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The Competence in Digital Radio Systems

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- More than 70% raised through contract research





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- Representations in Europe, Asia and USA



Fraunhofer IIS

- Founded: 1985
- Locations: Erlangen, Fürth, Nuremberg, Dresden
- Staff: more than 750
- Budget: approx. 95 Mio Euro
- Revenue sources:
 - > 75% income from projects
 - < 25% public funding

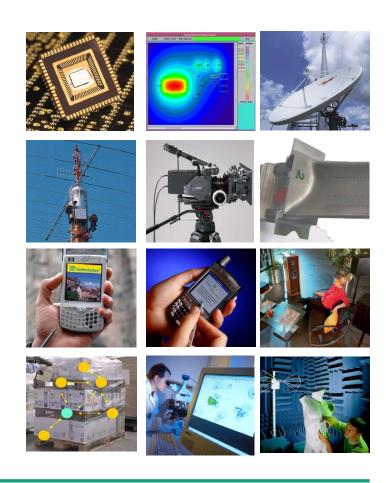


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Business Fields

- IC design and design automation
- Digital broadcasting systems
- Communications networks
- Imaging systems and quality assurance
- Navigation and robotics
- Embedded systems
- Audio and multimedia
- Logistics
- Medical engineering



Contributions to Digital Broadcasting Systems



Digital Radio

EUREKA 147 DAB



WorldSpace

WorldSpace



Digital Radio Mondiale DRM

DRM



XM Satellite Radio

XM Radio



Sirius Satellite Radio

Sirius



Ku-Mobile (12 GHz Band)

DVB

Ku-Mobile

DVB-T / DVB-H / DVB-SH

1995 2000

2005

2010

Contributions to Digital Broadcasting Systems

Contributions

- Committee and standardization work
 - DRM, WorldDMB, TISA, ETSI, ...
- Development of fundamental technology
 - Channel Coding
 - Audio codecs
 - Data services
- Implementations
 - on transmitter and receiver side
- Tests and Demos
- Consulting
- Licensing





Contributions to the DRM transmission chain



DRM ContentServer technologies



- DRM30/DRM+ audio encoding
- Multimedia and data service management
- DRM multiplex Generation
- Redundancy group feature
- Cross audio redundancy



Integrated in products from

- Ampegon
- Transradio Sendersysteme Berllin
- RFMondial
- Nautel, ...

Audio Codecs: DRM

- HE-AAC v2 for DRM30 and DAB+
- xHE-AAC, the enhanced audio codec adopted by DRM
- Optimizations for a wide variety of platforms available
- Optional MPEG Surround decoding

The Competence in digital radio systems Journaline – Data service for hybrid radio



- Teletext for Digital Radio
 - Hierarchically categorized text information
 - Including menus, text pages, tables, images
- Push & store service
 - Simple to generate from existing content e.g. automatically via RSS feed or XML files
 - Optimized for very low bitrate, e.g. 200 bps
 - Text-to-Speech for in-car use or disabled users
 - May include geo-referencing information
- Linkage to other applications
 - Internet-Websites, Navigation system
 - Telephone link, SMS

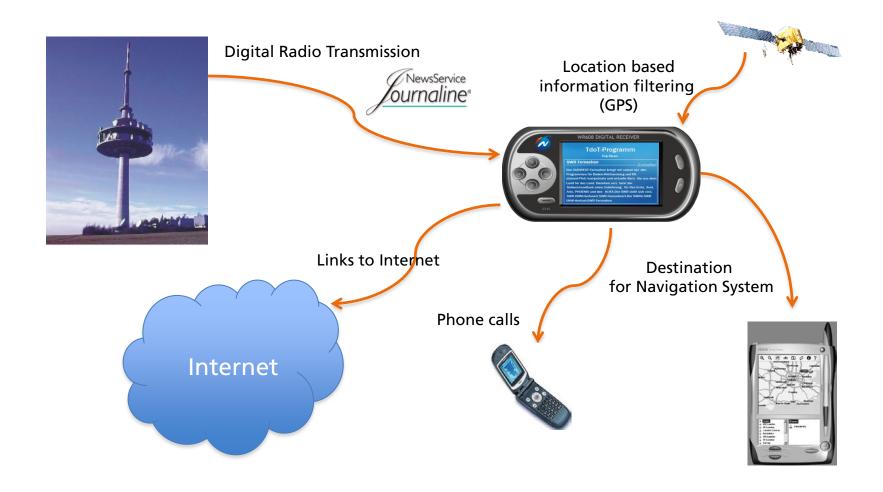








Journaline - Data service for hybrid radio



Journaline – in commercial receivers







UniWave Di-Wave 100

Graphic by www.universalradio.com/catalog/portable/0023.html





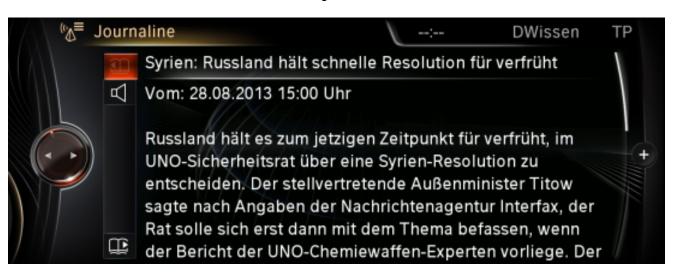


First HD Radio Receiver – JVC KW-NT3HDT

Journaline – In-Car Radio

- Standard feature in BMW's DAB radio sets
- starting 2013-07
- Support for Journaline text-to-speech output, Hot-Button interactivity





worlddabeureka.org/2013/09/05/bmw-a-car-manufacturers-view-on-digital-radio-in-car/



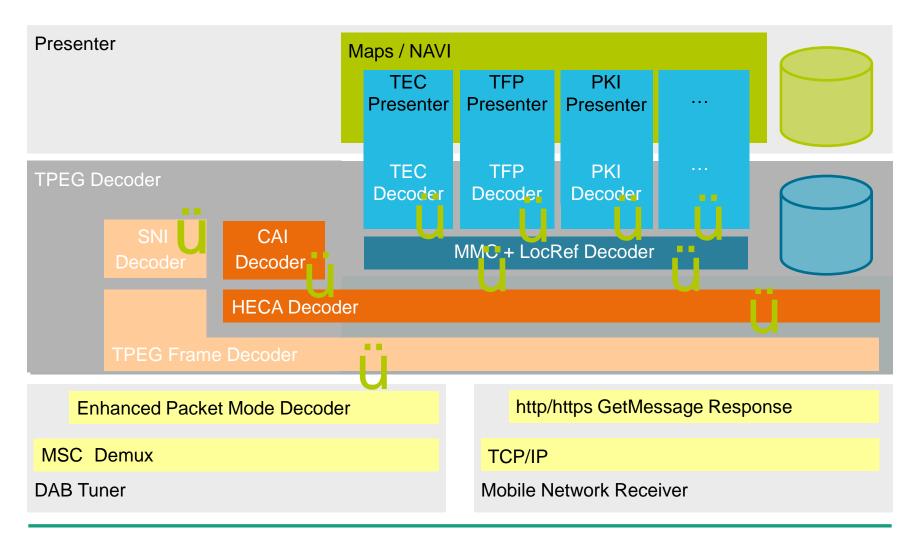
Fraunhofer MultimediaPlayer



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- Playback of DAB and DRM Content
 - Audio: DAB Classic, DAB+, DRM30, DRM+, Recording Feature, (MPEG Surround)
 - Data: DL+, Journaline, (Cat.) SlideShow, TPEG, BroadcastWebsite, IntelliText, (EPG)
- Simple and easy to modify HTML user interface
- Remote control via HTML
- Platform independent Framework:
 Windows, Mac, Unix, Maemo, Android
 (soon: Windows Phone/Metro, possibly iOS)
- Different Input Possibilities
 - Monitoring of DAB/DRM ContentServer
 - NOXON DAB Stick+FunCube for Live Reception

The Competence in digital radio systems TPEG Decoder for embedded architectures



The Competence in digital radio systems DRM30 / DRM+ Receiver Kit

Baseband Decoding:

- Fraunhofer IIS provides its DRM30 / DRM+ software solution
- Full range of DRM30 / DRM+ feature set, fully compliant with ETSI ES 201 980, the basic feature set includes baseband processing as well as high quality audio and data decoding.
- 4,5 kHz, 5 kHz, 9 kHz, 10 kHz, 18 kHz, 20 kHz bandwidth (Mode A-D)
- 96 kHz (Mode E)

Service Layer Decoding:

- De-Multiplexer, Signalling Decoder
- Audio Decoder
- Data Service Decoders (TM/DL+, Journaline, SLS, EPG, TPEG, etc.)

DRM30 / DRM+ Receiver Kit (Baseband)

DRM Channel decoder

DRM LW, SW and MW, VHF

Automatic Mode Detection for DRM mode A-E

Fully compliant with

ETSI ES 201 980

Decoding of full Multiplex

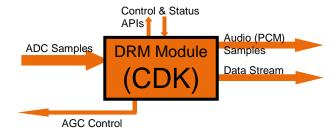
Fast Synchronization and Channel Switching

48, 24 or 12 kSamples complex input signal (DRM30)

Frontend independent

- BB AGC included, FE AGC to be adopted
- Internal Channel Estimation

Optional IF Samplerate Converter



The Competence in digital radio systems DRM Transmitter tower in Erlangen/Tennenlohe

- Experimental DRM Transmitter
 - License from Bundesnetzagentur
 - 15,785 MHz (new!)
 - ground plane
 - Transmission power 100W DRM
 - Hight: 54m (301m above see level)
- Testbed for Fraunhofer research activities
 - Reconfigurations
 - New Services
 - Compliance testing





Contributions to the DRM transmission chain

