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Sixth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2017/Jan.2018

Digital System Design using Verilog

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART – A

- 1 a. Explain with illustration, a simple design methodology followed in IC industry. (10 Marks)
b. With a neat block diagram, explain a design methodology for hardware/software co-design. (10 Marks)
- 2 a. Design an encoder to use in domestic burglar alarm that has sensors for each of eight zones. Each sensor signal is '1' when intrusion is detected in that zone, and '0' otherwise. Write a verilog code for this encoder, considering the priority such that zone 1 having the highest priority and zone 8 having the least. (10 Marks)
b. Develop a verilog model for a 7-segment decoder that includes an additional input "BLANK", that overrides the BCD input and causes all segment not to lit. (10 Marks)
- 3 a. Develop a verification test bench for the adder/subtractor that compares the result with the result of addition or subtraction performed on values of type integer. (10 Marks)
b. Develop a verilog model of a 4 to 1 multiplexer that selects among four unsigned 6-bit integers. (05 Marks)
c. Develop a verilog model of a code converter to convert the 4-bit Gray code to a 4-bit unsigned binary integer. (05 Marks)
- 4 a. Design a circuit that counts 16 clock cycles and produces a control signal, ctrl, that '1' during every eighth and twelfth cycle. (10 Marks)
b. Develop a verilog model of a debounces for a push button switch that uses a debounce interval of 10 ms. Assume the system clock frequency is 50 MHz. (10 Marks)

PART – B

- 5 a. Design a 64K * 8 bit composite memory using four 16 K * 8 bit components. (10 Marks)
b. Develop a verilog model of a dual port, 4K * 16 bit flow through SRAM, one port allows data to be written and read, while the other port only allows data to be read. (10 Marks)
- 6 a. Explain the elements of embedded computer with a neat diagram. (10 Marks)
b. Write short notes on cache memory. (05 Marks)
c. Sketch the little-endian and big-endian memory layout for data words. (05 Marks)
- 7 a. Explain the following I/O synchronization techniques: (i) Polling, (ii) Interrupts. (10 Marks)
b. Design an interface to connect an embedded Gumnut core to a remote temperature sensor. The temperature sensor is an analog device AD7414 with an I²C connection and an alert O/P that can be connected to warning indicator. (10 Marks)
- 8 a. Draw the architecture for the Sobel Accelerator data path. (10 Marks)
b. Explain fault models and fault simulation of a circuit. (10 Marks)

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg. 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.