Steve Andrus, 04:12 PM 6/17/2011, RE: USB chip

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Subject: RE: USB chip

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It relates to reliably programming the USB chip. I wish it fixed the com hanging issue too but don't know. Mike

At 04:04 PM 6/17/2011, you wrote:

If this relates to the hanging problem during FW loading than I would think we need to implement as soon as reasonably possible. I don't think I would open Boxes that are in shipping but perhaps the instruments that are in assembly

From: Mike Pitsakis [mailto:mpitsakis@awaretech.com]

Sent: Friday, June 17, 2011 3:52 PM

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Steve,

Should we incorporate these changes into our current production schedule and update all board? It affects 42xx, 45xx, 47xx.

Mike

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Mike,

We found a solution to programming the USB chip. Two modifications are to change the oscillator capacitors to 68pF and pulling up RXD and CTS. RXD and CTS are output through a CMOS '244 buffer (on the eZ80 PCB) so the pullups do not make a lot of sense but that is what FTDI recommends.

I alerted Graham so that he can see if it fixes some of his issues.

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