

Embedded Linux Conference 2017:
Google Summer of Code and BeagleBoard.org



Google
Summer of Code

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What is Google Summer of Code?

"**Google Summer of Code** is a global program that offers **students stipends to write code for open source projects**"



What is Google Summer of Code?

- 12 years
- 104 countries
- 567 open source projects
- 12,000+ students
- Over 30 million lines of code



Google Summer of Code 2016

- 178 open source projects
- 1,206 university students
- 67 countries
- 1,032 students (85.6%) completed
- **\$5,500** to each successful student





2016 GSoC Timeline



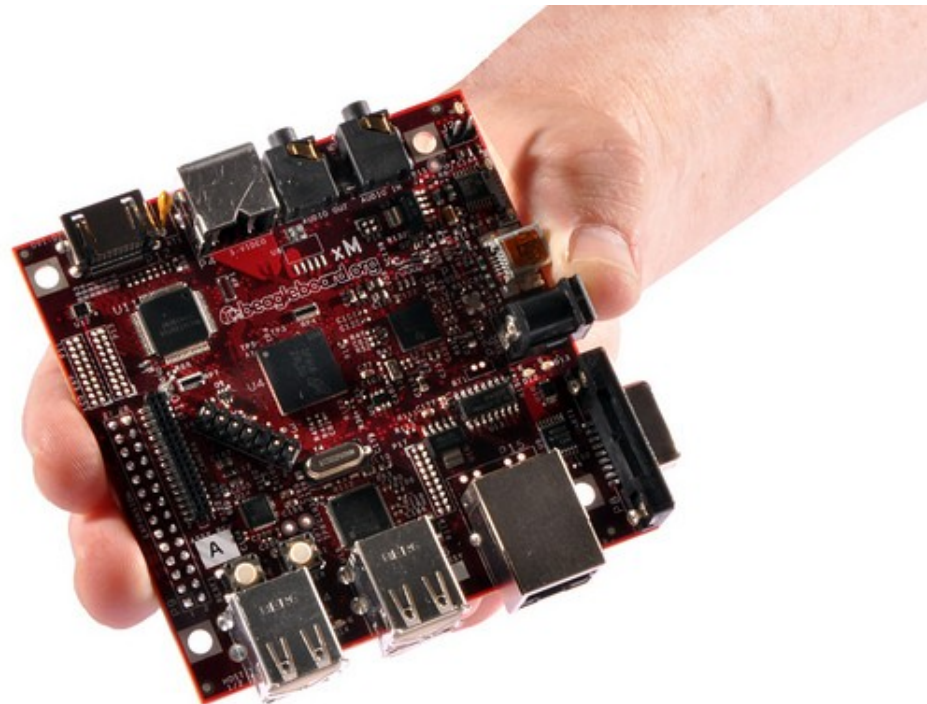
- **Feb:** organizations apply, recruit mentos
- **March:** students propose projects
- **April:** students accepted
- *Community Bonding Period* for students and mentors
- **May:** students begin coding
- **June:** mid-term evaluations
- **August:** final evaluations and project submissions
- **October:** Mentor Summit at Google



Open Source Hardware computing
for
Makers, Educators & Professionals

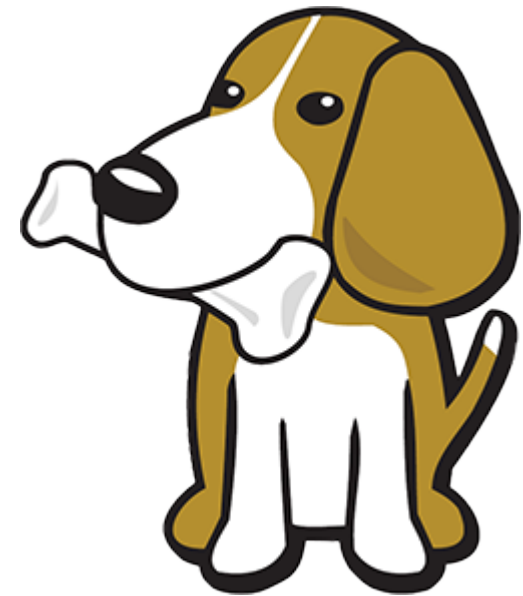


BeagleBoard.org released the first **BeagleBoard**, an affordable, open hardware computer in **2008**



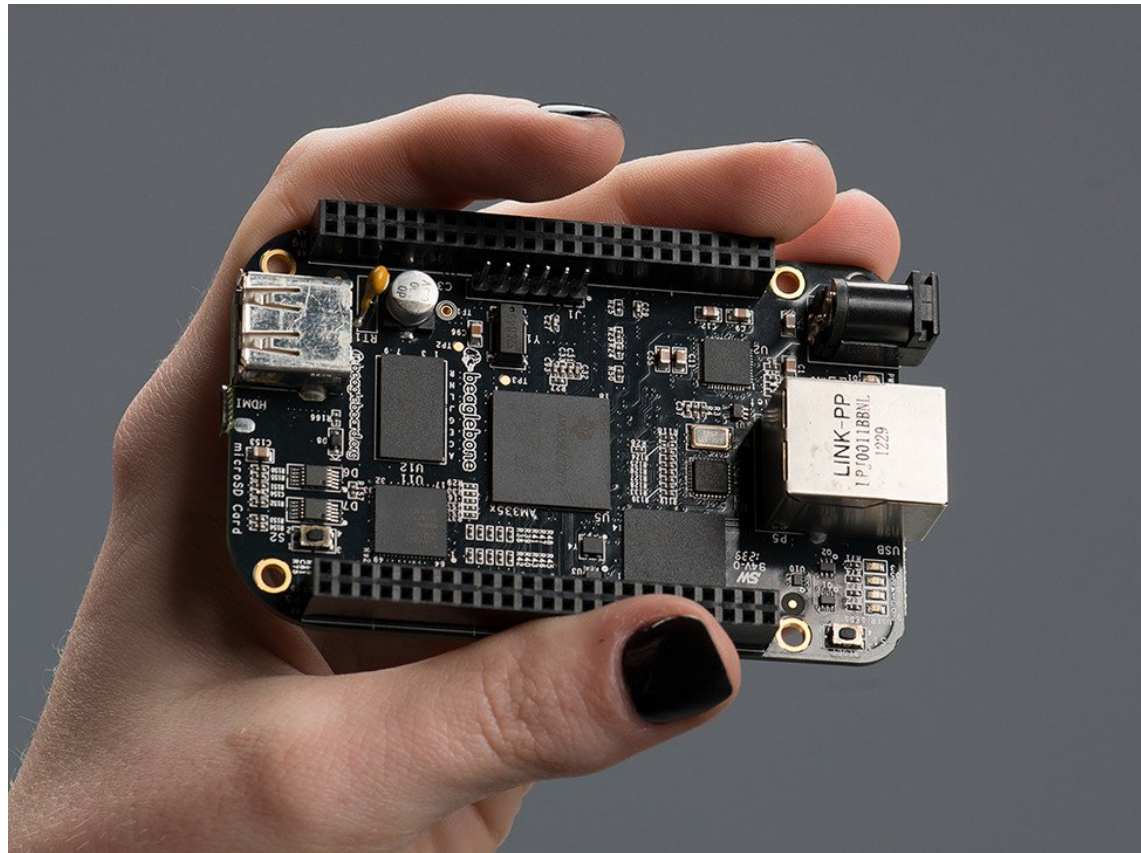


Maker focused, Altoids tin sized
BeagleBone introduced in **2011**



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More affordable, more powerful
BeagleBone Black in 2013





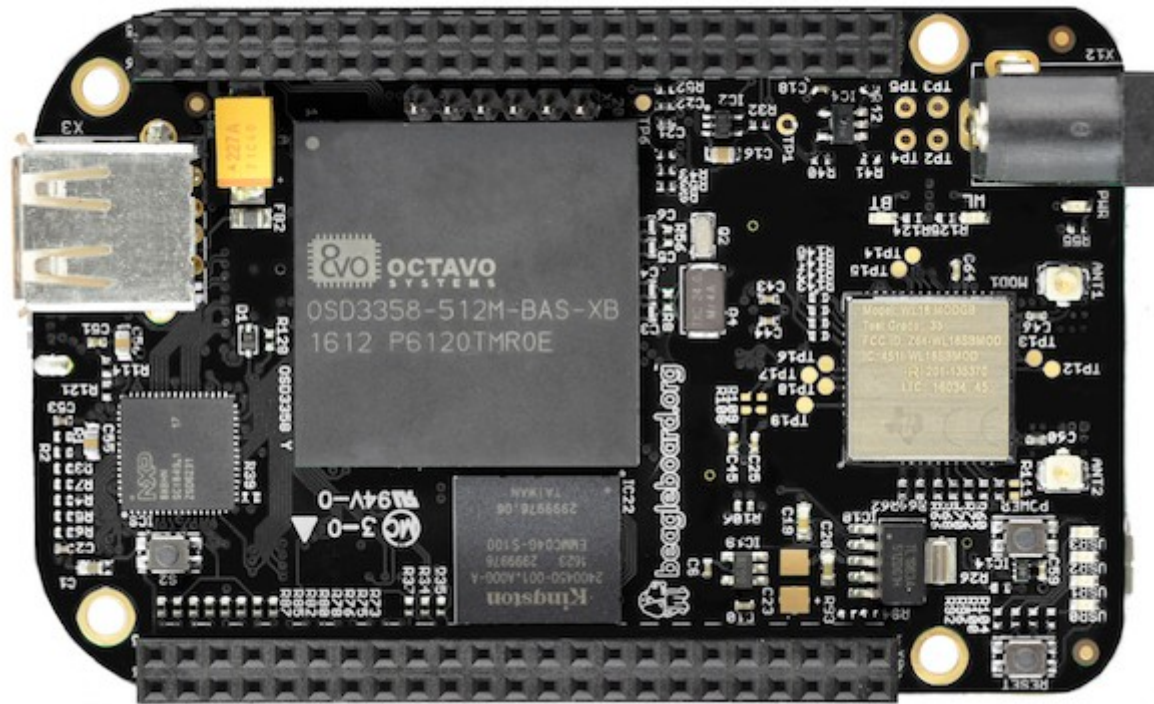
Open Source Hardware BeagleBone derivatives

	Capes	HDMI	Flash	Special
BeagleBoard.org BeagleBone	Y	N	N	JTAG
BeagleBoard.org BeagleBone Black	Y	Y	Y	-
Arrow BeagleBone Black Industrial	Y	Y	Y	Industrial
Element14 BeagleBone Black Industrial	Y	Y	Y	Industrial
SeeedStudio BeagleBone Green	Y	N	Y	Grove
SanCloud BeagleBone Enhanced	Y	Y	Y	1GB, 1Gbit, wireless
BeagleBoard.org BeagleBone Blue	N	N	Y	Robotics
BeagleBoard.org BeagleBoard-X15	N	Y	N	Big jump in CPUs and I/O



Newest board:

BeagleBone Black Wireless



- **WiFi (802.11 b/g/n)**
- **Bluetooth 4.1 with Bluetooth Low-energy**



- **BeagleBoard.org Foundation** is a US-based 501(c) non-profit corporation
- Provides education around the design and use of Open Source Software and Open Source Hardware
- Fosters communication between individuals interested in Open Source

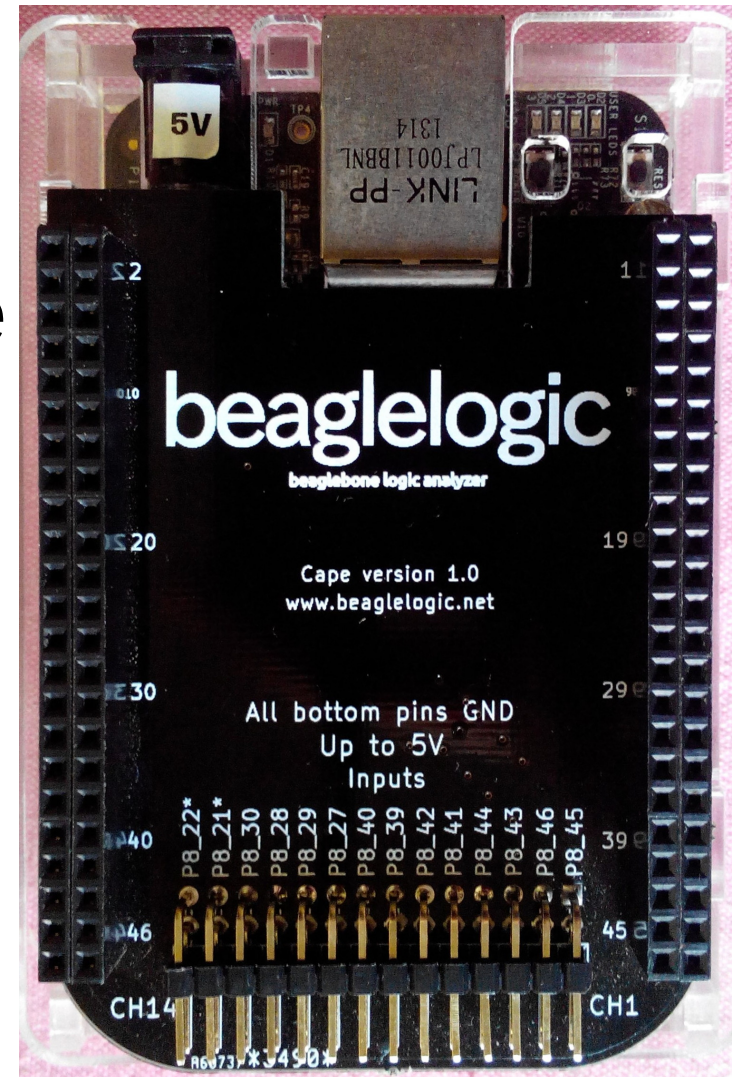


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beaglebone logic analyzer



- **Kumar Abhishek** created BeagleLogic for GSoC 2014
- BeagleLogic turns BeagleBone into **Logic Analyzer**
- 14-channel, 100MSPs
- Web browser user interface
- **Video of final presentation**



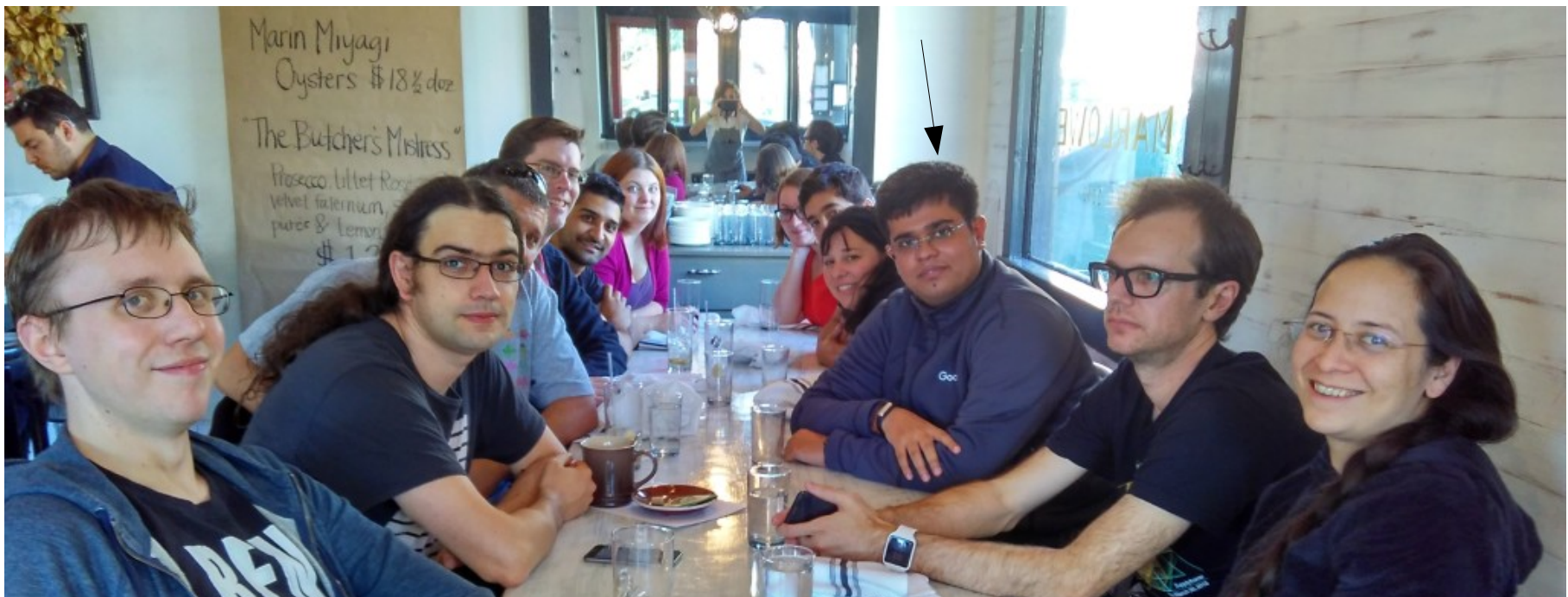


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- **Best Product finalist** in **2015 Hackaday Prize**
- Traveled to Google Summer of Code Mentor Summit and Hackaday SuperCon in California
- Blog post about his journey: [*A day with Hackaday*](#)





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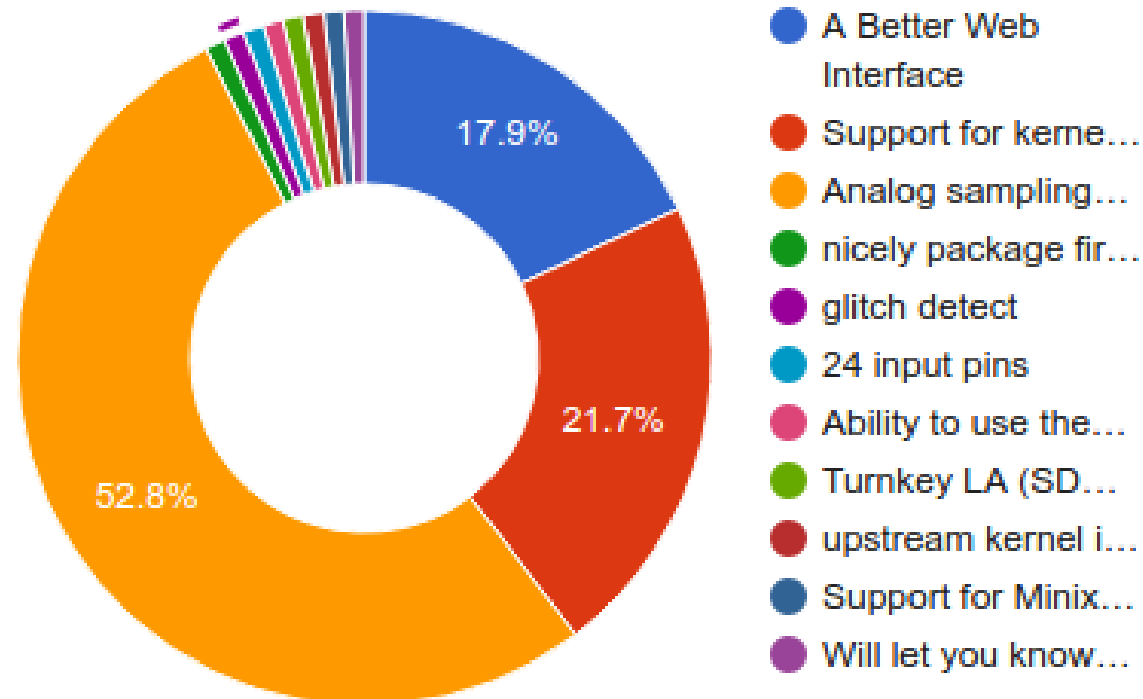
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- Summer 2016: Kumar is intern at Google HQ
- July 2016: [BeagleLogic: now also analog](#)

“Majority of prospective users wanted to be able to do analog sampling with BeagleLogic”

Which one of these features would you like to see the most in BeagleLogic?





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- July 2016 - **Google Research** blog announced **PRUDAQ**, an ADC cape for BeagleBone:

[Announcing an Open Source ADC board for BeagleBone](#)





BeaglePilot



- **Víctor Mayoral Vilches** in Italy for **GSoC 2014**
- Linux-based autopilot for flying robots based on BeagleBone
- **Introduction video**
- **BeaglePilot on GitHub**
- *BeaglePilot*





BeaglePilot



- **Victor** co-founded **Erle Robotics** to develop commercial products based on BeaglePilot
- **Erle-Brain**: “An artificial brain for making robots and drones”

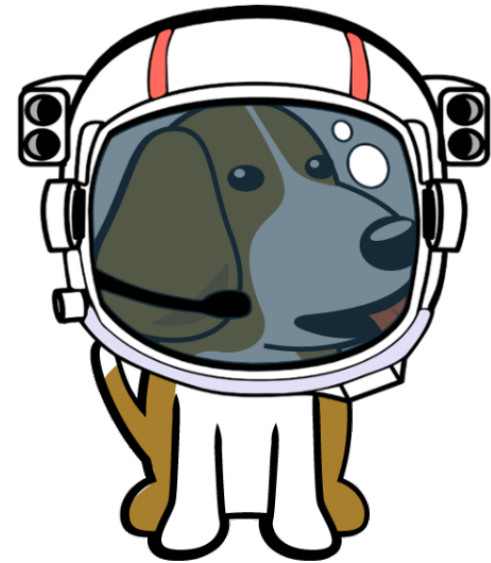




BeagleSat



- **Niko Visnjic** for GSoC 2015
- **BeagleSat** is an open source **nano satellite platform** based on BeagleBone
- Framework & tool set for designing your very own CubeSat from ground up
- [Project video](#)



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GSoC 2016 projects



- [BeagleScope](#)
- Student: **Zubeen Tolani**
- Mentors: SJLC, Abhishek Kumar, Michael Welling, Hunyue Yau

Introduction BeagleScope project - GSo...

Hardwares used:



DC782A-P-ND BeagleBone Black

Introduction BeagleScope



GSoC 2016 projects



- [API support for Beaglebone Blue](#)
- Student: **Kiran Kumar Lekkala**
- Mentors: Alex Hiam, Micheal Welling, Kumar Abhishek, Deepak Karki
- [Website](#) / [Source Code](#) / [Wiki](#) / [Documentation](#)

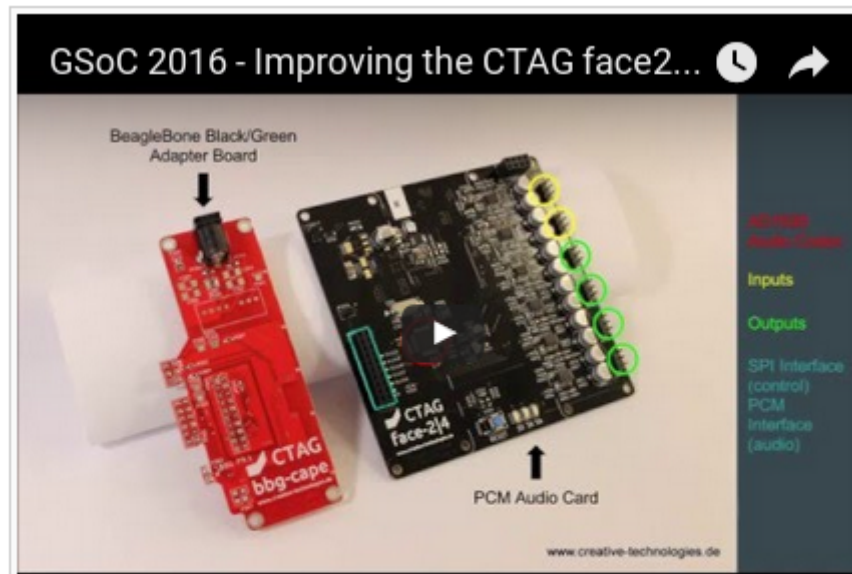




GSoC 2016 projects



- [BeagleBoard X15 multichannel sound driver](#)
- Student: **Henrik Langer**
- Mentors: Robert Manzke, Vladimir Pantelic
- [Wiki for libdsp-x15](#)
- [Slides from project presentation](#)

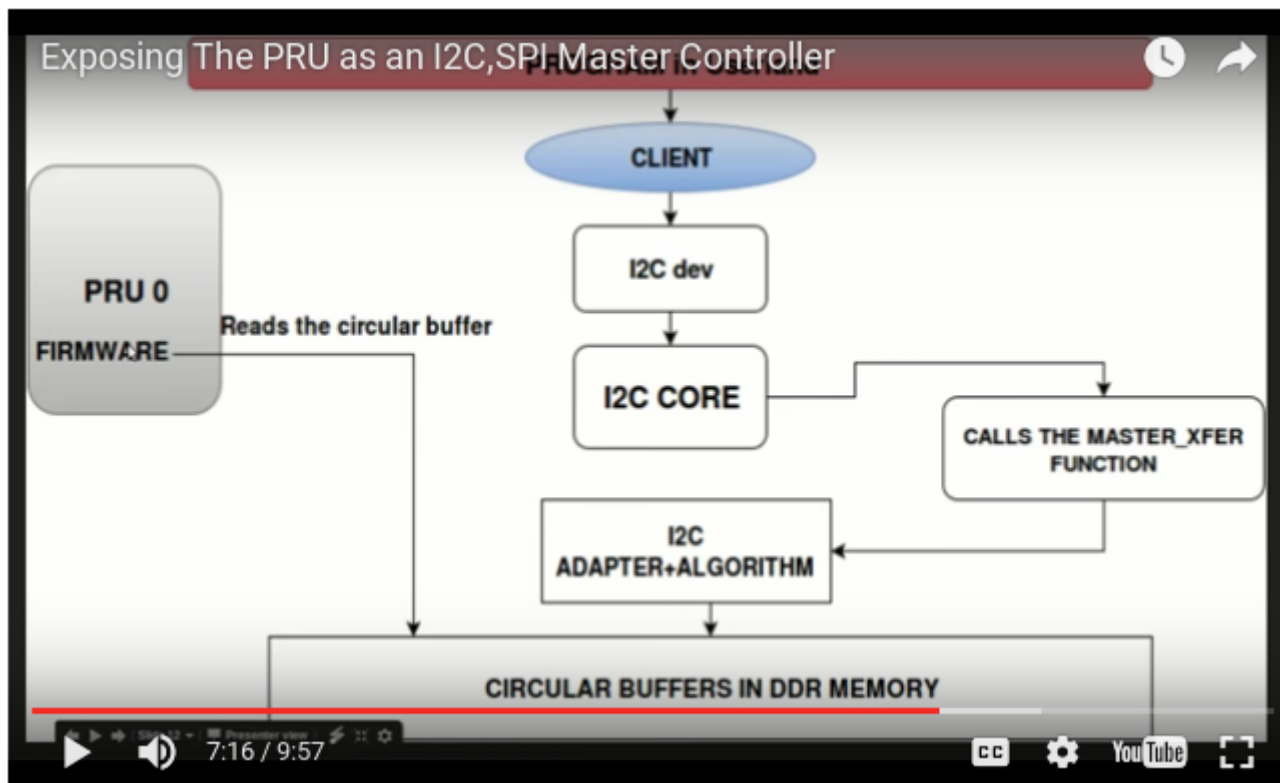




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- [Exposing the PRU as I2C & SPI master](#)
- Student: **Vaibhav Choudhary**
- Mentors: Andrew Bradford, Matt Porter

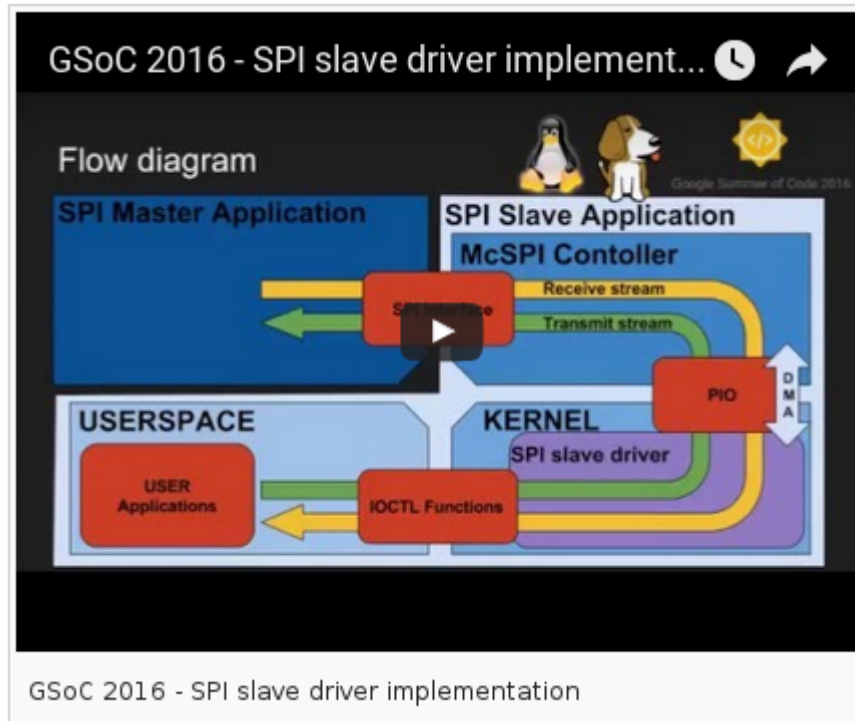




GSoC 2016 projects



- [SPI slave driver implementation](#)
- Student: **Patryk Mężydło**
- Mentors: Michael Welling, Andrew Bradford, Matt Porter





GSoC 2016 projects



- [Sonic Anemometer for Weather Stations](#)
- Student: **Visaoni**
- Mentors: Steve Arnold, Alex Hiam

Sonic Anemometer

How it Works

- Time of flight model
- Convert measured time to velocity, and account for the speed of sound

The diagram illustrates the time-of-flight model. It shows two sensors, Tx (Transmitter) and Rx (Receiver), positioned vertically. A vertical arrow labeled 'Pulse speed' points from Tx to Rx. A second vertical arrow labeled 'Wind speed in direction of transmission' points from Tx to Rx, positioned to the right of the pulse speed arrow. A third vertical arrow labeled 'Speed of sound' points from Tx to Rx, positioned to the right of the wind speed arrow.

Sonic Anemometer



GSoC 2016 projects



- [Improving Bone101 Experience](#)
- Student: **Amr Ragaey**
- Mentors: Jason Kridner, Alex Hiam



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