

# Finite State Machine (FSM) Design Techniques in Verilog HDL

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In Digital VLSI design, Finite State Machines play a very important role in implementing the correct behaviour of the system during different operating modes.

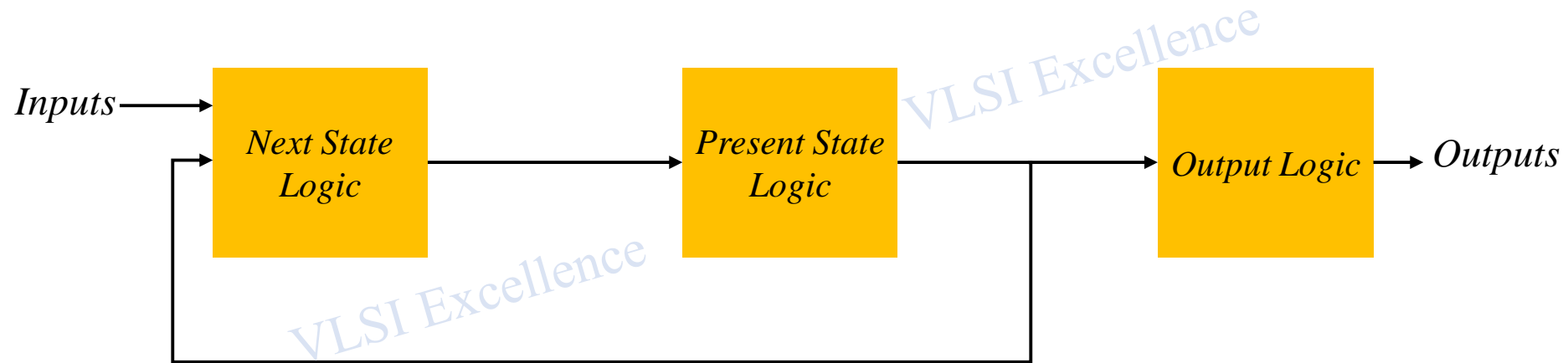
The FSM enables the system to go through different operating modes as per the user requirements or during the self booting process

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## Moore and Mealy FSM

### Moore Machine

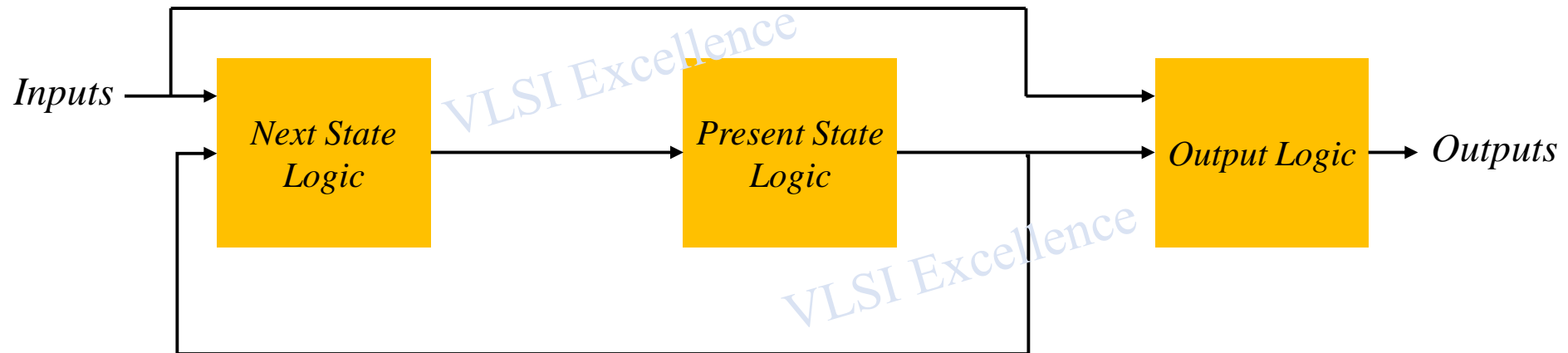


*Figure #01: Moore Finite State Machine Block Diagram*

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## Moore and Mealy FSM

### Mealy Machine



*Figure #02: Mealy Finite State Machine Block Diagram*

# Finite State Machine (FSM) Design Techniques

Different Techniques to Design Finite State Machines are as below –

- 1) Using a Single Process (Procedural Block) to Code Present State, Next State and Output Logic
- 2) Using Two Process, One to code Present State and Next State logic and another to code Output Logic,
- 3) Using Three Process each to code Present State, Next State and Output Logic

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Verilog HDL Design and Test-Bench Simulation:

We will be using **EDA Playground** (<https://www.edaplayground.com>) to design Fixed Priority Round Robin Arbiter in Verilog HDL.

**Synthesis** using Open Source Synthesis Tool : **Yosys** (Available in EDA Playground)

**Simulation** using Open Source Simulation Tool : **Riviera** (Available in EDA Playground)

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