Security PUFfins Overview Presentation

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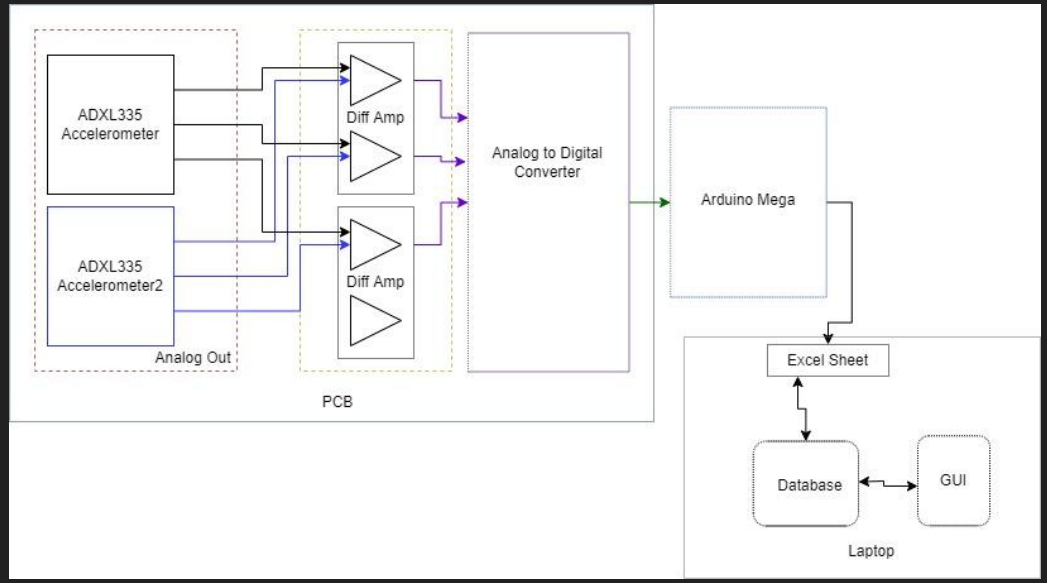
Overview

- Create four individual Physically Unclonable Functions(PUFs) from four individual circuits using sensor pairs of:
  - Accelerometers
  - Magnetometers
  - Gyroscopes
  - Current Sensors
- Amplify the difference between sensor pair readings due to their natural manufacturing differences
- Amplifying the changes creates a PUF as the difference is specific to the pair of sensors creating a sort of security code that tracks what value difference should be expected for the pair.

Project design

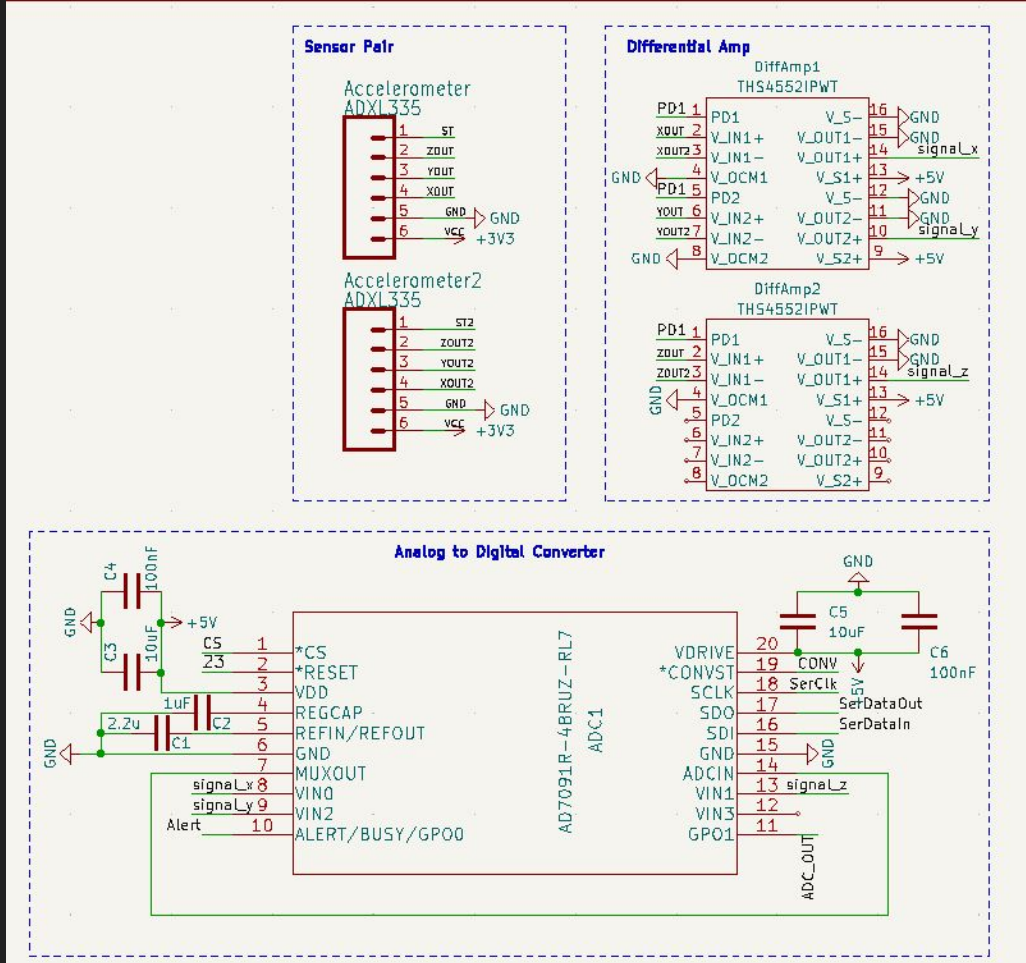


- Have arduino mega power, control and send/receive data for circuit
- Send data to excel file to be imported into database
- Create graphic user interface to implement and display data without using database

Previous Work

PCB Circuit Design

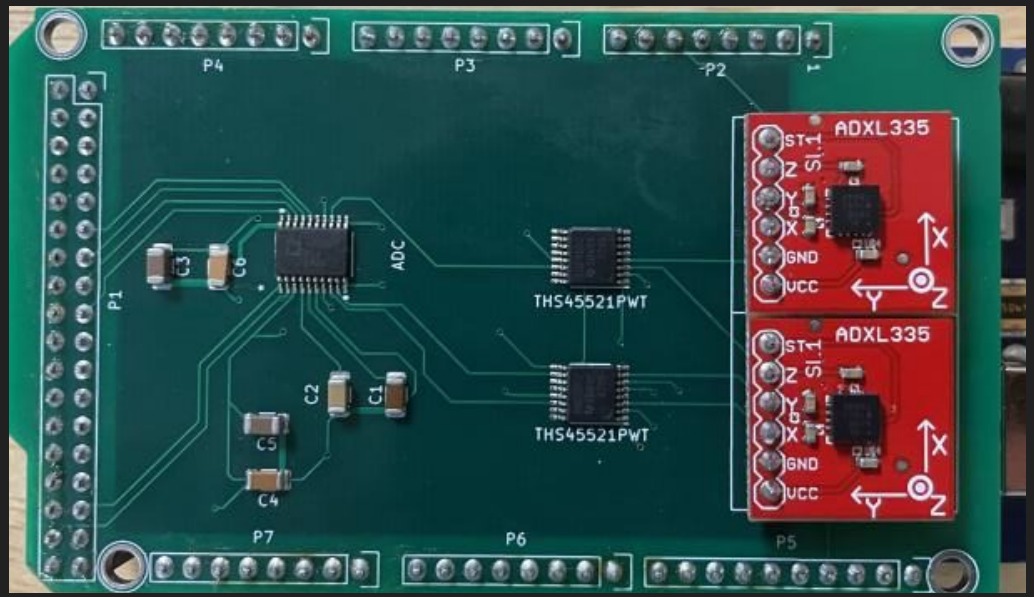
- The accelerometer is supplied 3.3 V
- X,Y, and Z out from sensor 1 and 2 are connected into Diff Amp inputs
- 5V supply is routed to the Diff Amps and ADC
- Enables for the Diff Amps are connected together into one toggle
- ADC outs are passed into the Arduino Mega
- All capacitors stabilize the supply voltage to the ADC



Circuit Design

- Arduino reads values and processes them
- Outputs a Security PUF to computer
- Arduino connected to PCB via female-male header pins noise control
- Through testing it was found that the Arduino 5V supply was not reliable enough for the entire PCB

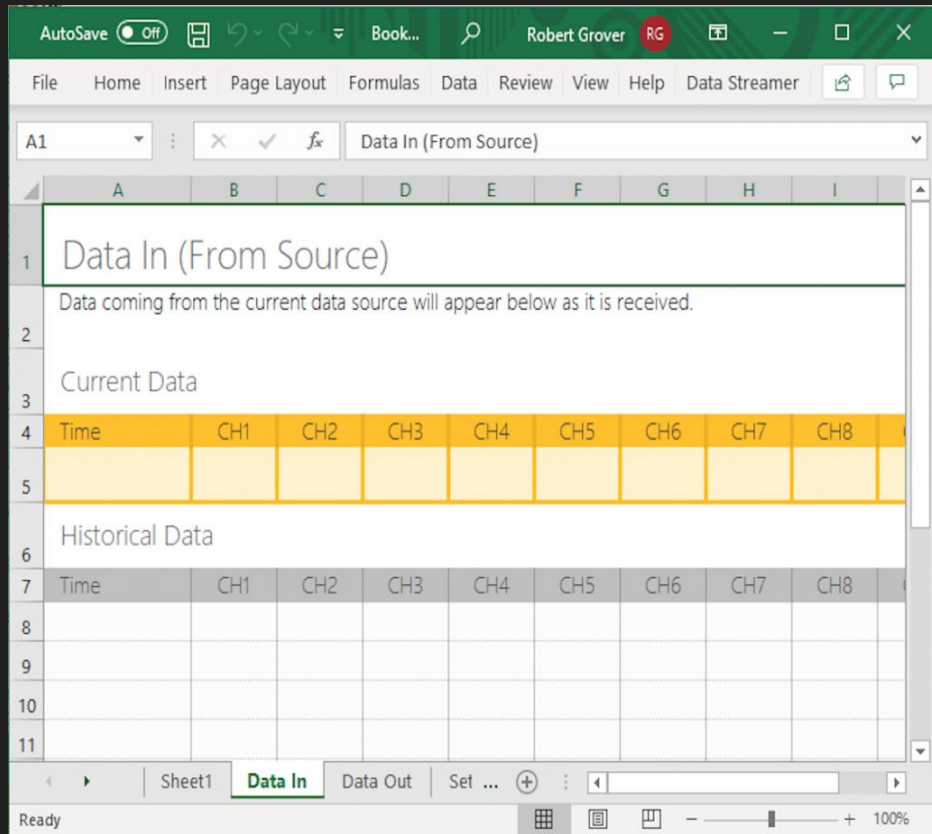
Our Printed Circuit



Arduino Code and Output

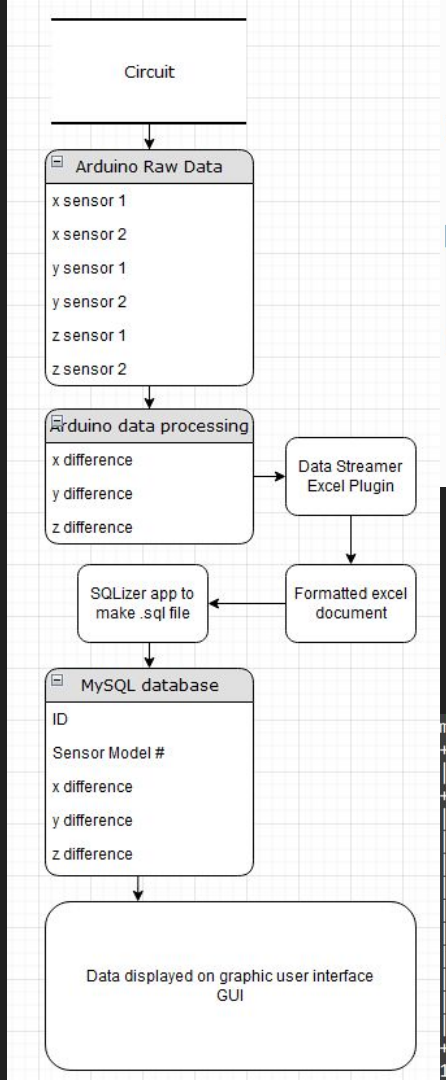
- Arduino code is simple for readability
- Uses one pin for power, ground, and 6 pins for reading analog input
- PUF is created by taking difference of two, same axis readings
- Outputs to serial monitor and to data streamer for excel
- Formatted excel spreadsheet for input of data to database

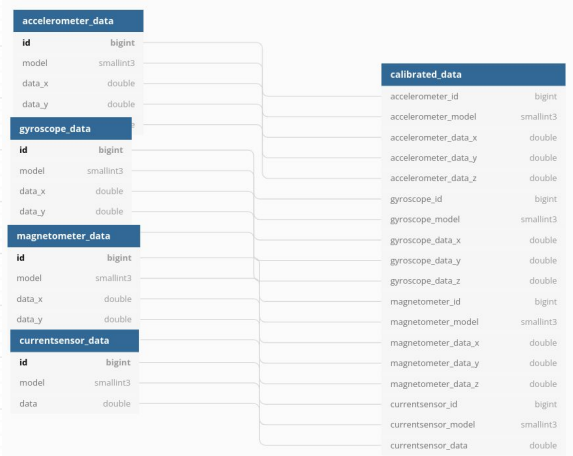
Data Streamer example



Database

- Originally used MySQL database using C++ connector, though licensing changed
- Instead using Microsoft SQL server 2019
- Export data from arduino to excel sheet to import into database
- Check data, go through the calibration process, and union to calibrated data
- Support for large datasets built into functionality





MySQL Schema

Example of data in database

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mysql> SELECT * FROM accelerometer_data;
+----+-------+-----------+-----------+-----------+
| id | model | data_x    | data_y    | data_z    |
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|  1 |   111 | 1.34532345 | 2.67524985 | 3.95663321 |
|  2 |   111 | 1.34533355 | 2.67524912 | 3.95663311 |
|  3 |   111 | 1.34532446 | 2.67524934 | 3.95663328 |
|  4 |   111 | 1.34535348 |  2.6752499 | 3.95663395 |
|  5 |   111 | 1.34532349 | 2.67524936 | 3.95663376 |
|  6 |   111 | 1.34532385 | 2.67524955 | 3.95663345 |
|  7 |   111 | 1.34532376 | 2.67524988 | 3.95663332 |
|  8 |   111 | 1.34532354 | 2.67524973 | 3.95663372 |
|  9 |   111 | 1.34532321 | 2.67524922 | 3.95663329 |
| 10 |   111 | 1.34532311 | 2.67524969 | 3.95663339 |
+----+-------+-----------+-----------+-----------+
10 rows in set (0.00 sec)
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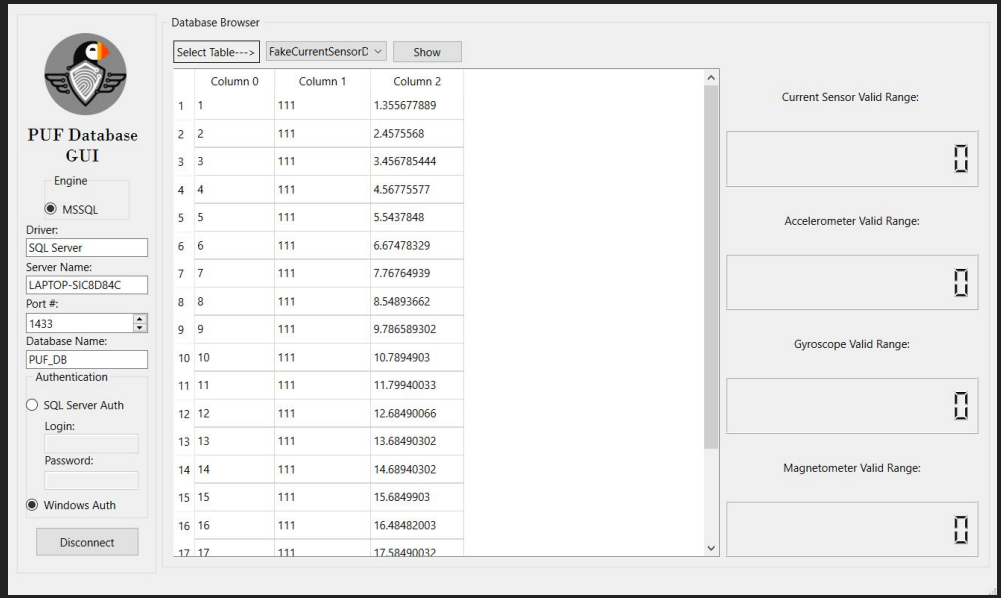
Graphic User Interface(GUI)

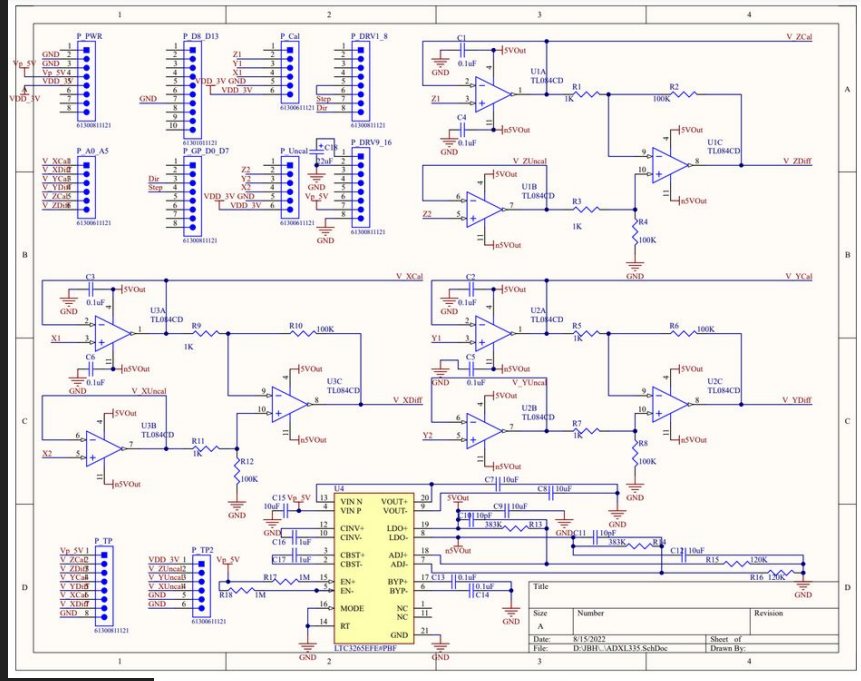
- Originally created GUI using C++ gtkmm and gtkmm-plot libraries
- Due to QT6 being available under special terms for the project, switched backend
- Easy access to at least last 100 data points of calibrated data for each sensor in table form
- Fetch data to find statistics
- Have no reason to access database manually besides adding and removing data

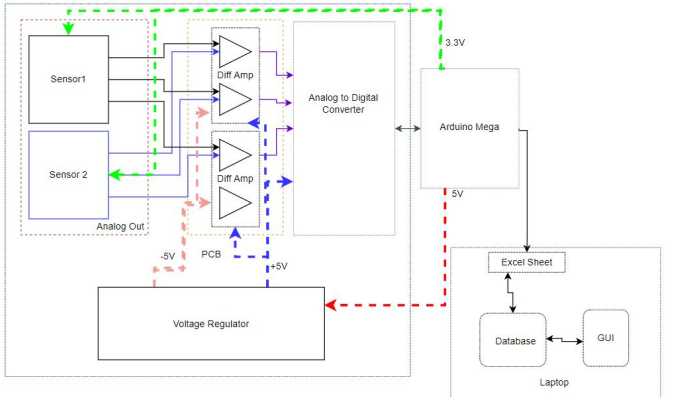


What needs to be done

Circuit

- Redesign schematic
  - Modify the voltage regulator to supply ±5V
  - Rewire for on board motor driver
  - Modify to account for ADC
- Fabricate Boards
- Test board and ensure proper values
- Create the other PCBs for different sensors





Arduino

- With new schematic, pin I/O needs to be redone and reassigned.
- Program ADC timing with conversion start and data output
- Fully automate process with stepper motors
- Program motor driver for stepper motors

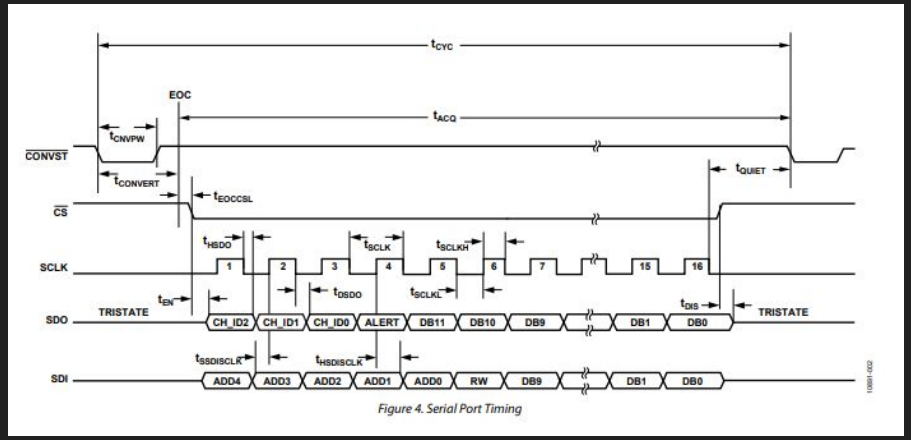


Figure 4. Serial Port Timing

Database

- Continue learning how Microsoft SQL Server works
- Ensure schema from mySQL translates to MSSQL correctly
- Learn the easiest way to implement data insertion from excel
- Get computer/laptop to run Database server locally instead of on my personal machine

Graphic User Interface

- Clean up database connection code
- Implement accepted sensor values functions by pulling database values into array
- Make sure C++ still complies after bug testing
- Write documentation so others can use it easily

Thank you for your time

Any Questions?