CS60089 Testing and Verification of Circuits

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Main References - Testing



Testing of Digital Systems N. K. Jha and S. Gupta Cambridge University Press



Essentials of Electronic Testing Michael L. Bushnell and V.D. Agrawal Kluwer Academic Publishers

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Main References - Verification



Introduction to Formal Hardware Verification Thomas Kropf Springer



A Roadmap for Formal Property Verification A Roadmap for Formal Property Verification Pallab Dasgupta Springer



Formal Verification of Circuits Rolf Drechsler Springer



Advanced BDD Optimizations Ebendt, Fey, Drechsler Springer



Principles of Model Checking Christel Baier and J. P. Katoen MIT Press

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Course Outline

- ✓ Introduction
- Symbolic representations of combinational logic and finite state machines (BDD, SAT)
- ✓ Symbolic reachability of large state spaces
- ✓ Simulation Techniques
- ✓ Fault simulation
- ✓ Test generation for combinational circuits
- ✓ Formal Equivalence checking
- ✓ Temporal Logic and Assertions
- ✓ Automata over infinite words
- ✓ Model Checking
- ✓ Sequential ATPG
- ✓ Advanced topics:
 - Verification/Testing of Analog circuits
 - Hybrid System Analysis

Lecture Series by Prof. Rolf Drechsler

"Advanced Formal Techniques along the Design Flow"

- Motivation
- Proof techniques
 - Boolean(DDs, satisfiability), word-level (extensions of DD, SMT solvers)
- Verification
 - Simulation vs. formal, constrained random simulation, measuring coverage
- Debugging
 - Finding faults, error assumptions, corrections
- ≻ Test
 - $\circ~$ Black box vs. white box, encoding, hybrid approaches
- Conclusions

Tentative Schedule:

- Aug 17 (Monday): 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM
- Aug 18 (Tuesday): 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM
- Aug 19 (Wednesday): 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM.

