Single bit ECC with display

Part 1 (BCD to 7-segment display)

A seven segment display is pictured as follows:
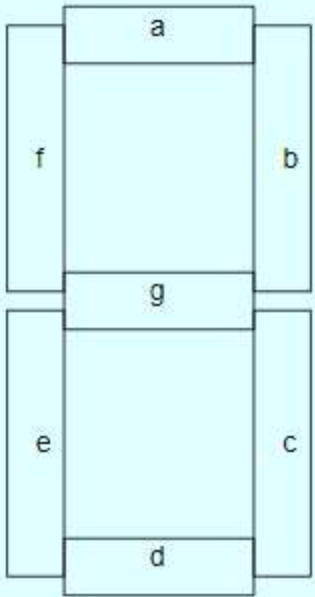
- For the BCD number given as $\langle x_3, x_2, x_1, x_0 \rangle$ form the truth tables and the corresponding circuits to light up the LEDs $a..g$ of the 7-segment display to indicate the decimal number properly
- Test that it works by applying appropriate inputs and checking the outputs – test with bit displays in lieu of the LEDs
- Label the terminals to reflect their roles
- Save it as a regular circuit (logic file), reopen and retest
- Save it as a component (cmp file), reopen and retest – only the logic to drive the segments will be effectively encapsulated; when the module is used bit displays will again have to be connected to the outputs

Part 2 (3-bit decoder)

A k-bit decoder has three input lines, an enable line and 2^k output lines indexed 0 to $2^k - 1$; all output lines take the value 0 in the enable line is 0, otherwise if n represents the binary value of the input bits, output line n takes the value 1 while all other output lines take the value 0

- Design a 3-bit decoder (it can be conveniently designed by connecting a number of 1-bit decoder in a tree structure)
- Test that the decoders work by applying appropriate inputs and checking the outputs
- Label the terminals to reflect their roles
- Save decoders as regular circuits (logic file), reopen and retest
- Save the decoders as components (cmp file), reopen and retest

Part 3 (3-bit ECC parity generator)

- For the BCD number given as $\langle x_3, x_2, x_1, x_0 \rangle$ form the truth tables and the corresponding circuits for the three parity bits required for 1-bit Hamming ECC
- Test that it works by applying appropriate inputs and checking the outputs
- Label the terminals to reflect their roles
- Save it as a regular circuit (logic file), reopen and retest
- Save it as a component (cmp file), reopen and retest

Part 4 (1-bit ECC)

- As indicated in the figure construct the ECC module that takes the 4-bit received data $\langle x_3, x_2, x_1, x_0 \rangle$, 3-bit received parity $\langle p_2, p_1, p_0 \rangle$ and 3-bit recomputed parity $\langle p'_2, p'_1, p'_0 \rangle$ to generate the 4-bit restored data
- Test that it works by applying appropriate inputs and checking the outputs
- Label the terminals to reflect their roles
- Save it as a regular circuit (logic file), reopen and retest
- Save it as a component (cmp file), reopen and retest
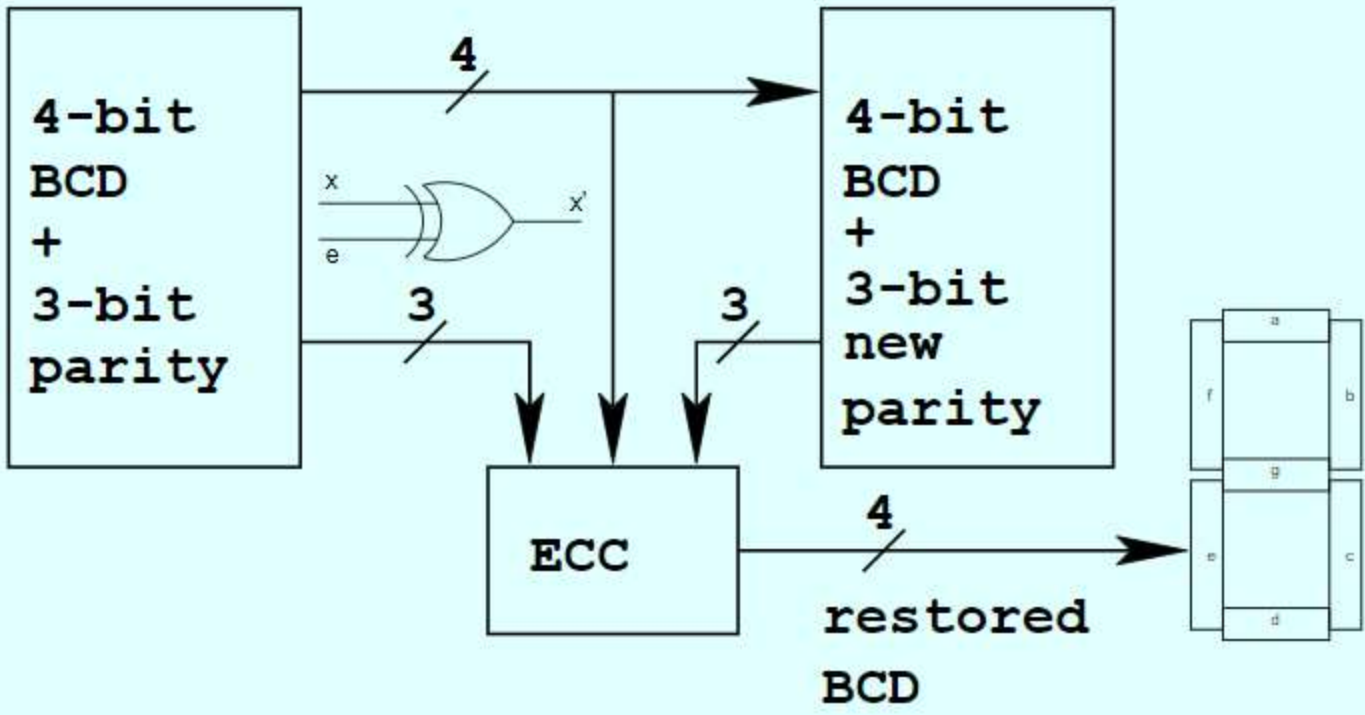
Part 5 (1-bit ECC test setup)

- Wire up the designed components as indicated in the figure with the provision to introduce a single bit error in any of the seven lines using the EXOR gates in conjunction with the 3-bit decoder, displaying the restored data using the 7-segment display
- Test that it works by applying appropriate inputs and checking the outputs
- Label the terminals to reflect their roles
- Save it as a regular circuit (logic file), reopen and retest
- How would you extend this to allow error detection for more than 1-bit (without correction)? You need not realise this in the tool, only report the paper design in your PDF report

Marking guidelines

Assignment marking is to be done only **after** the deadline expires, as submissions gets blocked after the assignment is marked. Enter the breakup of marks while marking.

BCD to 7-segment display	
Correctly working circuit	6
Labels	2
Saving and component creation	2
3-bit decoder	
Correctly working circuit	6+6
Labels	2+2
Saving and component creation	2+2
3-bit ECC parity generator	
Correctly working circuit	6
Labels	2
Saving and component creation	2
1-bit ECC	
Correctly working circuit	6
Labels	2
Saving and component creation	2
1-bit ECC test setup	
Correctly working circuit	6
Labels	2
Saving and component creation	2
Notes on extending the circuit for error detection	5
Total Marks	65

Assignment submission

A PDF report, as appropriate, should be submitted. Submit all your files together.

Use electronic submission via the WBCM link

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