

# Small form factor SDR development platforms

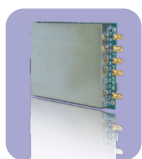
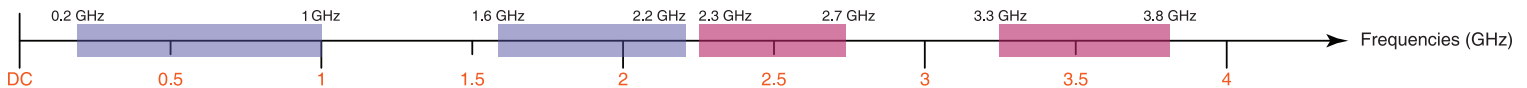
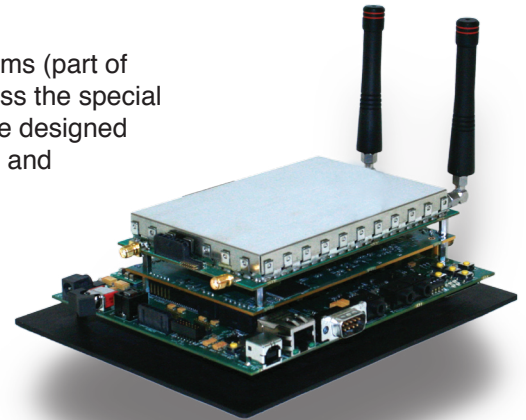
## Reference sheet

Lyrtech's small form factor (SFF) software-defined radio (SDR) development platforms (part of Lyrtech's advanced development solutions lineup) are especially designed to address the special SDR needs of the military, public safety, and commercial markets. Our platforms are designed as low-cost, off-the-shelf, integrated hardware and software development solutions, and pack some of the latest DSP and FPGA technology—our expertise.

### Applications

Modularity is one of the key benefits of the SFF SDR development platform. By combining available modules differently, you can target entirely different sets of applications in a snap. To make your life easier we offer eight bundles, targeting some of the more common application needs (note that all RF modules are tunable):

- Low band
- High band
- 2.5 GHz SISO WiMAX
- 3.5 GHz SISO WiMAX
- 2.5 GHz 2x2 MIMO WiMAX
- 3.5 GHz 2x2 MIMO WiMAX
- Cognitive low band
- Spectral analysis



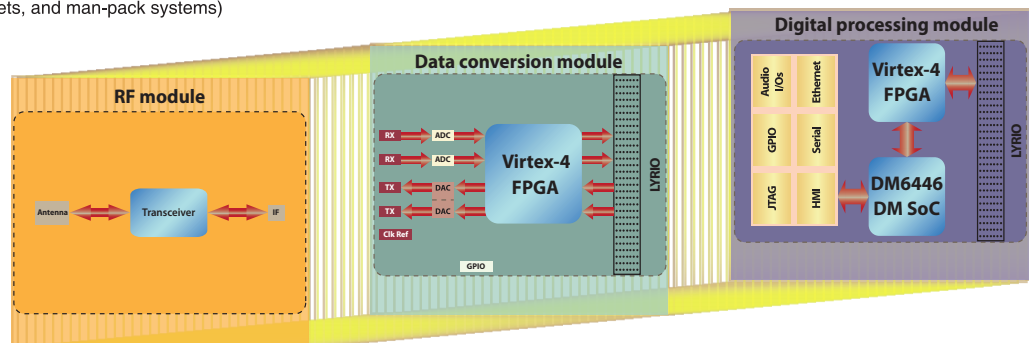
### Tunable low-band and high-band ADS

- Typically used for:
- GSM, GPRS, EDGE (femto and pico base stations)
  - Software-defined radio
  - Cognitive radio
  - Public safety applications (TETRA and APCO bands)
  - MILCOMs (gateways, handsets, and man-pack systems)
  - White-space devices
  - Mesh networks
  - Long-term evolution (LTE)



### MIMO/SISO WiMAX ADS

- Typically used for:
- WiMAX
  - Wi-Fi
  - Software-defined radio



- Tunable RF modules**  
(up to two modules—second module only capable of RX)
- Low-band range: 0.2–1.0 GHz
  - High-band range: 1.6–2.2 GHz
  - Software-selectable, 5 MHz or 20 MHz RX bandwidths
- WiMAX RF modules**  
(up to two modules)
- 2.5 GHz WiMAX range: 2.3–2.7 GHz
  - 3.5 GHz WiMAX range: 3.3–3.8 GHz
  - Software-selectable, 7 MHz or 22 MHz RX bandwidths

- ADACMaster III**
- Virtex-4 LX25 or SX35 FPGA
  - Two, 14-bit, 125 MSPS ADCs
  - Dual-channel, 16-bit, 500-MSPS interpolating DAC
  - Multiple clock sources
  - AC coupled

- SFF SDR evaluation module**
- TMS320DM6446 DP SoC
  - Virtex-4 SX35 FPGA
  - MSP430 MCU for power management
  - 128 MB DDR2 SDRAM
  - 128 MB NAND flash memory
  - Stereo audio codec (8 kHz to 48 kHz)
  - 10/100 Mbps Ethernet

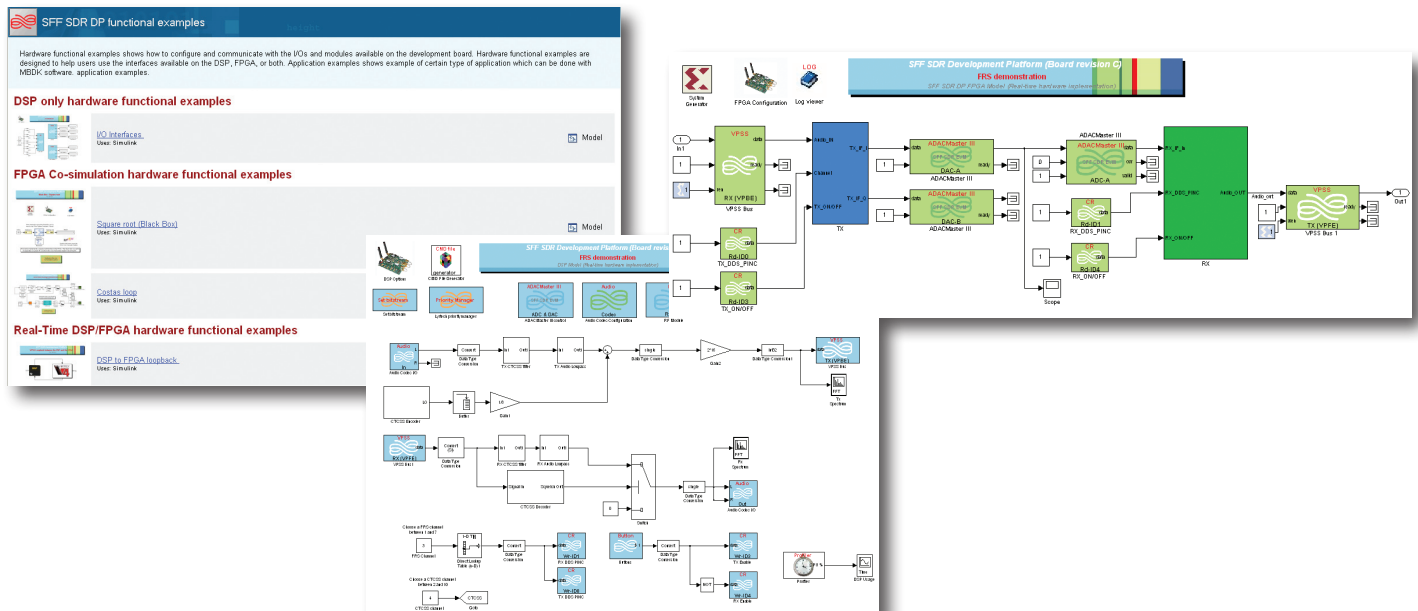
## Fully integrated solutions

SFF SDR development platforms integrate a complete array of tools and features, making them perfect for any type of SDR application:

- Embedded, independent power monitoring for each processor in the system
- Tools for real-time data exchanges with the host device CPU
- Seamless hardware and software integration from baseband to antennas
- Real-time and hardware-in-the-loop co-simulation capabilities
- General-purpose processor (GPP), DSP, and FPGA, which makes it easy to implement all protocol layers
- Capable of remote Ethernet access
- Supports many tunable and WiMAX RF modules (see table for details)
- Supports an optional, GPS-disciplined clock synchronization module for mutual boards synchronization or tight clock performance applications

## Seamless model-based design

Like most other Lyrtech products, SFF SDR development platforms are seamlessly integrated to the Simulink model-based design environment, making it simple to develop applications and control/validate the different features of their systems in a graphical environment, where programming specific processors is as easy as dragging IP blocks.



## SCA integration

The architecture of the platform is also entirely CORBA enabled (GPP, DSP, FPGA) and you can easily develop SCA-compliant waveforms with the SCARI core framework and SCARI tools from the CRC. (Note that the SCA option is only supported by the tunable, low-band RF module.)



Bundles		Features	Models
 <p><a href="#">SFF SDR evaluation module</a></p>	<p>SFF SDR evaluation module (x1)            ADACMaster III (x1)            Tunable, low-band RF module (x1)            FRS handset (x1)            Handset charger (x1)            FRS band antenna (x2)            Headset with microphone (x1)            MBDK license (x1)</p>	<p><b>Tunable low band</b></p> <p><b>SFF SDR evaluation module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA (x1)</li> <li>DM6446 DM SoC</li> <li>128 MB SDRAM and NAND flash memory</li> </ul> <p><b>ADACMaster III</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>125 MSPS, 14-bit ADC (x2)</li> <li>500 MSPS, 16-bit interpolating DAC (x2)</li> <li>LX25 Virtex-4 FPGA—AC coupled (x1)</li> </ul> <p><b>RF module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selectable bandwidths: 5 MHz or 20 MHz</li> <li>RF range: 0.2 GHz to 1 GHz</li> </ul>	LYR170-641
 <p><a href="#">ADACMaster III</a></p>	<p>SFF SDR evaluation module (x1)            ADACMaster III (x1)            Tunable, high-band RF module (x1)            Quadriband GSM antenna (x2)            MBDK license (x1)</p>	<p><b>Tunable high band</b></p> <p><b>SFF SDR evaluation module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA (x1)</li> <li>DM6446 DM SoC</li> <li>128 MB SDRAM and NAND flash memory</li> </ul> <p><b>ADACMaster III</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>125 MSPS, 14-bit ADC (x2)</li> <li>500 MSPS, 16-bit interpolating DAC (x2)</li> <li>LX25 Virtex-4 FPGA—AC coupled (x1)</li> </ul> <p><b>RF module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selectable bandwidths: 5 MHz or 20 MHz</li> <li>RF range: 1.6 GHz to 2.2 GHz</li> </ul>	LYR170-642
 <p><a href="#">Tunable, low/high-band RF module</a></p>	<p>SFF SDR evaluation module (x1)            ADACMaster III (x1)            2.5 GHz WiMAX RF module (SISO configuration) (x1)            2.5 GHz WiMAX antenna (x2)            MBDK license (x1)            ADACMaster III FPGA target MBDK license (x1)</p>	<p><b>2.5 GHz WiMAX</b></p> <p><b>SFF SDR evaluation module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA (x1)</li> <li>DM6446 DM SoC</li> <li>128 MB SDRAM and NAND flash memory</li> </ul> <p><b>ADACMaster III</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>125 MSPS, 14-bit ADC (x2)</li> <li>500 MSPS, 16-bit interpolating DAC (x2)</li> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA—AC coupled (x1)</li> </ul> <p><b>RF module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selectable bandwidths: 7 MHz or 22 MHz</li> <li>RF range: 2.3 GHz to 2.7 GHz</li> </ul>	LYR170-653
 <p><a href="#">2.5 GHz/3.5 GHz WiMAX RF module (SISO configuration)</a></p>	<p>SFF SDR evaluation module (x1)            ADACMaster III (x1)            3.5 GHz WiMAX RF module (SISO configuration) (x1)            3.5 GHz WiMAX antenna (x2)            MBDK license (x1)            ADACMaster III FPGA target MBDK license (x1)</p>	<p><b>3.5 GHz WiMAX</b></p> <p><b>SFF SDR evaluation module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA (x1)</li> <li>DM6446 DM SoC</li> <li>128 MB SDRAM and NAND flash memory</li> </ul> <p><b>ADACMaster III</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>125 MSPS, 14-bit ADC (x2)</li> <li>500 MSPS, 16-bit interpolating DAC (x2)</li> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA—AC coupled (x1)</li> </ul> <p><b>RF module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selectable bandwidths: 7 MHz or 22 MHz</li> <li>RF range: 3.3 GHz to 3.8 GHz</li> </ul>	LYR170-654
 <p><a href="#">2.5 GHz/3.5 GHz WiMAX RF module (2x2 MIMO/dual-band SISO configurations)</a></p>	<p>SFF SDR evaluation module (x1)            ADACMaster III (x1)            2.5 GHz WiMAX RF module (MIMO configuration) (x2)            2.5 GHz WiMAX antenna (x4)            Mini-ADACSync (x1)            MBDK license (x1)            ADACMaster III FPGA target MBDK license (x1)</p>	<p><b>2.5 GHz MIMO WiMAX</b></p> <p><b>SFF SDR evaluation module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA (x1)</li> <li>DM6446 DM SoC</li> <li>128 MB SDRAM and NAND flash memory</li> </ul> <p><b>ADACMaster III</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>125 MSPS, 14-bit ADC (x2)</li> <li>500 MSPS, 16-bit interpolating DAC (x2)</li> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA—AC coupled (x1)</li> </ul> <p><b>RF modules</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selectable bandwidths: 7 MHz or 22 MHz</li> <li>RF range: 2.3 GHz to 2.7 GHz</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini-ADACSync</b></p> <p>Precision, low-jitter clock generator (with GPS time base)            Enables complete system synchronization from baseband to RF</p>	LSP000-653
 <p>FRS handset</p>	<p>SFF SDR evaluation module (x1)            ADACMaster III (x1)            2.5 GHz WiMAX RF module (MIMO configuration) (x2)            2.5 GHz WiMAX antenna (x4)            Mini-ADACSync (x1)            MBDK license (x1)            ADACMaster III FPGA target MBDK license (x1)</p>	<p><b>2.5 GHz MIMO WiMAX</b></p> <p><b>SFF SDR evaluation module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA (x1)</li> <li>DM6446 DM SoC</li> <li>128 MB SDRAM and NAND flash memory</li> </ul> <p><b>ADACMaster III</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>125 MSPS, 14-bit ADC (x2)</li> <li>500 MSPS, 16-bit interpolating DAC (x2)</li> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA—AC coupled (x1)</li> </ul> <p><b>RF modules</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selectable bandwidths: 7 MHz or 22 MHz</li> <li>RF range: 2.3 GHz to 2.7 GHz</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini-ADACSync</b></p> <p>Precision, low-jitter clock generator (with GPS time base)            Enables complete system synchronization from baseband to RF</p>	LSP000-653
 <p>Headset with microphone</p>	<p>SFF SDR evaluation module (x1)            ADACMaster III (x1)            3.5 GHz WiMAX RF module (MIMO configuration) (x2)            3.5 GHz WiMAX antenna (x4)            Mini-ADACSync (x1)            MBDK license (x1)            ADACMaster III FPGA target MBDK license (x1)</p>	<p><b>3.5 GHz MIMO WiMAX</b></p> <p><b>SFF SDR evaluation module</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA (x1)</li> <li>DM6446 DM SoC</li> <li>128 MB SDRAM and NAND flash memory</li> </ul> <p><b>ADACMaster III</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>125 MSPS, 14-bit ADC (x2)</li> <li>500 MSPS, 16-bit interpolating DAC (x2)</li> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA—AC coupled (x1)</li> </ul> <p><b>RF modules</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selectable bandwidths: 7 MHz or 22 MHz</li> <li>RF range: 3.3 GHz to 3.8 GHz</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini-ADACSync</b></p> <p>Precision, low-jitter clock generator (with GPS time base)            Enables complete system synchronization from baseband to RF</p>	LSP000-654

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SFF SDR evaluation module (x1) ADACMaster III (x1) Tunable, low-band RF module (x1) Tunable, high-band RF module (x1) FRS handset (x1) Handset charger (x1) FRS band antenna (x4) Headset with microphone (x1) MBDK license (x1) ADACMaster III FPGA target MBDK license (x1)	<b>Spectral analysis</b> <b>SFF SDR evaluation module</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA (x1)</li> <li>DM6446 DM SoC</li> <li>128 MB SDRAM and NAND flash memory</li> </ul> <b>ADACMaster III</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>125 MSPS, 14-bit ADC (x2)</li> <li>500 MSPS, 16-bit interpolating DAC (x2)</li> <li>SX35 Virtex-4 FPGA—AC coupled (x1)</li> </ul> <b>Low-band RF module</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selectable bandwidths: 5 MHz or 20 MHz</li> <li>RF range: 0.2 GHz to 1 GHz</li> </ul> <b>High-band RF module</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selectable bandwidths: 5 MHz or 20 MHz</li> <li>RF range: 1.6 GHz to 2.2 GHz</li> </ul> <p>※ <b>The high-band RF module is only capable of RX. This gives you one, full-duplex, RX/TX channel and another RX channel for spectral analysis.</b></p>	LSP000-659

## Options

Components	Features	Models
ADACMaster III	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>125-MSPS, 14-bit ADC (x2)</li> <li>500-MSPS, 16-bit, interpolating DAC (x2)</li> </ul>	LX25 FPGA—AC coupled LSP151-601 LX25 FPGA—DC coupled LSP151-602 SX35 FPGA—AC coupled LSP151-611 SX35 FPGA—DC coupled LSP151-612
ADACMaster III FPGA target MBDK license	Allows you to target the ADACMaster III's FPGA with MBDK blocks	LSP151-811
Tunable, low-band RF module ※ <b>Add an RF module to your ADS (with limited RX functionality) for cognitive radio applications, giving you one full-duplex, RX/TX channel and another RX channel for spectral analysis.</b>	0.2–1.0 GHz range	LYR173-611
Tunable, high-band RF module ※ <b>Add an RF module to your ADS (with limited RX functionality) for cognitive radio applications, giving you one full-duplex, RX/TX channel and another RX channel for spectral analysis.</b>	1.6–2.2 GHz range	LYR173-612
2.5-GHz WiMAX RF module ※ <b>Add an RF module to your ADS for 2x2 MIMO or 2.5–3.5 GHz dual-band applications.</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Narrowband: 2.3–2.5 GHz range</li> <li>Wideband: 2.3–2.7 GHz range</li> </ul>	LSP154-631
3.5-GHz WiMAX RF module ※ <b>Add an RF module to your ADS for 2x2 MIMO or 2.5–3.5 GHz dual-band applications.</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Narrowband: 3.4–3.6 GHz range</li> <li>Wideband: 3.3–3.8 GHz range</li> </ul>	LSP154-633
Mini-ADACSync	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Four output reference clocks derived from reference clock</li> <li>Possibility of external or onboard reference clock</li> <li>High-precision GPS reference clock mode</li> </ul>	LSP160-602

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