sync_4phase_handshake_slave

Description

Allows messages to be passed synchronously from a master to a slave by using an alternating sequence of request (req) and acknowledgement (ack) levels.

State 1: (~req,~ack) Master writes data to associated data bus
State 2: (req,~ack) Master asserts req
State 3: (req, ack) Slave reads data from associated data bus
State 4: (~req, ack) Master deasserts req

Verilog Template

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sync_4phase_handshake_slave
sync_4phase_handshake_slave_inst (
    .ack(ack),     // output
    .clear(clear), // input
    .clk(clk),     // input
    .flag(flag),   // output
    .req(req)      // input
);
```

Specifications

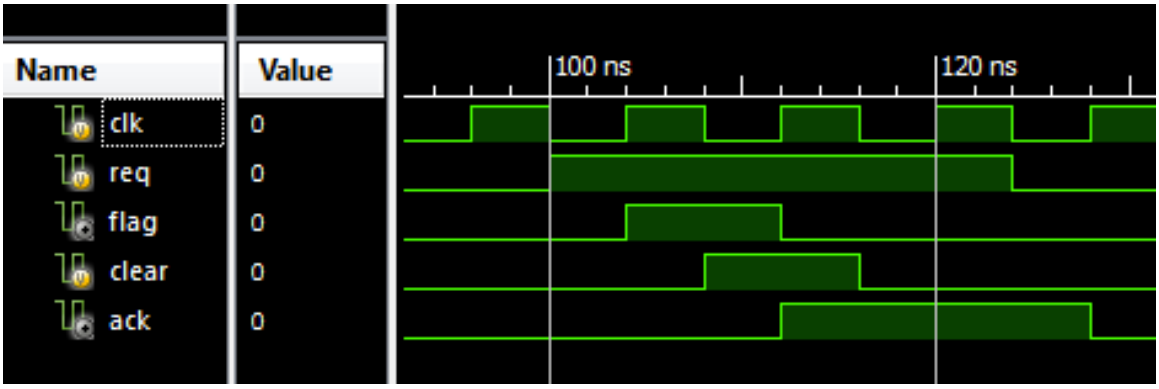
Inputs

- clear: clears the flag and asserts ack, should be deasserted once flag is deasserted, must be deasserted before req is deasserted and then reasserted or else it will spuriously acknowledge a second transaction
- clk: clock for internal flip-flops
- req: request signal from master to slave

Outputs

- ack: acknowledgement signal from slave to master
- flag: indicates that a request from a master has arrived, cleared when clear is asserted

Waveform



Requirements

Language for Synthesis: Verilog 2001
Synthesis Tool: Xilinx XST 13.2
Language for Verification: Verilog 2001
Verification Tool: Xilinx ISIM 13.2

References

[1] http://www.cl.cam.ac.uk/~djg11/wwwhpr/fourphase/fourphase.html

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