CE100 Lab Report 2

3-bit adder with carry-in

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Description:

The purpose of this lab was to get familiar with multiplexers and creating Full Adders to carry one bit to the next full adder. The design of the fuller adder comes from the logic with combines three bits (a, b, cin) into two (cout, s) bits. Then using these full adders, I constructed 3-bit full adder symbol; which sends its outputs to the 7-segment display. This 7-segment display turns on or off the 7-segment LEDs to display the values of (n3, n2, n1, n0) as a hex digit. When the design was finished we used our ISE simulator ISim to display the times of the inputs and outputs of the top level schematic.

Part A- Adder Design

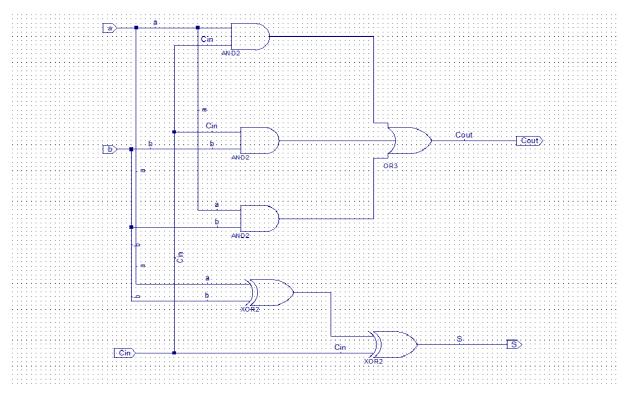


Figure 1: The Full Adder

As we are provided the logic inputs of our full adder (a, b, cin), I wrote out the truth table corresponding to these inputs. Then based upon the truth table, I got the minterms and created a minimum sum of products for the outputs (cout, s). From figure 1, we can determine the longest path from any input to any output in the full adder. As we notice that there are three inputs at the first stage of the logic gates, therefore that is our n. Now we check the longest path. Choosing the input, A, it is three to the cout stage, however it needs to go from cin to s after that, and to get to cin counts as two. Ultimately ending with, 3 + 2 which is 5 for the longest path. For n-bit adder, to determine the length of the longest path from any input to any output, we do exactly what I derived for the longest path. Which is: count one for each input of a logic gate to cout, then count two for cin to s and sum those numbers up.

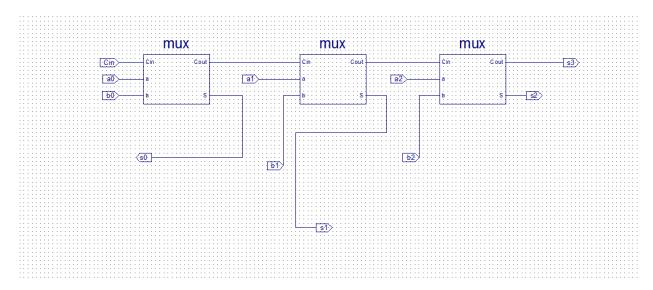


Figure 2: Is the Top Level Full Adder

Results:

A more through explanation of the configuration of Figure 2 is to pass along the carry out of each full adder ("mux") and input it to Cin. Note that for the very first Full Adder, we will have cin connecting to ground or zero, because we start with no carry in. From these two figures we can determine that our full adder is properly symbolize and ready for the 7-segment display to take in while this symbol has the three inputs and four outputs.

Part B- 7-Segment Display

This part of the lab helped me familiarize myself with the Basys2 Board and how to turn on the 7-segment LEDs to display the value I wanted as a hex digit. We were to read about the 7-Segment Display in the Basys2 Board Reference Manual to determine which FPGA pin numbers were used for the 7-segment display controls. To create the schematic of Figure 3, we needed to derive the minimalist sum of product for each hex bit from 0 to F. To do this, I wrote a truth table, that corresponded the pins turned on for the display, I had my truth table inverted. Therefore, it was a little confusing to read, however my 1's was 0's and 0's was 1's. On the right of the truth table was the inputs N0, N1, N2, N3, which corresponded to 16 inputs. At the end of this, we were to obtain the schematic of Figure 3 as shown.

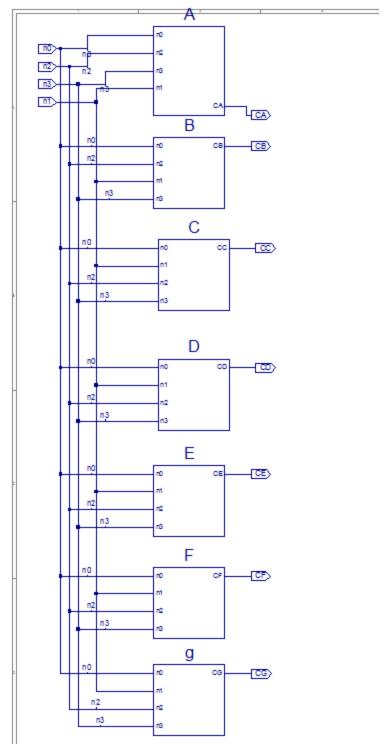


Figure 3: The 7-Segment Display

Results:

Great, after we have derived the 7-Segment Display, we can now use the outputs from the Full adder and tie them to the input them into our Segment Display. For further in depth of each letter symbol, you can find each of the

schematics down below. Ultimately, now that we have our converter working, we move on to the top level schematic, which is displayed by Figure 4.

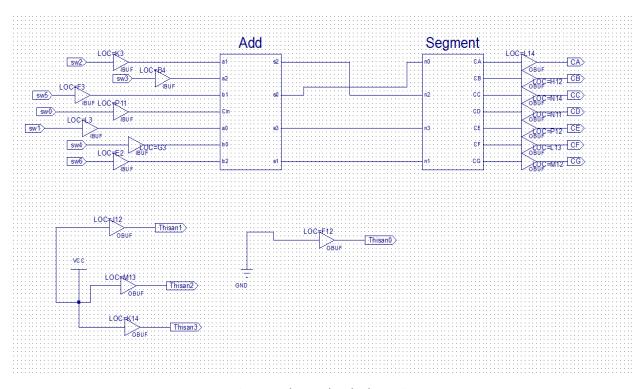


Figure 4: The top-level schematic

We lastly connect all the switches to their appropriate inputs of the full adder and note that our An1, 2, 3 are high (meaning that they will be off). This is so that the three other LED displays will be off and only An0 will be on. Furthermore, these are the symbols for the 7-Segment muxes (A-G):

Figure 5: Symbol for CA

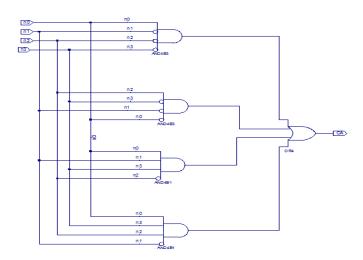


Figure 6: Symbol for CB

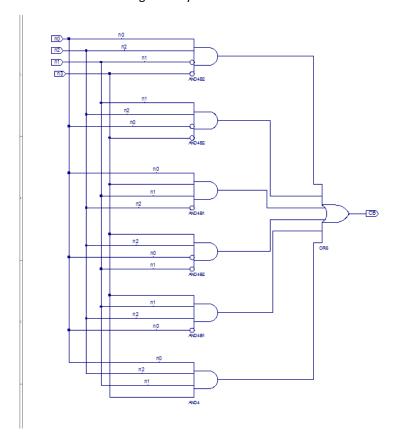


Figure 7: Symbol for CC

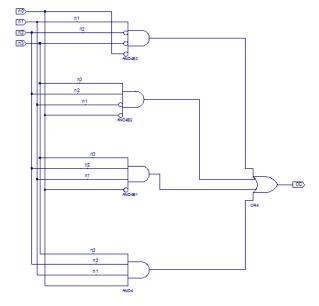


Figure 8: Symbol for CD:

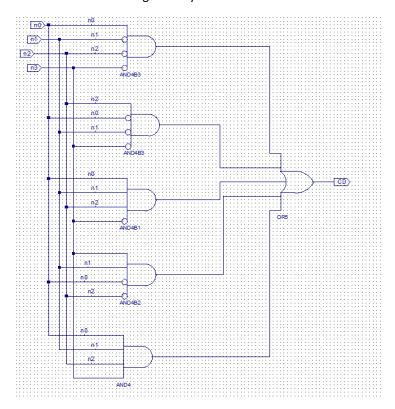


Figure 9: Symbol for CE:

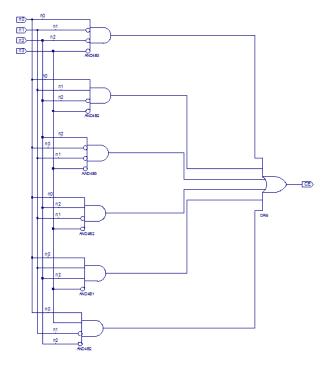


Figure 10: Symbol for CF

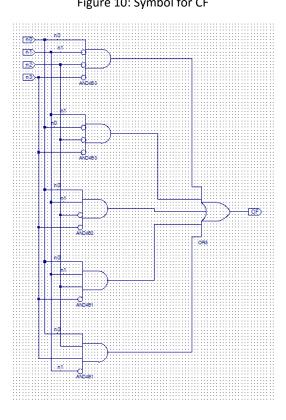
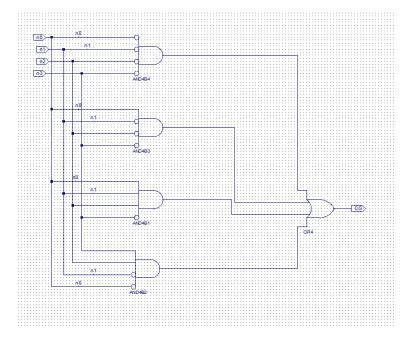


Figure 11: Symbol for CG:



Waveform

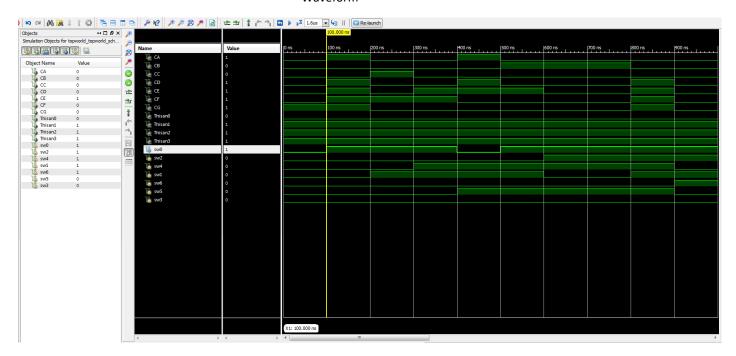


Figure 11: Simulation for the Top Level

The number of possible input values in a 7-bit for my adder 7 choose 3 (3 inputs), totaling 35 different ways. We tested only 4 choose 3, which was 4 different ways, totaling to 4/35 = 11% of test simulations.

Conclusion:

In this lab, we used full adder multipliers to minimize the logic design of our three-bit adder. Using the Basys2 Board, we were able to display correct hexadecimal output along with Figure 11 simulator. Ultimately, this verified our logic sums of products and helped with the understanding of full adders. The following is the result of my lab notebook:

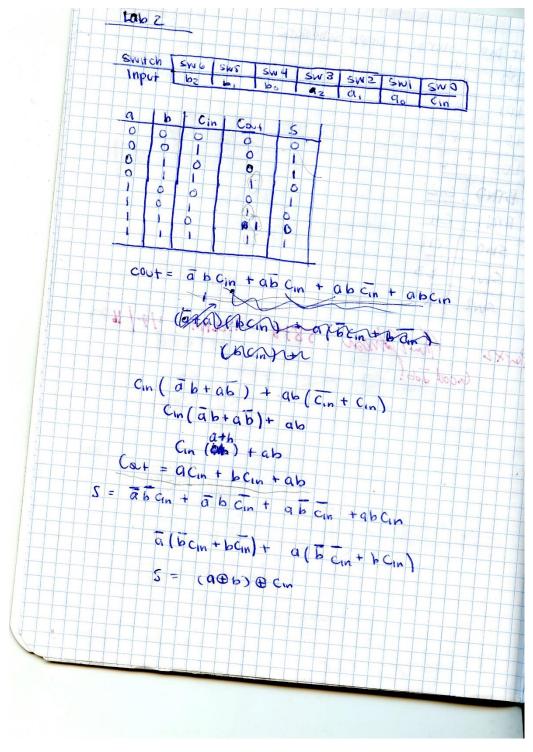


Figure 12: Truth Table

This picture is the truth table for the 3 inputs (a,b,cin) and taking the sum of products to minimize my expression.



Figure 13: The 7-Segment display

This is the truth table for 7 segment display. My numbers corresponding to the letters are inverted; therefore, a 0 is a 1 and 1 a 0. On the right side, is NOT an output rather the input (N0, N1, N2, N3); which are 16 possibilities. Apologizes for the confusion. This is documentation of which pins of the FPGA I used. They were connected through outputs of the Full Adder which took in the switches, check Figure 4.

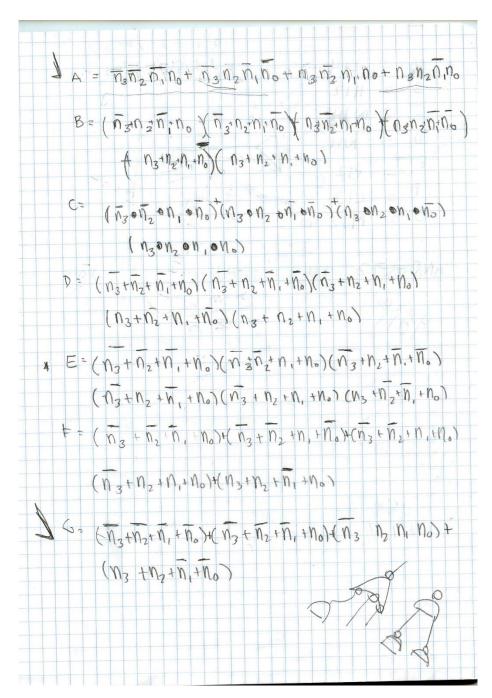


Figure 14: The sum of products for each letter

Originally, I had mixed up sum of products with product of sums but at the end I figured out that each gate should be matching letter A, where AND all four inputs and OR them with other expressions.