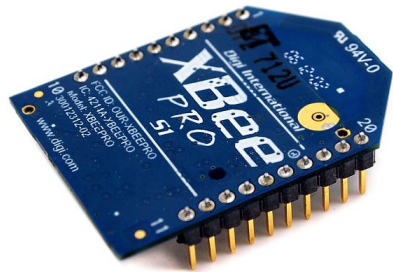


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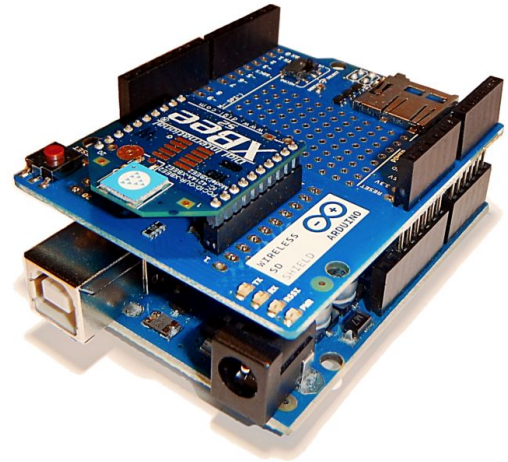
Preliminary Design Review Presentation

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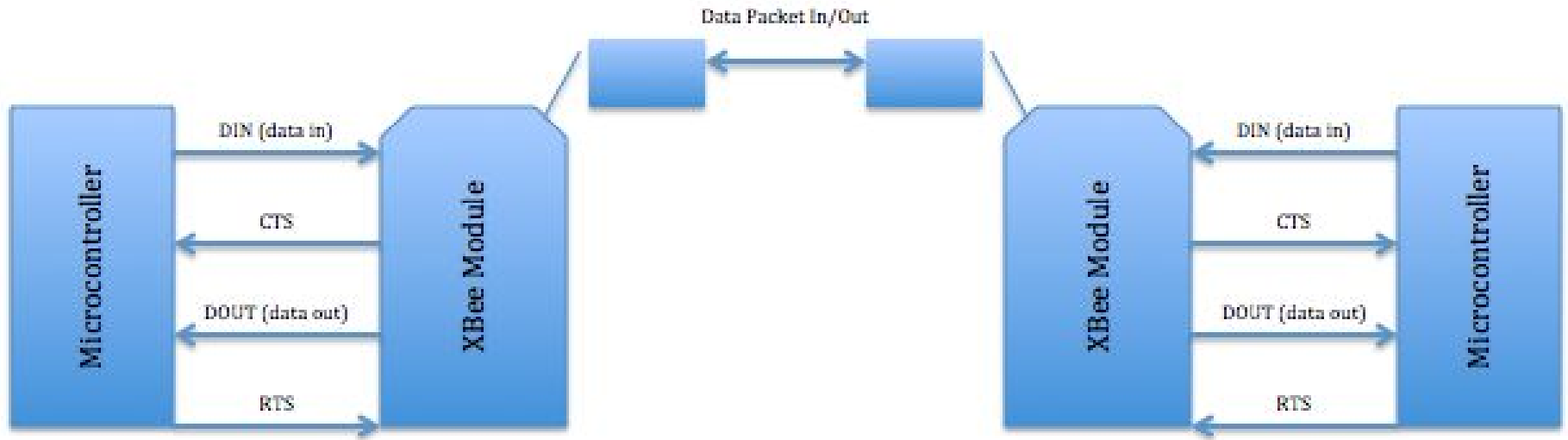


Project Overview

- Physical and virtual network testing and simulation
- Create a test board for various XBee models
 - Reduce debugging process of other projects
- Test functionality
 - Communication
 - Network of XBees
- Overall: become Experts on the part

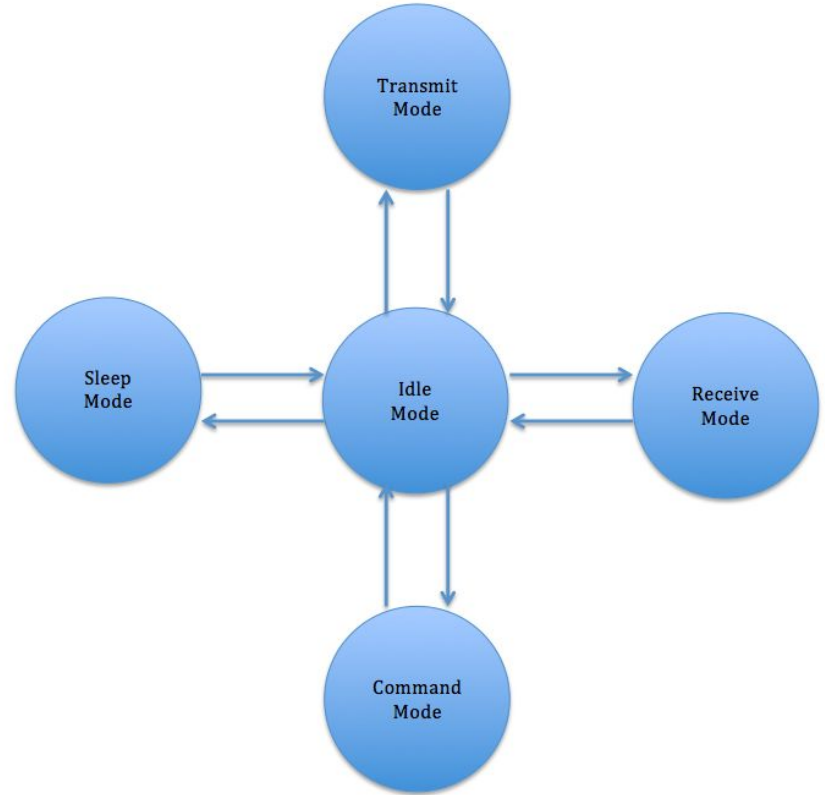


Block Diagram



Modes of Operation

- **Idle Mode**
 - Not Receiving or Transmitting
- **Transmit/Receive Modes**
 - Transmit/Receive data packets
- **Sleep Mode**
 - Enter state of low-power consumption when not in use
- **Command Mode**
 - Incoming characters interpreted as commands



Progress

- Familiarization of tools
 - X-CTU
 - Arduino tutorials
- Communication between two XBees



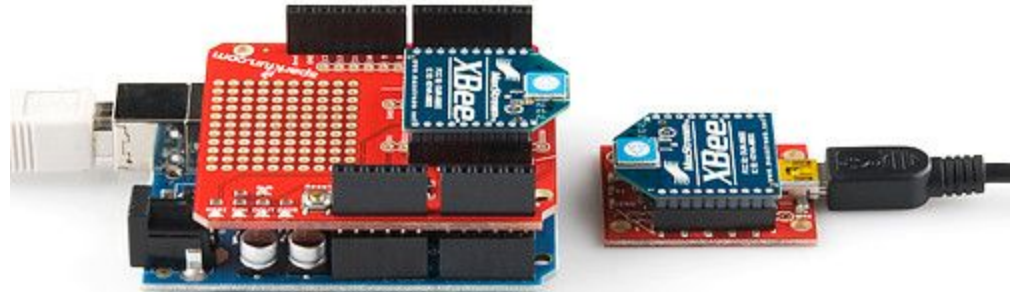
Progress

- Orders of various XBees
 - Different models
 - ranges, capabilities, functions
- Learned how to create parts in EAGLE
 - Creating packages, device, and symbols



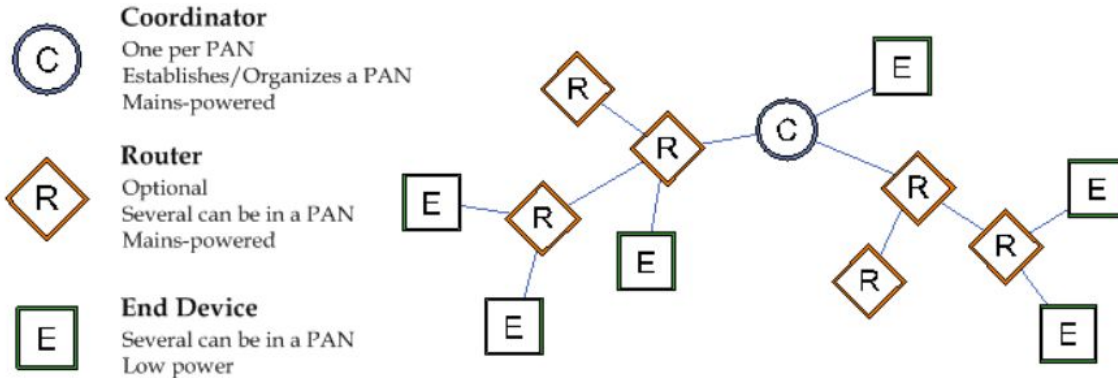
Obstacles and Difficulties

- Time management
- PCB design software
- Configuration of a network of XBees



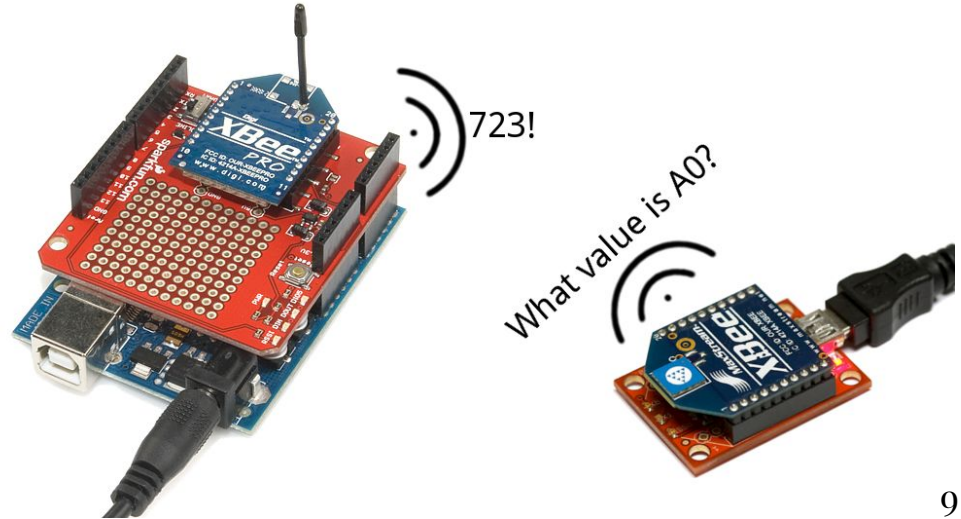
Remaining Tasks

- Networking XBees
 - Communication between various XBees
- PCB Design
 - Part, device, and symbol creation



Remaining Tasks

- Testing
 - Range of communication
 - Through walls
 - Open space, outdoor, indoor
 - Comparison of XBee models
 - Test results
 - part specifications





Questions?



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