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Logic Design

Project 3

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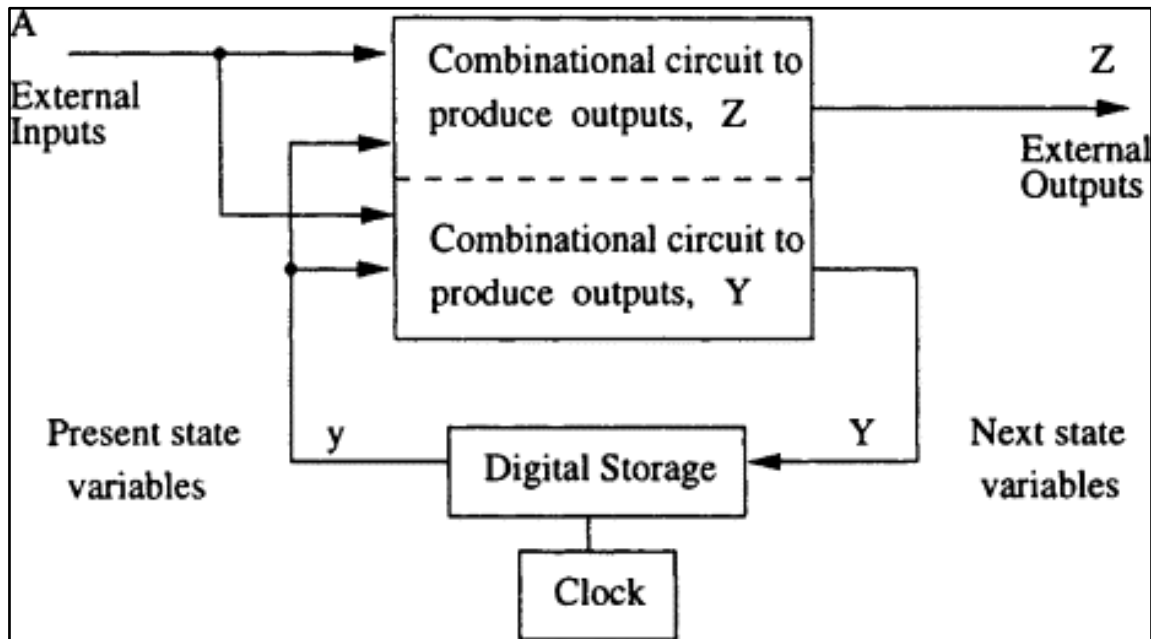
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3.1: Introduction:

The objective of this lab is to study basic synchronous sequential circuits, also known as storage elements.

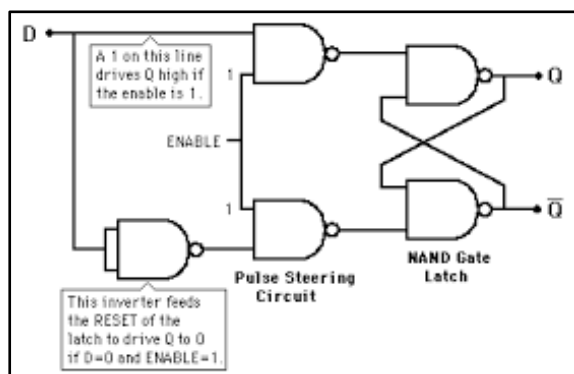
What is a sequential circuit?

In digital electronics, a **synchronous circuit** is known as a digital circuit in which the changes in the state of memory elements are synchronized by a clock signal.

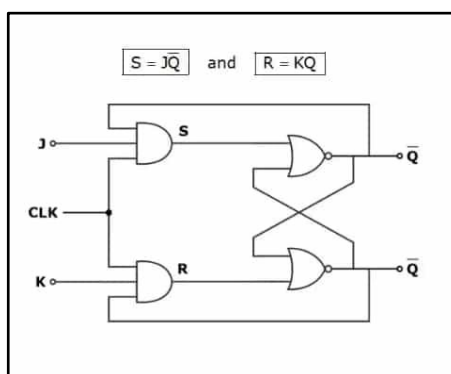


Data is stored in devices known as Flip Flops or latches. We will use D flip flops and JK flip flops for this lab.

D Flip Flop:



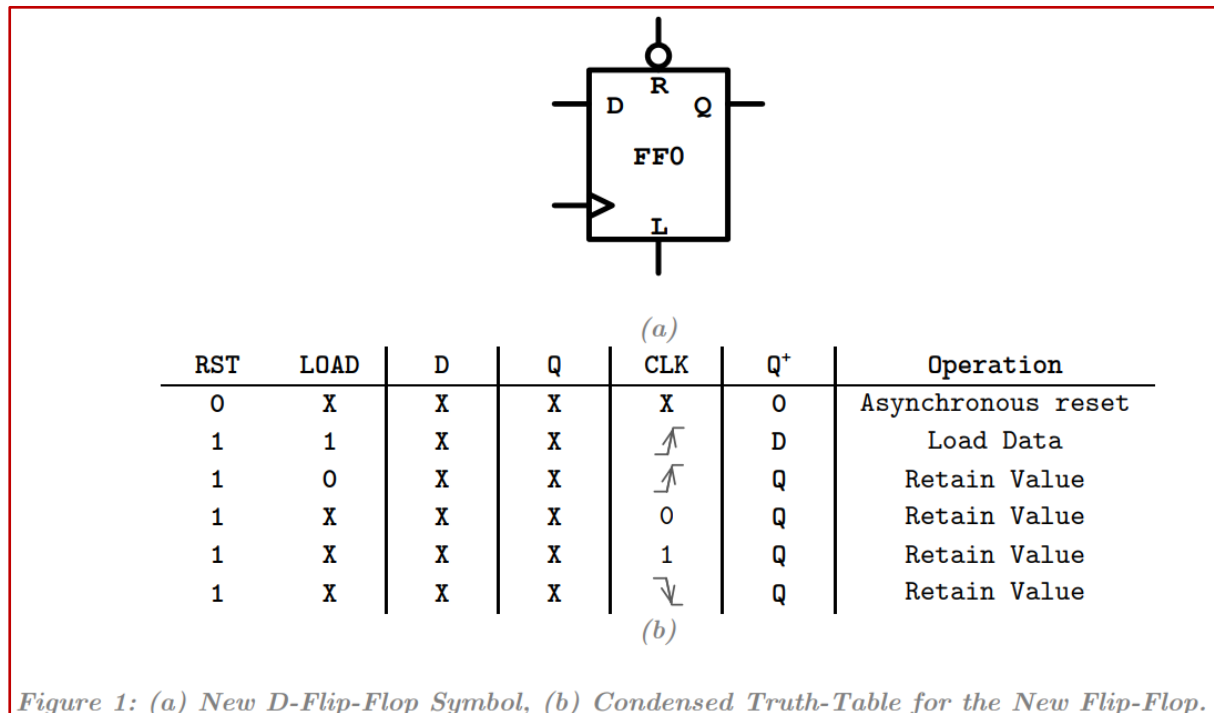
JK Flip Flop:



3.2 Preliminary Work:

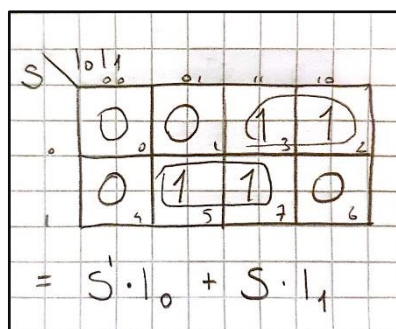
3.2.2: D Flip-Flop with Asynchronous Reset and Synchronous Load

1. Draw a schematic to show how you would add combinational logic along with two new inputs (R and L) to a conventional D Flip-Flop to have the Reset and Load functions as shown in Figure 1. Note Load input take effect synchronously on the rising edge of the clock and Reset input is an active low input that takes effect asynchronously.



We created a truth table based on figure 1. Afterwards we can create a Karnaugh map.

RST	LOAD	D	Q	Q ⁺
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	0
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	1
1	1	0	0	0
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1



From this we find the formula of Q^+ , which is:

$$Q^+ = Q \cdot R \cdot L' + DRL$$

Then we can have:

$$Q^+ = R \cdot (Q \cdot L' + DL)$$

We can see that $(Q \cdot L' + DL)$ looks like the 2 to 1 mux formula.

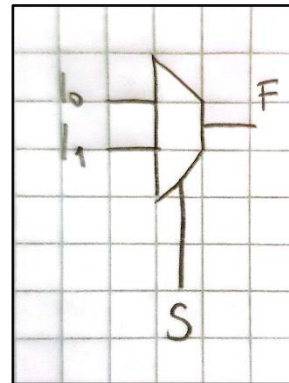
$P \backslash Q$	00	01	11	10
00	0	0	0	0
01	0	0	0	0
11	0	0	1	1
10	0	1	1	0

$$Q^+ = Q \cdot P \cdot L' + D \cdot P \cdot L$$

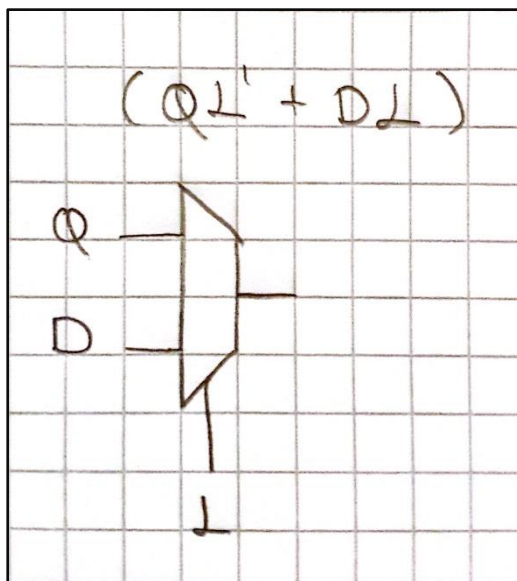
$$= P \cdot (Q \cdot L' + D \cdot L)$$

2 to 1 mux

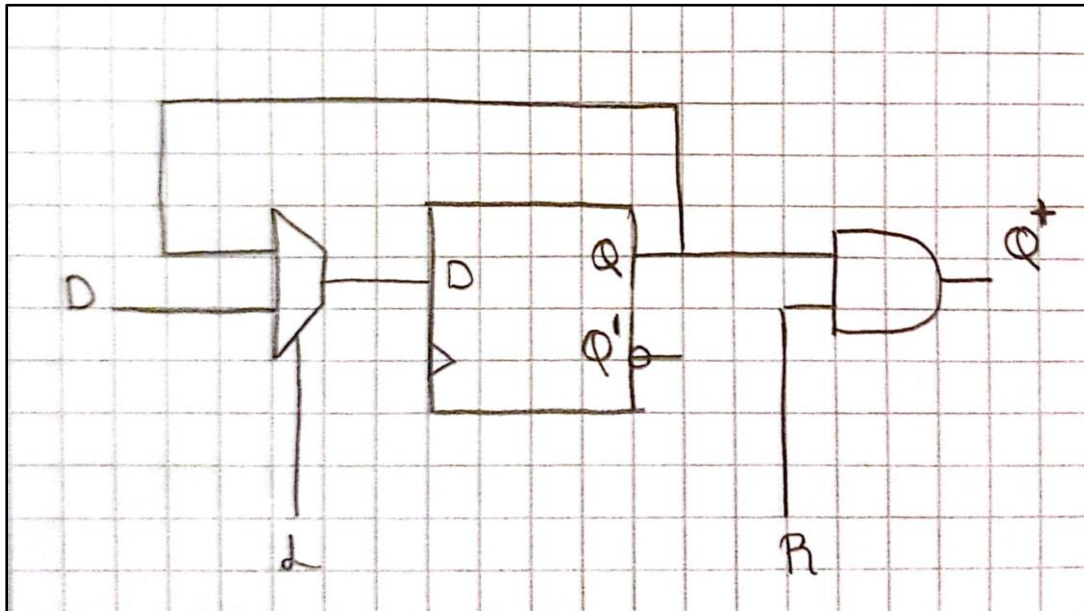
S	I ₀	I ₁	F
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1



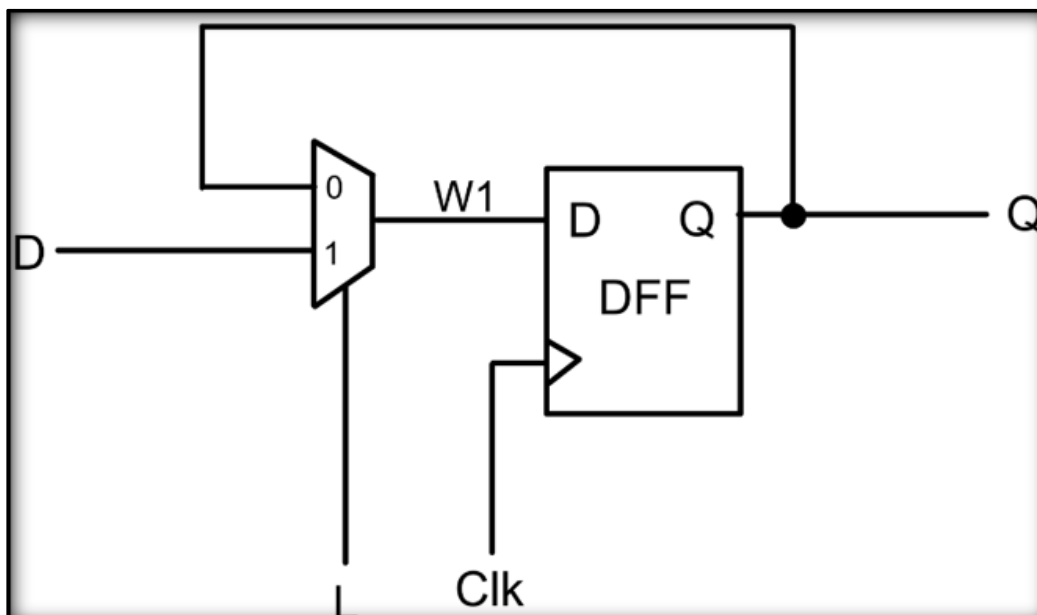
That means we can write:



We can connect the mux to the D flip-flop. R is going to be asynchronous so its connected at the output with and and gate. If R is 0 the output will be 0.



Later we changed the reset operation by using "negedge R" inside of the always block.

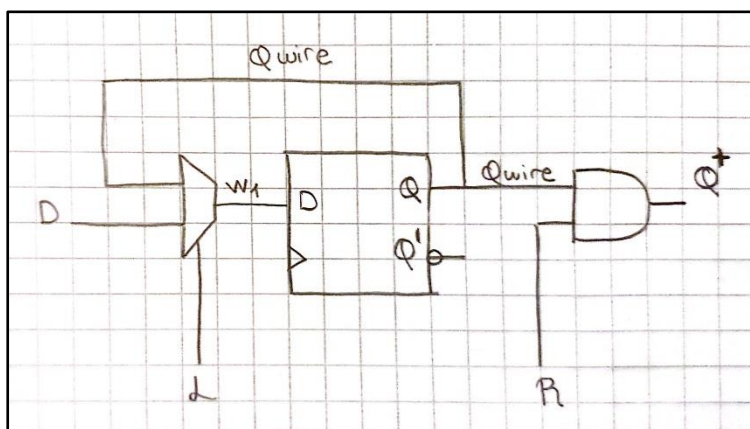


2. Use your answer from 3.2.2.1 to modify the Verilog code provided for the D Flip-Flop in section 3.3 to implement the new asynchronous reset and synchronous load functions.

```

2  module D_FlipFlop(D, Q, Clk, R, L, Qnot);
3
4  input D, Clk, R, L;
5  output reg Q;
6  output Qnot;
7  wire w1;
8
9  two_to_one_MUX U1(Q, D, L, w1);
10
11  not(Qnot, Q);
12
13  always @(posedge Clk , negedge R)
14  begin
15      if(!R)
16          Q = 0;
17      |
18      else if(Clk == 1)
19          begin
20              Q = w1;
21          end
22  end
23
24
25
26  endmodule

```



Line 10: Qwire, D and L enter the 2to1mux and output w1.

Line 11: Qwire and R enter and output Q.

Line 15 - Line 20: When Clk is on posedge, Qwire will get the value of w1.

2to1 mux used for the D flip flop.

A would be Qwire,

B would be D,

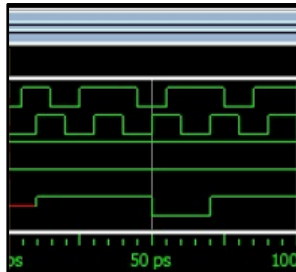
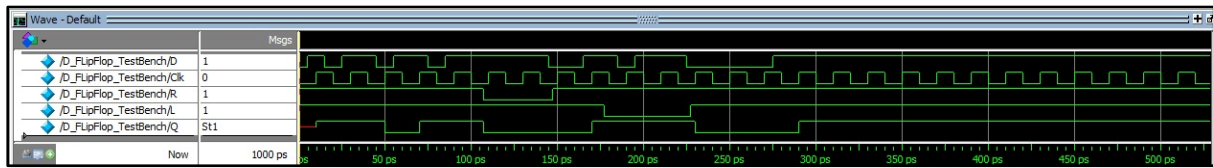
S would be L,

F would be w1.

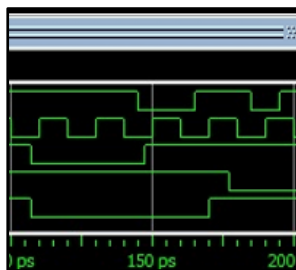
```
1
2  module two_to_one_MUX(A,B,S,F);
3
4  input A,B,S;
5  output F;
6
7  assign F = (S == 0) ? A:
8             (S == 1) ? B:
9             1'bx;
10
11 endmodule
12
```


3. Write a Verilog Testbench code to simulate and verify the functionality in ModelSim®.

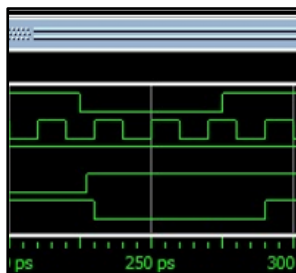
<pre> 1 2 module D_FlipFlop_TestBench(); 3 4 reg D, Clk, R, L; 5 wire Q; 6 7 D_FlipFlop DUT(D, Q, Clk, R, L); 8 9 always 10 begin 11 Clk = 1'b0; #10; 12 Clk = 1'b1; #10; 13 end 14 15 initial 16 fork: name 17 D = 1'b0; R = 1'b1; L = 1'b1; 18 #5 D = 1'b1; 19 #15 D = 1'b0; 20 #25 D = 1'b1; 21 #35 D = 1'b1; 22 #45 D = 1'b0; 23 #55 D = 1'b1; 24 #75 D = 1'b0; 25 #85 D = 1'b1; 26 #95 D = 1'b1; 27 #105 D = 1'b1; #107 R = 1'b0; 28 #115 D = 1'b1; 29 #125 D = 1'b1; 30 #135 D = 1'b1; 31 #145 D = 1'b0; #147 R = 1'b1; 32 #155 D = 1'b0; 33 #165 D = 1'b1; 34 #175 D = 1'b1; #177 L = 1'b0; 35 #185 D = 1'b0; 36 #195 D = 1'b1; 37 #205 D = 1'b1; 38 #215 D = 1'b1; 39 #225 D = 1'b0; #227 L = 1'b1; 40 #235 D = 1'b0; 41 #245 D = 1'b0; 42 #255 D = 1'b0; 43 #265 D = 1'b0; 44 #275 D = 1'b1; 45 join 46 endmodule 47 </pre>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 20px;"> <p>Clock would change every 10 pico seconds.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>D would change every 5 pico seconds.</p> <p>R and L are changed at given random values</p> </div>
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D flip flop won't have a value till 10 ps. It will load the frist value when it reaches the first posedge.



There is asynchronous reset when $R = 0$. Q becomes 0.



There is a synchronous load when $L = 0$. Q retains value. It waits for the clock since its synchronous.

3. 2. 3: 4-bit Shift Register with Asynchronous Reset and Synchronous Load

1. Use the new D Flip-Flop in Figure 1 and design a 4-bit scalable bit-sliced synchronous shift register (with SI input and SO output) with synchronous load and asynchronous reset. The symbol and a table that describes the operation of the register are depicted in Figure 2.

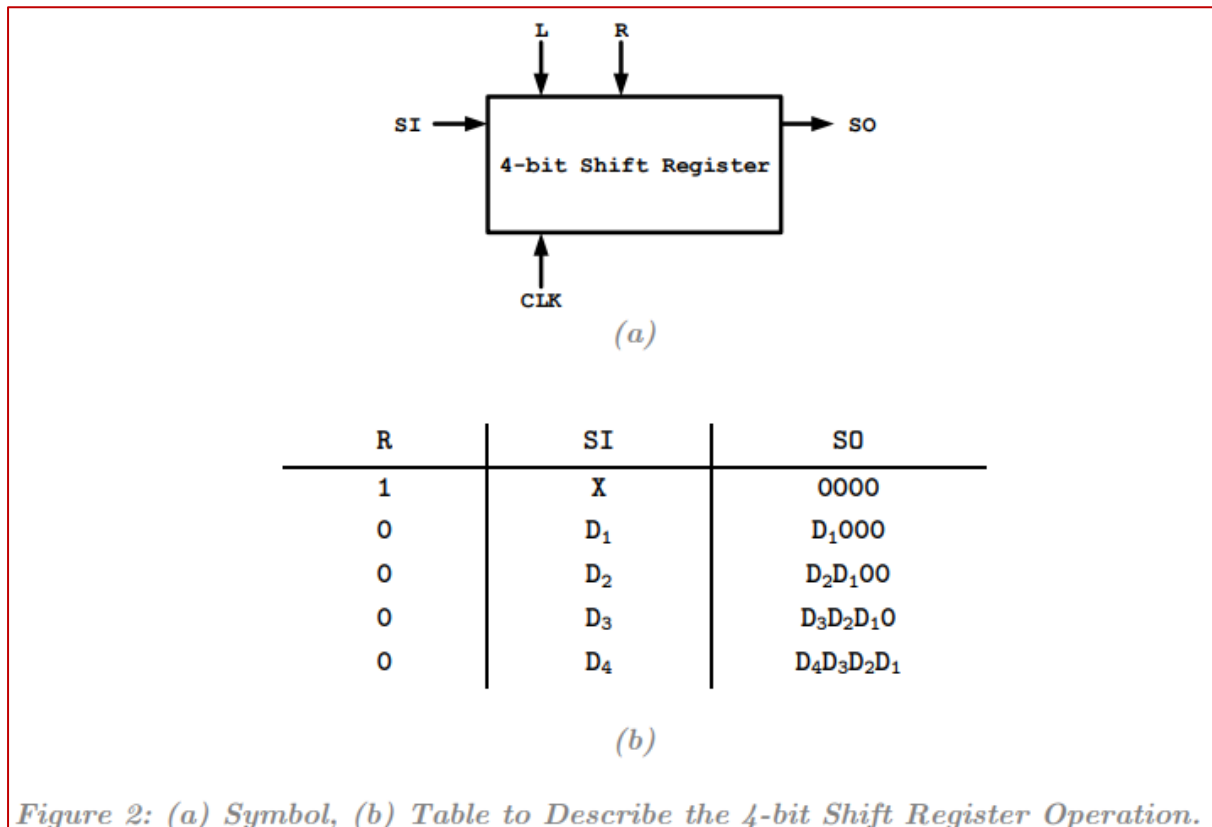
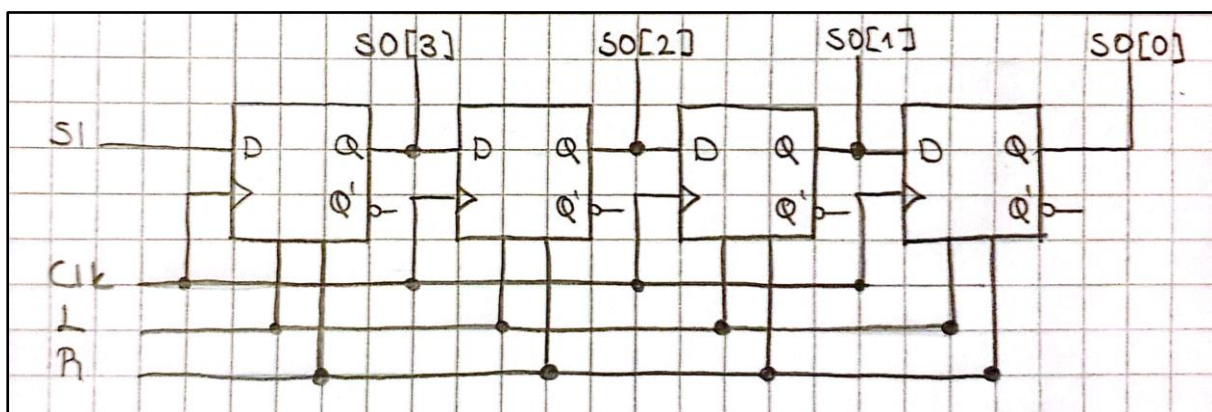


Figure 2: (a) Symbol, (b) Table to Describe the 4-bit Shift Register Operation.



When R is 1 there is a asynchronous reset. When R is 0 SI would either be D1, D2, D3, D4.

When SI is 1:

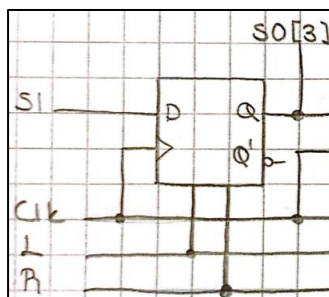
With each clock posedge the value would enter the next register. It would shift with each clock.

2. The register has four inputs and one output. Write a structural (hierarchical) Verilog HDL code by explicitly declaring the D Flip-Flop created in 3.2.2. **Do not use if statement (behavioural) approach.**

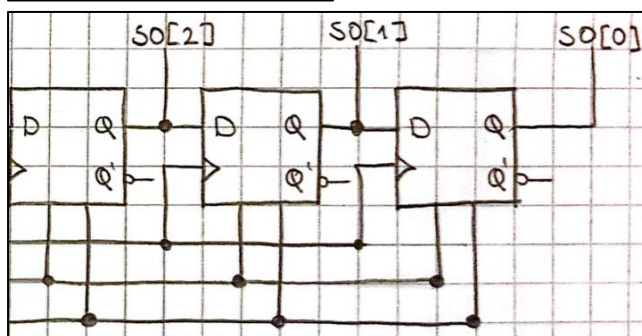
```

2  module Shift_Register(SI, Clk, L, R, SO);
3      parameter size = 4;
4
5      input SI,L,R,Clk;
6      output [size-1:0]SO;
7
8      |
9
10     genvar i;
11     generate
12     |
13         D_FlipFlop U1(SI, SO[size-1], Clk, R, L); //input SI sent into the first FF
14         for(i=size-2 ; i >= 0 ; i=i-1) begin: shift //Number of FFs i.e. bit number of shift register is parametrized
15             D_FlipFlop U1(SO[i+1], SO[i], Clk, R, L); //output of first FF sent to next FF
16         end
17     endgenerate
18
19 endmodule

```



For line 13: The first register is entered.



For line 14-16: The middle and last registers are entered.


3. Use the following test patterns with the clock periods provided in Table 1. Write a Verilog Testbench code to simulate and verify the functionality in ModelSim®.

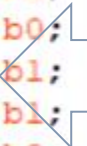
<i>Table 1: Testbench Stimuli</i>			
R	L	SI	Clock Period
0	0	0	300 ns
1	1	1	300 ns
1	1	0	300 ns
1	1	1	300 ns
0	1	1	300 ns
1	1	0	300 ns
1	1	1	300 ns

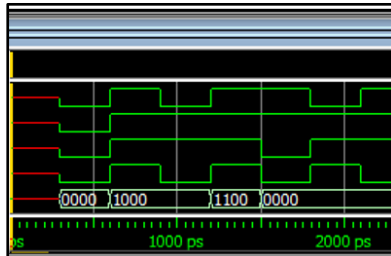
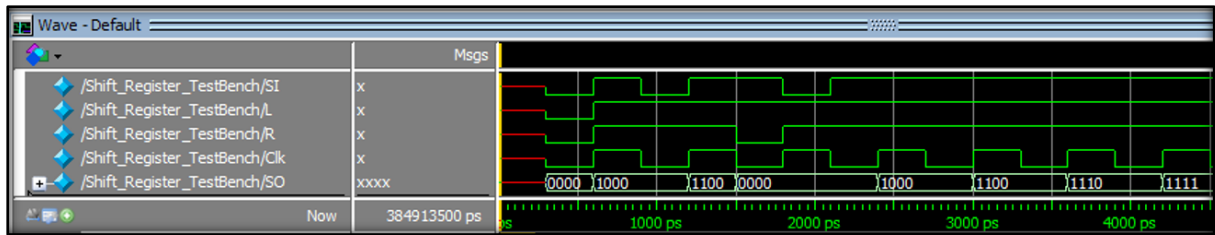
```

2  module Shift_Register_TestBench();
3
4  reg SI,L,R,Clock;
5  wire [3:0]SO;
6
7  Shift_Register DUT(SI, Clock, L, R, SO);
8
9  always
10 begin
11     #300 Clock = 1'b0;
12     #300 Clock = 1'b1;
13 end
14
15 initial
16 begin
17     #300 R = 1'b0; L = 1'b0; SI = 1'b0;
18     #300 R = 1'b1; L = 1'b1; SI = 1'b1;
19     #300 R = 1'b1; L = 1'b1; SI = 1'b0;
20     #300 R = 1'b1; L = 1'b1; SI = 1'b1;
21     #300 R = 1'b0; L = 1'b1; SI = 1'b1;
22     #300 R = 1'b1; L = 1'b1; SI = 1'b0;
23     #300 R = 1'b1; L = 1'b1; SI = 1'b1;
24 end
25
26 endmodule

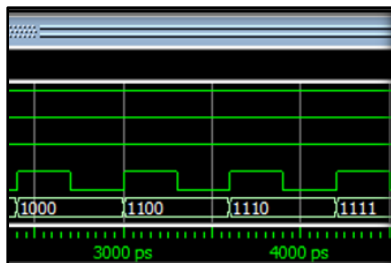
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 Clock
would
change
every
300
pico
seconds


 R, L and
SI are
given
random
values
every
300 pico
seconds

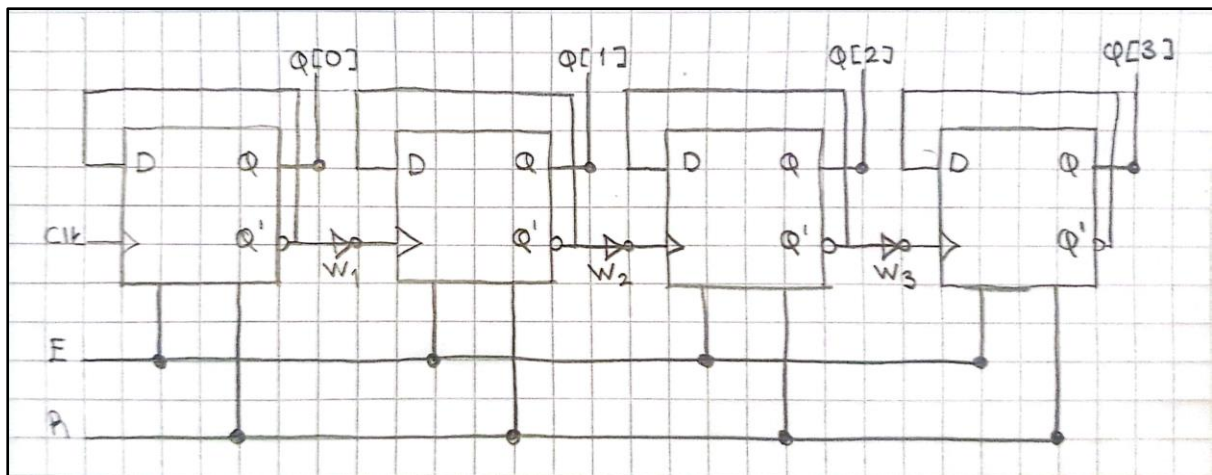


First the data needs to be loaded. After it was loaded the shift register starts with 0000. Then it shifts to 1000 then to 1100. Goes back to 0000 with the Reset.

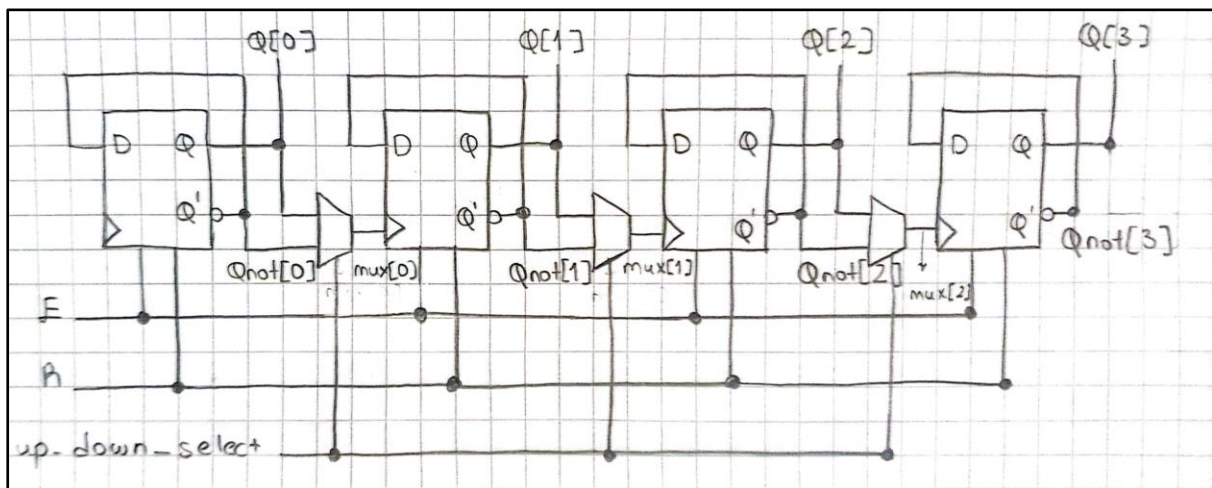


The registers keep shifting as Reset and Load stay at 1.

Down Counter:



Combine the two:



With the multiplexer we can now select a down or up counter with the up_down_select.

If R is 1:

Q = 0000

Else R is 0:

If E is 0:

Q is the same

Else E is 1:

If up_down_s is 1:

Q is Q + 1: count up

Else up_down_s is 0:

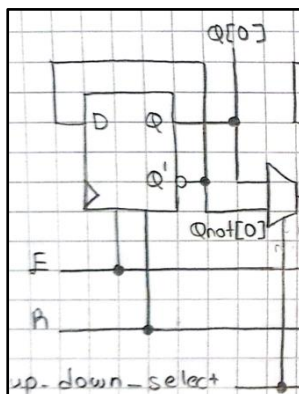
Q is Q - 1: count down

Verilog implementation:

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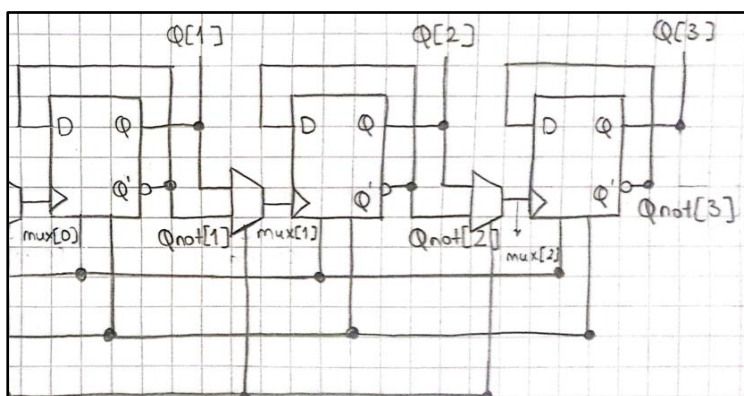
2  module up_down_counter(up_down_select, E, R, Clk, Q);
3
4  parameter size = 4;
5
6  input up_down_select, E, R, Clk;
7  output [size-1:0]Q;
8
9  wire [size-1:0]Qnot;
10 wire [size-1:0]mux;
11 wire Rnot;
12 not(Rnot,R);
13
14
15 genvar i;
16 generate
17
18     D_FlipFlop U1(Qnot[0], Q[0], Clk, Rnot, E, Qnot[0]);
19     two_to_one_MUX U2(Q[0],Qnot[0],up_down_select,mux[0]);
20
21     for(i = 1; i < size; i = i+1) begin: count
22         D_FlipFlop U3(Qnot[i], Q[i],mux[i-1] , Rnot, E, Qnot[i]);
23         two_to_one_MUX U4(Q[i],Qnot[i],up_down_select,mux[i]);
24     end
25 endgenerate
26
27 endmodule

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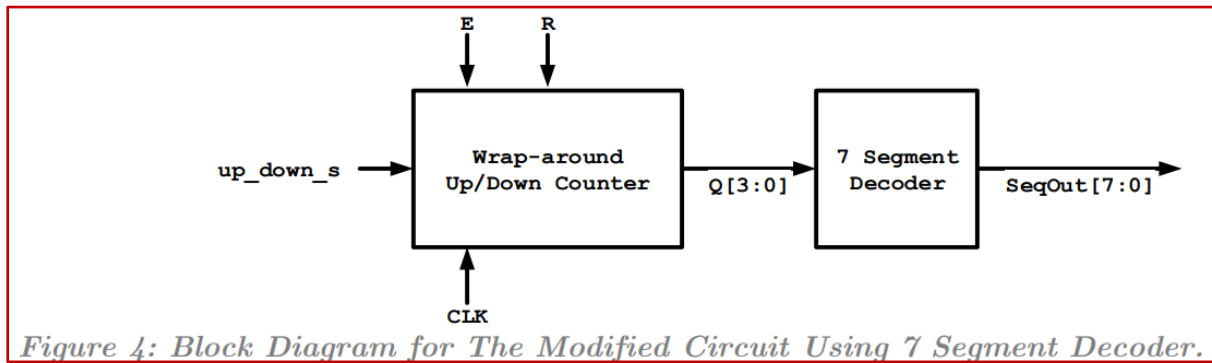
In Line 18: The first Flip Flop is entered.

In Line 19: The multiplexer is entered.



In Line 21 to 24: The rest of the flip flops and multiplexers are entered.

2. Modify your code to connect a 4-bit output to 7-segment decoder designed and used in LAB 2&3.



```

1 module up_down_counter_seven_segment(up_down_select, E, R, Clk, out);
2
3 input up_down_select, E, R, Clk;
4 output [15:0]out;
5 wire [3:0]Q;
6
7 up_down_counter U(up_down_select, E, R, Clk, Q);
8 seven_segment_decoder (Q,out[15],out[14],out[13],out[12],out[11],out[10],out[9],out[8],out[7],out[6],out[5],out[4],out[3],out[2],out[1],out[0]);
9
10 endmodule
11

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In this code, 4-bit output of the counter is fed into the 4-bit input of the seven-segment decoder in a top-level code. Therefore output of the counter will be displayed in the seven-segment display of the board thanks to the decoder code written in the previous project.

3. Use the following test patterns with the clock periods provided in Table 2. Write a Verilog Testbench code to simulate and verify the functionality in ModelSim®.

Table 2: Testbench Stimuli

R	up_down_s	E	Clock Period
1	0	0	2000 ns
0	0	0	2000 ns
0	1	1	2000 ns
0	0	1	2000 ns

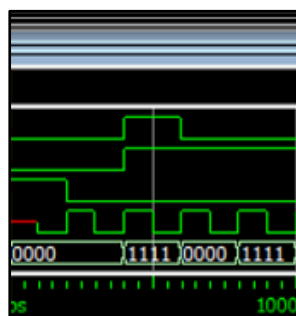
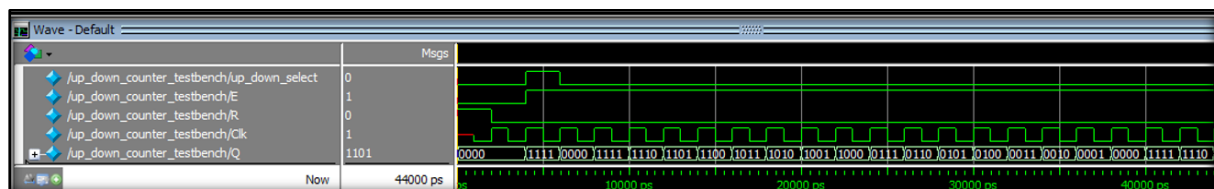
```

2  module up_down_counter_testbench();
3
4  parameter size = 4;
5
6  reg up_down_select, E, R, Clk;
7  wire [size-1:0]Q;
8
9      up_down_counter DUT(up_down_select, E, R, Clk, Q);
10
11
12      always
13      begin
14          #1000 Clk <=1'b0;
15          #1000 Clk <=1'b1;
16      end
17
18      initial
19      begin
20          R=1'b1; up_down_select=1'b0; E=1'b0; #2000;
21          R=1'b0; up_down_select=1'b0; E=1'b0; #2000;
22          R=1'b0; up_down_select=1'b1; E=1'b1; #2000;
23          R=1'b0; up_down_select=1'b0; E=1'b1; #2000;
24      end
25  endmodule

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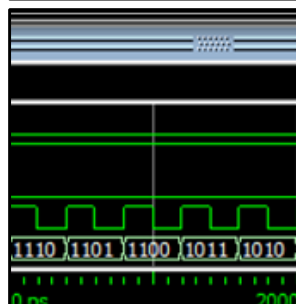
The clock will change every 1000 pico seconds

R needs to be 1 first to start the counting operation. R would set the initial value to be 0000. Up_down select and E values are random. R, up_down_select and E change every 2000 pico seconds.

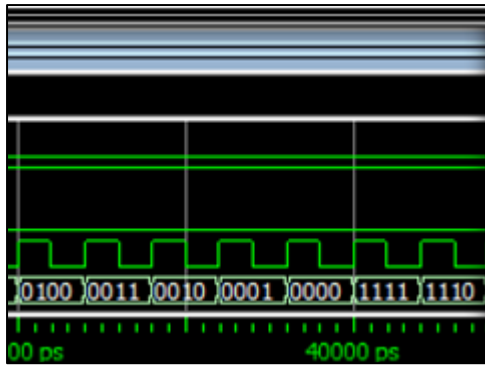


First R is 1 so Q would be 0000. When up_down_select is rising, there is a down count operation 0000 -> 1111.

up_down_select is falling, there is a up count operation 1111->0000.



Continues counting.



When Q reaches 0000 it goes back to 1111.

3. 2. 5: 3-bit Down Counter Using D Flip-Flop

Design a 3-bit down counter with asynchronous clear using rising-edge triggered D flip-flops. The count should wrap around from "000" to "111"

State table is constructed.

Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	Q_2^+	Q_1^+	Q_0^+
0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	0	0	0
0	1	0	0	0	1
0	1	1	0	1	0
1	0	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	1	0	0
1	1	0	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1	0

Q	Q^+	D
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	0
1	1	1

DFF excitation table $\rightarrow Q^+ = D \rightarrow$

$$D_2 = \sum m(0, 5, 6, 7)$$

$$D_1 = \sum m(0, 3, 4, 7)$$

$$D_0 = \sum m(0, 2, 4, 6)$$

KMAP's are created to find formulas.

D_2 $D_2 = Q_2' Q_1' Q_0' + Q_2 Q_0 + Q_2 Q_1 Q_0'$	D_1 $D_1 = Q_1' Q_0' + Q_1 Q_0$ $= Q_1 \oplus Q_0$	D_0 $D_0 = Q_0'$
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$$D_2 = Q_2' Q_1' Q_0' + Q_2 Q_0 + Q_2 Q_1 Q_0'$$

$$D_1 = Q_1' Q_0' + Q_1 Q_0 = Q_1 \text{ xnor } Q_0$$

$$D_0 = Q_0'$$


```

1  module three_bit_down_counter(Clk, Clear, Q);
2
3  input Clk,Clear;
4  output [2:0]Q;
5  wire [2:0]Qnot;
6  wire [2:0]D;
7
8  wire w1,w2,w3,Cnot;
9
10 not(Cnot,Clear);
11
12 and(w1, Qnot[2], Qnot[1], Qnot[0]);
13 and(w2, Q[2], Q[0]);
14 and(w3, Q[2], Q[1], Qnot[0]);
15 or(D[2],w1,w2,w3);
16
17 xnor(D[1],Q[1],Q[0]);
18
19 D_FlipFlop U2(D[2], Q[2], Clk, Cnot, Qnot[2]);
20 D_FlipFlop U1(D[1], Q[1], Clk, Cnot, Qnot[1]);
21 D_FlipFlop U0(Qnot[0], Q[0], Clk, Cnot, Qnot[0]);
22
23 endmodule

```

Line 12: $w1 = Q2'Q1'Q0'$

Line 13: $w2 = Q2Q0$

Line 14: $w3 = Q2Q1Q0'$

Line 15: $D2 = w1 + w2 + w3$

Line 17: $D1 = Q1 \text{ xnor } Q0$

Line 19: flipflop D2

Line 20: flipflop D1

Line 21: flipflop D0

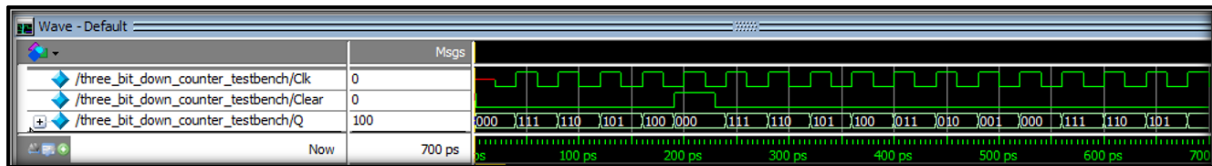
```

1
2  module three_bit_down_counter_testbench();
3
4  reg Clk,Clear;
5  wire [2:0]Q;
6
7
8  three_bit_down_counter DUT(Clk, Clear, Q);
9
10
11  always
12  begin
13      #20 Clk=1'b0;
14      #20 Clk=1'b1;
15  end
16
17  initial
18  fork: test
19      #1 Clear=1'b1;
20      #2 Clear=1'b0;
21
22      #190 Clear=1'b1;
23      #230 Clear=1'b0;
24  join
25
26 endmodule

```

Clk changes every 20 pico seconds

Clear changes randomly.



000 -> 111 -> 110 -> 101 and so on.

Between 190-230ps we can see the functionality of asynchronous clear. In this interval, output becomes 000 independent of the clock. After this interval, count down start again from 000.

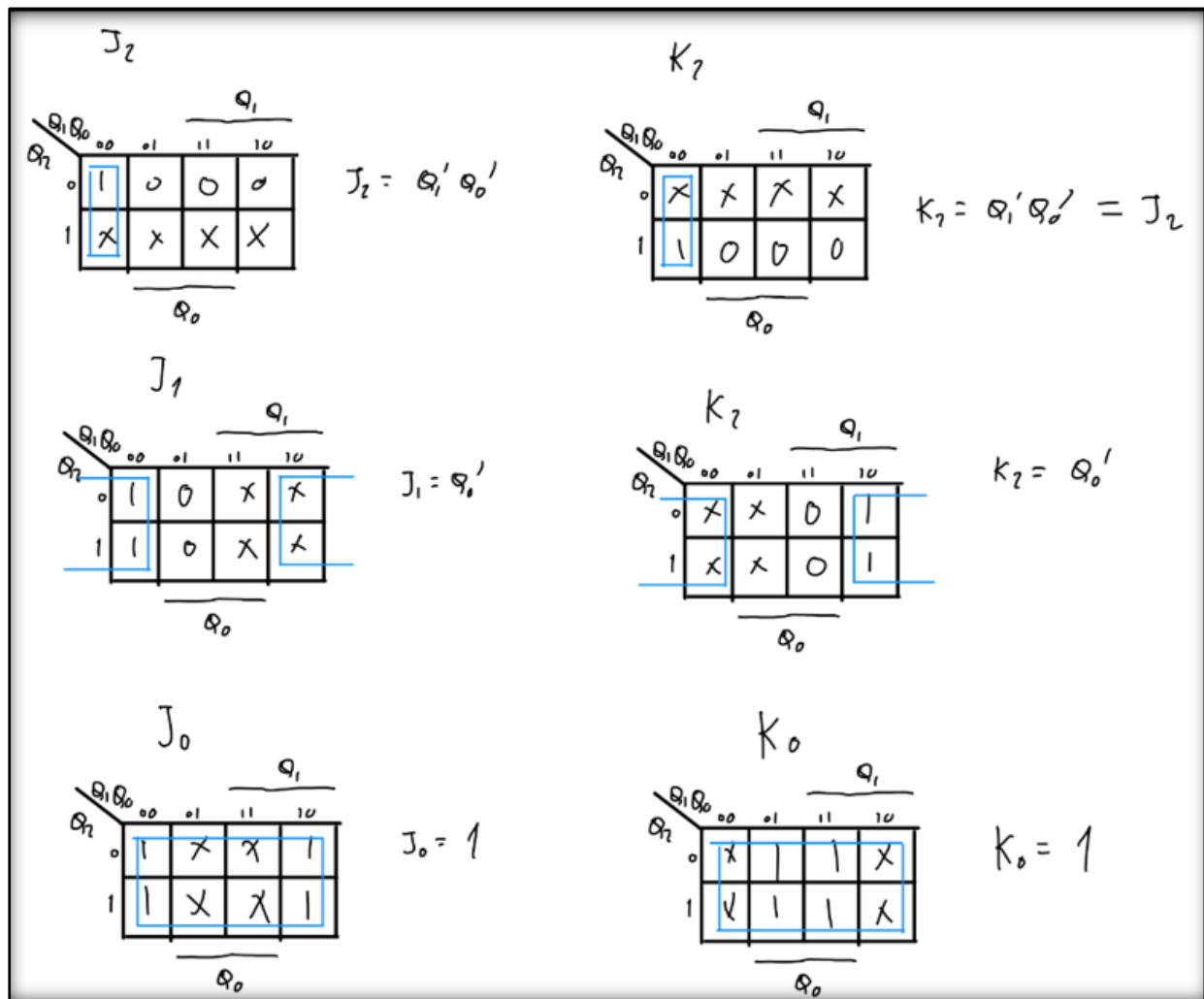
3. 2. 6: 3-bit Down Counter using JK Flip-Flop

Design a 3-bit down counter with asynchronous clear using negative-edge triggered JK-type flip-flops with asynchronous active low clear.

Similarly to 3. 2. 5 we create a table.

JFF excitation table														
Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	Q_2^+	Q_1^+	Q_0^+	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0			
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	X	1	X	1	X			
0	0	1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	X	1			
0	1	0	0	0	1	0	X	X	1	1	X			
0	1	1	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	X	1			
1	0	0	0	1	1	X	1	1	X	1	X			
1	0	1	1	0	0	X	0	0	X	X	1			
1	1	0	1	0	1	X	0	X	1	1	X			
1	1	1	1	1	0	X	0	X	0	X	1			

Then we create KMAP's to find the formulas.



$$J_2 = Q_1' Q_0'$$

$$J_1 = Q_0'$$

$$J_0 = 1$$

$$K_2 = Q_1' Q_0' = J_2$$

$$K_1 = Q_0' = J_1$$

$$K_0 = 1 = J_0$$

```

2  module jk_down_counter(Clk, Clear, Q);
3
4  input Clk,Clear;
5  output [2:0]Q;
6  wire [2:0]Qnot;
7  wire [2:0]J;
8  wire Clknot;
9
10 not(Clknot,Clk);
11 and(J[2],Qnot[1],Qnot[0]);
12
13 JK_FlipFlop U2(J[2],J[2],Clknot,Q[2],Qnot[2],Clear);
14 JK_FlipFlop U1(Qnot[0],Qnot[0],Clknot,Q[1],Qnot[1],Clear);
15 JK_FlipFlop U0(1,1,Clknot,Q[0],Qnot[0],Clear);
16
17 endmodule
18

```

Line 11: $J_2 = Q_1'Q_0'$

Line 13: Flip Flop J2

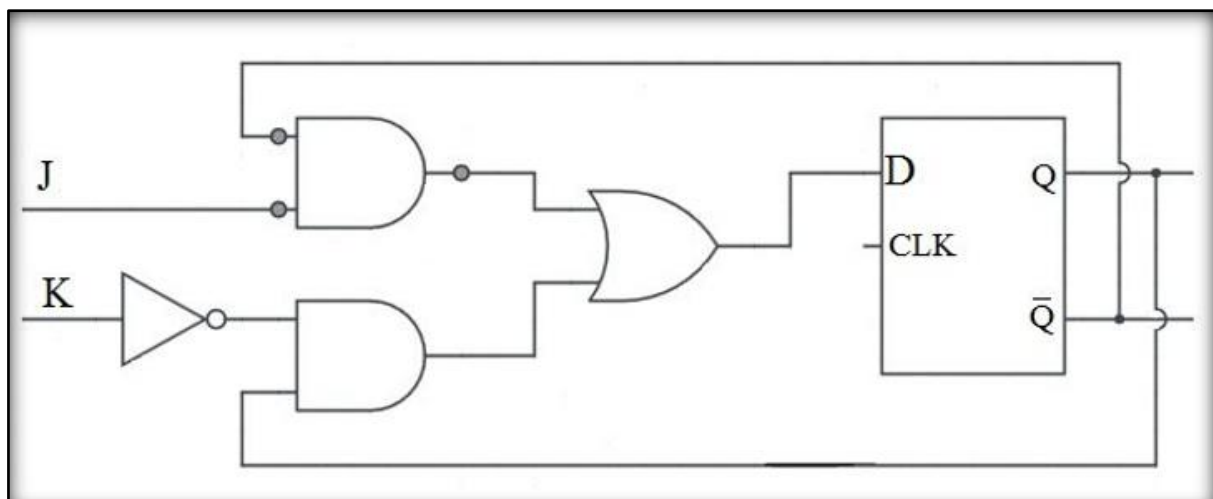
Line 14: Flip Flop J1

Line 15: Flip Flop J0

Line 10: Clock is inverted using a NOT gate in order to achieve negative edge JKFF.

Unlike the counter with DFFs, clear isn't inverted to achieve active low asynchronous clear input.

JK flip flop using D flip flop:



$D = J*Q' + K'*Q$ (formula of JK flip flop)

```

1
2  module JK_FlipFlop(J,K,Clk,Q,Qnot,Clear);
3
4  input J,K,Clk,Clear;
5  output Q,Qnot;
6  wire Knot,w1,w2,w3;
7
8  not(Knot,K);
9
10 and(w1,Qnot,J);
11 and(w2,Knot,Q);
12 or(w3,w1,w2);
13
14 D_FlipFlop U1(w3, Q, Clk, Clear, Qnot);
15
16 endmodule

```

Line 10: $w1 = J \cdot Q'$.

Line 11: $w2 = K' \cdot Q$.

Line 12: $w3 = w1 + w2 = J \cdot Q' + K' \cdot Q$.

Line 13: D flip flop with input $w3$. $D = w3 = J \cdot Q' + K' \cdot Q$.

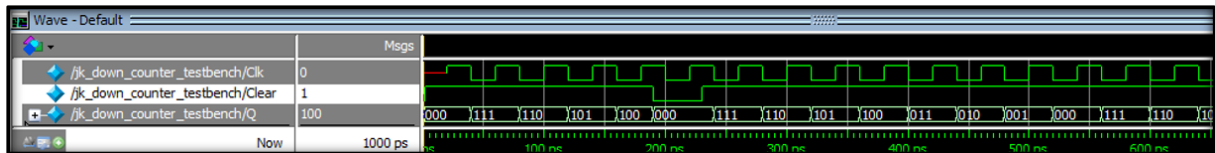
```

2  module jk_down_counter_testbench();
3
4  reg Clk,Clear;
5  wire [2:0]Q;
6
7  jk_down_counter DUT(Clk, Clear, Q);
8
9  always
10 begin
11     #20 Clk=1'b1;
12     #20 Clk=1'b0;
13 end
14
15 initial
16 fork: test
17     #1 Clear=1'b0;
18     #2 Clear=1'b1;
19
20     #190 Clear=1'b0;
21     #230 Clear=1'b1;
22 join
23
24 endmodule

```

Clk changes every 20
pico seconds.

Clear changes
randomly.

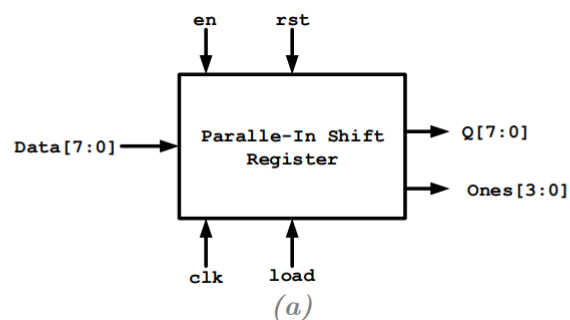


Output starts from 000 and counts down with every falling edge of the clock.

Between 190-230ps we can see the functionality of the active low asynchronous clear. In this interval, output becomes 000 independent of the clock. After this interval, count down start again from 000 and wraps around at 560ps.

3. 2. 7: 4-bit Synchronous Parallel Load Shift Register with Counter and Asynchronous Reset

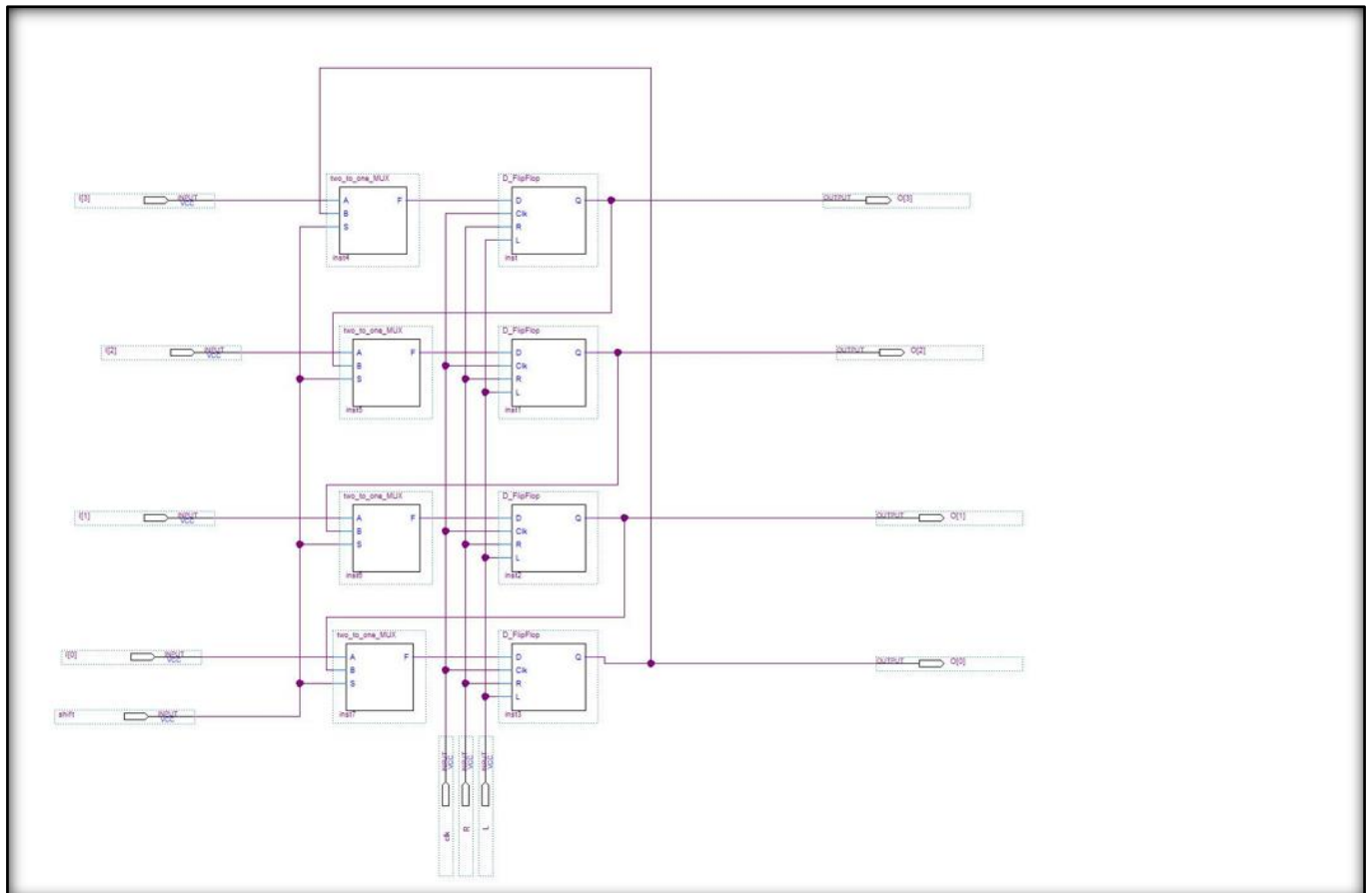
1. Write a structural (hierarchical) Verilog code to read an 8-bit message from parallel input (user switches) into a shift-register and use the shift function together with a counter to determine the number of '1's in the message. You have to create a top-level design and initialize shift register and counter explicitly. Do not use if statement (behavioural) approach. (no need to design the 7-segment LED decoder here, the decoder will be used during the experimental work.)



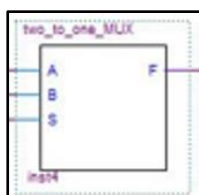
rst	load	en	Q[7:0]	Ones[3:0]
1	X	X	0	0
0	X	0	0	0
0	1	1	Data	0
0	0	1	Data	#ones

(b)

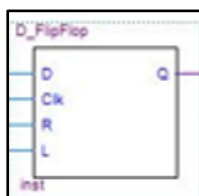
Figure 5:(a) Parallel Load Shift Register Symbol, (b) table to describe the operation



Circuit in the above schematic is used to implement the parallel load shift register. (the schematic is prepared with 4 DFFs in order to fit the image, actual circuit was prepared with 8 DFFs.)



A regular parallel load register is customized by adding MUXs to the inputs.



These MUXs select between input and the above DFF's output. Thus, when the MUX select ("shift" input in this circuit) is 1, values of the DFFs are shifted.

Output of the DFF that holds the least significant bit is then connected to the enable input of an up counter.

This way, when the values in the DFFs are shifted 8 times, 0 and 1 values that are stored in the DFFs are fed to the enable of the up counter one by one. Therefore, up counter counts up the exact number of times it detects "1" in the enable input.

As a result, we achieve the "number of ones" operation.

```

1  module parallel_load(data, clk, R, Q, shift);
2
3  input [7:0]data;
4  input clk,R,shift;
5
6  output [7:0]Q;
7
8  wire [7:0]mux;
9  wire [7:0]Qnot;
10 wire shiftnot;
11
12 not(shiftnot,shift);
13
14 two_to_one_MUX M7(data[7],Q[0],shiftnot,mux[7]);
15 two_to_one_MUX M6(data[6],Q[7],shiftnot,mux[6]);
16 two_to_one_MUX M5(data[5],Q[6],shiftnot,mux[5]);
17 two_to_one_MUX M4(data[4],Q[5],shiftnot,mux[4]);
18 two_to_one_MUX M3(data[3],Q[4],shiftnot,mux[3]);
19 two_to_one_MUX M2(data[2],Q[3],shiftnot,mux[2]);
20 two_to_one_MUX M1(data[1],Q[2],shiftnot,mux[1]);
21 two_to_one_MUX M0(data[0],Q[1],shiftnot,mux[0]);
22
23 D_FlipFlop U7(mux[7], Q[7], clk, R, 1, Qnot[7]);
24 D_FlipFlop U6(mux[6], Q[6], clk, R, 1, Qnot[6]);
25 D_FlipFlop U5(mux[5], Q[5], clk, R, 1, Qnot[5]);
26 D_FlipFlop U4(mux[4], Q[4], clk, R, 1, Qnot[4]);
27 D_FlipFlop U3(mux[3], Q[3], clk, R, 1, Qnot[3]);
28 D_FlipFlop U2(mux[2], Q[2], clk, R, 1, Qnot[2]);
29 D_FlipFlop U1(mux[1], Q[1], clk, R, 1, Qnot[1]);
30 D_FlipFlop U0(mux[0], Q[0], clk, R, 1, Qnot[0]);
31
32
33 endmodule

```

Q output of the least significant DFF is fed into the B input of the most significant DFF MUX.

Line 14 to 21: 8 mux's are entered.

Line 23 to 30: 8 flip flops are entered

```

2  module up_counter(E, R, Clk, Q);
3
4  parameter size = 4;
5
6  input E, R, Clk;
7  output [size-1:0]Q;
8
9  wire [size-1:0]Qnot;
10 wire Clkwire;
11
12 not(Clkwire,Clk);
13
14 genvar i;
15 generate
16
17     D_FlipFlop U1(Qnot[0], Q[0], Clkwire, R, E, Qnot[0]);
18
19     for(i = 1; i < size; i = i+1) begin: count
20
21         D_FlipFlop U3(Qnot[i], Q[i],Qnot[i-1] , R, E, Qnot[i]);
22
23     end
24 endgenerate
25
26 endmodule
27

```

Wrap around Up/Down Counter code is modified since we can only count up.

Top level:

```
3  module top(data, clk, R, L, en, Q, ones);
4
5  input [7:0]data;
6  input clk, R, L, en;
7  output [7:0]Q;
8  output [3:0]ones;
9  wire Rnot;
10
11  not(Rnot,R);
12
13  parallel_load P1(data, clk, Rnot, Q, L);
14  up_counter U1(Q[0], L, clk, ones);
15
16  endmodule
17
18
```

Line 13: parallel_load module is entered.

Line 14: up_counter module is entered.

2. Modify your code to connect a 4-bit output to 7-segment decoder designed and used in LAB 2&3.

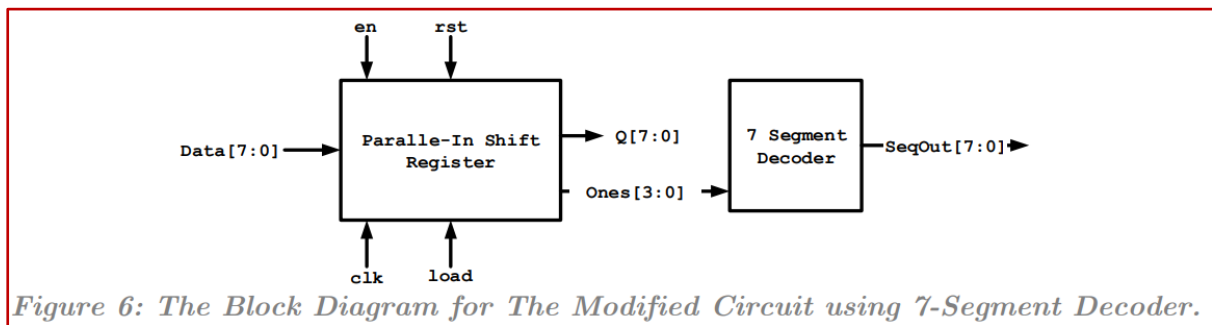


Figure 6: The Block Diagram for The Modified Circuit using 7-Segment Decoder.

```

1 module parallel_load_seven_segment(data, en, R, L, clk, Q, segment):
2
3   input en,R,L,clk;
4   input [7:0]data;
5   output [7:0]Q;
6   output [15:0]segment;
7   wire [3:0]wl;
8
9   parallel_top(data, clk, R, L, en, Q, wl);
10  seven_segment_decoder(wl,segment[15],segment[14],segment[13],segment[12],segment[11],segment[10],segment[9],segment[8],segment[7],segment[6],segment[5],segment[4],segment[3],segment[2],segment[1],segment[0]);
11
12 endmodule

```

Seven segment decoder and the top level code of parallel shift register with counter is combined in another top level code.

Decoder with n inputs would have 2^n outputs. We have 4 inputs and 16 outputs.

All the previous inputs and outputs are present here. However, "ones" output of parallel_top is fed into the 4-bit input of the seven segment decoder, output of the seven segment decoder is fed into the appropriate 16-bit output in order to drive the seven segment on the board.

3. Use the following test patterns with the clock periods provided in Table 3. Write a Verilog Testbench code to simulate and verify the functionality in ModelSim®.

<i>Table 3: Testbench Stimuli</i>				
rst	load	en	Data	Delay
0	0	0	01010101	200 ns
1	1	1	01010101	200 ns
1	0	1	01010101	1000 ns
0	0	0	11010111	200 ns
1	1	1	11010111	200 ns
1	0	1	11010111	1000 ns
0	0	0	11000001	200 ns
1	1	1	11000001	200 ns
1	0	1	11000001	1000 ns

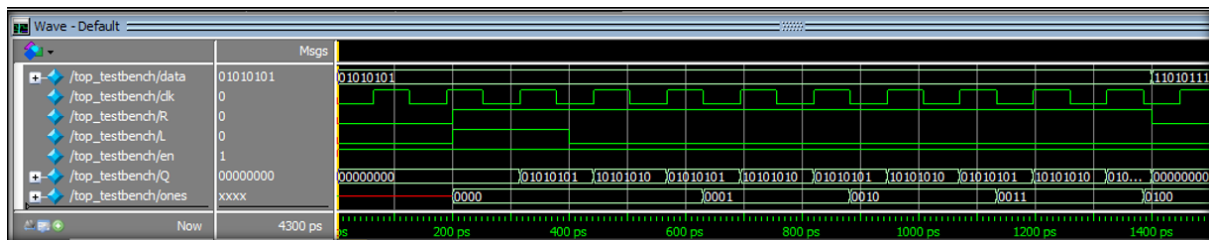
```

1  module top_testbench();
2
3
4  reg [7:0]data;
5  reg clk, R, L, en;
6  wire [7:0]Q;
7  wire [3:0]ones;
8
9  top DUT(data, clk, R, L, en, Q, ones);
10
11  always
12  begin
13      clk=~clk; #62.5;
14  end
15
16  initial
17  begin
18      clk=1'b0;
19      R=1'b0; L=1'b0; en=1'b1; data=8'b0101_0101; #200;
20      R=1'b1; L=1'b1; en=1'b1; data=8'b0101_0101; #200;
21      R=1'b1; L=1'b0; en=1'b1; data=8'b0101_0101; #1000;
22
23      R=1'b0; L=1'b0; en=1'b1; data=8'b1101_0111; #200;
24      R=1'b1; L=1'b1; en=1'b1; data=8'b1101_0111; #200;
25      R=1'b1; L=1'b0; en=1'b1; data=8'b1101_0111; #1000;
26
27      R=1'b0; L=1'b0; en=1'b1; data=8'b1100_0001; #200;
28      R=1'b1; L=1'b1; en=1'b1; data=8'b1100_0001; #200;
29      R=1'b1; L=1'b0; en=1'b1; data=8'b1100_0001; #1000;
30
31  end
32
33 endmodule

```

Clk is changed every 62.5 pico seconds.

R, L, en, data changes 200 pico seconds 2 times then 1000 pico seconds one time. This is done three times as given in the table.

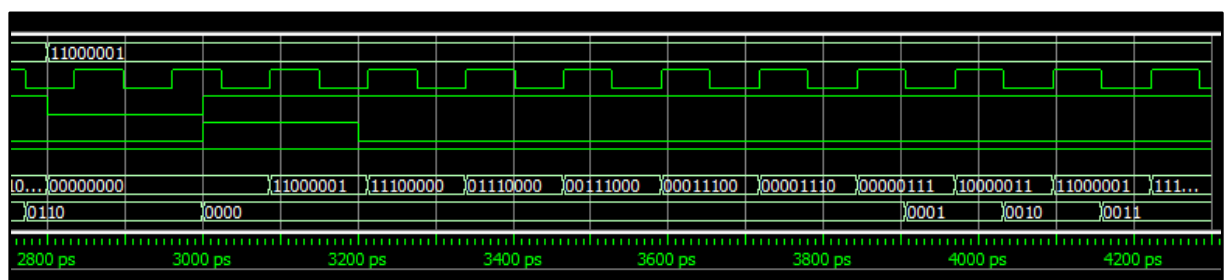
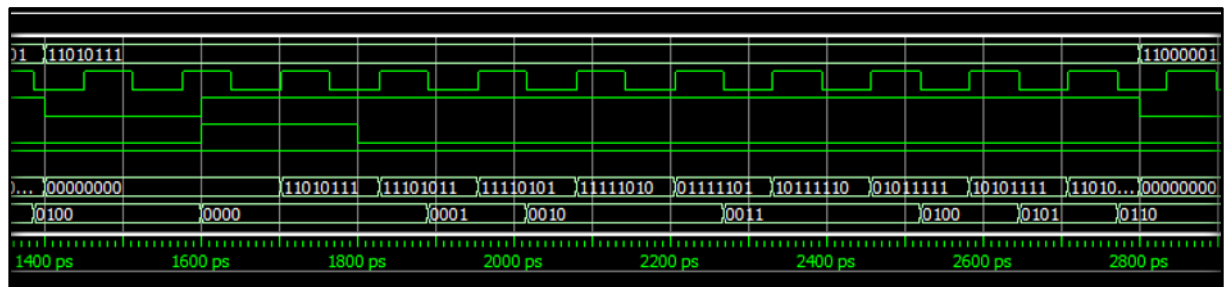


200-400ps: $R = 1$, $L = 1$. Since the load value is 1, rising clock in this interval causes DFFs to take the data values. Therefore $Q=01010101$.

400-1400ps: in this interval we see 8 rising clocks, which means the values inside DFFs are shifted 8 times, and meanwhile, according to what the least significant value of Q is, counter count up at 1 values.

See that at the rising clock at 440ps, "ones" value stays at 0000. Because the least significant bit of the Q is 0 at that point.

In contrast, at around 1400ps, just before the DFFs are resetted, "ones" value becomes 0100 which is 4 and indeed 01010101 has 4 1's.



This exact behavior can be seen in 1400-2800ps and 2800-4400ps intervals.

see the "ones" value at 2800ps is 0110 which is 6, 11010111 has 6 ones.

Same with 4200ps, 0011 = 3, 11000001 has 3 ones.

3.3: Conclusion:

In conclusion, we tried to implement the flip flops best we could. However, it has been a challenge. Needing to learn chapter 6 before seeing it during the lectures has been an issue. A lot of compilation errors and inconsistencies between Modelsim and Quartus had prevailed. What compiled in Quartus didn't in Modelsim. What simulated in Quartus didn't open in Modelism. However even with all these challenges we understood memory storage and flip flops in a much deeper level. What we learned during chapter 5 helped us with creating tables and getting the formulas we needed. While simulating we understood how the clock worked exactly, when the module should load or reset. As much as this lab was difficult, it was also a great learning experience.