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**WEEK 3****Sequential Logic Circuit**

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## 1 Introduction

### 1.1 Aims

- Practice in designing sequential logic circuits using Verilog HDL behavioral model.
- Understand the blocking/non-blocking assignment to design a combinational/sequential circuit.
- Understand finite state machine models and practice in model FSMs using Verilog HDL.

### 1.2 Preparation

- Read the laboratory materials before class.
- Review chapter 5-6 about Behavioral Model and Finite State Machine.
- Each group prepares at least one laptop with Vivado software installed.

### 1.3 Report requirements

- Lab exercises will be reviewed directly in class.
- Write report (with circuit/simulation screenshots inserted) in pdf.
- Must have group ID, group member's names and student IDs in the report.
- Compress the report with code files (only .v files) in only one .zip file, name the .zip the group ID (for example: Group 1.zip).
- Submit on BK-elearning by deadline.

## 2 Exercises

### 2.1 Exercise 1

#### **Clock Frequency Divider**

**a. Police Siren:** Design a circuit that generate a **1 Hz** output signal using Verilog HDL. This signal is connected to 2 RGB LEDs (1 displays the blue color, 1 display the red color) on Arty-Z7 FPGA Board

to make it blink interleave with each other (turn on for 0.5s - turn off for 0.5s). Know that the input clock frequency is 125 MHz.

Write test benches to simulate the circuits in a and b.

Test the circuits on FPGA board using LEDs and RGB LED.

**b. Addition: Crossroad Traffic Light:** Design a pair of traffic lights for a crossroad intersection.

## 2.2 Exercise 2

### Edge Detection circuit.

**a.** Design a Rising Edge Detection circuit. This circuit will use at least 2 flip-flops. The behavior of the circuit is similar to the waveform in Figure 1. Assume that the in signal's HIGH levels last equal to or longer than a clock cycle.

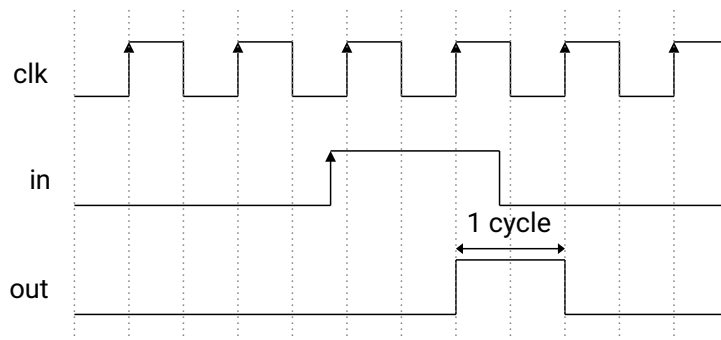


Figure 1: Rising Edge Detector behavior

The output is active HIGH in 1 cycle of clock when a rising edge occurs in input signal. Delay is within 0-2 clock cycles.

Write RTL code and test benches to simulate the circuit.

**NOTICE:** This circuit is very important. Please complete it regardless of whether you can do it by deadline or not.

**b.** Write a 4-bit binary counter that counts up 1 unit when a button is pushed. Use the edge detection circuit to generate an enable signal for the counter when pushing the button. Test the design on FPGA board.

## 2.3 Exercise 3

Change mode String bit LED circuit.

Use Verilog HDL to model a state machine for a circuit that changes display mode of a bit string.

In initial, LEDs show the default bit string 0011 which is performed by a reset signal. And buttons in board will set the display mode as follow:

- Button 0: Mode Reset: Show the default 4-bit string on LEDs.
- Button 1: Mode Shift Left Ring : Shift 4-bit string to left in a ring every 1s.
- Button 2: Mode Shift Right Ring: Shift 4-bit string to right in a ring every 1s.
- Button 3: Pause: Pause the current shifting string.

Draw a state diagram to illustrate the designed FSM. Student can use Moore or Mealy model.

Write a test bench to simulate the circuit and test the circuit on the Arty-Z7 board.

*Hint:* Students should do the following steps:

- Partitioning the design into blocks, may draw a block diagram. Separate the state machine and the string display logic.
- Define the inputs, outputs of the FSM, then design the FSM.
- Modeling the FSM using Verilog HDL. Use the FSM's outputs to control the string display.
- Simulate and test the circuit on board.