# **Booth's Multiplier:**

- 1. `parameter pN = 4`: This parameter defines the width of the multiplicand and multiplier. With `pN =
- 4', the multiplicand and multiplier are 4 bits wide.

#### 2. Inputs:

- `Rst`: Reset signal.
- `Clk`: Clock signal.
- `Ld`: Load signal to load the registers and start the multiplier.
- `M`: Multiplicand.
- `R`: Multiplier.

# 3. Outputs:

- 'Valid': Product Valid signal.
- `P`: Product of the multiplication.

# 4. Internal Registers:

- `A`: Multiplicand with an additional bit for sign guarding.
- `Cntr`: Operation Counter.
- `S`: Adder with sign guarding.
- `Prod`: Double length product with guard bits.

#### 5. Operation Counter:

- `Cntr` is initialized to 0 on reset.
- When `Ld` is high, `Cntr` is loaded with `2\*\*pN`, where `pN` is the width of the multiplicand and multiplier.

# 6. Multiplicand Register:

- `A` is initialized to 0 on reset.
- When `Ld` is high, `A` is loaded with the multiplicand `M`, including an additional bit for sign guarding.

# 7. Upper Partial Product:

- `S` is computed based on the lower two bits of `Prod` to determine the type of addition or subtraction needed with the multiplicand `A`.

#### 8. Register Partial Products and Shift:

- `Prod` is initialized to 0 on reset.
- When `Ld` is high, `Prod` is loaded with the multiplier `R`, and then it is shifted right arithmetically each clock cycle until `Cntr` reaches 1.

# 9. Assigning the Product to the Output Port:

- The final product `P` is assigned based on the contents of `S` and `Prod` after the multiplication process is complete.

# 10. Valid Signal:

- 'Valid' signal indicates when the product calculation is complete, i.e., when 'Cntr' reaches 1.

This code implements Booth's Multiplication Algorithm, where `M` is the multiplicand, `R` is the multiplier, and `P` is the product. The `Valid` signal is asserted when the product is ready.

This Verilog testbench is designed to test the Booth Multiplier module ('Booth\_Multiplier') using various test cases. Let's break down the important parts of the testbench:

1. 'parameter N = 2;': This parameter defines the width of the multiplicand and multiplier as 2 bits.

### 2. Inputs and Outputs:

- `Rst`, `Clk`: Reset and Clock signals.
- `Ld`: Load signal to load the registers and start the multiplier.
- `M`, `R`: Multiplicand and Multiplier.
- `Valid`: Product Valid signal.
- `P`: Product of the multiplication.

#### 3. Simulation Variables:

- 'i': Counter variable used in the for loop to generate test cases.

# 4. Instantiation of `Booth\_Multiplier`:

- The `Booth\_Multiplier` module is instantiated with the specified parameters and connected to the signals from the testbench.

#### 5. Simulation Flow:

- The testbench initializes the inputs (`Rst`, `Clk`, `Ld`, `M`, `R`) and waits for 100 ns for the global reset to finish.
  - It then enters a for loop to iterate through all possible combinations of `M` and `R` values.
- For each iteration, it sets `Ld` to 1, assigns `M` and `R` with the current iteration values, sets `Ld` back to 0, and waits for the `Valid` signal to be asserted, indicating that the product calculation is complete.

#### 6. Clock Generation:

- An 'always' block toggles the clock ('Clk') every 5 ns to simulate the clock signal.

This testbench tests the Booth Multiplier module with various input combinations and ensures that the product is correctly calculated and the `Valid` signal is asserted after each multiplication operation. The waveform generated by this testbench would show the initialization, the loading of `M` and `R`, the multiplication process, and the assertion of the `Valid` signal for each test case.

**Simulation variables**, as used in Verilog, are used to facilitate simulation-specific operations, such as test case generation, counters, and other temporary storage needs during simulation. Unlike regular variables, simulation variables do not correspond to any hardware element; they are purely for simulation purposes and are not synthesized into the final hardware design.

In the context of the provided Verilog testbench, the 'i' simulation variable is used as a counter to generate test cases for the Booth Multiplier module. It is incremented in a 'for' loop to generate all

possible combinations of `M` and `R` values for testing. The `i` variable is not synthesized into the hardware; it is used solely for simulation to drive the testbench logic.

In the provided Verilog testbench, the value of `i` represents the current iteration or test case number in the `for` loop. The testbench uses `i` to generate all possible combinations of `M` and `R` values for testing the Booth Multiplier module. The total number of iterations of the `for` loop is determined by the expression `(2\*\*(2\*\*(N+1)))`, where `N` is the parameter defining the width of the multiplicand and multiplier. This expression calculates the total number of possible combinations of `M` and `R` values based on the specified width. Each iteration of the loop corresponds to a unique combination of `M` and `R` values, allowing the testbench to thoroughly test the functionality of the Booth Multiplier module.

In Verilog, parameters are typically defined as integers, so the value `N = 00000002` would be treated as the integer value 2. Verilog does not interpret leading zeros in integer literals as part of the number's value, so `00000002` is equivalent to `2`. Therefore, in this context, `N = 00000002` simply means that the parameter `N` is assigned the integer value 2.

The **assignment** `N = 00000002` is used to set the parameter `N` to the value 2. This parameter `N` is then used to define the width of the multiplicand and multiplier in the Booth Multiplier module and the testbench.

In this case, setting 'N' to 2 means that the multiplicand and multiplier are each 2 bits wide. This implies that the Booth Multiplier module will perform multiplication of two 2-bit numbers, resulting in a 4-bit product. The testbench is then designed to generate test cases for these 2-bit numbers to thoroughly test the Booth Multiplier's functionality.