

lecture09 - Fixed Point Computations in Verilog

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// Write a module that computes the
// quadratic expression
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//      f(x) = 0.85 * x^2 + 1
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// The input and output data is a signed fix<10, 5>
// In case of overflow, the module returns 0
//
// You have to complete the dots with Verilog expressions
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module quadratic(input SIGNED[...9:0...] in,
                 output SIGNED[...9:0...] out);
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parameter CONST_0_85 = (0.85 * ...32....);
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parameter CONST_1    = (1    * ...32....);
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wire SIGNED [19:0...] square;
wire  ovfsquare, ovfsign;
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assign square    = in * in;
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// ovfsquare is high when an overflow occurred
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assign ovfsquare = (SQUARE[19:15] != 5'b11111) || ...
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wire signed [19: 0] cmul;
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assign cmul = CONST_0_85 * square[...14:5.....];
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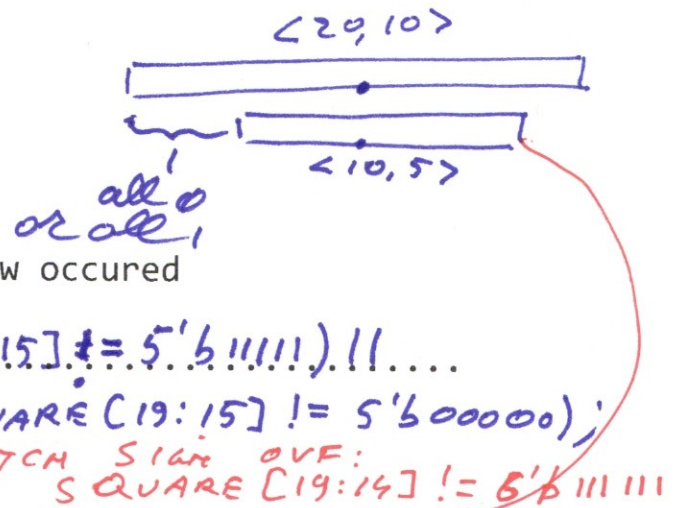
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wire signed [9:0] result;
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assign result = cmul[...14:5.....] + CONST_1;
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assign ovfsign  = result[9];
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assign out = (ovfsquare || ovfsign) ? 10'd0 : result;
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endmodule
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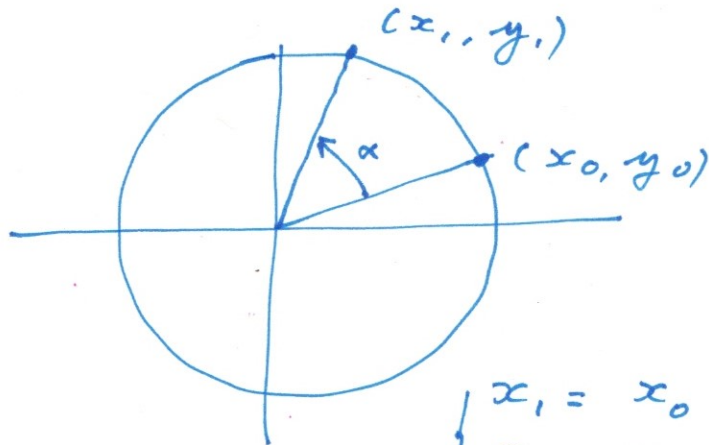
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IDEA OF CORDIC:

APPROXIMATE A BY A SEQUENCE
OF SMALLER ANGLES

ROTATION:



$$\begin{cases} x_1 = x_0 \cos \alpha - y_0 \sin \alpha \\ y_1 = x_0 \sin \alpha + y_0 \cos \alpha \end{cases}$$
$$\begin{cases} x_1 = \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} (x_0 - y_0 \tan \alpha) \\ y_1 = \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} (x_0 \tan \alpha + y_0) \end{cases}$$

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CHOOSE $\alpha = \alpha_0 \pm \alpha_1 \pm \alpha_2 \pm \alpha_3 \dots$

α_i SUCH THAT $\tan(\alpha_i) = \frac{1}{2^i}$

SUCCESSIVE APPROXIMATION OF α

