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Design and Prototype a Wireless

Communication System

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Why?

System Description

Modem: Design and Simulation

Modem: Integration and Verification







180,000 **employees**



80,000 R&D employees



Operates in 170+ countries/regions



15 R&D centers



R&D investment over the past decade

US\$46.1 bn



on the Fortune Global 500 list







 Keep investing 10%+ of annual revenue in R&D, making Huawei more competitive, pushing the industry forward, and driving technological advances.



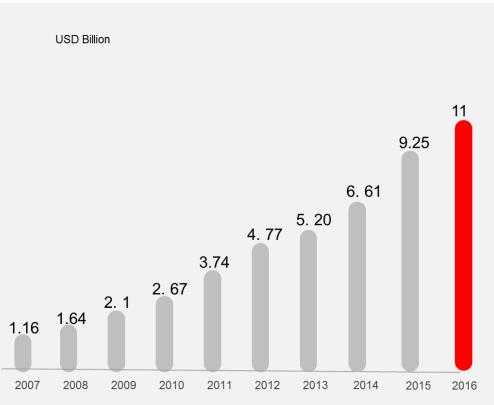
 Total R&D investment over the past decade: over CNY76.3 billion, equivalent to US\$11 billion



 Annual R&D investment for the future: U\$\$10–20 billion



 Increase investment in basic research, exploring the technological architecture of the future intelligent world



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☐ High level system analysis

- ✓ Evaluation of:
 - different architectural solutions
 - system performance

□ Algorithms

- ✓ Design
- ✓ Test
- ✓ Reuse

System prototyping

- ✓ Construction of test environments
- ✓ Validation of:
 - System architecture
 - Algorithms

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TX+RX I&O

Go&Run



■ Multi-User System Communication

Real-Time DSP

Algorithms

Sampling



algorithms

Access Point

- 4 x up-converters
- 4 x down-converters
- BB interface
- · Phased-Array Antenna

□ Technological challanges

- ✓ Generation up to 5 l&Q (In-phase & Quadrature) couples:
 - 16 x DAC (Digital to Analog Converter): TX
 - 16 x ADC (Analog to Digital Converter): RX
- ✓ Signal Bandwidth >1 GHz
 - >40 GS/s
- ✓ Real-Time Operation
 - Algorithms for 8 Modem
- ✓ Control of 240+ digital lines
 - SPI (Serial Peripheral Interface)

Remote Terminal #4

- 1(2) x up-converters
- 1(2) x down-converters
- Base-Band interface
- Phased-Array Antenna

Remote Terminal #3

- 1(2) x up-converters
- 1(2) x down-converters
- Base-Band interface
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Remote Terminal #2

- 1(2) x up-converters
- 1(2) x down-converters
- Base-Band interface
- Phased-Array Antenna

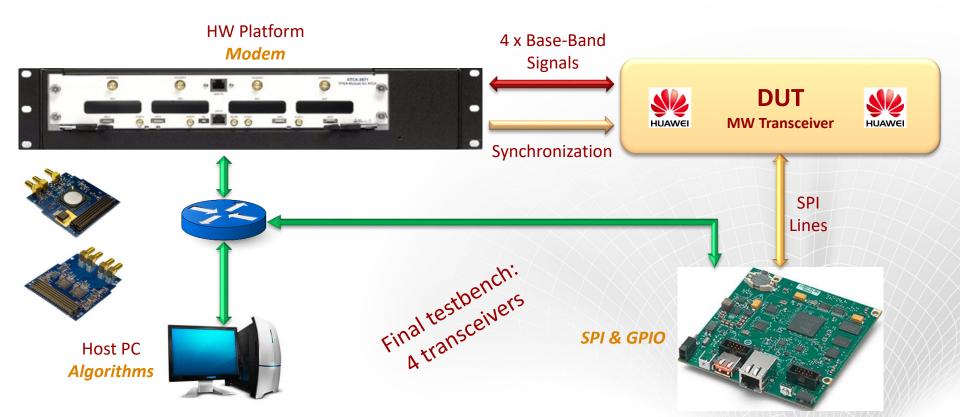
Remote Terminal #1

- 1(2) x up-converters
- 1(2) x down-converters
- Base-Band interface
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☐ Testbench with one transceiver



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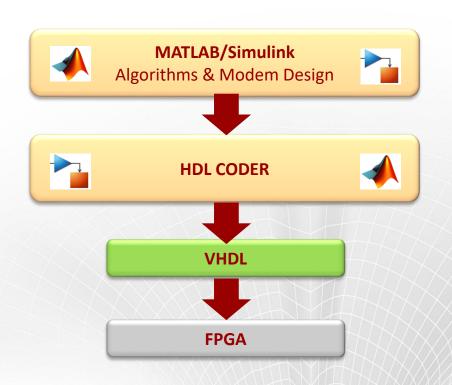




■ Design, execute and verify modem in MATLAB/Simulink

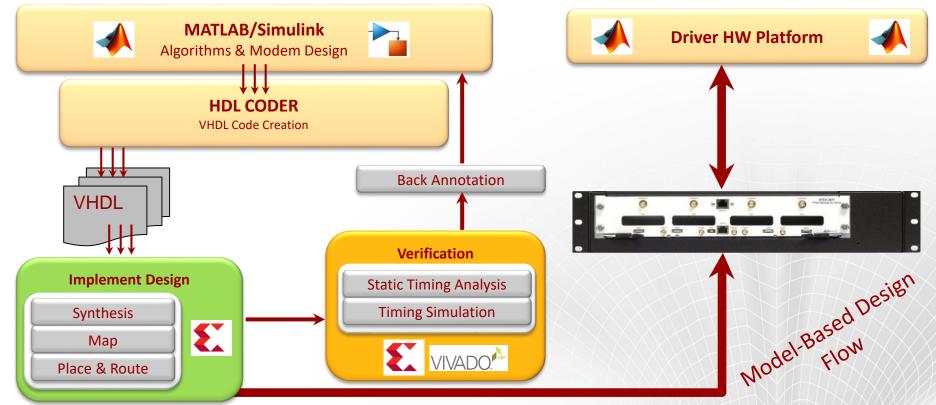
□ Automatically generation of VHDL code

□ Deploy generated code on HW/FPGA



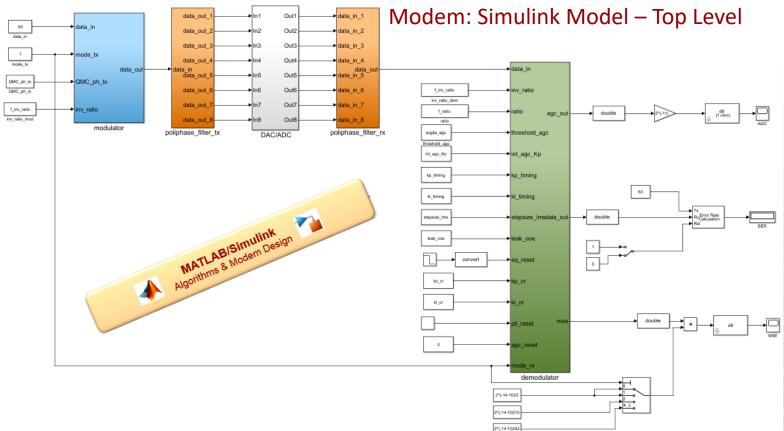








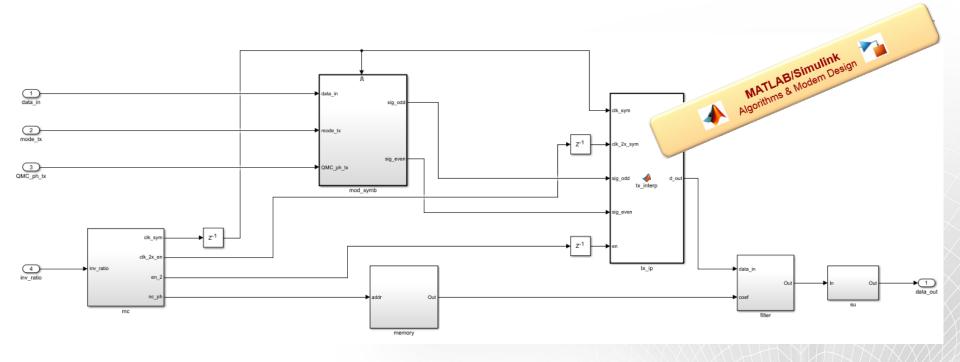






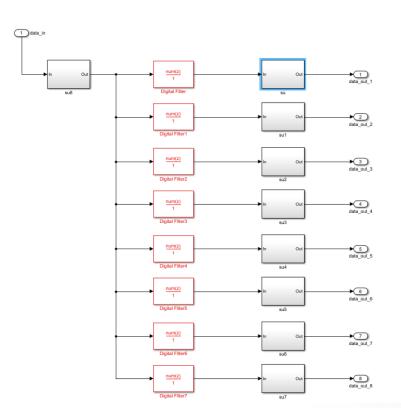


Modem: Simulink Model – Modulator

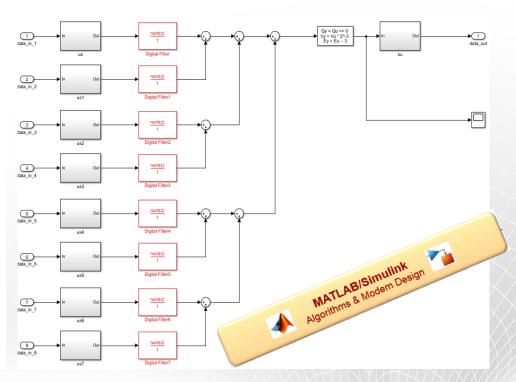








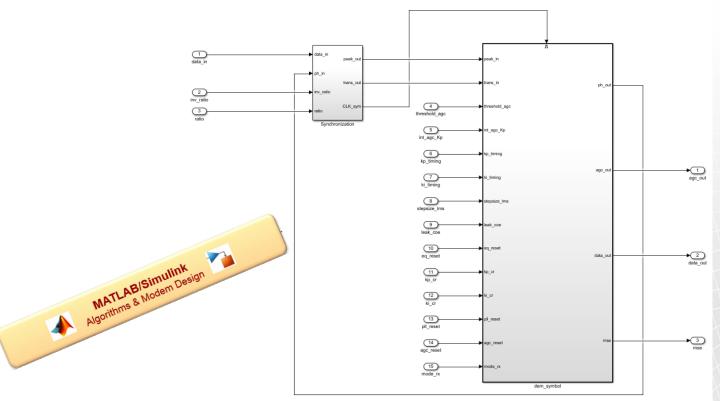
Modem: Simulink Model – Filter TX & RX





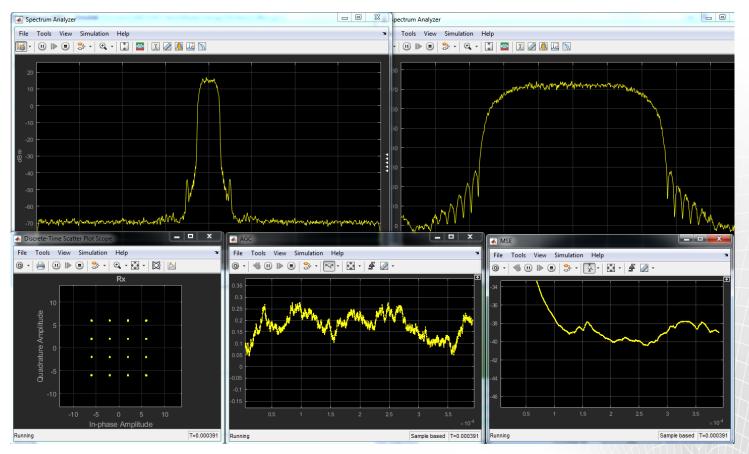


Modem: Simulink Model – Demodulator









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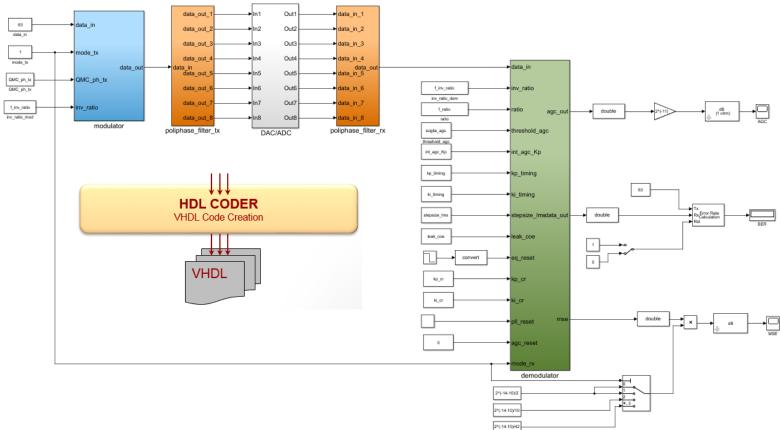
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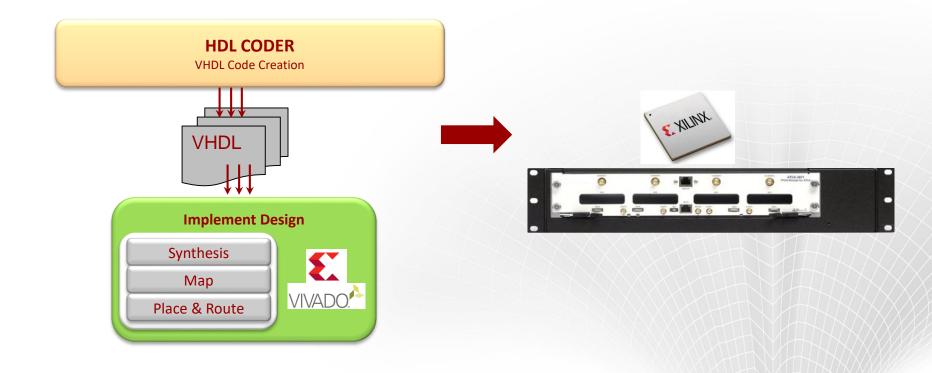






Modem: Integration and Verification

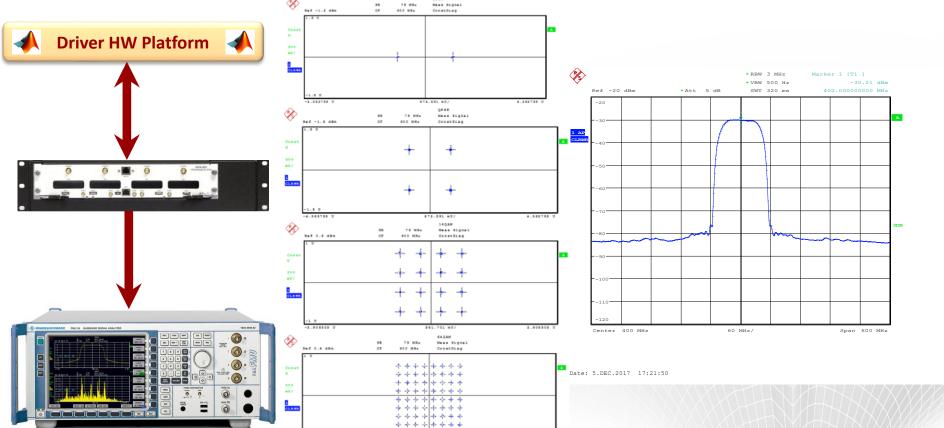






Modem: Integration and Verification





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- ☐ The collaboration with The MathWorks Team has allowed:
 - ✓ A complete workflow to:
 - design Modem and Algorithms (MATLAB/Simulink)
 - generate fixed-point design through quantization analysis
 - generate synthesizable VHDL code (HDL coder): the VHDL code generated is ready to the implemention
- □ The modem performance, integrated on the hardware platform (Xilinx Virtex-7 based), are perfectly inline with the simulated modem performance (Simulink).

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