

**ADD**

## 16.15 Disable resolution

Note to editor: Shift the numeration of the following subsections accordingly.

Note to the editor: Add a Syntax Box containing the following text:

```
module_or_generate_item_declaration ::= //from  
A.1.4  
    ...  
    | default clocking clocking_identifier ;  
    | default disable expression_or_dist ;
```

One can specify a default disabling condition for all assertions within any given module, interface, or program. The syntax for the default disable specification statement is as follows:

```
module_or_generate_item_declaration ::=  
    ...  
    | default disable expression_or_dist ;
```

A default disable may be declared as an item within a module, interface, or program. The scope of the default disable does not depend on the position of the declaration item within the module, interface, or program. Declaring more than one default disable item within the same module, interface, or program shall result in a compilation error.

A default disable is valid only within its scope. The scope of a default disable includes the module, interface, or program in which it is declared as an item. The scope also includes any nested module, interface, or program declaration. The scope does not include instantiated modules or interfaces.

If a nested module, interface, or program declaration itself has a default disable declaration, then that default disable applies within the nested declaration and overrides any default disable from without.

The following rules apply for the disable condition resolution:

- a) If an assertion has a **disable iff** clause, then the disable specified in this clause will be used, and any **default disable** statement will be ignored.
- b) If an assertion does not contain a **disable iff** clause, but the assertion is within the scope of a **default disable** statement, then the disabling value for the assertion is inferred from the **default disable** statement.
- c) Otherwise, no inference is performed (this is equivalent to the inference of a 1'b0 disable condition).

Below are two example modules illustrating the application of these rules.

```
module examples_with_default (input logic a, b, clk, rst, rst1);  
default disable rst;
```

```

property p1;
    disable iff (rst1) a |> b;
endproperty

// Disable condition is rst1 - explicitly specified within a1
a1 : assert property @(posedge clk) disable iff (rst1) a |> b);

// Disable condition is rst1 - explicitly specified within p1
a2 : assert property @(posedge clk ) p1);

// Disable condition is rst - no explicit specification, inferred from
// default disable statement
a3 : assert property @(posedge clk) a |> b);

// Disable condition is 1'b0 . This is the only way to
// cancel the effect of default disable.
a4 : assert property @(posedge clk) disable iff (1'b0) a |> b);

endmodule

module examples_without_default (input logic a, b, clk, rst);

property p2;
    disable iff (rst) a |> b;
endproperty

// Disable condition is rst - explicitly specified within a5
a5 : assert property @(posedge clk ) disable iff (rst) a |> b);

// Disable condition is rst - explicitly specified within p2
a6 : assert property @(posedge clk ) p2);

// No Disable condition
a7 : assert property @(posedge clk ) a |> b);

// Only enable condition and clocking event are inferred from an always block
// Assertion a8 is equivalent to
//    @(posedge clk) !bit'(rst!='b0) |-> (a |> b)

always @(posedge clk or posedge rst)
if (rst)
    ...
else begin
    a8 : assert property ( a |> b);
    ...
end

endmodule

```

In assertion a8 the inferred enabling condition is from the else clause of the **if-else** statement, and thus it has to represent the complementary interpretation of the four-valued expression in the **if** condition. One such form is as indicated in a8. Other equivalent forms may be used, such as ((rst != 'b0) != 1'b1).

## 14-12 Default clocking

### Change in Syntax 14-3 from

```

module_or_generate_item_declaration ::=
    ...
    | default clocking clocking_identifier ;

```

to

```
module_or_generate_item_declaration ::=                                //from A.1.4
    ...
    | default clocking clocking_identifier ;
    ...
```

#### A.1.4 Module items

REPLACE

```
module_or_generate_item_declaration ::=
    package_or_generate_item_declaration
    | genvar_declaration
    | clocking_declaration
    | default clocking clocking_identifier ;
```

WITH

```
module_or_generate_item_declaration ::=
    package_or_generate_item_declaration
    | genvar_declaration
    | clocking_declaration
    | default clocking clocking_identifier ;
    | default disable expression_or_dist ;
```