

BCD adder (or) Decimal adder

(0 to 9)

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Case 1 : Sum equal to 9 (or) less with carry = 0

$$\begin{array}{r} 6 \rightarrow 0110 \rightarrow \text{BCD for 6} \\ + 3 \rightarrow 0011 \rightarrow \text{BCD for 3} \\ \hline + 9 \quad 1001 \rightarrow \text{BCD for 9} \rightarrow \text{No Correction} \end{array}$$

normal addition

Case 2 :- Sum greater than 9 with carry = 0

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \rightarrow 0111 \rightarrow \text{BCD for 7} \\ + 8 \rightarrow 1000 \rightarrow \text{BCD for 8} \\ \hline 15 \quad 1111 \rightarrow \text{Invalid BCD} \end{array}$$

$(15)_{10} = 0001 \ 0101 = \text{BCD for 15}$

Invalid BCD = $\begin{array}{c} 11 \\ 1111 \end{array}$

to correct it add (+6) = 0110

$$\begin{array}{r} 0001 \ 0101 \\ \hline 0001 \ 0101 \\ \hline 0010 \ 1000 \end{array} \rightarrow \text{Correct BCD}$$

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Case 3 : Sum is less than or equal to 9 with carry = 1

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \rightarrow 1000 \\ + 9 \rightarrow 1001 \\ \hline 17 \quad 10001 \rightarrow \text{Invalid BCD} \end{array}$$

$$\overline{17} \rightarrow \overline{10001} \rightarrow \text{Invalid BCD}$$

carry = 1 Sum ≤ 9

$$(17)_{10} = (\underbrace{0001}_1 \underbrace{0111}_7)_{\text{BCD}}$$

$$\text{Invalid BCD} = 10001$$

$$\text{To correct it add } (+6) = \begin{array}{r} 10001 \\ + 0110 \\ \hline 0001 \underbrace{0111}_7 \end{array} \rightarrow \text{Correct BCD}$$

Summary of BCD addition

1. Add two BCD numbers using ordinary binary addition
2. If four bit sum is equal to or less than 9
no correction is needed. Sum is in BCD form
3. If four bit sum greater than 9 (B)
If carry generated from the four bit sum.
Then sum is invalid BCD.
To correct it add +6 (0110) to the
Invalid BCD number.

To implement BCD adder

- BCD numbers (0 to 9) ✓

$$(10)_{10} = (0001\ 0000)_{BCD}$$

$$(15)_{10} = (0001 \ 0101)_{BCD}$$

10 + 10 Binary and BCD codes are not the same										
Carry=0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	10
	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	11
	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	12
	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	13
	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	14
	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	15
Carry=1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	16
	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	17
	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	18
	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	19

Sum < 9

$$C = K + Z_8 Z_4 + Z_8 Z_2$$

1. It is obvious from the table that a correction is needed when the **'Binary Sum'** has an output carry $K=1$.
2. The other six combinations from 10 to 15 need correction in which the bit on the Z8 position is 1.

- $$C = K + Z_8 \cdot Z_4 + Z_8 \cdot Z_2$$

