Lab 3 – Adder

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1. Lab task:-

Designing a 4-bit Ripple Carry Adder(RCA).

First, we created a Half Adder. Then used it to create a Full adder. Then added full adder to IP catalogue so we can use it as an IP block. After that we created the 4-bit Ripple Carry Adder using FA blocks. Then ran simulation on it to make sure it functions correctly.

Truth tables

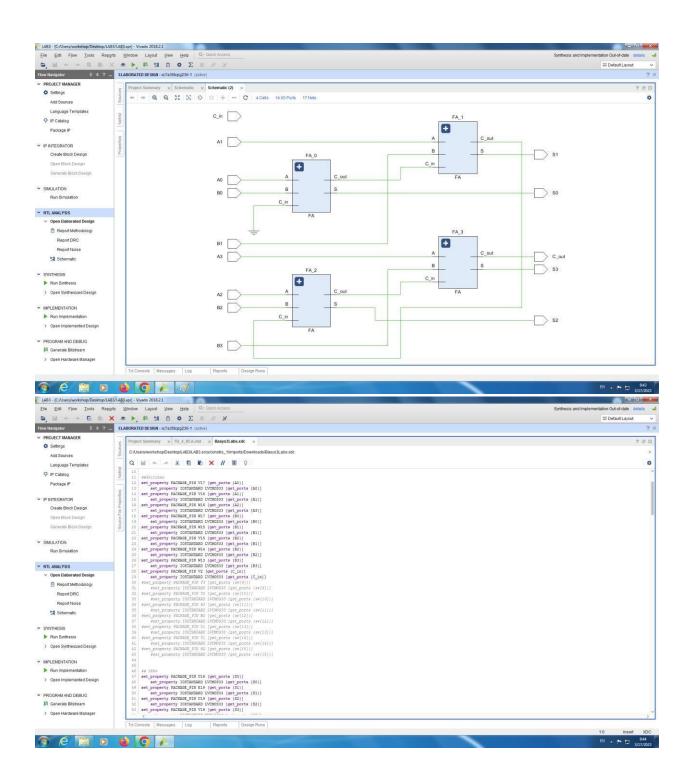
А	В	sum	carry
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1	1	0	1

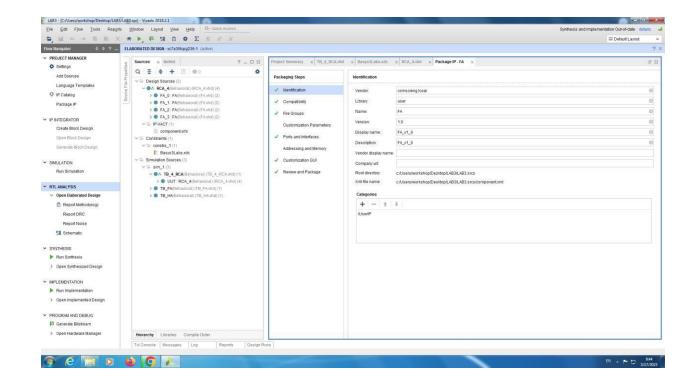
Sum = $A \oplus B$

Carry = A.B

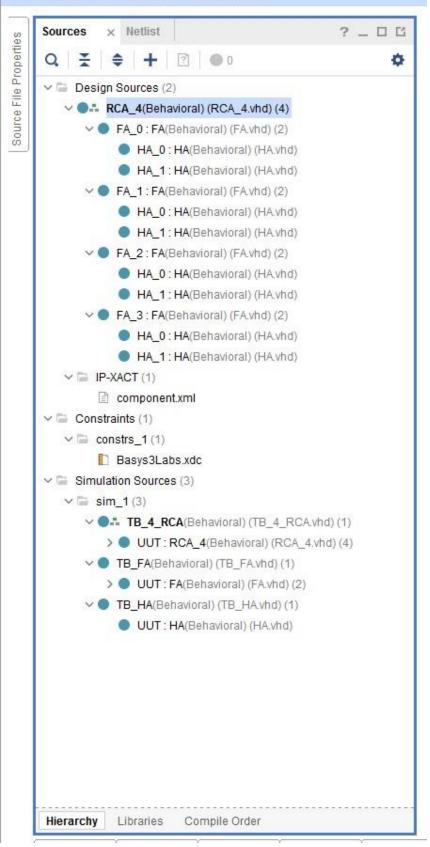
$$\begin{split} Sum = &A`.B`.C_{in} \ + \ A`.B.C_{in}` \ + \ A.B`.C_{in}` + \ A.B.C_{in} \\ = &A`(B`.C_{in} + B.C_{in}`) + A(B`.C_{in}` + B.C_{in}) \\ = &A \oplus B \oplus C_{in} \\ C_{out} = &A`.B.C_{in} + A.B.C_{in}` + A.B`.C_{in} + A.B.C_{in} \\ = &A.B + C_{In}(A \oplus B) \end{split}$$

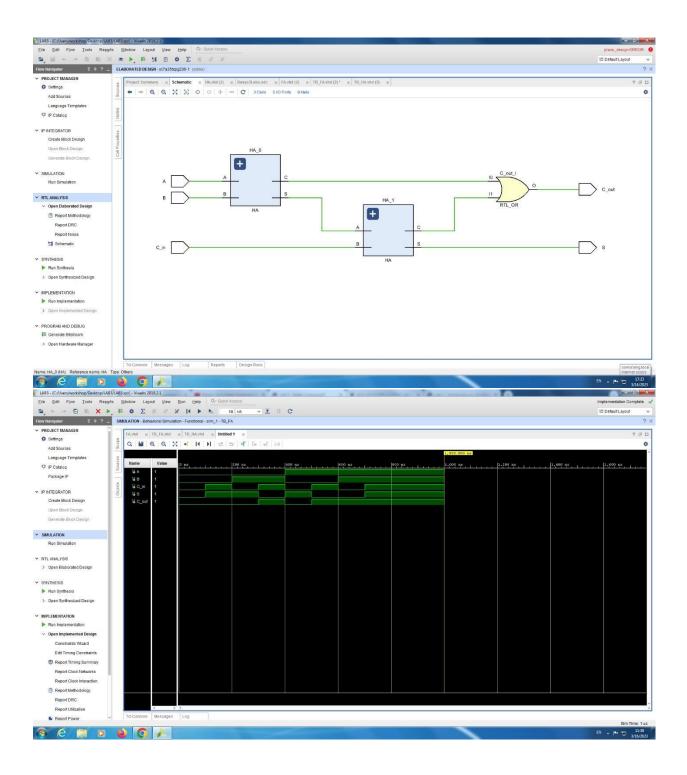
A	В	Cin	Sum	Cout
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	1	0
1	0	0	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
0	1	1	0	1
1	0	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1

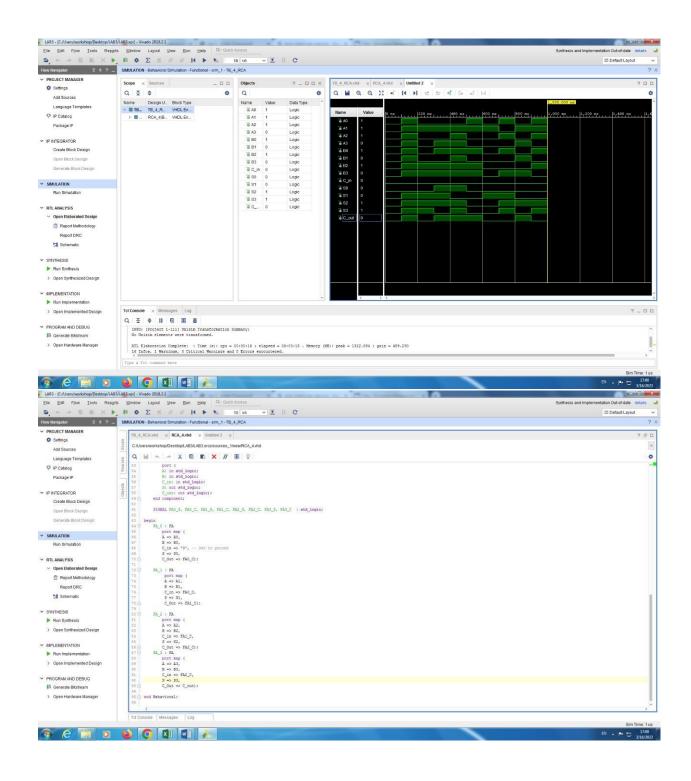


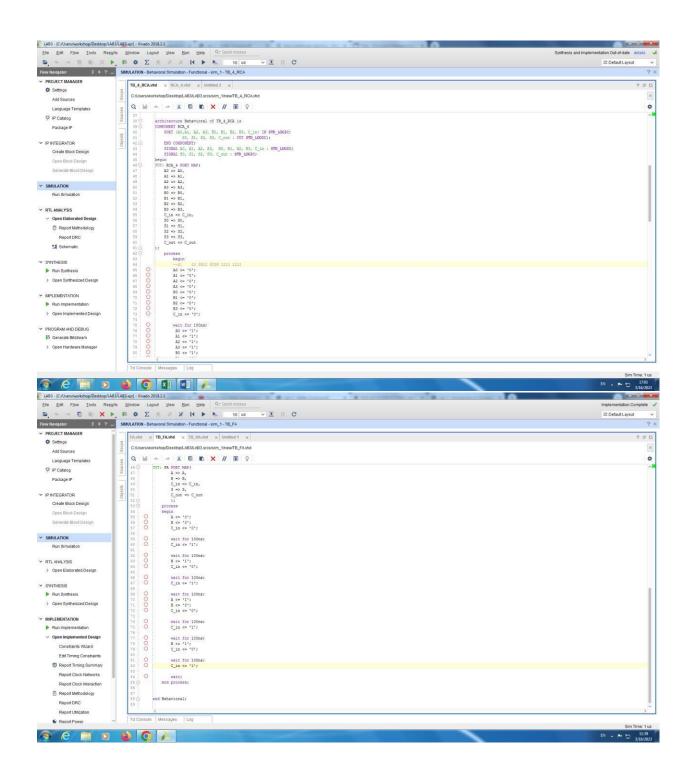


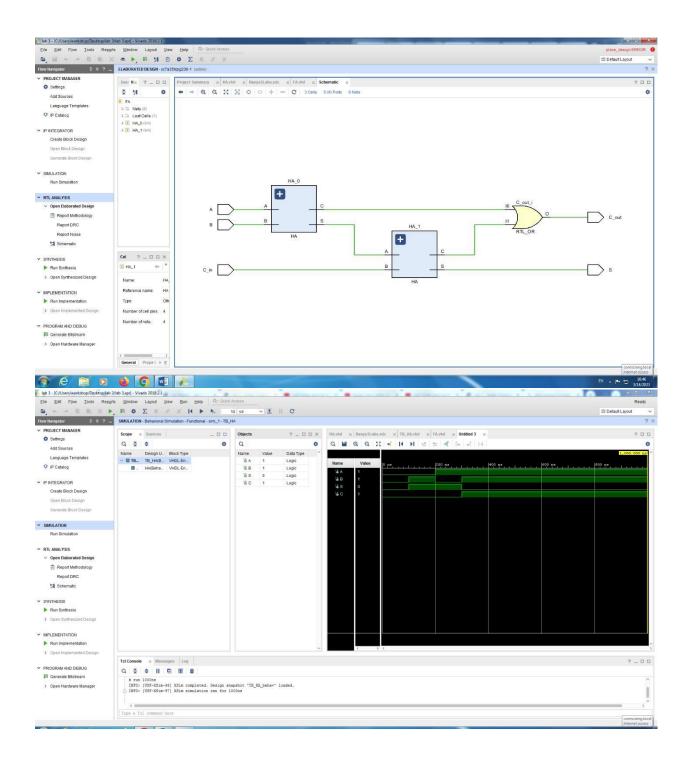
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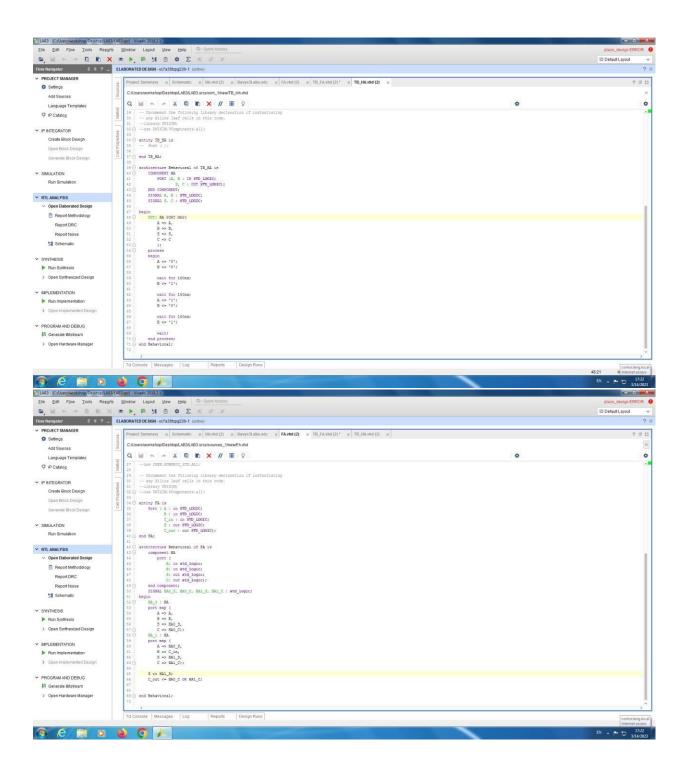


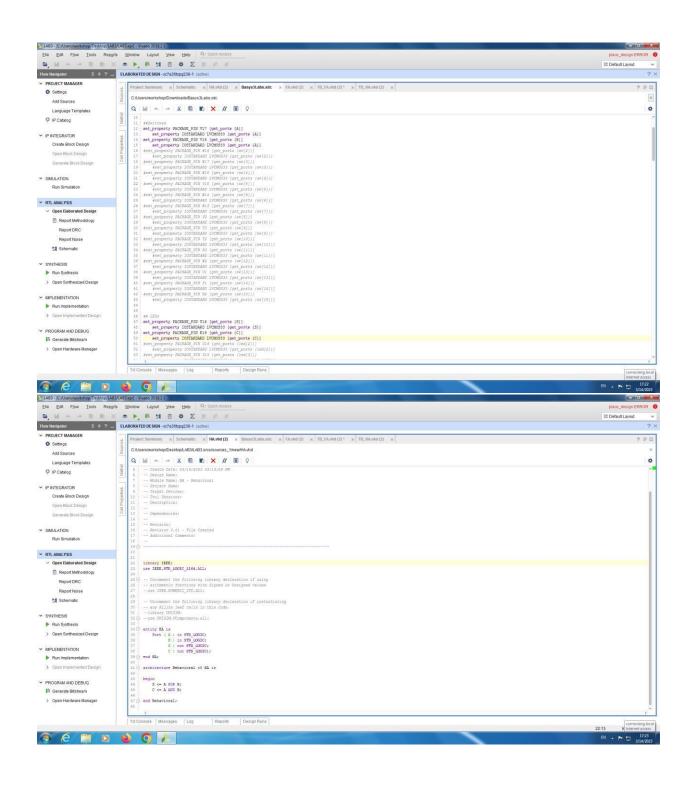












Some of the input combinations result in a carry bit. So we can't represent that by only 4 LEDs, because they represent only the 4bits of the result. So we need LD15 to represent the carry bit.

Conclusion

We learned that we can create 4 bit adder using FAs. And also we can create even larger adders using FAs.