





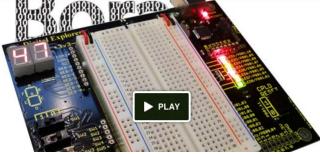


## AKA: REAL Hardware Hacking





# Hey Emacs, this is a -\*- makefile -\*-



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seconds to go



Project by

340

\$33,618

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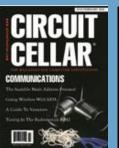
Eric Gnoske Colorado Springs,

Design a FIR Filter in an FPGA in 30 mins using High Level Synthesis



I've been working with Xilinx's new High Level Synthesis tools built into Vivado. I'm slowly working on posting some more complete tutorials. In the mean-time here is a simple tutorial about making a Finite Impulse Response Filter on a real ADC/DAC board .

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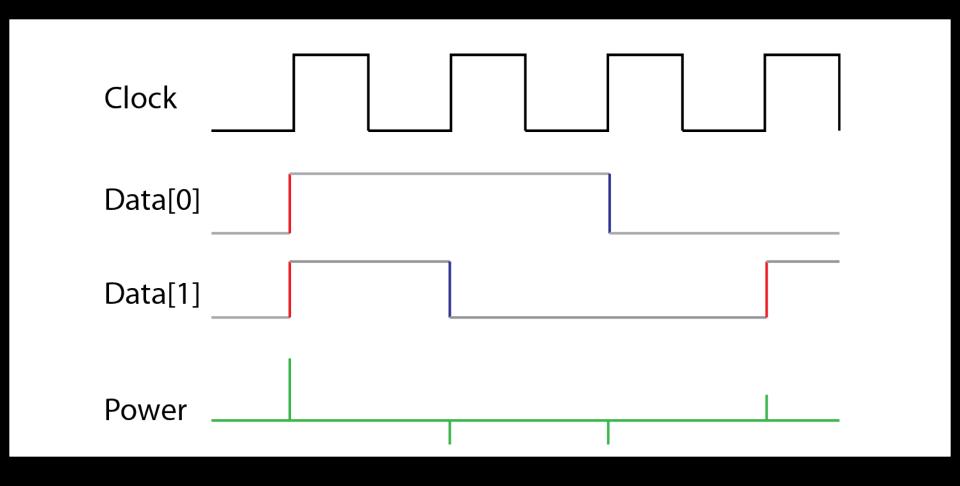
### **60-Second Version**

CryptoPro 9000



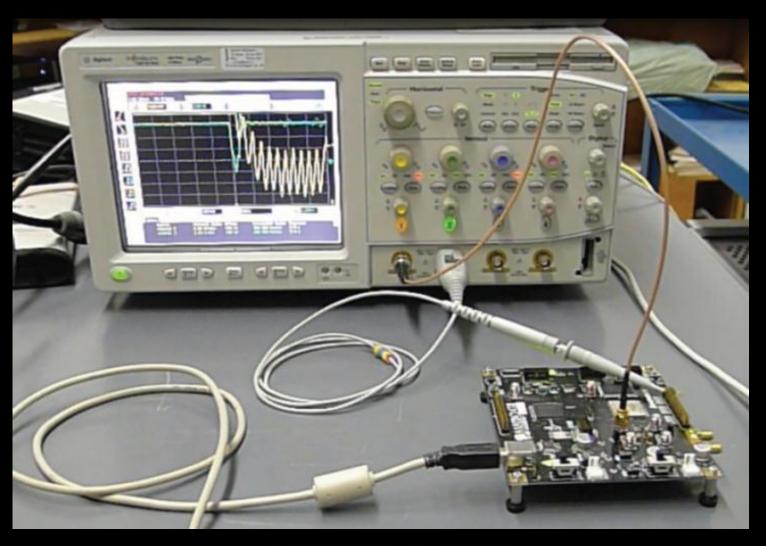






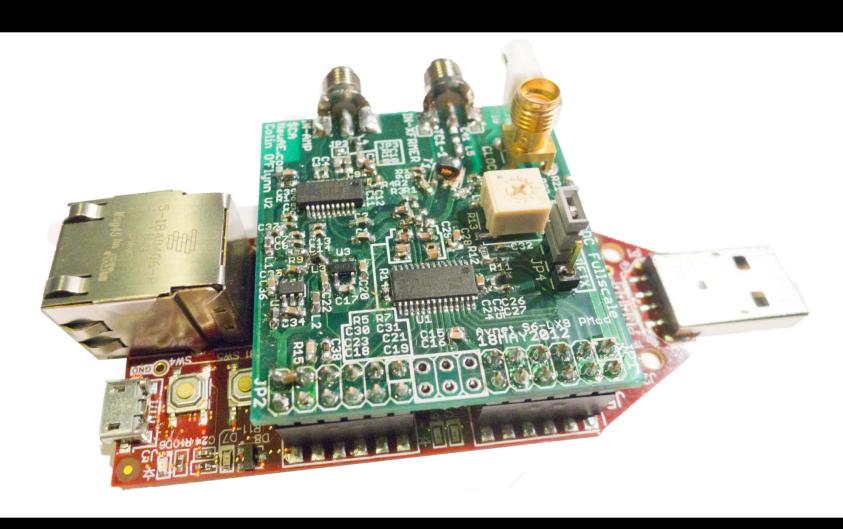
















- You WILL have to learn how the attacks work, understand the (fairly small) amount of math
- You WILL have to learn about hardware design, software programming of both target & software, etc
- You WILL get frustrated, run into bugs with my tools, and have to fix/debug them yourself



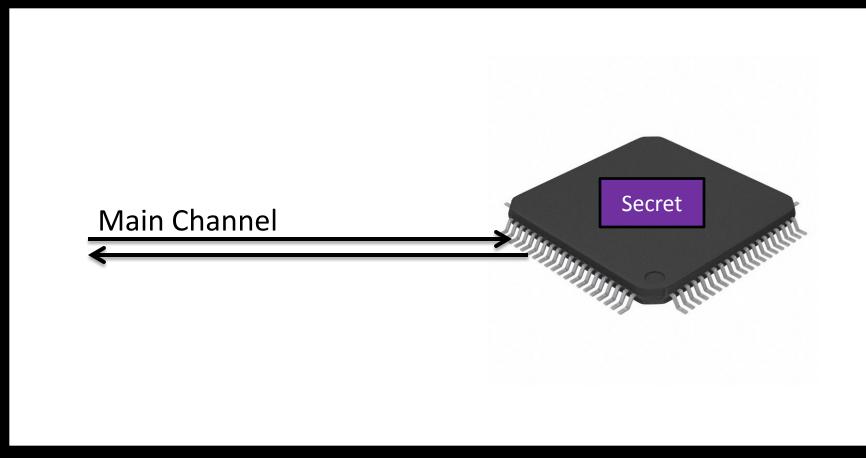


## THE SIDE CHANNEL



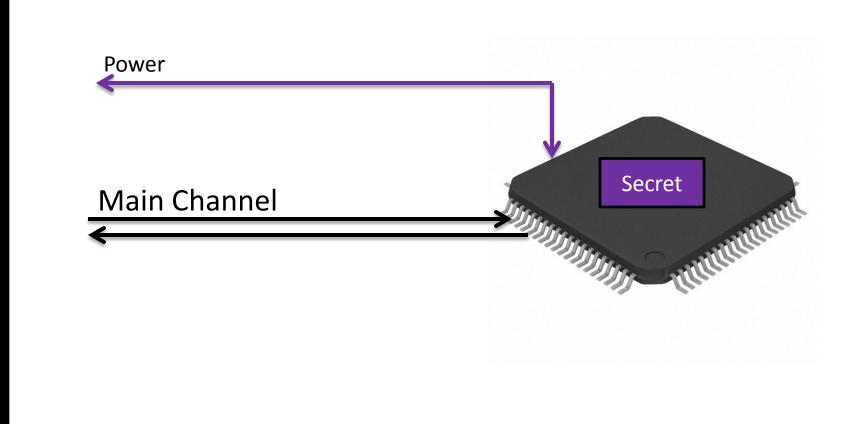












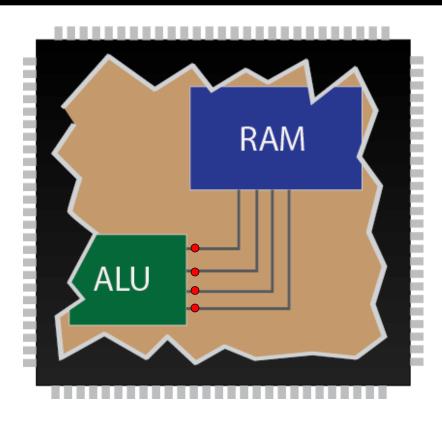




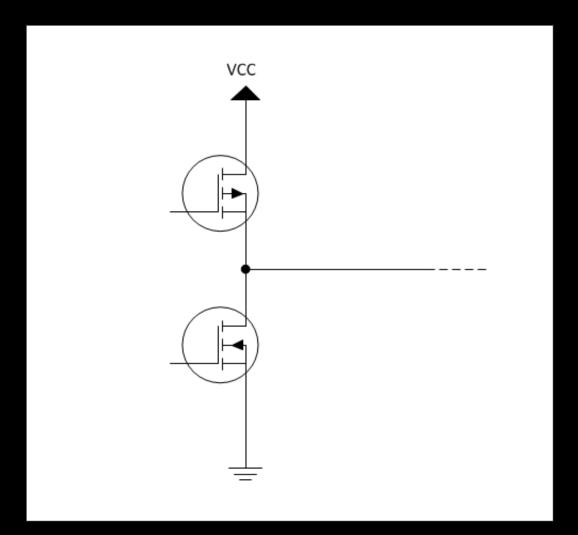
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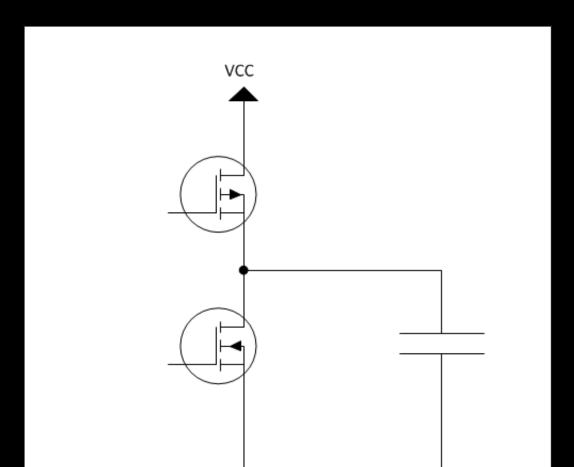








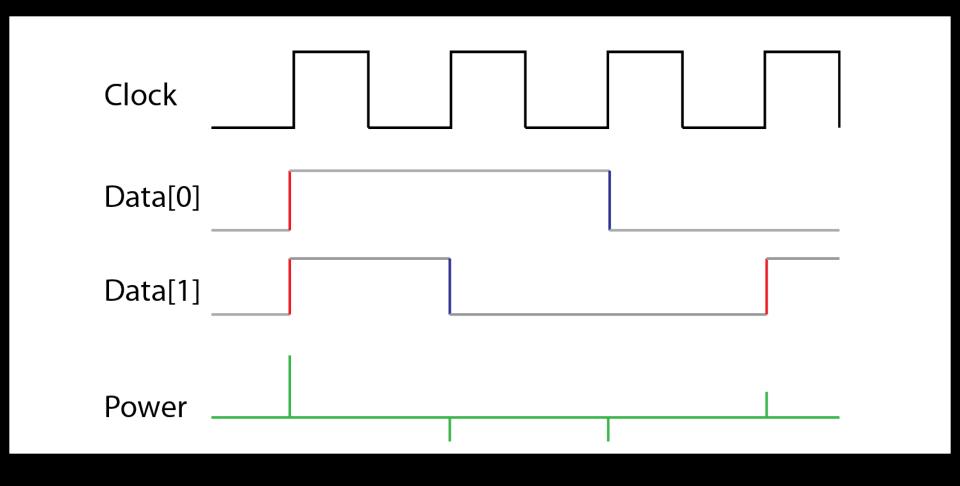














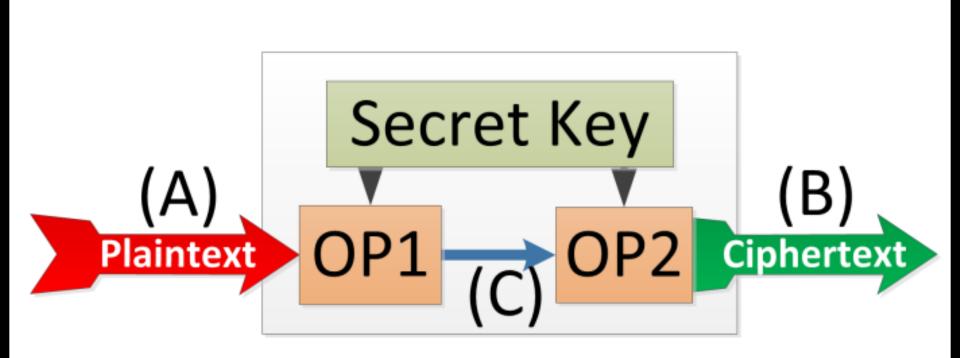


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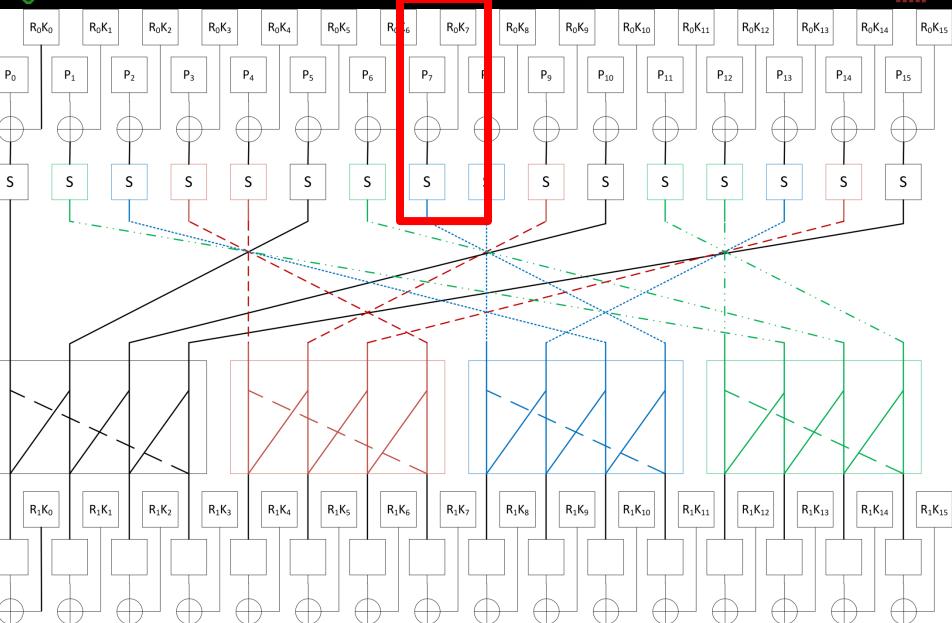
2. Hamming Weight



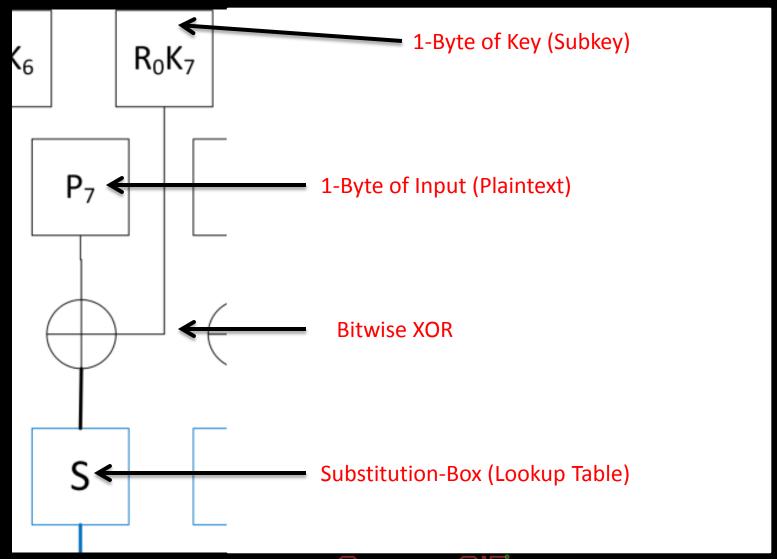
### Side Channel.



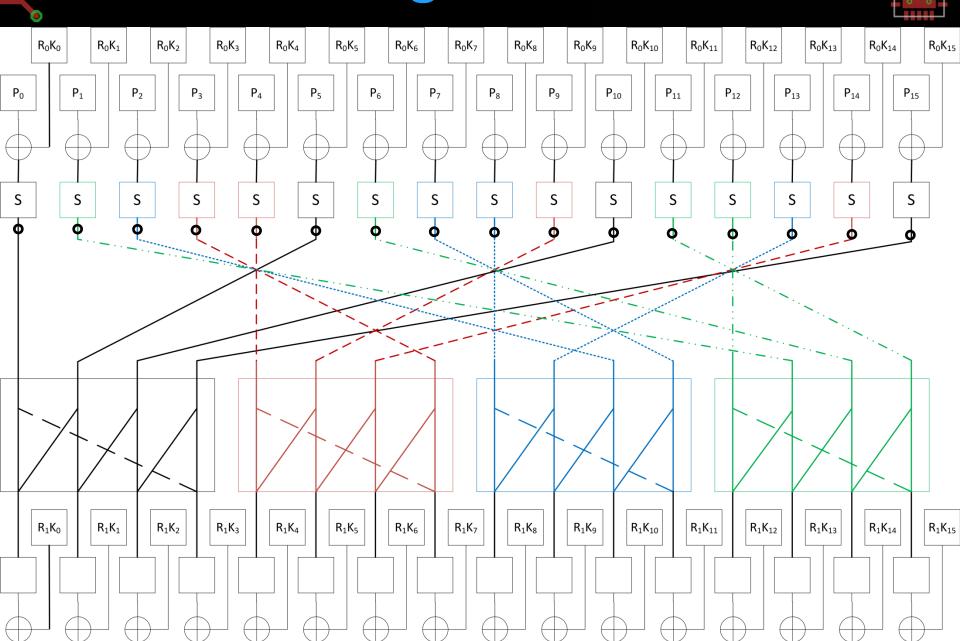
# Looking at AES-128





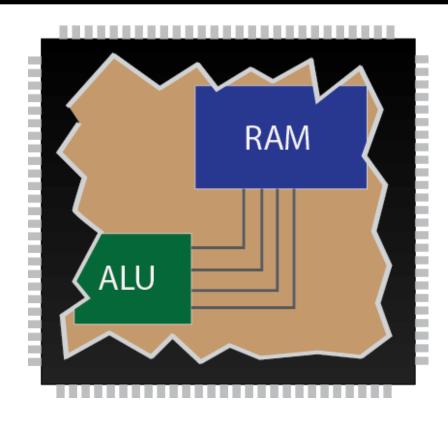


## **Looking at AES-128**





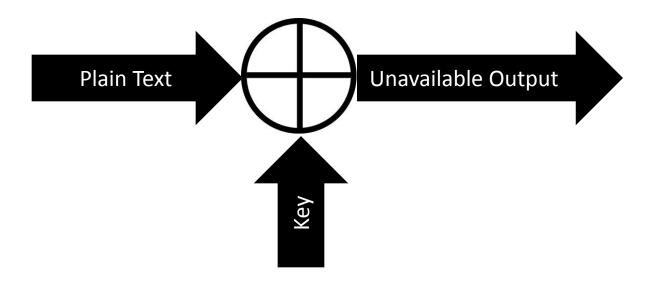
## Simple 4-Bit Example













Input Plaintext	Hyp. Key	Hyp Result	Hyp HW
0100 (4)	0010 (2)	0110 (6)	2
0111 (7)	0010 (2)	0101 (5)	2
0010 (2)	0010 (2)	0000 (0)	0
0001 (1)	0010 (2)	0011 (3)	2
0000 (0)	0010 (2)	0010 (2)	1
0110 (6)	0010 (2)	0100 (4)	1
0101 (5)	0010 (2)	0111 (7)	3





- 'Attacking' XOR not ideal
- In real systems attack non-linear functions:
  - S-Box (original & most common)
  - MixCols (e.g. xtime() )





- 1. Input many plaintexts & measure power
- 2. For keyguess = 0,1,2,3,....,254,255:
  - 1. Based on known plaintext calculate S-Box output for each trace
  - 2. Use 'power model' to predict what power trace should look like
  - 3. Measure correlation between model & measured over all traces
- 3. Keyguess resulting in highest correlation is probably correct



## **Correlation Power Analysis**

In Sections 3.2.2 and 3.2.3 we found that the matched filter provides the maximum signal-to-noise ratio at the filter output at time t = T. We described a correlator as one realization of a matched filter. We can define a *correlation receiver* comprised of M correlators, as shown in Figure 4.7a, that transforms a received waveform, r(t), to a sequence of M numbers or correlator outputs,  $z_i(T)$  (i = 1, ..., M). Each correlator output is characterized by the following product integration or correlation with the received signal:

$$z_i(T) = \int_0^T r(t)s_i(t) dt \qquad i = 1, ..., M$$
 (4.15)

The verb "to correlate" means "to match." The correlators attempt to match the incoming received signal, r(t), with each of the candidate prototype waveforms,  $s_i(t)$ , known a priori to the receiver. A reasonable decision rule is to choose the waveform,  $s_i(t)$ , that matches best or has the largest correlation with r(t). In other words, the decision rule is

Choose the 
$$s_i(t)$$
 whose index corresponds to the max  $z_i(T)$  (4.16)

#### e.g. From "Digital Communications" by Bernard Sklar







# CHIP WHISPERER



#### www.ChipWhisperer.com

- GIT Repository for tools shown here
- GIT Repository for hardware designs
- Mailing List for discussion
- Wiki for Documentation





#### **ChipWhisperer-Capture**

- Capture tools, interfaces to OpenADC + target boards
- Records traces

#### ChipWhisperer-Analyzer

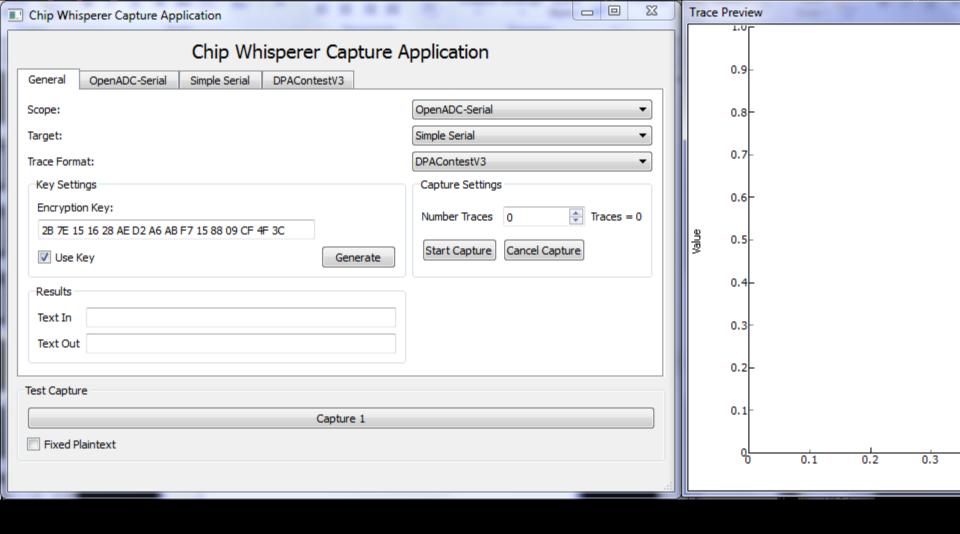
Applies attacks to power traces



All tools Open Source (GPL License)

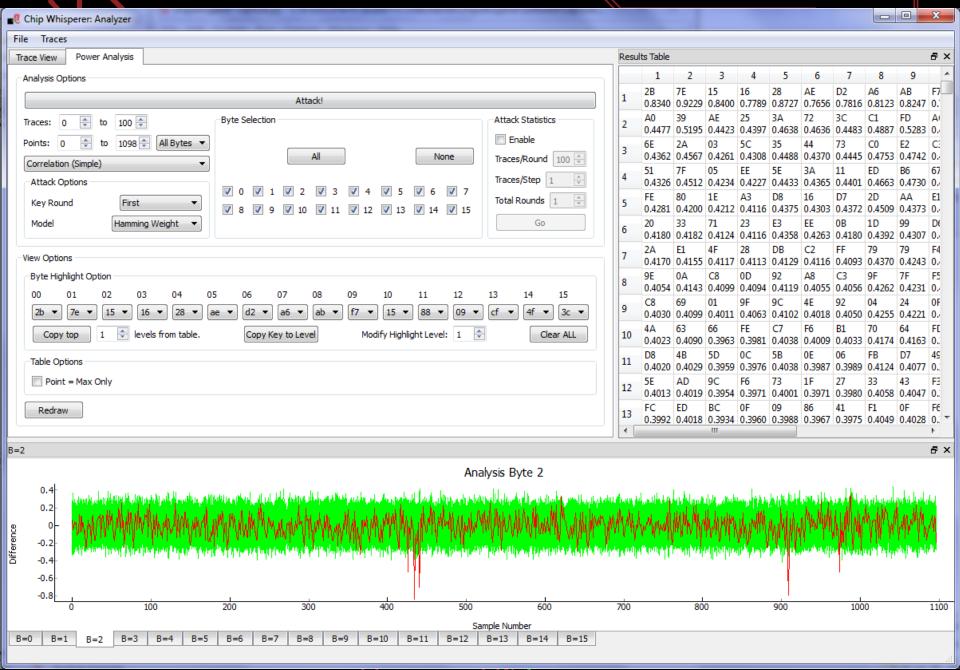
Written in Python using PySide for GUI

 Uses trace file format from DPA Contest V3, which publishes some example captures, along with special project file format



- Runs on Windows/Linux/Mac
- Supports multiple different targets
- Dockable preview window (to right) shows power as measurements occurring



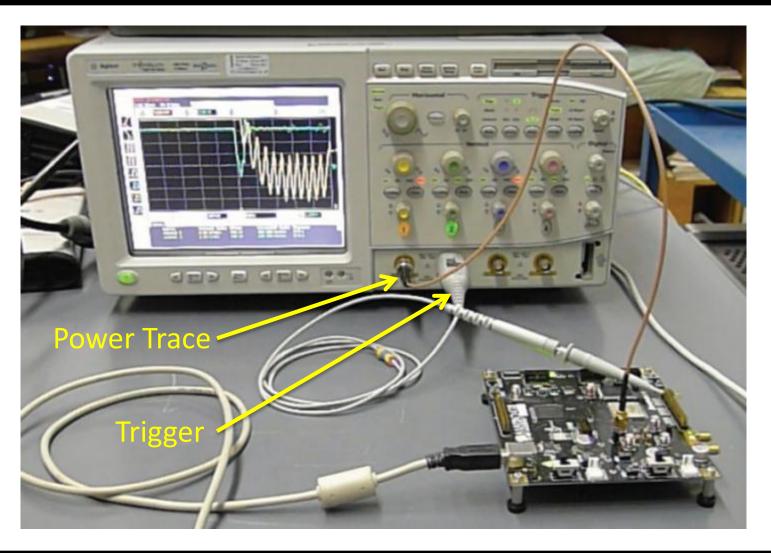




# Waveform Acquisition & Low-Cost Alternatives



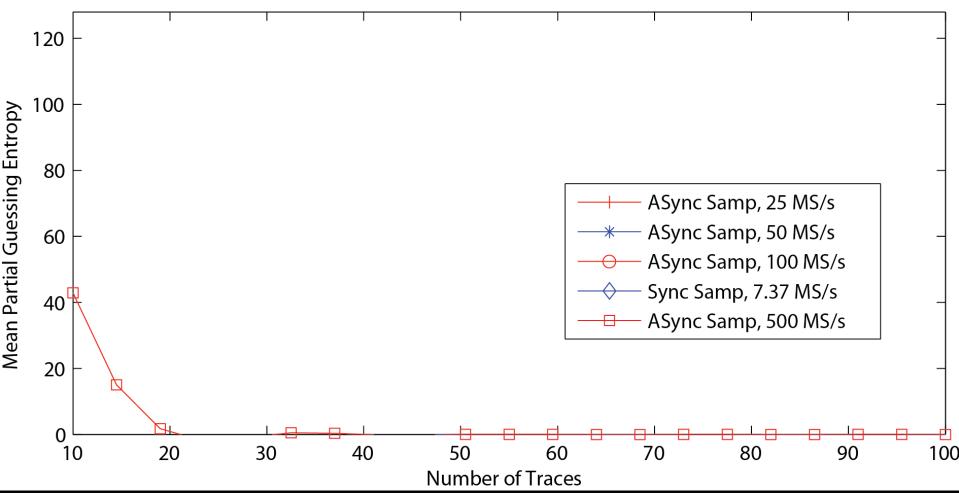
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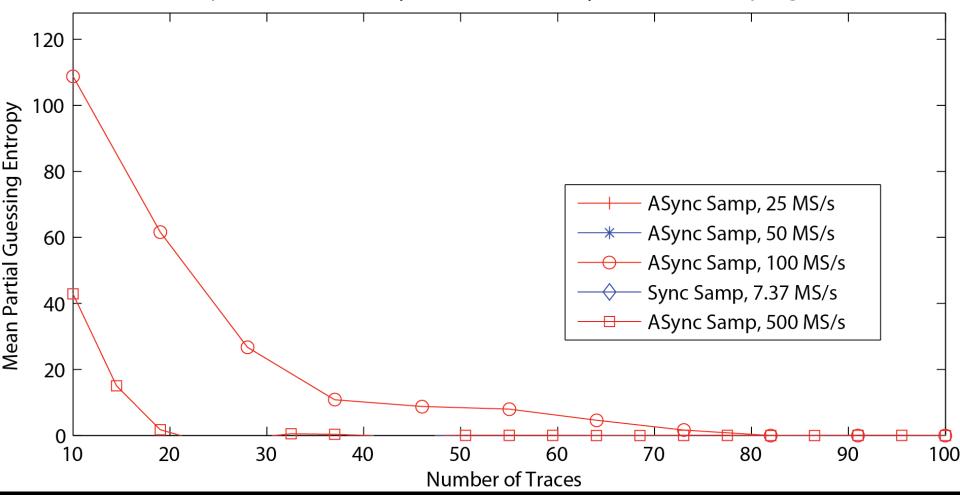


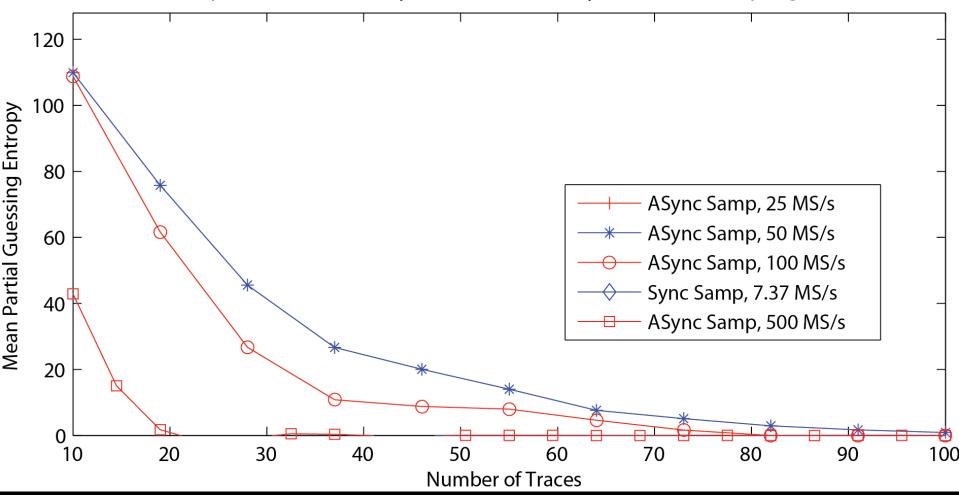


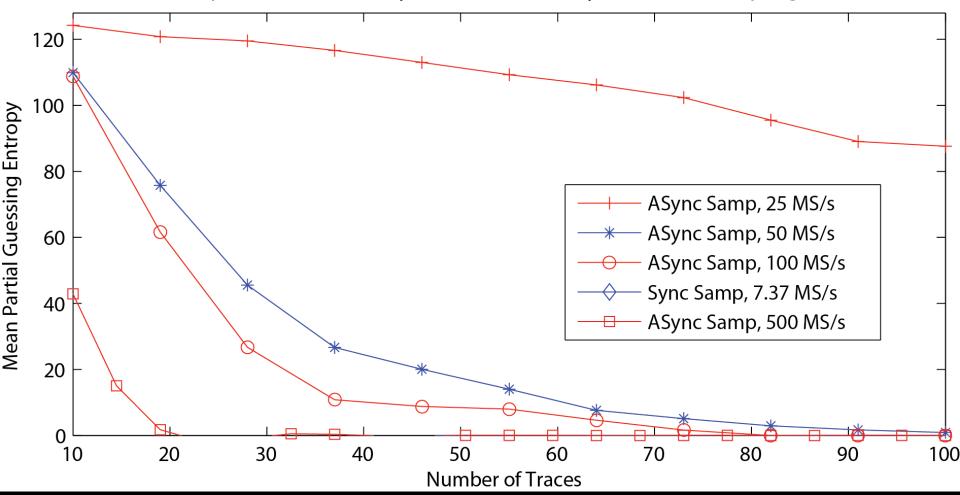
Author	Work	Year	Scope	Cost (Used, 2013)
Dario Carluccio	Electromagnetic Side Channel Analysis Embedded Crypto Devices	2005	Infiniium 5432D MSO	\$8000
Youssef Souissi et al.	Embedded systems security: An evaluation methodology against Side Channel Attacks	2011	Infiniium 54855	\$20 000
Dakshi Agrawal et al.	The EM Side–Channel(s)	2003	100 MHz, 12 bit	\$1000
F.X. Standaert et al.	Using subspace-based template attacks to compare and combine power and electromagnetic information leakages	2008	1 GHz bandwidth	\$7500



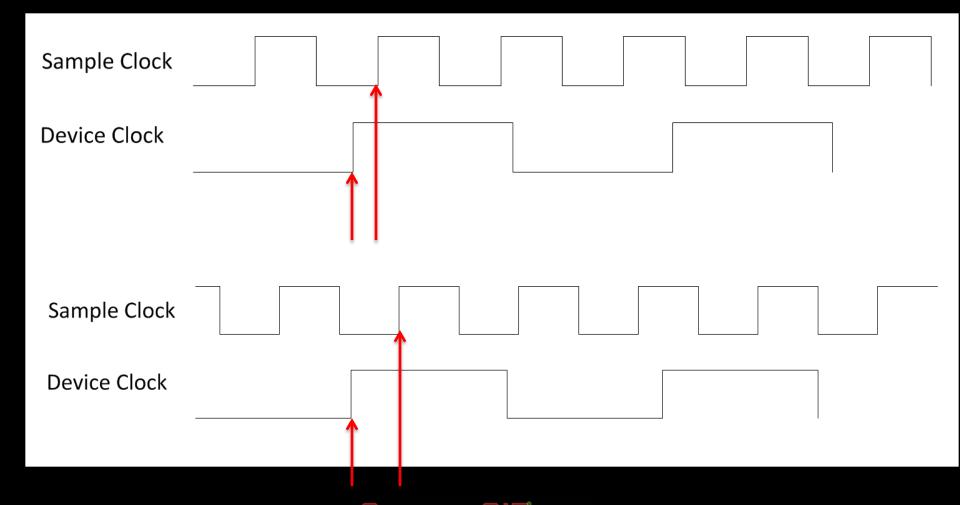






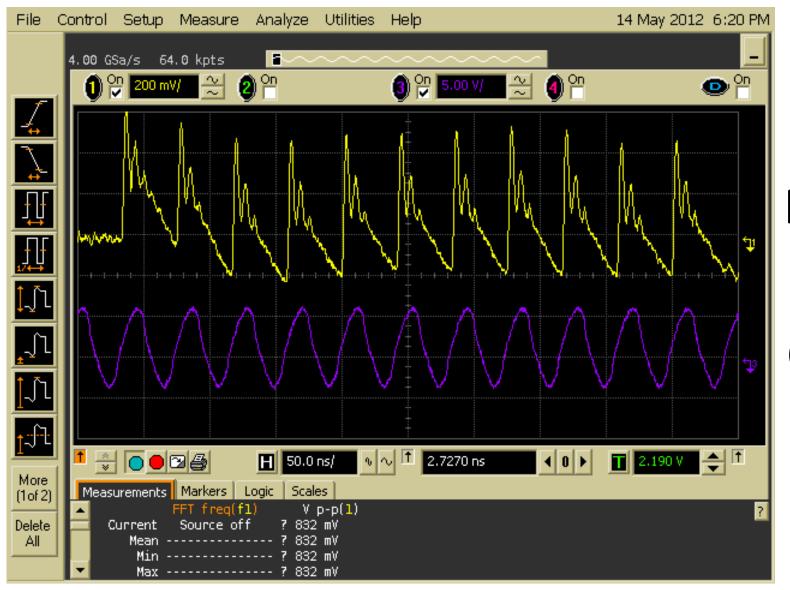






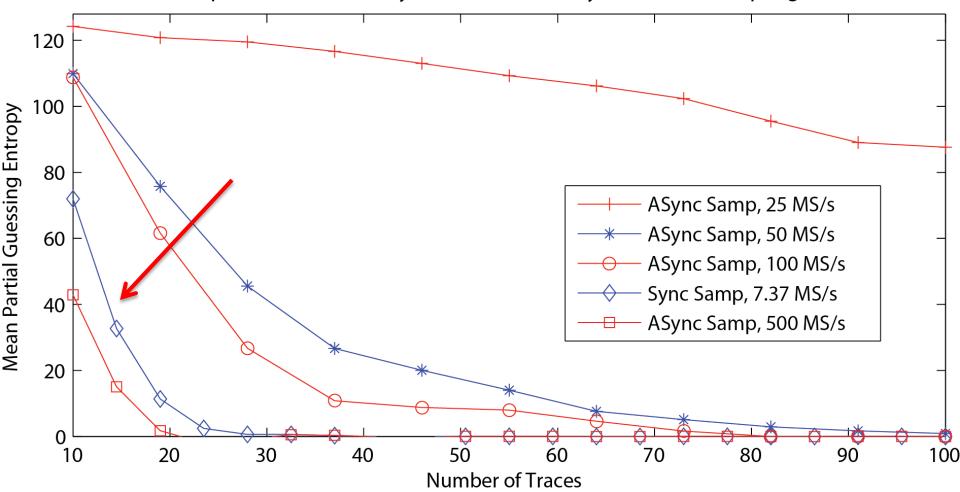


#### Can We Do Better?



Power

Clock



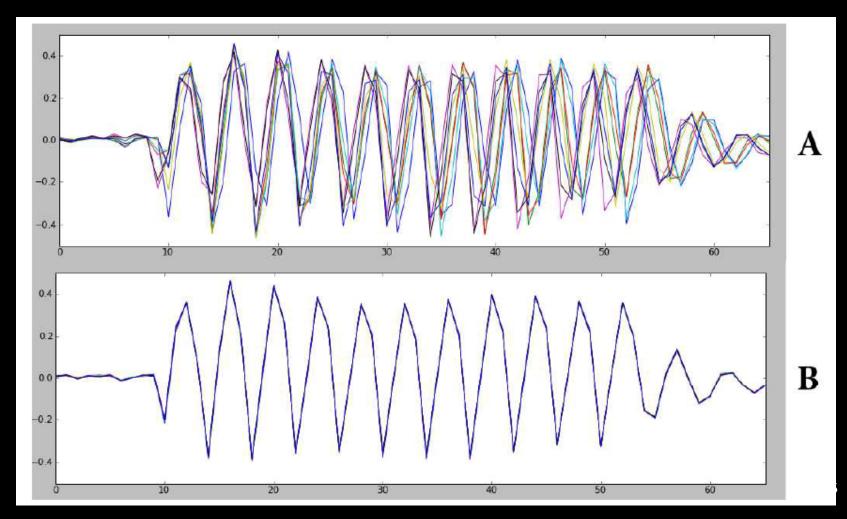




Power

Clock

# Synchronization, Synchronization, Synchronization



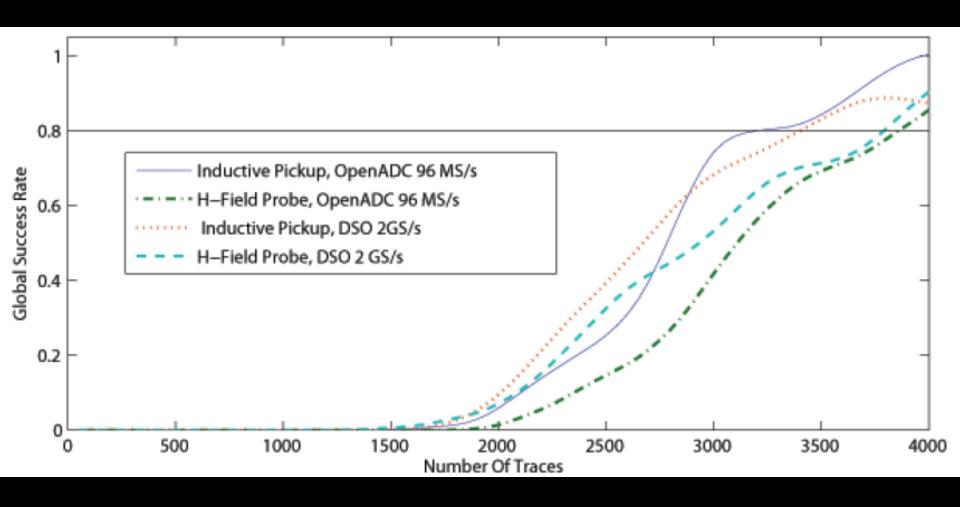
#### Tips for using a Normal Oscilloscope

- Can hack scope to output sampling time-base, run D.U.T. from this clock or derived from this clock
- Some scopes tell you time between trigger & first sample, use this to upsample, shift offset, and downsample traces
  - Agilent calls this 'XOffset' parameter
- Sample at highest possible rate & downsample yourself





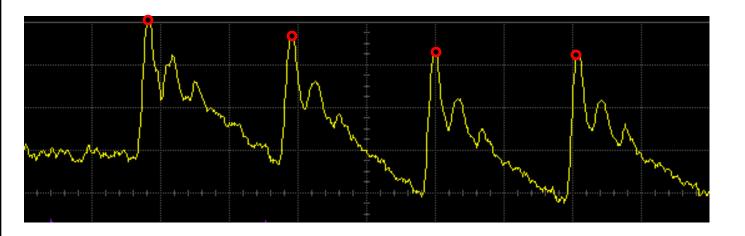


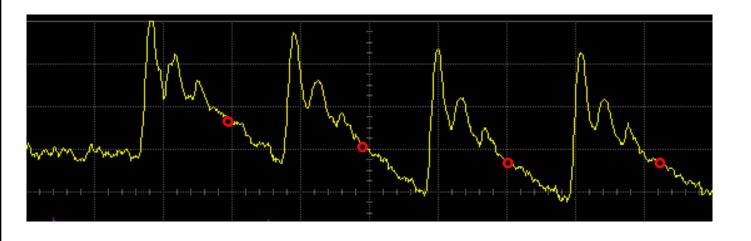




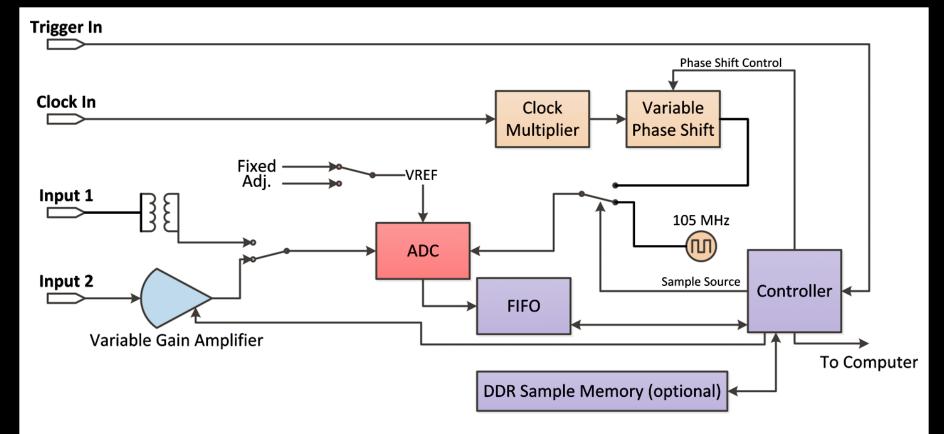










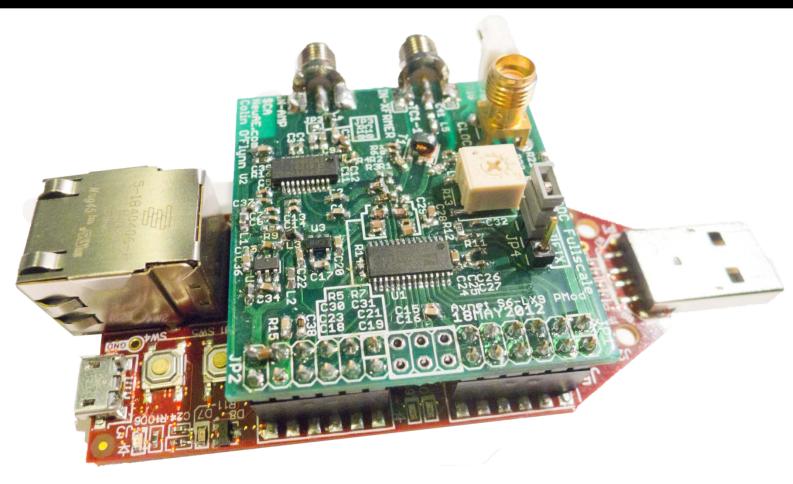


See "A Case Study of Side-Channel Analysis using Decoupling Capacitor Power Measurement with the OpenADC" by Colin O'Flynn & Zhizhang Chen







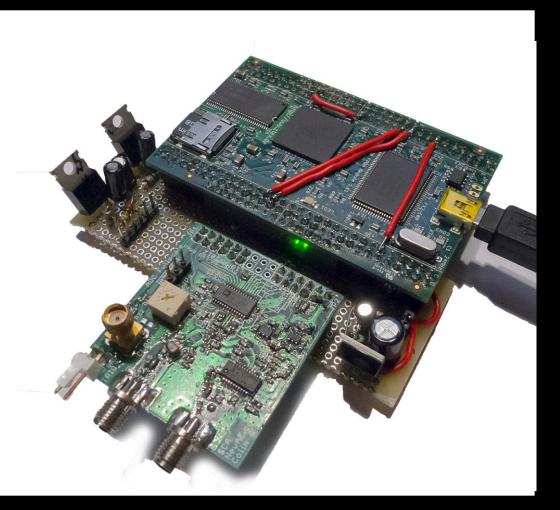






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- ZTEX has Higher
   Speed USB interface
- More options on FPGA size for future development











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## Other FPGA Boards (from Wiki)

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Here is a table of features offered by a few of the boards. Only a few have actually been tested, the untested ones could have issues limiting their usefulness!

Board Name	FPGA	FPGA Size	Ext Mem	USB Speed	Cost (USD)	Extra I/O Pins	Tested	Country	Notes
Avnet LX9 Microboard	Spartan 6 LX9	Medium	Yes - 64MB	Slow (USB-Serial only)	\$89	No	Yes	USA	Original board used for OpenADC
Digilent Inc Nexsys 3	Spartan 6 LX16	Medium	Yes - 16MB	High Speed	\$199 (\$119 academic)	Yes	NO	USA	OpenADC fits directly in
Digilent Inc Nexsys 2		Small		High Speed		Yes	NO	USA	OpenADC fits directly in
SASEBO-W	Spartan 6 LX150	Huge	No	Very High Speed (FT2232H 60MB/s)	\$1600	Yes	Yes	Japan	Includes smartcard reader, shunts, used in DPA Contest V4
DLP-HS-FPGA	Spartan 3S200A	Small	Yes - 32MB	High Speed (FT2232H, 20 MB/s)	\$150	Yes (not many)	Yes	USA	Available from Digikey/Mouse
SIOI LX9 Board	Spartan 6 LX9	Medium	Yes - 32MB	None/Slow - Serial Only (can add external)	\$63	Yes	NO	Australia	Currently no distributors, shipping cost high to North America. PCB edge connector required to interface
ZTEX	Spartan 6 LX9/LX25	Medium/Large	Yes - 64MB	Very High Speed (FX2)	\$130/\$200	Yes (enough for 3+ OpenADCs)	Yes	Germany	Available in LX9-LX150 versions, needs power supply board in addition to FPGA board
Papilio Butterfly One	XC3S200E/XC3S500E	Small/Medium	No	Slow (USB-Serial only)	\$50/\$80	Yes	NO	USA?	
Xess	Spartan 6 LX25	Medium	Yes - 32MB	Medium (USB Full Speed)	\$120	Yes (not many)	NO	USA	Open source design



#### **Synchronous Sampling Scope**





#### e.g.:

- CleverScope with CS810 Option
- PicoScope PS6000
- Almost any high-speed analog FPGA/ADC Board







### Your First Attack







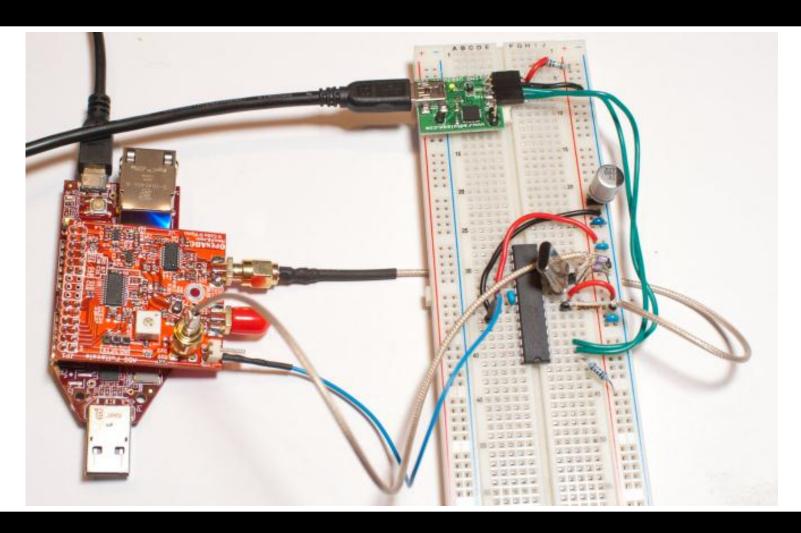


#### So What do you Do?



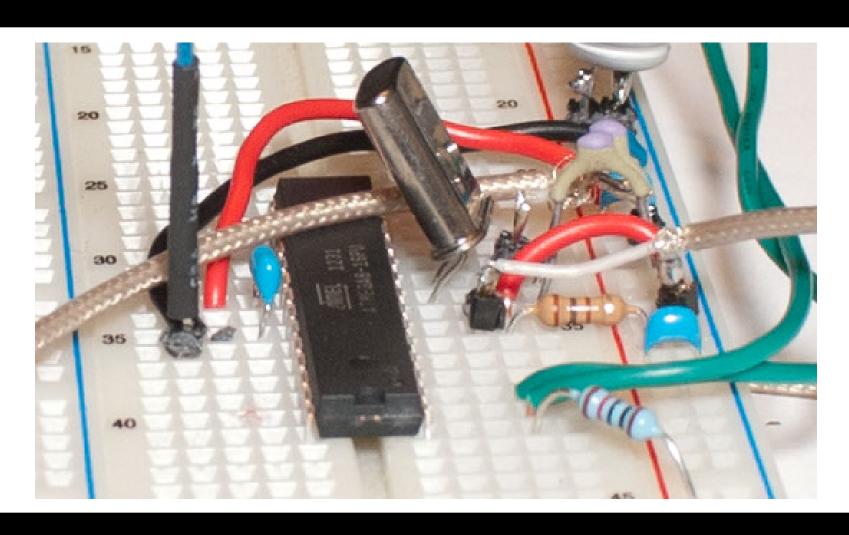






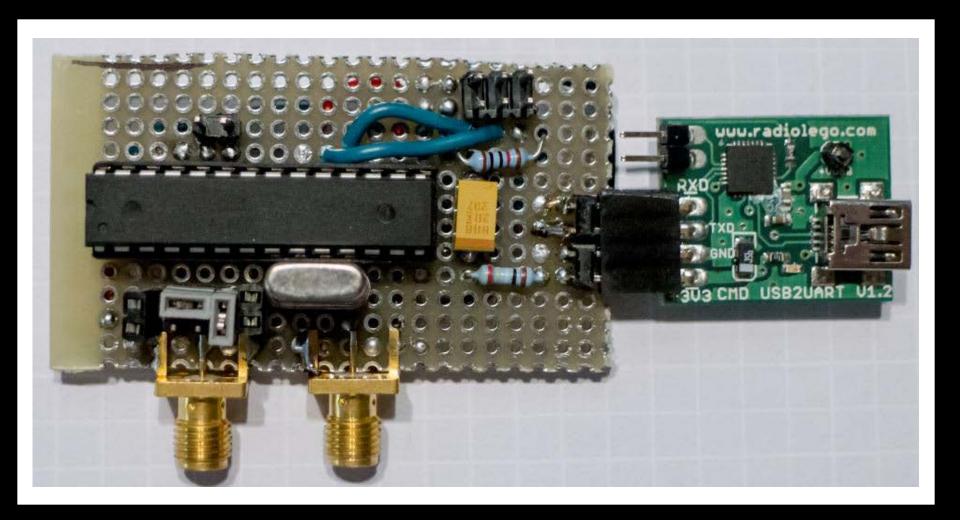






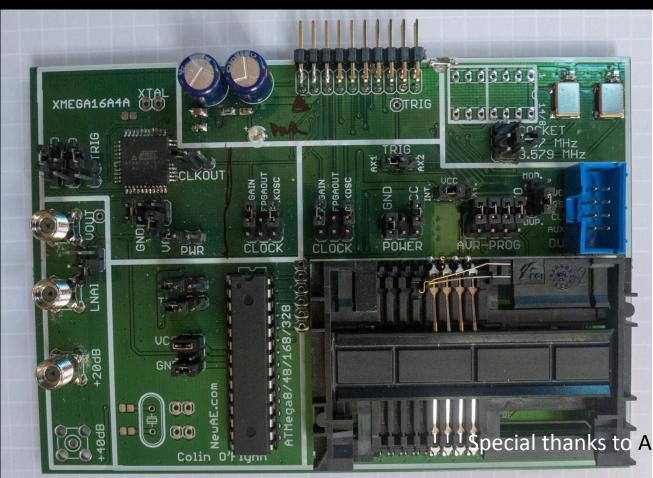


#### **A PCB Version**











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- AtMega8 / AtMega48
- 7.37 MHz Crystal
- 22pF Capacitors
- 100 ohm resistors
- 220uF (or bigger) capacitor
- 1uF Ceramic Capacitor
- 0.1uF Ceramic Capacitor

- Cables/Connectors
- Breadboard
- Capture HW
- Serial-USB Adapter
- Power?
- AVR Programmer





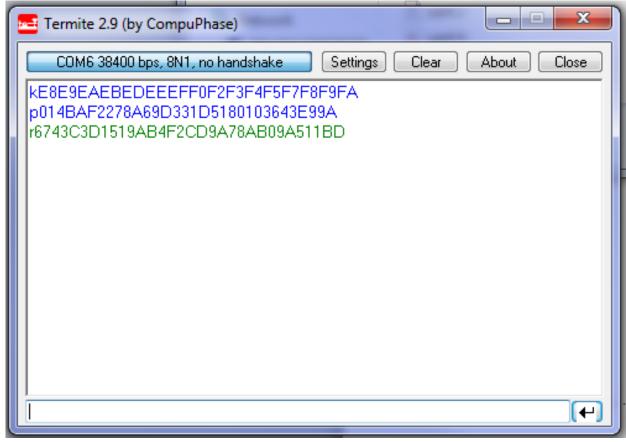
- Ideally Get ATMega8-16PU
  - AtMega48A also works, note 'A' suffix means a smaller geometry used in Production = smaller power signature
- Crystal not 100% needed but makes life easier
- Example here uses Colorado Micro Devices USB2UART, many other manufactures of USB/Serial Cables
- Need Capture HW too OpenADC used here, can use general purpose scope (Tiepie suggested as Differential versions, Picoscope popular too)





- See schematic in ref material
- Insert resistor in power line
- Need AVR programmer. Can use:
  - AVR-ISP MK-II
  - Arduino setup as programmer
  - Lots of other cheap AVR programmers (see EBay)

#### Step 2: Continued (Testing)

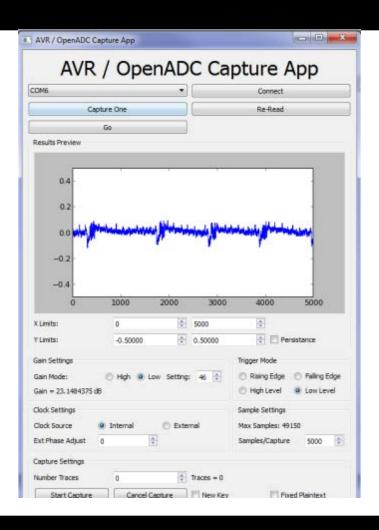


Use serial port to confirm working



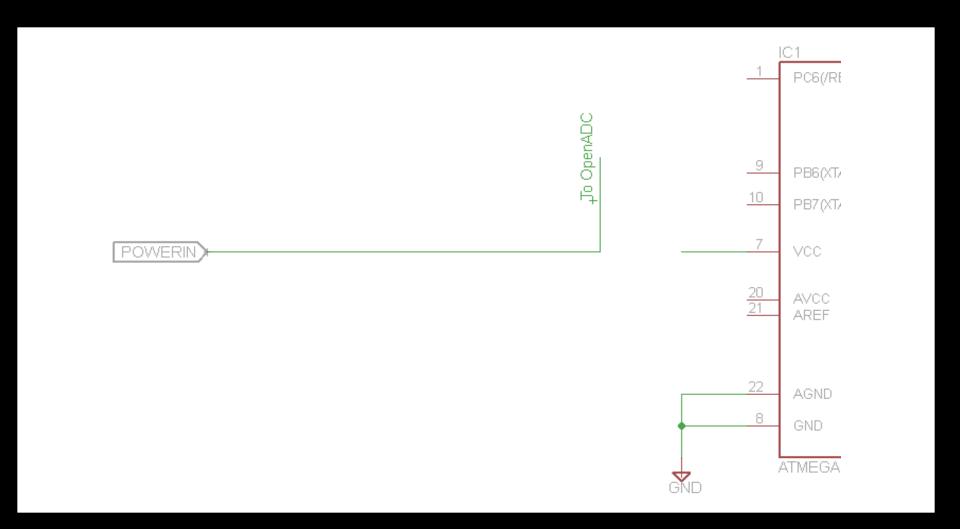






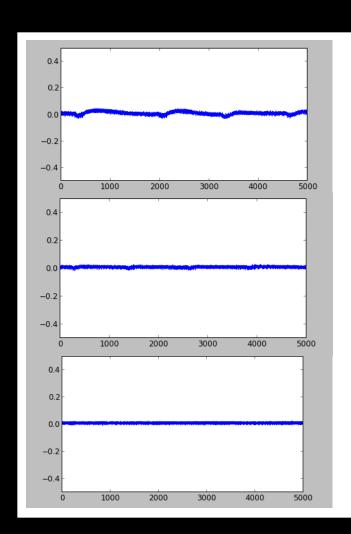
 Probe connected to VCC rail, not across shunt

#### Step 3: Characterize







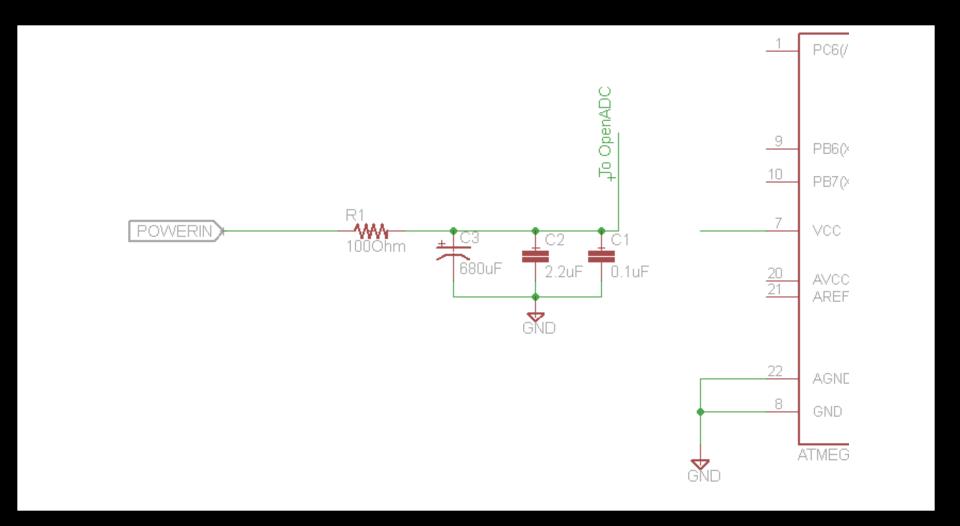


2.2uF Ceramic Capacitor

+680uF Electrolyctic

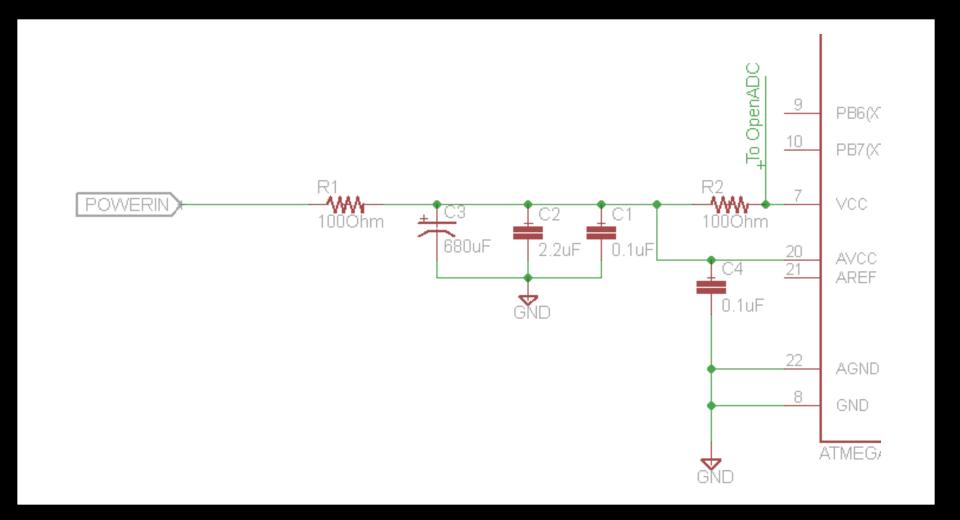
+100 ohm series resistor

#### **Step 3: Characterize**





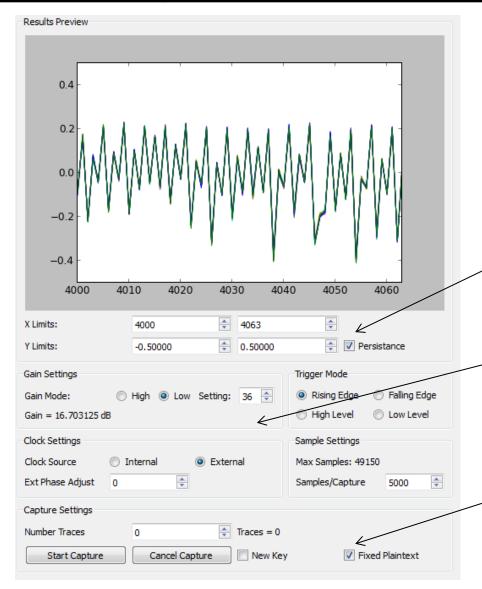






#### Step 3: Characterization Cont'd





Persistence Mode in Scope

Adjust gain, trigger, etc to get reliable signal

**Fixed Plaintext** 

# **Step 4: Acquire**



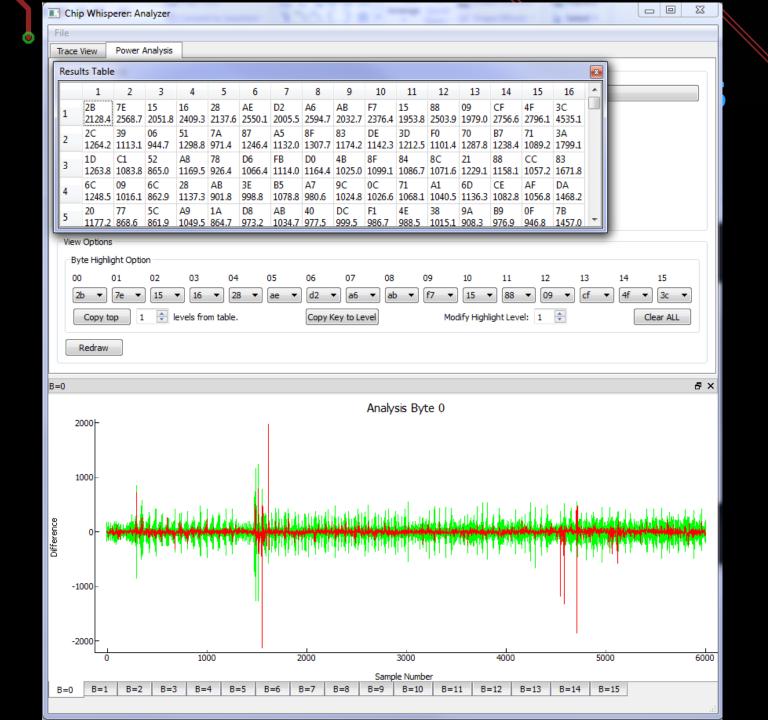
- Use AESExplorer 'Capture' application, written in Python with PySide
  - Included on Blackhat CD
- Capture ~2500 traces, 6000 samples/capture





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	text_in.txt			08/11/2012 3:52 PM	TXT File	
	text_out.txt			08/11/2012 3:52 PM	TXT File	
	wave.txt			08/11/2012 3:52 PM	TXT File	

text\_in.txt & wave.txt are the needed files



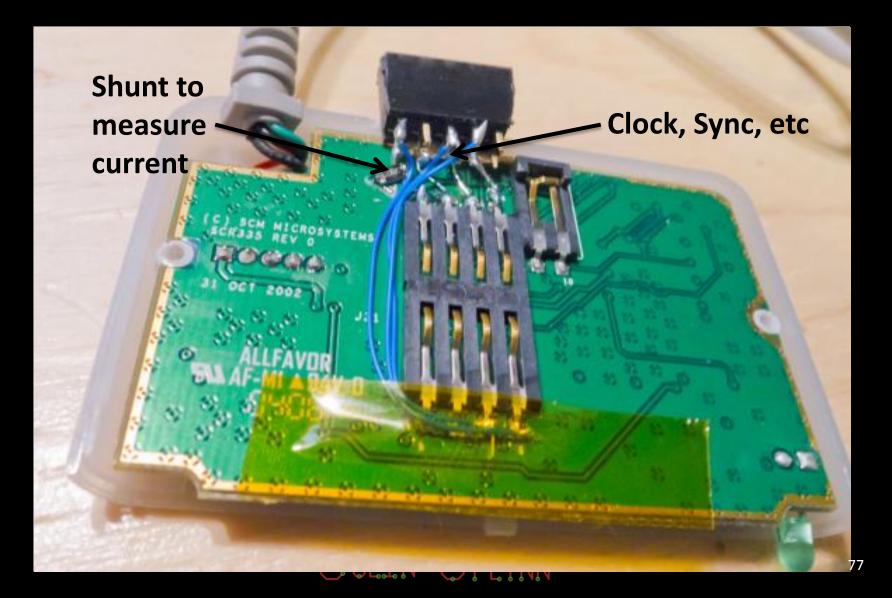


# **SMARTCARD STUFF**





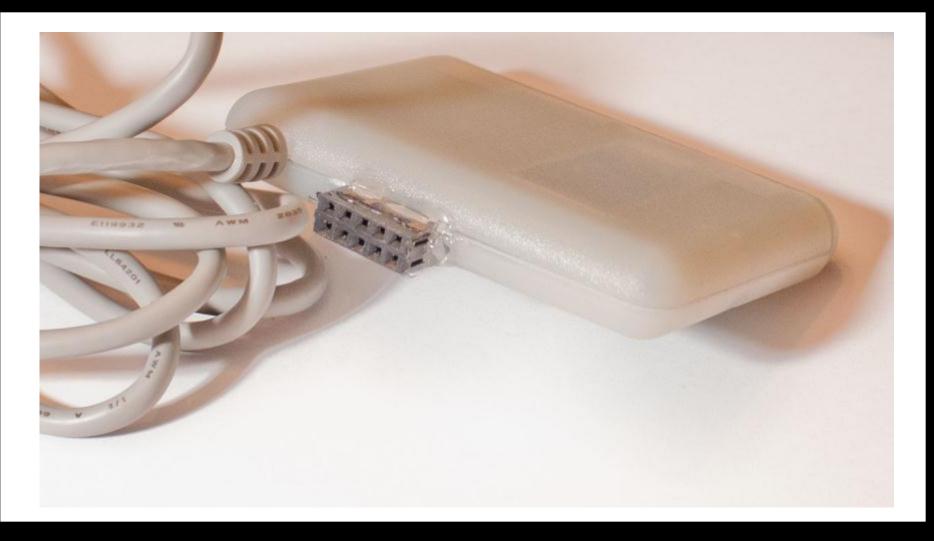






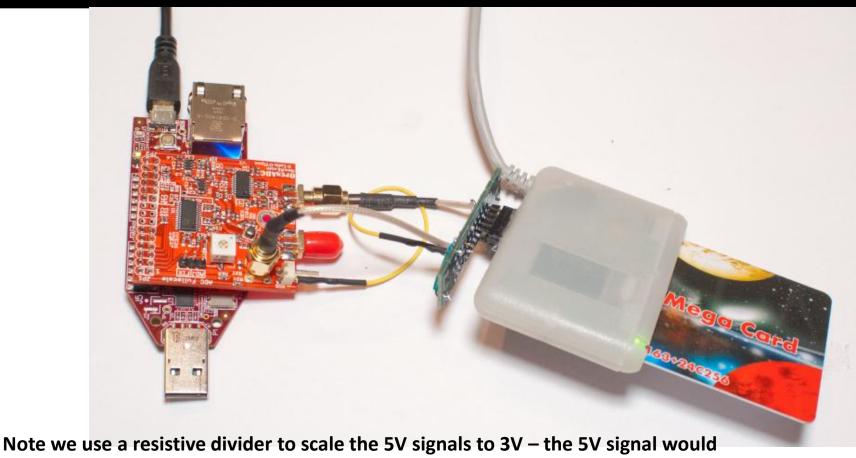










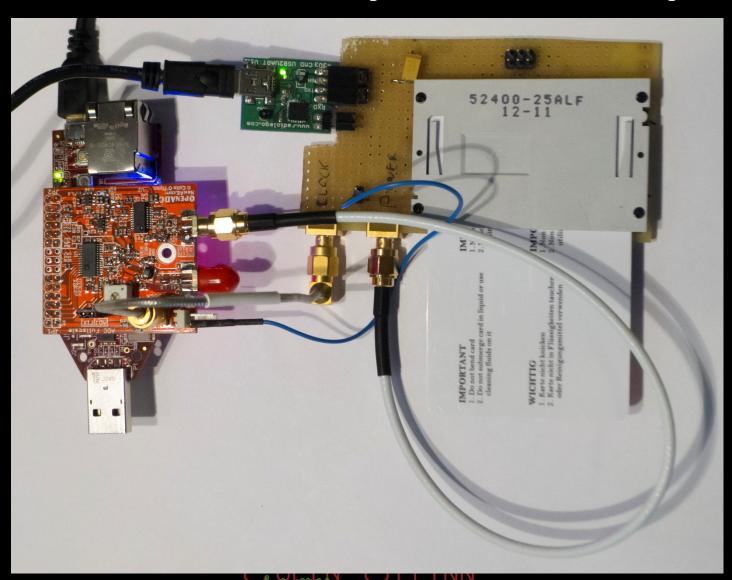


Note we use a resistive divider to scale the 5V signals to 3V – the 5V signal would immediately destroy the FPGA board!



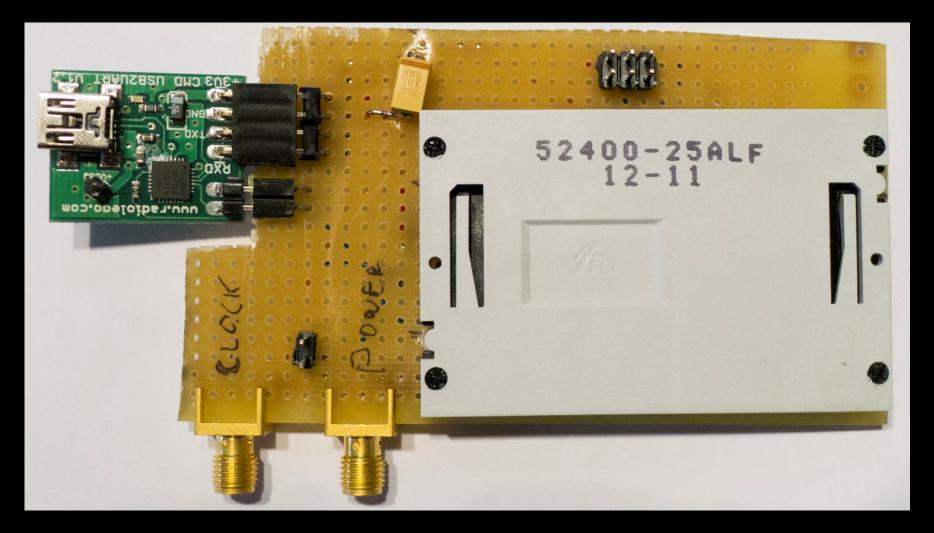


# **SmartCard Capture - Cheap**





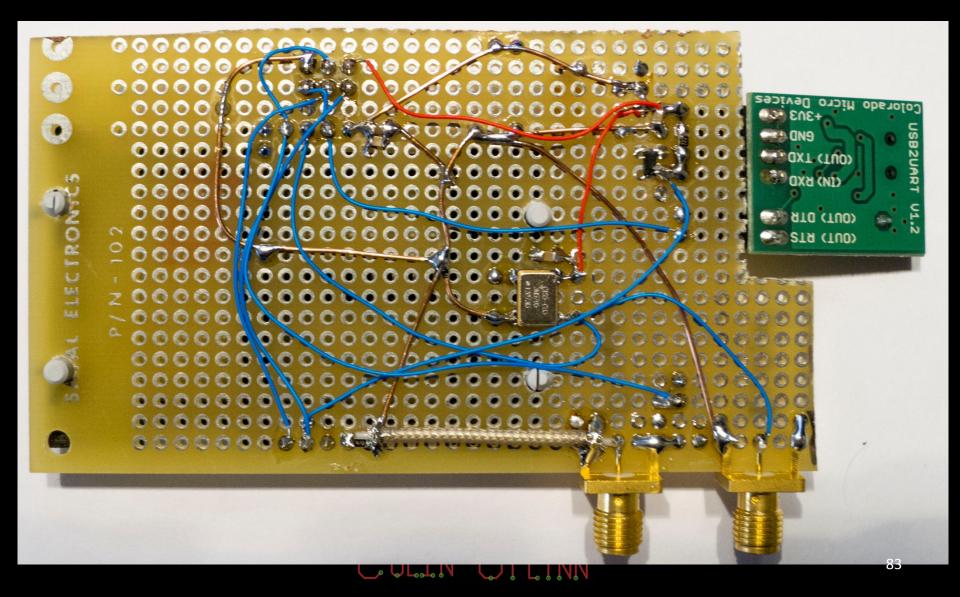
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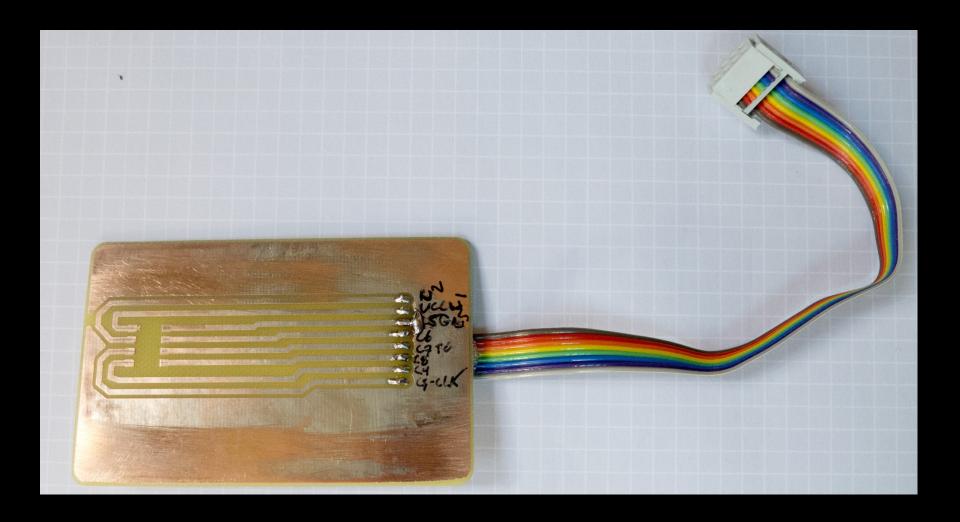






# SmartCard Capture - Inbetween





# SmartCard Capture - Inbetween







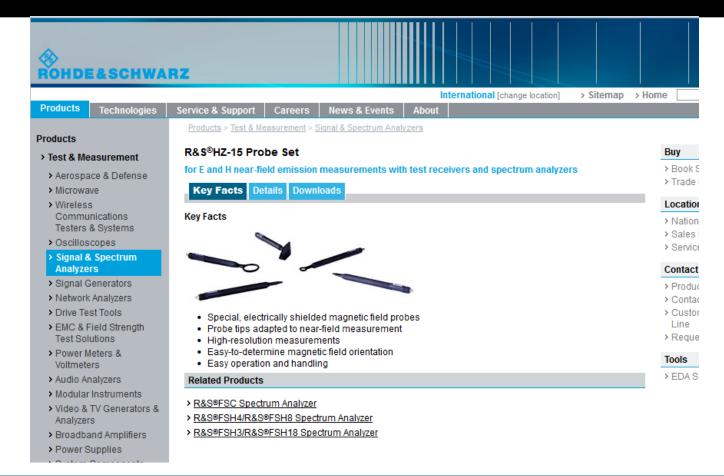


# MAGNETIC FIELD PROBES



### **Rohde & Schwarz**





### PRICING INFORMATION

Rohde & Schwarz HZ-15 Probe set for E and H nearfield emissions

TestEquity Price \$2,505

Add to Quote

Add to Cart



Rohde & Schwarz HZ-16 Preamplifier 3 GHz, 20 dB, for HZ-15

TestEquity Price \$670 Add to Quote

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# **ETS-Lindgren**





### **Refurbished Test Equipment**

### ETS-Lindgren / EMCO 7405 Near Field Probe Set

### **Near Field Probe Set**

The ETS 7405 is a passive, near field probe set designed as a diagnostic aid for locating and characterizing sources of E and H field emissions. The 7405 Set probes terminate in a BNC connector and are designed for use with a signal analyzing device such as a spectrum analyzer or an oscilloscope.

Refurbished Product	Item Description	List Price	Our Price	
7405	Near Field Probe Set			Call to Order
7405 01	Near Field Probe Set with Preamplifier		\$2,395.00	Call to Order



### EMI SNIFFER™ PROBE PRICE LIST

November 17, 2007

Model:	Price Each:	Type:	Std. Nominal Length(s)
E101	\$300	H-field, General Purpose Miniature	2"
E201	\$500	H-field, Micro Probe	2"
E301	\$350	H-field, Long Reach, Bendable	6", 9" & 12" *
E401	\$450	H-field, Right Angle Coil	3", 6", 9" & 12" *
E501	\$450	H-field, High Discrimination (dual coil)	2"
E601	\$230	E-field, High Sensitivity	3", 6", 9" & 12" *
E701	\$200	E-field, High Resolution	3", 6", 9" & 12" *

<sup>\*</sup> Custom lengths available on special order

**Availability:** All H-field and E-field probes listed above are stock.

### **Quantity Discounts:**

5% for two probes, 10% for 3 probes, 15% for 4-5 probes, types may be mixed.

- Kit of 5 H-field probes, one of each type: \$1,650 (@ 19% discount) (Specify stock lengths of E301 & E401 probes)
- Kit of 1 each Of 5 H-field and 2 E-field probes: \$1,950 (@ 21% discount)
   (Specify stock lengths of E301, E401, E601 & E701 probes)

# Instek





### PRICING INFORMATION

Instek GKT-006A EMI Probe Kit Set 7-piece near field probe set TestEquity Price \$1,580

Add to Quote Add to Cart





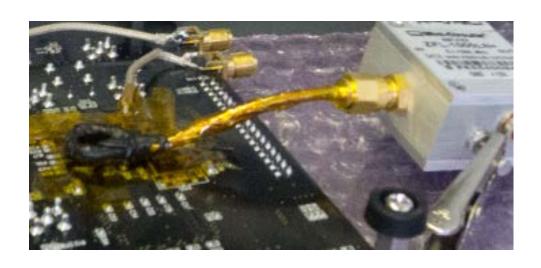
Length of Semi-Rigid cable with SMA Connectors (\$3 surplus) can be turned into a simple magnetic loop:







Wrap entire thing in non-conductive tape (here I used self-fusing + polyimide) to avoid shorting out anything:







### **Probing the Magnetic Field Probe**

By Roy Ediss, Philips Semiconductors, UK.

#### Introduction

Commercial and handcrafted probes similar to those shown in Figure 1 are commonly used in EMC diagnostic work, but have you ever considered how they operate? The magnetic field probes are made in the form of a loop with an inherent electrostatic shield, generally from 50 Ohm semi-rigid coaxial cable. They vary slightly in configuration and in characteristics, but essentially they are electrically small shielded loop antennas derived from the antennas used since the 1920's for radio communication and direction finding [1,2].



Figure 1. Various shielded loops.

#### How they work

Refer to the diagrams of the various H-field loop probes shown in Figure 2. The following explanation can be applied in general to all the probes, but the common probe type 2(a) will be considered. The equivalent circuit diagram is shown as Figure 3, which has numbered location points corresponding to Figure 2(a) [3,4]. An elegant arrangement exists where electric fields may impinge on the outer sheath but are shielded from the inner signal line. A small gap in the outer sheath is however always included, preventing a shorted-turn to magnetic fields.

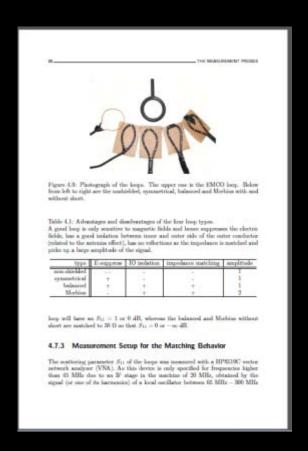
A magnetic field passing through the probe loop generates a voltage according to Faradays law, which states that the induced voltage is proportional to the rate of

http://www.compliance-club.com/archive/old\_archive/030718.htm









Elke De Mulder: Electromagnetic Techniques and Probes for Side-Channel Analysis on Cryptographic Devices

http://www.cosic.esat.kuleuven.be/publications/thesis-182.pdf



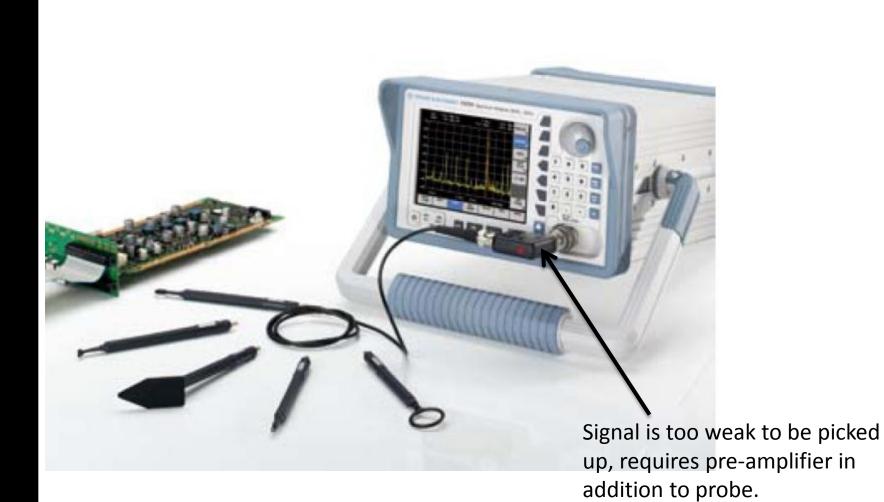


# PRE-AMPLIFIER











# Pre-amplifier: Buying One

Coaxial

# Low Noise Amplifier

ZFL-1000LN+ ZFL-1000LN

 $50\Omega$ 

0.1 to 1000 MHz

#### **Features**

- wideband, 0.1 to 1000 MHz
- low noise, 2.9 dB typ.
- protected by US Patent, 6,943,629

### **Applications**

- VHF/UHF
- cellular
- small signal amplifier



CASE STYLE: Y460

Connectors	Model	Price	Qty.
SMA	ZFL-1000LN(+)	\$89.95	(1-9)
BRACKET	(OPTION "B")	\$2.50	(1+)

+ RoHS compliant in accordance with EU Directive (2002/95/EC)

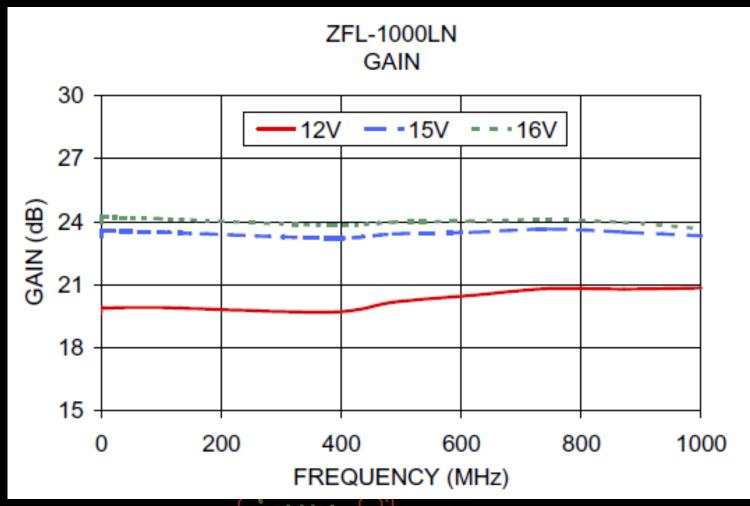
The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance. See our web site for RoHS Compliance methodologies and qualifications.

Low Noise Amplifier Electrical Specifications

Assuming we are making a probe, there is no need to purchase the expensive preamplifier offered by that manufacture. Here is a 20 dB amplifier for \$90, it was shown being used in another photo.













### **BGA2801**

MMIC wideband amplifier

Rev. 3 - 19 April 2012

Product data sheet

### 1. Product profile

#### 1.1 General description

Silicon Monolithic Microwave Integrated Circuit (MMIC) wideband amplifier with internal matching circuit in a 6-pin SOT363 plastic SMD package.

#### 1.2 Features and benefits

- Internally matched to 50 Ω
- A gain of 22.2 dB at 250 MHz increasing to 23.0 dB at 2150 MHz
- Output power at 1 dB gain compression = 2 dBm
- Supply current = 14.3 mA at a supply voltage of 3.3 V
- Reverse isolation > 29 dB up to 2 GHz
- Good linearity with low second order and third order products
- Noise figure = 4 dB at 950 MHz

#### 1.3 Applications

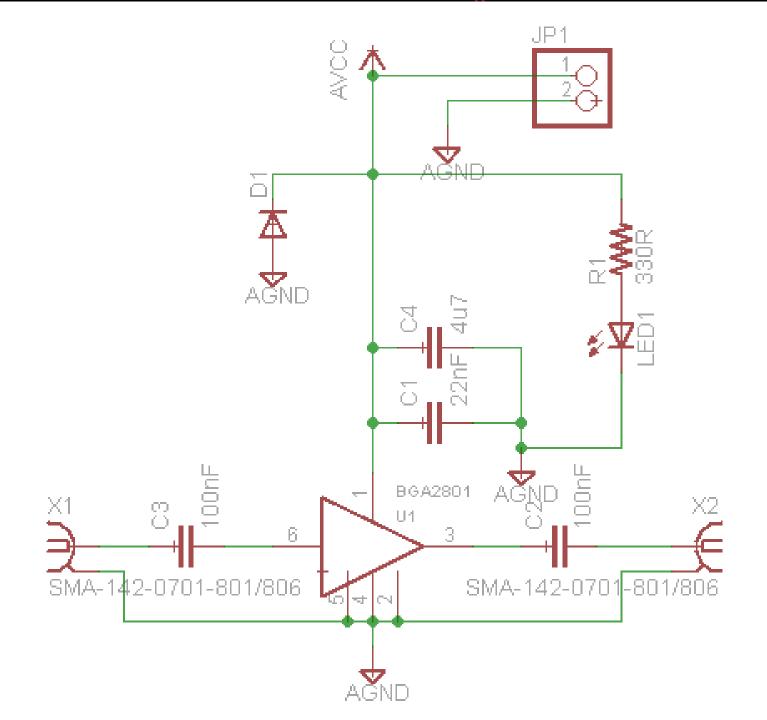
- LNB IF amplifiers
- General purpose low noise wideband amplifier for frequencies between DC and 2.2 GHz

### 2. Pinning information

Table 1.	Pinning		
Pin	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	Vcc	6-6-6-	
2, 5	GND2	H6 H5 H4	N
3	RF_OUT		6-  >-3
4	GND1	0	4 2.5
8	RF_IN	∐1 ∐2 ∐3	sym062

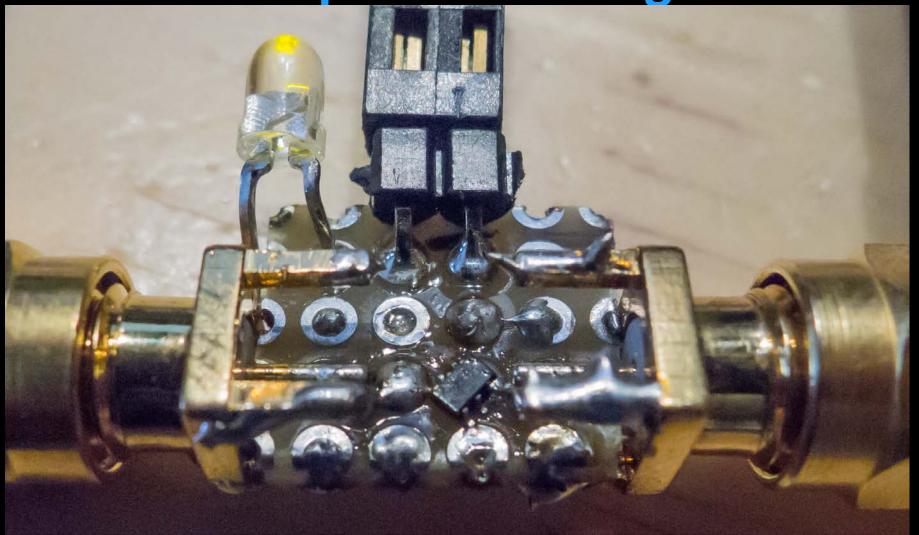
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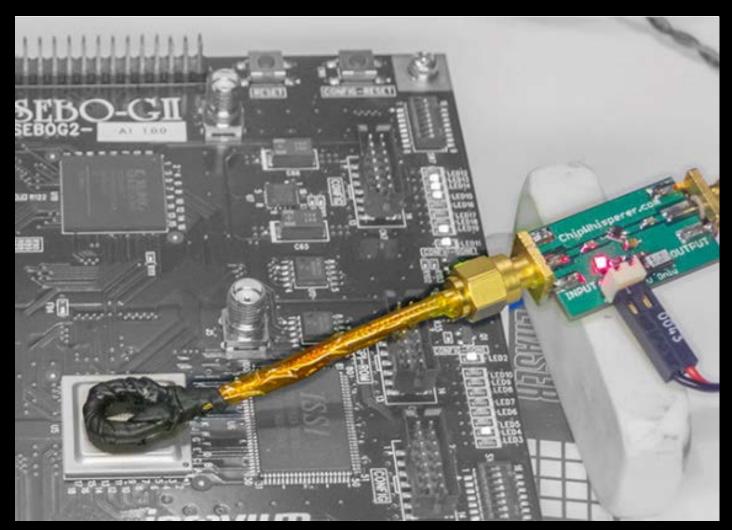




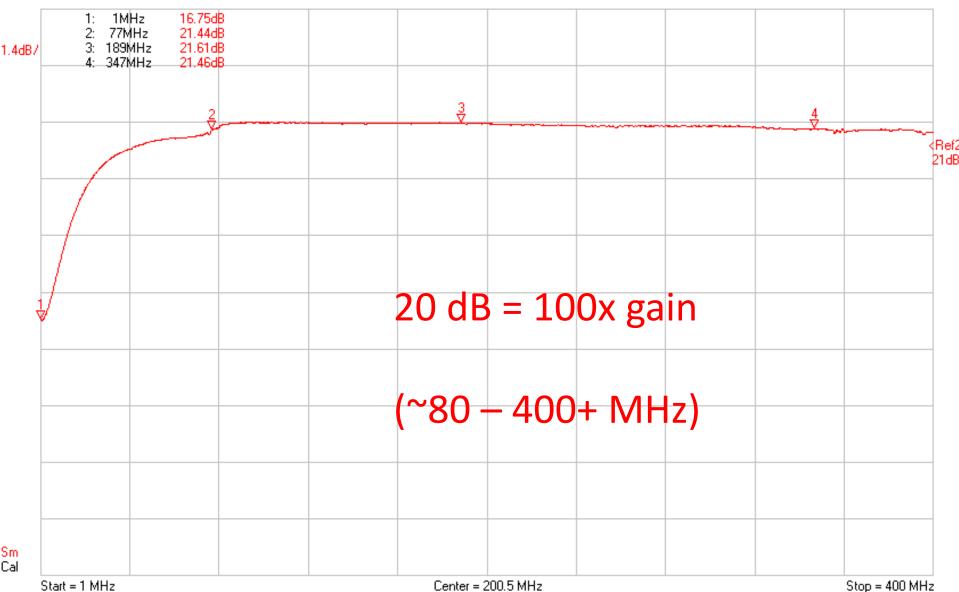








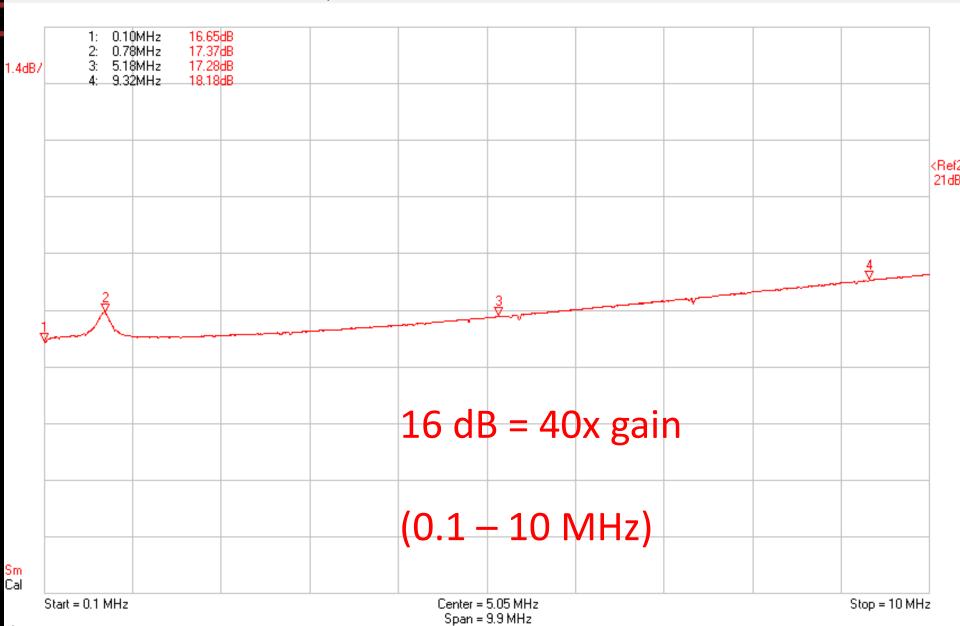




TX Att. = 25 dB

Span = 399 MHz

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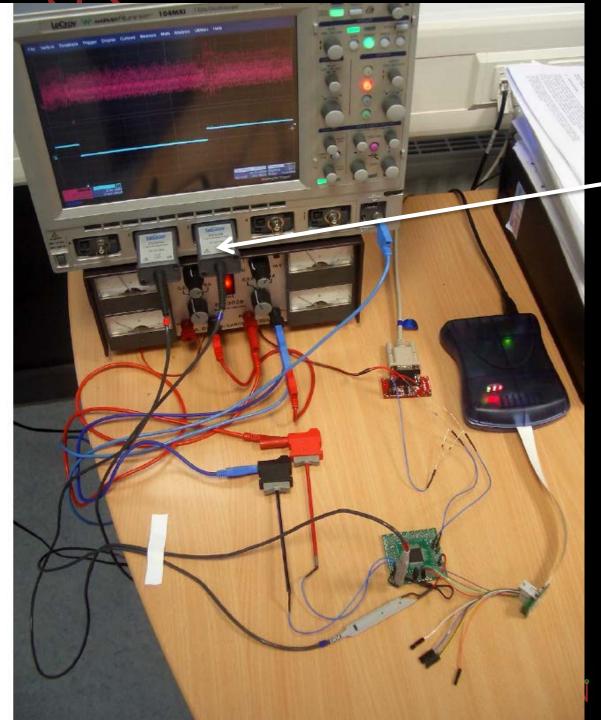


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# DIFFERENTIAL PROBE

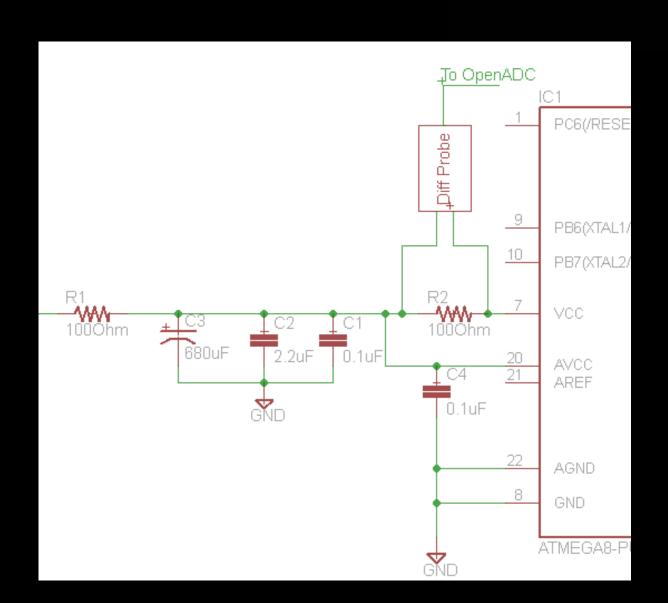






Differential Probe

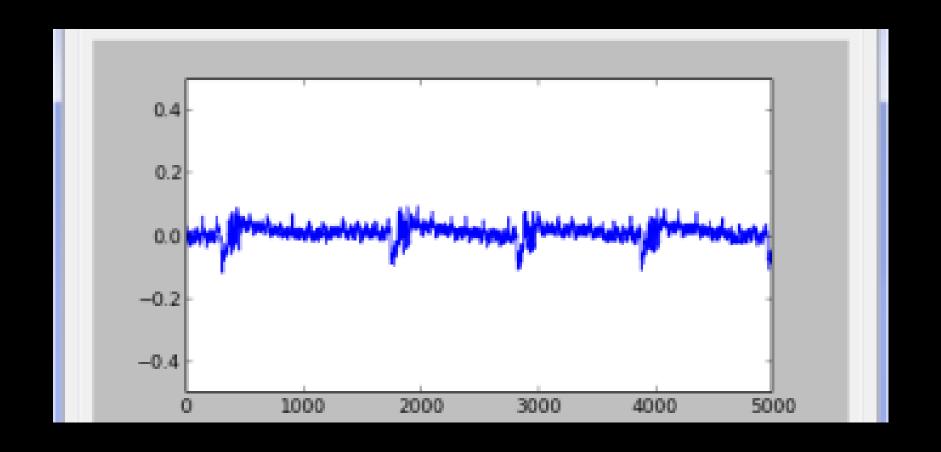
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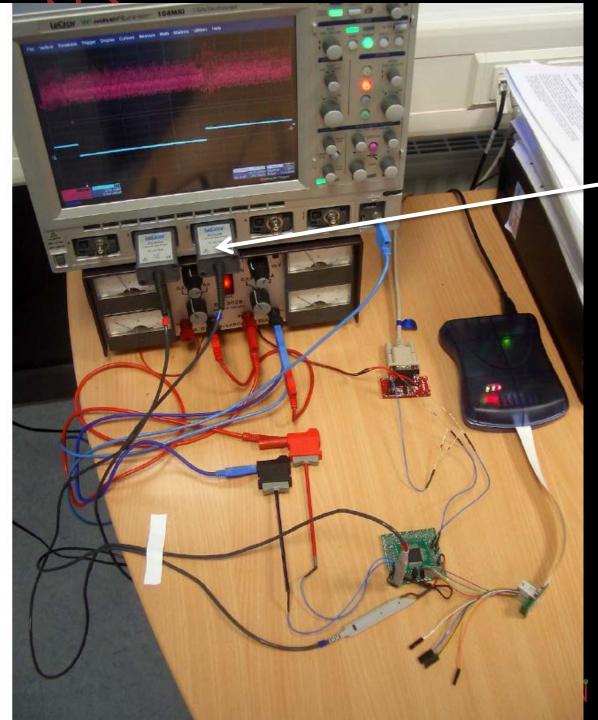




$$V = I R$$

i.e. say signature was 0.2 mA, shunt was 75 ohms

 $0.0002 \times 75 = 0.015 = 15 \text{ mV}$ 





Differential Probe

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### What was that?



See an Error?



Mouser Part #: 940-ZD1000

Manufacturer Part #: ZD1000

Manufacturer: Teledyne LeCroy

Description: Test Probes 1GHZ 1.0 PF ACTV DIFF

PRB +-9V

Lifecycle: New At Mouser

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Shipping Restrictions:

ERR This product may require a license to export from the United States.

Images are for reference only See Product Specifications

Customers Also Bought...









Stock: 1 Can Ship Immediately

On Order: 0

Factory Lead-Time: 2 Weeks

Enter Quantity:

Minimum: 1

Buy

Multiples: 1

Pricing (CAD)

1: \$4,564.62

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## We don't need 1000 MHz..



See an Error?



Mouser Part #: 940-ZD200

Manufacturer Part #: ZD200

Manufacturer: Teledyne LeCroy

Description: Test Probes 200MHZ 3.5 PF 1MOHM

ACTV DIFF PRB +-20V

Lifecycle:



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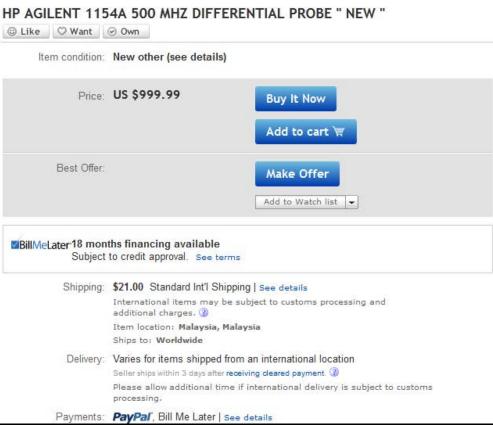
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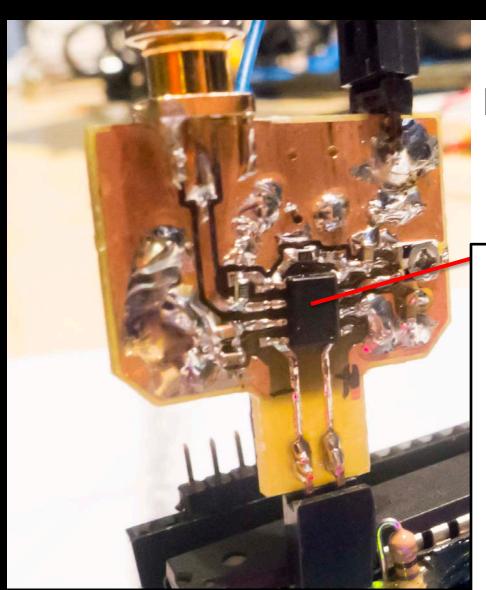








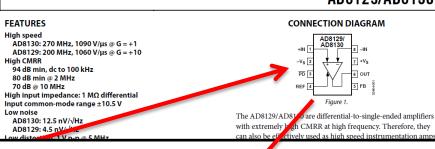






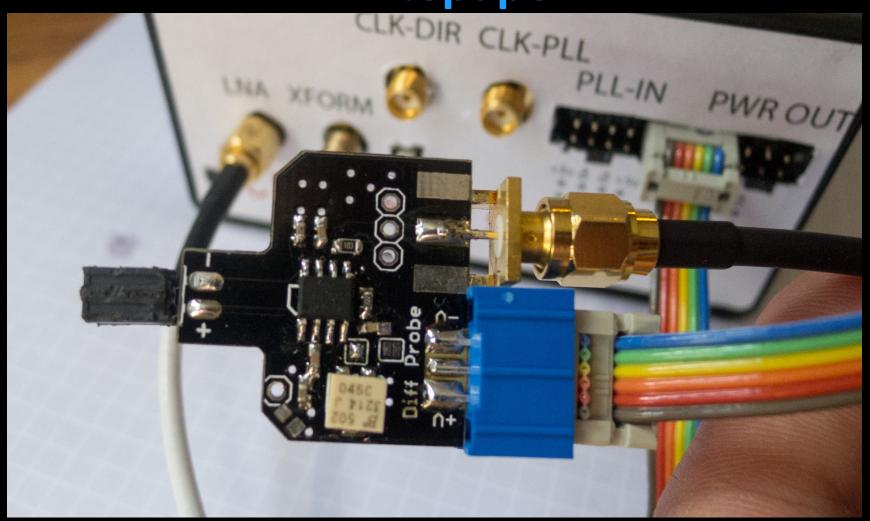
Low Cost 270 MHz Differential Receiver Amplifiers

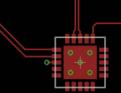
AD8129/AD8130



This chip is < \$5 in single-unit quantities! Add a voltage supply & a few resistors/capacitors and you've got a pretty good probe.

# Full Details on ChipWhisperer Wiki / Whitepaper



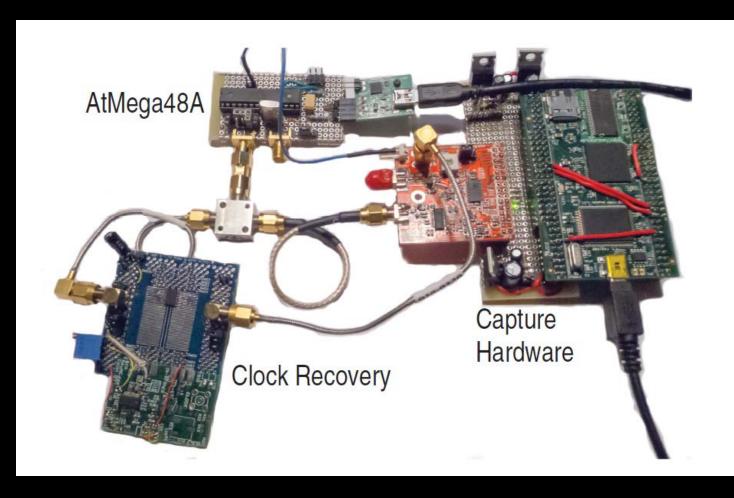


# YOU SAID REAL SYSTEMS!













## Mullilling Little yptions

#### **Authentication Commands:**

Commands proving a device has access to a key

#### **Encryption Communications:**

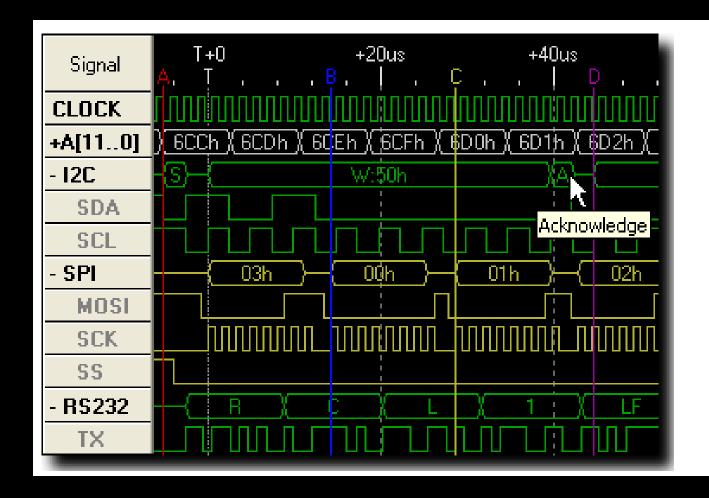
 Send 802.15.4 device encrypted block, it will decrypt it first, and then reject it

#### **Encrypted Bootloader:**

Send device firmware file













# AND FINALLY...







If you are a MANAGER:



## What does this Mean to YOU

#### If you are an ENGINEER:

- Good standard practice helps many issues (change keys, don't use same key everywhere, etc.)
- If someone doesn't want to use good practice because it's "too expensive" or "too difficult logistically", use side-channel analysis as one example of how keys can be leaked
- Can protect against SCA but beyond this presentation



## What does this Mean to YOU

#### If you are an ad-hoc RESEARCHER:

- Basic principles are straight-forward
- Hardware doesn't need to be expensive, SCA is something you can do in your spare time
- This tool/presentation is about <u>learning</u>, you will need to do work yourself to duplicate even basic results







# **Some More Targets**



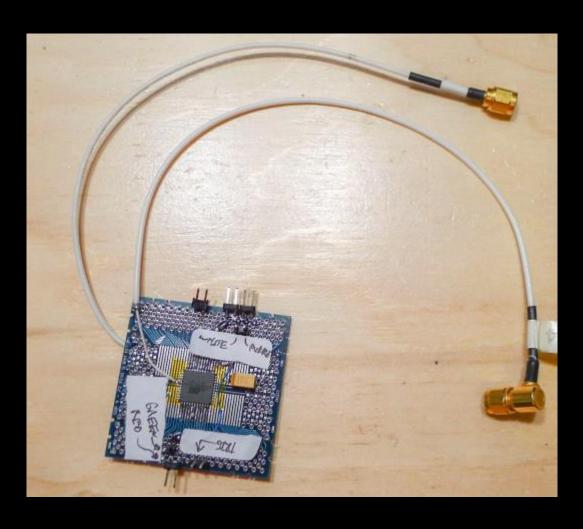
## **SASEBO-W** Board

http://www.morita-tech.co.jp/SAKURA/en/hardware.html





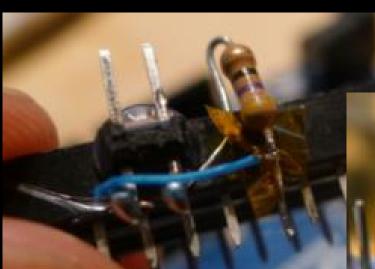


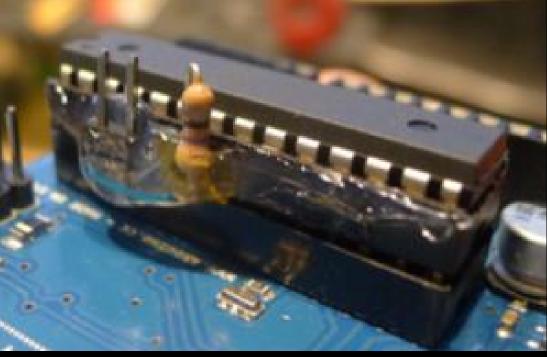












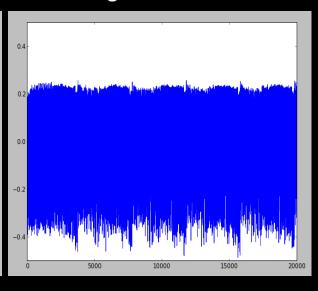
## **AVR: Different AES Libraries**



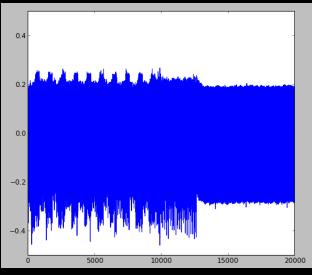
avr-crypto-lib in C

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Straightforward C



avr-crypto-lib in ASM





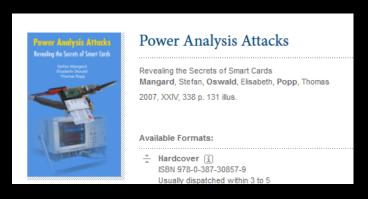


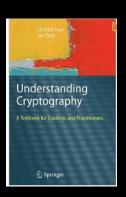
# Where to Go from Here?





- Read the White Paper for more details including a 'Buying Guide' to start playing around – be SURE to check for updates to it on newae.com/blackhat
- Join ChipWhisperer Mailing List & discuss
- Two Good Books to get you Going:





- Read original DPA Paper by Kocher, look at CHES & COSADE Proceedings
- HINT: Local universities often have access to all these, so use a computer on their network (e.g. from library)



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