

# 52nd Annual Fuze Conference

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# SBF - Smart Barometric Fuze

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# Scope

- Introducing RAFAEL Advanced Defense Systems LTD
- Introducing RAFAEL's Expendable Decoy Systems
- Motivation for the SBF development
- Challenges
- Classical problematic aspects
- SBF Logic and Block diagram
- Critical components
- Conclusions and Future

# Rafael's Mission

- RAFAEL as a system house aspires to provide a quality defense products to the international defense market, while maintaining its special contact with the IDF.
- RAFAEL predicts the needs of current and future combat forces worldwide and provides the technologies and systems required by those forces.

# By Air

Unclassified



**Popeye  
(AGM-142)Have Lite**  
A/S Missile System



**Litening**  
Targeting and Navigation Pod



**Reccelite**  
Reconnaissance Pod



**Space Systems**  
Micro Satellites & Space Propulsion

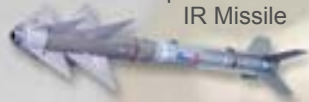


**RITA**  
Flight Safety



**HeliCOAT**  
Avionics and Weapon Suite

**Spike-ER**  
Tactical Precision Weapon System



**Python 5**  
Full Sphere A/A and S/A IR Missile



**Airborne EW Systems**



**Toplite**  
Electro-Optical System



**Jam-Air**  
Directional IR Countermeasure



**SkyLite B**  
Mini-UAV System



**Derby**  
Active A/A and S/A BVR Missile



**Toplite**  
Electro-Optical System




**REAPS**  
Rotorcraft Airbag Protection



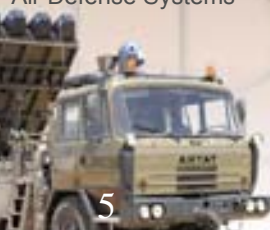
**Spice Family**  
Autonomous Guidance Kits



**Black Sparrow  
Blue Sparrow**  
Short-Medium Range Airborne Ballistic Targets



**Golden Bay**  
Real Time Imagery Processing System



**Spyder**  
Air Defense Systems



**TAOS**  
Aerostat-Borne Surveillance Systems



**Communication Systems**  
Data Links and Networks



**Blue Bay**  
Ground Imagery Exploitation System

**On Land**

**Trophy**  
Active Protection System



**Stalker**  
Mobile Reconnaissance & Surveillance



**Add-on Armor**  
Passive and Reactive Protection



**Spyder**  
Air Defense Systems



**SkyLite B**  
Mini-UAV System



**Terra Sonic**  
Pipeline Protection



**Tycoon**  
Tactical C4I System



**Hotspur**  
Counter-IED Solution



**Helispot**  
Helicopter Detection System



**Toplite**  
Electro-Optic System



**Spike Family**  
Tactical Precision Weapon System



**TACS**  
Total Area Control System



**Thor**  
Mobile Counter-IED Solution



**Samson RCWS**  
Remote Controlled Weapon Systems



**SADS**  
Small Arms Detection System



**Matador AS**  
Anti-Structure Munition



**Matador MP**  
Multi-Purpose Breaching Munition



**Urban Star**  
Static Assault Round



**Matador WB**  
Wall Breaching Munition



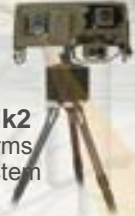
**Simon**  
Door Breaching Rifle Grenade



**ORCHID**  
Biometric Face Recognition



**SpotLite-Mk2**  
E/O Small Arms Detection System



**Training and Simulation**  
For Land Applications



**Sea Com**  
Naval  
Communication  
System

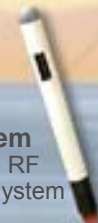


**SEWS**  
Naval EW Suite

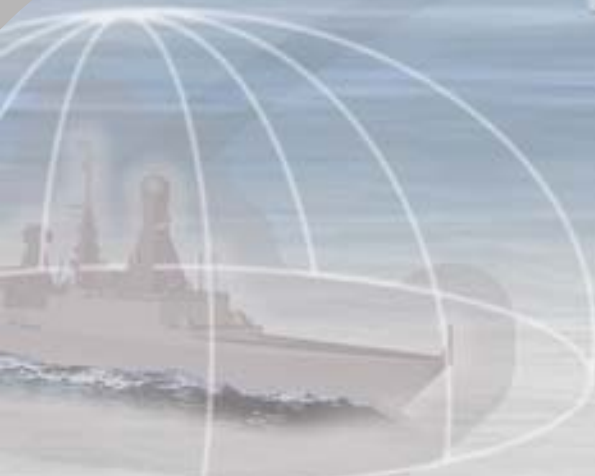
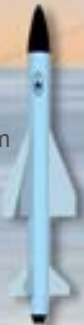


**Typhoon**  
Stabilized Weapon  
Station

**C-Gem**  
Active RF  
Decoy System



**Barak**  
Naval Air  
Defense System



**Sea Spotter**  
IR Search, Track &  
Situational Awareness



**Dafco**  
Fire Control System  
for Naval Guns



**Toplite**  
Electro-Optic  
System

**IDS**  
Integrated  
Decoy System



**Protector**  
Unmanned  
Surface Vehicle

**ATDS**  
Advanced Torpedo  
Defense System



**Mini-Typhoon**  
Stabilized Weapon Station'  
For Small Vessels

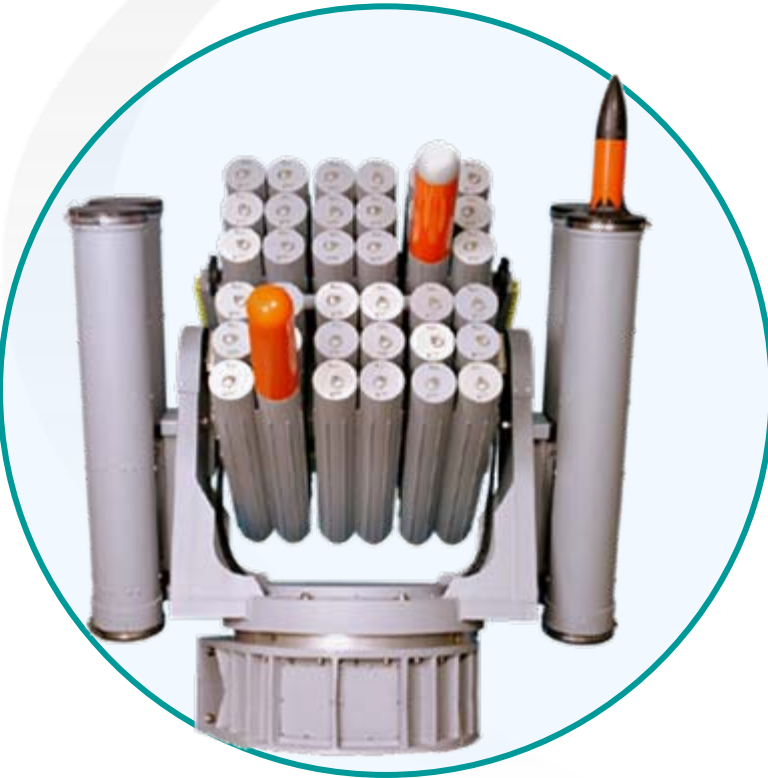


**Sim4Sea**  
Naval Gun Embedded  
Trainer

**Diveguard**  
Personal Distress  
Communication



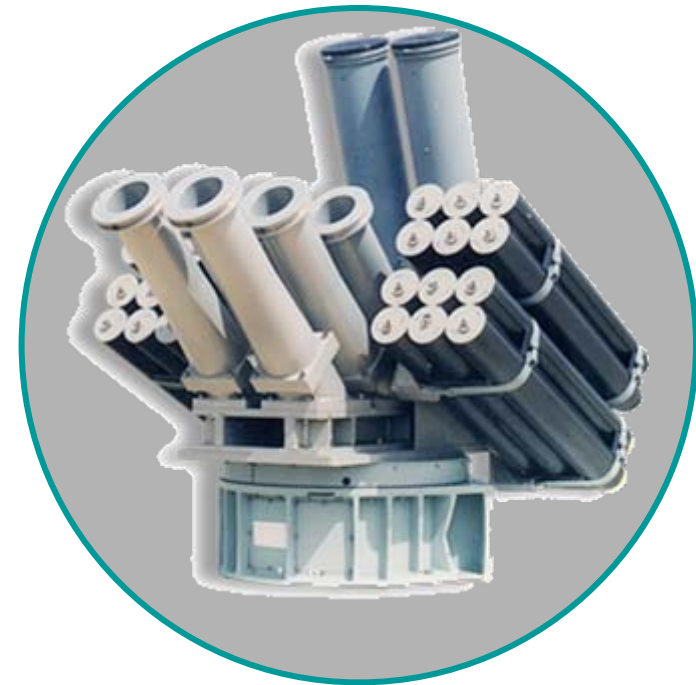
# EW Expendable Decoy Systems



**Rotatable Launcher**



**Decoys And Launcher Controller**



**Rotatable Launcher  
With SRBOC Tubes**

# EW Expendable Decoys Clips





# EW Expendable Decoy Systems

## Integrated Ship-Defense

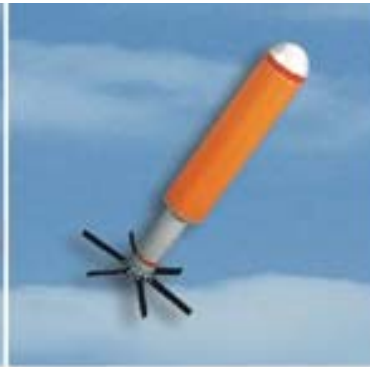
- ⊕ **Rotatable launchers**
- ⊕ **Three lines of defense**
- ⊕ **Precise decoy location**
- ⊕ **Computerized operation**



**Launcher & Decoys  
Controller**



**WIZARD**



**MRCR**

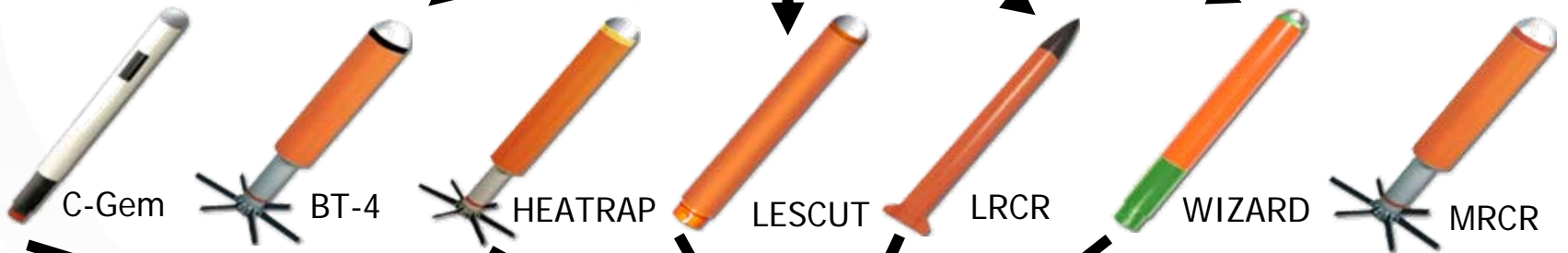
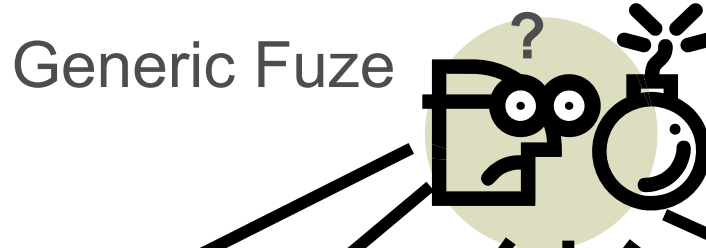


**LRCR**



**BT-4**

# EW Expendable Decoy Systems



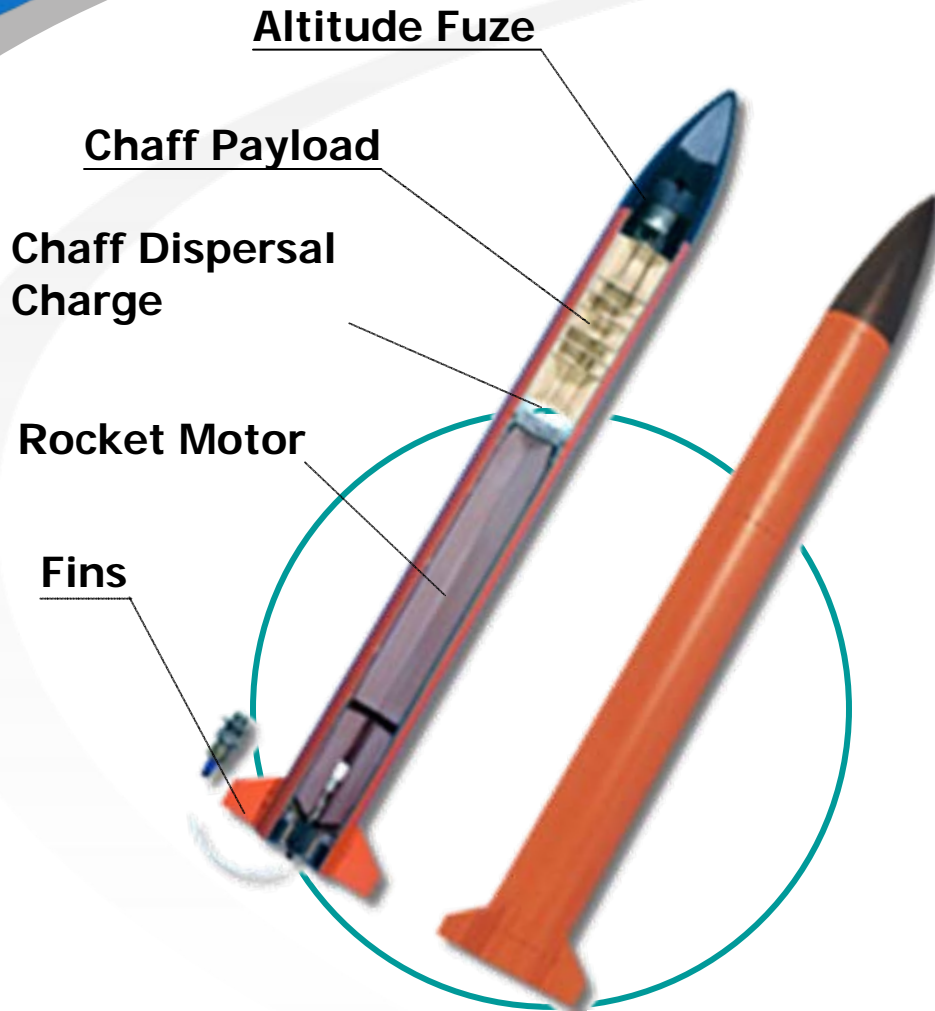
# LRCR

## Performance

<b>RCS</b>	<b>Ship Size</b>
<b>Frequency</b>	<b>X,C,S</b>
<b>Range</b>	<b>12-14km.</b>
<b>Altitude</b>	<b>900m.</b>
<b>Rise Time</b>	<b>less than 10 sec.</b>
<b>Persistence</b>	<b>up to 10 min.</b>

## Dimensions

<b>Rocket Diameter</b>	<b>90mm.</b>
<b>Rocket Length</b>	<b>922mm.</b>
<b>Fins Span</b>	<b>179mm.</b>
<b>Rocket Weight</b>	<b>9.4kg.</b>
<b>Chaff Weight</b>	<b>1.3kg.</b>



# Motivation for the SBF Development

- Answer the Fuze's classical problems
- Better safety
- Better reliability
- One fuze for all decoys and launchers
- Programmable electronics
- Miniaturization

# Challenges

- Flexibility
- Compatibility with launchers
- Adaptation to Rocket's Type
- Mode of Operation Selection

# Classical Problematic Aspects

- Low Power / Energy Consumption
- Safety
- Environmental Conditions
- Reliability
- Low cost

# Energy Consumption

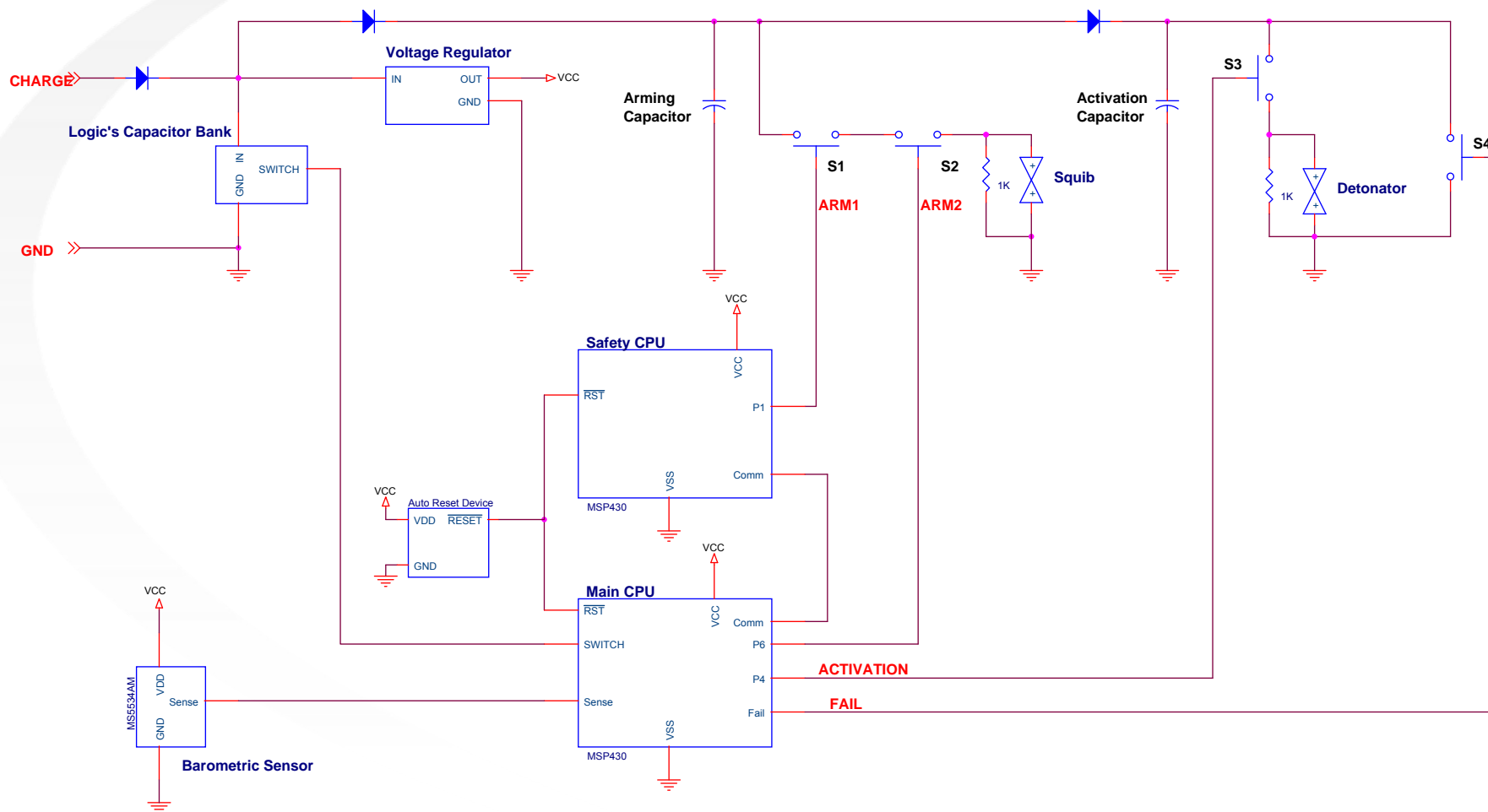
- The current fuze approach
  - Energized by a limited pulse width
  - Input capacitance check before launch
  - Electro-Mechanical pressure switch
  - Analog electronics design
- SBF approach
  - Energized by the same pulse
  - Same Input capacitance
  - Low power electronic pressure sensor
  - Low power CPU – TI's MSP430

# Safety

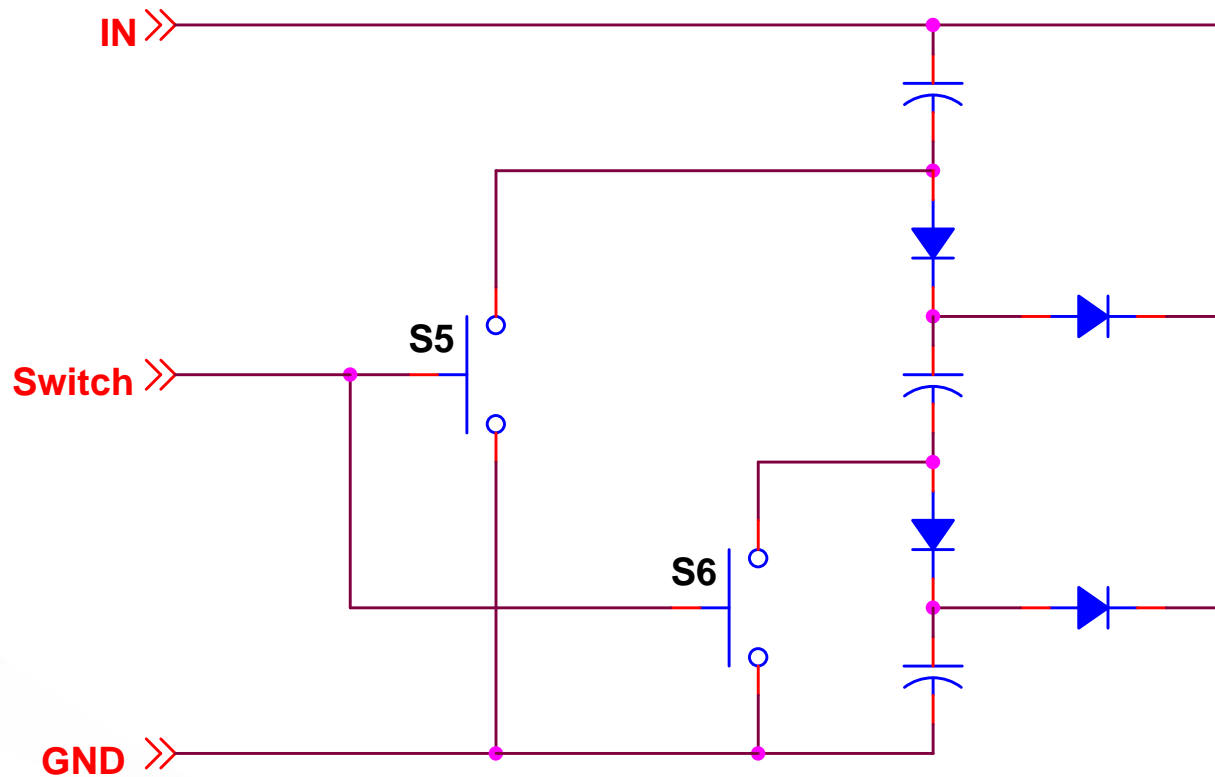
- 2 CPUs in series arming
- BIT before launching
- Capacitors discharge
- S&A Device
- Safety delay
- Time out – fail safe



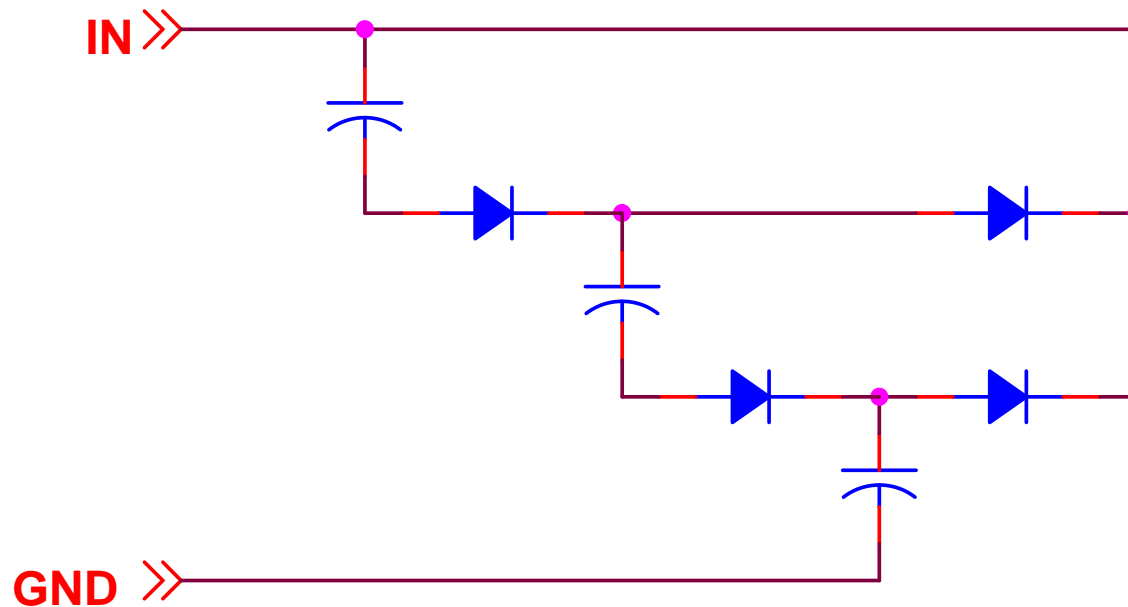
# Block Diagram



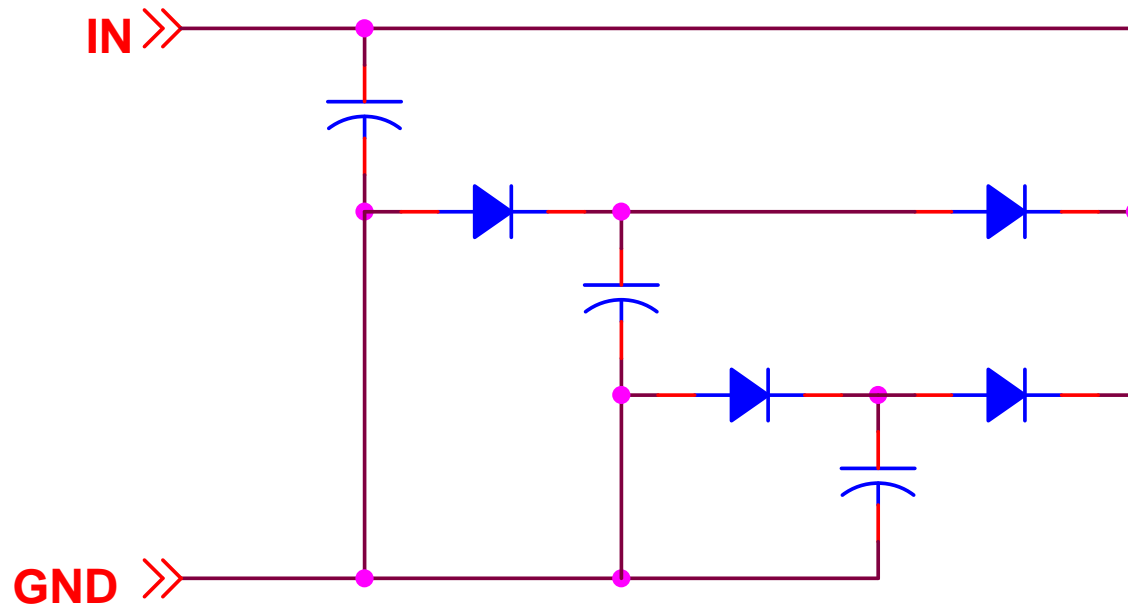
# Logic's Capacitors Bank



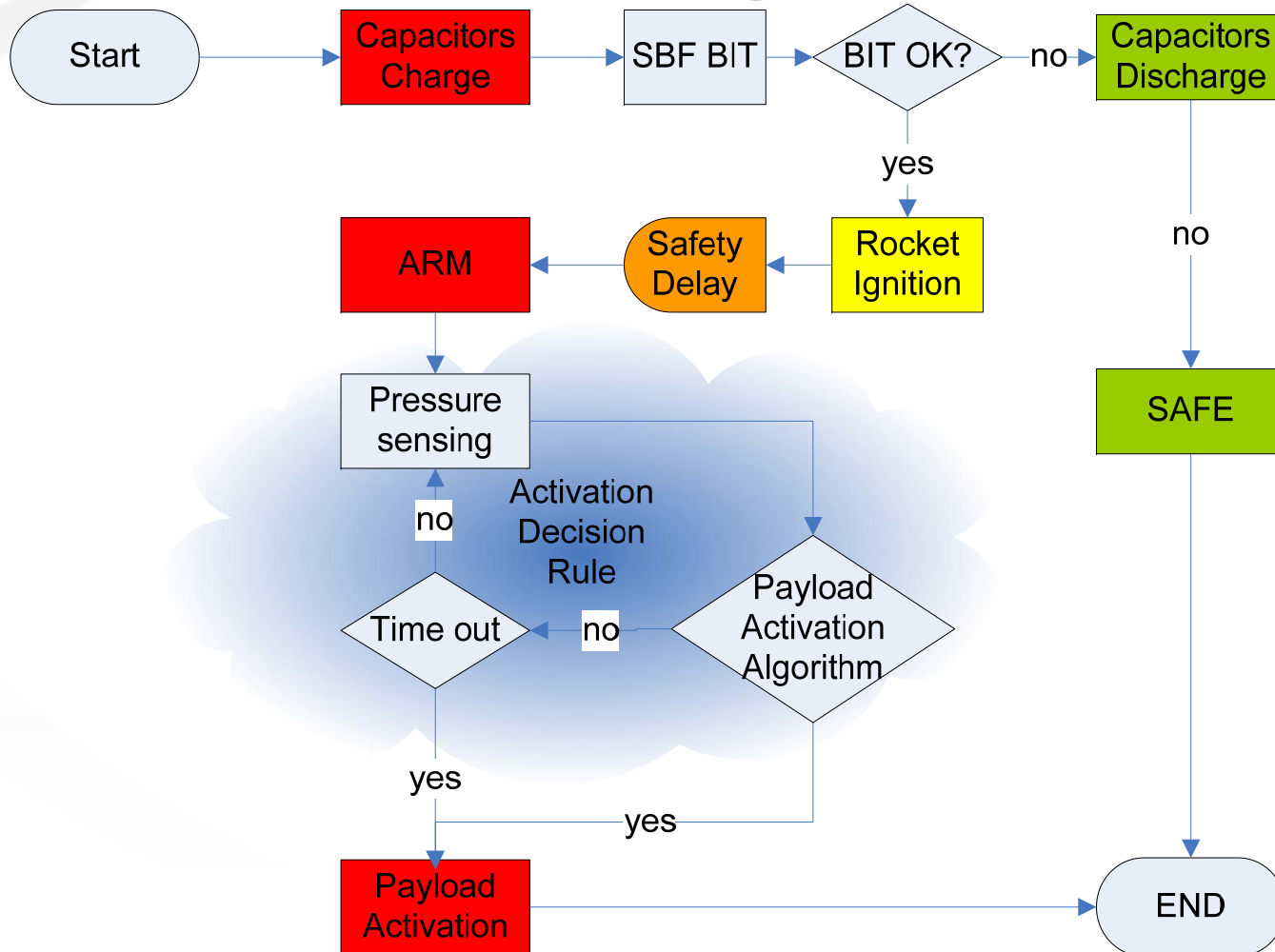
# Logic's Capacitors Bank Before switching – Serial charge



# Logic's Capacitors Bank After switching – Parallel Discharge



# SBF Logic



# The Pressure Sensor

**Intersema**  
**MS5534A**

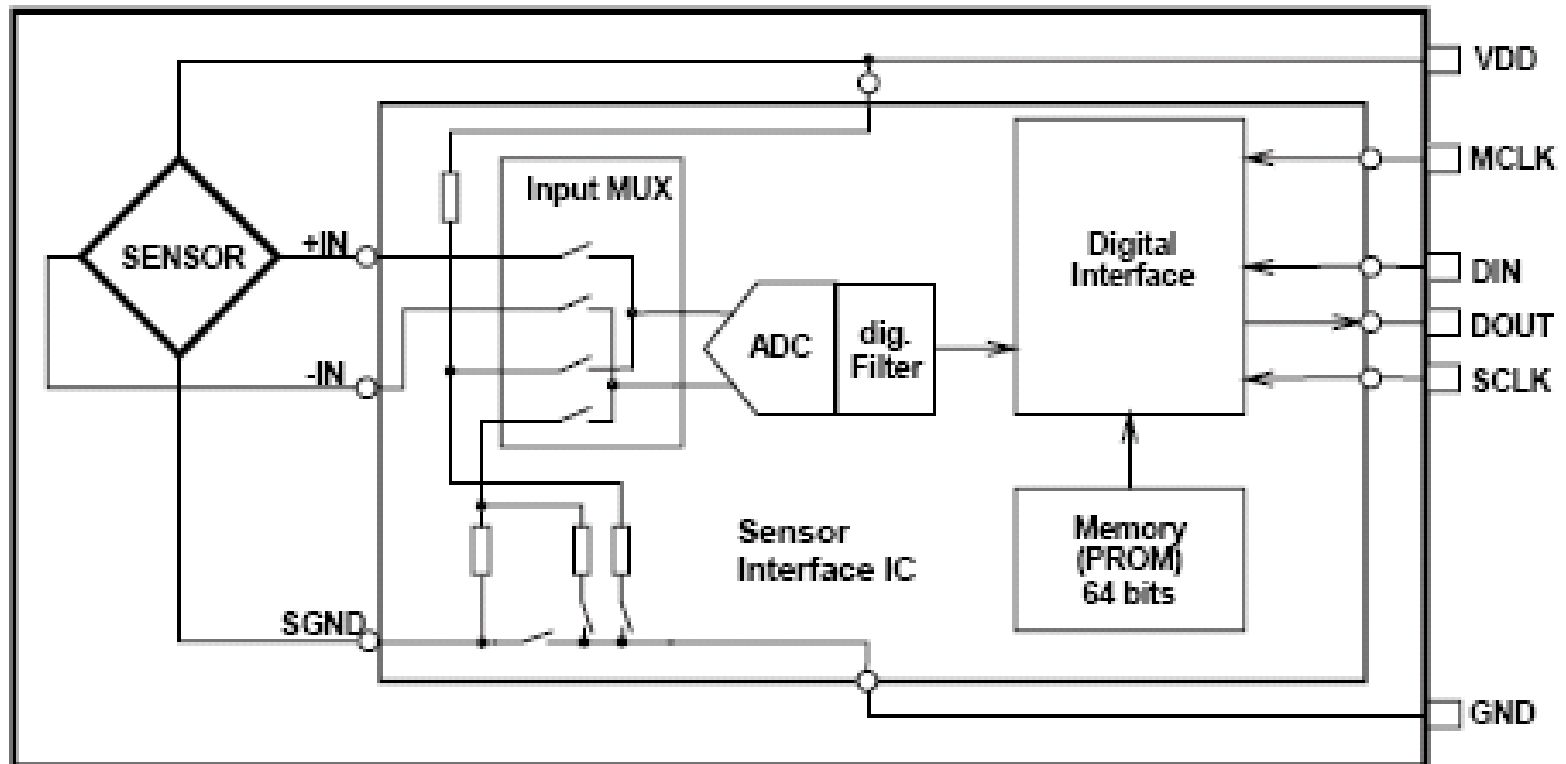
## BAROMETER MODULE

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- ◆ Integrated pressure sensor
- ◆ Pressure range 300-1100 mbar
- ◆ 15 Bit ADC
- ◆ 6 coefficients for a software compensation stored on-chip
- ◆ 3-wire serial interface
- ◆ 1 system clock line (32.768 kHz)
- ◆ Low voltage / low power

# Pressure Sensor Block Diagram



# CPU

- Main Performances
  - Low power microcontrollers – TI's MSP430
  - 2 serial CPUs for arming
  - Idle state while not in use – energy conservation
  - Flexibility in design
  - Activation algorithm, performance and accuracy are mainly software dependent
  - Variable sampling rate along mission
  - Low cost



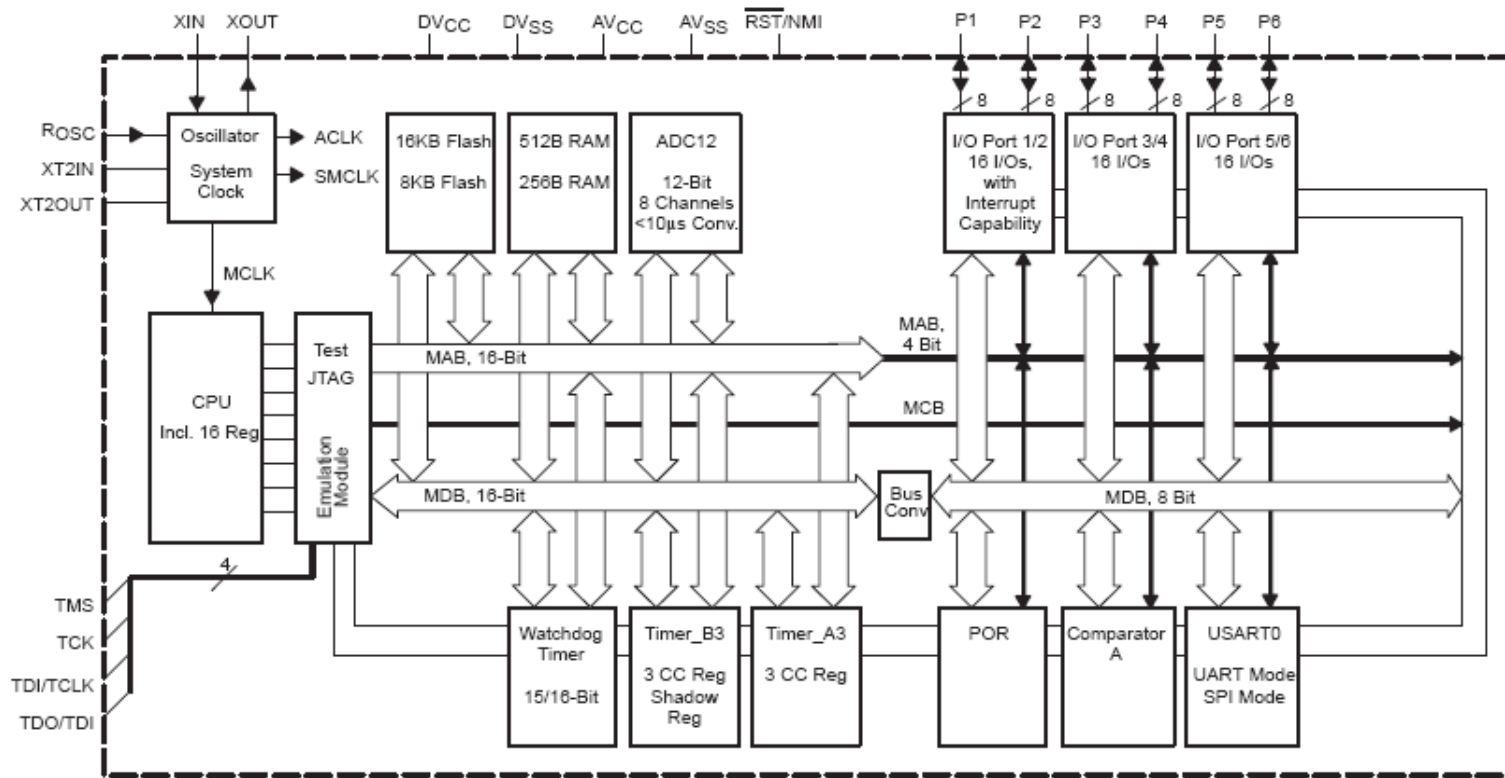
# CPU

- Electrical Characteristics
  - Low Supply-Voltage Range, 1.8 V . . . 3.6 V
  - Ultralow-Power Consumption:
    - Active Mode: 280  $\mu$ A at 1 MHz, 2.2V
    - Standby Mode: 1.6  $\mu$ A
  - Wake-Up From Standby Mode in less than 6  $\mu$ s
  - Two 16-Bit Timers
  - On-Chip Comparator
  - Serial Onboard Programming

# CPU

## Functional block diagram

MSP430x13x



## Conclusions and Future

- The SBF new design fits all its specification and requirements
- Prototypes has been assembled and successfully tested
- We believe that the SBF is the next generation fuze for EW Expendable Decoys

Thank you  
?Questions?