

Voltage Glitch using ChipWhisperer

ECE 559 – Project (Part 4)

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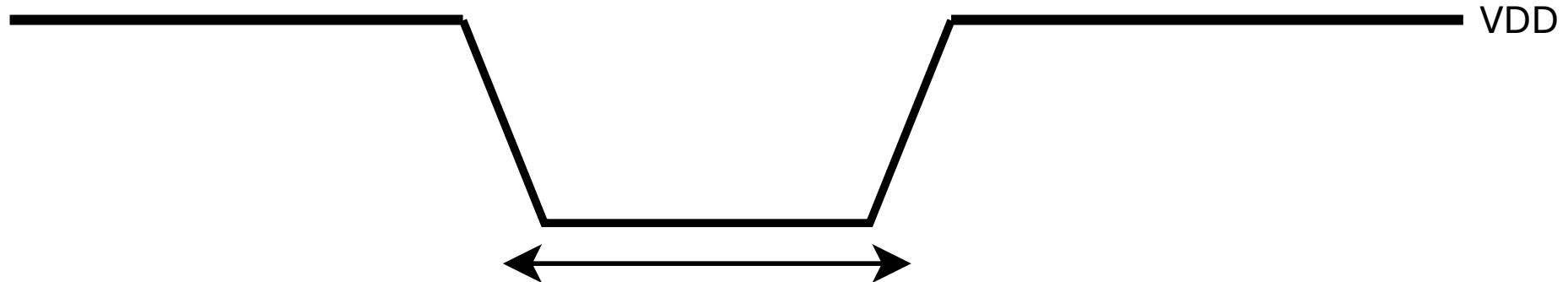
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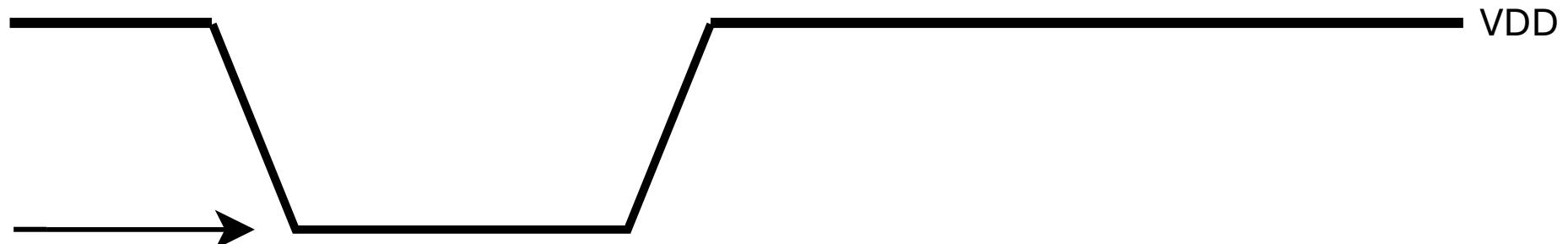
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Preliminaries

- repeat



- ext_offset



Too short → No effect
Too long → Target crash

Part A: Glitching the for-loop

(a)

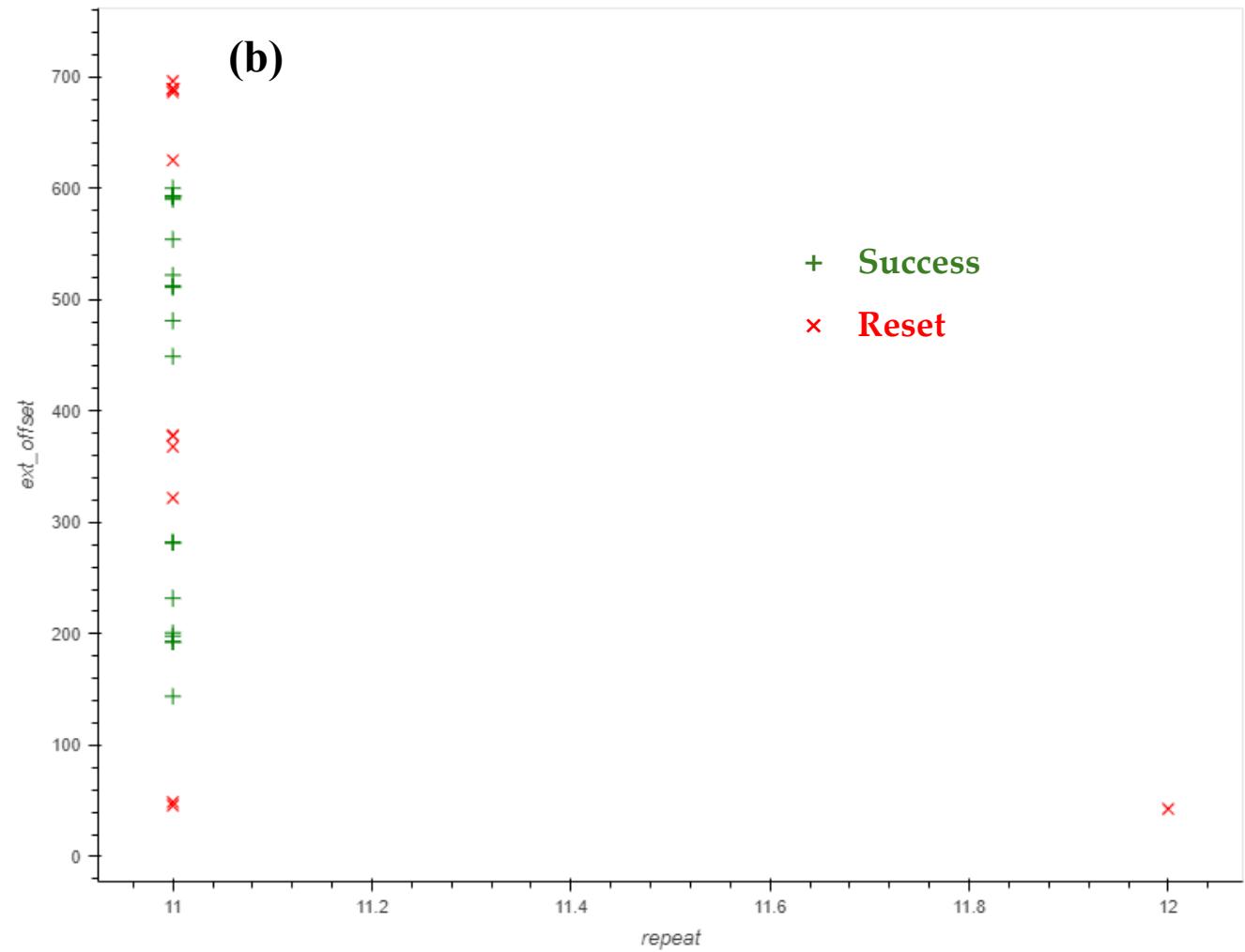
success count: 24

reset count: 13

normal count: 56213

repeat setting: 15.0

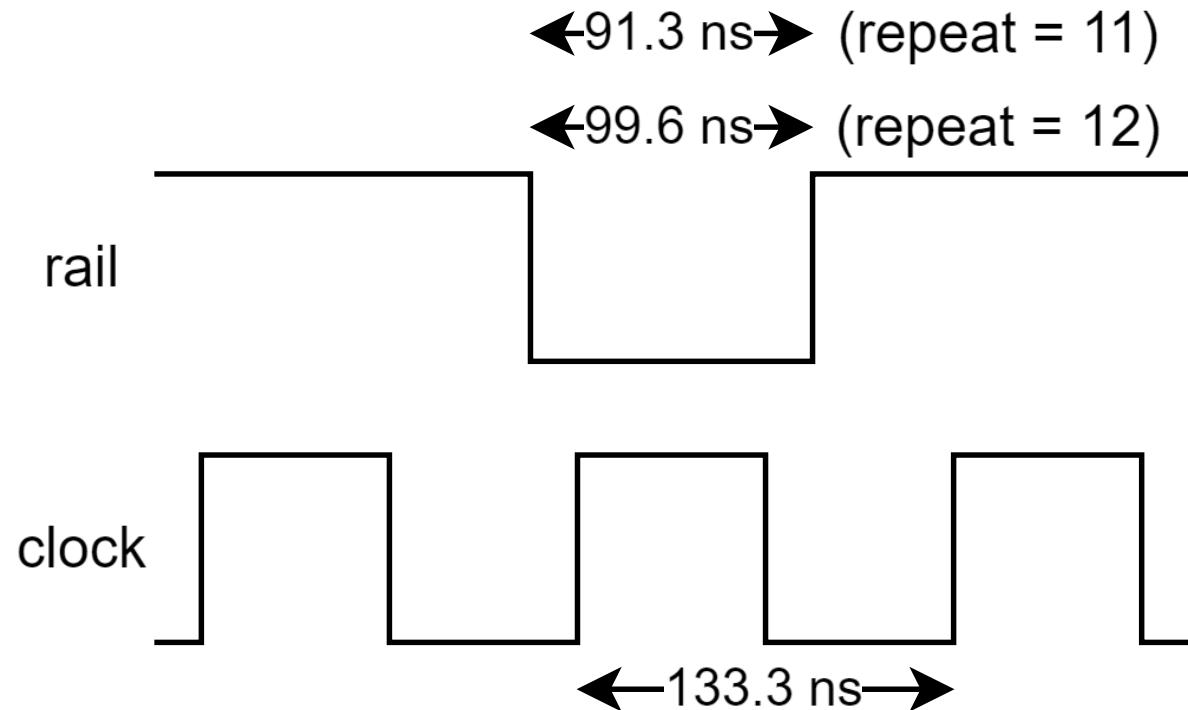
ext_offset setting: 750.0



Speculation (*from Part A*)

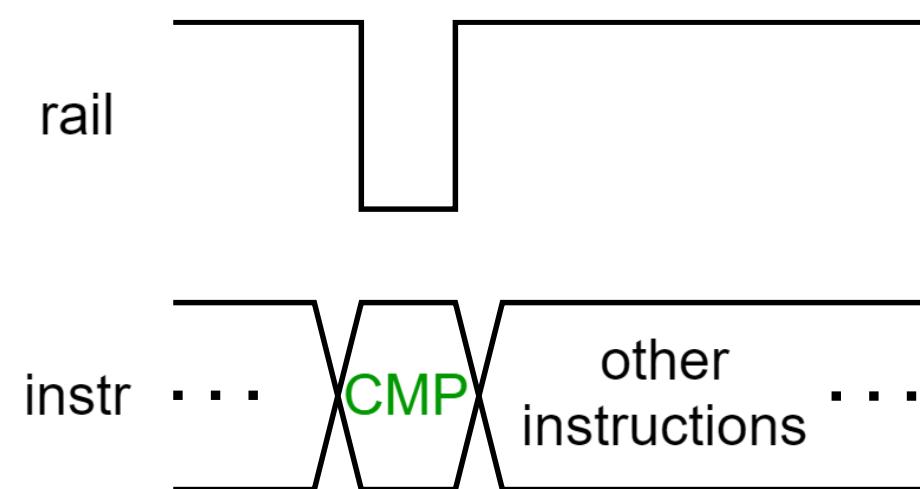
repeat

Typically, **11** or **12**



ext_offset

Wild range, between **50** and **950**



Part B: Bypassing the password

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gc.set_range("repeat", 11, 13)  
gc.set_range("ext_offset", 500, 600)
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from importlib import reload  
import chipwhisperer.common.results.glitch as glitch  
from tqdm.notebook import tqdm  
import re  
import struct  
  
### YOUR CODE HERE ###  
# TODO: Successfully glitch and attack the password check code to allow you to break into the device.  
# After a successful attempt, you may break from your loop and stop (so only 1 success is required)  
  
g_step = 1  
  
gc.set_global_step(g_step)  
gc.set_range("repeat", 11, 13)  
gc.set_range("ext_offset", 400, 1500)  
  
gc.set_global_step(1)  
  
reboot_flush()  
sample_size = 1  
scope.glitch.repeat = 0  
broken = False
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Success (Part B)

Only one success: Break after
successful glitching

success co...	<input type="text" value="1"/>
reset count:	<input type="text" value="1343"/>
normal count:	<input type="text" value="200566"/>
repeat setti...	<input type="range" value="12.0"/>
ext_offset s...	<input type="range" value="519.0"/>

Successful Glitching at Repeat : 12, External Offset : 518

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{'valid': True, 'payload': Cwbytearray(b'01'), 'full_response': Cwbytearray(b'00 72 01 01 d4 00'), 'rv': bytearray(b'\x00')}\nCwbytearray(b'01')\n12 518
```



Questions?
Comments?
Concerns?