


[Home](#) | [Login](#) | [Logout](#) | [Access Information](#) | [Help](#)

Welcome UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA

**AbstractPlus**
[View TOC](#) | [Previous Article](#) | [Next Article](#)
**BROWSE****SEARCH****IEEE XPLOR GUIDE****Access this document**Full Text: [PDF](#) (284 KB)**Download this citation**Choose [Citation & Abstract](#)Download [ASCII Text](#)

[» Learn More](#)
**Rights and Permissions**
[» Learn More](#)
**2-by-n hybrid cellular automata with regular configuration application**[Cattell, K.](#) [Shujian Zhang](#) [Serra, M.](#) [Muzio, J.C.](#)

Hewlett-Packard, Rohnert Park, CA;

This paper appears in: [Computers, IEEE Transactions on](#)

Publication Date: Mar 1999

Volume: 48, Issue: 3

On page(s): 285-295

ISSN: 0018-9340

References Cited: 22

CODEN: ITCOBA

INSPEC Accession Number: 6222929

Digital Object Identifier: 10.1109/12.754995

Posted online: 2002-08-06 22:54:56.0

**Abstract**

This paper introduces a new class of two-dimensional linear cellular automata and derives properties. A recursive relation is proved which enables the characteristic polynomial to be calculated, and minimal cost, maximal length generators of this type are listed for sizes up to 16x16. An analysis of the two vector transition properties of the cellular automata is given and it is shown that they are more robust than sequential faults over a set of standard benchmarks, the two-dimensional cellular automata being, on average, better than one-dimensional linear hybrid cellular automata, and much better than standard registers.

**Index Terms****Inspec**[Controlled Indexing](#)[cellular automata](#) [finite state machines](#)**Non-controlled Indexing**[2-by-n hybrid cellular automata](#) [characteristic polynomial](#) [maximal length generator](#) [recursive relation](#) [regular configuration](#) [standard benchmarks](#) [vector transition](#)**Author Keywords**

Not Available

**References**

- 1 P.H. Bardell, "Primitive Polynomials of Degree 301 through 500," *J. Electronic Testing: Applications*, vol. 3, no. 2 pp. 175-176, 1992.  
[\[Buy Via Ask\\*IEEE\]](#)
- 2 P.H. Bardell, W.H. McAnney, and J. Savir, *Built-In Test for VLSI: Pseudorandom Test Pattern Generation*, Prentice-Hall International, Inc., Englewood Cliffs, NJ, 1987.  
[\[Buy Via Ask\\*IEEE\]](#)
- 3 F. Brglez and H. Fujiwara, "A Neutral Netlist of 10 Combinational Benchmark Circuits for Standard Cells," *Proc. IEEE Int'l Symp. Circuits and Systems*, pp. 663-698, 1988.  
[\[Buy Via Ask\\*IEEE\]](#)
- 4 K. Cattell, "Characteristic Polynomials of One-Dimensional Linear Hybrid Cellular Automata," *Master's Thesis*, Dept. of Computer Science, Univ. of Victoria, Victoria, B.C., Canada, May 1992.
- 5 K. Cattell and J.C. Muzio, "Synthesis of One-Dimensional Linear Hybrid Cellular Automata," *Proc. IEEE Int'l Symp. Circuits and Systems*, pp. 663-698, 1992.

*Computer-Aided Design*, vol. 15, no. 3, pp. 325-335, 1996.

[Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (948KB)]

- 6 K. Cattell and S. Zhang, "Minimal Cost One-Dimensional Linear Hybrid Cellular Automata through 500," *J. Electronic Testing: Theory and Applications*, vol. 6, no. 2, pp. 255-259, 1992. [Buy Via Ask\*IEEE] [CrossRef]
- 7 D.R. Chowdhury, I. Sengupta, and P.P. Chaudhuri, "A Class of Two-Dimensional Cellular Automata: Their Applications in Random Pattern Testing," *J. Electronic Testing: Theory and Applications*, vol. 8, no. 1, pp. 67-82, 1994. [Buy Via Ask\*IEEE] [CrossRef]
- 8 A.K. Das, A. Ganguly, A. Dasgupta, S. Bhawmik, and P.P. Chauduri, "Efficient Characterization of Cellular Automata," *IEE Proc.—Computers and Digital Techniques*, vol. 137, no. 1, pp. 81-87, 1990. [Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (452KB)]
- 9 K. Furuya and E.J. McCluskey, "Two-Pattern Test Capabilities of Autonomous TPGs," *Int'l Test Conf.*, pp. 704-711, 1991. [Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (512KB)]
- 10 E. Kontopidi and J.C. Muzio, "The Partitioning of Linear Registers for Testing Applications," *Microelectronics J.*, vol. 24, pp. 533-546, 1993. [Buy Via Ask\*IEEE] [CrossRef]
- 11 R. Lidl and H. Niederreiter, *Introduction to Finite Fields and Their Applications*. Cambridge Univ. Press, 1986. [Buy Via Ask\*IEEE]
- 12 S. Nandi, B. Vamsi, S. Chakraborty, and P.P. Chauduri, "Cellular Automata as a Building Block for CMOS Circuits," *IEE Proc.—Computers and Digital Techniques*, vol. 141, no. 1, pp. 4-10, 1994. [Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (464KB)]
- 13 M. Serra and T. Slater, "A Lanczos Algorithm in a Finite Field and Its Application," *J. Mathematics and Combinatorial Computing*, vol. 7, pp. 11-32, 1990. [Buy Via Ask\*IEEE]
- 14 M. Serra, T. Slater, J.C. Muzio, and D.M. Miller, "The Analysis of One-Dimensional Linear Cellular Automata and Their Aliasing Properties," *IEEE Trans. Computer-Aided Design*, vol. 9, no. 12, pp. 1450-1457, 1990. [Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (1072KB)]
- 15 H.S. Stone, *Discrete Mathematical Structures and Their Applications*. Science Research Association, 1973. [Buy Via Ask\*IEEE]
- 16 X. Sun, E. Kontopidi, M. Serra, and J.C. Muzio, "The Concatenation and Partitioning of Cellular Automata Machines," *Int'l J. Electronics*, vol. 78, no. 5, pp. 809-839, 1995. [Buy Via Ask\*IEEE]
- 17 G. Tromp and A.J. van de Goor, "Logic Synthesis of 100-percent Testable Logic Networks," *Int'l Conf. Computer Design*, pp. 428-431, 1991. [Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (304KB)]
- 18 P.G. Tzionas, P.G. Tsalides, and A. Thanailakis, "A New, Cellular Automaton-Based Pattern Classifier and Its VLSI Implementation," *IEEE Trans. VLSI Systems*, vol. 2, no. 1, pp. 1-10, 1994. [Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (1228KB)]
- 19 S. Zhang, R. Byrne, and D.M. Miller, "BIST Generators for Sequential Faults," *Proc. Int'l Conf. Computer Design*, pp. 260-263, 1992. [Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (352KB)]
- 20 S. Zhang, R. Byrne, and D.M. Miller, "Why Cellular Automata Are Better than LFSR-Based Generators for Sequential-Type Faults," *Proc. IEEE Int'l Symp. Circuits and Systems*, pp. 337-340, 1993. [Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (340KB)]
- 21 S. Zhang, R. Byrne, J.C. Muzio, and D.M. Miller, "Quantitative Analysis for Linear Hybrid Cellular Automata and LFSR as Built-In Self-Test Generators for Sequential Faults," *J. Electronic Testing: Theory and Applications*, vol. 7, no. 3, pp. 209-221, 1995. [Buy Via Ask\*IEEE] [CrossRef]
- 22 S. Zhang, D.M. Miller, and J.C. Muzio, "Determination of Minimal Cost One-Dimensional Linear Cellular Automata," *Int'l Test Conf.*, pp. 101-104, 1995. [Buy Via Ask\*IEEE]

Cellular Automata," *IEE Electronics Letters*, vol. 27, no. 18, pp. 1,625-1,627, 1991.  
[Abstract] [PDF Full-Text (220KB)]

#### Citing Documents

- 1 Cellular automata-based test pattern generators with phase shifters , Mrugalski, G.; F  
*Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems, IEEE Transactions on*  
On page(s): 878-893, Volume: 19, Issue: 8, Aug 2000  
[Abstract](#) | Full Text: [PDF](#) (492)
- 2 On the generation of high-quality random numbers by two-dimensional cellular automata  
Sipper, M.; Perrenoud, M.  
*Computers, IEEE Transactions on*  
On page(s): 1146-1151, Volume: 49, Issue: 10, Oct 2000  
[Abstract](#) | Full Text: [PDF](#) (304)

[◀ View TOC](#) | [◀ Previous Article](#) | [Next Article ▶](#) | [Back to Top ▲](#)

[Help](#) [Contact Us](#) [Privacy](#)

Indexed by  
 Inspec®

© Copyright 2006 IE