COL215 Assignment 1 - 2 x 1 and 4 x 1 Multiplexers

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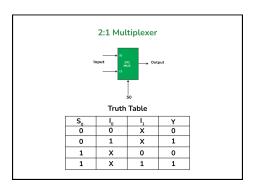
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1 Working Principle of Multiplexers

1.1 What is a Multiplexer?

A multiplexer is a device that selects one of several input signals and forwards the chosen input into a single output signal. An NX1 mux (abbreviation for multiplexer) has the ability to choose between N distinct inputs, for which it requires at least $\lceil \log_2 N \rceil$ selection bits. Hence a 2X1 mux requires 1 input bit whereas 4X1 mux requires 2 input bits.

The truth table for a 2x1 Mux and a 4x1 Mux look as following (Note that X/Y/Z means that output is invariant of the respective bit, be it 0 or 1):

D_0	D_1	S	Out
1	X	0	1
0	X	0	0
X	1	1	1
X	0	1	0

Table 1: Truth Table of a 2X1 Mux

D_0	D_1	D_2	D_3	S_0	S_1	Out
1	X	Y	Z	0	0	1
0	X	Y	Z	0	0	0
X	1	Y	Z	1	0	1
X	0	Y	Z	1	0	0
X	Y	1	Z	0	1	1
X	Y	0	Z	0	1	0
X	Y	Z	1	1	1	1
X	Y	Z	0	1	1	0

Table 2: Truth Table of a 4X1 Mux

1.2 Expression of 2X1 , 4X1 Mux and Recursive Definition of 4X1 Mux using 2X1 Mux

From the above truth table we get the formula for the 2X1 Mux as:

$$MUX_{2}(D_{0}, D_{1}, S) = S' \cdot D_{0} + S \cdot D_{1}$$

whereas the formula for 4X1 Mux is :

$$MUX_4(D_0, D_1, D_2, D_3, S_0, S_1) = S_0' \cdot (S_1' \cdot D_0 + S_1 \cdot D_2) + S_0 \cdot (S_1' \cdot D_1 + S_1 \cdot D_3)$$

In the case of 4X1 Mux , by collecting the sum of minterms in the manner mentioned above, it provides in sight into the recursive nature of 4X1 Mux and how we can make it from 3:2X1 Mux as shown below:

$$MUX_4(D_0, D_1, D_2, D_3, S_0, S_1) = S_0' \cdot (S_1' \cdot D_0 + S_1 \cdot D_2) + S_0 \cdot (S_1' \cdot D_1 + S_1 \cdot D_3)$$

$$MUX_4(D_0, D_1, D_2, D_3, S_0, S_1) = S_0' \cdot MUX_2(D_0, D_2, S_1) + S_0 \cdot MUX_2(D_1, D_3, S_1)$$

$$\mathbf{MUX_4}(\mathbf{D_0}, \mathbf{D_1}, \mathbf{D_2}, \mathbf{D_3}, \mathbf{S_0}, \mathbf{S_1}) = \mathbf{MUX_2}(\mathbf{MUX_2}(\mathbf{D_0}, \mathbf{D_2}, \mathbf{S_1}), \mathbf{MUX_2}(\mathbf{D_1}, \mathbf{D_3}, \mathbf{S_1}), \mathbf{S_0})$$

We will be implementing the 4X1 Mux based on the above principle instead of implementing the actual formula. Below attached are the circuit diagrams of our implementation of 2X1 and 4X1 Multiplexers (order of variables/ signal naming may vary):

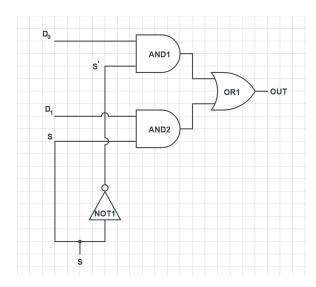


Figure 1: Implementation of 2X1 Mux using AND, NOT and OR Gates

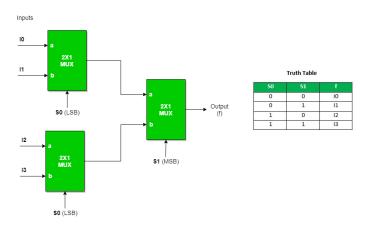
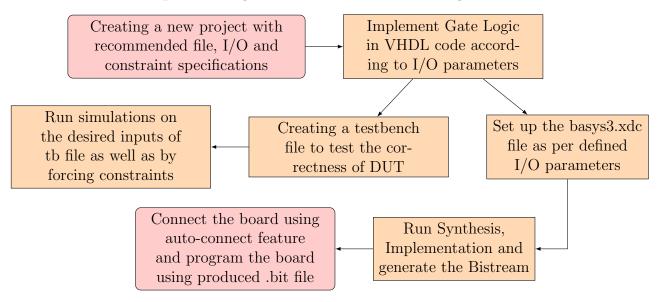


Figure 2: Recursive implementation of 4X1 Mux using 2X1 Mux

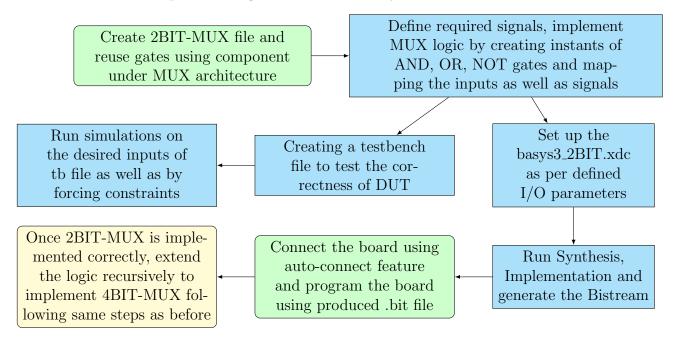
2 Design Philosophy

2.1 Design Process Flow Chart

2.1.1 Week 1 - Implementing AND, OR, NOT Gate Logic



2.1.2 Week 2 - Implementing 2x1 MUX and by extension 4x1 MUX



2.2 I/O Terminals

2.2.1 Week 1 - Basic Setup

Implementing a 2 input AND gate, 2 input OR gate and 1 input NOT gate required us to define five inputs and three outputs. The mapping of ports to the constraint file are as given below:

SNo.	Port Name	Board Contstraint	I/O
1	a_and_in	V17	IN
2	b_and_in	V16	IN
3	c_{and_out}	U16	OUT
4	d_or_in	W16	IN
5	e_or_in	W17	IN
6	f_or_out	E19	OUT
7	g_not_in	W15	IN
8	h_not_out	U19	OUT

Table 3: Mapping of Ports and Constraints in Basys3.xdc for BASIC-gates

2.2.2 Week 2 - 2x1-MUX and 4x1-MUX

Implementing a 2x1 MUX using 2 AND gates, 1 OR gate and 1 NOT gate required us to define three inputs and one output. The mapping of ports to the constraint file are as given below:

SNo.	Port Name	Board Contstraint	I/O
1	D1	V17	IN
2	D2	V16	IN
3	S	W16	IN
4	О	U16	OUT

Table 4: Mapping of Ports and Constraints in Basys3_2BIT.xdc for 2x1 MUX

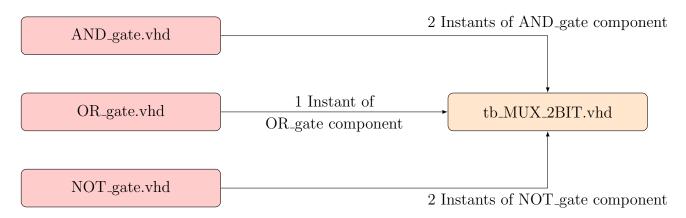
Implementing a 4x1 MUX using 4 AND gates, 3 OR gates and 2 NOT gates required us to define six inputs and one output. The mapping of ports to the constraint file are as given below:

SNo.	Port Name	Board Contstraint	I/O
1	d1	V17	IN
2	d2	V16	IN
3	d3	W16	IN
4	d4	W17	IN
5	s1	W15	IN
6	s2	V16	IN
7	О	U16	OUT

Table 5: Mapping of Ports and Constraints in Basys3_4BIT.xdc for 4x1 MUX

2.3 Hierarchy of VHD Files

2.3.1 For tb_MUX_2BIT.vhd



2.3.2 For tb_MUX_4BIT.vhd



The instants of entities from other files are defined under the architecture of the current file's entity by using component block. port map is used to map the signals between different components and make the system work as a unit. Any additional signal used (which was not defined during entity definition) also needs to be defined under architecture such as m1 and m2 for tb_MUX_4BIT (Which store the intermittent states of recursive calculation and act as inputs to MUXF)

The Final expression of the implemented 2x1 and 4x1 MUX respectively are :

$$MUX_2(D_1, D_2, S) = S \cdot D_1 + S' \cdot D_2 = O$$
 (1)

$$MUX_{4}(d_{1}, d_{2}, d_{3}, d_{4}, s_{1}, s_{2}) = s_{2} \cdot (s_{1} \cdot d_{1} + s_{1}^{'} \cdot d_{2}) + s_{2}^{'} \cdot (s_{1} \cdot d_{3} + s_{1}^{'} \cdot d_{4}) = o \quad (2)$$

3 Simulation and Schematic Snapshots

3.1 Week 1 - AND, OR, NOT Gates

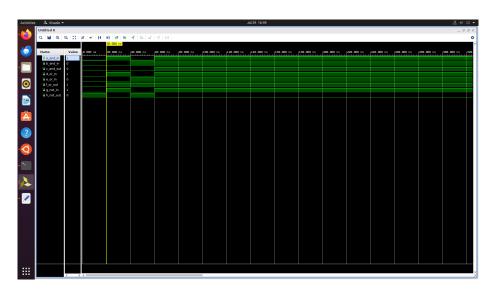


Figure 3: Simulation for AND,OR and NOT gates

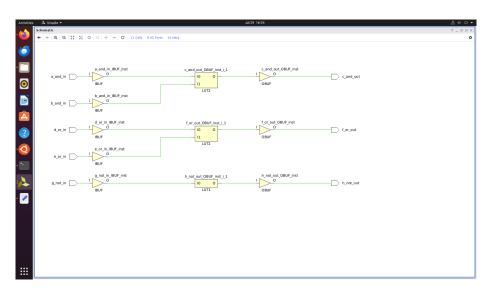


Figure 4: Schematic of AND,OR and NOT gates

3.2 Week 2 - 2X1 Multiplexer

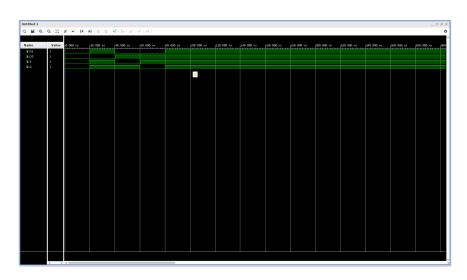


Figure 5: Simulation for 2x1 MUX

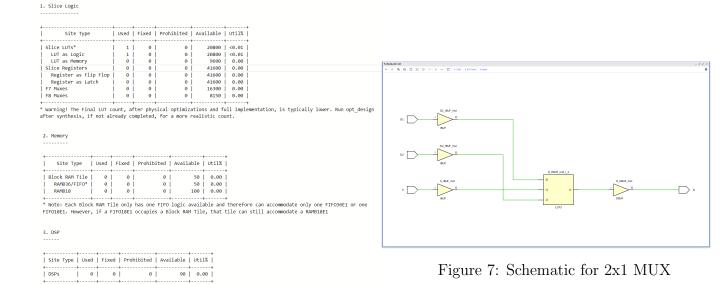


Figure 6: Resource Utilization for 2x1 MUX

3.3 Week 2 - 4X1 Multiplexer

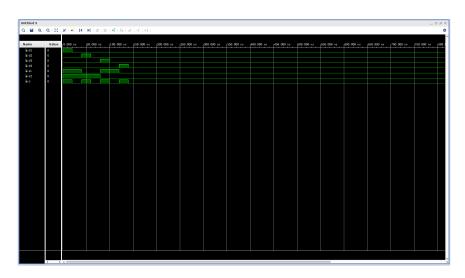


Figure 8: Simulation for 4x1 MUX

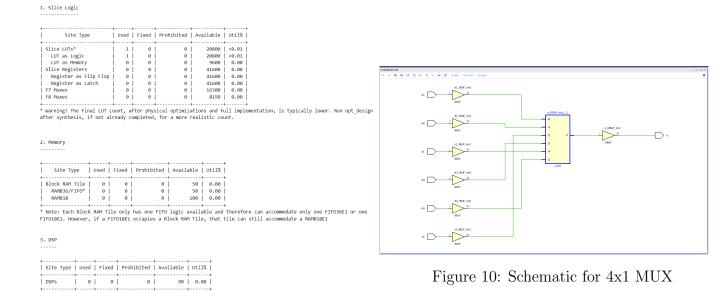


Figure 9: Resource Utilization for 4x1 MUX

4 Working of FGPA Board

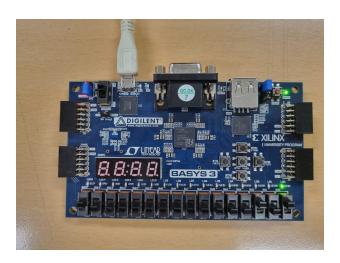


Figure 11: 2x1 MUX

In the board above, the input configuration is : $D_1 = 1$ (right most switch / V17), $D_2 = 0$ (left of D_1 / V16). The selection configuration is : S = 1 (left of D_2 / W16). Hence by the formula mentioned before ⁽¹⁾, O = 1 as is visible by the ON state of LED U16.

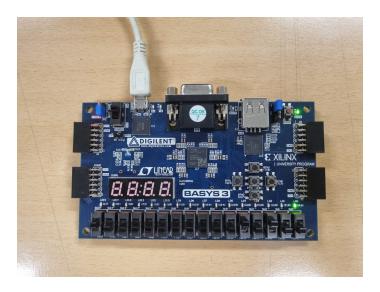


Figure 12: 4x1 MUX

In the board above, the input configuration is : $d_1 = 0$ (right most switch / V17), $d_2 = 0$ (left of d_1 / V16), $d_3 = 1$ (left of d_2 / W16) and $d_4 = 0$ (left of d_3 / W17). The selection configuration is : $s_1 = 1$ (left of d_4 / V16) and $s_2 = 0$ (left of s_1 / U16). Hence by the formula mentioned before s_1 0 (left of s_2 1) as is visible by the ON state of LED U16.