

ODR-mmbTools – Open-Source Software-Defined DAB+ Transmitter

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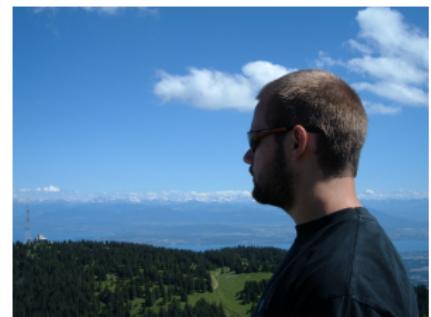
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Contents

- ODR-DabMux
- ODR-DabMod
- fdk-aac-dabplus
- toolame-dab
- Scripts, examples, monitoring, documentation

Everything on <http://opendigitalradio.org> and GitHub.

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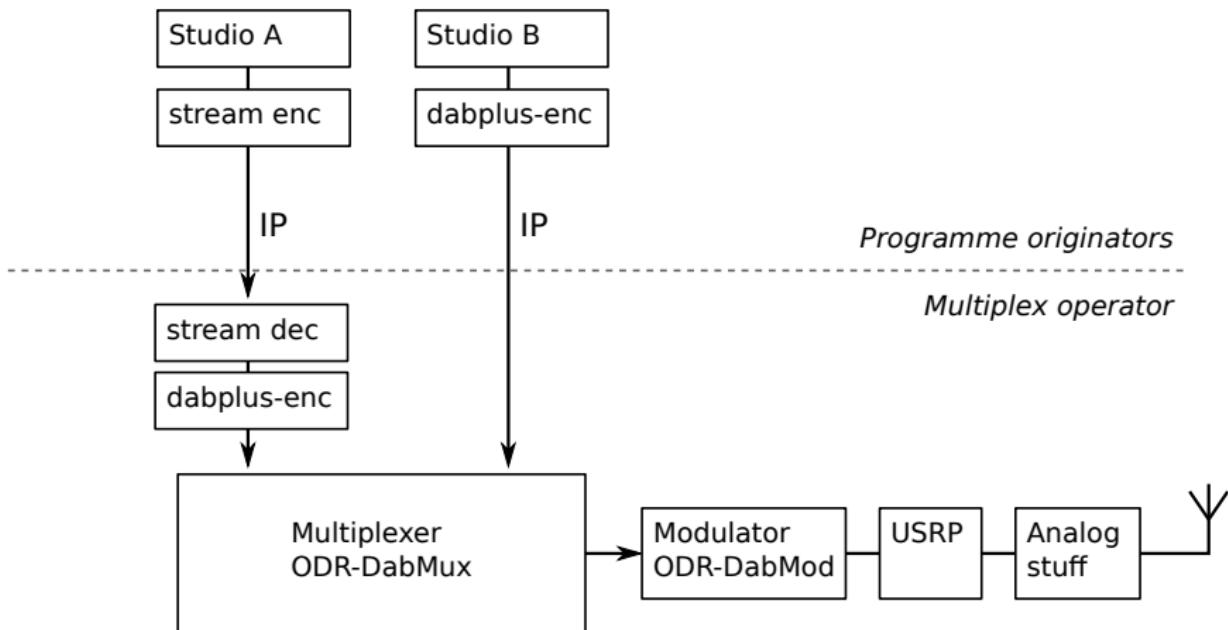
History

It all started at Communications Research Centre Canada

- 2002 First DAB developments at CRC
- 2009 CRC-DABMUX open-source
 - Availability of CRC-DABPLUS encoder
- 2010 CRC-DABMOD open-source
- 2012 Tools used in production in DK
 - mpb mmbtools-SFN development
- 2013 fdk-aac goes open-source
- 2014 MOT Slideshow by CSP.it
 - CRC involvement stops, development taken over by ODR

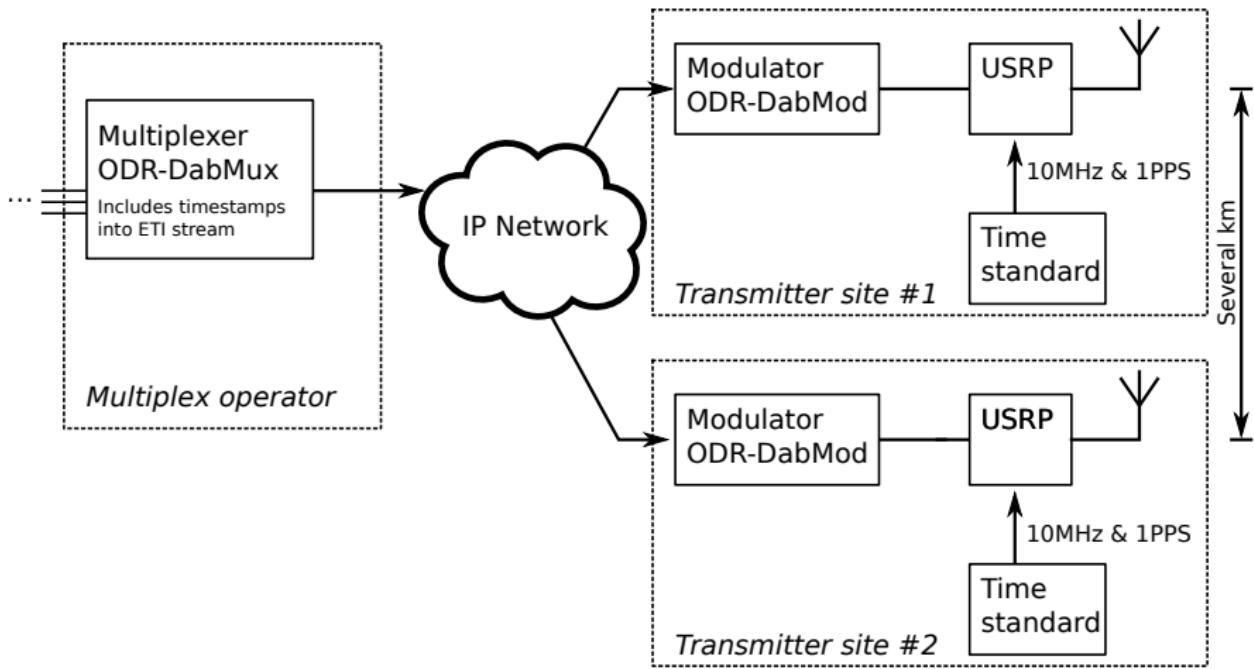
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Single Transmitter



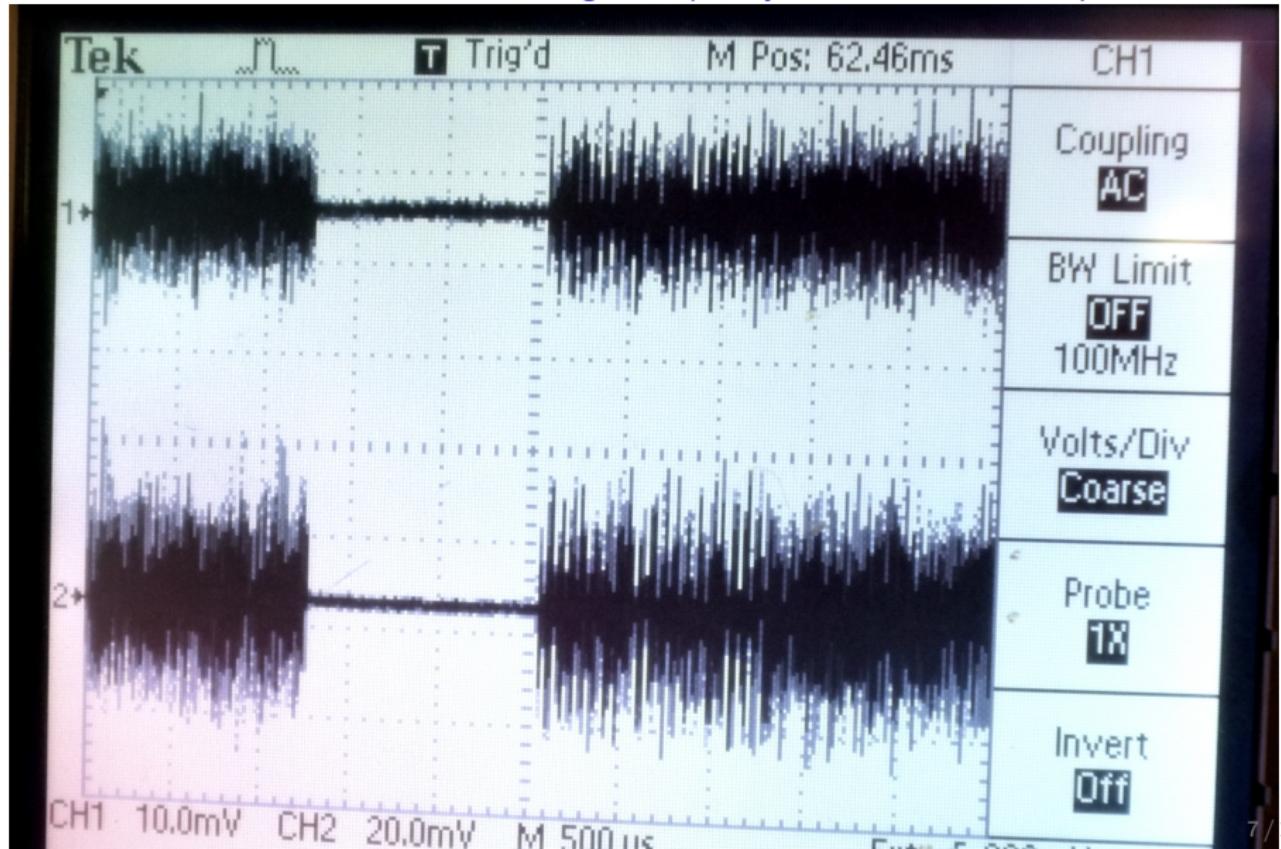
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Single-Frequency Network



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Single-Frequency Network on the Scope



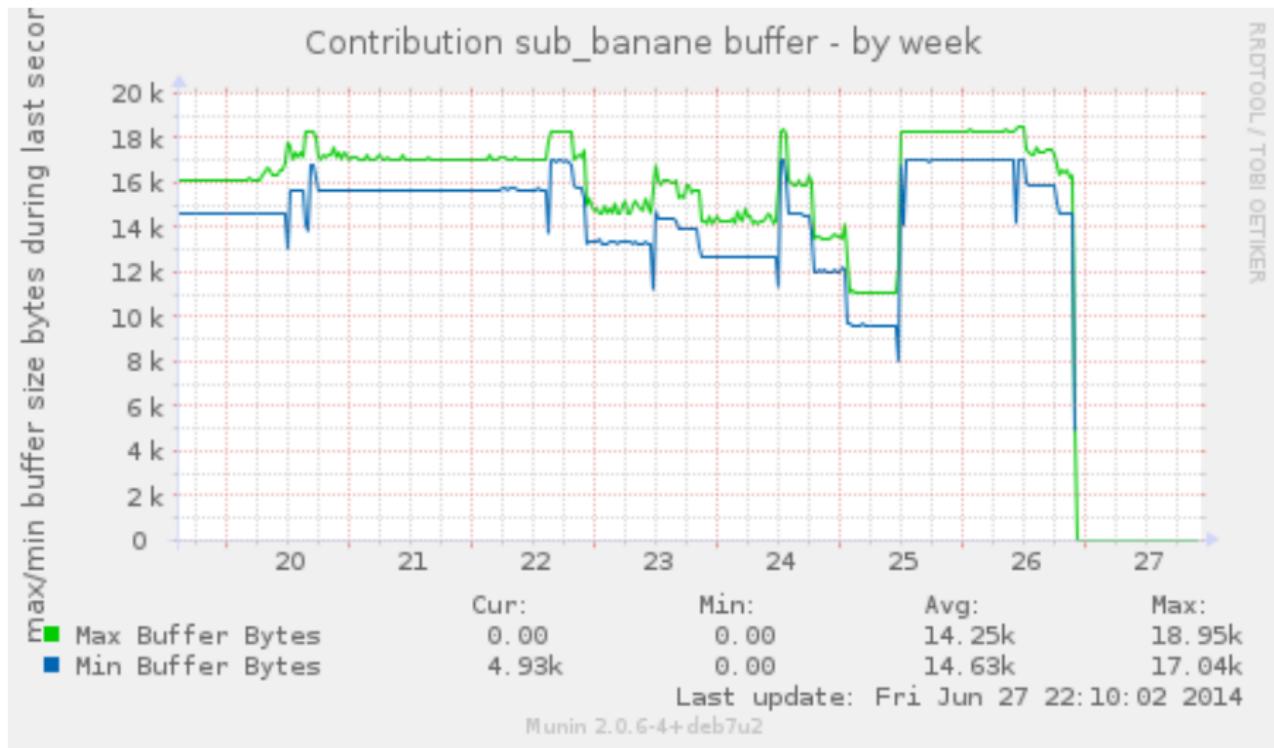
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Monitoring

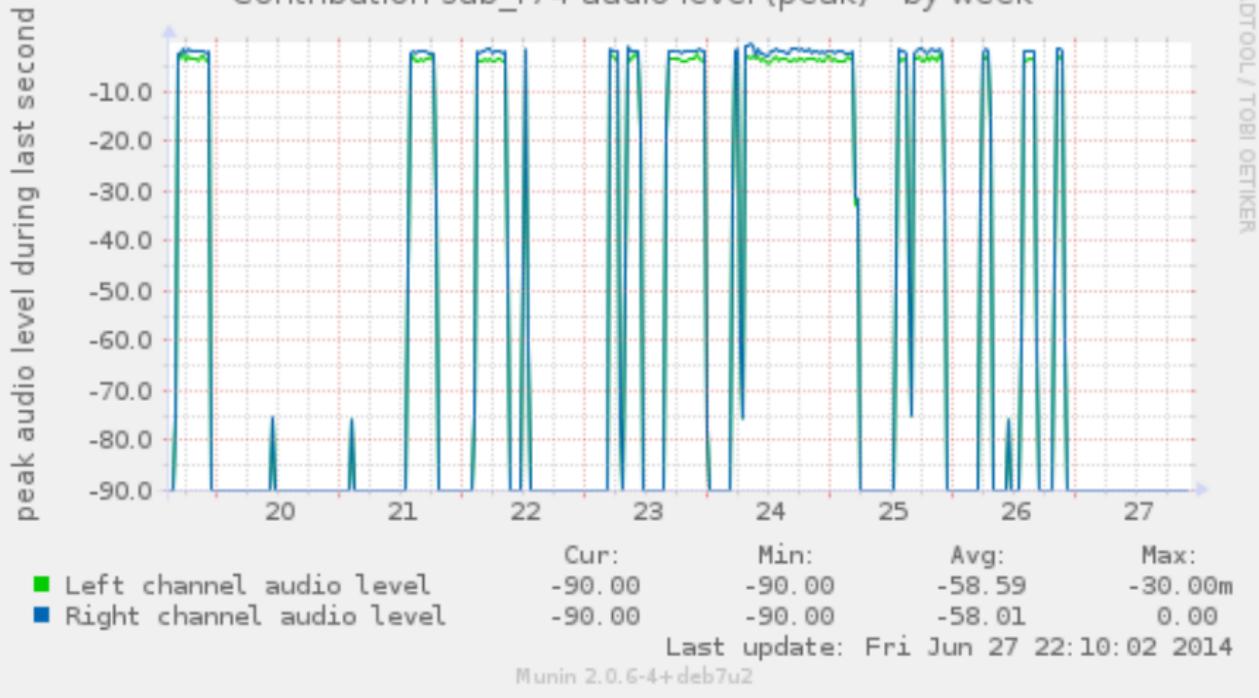
Buffers



Monitoring

Encoder Audio Level

Contribution sub_r74 audio level (peak) - by week



Monitoring

Visualising Encoder State

Statistics for ODR-DabMux running on 'tes'

seal	pumpkin	wolf	ponies
 	 		
penguins	orca	orange	herring
		 No Data	

Conclusions

Ongoing development

More robustness

More features

Development community starts to develop

Questions ?

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