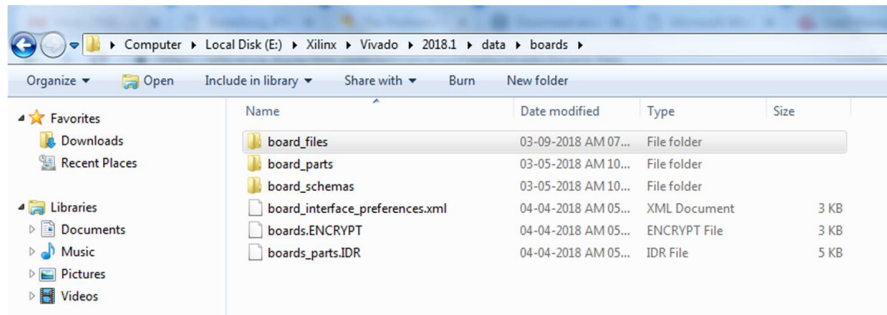**Vivado Board File Installation**

After installing Vivado, the default installation directory on your drive will contain a folder called **board_files**. If Vivado is installed in the C drive (usually recommended), then the **board_files** folder can be found here: **C:\Xilinx\Vivado\2018.1\data\boards**

Copy edgeA7 board file (folder) to the **board_files** directory
C:\Xilinx\Vivado\2018.1\data\boards\board_files

Board files define different interfaces on the board. Interfaces such as Slide Switches, Push Buttons, LEDs, USB-UART, SRAM Memory, Seven Segment Display etc.

Now create new project in Vivado using new project wizard. When choosing target device, Click the boards tab at the top of the dialog and select the **edge A7 board** from the given list or select the vendor name as **allaboutfpga** then you would be getting the edge A7 board.