

COE/EE 243

Sample Exam #5

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EXAMINATION RULES

1. This is an open-book/open-note take-home exam.
2. Do your own work on this examination. You are on your honor. Therefore, you will neither give nor receive aid on this examination, except from the *course* instructor. If you violate this trust, you will receive the grade of zero for this examination.
3. Show all of your work! Do all your work on separate paper. Make it neat. *No* partial credit will be given if I can not easily follow your work.
4. The completed examination is to be handed in **by 4:30pm** on Friday, December 1, 2000.
5. Please read and sign the following statement when you finish the exam:

I certify that I have neither given nor have I received any help on this examination, except from the *course* instructor.

SIGNED: _____

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DATE: _____

1 _____ / 12 pts

2 _____ / 6 pts

3 _____ / 14 pts

4 _____ / 18 pts

Total _____ / 50 pts

1. (12 pts) A sequential circuit has 2 rising edge triggered flip-flops (outputs A and B), two inputs (X and Y) and one output Z. The logic expressions for this circuit are:

$$D_a = X' \cdot Y + X \cdot A$$

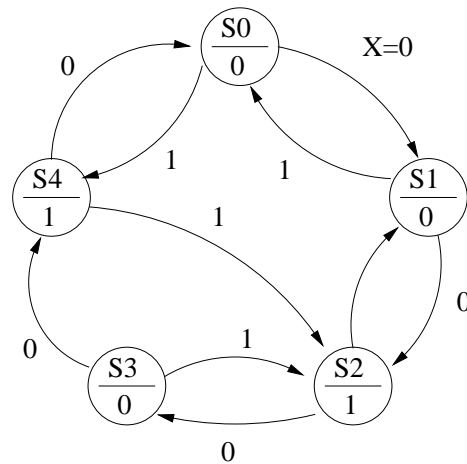
$$J_b = X' \cdot B + X' \cdot A$$

$$K_b = Y \cdot B$$

$$Z = X \cdot B$$

- A** Sketch a circuit diagram
- B** Construct a transition table
- C** Construct a state diagram
2. (6 pts) Suppose a Moore machine has three flip-flops, two inputs, and five outputs. Answer the following.
- A** What is the maximum and minimum number of states in the state diagram?
- B** What are the maximum and minimum numbers of transition arrows starting at a particular state?
- C** What are the maximum and minimum numbers of transition arrows ending at a particular state?
- D** What are minimum and maximum number of output patterns that can appear?
- E** Are the outputs synchronous or asynchronous?
- F** Which of the above will change for a Mealy Machine? (give the letter and the new answer)

3. (14 pts) Draw the state diagram for a Mealy state machine with two inputs (X and Y) and two outputs (Z1 and Z2). The two inputs represent a two bit binary number (N). If the present value of N is greater than the previous value of N then $Z1=0$ and $Z2=1$. And if the present value of N is less than the previous of N then $Z1=1$ and $Z2=0$. Otherwise $Z1=Z2=0$.
4. (18 pts) Complete the design for the state machine described in the state diagram below.



- A. Write out the state table
- B. Assign states using a simple binary order ($S0 = ABC = 000$) and assign the unused states to go to State S2 as their next state if $X=1$ and S1 if $X=0$. The write out the transition table.
- C. Write out the flip-flop input excitation table assuming JK flip-flops are used
- D. Sketch the circuit diagram