



# Slotted FOD using a triple Induction Balance for the hidden Tx case

Combining FO detection and NF Communication

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# From WPC 1904:

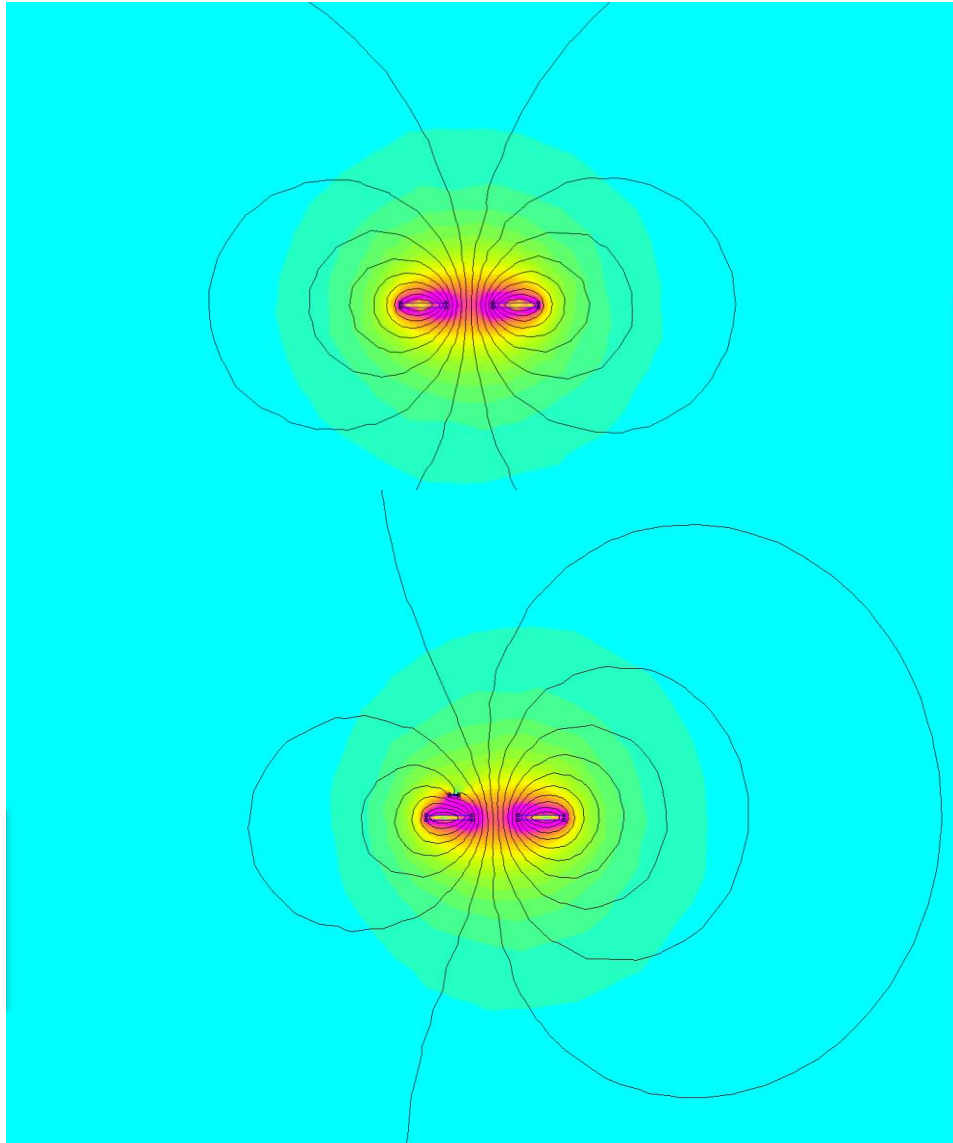


- Philips proposed a **FOD method**, based on a triple Induction Balance, that can utilize a FOD slot
- The **FOD slot** alternates with the communications slot as described in the joint specification

## Next step: NFC + FOD

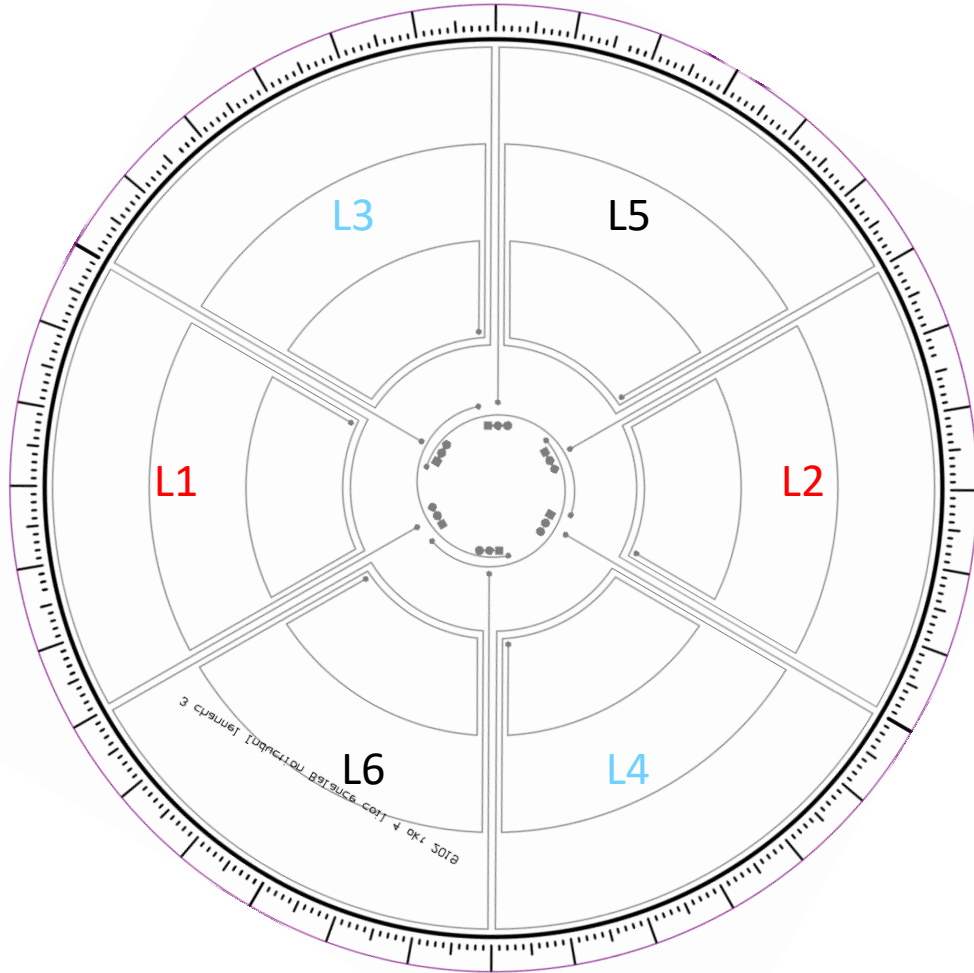
- To combine slotted FOD with slotted NFC
- To demonstrate slotted FOD, based on the Induction Balance (IB) principle, in combination with NFC

# From WPC 1904: Induction Balance Principle



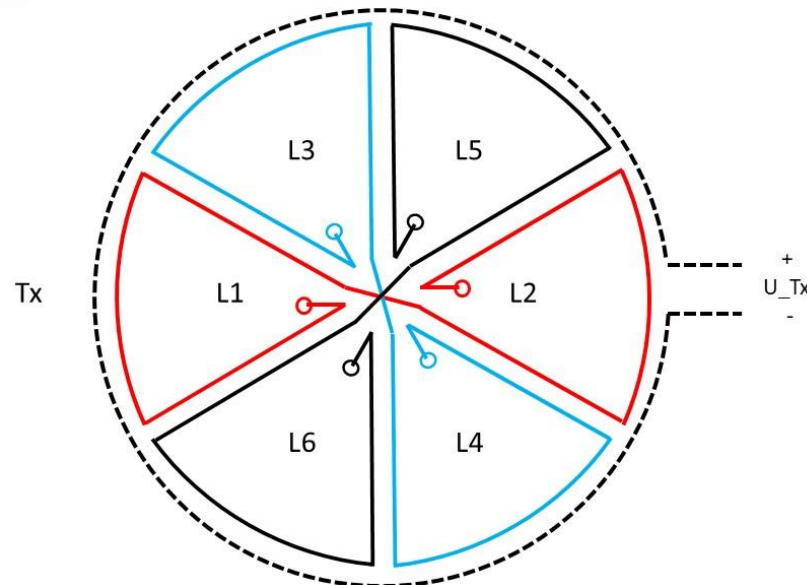
- Main magnetic field created by Tx coil
- Flux lines are bent due to the foreign object because:
  - Local change of permeability
  - Eddy currents induced in the Foreign Object
- Difference in flux density can be measured by an Induction Balance

# From WPC 1904: Triple Induction Balance set-up (1)

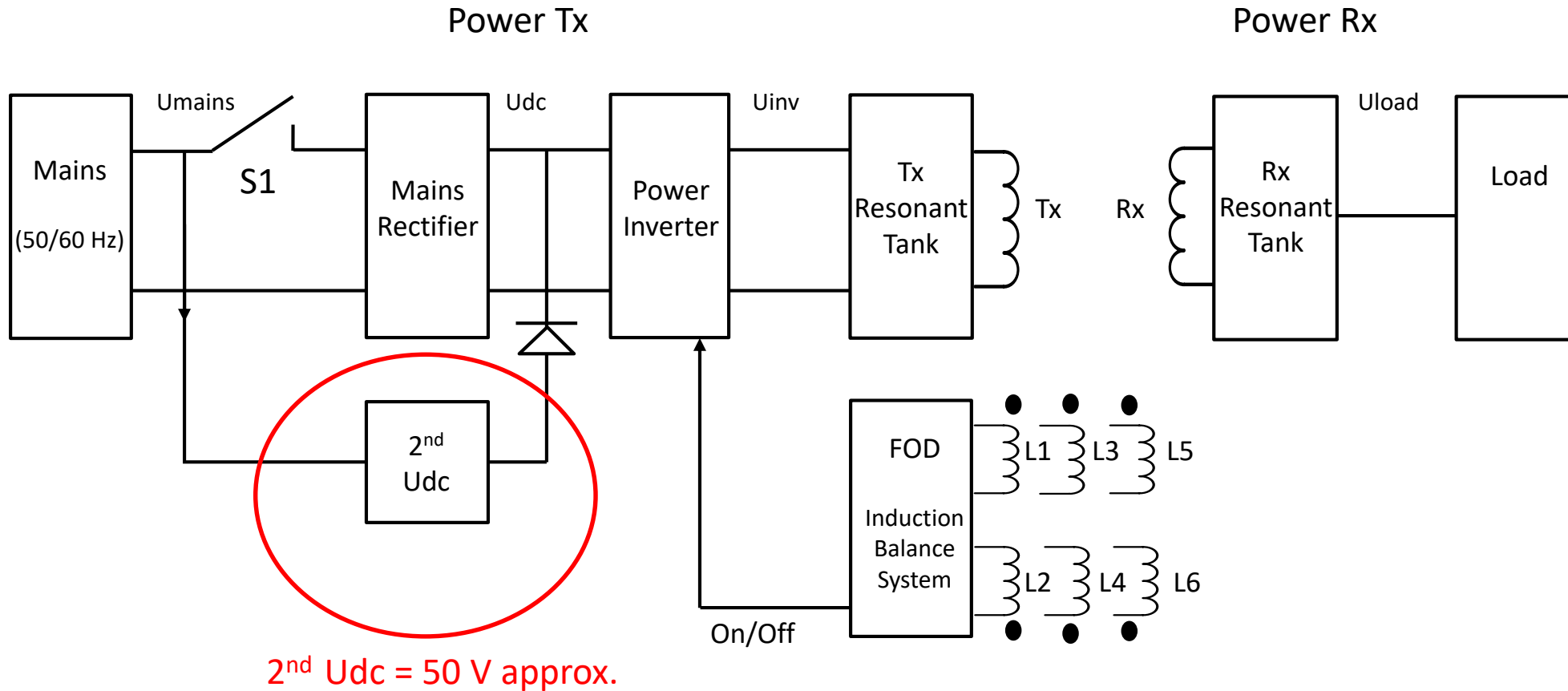


To avoid noise pick-up and a-symmetry:

- Terminals of FO detection coils  $L_1$  to  $L_6$  moved to centre of the Tx coil
- The current through the FO detection coils is measured, not the voltage across the terminals



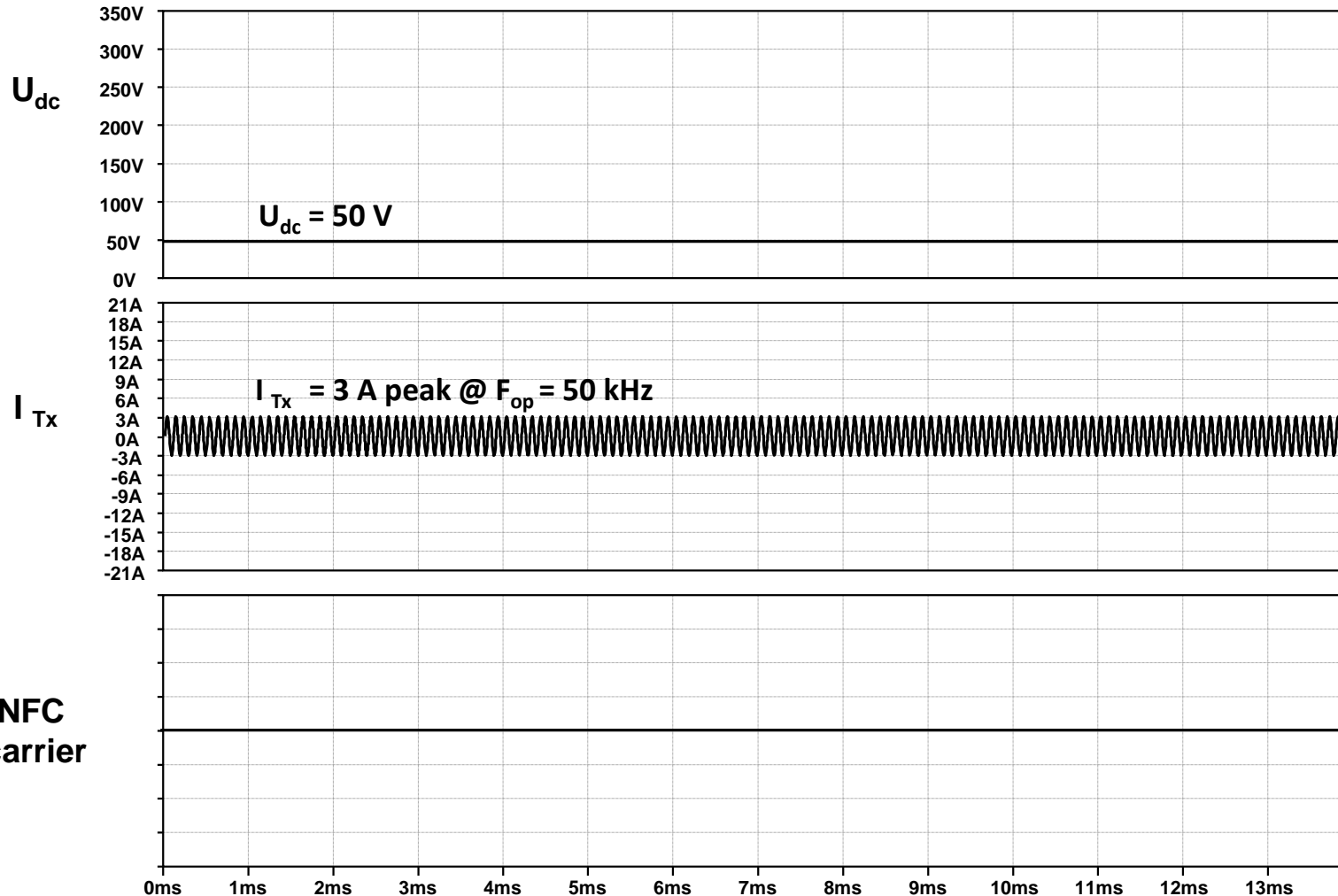
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# From WPC1904: Wave forms 1<sup>st</sup> experimental setup



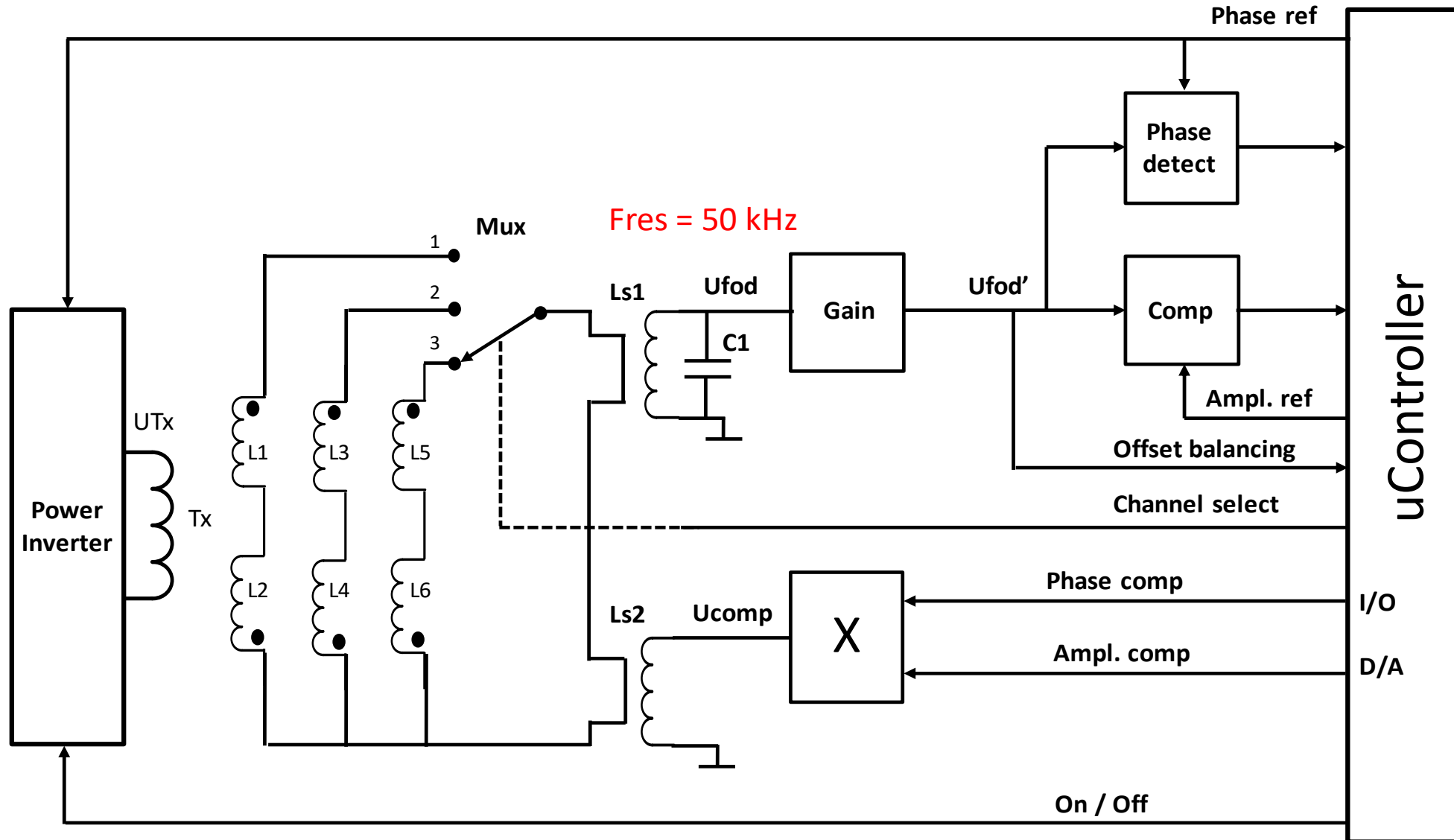
S1 open



No NFC & FOD slot's yet, but:

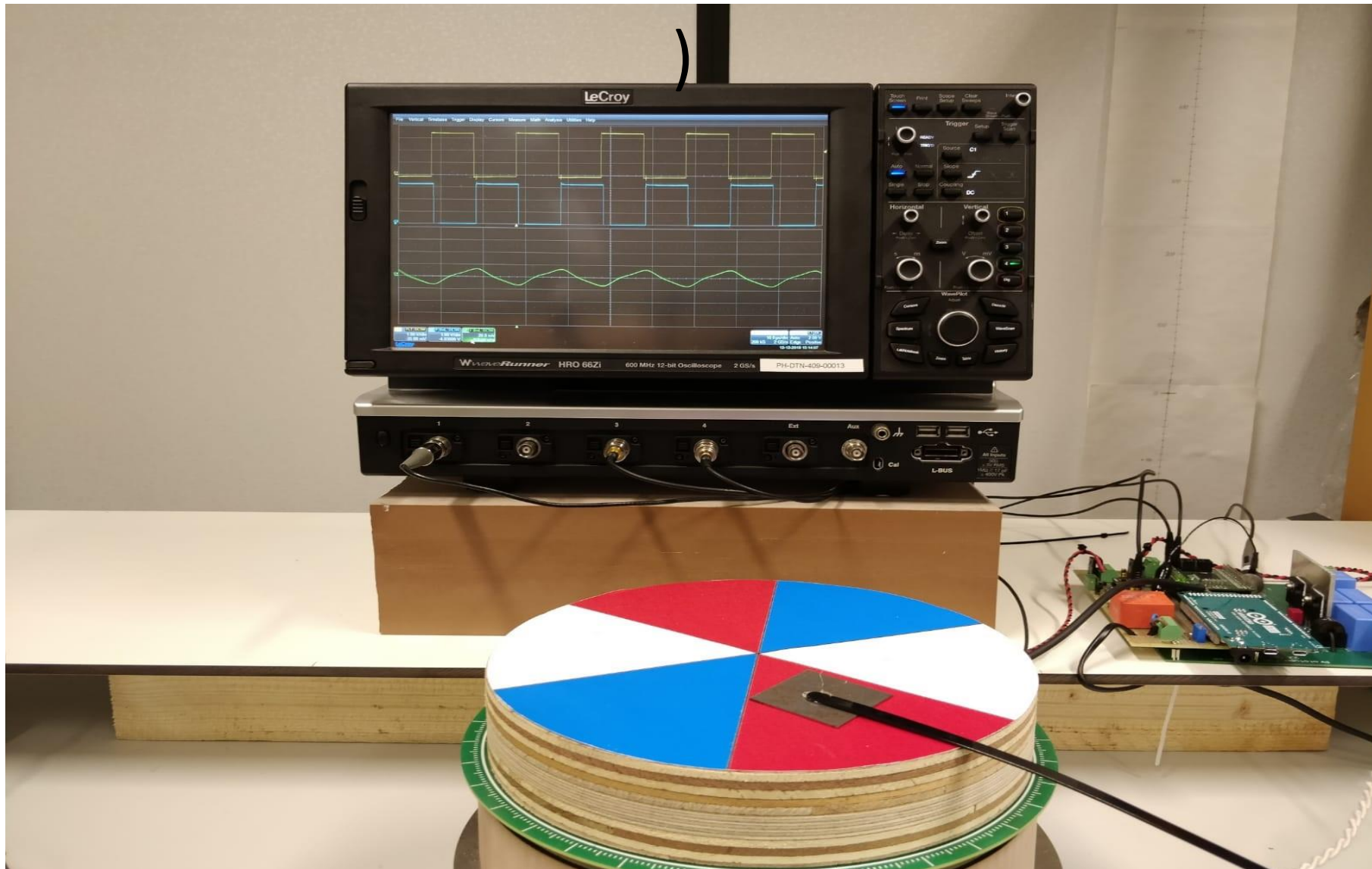
- Inverter is active
- $U_{dc} = 50\text{ V}$  -> constant FOD field
- PRx connected
- $F_{res} = 25\text{ kHz}$
- $F_{op} = 50\text{ kHz}$
- Power transfer at  $F_{op} = 50\text{ kHz}$  but has small effect on amplitude of  $I_{Tx}$
- No NFC carrier
- Offset nulling and FOD functionality was demonstrated

# From WPC 1904: Triple Induction Balance system

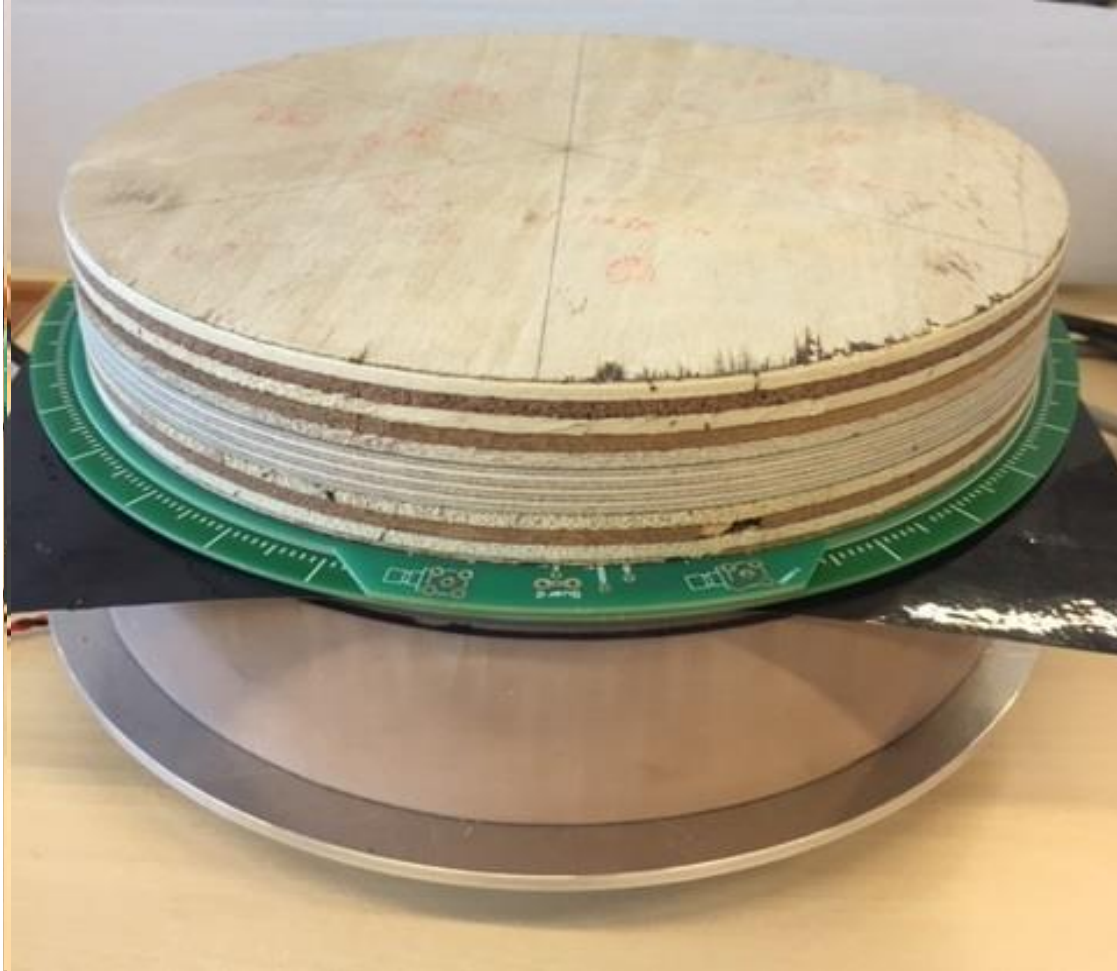




# From WPC1904: Picture 1<sup>st</sup> experimental setup



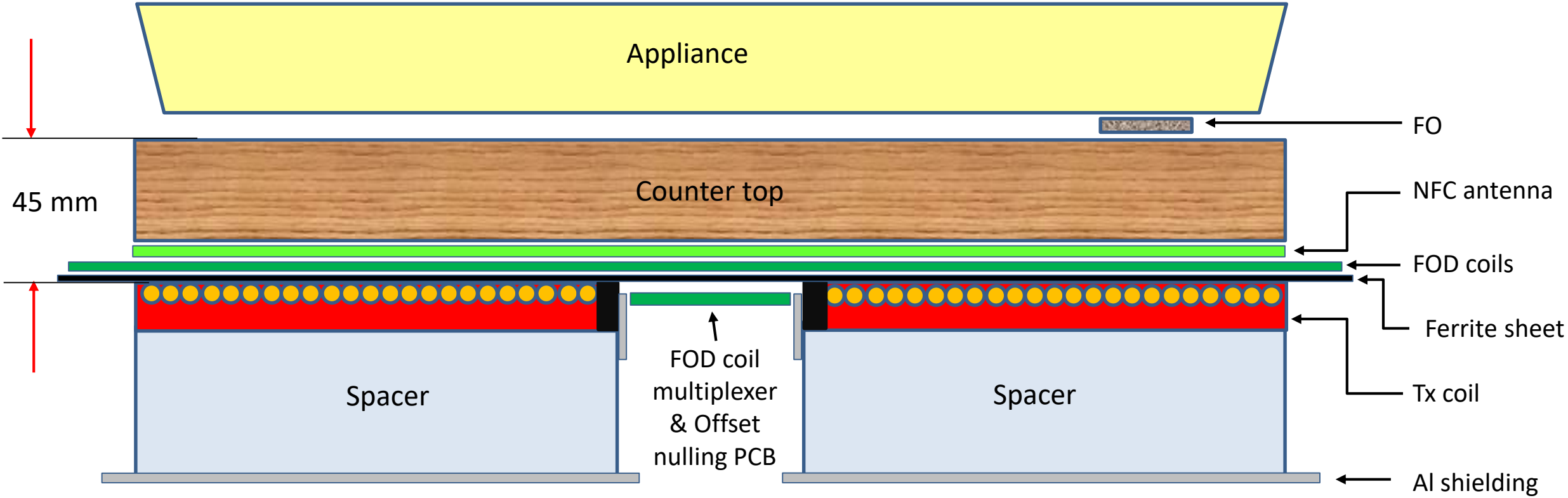
# NFC & FOD: FOD coils & NFC antenna assembly (1)



Magnetic coupling exist between FOD coils & NFC antenna -> Cross talk to be expected!!

- + 40 mm wooden “counter top” spacer
- + NFC Antenna
- + Triple induction balance FO detection coils
- + Ferrite sheet
- Al shield + spacer + Spiral Tx coil  
(because no ferrites used yet)

# NFC & FOD: FOD coils & NFC antenna assembly (2)

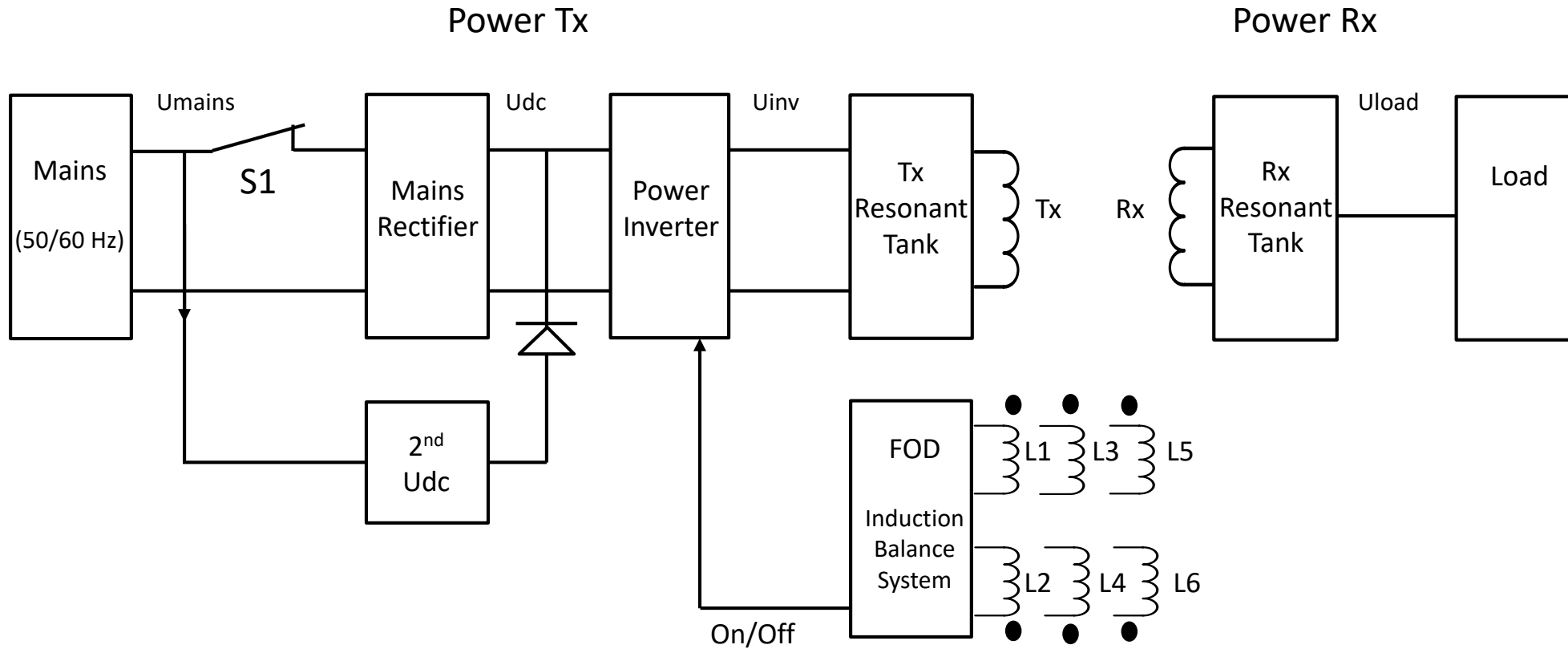


Ferrite sheet to avoid de-tuning & damping of the NFC link by the Tx coil

# NFC & FOD: Power Chain for cordless kitchen



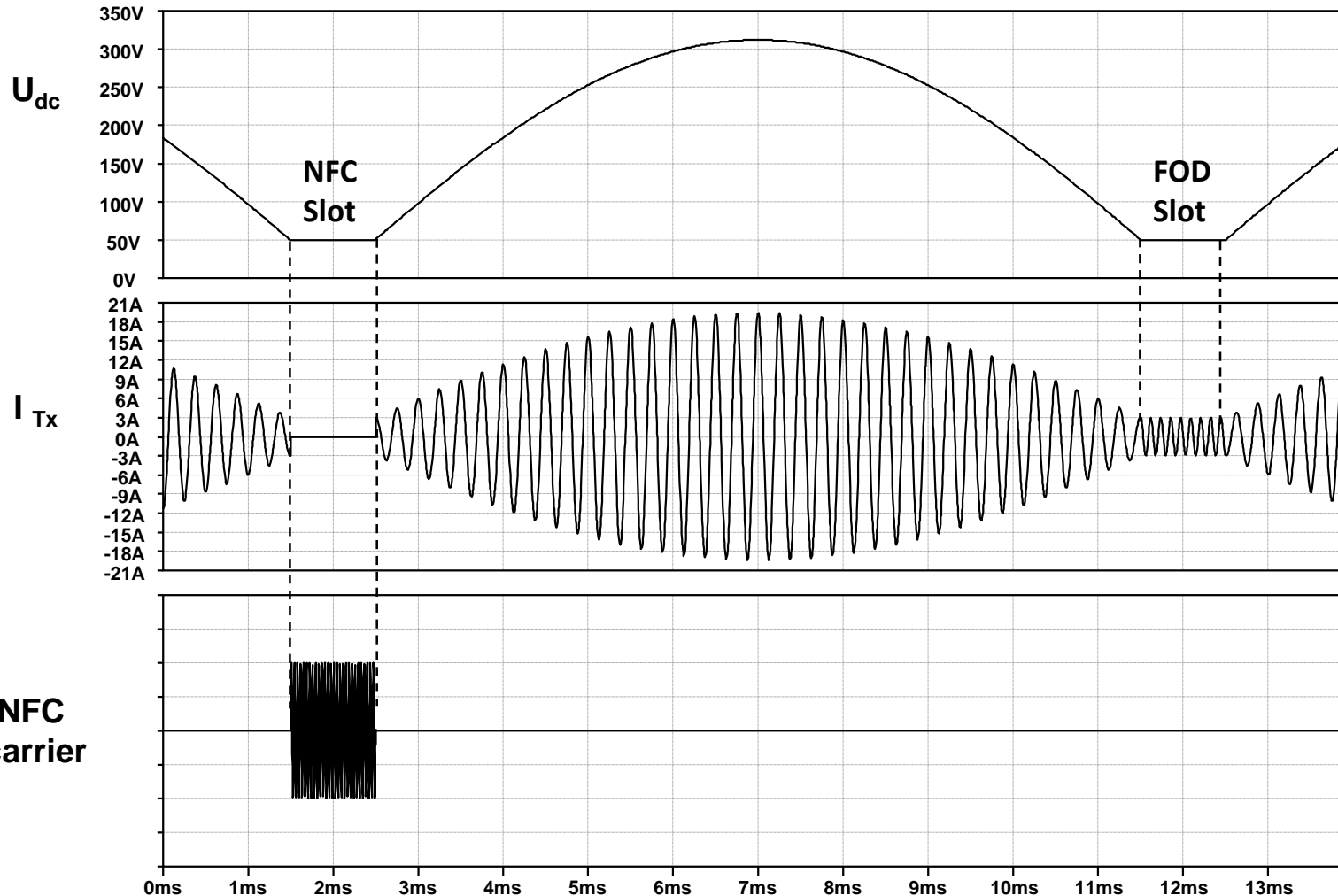
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# NFC & FOD: Wave forms with NFC & FOD slots



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During NFC slot:

- Inverter inactive
- No power transfer from PTx to PRx
- NFC between PTx and PRx

Between NFC & FOD slot

- Inverter active
- Power transfer at  $F_{op} = 22 - 35$  kHz
- $F_{res} = 25$  kHz

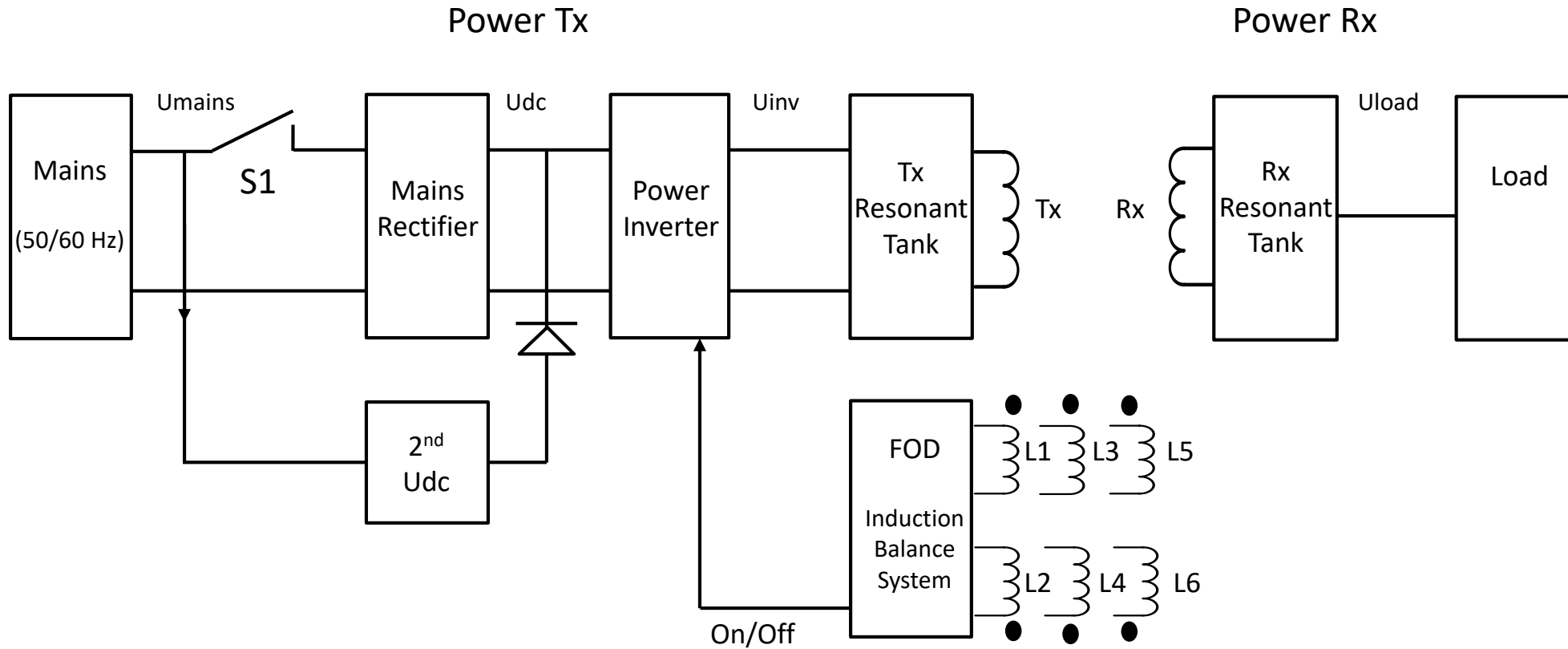
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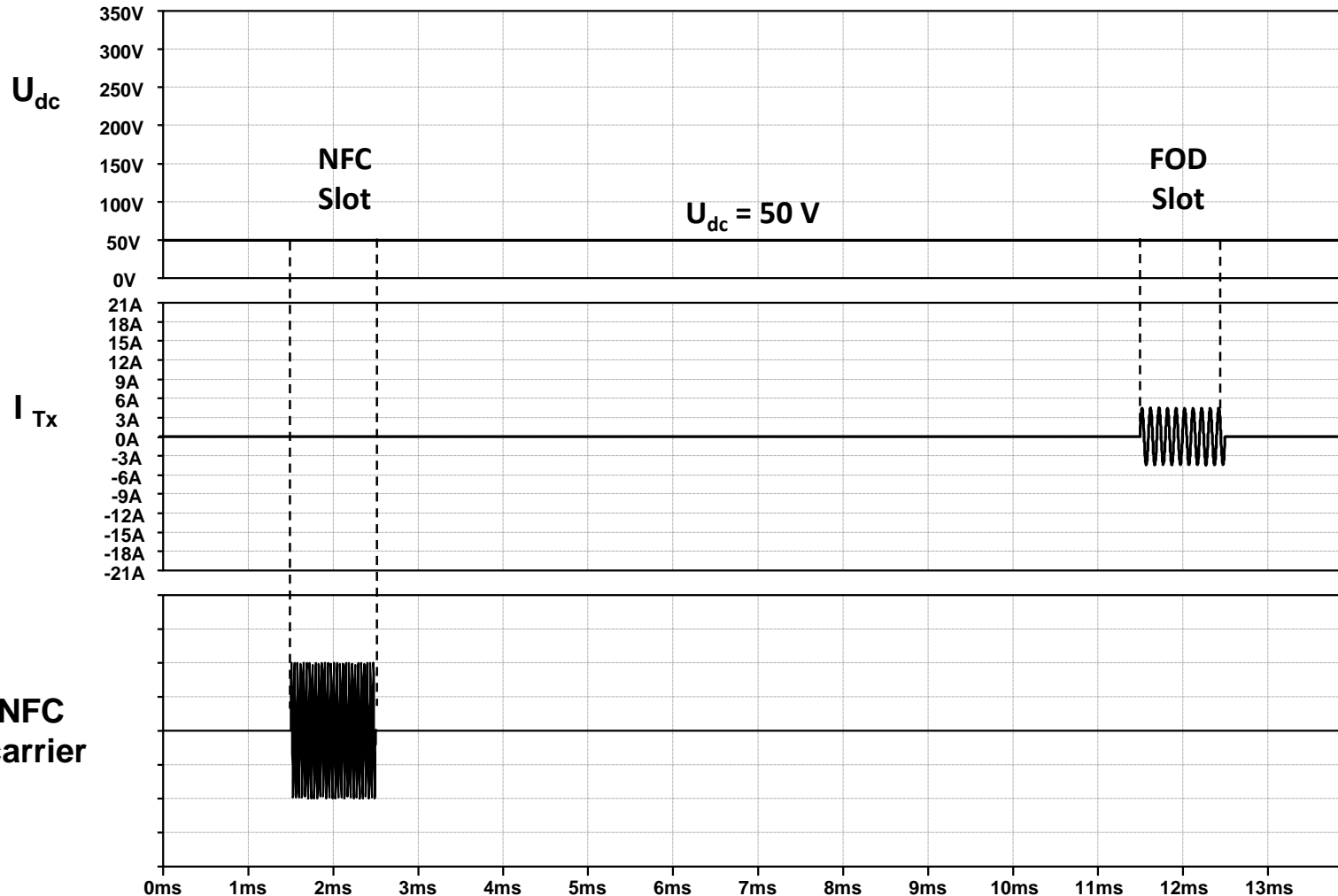
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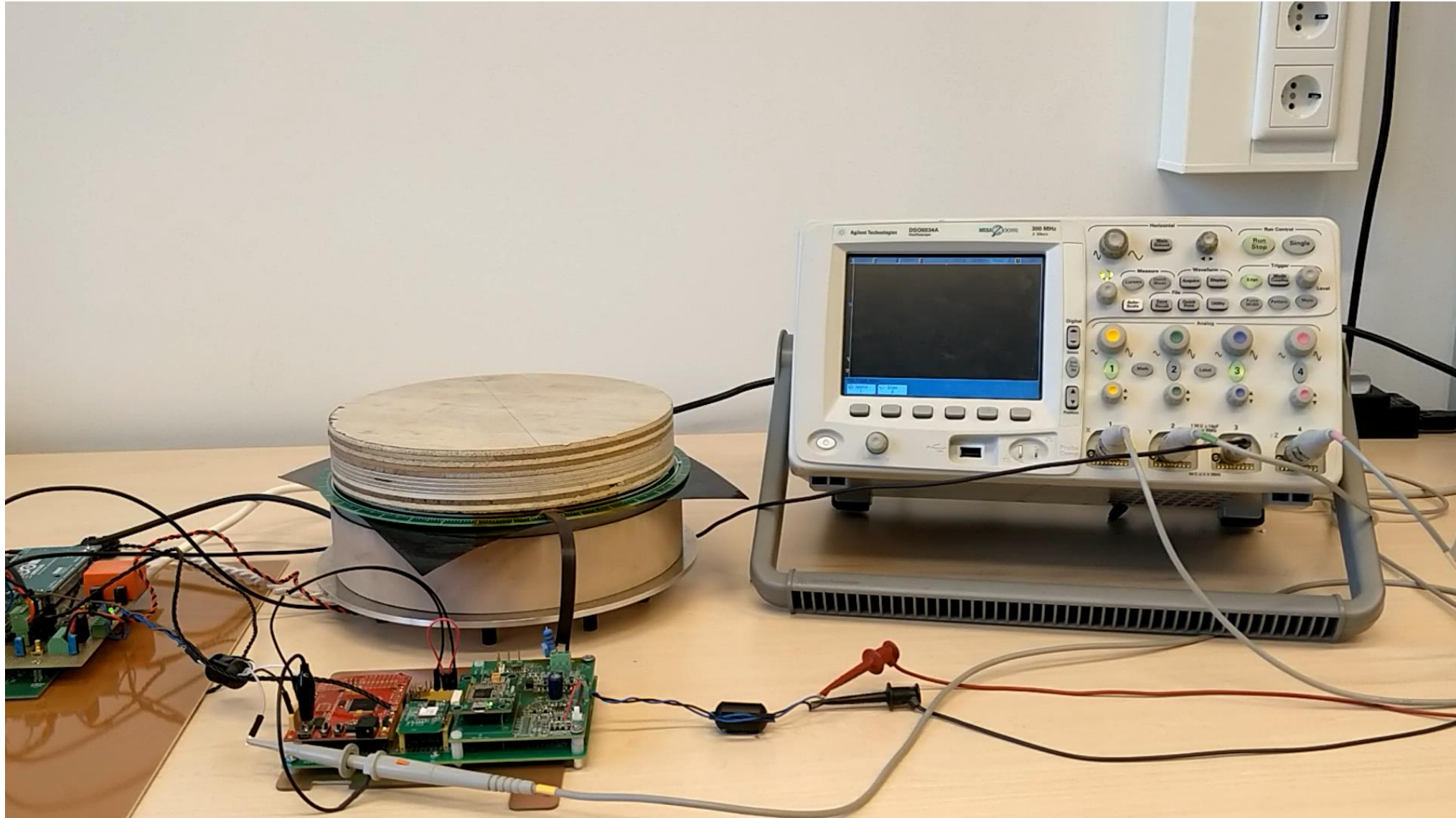
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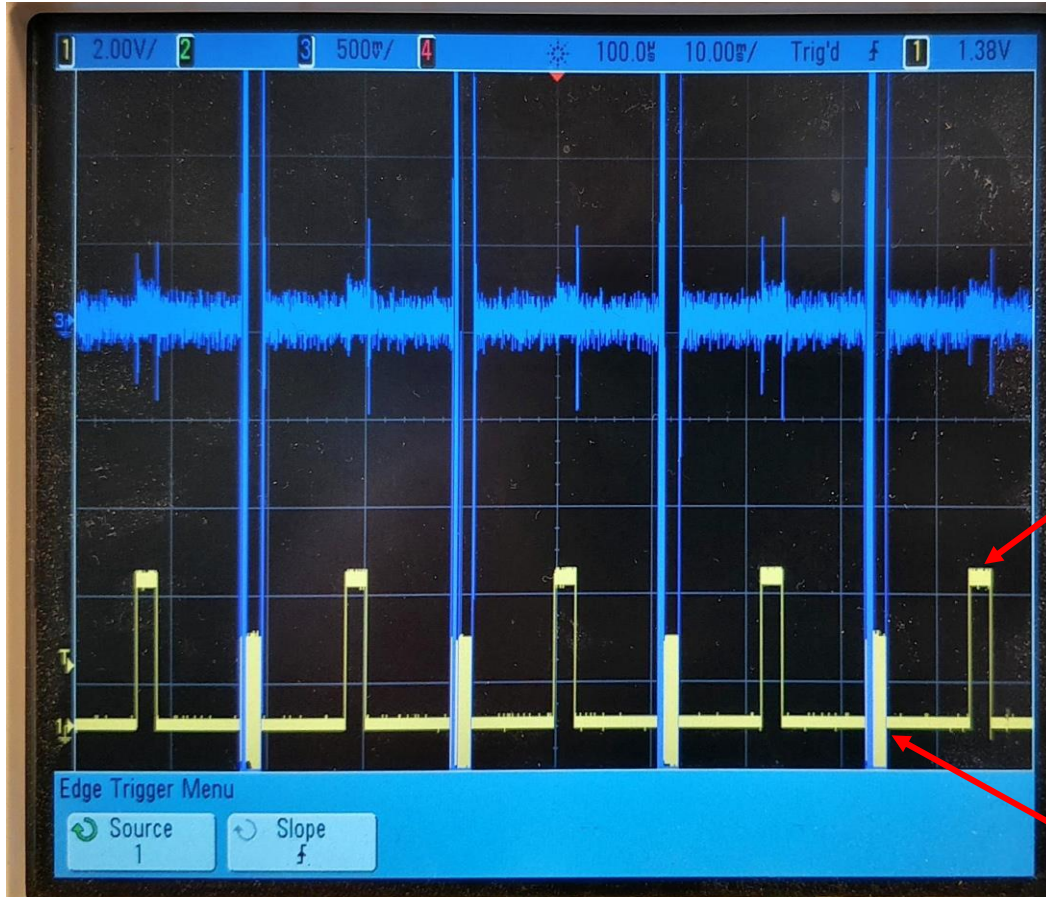


# FOD & NFC: Experimental results (1)

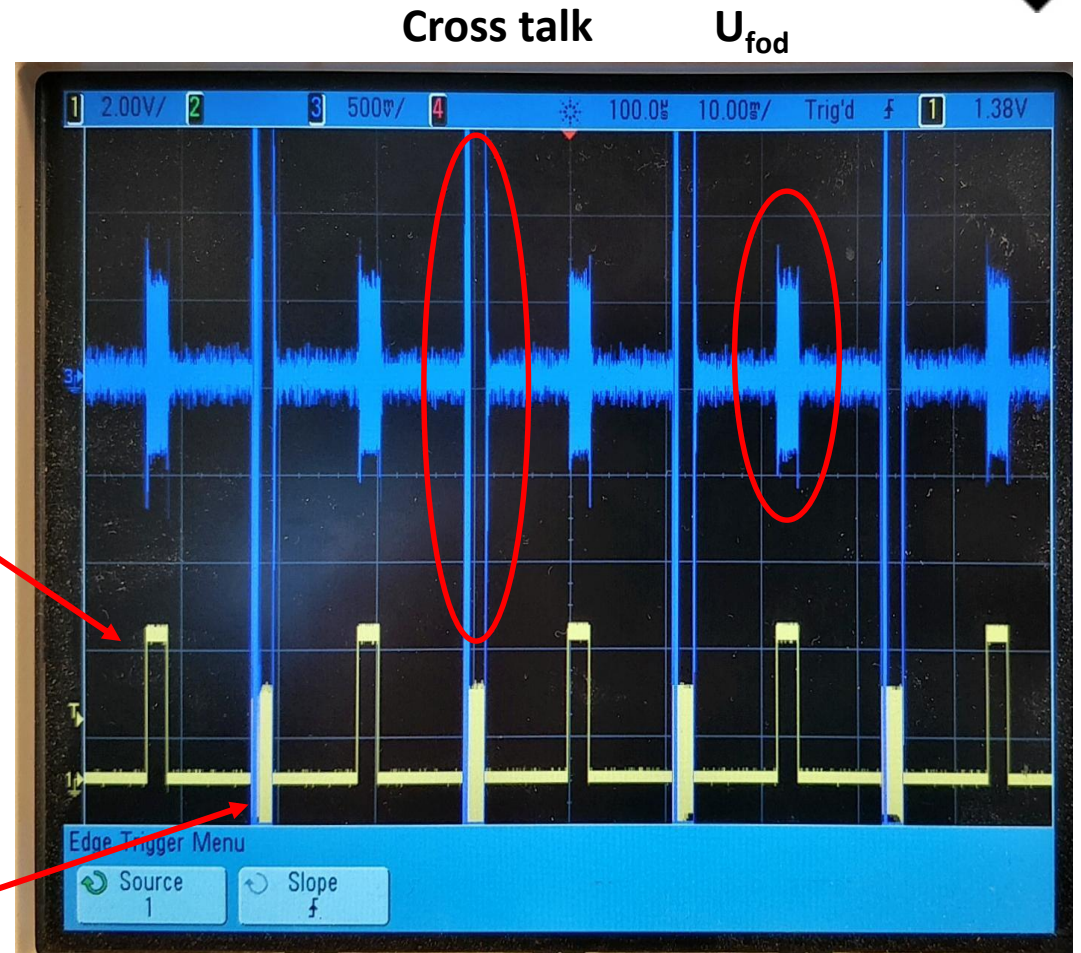




# FOD & NFC: Experimental results (2)



No FO



With FO

Ufod  
FOD slot  
NFC car.

# Conclusion



- Philips demonstrates a FOD method, based on the Induction Balance principle, that utilizes FOD slot's
- In the current test setup the FOD slot alternates with the NFC slot with a repetition rate of  $F_{\text{mains}}$
- The FOD slot repetition rate can be negotiated to alternate with the NFC slots as described in the joint specification
- The FOD coils and the NFC antenna can be combined in a single assembly

