

Title: Algorithmic State Machine

Objective:

Design & implement waveform generator circuit using ASM based multiplexer controller method.

Apparatus:

Digital board, GP-4, Ratch chord, IC-7474, IC74153, IC7432, IC7408, IC7404, Required logic gates if any.

Theory:

- 1> ASM means algorithmic state machines.
- 2> It is a type of flowchart that can be used to represent the state transitions & generator outputs for finite state machines (FSM).
- 3> ASM charts are similar to traditional flowcharts.
- 4> Unlike traditional flowcharts, this includes timing information. This chart specifies that the FSM flows from one state to another only after each active clock edge.

Basic elements of ASM chart:

- 1> State Box
- 2> Decision Box
- 3> Conditional Output Box

State Box:

A rectangle represents a state of FSM. It is equivalent to node in state diagram @ row in state table.

The name of the state table should be indicated outside the box in left to p corner. Moore type of o/p's are listed inside of the box.

Conditional Output Box:

The oval denotes o/p signals that are of Mealy type. These o/p's depend on the values of state variables & the i/p of FSM. The condition that



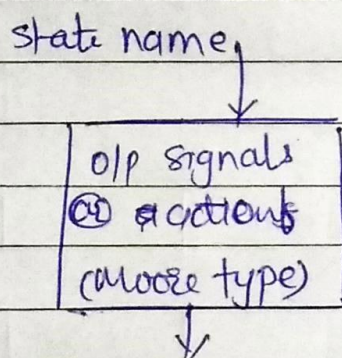
determines whether such o/p's are generated is specified in decision box.

### Decision Box:

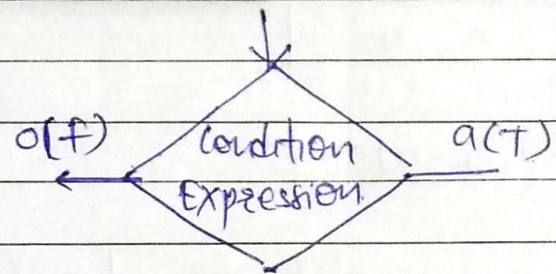
A diamond indicates that state condition expression has to be tested & an exit plan has to be chosen accordingly. Cond<sup>n</sup> expression consists of one or many i/p's.

### Significance:

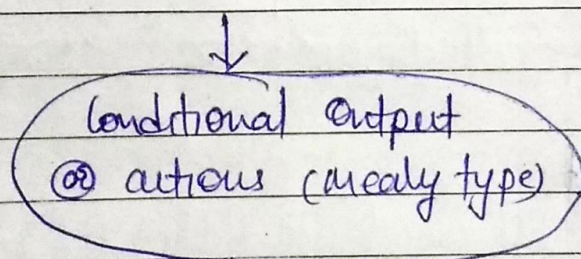
It is an aid to design the complex circuits. ASM blocks are used to describe complex circuits that include one/more FSM's and another circuitry such as registers, counters, adders, multiplexers etc.



State Box



Decision Box



Conditional Output Box

### ASM Blocks:

It is a structure which consists of a single state box & any decision & conditional o/p boxes that the state box maybe connected to.

It has one path entry & any no. of exit paths.

Each block describes the state of system during the



interval of one clock pulse.

### Procedure:

➤ Make the connections as per logic circuit of waveform generator circuit & verify its truth table.



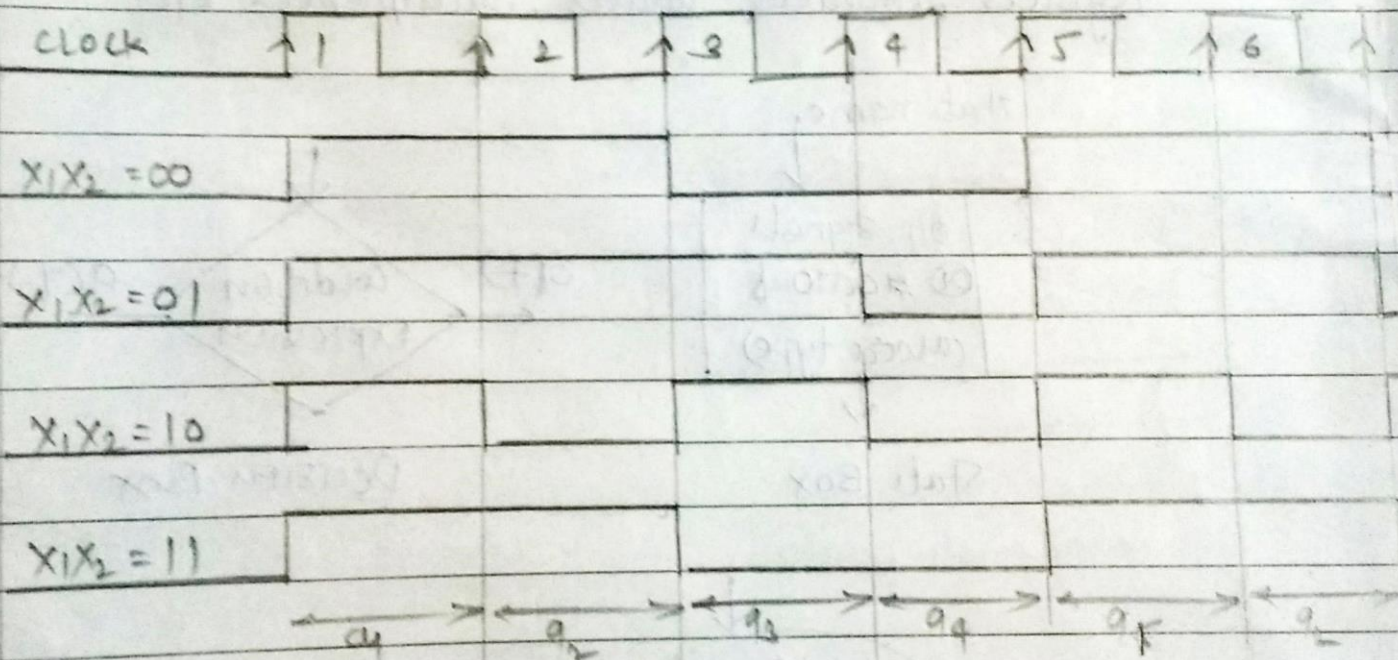
Waveform generator using multiplexer controller method

➤ Timing diagram

Waveform generator has 4 states i.e. 00, 01, 10, 11.

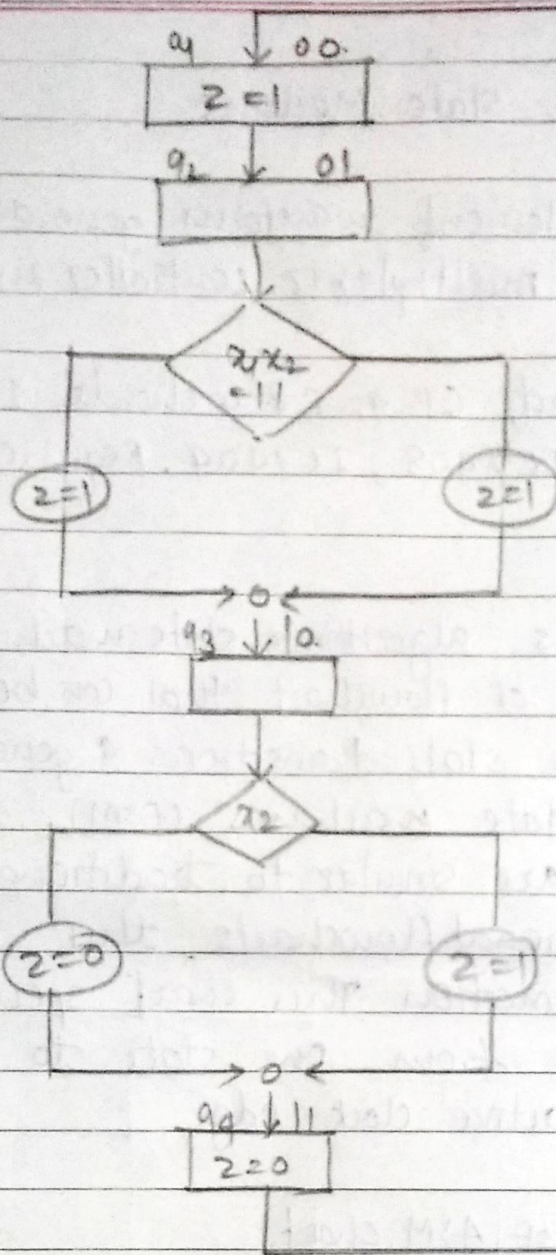
Circuit always goes to next state irrespective of values of  $x_1, x_2$ .

O/p of each state is observed according to 1/p combinations of  $x_1, x_2$ .

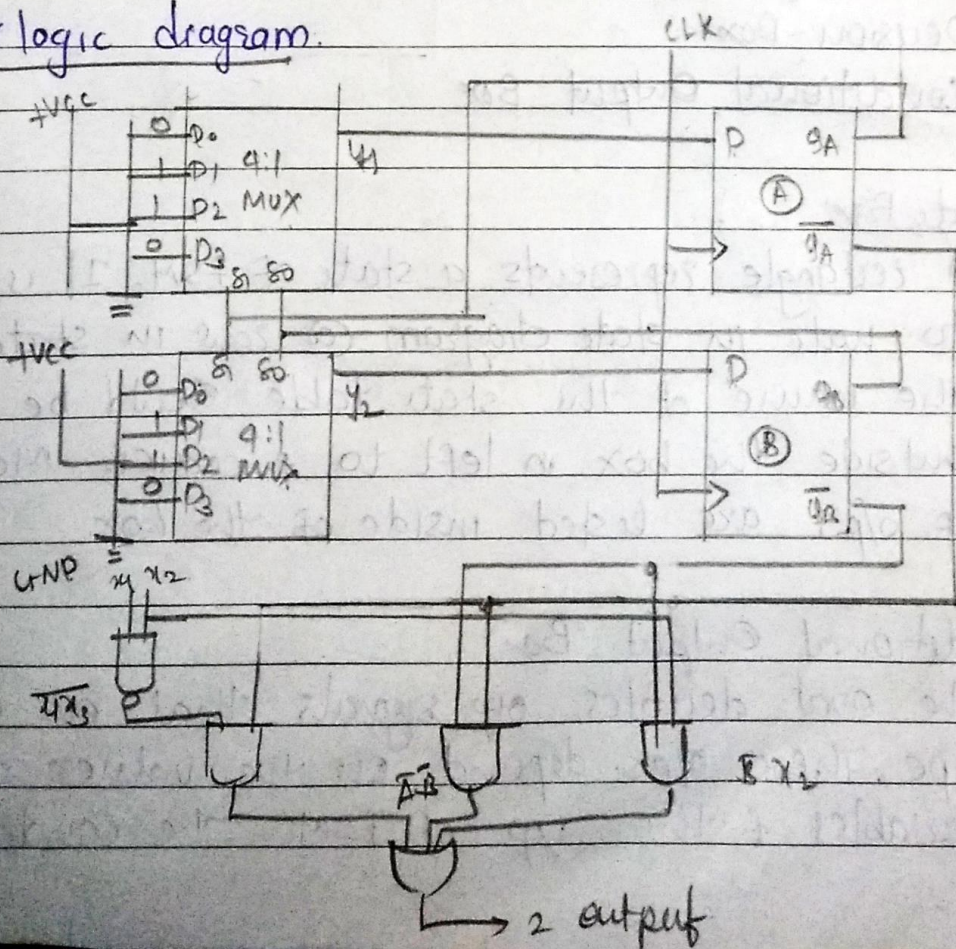


➤ ASM chart





✓ logic diagram.





Logic gates (MSI devices used for implementation)

- 1> IC 74153 (4:1 MUX) - 2
- 2> IC 7476 (DUAL DFF) - 1
- 3> IC 7408 (AND gate) - 1 (4 AND gates req)
- 4> IC 7432 (OR gate) - 1 (1 OR gate req)
- 5> IC 7404 (NOT gate) - 1 (1 NOT gate req)

### Application

Used to apply specified analog signals to circuits anything from DC signals, sine wave of varying frequencies.  
AM/FM modulated signals.

### Conclusion

Hence ASM by multiplexer controller method are understood, designed & implemented successfully.