

Additional Information for PIC CVD and CTMU Demos

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Real-Time Debugging

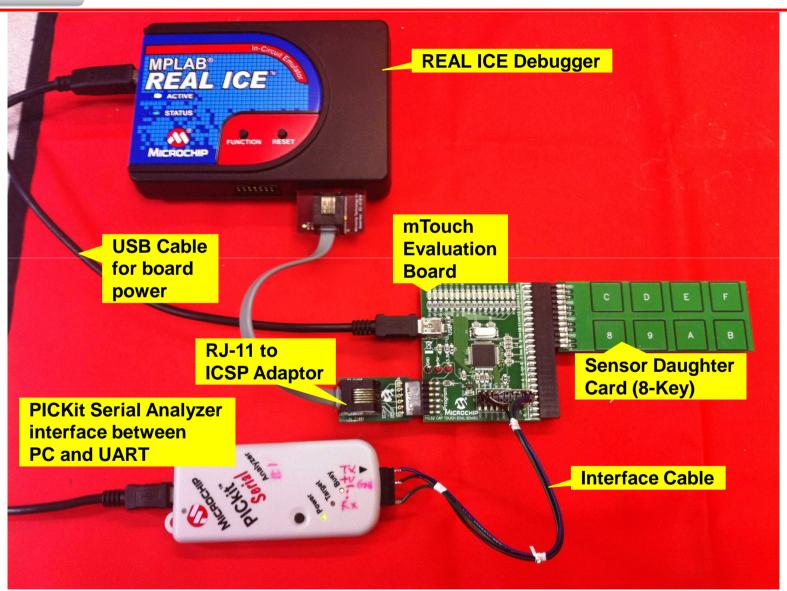
- To assist in debugging button/slider behavior,
 Microchip has provided Profilab GUI project for use on your PC
- Profilab™ is like LabView™, but much cheaper

http://www.abacom-online.de/uk/html/profilab-expert.html

- Standalone Windows mTouch GUI.exe allows use of GUI without purchasing Profilab[™]
- Profilab[™] projects can be customized to meet your debugging needs
 - Plot average voltage and button voltage
 - Model product front panel on a GUI tab

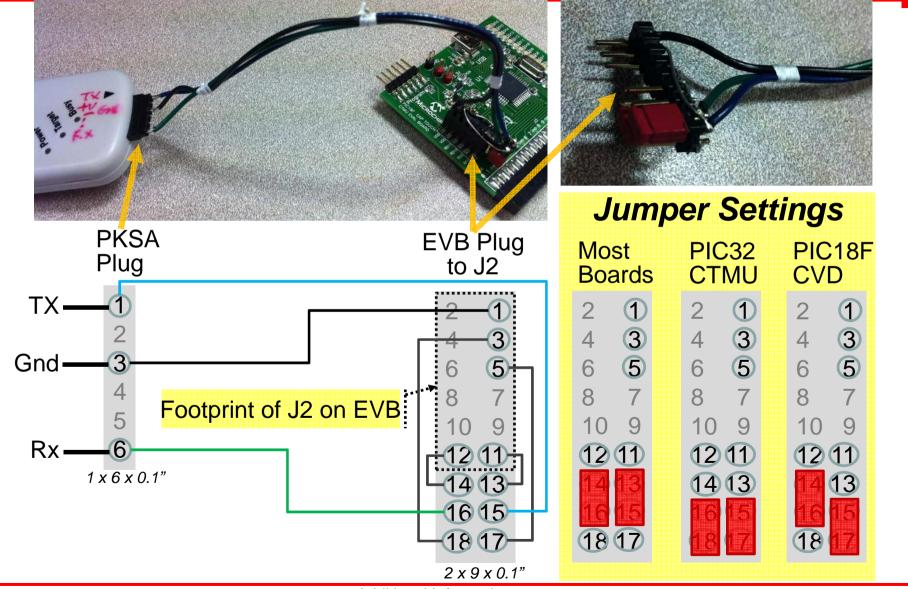


Typical Bench-Top Setup



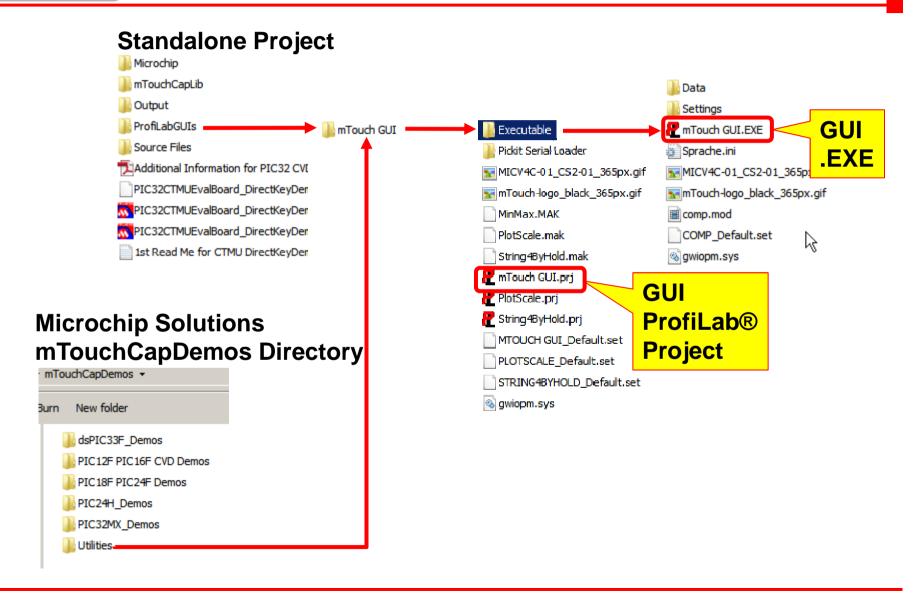


PKSA-EVB J2 Interface Cable



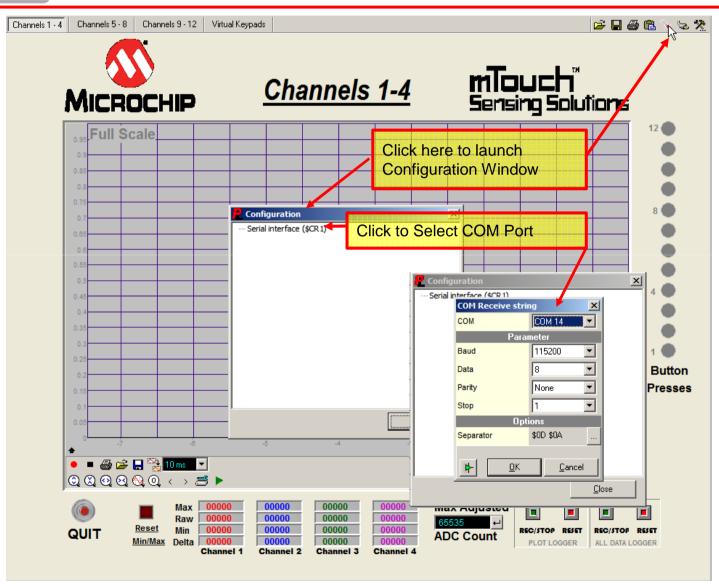


Finding the .EXE GUI File



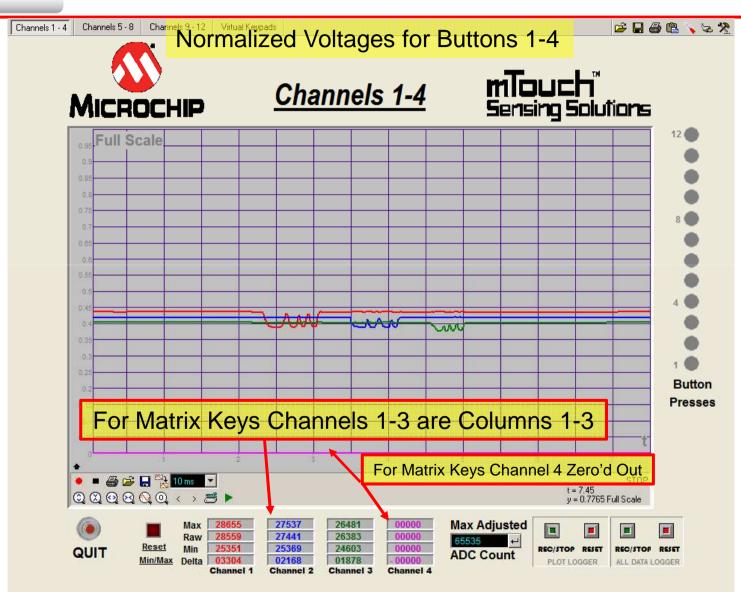


Setting Up GUI Com Parms



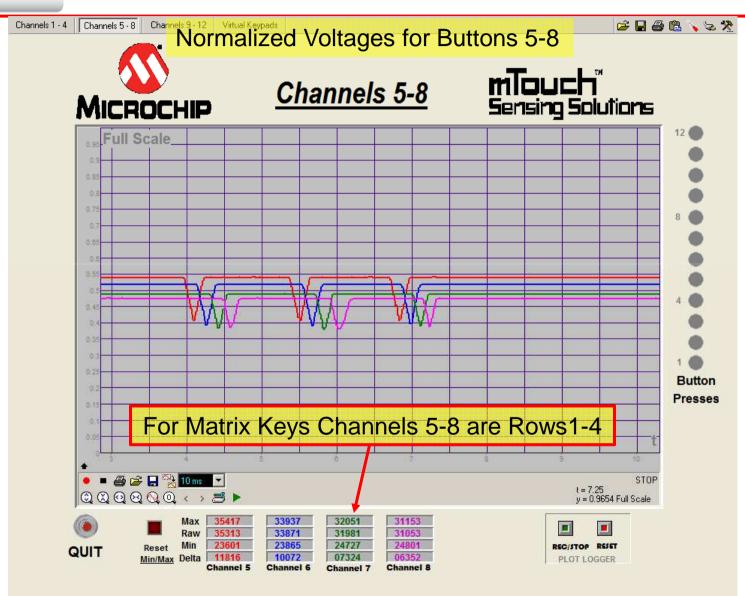


mTouch GUI Screen _{1/3}



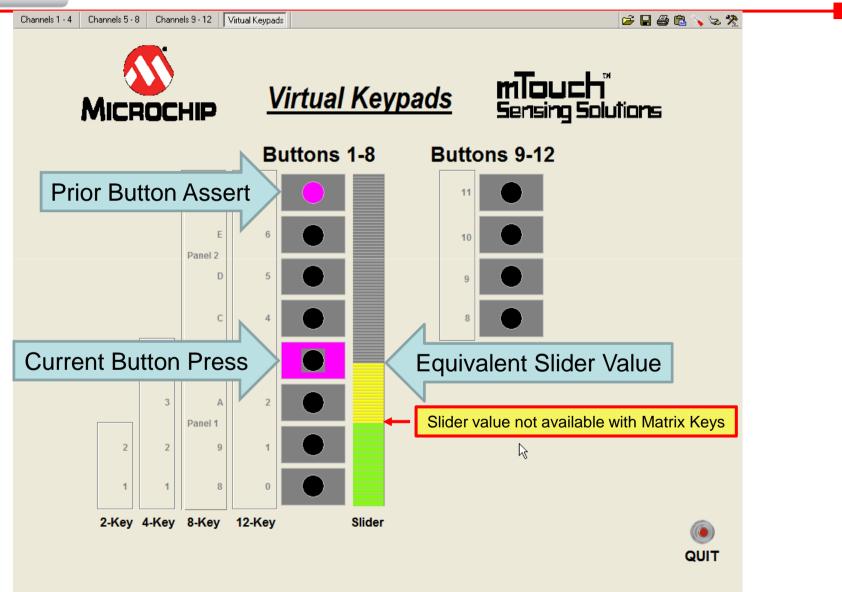


mTouch GUI Screen 2/3



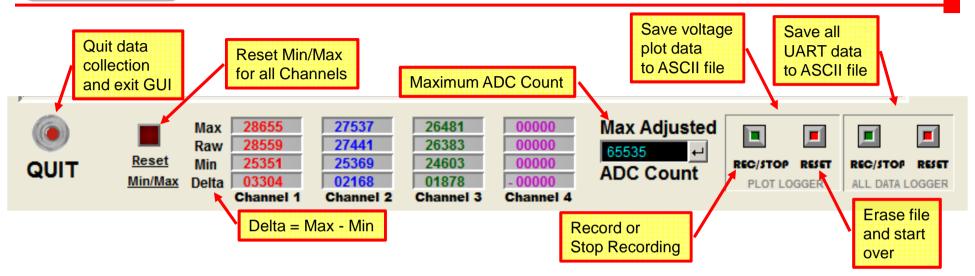


mTouch GUI Screen 3/3



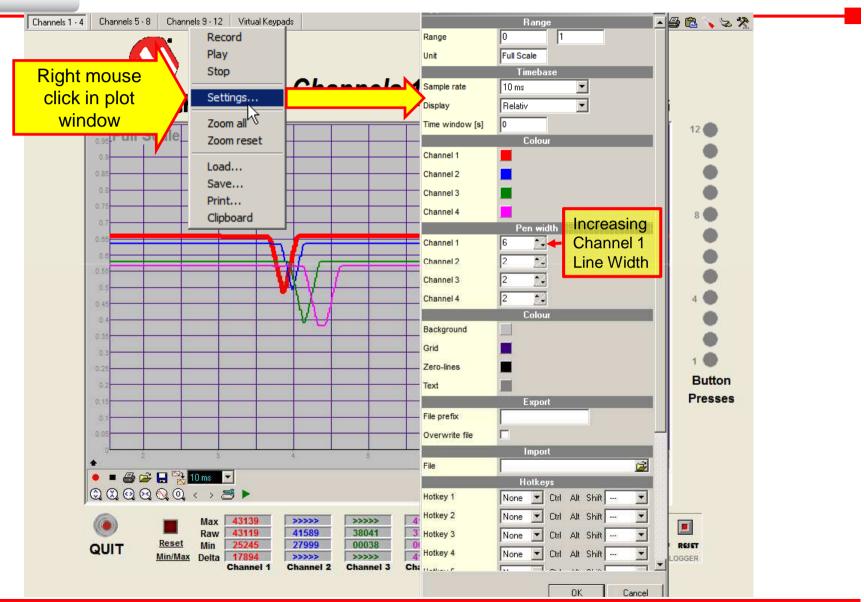


Voltage Plot Screen Controls



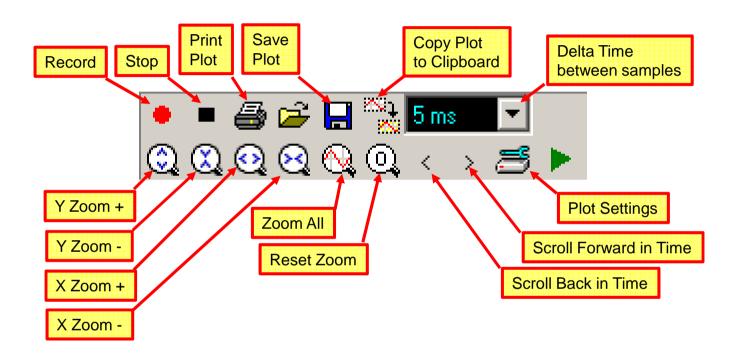


Configuring Voltage Plots



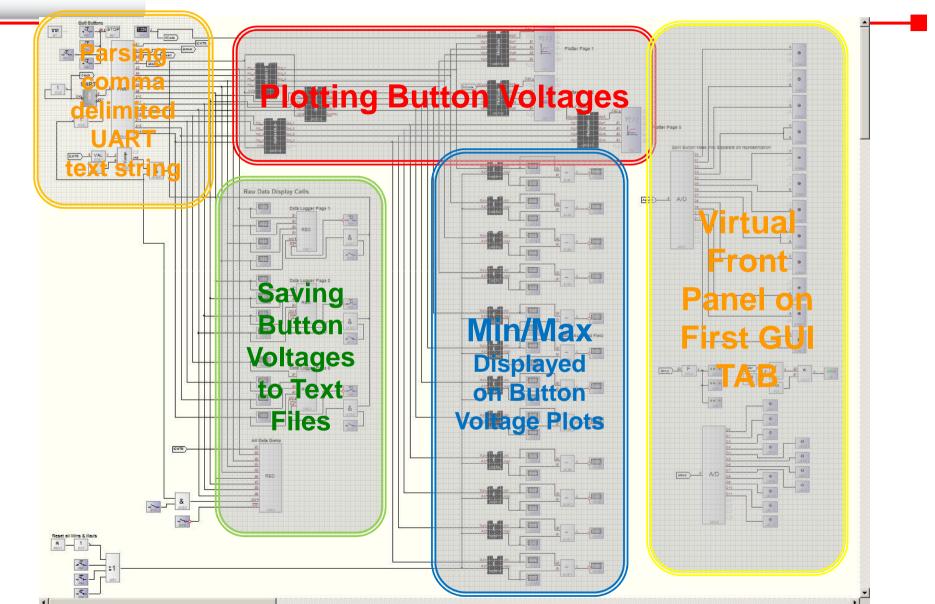


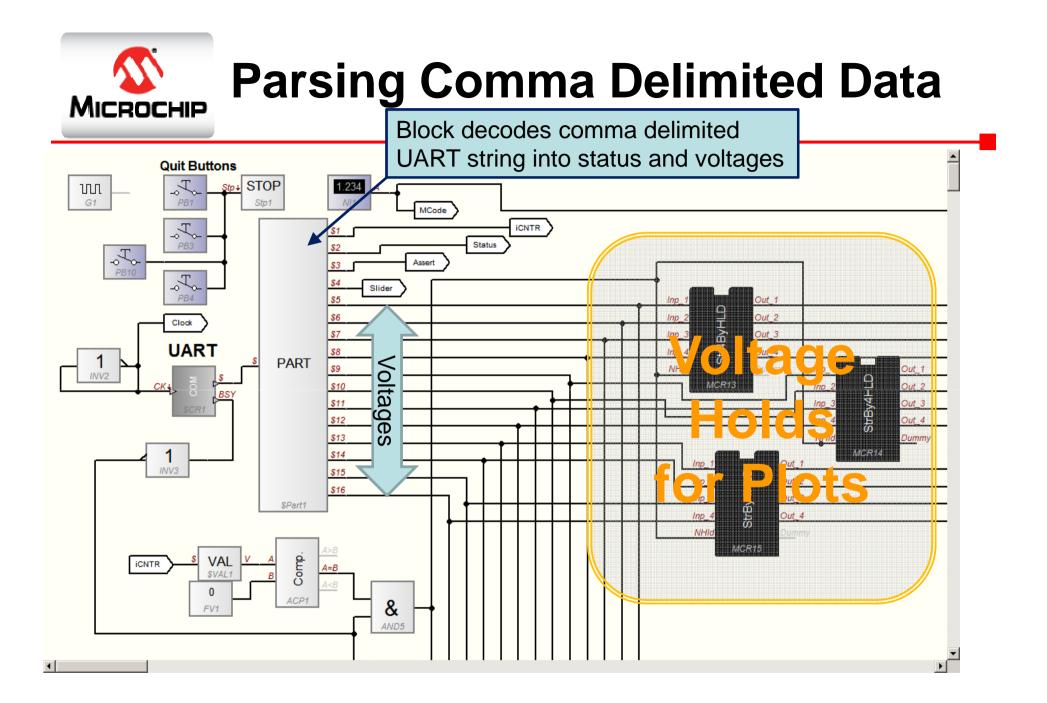
Plot Controls





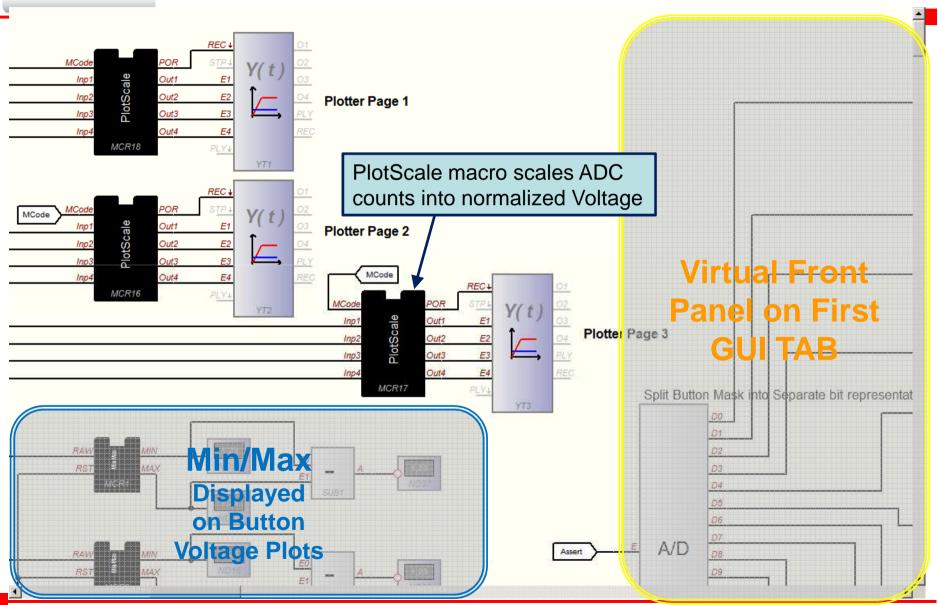
Profilab[™] = LabView[™] Lite







Scale and Plot Channels



Additional Information

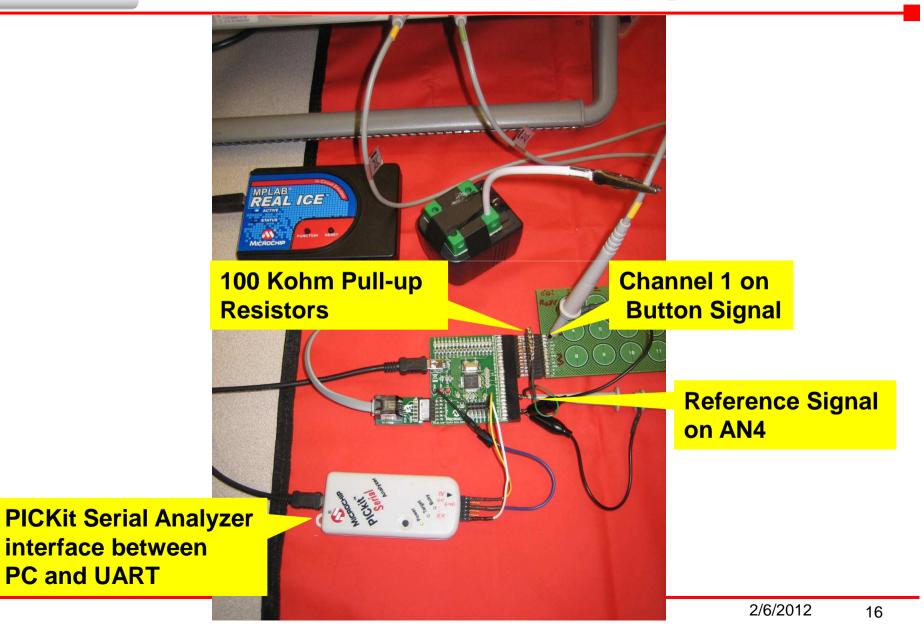
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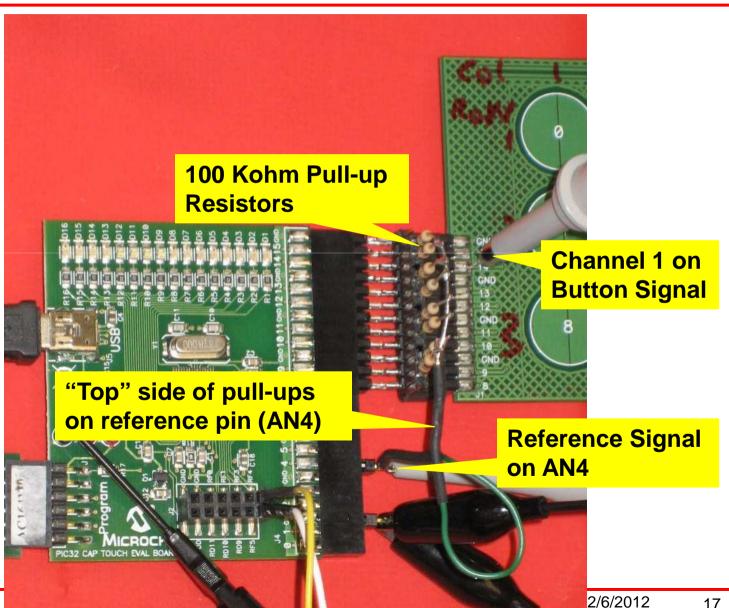
PC and UART

Benchtop Setup for Differential with Pull-Ups Demo





Close-Up of Differential Setup using Pull-Ups

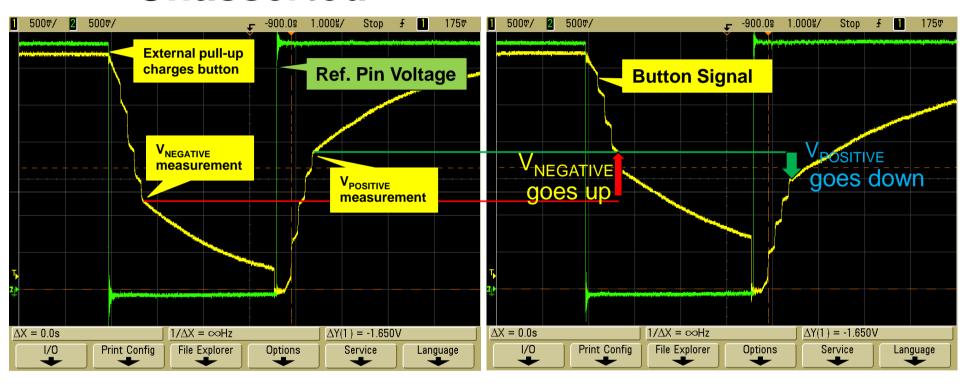




Example Differential with Pull-Ups 'Scope Signals

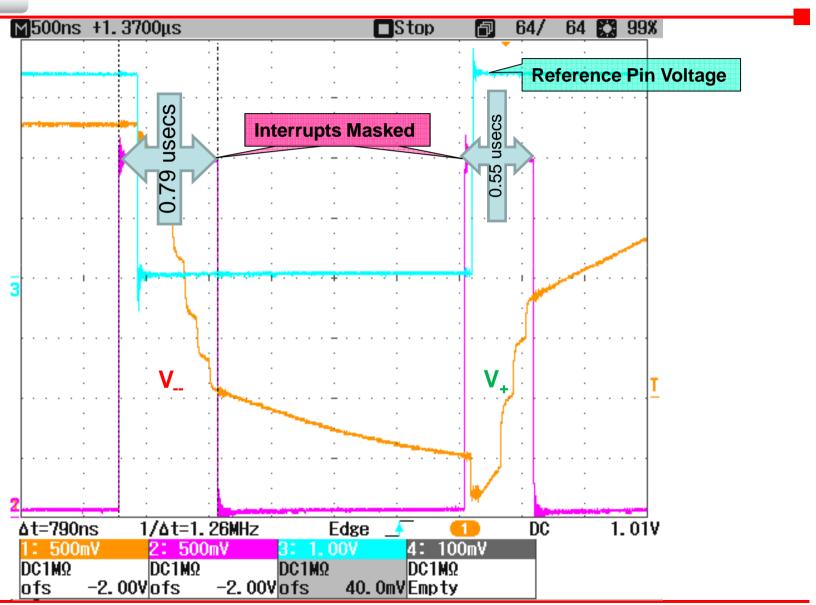
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Timing of Diff'l w. Pull-Ups

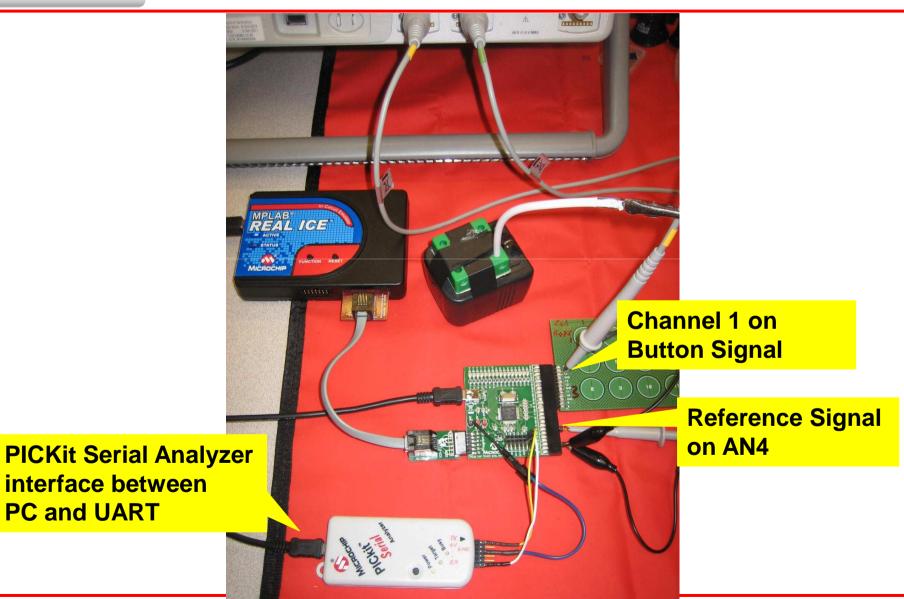




interface between

PC and UART

Benchtop Setup for Single-Ended or Differential w/o Pull-Ups Demos

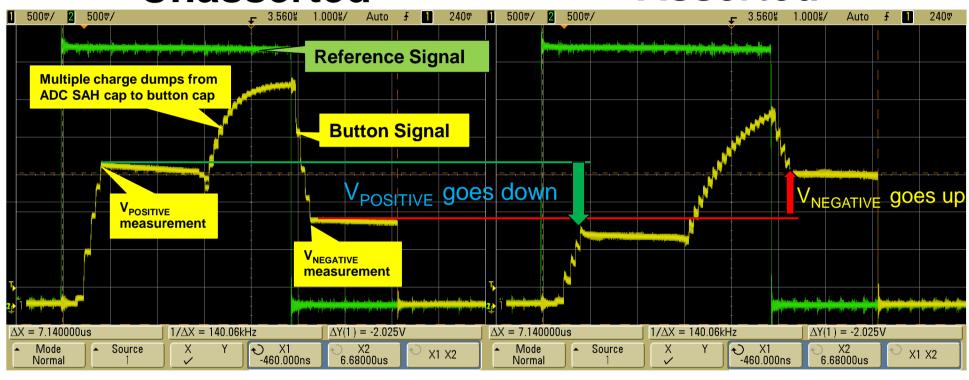




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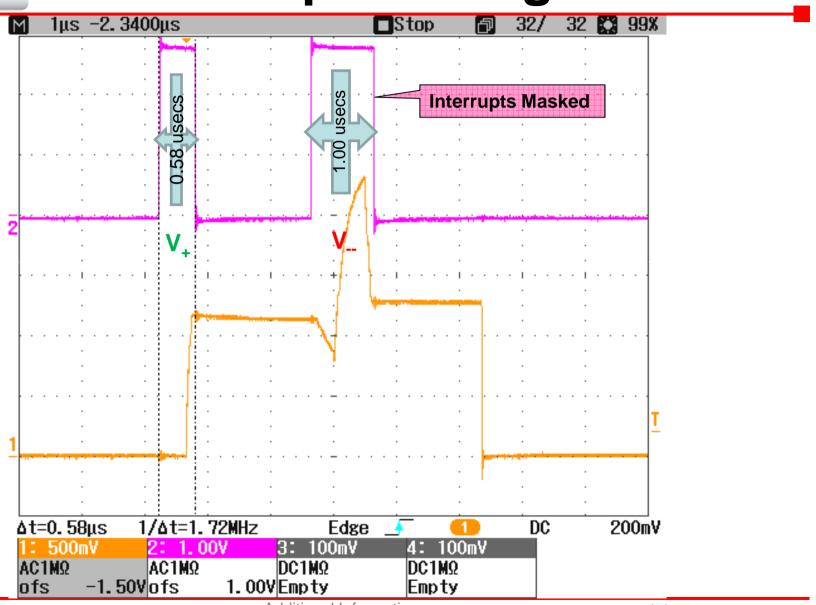
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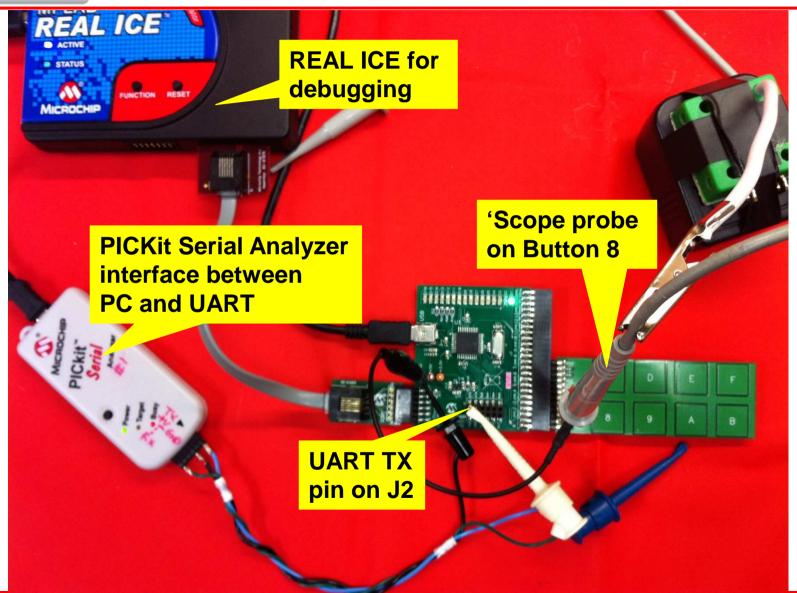


Differential w/o Pull-Ups Timings



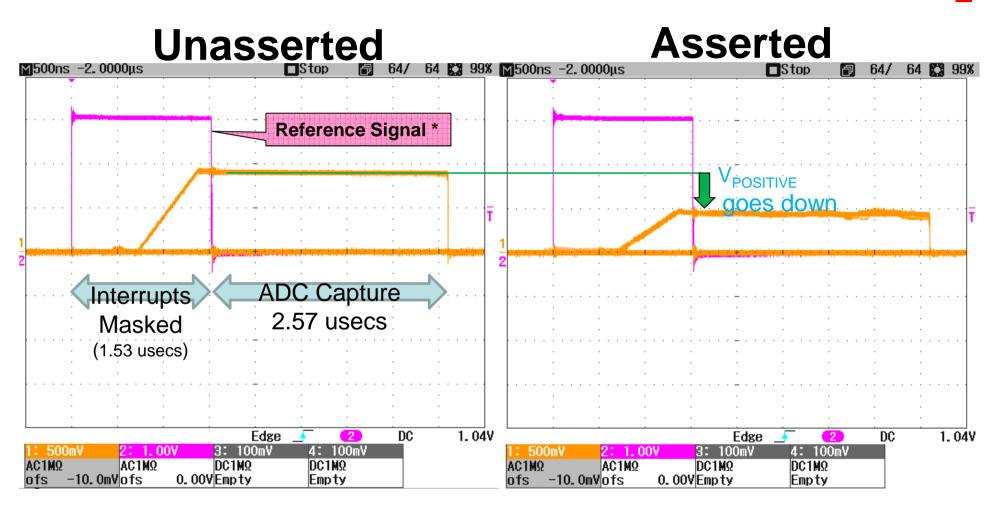


Benchtop Setup for CTMU Measurements





Example CTMU Measurements



^{*} Reference Signal: Interrupt masking, from asm("di") to asm("ei")



Perf. Metric: Interrupt Masking Duration

- All these examples were taken using the Direct Key daughter card, but with different CVD/CTMU Evaluation Boards
- Each application tuned to provide equivalent cap touch performance

Interrupt Masking Durations [usecs]			
Technique	Vpos	Vneg	Vtotal
Diff w/o Pull-Ups	0.58	1	1.58
Diff w Pull-ups	0.55	0.79	1.34
CTMU	1.53	n/a	1.53



Interrupt Masking Duration Workarounds

- What if interrupts won't accommodate these black out periods?
 - Don't use asm("di") and asm("ei") to mask interrupts, set <u>CaptouchMeas</u> flag instead of asm("di"), clear flag instead of asm("ei")
 - ISRs set DumpMeasurement flag if ISR executes when CapTouchMeas is set
 - Timer ISR dumps/ignores cap touch measurement when <u>DumpMeasurement</u> is set, then clears the flag

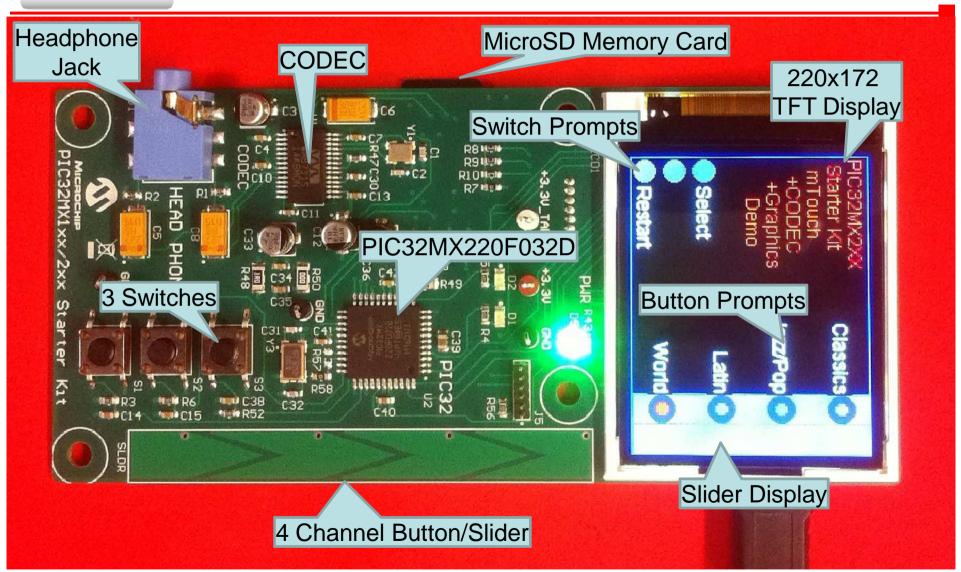


PIC32MX2xx Starter Kit App

- CTMU Cap Touch on 4-channel slider
 - Selects music
 - Selects music volume
- Three switches
- I2S I/F to CODEC
- PMP I/F to 220x172 pixel TFT display
- SPI I/F to microSD music card
- Playback of 44.1 Ksps .WAV files

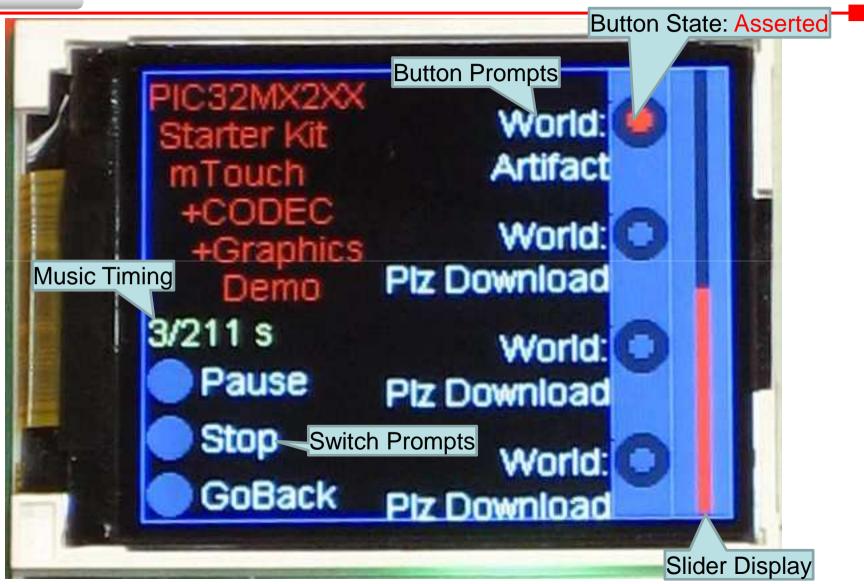


PIC32MX2xx Starter Kit Board



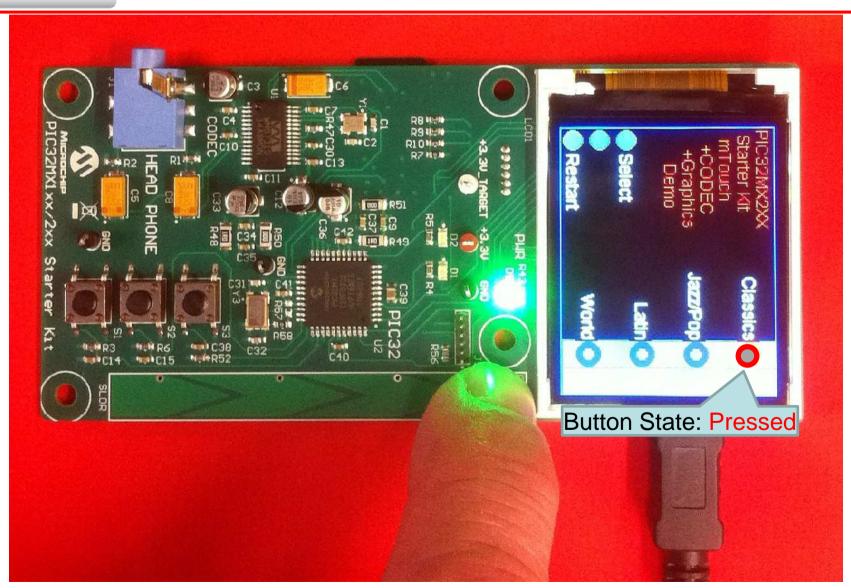


PIC32MX2xx Starter Kit Display



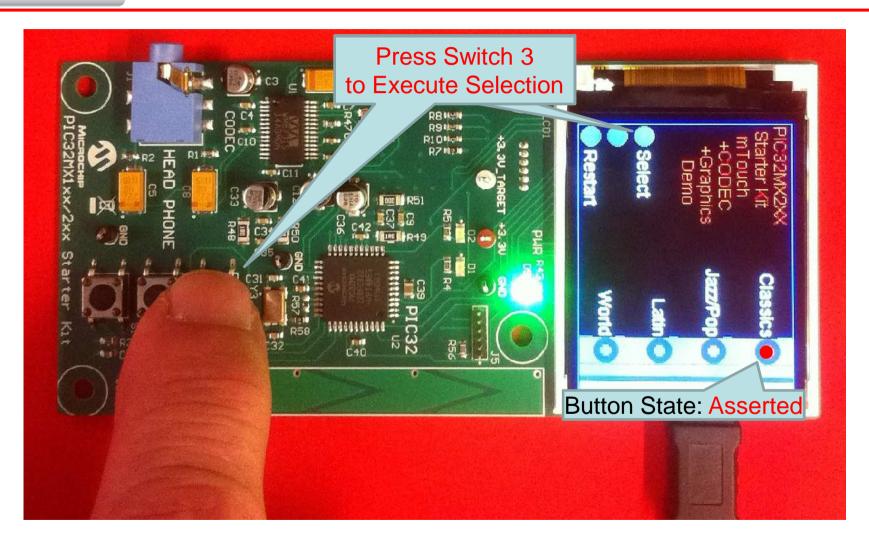


Selecting Music _{1/2}





Selecting Music _{2/2}





Cap Touch Tricks 1/2

 Leave interpretation of button/slider status to the main application, only it knows context of the measurements!

```
while(1)
    // Update switches
   Switch1St8 = UpdateSwitch( 1, CheckSwitch1(), (char *)0 );
   Switch2St8 = UpdateSwitch( 2, CheckSwitch2(), (char *)0 );
   Switch3St8 = UpdateSwitch( 3, CheckSwitch3(), (char *)0 );
   // Update buttons/slider
   if( ApplicationState != STARTUP &&
       mTouchCapStatus Check( &CurrentButtonStatus, &CurrentButtonAsserts, &Temp ) )
       mTouchUpdated = TRUE;
       if ( IgnoreSlider != TRUE )
           SliderValue = Temp;
           UpdateSlider( SliderValue );
        if ( IgnoreButtons != TRUE )
           UpdateButton( 1,(CurrentButtonStatus >> 0)&0x1,(CurrentButtonAsserts >> 0)&0x1,(char *)0);
           UpdateButton( 2,(CurrentButtonStatus >> 1)&0x1,(CurrentButtonAsserts >> 1)&0x1,(char *)0);
           UpdateButton( 3,(CurrentButtonStatus >> 2)&0x1,(CurrentButtonAsserts >> 2)&0x1,(char *)0);
           UpdateButton( 4,(CurrentButtonStatus >> 3)&0x1,(CurrentButtonAsserts >> 3)&0x1,(char *)0);
   }//end if( mTouchCheckStatus...
   switch( ApplicationState )
```



Cap Touch Tricks 2/2

 Only update screen after completion of button scan to prevent crosstalk between PMP screen pins and button inputs

```
case FILE PLAYING SETUP:
   if ( mTouchUpdated == TRUE ) // Only update display when mTouch
                                 // has been updated and isn't running.
        UpdateSwitch(3,-1, "Pause");
       UpdateSwitch(2,-1, "Stop" );
        UpdateSwitch(1,-1, "GoBack");
        IgnoreButtons = TRUE;
        IgnoreSlider = FALSE;
       mTouchCapStatus Reset(128);
       UpdateSlider(128);
       ApplicationState = FILE_PLAYING;
   else // mTouch is still running don't do anything
       ApplicationState = FILE PLAYING SETUP;
   break;
case FILE PLAYING:
   PMADDRSET = 1<<10; // Turn on LED
   WM8731Codec MusicOn(TRUE); // Start playing
```