

TinyOS Installation

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TOS Programming Environment

TinyOS Installation on MS-Windows

Tool Description

Other Topics

Conclusion – TOS Installed!

TinyOS Development Flow

- Design & Create Application Source Files (*.nc)
- Build Application Executable for a Specific Platform
- Load Application Executable onto Platform
- Run & Debug Application

TinyOS Development Tools

- CYGWIN Unix Shell Environment *get dist*
- TinyOS Components (Modules & Configurations)
- Nesc Pre-compiler
- AVR GNU Compiler, Assembler, & Linker *AVR AVR family / 8 bit*
- UISP Device Programmer *Micro process*
- Host Application Tools — Java *cross compile*

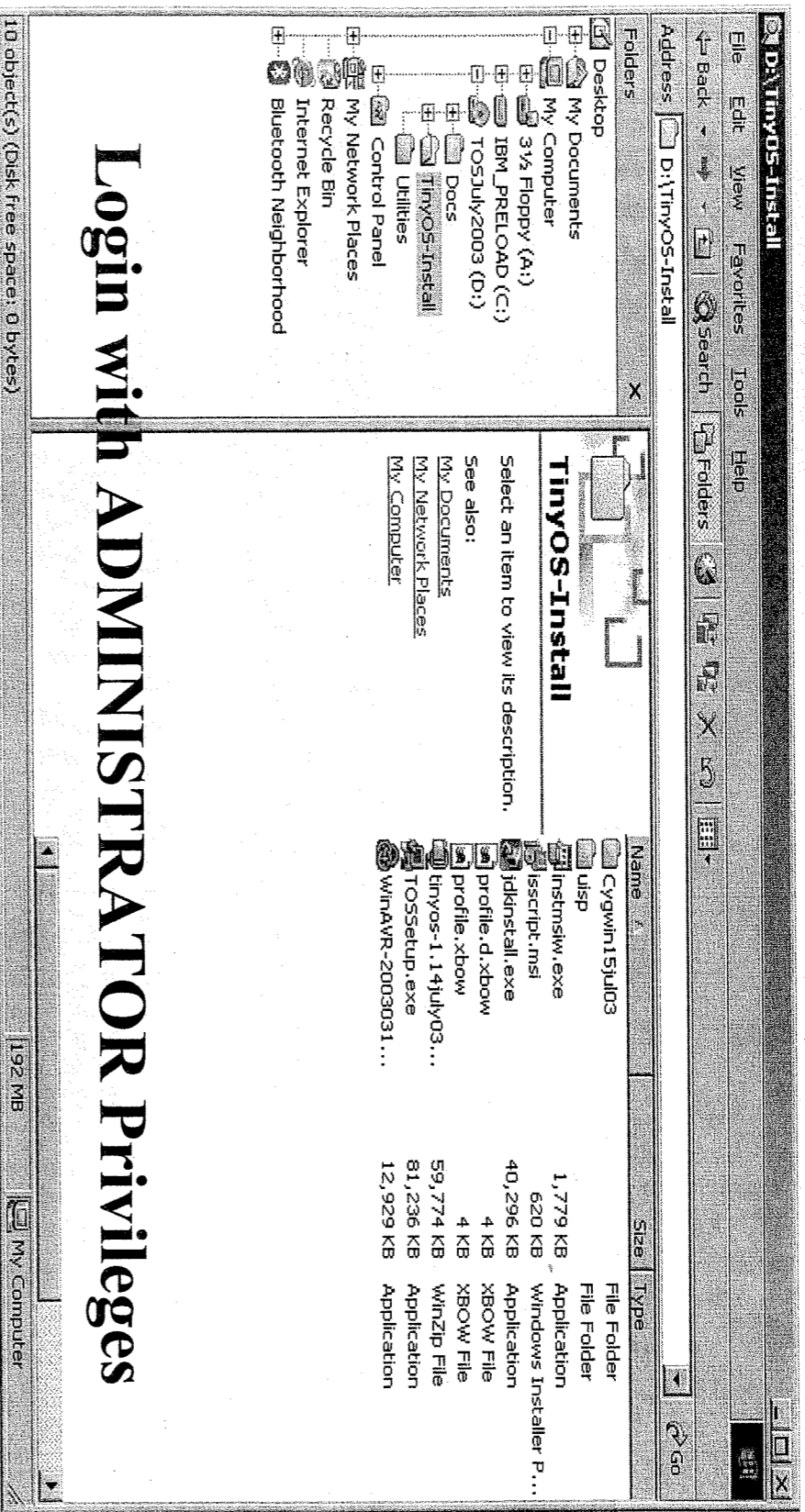
Installation Flow

- Install TinyOS 1.0
- Update Cygwin
- Update Compiler Tools – avr-gcc v3.3
- Update TinyOS - v1.x.14july03
- Install NesC – 1.1beta
- Update Utilities – uisp *handle new hardware*
- Test all Tools *pre-confly laptops*
- If TOS Already installed – just do UPDATES !
- Problems? – Notify a Crossbow Trainer ☺

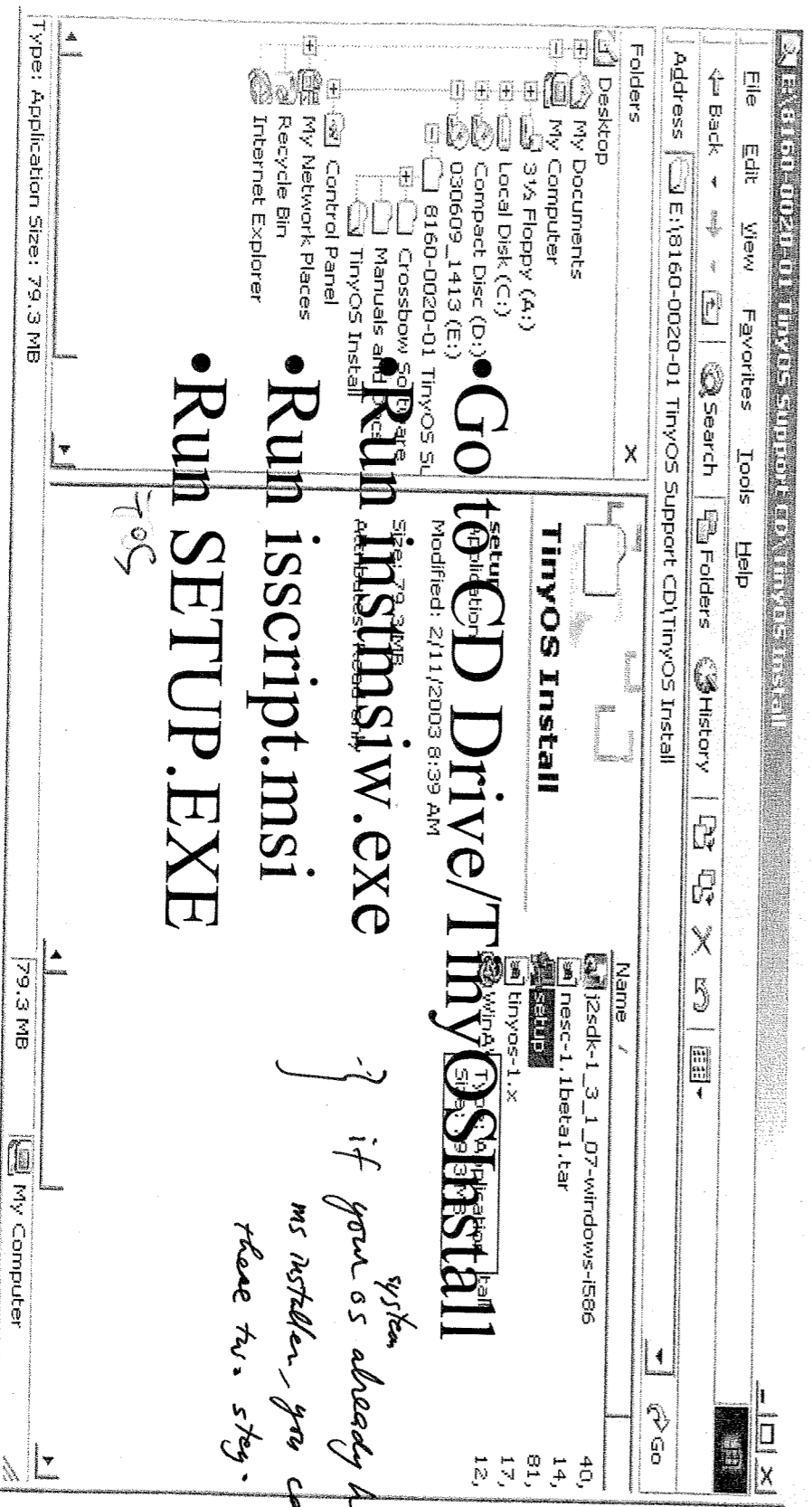
What We Need

- Crossbow TOS Training CD-ROM
- MS Windows (XP, 2K, 98, NT)
- WINZIP
- Acrobat PDF Viewer
- Disk Space – 1 GBytes
- Time
 - 50 minutes
- Mote Hardware
 - MIB500 Programmer, 2ea MICA2, Power & Batteries

TOS Installation from Xbow Disk

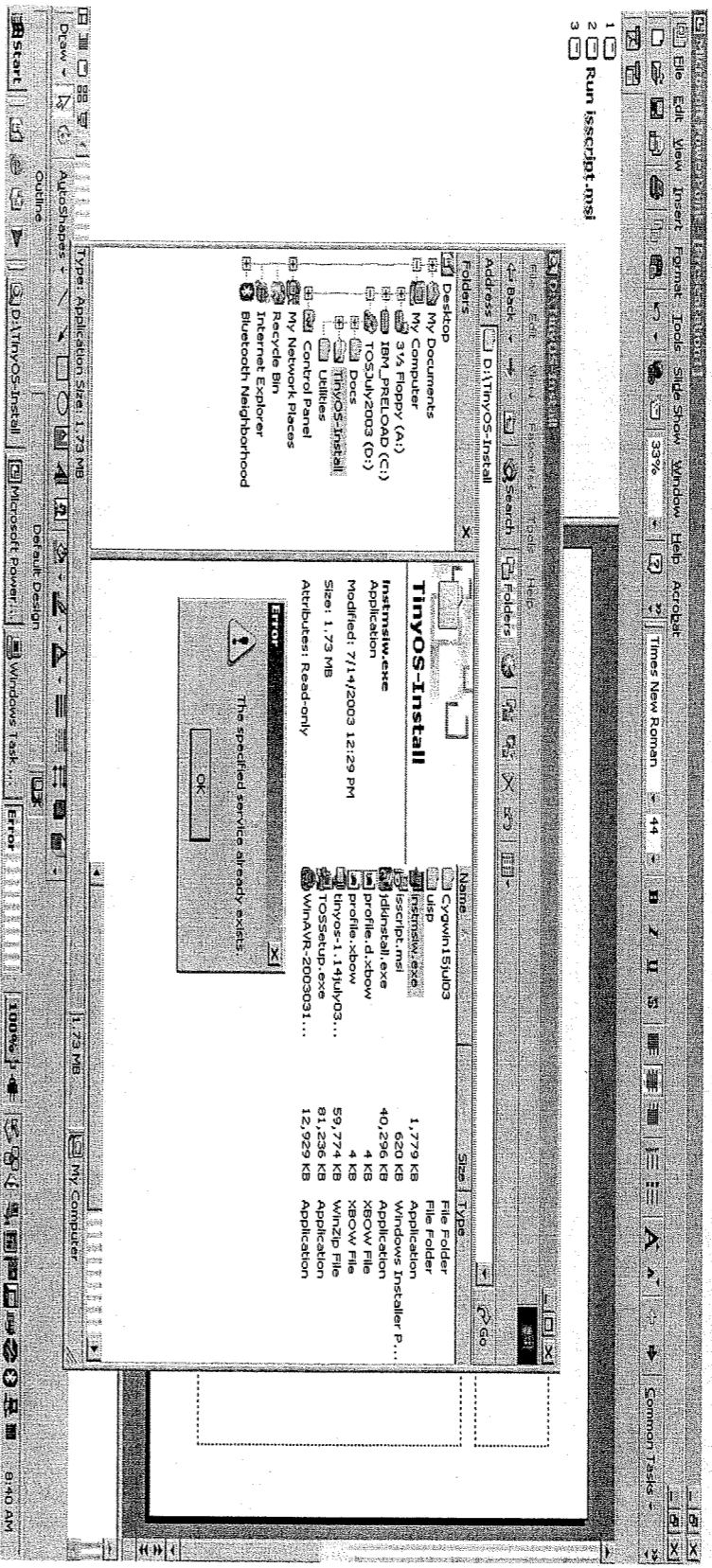


TinyOS Setup

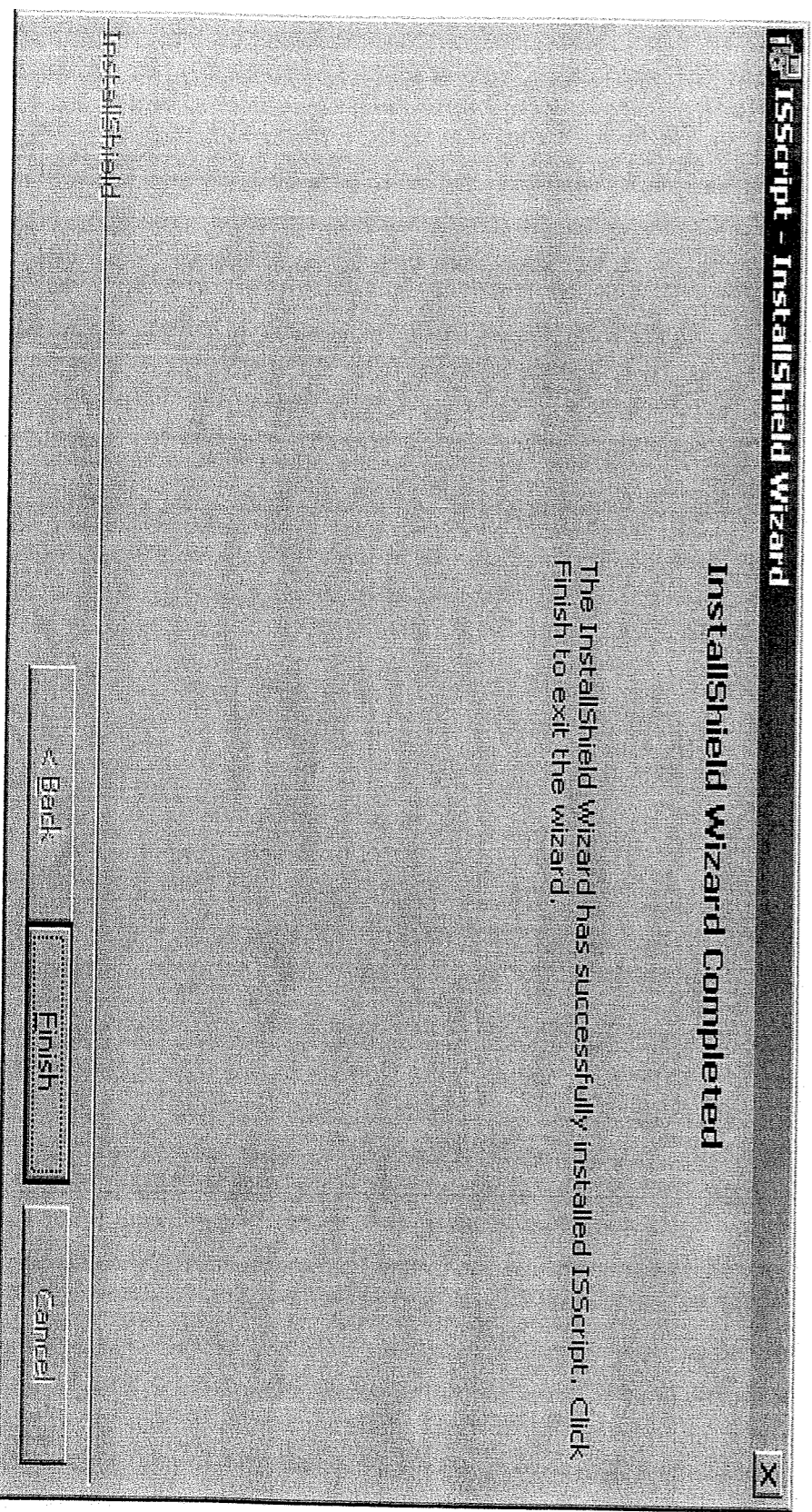


Run Install Services

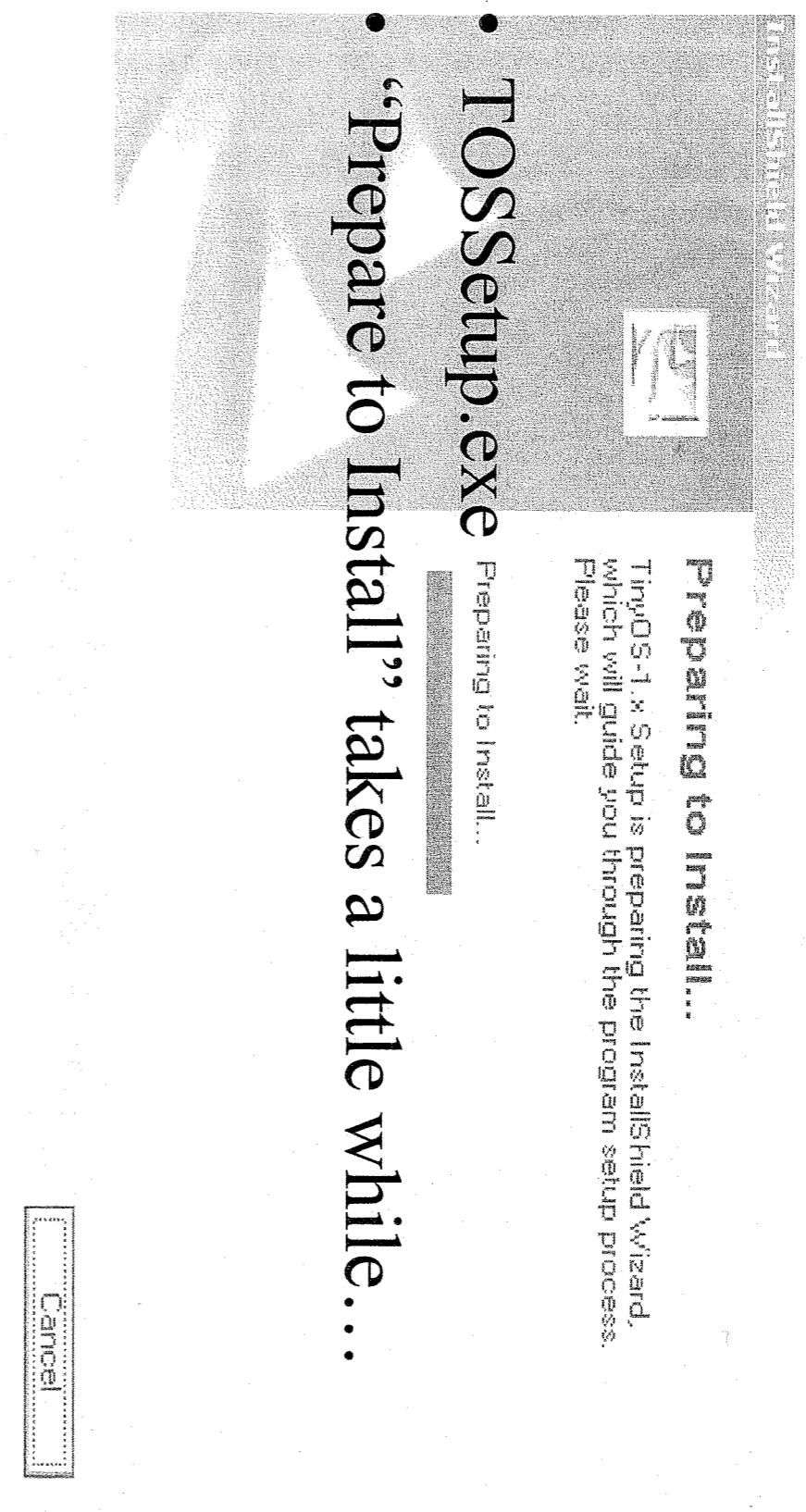
- cdrom:/Tinyos-Install/instmsiw.exe



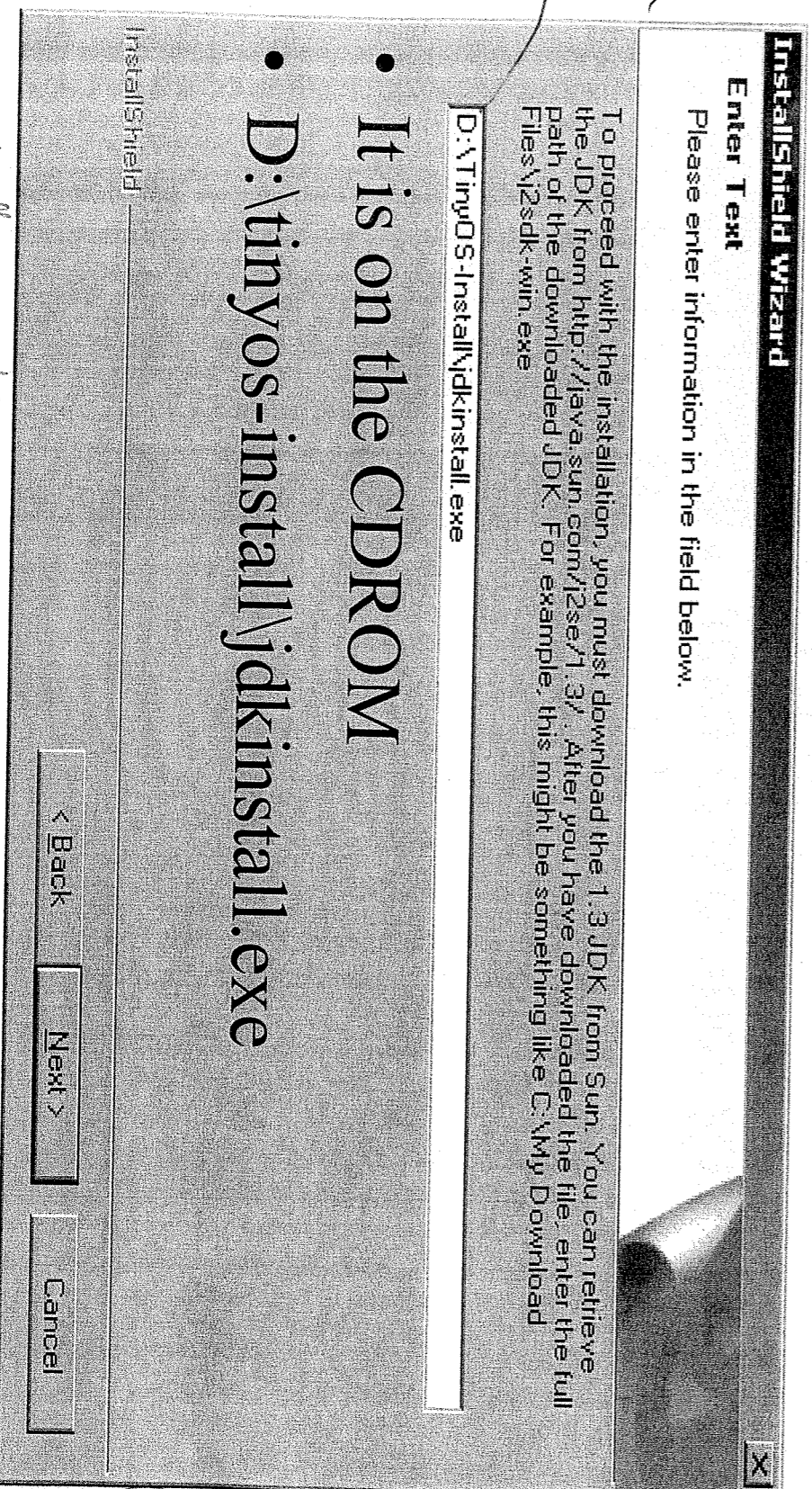
Run isscript.msi



TOS1.0 Baseline Install



Specify jdkinstall.exe path



TOS Install Setup Status

InstallShield Wizard

Setup Status

TinyOS-1.x Setup is performing the requested operations.

- Cygwin – UNIX Shell
- Avrgcc
- TOS 1.0 Baseline
- Graphviz
- Java Developer Kit
- Utilities

C:\cygwin\bin\gzip.exe



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Cancel

TOS Baseline Installed

InstallShield Wizard



InstallShield Wizard Complete

Setup has finished installing TinyOS-1.x on your computer.

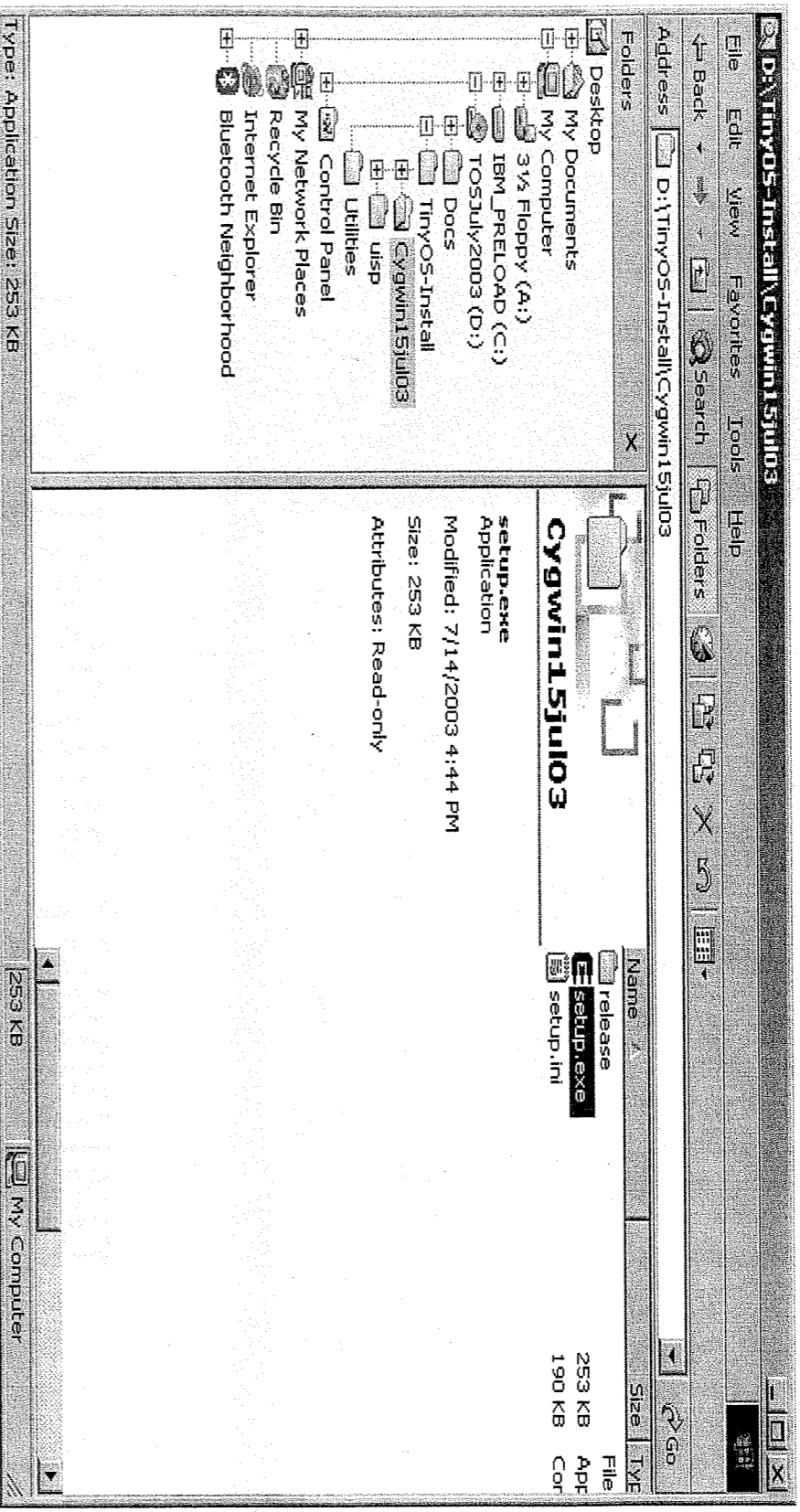
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Finish

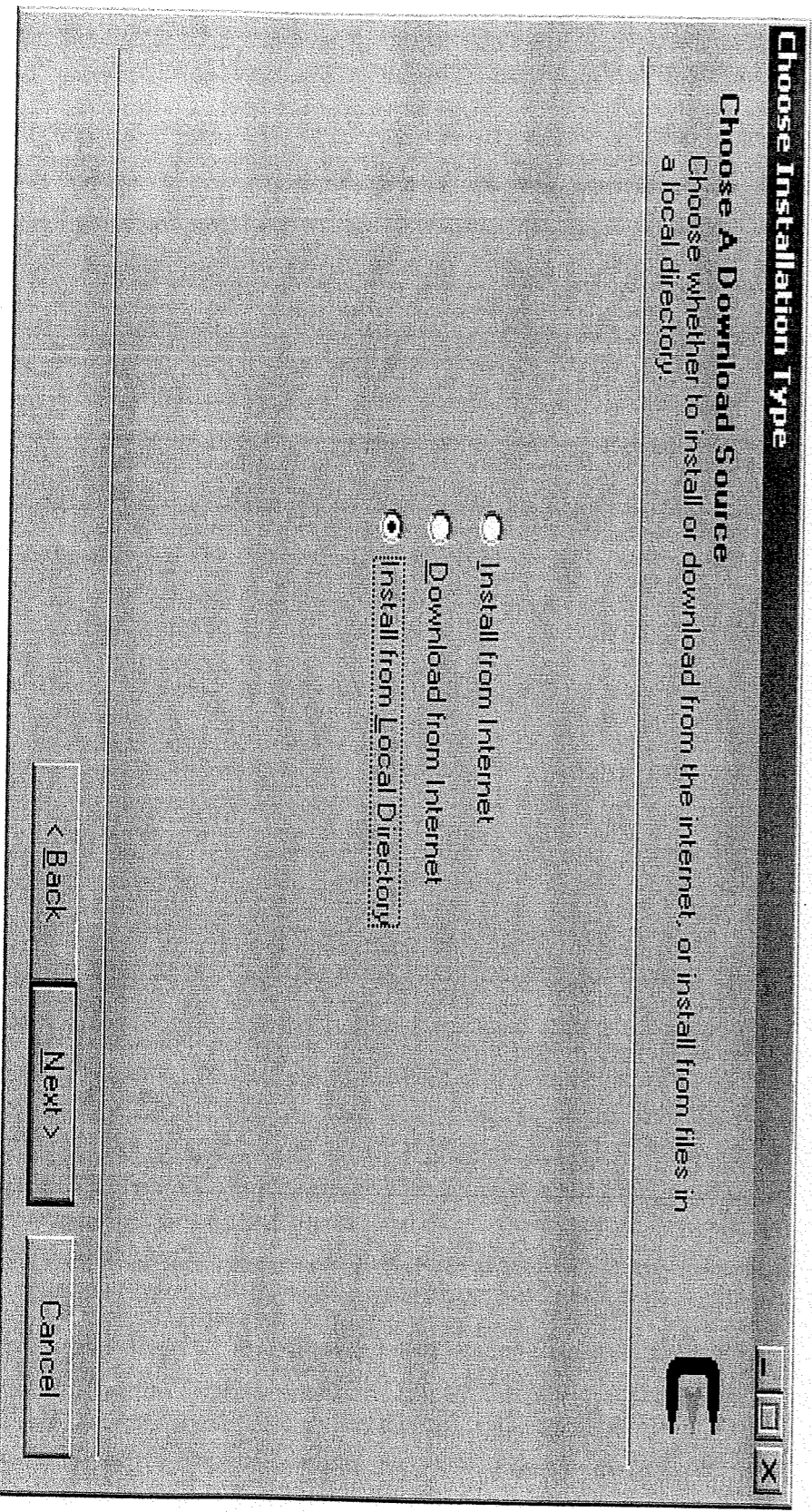
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Cygwin Update

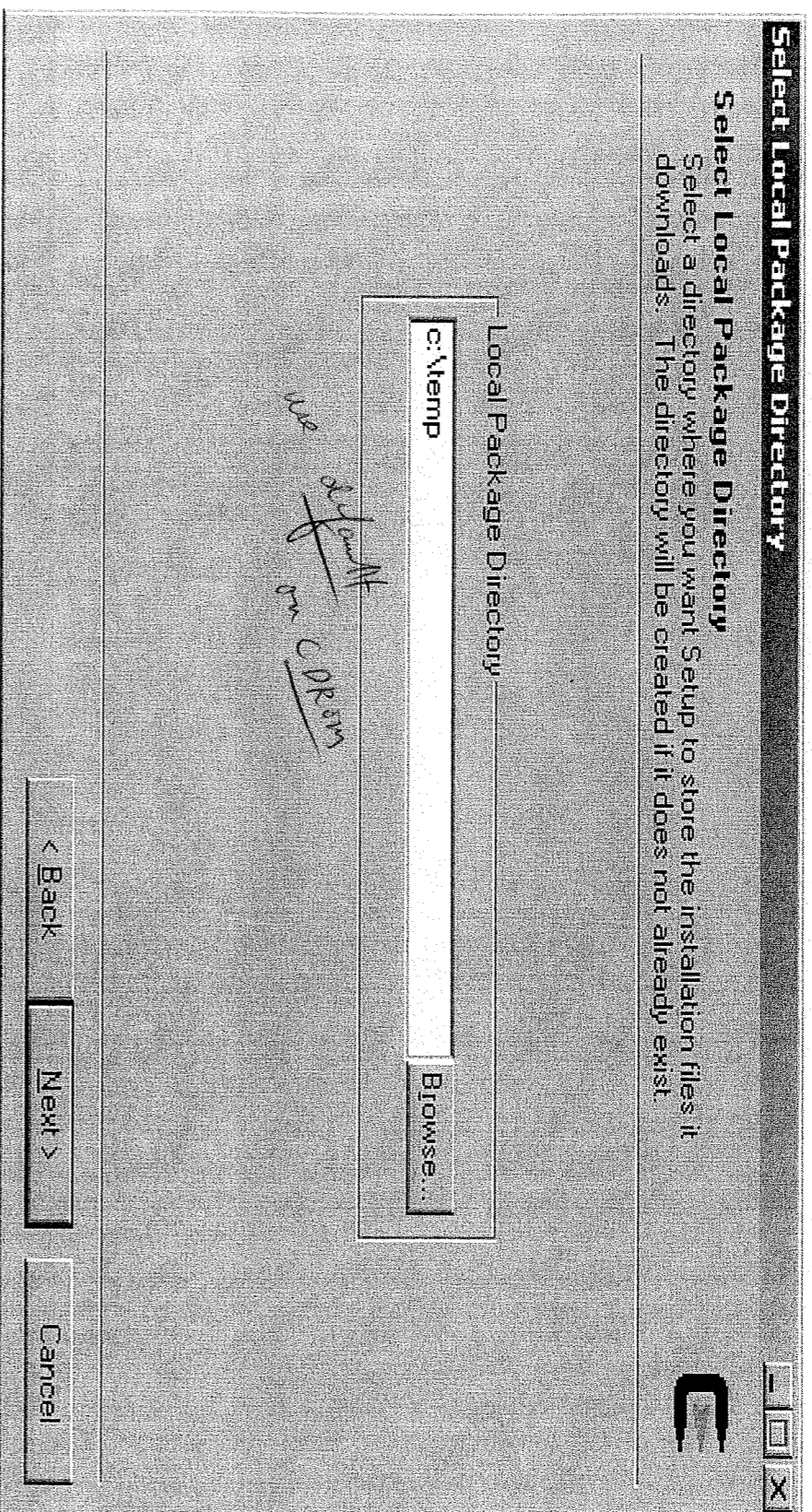
*we should
? already install cygwin
(this is for parsons
already install old version)*



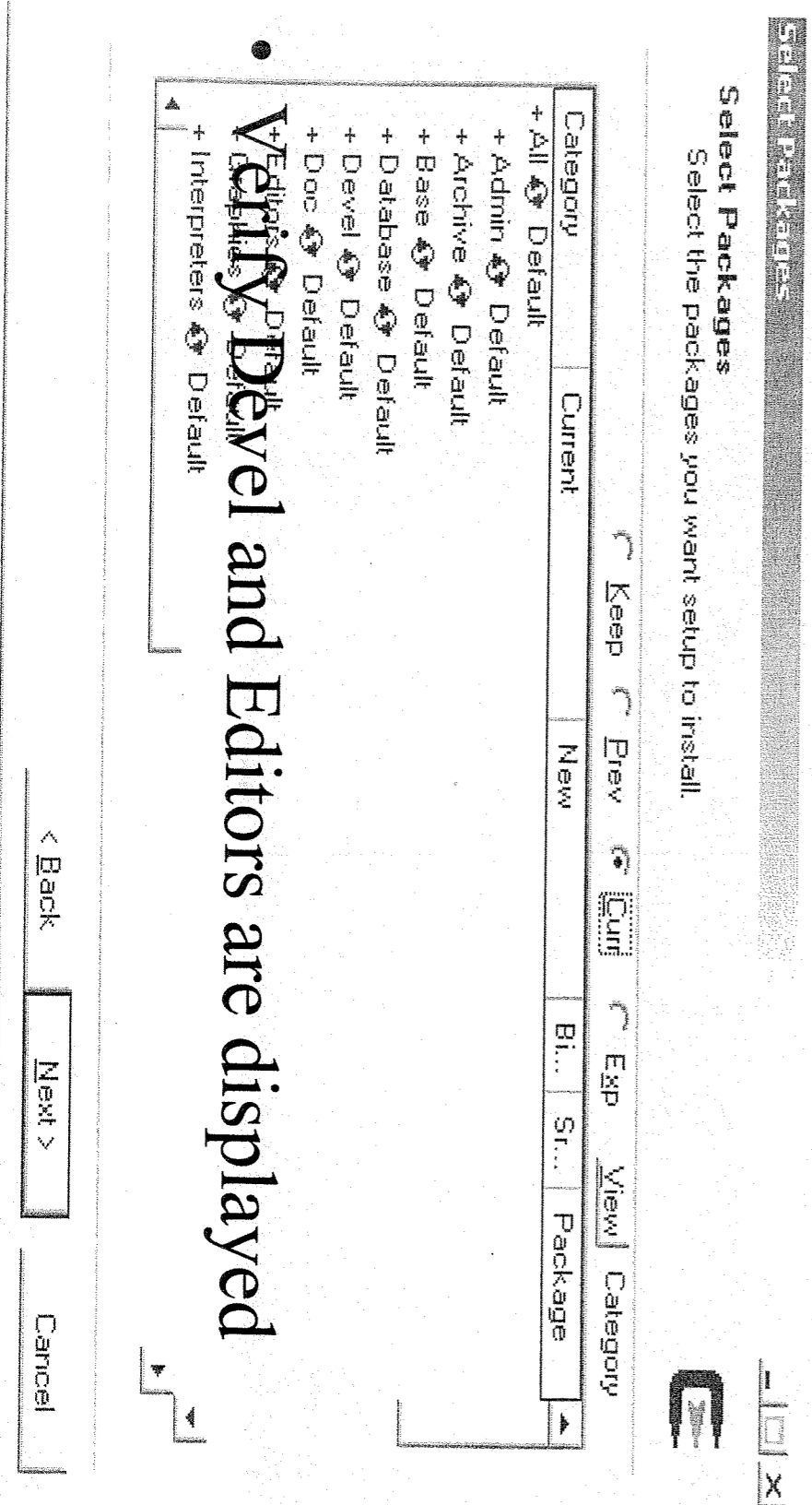
Cygwin Install from Local



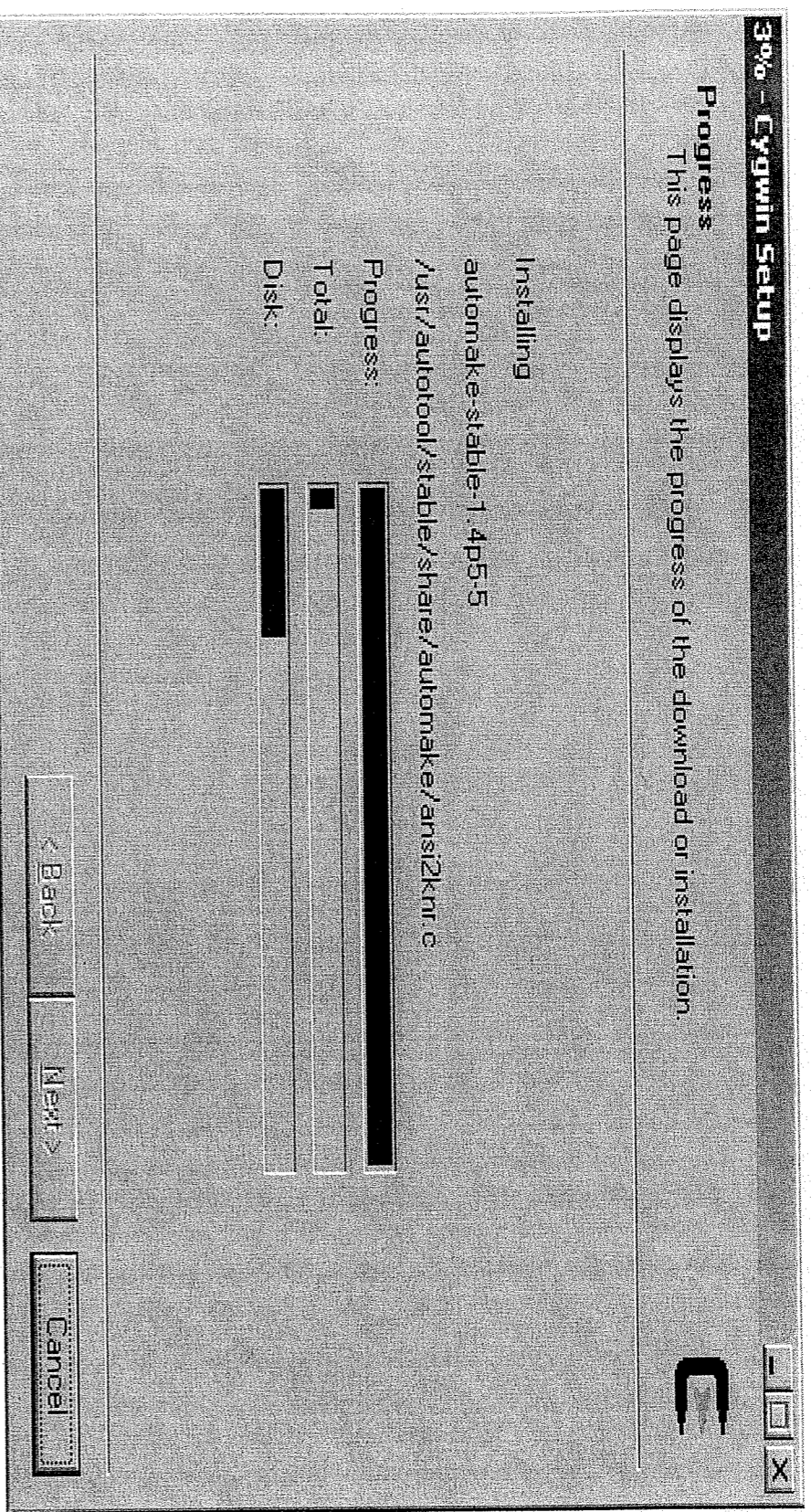
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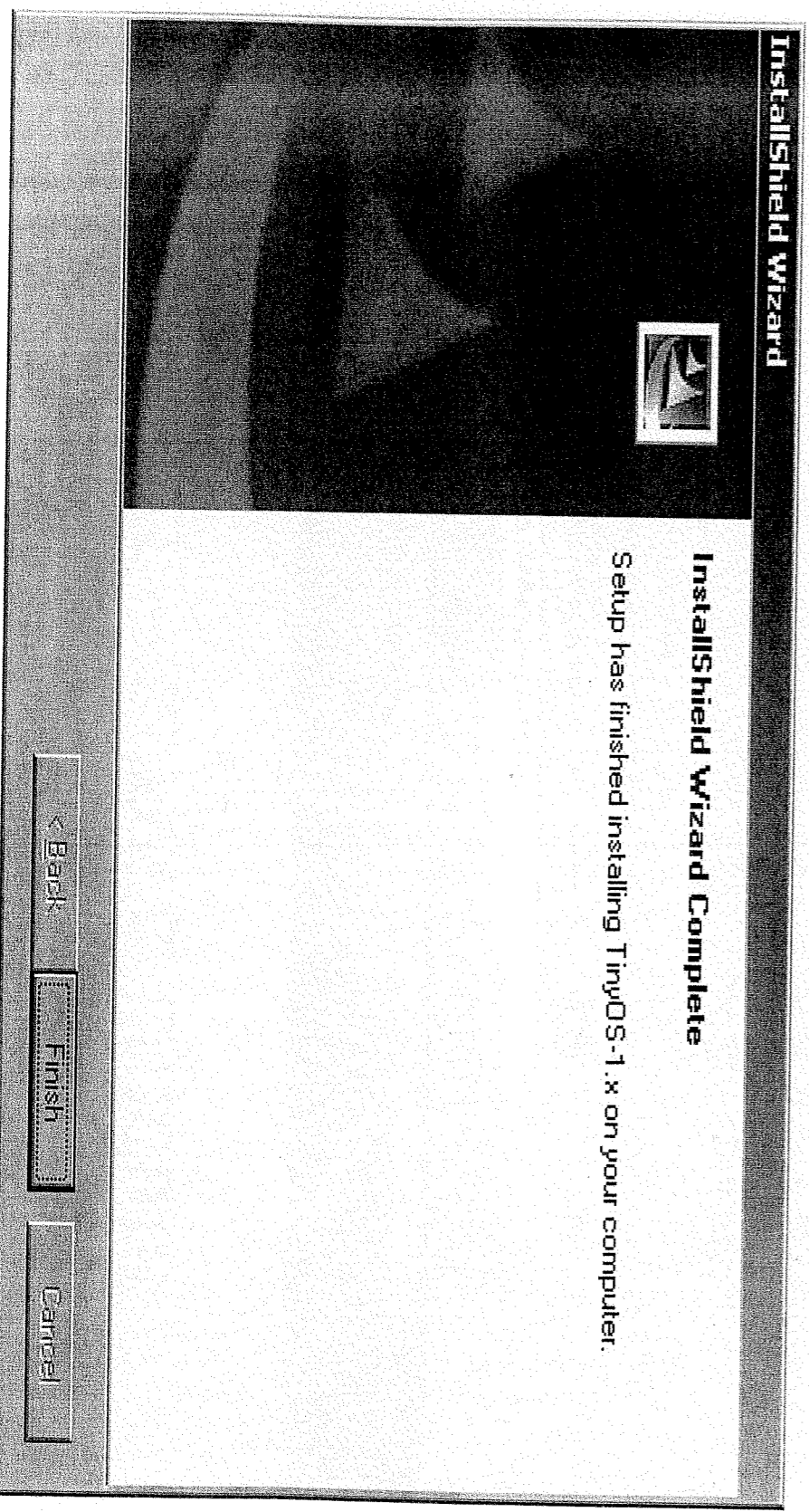
Cygwin Update Select Packages



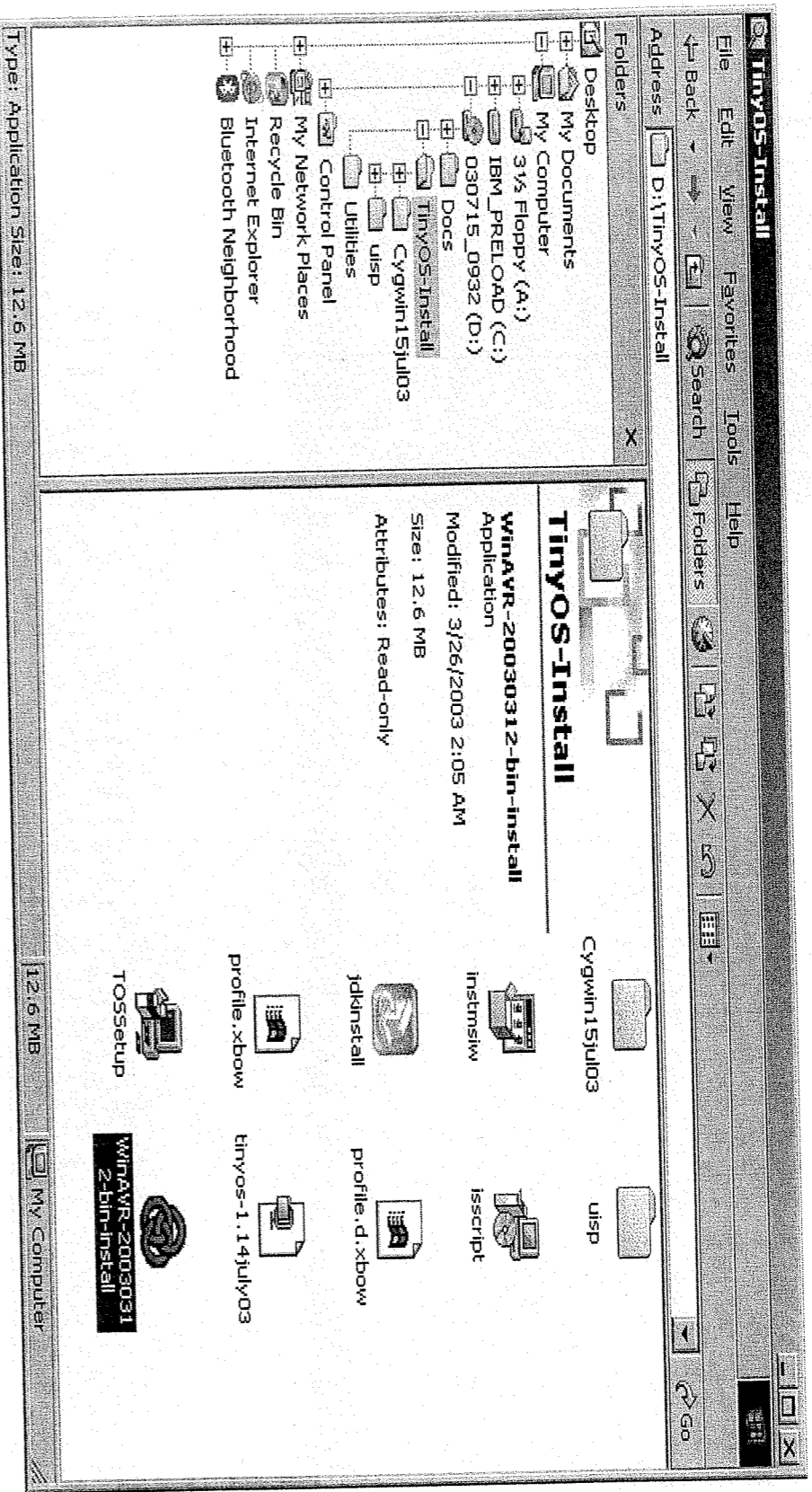
Cygwin Updating



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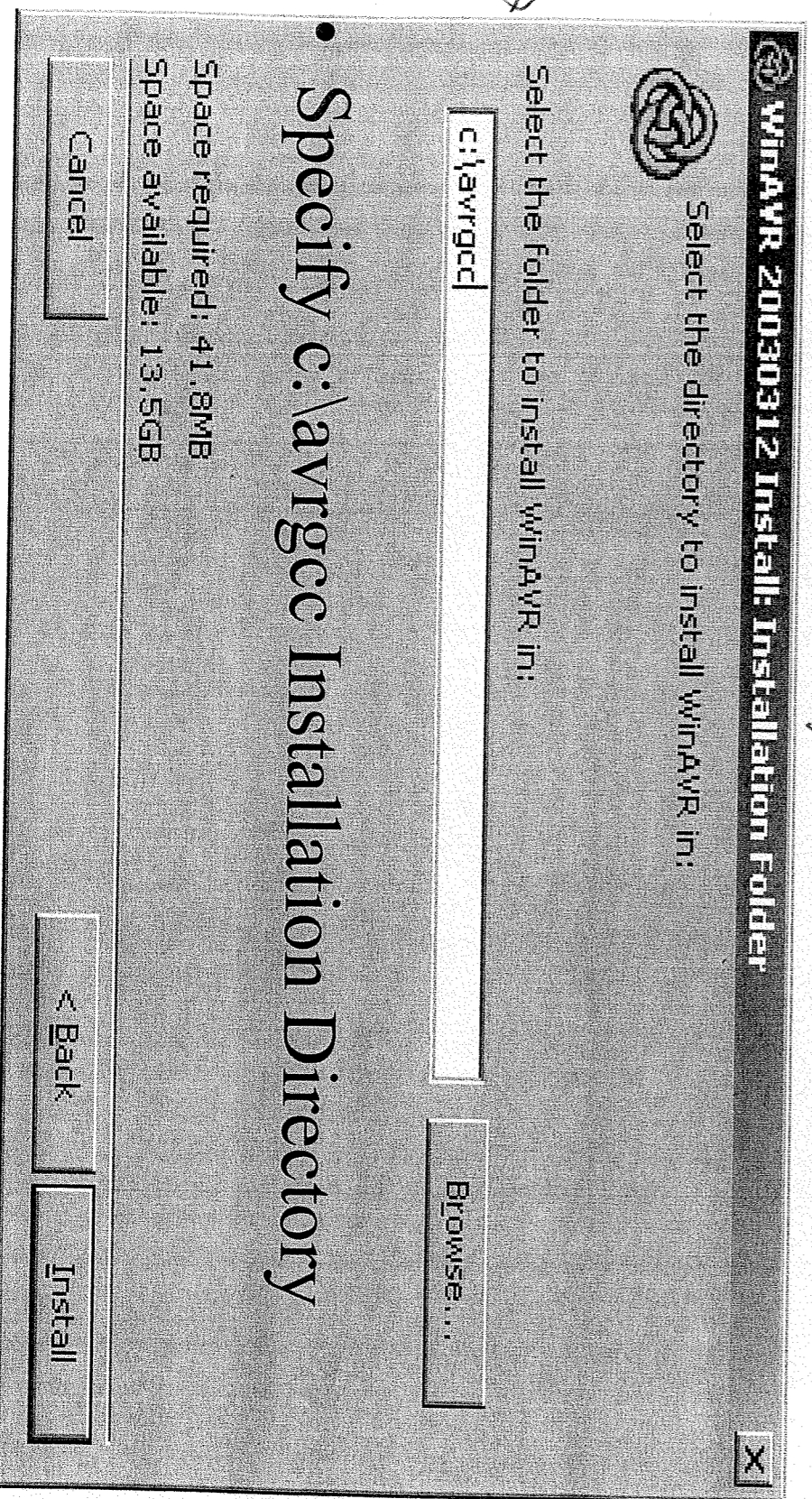


WinAVR - avrgcc Update

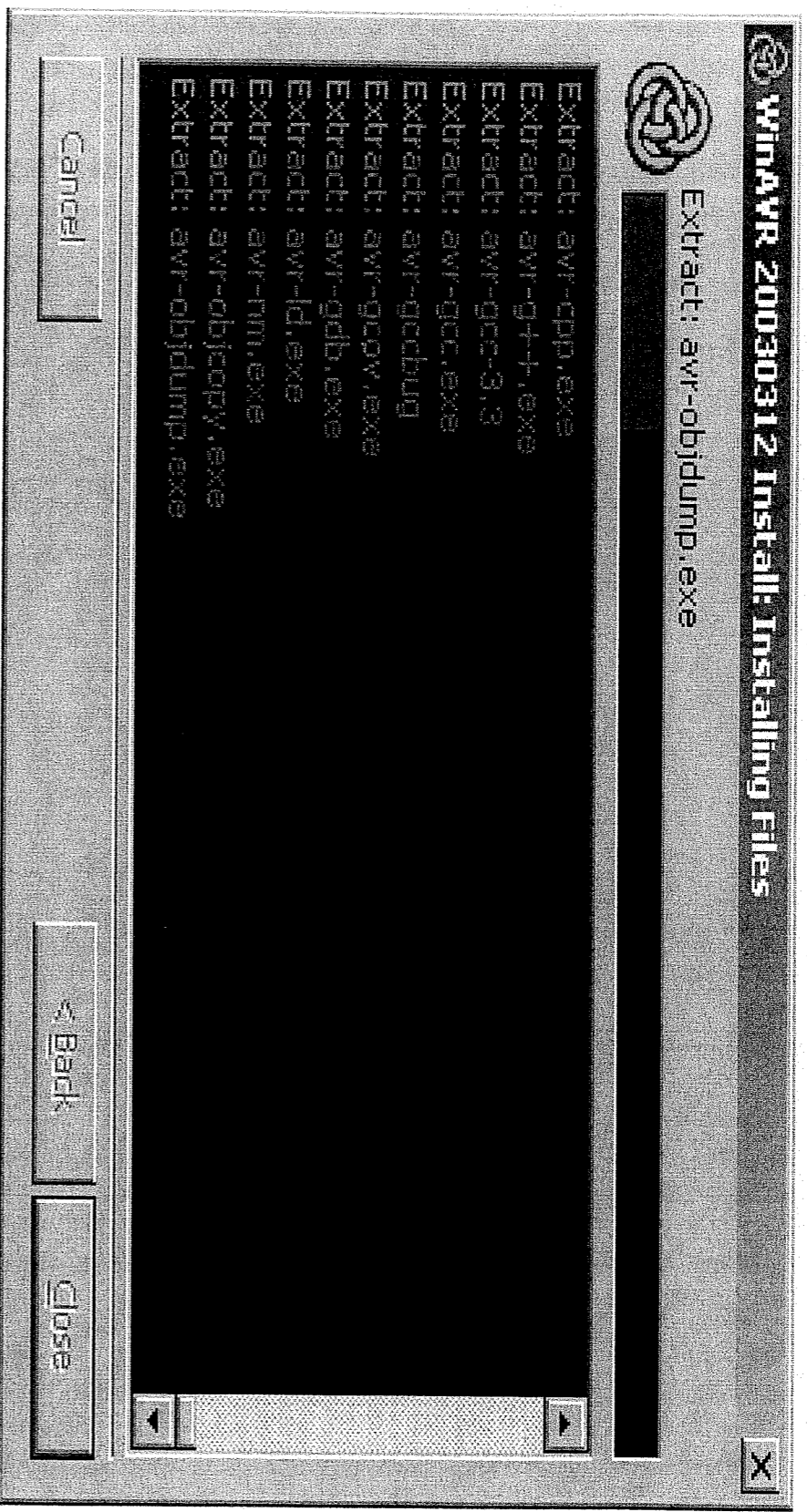


AVrgcc Update

replace c:\winavr with c:\avrgcc

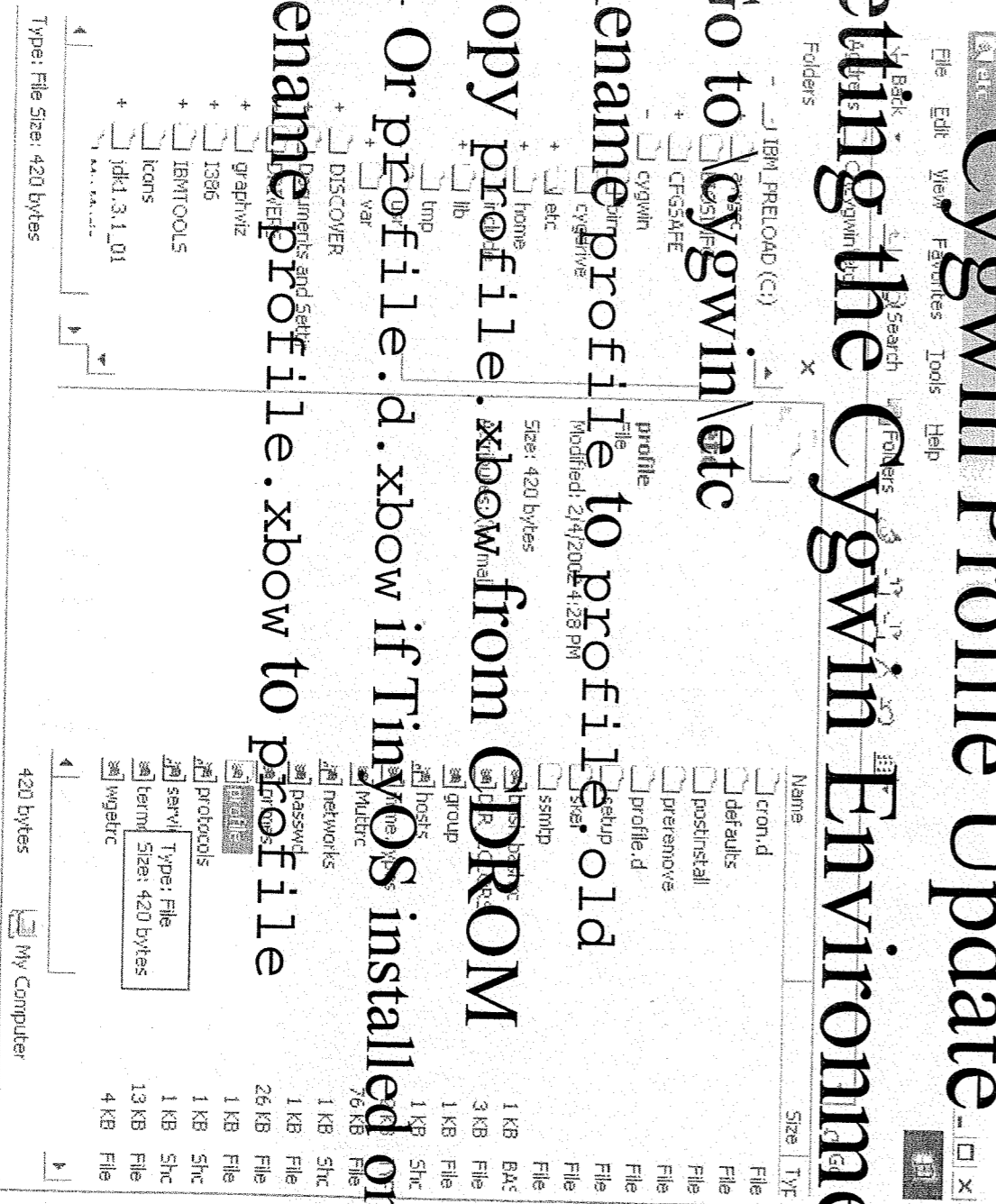


Avrgcc Update Installing Files



Cygwin Profile Update Setting the Cygwin Environment

- Go to `\Cygwin\etc`
- Rename profile to profile.old
- Copy profile.xbow from CDROM
 - Or profile.d.xbow if TinyOS installed on D:
- Rename profile.xbow to profile



*rename
alias
in profile
from c:\
to d:*

Cygwin Test

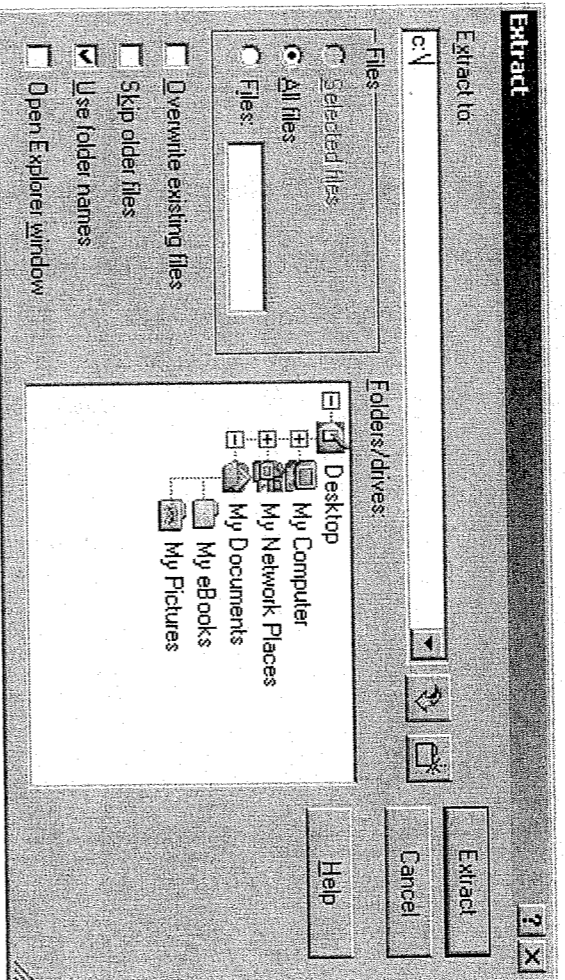
- Click on **CYGWIN** Icon
- `$ ls`
- `$ alias`
- `$ cd tinyos`
- `$ avr-gcc -version`
- `_ verify 3.3`
- `$ exit`
- All commands are **CASE sensitive**

TinyOS 1.1 Beta Update

The screenshot shows a Windows Explorer window titled "D:\TinyOS-Install". The address bar shows the path "D:\TinyOS-Install". The left pane shows the "Folders" list with items like "jdk1.3.1_01", "My Music", "OfficeScan NT", "Program Files", "OCININT", "SUPPORT", "THINKPAD", "WININT", "VALDEADD", and "WINZIP". The right pane shows the contents of the "TinyOS-Install" folder, including "Cygwin15jul03", "instnstw", "jdkinstall", "profile.d.xbow", "profile.xbow", "TOSSetup", "WinAVR-20030...", "usip", and "isscript". A text overlay in the center of the window reads: "Rename c:\tinyos-1.x to tinyos-1.x.old Requires WINZIP to install".

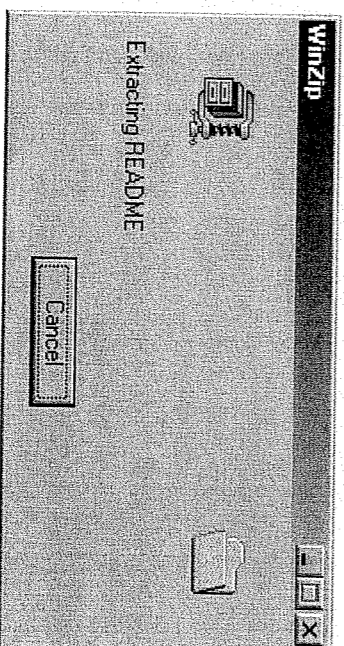
Unzip TinyOS-14July03.zip

- Select EXTRACT Panel
- Specify c:\ (or d:\) as "Extract to:"
- Press Extract



TinyOS 14July03 Update

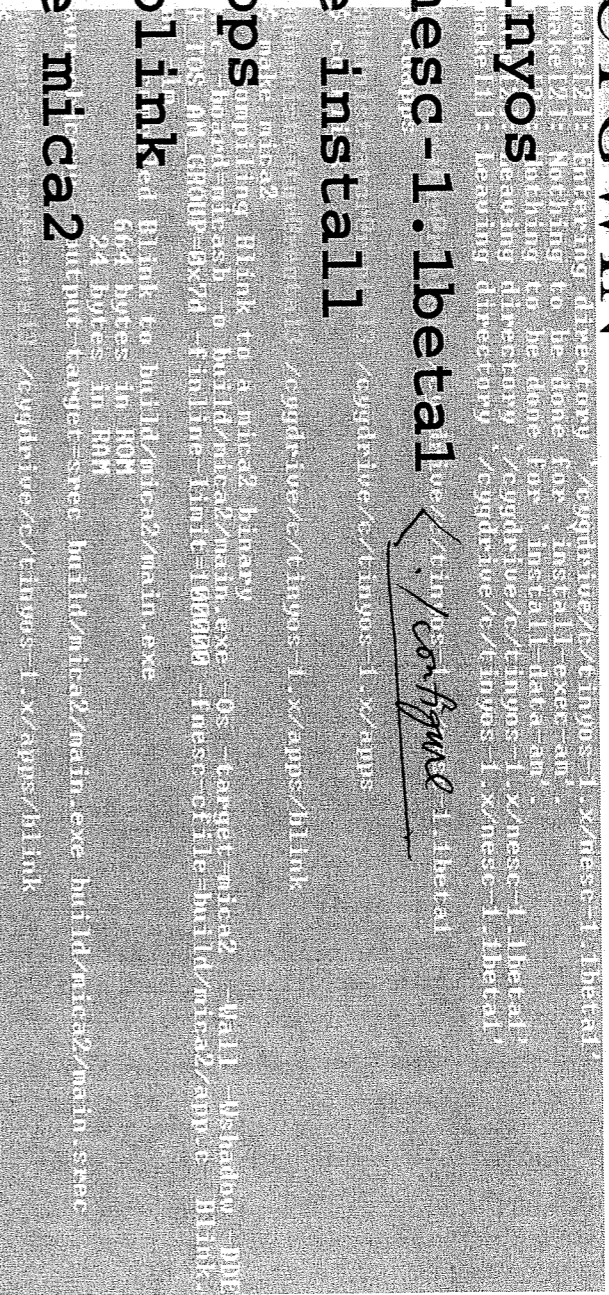
- Close WINZIP when finished



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TinyOS-03
path over.*

Nesc-1.1Beta Update

- Open CYGWIN
- \$ cd tinyos
- \$ cd nesc-1.1beta
- \$ make install
- \$ cdapps
- \$ cd blink
- \$ make mica2
- \$ exit



```
~/nesc-1.1beta
~/nesc-1.1beta$ make install
Nothing to be done for 'install-data-am'
~/nesc-1.1beta$ cdapps
~/nesc-1.1beta$ cd blink
~/nesc-1.1beta$ make mica2
/bin/sh: ./configure: not found
~/nesc-1.1beta$ cdapps/blink
~/cygdrive/c/tinyos-1.x/apps/blink
~/cygdrive/c/tinyos-1.x/apps/blink$ ls -l
-rwxr-xr-x 1 user user 1024 2006-08-21 10:00 ./target-mica2-main.exe
-rwxr-xr-x 1 user user 1024 2006-08-21 10:00 ./target-mica2-applet
-rwxr-xr-x 1 user user 1024 2006-08-21 10:00 ./target-mica2-main.spec
~/cygdrive/c/tinyos-1.x/apps/blink$
```

Makerules Update

- *we will edit make rules in Tinyos-1.x/cypr*
Group ID *so that all app generated will use specific Group ID*
- PROGRAMMER FLAGS *edit the following file*
- Use Programmer: Notepad (icon on desktop)
 - Tinyos-1.x/apps/makerules
- Specify user values in MakeLocal to override the defaults here if needed `DEFAULT_LOCAL_GROUP`
- `DEFAULT_LOCAL_GROUP := 0x7d #USE YOURBADGE ID`
- #if Thinkpad
- PROGRAMMER_EXTRA_FLAGS := -d1pt=3

uisp Universal In System Programmer Build

```
• Open Cygwin
  /cygdrive/c/tnyos-1.x/tools
• $ cd tools
  /cygdrive/c/tnyos-1.x/tools/src
• $ cd src/uisp
  /cygdrive/c/tnyos-1.x/tools/src
• $ ./configure
  /cygdrive/c/tnyos-1.x/tools/src
• $ cd src
  /cygdrive/c/tnyos-1.x/tools/src/uisp
• $ make
  TODO
  accountfig.h  configure.in  kernel  uisp-1.in
  Makefile.am  aclocal.m4  doc  pavr  uisp.spec
  Makefile.in  configure  install-givein  uisp
  /cygdrive/c/tnyos-1.x/tools/src/uisp
• $ cd ../kernel/win32 src/bin/install -e
  checking whether build environment is sane... yes
• $ make
  make sets $(MAKE)... yes
$ make install
```

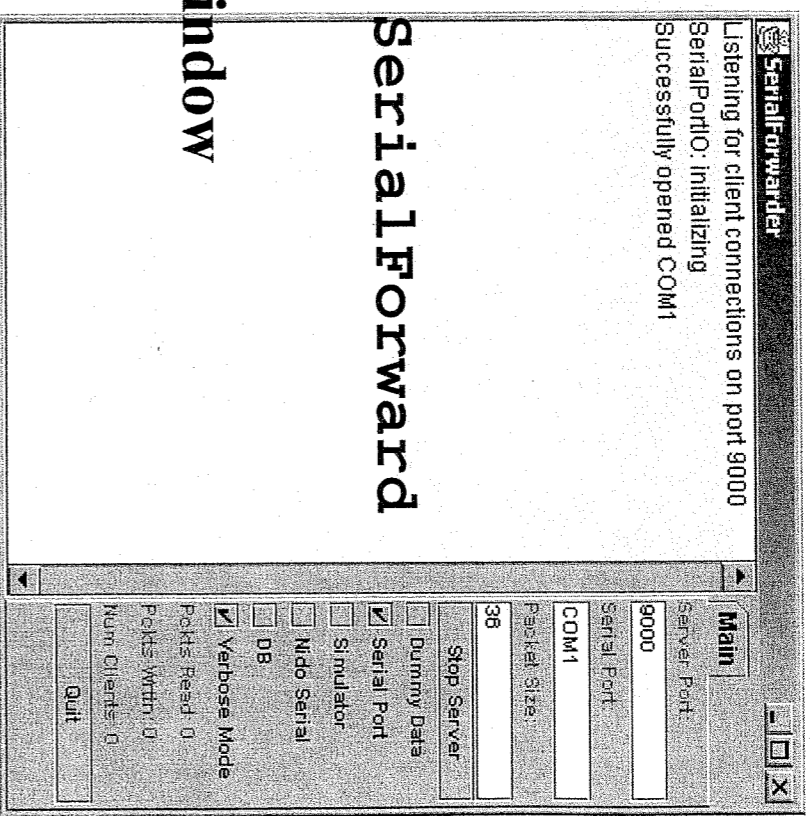
uisp Test

- Plug MIB500 in to LPT Port → we can also use serial port (my laptop does not have parallel port)
- Plug MICA2 in to MIB500
Try the USB device instead
- Plug-in Power
but it serial port also not work
we got an serial was 510 instead)
- \$ uisp --version
Version 20030618
- \$ uisp -dprog=dapa --rd_fuses
Read Only
- \$ uisp -dprog=dapa -dlpt=3 --rd_fuses (IBM Thinkpad)
- Displays ATMega CPU configuration
- \$ uisp -dprog=dapa -dlpt=3 --rd_fuses (IBM Thinkpad)

we -dlpt=1 (since the parallel port is in 1)

Java Tool Test

- Cygwin
- \$ cdtools
- \$ cd java
- \$ java net.tinyos.sf.SerialForward
- Close the SerialForwarder window



TinyOS Document Generator



- Cygwin
- \$ cdapps
- \$ cd blink
- \$ make docs mica2
- Explorer \tinyos-1.x\docs\nesdoc\micca2\index.html
- Select apps
- Open blink

TinyOS 1.1Beta

Install Complete

- 😊 **Installed**
 - TinyOS-1.x, Cygwin, avrgcc, wisp, java are running
- 😞 **Problems**
 - Notify a Crossbow TOS Trainer

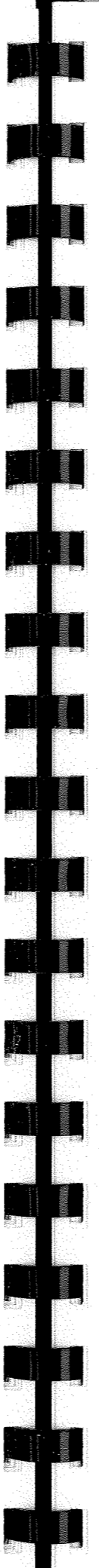


TOS Development Flow

- Create Application wiring interfaces
- Build application via “make”
 - nesc locates & pre-compiles all required components
 - Avr-gcc gnu compiler compiles/assembles modules for specified platform
 - Avr-ld gnu links into an executable for specific target
- Install executable on Target via programming cable.
 - Or Simulate on PC “make pc”
- Debug Application using LEDs and/or JTAG

make

- Build is controlled by 2 script files
 - makefile in application's directory
 - Application specific options eg SensorBoard
 - makerules in ../apps directory
 - System specific options
 - Platform options
 - Debugging options
- Details will be covered in a later Session



Target IDs

- Group ID
 - Collection of Motes form a Group
 - Messages are local to a Group
 - GroupID is SET in makerules
 - Edit your tinyos/apps/makerules NOW using ID# on Name Tag
- Mote ID
 - Specific Mote with in a Group
 - MoteID set during install of exe into target
 - make install.[moteid] mica2
 - Use MoteID = 10 (decimal)

TinyOS make options

- Platforms: mica2, mica2dot, (legacy rene2, mica, mica128), (simulation pc)
- All — all platforms
- Clean — erase all built files, cleanup
- Install[.moteid] <platform> - build and download binary into target
- Docs - documentation

TinyOS Directory Structure

Apps	Standard TOS Applications and Test Programs
Contrib	User contributions
Doc	Documentation & Tutorials
Nesc	NesC pre-compiler source
Tools	Development utilities and programs
Tos	Tiny OS modules and interfaces

TOS Sub-Directory

Interfaces	TOS component interfaces
Lib	Libraries – incl TinyDB, Route
Platform	Mote Platform specific drivers
Sensorboards	Sensor Board drivers
System	Mote System drivers – EEPROM, UART
Types	Special type definitions

MICA2 Platform Topics

- The MICA2 uses an Atmel ATMEga128
- ATMEga128 Operating Modes controlled by “fuses”
 - CPU clock source, Debug, Legacy Modes
- Corruption/Inadvertent fuse changes can stop the ATMEga CPU functioning
- Recover by knowing how to reset fuses

ATMega Fuses

- AT103 Compatibility Mode [OFFF]
 - Disable Legacy (MICA). Note older MICAs were shipped with this fuse ENABLED
- JTAG [OFFF]
- ON-CHIP Debug [OFFF]
- BROWN-OUT Detect [OFFF]

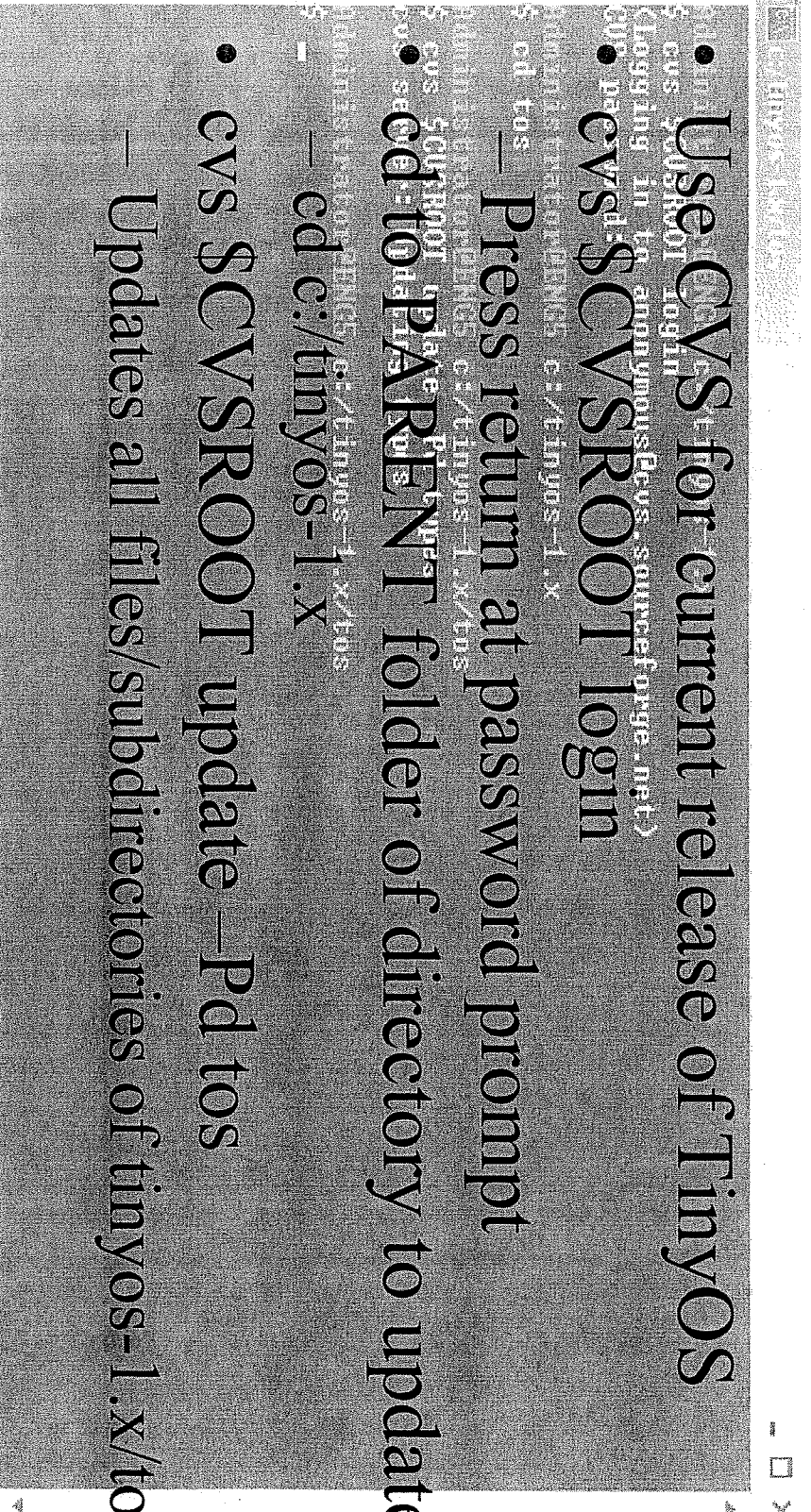
Standard ATMega-128 Fuse

- ATMega 128 Native (not 103 Compatible)
- JTAG Off (ADC Channels 4 thru 7 work)
- To Set fuses
 - uisp -dprog=dapa --wr_fuse_h=0xd9
 - uisp -dprog=dapa --wr_fuse_e=0xff
- Alias Scripts
 - \$ fusejtagon & \$ fusejtagoff
 - \$ fuse128 & \$ fuse103

JTAG AT Mega-128 Fuse

- JTAG & ON-Chip Debug Enabled
- ADC Channels 4, 5, 6, & 7 reserved for JTAG
- Low Power SLEEP mode draws 2mA!
- To Set fuses for JTAG debug
 - uisp -dprog=dapa --wr_fuse_h=0x19
 - uisp -dprog=dapa --wr_fuse_e=0xFF

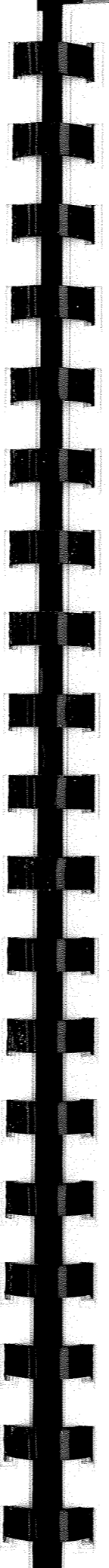
Retrieving Current TOS Versions Using CVS

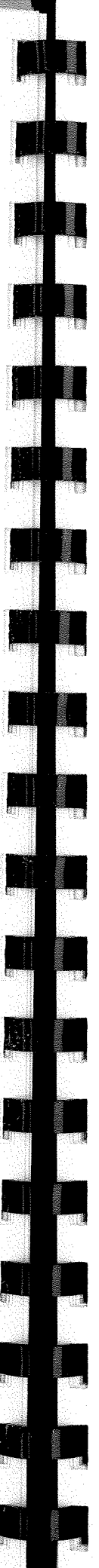
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- ```
tinyc@tinyc:~/tinyc$ cd c:/tinyc-1.x/fus
tinyc@tinyc:~/tinyc-1.x/fus$ cvs $CVSROOT login
Logging in to anonymousCVS sourceforge.net)
tinyc@tinyc:~/tinyc-1.x/fus$ cd tos
tinyc@tinyc:~/tinyc-1.x/tos$ cd toPARENT folder of directory to update
tinyc@tinyc:~/tinyc-1.x/tos$ - cd c:/tinycos-1.x
tinyc@tinyc:~/tinycos-1.x$ cvs $CVSROOT update -Pd tos
- Updates all files/subdirectories of tinycos-1.x/tos
```
- Use CVS for current release of TinyOS
    - cvs \$CVSROOT login
  - Press return at password prompt
  - cd to PARENT folder of directory to update
    - cd c:/tinycos-1.x
  - cvs \$CVSROOT update -Pd tos
    - Updates all files/subdirectories of tinycos-1.x/tos



# Conclusion

- Installation Complete
- Review
  - Tool Sequence
  - Tool Installation for MS-Windows
  - Tool Description





## Introduction to TinyOS and nescC Programming

- TinyOS Kernel Design and Implementation
- nescC Software Concepts and Basic Syntax
- nescC Code Lab
- TinyOS Packet Networking and PC Base Station Lab

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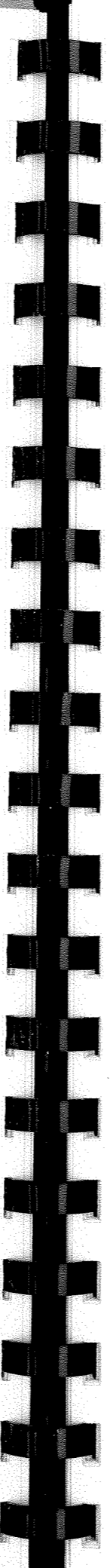


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## TinyOS Design Goals

- Support Networked Embedded Systems
  - asleep but remain vigilant to stimuli
  - bursts of events and operations
- Support Mica Hardware
  - power, sensing, computation, communication
- Support Technological Advances
  - keep scaling down
  - smaller, cheaper, lower power

  
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## TinyOS Design Options

- Can't Use Existing RTOS's
  - Microkernel Architecture
    - VxWorks, QNX, WinCE, PalmOS *LINUX*
  - Execution Similar to Desktop Systems
    - PDA's, Cell Phones, Embedded PC's
  - More Than a Order of Magnitude Too Heavy & Slow
- Energy Hog

*{ Network Stack  
not suitable }*

## TinyOS Design Conclusion

- **Similar** to Building Networking Interfaces
  - Data Driven Execution
  - Manage Large # of Concurrent Data Flows
  - Manage Large # of Outstanding Events
- **Add:** Managing Application Data Processing
- Conclusion: Need a Multi Threading Engine
  - Extremely Efficient
  - Extremely Simple

  
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## TinyOS Kernel Design

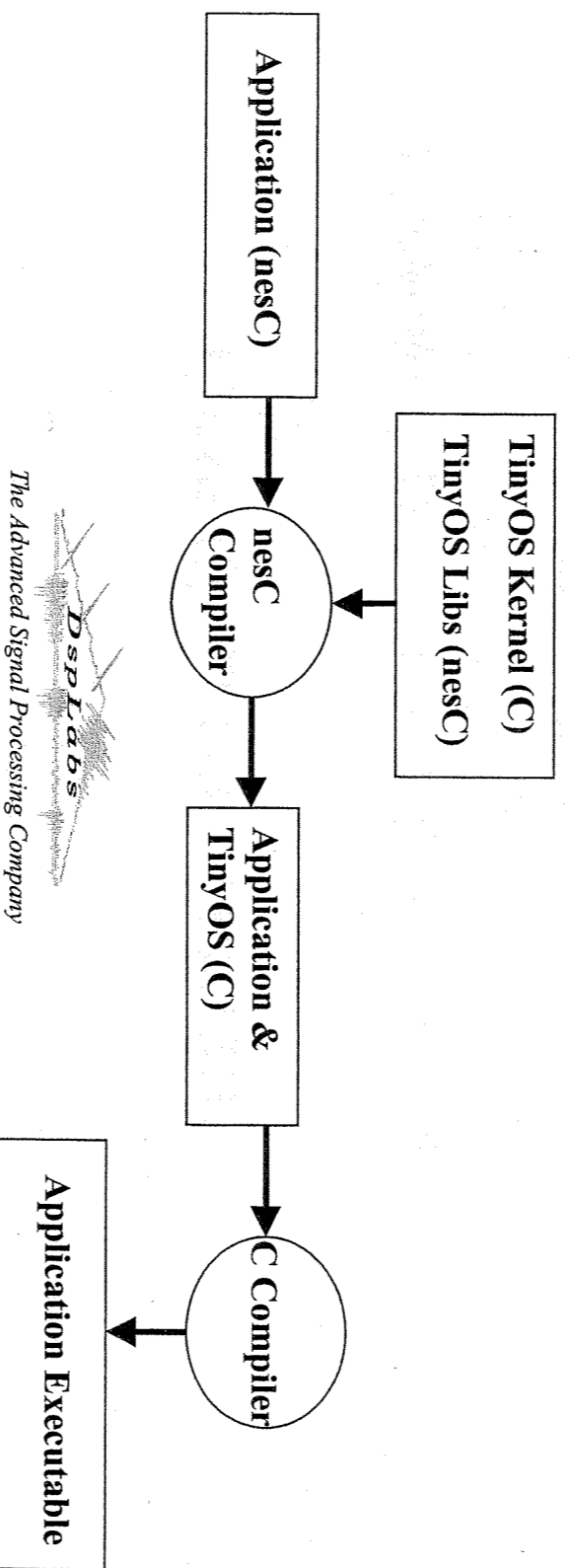
- TinyOS Kernel: 2 Level Scheduling Structure
  - Events
    - Small Amount of Processing
    - E.g. Timer, ADC Interrupts
    - Can Interrupt Longer Running Tasks
  - Tasks
    - Not Time Critical
    - Tasks - Larger Amount of Processing
    - E.g. Computing an Average on an Array
    - Run to Completion WRT other Tasks
      - Implies Only Need a Single Stack

  
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# TinyOS Applications Under The Hood

- Application is created in the nesC Language
  - Details of nesC Forthcoming
- nesC Programming Language Supports the TinyOS Kernel Design (Events and Tasks)



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## The TinyOS Kernel Under The Hood (nesC Compiler C Code Output)

```

int main(void) {
 RealMain$hardwareInit();
 TOSH_sched_init();

 RealMain$StdControl$init();
 RealMain$StdControl$start();
 RealMain$Interrupts$enable();

 while (1) {
 TOSH_run_task();
 }

 static inline void TOSH_run_task(void) {
 while (TOSH_run_next_task()) {
 TOSH_sleep();
 TOSH_wait();
 }
 }
}

```

Hardware and Kernel Initialization

Application Initialization

Infinite Loop

```

bool TOSH_run_next_task(void) {
 uint8_t old_full;
 void (*func)(void);
 if (TOSH_sched_full == TOSH_sched_free) {
 return 0;
 }
 else {
 old_full = TOSH_sched_full;
 TOSH_sched_full++;
 TOSH_sched_full &= TOSH_TASK_BITMASK;
 func = TOSH_queue[(int)old_full].tp;
 TOSH_queue[(int)old_full].tp = 0;
 func();
 return 1;
 }
}

```

1. First Run All Tasks in the Task Queue (Strictly a FIFO)
  2. Then Sleep (In Low Power Mode)
  3. And Wait for an Interrupt
- Task Runs To Completion (But May Be Interrupted By An Event)

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# Overhead of TinyOS Primitive Operations

| Operation               | Cost(cycles) | Time(uSecs) | Normalized to Byte Copy |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
| Byte Copy               | 8            | 2           | 1                       |
| Signal an Event         | 10           | 2.5         | 1.25                    |
| Call a Command          | 10           | 2.5         | 1.25                    |
| Schedule a Task         | 46           | 11.5        | 6                       |
| Context Switch          | 51           | 12.75       | 6                       |
| Hardware Interrupt (hw) | 9            | 2.25        | 1                       |
| Hardware Interrupt (sw) | 71           | 17.75       | 9                       |

## Code and Data Size of the TinyOS kernel

|                | Code Size(bytes) | Data Size(bytes) |
|----------------|------------------|------------------|
| Processor Init | 172              | 30               |
| Scheduler      | 178              | 16               |
| C runtime      | 82               | 0                |
|                | 432              | 46               |

  
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## TinyOS/nesc Application Notes

- Everything is Static
  - No Dynamic Memory (no malloc)
  - No Function Pointers
  - No Heap
- nesc Compiler Analysis
  - Data Race Conditions
  - Function Inlining
  - Development Made Easier
  - Robustness Improved



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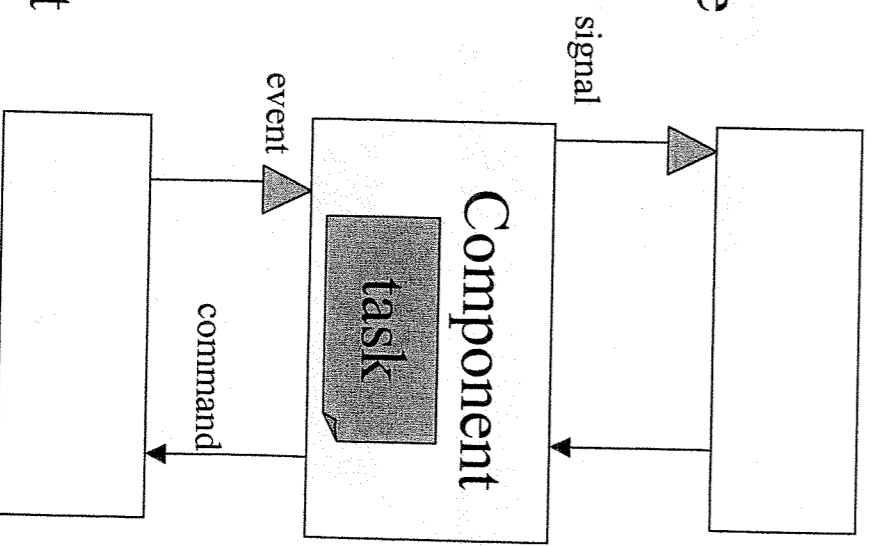
## Application Memory Map

- Text/code - Executable Code
  - In the 128K Program Flash
- data – Program Constants
  - In the 128K Program Flash
- bss - Variables
  - In the 4K SRAM
- Free Space - Fixed (No Dynamic Memory)
- stack - Grows Down in the Free Space

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## TinyOS Concepts Embodied by nesC – Tasks, Events, Commands

- **Tasks**
  - Background computation, non-time critical
- **Events**
  - Time critical
  - External Interrupts
  - Originator gives a 'Signal'
  - Receiver gets/accepts an 'Event'
- **Command**
  - Function call to another Component
  - Cannot **Signal**



# Concepts of SW Components

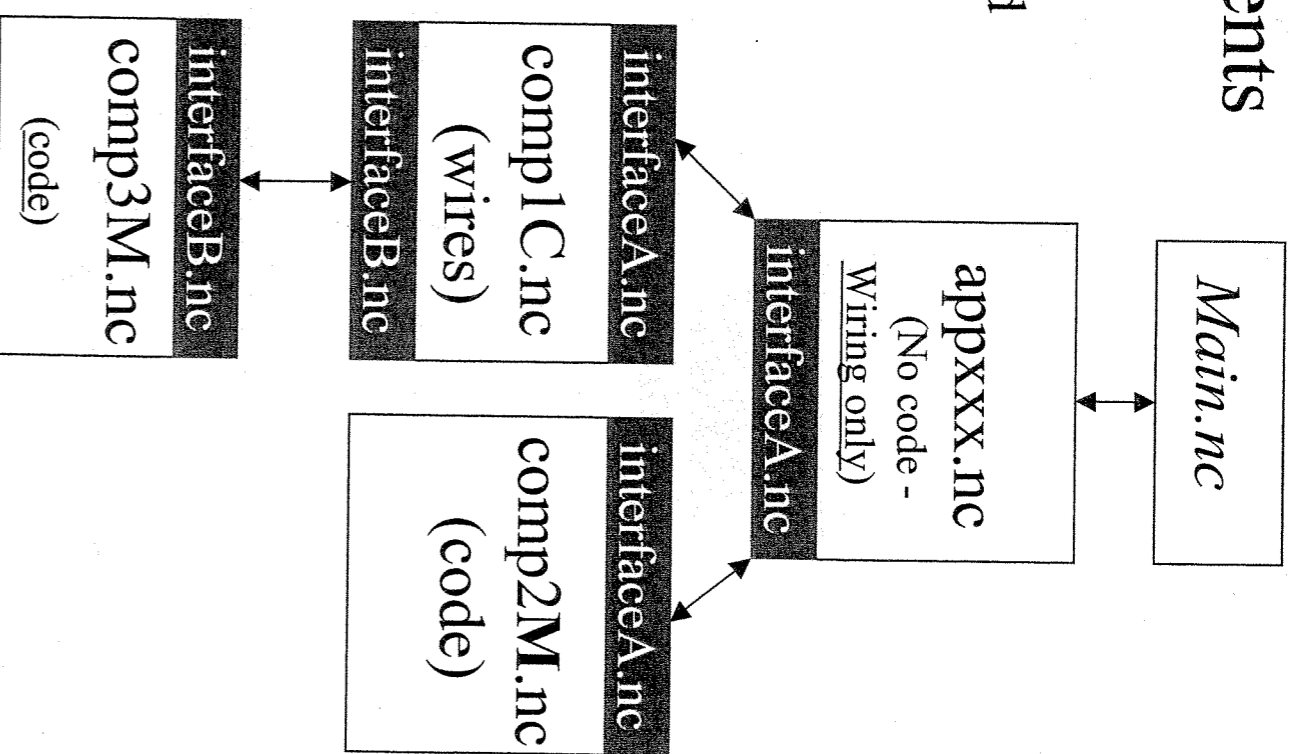
- **Interfaces (xxx.nc)**
  - Specifies functionality to outside world
  - Tell outside world
    - what commands can be called
    - what events need handling
- Software Components
  - **Module (xxxM.nc)**
    - Code file, code implementation
    - It codes the **Interface**
  - **Configuration (xxxC.nc)**
    - Linking/wiring of components
    - When top level app, drop C from filename xxx.nc
    - optional **Module**

TinyOS app Blink – Blinks the Red LED

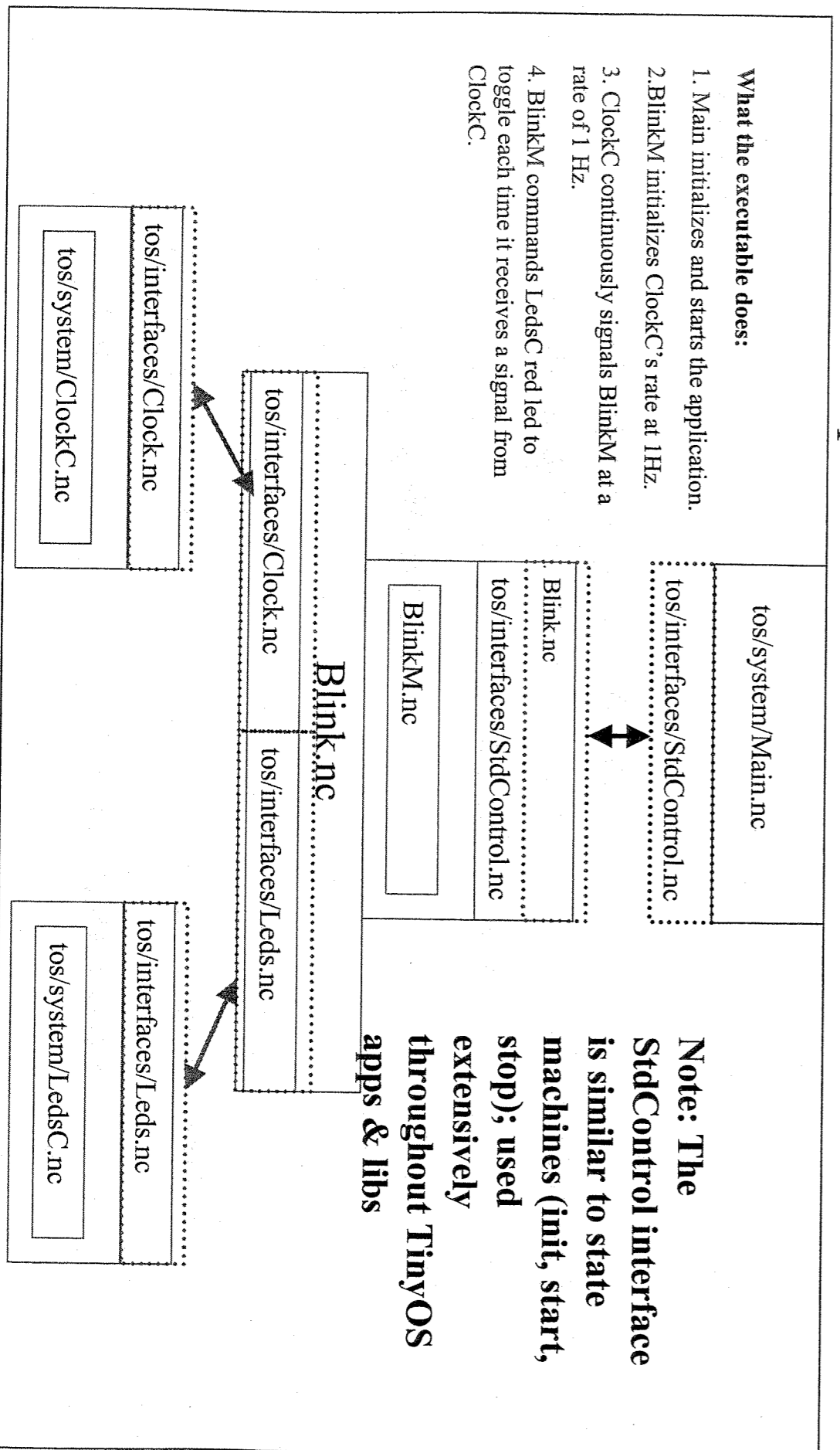
BlinkM.nc  
Blink.nc



*Ad infinitum...*



Blink.nc Application - A top level configuration SW component used to form an executable





# Blink Configuration

- Blink.nc Wires Together Components
  - Unused System Components Excluded
  - A Directed Wire (Arrow ‘->’) Connects Components
- Only 2 Components at a time
- Connection is Across an Interface
- Component that uses the interface ‘->’ component that provides the interface

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## The Blink Configuration - Our First Application

A nesC application consists of one or more components, wired together to form a runnable executable

```
configuration Blink {
 implementation {
 components Main, BlinkM, ClockC, Ledsc;
 Main.StdControl -> BlinkM.StdControl;
 BlinkM.Clock -> ClockC.Clock;
 BlinkM.Leds -> Ledsc.Leds;
 }
}
```

A configuration is a component that "wires" other components together. The idea here is that one can build an application as a set of components, wiring together those components by providing a configuration. Every nesC application has a single **top-level configuration** that specifies the set of components in the application and how they connect one another.

Why isn't this BlinkC.nc?  
- At the top level, it is implied

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# tos/interfaces/Clock.nc Interface

```
interface Clock {
 command result_t setRate(char interval, char scale);
 event result_t fire();
}
```

An **interface** is used to provide an abstract definition of the interaction of two **components** (the **user** and the **provider**). Similar to languages such as Java, an interface contains no actual code or wiring; it simply declares a set of functions: the **provider** must implement all **commands** and signal all **events** the **user** must implement all **events**

In this way it is different than Java interfaces. A Java interface specifies one direction of call, while a nesC interface specifies two directions. For a component to **call** the **commands** in an interface, it must implement the **events** of that interface. A single component may use or provide multiple interfaces and multiple instances of the same interface.

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## BlinkM.nc Implementation

```
module BlinkM {
 provides {
 interface StdControl;
 }
 uses {
 interface Clock;
 interface Leds;
 }
 implementation {
 command result_t StdControl.init() {
 call Leds.init();
 return SUCCESS;
 }
 command result_t StdControl.start() {
 return call Clock.setRate(TOS_I1PS, TOS_S1PS);
 }
 command result_t StdControl.stop() {
 return call Clock.setRate(TOS_I0PS, TOS_S0PS);
 }
 }
}
```

A **module** is a nesC component consisting of application code in a C-like syntax.

The nesC compiler generates C code that consists of the hardware clock interrupt handler invoking a function called: `BlinkM$Clock$fire()`:

```
result_t
BlinkM$Clock$fire(void)
{
 BlinkM$Leds$redToggle();
 return SUCCESS;
}
```

```
event result_t Clock.fire()
{
 call Leds.redToggle();
 return SUCCESS;
}
}
}
```

## Component Implementation

- **Modules**

- Contain “C” Like Code

- Must implement the all the ‘*provides*’ interfaces

- Commands

- Signals

```
provides {
interface StdControl;
}
```

- Module must implement StdControl’s commands & (any signals, note: StdControl has no Events to be signal’ed)

- Must deal with ‘*uses*’ interfaces

- Events must be handled

- Commands invoked as required

```
uses {
interface Clock;
interface Leds;
}
```

- Module must implement Clock’s fire event, note: Leds has no Event’s

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## nesC Command and Event Syntax

- For a **Command** Or **Event** *F* for **Interface** *I*

- Definition and Invocation Name is *I.F*

- **Command** Calls prefixed with “**call**”

- **Event** signal prefixed with “**signal**”

- Definition of a **command** or **event** prefixed with “**command**” or “**event**” and return type is **result\_t**

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# BlinkM.nc Implementation

```
module BlinkM {
 provides {
 interface StdControl;
 }
 uses {
 interface Clock;
 interface Leds;
 }
 implementation {
 command result_t StdControl.init() {
 call Leds.init();
 return SUCCESS;
 }
 command result_t StdControl.start() {
 return call Clock.setRate(TOS_IIPS, TOS_SIPS);
 }
 command result_t StdControl.stop() {
 return call Clock.setRate(TOS_I0PS, TOS_S0PS);
 }
 }
}
```

A **module** is a nesc component consisting of application code in a C-like syntax.

The nesc compiler generates C code that consists of the hardware clock interrupt handler invoking a function called: `BlinkM$Clock$fire()`:

```
result_t
BlinkM$Clock$fire(void)
{
 BlinkM$Leds$redToggle();
 return SUCCESS;
}
```

```
event result_t Clock.fire()
{
 call Leds.redToggle();
 return SUCCESS;
}
}
```

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## TinyOS/nesc General Notes

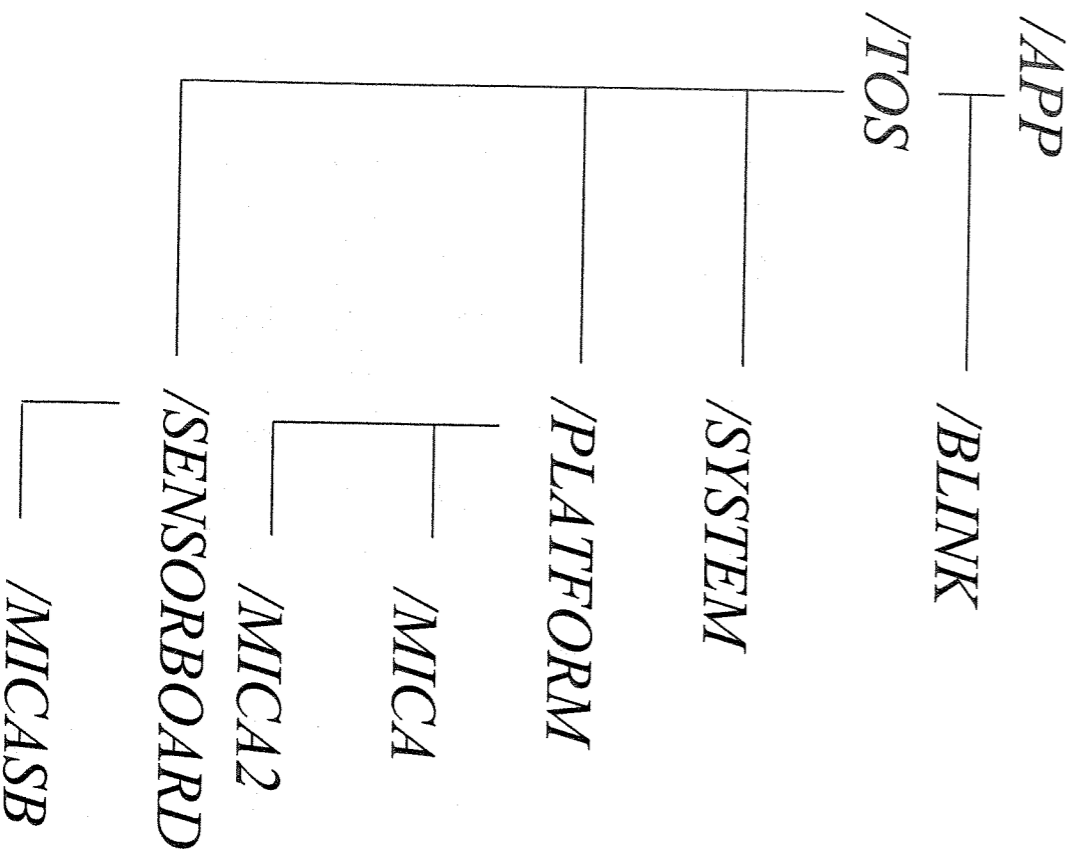
- **Equivalent Wiring Syntax**
  - `BlinkM.Clock -> ClockC.Clock;`
  - `BlinkM.Clock -> ClockC;`
  - `BlinkM -> ClockC.Clock;`
  - `Clock.Clock <- BlinkM.Clock;`
  - `Clock <- BlinkM.Clock;`
  - `Clock.Clock <- BlinkM;`
- **Most Components Are Software Implementations**
  - Some are Thin Wrappers Around Hardware
  - Distinction is Transparent

# Building Applications: Blink

- Blink.nc
- BlinkM.nc
- Makefile – (local to Blink) application specific build instructions
  - COMPONENT=Appname (Blink)
  - Radio frequencies
  - Debug options
- Makerules – in apps directory, global to all apps
  - System level build instructions
    - Group ID, Code Optimization
  - Platform Specific Build Instructions
    - Target hardware and sensor board information
  - Install Specific Instructions
    - How to program (i.e., which uisp and uisp flags)
  - Other
    - E.g., JTAG Debug

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## Resolving Components / Interfaces



## Exercise 1

- Change Blink Rate of Blink to 2 blinks per second
  - Edit BlinkM.nc
  - Look for 1PS
    - Change to TOS\_I2PPS, TOS\_S2PPS
- Make install.1 mica2

## Exercise 2

- \$ make docs mica2
- File is at doc/nesdoc/mica2/index.htm

# apps/Blink Application Notes

Blink consists of two **components**: a **module**, called "BlinkM.nc", and a **configuration**, called "Blink.nc". Remember that all applications require a single top-level configuration, which is typically named after the application itself. In this case Blink.nc is the configuration for the Blink application and the source file that the nesc compiler uses to generate the executable for the mote. BlinkM.nc, on the other hand, actually provides the *implementation* of the Blink application. As you might guess, Blink.nc is used to wire the BlinkM.nc module to other components that the Blink application requires.

The reason for the distinction between modules and configurations is to allow a system designer to quickly "snap together" applications. For example, a designer could provide a configuration that simply wires together one or more modules, none of which she actually designed. Likewise, another developer can provide a new set of "library" modules that can be used in a range of applications.

Sometimes (as is the case with Blink and BlinkM) you will have a configuration and a module that go together. When this is the case, the convention used in the TinyOS tree is that Foo.nc represents a configuration and FooM.nc represents the corresponding module. While you could name an application's implementation module and associated top-level configuration anything (ncc uses the 'COMPONENT' definition in the application's Makefile to find the top-level configuration), to keep things simple we suggest that you adopt this convention in your own code. There are several other naming conventions used in TinyOS code. The TinyOS coding and naming conventions is described in <doc/tutorial/naming.html>.

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## nesc Terminology Review

- Application
  - Configuration
  - Module
- Component
  - Interface
    - Command
    - Event
    - provides
    - uses

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## What's Left?

- Tasks
- Split Phase Operations
- Parameterized Interfaces
- Fan In & Fan Out Component Wiring



## Review of the TinyOS Kernel

- TinyOS Kernel: 2 Level Scheduling Structure
  - Events - Small Amount of Processing
    - Can Interrupt Longer Running Tasks
  - Tasks - Larger Amount of Processing
    - Run to Completion WRT Other Tasks
      - Implies Only Need a Single Stack





## Blink Again

- There were no Tasks in Blink
- Sleeps
- Event – Clock fire, toggle led,
- Back to Sleep
- So let's look at an example Task

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### Snippets From apps/SenseTask/SenseTaskM.nc

```
task void processData() {
 int16_t i, sum=0;

 for (i=0; i<maxdata; i++)
 sum += (rdata[i] >> 7);
 display(sum >> shiftdata);
}

inline void putdata(int16_t val) {
 int16_t p = (int16_t)head;
 head = (p+1) & maskdata;
 rdata[p] = val;
}

event result_t ADC.dataReady(uint16_t data)
{
 putdata(data);
 post processData();
 return SUCCESS;
}
```

errors

TinyOS provides a two-level scheduling hierarchy consisting of **tasks** and **events**. As we have seen, an event is a generalization of an interrupt handler, a call that is made from a lower-level component to a higher-level component in response to some event. Events must only do a small amount of work. **before completing, because events always run to completion and cannot be preempted.** Tasks are used to perform longer processing operations, such as background data processing, that can be preempted by events. A task is declared in your implementation module using the syntax

```
task void taskname () { ... }
```

where taskname () is whatever symbolic name you want to assign to the task. Tasks must return void and may not take any arguments.

To dispatch a task for (later) execution, use the syntax

```
post taskname ();
```

A task can be posted from within a command, an event, or even another task.

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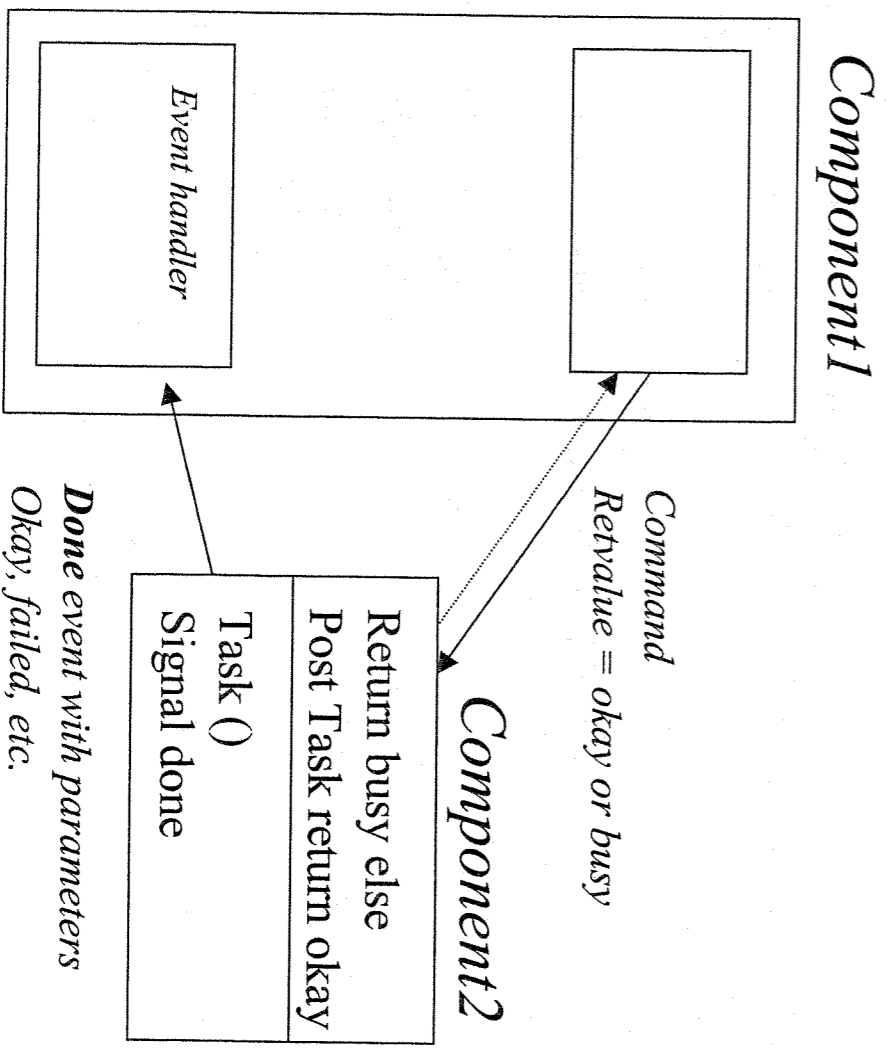
# Tasks Characteristics

- Tasks do not Preempt Other Tasks
- Short Latency Tasks Are Nice
- Long Latency Tasks prevent other Tasks from executing
  - Break It Up into a Cascade of Tasks

```
task 1 { ... post task2}
task 2 { ... post task3}
...
```



## Split Phase Operations (aka Handshaking between Components)



# Split Phase Defined

- 2 Components (*C1*, *C2*) Wired Together
- Upper Component *C1*
  - Uses the Interface
- Lower Component *C2*
  - Provides the Interface
- *C1* initiates the Split Phase Operation
  - call *C2.COMMAND(data1, data2, ...)*
- *C2.COMMAND* returns FAILURE immediately
  - *C2* isn't Accepting Requests
  - *C1* Error Handling
- Else *C2.COMMAND* Posts Task and returns OKAY immediately
- *C2* Task Signals Event at Completion
- *C1* must handle this event



## Parameterized Interfaces

- Multiple Instantiations of a component
  - E.g., ADC (Analog-Digital Converters)
  - One ADC component, but 8 ADC channels
  - How does TinyOS handle this ?

*Uses ADC*

ADC

```
configuration ADCC
{
 provides {
 interface ADCC[uint8_t port];
 }
 implementation
 {
 components ADCM, HPLADCC;

 ADC = ADCM;
 ADCCcontrol = ADCM;
 ADCM.HPLADC -> HPLADCC;
 }
}
```

```
includes sensorboard;
configuration AccelM
{
 provides interface ADC as Accel[X];
 provides interface ADC as Accel[Y];
 provides interface StdControl;
}
implementation
{
 components AccelM, ADCC;

 StdControl = AccelM;
 Accel[X] = ADCC.ADC[TOS_ADC_ACCEL_X_PORT];
 Accel[Y] = ADCC.ADC[TOS_ADC_ACCEL_Y_PORT];
 AccelM.ADCCcontrol -> ADCC;
}
```

# nesC Code (Grok'ing) Lab

- Configuration Only Apps (No Module)
  - CntToLeds
    - Counter
    - IntToLeds
    - TimerC[ID]
  - CntToLedsAndRfm
    - Fan Out
  - RfmToLeds

## Sniffer Pair Lab



## Configuration Only Application

- CntToLeds.nc – Display Count on LEDs
  - Wires Up
    - A Counter : tos/lib/Counter.nc
    - The LED Display: tos/lib/IntToLeds.nc
    - The Timer: tos/system/TimerC.nc



# CntToLeds

## Configured from Existing Components

```
/** This application is built by wiring the TimerC, IntToLeds and
Counter components together.
**/
configuration CntToLeds {
}
implementation {
components Main, Counter, IntToLeds, TimerC;

Main.StdControl -> IntToLeds.StdControl;
Main.StdControl -> Counter.StdControl;
Main.StdControl -> TimerC.StdControl;
Counter.Timer -> TimerC.Timer[unique("Timer")];
Counter.IntOutput -> IntToLeds.IntOutput;
}
```



## Trigger the Counter

### tos/system/TimerC.nc

```
implementation {
components ClockC, LogicalTimeM, NoLeds,
TimeUtilC;
Time = LogicalTimeM;
TimeSet = LogicalTimeM;
TimeUtil = TimeUtilC;
StdControl = LogicalTimeM;
Timer = LogicalTimeM;
AbsoluteTimer = LogicalTimeM;
LogicalTimeM.Clock -> ClockC;
LogicalTimeM.ClockControl -> ClockC.StdControl;
LogicalTimeM.Leds -> NoLeds;
LogicalTimeM.TimeUtil -> TimeUtilC;
}
```

In file tos/system/LogicalTimeM.nc  
**module** LogicalTimeM (lots of code...)

```
configuration TimerC
{
provides interface Timer[uint8_t id];
provides interface StdControl;
implementation
{
components LogicalTime;
Timer = LogicalTime;
StdControl = LogicalTime;
}
```

*The Timer and StdControl interfaces we are providing is equivalent to the implementation in LogicalTime. Why can't we use an arrow?*

In file tos/system/LogicalTime.nc:

```
configuration LogicalTime {
provides interface Time;
provides interface TimeSet;
provides interface TimeUtil;
provides interface StdControl;
provides interface AbsoluteTimer[uint8_t id];
provides interface Timer[uint8_t id];
}
```

# The Counter

## tos/lib/Counter.nc

```
module Counter {
 provides {
 interface StdControl;
 }
 uses {
 interface Timer;
 interface IntOutput;
 }
 implementation {
 int state;
 command result_t StdControl.init()
 {
 state = 0;
 return SUCCESS;
 }
 command result_t StdControl.start()
 {
 return call Timer.start(TIMER_REPEAT, 250);
 }
 command result_t StdControl.stop()
 {
 return call Timer.stop();
 }
 event result_t Timer.fired()
 {
 state++;
 return call IntOutput.output(state);
 }
 event result_t IntOutput.outputComplete(result_t success)
 {
 if(success == 0) state--;
 return SUCCESS;
 }
 }
}
```



## IntOutput Implemented by IntTOLEDS

### tos/lib/IntTOLEds.nc

```
configuration IntTOLEds
{
 provides interface IntOutput;
 provides interface StdControl;
}
implementation
{
 components IntTOLEdsM, LedscC;
 IntOutput = IntTOLEdsM.IntOutput;
 StdControl = IntTOLEdsM.StdControl;
 IntTOLEdsM.Leds -> LedscC.Leds;
}
module IntTOLEdsM {
 uses interface Leds;
 provides interface IntOutput;
 provides interface StdControl;
}
implementation
{
 command result_t StdControl.init()
 {
 call Leds.init();
 call Leds.redOff();
 call Leds.yellowOff();
 call Leds.greenOff();
 return SUCCESS;
 }
 command result_t StdControl.start()
 {
 return SUCCESS;
 }
 command result_t StdControl.stop()
 {
 return SUCCESS;
 }
 task void outputDone()
 {
 signal IntOutput.outputComplete(1);
 }
 command result_t IntOutput.output(uint16_t value)
 {
 if (value & 1) call Leds.redOn();
 else call Leds.redOff();
 if (value & 2) call Leds.greenOn();
 else call Leds.greenOff();
 if (value & 4) call Leds.yellowOn();
 else call Leds.yellowOff();
 post outputDone();
 return SUCCESS;
 }
}
```

# Fan Out

## Count To LEDs and Radio

- Counter Output Fans Out
  - LEDs
  - Radio
- configuration cntToLedsAndRfm {  
  implementation {  
    components Main, Counter, IntToLeds, IntToRfm, TimerC;  
    Main.StdControl -> Counter.StdControl;  
    Main.StdControl -> IntToLeds.StdControl;  
    Main.StdControl -> IntToRfm.StdControl;  
    Main.StdControl -> TimerC.StdControl;  
    Counter.Timer -> TimerC.Timer[unique("Timer")];  
    Counter.IntOutput -> IntToLeds;  
    Counter.IntOutput -> IntToRfm;  
  }  
}

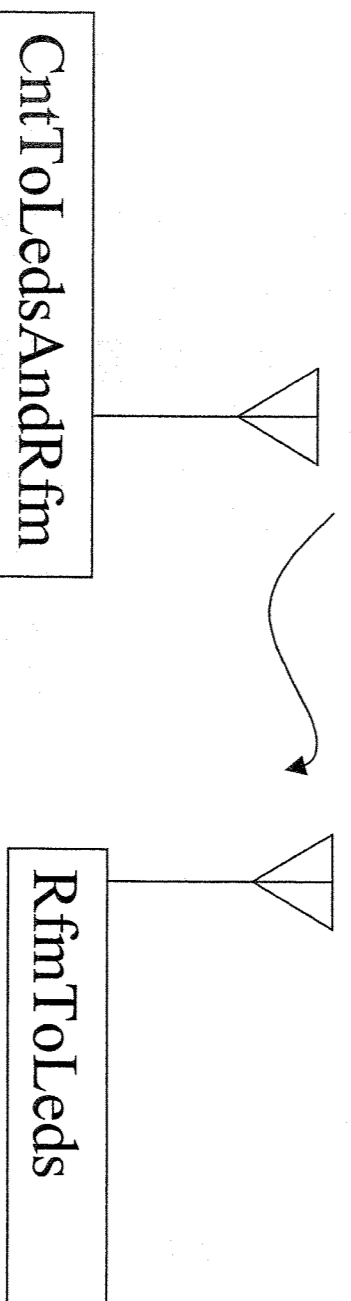


### Sniffer Pair Lab

#### RfmToLeds


## Display Radio Payload on LED

- Transmit Count to Receiver and Display



## Build Transmitter Side CntToLedsAndRFM

- Go to ../apps/CntToLedsAndRfm
- Set the Radio Frequency
  - Makefile
  - CFLAGS -DCC1K\_DEFAULT\_FREQ=CC1K\_433\_002\_MHZ
- Check GROUPID
  - Makerules
  - DEFAULT\_LOCAL\_GROUP := use # on your Name Tag
- Plug-In MICA2 Unit #1 to Programmer
- make install.10 mica2
- Verify LEDS show count

  
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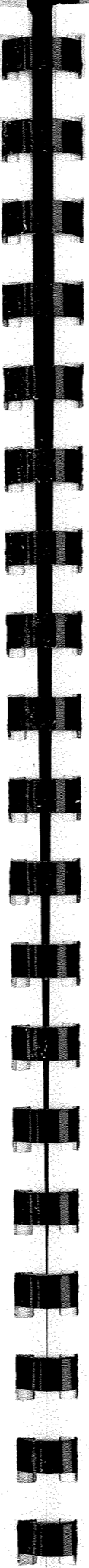
## Build Receiver Side RfmToLeds

- Go to apps/RfmToLeds
- Set the Radio Frequency
  - Makefile
  - CFLAGS -DCC1K\_DEFAULT\_FREQ=CC1K\_433\_002\_MHZ
- Check GROUPID
  - Makerules
  - DEFAULT\_LOCAL\_GROUP := use # on your Name Tag
- Plug-in MICA2 Unit #2 to Programmer
- make install.10 mica2



## Things to Observe

- Turn Off Transmitter
  - LED counting stops on both Motes
- Move around and observe Receiver Count
- Sources of erratic Receiver Count
  - multipath, fade, collisions
- What is the dominant interference source here today?



## TinyOS Packet Networking and PC Base Station Lab

- Active Messages
- Packet Structure and Networking
- Oscilloscope TinyOS Application
- ListenRaw Java Application
- Display Raw Packet Data Lab

## “Active Messages” (AM) Messaging System Service

- Establishes a Connection between Sender and a Component in an Application
- e.g. Route Update messages vs Data Payloads
- tos/system/AMStandard.nc Delivers Message to Appropriate Component in the Application
- Inter-process Communication Mechanism
- Active Messages Similar to a Port On a Server
- AM Handler using Parameterized Interface



### TinyOS Packet Structure

### Addresses, AM#, GroupID and Payload Public vs. Secure

```
typedef struct TOS_Msg //Public
{
 /* The following fields are transmitted/received on the
 radio. */
 uint16_t addr;
 uint8_t type; //ACTIVE MESSAGE ID
 uint8_t group;
 uint8_t length;
 int8_t data[TOSH_DATA_LENGTH]; //system/AM.h
 uint16_t crc;
 /* The following fields are not actually transmitted */
 uint16_t strength;
 uint8_t ack;
 uint16_t time;
} TOS_Msg;

typedef struct TinySec_Msg //Secure
{
 uint16_t addr;
 uint8_t type;
 uint8_t length;
 // encryption iv
 uint8_t iv[TINYSEC_IV_LENGTH];
 // encrypted data
 uint8_t enc[TOSH_DATA_LENGTH];
 // message authentication code
 uint8_t mac[TINYSEC_MAC_LENGTH];

 // not transmitted - used only by MHSRTinySec
 uint8_t calc_mac[TINYSEC_MAC_LENGTH];
 uint8_t ack_byte;
 bool computeMACDone;
 bool validMAC;
} __attribute__((packed)) TinySec_Msg;
```



# AM Routing

## GroupID and ADDRESS Filter

```
// Handle the event of the reception of an incoming message
TOS_MsgPtr received(TOS_MsgPtr packet) __attribute__((C, spontaneous)) {
 uint16_t addr = TOS_LOCAL_ADDRESS;
 atomic {
 counter++;
 }
 dbg(DBG_AM, "AM_address = %hx, %hx;
counter: %d\n", packet->addr, packet->type, (int)counter);

 if (//packet->crc == 1 && // Uncomment this line to check
 crcs
 packet->group == TOS_AM_GROUP &&
 (packet->addr == TOS_BCAST_ADDR ||
 packet->addr == addr))
 {
 uint8_t type = packet->type;
 TOS_MsgPtr tmp;

 // Debugging output
 dbg(DBG_AM, "Received message:\n\t");
 dbgPacket(packet);
 dbg(DBG_AM, "AM_type = %d\n", type);

 // dispatch message
 tmp = signal
 ReceiveMsg.receive[type](packet);
 if (tmp)
 packet = tmp;

 return packet;
 }

 // default do-nothing message receive handler
 default event TOS_MsgPtr ReceiveMsg.receive[uint8_t
id](TOS_MsgPtr msg) {
 return msg;
 }
}
```

  
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Display Raw TinyOS Packet Data on PC  
Terminal via UART

- Application sends/receives TinyOS Packets via UART
  - Oscilloscope
- Hardware Connections
  - Mote to MIB
  - MIB [to Serial Cable] to PC COM Port

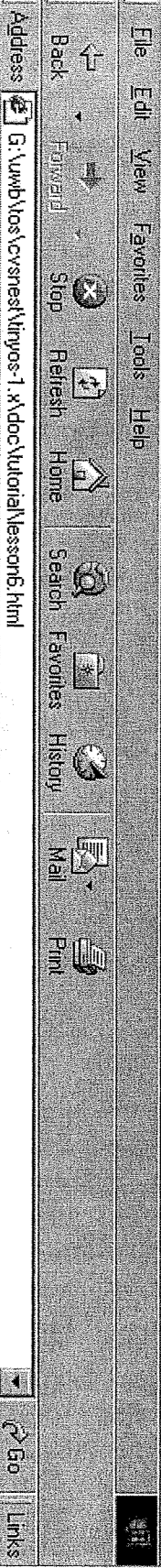
## Install TinyOS Application

- Oscilloscope
  - Plug-in Mica2 #1 into Programmer
  - Go to ../apps/Oscilloscope
  - make install.10 mica2



## The Java ListenRaw Application

- cd tools/java
- List PC Com Ports
  - "java net.tinyos.tools.ListenRaw -p" will list the available ports
- Display Any Raw TinyOS Packets
  - "java net.tinyos.tools.ListenRaw -mica2 COMn"
  - Note the -mica2 switch sets baud rate



**Now what are you seeing?**

The application that you are running is simply printing out the packets that are coming from the mote. Each data packet that comes out of the mote contains several fields of data. Some of these fields are generic Active Message fields, and are defined in `tos/system/AM.h`. The data payload of the message, which is defined by the application, is defined in `tos/lib/OscopeMsg.h`. The overall message format for the Oscilloscope application is as follows:

- Destination address (2 bytes)
- Active Message handler ID (1 byte)
- Group ID (1 byte)
- Message length (1 byte)
- Payload (up to 29 bytes):
  - source mote ID (2 bytes)
  - sample counter (2 bytes)
  - ADC channel (2 bytes)
  - ADC data readings (10 readings of 2 bytes each)

So we can interpret the data packet as follows:

| dest addr | handlerID | groupID | msg len | source addr | counter | channel | readings                                        |
|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|---------|-------------------------------------------------|
| 7e 00     | 0a        | 7d      | 1a      | 01 00       | 14 00   | 01 00   | 96 03 97 03 97 03 98 03 97 03 96 03 97 03 96 03 |

*increase by 10 (samples)*

Note that the data is sent by the mote in big-endian format, so, for example, the two bytes 96 03 represent a single sensor reading with most-significant-byte 0x03 and least-significant-byte 0x96. That is, 0x0396 or 918 decimal.

## End of Morning Session

- Coming up this Afternoon
  - Hardware Overview
  - Radio Basics
  - TinyOS Programming Part II

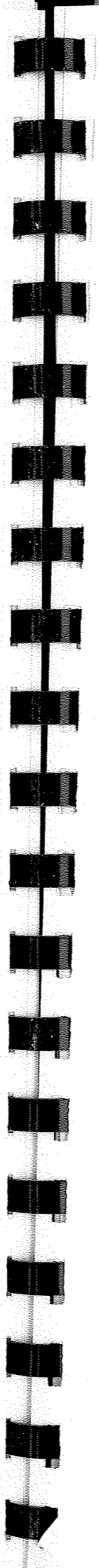


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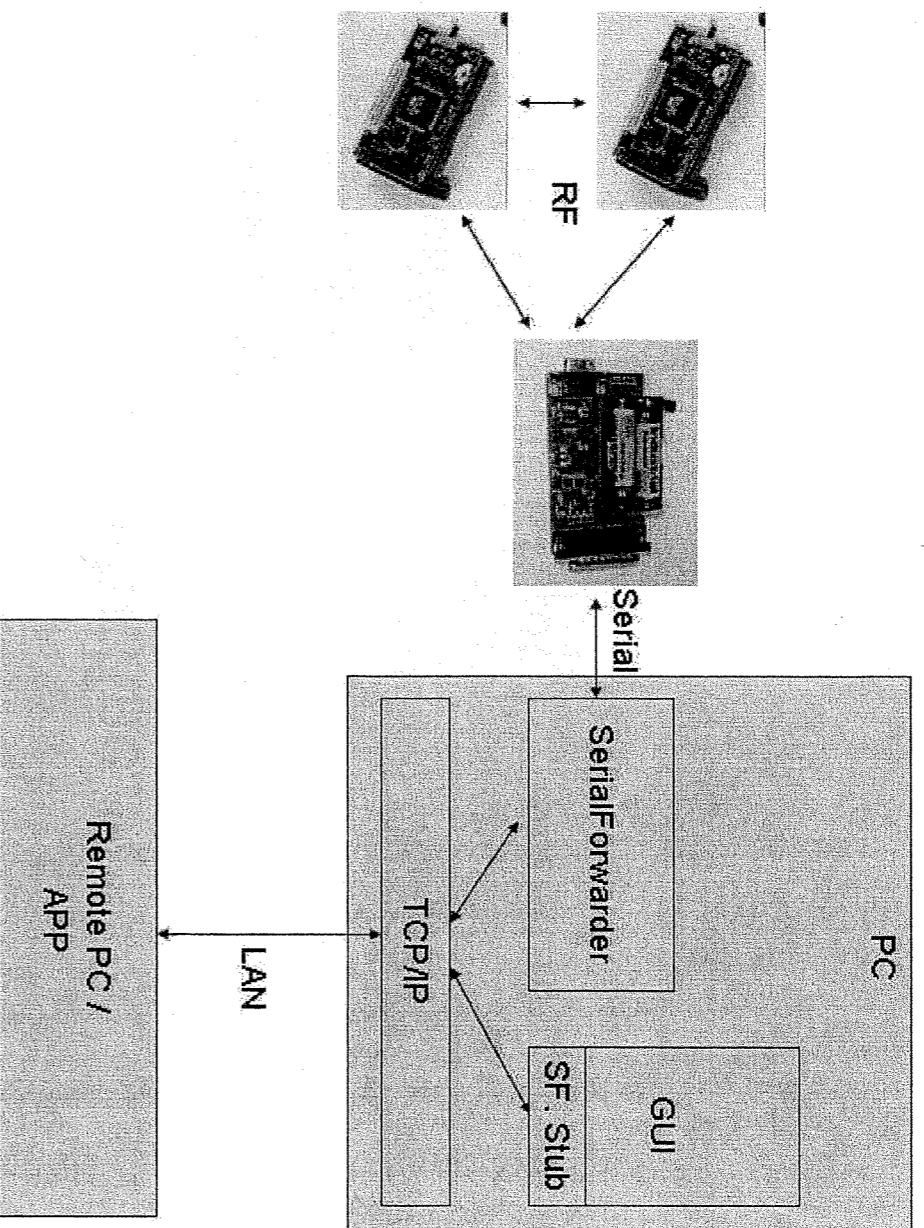
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## Outline

- Generic Base App
- Serial Forwarder
- OscilloscopeRF
- Modified OscilloscopeRF for Temperature Lab

# Mote Network / “Active Messages” Server / Client Applications



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## “Active Messages” Server

- Serves up the “Active Messages” encapsulated in MOTTE TinyOS Packets to Client Applications via TCP/IP
- Implemented using SerialForwarder
  - Java Server application running on PC
  - Client Interface via Sockets
  - Mote Network interface via Mote Basestation
    - Basestation Mote runs GenericBasic

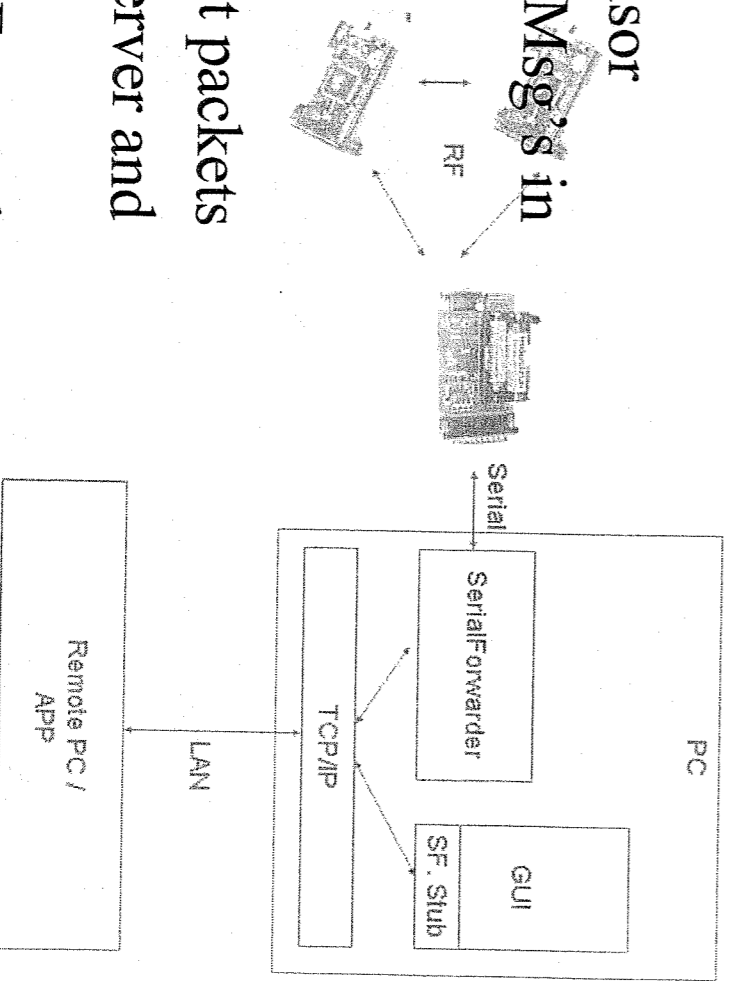
# Mote Base Station Generic Base Layer

- Radio-UART Bridge
  - apps/GenericBase.nc
    - Issues
      - No Packet Framing on UART side  
Fragile - Collisions between Tx and Rx Packets cause lockup.
  - apps/XGenericBase.nc
    - Packet Framing on UART
      - Robust
  - UART Baudrate
    - ../tos/platform/./hpluart0m.nc
      - outp (15, UBRR0L) ; //57.6Kbaud
      - outp (47, UBRR0L) ; //19.2Kbaud



## Building a Server Application OscilloscopeRF


- OscilloscopeRF Application on Mote
  - Samples Photosensor
  - Broadcast OscopeMsg's in TinyOS Packets
- Base Station Mote
  - GenericBase
  - Receives broadcast packets
- "Active Messages" Server and Client GUI on PC
  - net.tinyos.sf.SerialForward
  - net.tinyos.sf.SerialForward
  - net.tinyos.oscope.Oscilloscope





## Mote Network/"Active Messages" Server How to Do it – Mote OscilloscopeRF

- Plug-in Mica2 Mote#1 in to Programmer
- Go to ../apps/OscilloscopeRF
- Make install.10 mica2

  
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## Mote Base Station

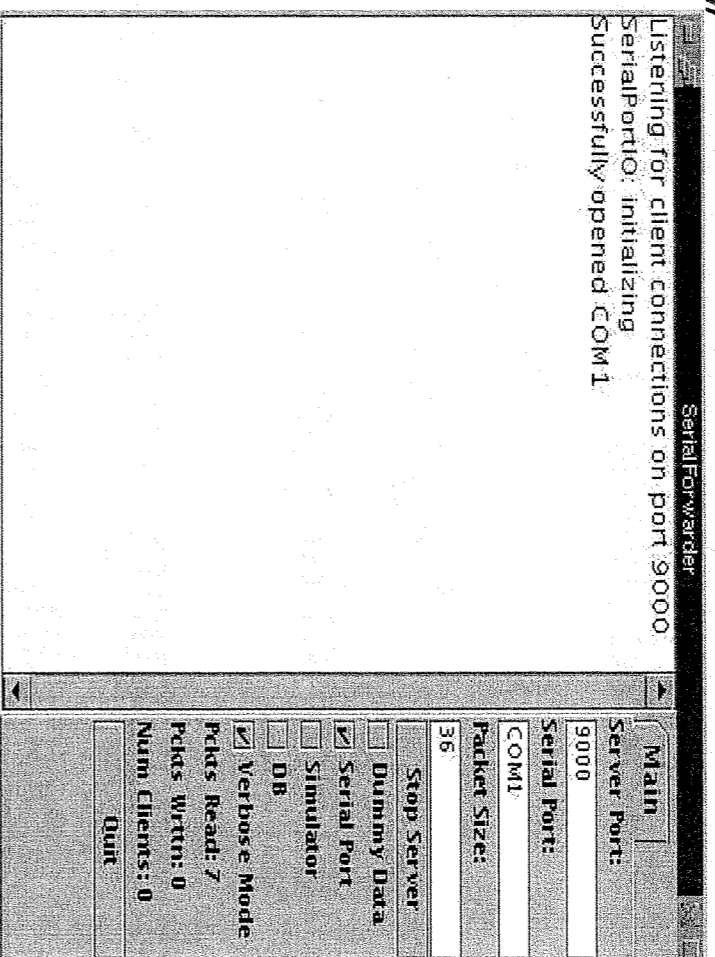
### How to Do it – GenericBase

- Plug-in Mica2 Mote#2 in to Programmer
- Go to ../apps/GenericBase
- Make install mica2
- Connect MIB to PC Serial Port

# Mote Network/ "Active Messages" Server

## How to Do it –SerialForwarder

- Go to `./tools/java`
  - "java net.tinyos.sf.SerialForwarder -baud 57600 [-debug]"

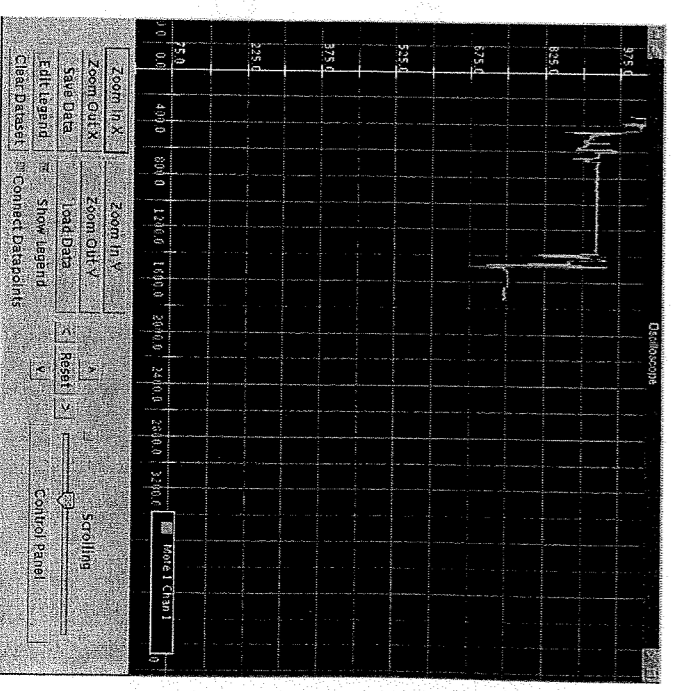


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# Mote Network/ "Active Messages" Server

## How to Do it – Oscilloscope Client

- Go to `./tools/java/net/tinyos/oscscope`
  - java net.tinyos.oscscope.oscilloscope
  - If you don't see a signal (green lines)
    - Select the "Scrolling" check Box
    - Click the Reset Button



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# A New Oscilloscope

- Sense the Temperature instead of PhotoSensor
- Backup ../apps/OscilloscopeRF

- **Modify Configuration File**

```
- configuration Oscilloscope { }
 implementation
 {
 components Main, OscilloscopeM, ClockC, Ledsc, Temp,
 GenericComm as Comm;
 Main.StdControl -> OscilloscopeM;
 OscilloscopeM.Clock -> ClockC;
 OscilloscopeM.Leds -> Ledsc;
 OscilloscopeM.SensorControl -> Temp;
 OscilloscopeM.ADC -> Temp;
 OscilloscopeM.CommControl -> Comm;
 OscilloscopeM.ResetCounterMsg ->
 Comm.ReceiveMsg[LAM_OSCOPERSETMSG];
 OscilloscopeM.DataMsg -> Comm.SendMsg[LAM_OSCPEMSG];
 }
}
```

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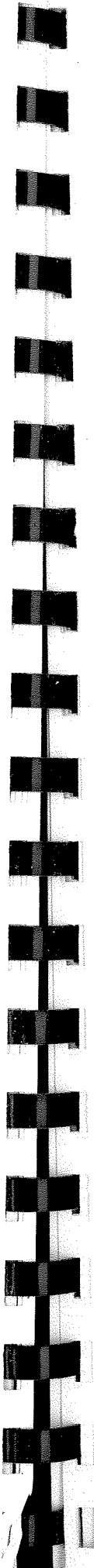
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- End of First Day
- Sake .....

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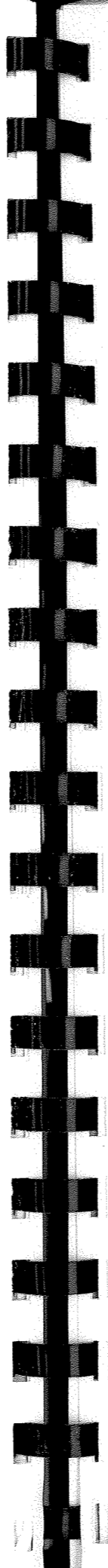
# MultiHop Networking Session

## Overview:

- Characteristics of wireless mesh networks
- TinyOS Status of MultiHop Protocols

# Ad-Hoc Routing (Self configuring)

- Links are not reliable over the long term
- Links change dynamically
- Requires networking topology that also dynamically changes.
- Low energy requirements limit types of protocols. Powered networks can afford to expend a lot more energy to manage links.
- Broadcasting is energy and time inefficient
- Protocols where the motes dynamically determine the best parent are attractive.



## Mote Msgs Constrain Sleep Time

Computation of required sleep time to achieve duty cycle given number of TOS msgs to rcv/xmit while awake

| Specifications                            | value | units |
|-------------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Msg Size                                  | 40    | bytes |
| Msg Preamble                              | 16    | bytes |
| Baud Rate                                 | 38400 | baud  |
| Duty Cycle                                | 0.5   | %     |
| # of msgs to rcv/re-xmit during wake time | 5     | msg   |

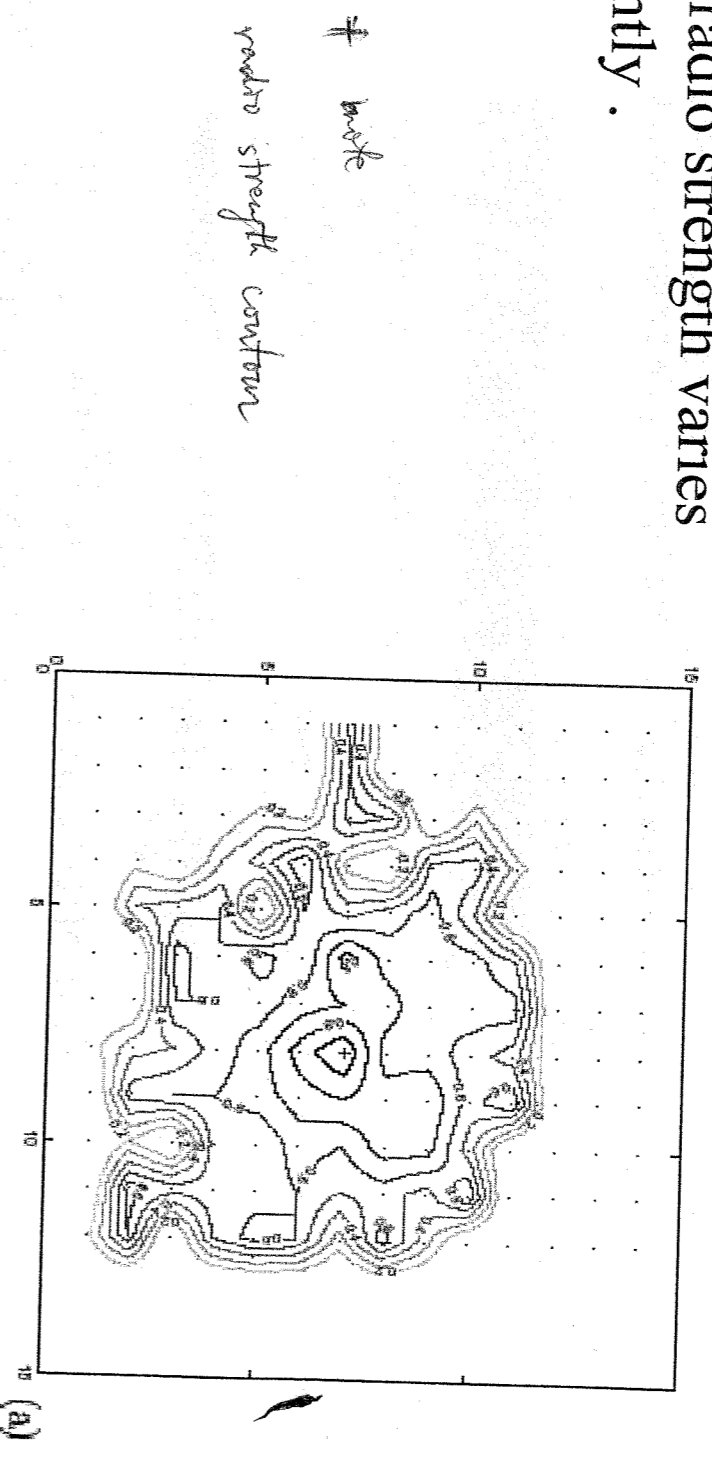
  

| Computed Values                            |            |
|--------------------------------------------|------------|
| Time to xmit/rcv 1 msg                     | 11.7 msec  |
| Time to rcv/xmit all msgs                  | 116.7 msec |
| Required sleep time to maintain duty cycle | 23.22 sec  |

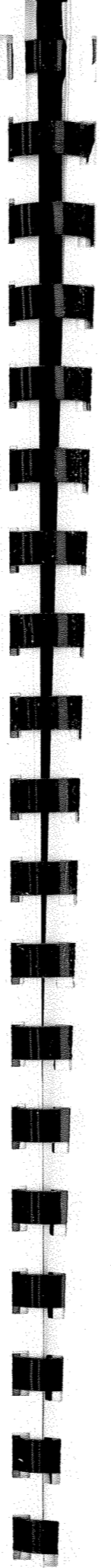
Motes closer to base station get more messages

# Radio Link Behavior #1

- Radio contour plot shows received radio strength varies significantly .



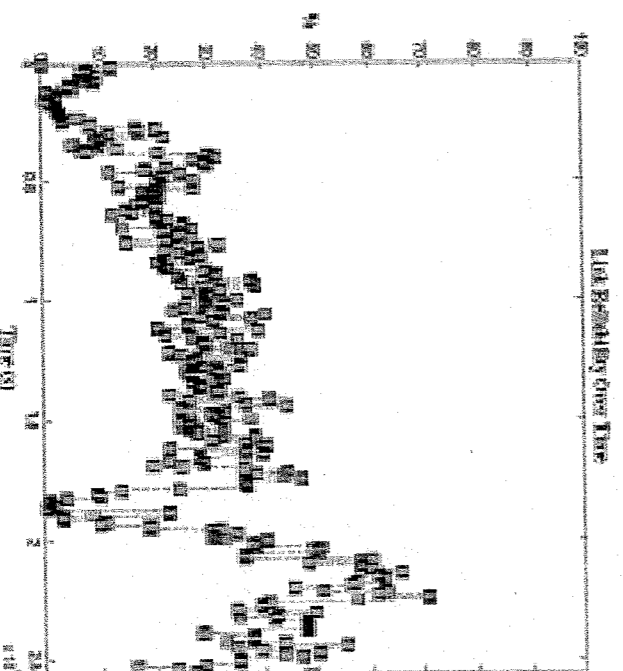
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# Radio Link Behavior #2

Static links show variability in receive strength over time

- Local null effects, people, ... influence quality of link



(c) Link reliability variations between two immobile nodes over a period of seven hours, with receiver placed at the cell edge of the transmitter.

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# Broadcasting (flooding)

- Backward links
- Longs links
- Stragglers (no reception)
- Clustering
- Asymmetric links

Flooding at 19.2K baud Tos Packet, 156 motes

- 80msec to receive then transmit

- Each mote transmits once:

- 156\*40msec = 6.25 sec (no rndm delay)

- Probably ~13 seconds with rndm delay

- Large probability of pkt collision.

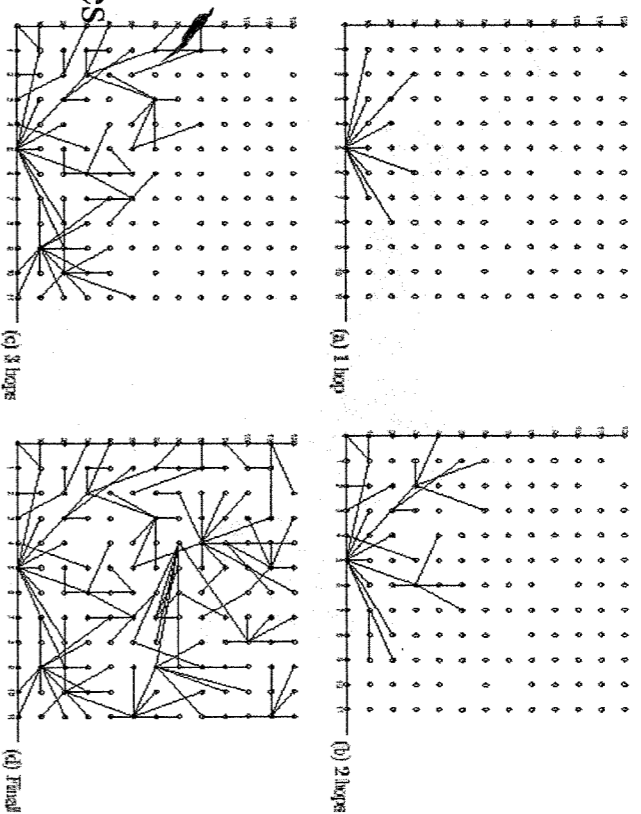


Figure 2: Stragglers from a single run of flooding on the experimental testbed

13x12 grid (156 motes)

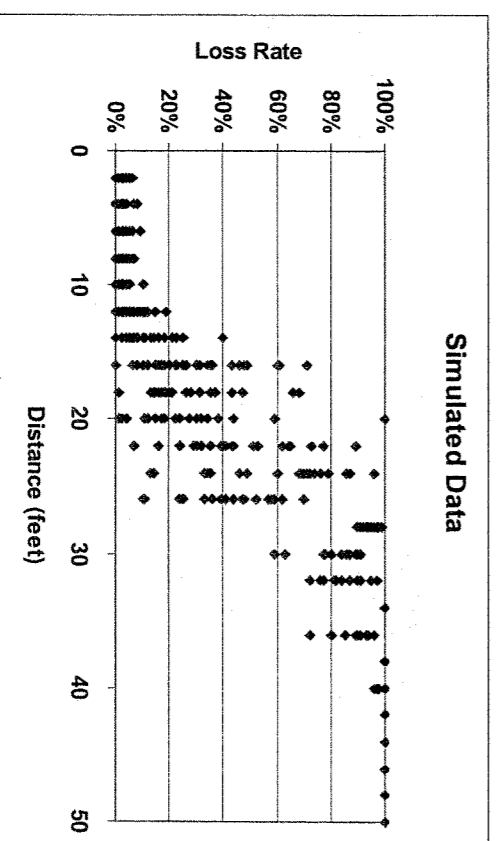
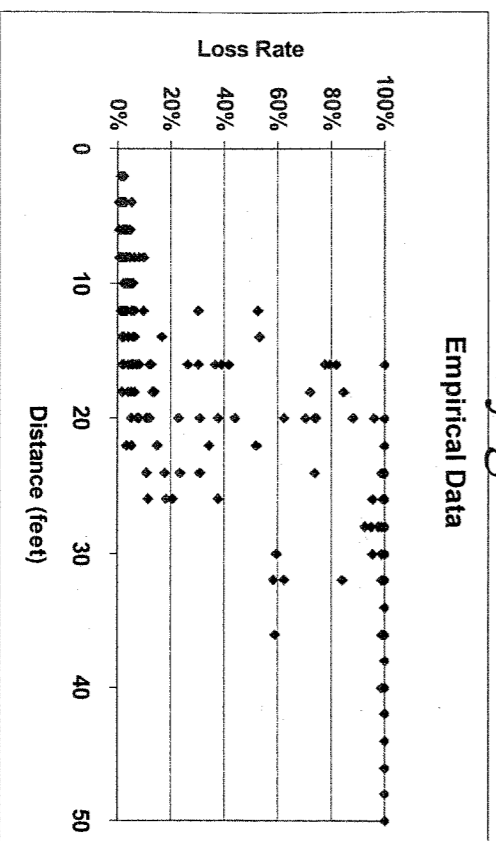
An Empirical Study of Epidemic Algorithms in Large Scale  
Multihop Wireless Networks

Deepak Ganesan, UCLA; Bhaskar Krishnamachari, Cornell; Alec Woo, UC Berkeley;  
David Culler, Intel Research and UC Berkeley; Deborah Estrin, UCLA; Stephen Wicker,  
Cornell.

## Simulation

- TinyOS supports PC simulation of networks.
- Best way to start, prove out code before real implementation

- Reasonably good results between simulation and real world



# TinyOS and Multihop

- Complex routing protocols
- Complex energy management
- Complex time management
- No single multihop stack; application dependant
- TinyOS will allow users to wire in different protocols with minimal effort.
- TinyOS will allow users to compare different protocols for reliability and efficiency.
- Time/Power management is being added to these protocol (3-4 months)

## Multihop Components

- Routing beacon from base station to establish route paths back.
- Find best parent to forward messages:
  - Routing Table: List of best neighbors and routing info. Sram  $\#K$  constrained.
  - Table Management: Eviction/Insertion of neighbors into routing table
  - Estimator: Computation of neighbors link quality. Ex: # of hops, sequence numbers. Estimators differentiate strategies. *RT sram*
  - Parent Selection: Decide on parent to forward messages. *log-prob*
  - Cycle Detection: Avoid loops (I.e. forwarding msg to child instead of parent)
- Timer : Period update of routing tables, messaging...
- Power management



# MultiHop Components

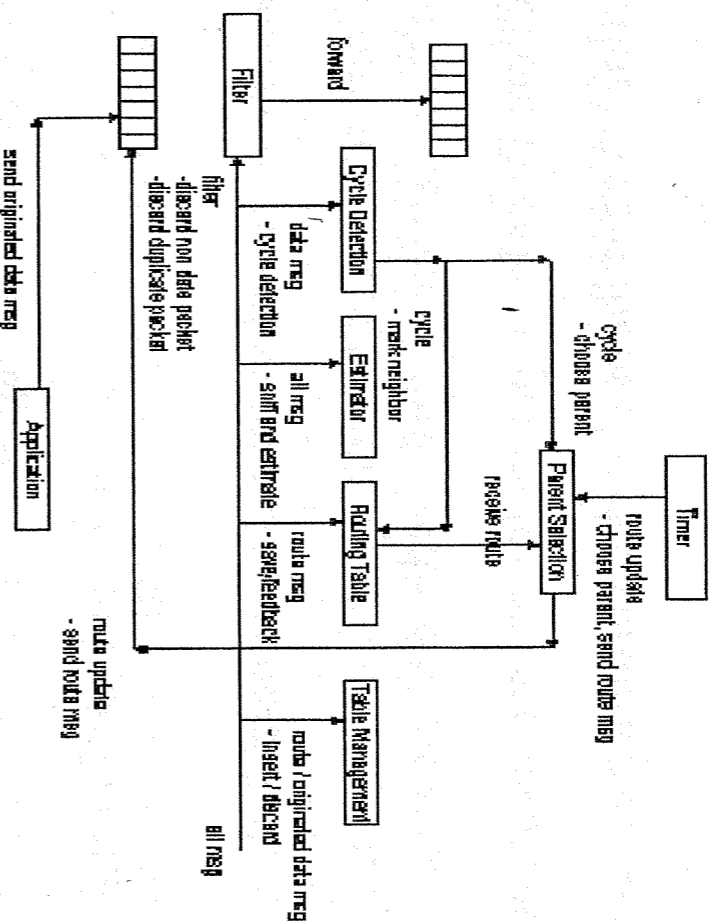
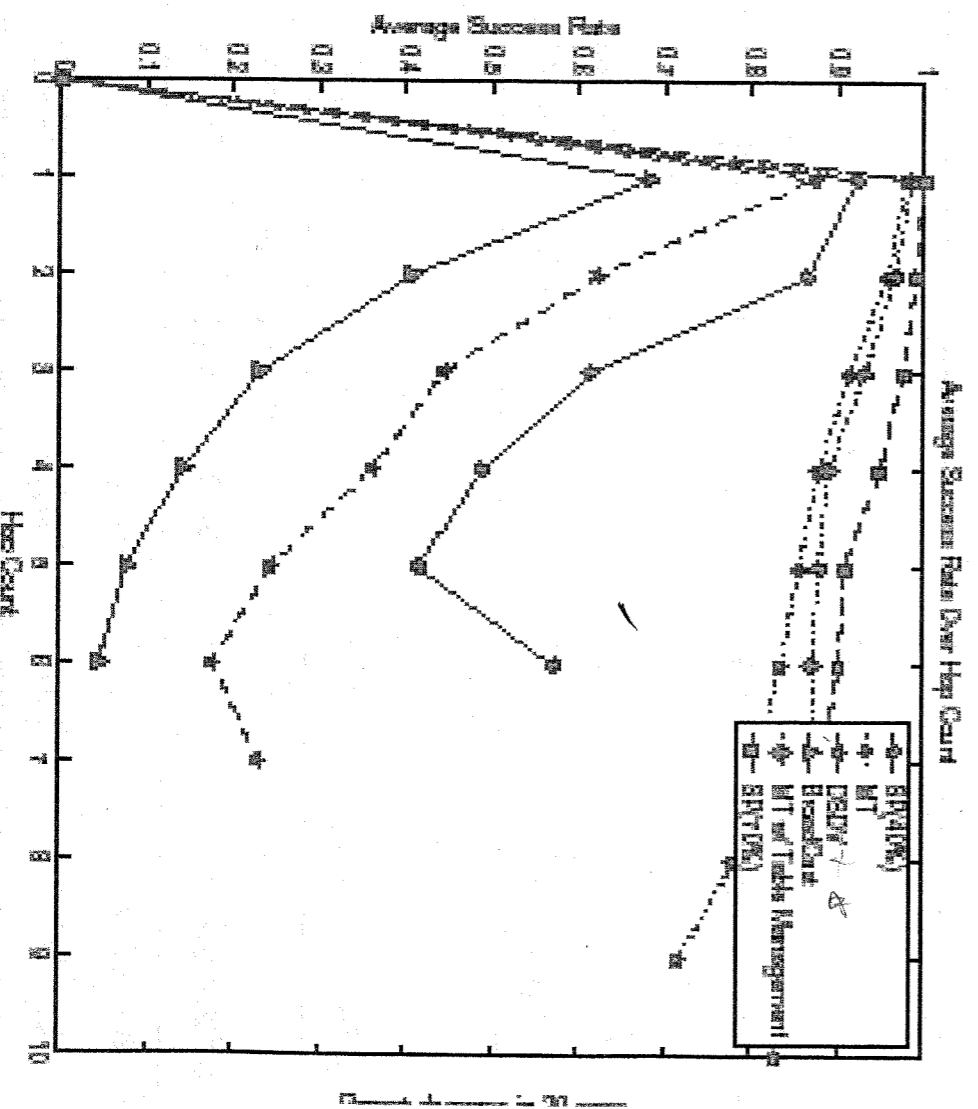


Figure 9: Message flow chart to illustration the different components for routing.

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# Multihop Throughput

- Can achieve ~90% packet throughput over 5-6 hops with good protocols.
- Link estimators critical to good multihop. Need to change quickly as link quality changes.



Simulated Results;

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# Some TinyOS Multihop Stacks

| Protocol                           | Comments                                                          | Status                                         | Pwr Mng | Authors                       | TinyOS Location  |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| Surge<br><i>pretty please, out</i> | Used in TinyDB, GSK.                                              | Being replaced by Alec Woos protocol           | none    | UCB                           | apps/surge       |
| DSDV                               | Mote version of standard algorithm. Good results.                 | Released and stable                            | **      | Intel<br><i>Mar's bo rmyl</i> | contrib/hsn      |
| TinyDiff                           | Now deployed in James Preserve.                                   | Doesn't support mote base station (1-2 months) | *       | UCLA-CENS                     | contrib/TinyDiff |
| Alec Woo                           | PhD research. A lot of work on estimators. May be best when done. | Should be released in next few months.         | ***     | Alec Woo<br>UCB               | Not released yet |

- \* Power management implementation in progress *(in 1-2 months)*
- \*\* May be released with power management *(future version)*
- \*\*\* Currently using long radio preambles

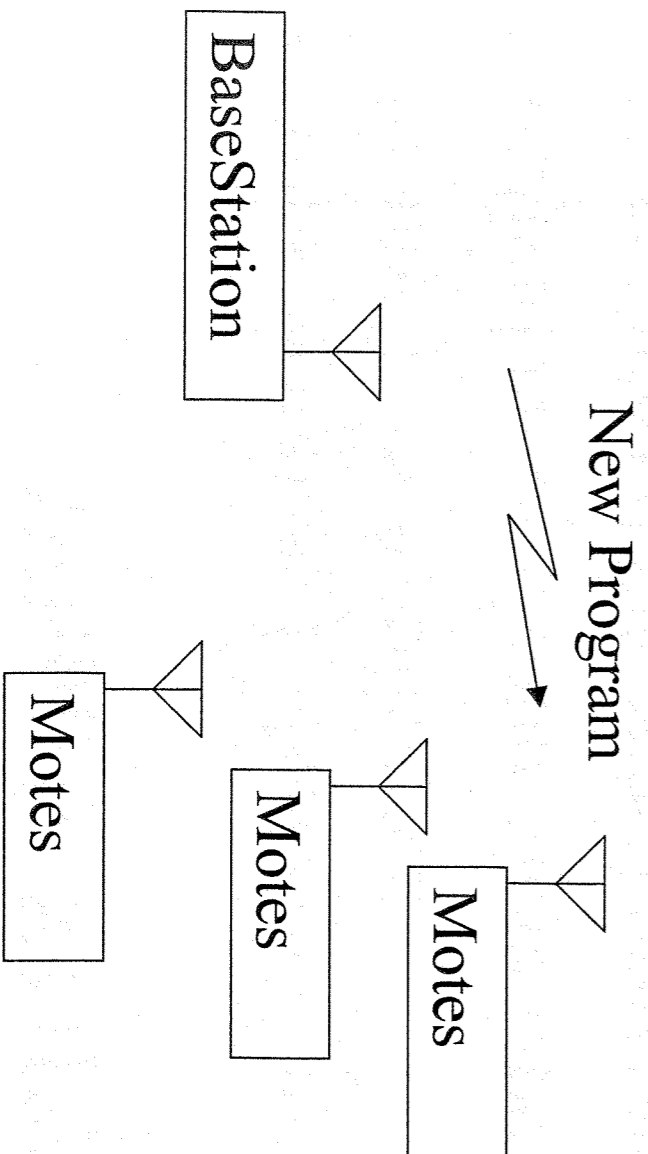
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# XINP

- Crossbow In-Network Programming



## What Is XNP?

- Adds Wireless In-Network re-programming to any TOS Application
- Individual or Group Mote Updates
- Host Side GUI Control program
- Compatible with Single and Multi-hop Routing (forward & reverse path)

## How XNP Works

- Two Phases
  - Download Application's SREC file from Host to local FLASH Memory
  - Re-program Mote
- Implemented as a private Active Message Service – all XNP radio messages are processed independently of Application

## Step #1 XNP Download

- Host Broadcasts Start Download message
- Host broadcasts srec file (2 TOS packets per srec record/capsule) to all Motes. *external* *internal flash*
- Active Motes store capsules in FLASH *EEPROM/X*
- Host Queries motes for any “missing/lost” capsules
- Motes request “missing” capsule id
- Host transmits lost capsule
- Repeat until all Active Motes have complete image

## Step #2 XNP Re-Program

- Host Broadcasts Re-Program / Re-Boot command with Program ID
- Active Motes verify Program ID matches downloaded ID
- Motes store their current Mote ID in non-volatile memory
- Motes re-program themselves and re-boot
- Application fetches Mote ID from non-volatile memory and restores ID.

# How to Use XNP

- Add XNP Event Support functions
  - XNP signals a request to start XNP download
  - Application must release resources (External FLASH)
  - Application responds with GRANT or DENY
  - XNP signals Done when XNP download ends
- Add `Xnp.NPX_SET_IDS` call in INIT to restore Mote and Group Ids.
- Wire `xnpc.nc` into application
- Install Application and XNP Bootloader in Motes

## Example Interface to XNP

- event `result_t Xnp.NPX_DOWNLOAD_REQ(uint16_t WProgramID, uint16_t WEEStartP, uint16_t WEENoFP)`

```
 { //Acknowledge NPX
 call Xnp.NPX_DOWNLOAD_ACK(SUCCESS);
 return SUCCESS;
 } //event download_req
```
- event `result_t Xnp.NPX_DOWNLOAD_DONE(uint16_t WProgramID, uint8_t bret, uint16_t WEENoFP)`

```
 {
 return SUCCESS;
 } //event download_done
```
- `command result_t StdControl.init()` {

```
 call Xnp.NPX_SET_IDS(); //restore id s
 ... //standard init code
}
```

# Example Component Wiring

```
configuration XTestXnp {
 }
 implementation {
 components Main, GenericComm, ClockC, Ledsc,
 XTestXnpM, Xnpc;
 Main.StdControl -> XTestXnpM.StdControl;
 XTestXnpM.GenericCommCtl -> GenericComm;
 XTestXnpM.Clock -> ClockC;
 XTestXnpM.Leds -> Ledsc;
 XTestXnpM.Xnp -> Xnpc;
 }
}
```

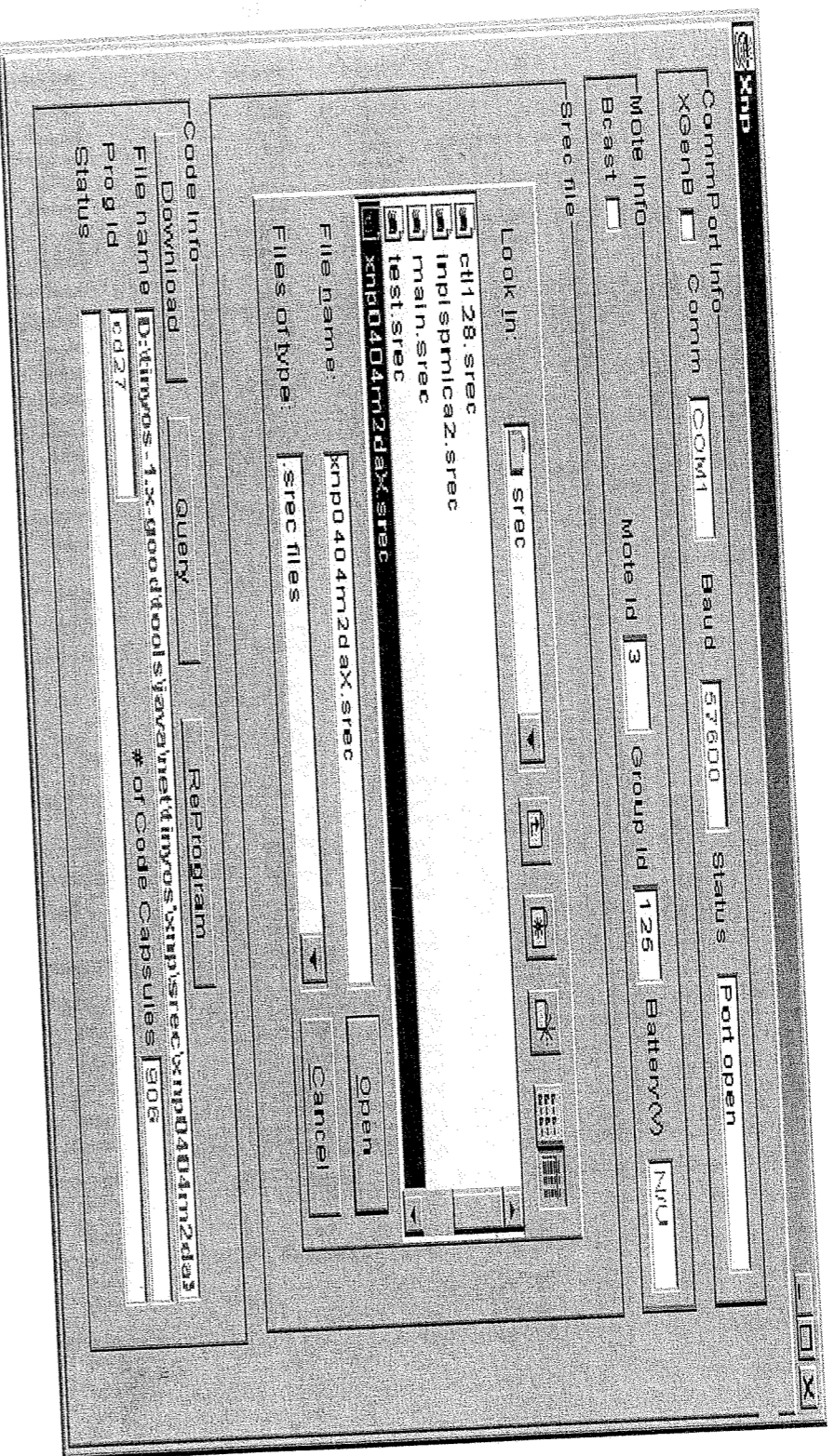
## Installation of XNP Bootloader

- Install Application (w/ XNP services)
- Install Bootloader in upper Memory
  - `uisp -dprog=dapa upload if=bootfile`

- *Bootfile*

- InpispM2.srec            Mica2
- InpispM2d.srec        Mica2Dot

# XNP Host User Interface



## Demonstration Example

- Afternoon Session



# Mote Power Management Session

## Overview:

- Battery Life Calculation
- Mote Sleep
- Radio Power Management

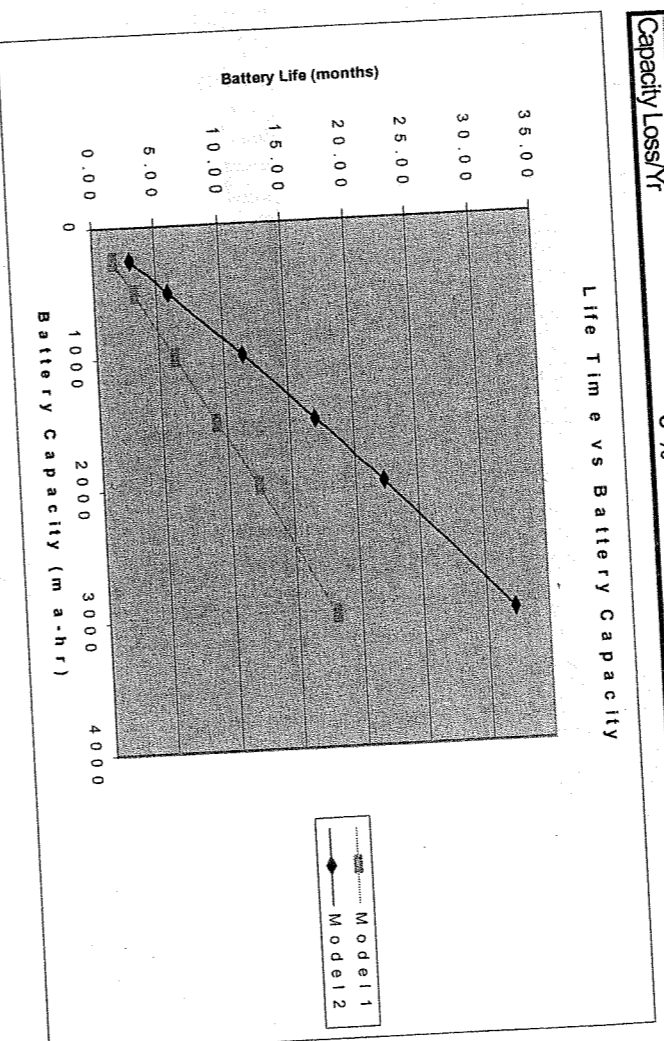
## Power Management

- Not hard for single hop
  - Wake up and transmit only strategies have resulted in multiyear battery life (Axxon, 5yr). Prone to collisions, can't multihop for more distance.
  - Sleep and sniff mote strategies (~3-4 yr).
- Multiple hop becomes hard
  - Need to wake-up, send data, forward messages.
  - Bandwidth crunch (see slide from multiphop session)
- Must sleep 99% of the time or some equivalent strategy!

# Battery Life Computation

- Two models:
- 1% duty cycle
- 0.5% duty cycle
- Conclusion:
- To achieve multi-year battery life, must sleep most of the time.
- Spread Sheet in on CD

| SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS           |       | Duty Cycles |         |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------------|---------|
| Currents                        | value | Model 1     | Model 2 |
|                                 | units |             | units   |
| Micro Processor (Atmega128L)    | 6 ma  | 1           | 0.5 %   |
| current (full operation)        | 8 ua  | 99          | 99.5 %  |
| current sleep                   | 8 ma  | 0.75        | 0.4 %   |
| Radio (Chipcon 1000)            | 12 ma | 0.25        | 0.1 %   |
| current in receive              | 2 ua  | 99          | 99.5 %  |
| current xmit                    |       |             |         |
| current sleep                   |       |             |         |
| Flash Serial Memory (AT45DB041) | 15 ma | 0           | 0 %     |
| write                           | 4 ma  | 0           | 0 %     |
| read                            | 2 ua  | 100         | 100 %   |
| sleep                           |       |             |         |
| Sensor Board                    | 5 ma  | 1           | 0.5 %   |
| current (full operation)        | 5 ua  | 99          | 99.5 %  |
| current sleep                   |       |             |         |
| Battery Specifications          |       |             |         |
| Capacity Loss/Yr                | 3 %   |             |         |



## Mote Sleep

- Atmega128 will sleep at 10uA.
- All pins must be in correct state.
- Setting to any pin to incorrect state will typically add >100uA of current.
- Mica2 sleep example:  
contrib/xbow/apps/XTestSnooze
- UCB introducing more advance power management strategies.

## Radio Power: Long Preambles

- Preamble is a series of 0x55 (alternating 0,1s) set of bytes.
- Radio receiver uses this to balance (zero) receiver.
- Strategy: User very long preamble so that sleeping motes can wake up and still catch the preamble.
- Example: If preamble is ~200msec then mote can wake up every 100msec for 10 msec to sample the preamble (10% duty cycle)
- New addition to TOS in mica2 platform. See CCI1000const.h. Defines preamble up to ~1 second in length.
- Is this scalable for a large network?
- Penalty for transmitter power.

## Radio Power: RSSI Sniff

- Chipconn radio can turn on quickly from sleep : ~200usec.
- Strategy: wake up Atmega128, sample radio's RSSI
- Either go to sleep or wake up to receive a radio packet.
- No implementation in TinyOS yet.