

## Implementation of High-Throughput Digit-Serial Redundant Basis Multipliers over Finite Field

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**Abstract:** In elliptical curve cryptography the redundant basis (RB) multipliers for finite field have achieved immense popularity. The high-throughput multipliers are presented and they utilize redundant representation. In this paper, a novel recursive decomposition algorithm is presented for digit-level RB multiplication to obtain digit-serial implementation. The signal-flow graph (SFG) is extended to obtain the processor-space flow graph (PSFG) and also to acquire the three novel multipliers. Implementation of 10 bit digit-serial RB multipliers is presented in this work. The proposed structures are simulated and synthesized in Xilinx 12.2 using Verilog HDL.

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### I. Introduction

Finite field  $GF(2^m)$  is a field that contains finitely many fields. It is especially useful in translate computer data, which present in the binary form. Finite Field has wide applications in cryptography and error control coding [1], [2]. The key arithmetic unit for multiple systems based on computations of finite field is finite field multiplier because the complex operations like division and inversion can be broken down into successive multiplication operation. The most common arithmetic is multiplication which is useful to obtain efficient multipliers [3].

Both the hardware and software architectures are studied for computing multiplications over finite field [4]. The mostly used bases for finite fields are polynomial (PB), normal (NB), triangular (TB), and redundant (RB) [5]. Basis is a set of vectors that, in a linear combination, can represent every vector in given a vector space. Redundant basis is attractive due to its free squaring and modular reduction for multiplication [7]. A redundant representation is extracted from minimal cyclotomic ring and the arithmetic operation can be performed in the ring by embed the present field [9].

A number of structures have been designed for efficient finite field multiplication over finite field based on RB. Semi-systolic Montgomery multiplier is presented in [4]. Super-systolic multiplier has been reported by Pramod Kumar Mehar. Bit-Serial/Parallel multipliers [8], Comb style architectures are presented formerly and also several other RB multipliers are designed for hardware efficiency and throughput [6].

In this contribute, an efficient high-throughput digit-serial/parallel multiplier designs over finite field based on RB is presented. A novel recursive decomposition scheme is presented, based on that parallel algorithms are obtained for high-throughput digit-serial multiplication. By depicting the parallel algorithm to a regular two dimensional signal-flow-graph (SFG) array go after by projection of SFG to one dimensional processor-space flow graph (PSFG), the algorithm is mapped to three multiplier architectures. In this work, the implementation of 10-bit digit-serial RB multipliers is presented to obtain high-throughput.

The organization of this paper is as follows: Mathematical representation is presented in section II. High-throughput structures for digit-serial RB multipliers are derived from the proposed algorithm mentioned in section III. Implementation and Simulation results are presented in section IV. Conclusions are presented in section V.

### II. Mathematical Representation

Assume  $x$  to be a primitive  $n$ th root of unity, components in finite field  $GF(2^m)$  are often described within the form:

$$A = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_{n-1}x^{n-1} \quad (1)$$

Where  $a_i$  belongs to  $GF(2)$ , for  $0 \leq i \leq n-1$ , alike the set  $\{1, x, x^2, \dots, x^{n-1}\}$  is defined as the RB for finite field components, wherever  $n$  could be a positive number not below  $m$ .

And just then  $(m+1)$  is prime and 2 is primitive root modulo  $(m+1)$  for a finite field, there being a type I optimal normal basis (ONB).

Let  $A, B$  belongs to  $GF(2^m)$  can be demonstrated in the form of RB:

$$A = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_i x^i \quad (2)$$

$$B = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} b_i x^i \quad (3)$$

Thus  $a_i, b_i$  belongs to GF (2). Let A and B are inputs and product is C, is demonstrated as follows:

$$C = A \cdot B = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (x^i b_i) \cdot A \quad (4)$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} b_i x^{(i+j)}) a_j \quad (5)$$

$$= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} b_{(i-j)_n} x^i) a_j \quad (6)$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} b_{(i-j)_n} a_j) x^i \quad (7)$$

Where  $(i - j)_n$  denotes modulo  $n$  reduction. Define  $C = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} c_i x^i$ , where  $c_i \in GF(2)$ , we have:

$$c_i = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} b_{(i-j)_n} a_j \quad (8)$$

Alternately, we can write (8) in a bit-level matrix-vector form as:

$$\begin{bmatrix} c_0 \\ c_1 \\ \vdots \\ c_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_0 & b_{n-1} & \cdots & b_1 \\ b_1 & b_0 & \cdots & b_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_{n-1} & b_{n-2} & \cdots & b_0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \quad (9)$$

From (9), shifted form of the input bits B can be defined as follows:

$$B^0 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} b_i x^i = b_0 + b_1 x + \cdots + b_{n-1} x^{n-1} \quad (10)$$

$$B^1 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} b_i^1 x^i = b_{n-1} + b_0 x + \cdots + b_{n-2} x^{n-1} \quad (11)$$

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$$B^{n-1} = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} b_i^{n-1} x^i = b_1 + b_2 x + \cdots + b_0 x^{n-1} \quad (12)$$

Where,  $b_0^{i+1} = b_{n-1}^i$

$$b_j^{i+1} = b_{j-1}^i, \text{ for } 1 \leq j \leq n-2 \quad (13)$$

The recursions on (13) can be extended further to have:

$$b_j^{i+s} = \begin{cases} b_{n-s+j}^i, & \text{for } 0 \leq j \leq n-2 \\ b_{j-s}^i & \text{other wise} \end{cases} \quad (14)$$

Where  $1 \leq s \leq n-1$ , Let Q and P are two integers alike  $n = QP + r$ , where  $0 \leq r \leq P$ . For ease, assume  $r = 0$ , and decompose the input operand A into Q number of bit-vectors  $A_u$  for  $u = 0, 1, \dots, Q-1$ , as follows:

$$A_0 = [a_0 a_Q \cdots a_{n-Q}] \quad (15)$$

$$A_1 = [a_1 a_{Q+1} \cdots a_{n-Q+1}] \quad (16)$$

... ..

$$A_{Q-1} = [a_{Q-1} a_{2Q-1} \cdots a_{n-1}] \quad (17)$$

Identically, we can produce Q units of shifted vector operands  $B_u$  for  $u = 0, 1, \dots, Q-1$ , as follows:

$$B_0 = [B^0 B^Q \cdots B^{n-Q}] \quad (18)$$

$$B_1 = [B^1 B^{Q+1} \cdots B^{n-Q+1}] \quad (19)$$

... ..

$$B_{Q-1} = [B^{Q-1} B^{2Q-1} \cdots B^{n-1}] \quad (20)$$

The product  $C = AB$  which is obtained from (6) are broken down into products Q of vectors  $A_u$  and  $B_u$  for  $u = 0, 1, \dots, Q-1$  as:

$$C = AB = B_0 A_0^T + B_1 A_1^T + \cdots + B_{Q-1} A_{Q-1}^T$$

$$= \sum_{u=0}^{Q-1} B_u A_u^T = \sum_{u=0}^{Q-1} \overline{C}_u \quad (21)$$

Where  $\overline{C}_u$  denotes:

$$\overline{C}_u = B_u A_u^T \quad (22)$$

Note that  $A_u$  for  $u = 0, 1, \dots, Q-1$  is a  $P$  point bit – vector.  $B_u$  for  $u = 0, 1, \dots, Q-1$  is a  $P$  bit-shifted forms of operand  $B$ . Based on (21) and (22) proposed digit-serial algorithm is described.

Algorithm for proposed digit-serial RB multiplication

Inputs: A and B are pair of elements in Finite Field GF ( $2^m$ ) to be multiplied.

Output: C = A .B

Initialization: D = 0

For u = 0 to Q - 1

For u = 0 to P - 1

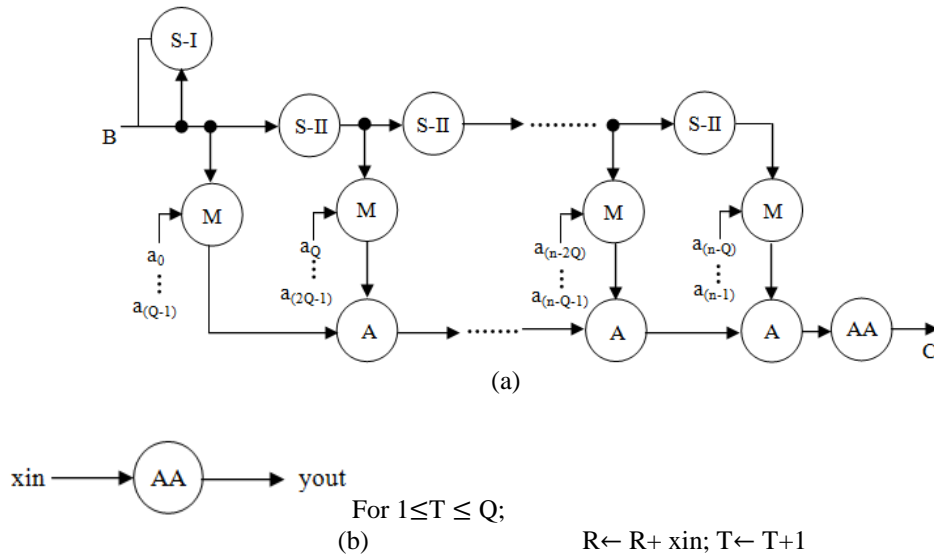
$$D = D + B_u A_u^T$$

End For

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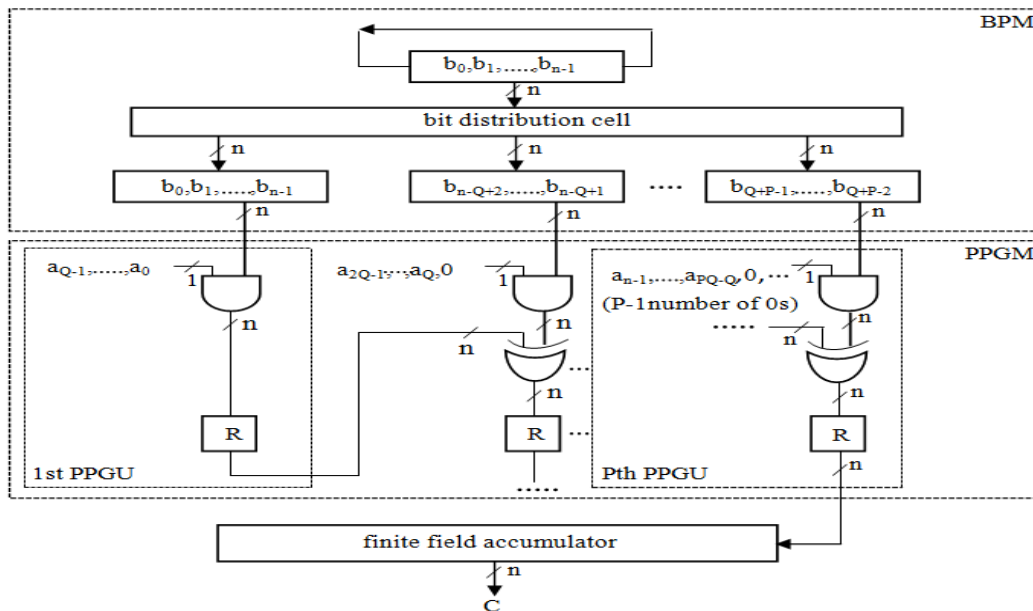
$$C = D$$





**Fig.3.** Processor- space flow graph (PSFG) of digit-serial realization of finite field RB multiplication over GF (2<sup>m</sup>). (a) The PSFG. (b) Functional representation of add-accumulation (AA) node.

The digit-serial RB multiplier shown in Fig.4, mentioned as structure-I. Structure-I consists of three blocks, which are bit-permutation module (BPM), partial product generation module (PPGM) and finite field accumulator module. The BPM carries out rewiring of inputs  $B$  and the output is fed to the partial product generation unit. The PPGM is with the AND, XOR and register cells which carry out the function of M node. And the finite field accumulator block consistent with  $n$ -bit parallel accumulation units. The recent input which is received is added with the past accumulated result, and the sum is retain in the register cell and used in the next cycle. And successive output is obtained. Fig.7 shows the structure of partial product generation module which consists of XOR cell, AND cell and register cells with  $n$  parallel input bits and  $n$  parallel output bits.



**Fig.4.** structure-I for digit-serial RB multiplier

### 3.2 Modification of Structure –I for Digit-Serial RB Multiplier

We can have  $(P=kd+l)$ , for any  $p$  integer value, where  $0 \leq l < d$  and  $d < P$ . For simpleness, we assume  $l=0$ , however can easily extended to the cases where  $l \neq 0$ . Define  $0 \leq h \leq k - 1$ , and  $0 \leq f \leq d - 1$ , such that (22) can be as:

$$\overline{C}_u = \sum_{h=0}^{k-1} \sum_{f=0}^{d-1} B^{u+fhQ} a_{u+fhQ} \quad (23)$$

By depending on the (23), the PSFG is modified to obtain appropriate digit-serial multiplier structure Fig.6, a set of shifting nodes, a set of multiplication nodes and a set of addition nodes of PSFG are combined to form overall node. And these nodes are executed by new PPGU to obtain PPGM of P/2 PPGUs. Suitably, in the structure of Fig.4 the two PPGU are appeared into a new PPGU, and it consists of two AND cells, two XOR cells and it needs only one XOR cell at the first PPGU of the structure-I when  $d=2$ . The functionality of the AND, XOR and register cells are same as the structure-I in Fig.4.

**3.3 Structure- II for digit-serial RB multiplier**

The Structure-II for digit-serial RB multiplier is in Fig.9, the (P-1) A nodes of PSFG which are connected serially are combined into the pipeline form of (P-2) A nodes. And these pipeline forms of A nodes are constructed by using the pipeline XOR tree. To meet the time requirement there is no need of padding ‘0’ at input due to the AND cell is organized in parallel. The function is as same as the structure-I.

**3.4 Structure-III for digit-serial RB multiplier**

In this, the bit-addition and bit-multiplication are carried out concurrently and hence the throughput of the desired structure can be increased. The structure-III for digit-serial RB multiplier is shown in Fig.10, which contains (P+1) PPGUs and the each PPGU is with the single AND cell, single XOR cell and two register cells and the first output of this structure-III can be obtained at (P+Q+1) cycles. And at Q cycles the consecutive output is obtained.

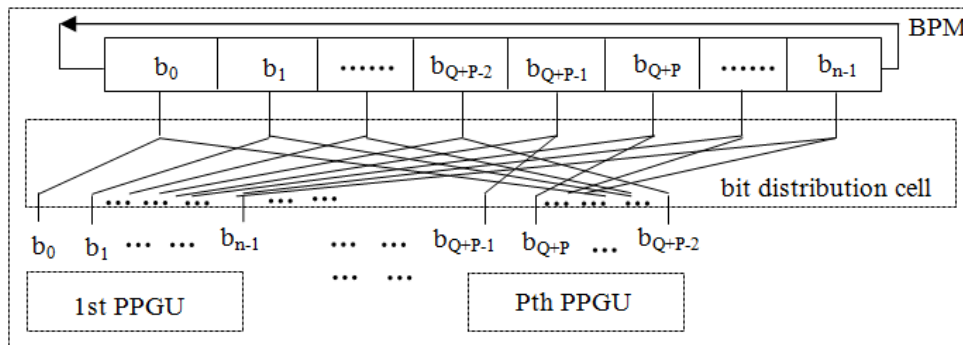


Fig.5. structure of the bit-permutation module (BPM)

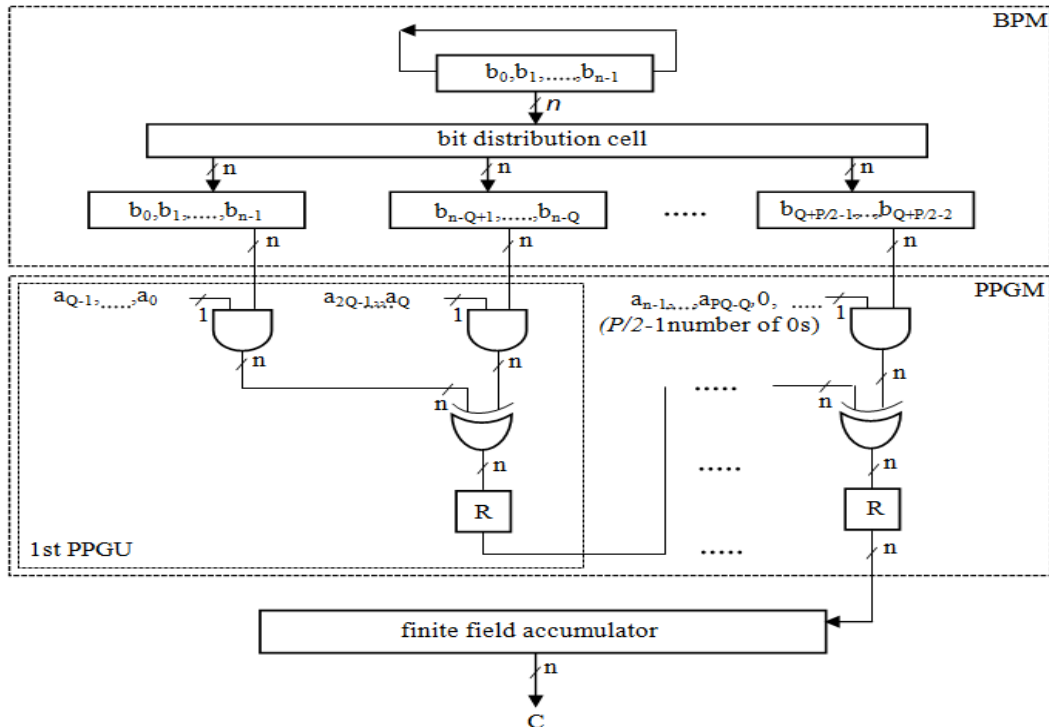


Fig.6. Structure-I for digit-serial RB multiplier when  $d=2$ .

The fig.5 shows the structure of the bit-permutation module, and fig.7 (a), 7(b) and fig.7(c) shows the structure of AND cell, XOR cell and register cell of PPGM. Which the inputs are given parallel to the AND cell and obtain the output parallel and also which is done similar to the XOR cell and register cell. This consists of n parallel inputs and n parallel outputs. Fig.8. Shows the structure of finite field accumulator, the finite field accumulator also consists of XOR cell and register cell with the parallel inputs and parallel outputs.

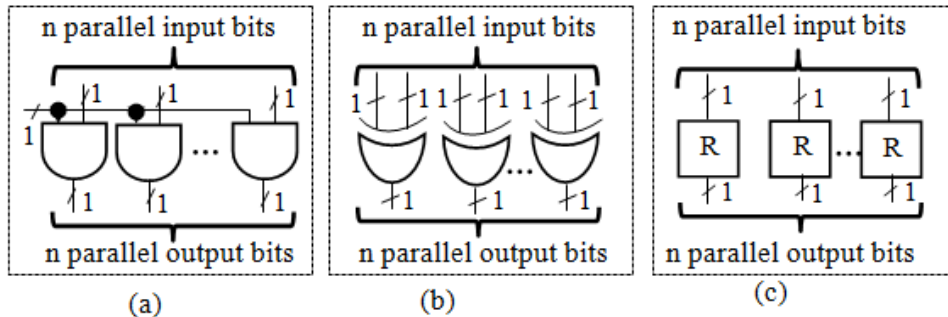


Fig.7 (a) Structure of AND cell in partial product generation module. (b) Structure of XOR cell in partial product generation module. (C) Structure of register cell in partial product generation module.

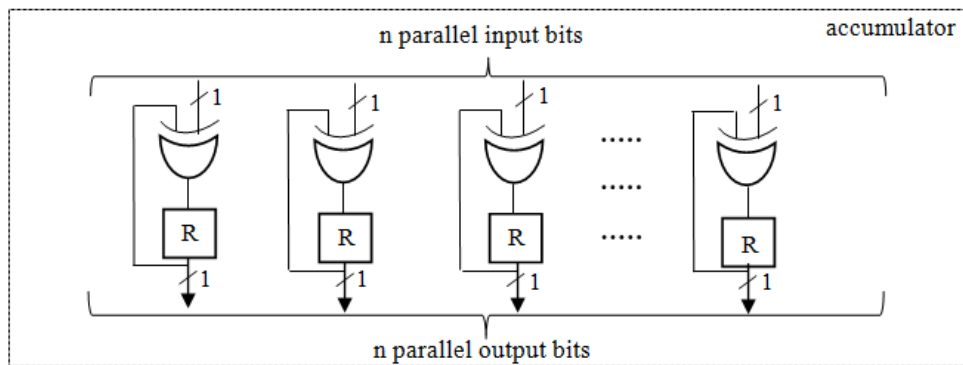


Fig.8. Structure of the finite field accumulator

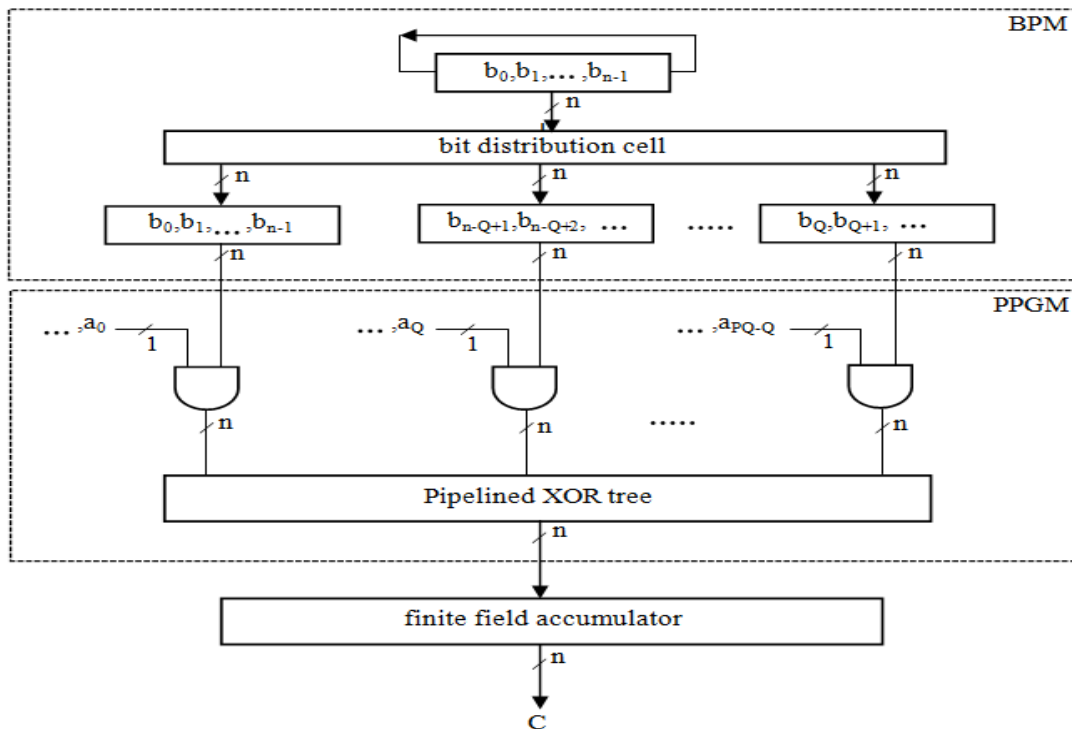


Fig.9. Structure-II for digit-serial RB multiplier

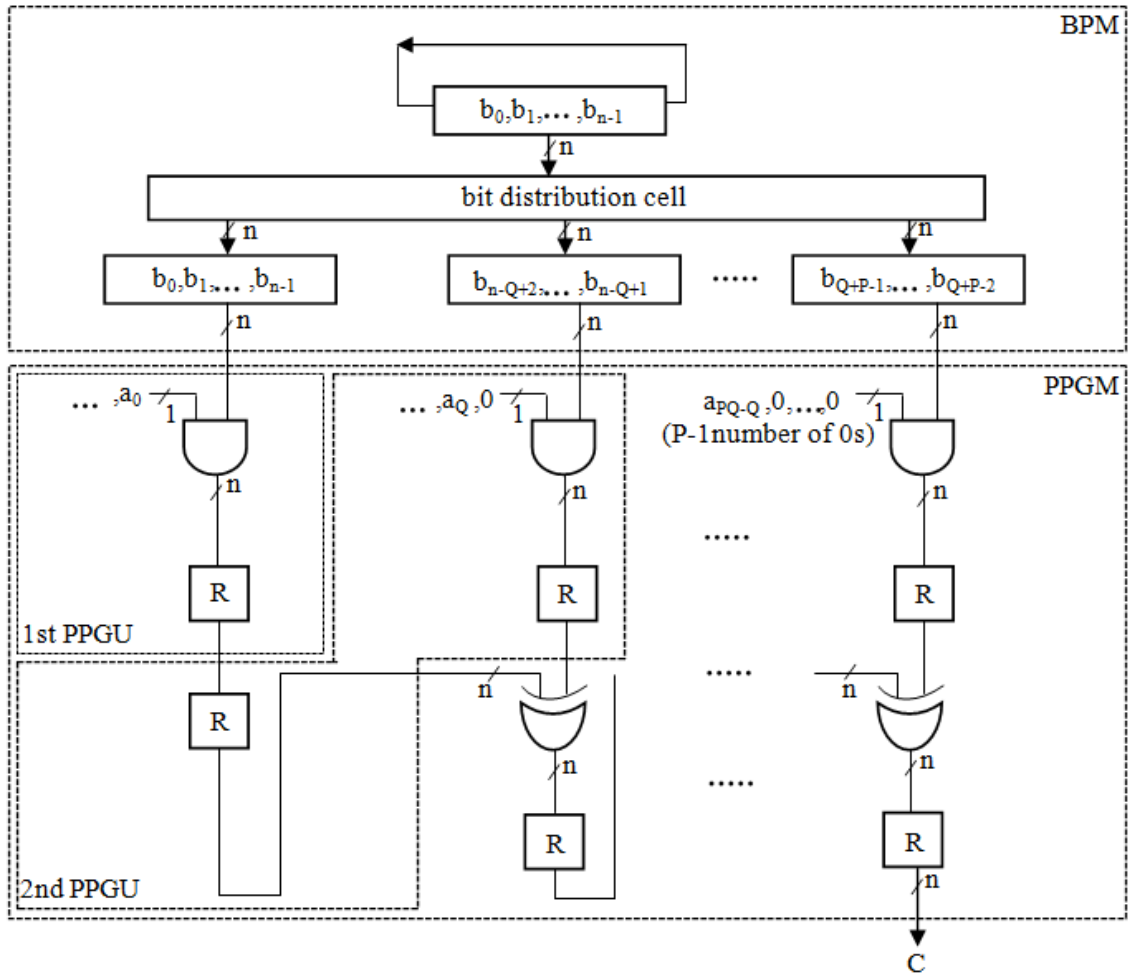


Fig.10. Structure-III for digit-serial RB multiplier

#### IV. Implementation And Simulation Results

The proposed structures (case 1, case 2, and case 3) are written in a Verilog HDL, synthesized and simulated using Xilinx 12.2. The simulation results and RTL schematic of 10 bit Signal-flow graph(SFG), Processor-space flow-graph (PSFG) and proposed structures (case 1, case 2, and case 3) are shown below.

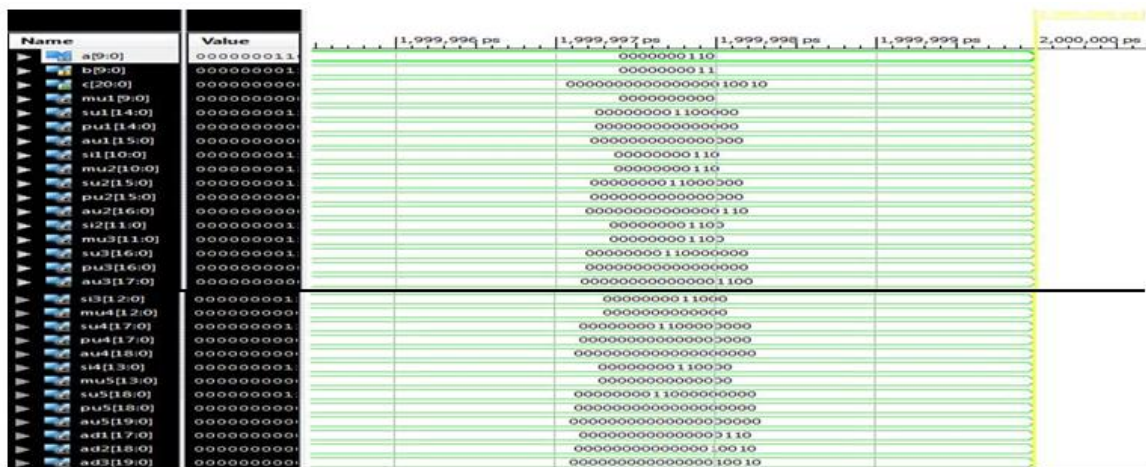


Fig.11. Simulation result of 10 bit Signal-flow graph (SFG)

The simulation result of 10-bit Signal-flow graph (SFG) is shown in Fig.11. The inputs are a=0000000110 and b=0000000011 and the output is c=000000000000000010010 obtained by performing the one





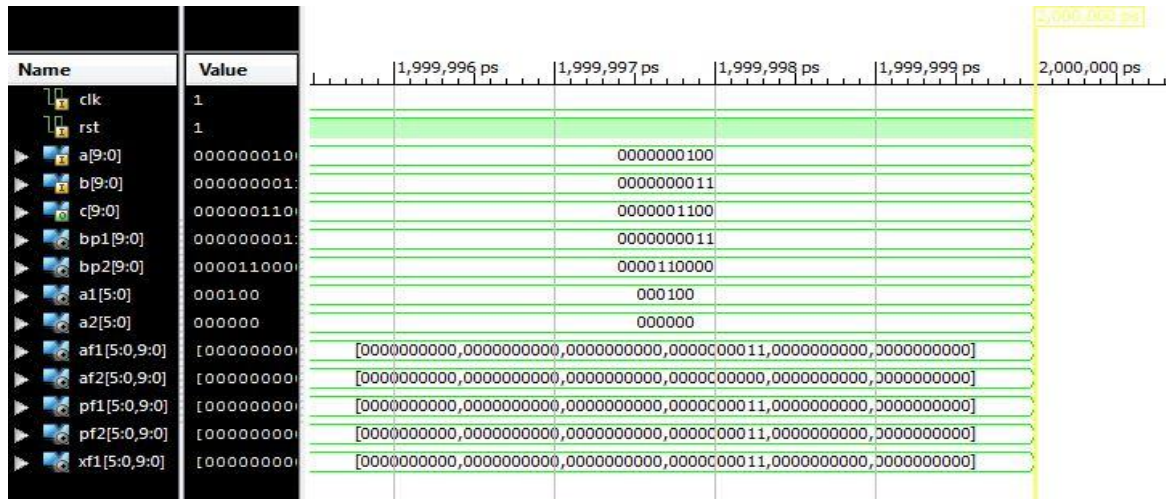


Fig.15. Simulation result of 10 bit Structure-I for digit-serial RB multiplier

The detailed view of RTL schematic of 10 bit Structure-I is shown in Fig.16. Consists of 10-bit input operands a and b with clock and reset, which obtain the 10-bit output c.

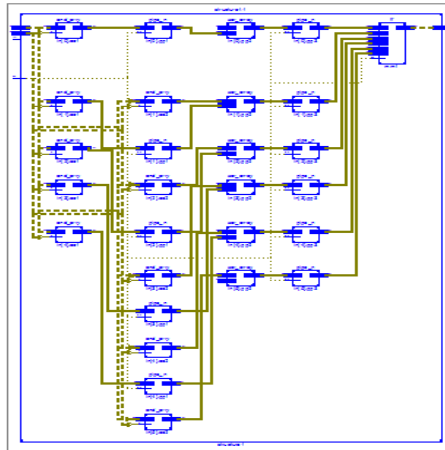


Fig.16. Detailed view of RTL Schematic of 10 bit Structure-I.

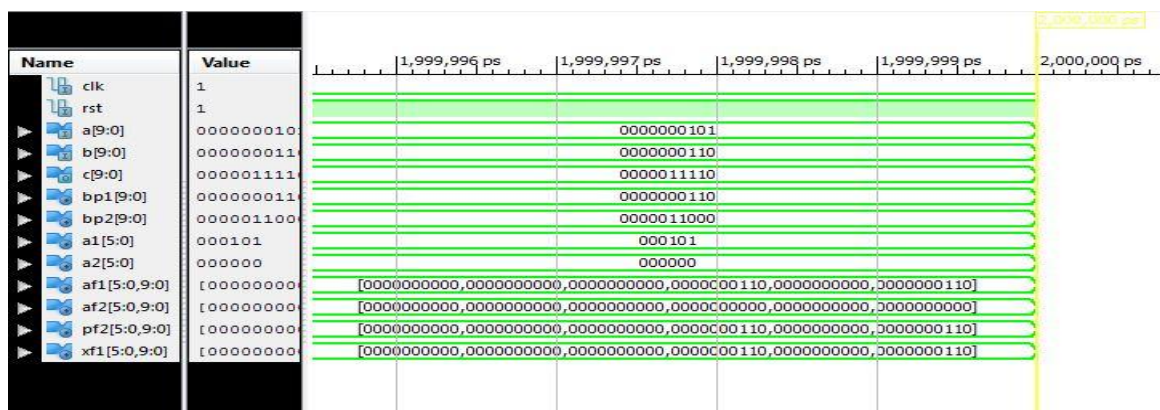


Fig.17. Simulation result of 10 bit structure-I for digit-serial RB multiplier when d=2

The Simulation result of 10 bit structure-I for digit-serial RB multiplier when d=2 is shown in Fig.17. The input operands are a=0000000101 and b=0000000110 with clock=1 and reset=0 and the output obtained is c=000001110. The detailed view of RTL schematic of 10 bit Structure-I when d=2 is shown in Fig.18. Consists of 10-bit a and b operands with clock and reset, which obtain the output 10-bit c.

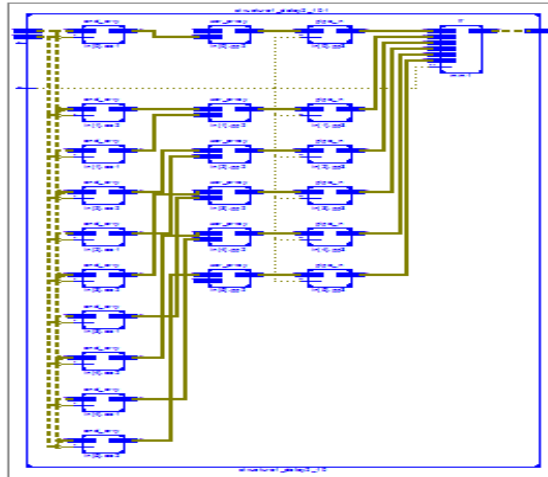


Fig.18.Detailed view of RTL Schematic of 10 bit Structure-I when d=2

**Case 2:** The Simulation result of 10 bit Structure –II for digit-serial RB multiplier is shown in Fig.19. The input operands are a=0000000011, b=0000000101 with clock=1 and reset=0, and the output obtained is c=0000001111.

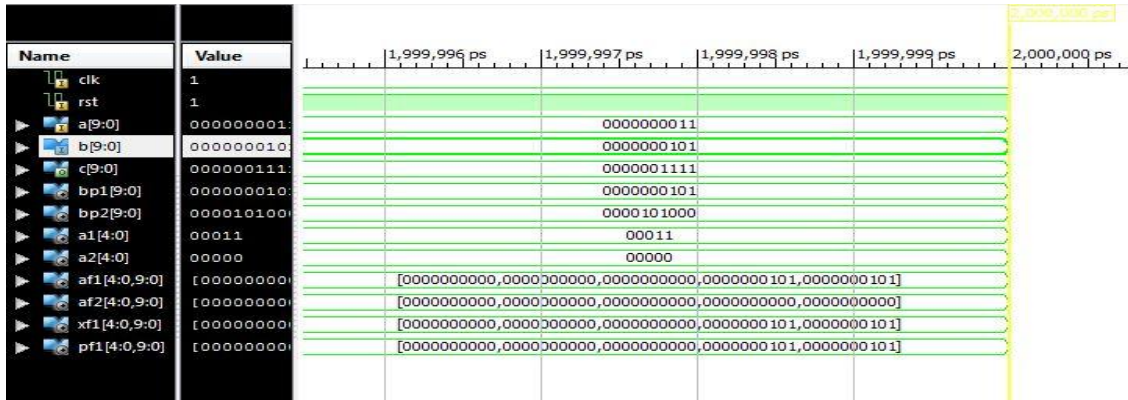


Fig.19 Simulation result of 10 bit Structure-II for digit-serial RB multiplier

The detailed view of RTL schematic of 10 bit Structure-II is shown in Fig.20. It consists of 10-bit input operands a and b with clock and reset, and the obtained output is 10-bit c.

**Case 3:** The Simulation result of 10 bit Structure –III for digit-serial RB multiplier is shown in Fig.21. The input operands are a=0000000011, b=0000001000 with clock=1 and reset=0 and which obtain the output c=0000011000. The detailed view of RTL schematic of 10 bit Structure-III is shown in Fig.22. It consists of 10-bit input operands a, b with clock and reset and which obtain the 10-bit output c.

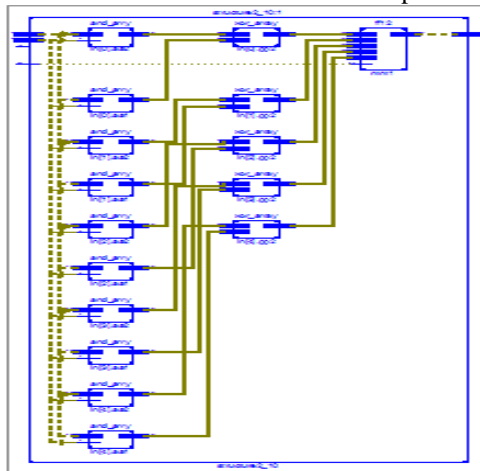


Fig.20 Detailed view of RTL Schematic of 10 bit Structure-II

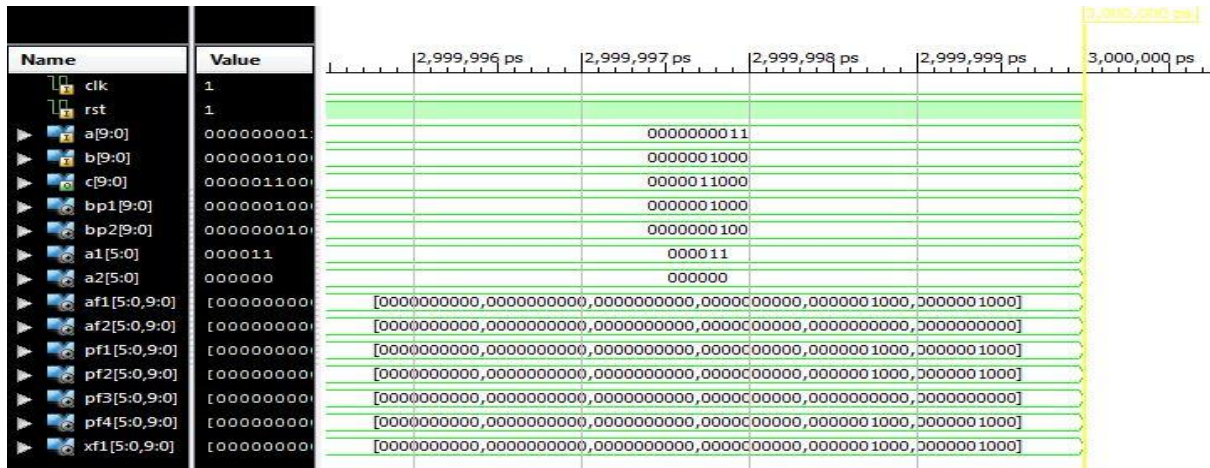


Fig.21. Simulation result of 10 bit Structure-III for digit-serial RB multiplier

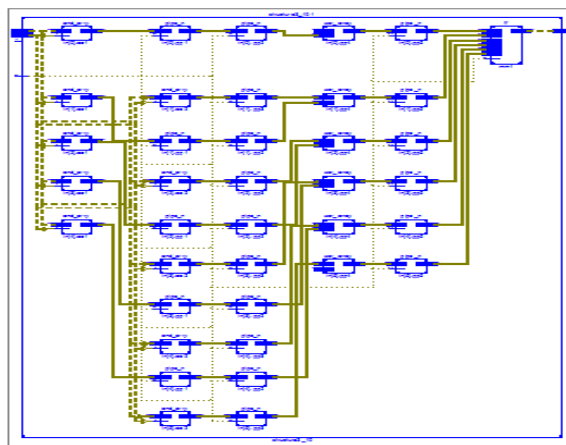


Fig.22. Detailed view of RTL Schematic of 10 bit Structure-III

## V. Conclusion

The proposed structures (Case 1, Case 2, and Case 3) for digit-serial RB multipliers are implemented in Verilog HDL by using novel recursive decomposition algorithm. The synthesis is done for 10 bit proposed structures (Case 1, Case 2, and Case 3) and is simulated by using Xilinx 12.2. The proposed structures are implemented to obtain high-throughput, by projection of signal-flow graph to the processor-space flow-graph. And these multipliers are used based on application requirement mostly in cryptographic applications. The detailed RTL schematic of proposed structures is also obtained.

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