

CHAPTER I

OVERVIEW OF ZIGBEE

1.1 Background

ZigBee is a specification for wireless personal area networks (WPANs) operating at 868 MHz, 915 MHz and 2.4 GHz. A WPAN is a personal area network (a network for interconnecting an individual's devices) in which the device connections are wireless. Using ZigBee, devices in a WPAN can communicate at speeds of up to 250 Kbps while physically separated by distances of up to 100 meters in typical circumstances and greater distances in an ideal environment. ZigBee is based on the 802.15.4 specification approved by the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Standards Association (IEEE-SA) [11].

ZigBee provides for high data throughput in applications where the duty cycle is low. This makes ZigBee ideal for home, business and industrial automation where control devices and sensors are commonly used. Such devices operate at low power levels, and this, in conjunction with their low duty cycle (typically 0.1% or less), translates into long battery life. Applications well suited to ZigBee include heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC), lighting systems, fire sensing and the detection, intrusion detection and notification of unusual occurrences. ZigBee is compatible with most topologies including peer-to-peer, star network and mesh networks [41].

1.2 The Name ZigBee

The name 'ZigBee' is derived from the erratic zigging patterns many bees make between flowers when collecting pollen. This is evocative of the invisible webs of connections existing in a fully wireless environment. The standard itself is regulated by a group known as the ZigBee Alliance with over 200 members worldwide [27].

1.3 ZigBee Alliance

The ZigBee Alliance is an association of companies working together to define an open global standard for making low-power wireless networks. The intended outcome of ZigBee Alliance is to create a specification defining how to build different network topologies with data security features and interoperable application profiles. The association includes companies from a wide spectrum of categories, from chip manufactures to system integration companies. The number of members in the association is rapidly growing and is currently over 200. Among the members one can find Philips, Samsung, Motorola and LG.

The first specification was ratified in 2004 and the first generation of ZigBee products had reached the market in 2005. A big challenge for the alliance is to make the interoperability to work among different products. To solve this problem, the ZigBee Alliance has defined different profiles, depending on what type of category the product belongs to. For example there is a profile called Home Lightning that exactly defines how different brands of home lightning-products should communicate with each other [28].

1.4 History of ZigBee

- ZigBee-style networks began to be conceived about 1998, when many installers realized that both WiFi and Bluetooth were going to be unsuitable for many applications. In particular, many engineers saw a need for self-organizing ad-hoc digital radio networks.
- The IEEE 802.15.4 standard was completed in May 2003.
- In the summer of 2003, Philips Semiconductors, a major mesh network supporter, ceased the investment. Philips Lighting has, however, continued Philips' participation and Philips remains a promoter member on the ZigBee Alliance Board of Directors.
- The ZigBee Alliance announced in October 2004 that the membership had more than doubled in the preceding year and had grown to more than 100 member companies, in 22 countries. By April 2005 membership had grown to more than 150 companies and by December 2005 membership had passed 200 companies.

- The ZigBee specifications were ratified on 14 December 2004.
- The ZigBee Alliance announces public availability of Specification 1.0 on 13 June 2005, known as ZigBee 2004 Specification.
- The ZigBee Alliance announces the completion and immediate member availability of the enhanced version of the ZigBee Standard in September 2006, known as ZigBee 2006 Specification.
- During the last quarter of 2007, ZigBee PRO, the enhanced ZigBee specification was finalized [34].

1.5 Evolution of Low-Rate Wireless Personal Area Networks (LR-WPAN) Standardization

The cellular network was a natural extension of the wired telephony network that became pervasive during the mid-20th century. As the need for mobility and the cost of laying new wires increased, the motivation for a personal connection independent of location to that network also increased. Coverage of large area is provided through (1-2 km) cells that cooperate with their neighbors to create a seemingly seamless network. Examples of standards are GSM, IS-136, IS-95. Cellular standards basically aimed at facilitating voice communications throughout a metropolitan area.

Table 1.1: Review of 802.15 alphabet soup

802.15	Wireless Personal Area Networks (WPAN)
802.15.1	WPANs based on Bluetooth
802.15.2	Coexistence of WPAN's and WLAN's
802.15.3	High data rates 20Mbps+ on WPAN
802.15.3a	High speed PHY enhancements
802.15.3b	High speed MAC enhancements
802.15.4	Low data rate, simple multi year battery life
802.15.5	Mesh Networking

During the mid-1980s, it turned out that an even smaller coverage area was needed for higher user densities and the emergent data traffic. The IEEE 802.11 working group for WLANs is formed to create a wireless local area network standard.

Whereas IEEE 802.11 was concerned with features such as Ethernet matching speed, long range (100m), complexity to handle seamless roaming, message forwarding and data throughput of 2-11 Mbps, WPANs are focused on a space around a person or object that typically extends up to 10m in all directions. The focus of WPANs is low-cost, low power, short range and very small size. The IEEE 802.15 working group is formed to create WPAN standard (see Table 1.1). This group has currently defined three classes of WPANs that are differentiated by data rate, battery drain and quality of service (QoS). The high data rate WPAN (IEEE 802.15.3) is suitable for multi-media applications that require very high QoS. Medium rate WPANs (IEEE 802.15.1/Bluetooth) will handle a variety of tasks ranging from cell phones to PDA communications and have QoS suitable for voice communications. The low rate WPANs (IEEE 802.15.4/LR-WPAN) is intended to serve a set of industrial, residential and medical applications with very low power consumption and cost requirement not considered by the above WPANs and with relaxed needs for data rate and QoS. The low data rate enables the LR-WPAN to consume very little power [11].

1.6 ZigBee and IEEE 802.15.4

ZigBee technology is a low data rate, low power consumption, low cost, wireless networking protocol targeted towards automation and remote control applications. IEEE 802.15.4 committee started working on a low data rate standard a short while later. Then the ZigBee Alliance and the IEEE decided to join forces and ZigBee is the commercial name for this technology.

ZigBee is expected to provide low cost and low power connectivity for equipment that needs battery life as long as several months to several years but does not require data transfer rates as high as those enabled by Bluetooth. In addition, ZigBee can be implemented in mesh networks larger than is possible with Bluetooth. ZigBee compliant wireless devices are expected to transmit in the range of 1-100 meters, depending on the RF

environment and the power output consumption required for a given application and will operate in the unlicensed RF worldwide (2.4 GHz global, 915 MHz Americas or 868 MHz Europe). The data rate is 250 kbps at 2.4 GHz, 40 kbps at 915 MHz and 20 kbps at 868 MHz.

IEEE and ZigBee Alliance have been working closely to specify the entire protocol stack (see Figure 1.1). IEEE 802.15.4 focuses on the specification of the lower two layers of the protocol (physical and data link layer). On the other hand, ZigBee Alliance aims to provide the upper layers of the protocol stack (from network to the application layer) for interoperable data networking, security services and a range of wireless home and building control solutions, provide interoperability compliance testing, marketing of the standard, advanced engineering for the evolution of the standard. This will assure consumers to buy products from different manufacturers with confidence that the products will work together.

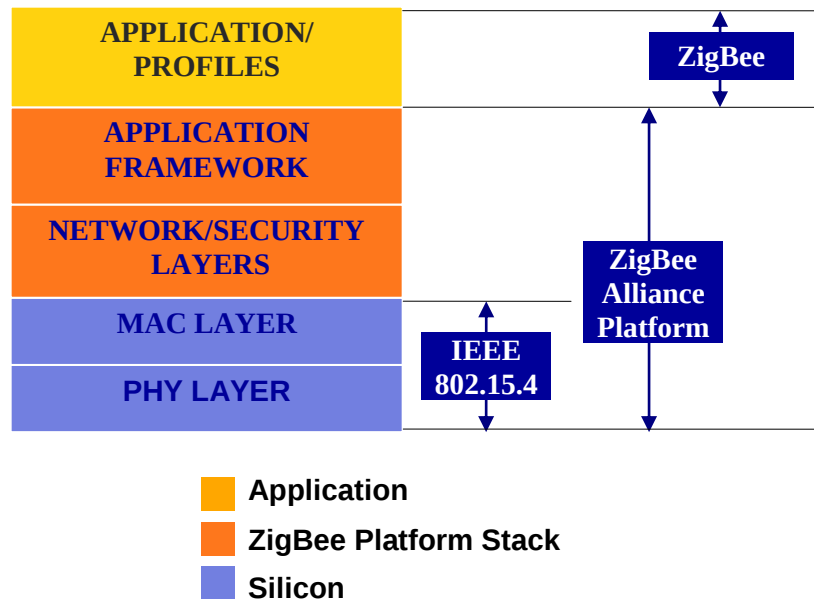


Figure 1.1: Protocol stack structure

IEEE 802.15.4 is now detailing the specification of physical layer (PHY) and medium access layer (MAC) by offering building blocks for different types of networking known as "star, mesh and cluster tree". Network routing schemes are designed to ensure power

conservation and low latency through guaranteed time slots. A unique feature of ZigBee network layer is communication redundancy eliminating "single point of failure" in mesh networks. Key features of PHY include energy and link quality detection, clear channel assessment for improved coexistence with other wireless networks [5].

1.7 ZigBee vs. Other Wireless Standards

Table 1.2 outlines some of the key characteristics of ZigBee and how it stacks up against other common wireless standards [42].

Table 1.2: ZigBee vs. Other wireless standards

	ZigBee	802.11 (Wi-fi)	Bluetooth	UWB (Ultra Wide Band)	IR Wireless
Data Rate	20, 40 and 250 Kbits/s	11 & 54 Mbits/s	1 Mbits/s	100 – 500 Mbits/s	20 – 40 Kbits/s 115 Kbits/s 4 & 6 Mbits/s
Range (meters)	10 – 100	50 – 100	10	< 10	< 10
Networking Topology	Ad-hoc, peer to peer, star, mesh	Point to Hub	Ad-hoc, very small Networks	Point to point	Point to point
Operating Frequency	868 MHz (Europe) 900-928 MHz (NA), 2.4 GHz (Global)	2.4 and 5 GHz	2.4 GHz	3.1 – 10.6 GHz	800 – 900 nm
Complexity (Device and Application impact)	Low	High	High	Medium	Low
Power Consumption (Battery option and life)	Very low (low power is a design goal)	High	Medium	Low	Low
Security	128 AES plus application layer security		64 and 128 bit encryption		

Other Information	Devices can join an existing network in under 30ms	Device connection requires 3 – 5 sec.	Device connection requires up to 10 seconds		
Typical Applications	Industrial control and monitoring, sensor networks, building automation, home control and automation toys, games	Wireless LAN connectivity, broadband Internet access	Wireless connectivity between such as phones, PDA, laptops, headsets	Streaming video, home entertainment applications	Remote controls, PC, PDA, phone, laptop links

ZigBee looks rather like Bluetooth but is simpler, has a lower data rate and spends most of its time snoozing. This characteristic means that a node on a ZigBee network should be able to run for six months to three years on just two AA batteries (see Table 1.3).

The operational range of ZigBee is 1-100m compared to 10m for Bluetooth (without a power amplifier).

ZigBee sits below Bluetooth in terms of data rate. The data rate of ZigBee is 250 kbps at 2.4 GHz, 40 kbps at 915 MHz and 20 kbps at 868 MHz whereas that of Bluetooth is 1 Mbps.

Table 1.3: Comparison between ZigBee and Bluetooth

Market Name (Standard)	ZigBee® (802.15.4)	Bluetooth™ (802.15.1)
Application Focus	Monitoring & Control	Cable Replacement
Bandwidth (Hz)	20 – 250	1000
Battery Life (days)	100 - 1000+	1 - 7
Network Join Time	0.3 - 18 msec	3 sec
Network Size (# of nodes)	65535	7
System Resources	4 kb - 32 kb	250 kb+
Transmission Range (meters)	1 - 100+	1 - 10+
Success Metrics	Reliability, Power, Cost	Convenience

ZigBee uses a basic master-slave configuration suited to static star networks of many infrequently used devices that talk via small data packets. It allows up to 65535 nodes. Bluetooth's protocol is more complex since it is geared towards handling voice, images and file transfers in ad-hoc networks. Bluetooth devices can support scatternets of multiple smaller non-synchronized networks (piconets) and it only allows up to 7 slave nodes in a basic master-slave piconet set-up.

When ZigBee node is powered down, it can wake up and get a packet in around 15 msec. whereas a Bluetooth device would take around 3 sec. to wake up and respond.

1.8 ZigBee Wireless Markets and Applications

Table 1.4 [36] shows that ZigBee's markets and its applications. As seen below ZigBee has a big marketing at many sectors in world wide.

Table 1.4: ZigBee wireless markets and applications

Markets	Applications
building automation	security, HVAC, AMR, lighting and access control
consumer electronics	remote control
industrial control	asset management, process control, energy management
PC & peripherals	mouse, keyboard, Joystick
personal health care	patient monitoring
residential / light commercial control	security, HVAC, lighting and access control

The biggest marketing partition is the building automation in ZigBee applications.

Figure 1.2 shows a typical smart home solutions application using ZigBee [9]. As seen that figure many applications can be performed.

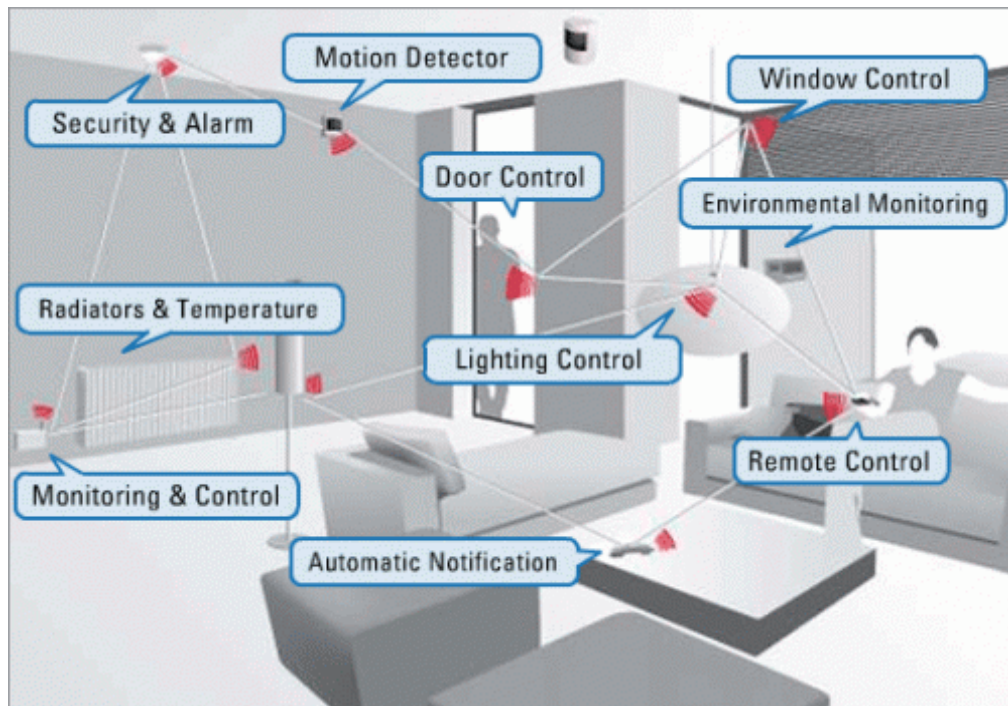


Figure 1.2: Smart home using ZigBee

Zigbee's marketing is growing up speedily and its compound annual growth rate is 63% (see Figure 1.3) [10].

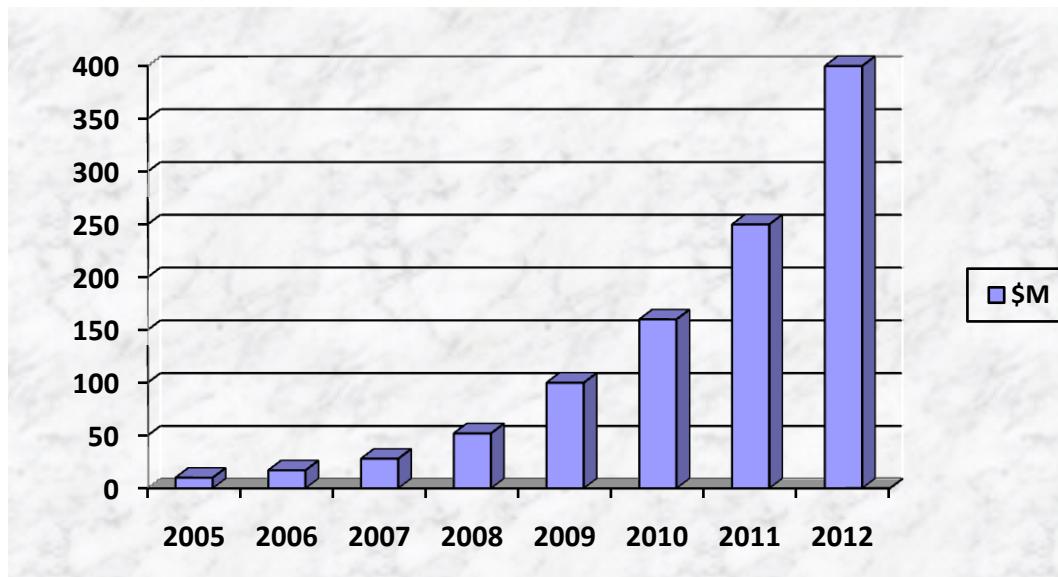


Figure 1.3: Worldwide IEEE 802.15.4 and ZigBee Chipset Revenue

There has been many researchers and analysts who studied and developed ZigBee based products. Some of the important studies in this field are given below:

- **Remote-controlled home robot server with ZigBee sensor network** [13]

Recently, interest of general public towards ubiquitous home networking has increased immensely and wireless PAN (personal area network) has attracted strong attentions as short-distance networking solution. Convenience of wireless PAN technology has attracted more attentions over traditional wired home network devices such as Ethernet, PLC and HomePNA since it requires no cabling work. In the future, home servers will be combined with robots to provide functionalities identical to current home service robots as well as to implement more effective and spontaneous servers. In this paper, Choi et al. described a remotely controlled robot for home automation applications, using ZigBee protocol devices.

- **A Wireless solution for greenhouse monitoring and control system based on ZigBee** [20]

With the rapid development of wireless technologies, it is possible for greenhouses to be equipped with wireless sensor networks due to their low-cost, simplicity and mobility. In this study, the advantages of ZigBee with other two similar wireless networking protocols are compared, e.g. Wi-Fi, Bluetooth and the ZigBee protocol is recommended for greenhouse monitoring and control because of its low-power requirements and the network capacity.

- **ZigBee-based demand-response systems reduce home energy usage** [8]

Home automation originally evolved to bring whole-house entertainment and comfort control into affluent homes. But the advent of wireless technologies combined with low-power, low-cost hardware has made home automation networks affordable and easy to install for the average homeowner. Beyond the lifestyle benefits, affordable wireless

technology has also enabled manufacturers to embed wireless intelligence into a variety of energy conservation and management technologies that will have a huge impact on reducing our energy woes and greenhouse emissions in the near term. Demand response systems for managing energy usage in homes are among the most promising of these new technologies. Households consume one-fifth of the nation's energy each year with 60% of that consumption in the form of electricity. At the same time, utilities are struggling to manage the peak energy demand dilemma, where about 10% of electric generating capacity exists only to be used less than one percent of the time. If energy demand can respond dynamically to the available energy supply, huge cost, reliability and energy efficiency gains can be achieved within homes and the energy grid without having to build additional power plants. Homeowners are beginning to adopt wireless home area networks (HANs) to gain not just whole-house entertainment control but also the ability to better manage their energy consumption and this without the expense of traditional wired home automation systems. ZigBee is an ideal candidate in such home energy saving applications.

- **Development of ZigBee based street light control system [16]**

Industry of street lighting systems are growing rapidly and becoming complex with rapid growth of industry and cities. To control and maintain complex street lighting system more economically, various street light control systems are developed. Nevertheless most of the developed systems have some drawbacks. Therefore new light control systems are going to be developed which can overcome old systems drawbacks. Various street light control systems were surveyed and their characteristics analyzed by Lee. Through these efforts, it was found that common drawbacks of most light control systems are their uneasiness of handling and difficulty of maintenance. To reduce these drawbacks, new street light control system has been designed by using Zigbee communication techniques.

- **ZigBee-based home security system [2]**

AlertMe offering is a subscription-based security system designed to detect events such as an intruder or a fire and alert users via SMS text messaging or email. The Linux-based Hub

at the core of the system stays in constant touch with sensors and other devices scattered around the home via ZigBee. The Hub in turn communicates via a secure broadband connection to alertme.com 's servers, which then send out alerts to the customer and authorized friends and family members.

- **ZigBee based wireless sensor network fed with sun batteries [15]**

The goal of this project was the producing of supply voltage required for the PicdemZ card and connected sensors that used the Zigbee based security project in the Department of Electrical & Electronics Engineering of Ege University by Kok. Low-power was a requirement here and thus ZigBee was a suitable protocol.

- **A home security ZigBee network for remote monitoring application [1]**

Security monitoring systems are popular in home automation and Zigbee is a new industrial standard wireless sensor network. This paper introduces an experimental home security monitoring and alarming system based on the Zigbee technology. It is capable of monitoring door & window magnetic contacts, smoke, gas leak, water flooding and providing simple controls such as turning off the valves and sending alarms to the residential area security network etc. The security alarming system is based on a Zigbee chip and a low power consumption micro-controller. The system uses a control key fob for activating and de-activating the alarm easily, supports web interface so that users can access the system remotely to control, search or review the history record and also offers a LCD panel for simple configuration. The experimental system has been designed and its wireless communication test result shows that the Zigbee wireless network can improve the home security with low power and easy to implement solution.

- **ZigBee-ready modules for sensor networking [6,17]**

Fully functional ZigBee-ready modules have been designed, implemented and tested by many manufacturers. It is shown that ZigBee is suitable for sensor networking where long battery life, large networks and fast network establishment are the main requirements.

- **Multi-stage real time health monitoring via ZigBee in smart homes [3]**

Dagtas et. al. describe a ZigBee based real-time health monitoring system for use in smart homes. The main advantage of the proposed system was the ability to detect signals wirelessly within a Body Area Network (BAN), low-power and reliable operation.

- **Implementing a ZigBee Protocol Stack and Light Sensor in TinyOS [19]**

Munk-Stander et. al. describe a ZigBee based protocol stack used in light sensing applications. It is reported that the system had the advantages of low data rate, low power consumption, security and reliability. Even though the implementation is specialized to the light sensor application, the protocol stack in itself can be used to implement many other applications having similar requirements as the ones presented by the authors.

- **ZigBee-based IR remote control repeater and its control message frame format [12]**

A ZigBee based Infrared (IR) remote control repeater has been designed for consumer applications. Many legacy consumer devices are controlled via IR remote controls. A user needs one IR remote control per one legacy consumer device and has to guarantee the line of sight towards legacy consumer devices. As the ubiquitous home era emerges, all home devices are required to be controllable at anytime and anywhere. To control IR-based legacy consumer devices regardless of the line of sight, a small ZigBee-based IR remote control repeater is attached near the IR receiving part of a legacy consumer device. It receives the control message via ZigBee protocol and converts the received message into IR signal which is transmitted to the legacy consumer device. The designed device has the advantage that a large number of nodes can be connected to the device.

- **Remote monitoring of motor operational data using ZigBee wireless protocol [4]**

In today's market there is only a slight selection of products in the Heating and AC business that offer wireless technology. The demand for wireless technology that can display a motors status in an HVAC system is essential, especially for motor developers and installers. In this document, the criteria necessary for developing such technology and

the benefits of developing wireless technology to display and manage a high efficient motor within a furnace, subjects are described. Existing HVAC systems only provide temperature information of the thermostat, which is located in the living room. This requires that technicians search for the furnace, disable the furnace box and diagnose the speed and power of the electrically commutated motor (ECM). It will be a big help for the technicians and homeowners if motor information can be provided at the living room.

- **ZigBee based dynamic control scheme for multiple legacy IR controllable digital consumer devices [21]**

A universal remote control (URC) unit is an integrated device for controlling many different consumer electronics (CE) home appliances. To control these various CE devices based on infrared (IR) control signal, the URC unit has to have many preprogrammed control codes for controlling them because they are controlled with many different types of IR profile stated with lead code, control code, carrier frequency, duty cycle, duration and so forth. In this paper, a dynamic control scheme for multiple legacy IR controllable digital CE appliances are proposed, which is based on IEEE 802.15.4, especially ZigBee protocol. The proposed scheme uses two main components. One is a URC unit using ZigBee based wireless network technology, WPAN. Another is a Z2IR (ZigBee to IR) conversion module which converts a control message transferred through the ZigBee network into an IR typed control signal. In this scheme, the list of CE devices to be controlled by the proposed URC, called as Z-URC (ZigBee based user remote control) is dynamically reconfigured.

- **The Impact of ZigBee in a biomedical environment [24]**

Thraning described the impact of the ZigBee technology in a biomedical environment in his thesis. The thesis's focus is the evaluation of possible technologies and solutions for communication between several wireless sensors and a CIP-node with respect to battery capacity, scalability, fail-safety, security and cost in the design of new applications and communication principles.

- **ZigBee suitability for wireless sensor networks in logistic telemetry applications [14]**

There has been a quick development in the wireless network area during the last decade. Mostly these days the focus in the wireless area is on very high speed and long range applications. This application describes how ZigBee is suitable for wireless sensor networks in logistic telemetry applications for global managing and monitoring of goods. The other aim of this thesis was to examine different issues related to ZigBee to see its fitness for logistic telemetry applications like multi-hop routing issues, routing strategies and design requirements. ZigBee is relatively new wireless technology, so there are great deals of promises associated with it.

- **ZigBee for building control wireless sensor Networks [25]**

Zucatto et. al. describe a method where the stack profile is selected by the ZigBee coordinator and is chosen on the basis of application areas, such as home control, building automation or plant control. Aiming the development of a commercial ZigBee product for home control. In this paper some important aspects of those standards and the main directives of the stack profile and network topology are described.

- **ZigBee-based meter aids energy efficiency [37]**

An energy saving ZigBee based plug-in electricity meter is described. The device, called the plogg, allows home and building owners to monitor how much electricity is being used by individual appliances and electronic devices so that energy efficiency can be improved. Recent studies by the British government and the Carbon Trust show that people can save 5-15% of the electricity they use by using smart meters to manage energy demands.

- **Remote copy-paste based ZigBee [5]**

In today's world, the methods for copying data from one computer to another one is not secure. This paper describes how the data can be copied securely between two computers using ZigBee devices.

CHAPTER 2

IEEE 802.15.4 WIRELESS PERSONAL AREA NETWORK, ZIGBEE LAYERS AND SECURITY

ZigBee is an IEEE 802.15.4 wireless personal area network technology. In this chapter, components of IEEE 802.15.4 wireless personal area network, ZigBee's physical, medium access control and routing layers are mentioned. Also given information about ZigBee's security.

2.1 IEEE 802.15.4 Wireless Personal Area Network

The main features of this standard are network flexibility, low cost, very low power consumption and low data rate. It is developed for applications with relaxed throughput requirements which cannot handle the power consumption of heavy protocol stacks.

2.1.1 Components of WPAN

A ZigBee system consists of several components. The most basic is the device. A device can be a full-function device (FFD) or reduced-function device (RFD). A network shall include at least one FFD, operating as the PAN coordinator.

The FFD can operate in three modes: a personal area network (PAN) coordinator, a coordinator or a device.

An RFD is intended for applications that are extremely simple and do not need to send large amounts of data. An FFD can communicate with RFDs or FFDs while an RFD can only communicate with an FFD [5].

2.1.2 Network Topologies

Figure 2.1 shows three types of topologies that ZigBee supports; star topology, peer to peer topology and cluster tree [5].

2.1.2.1 Star Topology

In the star topology, the communication is established between devices and a single central controller, called the PAN coordinator. The PAN coordinator may be mains powered while the devices will most likely be battery powered. Applications that benefit from this topology include home automation, personal computer (PC) peripherals, toys and games.

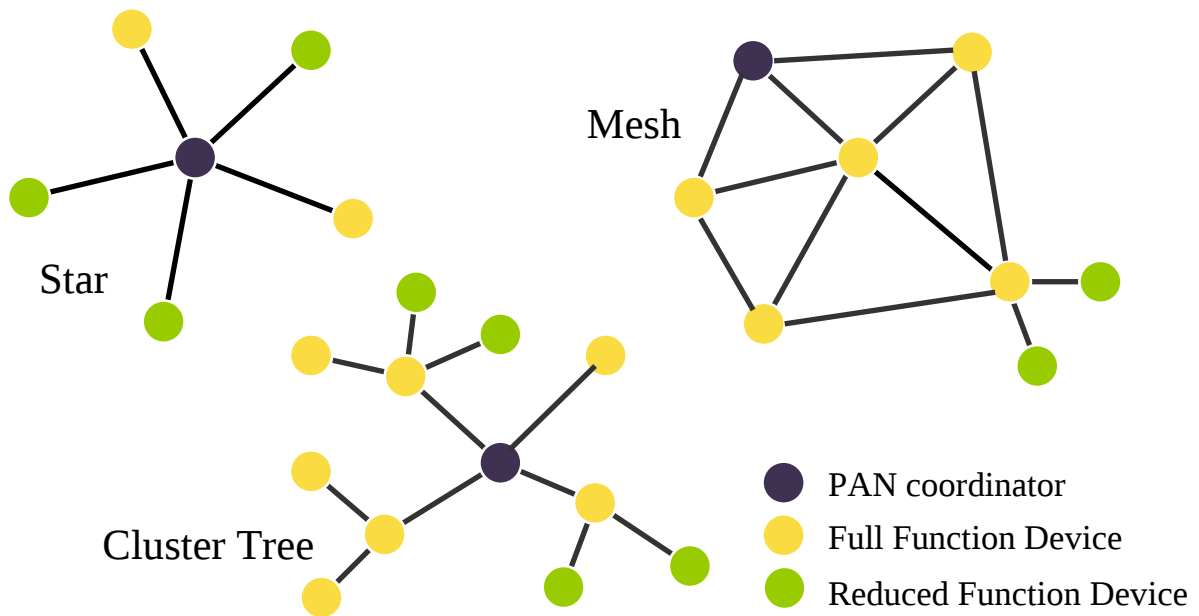


Figure 2.1: Topology models

After an FFD is activated for the first time, it may establish its own network and become the PAN coordinator. Each star network chooses a PAN identifier, which is not currently used by any other network within the radio sphere of influence. This allows each star network to operate independently.

2.1.2.2 Peer to Peer Topology

In peer-to-peer topology, there is also one PAN coordinator. In contrast to star topology, any device can communicate with any other device as long as they are in range of one another. A peer-to-peer network can be ad-hoc, self-organizing and self-healing.

Applications such as industrial control and monitoring, wireless sensor networks, asset and inventory tracking would benefit from such a topology. It also allows multiple hops to route messages from any device to any other device in the network. It can provide reliability by multipath routing.

2.1.2.3 Cluster Tree Topology

Cluster-tree network is a special case of a peer-to-peer network in which most devices are FFDs and an RFD may connect to a cluster-tree network as a leave node at the end of a branch. Any of the FFD can act as a coordinator and provide synchronization services to other devices and coordinators. Only one of these coordinators however is the PAN coordinator.

The PAN coordinator forms the first cluster by establishing itself as the cluster head (CLH) with a cluster identifier (CID) of zero, choosing an unused PAN identifier and broadcasting beacon frames to neighboring devices. A candidate device receiving a beacon frame may request to join the network at the CLH. If the PAN coordinator permits the device to join, it will add this new device as a child device in its neighbor list. The newly joined device will add the CLH as its parent in its neighbor list and begin transmitting periodic beacons such that other candidate devices may then join the network at that device. Once application or network requirements are met, the PAN coordinator may instruct a device to become the CLH of a new cluster adjacent to the first one. The advantage of this clustered structure is the increased coverage area at the cost of increased message latency.

2.1.3 LR-WPAN Device Architecture

Figure 2.2 shows an LR-WPAN device [11]. The device comprises a PHY, which contains the radio frequency (RF) transceiver along with its low-level control mechanism and a MAC sublayer that provides access to the physical channel for all types of transfer. The upper layers consists of a network layer, which provides network configuration, manipulation, message routing and application layer, which provides the intended function

of a device. An IEEE 802.2 logical link control (LLC) can access the MAC sublayer through the service specific convergence sublayer (SSCS).

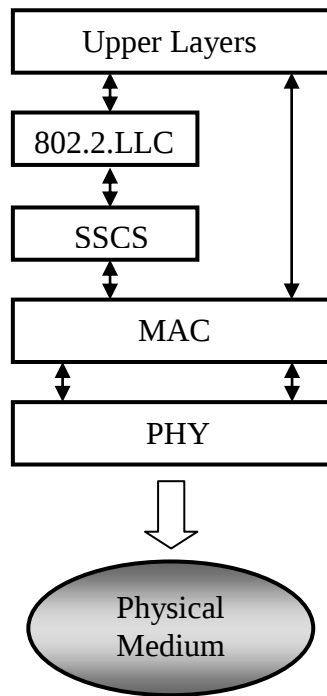


Figure 2.2: LR-WPAN device architecture

2.2 Physical Layer

The physical layer (PHY) [5] provides two services: the PHY data service and PHY management service interfacing to the physical layer management entity (PLME). The PHY data service enables the transmission and reception of PHY protocol data units (PPDU) across the physical radio channel.

The features of the PHY are activation and deactivation of the radio transceiver, energy detection (ED), link quality indication (LQI), channel selection, clear channel assessment (CCA) and transmitting as well as receiving packets across the physical medium.

The standard offers two PHY options based on the frequency band. Both are based on direct sequence spread spectrum (DSSS). The data rate is 250 kbps at 2.4 GHz, 40 kbps at

915 MHz and 20 kbps at 868 MHz. The higher data rate at 2.4 GHz is attributed to a higher-order modulation scheme. Lower frequency provide longer range due to lower propagation losses. Low rate can be translated into better sensitivity and larger coverage area. Higher rate means higher throughput, lower latency or lower duty cycle. This information is summarized in Table 2.1.

Table 2.1: Frequency bands and data rates

PHY (MHz)	Frequency band (MHz)	Channel numbering	Chip rate (kchips/s)	Modulation	Bit rate (kb/s)	Symbol rate (ksymbol/s)	Symbols
868	868-868.6	0	300	BPSK	20	20	Binary
915	902-928	1-10	600	BPSK	40	40	Binary
2450	2400-2483.5	11-26	2000	O-QPSK	250	62.5	16-ary Orthogonal

There is a single channel between 868 and 868.6 MHz, 10 channels between 902.0 and 928.0 MHz, 16 channels between 2.4 and 2.4835 GHz. Several channels in different frequency bands enables the ability to relocate within spectrum. The standard also allows dynamic channel selection, a scan function that steps through a list of supported channels in search of beacon, receiver energy detection, link quality indication and channel switching.

Receiver sensitivities are -85 dBm for 2.4 GHz and -92 dBm for 868/915 MHz. The advantage of 6-8 dBm comes from the advantage of lower rate. The achievable range is a function of receiver sensitivity and transmit power. The maximum transmit power shall conform with local regulations. A compliant device shall have its nominal transmit power level indicated by the PHY parameter.

2.2.1 Transmit Power

The transmitter should be capable of transmitting at least -3 dBm. The device should transmit as low power as possible to reduce interference to other devices and systems. The definition of dBm is shown in Equation 2.1 [18]:

$$Power_{dBm} = 10 \log \frac{Power_{mW}}{1mW} \quad (2.1)$$

Table 2.2 [38] shows that some dBm – power equations.

Table 2.2: dBm – power equations [30]

dBm Level	Power	dBm Level	Power	dBm Level	Power
80 dBm	100 kW	20 dBm	100 mW	-20 dBm	10 μ W
60 dBm	1 kW	15 dBm	32 mW	-30 dBm	1.0 μ W
50 dBm	100 W	10 dBm	10 mW	-40 dBm	100 nW
40 dBm	10 W	6 dBm	4.0 mW	-50 dBm	10 nW
36 dBm	4 W	5 dBm	3.2 mW	-60 dBm	1.0 nW
33 dBm	2 W	4 dBm	2.5 mW	-70 dBm	100 pW
30 dBm	1 W	3 dBm	2.0 mW	-80 dBm	10 pW
27 dBm	500 mW	2 dBm	1.6 mW	-100 dBm	0.1 pW
26 dBm	400 mW	1 dBm	1.3 mW	-111 dBm	0.008 pW
25 dBm	316 mW	0 dBm	1.0 mW	-127.5 dBm	0.178 fW
24 dBm	250 mW	-1 dBm	794 μ W	-174 dBm	0.004 aW
23 dBm	200 mW	-3 dBm	501 μ W	-192.5 dBm	0.056 zW
22 dBm	160 mW	-5 dBm	316 μ W	$-\infty$ dBm	0 W
21 dBm	125 mW	-10 dBm	100 μ W		

2.2.2 Receiver Energy Detection (ED)

The receiver energy detection (ED) [5] measurement is intended for use by a network layer as part of channel selection algorithm. It is an estimate of the received signal power within the bandwidth of an IEEE 802.15.4 channel. No attempt is made to identify or decode signals on the channel. The ED time should be equal to 8 symbol periods.

The ED result shall be reported as an 8-bit integer ranging from 0x00 to 0xFF. The minimum ED value (0) shall indicate received power less than 10 dB above the specified receiver sensitivity. The range of received power spanned by the ED values shall be at least 40dB. Within this range, the mapping from the received power in decibels to ED values shall be linear with an accuracy of ± 6 dB.

2.2.3 Link Quality Indication (LQI)

Upon reception of a packet, the PHY sends the PSDU length, PSDU itself and link quality (LQ) in the PD-DATA indication primitive. The LQI [5] measurement is a characterization of the strength and/or quality of a received packet. The measurement may be implemented using receiver ED, a signal-to-noise estimation or a combination of these methods. The use of LQI result is up to the network or application layers. The LQI result should be reported as an integer ranging from 0x00 to 0xff. The minimum and maximum LQI values should be associated with the lowest and highest quality IEEE 802.15.4 signals detectable by the receiver and LQ values should be uniformly distributed between these two limits.

2.2.4 Clear Channel Assessment (CCA)

The clear channel assessment (CCA) [5] is performed according to at least one of the following three methods:

- Energy above threshold. CCA shall report a busy medium upon detecting any energy above the ED threshold.
- Carrier sense only. CCA shall report a busy medium only upon the detection of a signal with the modulation and spreading characteristics of IEEE 802.15.4. This signal may be above or below the ED threshold.
- Carrier sense with energy above threshold. CCA shall report a busy medium only upon the detection of a signal with the modulation and spreading characteristics of IEEE 802.15.4 with energy above the ED threshold.

2.2.5 PHY Protocol Data Unit (PPDU) Format

The PPDU [5] packet structure is illustrated in Table 2.3. Each PPDU packet consists of the following basic components:

- PHY Header (PHR), which contains frame length information

- Synchronization Header (SHR), which allows a receiving device to synchronize and lock into the bit stream
- A variable length payload, which carries the MAC sublayer frame.

Table 2.3: Format of the PPDU

Octets:4	1	1		Variable
Preamble	SFD	Frame length (7 bits)	Reserved (1 bit)	PSDU
SHR		PHR		PHY payload

2.3 Medium Access Control Layer

The Medium Access Control (MAC) layer [6] provides the interface between the PHY layer and the NWK layer. The MAC is responsible for generating beacons and synchronizing the device to the beacons (in a beacon-enabled network). The MAC layer also provides association and disassociation services.

2.3.1 MAC Frame Structures

The IEEE 802.15.4 defines 4 MAC frame structures [6]:

- Beacon frame
- Data frame
- Acknowledge frame
- MAC command frame

The beacon frame is used by a coordinator to transmit beacons. The beacons are used to synchronize the clock of all the devices within the same network. The data and acknowledgment frames are used to transmit data and accordingly acknowledge the successful reception of a frame. The MAC commands are transmitted using a MAC command frame.

2.3.1.1 The Beacon Frame

The structure of a beacon frame [6] is shown in Figure 2.3. The entire MAC frame is used as a payload in a PHY packet. The content of the PHY payload is referred to as the PHY Service Data Unit (PSDU).

In the PHY packet, the preamble field is used by the receiver for synchronization. The start-of-frame delimiter (SFD) indicates the end of SHR and start of PHR. The frame length specifies the total number of octets in the PHY payload (PSDU).

The MAC frame consists of three sections: the MAC header (MHR), the MAC payload and the MAC footer (MFR). The frame control field in the MHR contains information defining the frame type, addressing fields and other control flags. The sequence number specifies the beacon sequence number (BSN). The addressing field provides the source and destination addresses. The auxiliary security header is optional and contains information required for security processing.

The MAC payload is provided by the NWK layer. The superframe is a frame bounded by two beacon frames. The superframe is optionally used in a beacon-enabled network and helps define GTSs. The GTS field in the MAC payload determines whether a GTS is used to receive or transmit.

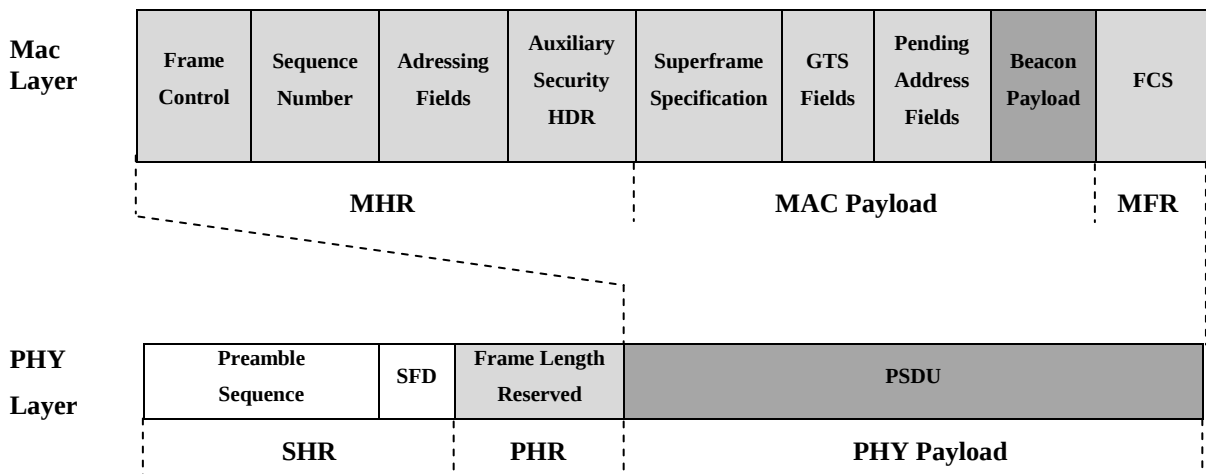


Figure 2.3: The MAC Beacon Frame Structure

The beacon frame is not only used to synchronize the devices in a network but is also used by the coordinator to let a specific device in a network know there is data pending for that device in the coordinator. The device, at its discretion, will contact the coordinator and request that it transmit the data to the device. This is called indirect transmission. The pending address field in the MAC payload contains the address of the devices that have data pending in the coordinator. Every time a device receives a beacon, it will check the pending address field to see if there is data pending for it.

The beacon payload field is an optional field that can be used by the NWK layer and is transmitted along with the beacon frame. The receiver uses the Frame Check Sequence (FCS) field to check for any possible error in the received frame.

2.3.1.2 The Data Frame

The MAC data frame [6] is shown in Figure 2.4. The data payload is provided by the NWK layer. The data in the MAC payload is referred to as the MAC Service Data Unit (MSDU). The fields in this frame are similar to the beacon frame except the superframe, GTS and pending address fields are not present in the MAC data frame. The MAC data frame is referred to as the MAC Protocol Data Unit (MPDU) and becomes the PHY payload.

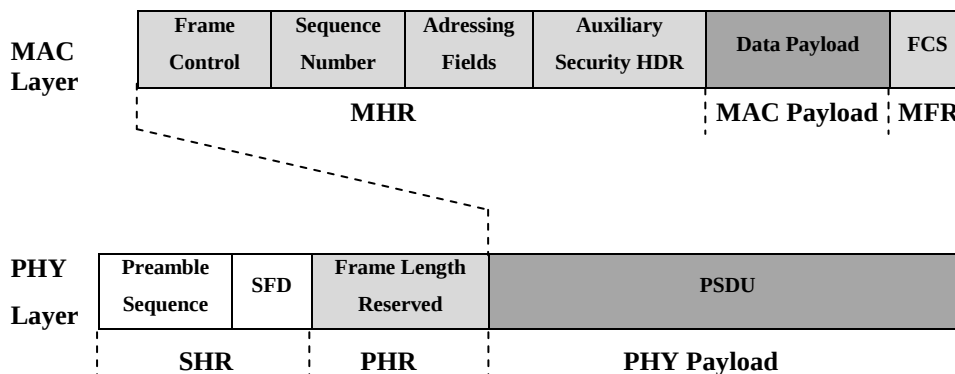


Figure 2.4: The MAC Data Frame Structure

2.3.1.3 The Acknowledgment Frame

The MAC acknowledgment frame [6], shown in Figure 2.5, is the simplest MAC frame format and does not carry any MAC payload. The acknowledgment frame is sent by one device to another to confirm successful reception of a packet.

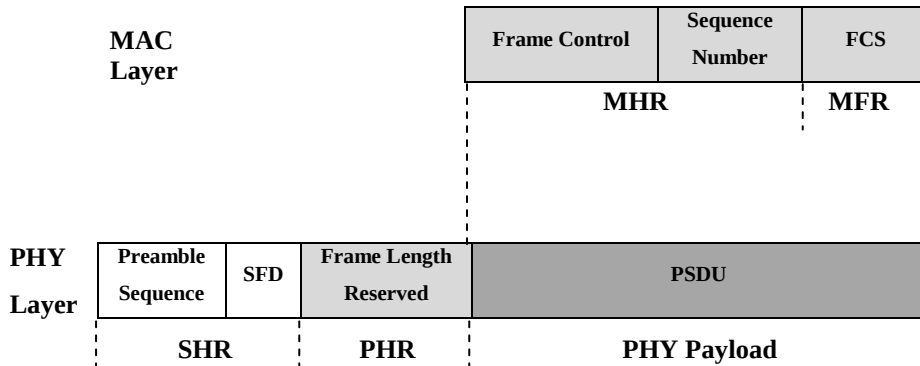


Figure 2.5: The MAC Acknowledgment Frame Structure

2.3.1.4 The Command Frame

The MAC commands such as requesting association or disassociation with a network are transmitted using the MAC command frame [6]. The command type field determines the type of the command (e.g. association request or data request). The command payload contains the command itself. The entire MAC command frame is placed in the PHY payload as a PSDU.

2.3.2 Channel Access and Addressing

Two channel-access mechanisms are implemented in 802.15.4. For a non-beacon network, a standard CSMA-CA (carrier sense medium access with collision avoidance) communicates with positive acknowledgement for successfully received packets. In a beacon-enabled network, a superframe structure is used to control channel access. The superframe is set up by the network coordinator to transmit beacons at predetermined intervals (multiples of 15.38ms, up to 252s) and provides 16 equal-width time slots

between beacons for contention-free channel access in each time slot. The structure guarantees dedicated bandwidth and low latency. Channel access in each time slot is contention-based. However, the network coordinator can dedicate up to seven guaranteed time slots per beacon interval for quality of service.

Device addresses employ 64-bit IEEE and optional 16-bit short addressing. The address field within the MAC can contain both source and destination address information (needed for peer-to-peer operation). This dual address information is used in mesh networks to prevent a single point of failure within the network [7].

The channel Access mechanism used is Carrier Sense Multiple Access with Collision Avoidance (CSMA-CA). In CSMA-CA, anytime a device wants to transmit, it first performs a clear channel assessment (CCA) to ensure that the channel is not in use by any other device. Then the device starts transmitting its own signal. The decision to declare a channel clear or not can be based on measuring the spectral energy in the frequency channel of interest or detecting the type of the occupying signal.

When a device plans to transmit a signal, it first goes into receive mode to detect and estimate the signal energy level in the desired channel. This task is known as energy detection (ED). In ED, the receiver does not try to decode the signal and only the signal energy level is estimated. If there is a signal already in the band of interest, ED does not determine whether or not this is an IEEE 802.15.4 signal [6].

2.3.3 Device Types

ZigBee networks use three device types [7]:

- The network coordinator maintains overall network knowledge. It's the most sophisticated of the three types and requires the most memory and computing power.
- The full function device (FFD) supports all 802.15.4 functions and features specified by the standard. It can function as a network coordinator. Additional memory and computing power make it ideal for network router functions or it could be used in network-edge devices (where the network touches the real world).

- The reduced function device (RFD) carries limited (as specified by the standard) functionality to lower cost and complexity. It's generally found in network-edge devices.

2.3.4 Power and Beacons

Ultra-low power consumption is how ZigBee technology promotes a long lifetime for devices with nonrechargeable batteries. ZigBee networks are designed to conserve the power of the slave nodes. For most of the time, a slave device is in deep-sleep mode and wakes up only for a fraction of a second to confirm its presence in the network. For example, the transition from sleep mode to data transition is around 15ms and new slave enumeration typically takes just 30ms.

ZigBee networks can use beacon or non-beacon environments. Beacons are used to synchronize the network devices, identify the HAN and describe the structure of the superframe. The beacon intervals are set by the network coordinator and vary from 15ms to over 4 minutes. Sixteen equal time slots are allocated between beacons for message delivery. The channel access in each time slot is contention-based. However, the network coordinator can dedicate up to seven guaranteed time slots for noncontention based or low-latency delivery.

The non-beacon mode is a simple, traditional multiple-access system used in simple peer and near-peer networks. It operates like a two-way radio network, where each client is autonomous and can initiate a conversation at will, but could interfere with others unintentionally. The recipient may not hear the call or the channel might already be in use.

Beacon mode is a mechanism for controlling power consumption in extended networks such as cluster tree or mesh. It enables all the clients to know when to communicate with each other. Here, the two-way radio network has a central dispatcher that manages the channel and arranges the calls. The primary value of beacon mode is that it reduces the system's power consumption.

Non-beacon mode is typically used for security systems where client units, such as intrusion sensors, motion detectors and glass-break detectors, sleep 99.999% of the time.

Remote units wake up on a regular, yet random, basis to announce their continued presence in the network. When an event occurs, the sensor wakes up instantly and transmits the alert (Somebody's on the front porch). The network coordinator, powered from the main source, has its receiver on all the time and can therefore wait to hear from each of these stations. Since the network coordinator has an infinite source of power it can allow clients to sleep for unlimited periods of time, enabling them to save power.

Beacon mode is more suitable when the network coordinator is battery-operated. Client units listen for the network coordinator's beacon (broadcast at intervals between 0.015 and 252s). A client registers with the coordinator and looks for any messages directed to it. If no messages are pending, the client returns to sleep, awaking on a schedule specified by the coordinator. Once the client communications are completed, the coordinator itself returns to sleep.

This timing requirement may have an impact on the cost of the timing circuit in each end device. Longer intervals of sleep mean that the timer must be more accurate or turn on earlier to make sure that the beacon is heard, both of which will increase receiver power consumption. Longer sleep intervals also mean the timer must improve the quality of the timing oscillator circuit (which increases cost) or control the maximum period of time between beacons to not exceed 252s, keeping oscillator circuit costs low [7].

2.4 ZigBee Routing Layer

ZigBee routing algorithm can be thought of an hierarchical routing strategy with table driven optimizations applied where possible. The routing layer is said to start with the well-studied public domain algorithm, Ad-hoc On Demand Distance Vector (AODV) and Motorola's Cluster-Tree algorithm. In this section; AODV is summarized.

2.4.1 Ad-hoc On Demand Distance Vector (AODV)

The Ad-hoc On Demand Distance Vector (AODV) [22] routing algorithm is a routing protocol designed for ad-hoc mobile networks (see Figure 2.6). AODV is capable of both

unicast and multicast routing. It is an on demand algorithm, meaning that it builds routes between nodes only as desired by source nodes. It maintains these routes as long as they are needed by the sources. Additionally, AODV forms trees which connect multicast group members. The trees are composed of the group members and the nodes needed to connect the members. AODV uses sequence numbers to ensure the freshness of routes. It is loop-free, self-starting and scales to large numbers of mobile nodes.

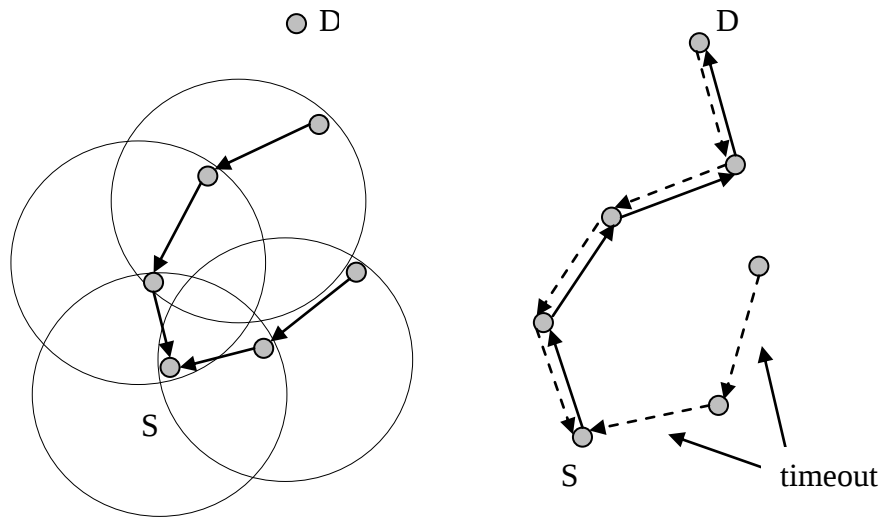


Figure 2.6: Reverse and forward path formation in AODV protocol

AODV builds routes using a route request / route reply query cycle. When a source node desires a route to a destination for which it does not already have a route, it broadcasts a route request (RREQ) packet across the network. Nodes receiving this packet update their information for the source node and set up backwards pointers to the source node in the route tables. In addition to the source node's IP address, current sequence number and broadcast ID, the RREQ also contains the most recent sequence number for the destination of which the source node is aware. A node receiving the RREQ may send a route reply (RREP) if it is either the destination or if it has a route to the destination with corresponding sequence number greater than or equal to that contained in the RREQ. If this is the case, it unicasts a RREP back to the source. Otherwise, it rebroadcasts the RREQ.

Nodes keep track of the RREQ's source IP address and broadcast ID. If they receive a RREQ which they have already processed, they discard the RREQ and do not forward it.

As the RREP propagates back to the source, nodes set up forward pointers to the destination. Once the source node receives the RREP, it may begin to forward data packets to the destination. If the source later receives a RREP containing a greater sequence number or contains the same sequence number with a smaller hopcount, it may update its routing information for that destination and begin using the better route. As long as the route remains active, it will continue to be maintained. A route is considered active as long as there are data packets periodically travelling from the source to the destination along that path. Once the source stops sending data packets, the links will time out and eventually be deleted from the intermediate node routing tables. If a link break occurs while the route is active, the node upstream of the break propagates a route error (RERR) message to the source node to inform it of the now unreachable destination(s). After receiving the RERR, if the source node still desires the route, it can reinitiate route discovery.

Multicast routes are set up in a similar manner. A node wishing to join a multicast group broadcasts a RREQ with the destination IP address set to that of the multicast group and with the 'J' (join) flag set to indicate that it would like to join the group. Any node receiving this RREQ that is a member of the multicast tree that has a fresh enough sequence number for the multicast group may send a RREP. As the RREPs propagate back to the source, the nodes forwarding the message set up pointers in their multicast route tables. As the source node receives the RREPs, it keeps track of the route with the freshest sequence number and beyond that the smallest hop count to the next multicast group member. After the specified discovery period, the source node will unicast a Multicast Activation (MACT) message to its selected next hop. This message serves the purpose of activating the route. A node that does not receive this message that had set up a multicast route pointer will timeout and delete the pointer. If the node receiving the MACT was not already a part of the multicast tree, it will also have been keeping track of the best route from the RREPs it received. Hence it must also unicast a MACT to its next hop and so on until a node that was previously a member of the multicast tree is reached.

AODV maintains routes for as long as the route is active. This includes maintaining a multicast tree for the life of the multicast group. Because the network nodes are mobile, it is likely that many link breakages along a route will occur during the lifetime of that route. The papers listed below describe how link breakages are handled. The WMCSA paper describes AODV without multicast but includes detailed simulation results for networks up to 1000 nodes. The Mobicom paper describes AODV's multicast operation and details simulations which show its correct operation. The internet drafts include descriptions of both unicast and multicast route discovery, as well as mentioning how QoS and subnet aggregation can be used with AODV. Finally, the IEEE Personal Communications paper and the Infocom paper details an in-depth study of simulations comparing AODV with the Dynamic Source Routing (DSR) protocol and examines each protocol's respective strengths and weaknesses.

2.4.2 Cluster-Tree Algorithm

The cluster-tree protocol [5] is a protocol of the logical link and network layers that uses link-state packets to form either a single cluster network or a potentially larger cluster tree network. The network is basically self-organized and supports network redundancy to attain a degree of fault resistance and self-repair.

Nodes select a cluster head and form a cluster according to the self-organized manner. Then self-developed clusters connect to each other using the Designated Device (DD).

2.4.2.1 Single Cluster Network

The cluster formation process begins with cluster head selection. After a cluster head is selected, the cluster head expands links with other member nodes to form a cluster.

2.4.2.2 Multi Cluster Network

To form a network, a Designated Device (DD) is needed. The DD has responsibility to assign a unique cluster ID to each cluster head. This cluster ID combined with the node ID

that the CH assigns to each node within a cluster forms a logical address and is used to route packets. Another role of the DD is to calculate the shortest route from the cluster to the DD and inform it to all nodes within the network.

2.5 Zigbee Security

In a wireless network, the transmitted messages can be received by any nearby device, including an intruder. There are two main security concerns in a wireless network. The first one is data confidentiality. The intruder device can gain sensitive information by simply listening to the transmitted messages. Encrypting the messages before transmission will solve the confidentiality problem. An encryption algorithm modifies a message using a string of bits known as the security key and only the intended recipient will be able to recover the original message. The IEEE 802.15.4 standard supports the use of Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) [35] to encrypt their outgoing messages.

The second concern is that the intruder device may modify and resend one of the previous messages even if the messages are encrypted. Including a message integrity code (MIC) with each outgoing frame will allow the recipient to know whether the message has been changed in transit. This process is known as data authentication.

One of the main constraints in implementing security features in a ZigBee wireless network is limited resources. The nodes are mainly battery powered and have limited computational power and memory size. ZigBee is targeted for low-cost applications and the hardware in the nodes might not be tamper resistant. If an intruder acquires a node from an operating network that has no tamper resistance, the actual key could be obtained simply from the device memory. A tamper-resistant node can erase the sensitive information, including the security keys, if tampering is detected.

CHAPTER 3

USING ZIGBEE IN REMOTE MONITORING AND AUTOMATION

3.1 Overview of the Automation

This chapter describes the system that has been developed by the author to measure the light intensity dynamically in real-time and then to plot it.

The author has used the ZigBee development kit manufactured by Telegesis [29] as the hardware in the development. Further details about this kit are given in Appendix A.

For measuring the light intensity remotely, a computer (PC), a ZigBee development kit, an RS-232 [23] serial cable and a battery are used as shown in Figure 3.1.

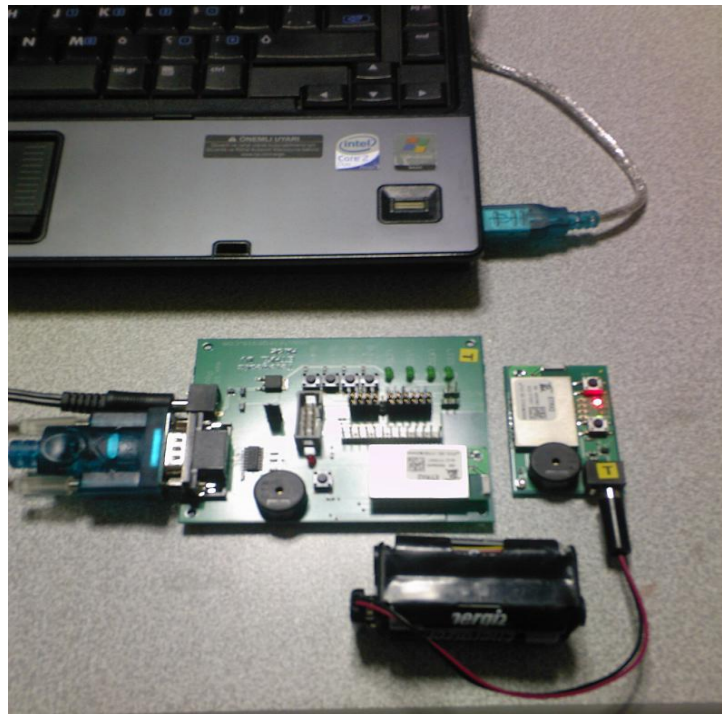


Figure 3.1: Development kit connected to computer by USB-RS232 cable

The block diagram of the remote monitoring system is shown in Figure 3.2.

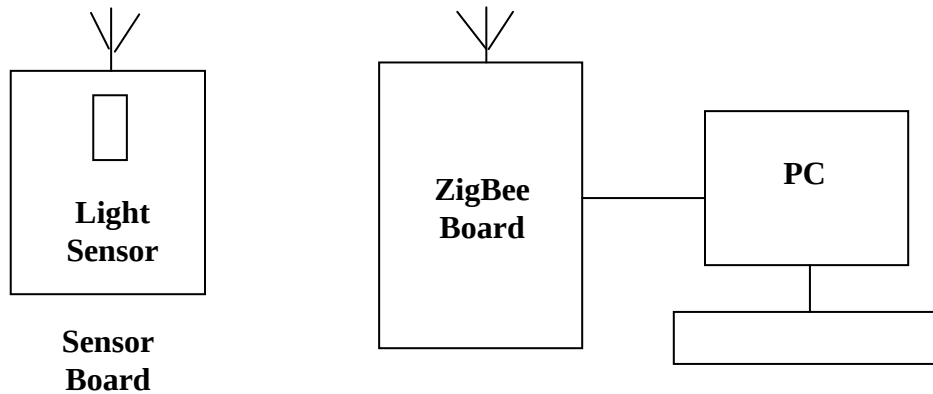


Figure 3.2 Block diagram of the remote monitoring system

The ZigBee kit is normally connected to the PC using a standard RS232 type serial cable. But most computers nowadays do not have serial ports. Because of this, a USB to serial converter was used to make the connection.

The PC sends commands in ASCII format to the development board and then the development board communicates with the sensor board in order to receive the results of the measurement. These results are passed to the program running on the PC, stored in the database and also plotted in dynamically in real-time.

3.2 The Monitoring Program

In this thesis, Delphi5 and Oracle Database 10g were used as the control and monitoring programming. Delphi, produced by Borland International, is a powerful development environment used primarily to build client/server applications for Microsoft Windows with an emphasis on databases. Based on Object Pascal, it is object-oriented and was designed to give developers the ability to build applications easily with minimal coding required [26].

The Oracle Database (commonly referred to as Oracle RDBMS or simply Oracle) [29] consists of a relational database management system (RDBMS) produced and marketed by Oracle Corporation.

In the project, Delphi has been connected to Oracle Database by Direct Oracle Access 5 (DOA5) component.

All of the program code is listed in Appendix B. The operation of the program is explained below.

As seen in Figure 3.3, the program consists of a MENU with six items.

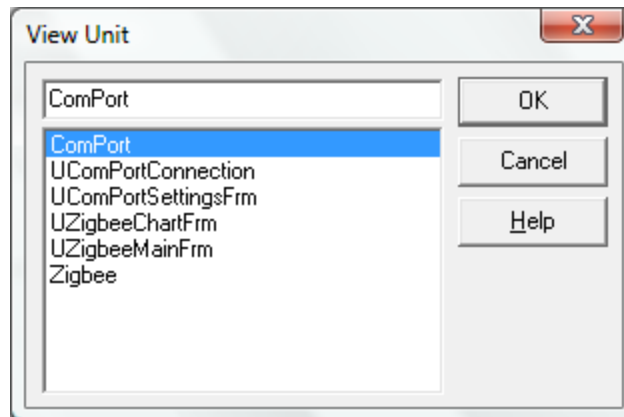


Figure 3.3: The program MENU

ComPort is a general component which is used for connecting the computer to the development kit.

UComPortConnection has been used to communicate with ComPort component with the program.

UComPortSettingsFrm has been written for setting the com port connections.

UZigbeeChartFrm contains code for the database calling chart.

ZigbeeMainFrm has been used for the main form of the program. It contains code for the first open page.

Zigbee is the project file which shows that files places and it was created by Delphi.

When the system is switched on, six icons are displayed on the grid as shown in Figure 3.4.

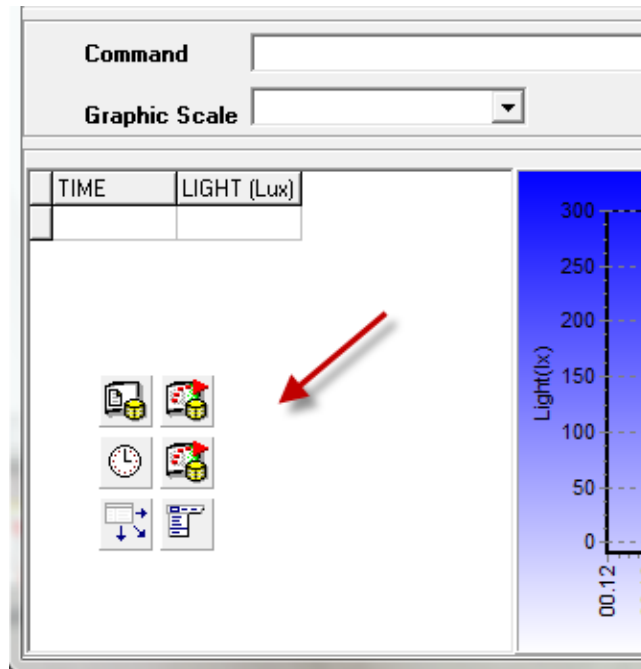


Figure 3.4 Icons on the grid

“” shows that OracleSession. It is used for connection to database.

“” is the timer icon. When ‘Send Command Automatically’ check box is clicked; timer is enabled. The time is measured in 1000 ms

“” icon shows OracleDataset. That is for running SQL. There are two OracleDataset icons as shown; one of them is used for grid and graphic on form1, the other one is used in UComportConnection form. It is to save the data comes from com port to database.

“” is the menu icon.

“” is the datasource icon. It is used for bringing data from dataset to grid.

Dataset is connected to datasource, datasource is connected to grid.

The following commands should be used for creating a table and for connecting to the database:

```
SQL> CREATE TABLE LIGHT(KEY NUMBER, TIME DATE, VALUE NUMBER,  
RESISTANCE NUMBER, LIGHT NUMBER, PRIMARY KEY (KEY));
```

```
SQL> commit;
```

```
SQL> CREATE SEQUENCE LIGHTSEQ;
```

```
SQL> commit;
```

The program saves all data coming from the development kit in a log.txt file. The Oracle database saves the light intensity values that are sent by the development board.

3.3 Light Intensity Measurement

The sensor board sends the light measurement in units of “mV”. This should be converted to the units of light, which is Lux. The conversion process is described in this section.

Lux [39] is the SI unit of illuminance and luminous emittance. It is used in photometry as a measure of the apparent intensity of light hitting or passing through a surface. It is analogous to the radiometric unit watts per square metre, but with the power at each wavelength weighted according to the luminosity function, a standardized model of human brightness perception. It's symbol is lx.

1 lm/m² (lumens per square meter)

= 1 lux (lx)

= 10⁻⁴ lm/cm²

= 10⁻⁴ phot (ph)

= 9.290 x 10⁻² lm/ft²

= 9.290 x 10⁻² foot-candles (fc)

The light intensity is sensed using a light dependent resistor with a voltage source. The light intensity is inversely proportional to the resistance of the sensor. Thus, as the light intensity increases, the resistance of the sensor is reduced. For measuring the light intensity (Lux), some calculations are needed as the development kit sends the measured light intensity as a hexadecimal value in “mV”.

The output of the light sensor is read by sending command string:

ATSREM12:000D6F00000DC449?

The sensor board responds with a 4-digit hexadecimal value, such as:

S12:02C6

OK

First of all it is necessary to convert this hexadecimal value into decimal:

$$V_o = 02C6 = (16^3 \times 0) + (16^2 \times 2) + (16^1 \times 12) + (16^0 \times 6) = 710 \text{ mV}$$

After that we must find R (resistance of the sensor) using the following formula:

$$R = (33000/V_o) - 10$$

The manufacturer specifies that [33], in this formula $V_{cc} = 3.3 = 33000 \text{ mV}$.

Inserting the voltage in the formula which was sent by the sensor board;

$$R = (33000/710) - 10 = 36.48 \text{ Kohm}$$

Figure 3.5 shows the resistance-light intensity graph [40] of the light sensor used in this study. The type used was the A905014 (indicated with number 14).

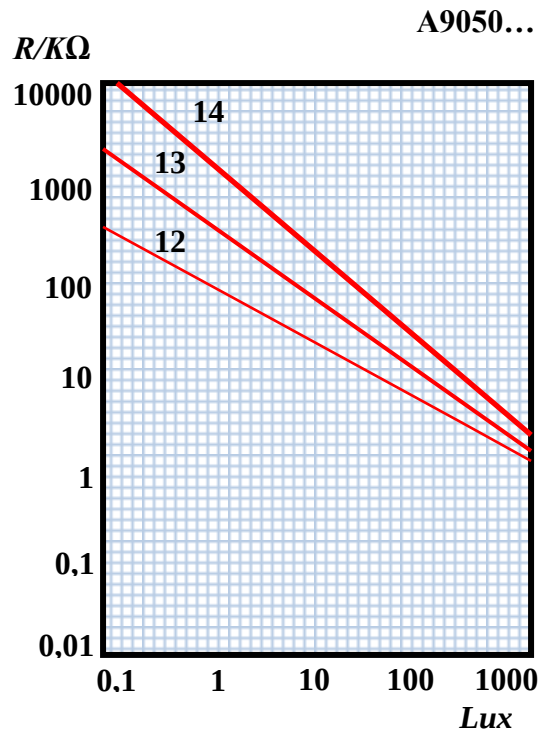


Figure 3.5 A9050-14 light sensor R-Lux graphic

It is now necessary to convert the measured resistance value into lux. Looking at Figure 3.5, it is not easy to derive a single equation to cover the entire range of the measurement. The graph was therefore divided into six sections and different straight line equations were used for to define the resistance-lux relationships in each section.

The ranges are for resistance ($K\Omega$)

- 1000000 – 10000
- 10000 – 1000
- 1000 – 100
- 100 – 10
- 10 – 5
- 5 – 0.01

Using A905014 graph, six linear equations are found as shown in Table 3.1 and Table 3.2.

Table 3.1: Linear equation calculations

R(y)	Lux(x)	$m = (y_2 - y_1) / (x_2 - x_1)$	$(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$
1000000 10000	0.1 0.2	$m = (1000000 - 10000) / (0.1 - 0.2)$ $m = (990000) / (-0.1)$ $m = -9900000$	$(y - 10000) = -9900000(x - 0.2)$ $y - 10000 = -9900000x + 1980000$ $y = -9900000x + 1970000$ $x = (1970000 - y) / 9900000$
10000 1000	0.2 1	$m = (10000 - 1000) / (0.2 - 1)$ $m = (9000) / (-0.8)$ $m = -11250$	$(y - 1000) = -11250(x - 1)$ $y - 1000 = -11250x + 11250$ $y = -11250x + 12250$ $x = (12250 - y) / 11250$
1000 100	1 20	$m = (1000 - 100) / (1 - 20)$ $m = (900) / (-19)$ $m = -47.36$	$(y - 1000) = -47.36(x - 1)$ $y - 1000 = -47.36x + 47.36$ $y = -47.36x + 1047.36$ $x = (1047.36 - y) / 47.36$
100 10	20 300	$m = (100 - 10) / (20 - 300)$ $m = (90) / (-280)$ $m = -0.32$	$(y - 100) = -0.32(x - 20)$ $y - 100 = -0.32x + 6.4$ $y = -0.32x + 106.4$ $x = (106.4 - y) / 0.32$
10 5	300 1000	$m = (10 - 5) / (300 - 1000)$ $m = (5) / (-700)$ $m = -0.0071$	$(y - 10) = -0.0071(x - 300)$ $y - 10 = -0.0071x + 2.13$ $y = -0.0071x + 12.13$ $x = (12.13 - y) / 0.0071$
5 0.01	1000 100000	$m = (5 - 0.01) / (1000 - 100000)$ $m = (4.99) / (-99000)$ $m = -0.00005$	$(y - 5) = -0.00005(x - 1000)$ $y - 5 = -0.00005x + 0.05$ $y = -0.00005x + 5.05$ $x = (5.05 - y) / 0.00005$

Table 3.2: A905014 light sensor's equations

R/KΩ (y)	Equations
1000000 > y > 10000	$\text{Lux}(x) = (1970000 - y) / 9900000$
9999.99 > y > 1000	$\text{Lux}(x) = (12250 - y) / 11250$
999.99 > y > 100	$\text{Lux}(x) = (1047.36 - y) / 47.36$
99.99 > y > 10	$\text{Lux}(x) = (106.4 - y) / 0.32$
9.99 > y > 5	$\text{Lux}(x) = (12.13 - y) / 0.0071$
4.99 > y > 0.01	$\text{Lux}(x) = (5.05 - y) / 0.00005$

If $y = 36.48 \text{ Kohm} \rightarrow 99.99 > y > 10$
 $\rightarrow \text{Lux} = (1047.36 - y) / 47.36$
 $\rightarrow \text{Lux} = (1047.36 - 36.48) / 47.36$
 $\rightarrow \text{Lux} = 21.34 \text{ lx}$

3.4 Graphical User Interface of the Automation Program

Figure 3.6 shows the main window of the program. There are three main menus: ‘Settings’, ‘Graphics’ and ‘Exit’. Settings menu is used for configuring the serial port and database, graphics menu is used for calling values from the database and exit is for closing the program.

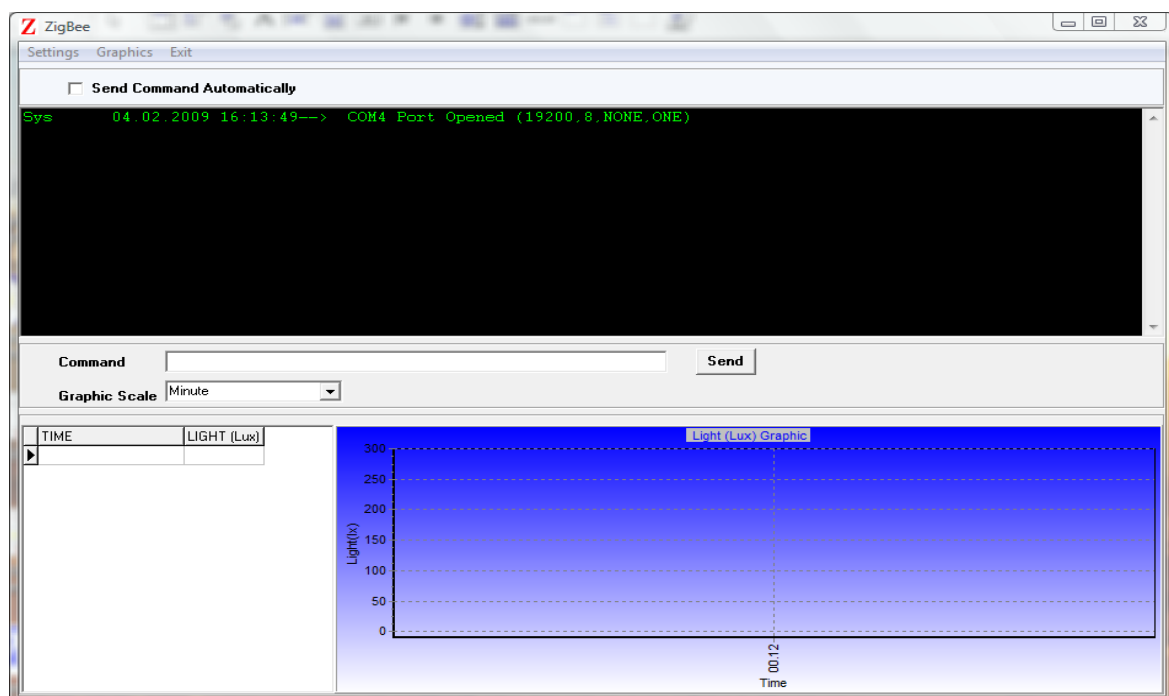


Figure 3.6 Main page of interface program

When the ‘Graphics’ menu is clicked from the GUI main page, the window shown in Figure 3.7 opens to display the instantaneous light intensity values.

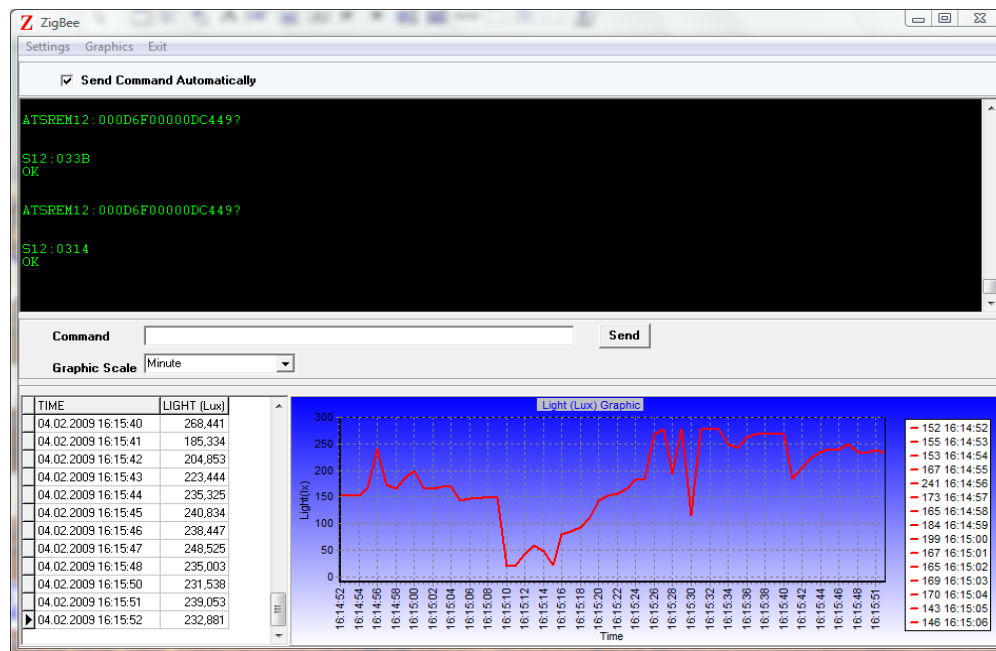


Figure 3.7 Instantaneous data values

The display period can be chosen from a ComboBox as minutes, tens of minutes, hours, or days. Measurement values can be collected automatically and then sent by ticking the CheckBox “Send Command Automatically”. Figure 3.8 shows an example of collecting data at hourly intervals.

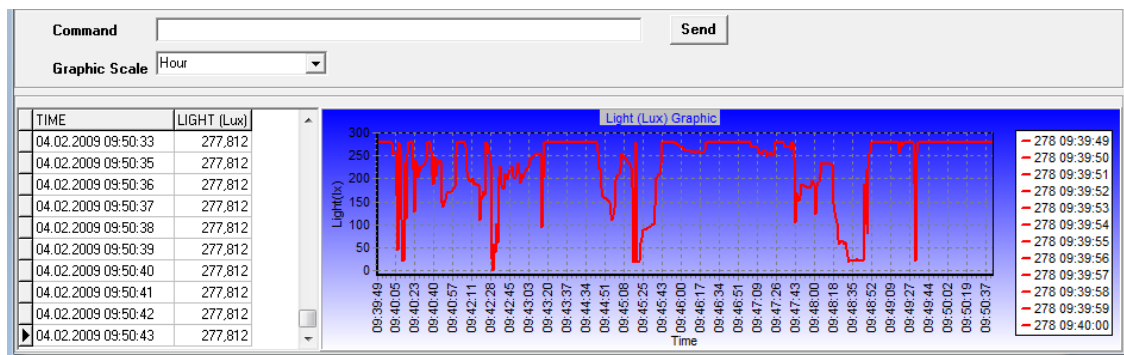


Figure 3.8: An hour time period light graphic

The development kit communicates with the computer using standard AT commands [30]. AT commands are also known as Hayes AT commands. There are different views to understand the meanings of "AT". Some call it "Attention Telephone", whereas others

interpret it as "Attention Terminal" commands. Hayes is the “AT command” developer manufacturer. AT commands are issued to the modem to control the modem’s operation and software configuration. AT commands can only be entered while the modem is in command mode.

AT Command Format: A command line is a string of characters sent from a data terminal equipment (DTE) to the modem (data communications equipment (DCE)) while the modem is in a command state. A command line has a prefix, a body and a terminator. Each command line (with the exception of the A/ command) must begin with the character sequence AT and must be terminated by a carriage return. Commands entered in upper case or lower case are accepted, but both the A and T must be of the same case, i.e., “AT” or “at”.

Appendix C and Appendix D give a listing of the ZigBee AT commands and S-register values [31]. Some of the important AT commands are given below:

ATI: This command displays the product identification information.

Identification of the kit;

Telegesis ETRX2

R209X

000D6F00000C53A2

In this example, two nodes are found, they are module carrier boards which have on board sensors:

FFD:000D6F00000DC449

FFD:000D6F00000DC47D

AT+IDENT: It plays a tune on the remote devboard.

AT+IDENT:000D6F00000DC449

AT+IDENT:000D6F00000DC47D

ATZ: Reset software

This command resets the software on the ZigBee development kit, it restores the default values.

ATSREM12:000D6F00000DC449? command was defined in Delphi. It is the main command used in the project, it gets the light intensity values from the MCB. Because of that, some information is given below [31];

ATSREM: Remote S-register Access (see Appendix C, AT commands)

S12: A/D1 Reading Light Sensor (see Appendix D, S-Register)

000D6F00000DC449: Node ID (founded using AT+SN command)

?: Used for what or how much

ZigBee has lots of advantages than other wireless standards (eg. range, battery life, integrity and speed). In this thesis, ZigBee's that features have been performed and checked the results. Table 3.3 shows, its working conditions and results.

Table 3.3: ZigBee's working conditions

ZigBee's Features	Standard Values	Areas	Result of Measurements
Transmission Range	10 – 100 m	Clear day	90 m
		Open office	70 m
		Maze type office	50 m
Temperature	-40 °C – +85 °C	-20 °C (in fridge)	Working
		25 °C (at home)	Working
		+50 °C (hot area using stove)	Working
Battery Life	Up to 3 years	-	Using since 1 year and continious working
Network Join Time	0.3 - 18 msec	-	Less than 1 sec.

Table 3.4 shows that the list of global lux illuminance examples from dark night to direct sunlight [39].

Table 3.4: Global lux illuminance examples

Illuminance	Example
10^{-5} lux	Light from the brightest star (Sirius)
10^{-4} lux	Total starlight, overcast sky
0.002 lux	Moonless clear night sky with airglow
0.010 lux	Quarter moon
0.270 lux	Full moon on a clear night
0.270 lux	Full moon overhead at tropical latitudes
3.400 lux	Dark limit of civil twilight under a clear sky
50 lux	Family living room
80 lux	Hallway/toilet
100 lux	Very dark overcast day
320 lux	Recommended office lighting (Australia)
400 lux	Sunrise or sunset on a clear day. Well-lit office area.
500 lux	Lighting level for an office according to the European law
1,000 lux	Overcast day; typical TV studio lighting
10,000-25,000 lux	Full daylight (not direct sun)
32,000-130,000 lux	Direct sunlight

This thesis's automation program measures, monitors and stores the light intensity value. By using that feature, the light can be monitored and controlled. In today's world, energy is consumed away and if energy could be produced efficiently by clean methods, these would naturally be preferred. Because of this, unlimited natural resources and energy must be used and the biggest one is the sun. By ZigBee technology, the light and temperature values can be measured and controlled. Table 3.5 shows the light illuminance measurements.

Table 3.5: Thesis's lux illimunance measurements

Measured Decimal Value	Lux Intensity Value	Measured Areas
1200	277.820	Office lighting (Türk Telekom office)
391	100.000	Overcast raining day
360	77.290	Toilet / home corridor
327	48.300	Apartment corridor
34	1.830	Twilight (05.00 am)
1	0.198	Clear night

3.5 Results

The aim of this thesis was to study the potential of using ZigBee based products in remote monitoring and control applications. A remote light intensity measuring application was developed for this purpose, using a commercially available ZigBee development system.

The results show that the ZigBee is a suitable communications protocol for remote control and monitoring applications. In particular:

ZigBee is very easy to configure and use compared to other automation based communications protocols. For example, Bluetooth requires “pairing” of devices before they can be used to exchange data. ZigBee requires no “pairing” and devices can simply talk with each other when they are addressed correctly.

ZigBee is fast, having a connection time of around 3 msec., as compared to over 3 sec. in Bluetooth and Infrared. This makes the ZigBee suitable in real-time control and monitoring applications. [42]

ZigBee devices are normally in “sleep” mode and thus their power consumption is extremely small. The author operated the ZigBee sensor board for over a month with a small AA type battery without the loss of any performance. This point is perhaps one of the

most important feature of the ZigBee devices and one of the reasons making ZigBee the communication protocol of the future.

Although only one node was used in this study, in theory the ZigBee supports up to 65535 nodes. This feature makes ZigBee suitable in complex sensor based automation applications where large numbers of sensors may be needed. For example, in many process based industries it is required to monitor the temperature of a large number of processes remotely. ZigBee would be ideal candidate in such applications.

Finally, the light monitoring program has been working correctly and the light intensity readings were measured, stored in the database and also plotted dynamically in real-time.

CONCLUSION

The ZigBee technology is currently used by many companies around the world. The main ZigBee applications are in: Building Automation (security, heating-ventilating-air conditioning (HVAC), automatic meter reading (AMR), lighting and access control), Residential Light Commercial Control (security, HVAC, lighting and access control), Industrial Control (process control, asset and energy management), Consumer Electronics (remote control), PC & Peripherals (mouse, keyboard, joystick), Personal Health Care (patient monitoring) and telecom services (mobile commerce, info services, object interaction).

This thesis has analysed the theory and potential use of the ZigBee protocol devices in remote monitoring and automation applications. In this thesis, a ZigBee based remote light intensity measuring system has been developed to read the light intensity levels and then a GUI based program was developed on a PC to plot the measured values dynamically in real-time. Although only one node was used in this application, in theory the number of nodes can be increased to 65535. Also, systems can be developed to monitor and control other physical quantities such as temperature, humidity, force, acceleration and so on.

It is the author's opinion that the ZigBee protocol and related devices are suitable for remote data collection, remote control, and remote monitoring applications. It is shown that ZigBee has several advantages compared to most other remote automation communication standards, such as the Bluetooth and Infrared.

One very important factor for the success of ZigBee is the interoperability where a ZigBee device from one manufacturer is fully compatible with ZigBee devices of other manufacturers.

The three major advantages of ZigBee are [43]:

- low price; the price for one IEEE 802.15.4 transceiver chip is currently as low as less than \$3;

- long covering range, the typical range of a ZigBee device is around 100 meters (see Table 3.3);
- extremely low power consumption, ZigBee devices can be operated for months with a small battery (see Table 3.3).

There are many factors that play an important role in selecting ZigBee as a wireless technology for different solutions like Wireless Sensor Networks (WSN) in logistic telemetry applications [20].

The author's conclusions for the use of the ZigBee protocol in remote data logging, remote monitoring and remote control applications are:

- * First of all, unlike other wireless technology of its own kind, ZigBee is more cost effective, covers more range by using the batteries which last for months or years.
- * The operational frequency band is very important as it provides different frequency bands to different areas, making it suitable to be accepted as a global standard.
- * Support for Mesh networking is an important and promising feature provided by the ZigBee so that it can be used in the logistic telemetry applications rather than using the other technologies of its own kind.
- * ZigBee supports different kinds of topologies (e.g. star, mesh, cluster tree), offering flexibility to the user.

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APPENDIX A

TELEGESIS ETRX2DVK DEVELOPMENT KIT FOR ZIGBEE

A.1 Development Kit Functional Summary

The Telegesis ETRX2DVK Development Kit (see Figure A.1) has been designed to enable fast and simple evaluation and development of the low cost, low power, meshing solution provided by the ETRX2 module [4].



Figure A.1: ETRX2DVK development kit

A.1.1 Development Kit Features

This ETRX2 Development Kit provides genuine quick and easy, out-of-the-box construction of a working mesh network.

Included in the kit are both a full Development Board and two Module Carrier Boards with the following features:

- 2 LEDs
- 2 buttons
- On board 3.3V voltage regulator
- Supply Voltage 6-12 Volts
- Beeper
- Light Sensor

The carrier boards allow one to quickly experiment with sensors and actuators and are ideal for demonstrations and prototyping. They can either be battery or mains powered. The module's serial port can be accessed via pads or by plugging the Module Carrier Board onto the development board [26].

A.1.2 Development Kit Contents

The ETRX2DVK Development Kit consists of [26]:

- 1 x ETRXDV Development Board
- 1 x ETRX2HW Module with a Harwin 1.27mm pitch, 2x10 connector
- 2 x ETRX2MCB Module Carrier Boards fitted with ETRX2 Modules
- 2 x AA Battery Holders with leads
- 1 x Universal Multi Plug Power Supply Unit
- 1 x Serial Cable

A.1.3 The ETRXDV Development Board

The ETRXDV Development Board's features are [26]:

- Size: 100mm x 80mm
- On-board 3.3V voltage regulator
- RS232 Level Converter
- Breakout of all pins of the ETRX2 module
- 4 LED's, 4 buttons and a beeper which can be connected to the I/O of the ETRX2 module

- In-circuit programming connector for the ETRX2
- The ETRX2 Module is connected to the ETRX Development board by the 2x8, 1.27mm pitch Harwin connector allowing a plug-in solution
- The second ETRX2 module can be used to set up standalone functionality or can be used in user's prototypes
- Devboard Supply voltage 6V – 12V
- ETRX2 Module operating temperature range -40°C to $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$

A.2 Absolute Maximum Ratings of the Devboard and MCB

The absolute maximum ratings given above (see Table A.1) should under no circumstances be violated. Stress exceeding one or more of the limiting values may cause permanent damage to the device [4].

Table A.1: Absolute maximum ratings

Parameter	Min.	Max.	Units
Supply Voltage Vdd	-0.3	12	V
Voltage on any I/O pin	-0.3	3.6	V
Storage Temperature range	-50	150	$^{\circ}\text{C}$

A.3 Operating Conditions of the Devboard and MCB

Typical values at 5V 25 $^{\circ}\text{C}$.

Table A.2: Operating conditions

Parameter	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units	Condition
Supply Voltage, V _{DD}	4	5	6	V	
Supply Current			120	mA	TX with PA-Module
Operating ambient Temperature range	-40	25	85	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	

The voltage regulators used are protected against overtemperature and overcurrent (see Table A.2) [4].

A.4 Interoperability

The R2xx or R3xx Telegesis AT-Command line Interpreter is based on a private application profile and uses the Ember meshing and self-healing stack, so interoperability with wireless mesh networking solutions from other manufacturers is unlikely when using the default firmware. Interoperating with other solutions that use EmberZNet can be possible [4].

A.5 Overview of the ETRX2DVK Development Kits

The ETRX2DVK development kits have been designed to allow quick evaluation and prototyping using the ETRX2 wireless mesh networking modules.

Two versions of the development kit are available, the functional summaries can be seen at the start of this chapter for full kit details. For a full evaluation of ZigBee technology without using the prototypes it is recommended to use more than a single development kit to set up an experimental network [4].

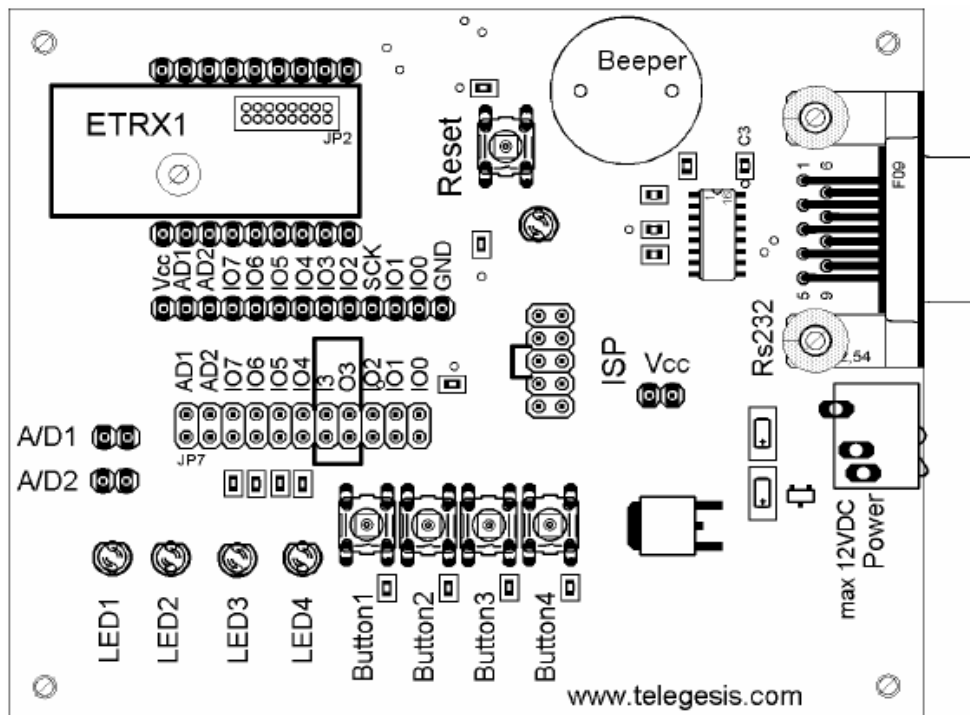


Figure A.2: The development board

A.5.1 The Development Board

The ETRX development board which is part of both development kits hosts a RS232 level converter as well as a voltage regulation circuitry (see Figure A.2). Furthermore it hosts an ISP programming connector for the ETRX2, a reset switch, 4 buttons, 4 LED's and a beeper, all of which can be connected to the I/Os of the module [26].

A.5.2 The Module Carrier Board (MCB)

The module carrier boards (of which there are two in the ETRX2DVK) simply host a voltage regulator, two LED's, two buttons, a beeper, a light sensor (see Figure A.3).

Table A.3: MCB Pin/Function table

Pin	Function
I/O0	Button
I/O1	Button
I/O3	Beeper
I/O5	Green LED
I/O7	Red LED

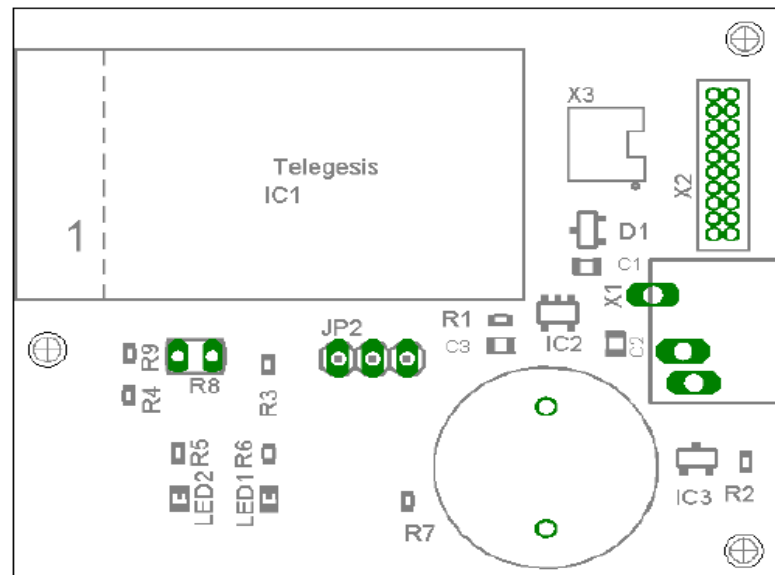


Figure A.3: The MCB

The module carrier board is a cut down version of the development board and due to its small form factor is ideal to be powered using the attached battery packs and distributed in the field to evaluate mesh networking capabilities [4].

A.6 Setting up the Hardware

In the development kits there are three versions of the module. Two of the ETRX2DVKs have an ETRX2HW which has an SMT connector on the bottom of the module so that it can be plugged directly into the appropriate 2x10, 1.27mm pitch receptacle on the devboard. But other one has 2x10 connector and 2x8 plug (see Figure A.4 & Figure A.5). It is not plugged directly. Figure A.6 shows that samples [26].

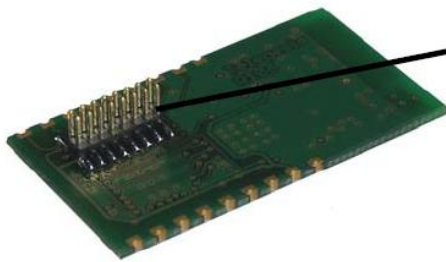


Figure A.4: 2x10 1.27mm SMT connector



Figure A.5: 2x8 1.27mm receptacle

Earlier versions of the development kit were using a 2x8 connector instead of the 2x10 connector used on the current devboard. The 2x10 plug is Harwin part number M50-3601042.

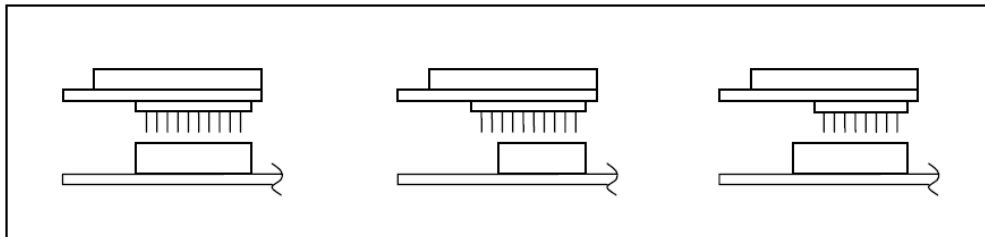


Figure A.6: 16&20 – pin plugs with 16&20 – pin sockets

In analogy to this when connecting a module with a 2x10 pinheader to an old style development kit, just have the 4 unconnected pins sticking out at the antenna end [26].

A.6.1 Development Board Connectors Description

Figure 6.4 shows the location of the connectors described below.

I/O breakout: JP6 gives access to all the I/O on the ETRX2 module. The individual pins are labelled on the circuit board.

Programming Connector: The 10 way programming connector (JP1) allows the connection of any AVR ISP programmer to allow the in-circuit programming of the ETRX1 module.

Serial Port: The serial port allows connectivity to a PC. This provides access to the command line interface and the bootloader for firmware updates.

Power connector: Connect a power supply or battery pack from 5VDC to 12VDC here. The Voltage is regulated down to 3.3V on the devboard.

Power Jumper: JP3 connects the ETRX2 module to the power supply. It is possible to measure the current consumption of the module across this jumper.

I/O connection: JP7 can be used to connect the I/O pins as shown in Table A.4. [4]

Table A.4: I/O Connectivity on development board

Pin	Devboard Functionality	Default
I/O0	Button4	connected
I/O1	Button3	connected
I/O2	Button2	connected
I/O3	Button1 or Beeper	Beeper connected
I/O4	LED4	connected
I/O5	LED3	connected
I/O6	LED2	connected
I/O7	LED1	connected
A/D1	Pinheader A/D1	connected
A/D2	Pinheader A/D1	connected

A.6.2 Module Carrier Board (MCB) Connectors Description

Table A.5 shows the location of the connectors described below.

Power connector: Connect a power supply or battery pack from 5 VDC to 12 VDC here. The voltage is regulated down to 3.3 V on the devboard.

RS232 Port: If required an RS232 connection is possible via JP2. The pinout of JP2 is as follows (see Figure A.10), where Pin 1 is the one nearest to the power connector.

Table A.5: I/O Connectivity on MCB

Pin	MCB
1	3.3V
2	TXD
3	RDX
4	GND

For connecting a MCB to a PC's serial port, level conversion of the RS232 signals is required via a MAX232 (or equivalent) circuit.

Table A.6 shows the connectivity of the module to the peripherals on board the MCB [4].

Table A.6: I/O Connectivity on MCB

Pin	MCB
I/O0	Button 1
I/O1	Button 2
I/O2	Not Connected
I/O3	Beeper
I/O4	Not Connected
I/O5	Green LED
I/O6	Not Connected
I/O7	Red LED
A/D1	Light Sensor
A/D2	Not Connected

APPENDIX B

PROGRAM LISTING

ComPort

```
unit ComPort;

interface

uses
  Windows, Messages, SysUtils, Classes, Graphics, Controls, Forms,
  Dialogs,
  TypInfo;

const
  version = '1.5';
  NUL          = #0; SOH = #1; STX = #2; ETX = #3; EOT = #4; ENQ = #5;
  ACK = #6; BEL = #7; BS = #8;
  TAB          = #9; LF = #10; VT = #11; FF = #12; CR = #13; SO = #14;
  SI = #15; DLE = #16;
  DC1          = #17; DC2 = #18; DC3 = #19; DC4 = #20; NAK = #21; SYN =
  #22; ETB = #23; CAN = #24;
  EM          = #25; SUB = #26; ESC = #27; FS = #28; GS = #29; RS =
  #30; US = #31;

  DefaultTerminator = #13#10;

type

  EComError = class( Exception );
{$M+}
  TParity = ( ptNONE, ptODD, ptEVEN, ptMARK, ptSPACE );
  TStopBit = ( sbONE, sbONE5, snTWO );
  TReceiveMode = ( rmRAW, rmTERM );
{$M-}

  TCommThread = class;
  TReceiveNotify = procedure( CharsReceived: DWORD ) of object;
  TLineEventNotify = procedure( EventWord: DWORD; ModemStatus: DWORD ) of
  object;
  TReceiveProc = procedure( Data: string ) of object;
  TStatusChanged = procedure( Status: boolean ) of object;
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TComPort = class( TComponent )
private
  { Private declarations }
  FPortID: string;
  FBaud: DWORD;
  FDataBits: byte;
  FParity: TParity;
  FStopBits: TStopBit;
  FReceiveMode: TReceiveMode;
  ComThread: TCommThread;
  FOpen: boolean;
  FReceiveCallBack: TReceiveProc;
  FOnCTSChanged,
    FOnDSRChanged,
    FOnRingChanged,
    FOnRLSDChanged: TStatusChanged;
  FOnError,
    FOnPortOpen,
    FOnPortClose: TNotifyEvent;
  FWinQSizeIn,
    FWinQSizeOut: DWORD;
  FTerminator: string;
  RxBuf: string;
  procedure ReceiveNotify( NReceived: DWORD );
  procedure EventNotify( EventMask, ModemStatus: DWORD );
  procedure SetTerminator( TermStr: string );
  function GetTerminator: string;

protected
  { Protected declarations }

public
  { Public declarations }
  constructor Create( AOwner: TComponent ); override;
  destructor Destroy; override;
  procedure Open;
  procedure Close;
  procedure Send( Data: string );
  procedure SetDTR( Status: boolean );
  procedure SetRTS( Status: boolean );
  function NextToken( var s: string; Separator: char ): string;
  function StrToParity( sParity: string ): TParity;
  function ParityToStr( ParityMember: TParity ): string;
  function StopbToStr( Stopmember: TStopBit ): string;

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function StrToStopb( sStopBit: string ): TStopBit;

published
{ Published declarations }
property Port: string read FPortID write FPortID;
property Baud: DWORD read FBaud write FBaud;
property DataBits: byte read FDataBits write FDataBits;
property Parity: TParity read FParity write FParity;
property StopBits: TStopBit read FStopBits write FStopBits;
property WinQSizeIn: DWORD read FWinQSizeIn write FWinQSizeIn;
property WinQSizeOut: DWORD read FWinQSizeOut write FWinQSizeOut;
property ReceiveMode: TReceiveMode read FReceiveMode write
FReceiveMode;
property Terminator: string read GetTerminator write SetTerminator;
// events
property OnPortOpen: TNotifyEvent read FOnPortOpen write FOnPortOpen;
property OnPortClose: TNotifyEvent read FOnPortClose write
FOnPortClose;
property ReceiveCallBack: TReceiveProc read FReceiveCallBack
write FReceiveCallBack;
property OnCTSChanged: TStatusChanged read FOnCTSChanged
write FOnCTSChanged;
property OnDSRChanged: TStatusChanged read FOnDSRChanged
write FOnDSRChanged;
property OnRingChanged: TStatusChanged read FOnRingChanged
write FOnRingChanged;
property OnRLSDChanged: TStatusChanged read FOnRLSDChanged
write FOnRLSDChanged;
property OnError: TNotifyEvent read FOnError write FOnError;

end;

TCommThread = class( TThread )
private
    DCB: TDCB;
    hCloseEvent: THandle;
    RXOvLap,
        TXOverLap: TOverLapped;
    FEventMask: DWORD;
    FModemStatus: DWORD;

protected
    hCom: THandle;
    FOnReceive: TReceiveNotify;
    FLineEvent: TLineEventNotify;

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    ErrorMask: DWORD;
    procedure Execute; override;
    procedure EventHandler;
    destructor Destroy; override;

public
    constructor Create( APort: string );
    procedure SetCommPars( ABaudRate: DWORD;
        AByteSize: byte;
        AParity: DWORD;
        NStopBits: TStopBit );
    function HandleValid: boolean;
    function WriteComm( var buf; ByteCount: integer ): DWORD;
    procedure ReadComm( var buf; CharsToRead: DWORD );
    procedure SignalTerminate;
    procedure ClearComm;
end;

procedure EnumPorts( PortList: TStringlist );

implementation

procedure EnumPorts( PortList: TStringlist);
var
    MaxPorts      : integer;
    hPort         : THandle;
    PortNumber     : integer;
    PortName       : string;
begin
    if PortList = nil then EXIT;

    case Win32Platform of
        VER_PLATFORM_WIN32_NT: MaxPorts := 256;
        VER_PLATFORM_WIN32_WINDOWS: MaxPorts := 9;
    end;

    for PortNumber := 1 to MaxPorts do
    begin
        if PortNumber > 9 then
            PortName := '\\.\COM' + IntToStr( PortNumber )
        else
            PortName := 'COM' + IntToStr( PortNumber );

            hPort := CreateFile( PChar( PortName ),

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        GENERIC_READ or GENERIC_WRITE,
        0,
        nil,
        OPEN_EXISTING,
        0,
        0 );

    if not ( hPort = INVALID_HANDLE_VALUE ) then
        PortList.Add( PortName );
        CloseHandle( hPort );
    end;
end;

function TComPort.ParityToStr( Paritymember: TParity ): string;
begin
    Result := GetEnumName( TypeInfo( TParity ), integer( ParityMember ) );
end;

function TComPort.StrToParity( sParity: string ): TParity;
begin
    Result := TParity( GetEnumValue( TypeInfo( TParity ), sParity ) );
end;

function TComPort.StopbToStr( Stopmember: TStopBit ): string;
begin
    Result := GetEnumName( TypeInfo( TStopBit ), integer( StopMember ) );
end;

function TComPort.StrToStopb( sStopBit: string ): TStopBit;
begin
    Result := TStopBit( GetEnumValue( TypeInfo( TStopBit ), sStopBit ) );
end;

constructor TComPort.Create( AOwner: TComponent );
begin
    inherited Create( AOwner );
    FOpen := false;
    FPortID := 'COM1';
    FBaud := 9600;
    FParity := ptNONE;
    FDataBits := 8;
    FOpen := false;
    FWinQSizeIn := 8192;
    FWinQSizeOut := 8192;

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    FReceiveMode := rmTERM;
    FTerminator := DefaultTerminator;
    RxBuf := '';
end;

destructor TComPort.Destroy;
begin
    if FOpen then
        Close;
        inherited Destroy;
    end;

procedure TComPort.Open;
begin
    if not FOpen then
        begin
            ComThread := TCommThread.Create( FPortID );

            if not comThread.HandleValid then
                raise EComError.Create( 'TCOMPORT : com' + FPortID + ' CannotOpen'+
#13          + SysErrorMessage( GetLastError ) );

            ComThread.FOnReceive := Self.ReceiveNotify;
            ComThread.FLineEvent := Self.EventNotify;
            ComThread.SetCommPars( Fbaud, FDataBits, DWORD( FParity ), FStopBits
);
            SetUpComm( ComThread.hCom, FWinQSizeIn, FWinQSizeOut );
            FOpen := true;
            ComThread.Resume;
            if Assigned( FOnPortOpen ) then
                FOnPortOpen( Self );
        end;
    end;

procedure TComPort.Close;
begin
    if FOpen then
        begin
            FOpen := false;
            ComThread.FOnReceive := nil;
            ComThread.FLineEvent := nil;
            ComThread.SignalTerminate;
            ComThread.WaitFor;
            if Assigned( FOnPortClose ) then

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        FOnPortClose( Self );
    end;
end;

procedure TComPort.SetDTR( Status: boolean );
begin
    if FOpen then
        case Status of
            true: EscapeCommFunction( ComThread.hCom, Windows.SETDTR );
            false: EscapeCommFunction( ComThread.hCom, Windows.CLRDTR );
        end;
    end;
end;

procedure TComPort.SetRTS( Status: boolean );
begin
    if FOpen then
        case Status of
            true: EscapeCommFunction( ComThread.hCom, Windows.SETRTS );
            false: EscapeCommFunction( ComThread.hCom, Windows.CLRRTS );
        end;
    end;
end;

procedure TComPort.EventNotify( EventMask, ModemStatus: DWORD );
begin
    if ( EventMask and EV_CTS ) > 0 then
        if Assigned( FOnCTSChanged ) then
            FOnCTSChanged( ( ModemStatus and MS_CTS_ON ) = 0 );
    if ( EventMask and EV_DSR ) > 0 then
        if Assigned( FOnDSRChanged ) then
            FOnDSRChanged( ( ModemStatus and MS_DSR_ON ) = 0 );
    if ( EventMask and EV_RLSD ) > 0 then
        if Assigned( FOnRLSDChanged ) then
            FOnRLSDChanged( ( ModemStatus and MS_RLSD_ON ) = 0 );
    if ( EventMask and EV_RING ) > 0 then
        if Assigned( FOnRingChanged ) then
            FOnRingChanged( ( ModemStatus and MS_RING_ON ) = 0 );
    if ( EventMask and EV_ERR ) > 0 then
        if Assigned( FOnError ) then
            FOnError( Self );
    end;

procedure TComPort.ReceiveNotify( NReceived: DWORD );
var
    TempBuf          : string;

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    TermPos          : integer;
begin
    SetLength( TempBuf, NReceived );
    ComThread.ReadComm( TempBuf[1], NReceived );
    if FOpen and Assigned( FReceiveCallBack ) then
        case FReceiveMode of

            rmRAW: FReceiveCallBack( TempBuf );

            rmTERM: begin
                RxBuf := RxBuf + TempBuf;
                TermPos := Pos( FTerminator, RxBuf );
                if TermPos > 0 then
                    begin
                        TempBuf := Copy( RxBuf, 1, TermPos
                            + length( FTerminator ) - 1 );
                        FReceiveCallBack( TempBuf );
                        Delete( RxBuf, 1, TermPos + length( FTerminator ) - 1 );
                    end
                end;
            end;
        end;
    end;

procedure TComPort.Send( Data: string );
begin
    if FOpen then
        ComThread.WriteComm( Data[1], Length( Data ) );
    end;

procedure TComPort.SetTerminator( TermStr: string );
var
    Temp          : string;
begin
    FTerminator := '';
    if Length( TermStr ) > 0 then
        Delete( TermStr, 1, 1 );
    while length( TermStr ) > 0 do
        begin
            Temp := NextToken( TermStr, '#' );
            try
                FTerminator := FTerminator + Chr( StrToInt( Temp ) );
            except
                FTerminator := DefaultTerminator;
                raise EComError.Create( 'invalid string end.' + #13

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        + 'format : #<ascii>#<ascii>#<...>' + #13
        + 'example: #13#10' );
    end;
end;
if Length( FTerminator ) = 0 then
    raise EComError.Create( 'Final string can not to be empty.' );
end;

function TComPort.GetTerminator: string;
var
    i          : integer;
begin
    Result := '';
    if Length( FTerminator ) > 0 then
        for i := 1 to Length( FTerminator ) do
            Result := Result + '#' + IntToStr( ord( FTerminator[i] ) )
        end;
    end;

function TComPort.NextToken( var s: string; Separator: char ): string;
var
    Sep_Pos      : byte;
begin
    Result := '';
    if length( s ) > 0 then begin
        Sep_Pos := pos( Separator, s );
        if Sep_Pos > 0 then begin
            Result := copy( s, 1, Pred( Sep_Pos ) );
            Delete( s, 1, Sep_Pos );
        end
        else begin
            Result := s;
            s := '';
        end;
    end;
end;

constructor TCommThread.Create( APort: string );
begin
    hCom := CreateFile( PChar( APort ),
        GENERIC_READ or GENERIC_WRITE,
        0,
        nil,
        OPEN_EXISTING,
        FILE_FLAG_OVERLAPPED,

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    0 );
if hCom = INVALID_HANDLE_VALUE then EXIT;
GetCommState( hCom, DCB );
with DCB do begin
    Baudrate := 9600;
    ByteSize := 8;
    Parity := EVENPARITY;
    StopBits := ONESTOPBIT;
    Flags := 1;
end;
SetUpComm( hCom, 512, 512 );
SetCommState( hCom, DCB );
SetCommMask( hCom, EV_RXCHAR
    or EV_CTS
    or EV_RLSD
    or EV_DSR
    or EV_RING
    or EV_ERR );
ClearComm;
inherited Create( true );
Priority := tpHIGHER;
FreeOnTerminate := true;
end;

destructor TCommThread.Destroy;
begin
    CloseHandle( hCom );
end;

procedure TCommThread.SetCommPars( ABaudRate: DWORD;
    AByteSize: byte;
    AParity: DWORD;
    NStopBits: TStopBit );
begin
    GetCommState( hCom, DCB );
    with DCB do begin
        Baudrate := ABaudRate;
        ByteSize := AByteSize;
        Parity := AParity;
        StopBits := DWORD( NStopBits );
        Flags := 1;
    end;
    SetCommState( hCom, DCB );
end;

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```

function TCommThread.HandleValid: boolean;
begin
    Result := not ( hCom = INVALID_HANDLE_VALUE );
end;

procedure TCommThread.EventHandler;
var
    ComStat      : TComStat;
    CharsToRead   : DWORD;
begin
    ClearCommError( hCom, ErrorMask, @ComStat );
    if ( FEventMask and EV_RXCHAR ) > 0 then
    begin
        CharsToRead := ComStat.cbInQue;
        if Assigned( FOnReceive ) then
            FOnReceive( CharsToRead );
        FEventMask := FEventMask and not EV_RXCHAR;
    end;
    if ( FEventMask > 0 )
        and Assigned( FLineEvent ) then
        FLineEvent( FEventMask, FModemStatus );
end;

procedure TCommThread.ClearComm;
begin
    PurgeComm( hCom, PURGE_RXCLEAR
        or PURGE_TXCLEAR
        or PURGE_RXABORT
        or PURGE_TXABORT );
    EscapeCommFunction( hCom, Windows.CLRDTR );
    EscapeCommFunction( hCom, Windows.CLRRTS );
end;

procedure TCommThread.SignalTerminate;
begin
    FOnReceive := nil;
    SetEvent( hCloseEvent );
end;

procedure TCommThread.Execute;
var
    HandlesToWaitFor: array[0..2] of THandle;
    overlap          : TOverLapped;

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    EvHandle,
    EvSignal      : DWORD;
begin
    hCloseEvent := CreateEvent( nil, true, False, nil );
    FillChar( OvLap, sizeof( OvLap ), 0 );
    OvLap.hEvent := CreateEvent( nil, true, true, nil );
    EvHandle := ovLap.hEvent;
    HandlesToWaitFor[0] := hCloseEvent;
    HandlesToWaitFor[1] := OvLap.hEvent;

    repeat
        WaitCommEvent( hCom, FEventMask, @ovlap );
        GetCommModemStatus( hCom, FModemStatus );
        evSignal := WaitForMultipleObjects( 2, @HandlesToWaitFor, False,
        INFINITE );
        case EvSignal of
            WAIT_OBJECT_0: begin
                Priority := tpLOWEST;
                SetCommMask( hCom, 0 );
                Terminate;
            end;
            WAIT_OBJECT_0 + 1: Synchronize( EventHandler )
        end;
    until Terminated;
    CloseHandle( OvLap.hEvent );
    CloseHandle( hCloseEvent );
end;

procedure TCommThread.ReadComm( var buf; CharsToRead: DWORD );
var
    ByteCount      : DWORD;
begin
    if CharsToRead > 0 then begin
        FillChar( RXOvLap, SizeOf( RXOvLap ), 0 );
        Readfile( hCom, Buf, CharsToRead, ByteCount, @RXOvLap )
    end
end;

function TCommThread.WriteComm( var buf; ByteCount: integer ): DWORD;
begin
    FillChar( TXOverLap, SizeOf( TXOverLap ), 0 );
    WriteFile( hCom, Buf, ByteCount, Result, @TXOverLap );
end;
end.

```

UComPortConnection

```
unit UComPortConnection;

interface
uses Windows, Classes, SysUtils, ExtCtrls, Graphics, ComPort, Dialogs,
Oracle, OracleData, stdctrls;

const
    LF      = #10;
    CR      = #13;
    CRLF    = CR+LF;

type
    TComPortConnection = class
    private
        ComPort:TComPort;

    public
        Memo : TMemo;
        OracleDataSet:TOracleDataSet;
        constructor Create;
        function ConnectComPort(Port:String; BaudRate:integer;
DataBit:integer; Parity:String; StopBit:String):boolean;
        procedure SendData(Line : String);
        procedure ReceiveData(Data:string);
        procedure DoReceive;
    end;
    var
        ComPortConnection : TComponent;
        ComData : String;

implementation
uses UZigbeemainfrm;

constructor TComPortConnection.Create;
begin
    inherited;
    Memo:=nil;
    OracleDataSet:=nil;
end;

function TComPortConnection.ConnectComPort(Port:String; BaudRate:integer;
DataBit:integer; Parity:String; StopBit:String):boolean;
```

```

begin
    ComPort:=TComPort.Create(ComPortConnection);
    ComPort.ReceiveMode:=rmRAW;
    ComPort.ReceiveCallBack:=ReceiveData;
    ComPort.Close;
    ComPort.Port:= Port;
    ComPort.Baud:= Baudrate;
    ComPort.DataBits:= DataBit;
    ComPort.Parity:= ComPort.StrToParity('pt'+Parity);
    ComPort.StopBits:= ComPort.StrToStopb('sb'+StopBit);
    try
        ComPort.Open;
        Memo.Lines.add('Sys      ' + DateTimeToStr(Now) + '-->  '+
                        Port+' Port Opened ('+
                        IntToStr(Baudrate)+' ,'+
                        IntToStr(DataBit)+' ,'+
                        Parity+' ,'+
                        Stopbit+')');

        Result := True;
    except
        Memo.Lines.Add('Sys      ' + DateTimeToStr(Now) + '-->  ComPort Not
Opened ');
        Result := False;
    end;
end;

procedure TComPortConnection.ReceiveData(Data:string);
begin
    ComData:=ComData+Data;
    DoReceive;
    Memo.Lines.Add(Data);
end;

procedure TComPortConnection.DoReceive;
var
    IntValue:Real;
    StrValue : String;
    Resistance : Real;
    Light:Real;
    Key : Integer;

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```

begin

    if (Pos(CRLF, ComData)>0) and (Pos('ATI', ComData)>0) and (Pos('ATI',
ComData)< Pos(CRLF, ComData))    then
        begin
            Delete(ComData,1, Pos(CRLF, ComData)+1);

        end else
            if (Pos(CRLF, ComData)>0) and (Pos('OK', ComData)>0) and (Pos('OK',
ComData)< Pos(CRLF, ComData))    then
                begin
                    Delete(ComData,1, Pos(CRLF, ComData)+1);

                end else
                    if (Pos(CRLF, ComData)>0) and (Pos('ATSREM12:', ComData)>0) and
(Pos('ATSREM12:', ComData)< Pos(CRLF, ComData))    then
                        begin
                            Delete(ComData,1, Pos(CRLF, ComData)+1);

                        end else
                            if (Pos(CRLF, ComData)>0) and (Pos('S12:', ComData)>0) and
(Pos('S12:', ComData)< Pos(CRLF, ComData))    then
                                begin
                                    StrValue :=Copy(ComData,1, Pos(CR, ComData)-1);
                                    Delete(ComData,1, Pos(CRLF, ComData)+1);

                                    Delete(StrValue, 1, Pos(':', StrValue));

                                    IntValue := StrToInt('$'+StrValue);

                                    if IntValue=0 then
                                        begin
                                            IntValue:= StrToFloat('0' + DecimalSeparator + '1');
                                        end;

                                    Resistance := round(((33000/IntValue)-10)*1000)/1000;

                                    Light := 0;
                                    if (Resistance < 1000000) and (Resistance > 10000) then
                                        begin
                                            Light := Round(((1970000-Resistance)/9900000)*1000)/1000;
                                            //Lux(x) = (1970000-y) / 9900000
                                        end else

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        if (Resistance < StrToFloat('9999' + DecimalSeparator + '99')) and
(Resistance > 1000) then
            begin
                Light := Round(((12250-Resistance)/11250)*1000)/1000;
                //Lux(x) = (12250-y) / 11250
            end else
                if (Resistance < StrToFloat('999' + DecimalSeparator + '99')) and
(Resistance > 100) then
                    begin
                        Light := Round(((StrToFloat('1047' + DecimalSeparator +
'36')-Resistance)/StrToFloat('47' + DecimalSeparator + '36'))*1000)/1000;
                        //Lux(x) = (1047.36-y) / 47.36
                    end else
                        if (Resistance < StrToFloat('99' + DecimalSeparator + '99')) and
(Resistance > 10) then
                            begin
                                Light := Round(((StrToFloat('106' + DecimalSeparator + '4')-
Resistance)/StrToFloat('0' + DecimalSeparator + '32'))*1000)/1000;
                                //Lux(x) = (106.4-y) / 0.32
                            end else
                                if (Resistance < StrToFloat('9' + DecimalSeparator + '99')) and
(Resistance > 5) then
                                    begin
                                        Light := Round(((StrToFloat('12' + DecimalSeparator + '13')-
Resistance)/StrToFloat('0' + DecimalSeparator + '0071'))*1000)/1000;
                                        //Lux(x) = (12.13-y) / 0.0071
                                    end else
                                        if (Resistance < StrToFloat('4' + DecimalSeparator + '99')) and
(Resistance > StrToFloat('0' + DecimalSeparator + '01')) then
                                            begin
                                                Light := Round(((StrToFloat('5' + DecimalSeparator + '05')-
Resistance)/StrToFloat('0' + DecimalSeparator + '00005'))*1000)/1000;
                                                //Lux(x) = (5.05-y) / 0.00005
                                            end;

OracleDataSet.SQL.Clear;
OracleDataSet.SQL.Add('SELECT LIGHTSEQ.NEXTVAL FROM DUAL ');
OracleDataSet.Open;
Key:=OracleDataSet.FieldByName('NEXTVAL').AsInteger;
OracleDataSet.Close;

OracleDataSet.SQL.Clear;
OracleDataSet.SQL.Add('SELECT A.*, A.ROWID FROM LIGHT A');
OracleDataSet.Open;
OracleDataSet.Append;
OracleDataSet.FieldByName('KEY').AsInteger:=Key;

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        OracleDataSet.FieldByName('TIME').AsDateTime :=Now;
        OracleDataSet.FieldByName('VALUE').AsFloat:=IntValue;
        OracleDataSet.FieldByName('RESISTANCE').AsFloat:=Resistance;
        OracleDataSet.FieldByName('LIGHT').AsFloat:=Light;

        OracleDataSet.Post;
        OracleDataSet.Close;

        form1.ShowGrid;

    end else
    begin
        Delete(ComData,1, Pos(CRLF, ComData)+1);
    end;

end;

procedure TComPortConnection.SendData(Line : String);
begin
    ComPort.Send(Line);
    //Memo.Lines.Add('Send      ' + DateTimeToStr(Now) + '-->  ' + Line);
    //Memo.Lines.Add(Line);
end;
end.

```

UComPortSettingsFrm

```
unit UComPortSettingsFrm;

interface

uses
    Windows, Messages, SysUtils, Classes, Graphics, Controls, Forms,
    Dialogs,
    StdCtrls, Inifiles;

type
    TForm2 = class(TForm)
        GroupBox1: TGroupBox;
        ComboBox1: TComboBox;
        ComboBox2: TComboBox;
        ComboBox3: TComboBox;
        ComboBox4: TComboBox;
        ComboBox5: TComboBox;
        Label1: TLabel;
        Label2: TLabel;
        Label3: TLabel;
        Label4: TLabel;
        Label5: TLabel;
        BtConnect: TButton;
        CheckBox1: TCheckBox;
        GroupBox2: TGroupBox;
        Edit1: TEdit;
        Edit2: TEdit;
        Label6: TLabel;
        Label7: TLabel;
        BtSave: TButton;
        Edit3: TEdit;
        Label8: TLabel;
        procedure FormCreate(Sender: TObject);
        procedure BtConnectClick(Sender: TObject);
        procedure BtSaveClick(Sender: TObject);

    private
        { Private declarations }
    public
        { Public declarations }
    end;
```

```

var
    Form2: TForm2;

implementation
uses UZigbeeMainFrm;

{$R *.DFM}

procedure TForm2.FormCreate(Sender: TObject);
var fini:Tinifile;
begin
    fini:=TIniFile.Create(GetCurrentDir+'\settings.ini');
    if fini<>nil then
    begin
        ComboBox1.Text:=fini.ReadString('Com', 'Comport', '1');
        ComboBox2.Text:=fini.ReadString('Com', 'Baudrate', '1');
        ComboBox3.Text:=fini.ReadString('Com', 'Databit', '1');
        ComboBox4.Text:=fini.ReadString('Com', 'Parity', '1');
        ComboBox5.Text:=fini.ReadString('Com', 'Stopbit', '1');
        if fini.ReadString('Com', 'AutoOpenport', '1') = 'E' then
            CheckBox1.Checked := True
        else
            CheckBox1.Checked := False;
        Edit1.Text:=fini.ReadString('Database', 'Username', '1');
        Edit2.Text:=fini.ReadString('Database', 'Password', '1');
        Edit3.Text:=fini.ReadString('Database', 'Databasename', '1');

    end;
end;

procedure TForm2.BtConnectClick(Sender: TObject);
var fini:Tinifile;
    AutoOpenport : String ;
begin
    if CheckBox1.Checked then
        AutoOpenport := 'E'
    else
        AutoOpenport := 'H';
    fini:=TIniFile.Create(GetCurrentDir+'\settings.ini');
    fini.DeleteKey('Com', 'Comport');
    fini.DeleteKey('Com', 'Baudrate');
    fini.DeleteKey('Com', 'Databit');
    fini.DeleteKey('Com', 'Parity');
    fini.DeleteKey('Com', 'Stopbit');
    fini.DeleteKey('Com', 'AutoOpenport');

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    fini.WriteString('Com', 'Comport', ComboBox1.Text);
    fini.WriteString('Com', 'Baudrate', ComboBox2.Text);
    fini.WriteString('Com', 'Databit', ComboBox3.Text);
    fini.WriteString('Com', 'Parity', ComboBox4.Text);
    fini.WriteString('Com', 'Stopbit', ComboBox5.Text);
    fini.WriteString('Com', 'AutoOpenport', AutoOpenport);
    FreeAndNil(fini);
    Form1.OpenPort;
end;

procedure TForm2.BtSaveClick(Sender: TObject);
var fini:Tinifile;
begin
    fini:=TIniFile.Create(GetCurrentDir+'\settings.ini');
    fini.DeleteKey('Database', 'Username');
    fini.DeleteKey('Database', 'Password');
    fini.DeleteKey('Database', 'Databasename');

    fini.WriteString('Database', 'Username', Edit1.Text);
    fini.WriteString('Database', 'Password', Edit2.Text);
    fini.WriteString('Database', 'Databasename', Edit3.Text);
    FreeAndNil(fini);
end;

end.

```

UZigbeeChartFrm

```
unit UZigbeeChartFrm;

interface

uses
  Windows, Messages, SysUtils, Classes, Graphics, Controls, Forms,
  Dialogs,
  StdCtrls, ExtCtrls, TeeProcs, TeEngine, Chart, DBChart, Series, Db,
  OracleData, Oracle, Grids, DBGrids;

type
  TForm3 = class(TForm)
    Panel1: TPanel;
    Panel2: TPanel;
    Button1: TButton;
    Chart1: TChart;
    Series1: TLineSeries;
    DBGrid1: TDBGrid;
    DataSource1: TDataSource;
    GroupBox1: TGroupBox;
    GroupBox2: TGroupBox;
    Label1: TLabel;
    Label3: TLabel;
    Edit1: TEdit;
    Edit2: TEdit;
    Label2: TLabel;
    Label4: TLabel;
    Edit3: TEdit;
    Edit4: TEdit;
    OracleDataSet1: TOracleDataSet;
    procedure Button1Click(Sender: TObject);
    procedure FormShow(Sender: TObject);
  private
    { Private declarations }
  public
    { Public declarations }
  end;

var
  Form3: TForm3;

implementation
```

```

uses UZigbeeMainFrm;

{$R *.DFM}

procedure TForm3.Button1Click(Sender: TObject);
begin
    OracleDataSet1.Session := Form1.OracleSession1;
    OracleDataSet1.Close;
    OracleDataSet1.SQL.Clear;
    OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('SELECT KEY, TO_CHAR(TIME, ''DD.MM.YYYY
HH24:MI:SS'') AS TIME, TO_CHAR(TIME, ''HH24:MI:SS'') AS HOURS, LIGHT');
    OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('FROM LIGHT');

    OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('WHERE TIME >= TO_DATE(''+Edit1.Text+'
'+Edit2.Text+'', ''DD.MM.YYYY HH24:MI:SS'')');
    OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('AND TIME <= TO_DATE(''+Edit3.Text+'
'+Edit4.Text+'', ''DD.MM.YYYY HH24:MI:SS'')');
    OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('ORDER BY TIME');
    OracleDataSet1.Open;

    Series1.Clear;
    while not OracleDataSet1.Eof do
    begin
        Series1.AddXY(OracleDataSet1.fieldbyname('KEY').AsInteger,
            OracleDataSet1.fieldbyname('LIGHT').AsInteger,

TimeToStr(OracleDataSet1.fieldbyname('HOURS').AsDateTime),
            clTeeColor);
        OracleDataSet1.Next;
    end;
    DataSource1.DataSet:=OracleDataSet1;
end;

procedure TForm3.FormShow(Sender: TObject);
var strnow : String;
begin
    strnow := DateTimeToStr(Now);
    Edit1.Text:= Copy(strnow, 1, Pos(' ',strnow)-1);
    Edit2.Text:= '00:00:00';
    Edit3.Text:=Copy(strnow, 1, Pos(' ',strnow)-1);
    Delete(strnow, 1, Pos(' ',strnow));
    Edit4.Text:= strnow;
end;
end.

```

UZigbeeMainFrm

```
unit UZigbeeMainFrm;

interface

uses
  Windows, Messages, SysUtils, Classes, Graphics, Controls, Forms,
  Dialogs,
  Inifiles, StdCtrls, ToolWin, ComCtrls, Menus, Buttons,
  ExtCtrls, UComPortConnection, TeEngine, Series, TeeProcs, Chart,
  DBChart,
  Oracle, Grids, DBGrids, Db, OracleData;
const
  LF      = #10;
  CR      = #13;
  CRLF    = CR+LF;

type
  TForm1 = class(TForm)
    MainMenu1: TMainMenu;
    Settings1: TMenuItem;
    ComPortandDatabaseSettings1: TMenuItem;
    GroupBox1: TGroupBox;
    MemoPortLog: TMemo;
    DataSource1: TDataSource;
    Graphics1: TMenuItem;
    Chart1: TChart;
    Series1: TLineSeries;
    Exit1: TMenuItem;
    OracleSession1: TOracleSession;
    OracleDataSet1: TOracleDataSet;
    OracleDataSetComPort: TOracleDataSet;
    DBGrid1: TDBGrid;
    GroupBox3: TGroupBox;
    Label1: TLabel;
    Edit1: TEdit;
    Button1: TButton;
    GroupBox2: TGroupBox;
    ComboBox1: TComboBox;
    Label2: TLabel;
    CheckBox1: TCheckBox;
    Timer1: TTimer;
    procedure FormCreate(Sender: TObject);
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    procedure FormCloseQuery(Sender: TObject; var CanClose: Boolean);
    procedure ComPortandDatabaseSettings1Click(Sender: TObject);

    Procedure OpenPort;
    procedure ShowGrid;

    procedure Graphics1Click(Sender: TObject);
    procedure Exit1Click(Sender: TObject);
    procedure Button1Click(Sender: TObject);
    procedure ComboBox1Change(Sender: TObject);
    procedure Timer1Timer(Sender: TObject);
    procedure CheckBox1Click(Sender: TObject);
private
    { Private declarations }
public
    { Public declarations }
end;

var
    Form1: TForm1;
    ComPortConnection:TComPortConnection;

implementation
uses UComPortSettingsFrm, UZigbeeChartFrm;

{$R *.DFM}

Procedure TForm1.OpenPort;
var fini:Tinifile;

begin
    fini:=TIniFile.Create(GetCurrentDir+'\settings.ini');
    if fini <> nil then
    begin
        if fini.ReadString('Com', 'AutoOpenport', '1')='E' then
        begin
            ComPortConnection:=TComPortConnection.Create;
            ComPortConnection.Memo:=MemoPortLog;
            ComPortConnection.OracleDataSet:=OracleDataSetComPort;
            ComPortConnection.OracleDataSet.Session:=OracleSession1;

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        ComPortConnection.ConnectComPort(fini.ReadString('Com',
'Comport', '1'),

                                strtoint(fini.ReadString('Com', 'Baudrate', '1')),
                                strtoint(fini.ReadString('Com', 'Databit', '1')),
                                finి.ReadString('Com', 'Parity', '1'),
                                finи.ReadString('Com', 'Stopbit', '1'));

    end;
end;
FreeAndNil(fini);
end;

```

```

procedure TForm1.FormCreate(Sender: TObject);
var
finи: Tinifile;

begin
    ComboBox1.ItemIndex :=0;
    Timer1.Enabled:=False;

    finи:=TIniFile.Create(GetCurrentDir+'\settings.ini');
    OracleSession1 := TOracleSession.Create(nil);
    OracleSession1.LogonDatabase :=finи.ReadString('Database',
'Databasename', '1');
    OracleSession1.LogonUsername :=finи.ReadString('Database',
'Username', '1');
    OracleSession1.LogonPassword :=finи.ReadString('Database',
'Password', '1');
    OracleSession1.Connected := True;
    OracleDataSet1.Session:=OracleSession1;

    OpenPort;
    ShowGrid;
    FreeAndNil(fini);
end;

```

```

procedure TForm1.FormCloseQuery(Sender: TObject; var CanClose: Boolean);
var SaveLog : TStringList;
    FileHandle: Integer;
begin
    if not FileExists(GetCurrentDir+'\log.txt') then
    begin
        FileHandle:=FileCreate(GetCurrentDir+'\log.txt');

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        FileClose(FileHandle);
    end;
    SaveLog := TStringList.Create;
    SaveLog.LoadFromFile(GetCurrentDir+'\log.txt');
    SaveLog.AddStrings(MemoPortLog.Lines);
    SaveLog.SaveToFile(GetCurrentDir+'\log.txt');
    FreeAndNil(SaveLog);
end;

procedure TForm1.ComPortandDatabaseSettings1Click(Sender: TObject);
begin
    Form2.Show;
end;

procedure TForm1.ShowGrid;
begin

    OracleDataSet1.Close;
    OracleDataSet1.SQL.Clear;
    OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('SELECT KEY, TO_CHAR(TIME, 'DD.MM.YYYY
HH24:MI:SS') AS TIME, TO_CHAR(TIME, 'HH24:MI:SS') AS HOURS, LIGHT');
    OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('FROM LIGHT');

    if ComboBox1.ItemIndex=0 then
    begin
        OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('WHERE SYSDATE <= TIME + interval '1'
MINUTE');
    end else
    if ComboBox1.ItemIndex=1 then
    begin
        OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('WHERE SYSDATE <= TIME + interval '10'
MINUTE');
    end else
    if ComboBox1.ItemIndex=2 then
    begin
        OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('WHERE SYSDATE <= TIME + interval '1'
HOUR');
    end else
    if ComboBox1.ItemIndex=3 then
    begin
        OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('WHERE SYSDATE <= TIME + interval '1'
DAY');
    end;
end;

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OracleDataSet1.SQL.Add('ORDER BY TIME');
OracleDataSet1.Open;

Series1.Clear;
while not OracleDataSet1.Eof do
begin
    Series1.AddXY(Form1.OracleDataSet1.fieldbyname('KEY').AsInteger,
        OracleDataSet1.fieldbyname('LIGHT').AsInteger,
TimeToStr(OracleDataSet1.fieldbyname('HOURS').AsDateTime),
        clTeeColor);

    OracleDataSet1.Next;
end;

DataSource1.DataSet:=OracleDataSet1;

end;

procedure TForm1.Graphics1Click(Sender: TObject);
begin
    Form3.Show;
end;

procedure TForm1.Exit1Click(Sender: TObject);
begin
    Application.Terminate;
end;

procedure TForm1.Button1Click(Sender: TObject);
begin
    ComPortConnection.SendData(Edit1.Text+CRLF);
end;

procedure TForm1.ComboBox1Change(Sender: TObject);
begin
    ShowGrid;
end;

procedure TForm1.Timer1Timer(Sender: TObject);
begin
    ComPortConnection.SendData('ATSREM12:000D6F00000DC449?' + CRLF);
end;

```

```
procedure TForm1.CheckBox1Click(Sender: TObject);
begin
    if CheckBox1.Checked then
    begin
        Timer1.Enabled:= True;
        Timer1.Interval:=1000;
    end else
    begin
        Timer1.Enabled:= False;
    end;
end;

end.
```

Zigbee

```
program Zigbee;

uses
  Forms,
  UZigbeeMainFrm in 'UZigbeeMainFrm.pas' {Form1},
  ComPort in 'ComPort.pas',
  UComPortSettingsFrm in 'UComPortSettingsFrm.pas' {Form2},
  UComPortConnection in 'UComPortConnection.pas',
  UZigbeeChartFrm in 'UZigbeeChartFrm.pas' {Form3};

{$R *.RES}

begin
  Application.Initialize;
  Application.CreateForm(TForm1, Form1);
  Application.CreateForm(TForm2, Form2);
  Application.CreateForm(TForm3, Form3);
  Application.Run;
end.
```

APPENDIX C

Command Overview	
ATI	Display product identification information
ATZ	Software reset
AT&F	Restore factory settings
AT+BLOAD	Enter the bootloader menu
AT+CLONE	Clone the local node's firmware to a remote node
AT+RECOVER	Recover from a failed clone attempt (ETRX2 only)
AT+PASSTHROUGH	Enter pass-through bootloading mode (ETRX1 only)
ATS	S-Register access
ATSALL	Write all remote S-Registers
AT+TOKDUMP	Display all local S-registers
ATSREM	Remote S-register access
AT+ESCAN	Scan the energy of all channels
AT+EN	Establish PAN
AT+JN	Join next best network
AT+PANSCAN	Scan for active PANs
AT+JPAN	Join specific PAN
AT+DASSL	Disassociate local device from PAN
AT+DASSR	Disassociate remote device from PAN
AT+NTABLE	Show the neighbour table
AT+N	Display network parameters
AT+CTABLE	Display list of local children
AT+PARENT	Display Parent's ID
AT+POLL	Poll Parent for data
AT+SN	Scan network for other nodes
AT+REMSN	Scan for remote device's direct neighbours
AT+LINKCHECK	Check link parameters with a neighbour
AT+PING	Indicate presence in the network
AT+BCAST	Transmit a broadcast
AT+BCASTB	Transmit a broadcast of binary data
AT+UCAST	Transmit a unicast
AT+UCASTB	Transmit a unicast of binary data
AT+SCAST	Transmit data to the Sink
AT+SCASTB	Transmit binary data to the sink
AT+SSINK	Search for a sink
AT+SINK	Display the local Node's sink
AT+OPCHAN	Opens a channel to a remote node
+++	Close channel
AT+OPLCHAN	Opens a limited channel to a remote node
AT+ACKCHAN	Accept channel
AT+RDATA	Send binary raw data
AT+IDENT	Play a tune on remote devboard

AT Commands

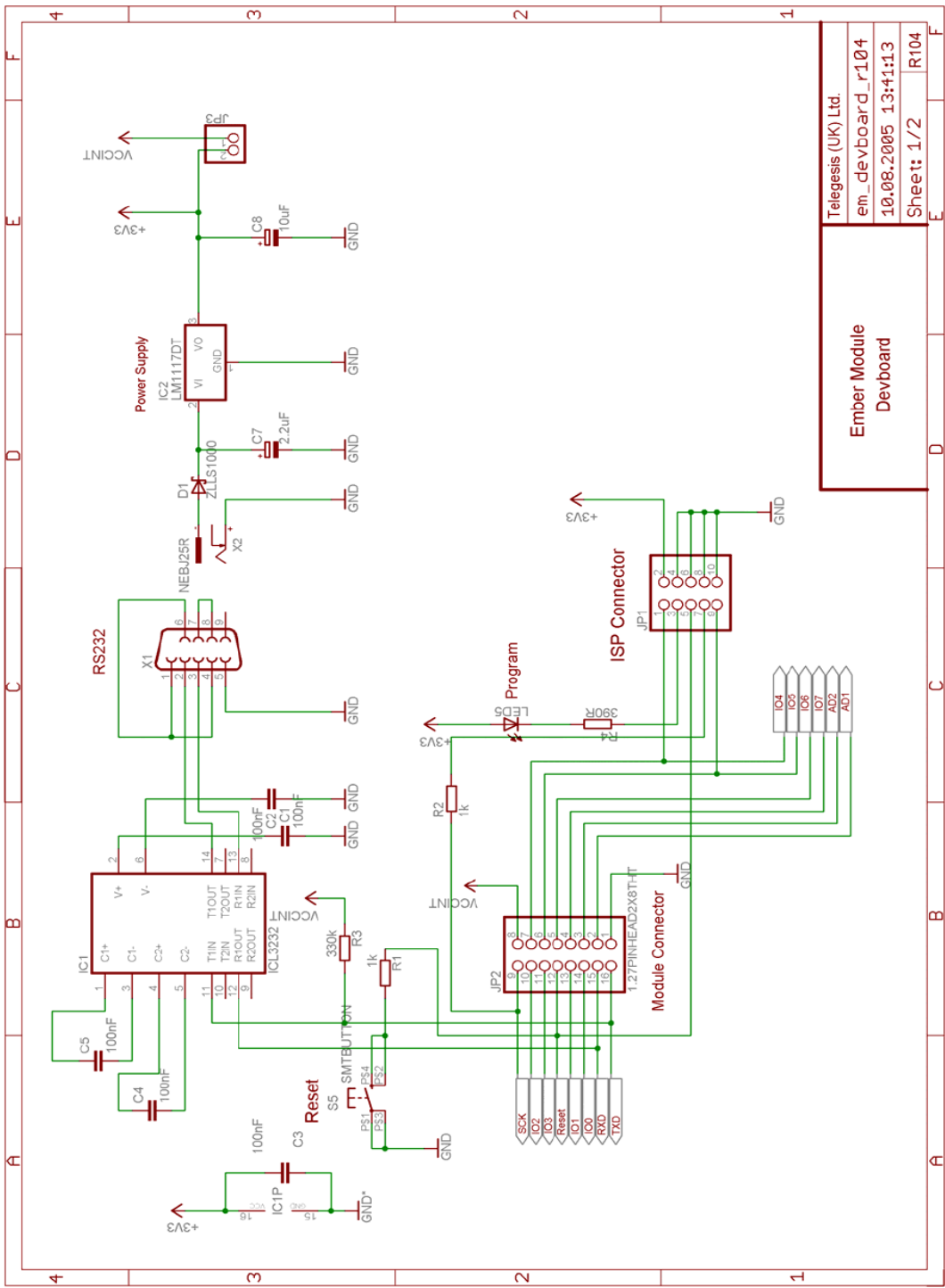
APPENDIX D

S-Register Overview		Local R/W	Remote R/W
S00	Channel Mask	(•/•)	(•/•)
S01	Preferred PAN ID	(•/•)	(•/•)
S02	Transmit Power Level	(•/•)	(•/•)
S03	Encryption key ¹	(-/•)	(-/•)
S04	User Definable name	(•/•)	(•/•)
S05	OEM Word ¹	(•/•)	(•/•)
S06	Main Function ¹	(•/•)	(•/•)
S07	Extended Function1	(•/•)	(•/•)
S08	Extended Function2	(•/•)	(•/•)
S09	Password ¹	(-/•)	(-/•)
S0A	Revision Number	(•/•)	(•/•)
S0B	UART Setup	(•/•)	(•/•)
S0C	ETRX2: Pull-up enable ETRX1: Reserved	(•/•)	(•/•)
S0D	Data Direction of I/O Port (DDR) (volatile)	(•/•)	(•/•)
S0E	Initial value of S0D	(•/•)	(•/•)
S0F	Output Buffer of I/O Port (PORT) (volatile)	(•/•)	(•/•)
S10	Initial value of S0F	(•/•)	(•/•)
S11	Input Buffer of I/O Port (PIN) (volatile)	(•/-)	(•/-)
S12	A/D1	(•/-)	(•/-)
S13	A/D2	(•/-)	(•/-)
S14	ETRX2: A/D3 (Reserved) ETRX1: Reserved	(•/-)	(•/-)
S15	Immediate functionality at IRQ0	(•/•)	(•/•)
S16	Immediate functionality at IRQ1	(•/•)	(•/•)
S17	Timer/Counter 0	(•/•)	(•/•)
S18	Functionality for Timer/Counter 0	(•/•)	(•/•)
S19	Timer/Counter 1	(•/•)	(•/•)
S1A	Functionality for Timer/Counter 1	(•/•)	(•/•)
S1B	Timer/Counter 2	(•/•)	(•/•)
S1C	Functionality for Timer/Counter 2	(•/•)	(•/•)
S1D	Timer/Counter 3	(•/•)	(•/•)
S1E	Functionality for Timer/Counter 3	(•/•)	(•/•)
S1F	Timer/Counter 4	(•/•)	(•/•)
S20	Functionality for Timer/Counter 4	(•/•)	(•/•)
S21	Timer/Counter 5	(•/•)	(•/•)
S22	Functionality for Timer/Counter 5	(•/•)	(•/•)
S23	Timer/Counter 6	(•/•)	(•/•)
S24	Functionality for Timer/Counter 6 (volatile)	(•/•)	(•/•)
S25	Initial Functionality for Timer/Counter 6	(•/•)	(•/•)
S26	Timer/Counter 7	(•/•)	(•/•)
S27	Functionality for Timer/Counter 7 (volatile)	(•/•)	(•/•)
S28	Initial Functionality for Timer/Counter 7	(•/•)	(•/•)
S29	Power mode (volatile)	(•/•)	(•/•)

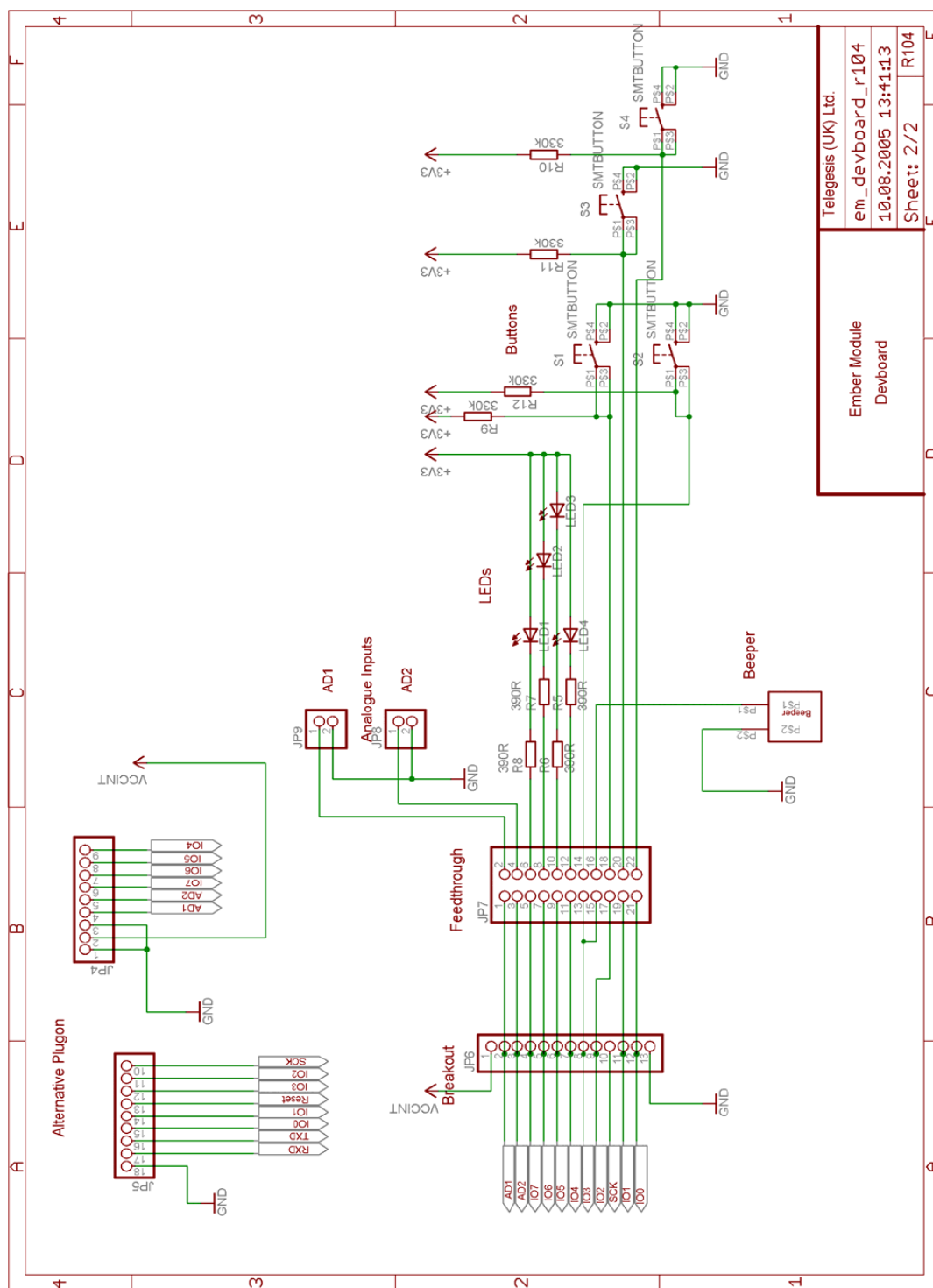
S2A	Initial Power Mode	(•/•)	(•/•)
S2B	Start-up Functionality Plaintext A	(•/•)	(•/•)
S2C	Start-up Functionality Plaintext B	(•/•)	(•/•)
S2D	Parent's EUI	(•/-)	(•/-)
S2E	Device Specific	(•/•)	(•/•)
S2F	Special Function Pin 1 (volatile)	(•/•)	(•/•)
S30	Initial value of S2F	(•/•)	(•/•)
S31	Special Function Pin 2 (volatile) (ETRX2 only)	(•/•)	(•/•)
S32	Initial value of S31 (ETRX2 only)	(•/•)	(•/•)
S33	Supply Voltage (ETRX2 only)	(•/-)	(•/-)

S-Registers

APPENDIX E

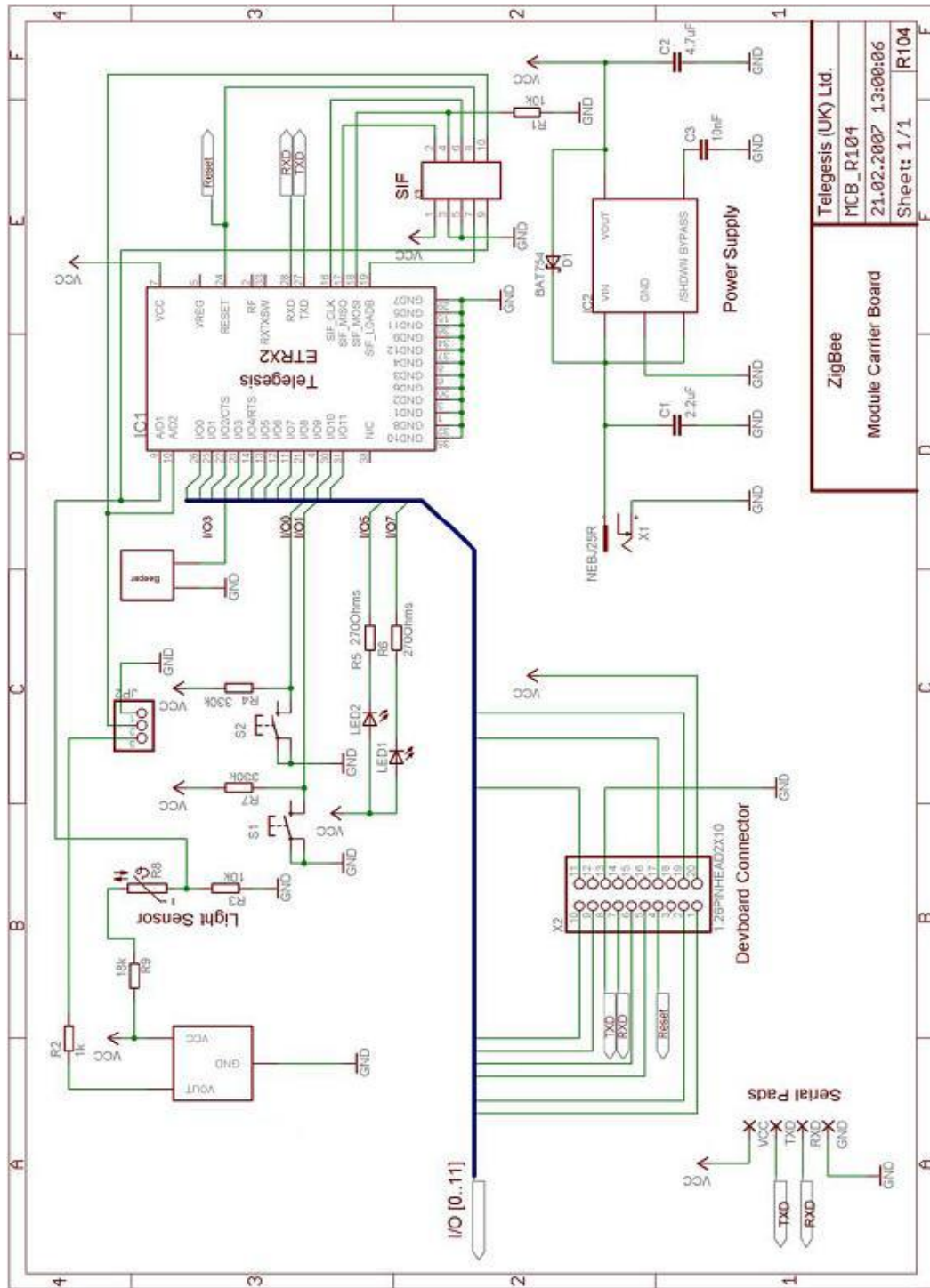


Development board schematic I



Development board schematic II

APPENDIX F



Module carrier board schematic