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Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Feedback System

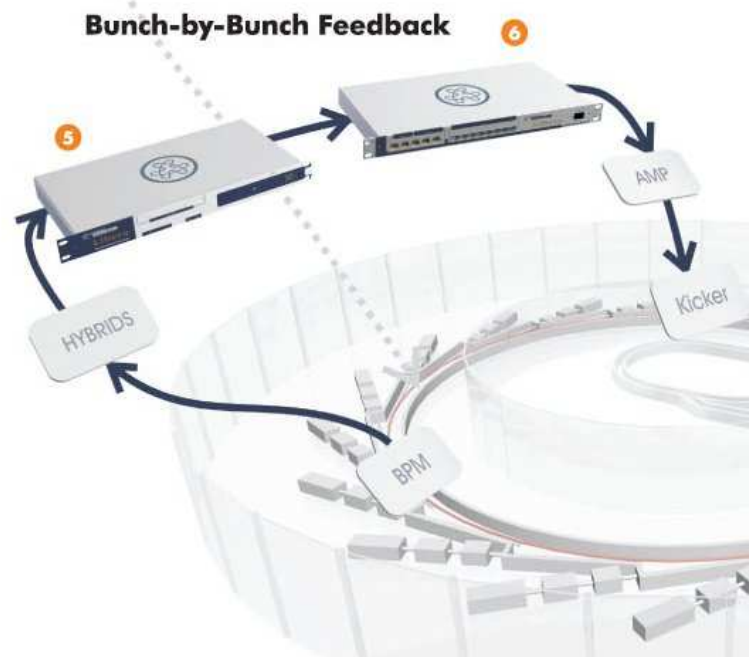
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Libera Bunch-by-Bunch

Libera Bunch-by-Bunch is a digital processing unit (6) that is a core part of Bunch-by-Bunch feedback loop. It can be used for bunch cleaning as well.

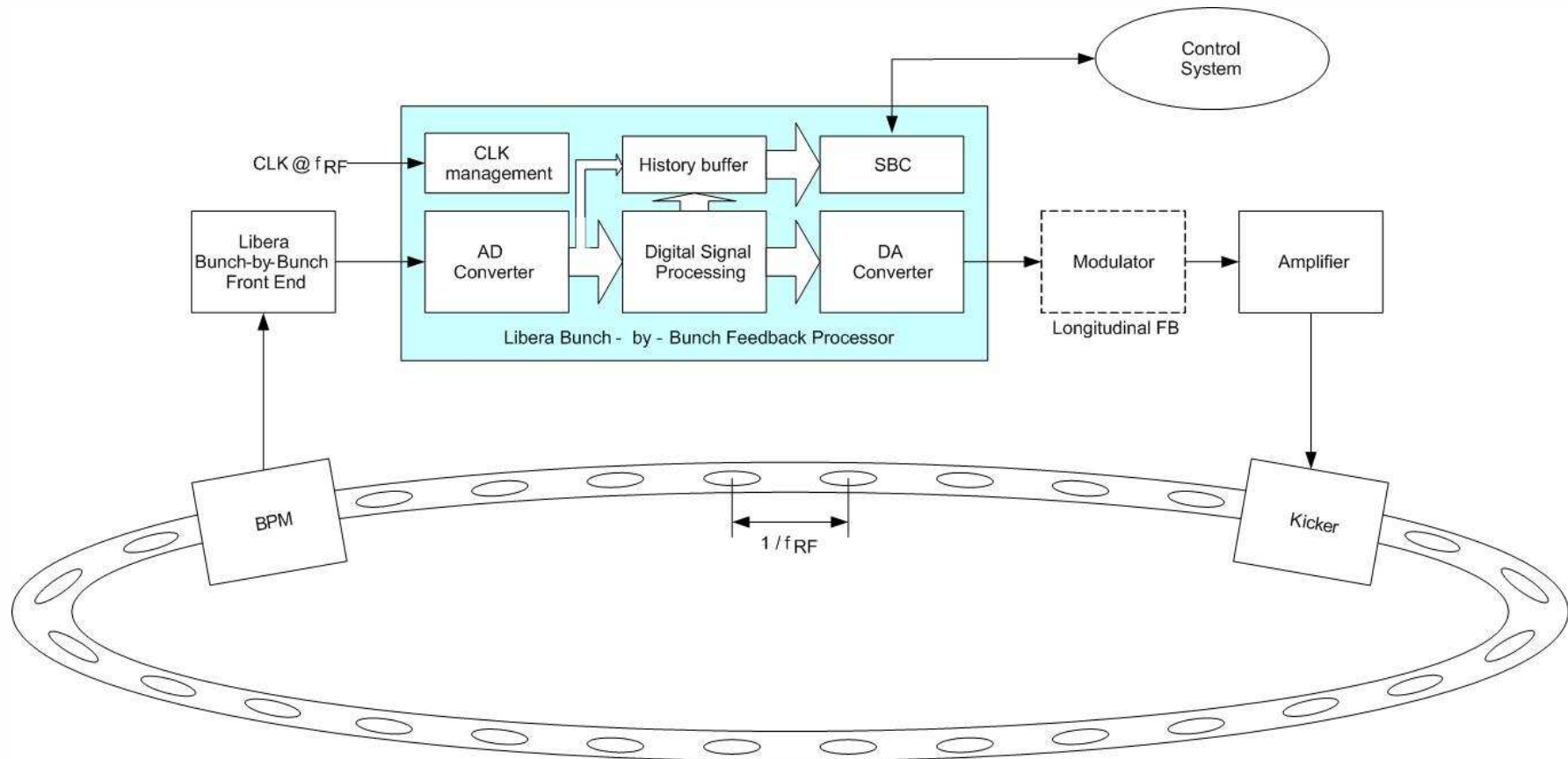


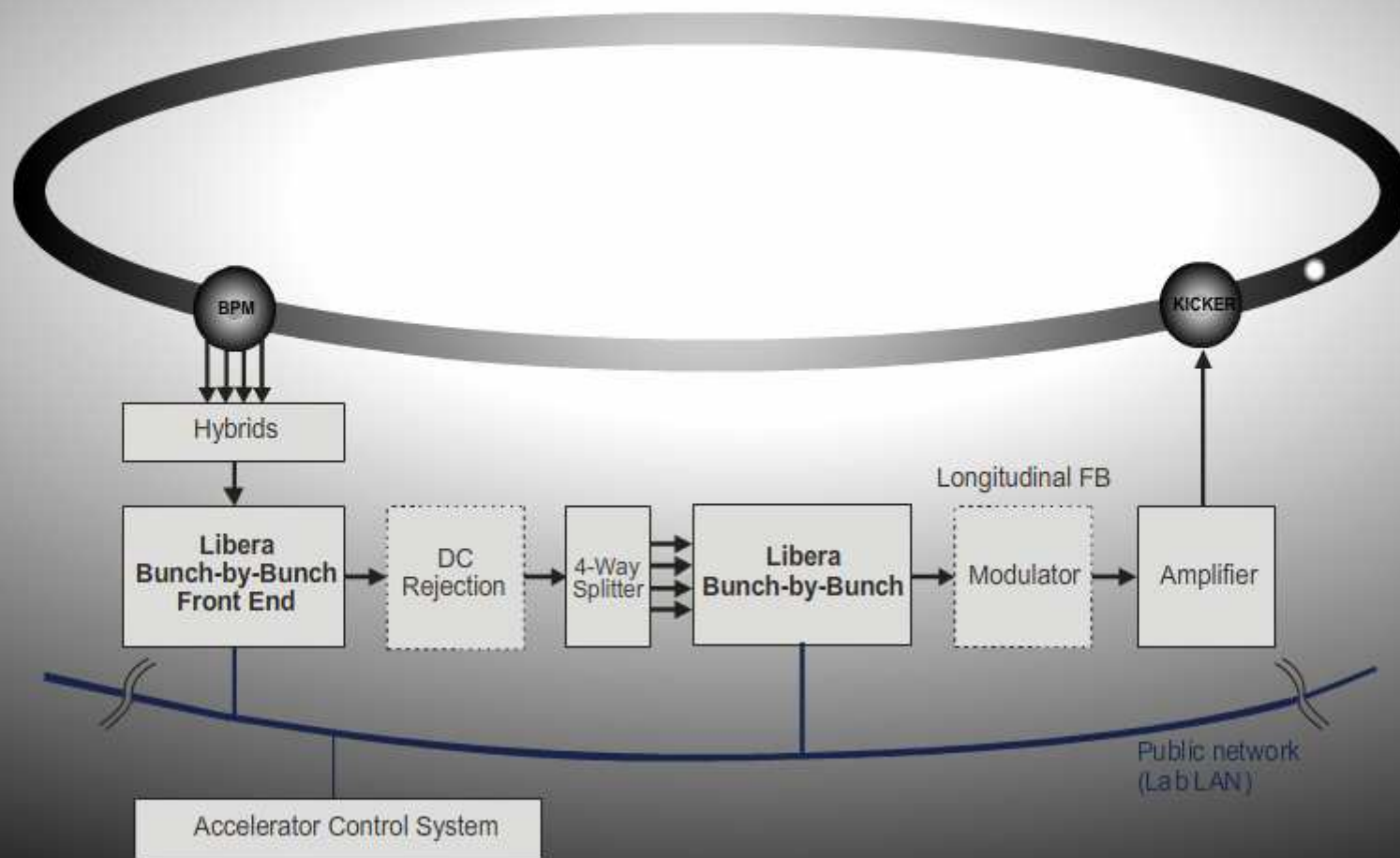
Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End

Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End (5) is a multi channel unit that provides amplitude or phase demodulation of the bunch position signals from the hybrids and passes demodulated signals to the processing unit (6).



Bunch-by-Bunch Feedback Loop

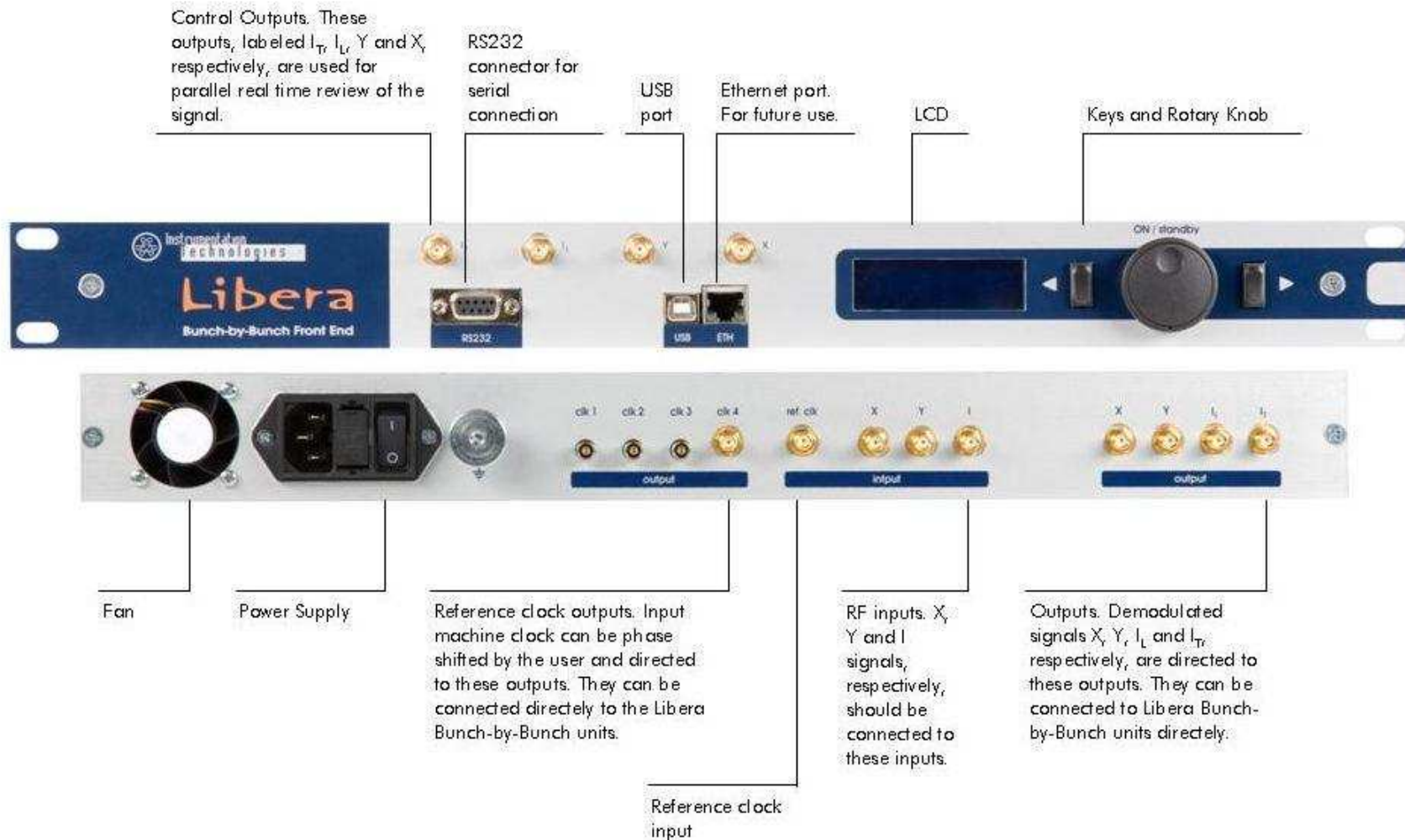




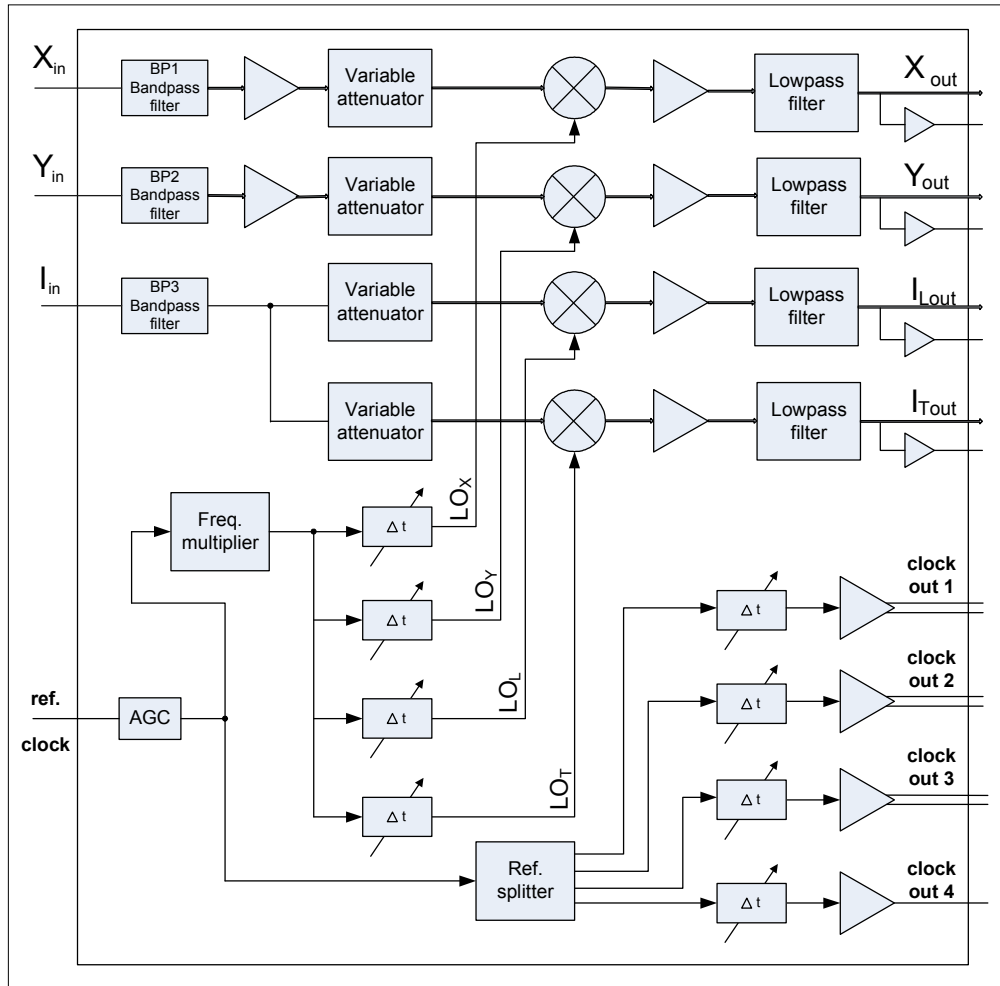
Bunch-by-Bunch Feedback Loop

- **Hybrids combine BPM pick-ups. The outputs are X, Y, I (sum).**
- **Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End converts X, Y, I signals to baseband.**
- **Libera Bunch-by-Bunch (processing unit) digitizes the signal, does the processing and converts the signal back to analog.**
- **The modulator is used only in longitudinal feedback and translates the correction signal to the frequency of the kicker.**
- **The power amplifier supplies the power to the kicker.**

Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End

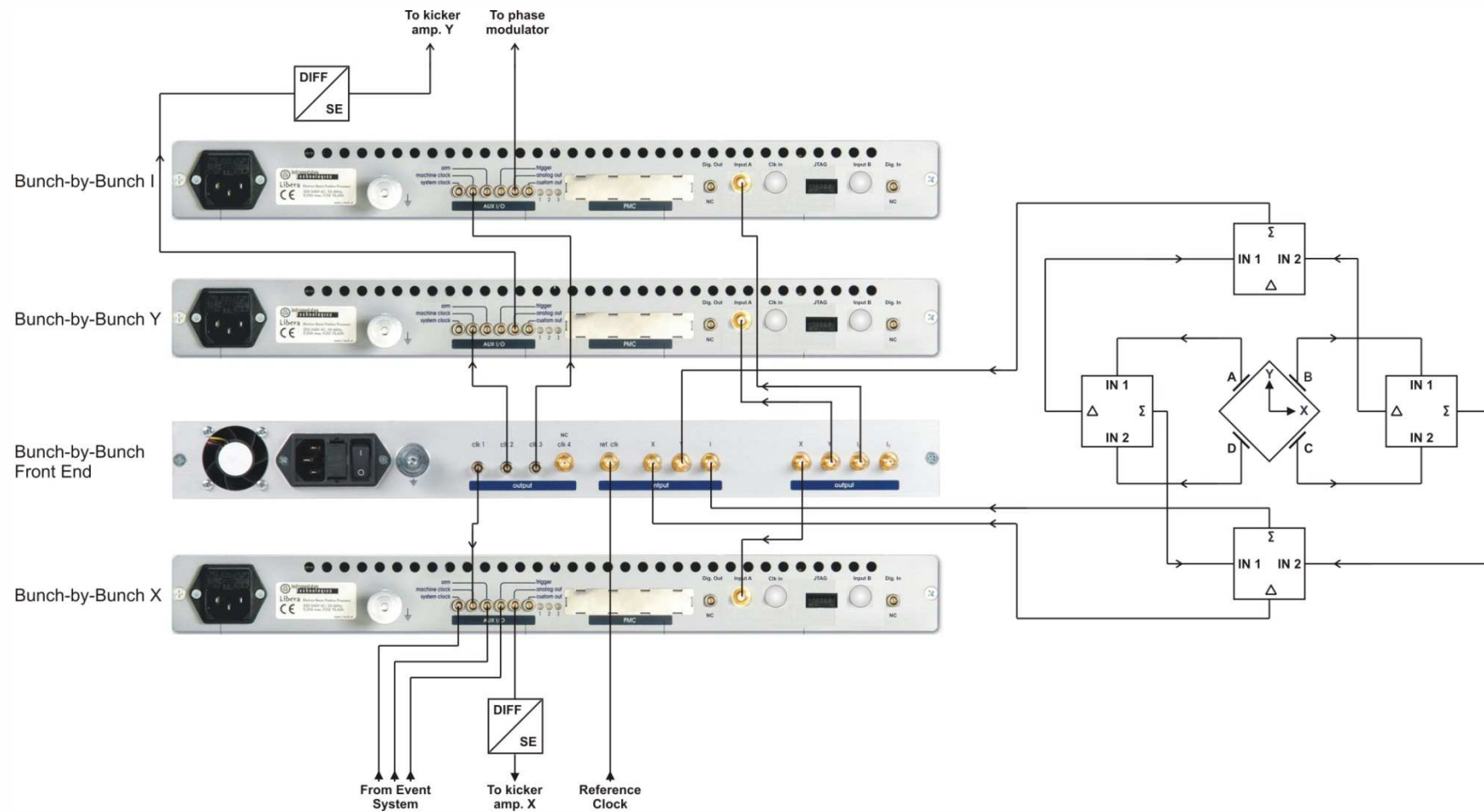


Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End Block Diagram



- **Input BandPass filters**
- **RF gain block**
- **Mixers**
- **IF gain**
- **Output LPF**
- **Reference input**
- **Freq. multiplier**
- **Phase shifters**

System Connection Schematic Diagram



Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End

Principle of Operation

Transverse instabilities → Amplitude modulation

Mixing: $A(t) \sin(3\omega RFt) \sin(3\omega RFt) = A(t) (\cos(0) - \cos(6\omega RFt))$

After LPF: $A(t)$

Longitudinal instabilities → Phase modulation

Mixing: $\sin(3\omega RFt + \varphi(t)) \cos(3\omega RFt) = \sin(6\omega RFt) + \sin(\varphi(t))$

After LPF: $\sin(\varphi(t)) \rightarrow \varphi(t)$

Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End Level Setting

- **Separate for X, Y and I channels**
- **-20 dBm to -60 dBm for X and Y**
- **-10 dBm to -50 dBm for I**



Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End Demodulation Angle Setting

- **Separate LO angle setting for X, Y, IL and IT ($-\pi$ to $+\pi$)**
- **Additional common angle setting for all channels**
- **1 degree step**

Common phase setting



Local oscillator Y phase setting



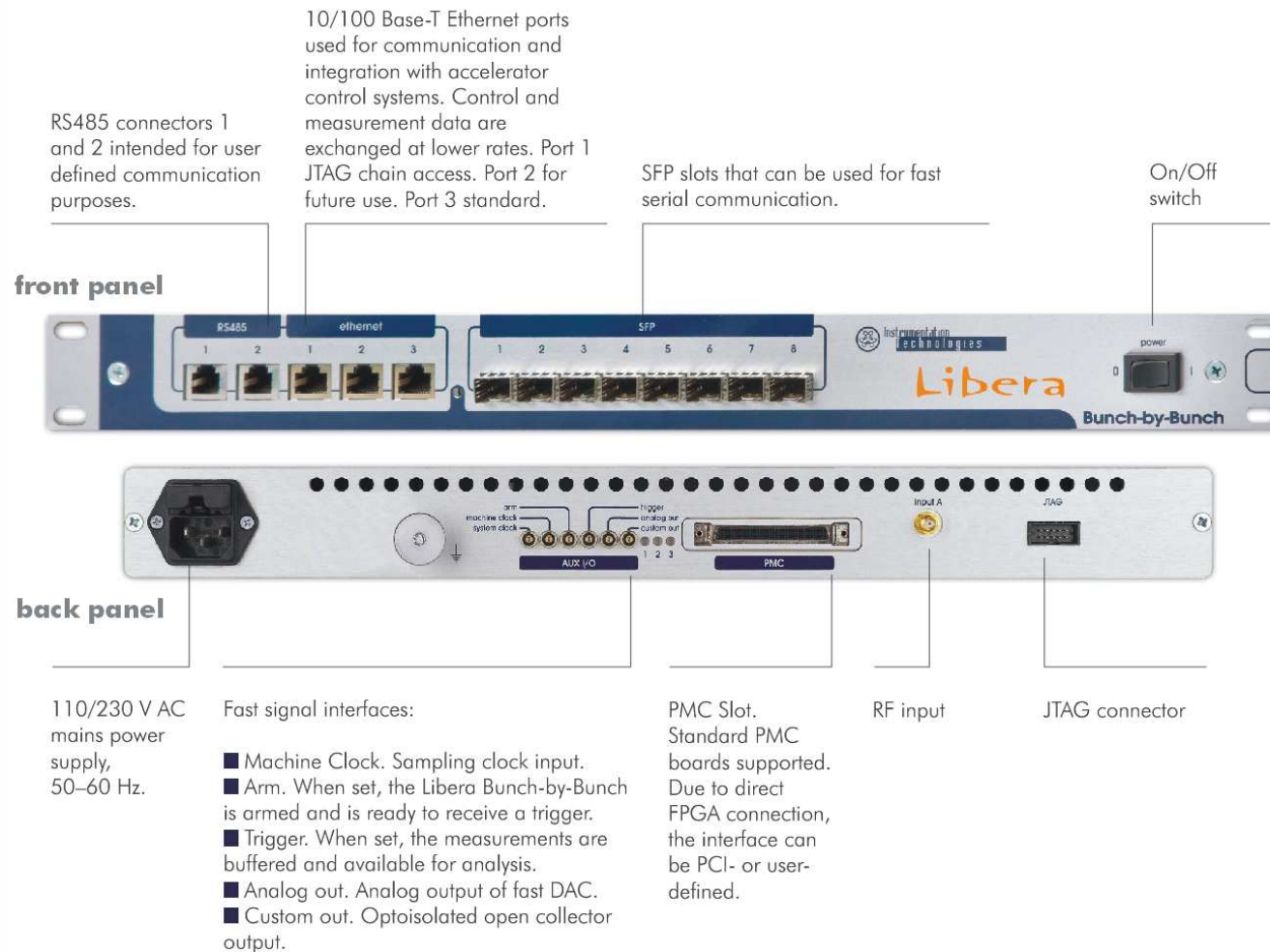
Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End Software

- **The SW release is fully functional:**
 - **Control of all processing parameters**
 - **USB interface**
 - **Ethernet interface (telnet)**
- **Software is upgraded through the serial port on the front panel, simple procedure**

Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End Main User Benefits

- **All-in-one standalone unit, standard 1U factor.**
- **One unit for pre-processing of signals for all feedback loops.**
- **Independent phase and amplitude adjustment for each processing channel.**
- **High dynamic range.**
- **Low noise.**
- **Ethernet interface for integration in the control system.**
- **Simple for installation and use.**

Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front and Back Panel



Communication with Libera Bunch-by-Bunch

Interfaces:

- **Ethernet**
- **RS-232**

Software Interfaces:

- **CSPI Library**
- **Remote CSPI (over Generic Server). Example is GUI communication with Bunch-by-Bunch unit.**

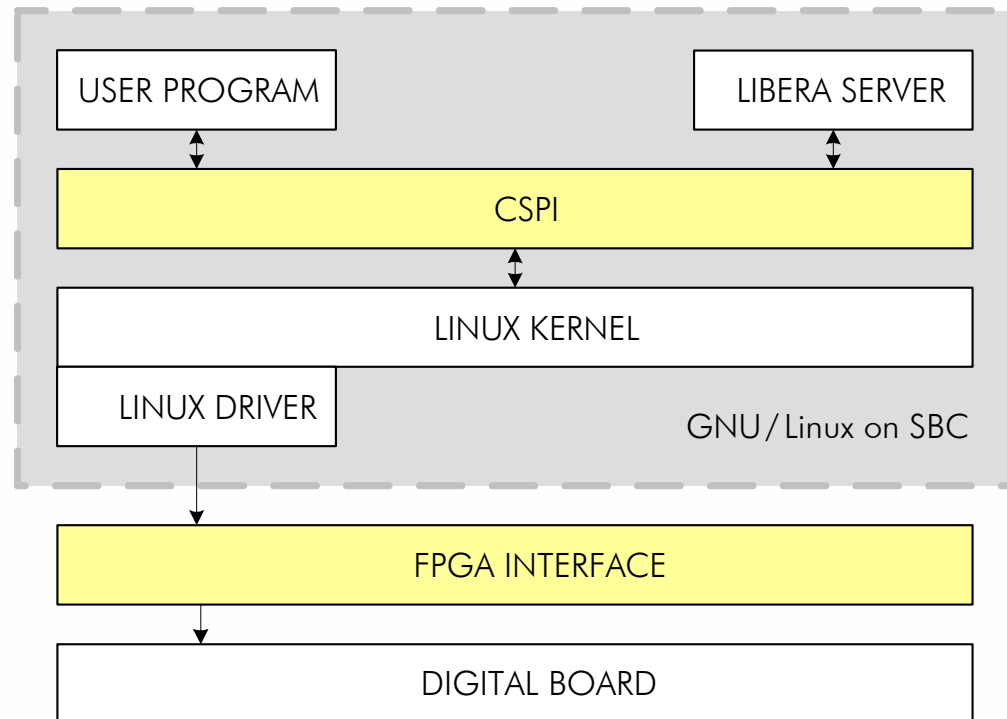
Software Architecture

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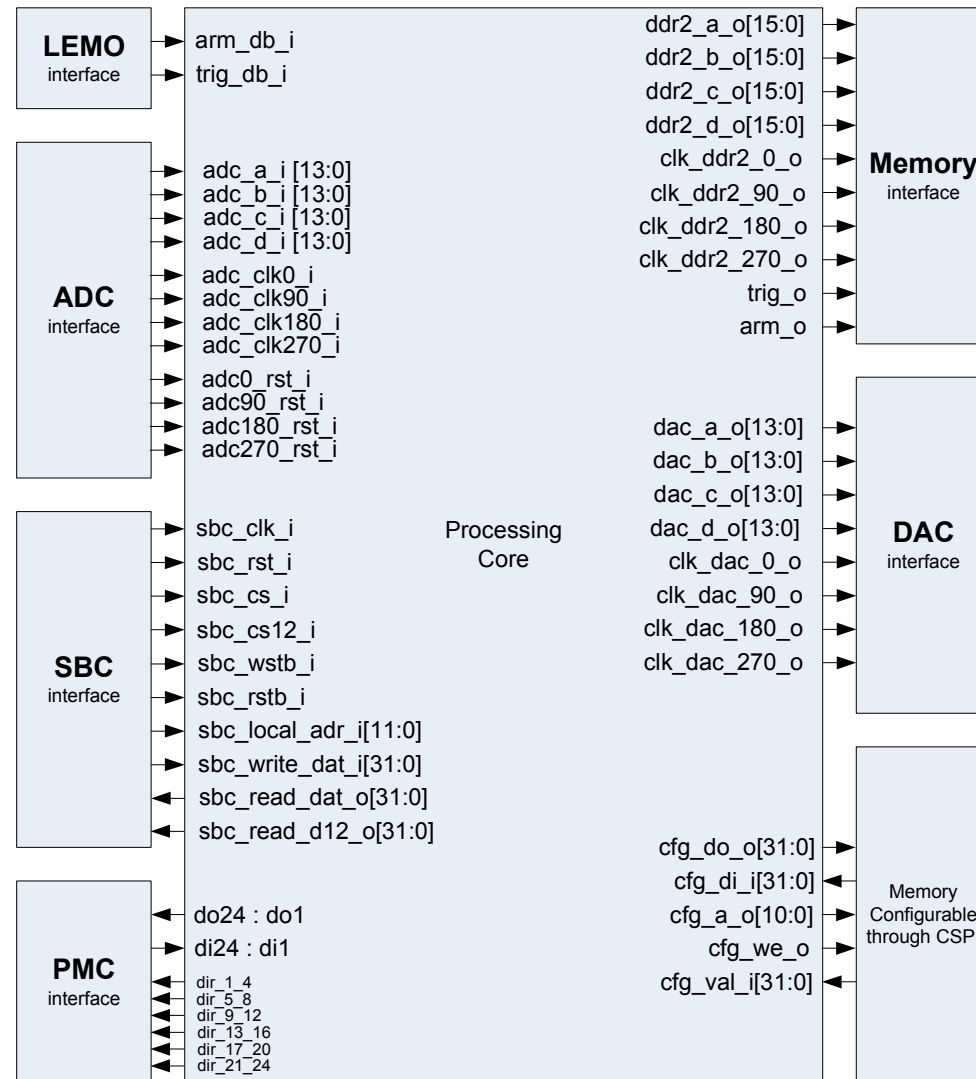
- **GNU/Linux**
- **Linux driver**
- **CSPI**

EXTENSIONS:

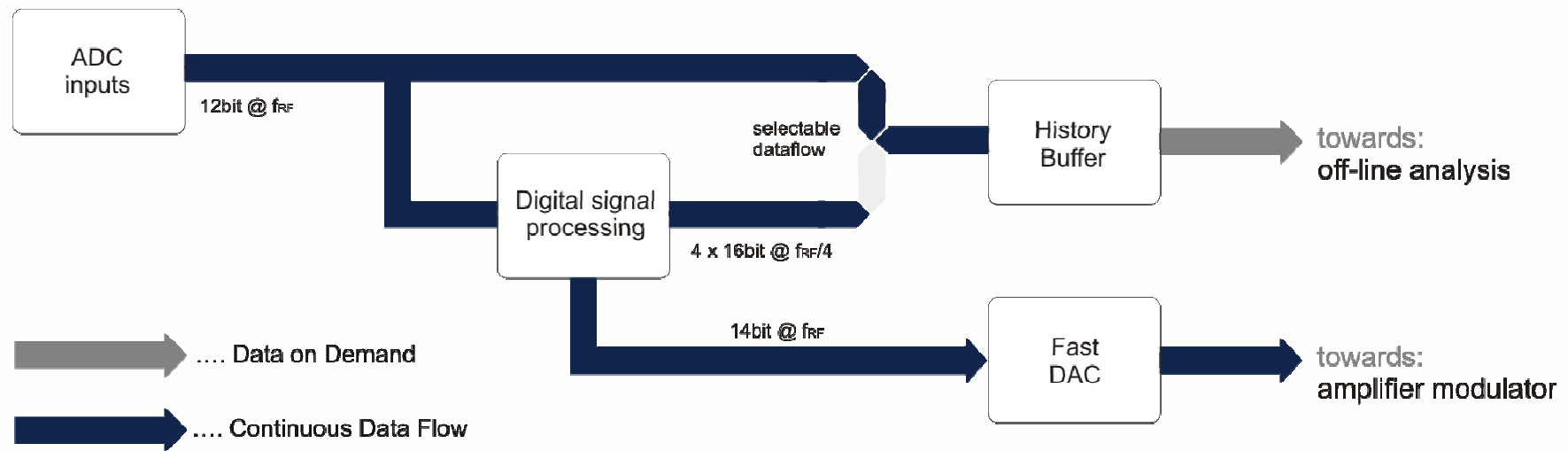
- **Libera Server**
- **User's Application**
- **Matlab based GUI**



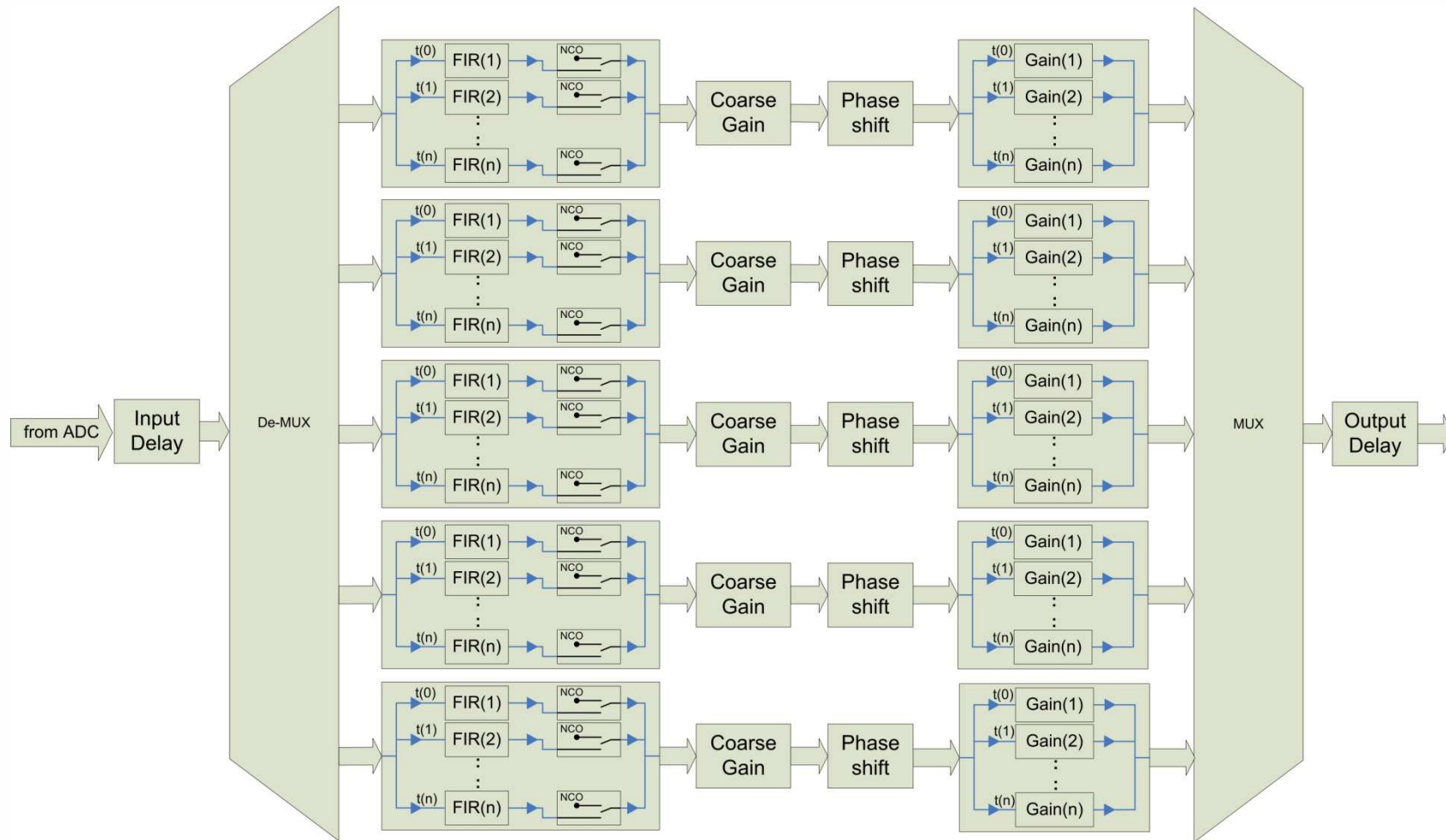
FPGA Architecture



Data Flow



Digital Signal Processing in Libera Bunch-by-Bunch



Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Processing Core

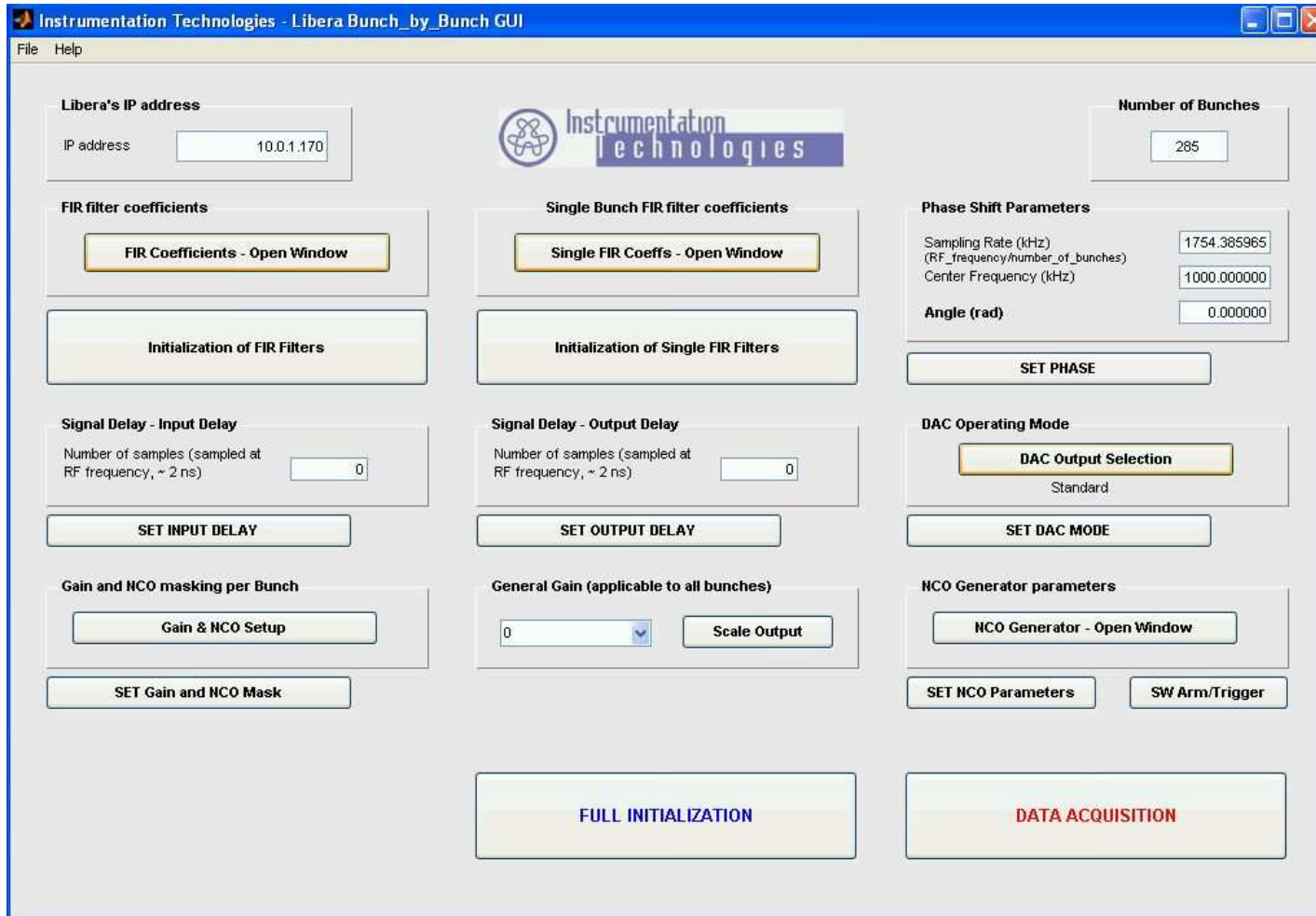
Features of the Libera Bunch-by-Bunch software release 2.00:

- **FIR filter, 16-tap**
- **Single bunch FIR filtering**
- **Input and output delay**
- **Phase shift**
- **DDR2 RAM input selection (ADC or processed data)**
- **Trigger type (standard or initiated at the start of data processing cycle)**
- **Gain setting (general gain for all bunches and gain per bunch)**
- **NCO generator for bunch purification (selectable per bunch)**
- **DAC operating mode (OFF – sends constant value to the output, ON – sends processed samples to the output)**

FPGA Development Kit - FDK

- **Proprietary development environment, made by Instrumentation Technologies**
- **Uses Xilinx and Matlab tools.**
- **Processing core (almost all functionalities) are embedded in the System Generator Simulink Matlab model.**
- **User can enrich the existing functionalities.**

Matlab based Graphical User Interface

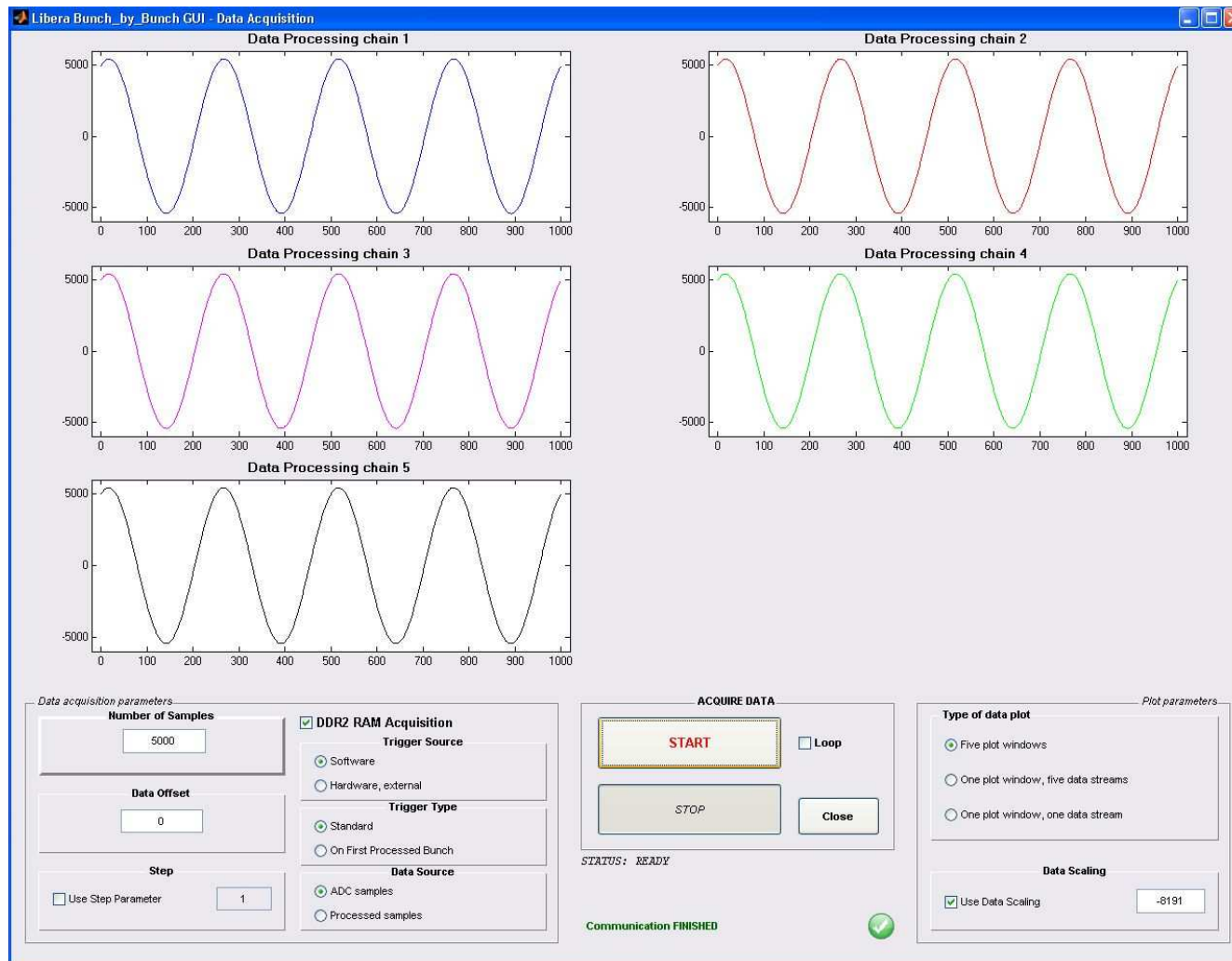


The screenshot displays the 'Instrumentation Technologies - Libera Bunch_by_Bunch GUI' window. The interface is organized into several functional sections:

- Libera's IP address:** A text field showing '10.0.1.170'.
- Number of Bunches:** A text field showing '285'.
- FIR filter coefficients:** A button labeled 'FIR Coefficients - Open Window'.
- Single Bunch FIR filter coefficients:** A button labeled 'Single FIR Coeffs - Open Window'.
- Phase Shift Parameters:** Includes input fields for 'Sampling Rate (kHz)' (1754.385965), 'Center Frequency (kHz)' (1000.000000), and 'Angle (rad)' (0.000000), along with a 'SET PHASE' button.
- Signal Delay - Input Delay:** A text field for 'Number of samples' (0) and a 'SET INPUT DELAY' button.
- Signal Delay - Output Delay:** A text field for 'Number of samples' (0) and a 'SET OUTPUT DELAY' button.
- DAC Operating Mode:** A button labeled 'DAC Output Selection' with 'Standard' displayed below it, and a 'SET DAC MODE' button.
- Gain and NCO masking per Bunch:** A button labeled 'Gain & NCO Setup' and a 'SET Gain and NCO Mask' button.
- General Gain (applicable to all bunches):** A dropdown menu showing '0' and a 'Scale Output' button.
- NCO Generator parameters:** A button labeled 'NCO Generator - Open Window', a 'SET NCO Parameters' button, and a 'SW Arm/Trigger' button.
- Initialization and Acquisition:** Large buttons for 'Initialization of FIR Filters', 'Initialization of Single FIR Filters', 'FULL INITIALIZATION', and 'DATA ACQUISITION'.

The 'Instrumentation Technologies' logo is centered at the top of the GUI.

Data Acquisition with GUI



Reference List

Libera Bunch-by-Bunch:

- **ASP – Australia.**
- **ALBA – Spain.**
- **ANKA – Germany.**
- **CLS – Canada.**
- **Diamond Light Source – Great Britain.**
- **ESRF – France.**
- **LNLS – Brasil.**
- **NSRRC – Taiwan.**

Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End:

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Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Main User Benefits

- **All-in-one standalone unit, standard 1U factor.**
- **Built on proven technology. Sharing of experience and support from the Libera community.**
- **Libera Bunch-by-Bunch can be directly connected to the Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Front End.**
- **Data sampling, digital signal processing and data storage up to 500 MHz rate. Bunch processing without decimation.**
- **Out-of-the-box ready for closing bunch-by-bunch feedback loop. All must-have features for successful loop closure are embedded.**

Libera Bunch-by-Bunch Main User Benefits

- **Easy to integrate in the control system; well documented and maintained high-level software library (CSPI API).**
- **Bunch cleaning, or bunch purification. Based on embedded NCO, selectable per bunch.**
- **FPGA Development Kit. Proprietary development environment for further processing core enrichment.**
- **Open Source model. All SBC software is under GNU/GPL License.**