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## 1 Introduction

The growing market for embedded systems, typically portable electronic devices, demands products with better functionality and shorter time to market. The complexity of designing, debugging and verifying systems containing increasing number of HW/SW components presents great challenge to embedded design methodology. Electronic system level (ESL) design engages the problem using models of higher abstraction level. In ESL design, a system is firstly specified using a System Level Design Language (SLDL). The initial model is called a specification model. Then supporting tools can efficiently perform design space exploration, high-level synthesis, and software refinement to cycle-accurate level on the specification model.

Figure 1 [3] presents an ESL design methodology and tool sets SCE [2] using SpecC SLDL. Firstly, the product specification is captured using SpecC. Then, architecture refinement is performed, which involves allocation of processing elements (PE), mapping behaviors, channels and

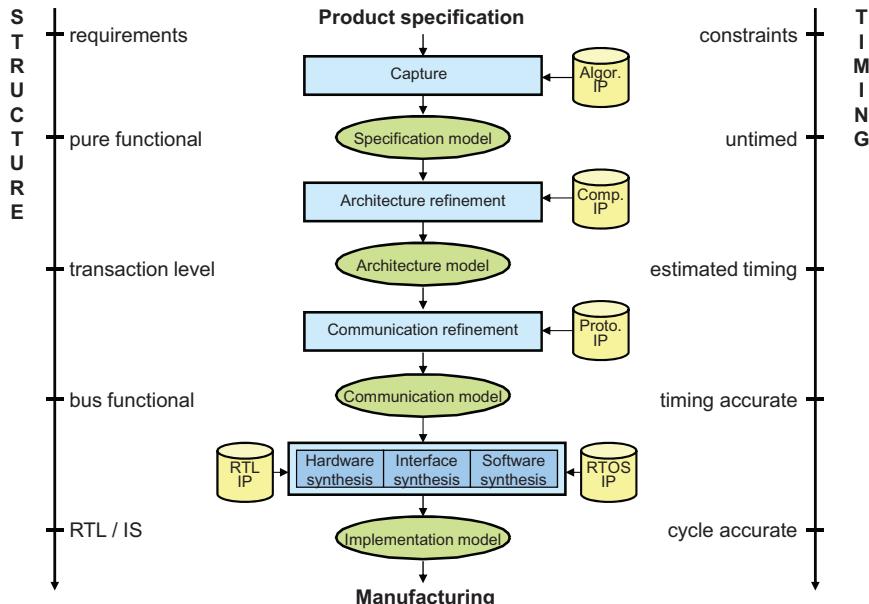


Figure 1: Top-Down System-Level Design Flow

variables to PEs. The result of architecture refinement is a system architecture model of concurrent PEs with abstract communication in channels. Next, scheduling refinement is performed to serialize the execution of behaviors on each PE according to either static or dynamic scheduling (RTOS support) chosen by designer. The result of this step is a system model with abstract RTOS inserted in each PE. Next, communication refinement implements the abstract communication channels between PEs. By allocating system busses and map the channels to them in SCE, we can then generate a bus-functional model of the system. Finally, the SW and HW components of bus-functional model is synthesized.

This report focuses on a case study of the ESL design methodology using an application example of canny edge detector (canny). Canny is modeled in SpecC, optimized for design and refined to pin-accurate level using SCE.

## 2 Overview of Canny Edge Detector

The canny edge detector is developed by Prof. John F. Canny in 1986 and our work is based on a reference implementation [1]. The algorithm applies five functions in sequential to an input image and detects all the edges in it (Figure 2).

The five functions are:

- **gaussian\_smooth** creates a gaussian kernel based on input parameter *SIGMA* (the standard deviation of the gaussian smoothing filter), and then used the kernel to filter or blur each pixel of the image to reduce the noise. The blurring occurs first horizontally and then vertically.

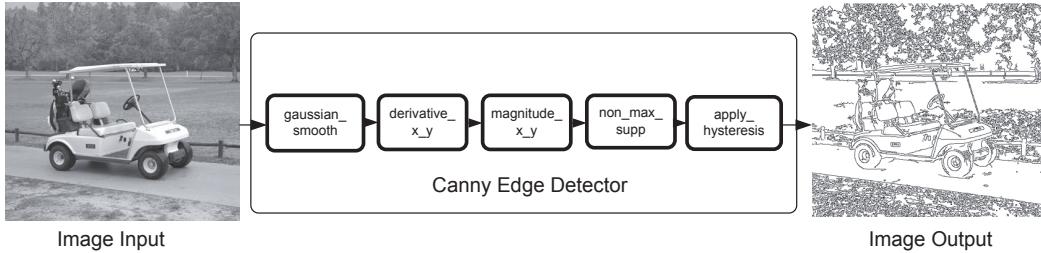


Figure 2: Canny Edge Detector Flowchart

- **derivative\_x\_y** computes the first derivative of the image in both the x and y directions.
- **magnitude\_x\_y** computes the magnitude of the gradient - the square root of the sum of the squared derivative values.
- **non\_max\_supp** applies non-maximal suppression to the magnitude of the gradient image. The pixels which are not part of local maxima are set as non-edges.
- **apply\_hysteresis** finds edges that are above some high threshold or are connected to a high pixel by a path of pixels greater than a low threshold. Parameter  $TLOW$  and  $THIGH$  specifies these two thresholds.

### 3 System Level Modeling of Canny Edge Detector

#### 3.1 Initial Specification Model

The first step of ESL design on canny is to create a specification model. We recoded the unstructured and sequential C reference code into SpecC model by works including encapsulating functions into behaviors, creating channels and hierarchy, and creating a testbench. The resulting specification model is described as Figure 3(a) where *stimulus* sends incoming images to *platform*, I/O units(*din* and *dout*) send input to DUT *canny* and send output to *monitor*. DUT *canny* consists of 5 behaviors (Figure 3(b)) performing the 5 functions of canny algorithm.

#### 3.2 Model Refinements

We profiled the initial model using SCE profiler. The results (Figure 4) show that when ARM7 CPU is allocated, Behavior takes more than 50% of total computation. In order to yield better design, we considered to optimize *guassian\_smooth*.

##### 3.2.1 Parallelization of *guassian\_smooth*

Parallelization is one desired approach to optimize the heaviest function *guassian\_smooth*. We observed that *guassian\_smooth* firstly creates a Gaussian kernel used to blur the image (we call this

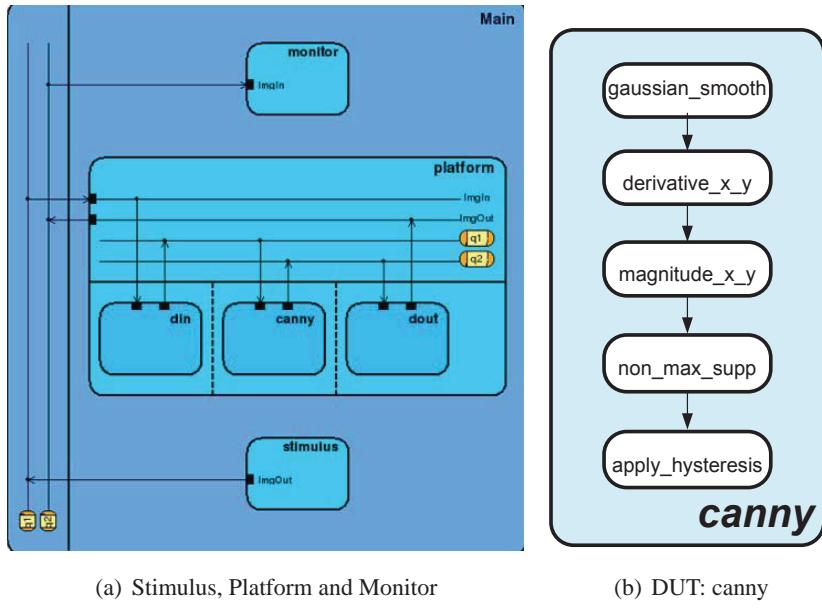


Figure 3: Initial Specification Model

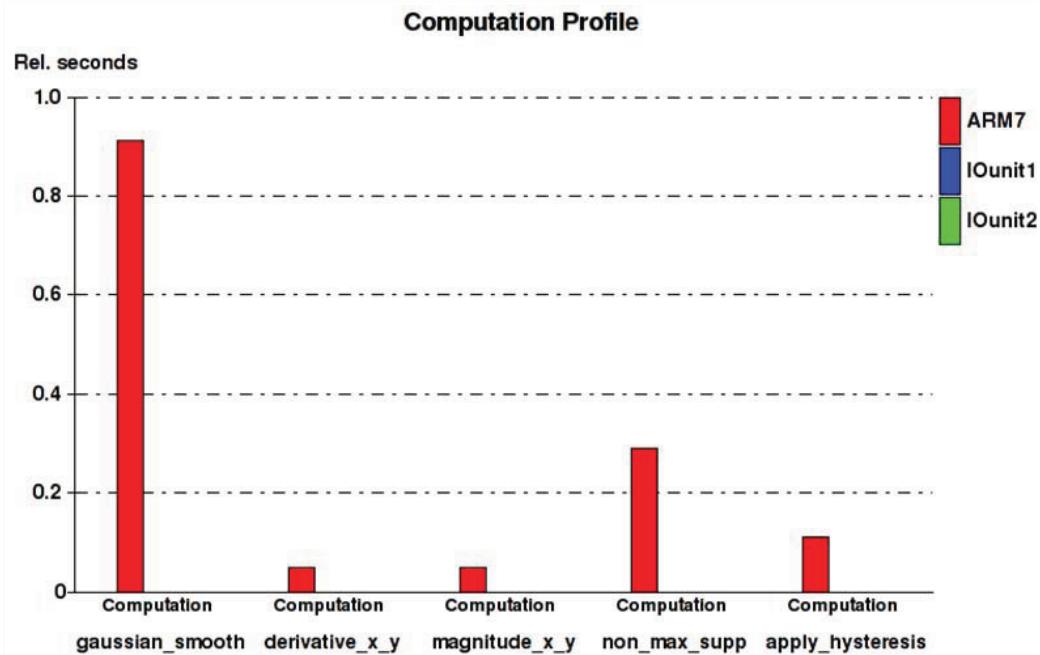


Figure 4: Canny Profile using SCE

task 'Prep'), then blurs the image in horizontally by filtering each pixel using its neighbors in X-direction (BlurX), and finally blurs the image in vertically by filtering each pixel using its neighbors

in Y-direction (BlurY). One parallelization strategy is to run BlurX on horizontal slices of the image in parallel and BlurY on vertical slices. In this way, the parallelization can be dependency free.

To model parallel tasks, we partitioned *gaussian\_smooth* into 3 behaviors, namely *Prep*, *BlurX* and *BlurY*. Assuming 4 available processing elements, we created the new hierarchy for *gaussian\_smooth* as Figure 3.2.1.

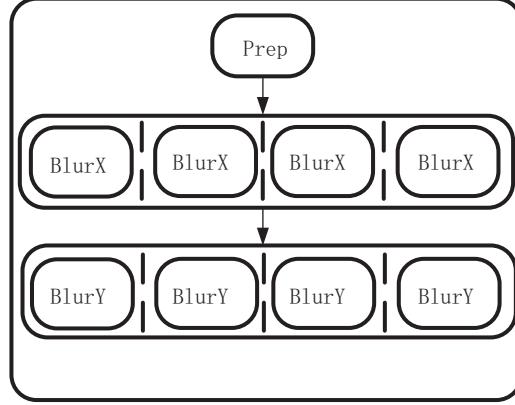


Figure 5: Parallel *guassian\_smooth*

### 3.2.2 Pipelining

Though the reference C code only processes a single image, we adapted the specification model to process a sequence of images with the number of images specified by the user. We have pipelined the 5 functional blocks (Figure 6) so that the model is able to process multiple incoming images in parallel.

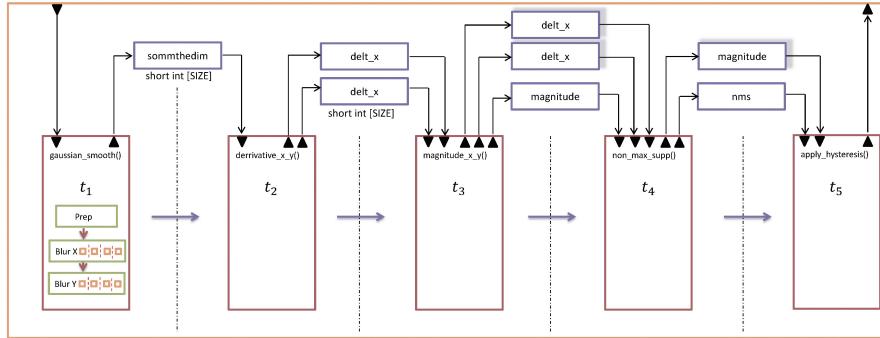


Figure 6: 5-stage Pipelined Canny Edge Detector [5]

### 3.2.3 Converting Floating-point to Fixed-point

Figure 7 shows updated profiling results when *guassian\_smooth* is parallelized using 4 processing unit and tentatively mapped onto two hardware unit using SCE. Now *non\_max\_supp* contains the largest amount of computation in all behaviors and becomes the bottleneck in the pipeline.

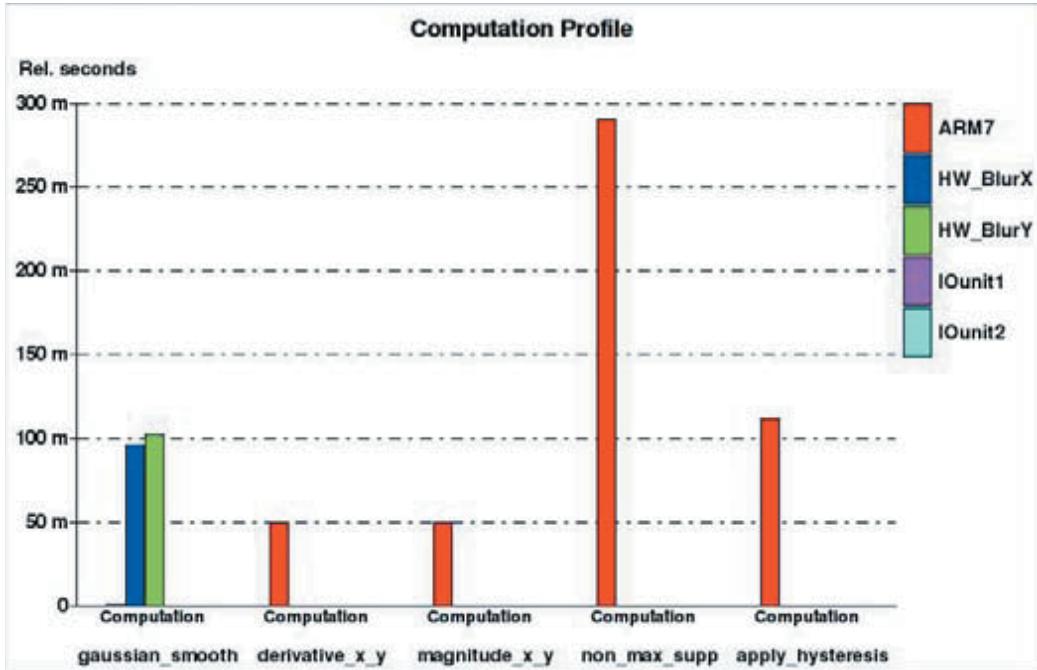


Figure 7: Canny Profile using SCE after *guassian\_smooth* parallelized

From SCE profiling statistics, 95.6% of the operations in *non\_max\_supp* are floating-point. In order to balance the pipeline stages, we converted floating-point computation to fixed-point without loss of accuracy [4].

The source code of the refined specification model can be found in Appendix A.1.

## 4 Model Refinements and Implementation using SCE

PE Allocation	
Name	Type
CPU	ARM_7TDMI_10000_20000_0
Hardware_BluX	HW_Standard
Hardware_BluY	HW_Standard
IO_IN	HW_Virtual
IO_OUT	HW_Virtual

Figure 8: PE Allocation

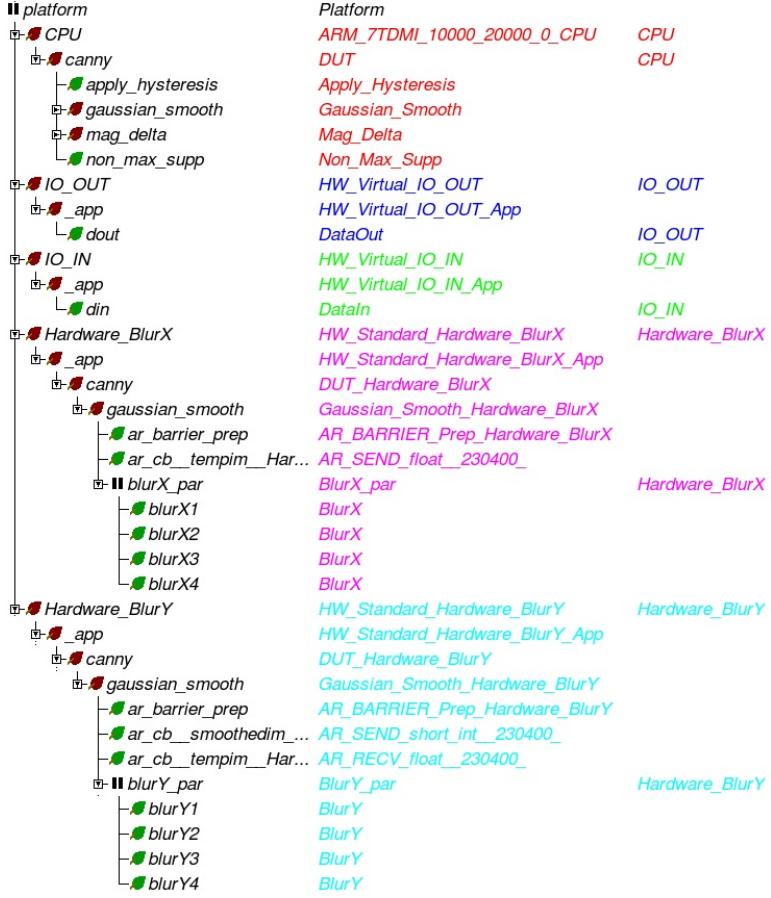


Figure 9: Behavior Mapping

In this section different steps of design space exploration shown in Figure 1, are performed over Canny example. The SCE tool is used to perform a step by step implementation. The refinement steps start with architecture refinement. In this step processing elements(PE) are added to design and canny's behaviors are allocated to them. The added PEs and their corresponding behaviors are shown in the Figure 8 and Figure 9.

The canny algorithms are running on a ARM7TDMI target processor and as it is shown in Figure 9 two sub behavior of the *guassian\_smooth* function are allocated to separate hardware units. Since the *guassian\_smooth* function is computationally expensive, extra hardware units are added to improve the performance of the design.

In the next step of system level design process different behaviors of the design are scheduled. In the canny example no dynamic scheduling algorithm is applied and behaviors execution order is static and same as the original specification of the design. After scheduling the behaviors, decisions on communication between system components are made. Two system BUSes are selected in canny example; AMBA BUS belong to allocated ARM CPU and a Hardware bus. The allocated BUSes

Network Allocation									
Busses	CEs	Connectivity							
Name	Type		Link	Mem	Intr	Queue	Clock	Duty	Speed
CPU_Bus	AMBA_AHB_20000_0_32	✓	✓	✓			20000 ps	0.5 %	800.0 Mbit/s
HW_Bus	HardwareBus_16_32_1	✓			✓		0 ps	0.5 %	10.0 Mbit/s

Figure 10: Network Allocation

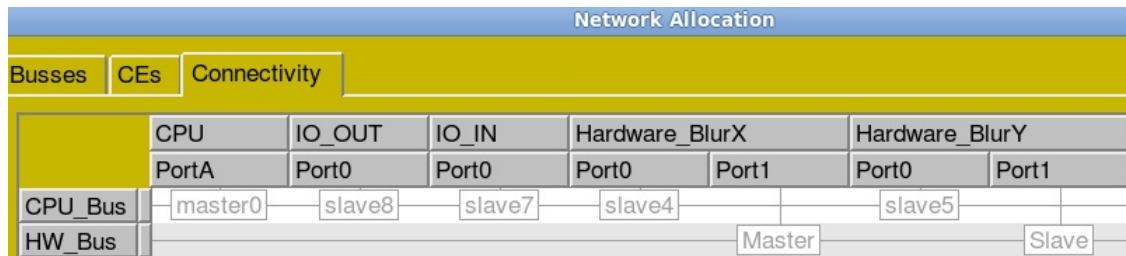


Figure 11: Network Connectivity

are illustrated in Figure 10. Following the BUS allocation, components connectivity, Masters and Slaves are defined. In Figure 11 component's connections over the BUS are clarified.

Finally the implementation is brought down to Transaction level Model(TLM). Table 1 reflects the simulation results in each step. The detailed configuration of the TLM generation is described in the Makefile in Appendix .

Table 1: Timing of various Models

Model	Simulation Time(micro second)
Specification Model	0
Architecture Model	1982972
Scheduled Architecture Model	1982972
Network Model	1982972
TLM Model	2012235

## 5 Conclusion

In this report, we have created a system-level model of a canny edge detector based on its C reference code. We refined the model by exploiting parallelism, pipelining and converting floating-point to fixed-point for the bottleneck pipelining stage. We then use SCE to find an allocation and mapping scheme and refine the model automatically to Transaction level Model. The model is verified by simulation.

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## A Appendix

### A.1 Source Code of Canny Edge Detector in SpecC

```
1 /* Canny Edge Detector for image stream
2   X.Han, Rainer Doemer, Oct.2012 */
3
4 #include <stdio.h>
5 #include <stdlib.h>
6 #include <math.h>
7 #include <string.h>
8
9 #include <sim.sh>
10 #include <c_typed_queue.sh>      /* make the templates available */
11 #include <c_typed_double_handshake.sh>
12
13 #define VERBOSE 0
14 #define TIME_BASE      (1 MICRO_SEC) // print time in units of micro-seconds
15
16 #define NOEDGE 255
17 #define POSSIBLE_EDGE 128
18 #define EDGE 0
19 #define BOOSTBLURFACTOR 90.0
20
21 #define COLS 640
22 #define ROWS 360
23 #define SIZE COLS*ROWS
24
25 //do not include picture number and ".pgm" of the filename
26 #define FILENAME "image"
27
28 #define SIGMA 0.6
29 #define TLOW 0.3
30 #define THIGH 0.8
31
32 #define IMGNUM 4 //it can be any number
33 #define AVAIL_IMG 3
34 #define SHIFT_BIT 16
35
36 /* an upper bound for removing dynamic calloc
37 * SIGMA must be less than 4
38 * check for 'windowsize' below
39 */
40 #define WINSIZE 21
41
42 // patch for the non-max-supp function
43 #define SMP_PATCH
44
45 // fixed point computing for non-max-supp() function
46 #define FIXED_POINT
47
48 typedef unsigned char img[SIZE];      /* define our communication data types */
```

```

49 typedef short imgs[SIZE];
50
51 DEFINE_L_TYPED_SENDER(img, img)           // creates interface i_img_sender
52 DEFINE_L_TYPED_RECEIVER(img, img)          // creates interface i_img_receiver
53 DEFINE_L_TYPED_TRANCEIVER(img, img)        // creates interface i_img_tranceiver
54
55 DEFINE_C_TYPED_QUEUE(img, img)            // creates channel c_img_queue
56
57
58 behavior Monitor(i_img_receiver ImgIn, in sim_time StartTime[IMGNUM])
59 {
60     unsigned char edge[SIZE];
61
62     /*****  

63     * Function: write_pgm_image  

64     * Purpose: This function writes an image in PGM format. The file is either  

65     * written to the file specified by outfilename or to standard output if  

66     * outfilename = NULL. A comment can be written to the header if coment != NULL.  

67     *****/
68     int write_pgm_image(char *outfilename, unsigned char *image, int rows,
69         int cols, const char *comment, int maxval)
70     {
71         FILE *fp;
72
73         /*****  

74         * Open the output image file for writing if a filename was given. If no  

75         * filename was provided, set fp to write to standard output.  

76         *****/
77         if(outfilename == NULL) fp = stdout;
78         else{
79             if((fp = fopen(outfilename, "w")) == NULL){
80                 fprintf(stderr, "Error writing the file %s in write_pgm_image().\n",
81                         outfilename);
82                 return(0);
83             }
84         }
85
86         /*****  

87         * Write the header information to the PGM file.  

88         *****/
89         fprintf(fp, "P5\n%d.%d\n", cols, rows);
90         if(comment != NULL)
91             if(strlen(comment) <= 70) fprintf(fp, "#%s\n", comment);
92         fprintf(fp, "%d\n", maxval);
93
94         /*****  

95         * Write the image data to the file.  

96         *****/
97         if((unsigned)rows != fwrite(image, cols, rows, fp)){
98             fprintf(stderr, "Error writing the image data in write_pgm_image().\n");
99             if(fp != stdout) fclose(fp);
100            return(0);

```

```

101     }
102
103     if(fp != stdout) fclose(fp);
104     return(1);
105 }
106
107 void main()
108 {
109     char outfilename[128]; /* Name of the output "edge" image */
110     sim_time t, t2;
111     sim_time_string buf, buf2;
112     int i,n;
113
114     for(i=0; i<IMGNUM; i++)
115     {
116         ImgIn.receive(&edge);
117
118         t = now();
119         printf("%8s : Monitor received image %d.\n", time2str(buf, t/TIME_BASE), i);
120         t2 = t - StartTime[i];
121         printf("%8s : Image processing took %8s microseconds.\n",
122                time2str(buf, t/TIME_BASE), time2str(buf2, t2/TIME_BASE));
123
124
125     /**************************************************************************
126     * Write out the edge image to a file.
127     **************************************************************************/
128
129     n=i%AVAIL_IMG;
130
131     sprintf(outfilename, "%s_s_%3.2f_l_%3.2f_h_%3.2f_%d.pgm", FILENAME, SIGMA, TLOW, THIGH, i);
132     if(VERBOSE) printf("Writing the edge image in the file %s.\n", outfilename);
133     if(write_pgm_image(outfilename, edge, ROWS, COLS, "", 255) == 0){
134         fprintf(stderr, "Error writing the edge image, %s.\n", outfilename);
135         exit(1);
136     }
137 } //for
138
139
140     exit(0); // done testing, quit the simulation
141 }
142 };
143
144 behavior Stimulus(i_img_sender ImgOut, out sim_time StartTime[IMGNUM])
145 {
146     unsigned char image[SIZE];
147
148     /**************************************************************************
149     * Function: read_pgm_image
150     * Purpose: This function reads in an image in PGM format. The image can be
151     * read in from either a file or from standard input. The image is only read
152     * from standard input when filename = NULL. Because the PGM format includes

```

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153 * the number of columns and the number of rows in the image, these are read
154 * from the file. Memory to store the image is allocated OUTSIDE this function.
155 * The found image size is checked against the expected rows and cols.
156 * All comments in the header are discarded in the process of reading the
157 * image. Upon failure, this function returns 0, upon sucess it returns 1.
158 ****
159 int read_pgm_image(const char *filename, unsigned char *image0, int rows, int cols)
160 {
161     FILE *fp;
162     char buf[71];
163     int r, c;
164
165     ****
166     * Open the input image file for reading if a filename was given. If no
167     * filename was provided, set fp to read from standard input.
168     ****
169     if(filename == NULL) fp = stdin;
170     else{
171         if((fp = fopen(filename, "r")) == NULL){
172             fprintf(stderr, "Error reading the file %s in read_pgm_image().\n",
173                     filename);
174             return(0);
175         }
176     }
177
178     ****
179     * Verify that the image is in PGM format, read in the number of columns
180     * and rows in the image and scan past all of the header information.
181     ****
182     fgets(buf, 70, fp);
183     if(strncmp(buf,"P5",2) != 0){
184         fprintf(stderr, "The file %s is not in PGM format in ", filename);
185         fprintf(stderr, "read_pgm_image().\n");
186         if(fp != stdin) fclose(fp);
187         return(0);
188     }
189     do{ fgets(buf, 70, fp); }while(buf[0] == '#'); /* skip all comment lines */
190     sscanf(buf, "%d%d", &c, &r);
191     if(c != cols || r != rows){
192         fprintf(stderr, "The file %s is not a %d by %d image in ", filename, cols, rows);
193         fprintf(stderr, "read_pgm_image().\n");
194         if(fp != stdin) fclose(fp);
195         return(0);
196     }
197     do{ fgets(buf, 70, fp); }while(buf[0] == '#'); /* skip all comment lines */
198
199     if((unsigned)rows != fread(image0, cols, rows, fp)){
200         fprintf(stderr, "Error reading the image data in read_pgm_image().\n");
201         if(fp != stdin) fclose(fp);
202         return(0);
203     }

```

```

205     if(fp != stdin) fclose(fp);
206     return(1);
207 }
208
209 void main()
210 {
211     sim_time t;
212     sim_time_string buf;
213     int i=0,n=0;
214     char infilename[40];
215
216
217
218
219     for(i=0;i < IMGNUM; i++)
220     {
221         n=i%AVAIL_IMG;
222
223         sprintf(infilename , "%s%d.pgm",FILENAME,n);
224
225         if(VERBOSE) printf("Reading the image %s.\n", infilename);
226         if(read_pgm_image(infilename , image , ROWS, COLS) == 0){
227             fprintf(stderr , "Error reading the input image ,%s.\n", infilename);
228             exit(1);
229         }
230         t = now() / TIME_BASE;
231         printf("%8s : Stimulus sends image%d.\n", time2str(buf, t), i);
232         StartTime[i] = t;
233
234         ImgOut.send(image);
235     }
236
237
238
239 }
240 };
241
242
243 behavior Prep(i_img_receiver ImgIn, inout int center,
244                 inout float kernel[WINSIZE], inout img image)
245 {
246     int windowsize; /* Dimension of the gaussian kernel. */
247
248     void make_gaussian_kernel(float sigma)
249     {
250         int i;
251         float x, fx, sum=0.0;
252
253         windowsize = 1 + 2 * ceil(2.5 * sigma);
254         center = windowsize / 2;
255
256         if(VERBOSE) printf("The kernel has %d elements.\n", windowsize);

```

```

257
258     for(i=0;i<windowsize ;i++){
259         x = (float)(i - center);
260         fx = pow(2.71828, -0.5*x*x/(sigma*sigma)) / (sigma * sqrt(6.2831853));
261         kernel[i] = fx ;
262         sum += fx ;
263     }
264
265     for(i=0;i<windowsize ;i++) kernel[i] /= sum;
266
267     if(VERBOSE){
268         printf("The filter coefficients are:\n");
269         for(i=0;i<windowsize ;i++)
270             printf("kernel[%d]=%f\n", i, kernel[i]);
271     }
272 }
273
274 void main()
275 {
276     ImgIn.receive(&image);
277
278 /*****
279 * Create a 1-dimensional gaussian smoothing kernel.
280 *****/
281 if(VERBOSE) printf("Computing the gaussian smoothing kernel.\n");
282 make_gaussian_kernel(SIGMA);
283 }
284 };
285
286
287 behavior BlurX(in img image, in int center, in float kernel[WINSIZE],
288                  inout float tempim[SIZE], in int rowStart, in int rowEnd)
289 {
290
291 void main()
292 {
293     int r, c, cc; /* Counter variables. */
294     float dot, /* Dot product summing variable. */
295            sum; /* Sum of the kernel weights variable. */
296
297 /*****
298 * Blur in the x - direction.
299 *****/
300 if(VERBOSE) printf("Bluring the image in the X direction.\n");
301 for(r=rowStart;r<rowEnd;r++){
302     for(c=0;c<COLS;c++){
303         dot = 0.0;
304         sum = 0.0;
305         for(cc=(-center);cc<=center;cc++){
306             if((c+cc) >= 0) && ((c+cc) < COLS)){
307                 dot += (float)image[r*COLS+(c+cc)] * kernel[center+cc];
308                 sum += kernel[center+cc];

```

```

309         }
310     }
311     tempim[ r*COLS+c ] = dot/sum;
312   }
313 }
314 }
315 };
316
317
318 behavior BlurY(out imgs smoothedim, in int center, in float kernel[WINSIZE],
319           in float tempim[SIZE], in int colStart, in int colEnd)
320 {
321
322 void main()
323 {
324   int r, c, rr;          /* Counter variables. */
325   float dot,             /* Dot product summing variable. */
326       sum;               /* Sum of the kernel weights variable. */
327
328   /**************************************************************************
329   * Blur in the y - direction.
330   **************************************************************************/
331   if(VERBOSE) printf("Bluring the image in the Y-direction.\n");
332   for(c=colStart;c<colEnd;c++){
333     for(r=0;r<ROWS;r++){
334       sum = 0.0;
335       dot = 0.0;
336       for(rr=(-center);rr<=center;rr++){
337         if((((r+rr) >= 0) && ((r+rr) < ROWS)){
338           dot += tempim[(r+rr)*COLS+c] * kernel[center+rr];
339           sum += kernel[center+rr];
340         }
341       }
342       smoothedim[r*COLS+c] = (short int)(dot*BOOSTBLURFACTOR/sum + 0.5);
343     }
344   }
345 }
346 };
347
348
349 behavior BlurX_par(in img image, in int center, in float kernel[WINSIZE],
350           inout float tempim[SIZE])
351 {
352   BlurX blurX1(image, center, kernel, tempim, ((ROWS/4)*0), ((ROWS/4)*1));
353   BlurX blurX2(image, center, kernel, tempim, ((ROWS/4)*1), ((ROWS/4)*2));
354   BlurX blurX3(image, center, kernel, tempim, ((ROWS/4)*2), ((ROWS/4)*3));
355   BlurX blurX4(image, center, kernel, tempim, ((ROWS/4)*3), ((ROWS/4)*4));
356
357   void main()
358   {
359     par{
360       blurX1.main();

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361         blurX2.main();
362         blurX3.main();
363         blurX4.main();
364     }
365 }
366 };
367
368
369 behavior BlurY_par(out imgs smoothedim, in int center, in float kernel[WINSIZE],
370                      in float tempim[SIZE])
371 {
372     BlurY blurY1(smoothedim, center, kernel, tempim, ((COLS/4)*0), ((COLS/4)*1));
373     BlurY blurY2(smoothedim, center, kernel, tempim, ((COLS/4)*1), ((COLS/4)*2));
374     BlurY blurY3(smoothedim, center, kernel, tempim, ((COLS/4)*2), ((COLS/4)*3));
375     BlurY blurY4(smoothedim, center, kernel, tempim, ((COLS/4)*3), ((COLS/4)*4));
376
377     void main()
378     {
379         par{
380             blurY1.main();
381             blurY2.main();
382             blurY3.main();
383             blurY4.main();
384         }
385     }
386 };
387
388 behavior Blur_done( in imgs smoothedim, out imgs smoothedimg )
389 {
390     void main()
391     {
392         smoothedimg = smoothedim;
393     }
394 };
395
396 behavior Gaussian_Smooth (i_img_receiver ImgIn, out imgs smoothedimg)
397 {
398     img image;
399     int center;
400     float kernel[WINSIZE];
401     float tempim[SIZE];
402     imgs smoothedim;
403
404     Prep prep(ImgIn, center, kernel, image);
405     BlurX_par blurX_par(image, center, kernel, tempim);
406     BlurY_par blurY_par(smoothedim, center, kernel, tempim);
407     Blur_done blur_done(smoothedim, smoothedimg);
408
409     void main()
410     {
411         prep.main();
412         blurX_par.main();

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413     blurY_par.main();
414     blur_done.main();
415 }
416 };
417
418
419 behavior Derivative_X_Y(in imgs smoothedim, out imgs delta_x , out imgs delta_y)
420 {
421     /* **** */
422     * PROCEDURE: derivative_x_y
423     * PURPOSE: Compute the first derivative of the image in both the x any y
424     * directions. The differential filters that are used are:
425     *
426     *          *           -I
427     *          dx = -I 0 +I      and      dy = 0
428     *          *           +I
429     *
430     * NAME: Mike Heath
431     * DATE: 2/15/96
432     ****
433     void derivative_x_y(short int *smoothedimg, int rows, int cols ,
434         short int *deltax , short int *deltay)
435     {
436         int r, c, pos;
437
438         /* **** */
439         * Compute the x-derivative. Adjust the derivative at the borders to avoid
440         * losing pixels.
441         ****
442         if(VERBOSE) printf("...Computing the X-direction derivative.\n");
443         for(r=0;r<rows;r++){
444             pos = r * cols;
445             deltax[pos] = smoothedimg[pos+1] - smoothedimg[pos];
446             pos++;
447             for(c=1;c<(cols-1);c++,pos++){
448                 deltax[pos] = smoothedimg[pos+1] - smoothedimg[pos-1];
449             }
450             deltax[pos] = smoothedimg[pos] - smoothedimg[pos-1];
451         }
452
453         /* **** */
454         * Compute the y-derivative. Adjust the derivative at the borders to avoid
455         * losing pixels.
456         ****
457         if(VERBOSE) printf("...Computing the Y-direction derivative.\n");
458         for(c=0;c<cols;c++){
459             pos = c;
460             deltay[pos] = smoothedimg[pos+cols] - smoothedimg[pos];
461             pos += cols;
462             for(r=1;r<(rows-1);r++,pos+=cols){
463                 deltay[pos] = smoothedimg[pos+cols] - smoothedimg[pos-cols];
464             }
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465             deltay[pos] = smoothedimg[pos] - smoothedimg[pos-cols];
466         }
467     }
468
469     void main()
470 {
471     imgs deltax, deltay;
472
473     derivative_x_y(smoothedim, ROWS, COLS, deltax, deltay);
474
475     delta_y=deltay;
476     delta_x=deltax;
477 }
478 };
479
480 behavior Magnitude_X_Y(in imgs delta_x, in imgs delta_y, out imgs magnitude,
481                                     out imgs delta_x_p1, out imgs delta_y_p1)
482 {
483     /**************************************************************************
484     * PROCEDURE: magnitude_x_y
485     * PURPOSE: Compute the magnitude of the gradient. This is the square root of
486     * the sum of the squared derivative values.
487     * NAME: Mike Heath
488     * DATE: 2/15/96
489     **************************************************************************/
490     void magnitude_x_y(short int *deltax, short int *deltay, int rows, int cols,
491                         short int *mag)
492 {
493     int r, c, pos, sq1, sq2;
494
495     for(r=0,pos=0;r<rows;r++){
496         for(c=0;c<cols;c++,pos++){
497             sq1 = (int)deltax[pos] * (int)deltax[pos];
498             sq2 = (int)deltay[pos] * (int)deltay[pos];
499             mag[pos] = (short)(0.5 + sqrt((float)sq1 + (float)sq2));
500         }
501     }
502 }
503
504     void main()
505 {
506     imgs mag;
507
508     magnitude_x_y(delta_x, delta_y, ROWS, COLS, mag);
509
510     magnitude = mag;
511     delta_x_p1 = delta_x;
512     delta_y_p1 = delta_y;
513 }
514 };
515
516 behavior Mag_Delta(in imgs smoothedim, out imgs delta_x, out imgs delta_y,

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517             out imgs magnitude)
518 {
519     imgs delta_x_p1;
520     imgs delta_y_p1;
521
522     Derivative_X_Y derivative_x_y(smoothedim, delta_x_p1, delta_y_p1);
523     Magnitude_X_Y magnitude_x_y(delta_x_p1, delta_y_p1, magnitude,
524                                     delta_x, delta_y);
525
526     void main()
527     {
528         derivative_x_y.main();
529         magnitude_x_y.main();
530     }
531 };
532
533 behavior Non_Max_Supp(in imgs delta_x, in imgs delta_y, in imgs magnitude,
534                           out img nms, out imgs magnitude_p1)
535 {
536
537     /**************************************************************************
538     * PROCEDURE: non_max_supp
539     * PURPOSE: This routine applies non-maximal suppression to the magnitude of
540     * the gradient image.
541     * NAME: Mike Heath
542     * DATE: 2/15/96
543     ****
544     non_max_supp(short *mag, short *gradx, short *grady, int nrows, int ncols,
545                 unsigned char *result)
546     {
547         int rowcount, colcount, count;
548         short *magrowptr, *magptr;
549         short *gxrowptr, *gxptr;
550         short *gyrowptr, *gyptr, z1, z2;
551         int gx, gy;
552         short m00;
553 #ifdef FIXED_POINT
554         int mag1, mag2, xperp, yperp;
555 #else
556         float mag1, mag2, xperp, yperp;
557 #endif
558         unsigned char *resultrowptr, *resultptr;
559
560     /**************************************************************************
561     * Zero the edges of the result image.
562     ****
563     for(count=0, resultrowptr=result, resultptr=result+ncols*(nrows-1);
564         count<ncols; resultptr++, resultrowptr++, count++){
565         *resultrowptr = *resultptr = (unsigned char) 0;
566     }
567
568     for(count=0, resultptr=result, resultrowptr=result+ncols-1;

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569         count<nrows; count++,resultptr+=ncols ,resultrowptr+=ncols){
570             *resultptr = *resultrowptr = (unsigned char) 0;
571         }
572
573         /************************************************************************
574         * Suppress non-maximum points.
575         ************************************************************************/
576         for(rowcount=1,magrowptr=mag+ncols+1,gxrowptr=gradx+ncols+1,
577              gyrowptr=grady+ncols+1,resultrowptr=result+ncols+1;
578
579 #ifdef SMP.PATCH
580             rowcount<=nrows-2;
581 #else
582             rowcount<nrows-2;
583 #endif
584
585             rowcount++,magrowptr+=ncols ,gyrowptr+=ncols ,gxrowptr+=ncols ,
586             resultrowptr+=ncols );
587             for(colcount=1,magptr=magrowptr ,gptr=gxrowptr ,gyptr=gyrowptr ,
588 #ifdef SMP.PATCH
589                 resultptr=resultrowptr ;colcount<=ncols-2;
590 #else
591                 resultptr=resultrowptr ;colcount<ncols-2;
592 #endif
593                 colcount++,magptr++,gptr++,gyptr++,resultptr++) {
594                     m00 = *magptr ;
595                     if(m00 == 0){
596                         *resultptr = (unsigned char) NOEDGE;
597                     }
598                     else{
599 #ifdef FIXED_POINT
600                         gx = *gptr ;
601                         gy = *gyptr ;
602                         xperp = -(gx<<SHIFT_BIT)/m00;
603                         yperp = (gy<<SHIFT_BIT)/m00;
604 #else
605                         xperp = -(gx = *gptr )/((float)m00);
606                         yperp = (gy = *gyptr )/((float)m00);
607 #endif
608                     }
609
610                     if(gx >= 0){
611                         if(gy >= 0){
612                             if (gx >= gy)
613                             {
614                                 /* III */
615                                 /* Left point */
616                                 z1 = *(magptr - 1);
617                                 z2 = *(magptr - ncols - 1);
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619                                 mag1 = (m00 - z1)*xperp + (z2 - z1)*yperp;
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621      /* Right point */
622      z1 = *(magptr + 1);
623      z2 = *(magptr + ncols + 1);
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625      mag2 = (m00 - z1)*xperp + (z2 - z1)*yperp;
626    }
627  else
628  {
629      /* 110 */
630      /* Left point */
631      z1 = *(magptr - ncols);
632      z2 = *(magptr - ncols - 1);
633
634      mag1 = (z1 - z2)*xperp + (z1 - m00)*yperp;
635
636      /* Right point */
637      z1 = *(magptr + ncols);
638      z2 = *(magptr + ncols + 1);
639
640      mag2 = (z1 - z2)*xperp + (z1 - m00)*yperp;
641    }
642  else
643  {
644      if (gx >= -gy)
645      {
646          /* 101 */
647          /* Left point */
648          z1 = *(magptr - 1);
649          z2 = *(magptr + ncols - 1);
650
651          mag1 = (m00 - z1)*xperp + (z1 - z2)*yperp;
652
653          /* Right point */
654          z1 = *(magptr + 1);
655          z2 = *(magptr - ncols + 1);
656
657          mag2 = (m00 - z1)*xperp + (z1 - z2)*yperp;
658    }
659  else
660  {
661      /* 100 */
662      /* Left point */
663      z1 = *(magptr + ncols);
664      z2 = *(magptr + ncols - 1);
665
666      mag1 = (z1 - z2)*xperp + (m00 - z1)*yperp;
667
668      /* Right point */
669      z1 = *(magptr - ncols);
670      z2 = *(magptr - ncols + 1);
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673                         mag2 = (z1 - z2)*xperp + (m00 - z1)*yperp;
674                     }
675                 }
676             }
677         }
678     }
679     if ((gy == *gypytr) >= 0)
680     {
681         if (-gx >= gy)
682         {
683             /* 011 */
684             /* Left point */
685             z1 = *(magptr + 1);
686             z2 = *(magptr - ncols + 1);
687
688             mag1 = (z1 - m00)*xperp + (z2 - z1)*yperp;
689
690             /* Right point */
691             z1 = *(magptr - 1);
692             z2 = *(magptr + ncols - 1);
693
694             mag2 = (z1 - m00)*xperp + (z2 - z1)*yperp;
695         }
696     }
697     else
698     {
699         /* 010 */
700         /* Left point */
701         z1 = *(magptr - ncols);
702         z2 = *(magptr - ncols + 1);
703
704         mag1 = (z2 - z1)*xperp + (z1 - m00)*yperp;
705
706         /* Right point */
707         z1 = *(magptr + ncols);
708         z2 = *(magptr + ncols - 1);
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710         mag2 = (z2 - z1)*xperp + (z1 - m00)*yperp;
711     }
712     else
713     {
714         if (-gx > -gy)
715         {
716             /* 001 */
717             /* Left point */
718             z1 = *(magptr + 1);
719             z2 = *(magptr + ncols + 1);
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721             mag1 = (z1 - m00)*xperp + (z1 - z2)*yperp;
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723             /* Right point */
724             z1 = *(magptr - 1);

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725                         z2 = *(magptr - ncols - 1);
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727                         mag2 = (z1 - m00)*xperp + (z1 - z2)*yperp;
728                     }
729                     else
730                     {
731                         /* 000 */
732                         /* Left point */
733                         z1 = *(magptr + ncols);
734                         z2 = *(magptr + ncols + 1);
735
736                         mag1 = (z2 - z1)*xperp + (m00 - z1)*yperp;
737
738                         /* Right point */
739                         z1 = *(magptr - ncols);
740                         z2 = *(magptr - ncols - 1);
741
742                         mag2 = (z2 - z1)*xperp + (m00 - z1)*yperp;
743                     }
744                 }
745             }
746
747             /* Now determine if the current point is a maximum point */
748
749             if ((mag1 > 0) || (mag2 > 0))
750             {
751                 *resultptr = (unsigned char) NOEDGE;
752             }
753             else
754             {
755                 if (mag2 == 0)
756                     *resultptr = (unsigned char) NOEDGE;
757                 else
758                     *resultptr = (unsigned char) POSSIBLE_EDGE;
759                 }
760             }
761         }
762         return 0;
763     }
764
765     void main()
766     {
767
768         img result;
769         int i;
770         //initialise nms to all zero by jiangwan
771         for( i=0; i<SIZE; i++ )
772         {
773             result[i] = 0;
774         }
775
776         non_max_supp(magnitude, delta_x, delta_y, ROWS, COLS, result);

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777
778         magnitude_p1 = magnitude;
779         nms = result;
780     }
781 }
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784
785 behavior Apply_Hysteresis(in imgs magnitude, in img nms, i_img_sender ImgOut)
786 {
787     unsigned char edge[SIZE];
788
789     /*****  

790     * PROCEDURE: follow_edges  

791     * PURPOSE: This procedure edges is a recursive routine that traces edgs along  

792     * all paths whose magnitude values remain above some specifyable lower  

793     * threshhold.  

794     * NAME: Mike Heath  

795     * DATE: 2/15/96  

796     *****/
797     void follow_edges(unsigned char *edgemapptr, short *edgemagptr, short lowval,
798     int cols)
799     {
800         note _SCC_ANALYSIS_IgnoreParThAnalyzeRecursiveFunction=true;
801         short *tempmagptr;
802         unsigned char *tempmapptr;
803         int i;
804
805         int x[8] = {1,1,0,-1,-1,-1,0,1},
806             y[8] = {0,1,1,1,0,-1,-1,-1};
807
808         for(i=0;i<8;i++){
809             tempmapptr = edgemapptr - y[i]*cols + x[i];
810             tempmagptr = edgemagptr - y[i]*cols + x[i];
811
812             if((*tempmapptr == POSSIBLE_EDGE) && (*tempmagptr > lowval)){
813                 *tempmapptr = (unsigned char) EDGE;
814                 follow_edges(tempmapptr,tempmagptr, lowval, cols);
815             }
816         }
817     }
818
819     /*****  

820     * PROCEDURE: apply_hysteresis  

821     * PURPOSE: This routine finds edges that are above some high threshhold or  

822     * are connected to a high pixel by a path of pixels greater than a low  

823     * threshhold.  

824     * NAME: Mike Heath  

825     * DATE: 2/15/96  

826     *****/
827     void apply_hysteresis(short int *mag, unsigned char *nmsimg, int rows, int cols,
828     float tlow, float thigh, unsigned char *edge0)

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{
    int r, c, pos, numedges, highcount, lowthreshold, highthreshold,
        hist[32768];
    short int maximum_mag;

/*
 * Initialize the edge map to possible edges everywhere the non-maximal
 * suppression suggested there could be an edge except for the border. At
 * the border we say there can not be an edge because it makes the
 * follow-edges algorithm more efficient to not worry about tracking an
 * edge off the side of the image.
*/
for(r=0,pos=0;r<rows;r++){
    for(c=0;c<cols;c++,pos++){
        if(nmsimg[pos] == POSSIBLE_EDGE) edge0[pos] = POSSIBLE_EDGE;
        else edge0[pos] = NOEDGE;
    }
}

for(r=0,pos=0;r<rows;r++,pos+=cols){
    edge0[pos] = NOEDGE;
    edge0[pos+cols-1] = NOEDGE;
}
pos = (rows-1) * cols;
for(c=0;c<cols;c++,pos++){
    edge0[c] = NOEDGE;
    edge0[pos] = NOEDGE;
}

/*
 * Compute the histogram of the magnitude image. Then use the histogram to
 * compute hysteresis thresholds.
*/
for(r=0;r<32768;r++) hist[r] = 0;
for(r=0,pos=0;r<rows;r++){
    for(c=0;c<cols;c++,pos++){
        if(edge0[pos] == POSSIBLE_EDGE) hist[mag[pos]]++;
    }
}

/*
 * Compute the number of pixels that passed the nonmaximal suppression.
*/
for(r=1,numedges=0;r<32768;r++){
    if(hist[r] != 0) maximum_mag = r;
    numedges += hist[r];
}

highcount = (int)(numedges * thigh + 0.5);

/*
 * Compute the high threshold value as the (100 * thigh) percentage point

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881 * in the magnitude of the gradient histogram of all the pixels that passes
882 * non-maximal suppression. Then calculate the low threshold as a fraction
883 * of the computed high threshold value. John Canny said in his paper
884 * "A Computational Approach to Edge Detection" that "The ratio of the
885 * high to low threshold in the implementation is in the range two or three
886 * to one." That means that in terms of this implementation, we should
887 * choose tlow ≈ 0.5 or 0.33333.
888 ****
889 r = 1;
890 numedges = hist[1];
891 while((r<(maximum_mag-1)) && (numedges < highcount)){
892     r++;
893     numedges += hist[r];
894 }
895 highthreshold = r;
896 lowthreshold = (int)(highthreshold * tlow + 0.5);
897
898 if(VERBOSE){
899     printf("The input low and high fractions of %f and %f computed to\n",
900            tlow, thigh);
901     printf("magnitude of the gradient threshold values of: %d %d\n",
902            lowthreshold, highthreshold);
903 }
904
905 ****
906 * This loop looks for pixels above the highthreshold to locate edges and
907 * then calls follow_edges to continue the edge.
908 ****
909 for(r=0,pos=0;r<rows;r++){
910     for(c=0;c<cols;c++,pos++){
911         if((edge0[pos] == POSSIBLE_EDGE) && (mag[pos] >= highthreshold)){
912             edge0[pos] = EDGE;
913             follow_edges((edge0+pos), (mag+pos), lowthreshold, cols);
914         }
915     }
916 }
917
918 ****
919 * Set all the remaining possible edges to non-edges.
920 ****
921 for(r=0,pos=0;r<rows;r++){
922     for(c=0;c<cols;c++,pos++) if(edge0[pos] != EDGE) edge0[pos] = NOEDGE;
923 }
924
925 void main()
926 {
927     apply_hysteresis(magnitude, nms, ROWS, COLS, TLOW, THIGH, edge);
928     ImgOut.send(edge);
929 }
930
931 };
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934 /******DUT: To perform canny edge detection.*****/
935 * DUT: To perform canny edge detection .
936 *****/
937
938 behavior DUT(i_img_receiver ImgIn, i_img_sender ImgOut)
939 {
940 //changed by Jiang Wan for pipeline
941     piped imgs smoothedim;
942     piped imgs delta_x;
943     piped imgs delta_y;
944     piped imgs magnitude;
945     piped imgs magnitude_p1;
946     piped img nms;
947     int i;
948
949     Gaussian_Smooth      gaussian_smooth(ImgIn, smoothedim);
950     Mag_Delta              mag_delta(smoothedim, delta_x, delta_y, magnitude);
951     Non_Max_Supp          non_max_supp(delta_x, delta_y, magnitude, nms, magnitude_p1);
952     Apply_Hysteresis      apply_hysteresis(magnitude_p1, nms, ImgOut);
953
954     void main()
955     {
956         pipe(i=0; i<IMGNUM; i++)
957         {
958             gaussian_smooth.main();
959             mag_delta.main();
960             non_max_supp.main();
961             apply_hysteresis.main();
962         }
963     }
964 };
965
966
967 behavior DataIn(i_img_receiver ImgIn, i_img_sender ImgOut)
968 {
969     unsigned char image[SIZE];
970
971     void main()
972     {
973         while(1)
974         {
975             ImgIn.receive(&image);
976             ImgOut.send(image);
977         }
978     }
979 };
980
981
982 behavior DataOut(i_img_receiver ImgIn, i_img_sender ImgOut)
983 {
984     unsigned char image[SIZE];

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985
986     void main()
987     {
988         while(1)
989         {
990             ImgIn.receive(&image);
991             ImgOut.send(image);
992         }
993     }
994 };
995
996
997 behavior Platform(i_img_receiver ImgIn, i_img_sender ImgOut)
998 {
999     c_img_queue q1(2ul),
1000             q2(2ul);
1001     DataIn      din(ImgIn, q1);
1002     DUT          canny(q1, q2);
1003     DataOut     dout(q2, ImgOut);
1004
1005    void main()
1006    {
1007        par{
1008            din.main();
1009            canny.main();
1010            dout.main();
1011        }
1012    }
1013 };
1014
1015
1016 behavior Main()
1017 {
1018     sim_time t[IMGNUM];
1019     c_img_queue q1(2ul),
1020             q2(2ul);
1021
1022     Stimulus   stimulus(q1, t);
1023     Platform   platform(q1, q2);
1024     Monitor    monitor(q2, t);
1025
1026    int main()
1027    {
1028        par{
1029            stimulus.main();
1030            platform.main();
1031            monitor.main();
1032        }
1033        return 0; // never reached
1034    }
1035 };

```

## A.2 Makefile for TLM generation in SCE

SCE tool has a graphical user interface for design space exploration. However, in order to ease the regeneration of the TLM model, a Makefile has been created. The Makefile contains the commands to SCE tool for different design settings and refinements.

```

1 #clock period for ARM CPU (in nanoseconds)
2 CPUCLKP      = 10000
3
4 #bus
5 BUSCLKP      = 20000
6
7 SPECC        = /opt/sce
8 SCE_PATH      = $(SPECC)
9 SCEDB_PATH    = $(SCE_PATH)/share/sce/db
10 PROCDB_PATH   = $(SCEDB_PATH)/processors
11 COMMDB_PATH   = $(SCEDB_PATH)/communication
12 BUSDB_PATH    = $(SCEDB_PATH)/busses
13
14 SYSC_PATH     = /opt/pkg/systemc-2.1.v1
15
16 SCENV         =SPECC=$(SPECC) SCERC_PATH=$PWD/.sce \
17 PATH=$(SPECC)/bin:$PATH \
18 LD_LIBRARY_PATH=$(SPECC)/lib$$LD_LIBRARY_PATH:+: $$LD_LIBRARY_PATH
19
20
21 PROC_CACHE    = .sce/processors
22 COMM_CACHE    = .sce/communication
23 BUS_CACHE     = .sce/busses
24 RTL_CACHE     = .sce/rtl
25 SCE_LOCK      = .sce/.scrc.lock
26
27 FINALPKG      = final.tar.gz
28
29 MAINSIRFILES  = cannySpec.sir cannyArch.sir cannySched.sir \
30 cannyNet.sir cannyTlm.sir cannyComm.sir \
31 cannyRTLC.sir cannyISS.sir
32
33 SYSC          = g++ -m32
34 SYSCOPT       = -Di386
35 SYSCINC       = -I$(SYSC_PATH)/include
36 SYSCLIB       = -L$(SYSC_PATH)/lib-linux -lsystemc
37
38 TIME          = /usr/bin/time
39
40 SCC           = scc
41 SCCOPT        = -ww -vv -d -xlx
42 SCCINC        = -Isrc
43 SCCIMP        = -Psrc
44 SIR_RENAME    = sir_rename
45 SIR_RENAMEOPT = -v
46
47
48 SIR_STATS     = sir_stats
49 SIR_STATOPT   =
50
51 SIR_GEN        = sir_gen
52 SIR_GENOPT    = -vv
53
54 SIR_IMPORT     = sir_import
55 SIR_IMPORTOPT = -v
56
57 SCSH          = scsh
58 SCSHOPT       =
59
60 SCE_RELTYPE   = sce_retype
61 SCE_RELTYPEOPT = -v
62
63 SCE_IMPORT    = sce_import
64 SCE_IMPORTOPT = -v

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65
66 SCE_ALLOCATE      = sce_allocate
67 SCE_ALLOCATEOPT  = -v
68
69 SCE_TOP          = sce_top
70 SCE_TOPOPT       = -v
71
72 SCE_MAP          = sce_map
73 SCE_MAPOPT      = -v
74
75 SCE_SCHEDULE     = sce_schedule
76 SCE_SCHEDULEOPT = -v
77
78 SCE_CONNECT      = sce_connect
79 SCE_CONNECTOPT  = -v
80
81 SCE_PROJECT      = sce_project
82 SCE_PROJECTOPT  = -v
83
84 SCPROF          = $(TIME) scprof
85 SCPROFOPT       = -v
86
87 SCAR             = $(TIME) scar
88 SCAROPT          =
89
90 SCOS             = $(TIME) scos
91 SCOSOPT          = -v
92
93 SCNR             = $(TIME) scnr
94 SCNROPT          = -v -O -falign -fmerge
95
96 SCCR             = $(TIME) sccr
97 SCCROPT          = -v -O
98
99 ECHO              = echo
100 MAKE             = make
101 # ----- TARGET RULES -----
102
103
104 all:      $(SCENV) $(MAKE) cannyTlm.SIM.OK
105
106 test:     $(SCENV) $(MAKE) cannySpec.SIM.OK
107
108 final:    $(FINALPKG)
109
110 clean:
111
112      $(RM) cannySpec cannyArch cannySched cannyNet      \
113          cannyTlm cannyComm cannyRTLC cannyISS
114      $(RM) $(FINALPKG)
115      $(RM) *.ins *.sysc
116      $(RM) *.si *.sir *.cc *.h *.o *.cpp *.hpp
117      $(RM) *.dpr *.prf
118      $(RM) *.SIM.OK
119      $(RM) core
120      $(RM) image_s_0.60_l_0.30_h_0.80_*
121      $(RM) -r $(PROC_CACHE)
122      $(RM) -r $(COMM_CACHE)
123      $(RM) -r $(BUS_CACHE)
124      $(RM) -r $(RTL_CACHE)
125      $(RM) $(SCE_LOCK)
126
127
128 stats:   $(MAINSIRFILES)
129      $(SIR_STATS) $(SIR_STATSOPT) $(MAINSIRFILES)
130
131 loc:     $(MAINSIRFILES)
132      $(SIR_STATS) $(SIR_STATSOPT) -BCI $(MAINSIRFILES)
133
134
135 # ----- GENERAL RULES ----- # o $@ $*

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136 .SUFFIXES:
137 .SUFFIXES:      .ins.sir .sir .ins .ana.sir
138 .SUFFIXES:      .pgm .SIM.OK
139
140 .sir.ins.sir:
141     @$(ECHO) "***"
142     @$(ECHO) "***_Instrumenting_*_for_profiling..."
143     @$(ECHO) "***"
144     $(SCPROF) -v -m -i $<-o $@ $*
145
146 .sir:
147     @$(ECHO) "***"
148     @$(ECHO) "***_Compiling_*_for_execution..."
149     @$(ECHO) "***"
150     $(SCC) $* -sir2out $(SCCOPT) $(SCCINC) $(SCCIMP)
151
152 .ins.sir.ins:
153     @$(ECHO) "***"
154     @$(ECHO) "***_Compiling_*_for_execution_with_profiling..."
155     @$(ECHO) "***"
156     $(SCC) $* -sir2out $(SCCOPT) $(SCCINC)$(SCCIMP) -i $<-o $@ -lscprof
157
158 .pgm.SIM.OK:
159     @$(ECHO) "***"
160     @$(ECHO) "***_Simulating_*"
161     @$(ECHO) "***"
162     $(TIME) ./$.ins | tee log_execution$*
163     @$(ECHO) "***"
164     @$(ECHO) "***_Simulation_successful!"
165     @$(ECHO) "***"
166
167 .sir.ana.sir:
168     @$(ECHO) "***"
169     @$(ECHO) "***_Back-annotating_profiling_data_and_running_estimation..."
170     @$(ECHO) "***"
171     $(SCPROF) -E $(SCPROFOPT) -i $<-o $@ $*
172
173 # ----- SPECIFIC RULES -----
174
175 # ----- compile the sources
176 cannySpecpre.sir: canny.sc
177     @$(ECHO) "***"
178     @$(ECHO) "***_Compiling_the_sources..."
179     @$(ECHO) "***"
180     $(SCC) canny -sc2sir $(SCCOPT) $(SCCINC) $(SCCIMP) \
181         -i canny.sc -o cannySpecpre.sir
182
183 cannySpec.sir: cannySpecpre.sir
184     @$(ECHO) "***"
185     @$(ECHO) "***_Setting_top_level_of_design_under_test..."
186     @$(ECHO) "***"
187     $(SCE_TOP) $(SCE_TOPOPT) -s Platform \
188         -i cannySpecpre.sir -o cannySpec.sir cannySpec
189
190 cannySpec.ins.sir: cannySpec.sir
191 cannySpec: cannySpec.sir
192 cannySpec.ins: cannySpec.ins.sir
193 cannySpec.pgm: cannySpec.ins
194 cannySpec.SIM.OK: cannySpec.pgm
195 cannySpec.ana.sir: cannySpec.sir cannySpec.SIM.OK
196
197 # ----- back-annotate raw profiling data
198 cannySpec.prof.sir: cannySpec.sir cannySpec.SIM.OK
199     @$(ECHO) "***"
200     @$(ECHO) "***_Back-annotating_raw_profiling_data..."
201     @$(ECHO) "***"
202     $(SCPROF) -p $(SCPROFOPT) -i cannySpec.sir -o cannySpec.prof.sir cannySpec
203
204 cannySpec.3.sir: cannySpec.prof.sir
205     @$(ECHO) "***"
206     @$(ECHO) "***_Allocating_the_component..."

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207      @$(ECHO) "***"
208      $(SCE_ALLOCATE) $(SCE_ALLOCATEOPT) \
209          -g PORTA_JCLK_PERIOD=$(BUSCLKP) -g CLOCK_PERIOD=$(CPUCLKP) -p CPU=ARM_7TDMI \
210          -g CLOCK_PERIOD= -p IO_OUT=HW_Virtual \
211          -g CLOCK_PERIOD= -p IO_IN=HW_Virtual \
212          -g CLOCK_PERIOD= -p HardwareBlurX=HW_Standard \
213          -g CLOCK_PERIOD= -p HardwareBlurY=HW_Standard \
214          -i cannySpec.prof.sir -o cannySpec.3.sir cannySpec
215
216 cannySpec.4.sir:      cannySpec.3.sir
217      @$(ECHO) "***"
218      @$(ECHO) "***Map the components..."
219      @$(ECHO) "***"
220      $(SCE_MAP) $(SCE_MAPOPT) -p Platform.canny=CPU \
221          -p Platform.din=IO_IN \
222          -p Platform.dout=IO_OUT \
223          -p Platform.canny.gaussian_smooth.blurY.par=HardwareBlurY \
224          -p Platform.canny.gaussian_smooth.blurX.par=HardwareBlurX \
225          -i cannySpec.3.sir -o cannySpec.4.sir cannySpec
226
227 # —— analyze the profile given the behavior mapping
228 cannySpec.anal.sir:      cannySpec.4.sir
229      @$(ECHO) "***"
230      @$(ECHO) "***Analyzing the behavior mapping..."
231      @$(ECHO) "***"
232      $(SCPROF) -a $(SCPROFOPT) -i cannySpec.4.sir \
233          -o cannySpec.anal.sir canny
234
235 # —— estimate the profile given the behavior mapping
236 cannySpec.anal2.sir:      cannySpec.4.sir
237      @$(ECHO) "***"
238      @$(ECHO) "***Estimating the behavior mapping..."
239      @$(ECHO) "***"
240      $(SCPROF) -e $(SCPROFOPT) -i cannySpec.4.sir \
241          -o cannySpec.anal2.sir canny
242
243 cannySpec.arch.in.sir:      cannySpec.anal2.sir cannySpec.anal.sir
244      @$(ECHO) "***"
245      @$(ECHO) "***Importing the PEs into the design..."
246      @$(ECHO) "***"
247      $(SCE_IMPORT) $(SCE_IMPORTOPT) -a \
248          -i cannySpec.anal2.sir -o cannySpec.arch.in.sir \
249          cannySpec
250
251 cannyArch.sir:      cannySpec.arch.in.sir
252      @$(ECHO) "***"
253      @$(ECHO) "***Performing architecture refinement..."
254      @$(ECHO) "***"
255      $(SCAR) cannySpec -b -m -c -w $(SCAROPT) \
256          -i cannySpec.arch.in.sir -o cannySpec.arch.sir
257      $(SIR_RENAME) $(SIR_RENAMEOPT) -i cannySpec.arch.sir \
258          cannySpec cannyArch
259      $(SIR_STATS) $(SIR_STATSOPT) $@
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278      @$(ECHO) "*** Importing components needed for scheduling . . ."
279      @$(ECHO) "***"
280      $(SCE_IMPORT) $(SCE_IMPORTOPT) -s \
281          -i cannyArch.2.sir -o cannyArch.sched.in.sir \
282          cannyArch
283
284 # —— perform static scheduling refinement
285 cannyArch.sched.tmp.sir:      cannyArch.sched.in.sir
286     @$(ECHO) "***"
287     @$(ECHO) "*** Performing static scheduling refinement . . ."
288     @$(ECHO) "***"
289     $(SCAR) cannyArch $(SCAROPT) -s \
290         -i cannyArch.sched.in.sir -o cannyArch.sched.tmp.sir
291
292 # —— perform dynamic scheduling refinement
293 cannySched.sir: cannyArch.sched.tmp.sir
294     @$(ECHO) "***"
295     @$(ECHO) "*** Performing dynamic scheduling refinement . . ."
296     @$(ECHO) "***"
297     $(SCOS) cannyArch $(SCOSOPT) \
298         -i cannyArch.sched.tmp.sir -o cannyArch.sched.sir
299     $(SIR_RENAME) $(SIR_RENAMEOPT) -i cannyArch.sched.sir \
300         cannyArch cannySched
301     $(SIR_STATS) $(SIR_STATSOPT) $@O
302
303 cannySched.ins.sir: cannySched.sir
304 cannySched.ins: cannySched.ins.sir
305 cannySched.pgm: cannySched.ins
306 cannySched.SIMOK:      cannySched.pgm
307 cannySched.ana.sir: cannySched.sir cannySched.SIMOK
308
309
310 cannySched.2.sir:      cannySched.ana.sir
311     @$(ECHO) "***"
312     @$(ECHO) "*** Allocating the CPU bus and the Hardware Bus . . ."
313     @$(ECHO) "***"
314     $(SCE_ALLOCATE) $(SCE_ALLOCATEOPT) \
315         -b CPU_Bus=AMBA_AHB \
316         -b HW_Bus=HardwareBus \
317         -i cannySched.ana.sir -o cannySched.2.sir cannySched
318
319 # —— connect the PE and the busses
320 cannySched.3.sir:      cannySched.2.sir
321     @$(ECHO) "***"
322     @$(ECHO) "*** Connecting PE and the busses . . ."
323     @$(ECHO) "***"
324     $(SCE_CONNECT) $(SCE_CONNECTOPT) -c CPU_PortA=CPU_Bus,master0 \
325         -c HardwareBlurX,Port0=CPU_Bus,slave4 -c HardwareBlurX,Port1=HW_Bus,Master \
326         -c HardwareBlurY,Port0=CPU_Bus,slave5 -c HardwareBlurY,Port1=HW_Bus,Slave \
327         -c IO_OUT,Port0=CPU_Bus,slave8 \
328         -c IO_IN,Port0=CPU_Bus,slave7 \
329         -i cannySched.2.sir -o cannySched.3.sir cannySched
330
331 # —— import components for network refinement
332 cannySched.net.in.sir: cannySched.3.sir
333     @$(ECHO) "***"
334     @$(ECHO) "*** Importing components needed for network refinement . . ."
335     @$(ECHO) "***"
336     $(SCE_IMPORT) $(SCE_IMPORTOPT) -e \
337         -i cannySched.3.sir -o cannySched.net.in.sir \
338         cannySched
339
340 # —— perform network refinement
341 cannyNet.sir:      cannySched.net.in.sir
342     @$(ECHO) "***"
343     @$(ECHO) "*** Performing network refinement . . ."
344     @$(ECHO) "***"
345     $(SCNR) cannySched $(SCNROPT) \
346         -i cannySched.net.in.sir -o cannySched.net.sir
347     $(SIR_RENAME) $(SIR_RENAMEOPT) -i cannySched.net.sir \
348         cannySched cannyNet

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349      $(SIR_STATS) $(SIR_STATSOPT) $@  

350  

351 cannyNet.ins.sir: cannyNet.sir  

352 cannyNet.ins: cannyNet.ins.sir  

353 cannyNet.pgm: cannyNet.ins  

354 cannyNet.SIM_OK: cannyNet.pgm  

355 cannyNet.ana.sir: cannyNet.SIM_OK cannyNet.sir  

356  

357 # ---- define the link parameters  

358 cannyNet.2.sir: cannyNet.ana.sir  

359     @$(ECHO) "***"  

360     @$(ECHO) "***Defining the link parameters for the busses ..."  

361     @$(ECHO) "***"  

362     $(SCE_MAP) $(SCE_MAPOPT) -l c_link.IO_IN.CPU=0x70000000,0 \  

363         -l c_link.CPU_IO_OUT=0x80000000,0\  

364         -l c_link.CPU_HardwareBlurX=0x40000000,0\  

365         -l c_link.CPU_HardwareBlurY=0x50000000,0\  

366         -l c_link.HardwareBlurX_HardwareBlurY=0x0000,MasterSync0\  

367     -i cannyNet.ana.sir -o cannyNet.2.sir cannyNet  

368  

369 # ---- import the busses into the design  

370 cannyNet.comm.in.sir: cannyNet.2.sir  

371     @$(ECHO) "***"  

372     @$(ECHO) "***Importing the busses into the design ..."  

373     @$(ECHO) "***"  

374     $(SCE_IMPORT) $(SCE_IMPORTOPT) -c \  

375         -i cannyNet.2.sir -o cannyNet.comm.in.sir \  

376         cannyNet  

377  

378 # ---- perform communication refinement to TLM  

379 cannyTlm.sir: cannyNet.comm.in.sir  

380     @$(ECHO) "***"  

381     @$(ECHO) "***Performing communication refinement to TLM..."  

382     @$(ECHO) "***"  

383     $(SCCR) cannyNet $(SCCROPT) -t \  

384         -i cannyNet.comm.in.sir -o cannyNet.comm.sir  

385     $(SIR_RENAME) $(SIR_RENAMEOPT) -i cannyNet.comm.sir \  

386         cannyNet cannyTlm  

387     $(SIR_STATS) $(SIR_STATSOPT) $@  

388  

389 cannyTlm.ins.sir: cannyTlm.sir  

390 cannyTlm.ins: cannyTlm.ins.sir  

391 cannyTlm.pgm: cannyTlm.ins  

392 cannyTlm.SIM_OK: cannyTlm.pgm  

393 cannyTlm.ana.sir: cannyTlm.SIM_OK cannyTlm.sir

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