# **EPIQ** Matchstiq X40

Space-Based Missions

Open Architecture

**Small Form Factor** 

Spectrum Dominance

**High Performance** 

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### Enabling AI & ML at the RF Edge

#### **RF Digitization is Outpacing Signal Processing**

- The Last Decade has Seen an Exponential Growth in SDR Capability
  - Nearly 200x Increase in RF BW per SDR
- Conventional Signal Processing Has Not Kept Up
  - Moore's Law → Linear Growth, Not Exponential
- Epiq's Approach: Embrace AI & ML
  - Integrate Highly Capable GPU/CPU Devices into the SDR
  - Enable Power Scalable Processing
  - Partner with Industry Leaders like DeepSig
- The Result
  - Industry Leading SDRs Optimized for RF Sensing at the Edge



### Matchstiq G20, G40, and X40

#### Scalable Product Family for AI & ML Applications

- Increasing RF Coverage, BW, and Processing with SWaP-C
- Two Form Factors
  - G20/G40: 7.6" x 4.4" x 1.0" & 2lbs
  - X40: 9.75" x 4.25" x 1.45" & 2.2lbs



#### <u>G40</u>

Two NV100 SDRs Nvidia Orin NX 16G 4 RF Ports Coherent & Independent 30W Typical

#### <u>X40, 6GHz</u>

1MHz – 6GHz RF Range Up to 200MHz BW / Ch 4 Receivers 2 Transmitters Coherent & Independent Nvidia Orin NX 16G AMD ZU7 MPSoC 45W Typical

#### X4O, 18GHz 1MHz – 18GHz RF Range Up to 450MHz BW / Ch 4 Receivers 1 Transmitter Coherent & Independent Nvidia Orin NX 16G AMD ZU7 MPSoC 60W Typical

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### Matchstiq X40 & Cylinder Payload

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#### **Expendable SDR Platform Funded by ONR**

- Extremely Low SWaP-C, Targeted as Disposable Maritime Use
- CPU + GPU + FPGA + SDR + RF
- Fits in a 2.8" Diameter Cylinder
- RF Coverage 1MHz 18GHz
- 2 Receiver Channels & 1 Transmit Channel
  - Upgrade to 4 Receivers for X40
- Up to 450MHz Bandwidth Per Channel
- NVIDIA Orin NX 16G CPU/GPU Module for Signal Processing







#### Matchstiq X40 Detailed Block Diagram



### Matchstiq X40 Detailed Software & Interface Diagram



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#### X40 Mode Table – 4R2T 6GHz Mezzanine



Configuration	Description	RFIC_A	RFIC_B	Max Bandwidth Per Rx Channel
2R2T Coherent Mode	2Rx and 2Tx Channels All Channels Coherent Across All Frequencies	RX2 & Tx1 Enabled LO_A = FreqA	RX2 & TX1 Enabled LO_B = FreqA	200MHz
		ORX1 & Tx1 Enabled LO_A = FreqA	ORX1 & TX1 Enabled LO_B = FreqA	450MHz
Two 1R1T Pairs	2Rx and 2Tx Channels Each Coherent 1R1T Pair Tunes Independently	RX2 & Tx1 Enabled LO_A = FreqA	RX2 & TX1 Enabled LO_B = FreqB	200MHz
		ORX1 & Tx1 Enabled LO_A = FreqA	ORX1 & TX1 Enabled LO_B = FreqB	450MHz
4R2T Coherent Mode	4Rx and 2Tx Channels All Channels Coherent Across All Frequencies	RX1, RX2 & Tx1 Enabled LO_A = FreqA	RX1, RX2 & TX1 Enabled LO_B = FreqA	200MHz
Two 2R1T Pairs	4Rx and 2Tx Channels Each Coherent 2R1T Pair Tunes Independently	RX1, RX2 & Tx1 Enabled LO_A = FreqA	RX1, RX2 & TX1 Enabled LO_B = FreqB	200MHz

#### X40 Mode Table – 4R1T 18GHz Mezzanine

Configuration	Description	RFIC_A	RFIC_B	Max Bandwidth Per Rx Channel
2R1T Coherent Wideband Mode	2Rx & 1Tx Channels All Channels Coherent Across All Frequencies	ORX1, TX1 Enabled LO_A = FreqA	ORX1 Enabled LO_B = FreqA	450MHz
2R1T Independent Wideband Mode	2Rx & 1Tx Channels 1R1T Pair & 1Rx Channel Tune Independently	ORX1, TX1 Enabled ≤6GHz LO_A = FreqA >6GHz LO_A Can Be Independent Per Channel	ORX1 Enabled LO_B = FreqB	450MHz
4R1T Coherent Mode	4Rx & 1Tx Channels All Channels Coherent Across All Frequencies	RX1, RX2, TX1 Enabled LO_A = FreqA	RX1, RX2 Enabled LO_B = FreqA	200MHz
4R1T Independent Mode	4Rx & 1Tx Channels 2R1T Pair & 2Rx Pair Tune Independently	RX1, RX2, TX1 Enabled ≤6GHz LO_A = FreqA >6GHz LO_A Can Be Independent Per Channel	RX1, RX2 Enabled ≤6GHz LO_B = FreqB >6GHz LO_B Can Be Independent Per Channel	200MHz

#### Matchstiq X40 18GHz RF Mezzanine



#### Features

- Quad 6-18GHz Rx Down-Converter
- Single 6-18GHz Tx Up-Converter
- Sub-6GHz Bypass Path for Rx & Tx
- 1GHz Bandwidth
- 3GHz IF Input & Output Frequency
- Sub-Octave Preselection Filters
- Low Power & Sleep Modes
- Channel Disable
- Rx: 5dB ±3dB Gain
- Rx: <12dB NF, +5dBm IIP3
- Tx: 5dB ±3dB Gain, 0dBm Output
- Tx: +20dBm OIP3
- +3.6V & +5.5V DC Input
- -40 to +70 C Operation
- 3.10" x 2.72" x 0.34"



### X40 Cylinder Mechanical Diagram







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### Matchstiq X40 Power Consumption – Config Dependent



#### Power Impact from Configuration in the Orin NX, FPGA, & RF Mezzanine

• Current Power Estimates for Low SWaP Expendable Mode and High Capability Mode Below

Device	Expendable Mode	High Capability Mode	Comment
RF Mezzanine	9W	15W	2RIT VS 4RIT Impact
ADRV9009s	12W	12W	Minimal Changes in Different Modes
ZU7 FPGA	6W	18W	≤50% Loading vs 100% Loading
Orin NX SOM	6W	18W	≤50% Loading vs 100% Loading
Clocking, IO, etc	3W	4W	Expendable Mode has Reduced IO Payload
Power Distribution	4W	8W	Consistently ~10% Loss in Distribution
Total	40W	75W	Roughly 2x Swing Across Modes

#### Matchstiq X40 Status



Wrapping Up Design Phase and ONR Contract

Early Units Available in Mid 2024

**Product Release in 4Q24** 

**Contact Epiq Solutions for More Information** 







## **Thank You**

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