

Chapter Exam

Appendix C-The Basics of Logic Design Part 2

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1. What is the difference between D flip-flops and latches? (10%)
2. Both the register file and the SRAM are built with D-latches. What are the differences between the register file and the SRAM? (15%)
3. What is the difference between Moore and Mealy machine? (10%)
4. What is the difference between synchronous and asynchronous logic? (10%)
5. Derive the logic equations (5.a, 5.b, 5.c, 5.d and 5.e) of a 16-bit CLA (carry look ahead) adder below. There is no need to simplify the equations. (25%)

$$g_i = a_i \cdot b_i \quad p_i = a_i + b_i$$

$$P_0 = p_3 \cdot p_2 \cdot p_1 \cdot p_0$$

$$P_1 = p_7 \cdot p_6 \cdot p_5 \cdot p_4$$

$$P_2 = p_{11} \cdot p_{10} \cdot p_9 \cdot p_8$$

$$P_3 = \boxed{5.a}$$

$$G_0 = g_3 + (p_3 \cdot g_2) + (p_3 \cdot p_2 \cdot g_1) + (p_3 \cdot p_2 \cdot p_1 \cdot g_0)$$

$$G_1 = g_7 + (p_7 \cdot g_6) + (p_7 \cdot p_6 \cdot g_5) + (p_7 \cdot p_6 \cdot p_5 \cdot g_4)$$

$$G_2 = \boxed{5.b}$$

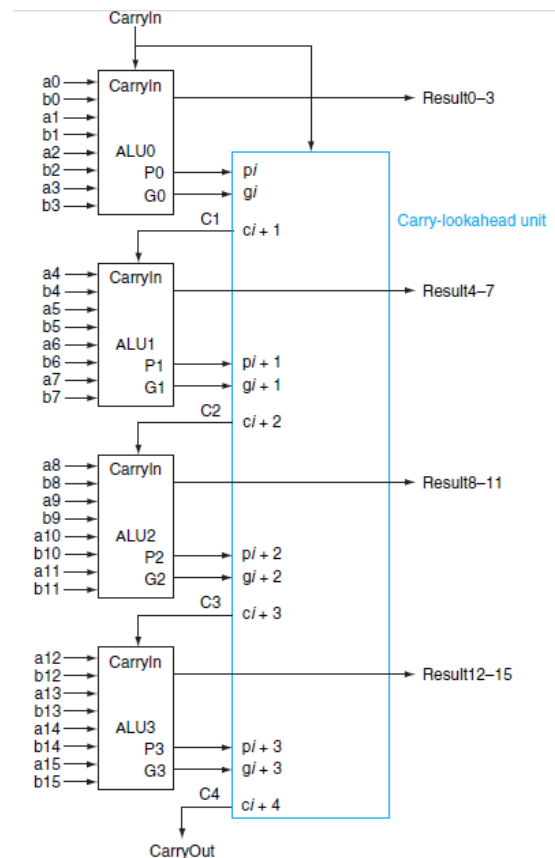
$$G_3 = \boxed{5.c}$$

$$C_1 = G_0 + (P_0 \cdot c_0)$$

$$C_2 = G_1 + (P_1 \cdot G_0) + (P_1 \cdot P_0 \cdot c_0)$$

$$C_3 = \boxed{5.d}$$

$$C_4 = \boxed{5.e}$$



- 6.** A friend would like you to build an “electronic eye” for use as a fake security device. The device consists of three lights lined up in a row, controlled by the outputs Left, Middle, and Right, which, if asserted, indicate that a light should be on. Only one light is on at a time, and the light “moves” from left to right and then from right to left. Note that the rate of the eye’s movement will be controlled by the clock speed (which should not be too great) and that there are essentially no inputs.
- (1) Draw the graphical representation for the finite-state machine used to specify the electronic eye. **(15%)**
 - (2) Assign state numbers to the states of the finite-state machine you constructed and write a set of logic equations for each of the outputs, including the next-state bits. **(15%)**