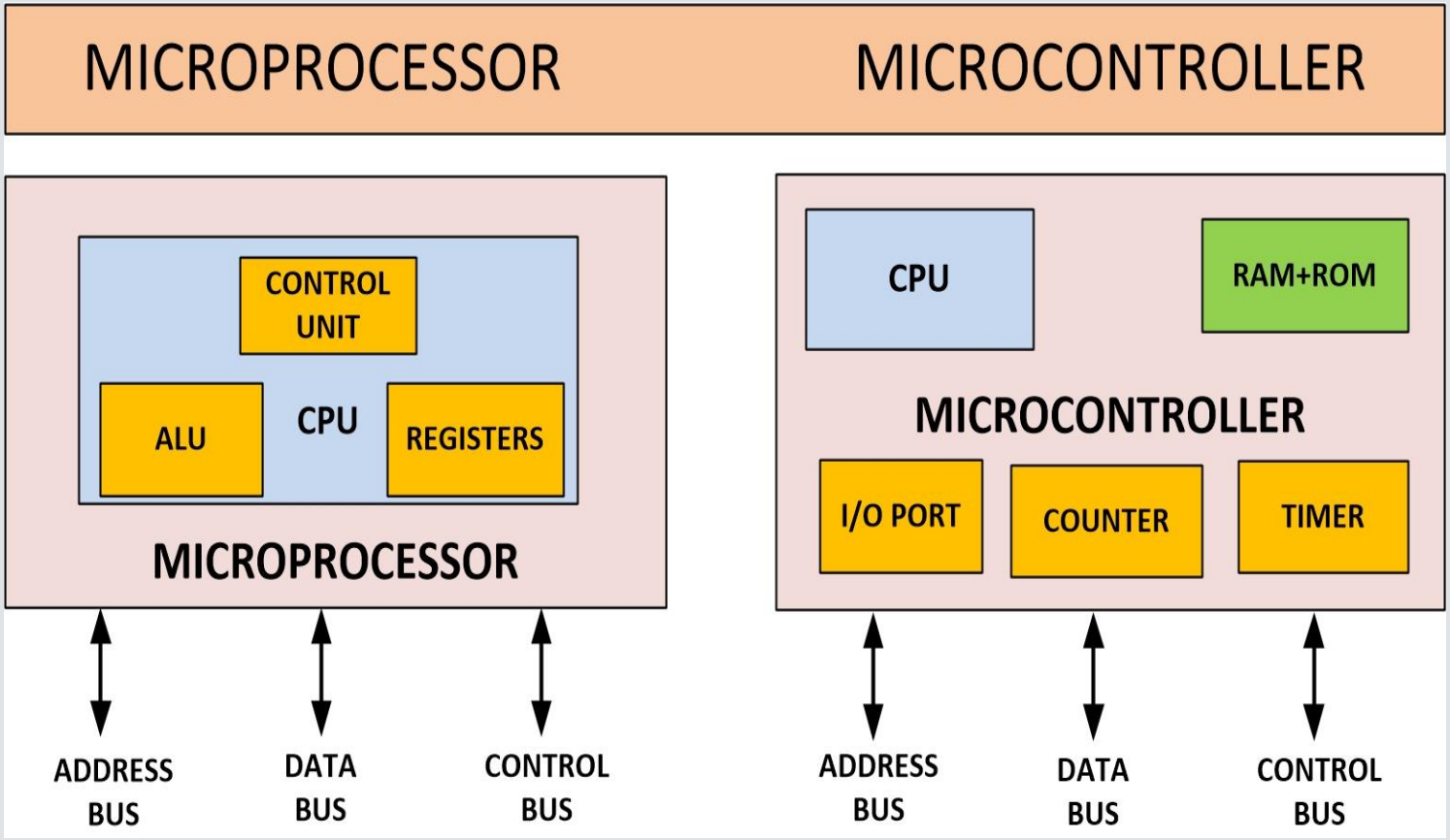
NIT MEGHALAYA

LAB 1 :- INTRODUCTION

Embedded System

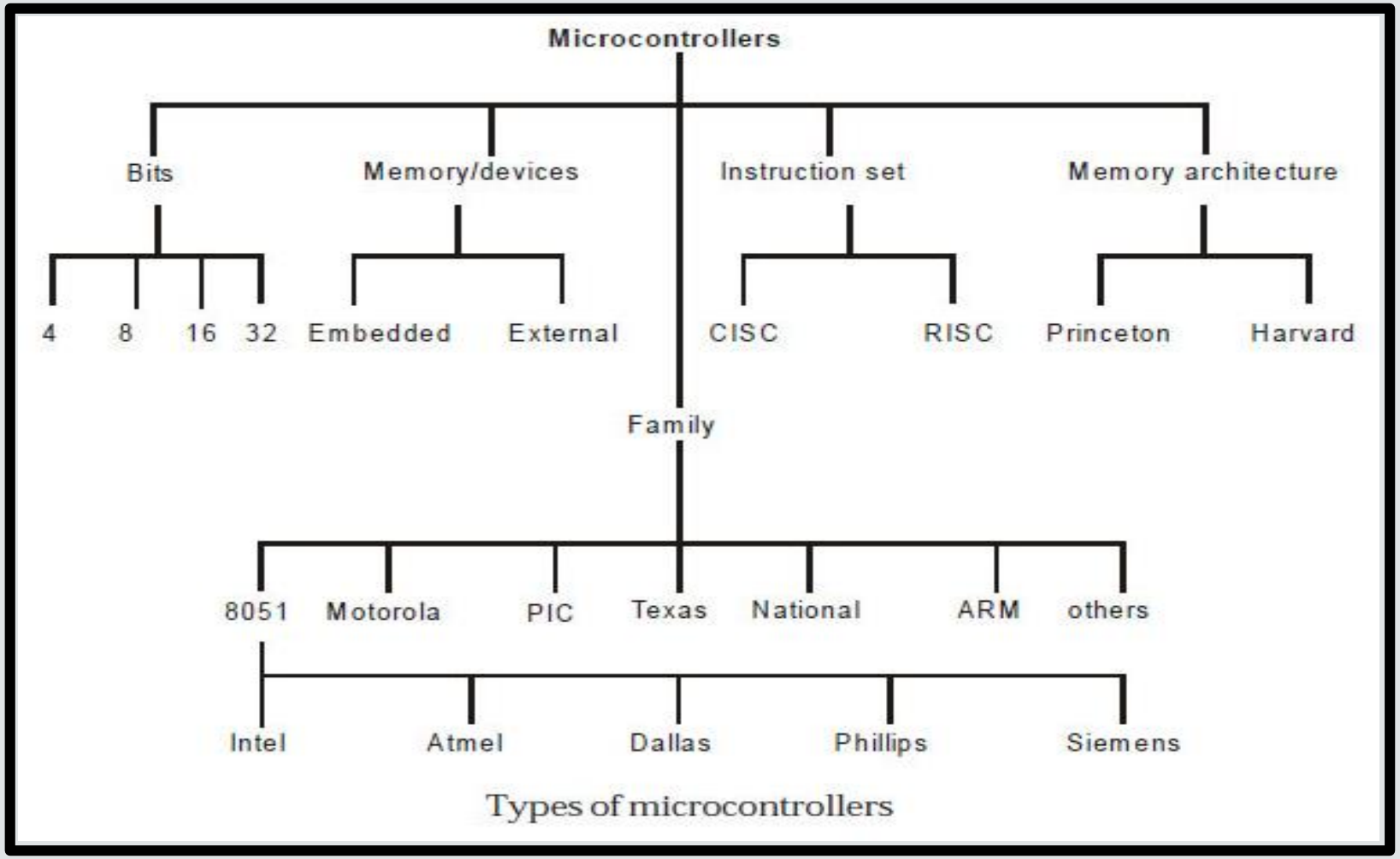
- An **embedded system** is a system that has software embedded into computer-hardware, which makes a system dedicated for an application or specific part of an application.
- Embedded system can be **microprocessor** or **microcontroller** based.

Microprocessor and Microcontroller



MICROPROCESSOR	MICROCONTROLLER
• Assimilates function of CPU.	• Can be considered as a small computer.
• Used in design of general purpose systems.	• Used in automatically controlled devices.
• Overall cost and power consumption of a system built using a microprocessor is high.	• Overall cost and power consumption of a system built using a microcontroller is less.
• Not used in real time systems.	• Used to handle real time tasks.

Families of Microcontrollers



Types of microcontrollers

The First Microcontroller

- During 1970 and 1971 **Gary Boone** of Texas Instruments invented first microcontroller **TMS1802NC**.

- It had five thousand transistors providing 3000 bits of program memory and 128 bits of access memory!! So, it was possible to program it to perform a range of functions.

About the KIT (STM32F401)

- Developed by ST Microelectronics.
- CPU – ARM Cortex© M4 (ARM-Advanced RISC Machines)
- 512 KB Flash Memory (Programmable) and 96-KB SRAM
- USB 2.0 type A to mini B
- mbed-enabled (mbed.org): **Mbed** is a platform and operating system for internet-connected devices based on 32-bit ARM Cortex-M microcontrollers. Such devices are also known as Internet of Things devices. The project is collaboratively developed by Arm and its technology partners.

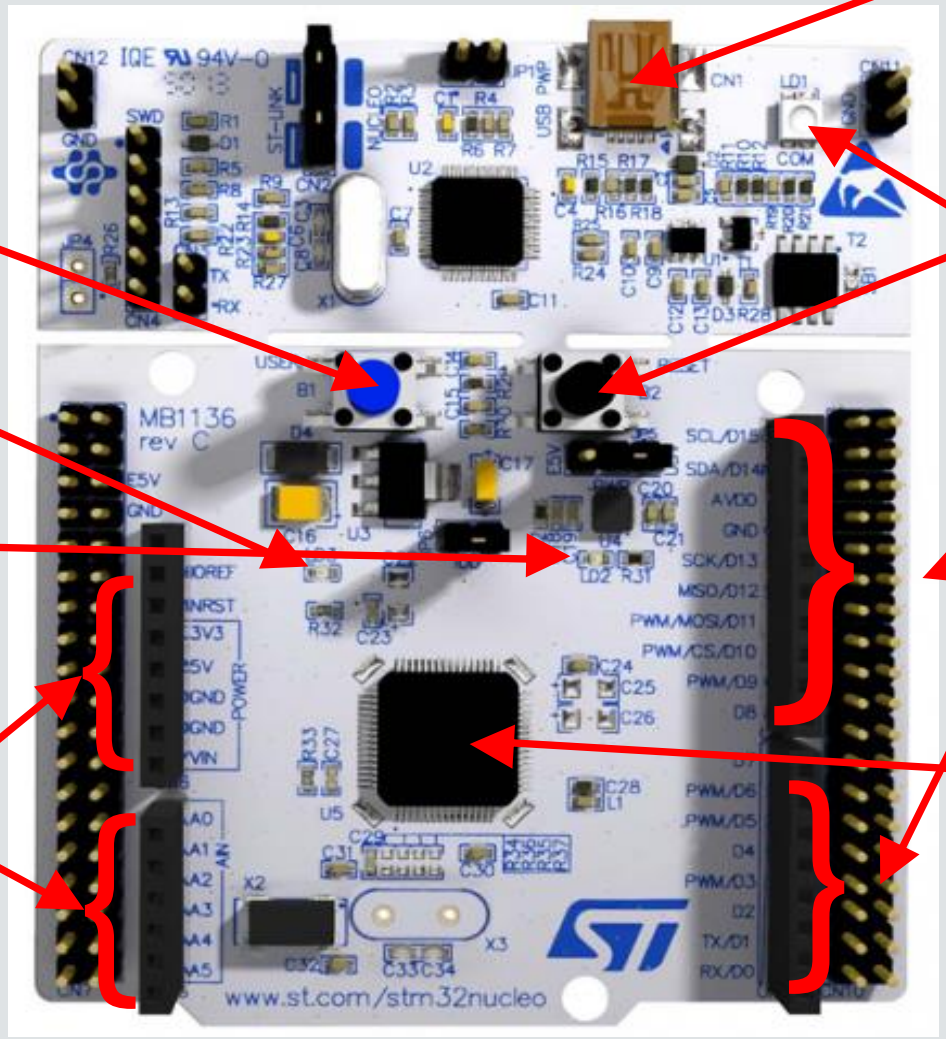
About the KIT (STM32F401)

- Support of wide choice of Integrated Development Environments (IDEs) including IAR™, ARM® Keil®, GCC-based IDEs
- http://www.st.com/en/evaluation-tools/nucleo-f401re.html

What is Arduino?

- Open-source platform used for building electronics projects.
- Consists of both a physical programmable circuit board (often referred to as a microcontroller) and a piece of software.
- Arduino does not need a separate piece of hardware (called a programmer) in order to load new code onto the board – you can simply use a USB cable.
- The Uno is one of the more popular boards in the Arduino family and a great choice for beginners.

STM32F401 Nucleo kit



ST Link USB
Type A to mini B

Reset Button

User Button

Red LED
(power)

Green LED
(test)

Arduino
Connector
and Analog
input

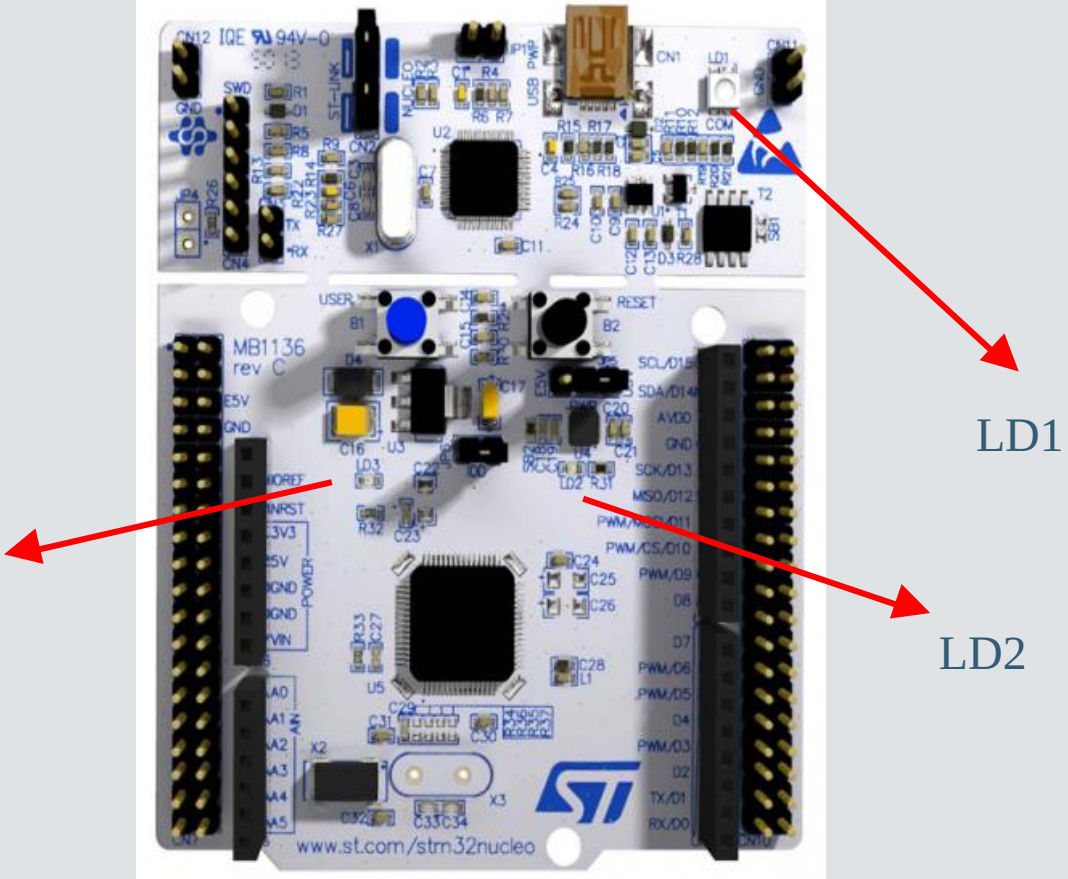
Red/Green
LED (com)

Arduino
Connector
and Digital
output

STM32
Microcontroller

LEDs Description

- There are three LEDs on the STM32 NUCLEO kit.
  - LD1
  - LD2
  - LD3



LD 1

- The tricolor LED (green, orange, red) LD1 (COM) provides information about ST-LINK communicate on status.
- LD1 default color is red. LD1 turns to green to indicate that communication is in progress between the PC and the ST-LINK/V2-1, with the following setup:
  - Slow blinking Red/Off: at power-on before USB initialization
  - Fast blinking Red/Off: after the first correct communication between the PC and ST-LINK/V2-1 (enumeration)
  - Red LED On: when the initialization between the PC and ST-LINK/V2-1 is complete
  - Green LED On: after a successful target communication initialization • Blinking Red/Green: during communication with target
  - Green On: communication finished and successful
  - Orange On: Communication failure

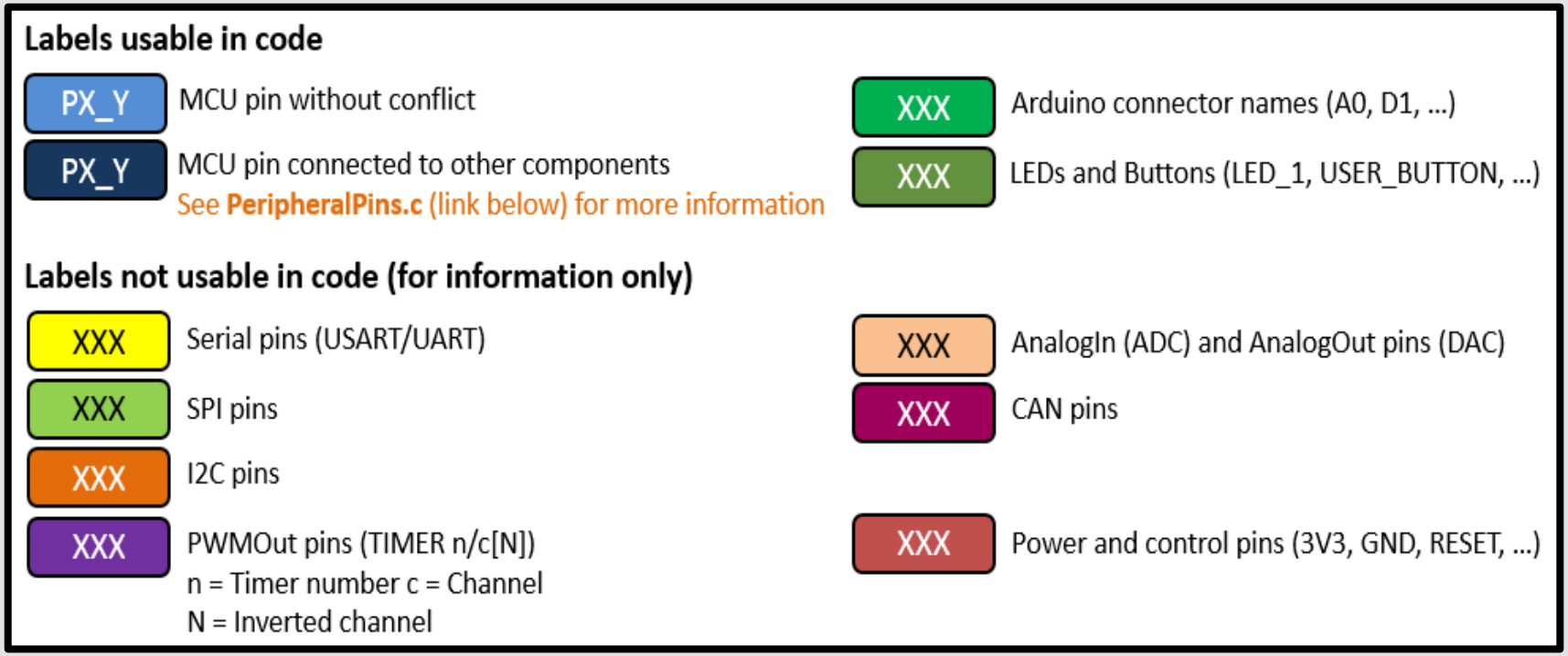
LD2

- **User LD2**: the green LED is a user LED connected to Arduino signal D13 corresponding to STM32 I/O PA5 (pin 21) or PB13 (pin 34) depending on the STM32 target :
  - the I/O is HIGH value, the LED is on
  - the I/O is LOW, the LED is off

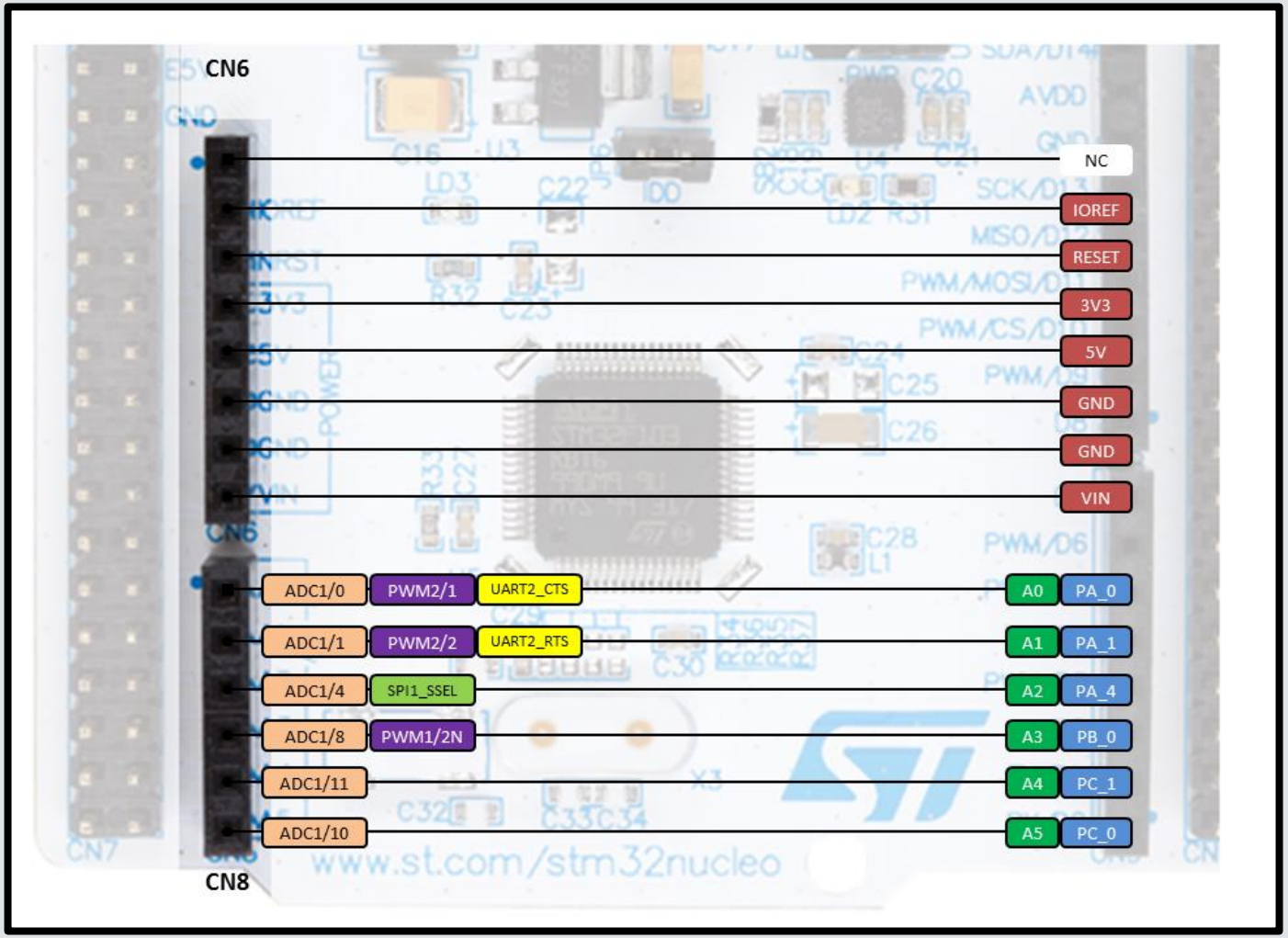
LD3

- **LD3 PWR**: The red LED indicates that the STM32 part is powered and +5V power is available.

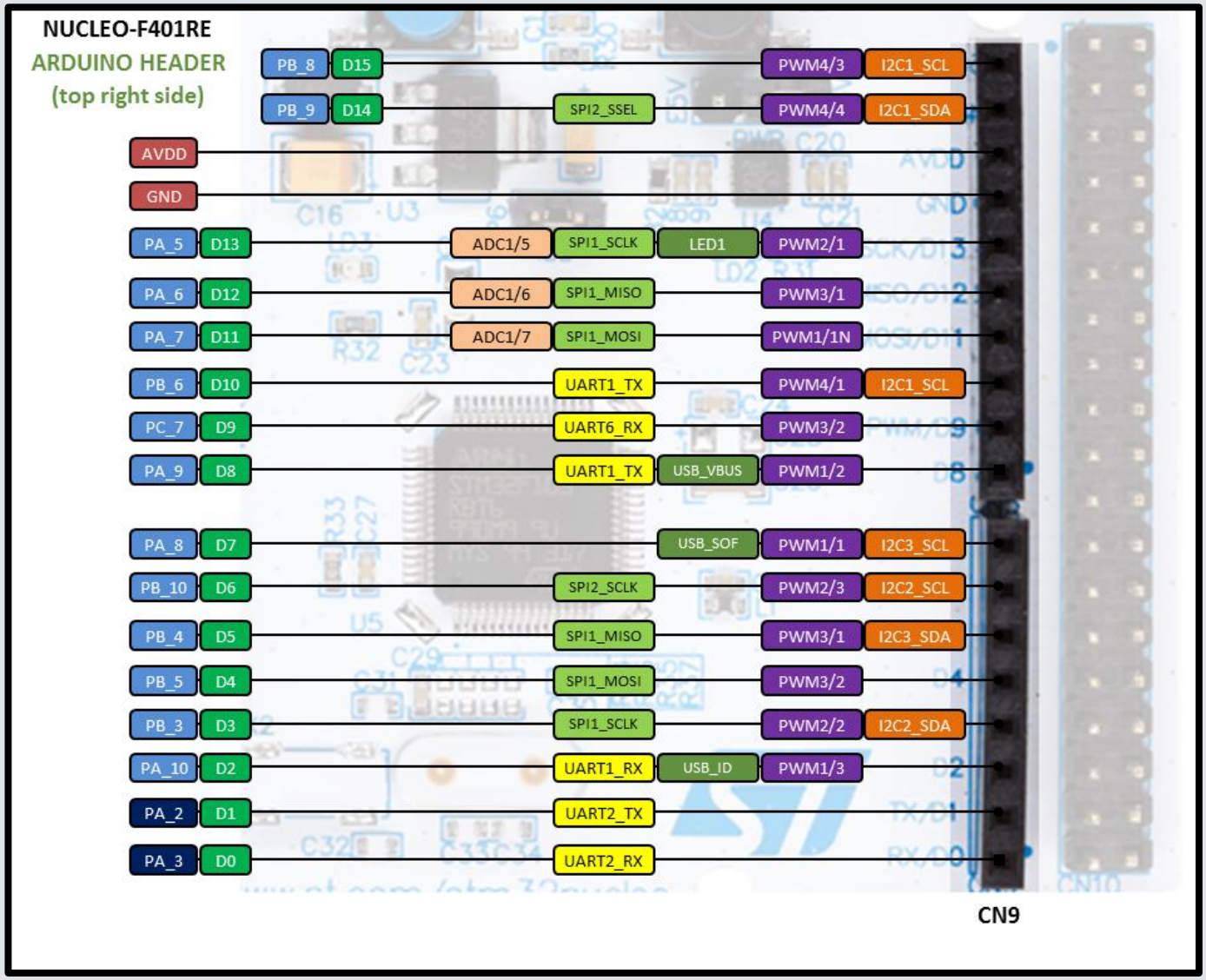
PINS LABEL


Labels usable in code
PX_Y
MCU pin without conflict
PX_Y
MCU pin connected to other components
See PeripheralPins.c (link below) for more information
XXX
Arduino connector names (A0, D1, ...)
XXX
LEDs and Buttons (LED_1, USER_BUTTON, ...)
Labels not usable in code (for information only)
XXX
Serial pins (USART/UART)
XXX
SPI pins
XXX
I2C pins
XXX
PWMOut pins (TIMER n/c[N])
n = Timer number c = Channel
N = Inverted channel
XXX
AnalogIn (ADC) and AnalogOut pins (DAC)
XXX
CAN pins
XXX
Power and control pins (3V3, GND, RESET, ...)

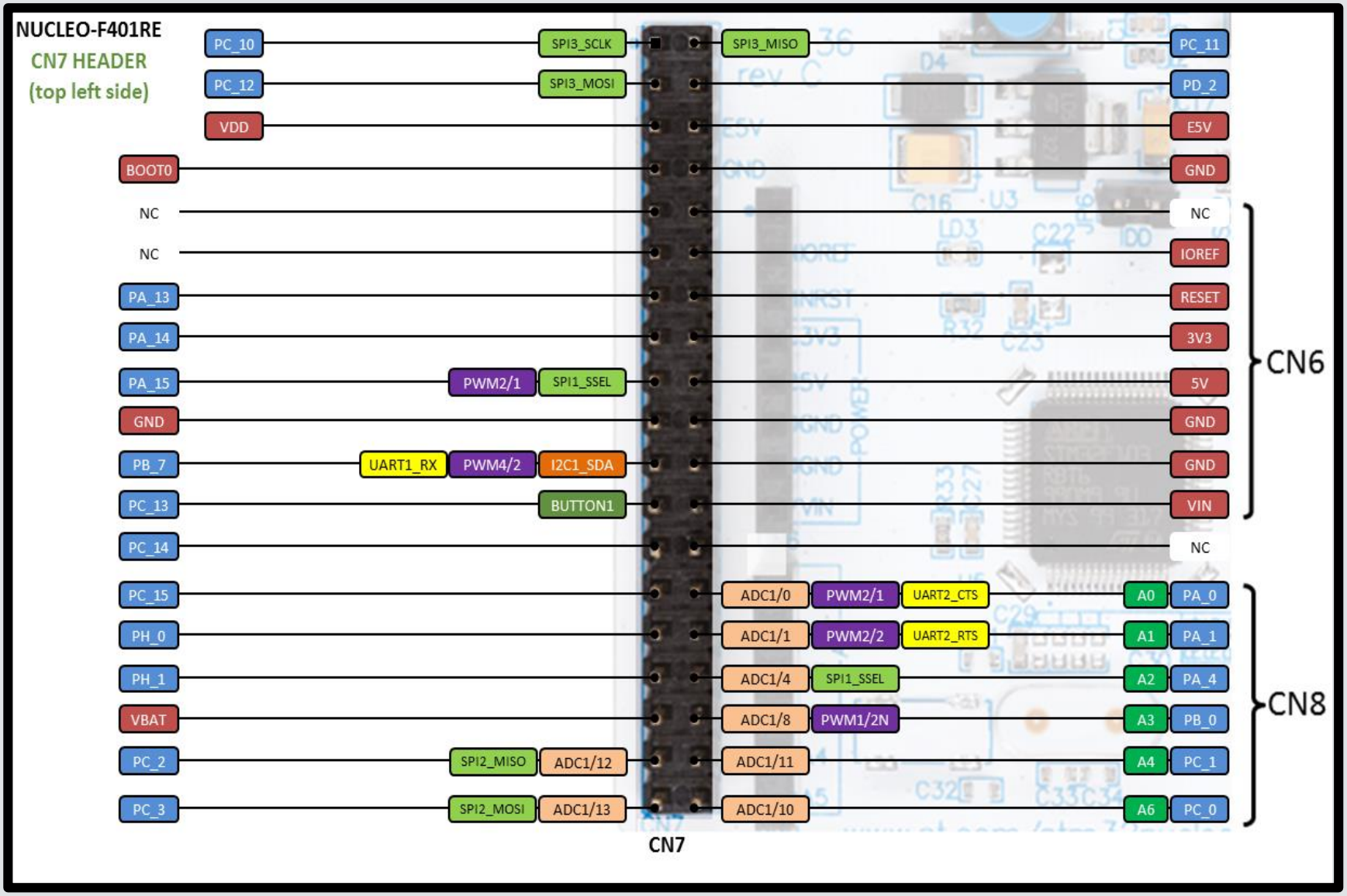
Arduino Header CN6 & CN8



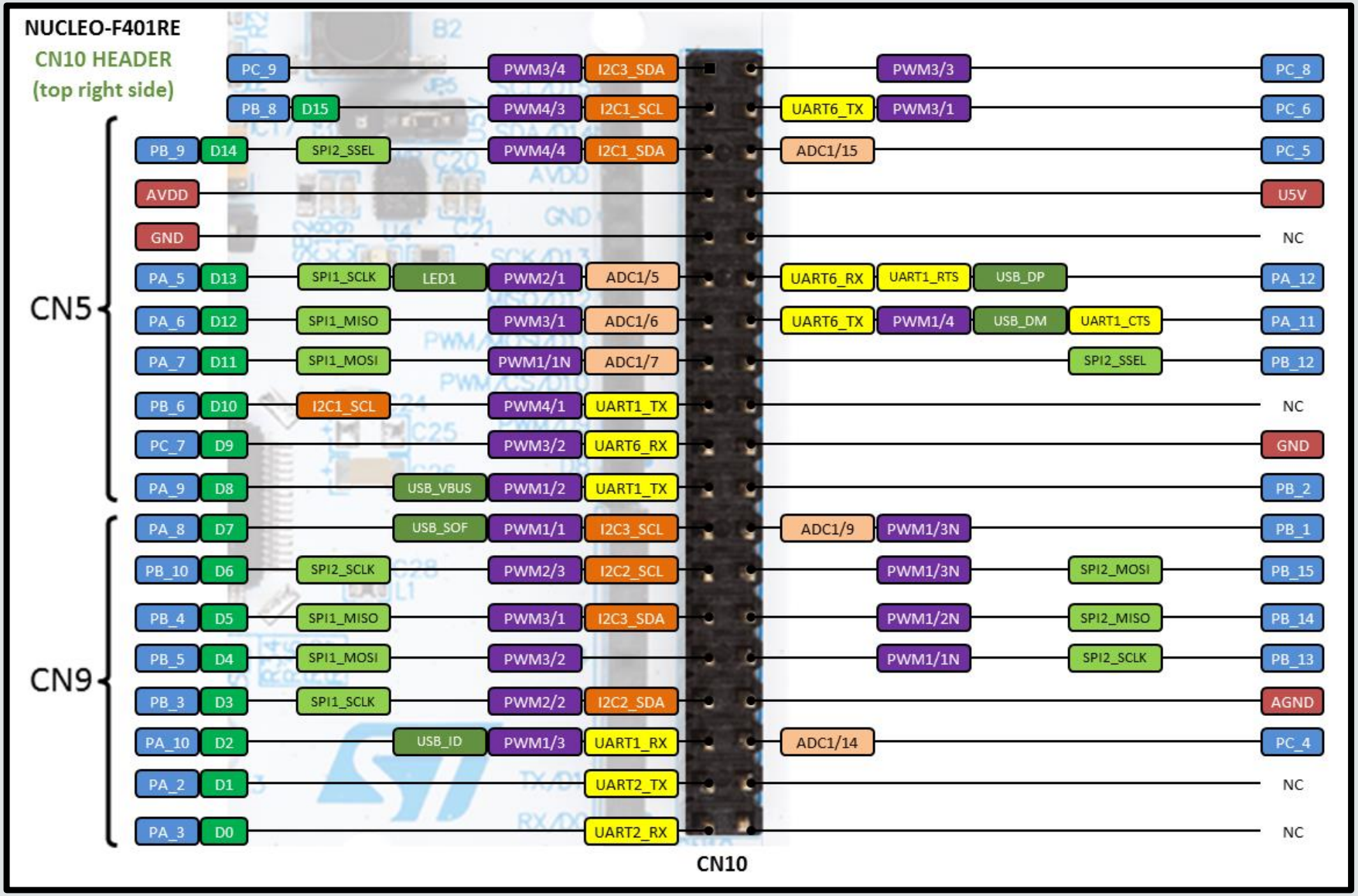
Arduino Header CN9



CN7 Header

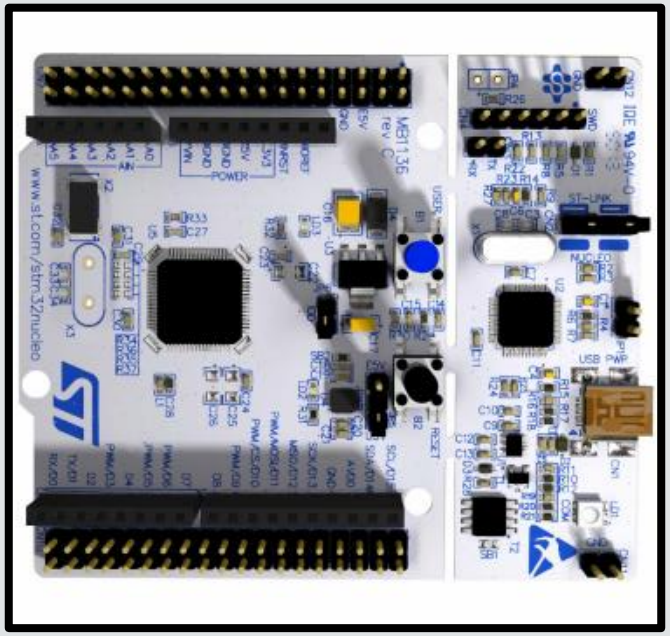

NUCLEO-F401RE
CN7 HEADER
(top left side)
PC_10
SPI3_SCLK
SPI3_MISO
PC_11
PC_12
SPI3_MOSI
PD_2
VDD
E5V
BOOT0
GND
NC
NC
IOREF
PA_13
RESET
PA_14
3V3
PA_15
PWM2/1
SPI1_SSEL
5V
GND
GND
PB_7
UART1_RX
PWM4/2
I2C1_SDA
GND
PC_13
BUTTON1
VIN
PC_14
NC
PC_15
ADC1/0
PWM2/1
UART2_CTS
A0
PA_0
PH_0
ADC1/1
PWM2/2
UART2_RTS
A1
PA_1
PH_1
ADC1/4
SPI1_SSEL
A2
PA_4
VBAT
ADC1/8
PWM1/2N
A3
PB_0
PC_2
SPI2_MISO
ADC1/12
ADC1/11
A4
PC_1
PC_3
SPI2_MOSI
ADC1/13
ADC1/10
A6
PC_0
CN6
CN8
CN7

CN10 Header


NUCLEO-F401RE
CN10 HEADER
(top right side)
CN5
CN9
PC_9 PWM3/4 I2C3_SDA
PB_8 D15 PWM4/3 I2C1_SCL
PB_9 D14 SPI2_SSEL PWM4/4 I2C1_SDA
AVDD
GND
PA_5 D13 SPI1_SCLK LED1 PWM2/1 ADC1/5
PA_6 D12 SPI1_MISO PWM3/1 ADC1/6
PA_7 D11 SPI1_MOSI PWM1/1N ADC1/7
PB_6 D10 I2C1_SCL PWM4/1 UART1_TX
PC_7 D9 PWM3/2 UART6_RX
PA_9 D8 USB_VBUS PWM1/2 UART1_TX
PA_8 D7 USB_SOF PWM1/1 I2C3_SCL
PB_10 D6 SPI2_SCLK PWM2/3 I2C2_SCL
PB_4 D5 SPI1_MISO PWM3/1 I2C3_SDA
PB_5 D4 SPI1_MOSI PWM3/2
PB_3 D3 SPI1_SCLK PWM2/2 I2C2_SDA
PA_10 D2 USB_ID PWM1/3 UART1_RX
PA_2 D1 UART2_TX
PA_3 D0 UART2_RX
PWM3/3 PC_8
UART6_TX PWM3/1 PC_6
ADC1/15 PC_5
U5V
NC
UART6_RX UART1_RTS USB_DP PA_12
UART6_TX PWM1/4 USB_DM UART1_CTS PA_11
SPI2_SSEL PB_12
NC
GND
PB_2
ADC1/9 PWM1/3N PB_1
PWM1/3N SPI2_MOSI PB_15
PWM1/2N SPI2_MISO PB_14
PWM1/1N SPI2_SCLK PB_13
AGND
ADC1/14 PC_4
NC
NC
CN10

Requirements

- STM32F401 Evaluation/Development board
- USB mini to USB Type B Connector
- Development environment (IDEs or mbed account).

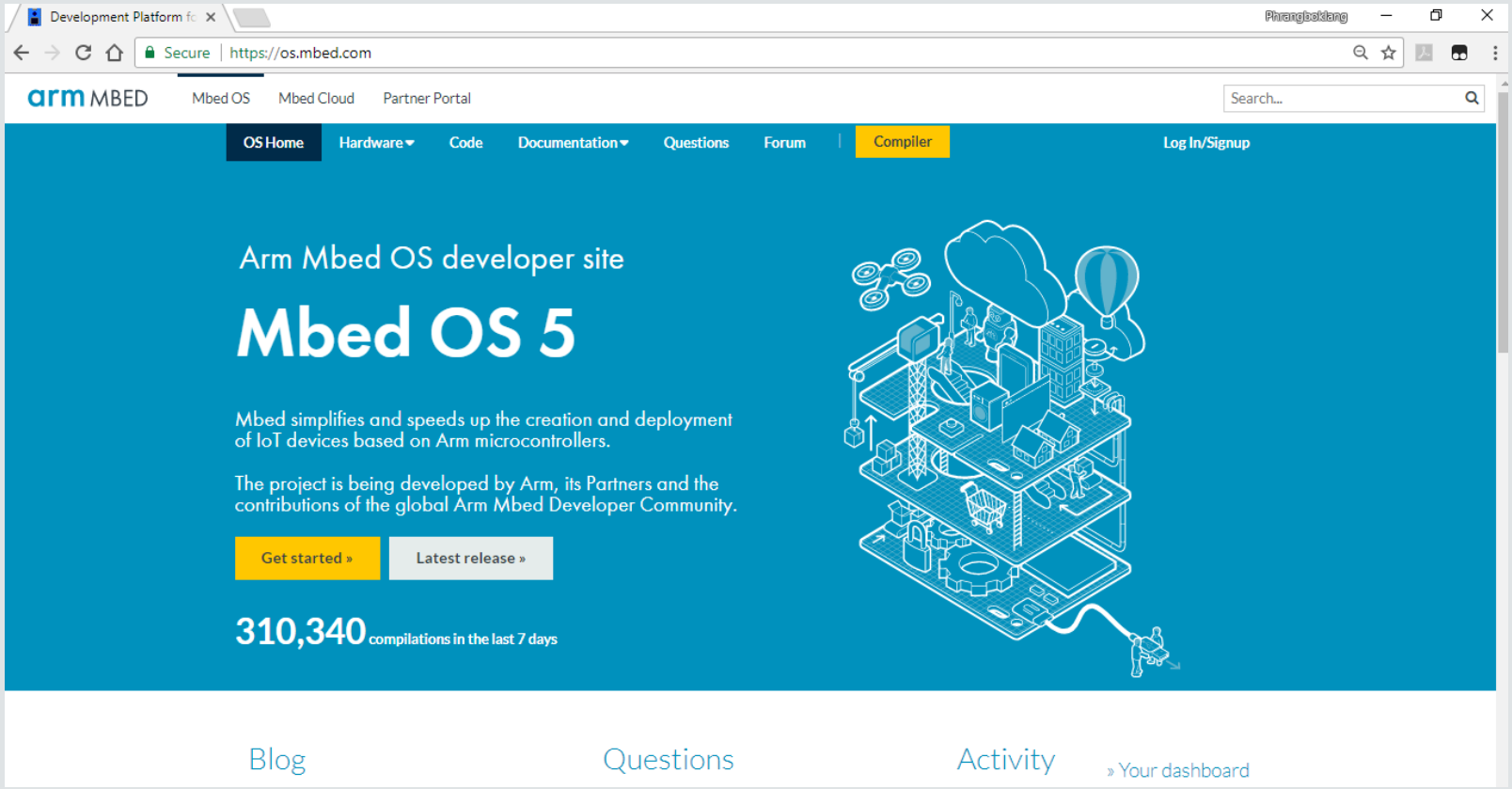


Start Development

- During this course we will use the online compiler from http://developer.mbed.org to compile our projects.
- The compiler supports programs written in C or Python.

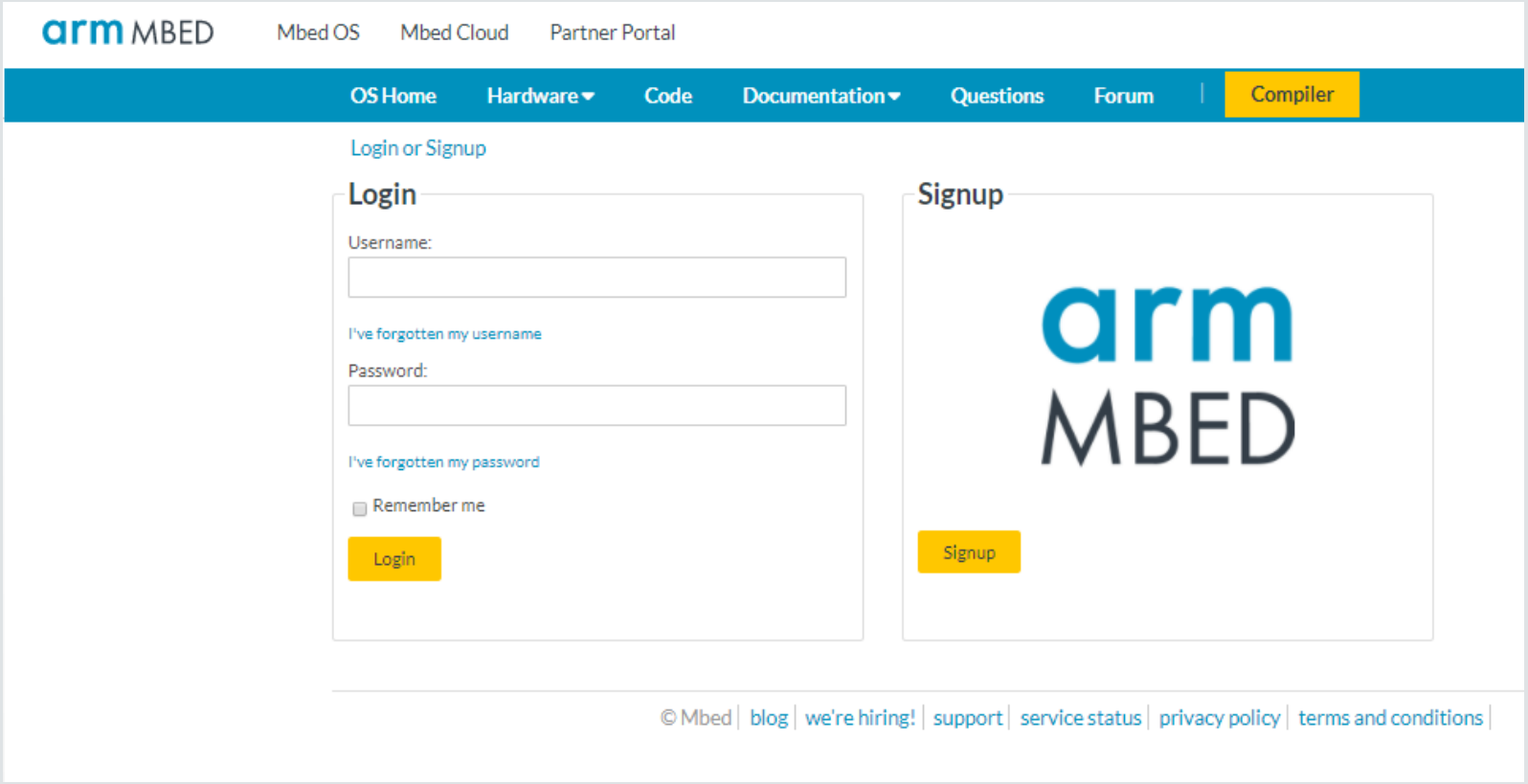
STEPS to Start Development

- STEP 1 – Go to http://developer.mbed.org



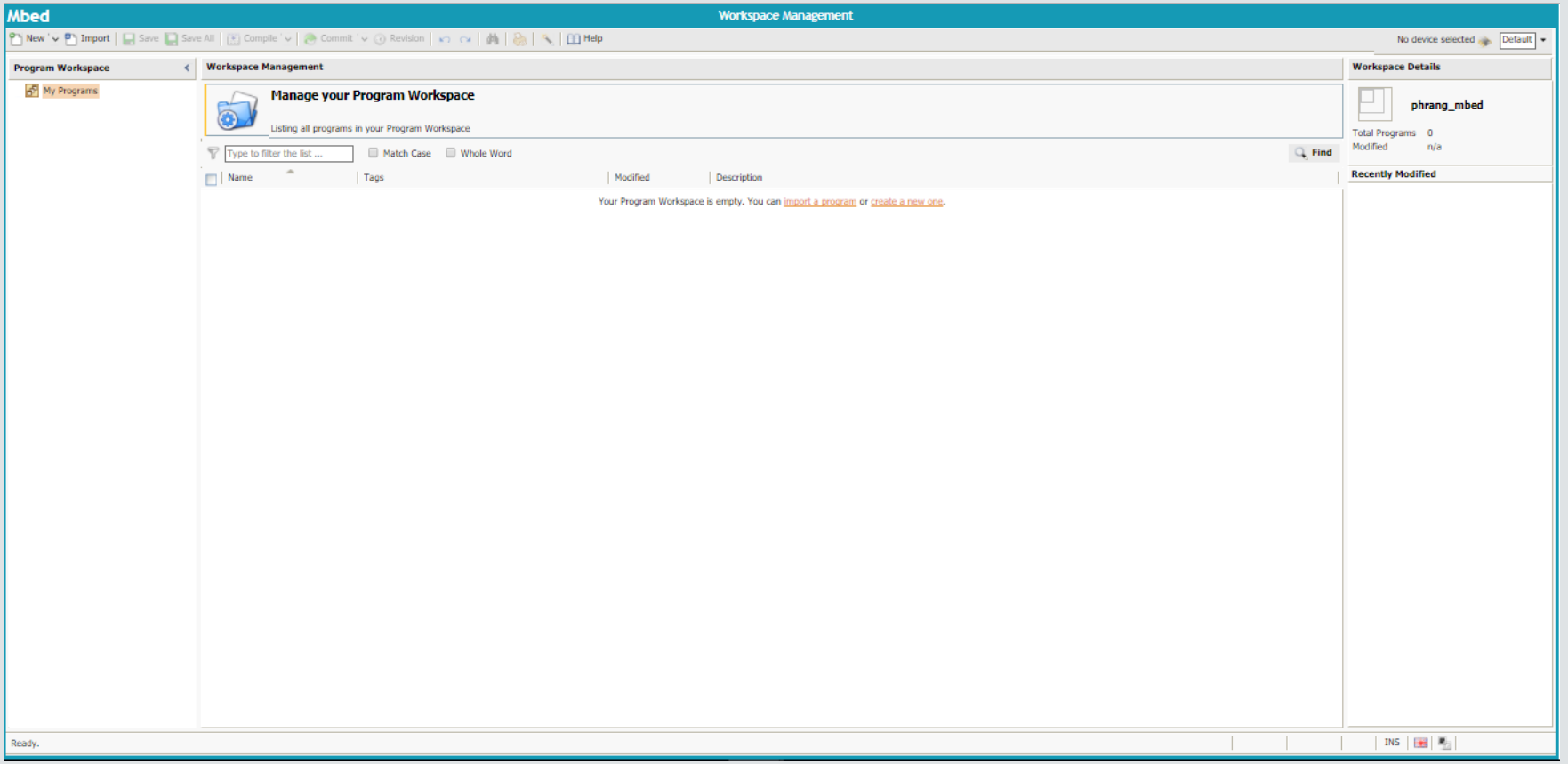
STEPS to Start Development

- STEP 2 – Create an account



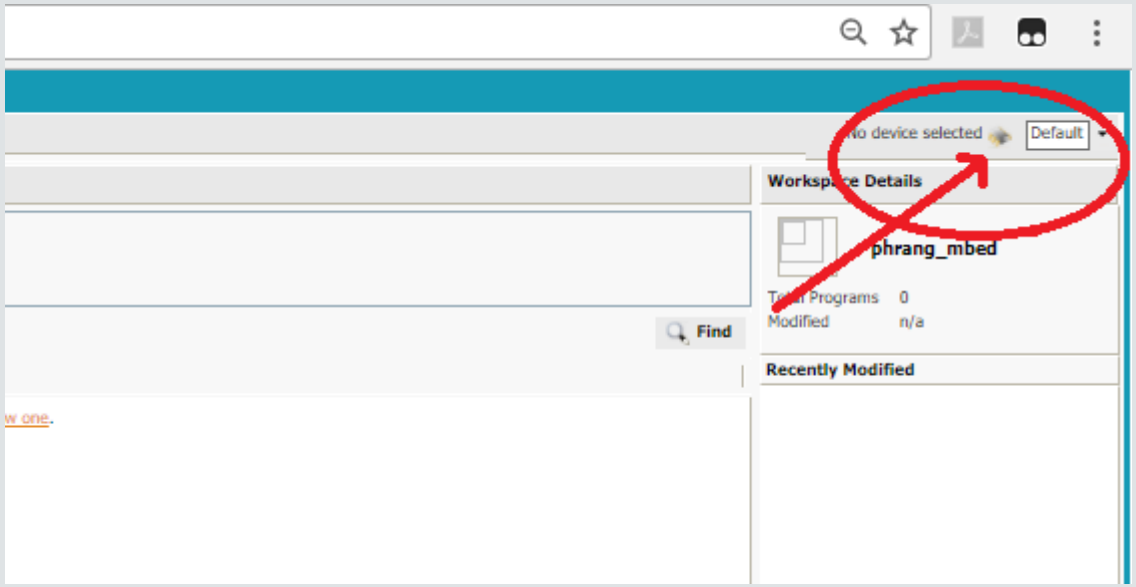
STEPS to Start Development

- STEP 3 – Go to Compiler



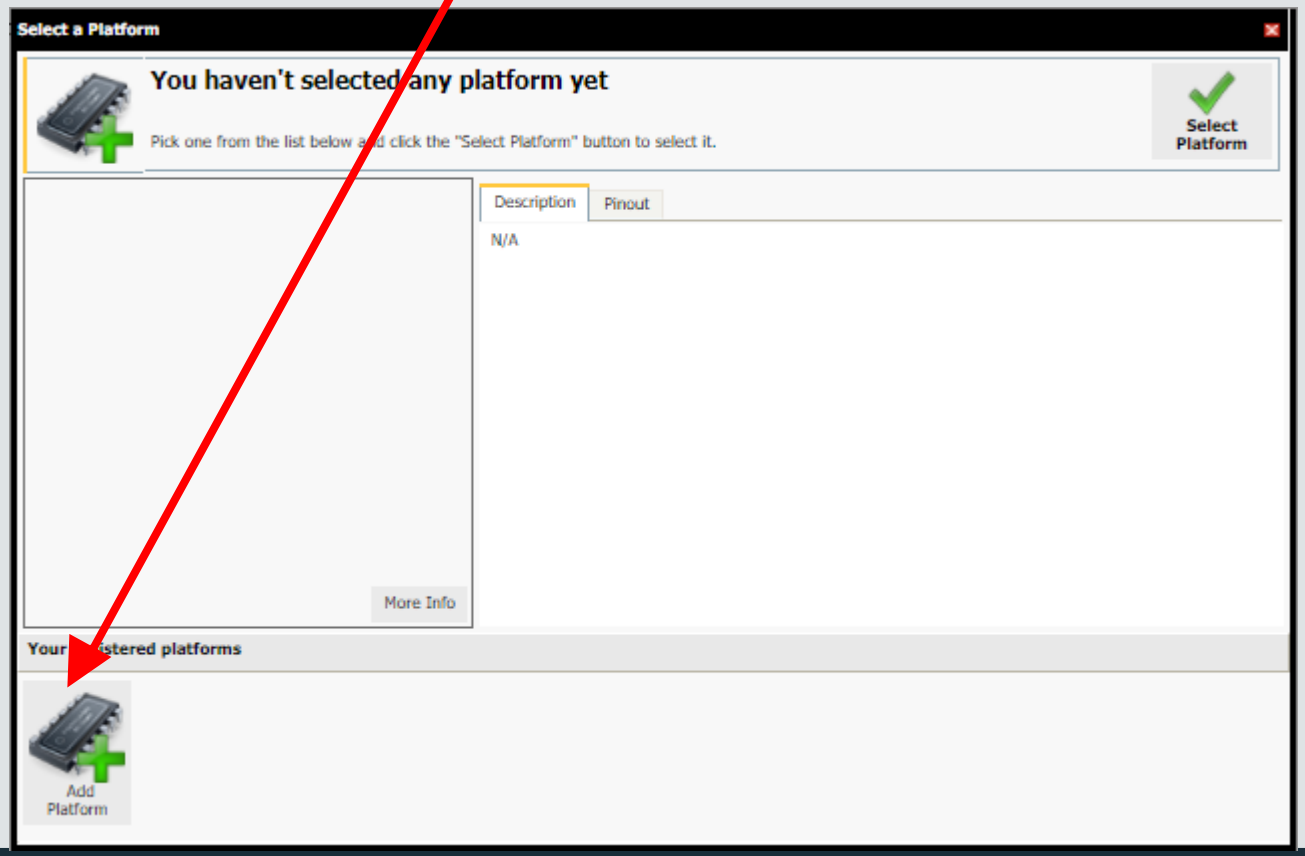
STEPS to Start Development

- STEP 4 – Selecting Device
  - Click on the device selection on the top RHS of the Complier Screen



STEPS to Start Development

- STEP 5 – Selecting Platform
  - Click on Add Platform

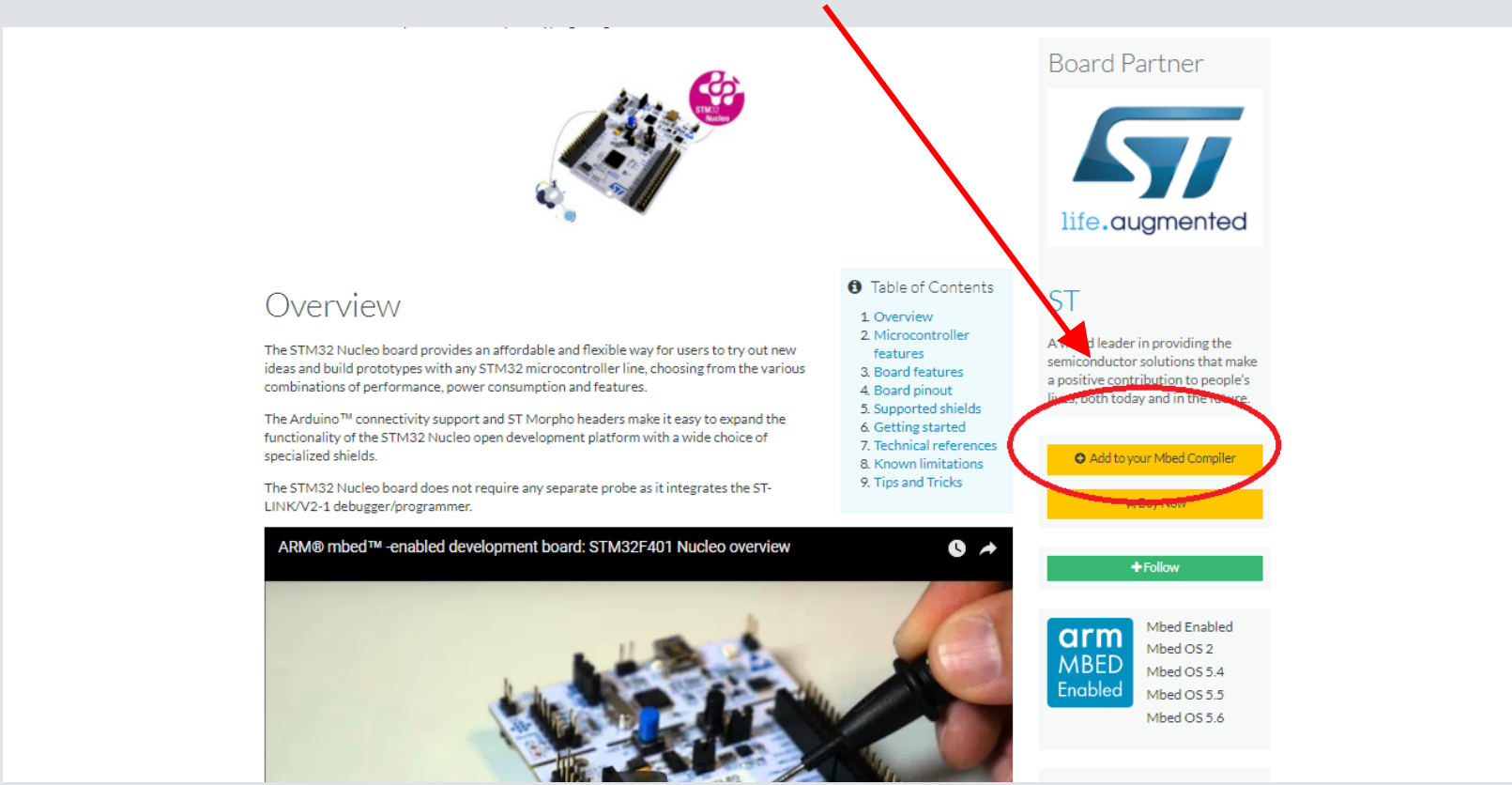


STEPS to Start Development

- STEP 6 – Selecting Board

STEPS to Start Development

- STEP 7 – Add Board to mbed Compiler

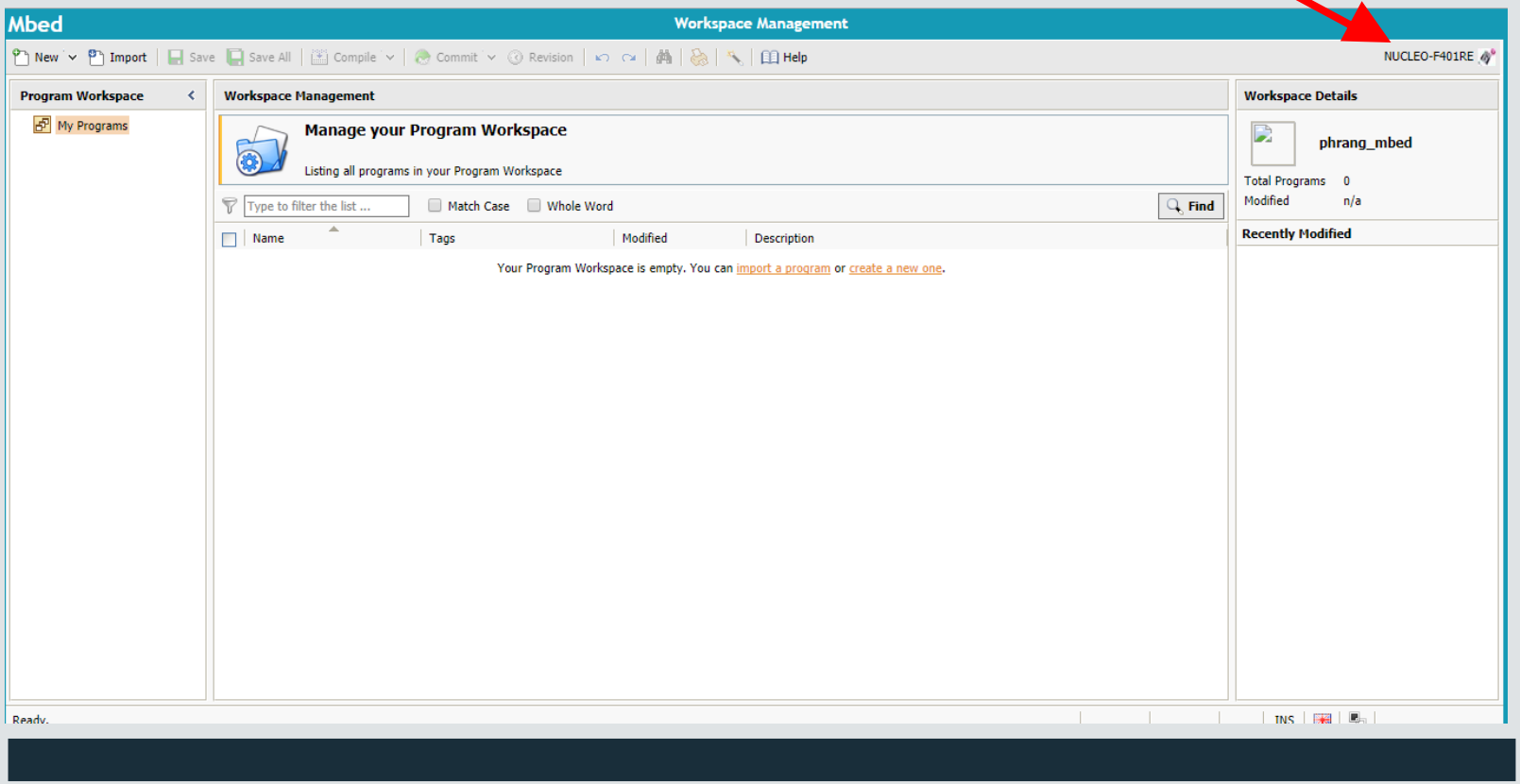


Adding other Boards

- You can select any board as in step 6.
- The same can be added to the mbed compiler as in step 7
- In this lab we will use the NUCLEO-F401RE board
- Next, we again click on the compiler to begin writing our first programs.

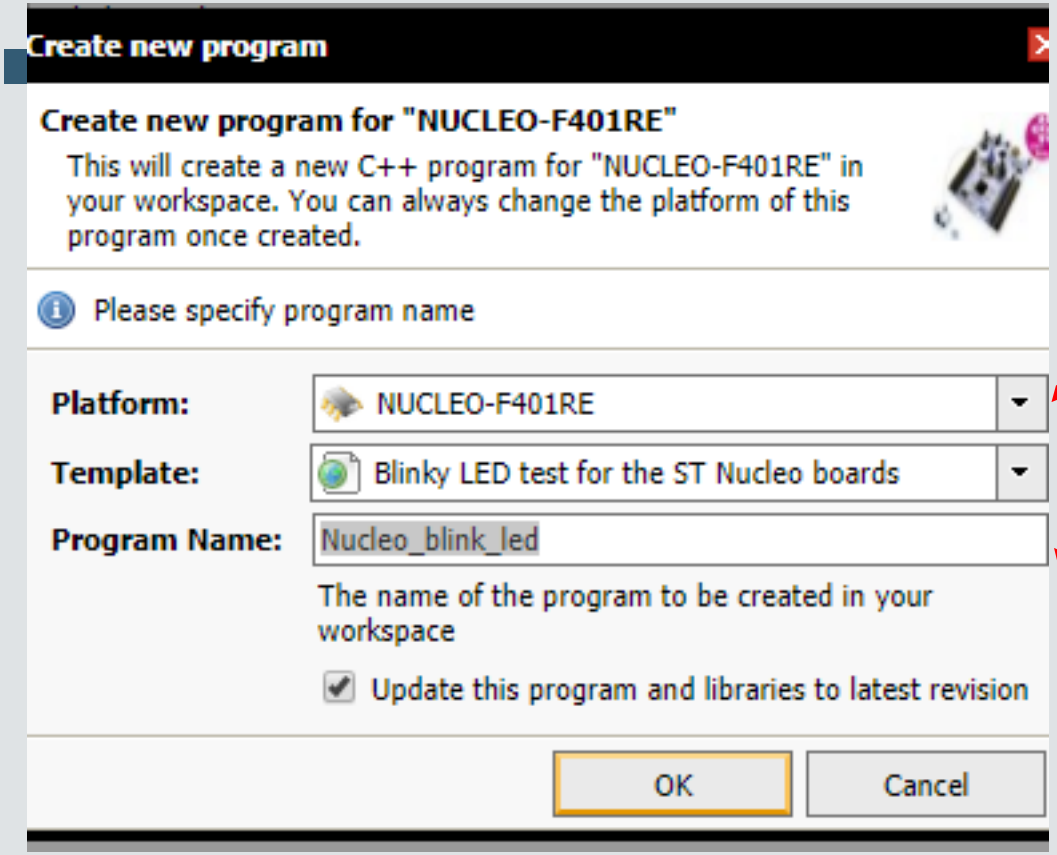
STEPS to Start Development

- STEP 8 – Goto the compiler and verify if NUCLEO-F401RE is selected as the compiler platform



Program: Blinking LED

- Click on new -> New Program



select the kit (need only if there are multiple kits)

select template as the blinking LED test program

Name of the program

Writing program

- Click on main cpp

main.cpp

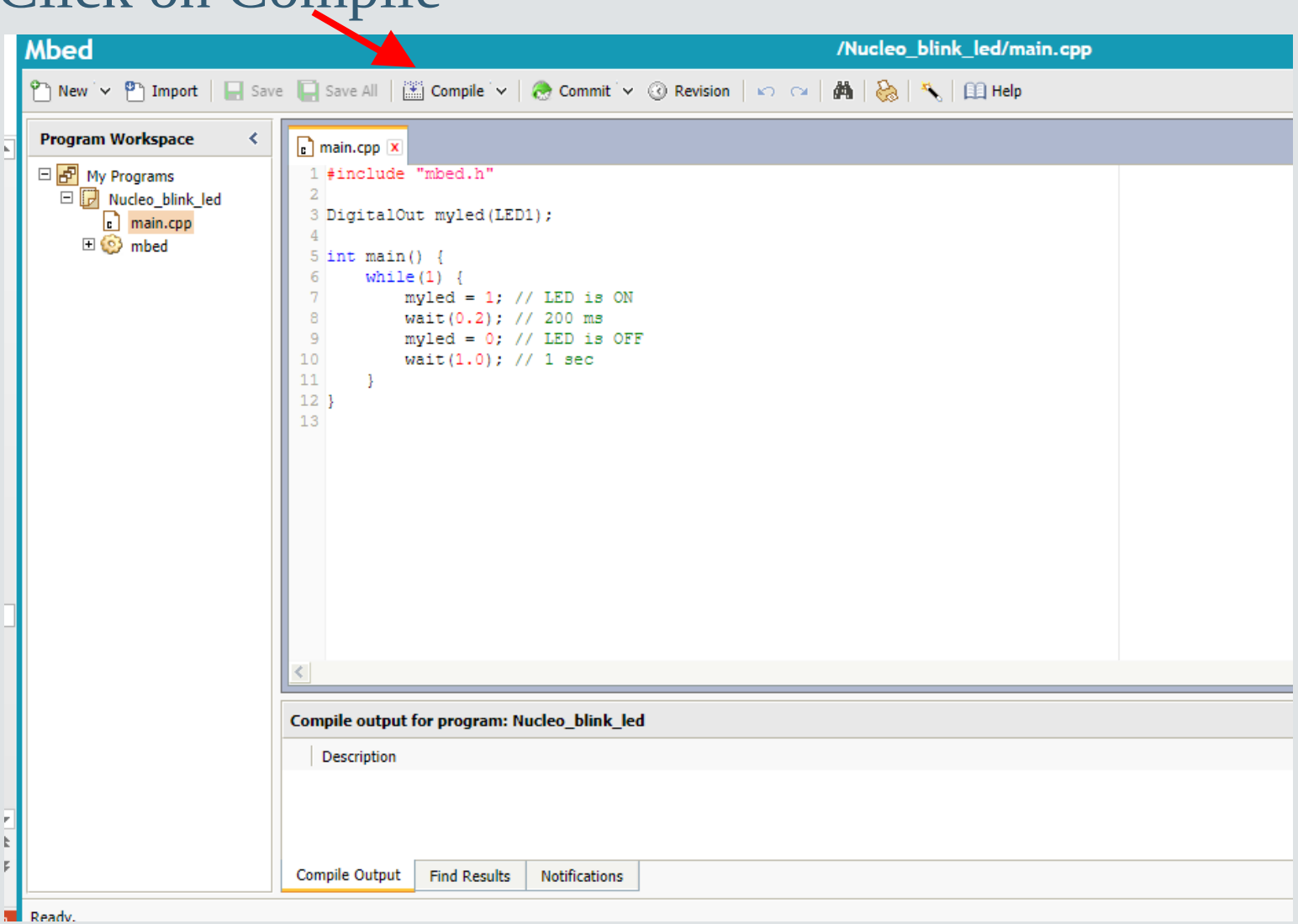
```
#include "mbed.h"

DigitalOut myled(LED1);

int main() {
    while(1) {
        myled = 1; // LED is ON
        wait(0.2); // 200 ms
        myled = 0; // LED is OFF
        wait(1.0); // 1 sec
    }
}
```

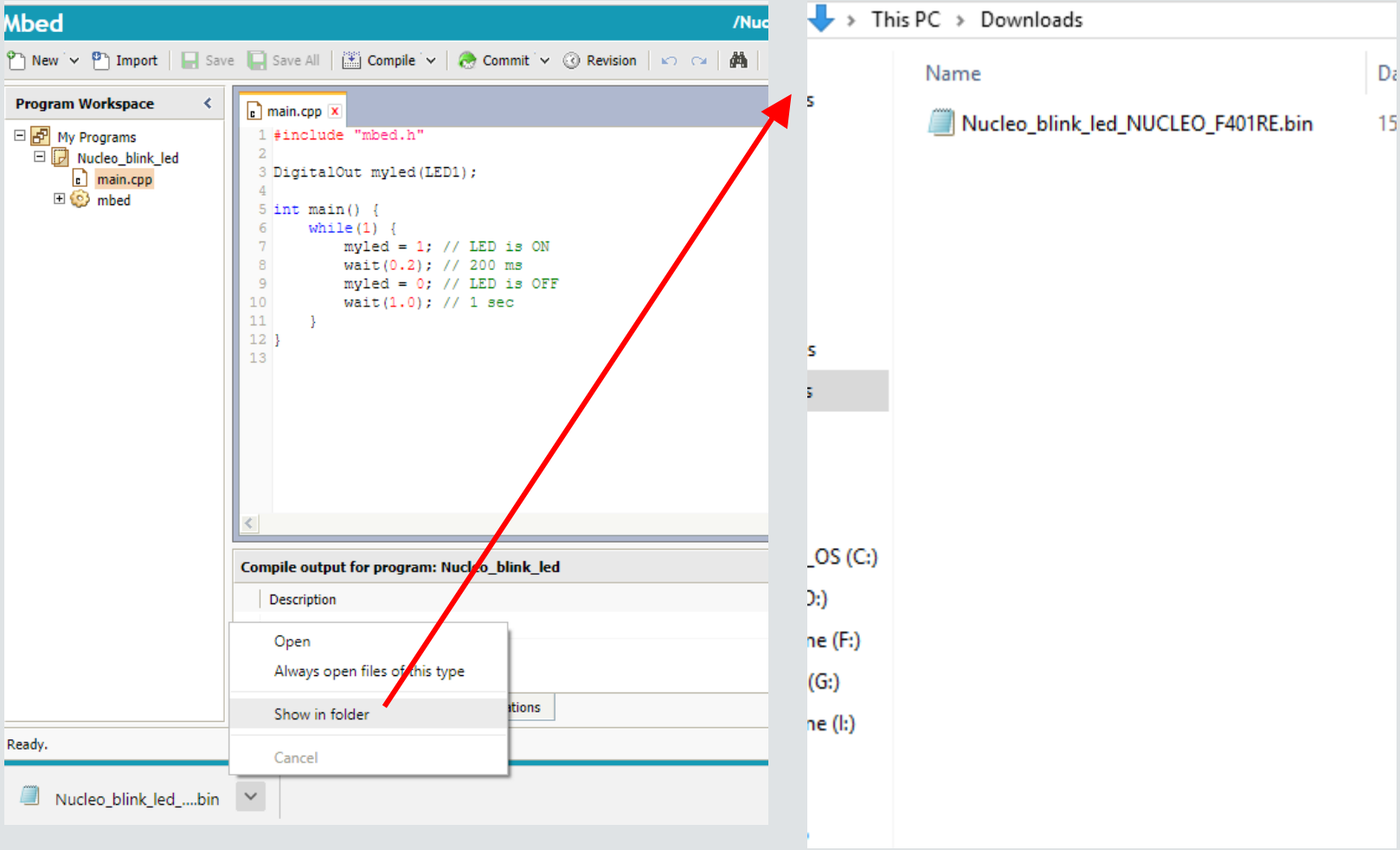
Compiling your code

Click on Compile



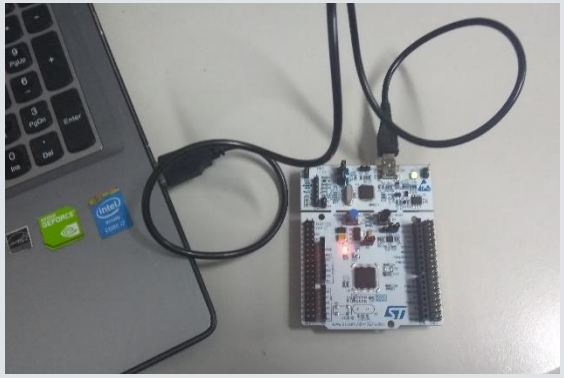
Compiling

- On successful compiling you will notice a file is downloaded
- The file is saved by default in the download folder



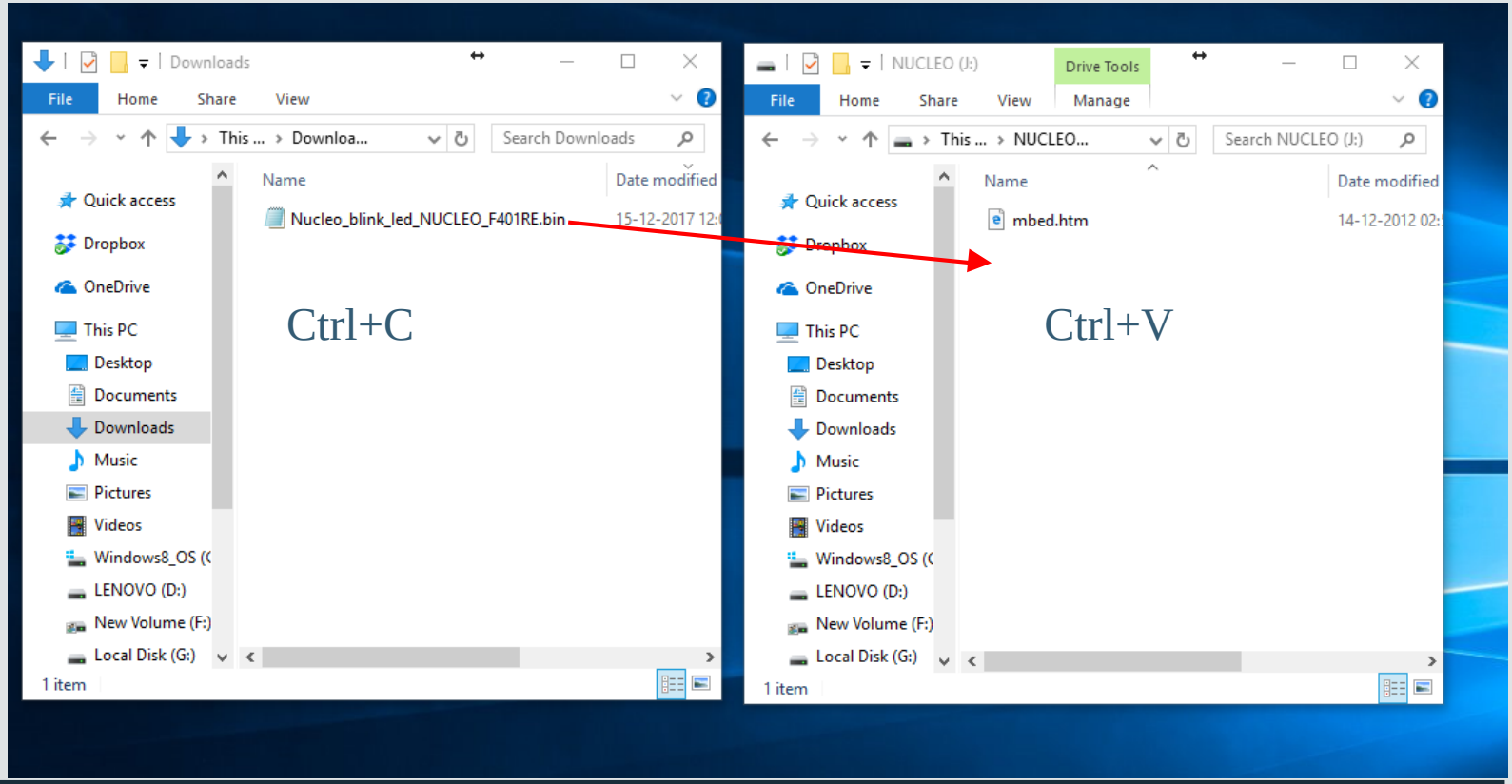
STM32 Connection to PC

- Connect your STM32 NUCLEO to your computer via the USB cable
- Observe that the LEDs are turned on and the USER LED will start blinking



Execution

- Copy the code from the Download folder and paste to the NUCLEO folder



Success

- If everything works, then you have successfully uploaded your program to your evaluation board.
- Now you are ready to develop more systems using this kit.

Thank you