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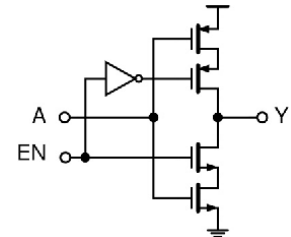## Electrical and Computer Engineering Department
Digital Logic Design, ECE 367 / Digital Systems I, ECE 894
Spring 1402
Computer Assignment 1
Basic Switch and Gate Structures in SystemVerilog
Week 3

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1. Generate a 2-input CMOS NOR gate and verify its timing and functionality. Write the SystemVerilog description of this structure using NMOS and PMOS transistors. Use #(3, 4, 5) delay for the NMOS transistors and #(5, 6, 7) for the PMOS transistors. Generate a testbench for this circuit in SystemVerilog and examine it for various input changes. Among the various input changes, make sure you test the circuit for the worst-case delay of its output making *To1* and *To0* transitions. Make sure the time distance between your input changes is much larger than the gate delay values.

2. Generate a CMOS Tri-State Buffer (functionality like NOTIF1 of SystemVerilog) using four transistors for the buffer and two for its inverter, as shown. Use inverters as needed, and make sure you describe them at the transistor level. Generate a testbench for this circuit in SystemVerilog and examine it for various input changes. Among the various input changes, make sure you test the circuit for the worst-case delay of its output making *To1*, *To0*, and *ToZ* transitions. Make sure the time distance between your input changes is much larger than the gate delay values.

3. Using NOR gates of Problem 1, generate a 2-to-1 MUX with a select input, *s*, and two data inputs *a* and *b*. Use the expression $y=(a+s).(b+s')$ for the multiplexer *y* output and prove that it works like the AND-OR expression that you have seen before. Use inverters as needed with delay values that are based on the transistors of Problem 1. Generate a testbench for this circuit in SystemVerilog and examine it for various input changes. Among the various input changes, make sure you test the circuit for the worst-case delay of its output making *To1* and *To0*. Make sure the time distance between your input changes is much larger than the gate delay values.

4. Using the Tri-State Buffer of Problem 2, generate a 2-to-1 MUX with a select input, *s*, and data inputs *a* and *b*. Generate a testbench for this circuit in SystemVerilog and examine it for various input changes. Among the various input changes, make sure you test the circuit for the worst-

case delay of its output making *To1* and *To0* transitions. Make sure the time distance between your input changes is much larger than the gate delay values.

5. In a testbench, instantiate the MUX circuits of Part 3 and Part 4 and compare the timing of these circuits. Explain the differences between these two circuits as far as the number of transistors and other physical parameters such as power consumption.

Deliverables:

Generate a report that includes item discussed below for each of the five parts of this CA.

    A. Show the circuit diagram that you are analyzing. Show gates and/or transistors according to the specified delays.

    B. Hand-simulate the circuit you have shown in Part A and write your expected values. For example, indicate what values you expect for the worst-case delays and express your reason for that.

    C. Show your SystemVerilog description of the design you are simulating and the testbench for it. Best is to use the Snip tools to get the image from Notepad++. This way you see all keywords and indentations. Make sure your SV codes are properly indented and all line-up rules are followed.

    D. Show an image of the project that you have created in ModelSim for the simulation of your circuit.

    E. When simulation is complete, or even if you have a partial simulation, include an image of the output waveform showing signal names being displayed.

Make a PDF file of your report and name it with the format shown below:

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