



### Linux - HPSDR

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- Existing software to support HPSDR
  - PowerSDR runs on Windows
    - Combination of C and C#
  - KISS Konsole runs on Windows
     C#





### • Goal

• Write Linux software for HPSDR





- HPSDR Hardware
  - Atlas Bus
  - Ozy/Magister USB I/O
  - Mercury receiver
  - Penelope transmitter
  - LPU Power Supply
  - Excalibur 10 MHz clock source
  - PennyWhistle RF Power Amplifier
  - Pandora Enclosure

- Coming soon ...
  - Alex RF Bandpass Filters
  - Ozy II Ethernet I/O
  - Hermes Single board HPSDR transceiver







#### Mercury



#### Penelope

### • HPSDR Hardware



Atlas

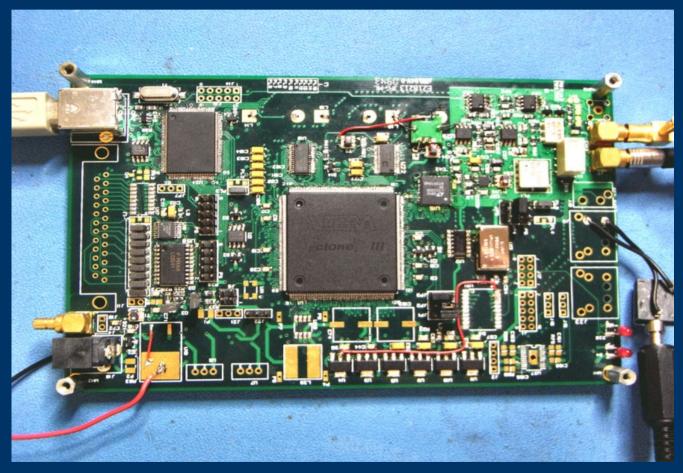


Ozy/Magister





### • HPSDR Hardware



Hermes





- HPSDR Hardware
  - FPGA on each card
    - Allows reprogramming of the hardware.
      - Original Mercury FPGA code implemented 1 receiver with either 48KHz, 96KHz or 192KHz bandwidth from anywhere within the 60MHz sampling range of the receiver.
      - New development to implement up to 8 receivers within a single Mercury card.

















- Software
  - USB interface to Ozy (packet rate for 48000 bps samples)
    - 512 byte packets
      - 8 byte header
        - Mox Frequency (Rx or Tx or Both) Full Duplex Rx speed (48000,96000,192000) Clock sources Rx preamp
      - 63 Tx I/Q samples and audio samples

         I and Q samples 16 bits each
         Audio samples are 2 channels of 16 bits





### • Software

- USB interface from Ozy (packet rate dependent on sample rate)
  - 512 byte packets
    - 8 byte header PTT Dash/Dot ADC overflow Software version of Ozy, Mercury, Penelope Forward power
    - 63 I/Q and Microphone samples I and Q samples 24 bits each Microphone sample 16 bits





### • Software

• USB bandscope interface from Ozy

4096 16 bit samples





### • Software

### • ghpsdr

- Written in C
- Uses DttSP for DSP functions
- Uses GTK+ for GUI





### • Software

- Multi threaded
  - thread to read USB I/Q and Microphone samples
  - thread to read USB bandscope samples
  - thread to process I/Q samples
  - thread to process bandscope smaples
  - thread for spectrum/waterfall display update
  - thread for bandscope display update





### • Software

#### • Modular source code

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### • Software

#### ghpsdr

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### • Software

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• Software

But what about Mercury supporting multiple receivers?



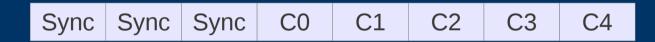


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USB I/Q Data Stream

USB data is transferred in 512 byte packets.

8 bytes of header data.

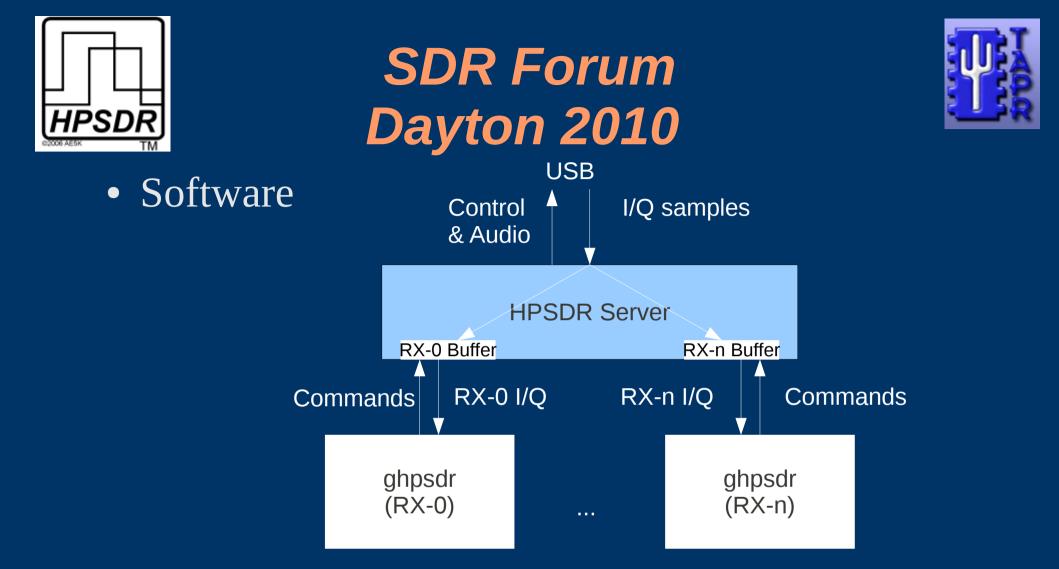


Receiver I/Q data and Mic sample.



I and Q samples are 24 bits (3 bytes). Microphone samples are 16 bits (2 bytes).

Number of samples per packet varies depending on number of receivers.



TCP connection for Commands I/Q data sent over UDP





### • Software

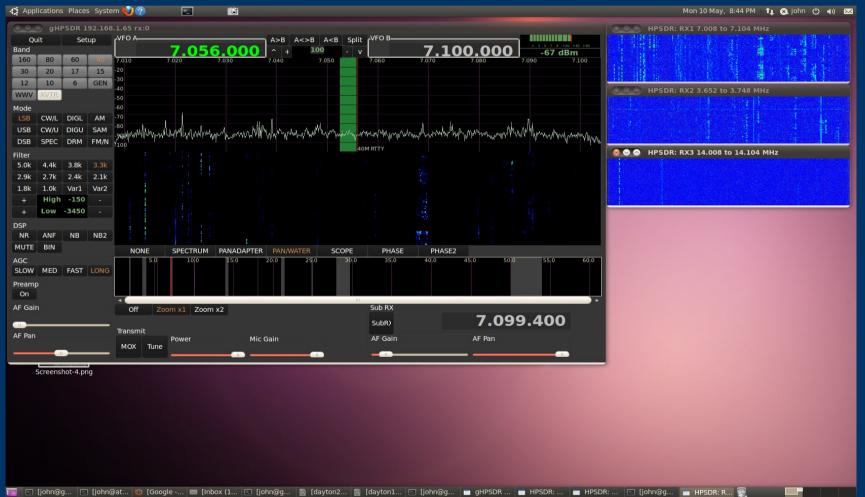
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• Software

Bandwidth Requirements

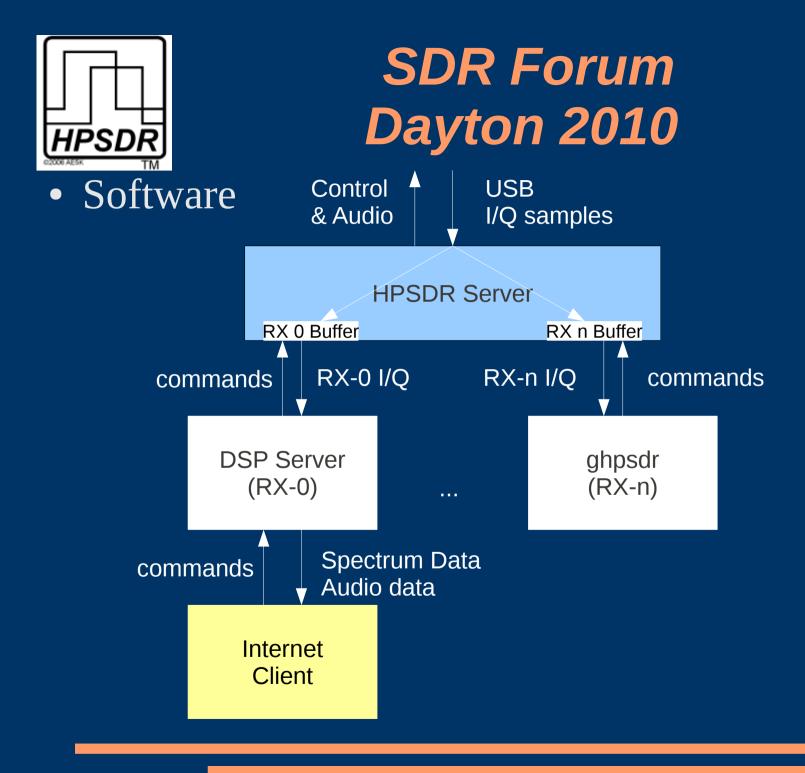
24 bit I samples24 bit Q samples

48000 samples per second = 2304000 bits per second 96000 samples per second = 4608000 bits per second 192000 samples per second = 9216000 bits per second

For just 1 receiver!

8 receivers at 192000 = **73728000** bits per second

My broadband uplink speed is 360 Kbps









- Software
  - Bandwidth requirements per internet receiver
    - Spectrum data sent as 8 bit values
    - Client requests number of samples currently 480 at 10 requests per second.
    - Audio data sent as 8-bit aLaw at 8000 samples per second.
    - Spectrum data = 480\*10\*8 = 34800 bits per second
    - Audio data =8000\*8 = 64000 bits per second
    - 98800 bits per second per receiver





• Software

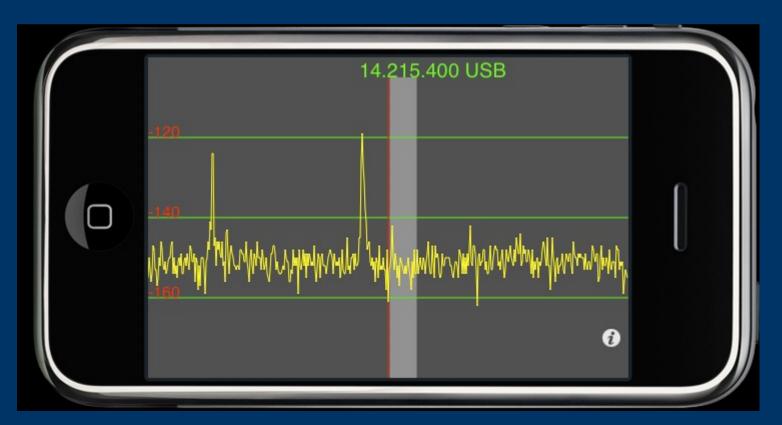
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  - Android Client

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• Software

Ongoing development to support other hardware

SDR1000 server Softrock server (both fixed Xtal and Si570) UHFSDR server





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