

System Verilog code

Step 1: Create a combinational RTL model for a 4-bit expandable carry lookahead adder (CLA). **You do not need to create or use gate-level modules for full or half adders.**

A combinational RTL model uses only continuous assignment (assign) statements or always_comb procedural block with or without gate delays.

Use these gate delays in your model:

- AND gate 2ns
- OR gate 2ns
- XOR gate 3ns

Step 2: Simulate your 4-bit CLA module with the testbench we provided. Save a transcript of your successful simulation results.

Step 3: Create an expandable 8-bit adder using the 4-bit CLA module you created and verified.

Step 4: Simulate your 8-bit CLA adder. Save a transcript of your successful simulation results.

Your design modules **MUST** be declared as follows to be instantiated correctly in the testbench:

```
module CLA4Bit(ain, bin, cin, sum, cout);
    input [3:0]    ain, bin;
    input         cin;
    output logic [3:0] sum;
    output logic cout;

module CLA8Bit(ain, bin, cin, sum, cout);
    input [7:0]    ain, bin;
    input         cin;
    output logic [7:0] sum;
    output logic cout;
```

A carry is generated at a stage i if it is generated by stage i 's inputs (A_i, B_i) or by any prior stage and propagated by every succeeding stage.

Hence,

$$CO1 = G0 + CI0.P0$$

$$\Rightarrow CO1 = G0$$

$$CO2 = G1 + CI1.P1$$

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$$\Rightarrow CO2 = G1 + G0.P1$$

$$CO3 = G2 + CI2.P2$$

$$\Rightarrow CO3 = G2 + CO2.P2$$

$$\Rightarrow CO3 = G2 + (G1 + G0.P1).P2$$

$$\Rightarrow CO3 = G2 + G1.P2 + G0.P1.P2$$

And so on...

And the equation for Sum output will be as follows:

$$S = A \wedge B \wedge CIN;$$

(Hint: For the sum output, you need to figure out the logic for CIN using the schematic, it is not straight forward, unlike inputs A and B which can be used as is!)

How to use the test bench provided?

Part 1: Testing your 4 bit CLA design module.

1. Create a top module as shown below and add this module to your CLA4Bit module and save this single file as CLA4Top.sv:

```
module CLA4Top;
    parameter nBITS = 4;
    logic [nBITS - 1 : 0] ain, bin, sum;
    logic cin, cout;

    // instantiate your 4 bit CLA design module here

    // instantiate the test bench module as follows
    test #(4) TB(. *);
endmodule
```

2. Add CLA4Top.sv and test.sv to your project in QuestaSim.
3. Simulate the CLA4Top.sv file
4. Save the transcript.

Part 2: Testing your 8 bit CLA design module.

1. Create a top module as shown below and add this module to your CLA8Bit module and save this single file as CLA8Top.sv:

```
module CLA8Top;
    parameter nBITS = 8;
    logic [nBITS - 1 : 0] ain, bin, sum;
    logic cin, cout;

    // instantiate your 8 bit CLA design module here

    // instantiate the test bench module as follows
    test #(8) TB(. *);
endmodule
```

2. Add CLA8Top.sv and test.sv to your project in QuestaSim.
3. Simulate the CLA8Top.sv file
4. Save the transcript.

You are encouraged to do further readings on the working of a CLA and ask questions if things are unclear.

Submit your System Verilog code for both design modules with the transcript via D2L in a zipped file named as **<yourname>_HW1.zip** with names as follows:

- ***CLA4Top.sv your 4-bit CLA design module***
- ***CLA8Top.sv your 8-bit CLA design module***
- ***transcripts for both simulations***

NOTE: If you do not follow these instructions for declaring, naming and submitting your modules to D2L, you will have points deducted even if your answers are correct.