BasicRX

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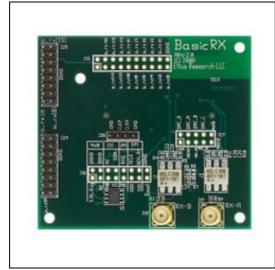
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The BasicRX/BasicTX daughterboards are low-cost daughterboards that provides direct access to the ADC inputs. The boards accept real-mode only signals from 1 to 250 MHz. The BasicRX/BasicTX is ideal for applications using an external front end providing relatively clean signals within operable bandwidth. Wideband transformers couple each RF input to a single channel of the USRP device's ADC. The signals sampled by the ADC are manipulated in the FPGA, and the outputs can be processed independently, or as a single I/Q pair. The BasicTX/BasicRX daughterboards are supported by the USRP Hardware Driver? (UHD) software API for seamless integration into existing applications.





• 1-250 MHz coverage • Real or Complex

sampling

BasicRX

The BasicRX has 4 frontends:

- Frontend A: real signal on antenna RXA
- Frontend B: real signal on antenna RXB
 Frontend AB: quadrature frontend using both antennas (IQ)
- Frontend BA: quadrature frontend using both antennas (QI)

BasicTX

The BasicTX has 4 frontends:

- Frontend A: real signal on antenna TXA
- Frontend B: real signal on antenna TXB
 Frontend AB: quadrature frontend using both antennas (IQ)
- Frontend BA: quadrature frontend using both antennas (QI)

BasicRX

• The BasicRX has no tunable elements or programmable gains. Through the magic of aliasing, you can down-convert signals greater than the Nyquist rate of the ADC.

BasicTX

 The BasicTX has no tunable elements or programmable gains. Through the magic of aliasing, you can up-convert signals greater than the Nyquist rate of the DAC.

BasicRX

- For Real-Mode (A or B frontend): 250 MHz • For Complex (AB or BA frontend): 500 MHz
- BasicTX
 - For Real-Mode (A or B frontend): 250 MHz • For Complex (AB or BA frontend): 500 MHz
 - All RF Ports are matched to 50 Ohm with -10dB or better return loss generally. Detailed test is pending.
 - The maximum input power for the BasicRX is +10 dBm.
 - Ettus Research recommends to always use the latest stable version of UHD
 - Current Hardware Revision: 1
 - Minimum version of UHD required: 3.8.0
 - Current Hardware Revision: 1
 - Minimum version of UHD required: 3.8.0
 - 0-40 °C
 - 10% to 90% non-condensing
 - N or X Series
 - N or X Series

Basic RX Schematics

Basic TX Schematics

 Part Number
 Description
 Schematic ID (Page)

 24LC025B
 EEPROM
 U1 (1); U52 (1)

 ADT1?1WT
 RF Transformer
 T1 (1); T2 (1); T50 (1); T51 (1)

- BasicRX File:cu ettus-cca-basic-rx.pdf
- The BasicTX/RX daughterboard features female SMA connectors for both the RX and TX connectors.

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BasicRX / BasicTX Letter of Volatility

FPGA Resources

UHD Stable Binaries

UHD Source Code on Github