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IMAGE PROCESSING : FILTER FOR IMAGE

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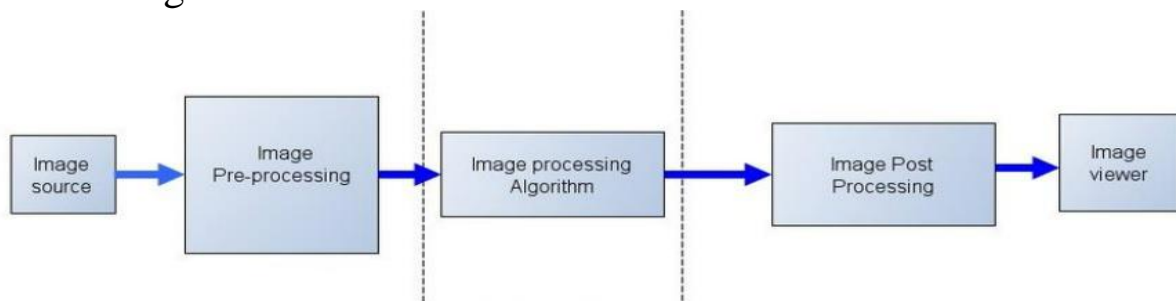
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CHAPTER 1: GENERAL INTRODUCTION

1.1 What is image embossing?

Image embossing is a computer graphics technique in which each pixel of an image is replaced either by a highlight or a shadow. Low contrast areas are replaced by a high color. The filtered image will represent the rate of color change at each location of the original image.

1.2 Design flow:



1.3 Technical detail:

To apply the embossing effect, a convolution operation is performed between the image and an embossing mask or kernel.

- Mask: The embossing mask is a matrix or a small filter that specifies how the pixels in the image should be adjusted to achieve the desired effect.

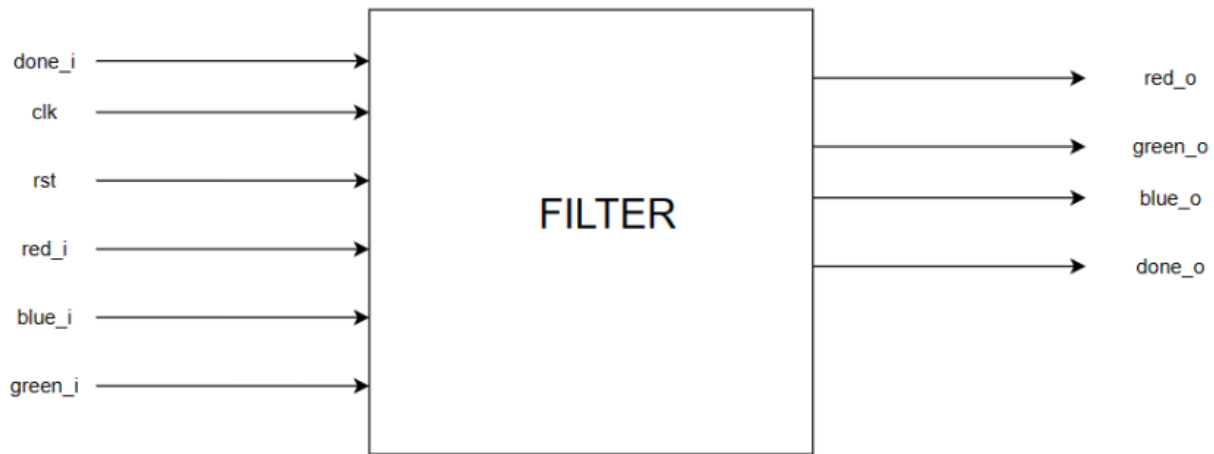
The emboss filter, also called a directional difference filter, will enhance edges in the direction of the selected convolution masks. When the emboss filter is applied, the filter matrix is in convolution calculation with the same square area on the original image.

A few basic masks:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

CHAPTER 2: THE STEPS TO IMPLEMENTING THE SYSTEM

2.1 Design modules:



STT	Signals	Width	I/O	Describe
1	clk	1 bit	input	The clk signal is used to synchronize operations
2	rst	1 bit	input	Reset the module to its initial state
3	done_i	1 bit	input	Start creating the data area to calculate matrix
4	red_i	8 bit	input	The value of 1 pixel is from 0 to 255
5	blue_i	8 bit	input	The value of 1 pixel is from 0 to 255
6	green_i	8 bit	input	The value of 1 pixel is from 0 to 255
7	red_o	8 bit	output	The value of 1 pixel is from 0 to 255 after being calculated

8	green_o	8 bit	output	The value of 1 pixel is from 0 to 255 after being calculated
9	blue_o	8 bit	output	The value of 1 pixel is from 0 to 255 after being calculated

2.2 Trigger condition for calculation:

P1	P2	P3		
P4	P5	P6		
P7	P8	P9		

ROW2BUFFER: Use 2 fifo and counter to load data into the first row and 2 pixels of the second row and black cells default to the value 0.

2.3 Demonstration of convolution between the original image and kernel matrix:

I(0,0)	I(1,0)	I(2,0)	I(3,0)	I(4,0)	I(5,0)	I(6,0)		
I(0,1)	I(1,1)	I(2,1)	I(3,1)	I(4,1)	I(5,1)	I(6,1)		
I(0,2)	I(1,2)	I(2,2)	I(3,2)	I(4,2)	I(5,2)	I(6,2)		
I(0,3)	I(1,3)	I(2,3)	I(3,3)	I(4,3)	I(5,3)	I(6,3)		
I(0,4)	I(1,4)	I(2,4)	I(3,4)	I(4,4)	I(5,4)	I(6,4)		
I(0,5)	I(1,5)	I(2,5)	I(3,5)	I(4,5)	I(5,5)	I(6,5)		
I(0,6)	I(1,6)	I(2,6)	I(3,6)	I(4,6)	I(5,6)	I(6,6)		

Input image

×

-2	-1	0
-1	1	1
0	1	2

Filter

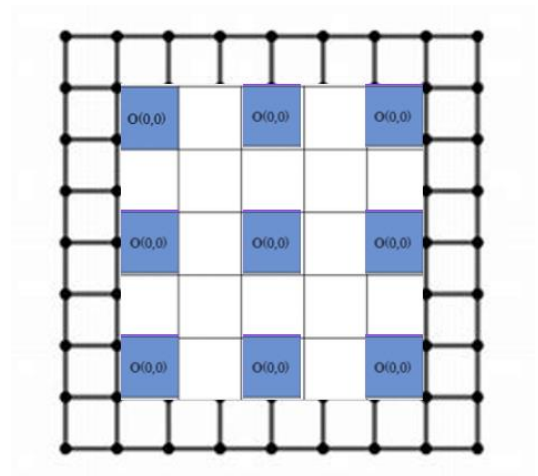
=

O(0,0)				

Output image

2.4 Working with pixels:

Checking pixels in every position:

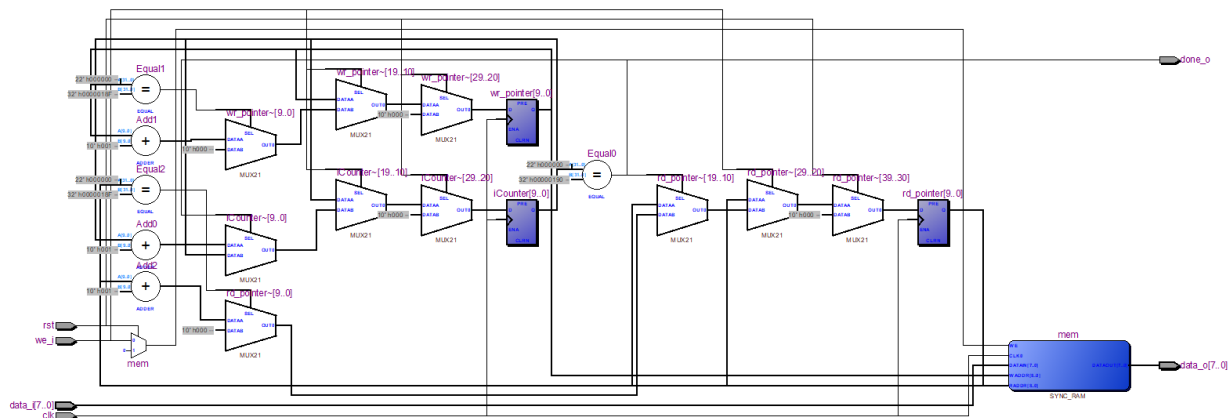


To emboss an image, we need different kernel matrices for different pixel of the image since the corner pixels and edge pixels have less neighboring pixels than those inside.

In this project, we make the embossing filter will enhance edges in diagonal direction from left to right and downward. There are a total of 9 cases where the matrix will be calculated differently, and those 9-case range squares will default to the value 0

2.5 System overview:

FIFO:

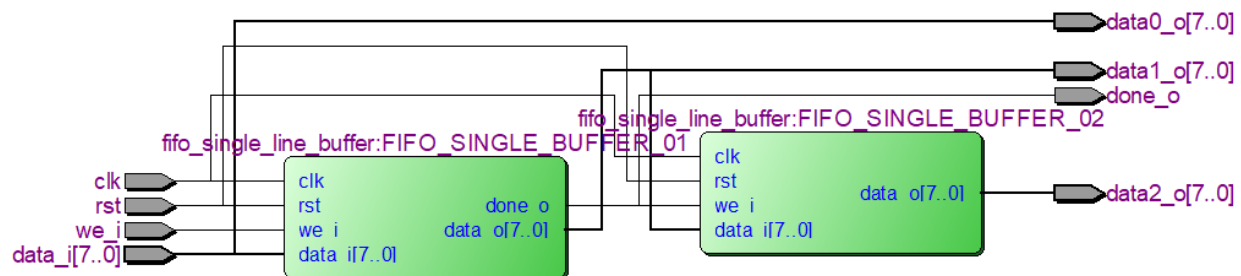


```

1 module fifo_double_line_buffer(
2     input clk,
3     input rst,
4
5     input we_i,
6     input [7:0] data_i,
7
8     output [7:0] data0_o,
9     output [7:0] data1_o,
10    output [7:0] data2_o,
11
12    output done_o
13 );
14
15 wire [7:0] fifo1_data, fifo2_data;
16 wire fifo1_done, fifo_done;
17
18 assign data0_o = data_i;
19 assign data1_o = fifo1_data;
20 assign data2_o = fifo2_data;
21
22 assign done_o = fifo1_done;
23
24 fifo_single_line_buffer FIFO_SINGLE_BUFFER_01(
25     .clk(clk),
26     .rst(rst),
27
28     .we_i(we_i),
29     .data_i(data_i),
30
31     .data_o(fifo1_data),
32     .done_o(fifo1_done)
33 );
34
35 fifo_single_line_buffer FIFO_SINGLE_BUFFER_02(
36     .clk(clk),
37     .rst(rst),
38
39     .we_i(fifo1_done),
40     .data_i(fifo1_data),
41
42     .data_o(fifo2_data),
43     .done_o(fifo2_done)
44 );
45
46
47 endmodule

```

FIFO_DOUBLE_LINE_BUFFER:



```

1  module fifo_double_line_buffer(
2      input clk,
3      input rst,
4
5      input we_i,
6      input [7:0] data_i,
7
8      output [7:0] data0_o,
9      output [7:0] data1_o,
10     output [7:0] data2_o,
11
12     output done_o
13 );
14
15 wire [7:0] fifol_data,fifo2_data;
16 wire fifol_done, fifo_done;
17
18 assign data0_o = data_i;
19 assign data1_o = fifol_data;
20 assign data2_o = fifo2_data;
21
22 assign done_o = fifol_done;
23
24 fifo_single_line_buffer FIFO_SINGLE_BUFFER_01(
25     .clk(clk),
26     .rst(rst),
27
28     .we_i(we_i),
29     .data_i(data_i),
30
31     .data_o(fifol_data),
32     .done_o(fifol_done)
33 );
34
35 fifo_single_line_buffer FIFO_SINGLE_BUFFER_02(
36     .clk(clk),
37     .rst(rst),
38
39     .we_i(fifol_done),
40     .data_i(fifol_data),
41
42     .data_o(fifo2_data),
43     .done_o(fifo2_done)
44 );
45
46
47 endmodule

```


Data_modulate :



```
1 module data_modulate(  
2     input clk,  
3     input rst,  
4  
5     input [7:0] d0_i,  
6     input [7:0] d1_i,  
7     input [7:0] d2_i,  
8  
9     input done_i,  
10  
11     output reg [7:0] d0_o,  
12     output reg [7:0] d1_o,  
13     output reg [7:0] d2_o,  
14     output reg [7:0] d3_o,  
15     output reg [7:0] d4_o,  
16     output reg [7:0] d5_o,  
17     output reg [7:0] d6_o,  
18     output reg [7:0] d7_o,  
19     output reg [7:0] d8_o,  
20  
21     output done_o  
22 );  
23 localparam ROWS = 400;  
24 localparam COLS = 400;  
25 reg [9:0] iRows,iCols;  
26 reg [7:0] iCounter;  
27 reg [7:0] data0,data1,data2,data3,data4,data5,data6,data7,data8;  
28  
29 assign done_o = (iCounter == 2) ? 1:0;  
30  
31 //ROW AND COL  
32 always@(posedge clk) begin
```

```

33   if(rst) begin
34       iRows <=0;
35       iCols <= 0;
36   end else begin
37       if(done_o == 1) begin
38           iCols <= (iCols == COLS - 1) ? 0 : iCols + 1;
39           if(iCols == COLS -1)
40               iRows <= (iRows == ROWS - 1) ? 0 : iRows + 1;
41       end
42   end
43 end
44
45 always@(*) begin
46     if(rst) begin
47         d0_o <= 0;
48         d1_o <= 0;
49         d2_o <= 0;
50         d3_o <= 0;
51         d4_o <= 0;
52         d5_o <= 0;
53         d6_o <= 0;
54         d7_o <= 0;
55         d8_o <= 0;
56     end else begin
57         //pos 1
58         if(done_o == 1) begin
59             if (iRows == 0 && iCols ==0) begin
60                 d0_o <= 0;
61                 d1_o <= 0;
62                 d2_o <= 0;
63
64                 d3_o <= 0;
65                 d4_o <= data4;
66                 d5_o <= data5;
67                 d6_o <= 0;
68                 d7_o <= data7;
69                 d8_o <= data8;
70             end
71             //pos 2
72             else if(iRows == 0 && iCols > 0 && iCols < COLS - 1) begin
73                 d0_o <= 0;
74                 d1_o <= 0;
75                 d2_o <= 0;
76                 d3_o <= data3;
77                 d4_o <= data4;
78                 d5_o <= data5;
79                 d6_o <= data6;
80                 d7_o <= data7;
81                 d8_o <= data8;
82             end
83             //pos 3
84             else if (iRows ==0 && iCols == COLS - 1) begin
85                 d0_o <= 0;
86                 d1_o <= 0;
87                 d2_o <= 0;
88                 d3_o <= data3;
89                 d4_o <= data4;
90                 d5_o <= 0;
91                 d6_o <= data6;
92                 d7_o <= data7;
93                 d8_o <= 0;

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```

94 //pos 4
95 else if (iRows > 0 && iRows < ROWS - 1 && iCols == 0) begin
96     d0_o <= 0;
97     d1_o <= data1;
98     d2_o <= data2;
99     d3_o <= 0;
100     d4_o <= data4;
101     d5_o <= data5;
102     d6_o <= 0;
103     d7_o <= data7;
104     d8_o <= data8;
105 end
106 //pos 5
107 else if (iRows > 0 && iRows < ROWS - 1 && iCols > 0 && iCols < COLS - 1 ) begin
108     d0_o <= data0;
109     d1_o <= data1;
110     d2_o <= data2;
111     d3_o <= data3;
112     d4_o <= data4;
113     d5_o <= data5;
114     d6_o <= data6;
115     d7_o <= data7;
116     d8_o <= data8;
117 end
118 //pos 6
119 else if (iRows > 0 && iRows < ROWS - 1 && iCols == COLS - 1) begin
120     d0_o <= data0;
121     d1_o <= data1;
122     d2_o <= 0;
123     d3_o <= data3;
124     d4_o <= data4;
125     d5_o <= 0;
126     d6_o <= data6;
127     d7_o <= data7;
128     d8_o <= 0;
129 end
130 //pos 7
131 else if ( iRows == ROWS - 1 && iCols == 0) begin
132     d0_o <= 0;
133     d1_o <= data1;
134     d2_o <= data2;
135     d3_o <= 0;
136     d4_o <= data4;
137     d5_o <= data5;
138     d6_o <= 0;
139     d7_o <= 0;
140     d8_o <= 0;
141 end
142 //pos 8
143 else if (iRows == ROWS - 1 && iCols > 0 && iCols < COLS - 1) begin
144     d0_o <= data0;
145     d1_o <= data1;
146     d2_o <= data2;
147     d3_o <= data3;
148     d4_o <= data4;
149     d5_o <= data5;
150     d6_o <= 0;
151     d7_o <= 0;
152     d8_o <= 0;

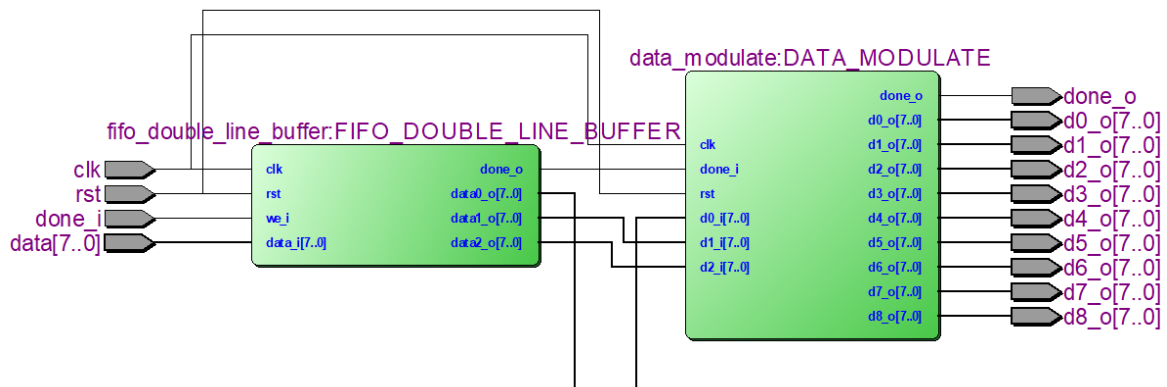
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153     end
154     //pos 9
155     else if (iRows == ROWS - 1 && iCols == COLS - 1) begin
156         d0_o <= data0;
157         d1_o <= data1;
158         d2_o <= 0;
159         d3_o <= data3;
160         d4_o <= data4;
161         d5_o <= 0;
162         d6_o <= 0;
163         d7_o <= 0;
164         d8_o <= 0;
165     end
166 end
167 end
168 end
169
170
171 always@(posedge clk) begin
172     if(rst) begin
173         iCounter <= 0;
174     end else begin
175         if(done_i ==1) begin
176             iCounter <= (iCounter == 2) ? iCounter : iCounter +1 ;
177         end
178     end
179 end
180
181 always@(posedge clk) begin
182     if(rst) begin
183         data0 <= 0;
184         data1 <= 0;
185         data2 <= 0;
186         data3 <= 0;
187         data4 <= 0;
188         data5 <= 0;
189         data6 <= 0;
190         data7 <= 0;
191         data8 <= 0;
192     end else begin
193         if(done_i) begin
194             data0 <= data1;
195             data1 <= data2;
196             data2 <= d2_i;
197
198             data3 <= data4;
199             data4 <= data5;
200             data5 <= d1_i;
201
202             data6 <= data7;
203             data7 <= data8;
204             data8 <= d0_i;
205         end
206     end
207 end
208
209 endmodule

```

DATA_BUFFER:



```

1 module data_buffer(
2     input clk,
3     input rst,
4     input [7:0] data,
5     input done_i,
6
7     output [7:0] d0_o,
8     output [7:0] d1_o,
9     output [7:0] d2_o,
10    output [7:0] d3_o,
11    output [7:0] d4_o,
12    output [7:0] d5_o,
13    output [7:0] d6_o,
14    output [7:0] d7_o,
15    output [7:0] d8_o,
16
17    output done_o
18 );
19
20 wire [7:0] double_line_fifo_data0;
21 wire [7:0] double_line_fifo_data1;
22 wire [7:0] double_line_fifo_data2;
23 wire double_line_fifo_done;
24
25
26 fifo_double_line_buffer FIFO_DOUBLE_LINE_BUFFER(
27     .clk(clk),
28     .rst(rst),
29
30     .we_i(done_i),
31     .data_i(data),
32

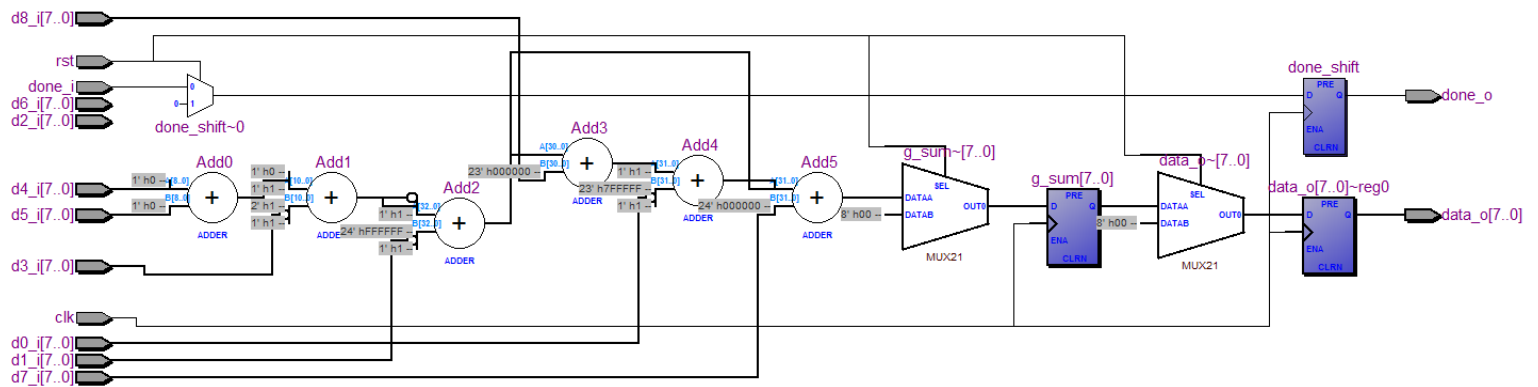
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33     .data0_o(double_line_fifo_data0),
34     .data1_o(double_line_fifo_data1),
35     .data2_o(double_line_fifo_data2),
36
37     .done_o(double_line_fifo_done)
38 );
39
40 data_modulate DATA_MODULATE(
41     .clk(clk),
42     .rst(rst),
43
44     .d0_i(double_line_fifo_data0),
45     .d1_i(double_line_fifo_data1),
46     .d2_i(double_line_fifo_data2),
47
48     .done_i(double_line_fifo_done),
49
50     .d0_o(d0_o),
51     .d1_o(d1_o),
52     .d2_o(d2_o),
53     .d3_o(d3_o),
54     .d4_o(d4_o),
55     .d5_o(d5_o),
56     .d6_o(d6_o),
57     .d7_o(d7_o),
58     .d8_o(d8_o),
59
60     .done_o(done_o)
61 );
62 endmodule

```

Calculation:

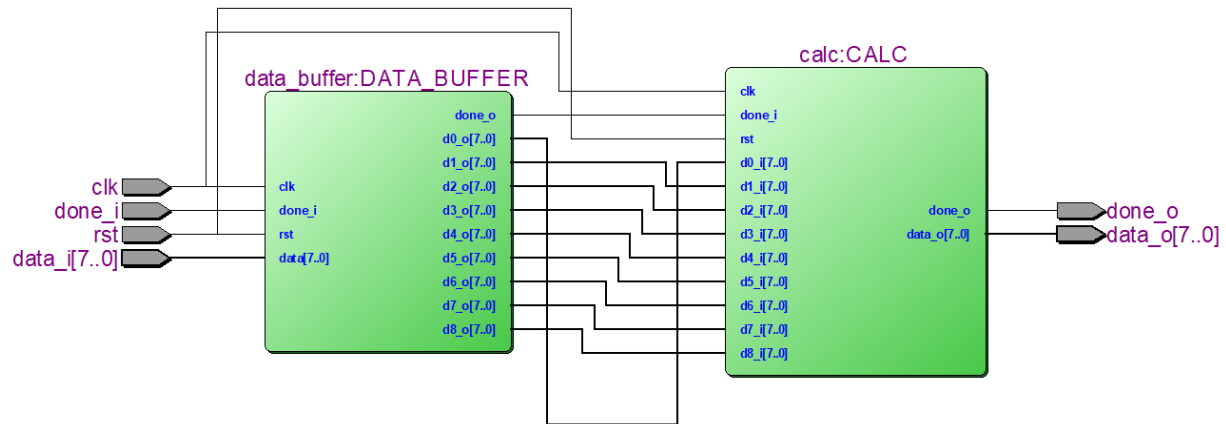


```

1 module calc(
2     input clk,
3     input rst,
4     input [7:0] d0_i,
5     input [7:0] d1_i,
6     input [7:0] d2_i,
7     input [7:0] d3_i,
8     input [7:0] d4_i,
9     input [7:0] d5_i,
10    input [7:0] d6_i,
11    input [7:0] d7_i,
12    input [7:0] d8_i,
13    input done_i,
14
15    output reg [7:0] data_o,
16    output done_o
17 );
18
19 reg [9:0] g_sum;
20 reg done_shift;
21
22 always@(posedge clk) begin
23     if(rst) begin
24         g_sum <= 0;
25     end
26     else begin
27         g_sum <= d4_i + d5_i - d3_i - d1_i + 2*d8_i - 2*d0_i + d7_i;
28     end
29 end
30 //
31
32 always@(posedge clk) begin
33     if(rst) begin
34         data_o <= 0;
35     end
36     else begin
37         data_o <= g_sum[7:0];
38     end
39 end
40
41 always@(posedge clk) begin
42     if(rst) begin
43         done_shift <= 0;
44     end
45     else begin
46         done_shift <= done_i;
47     end
48 end
49
50 assign done_o = done_shift;
51
52 endmodule

```

Kernel:



```

1  module kernel(
2      input clk,
3      input rst,
4
5      input [7:0] data_i,
6      input done_i,
7
8      output [7:0] data_o,
9      output done_o
10 );
11
12 wire [7:0] data[0:8];
13 wire data_buffer_done;
14
15 data_buffer DATA_BUFFER(
16     .clk(clk),
17     .rst(rst),
18     .data(data_i),
19     .done_i(done_i),
20
21     .d0_o(data[0]),
22     .d1_o(data[1]),
23     .d2_o(data[2]),
24     .d3_o(data[3]),
25     .d4_o(data[4]),
26     .d5_o(data[5]),
27     .d6_o(data[6]),
28     .d7_o(data[7]),
29     .d8_o(data[8]),
30
31     .done_o(data_buffer_done)
32 )

```

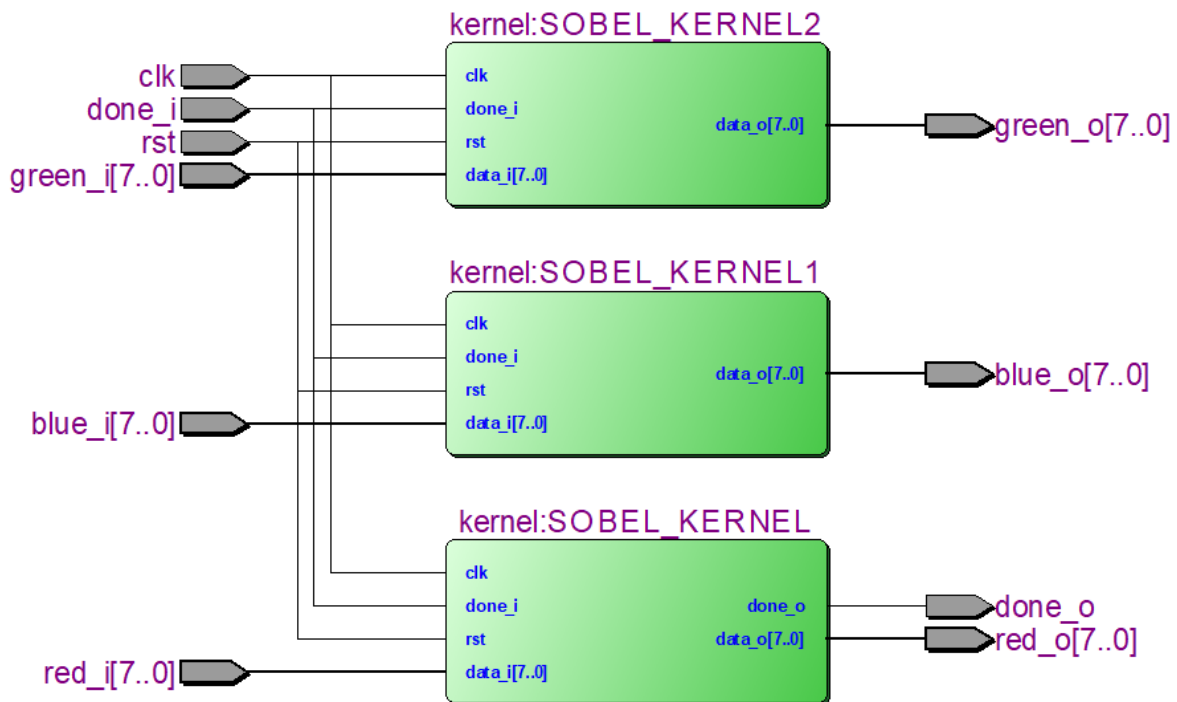


```

33 ];
34
35 calc CALC(
36     .clk(clk),
37     .rst(rst),
38     .d0_i(data[0]),
39     .d1_i(data[1]),
40     .d2_i(data[2]),
41     .d3_i(data[3]),
42     .d4_i(data[4]),
43     .d5_i(data[5]),
44     .d6_i(data[6]),
45     .d7_i(data[7]),
46     .d8_i(data[8]),
47     .done_i(data_buffer_done),
48
49     .data_o(data_o),
50     .done_o(done_o)
51 );
52
53 endmodule

```

Filter:



```

1  module filter(
2      input clk,
3      input rst,
4
5      input [7:0] red_i,
6      input [7:0] green_i,
7      input [7:0] blue_i,
8      input done_i,
9
10     output reg [7:0] red_o,
11     output reg [7:0] green_o,
12     output reg [7:0] blue_o,
13
14     output done_o
15 );
16 wire [7:0] red,blue,green;
17 wire done_o1,done_o2;
18 kernel SOBEL_KERNEL(
19     .clk(clk),
20     .rst(rst),
21
22     .data_i(red_i),
23     .done_i(done_i),
24
25     .data_o(red),
26     .done_o(done_o)
27 );
28 kernel SOBEL_KERNEL1(
29     .clk(clk),
30     .rst(rst),
31
32     .data_i(blue_i),
33     .done_i(done_i),
34
35     .data_o(blue),
36     .done_o(done_o1)
37 );
38 kernel SOBEL_KERNEL2(
39     .clk(clk),
40     .rst(rst),
41
42     .data_i(green_i),
43     .done_i(done_i),
44
45     .data_o(green),
46     .done_o(done_o2)
47 );
48 always@(*)begin
49     red_o <= red;
50     green_o <= green ;
51     blue_o <= blue;
52 end
53
54
55 endmodule

```

TESTBENCH:

```
1  `define clk_period 10
2  module filter_tb();
3
4  reg clk,rst;
5  reg [7:0] red_i,green_i,blue_i;
6  wire [7:0] red_o,green_o,blue_o;
7  wire done_o;
8  reg done_i;
9
10 filter FILTER(
11     .clk(clk),
12     .rst(rst),
13
14     .red_i(red_i),
15     .green_i(green_i),
16     .blue_i(blue_i),
17     .done_i(done_i),
18
19
20     .red_o(red_o),
21     .green_o(green_o),
22     .blue_o(blue_o),
23
24     .done_o(done_o)
25 );
26
27 initial clk = 1'b1;
28 always #(`clk_period /2) clk = ~clk;
29
30 integer i,j;
31 localparam RESULT_ARRAY_LEN = 500*1024;
32 reg [7:0] result [0:RESULT_ARRAY_LEN - 1];
33
34
35 always@(posedge clk) begin
36     if(rst) begin
37         j <= 8'd0;
38     end
39     else begin
40         if(done_o == 1 ) begin
41             result[j] <= red_o;
42             result[j +1] <= green_o;
43             result[j +2] <= blue_o;
44             j <= j + 3;
45         end
46     end
47 end
48
49 `define read_fileName "E:/SOC_FINAL/girl.bmp"
50 localparam BMP_ARRAY_LEN = 500*1024;
51 reg [7:0] bmp_data [0:BMP_ARRAY_LEN - 1];
52 integer bmp_size, bmp_start_pos,bmp_width,bmp_height,biBitCount;
53
54 `define text "E:/NO/file.txt"
55 task readBMP;
56     integer fileId,i;
57     begin
58         fileId = $fopen(`read_fileName,"rb");
59         if(fileId == 0) begin
60             $display("Open BMP error!\n");
61             $finish;
62         end
63     end
64 endtask
```

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63  else begin
64      $fread(bmp_data,fileId);
65      $fclose(fileId);
66
67      bmp_size = {bmp_data[5],bmp_data[4],bmp_data[3],bmp_data[2]};
68      $display("bmp_size = %d!\n",bmp_size);
69
70      bmp_start_pos = {bmp_data[13],bmp_data[12],bmp_data[11],bmp_data[10]};
71      $display("bmp_start_pos = %d!\n",bmp_start_pos);
72
73      bmp_width = {bmp_data[21],bmp_data[20],bmp_data[19],bmp_data[18]};
74      $display("bmp_width = %d!\n",bmp_width);
75
76      bmp_height = {bmp_data[25],bmp_data[24],bmp_data[23],bmp_data[22]};
77      $display("bmp_height = %d!\n",bmp_height);
78
79      biBitCount = {bmp_data[29],bmp_data[28]};
80      $display("biBitCount = %d!\n",biBitCount);
81
82      if(biBitCount != 24) begin
83          $display("biBitCount need to be 24bit\n",biBitCount);
84          $finish;
85      end
86
87      if(bmp_width % 4) begin
88          $display("bmp_width div 4 need to be zero, \n");
89          $finish;
90      end
91
92      /*for(i = bmp_start_pos; i < bmp_size ; i = i+1) begin
93
94          // $display("%h",bmp_data[i]);
95          $fwrite(text,"%c", bmp_data[i]);
96          end*/
97
98      end
99  endtask
100
101
102
103  `define write_fileName "E:/SOC_FINAL/result.bmp"
104
105  task writeBMP;
106      integer fileId ,i;
107      begin
108          fileId = $fopen(`write_fileName,"wb");
109
110          for(i = 0;i < bmp_start_pos ; i= i+1) begin
111              $fwrite(fileId , "%c",bmp_data[i]);
112          end
113
114          for(i = bmp_start_pos;i < bmp_size ; i= i+1) begin
115              $fwrite(fileId , "%c",result[i-bmp_start_pos]);
116          end
117
118          $fclose(fileId);
119          $display("writeBMP: done!\n");
120      end
121  endtask
122

```

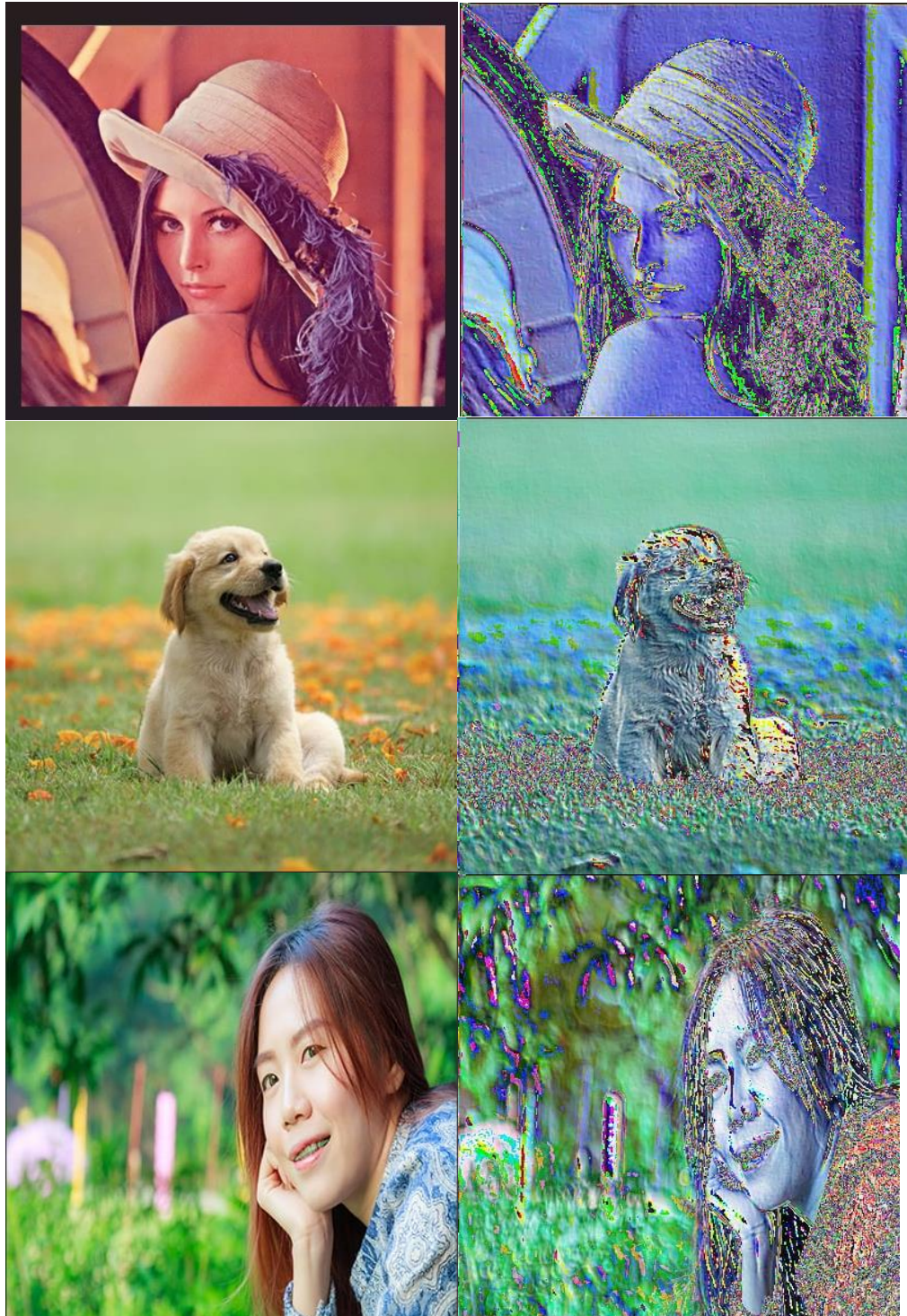
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123 initial begin
124     rst = 1'b1;
125     done_i = 1'b0;
126
127     red_i = 8'd0;
128     green_i = 8'd0;
129     blue_i = 8'd0;
130
131     readBMP;
132
133     #(`clk_period);
134     rst = 1'b0;
135
136     for(i = bmp_start_pos; i < bmp_size ; i = i+3)begin
137         red_i = bmp_data[i + 2];
138         green_i = bmp_data[i + 1];
139         blue_i = bmp_data[i];
140
141         #(`clk_period);
142         done_i = 1'b1;
143     end
144
145     #(`clk_period);
146     done_i = 1'b0;
147
148     #(`clk_period);
149     #(`clk_period);
150     #(`clk_period);
151     #(`clk_period);
152     #(`clk period);
153
154     #(`clk_period);
155     #(`clk_period);
156     #(`clk_period);
157     #(`clk_period);
158
159     writeBMP;
160     $stop;
161     /*readBMP;
162     writeBMP;*/
163 end
164 endmodule

```

CHAPTER 3: RESULTS & CONCLUSION:

3.1 Results after image emboss:



Original image

Embossed image

3.2 Used resources:

Family	Cyclone II
Device	EP2C35F672C6
Timing Models	Final
Total logic elements	894 / 33,216 (3 %)
Total combinational functions	866 / 33,216 (3 %)
Dedicated logic registers	394 / 33,216 (1 %)
Total registers	394
Total pins	52 / 475 (11 %)
Total virtual pins	0
Total memory bits	19,200 / 483,840 (4 %)
Embedded Multiplier 9-bit elements	0 / 70 (0 %)
Total PLLs	0 / 4 (0 %)

3.3 Conclusion:

The image embossing project successfully demonstrated the implementation of digital embossing techniques using image processing algorithms. By converting 2D images into embossed visuals, we created a simulated 3D effect that enhances the texture and depth perception of the original images. This project encompassed various stages, including image preprocessing, gradient calculation, and the application of embossing filters.

3.4 Direction of development:

The image embossing project has laid a solid foundation in digital image processing, transforming 2D visuals into simulated 3D textures. As we look to the future, several promising directions for further development stand out.

Enhancing Realism and Detail is another priority. Extending techniques to support color images and capturing finer textures will produce high-fidelity embossed images, preserving color integrity and adding visual appeal. This requires advanced filtering and high-resolution processing.

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