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# High Speed IEEE 754 Floating Point Multiplier using Different Types of Adder 

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#### Abstract

Due to advancement of new technology in the field of VLSI and Embedded system, there is an increasing demand of high speed and low power consumption processor. Speed of processor greatly depends on its multiplier as well as adder performance. In spite of complexity involved in floating point arithmetic, its implementation is increasing day by day. Due to which high speed adder architecture become important. Several adder architecture designs have been developed to increase the efficiency of the adder. In this paper, we introduce an architecture that performs high speed IEEE 754 floating point multiplier using carry select adder (CSA). Here we are introduced two carry select based design. These designs are implementation Xilinx Vertex device family.


KEYWORDS: IEEE754, Single Precision Floating Point (SP FP), Double Precision Floating Point (DP FP), Binary to Execess-1 ()

## I. Introduction

The real numbers represented in binary format are known as floating point numbers. Based on IEEE-754 standard, floating point formats are classified into binary and decimal interchange formats. Floating point multipliers are very important in dsp applications. This paper focuses on double precision normalized binary interchange format. Figure 1 shows the IEEE-754 double precision binary format representation. Sign (s) is represented with one bit, exponent (e) and fraction ( m or mantissa) are represented with eleven and fifty two bits respectively. For a number is said to be a normalized number, it must consist of'one' in the MSB of the significand and exponent is greater than zero and smaller than 1023. The real number is represented by equations (i) \& (2).

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\begin{equation*}
Z=\left(-1^{s}\right) \times 2^{(E-B i a s)} \times(1 . M) \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

Value $=\left(-1^{\text {sigbbit }}\right) \times 2^{(\text {Exponent-1023) }} \times(1$. Mantissa $)$
Biasing makes the values of exponents within an unsigned range suitable for high speed comparison.

| Sign | Biased Exponent | Significand |
| ---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1-bit |  |  |

Figure 1: IEEE 754 Single Precision and Double Precision Floating Point Format

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- IEEE 754 STANDARD FLOATING POINT MULTIPICATION ALGORITHM

A brief overview of floating point multiplication has been explained below [5-6].

- Both sign bits $S_{1}, S_{2}$ are need to be Xoring together, then the result will be sign bit of the final product.
- Both the exponent bits $\mathrm{E}_{1}, \mathrm{E}_{2}$ are added together, then subtract bias value from it. So, we get exponent field of the final product.
- Significand bits $\mathrm{Sig}_{1}$ and $\mathrm{Sig}_{2}$ of both the operands are multiply including their hidden bits.
- Normalize the product found in step 3 and change the exponent accordingly. After normalization, the leading " 1 "will become the hidden bit.
Above algorithm of multiplication algorithm is shown in Figure 2.


Figure 2: IEEE754 SP FP and DP FP Multiplier Structure, NE: Normalized exponent, NS: Normalized Significand

## II. LITERATURE REVIEW

Soumya Havaldar et al. [1], gives an FPGA Based High Speed IEEE-754 Double Precision Floating Point Multiplier Using Verilog. This paper has implemented DPFP Multiplier using parallel Adder. A high speed floating point double precision multiplier is implemented on a Virtex-6 FPGA. In addition, the proposed design is compliant with IEEE-754 format and handles over flow, under flow, rounding and various exception conditions. The design achieved the operating frequency of 414.714 MHz with an area of 648 slices.

Ragini Parte et al. [2], IEEE point number-crunching has an immense application in DSP, advanced PCs, robots because of its capacity to speak to little numbers and huge numbers and in addition marked numbers and unsigned numbers. Disregarding unpredictability included in gliding point number juggling, its usage is expanding step by step. Here we break down the impacts of utilizing three unique sorts of adders while figuring the single accuracy and twofold exactness skimming point increase. We additionally exhibit the increase of significand bits by disintegration of operands strategy for IEEE 754 standard.

Ross Thompson et al. [3], IEEE-754 determines trade and number juggling positions also, routines for paired and decimal drifting point number juggling in PC programming world. The execution of a skimming point framework utilizing this standard should possible completely in programming, or in equipment, or in any blend of programming and equipment. This venture propose VHDL execution of IEEE - 754 Floating point unit .In proposed work the pack, unload and adjusting mode was actualized utilizing the VHDL dialect and reenactment was checked.
In this proposition work, DPFP Multiplier alongside SPFP Multiplier has been actualized with four ordinary Adders (PA, CSKA, CSA, and CSABEC). Think about their Results and CSA is known not the speediest snake among every single customary viper. Be that as it may, CSA involves more territory as it has two parallel circuits to include the same bits yet with diverse convey data. As CSA figures the whole without sitting tight for the transitional conveys to spread stage by stage. Finally it is the obligation of multiplexer to pick and give the last right yield. CSABEC is an adjusted adaptation of CSA in which one of the parallel circuits is

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supplanted by the arrangement of Binary to Excess-1 Converters circuit (BECs). It is turned out to be an awesome way to deal with decrease the territory.
M. K. Jaiswal et al. [4], we display a nonintrusive simultaneous mistake identification (CED) technique for ensuring the control rationale of a contemporary coasting point unit (FPU). The proposed strategy depends on the perception that control rationale mistakes lead to broad information way defilement and influence, with high likelihood, the example some portion of the IEEE-754 coasting point representation. Consequently, type observing can be used to recognize blunders in the control rationale of the FPU. Anticipating the type includes generally basic operations; in this way, our system causes fundamentally bring down overhead than the traditional methodology of copying the control rationale of the FPU. In fact, trial results on the open SPARC T1 processor utilizing SPEC2006FP benchmarks demonstrate that when contrasted with control rationale duplication, which brings about a zone overhead of 17.9 percent of the FPU size, our technique acquires a region overhead of just 5.8 percent yet still accomplishes discovery of more than 93 percent of transient mistakes in the FPU control rationale. Besides, the proposed technique offers the subordinate advantage of additionally distinguishing 98.1 percent of the information way mistakes that influence the type, which can't be recognized by means of duplication of control rationale. At long last, when joined with a traditional deposit code-based strategy for the portion, our system prompts a complete CED answer for the whole FPU which gives scope of 94.1 percent of all blunders at a region expense of 16.32 percent of the FPU size.

Table 1: Summary of Literature Review

| Entitle of paper | Approached used | Software | $\begin{gathered} \text { Paramet } \\ \text { er } \end{gathered}$ | Published Year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Design $r$ of <br> Vedic IEEE <br> 754 Floating <br> Point  <br> Multiplier  | IEEE $\quad 754$ floating point multiplier using Vedic Multiplier | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Xilinx } \\ 12.1 \text { i } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Slice }= \\ 305, \\ \text { LUT }= \\ 598 \end{gathered}$ | IEEE 2016 |
| Analysis of <br> Effects of using Exponent Adders in IEEE- 754 <br> Multiplier by VHDL | IEEE 754 floating point multiplier using Carry select adder | Verilog using the Model SIM SE 6.3 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Slice }= \\ 353, \\ \text { LUT }= \\ 610 \end{gathered}$ | IEEE 2015 |
| An IEEE 754 DoublePrecision <br> Floating- <br> Point <br> Multiplier for <br> Denormalized <br> and <br> Normalized <br> Floating- <br> Point <br> Numbers | IEEE 754 floating point multiplier using floating number | Xilinx Spartan 3E xa3s250e4 vqg 100 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Slice }= \\ & 453, \\ & \text { LUT }= \\ & 678 \end{aligned}$ | IEEE 2015 |
| High <br> Performance <br> FPGA <br> Implementatio <br> n of Double <br> Precision <br> Floating Point <br> Adder/Subtract <br> or | IEEE $\quad 754$  <br> floating  <br> point  <br> multiplier  <br> using adder  <br> and sub-  <br> tractor  | Xilinx ISE 12.2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Slice }= \\ & 543, \\ & \text { LUT }= \\ & 792 \end{aligned}$ | IEEE 2011 |

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## III. DIFFERENT TYPES OF ADDER

## Parallel Adder:-

Parallel adder can add all bits in parallel manner i.e. simultaneously hence increased the addition speed. In this adder multiple full adders are used to add the two corresponding bits of two binary numbers and carry bit of the previous adder. It produces sum bits and carry bit for the next stage adder. In this adder multiple carry produced by multiple adders are rippled, i.e. carry bit produced from an adder works as one of the input for the adder in its succeeding stage. Hence sometimes it is also known as Ripple Carry Adder (RCA). Generalized diagram of parallel adder is shown in figure 3.


Figure 3: Parallel Adder ( $\mathrm{n}=7$ for SPFP and $\mathrm{n}=10$ for DPFP)
An n-bit parallel adder has one half adder and n-1full adders if the last carry bit required. But in 754 multiplier's exponent adder, last carry out does not required so we can use XOR Gate instead of using the last full adder. It not only reduces the area occupied by the circuit but also reduces the delay involved in calculation. For SPFP and DPFP multiplier's exponent adder, here we Simulate 8 bit and 11 bit parallel adders respectively as show in figure 4 .


Figure 4: Modified Parallel Adder ( $\mathrm{n}=7$ for SPFP and $\mathrm{n}=10$ for DPFP)

## Carry Skip Adder:-

This adder gives the advantage of less delay over Ripple carry adder. It uses the logic of carry skip, i.e. any desired carry can skip any number of adder stages. Here carry skip logic circuitry uses two gates namely "and gate" and "or gate". Due to this fact that carry need not to ripple through each stage. It gives improved delay parameter. It is also known as Carry bypass adder. Generalized figure of Carry Skip Adder is shown in figure 5.


Figure 5: Carry Skip Adder

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## Carry Select Adder:-

Carry select adder uses multiplexer along with RCAs in which the carry is used as a select input to choose the correct output sum bits as well as carry bit. Due to this, it is called Carry select adder. In this adder two RCAs are used to calculate the sum bits simultaneously for the same bits assuming two different carry inputs i.e. ' 1 ' and ' 0 '. It is the responsibility of multiplexer to choose correct output bits out of the two, once the correct carry input is known to it. Multiplexer delay is included in this adder. Generalized figure of Carry select adder is shown in figure 3.9. Adders are the basic building blocks of most of the ALUs (Arithmetic logic units) used in Digital signal processing and various other applications. Many types of adders are available in today's scenario and many more are developing day by day. Half adder and Full adder are the two basic types of adders. Almost all other adders are made with the different arrangements of these two basic adders only. Half adder is used to add two bits and produce sum and carry bits whereas full adder can add three bits simultaneously and produces sum and carry bits.


Figure 6: Carry Select Adder

## IV. PROPOSED DESIGN

In IEEE754 standard floating point representation, 8 bit Exponent field in single precision floating point (SP FP) representation and 11 bit in double precision floating point (DP FP) representation are need to add with another 8 bit exponent and 11 bit exponent respectively, in order to multiply floating point numbers represented in IEEE 754 standard as explained earlier. Ragini et al. [10] has used parallel adder for adding exponent bits in floating point multiplication algorithm. We proposed the use of 8 -bit modified CSA with dual RCA and 8 -bit modified CSA with RCA and BEC for adding the exponent bits. We have found the improved area of 8-bit modified Carry select adder with RCA and BEC over the 8-bit modified CSA with dual RCA.

## - Sign bit calculation

To calculate the sign bit of the resultant product for SP FP and DP FP multiplier, the same strategy will work. We just need to XOR together the sign bits of both the operands. If the resultant bit is ' 1 ', then the final product will be a negative number. If the resultant bit is ' 0 ', then the final product will be a positive number.

## - Exponent bit calculation

Add the exponent bits of both the operands together, and then the bias value ( 127 for SPFP and 1023 for DPFP) is subtracted from the result of addition. This result may not be the exponent bits of the final product. After the significand multiplication, normalization has to be done for it. According to the normalized value, exponents need to be adjusted. The adjusted exponent will be the exponent bits of the final product.

## - Significand bit calculation

Significand bits including the one hidden bit are need to be multiply, but the problem is the length of the operands. Number of bits of the operand will become 24 bits in case of SP FP representation and it will be 53 bits in case of DP

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FP representation, which will result the 48 bits and 106 bits product value respectively. In this paper we use the technique of break up the operands into different groups then multiply them. We get many product terms, add them together carefully by shifting them according to which part of one operand is multiplied by which part of the other operand. We have decomposed the significand bits of both the operands ain four groups. Multiply each group of one operand by each group of second operand. We get 16 product terms. Then we add all of them together very carefully by shifting the term to the left according to which groups of the operands are involved in the product term.

## V. Conclusion

IEEE754 standardize two basic formats for representing floating point numbers namely, single precision floating point and double precision floating point. Floating point arithmetic has vast applications in many areas like robotics and DSP. Delay provided and area required by hardware are the two key factors which are need to be consider Here we present single precision floating point multiplier by using two different adders namely modified CSA with dual RCA and modified CSA with RCA and BEC.
Among all two adders, modified CSA with RCA and BEC is the least amount of Maximum combinational path delay (MCDP). Also, it takes least number of slices i.e. occupy least area among all two adders.

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