

10 Mb/s Single Twisted Pair Ethernet PCS Receive State Diagram

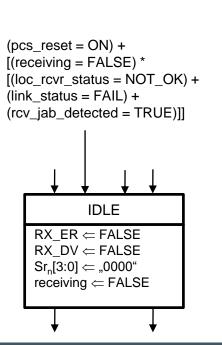
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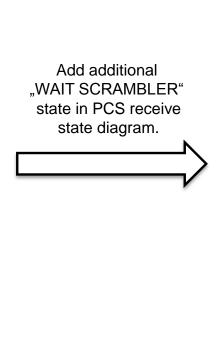
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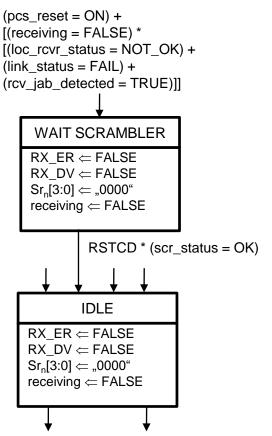
- An additional state ("WAIT SCRAMBLER") for descrambler synchronization is required for the state machine to wait until the descrambler is in sync before going into "IDLE" state:
 - Otherwise in case the descrambler is not synchronized, it is possible that the state machine hangs in "BAD DELIMITER" state until jabber is detected and the state machine is resetted.
 - Then the state machine is in "IDLE" state again, but not receiving valid idle data as the descrambler is not synchronized.

In this case the state machine jumps from the "IDLE" state into "BAD DELIMITER" state again without syncing the descrambler, thus

ending up in an endless loop.







Thank You