

Problem set: 7

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1 Problem statement

In this experiment, you will design a string detector using a Mealy type FSM which outputs '1' when input sequence of letters given thus far contains the following sub-sequences:

bomb gun roam in a string of letters.

For this experiment, letter 'a' is encoded as "00001", 'b' is encoded as "00010" and so on.

For example suppose the input string is: **Bring UNO cards from my bag** This string contains the subsequence "gun" "bomb" and "roam". Thus, the input and output sequences when lined up will look like:

Note: Consider characters in this problem as case insensitive.

2 Design Specification.

- Design separate FSM for the words (bomb, gun, roam). You can take "OR" of the FSMs output to get the final output.
- Input: 5-bit input signal encodes blank-space and 26 lower-case characters (from a to z and where a = 1 to z = 26, and blank-space = 0), Reset, Clock.
- In this problem Reset is synchronous.
- TRACEFILE format < 5 bit input >< Reset >< Clock > < Output > < Maskbit >
- Output: 1-bit output

3 Lab Task

- Describe behavioural model of the string detector Mealy type FSM in VHDL. [3*5M = 15 Marks]
- First draw the state diagram for the detection of the desired words "bomb" "gun" and "roam". [3*5M = 15 Marks]
- Perform RTL and Gate-level simulation using the provided testbench and tracefile.
- Demonstrate the simulations to your TA.
- Perform scan-chain and demonstrate to your TA. [3*5M = 15 Marks]

4 Code Snippet for single word detection:

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library ieee;
use ieee.std_logic_1164.all;
use ieee.numeric_std.all;
entity word_detection is
port(
       inp:in std_logic_vector(4 downto 0);
       reset,clock:in std_logic;
       outp: out std_logic);
end word_detection;
architecture bhv of word_detection is
-----Define state type here-----Define state type here-----
type state is (rst,s1,s2.....); -- Fill other states here
-----Define signals of state type-----
signal y_present,y_next: state:=rst;
begin
clock_proc:process(clock,reset)
begin
       if(clock='1' and clock' event) then
              if(\ldots) then
                     y_present<=
                      --Here Reset is synchronous
                      -- Fill the code here
              else
                      -- Fill the code here
              end if;
       end if;
end process;
state_transition_proc:process(inp,y_present)
begin
       case y_present is
              when rst=>
                      if(unsigned(inp)=2) then --b has been detected
                            y_next<= -- Fill the code here
                      else
                            _____
       -----Fill rest of the code here-----
  output_proc:process(y_present, inp) ------ output process after this which will give
       -----the output based on the present state and input (Mealy machine)
begin
  case y_present is
            when rst=>
                 outp<='0';
                _____
                -----fill-----
                 _____
                  _____
```