M191

Carry Look-Ahead Generator

The M191 Carry Look-Ahead Generator, consisting of two DEC 74182 integrated circuits, is a high-speed generator capable of anticipating a carry through a group of ALUs. A 13-ns delay occurs for each look-ahead level.

Input Voltage:

5.5 volts (with respect to network grand terminal).

Supply Voltage:

4.75 - 5.25 (5 v. nominal)

Normalized Fan Out

High logic level 20

from Each Output:

Low logic level 10

Each carry look-ahead circuit in the M191 is associated with four ALUs (16 bits). The M191, when used in conjunction with the M159 ALU, provides carry, generate-carry, and propagate-carry functions for 36-bit words. Each circuit generates the anticipated carry through its respective group of ALUs, as well as providing a Generate (G) and Propagate (P) input to a third carry look-ahead circuit associated with the last ALU; hence, the term full-carry look-ahead in three levels (36 bits).

Depending on the selected function of the ALUs, the carry look-ahead circuitry determines whether a carry will be propagated through the particular ALU, or whether the selected function will generate a carry. If a carry is produced, it is directed into the next ALU in line. This sequence is continued for each of the four ALUs in the section. The carry look-ahead circuitry then "looks" at the G and P signals of all four ALUs and determines whether a carry should be inserted into the next four ALUs and into the third level of carry look-ahead. This process is continued for the second section of ALUs (next 16 bits). Finally, the third level of carry look-ahead determines whether a carry should be inserted into the final ALU by examining the resulting G and P inputs of the other two look-ahead circuits.

The truth table for the first-stage carry is as follows:

True Carry Insert = L

P00	G00	C_{N00}	c_{N+X}
L	L	L	Н
L	L	Н	Н
H	H	Н	L
L	H	L	L

True Carry Insert = Low

P00	G00	C_{N00}	c_{N+X}
L	L	L	Н
H	L	L	H
L	Н	L	L
Н	H	L	L
L	L	H	H
Н	L	H	Н
L	Н	H	Н
Н	Н	H	L

The following are the logic equations for a carry look-ahead stage:

$$\begin{split} & C_{N01} &= C_{N00} * G_0 + G_0 * P_0 \\ & C_{N02} &= G_1 * P_1 + P_0 * G_0 * G_1 + G_1 * G_0 * C_N \\ & C_{N03} &= P_2 * G_2 + G_1 * G_2 * P_1 + G_0 + G_1 * G_2 * P_0 + G_0 * G_1 * G_2 * C_N \\ & GG00 &= P_3 * G_3 + P_2 * G_3 * G_2 + P_1 * G_3 * G_2 * G_1 + G_3 * G_2 * G_1 * G_0 \\ & PP00 &= P_3 + P_2 + P_1 + P_0 \end{split}$$

where

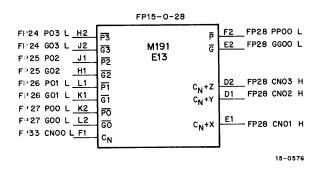
 C_{NXX} = True I.

GXX = True H

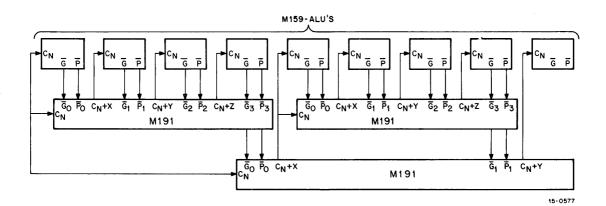
PXX = True H

GGXX = True H

PPXX = True H



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36-Bit ALU, Full-Carry Look-Ahead in Three Levels