

# Homework 1

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## How to

- In PUF/ and Bonus/
- `make sim file=testbench_file.v`
- Data collected on `140.115.71.44` server, using `my_ta_tb.v`, `my_tb.v`, and `my_UQ_tb.v` to simulate and output as `my_ta_tb.fsdb`, `my_tb.fsdb`, and `UQ_tb.fsdb`
- `make view file=target_file.fsdb`
- UF calculation by when `ready == 1`, check the response
- UQ calculation by the program, when all\_ready have collected, then display the response and calculate the UQ by the formula

```
// To get which PUF is ready
always @(posedge ready[0])begin
    if(ready[0]) begin
        all_ready[0] = 1;
        all_response[0]=response[0];
    end
end

// To calculate UQ and show response
always @(*) begin
    if (all_ready == 10'b111111111) begin // If all PUF is ready
        $display("CHIP 0 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,
        $display("CHIP 1 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,
        $display("CHIP 2 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,
        $display("CHIP 3 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,
        $display("CHIP 4 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,
        $display("CHIP 5 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,
        $display("CHIP 6 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,
        $display("CHIP 7 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,
        $display("CHIP 8 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,
        $display("CHIP 9 : at time %t, chall_in = %h, response = %h, ready = %b", $time,

        // Calculate UQ for all PUF
        UQ = 0;
```

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total_hd=0;
for (i=0;i<10;i=i+1)begin
    for(j=i+1;j<10;j=j+1)begin
        hd = 0;
        for (b = 0; b<9;b=b+1)begin
            if(all_response[i][b] != all_response[j][b])begin
                hd = hd+1;
            end
        end
        total_hd = total_hd + hd;
    end
end
UQ = (2.0/(10.0*9.0))*(total_hd / 8.0);
$display("UQ = %0.2f",UQ);
all_ready<=0;
end
end

```

## Design Philosophy

- Scrambler
  - Create a state to store the input for LSFR feedback, a feedback new\_bit for feedback loop
  - new\_bit use XOR(^) from state to generate another new bit for state in next cycle
  - check `if rst ? state = in : shift state`
  - output = state XOR in
- MUX
  - `output = in[sel]`, sel is 0~15 and it is to select which input should go to output, so just select in[sel] to output
- Counter
  - create a reg count\_reg for count to maximum and output 1 when it reach maximum
  - Follow the instruction in template to done everything else
- Race\_Arbiter
  - if rst then result is 0 else
    - if a == 1 then result is 1, else if b == 1 then result is 0 else stay
  - if rst then done is 0 else

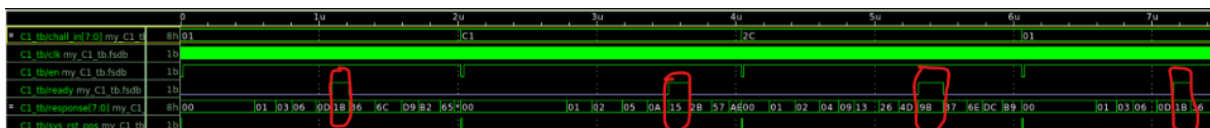
- if a or b then is 1
- Buffer
  - create a reg bit\_count to count if all bit collected
  - if rst then all set to 0 and buf\_rst set to 1 (to reset counter and race\_arbiter) else
    - if arbiter done then `buf_rst=1`, put arbiter result into response and shift, bit\_count ++, if bit\_count to max then ready set to 1 else ready set to 0 else
- `buf_rst = 0`

## Simulation waveform

- Using `C1_tb.v`, `C2_tb.v`, and `C3_tb.v` and output as `my_C1_tb.fsdb`, `my_C2_tb.fsdb`, and `my_C3_tb.fsdb`

### 1. Simulated by `C1_tb.v`

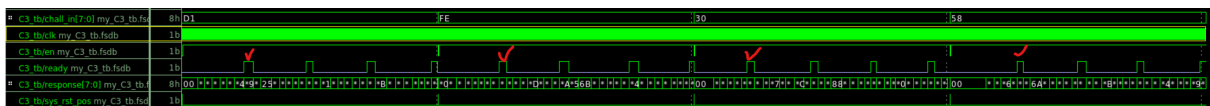
- Output is when ready = 1, so first response = 1B (hexadecimal)



### 2. Simulated by `C2_tb.v`



### 3. Simulated by `C2_tb.v`



- tick is the first output from different challenges after reset

## Feedforward Ring Oscillator PUF Result (UF&UQ)

### Uniformity(UF)

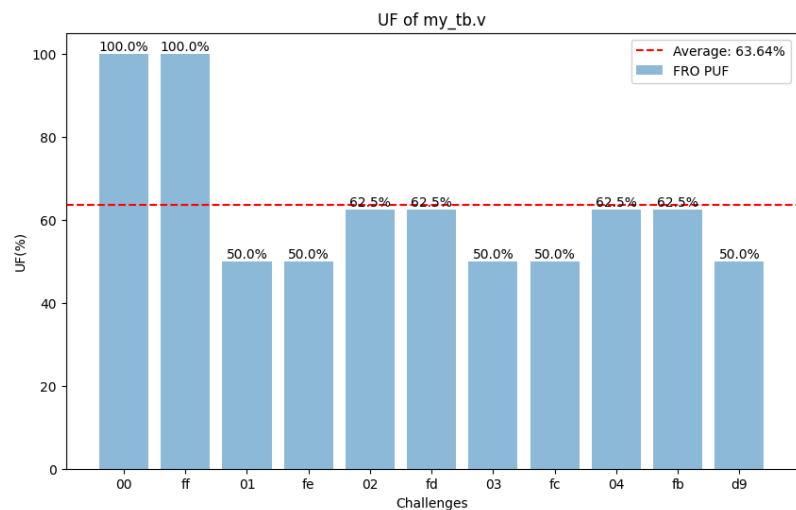
#### 1. `my_tb.v`

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1 challenge
At time      1355000, chall_in = 00, response = ff, ready = 1
2 challenge
At time      3375000, chall_in = ff, response = ff, ready = 1
3 challenge
At time      5135000, chall_in = 01, response = 1b, ready = 1
4 challenge
At time      7155000, chall_in = fe, response = 1b, ready = 1
5 challenge
At time      9255000, chall_in = 02, response = 8f, ready = 1
6 challenge
At time     11275000, chall_in = fd, response = 8f, ready = 1
7 challenge
At time     13245000, chall_in = 03, response = 53, ready = 1
8 challenge
At time     15265000, chall_in = fc, response = 53, ready = 1
9 challenge
At time     17365000, chall_in = 04, response = 97, ready = 1
10 challenge
At time     19385000, chall_in = fb, response = 97, ready = 1
11 challenge
At time     21385000, chall_in = d9, response = 1b, ready = 1
12 challenge
At time     23405000, chall_in = d9, response = 1b, ready = 1

```

- Including **00** and **ff** challenge, using **1 FRO PUF** and **12 challenges**
- $8/8 + 8/8 + 4/8 + 4/8 + 5/8 + 5/8 + 4/8 + 4/8 + 5/8 + 5/8 + 4/8 + 4/8$
- Average = **64.5%**
- **0xd9** and **0x01** challenge have same response
- (01,fe) , (02,fd) , (03,fc) , (04,fb) have same result infer that maybe at most  $2^7$  results



- Same input have same output → Stability

2. my\_ta\_tb.v

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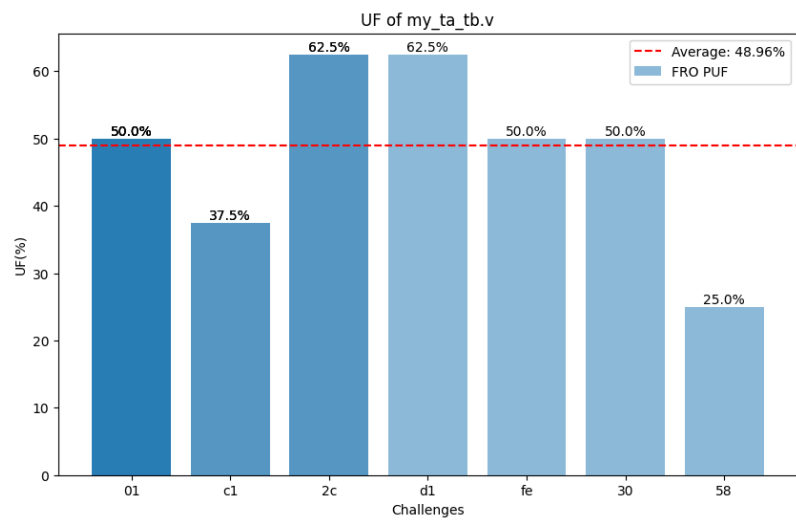
1 challenge
At time      1095000, chall_in = 01, response = 1b, ready = 1
2 challenge
At time      3515000, chall_in = c1, response = 15, ready = 1
3 challenge
At time      5315000, chall_in = 2c, response = 9b, ready = 1
4 challenge
At time      7155000, chall_in = 01, response = 1b, ready = 1
5 challenge
At time      9175000, chall_in = 01, response = 1b, ready = 1
6 challenge
At time     11595000, chall_in = c1, response = 15, ready = 1
7 challenge
At time     13395000, chall_in = 2c, response = 9b, ready = 1
8 challenge
At time     15235000, chall_in = 01, response = 1b, ready = 1
9 challenge
At time     17325000, chall_in = d1, response = c7, ready = 1
10 challenge
At time     19275000, chall_in = fe, response = 1b, ready = 1
11 challenge
At time     21365000, chall_in = 30, response = 1d, ready = 1
12 challenge
At time     23355000, chall_in = 58, response = 11, ready = 1

```

- Use C1 to C3 as challenges, using **1 FRO PUF** and **12 challenges**

- 50% + 37.5% + 62.5% + 50% + 50% + 37.5% + 62.5% + 50% + 62.5% + 50% + 50% + 25%

- Average : **48.96%**



## Uniqueness (UQ)

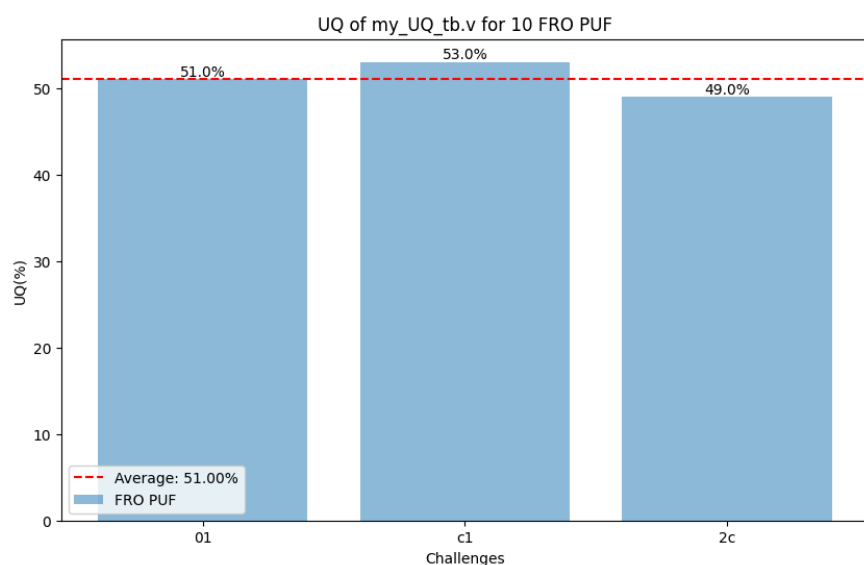
1. `my_UQ_tb.v`

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*Verdi* : Create FSDB file 'UQ_tb.fsdb'
*Verdi* : Begin traversing the scope (UQ_tb), layer (0).
*Verdi* : End of traversing.
First challenge
CHIP 0 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = ae, ready = 1
CHIP 1 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = 7e, ready = 1
CHIP 2 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = 73, ready = 1
CHIP 3 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = db, ready = 1
CHIP 4 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = 13, ready = 1
CHIP 5 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = 65, ready = 1
CHIP 6 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = 34, ready = 1
CHIP 7 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = 4d, ready = 1
CHIP 8 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = 12, ready = 1
CHIP 9 : at time          1485000, chall_in = 01, response = 4b, ready = 1
UQ = 0.51
Second challenge
CHIP 0 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = 55, ready = 1
CHIP 1 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = df, ready = 1
CHIP 2 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = 22, ready = 1
CHIP 3 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = 3e, ready = 1
CHIP 4 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = ea, ready = 1
CHIP 5 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = 0a, ready = 1
CHIP 6 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = 1d, ready = 1
CHIP 7 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = d9, ready = 1
CHIP 8 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = c3, ready = 1
CHIP 9 : at time          3435000, chall_in = c1, response = be, ready = 1
UQ = 0.53
Third challenge
CHIP 0 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = e1, ready = 1
CHIP 1 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = c6, ready = 1
CHIP 2 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = bd, ready = 1
CHIP 3 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = 5b, ready = 1
CHIP 4 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = 03, ready = 1
CHIP 5 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = 51, ready = 1
CHIP 6 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = ff, ready = 1
CHIP 7 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = 41, ready = 1
CHIP 8 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = eb, ready = 1
CHIP 9 : at time          5455000, chall_in = 2c, response = 19, ready = 1
UQ = 0.49
Fourth challenge
CHIP 0 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = ae, ready = 1
CHIP 1 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = 7e, ready = 1
CHIP 2 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = 73, ready = 1
CHIP 3 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = db, ready = 1
CHIP 4 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = 13, ready = 1
CHIP 5 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = 65, ready = 1
CHIP 6 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = 34, ready = 1
CHIP 7 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = 4d, ready = 1
CHIP 8 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = 12, ready = 1
CHIP 9 : at time          7545000, chall_in = 01, response = 4b, ready = 1
UQ = 0.51
Simulation complete via $finish(1) at time 8080 NS + 0
./my_UQ_tb.v:462      $finish;

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- Challenges = **01,c1,2c,01**, using **10** different **FRO PUF** with **3** groups of **challenges** and **1** group to check **stability**.
- Average UQ =  $(51+53+49) / 3 = \mathbf{51\%}$

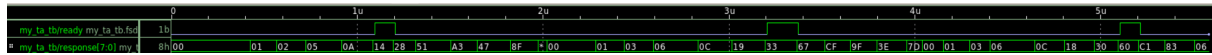


# Bonus

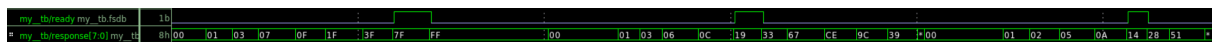
## Simulation waveform

Only show part of challenge of waveform, because is too long

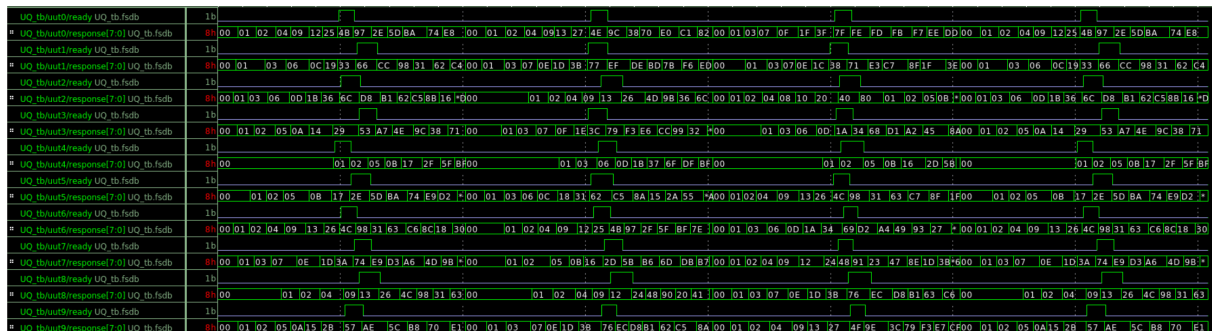
1. Simulated by `my_ta_tb.v`



2. Simulated by `my_tb.v`

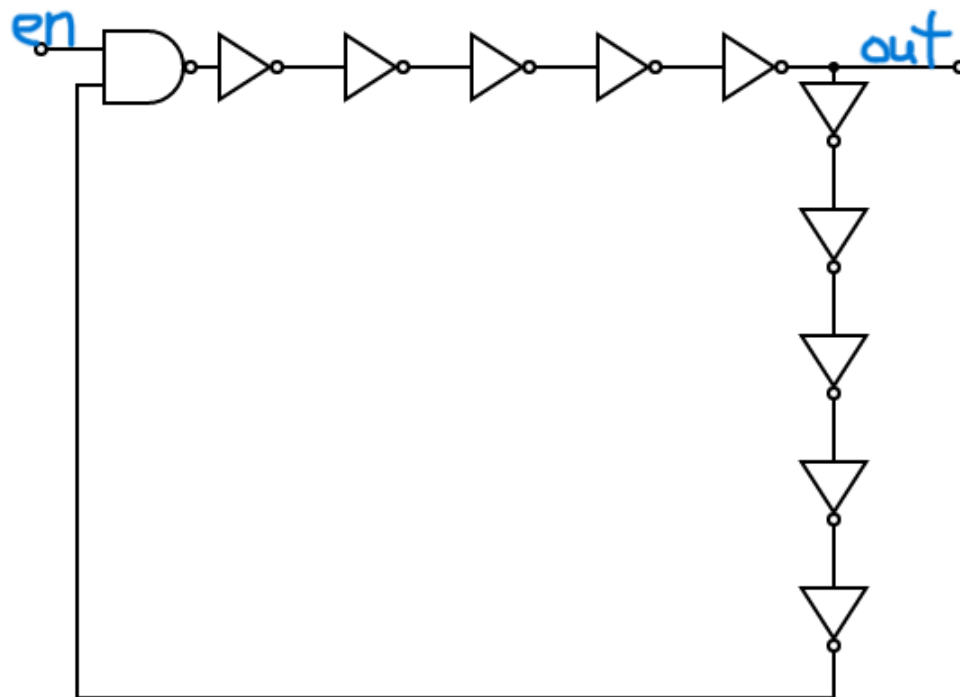


3. Simulated by `my_UQ_tb.v`



## RO PUF Result (UF&UQ)

## RO design



## Scrambler

$$m(x) = x^8 + x^4 + x^3 + x + 1$$

## Uniformity(UF)

1. `my_ta_tb.v`

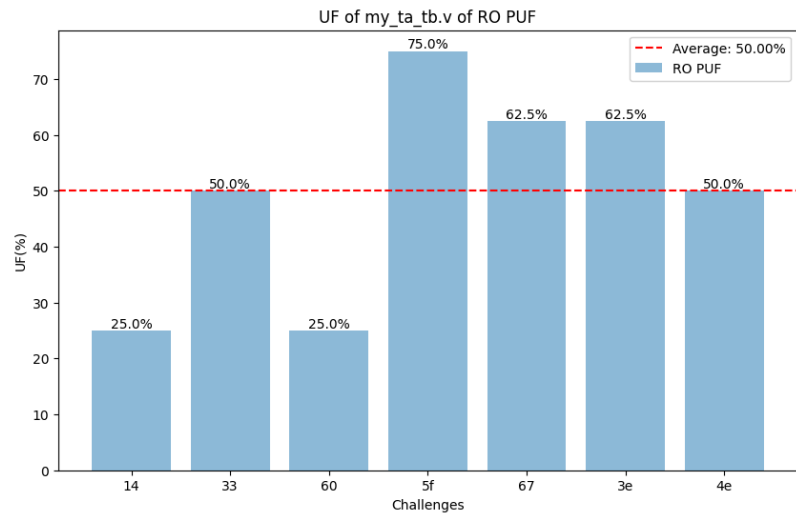
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*Verdi* : Create FSDB file 'my_ta_tb.fsdb'
*Verdi* : Begin traversing the scope (my_ta_tb), layer (0).
*Verdi* : End of traversing.
1 challenge
At time          1095000, chall_in = 01, response = 14, ready = 1
2 challenge
At time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 33, ready = 1
3 challenge
At time          5105000, chall_in = 2c, response = 60, ready = 1
4 challenge
At time          7155000, chall_in = 01, response = 14, ready = 1
5 challenge
At time          9175000, chall_in = 01, response = 14, ready = 1
6 challenge
At time         11285000, chall_in = c1, response = 33, ready = 1
7 challenge
At time         13185000, chall_in = 2c, response = 60, ready = 1
8 challenge
At time         15235000, chall_in = 01, response = 14, ready = 1
9 challenge
At time         17195000, chall_in = d1, response = 5f, ready = 1
10 challenge
At time         19355000, chall_in = fe, response = 67, ready = 1
11 challenge
At time         21235000, chall_in = 30, response = 3e, ready = 1
12 challenge
At time         23375000, chall_in = 58, response = 4e, ready = 1
```



- Using **1 RO PUF** and **12 challenges**

- (0x14)25% +  
(0x33)50% +  
(0x60)25% +  
(0x5f)75% +  
(0x67)62.5% +  
(3e)62.5% +  
(0x4e)50%

- Average = **50%**



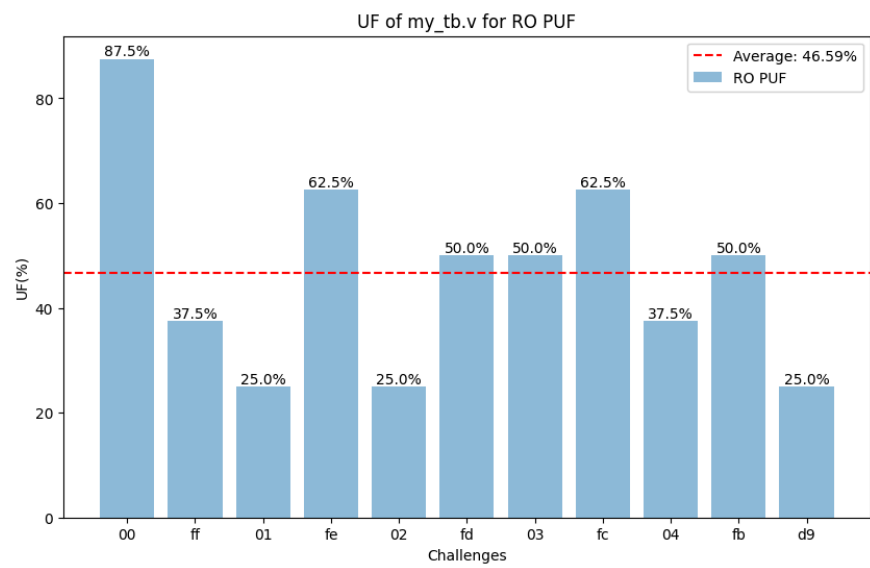
## 2. my\_tb.v

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*Verdi* : Create FSDB file 'my_tb.fsdb'
*Verdi* : Begin traversing the scope (my_tb), layer (0).
*Verdi* : End of traversing.
1 challenge
At time 1195000, chall_in = 00, response = 7f, ready = 1
2 challenge
At time 3025000, chall_in = ff, response = 19, ready = 1
3 challenge
At time 5135000, chall_in = 01, response = 14, ready = 1
4 challenge
At time 7235000, chall_in = fe, response = 67, ready = 1
5 challenge
At time 9145000, chall_in = 02, response = 42, ready = 1
6 challenge
At time 11165000, chall_in = fd, response = 4b, ready = 1
7 challenge
At time 13275000, chall_in = 03, response = 35, ready = 1
8 challenge
At time 15195000, chall_in = fc, response = 37, ready = 1
9 challenge
At time 17225000, chall_in = 04, response = 64, ready = 1
10 challenge
At time 19205000, chall_in = fb, response = 78, ready = 1
11 challenge
At time 21395000, chall_in = d9, response = 0c, ready = 1
12 challenge
At time 23415000, chall_in = d9, response = 0c, ready = 1
```

- Using **1 RO PUF** and **12 challenges**

- 87.5% + 37.5% + 25% + 62.5% + 25% + 50% + 50% + 62.5% + 37.5% + 50% + 25%

- Average UF = **46.59%**



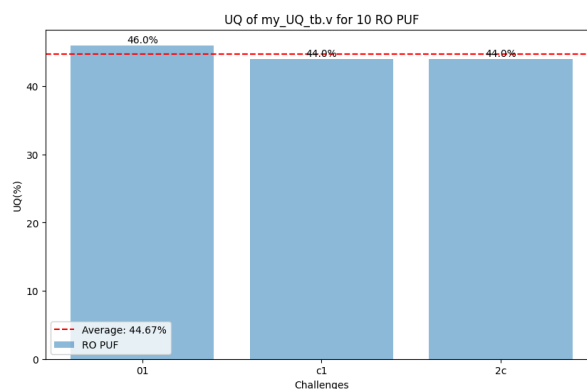
3. `my_UQ_tb.v`

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*Verdi* : Create FSDB file 'UQ_tb.fsdb'
*Verdi* : Begin traversing the scope (UQ_tb), layer (0).
*Verdi* : End of traversing.
First challenge
CHIP 0 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 4b, ready = 1
CHIP 1 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 66, ready = 1
CHIP 2 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 6c, ready = 1
CHIP 3 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 53, ready = 1
CHIP 4 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 01, ready = 1
CHIP 5 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 2e, ready = 1
CHIP 6 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 4c, ready = 1
CHIP 7 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 74, ready = 1
CHIP 8 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 13, ready = 1
CHIP 9 : at time          1155000, chall_in = 01, response = 57, ready = 1
UQ = 0.46
Second challenge
CHIP 0 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 4e, ready = 1
CHIP 1 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 77, ready = 1
CHIP 2 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 13, ready = 1
CHIP 3 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 3c, ready = 1
CHIP 4 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 06, ready = 1
CHIP 5 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 62, ready = 1
CHIP 6 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 25, ready = 1
CHIP 7 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 2d, ready = 1
CHIP 8 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 12, ready = 1
CHIP 9 : at time          3205000, chall_in = c1, response = 76, ready = 1
UQ = 0.44
Third challenge
CHIP 0 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 7f, ready = 1
CHIP 1 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 38, ready = 1
CHIP 2 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 40, ready = 1
CHIP 3 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 1a, ready = 1
CHIP 4 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 02, ready = 1
CHIP 5 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 4c, ready = 1
CHIP 6 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 69, ready = 1
CHIP 7 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 48, ready = 1
CHIP 8 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 76, ready = 1
CHIP 9 : at time          5165000, chall_in = 2c, response = 4f, ready = 1
UQ = 0.44
Fourth challenge
CHIP 0 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 4b, ready = 1
CHIP 1 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 66, ready = 1
CHIP 2 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 6c, ready = 1
CHIP 3 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 53, ready = 1
CHIP 4 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 01, ready = 1
CHIP 5 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 2e, ready = 1
CHIP 6 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 4c, ready = 1
CHIP 7 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 74, ready = 1
CHIP 8 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 13, ready = 1
CHIP 9 : at time          7215000, chall_in = 01, response = 57, ready = 1
UQ = 0.46

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- Challenges = **01,c1,2c,01**, using **10 different RO PUF** and **3 groups of challenges** and 1 for checking stability.
- Average UQ =  $(46+44+44)/3$  = **44.67%**



## Analysis

- **FRO PUF**'s UF and UQ is better (more close to 50%), but have **small range** of **output domain** ( `0x00==0xff` , `0x01==0xfe` ,...(symmetry)), and also **different challenge may give same response** in same chip
- **RO PUF** can still work even the input challenge is **0x00 or 0xff**, and not having same output in above experiments.
- **RO PUF** have **more range** of challenges domain and can still provide **different response**, while **FRO PUF** have better score in both **UF and UQ**.
  - **BUT** it may because of using too less sample to calculate the result
  - If sample large enough, both may reach 50% of UF and UQ
- **RO PUF** have **simple structure, easy to design** and **low cost** (only inverter), while **FRO PUF** have a **complex design** than **RO PUF**, and use multiple type of gate to implement(NOT,AND) so is more **costly**
- **RO PUF** are **sensitive** to environmental variations and noise sources such as **temperature and voltage**, 'confidence' of a **0/1** measurement are low