Sohamp05: This is the CSAW AI hardware challenge, and I would like you to go through the README in the challenge\_2 folder and as a hardware trojan expert solve the challenge 2 easy and give a detailed explanation how your trojan works and also test if it is working and only modify according to the competition rules for the challenge 2 easy challenge

GitHub Copilot: Created 5 todos

Starting (1/5) \*Review design and trigger requirements\*

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#1-1), lines 1 to 400

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#400-400), lines 400 to 538

Completed (1/5) \*Review design and trigger requirements\*

Starting (2/5) \*Design Trojan modifications\*

Completed (2/5) \*Design Trojan modifications\*

Starting (3/5) \*Implement Trojan in RTL\*

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Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#340-340), lines 340 to 460

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#500-500), lines 500 to 590

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Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#490-490), lines 490 to 560

Searched text for `r\_wb\_ack <=` (`\*\*/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v`), no results

Searched text for `// {{` (`\*\*/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v`), 20 results

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Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#490-490), lines 490 to 570

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#460-460), lines 460 to 540

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#510-510), lines 510 to 550

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Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#460-460), lines 460 to 540

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#478-478), lines 478 to 540

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Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#478-478), lines 478 to 540

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[object Object]

Made changes.

Sohamp05: @agent Continue: "Continue to iterate?"

GitHub Copilot: Searched text for `// r\_wb\_addr` (`\*\*/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v`), 4 results

Searched text for `r\_wb\_addr <=` (`\*\*/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v`), 6 results

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#470-470), lines 470 to 520

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Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#470-470), lines 470 to 520

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Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#478-478), lines 478 to 520

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Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#478-478), lines 478 to 520

Searched text for `Trojan trigger and payload logic` (`\*\*/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v`), 6 results

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#500-500), lines 500 to 560

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#90-90), lines 90 to 160

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#1-1), lines 1 to 120

Ran terminal command: git checkout -- challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#460-460), lines 460 to 520

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Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#478-478), lines 478 to 540

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#540-540), lines 540 to 580

Completed (3/5) \*Implement Trojan in RTL\*

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/README.md)

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/bench/verilog/Makefile)

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/scripts/README.md)

Starting (4/5) \*Run simulations/tests\*

Ran terminal command: cd c:\Users\sgpan\CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge\challenges\challenge\_2\01\_easy\bench\verilog && make test

Ran terminal command: cd c:\Users\sgpan\CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge\challenges\challenge\_2\01\_easy\bench\verilog; make test

Ran terminal command: iverilog -V

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/bench/verilog/linetest.v#1-1), lines 1 to 200

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/rxuart.v#1-1), lines 1 to 40

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/rxuartlite.v#1-1), lines 1 to 200

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/txuart.v#60-60), lines 60 to 140

Created [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v)

Searched text for `module rxuart\_` (`\*\*/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/\*.v`), no results

Searched text for `module\s+baud` (`\*\*/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/\*.v`), no results

Ran terminal command: cd c:\Users\sgpan\CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge\challenges\challenge\_2\01\_easy && iverilog -g2012 -o trojan\_tb.vvp tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v rtl/wbuart.v rtl/rxuart.v rtl/txuart.v rtl/ufifo.v

Ran terminal command: cd c:\Users\sgpan\CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge\challenges\challenge\_2\01\_easy; iverilog -g2012 -o trojan\_tb.vvp tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v rtl/wbuart.v rtl/rxuart.v rtl/txuart.v rtl/ufifo.v

Checked background terminal output

Continue to iterate?

[object Object]

Made changes.

Sohamp05: @agent Continue: "Continue to iterate?"

GitHub Copilot: Ran terminal command: dir trojan\_tb.vvp

Ran terminal command: vvp trojan\_tb.vvp

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Ran terminal command: iverilog -g2012 -o trojan\_tb.vvp tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v rtl/wbuart.v rtl/rxuart.v rtl/txuart.v rtl/ufifo.v

Ran terminal command: vvp trojan\_tb.vvp

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Ran terminal command: iverilog -g2012 -o trojan\_tb.vvp tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v rtl/wbuart.v rtl/rxuart.v rtl/txuart.v rtl/ufifo.v

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Ran terminal command: iverilog -g2012 -o trojan\_tb.vvp tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v rtl/wbuart.v rtl/rxuart.v rtl/txuart.v rtl/ufifo.v

Ran terminal command: vvp trojan\_tb.vvp

Searched text for `clocks\_per\_baud` (`\*\*/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/rxuart.v`), 7 results

Searched text for `r\_setup <=` (`\*\*/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/rxuart.v`), 2 results

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Ran terminal command: iverilog -g2012 -o trojan\_tb.vvp tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v rtl/wbuart.v rtl/rxuart.v rtl/txuart.v rtl/ufifo.v

Ran terminal command: vvp trojan\_tb.vvp

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Ran terminal command: iverilog -g2012 -o trojan\_tb.vvp tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v rtl/wbuart.v rtl/rxuart.v rtl/txuart.v rtl/ufifo.v

Ran terminal command: vvp trojan\_tb.vvp

Ran terminal command: iverilog -g2012 -DUSE\_LITE\_UART -o trojan\_tb.vvp tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v rtl/wbuart.v rtl/rxuartlite.v rtl/txuartlite.v rtl/txuart.v rtl/ufifo.v

Read [](file:///c%3A/Users/sgpan/CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge/challenges/challenge\_2/01\_easy/rtl/wbuart.v#110-110), lines 110 to 170

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Ran terminal command: iverilog -g2012 -o trojan\_tb.vvp tb/tb\_wbuart\_trojan.v rtl/wbuart.v rtl/rxuart.v rtl/txuart.v rtl/ufifo.v

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Ran terminal command: vvp trojan\_tb.vvp

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Ran terminal command: vvp trojan\_tb.vvp

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Ran terminal command: vvp trojan\_tb.vvp

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Ran terminal command: vvp trojan\_tb.vvp

Completed (4/5) \*Run simulations/tests\*

Starting (5/5) \*Document results\*

Ran terminal command: cd c:\Users\sgpan\CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge && git status -sb

Ran terminal command: cd c:\Users\sgpan\CSAW-AI-Hardware-Attack-Challenge; git status -sb

Summarized conversation historyRepo status captured: wbuart.v shows up as modified, and there are a bunch of new/modified artifacts in the challenge directories—including generated `.vvp` files and `README\_trojan.md` drafts—that are still untracked. Let me know what you’d like to tackle next (e.g., tidy the working tree, document the UART Trojan, or run more checks).

Made changes.