

Computer Organization and Architecture

COSC 2425

Lecture – 1

Aug 22th, 2022

Acknowledgement: Slides from Edgar Gabriel & Kevin Long

Organizational issues (I)

- Classes:
 - MoWe, 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM, SR 116
 - MoWe, 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM, Synchronous Online (Zoom)
- Labs:
 - Mo, 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM, SEC 100
- Free to attend class in either format.
- Exam has to be taken in person/in classroom.
- Email: pmantini@uh.edu
 - Office hours: Thursday, 1 PM – 2 PM or by appointment.
 - Only online office hours using Zoom
 - <http://qil.uh.edu/coa/meeting/>

Organizational Issues (III)

- TA's for the course:
 - Mirza, Samiha, Email:
samiha.mirza1234@gmail.com
 - Office hours: TTH, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM
 - More TA's TBA
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Course Content

Dates	Topics
Weeks 1 - 7	Performance evaluation, Instruction Set Architectures; Number representations; Computer Arithmetic;
October first week	Midterm
Weeks 8 - 15	Instruction Level Parallelism; Branch Prediction; Assembly Language Programming; Memory Hierarchies; Virtual Memory; Parallel Processors; Networking
December Finals week	Final Exam

Organizational Issues (IV)

Activity	Weight
3 Homework's (~15%)	45%
Midterm	25%
Final Exam	30%

Logistics

- Late policy for Assignments/Homework:
 - Late by 1 day - 25% off the grade
 - Late by 2 days - 50% off the grade
 - Late by more than 2 days – No Credit
- Late policy for midterm:
 - No late submission possible
- Collaboration policy:
 - No collaboration allowed for **homework's and exams, must be solved individually.**
 - Posting questions on online forums (Chegg.com, etc.) is **not allowed**

Important Notes

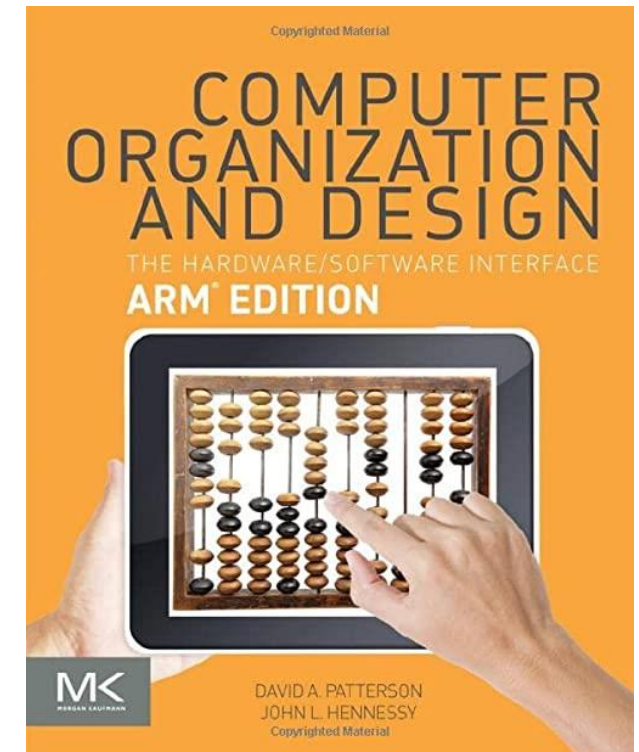
- 3-Day Policy: One has 3 days starting from the end of the class time in which the graded assignment/exam papers have been distributed and/or posted in order to object to the score of that assignment or exam. The objection shall be submitted electronically by emailing the TA and the instructor.

Academic Honesty

- The course has a ZERO-TOLERANCE policy for cheating, whether in exams or assignments. Plagiarism, copying and other anti-intellectual behavior are prohibited by the university regulations.
- Any violations to the university academic honesty code will be reported to the department and the university
- Solutions available on chegg.com or similar sites are automatically **disqualified**.

Textbook

Computer Organization and Design ARM Edition: The Hardware Software Interface (The Morgan Kaufmann Series in Computer Architecture and Design) 1st Edition by [David A. Patterson](#) (Author), [John L. Hennessy](#)



Course Expectations


1. Lectures and Lab (Required)
 1. Attend Lecture and Lab meeting (face-to-face/online)
 2. Participate and ask questions
2. Submit homework/assignments via **Blackboard** (Required)
3. Submit midterm and exam **in-person/in-classroom**(Required)
4. Attend Office hours (Optional)








Class Website

<http://qil.uh.edu/coa>








Accessing Videos (posted after each class)

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2	Jan. 23, 2020	Image Acquisition: Image Acquisition, image formation model, photoconverters, a/d conversion, sampling and digitization, resampling		pdf			
3	Jan. 28, 2020	Binary Image Processing - 1: Thresholding, Histograms, Bimodal histograms.		pdf			
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15: Midterm Review

Midterm Review

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Lecture – 17

Oct 15th, 2019

Pranav Mantini

Slides from Dr. Shishir K Shah, and Frank Liu

UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON

0:00 / 6:43

Any questions posted below will be addressed in the following meeting/s

Host: Pranav

Date: **March 24, 2020, 11:30 a.m.**

Meeting Number: 292 797 267 (via phone: +1-408-418-9388)

[link \(via computer\)](#)

Host: Pranav

Date: **March 26, 2020, 11:30 a.m.**

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Attending Meetings

1. Two types of meetings:
 1. Lecture meeting: Discuss course topics, address any questions from videos, and answer other questions if time permits.
 2. Office hours: Answer questions, help with assignments, etc. Please remember these meetings may not completely be one to one sessions. Please communicate with the TA and setup separate meeting with TA if you need to discuss something alone. (For example grades etc.)

Meeting

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Upcomming Meetings


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March 24, 2020, 11:30 a.m.	Tuesday	Lecture Meeting	Pranav	292 797 267 (via phone: +1-408-418-9388)	link (via computer)
March 24, 2020, 2 p.m.	Tuesday	Office Hours	Pranav	298 783 225 (via phone: +1-408-418-9388)	link (via computer)
March 25, 2020, 10 a.m.	Wednesday	Office Hours	Sara	299 920 079 (via phone: +1-408-418-9388)	link (via computer)
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April 3, 2020, 9 a.m.	Friday	Office Hours	Khadija	296 057 977 (via phone: +1-408-418-9388)	link (via computer)
April 6, 2020, 10 a.m.	Monday	Office Hours	Sara	298 312 750 (via phone: +1-408-418-9388)	link (via computer)
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Attend Meeting

- Three ways
 - Via phone
 1. Call +1-346-248-7799
 2. Enter Access Code (See meeting page for specific access code)
 - Via computer
 1. Follow the link.
 1. No need to signup
 2. On windows it might install a plugin, accept and install
 3. On Linux/mac just follow the link and you should be able to enter the meeting
 4. Allow necessary permission in the browser to access the mic and audio
 - Via mobile App
 1. Download app
 2. Enter meeting number
 3. Enter Passcode

Attend Meeting

1. You can log-in ahead and wait for the meeting to start.
2. Make sure your mic is in mute when you enter the meeting.
 1. These meetings are like classrooms, to minimize background noise make sure to enter the meeting with your mic in mute, and continue to keep in mute.
 2. You can unmute when you have a question. We will figure out the details as we go along.

Introduction

The Computer Revolution

- Computers are pervasive

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- Progress in computer technology
 - Underpinned by Moore's Law
- Makes novel applications feasible
 - Computers in automobiles
 - Cell phones
 - Human genome project
 - World Wide Web
 - Search Engines
- Computers are pervasive

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Classes of Computers

- Personal computers
 - General purpose, variety of software
 - Subject to cost/performance tradeoff
- Server computers
 - Network based
 - High capacity, performance, reliability
 - Range from small servers to building sized

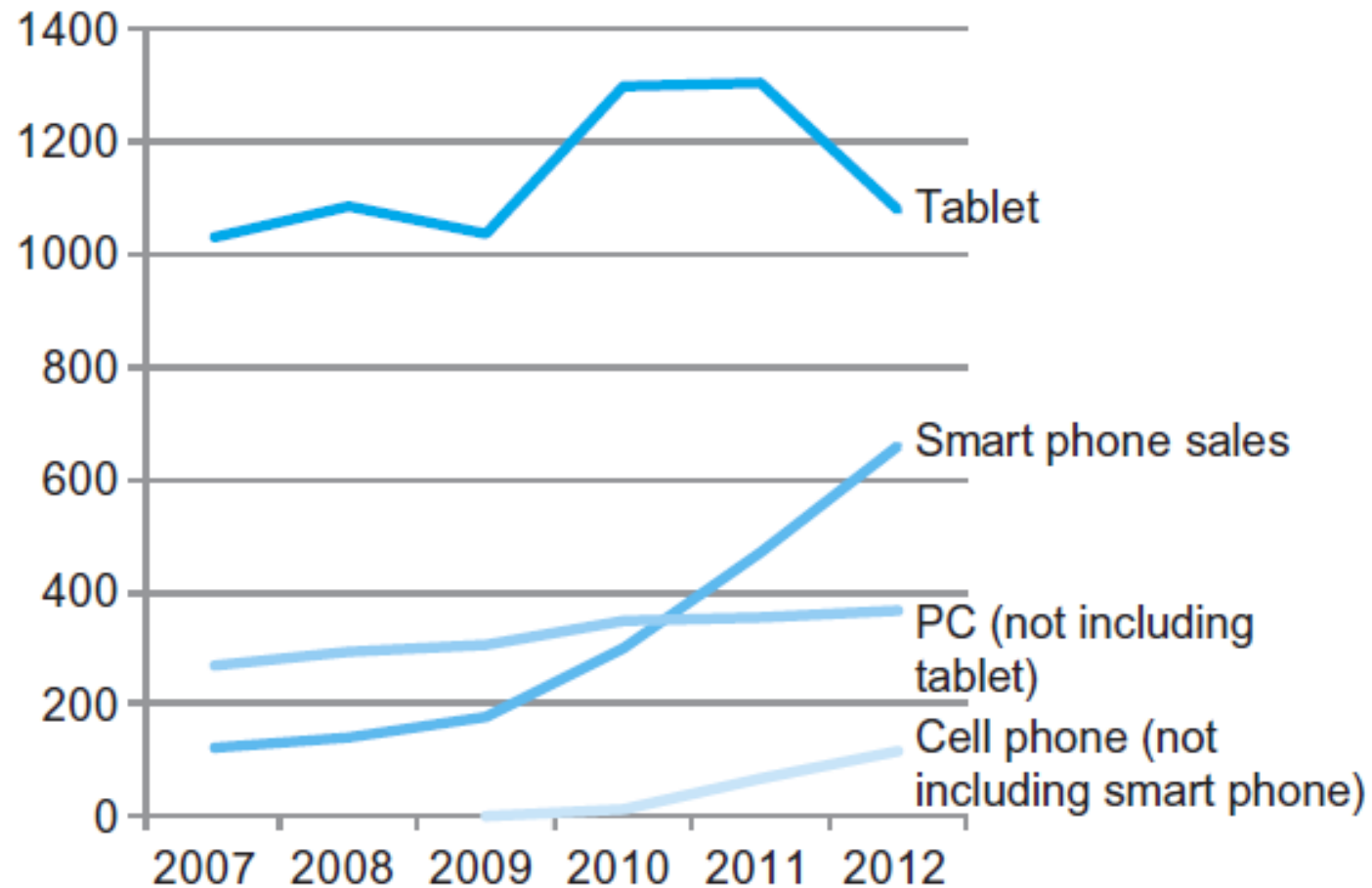
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- Perform Scientific computations
 - Supercomputers
- Use Navigation in car
 - Stereo/Navigation device (Embedded computer)

Classes of Computers

- Supercomputers
 - High-end scientific and engineering calculations
 - Highest capability but represent a small fraction of the overall computer market
- Embedded computers
 - Hidden as components of systems
 - Stringent power/performance/cost constraints

The PostPC Era

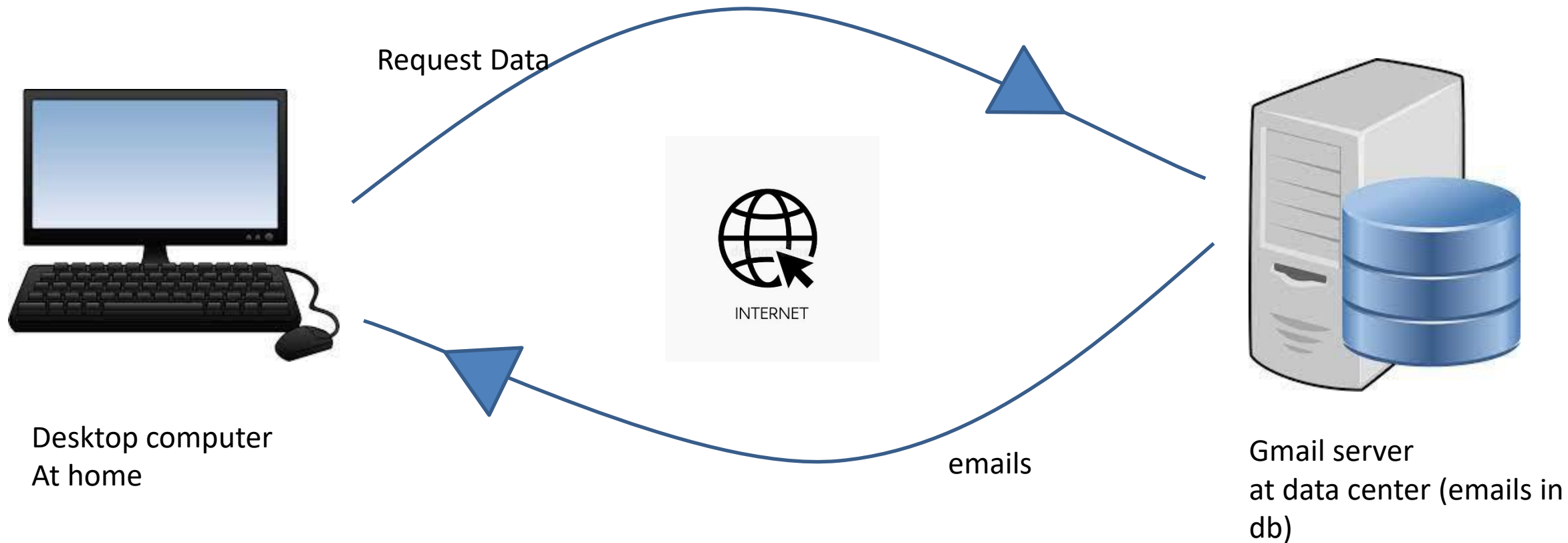


Breakdown

- Checking email? What is going on?

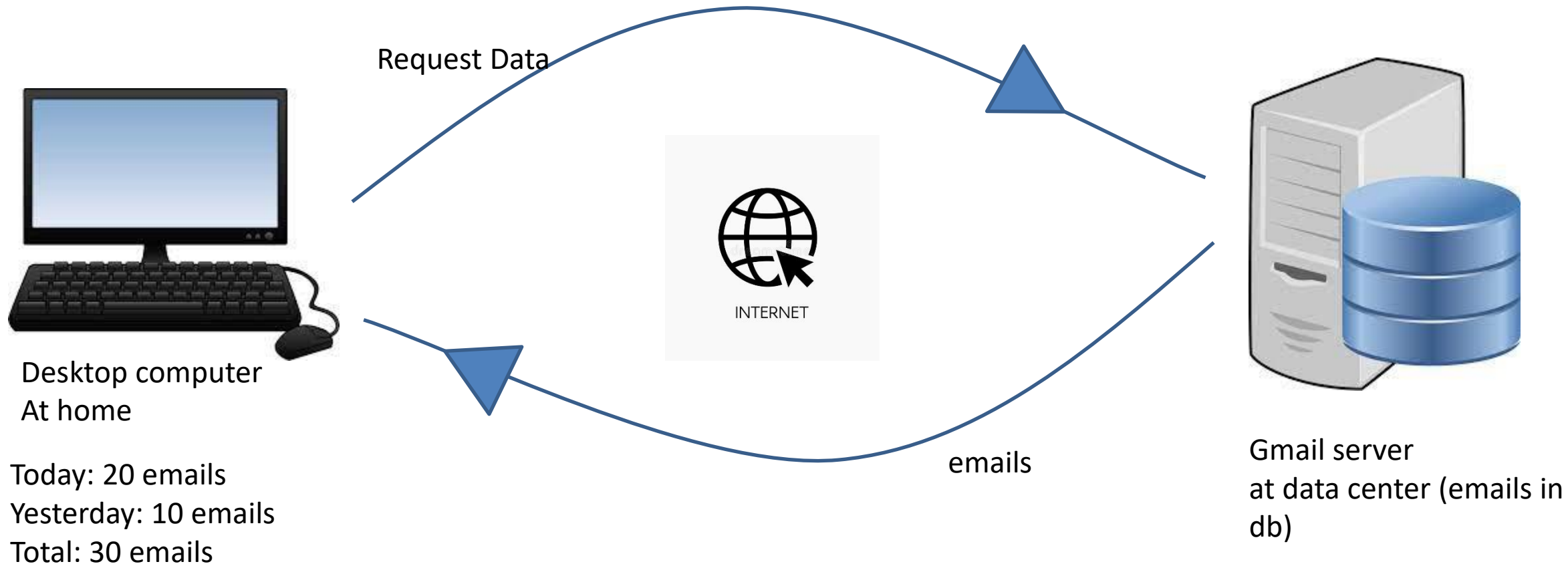
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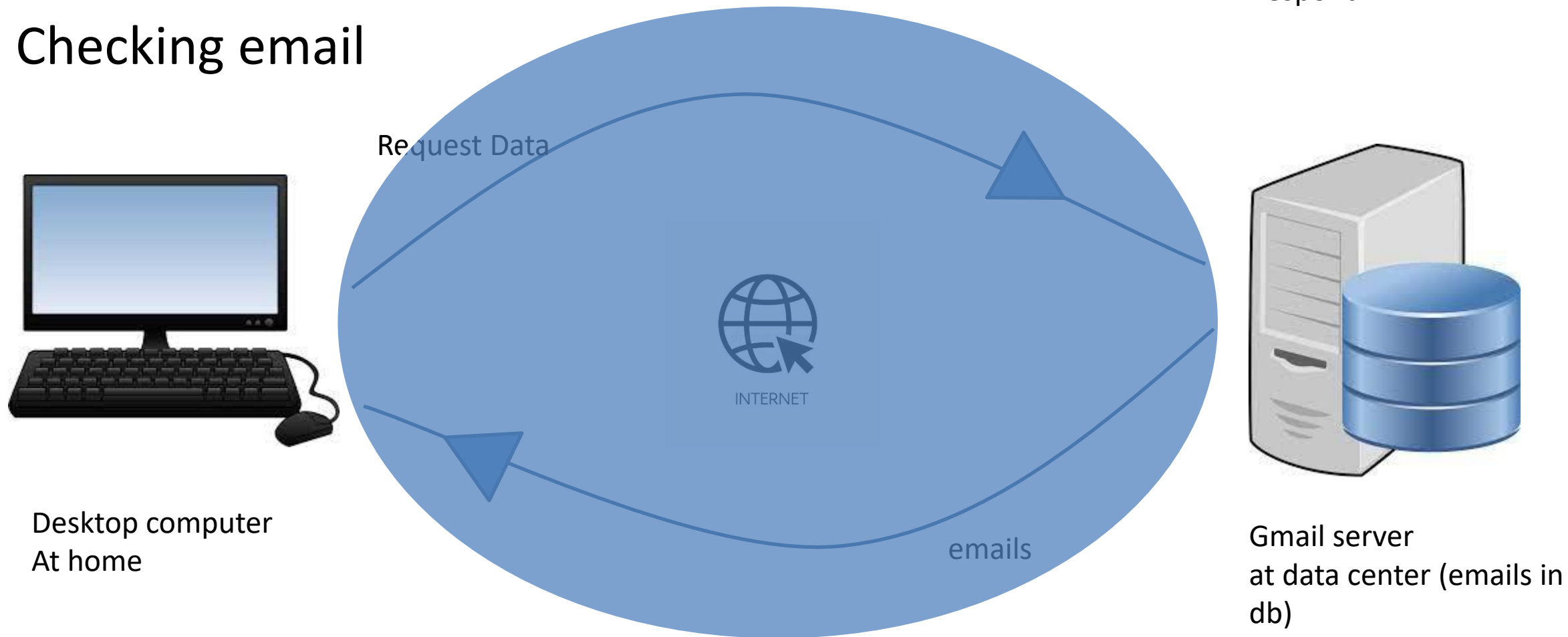
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Email1 => subject: Hi John

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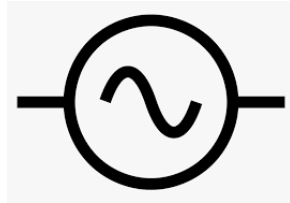
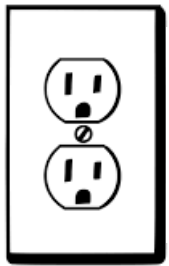
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What is the basic idea behind a computer?
How does it do this?

Further Breakdown

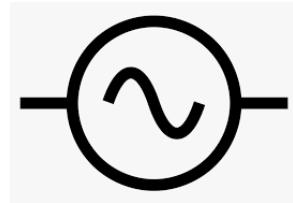
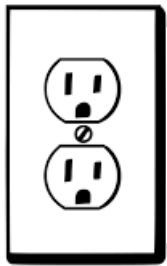


110v/240v
AC Current

Most electronic chips cannot handle AC current.
Too unstable, not unidirectional.

Requires stable constant low voltage. (~12 V)

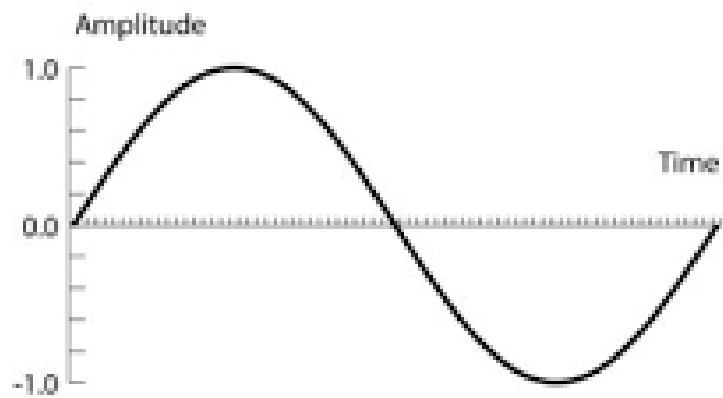
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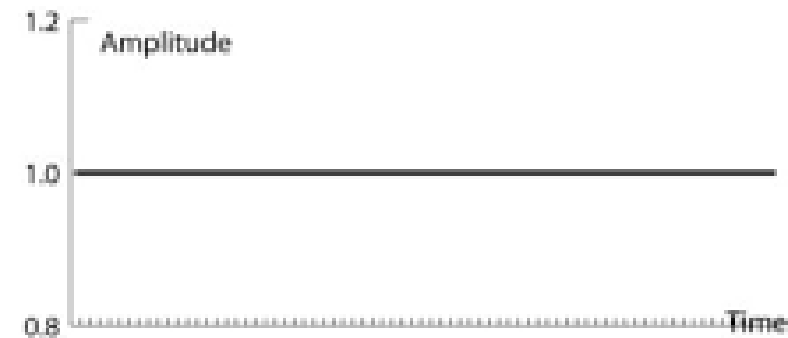
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PSU
12v DC current

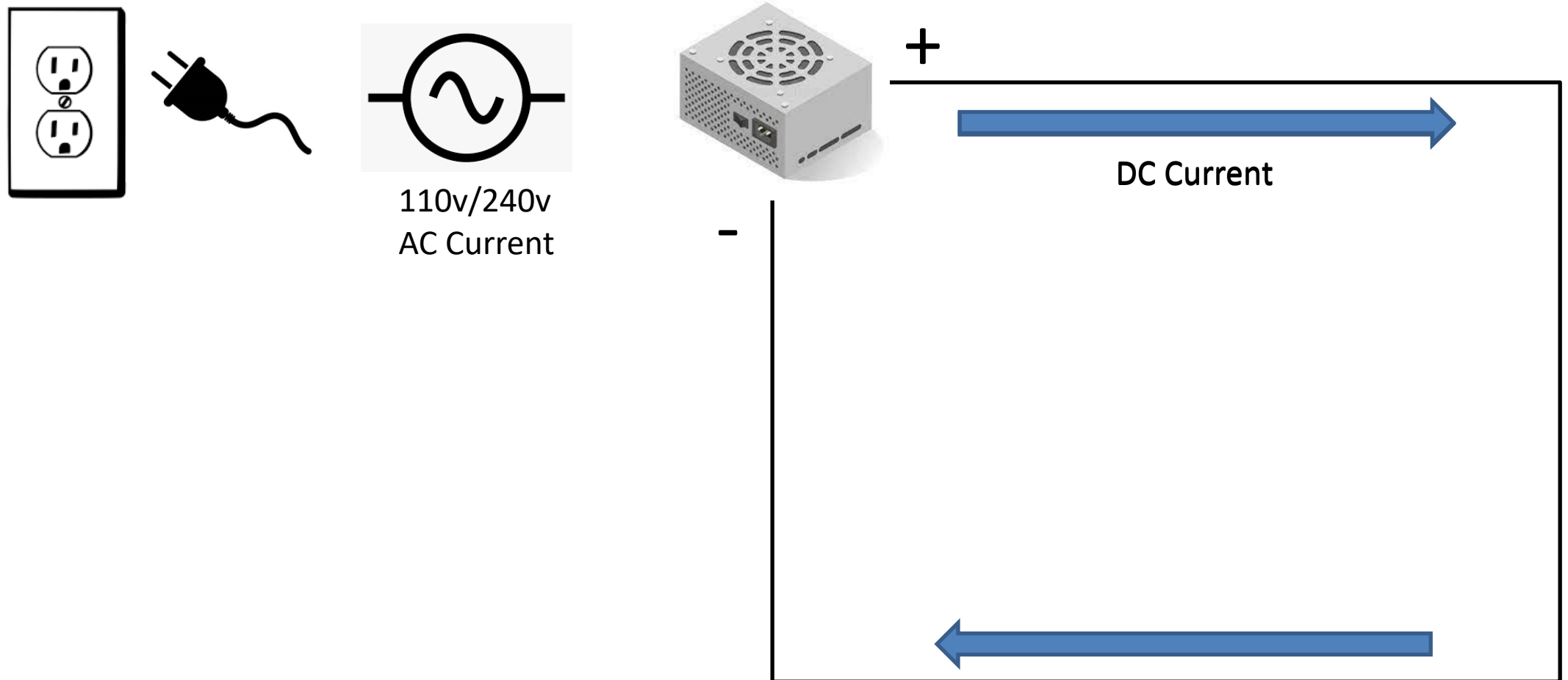


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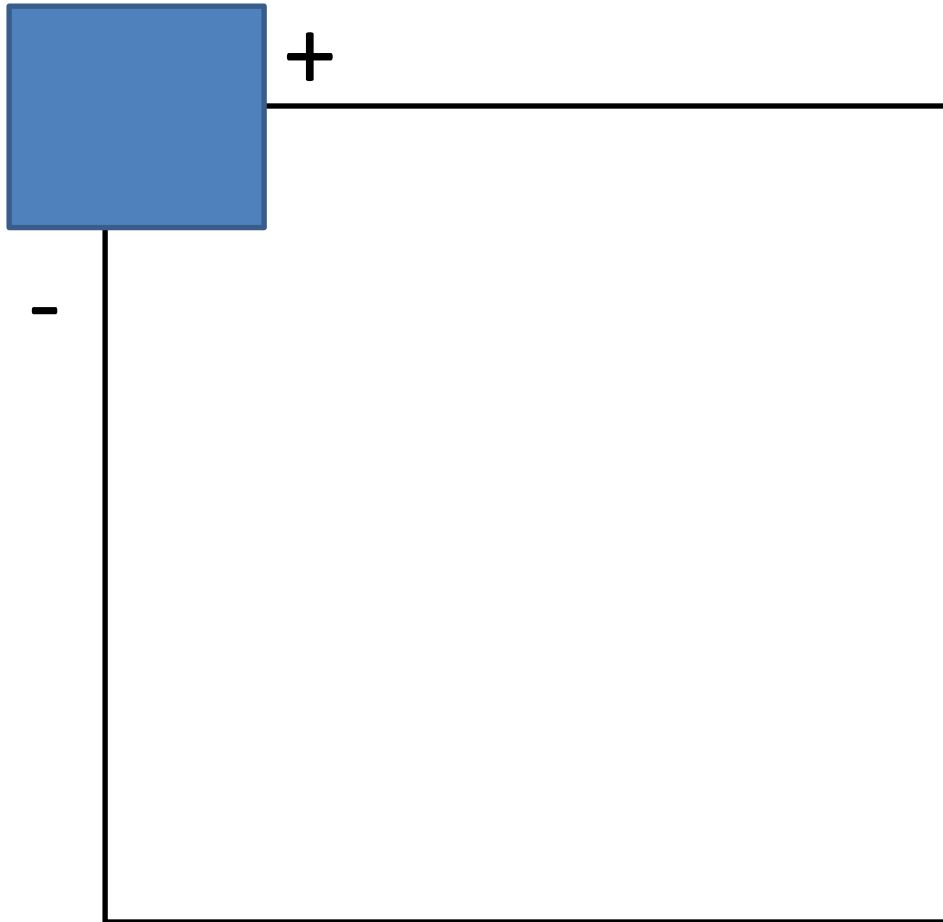


DC

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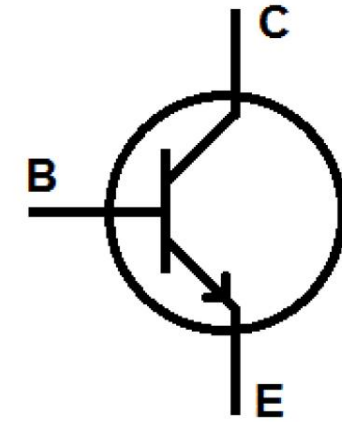
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NPN Transistor

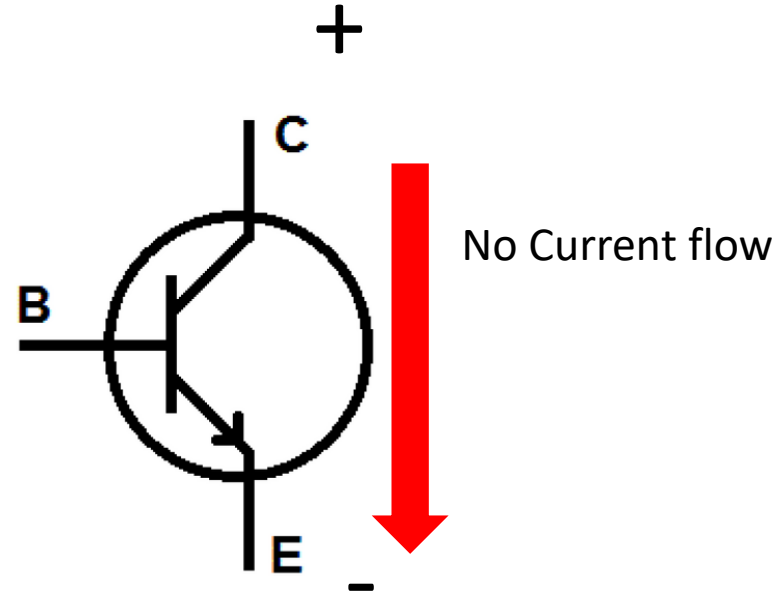
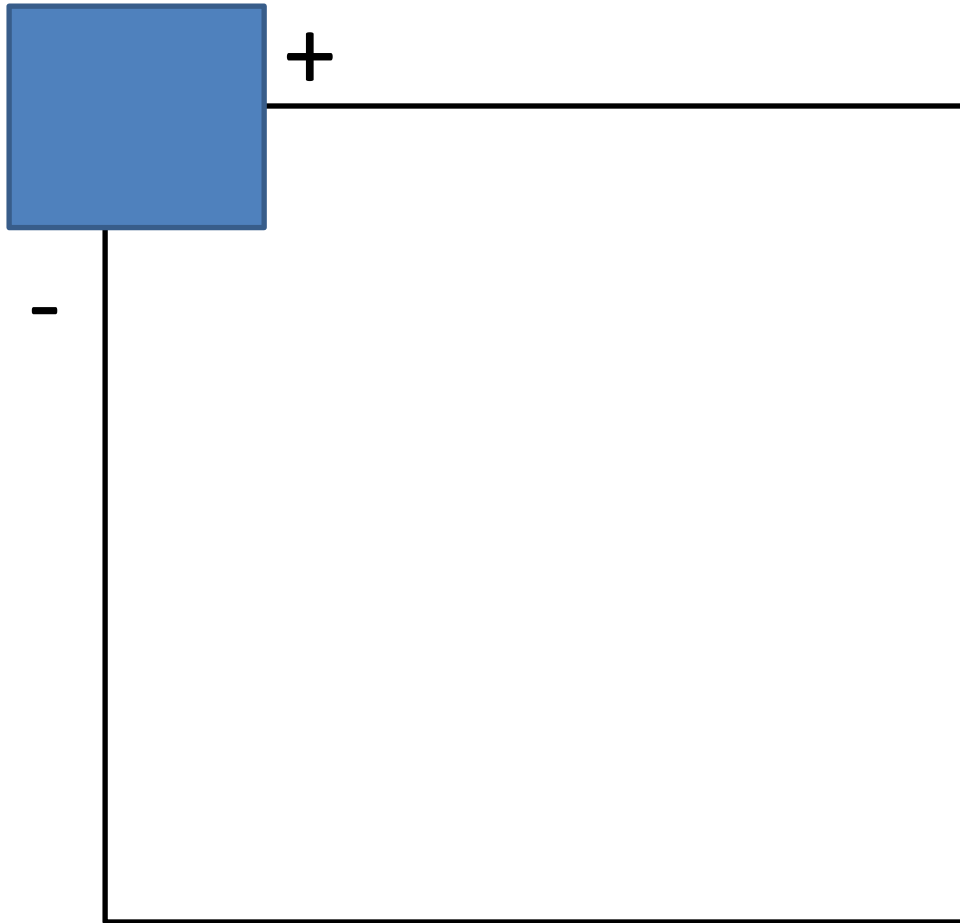


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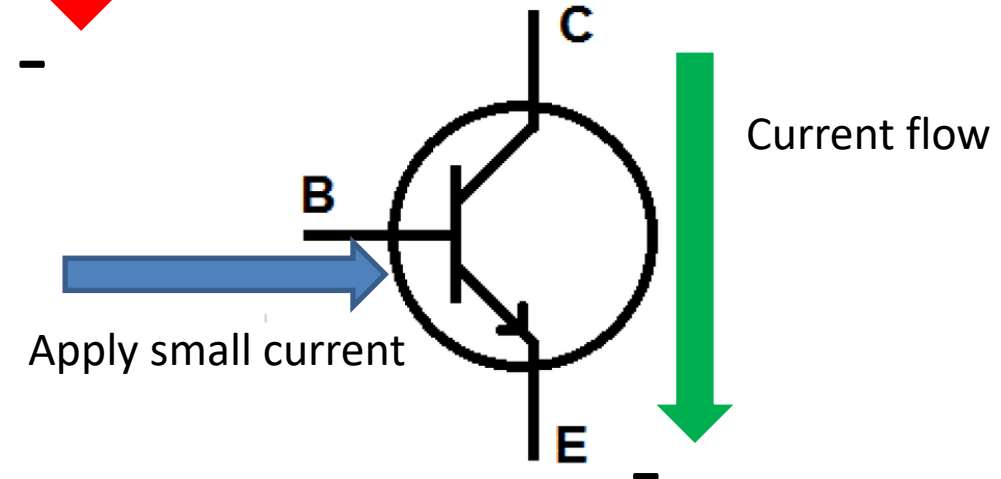
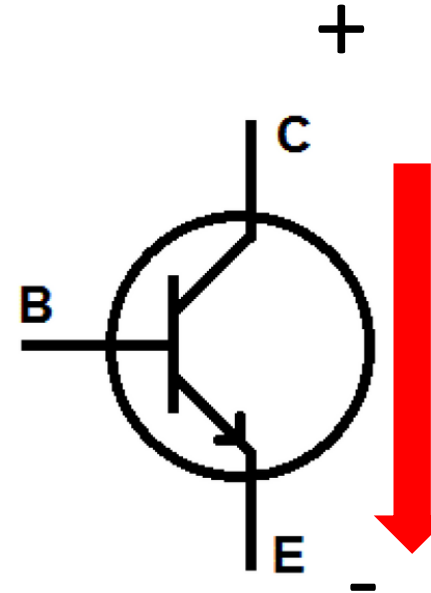
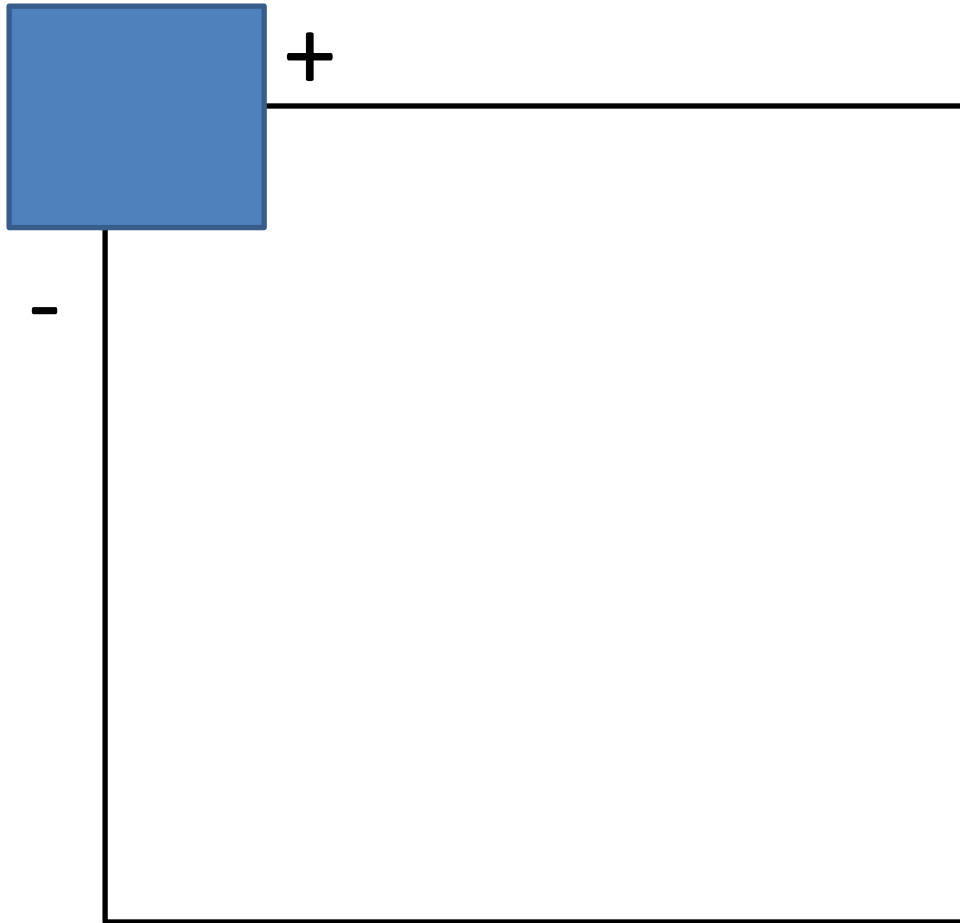


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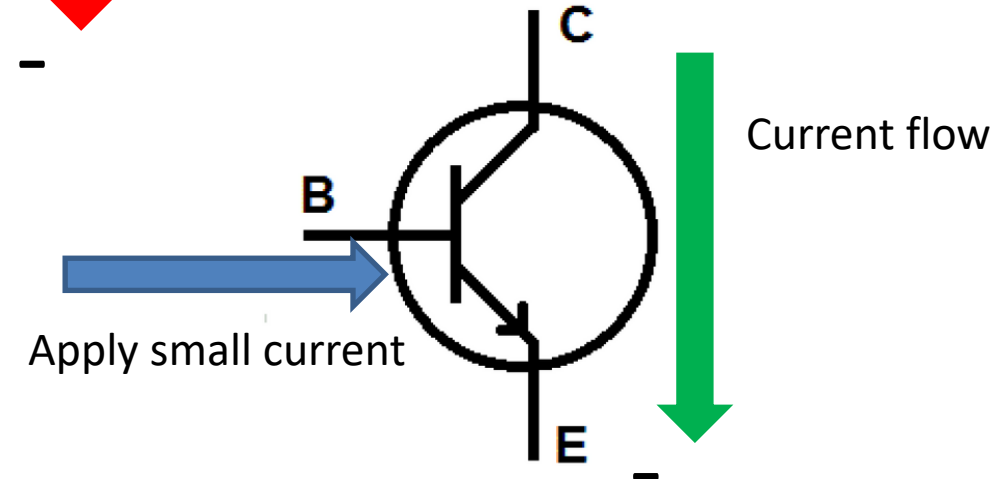
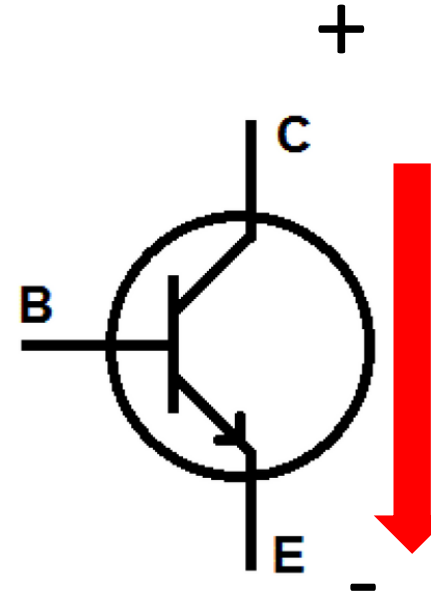
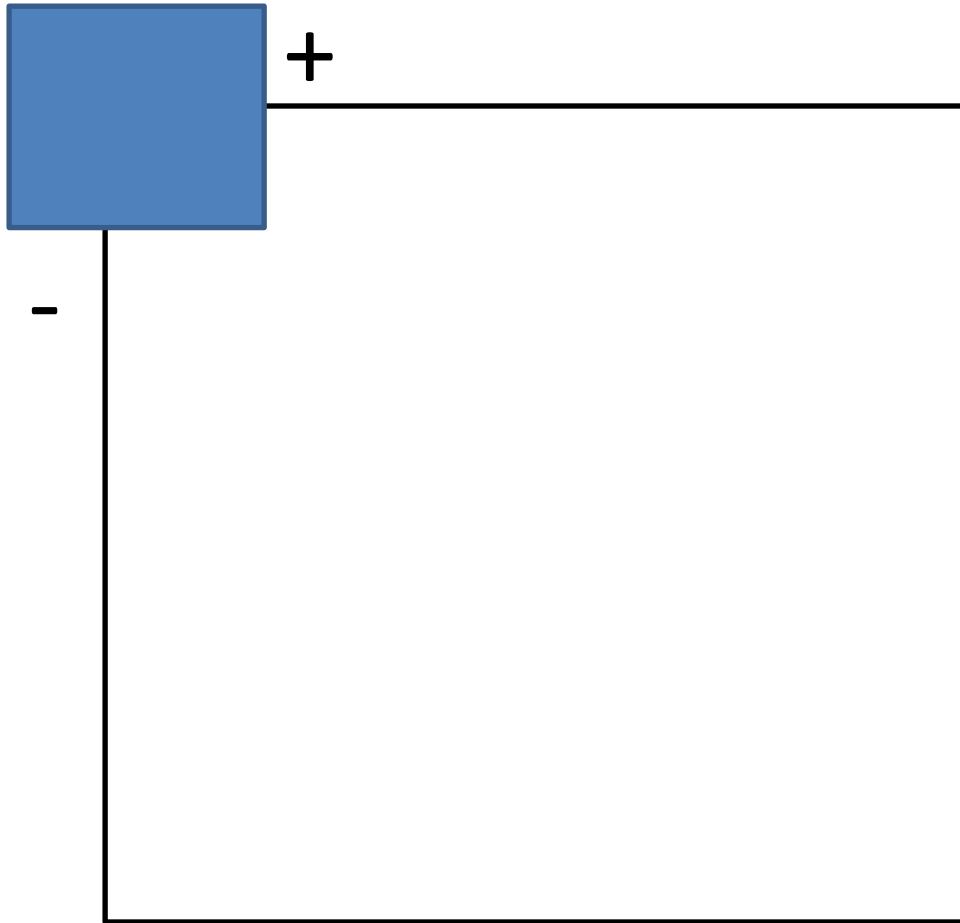
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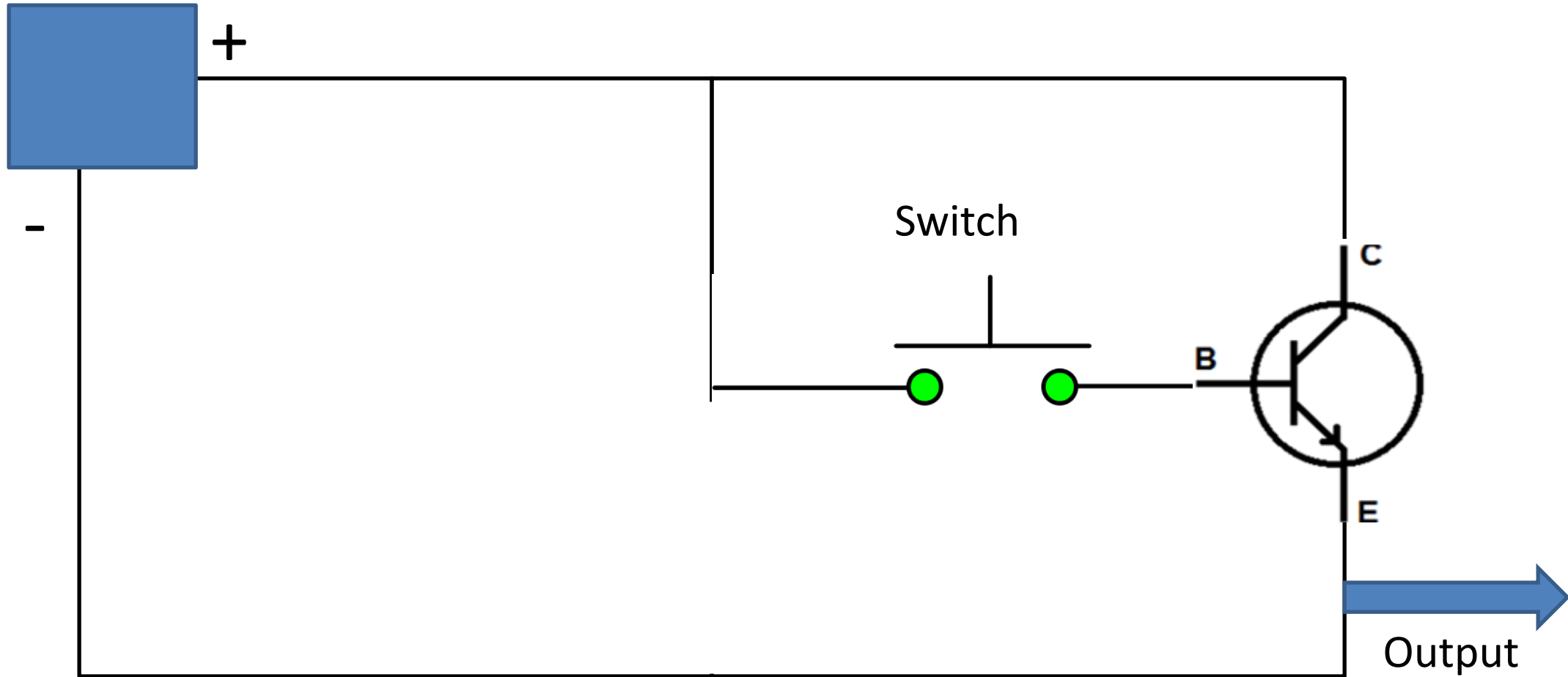
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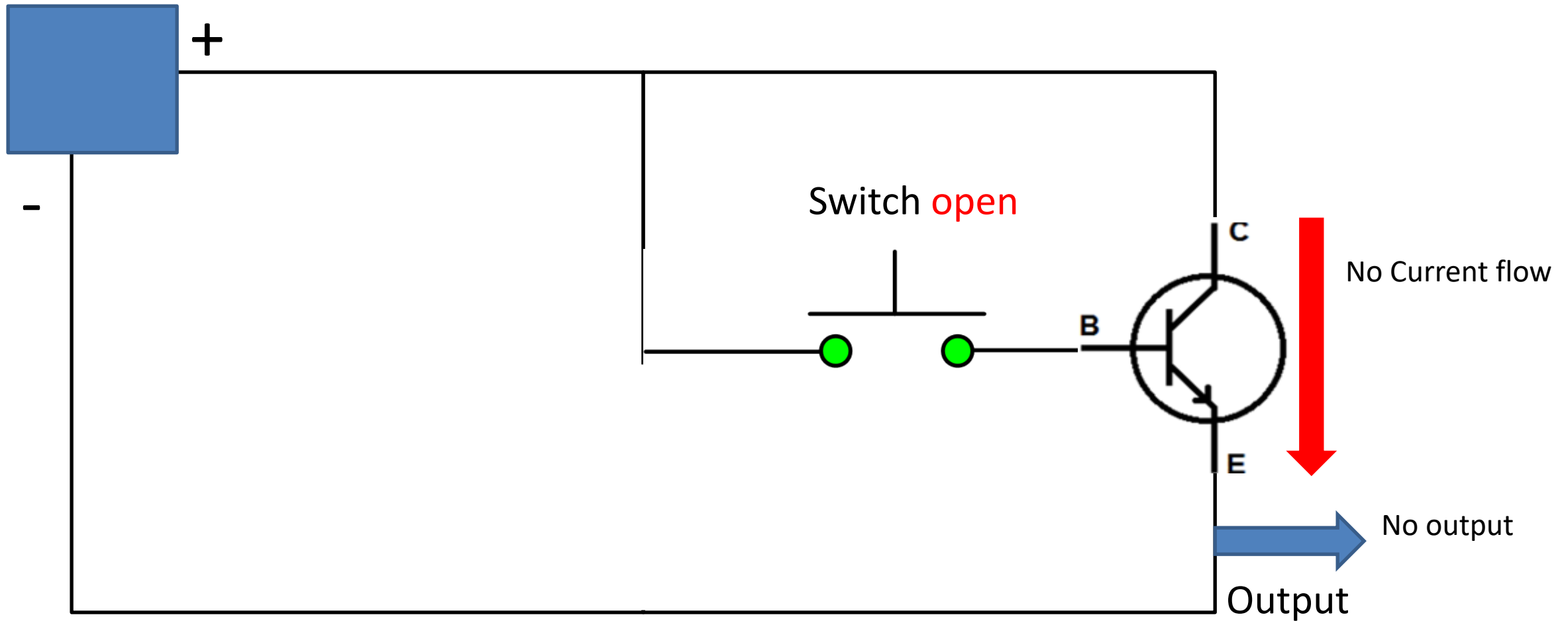
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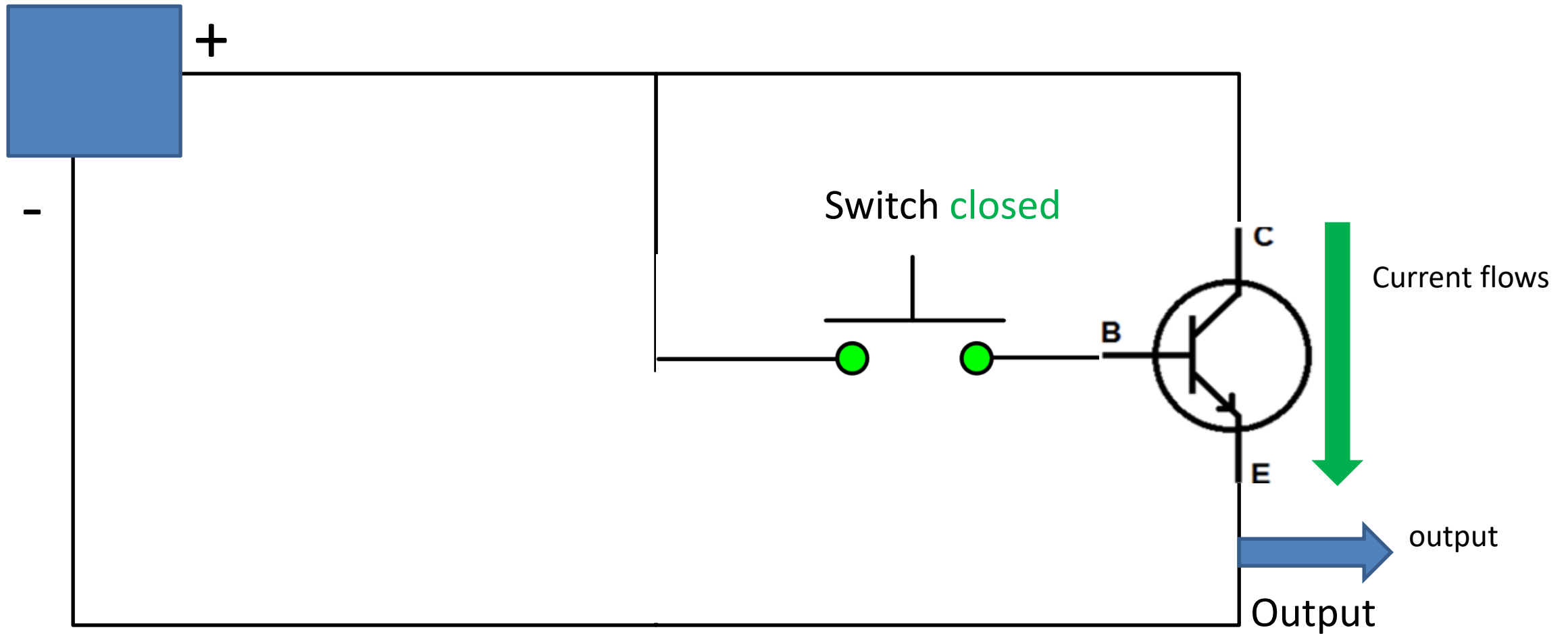
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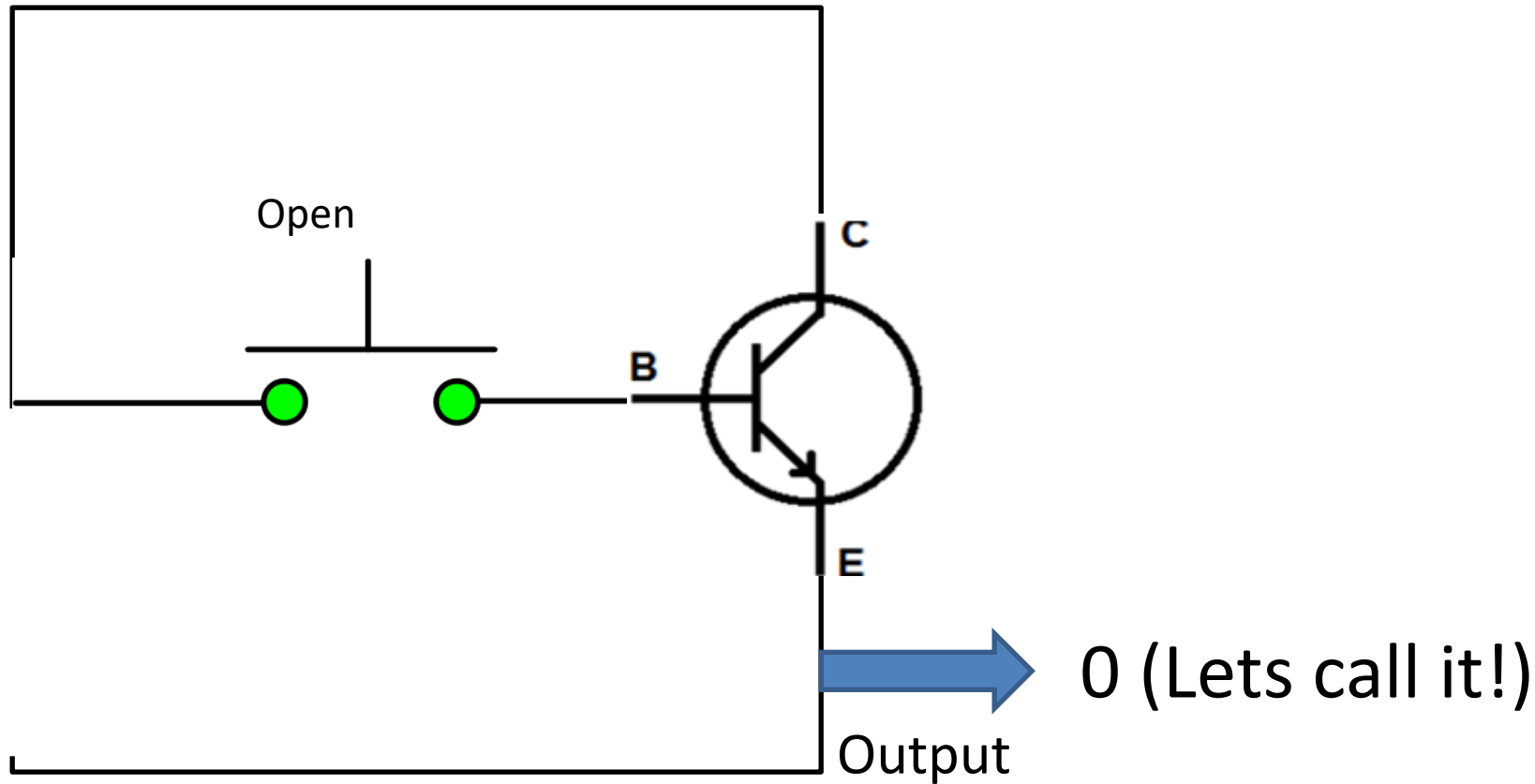
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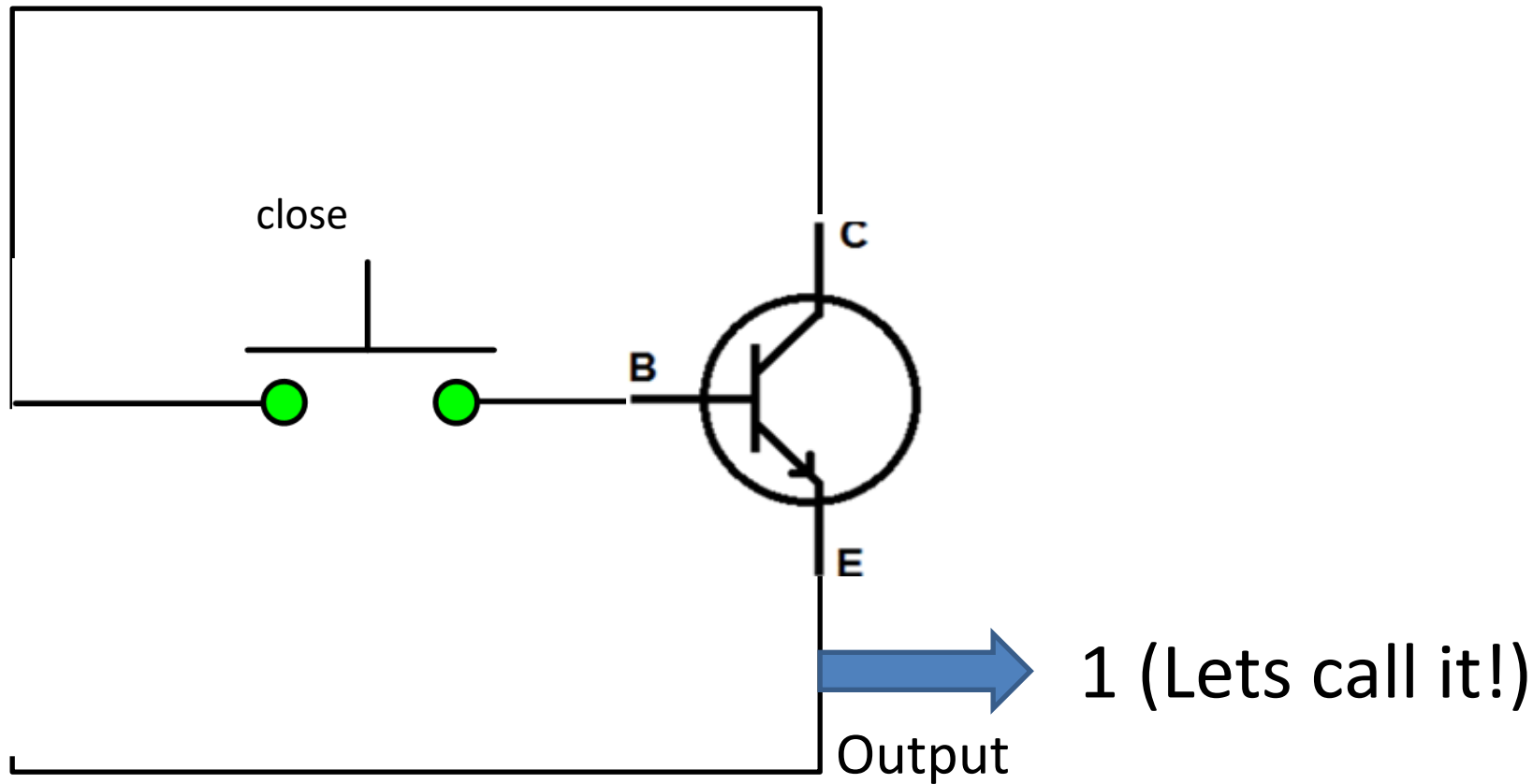
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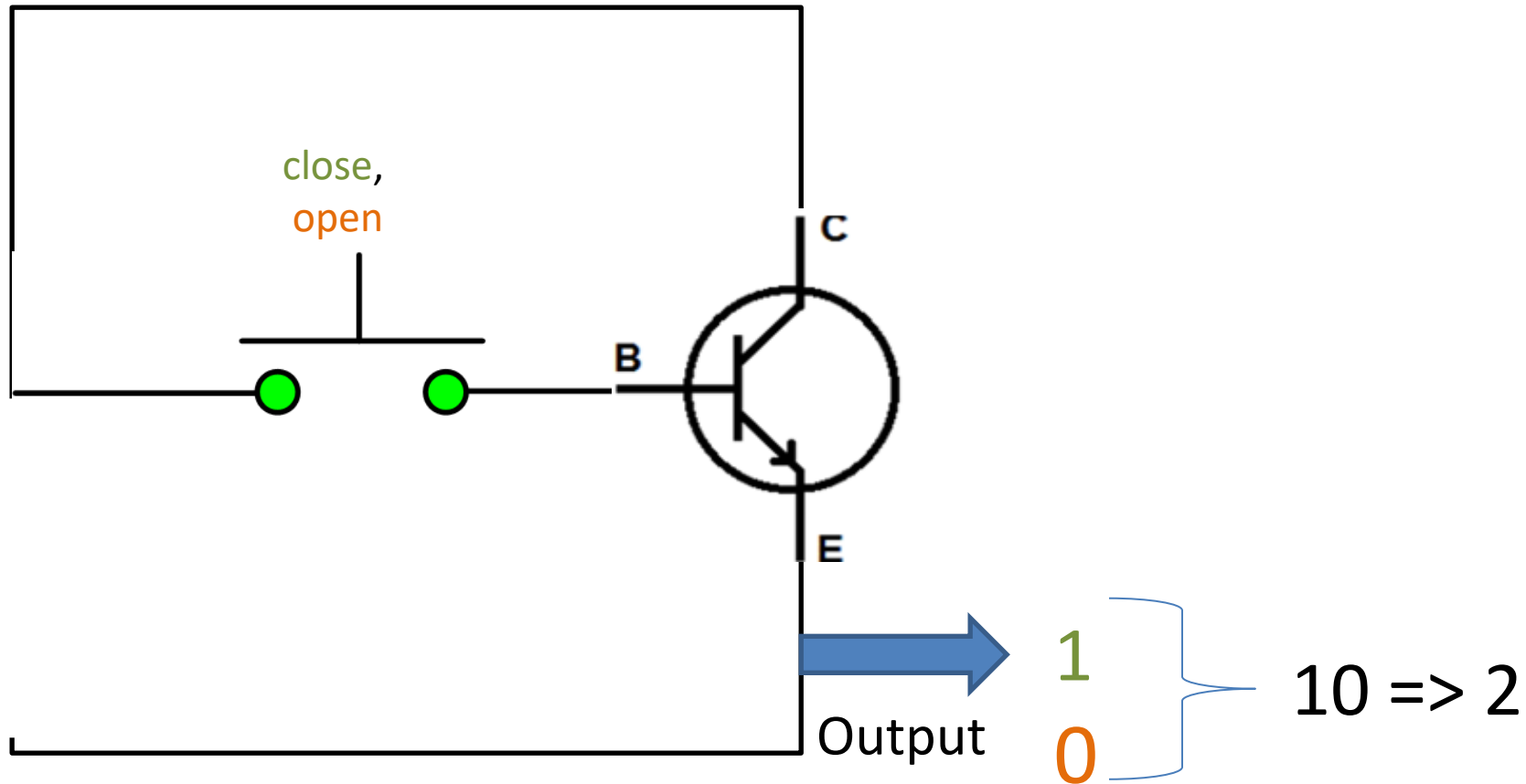
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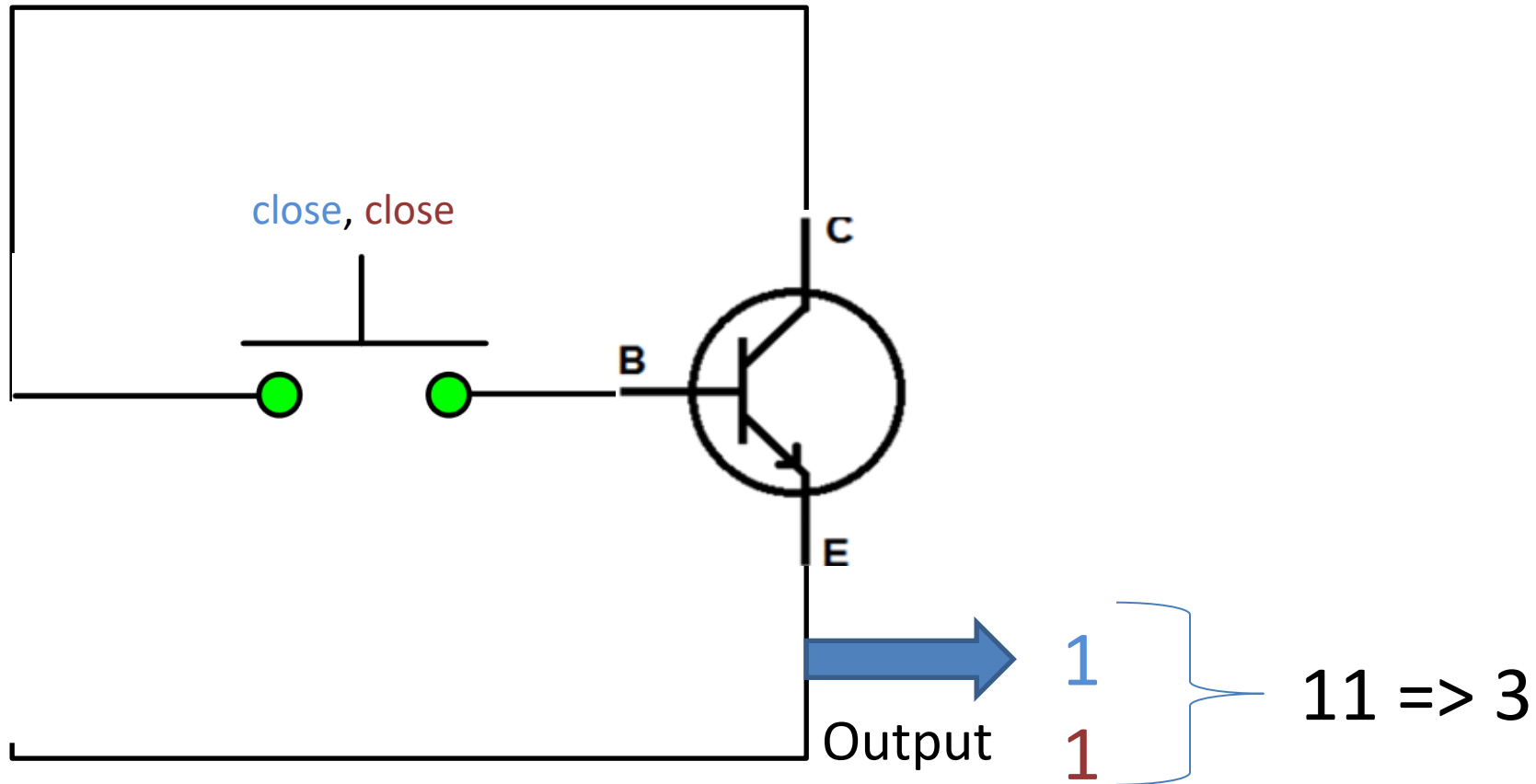
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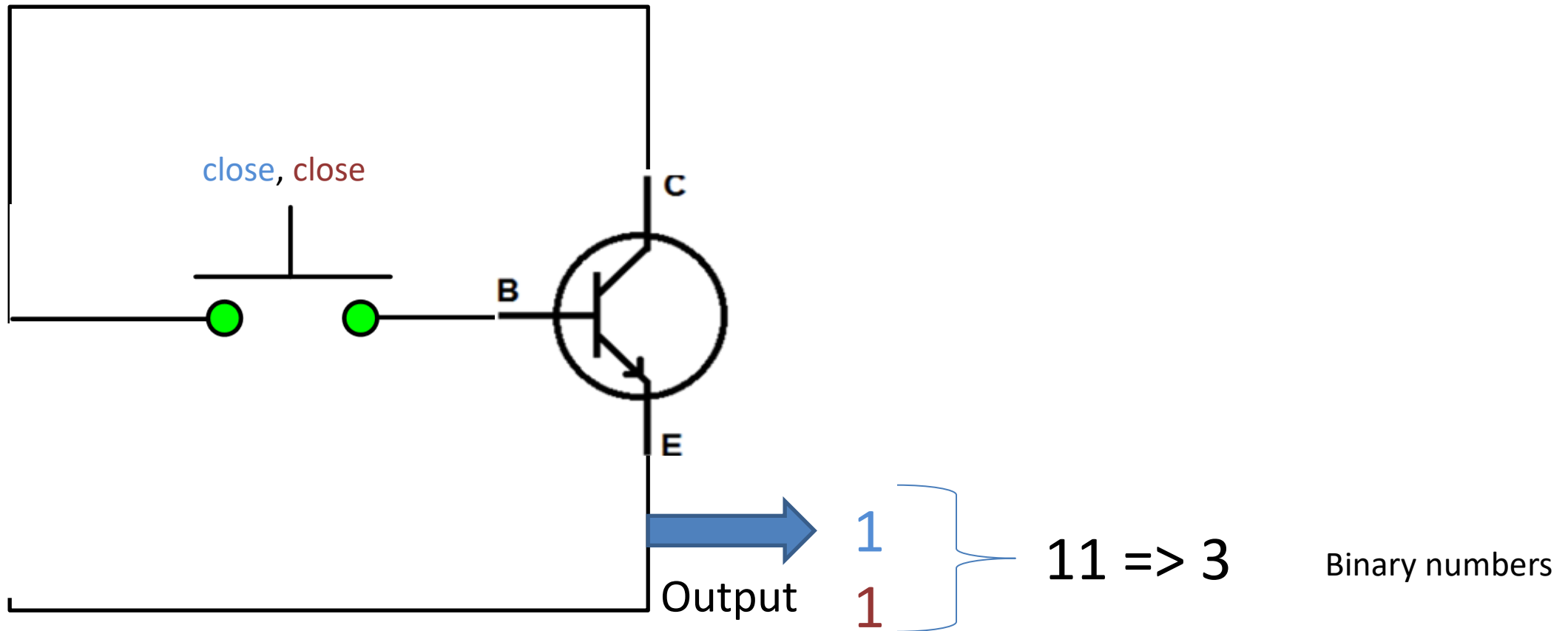
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	1×32	0×16	1×8	1×4	0×2	1×1

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Represent Letters

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- Represent words CAB => 01000011 01000001 01000010

Represent Colors

- Three value for intensities of Red, Green, Blue
- (54, 72, 32)
 - (intensity for red, intensity for green, intensity for blue)
 - Represent in binary

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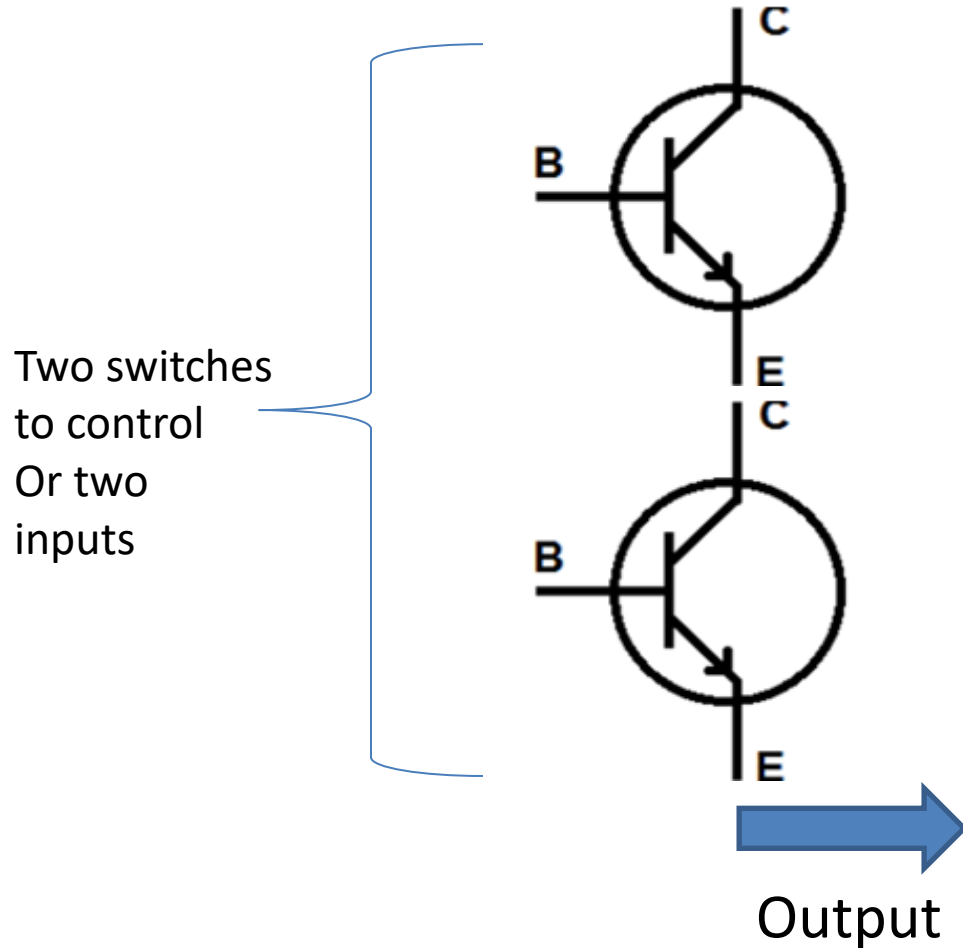
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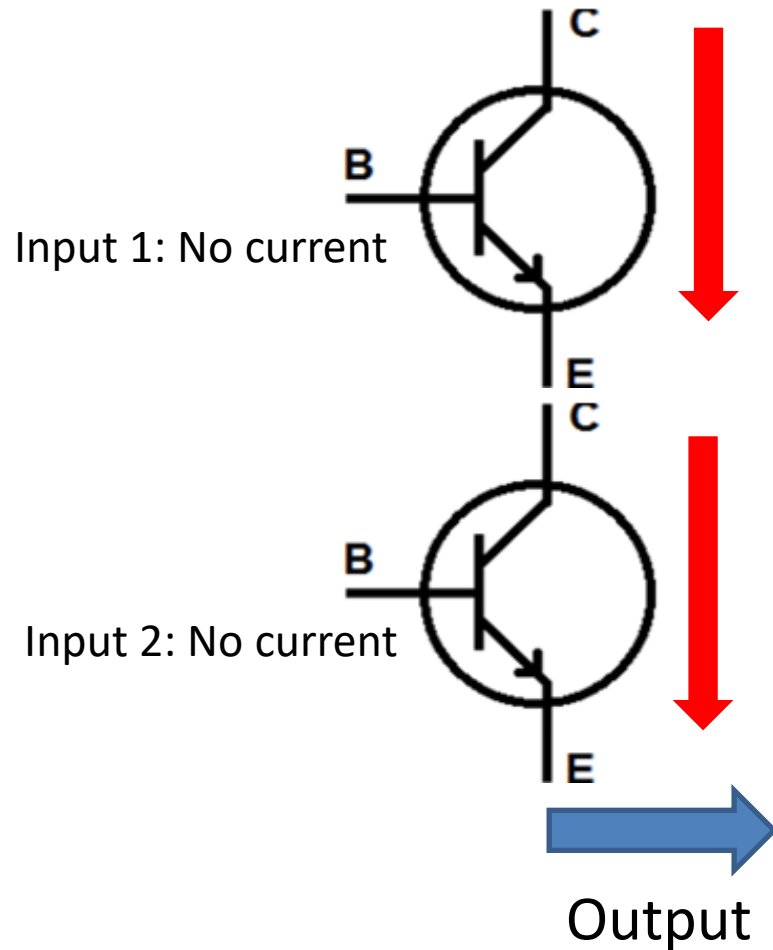
Computations

- Can we do Arithmetic (Addition)?
 - Need to take at least two inputs, and operate on them.
 - We will build logic gates to accomplish this.
 - How do we build logic gates?
 - Cleverly place transistors to create circuits.

Two transistors in parallel

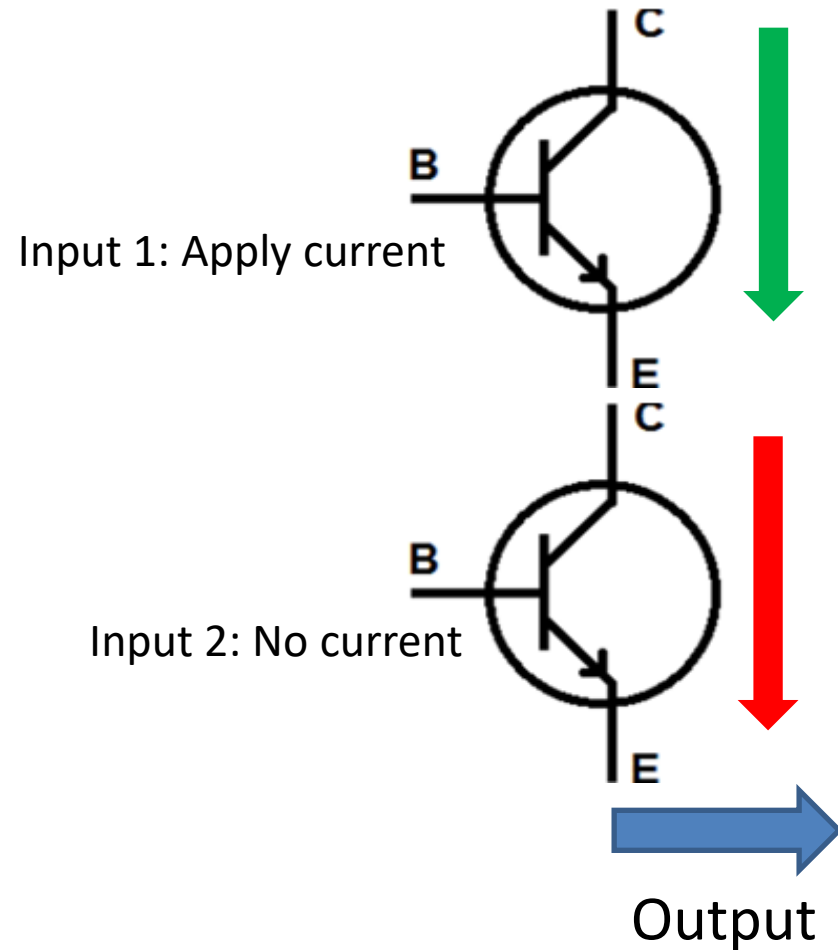


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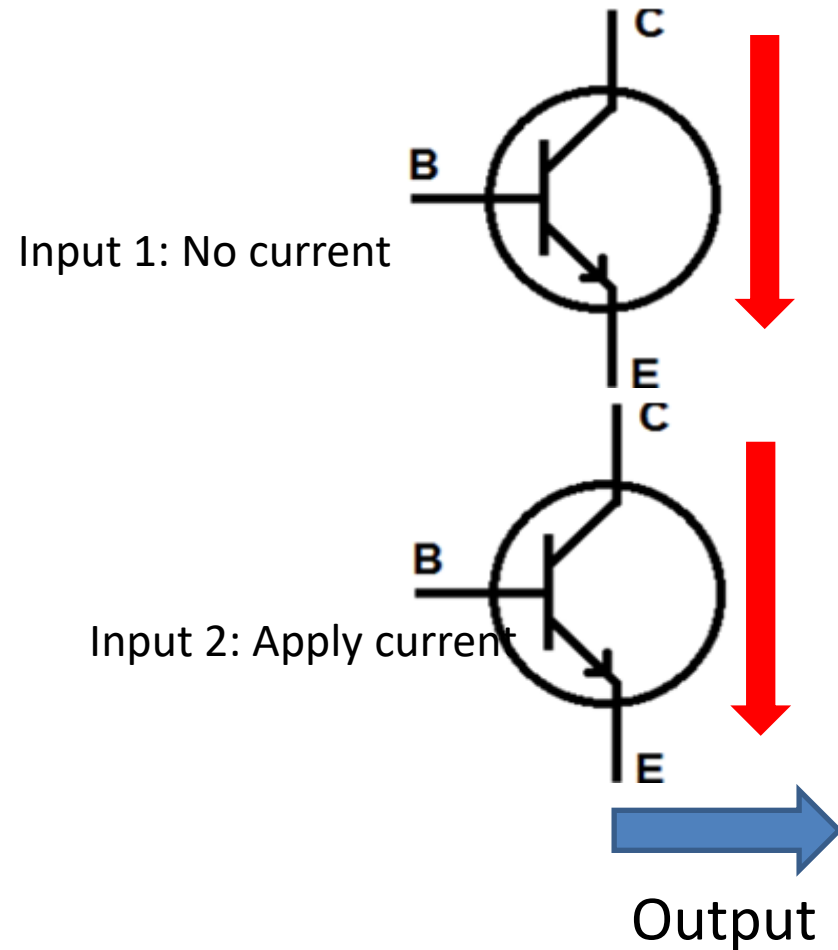
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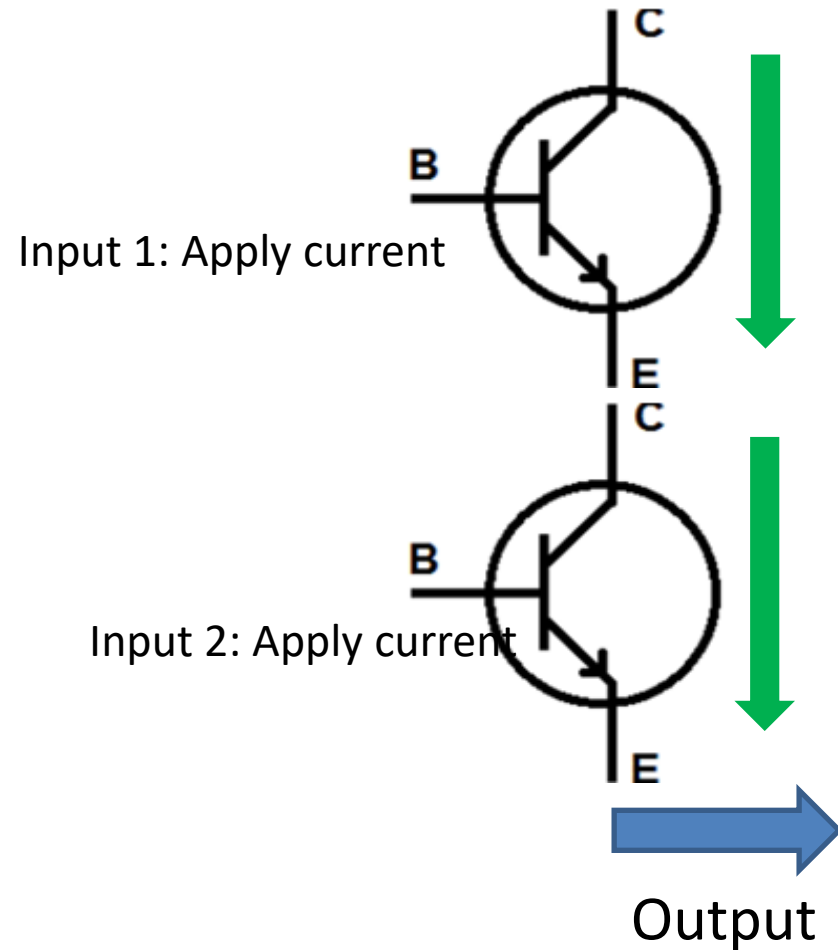
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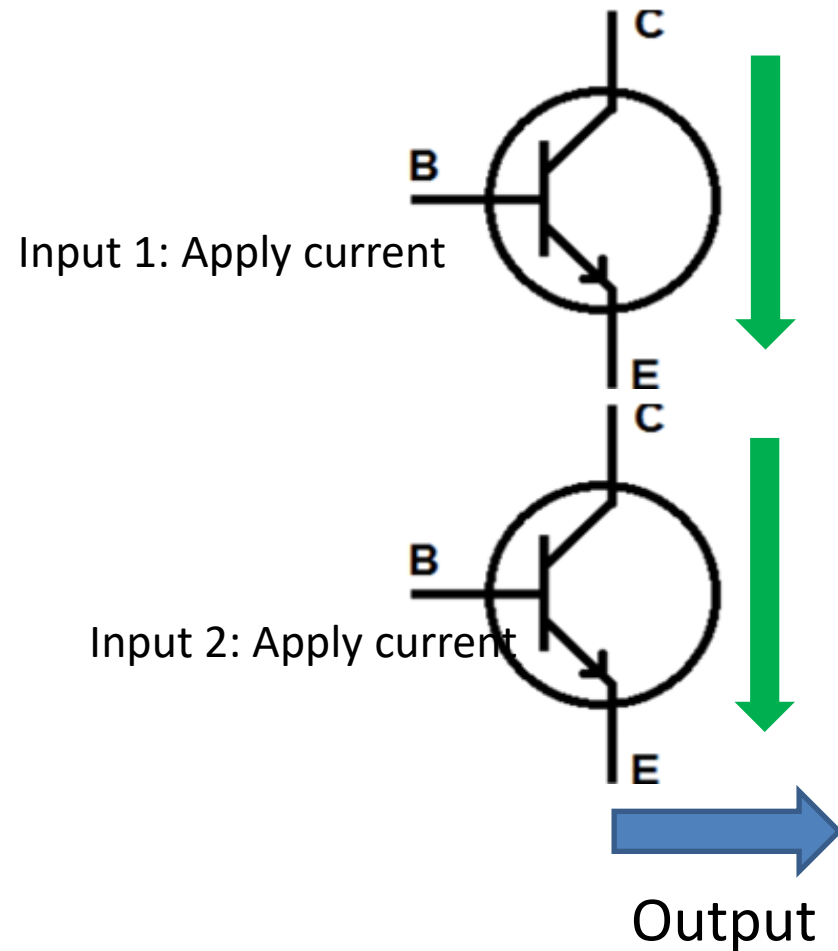
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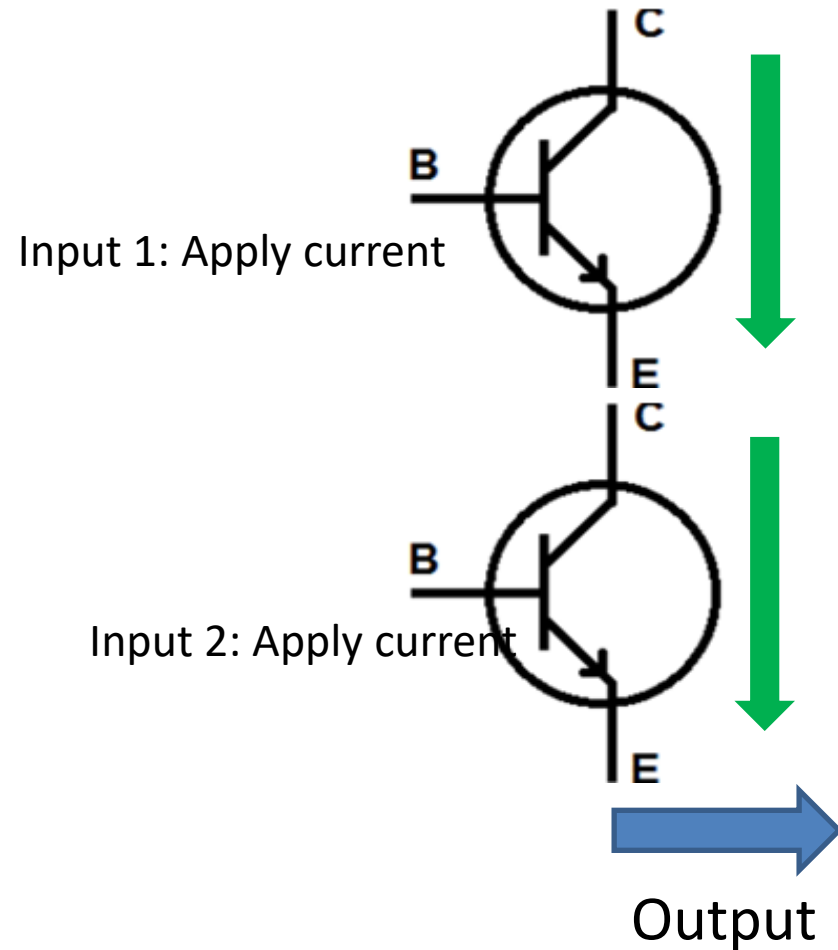
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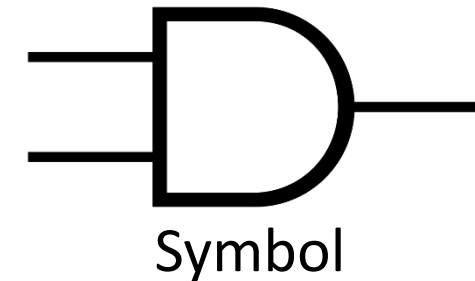
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1	1	1

Two transistors in parallel: Logic Gate

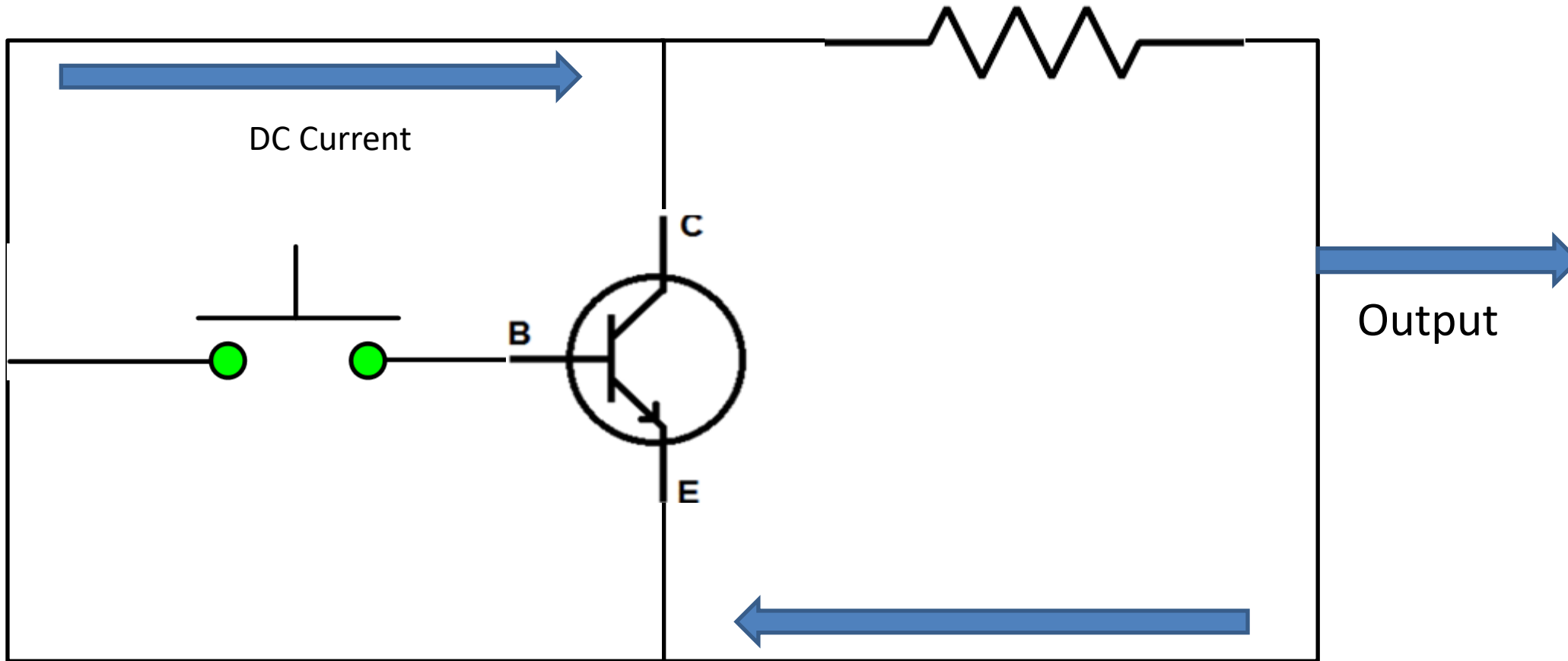


Input 1	Input 2	Output
0	0	0
1	0	0
0	1	0
1	1	1

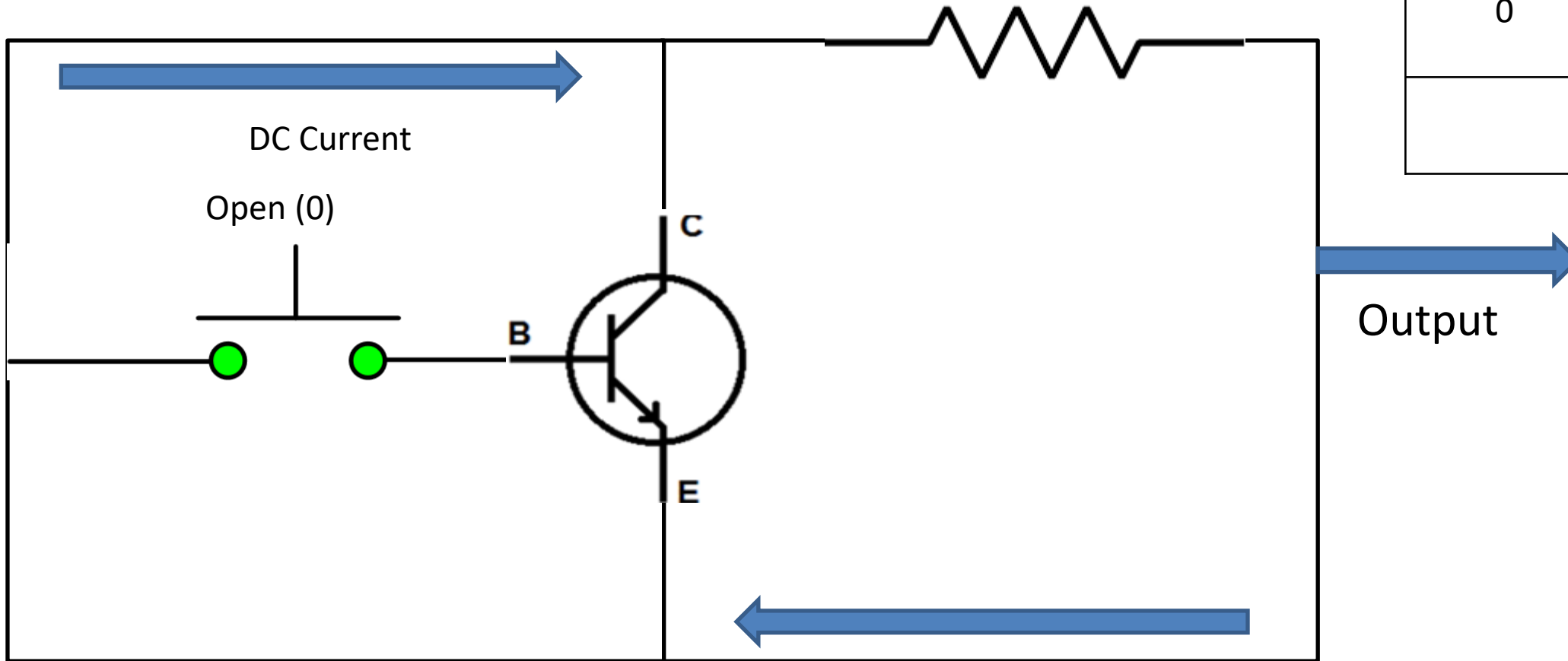
AND Gate



Another logic gate

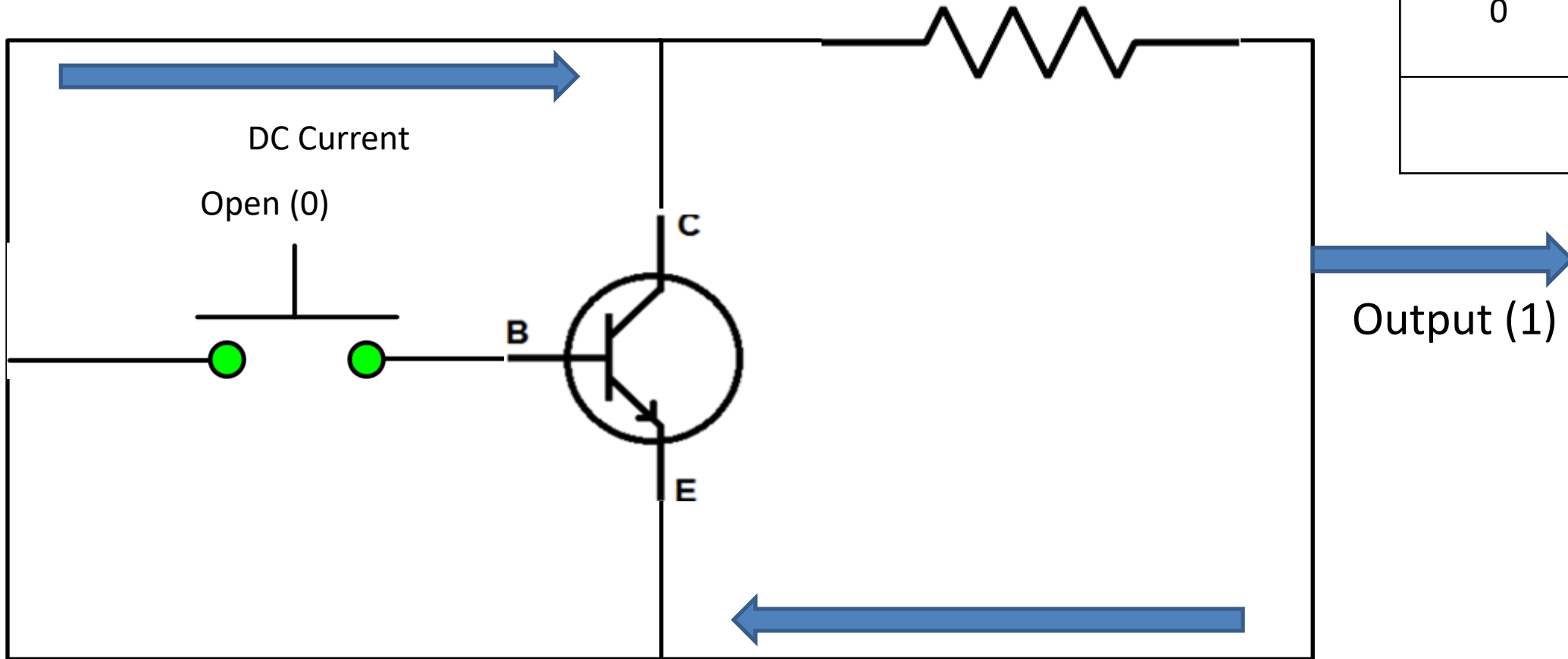


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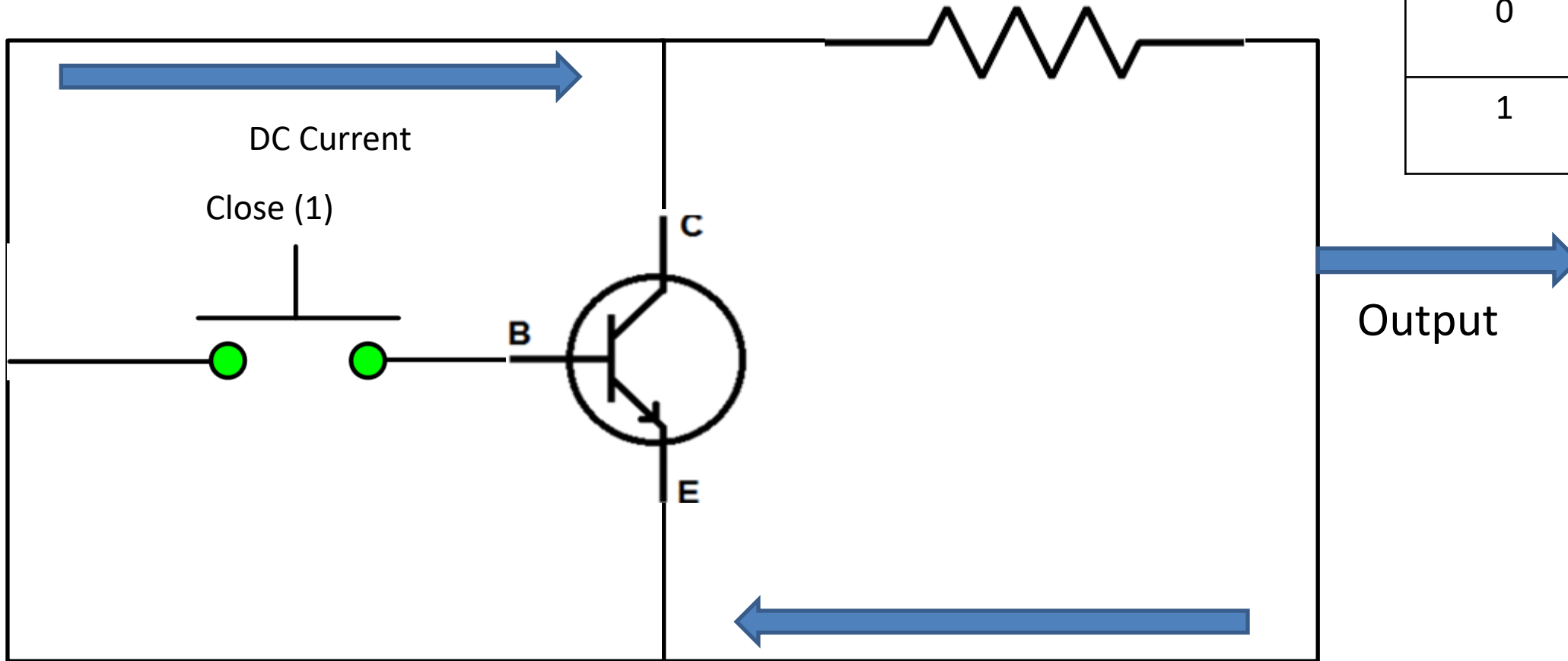
Input	Output
0	?

Another logic gate



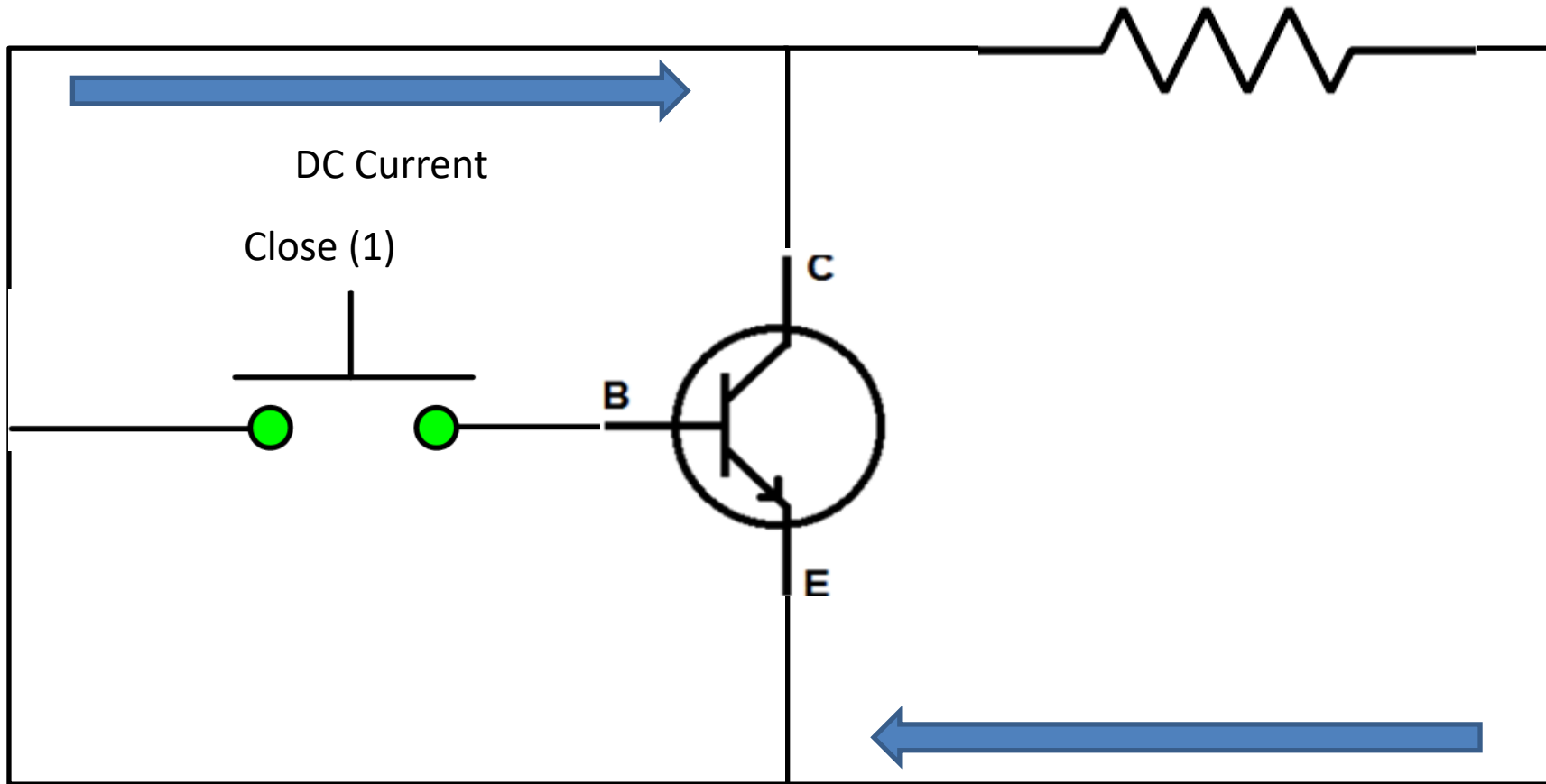
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Another logic gate



Input	Output
0	1
1	?

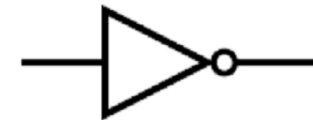
Another logic gate



Input	Output
0	1
1	0

Output (0)

NOT Gate



NAND Gate



AND Gate

NOT Gate

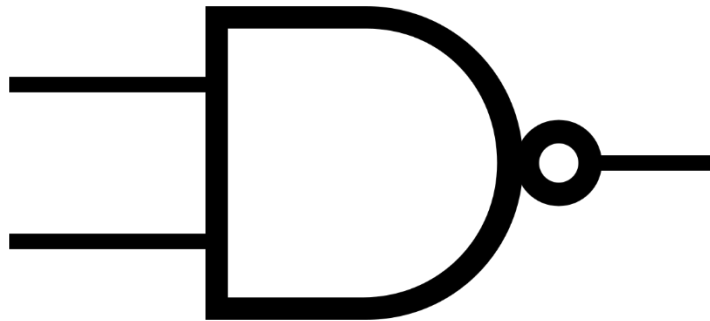
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0	0	0	
1	0	0	
0	1	0	
1	1	1	

NAND Gate



AND Gate

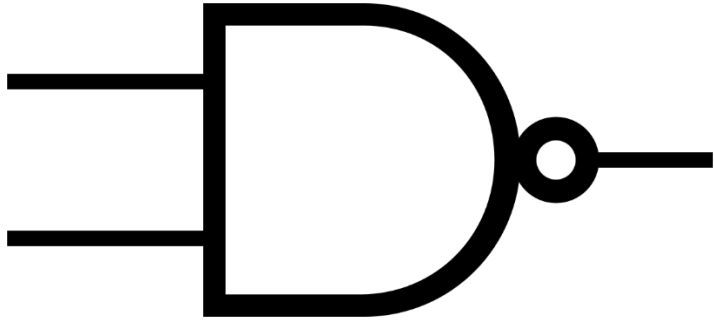
NOT Gate



NAND Gate

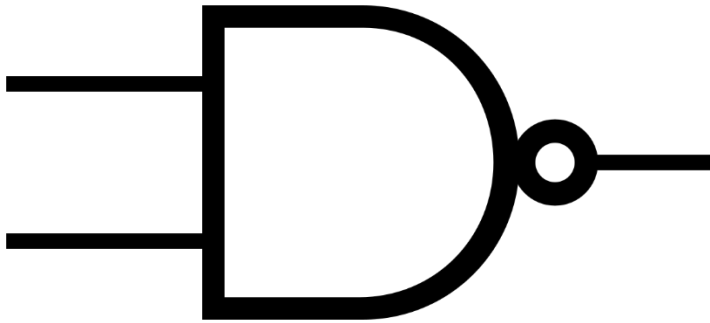
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0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1
1	1	1	0

One More Logic Gate



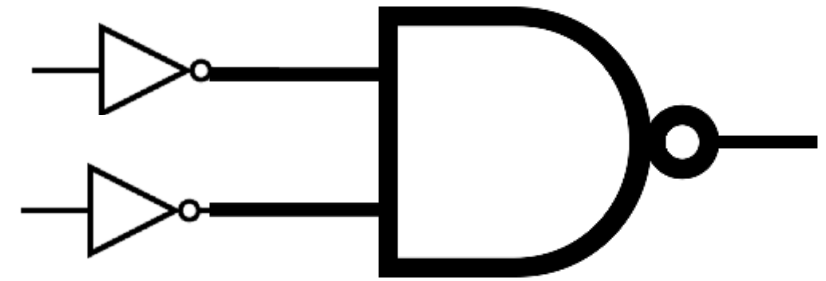
Input 1	Input 2	NAND
0	0	1
1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	0

One More Logic Gate



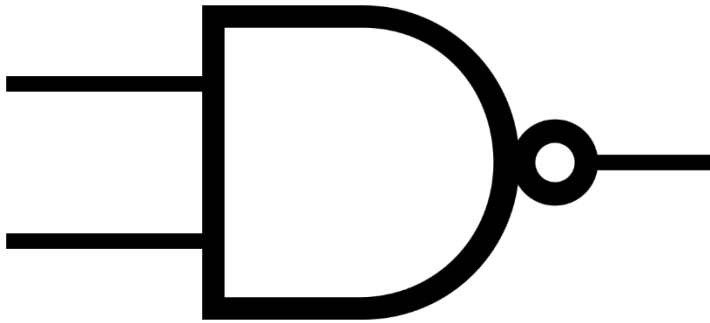
NAND Gate

Input 1	Input 2	NAND
0	0	1
1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	0



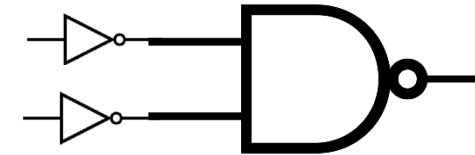
Input 1	Input 2	Output
0	0	?
1	0	
0	1	
1	1	

One More Logic Gate



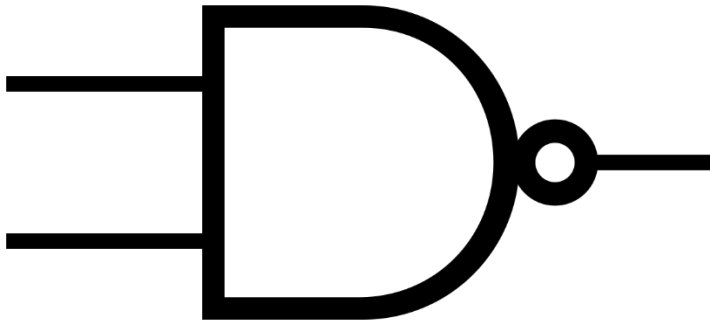
NAND Gate

Input 1	Input 2	NAND
0	0	1
1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	0



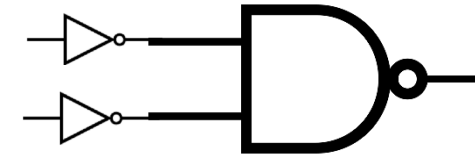
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0	0	1	1	0
1	0			
0	1			
1	1			

One More Logic Gate



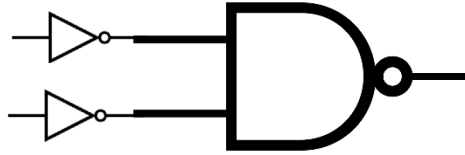
NAND Gate

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1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	0

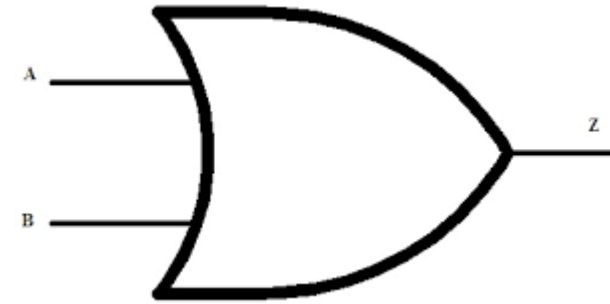


Input 1	Input 2	\sim Input 1	\sim Input 2	Output
0	0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
1	1	0	0	1

OR Gate



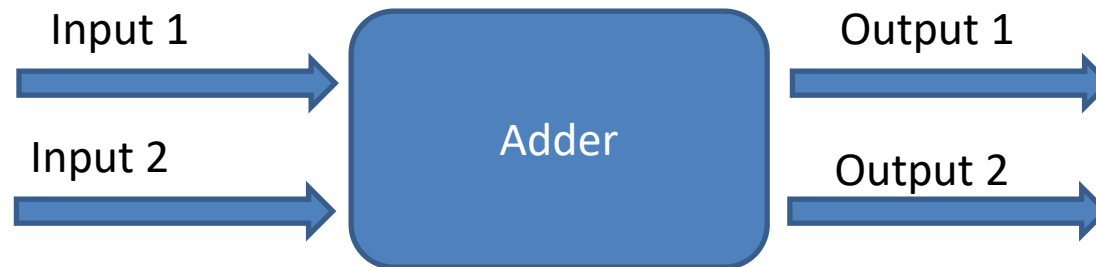
Input 1	Input 2	Output
0	0	0
1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	1



OR Gate

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- Add two one-bit numbers, and produce two-bit results
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Input 1 (base 10)	Input 2 (base 10)	Output (base 10)
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	2

Decimal

ADD Numbers (Simplified)

- Add two one-bit numbers, and produce two-bit results
- Since input is one-bit numbers, Input can be 0 or 1

Input 1	Input 2	Output
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	2

Decimal

Input 1	Input 2	Output 1	Output2
0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	0

Binary

Design an Adder



Input 1	Input 2	Output 1	Output 2
0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	0

Binary

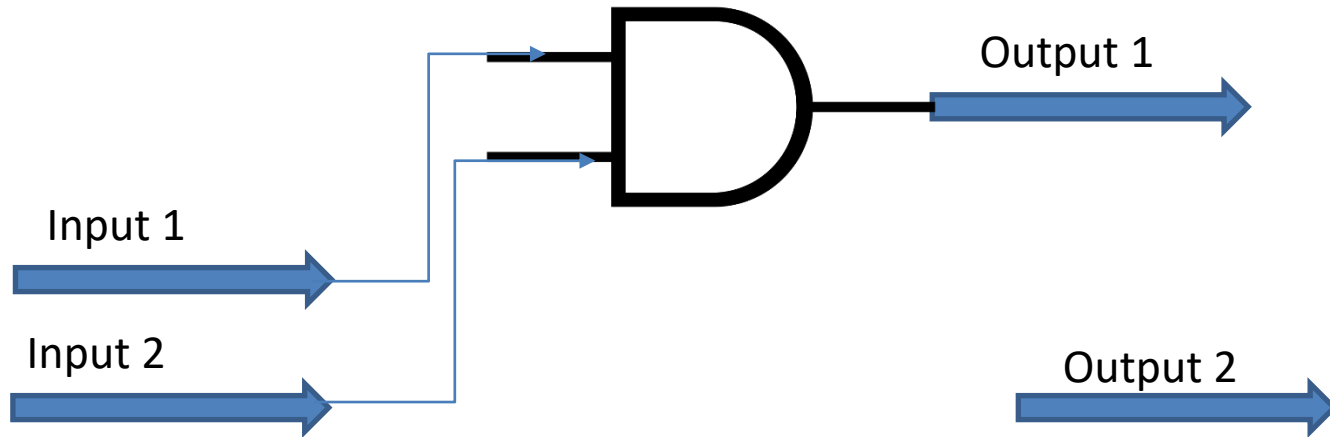
Design an Adder



Input 1	Input 2	Output 1	Output 2
0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	0

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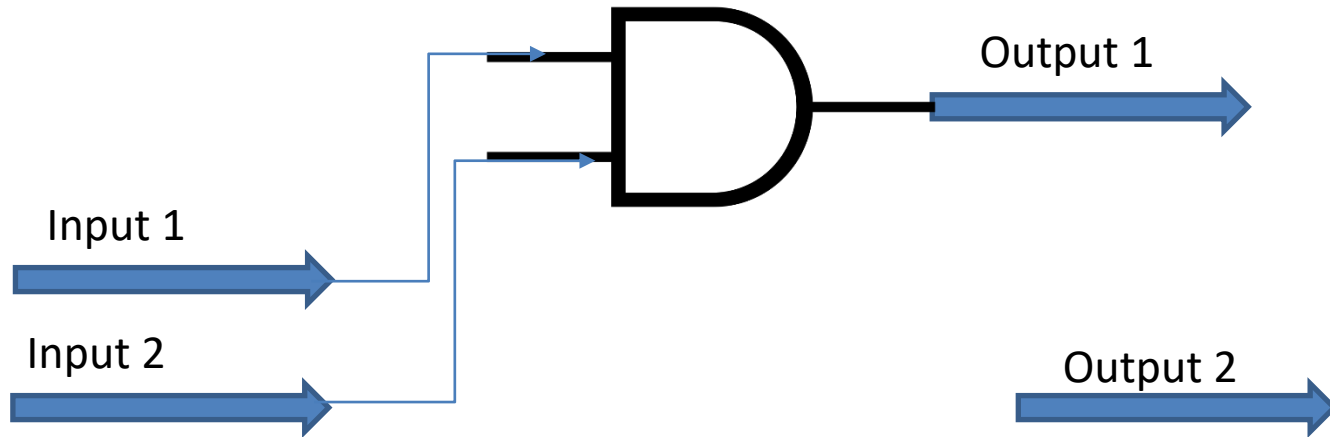
Design an Adder



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0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	0

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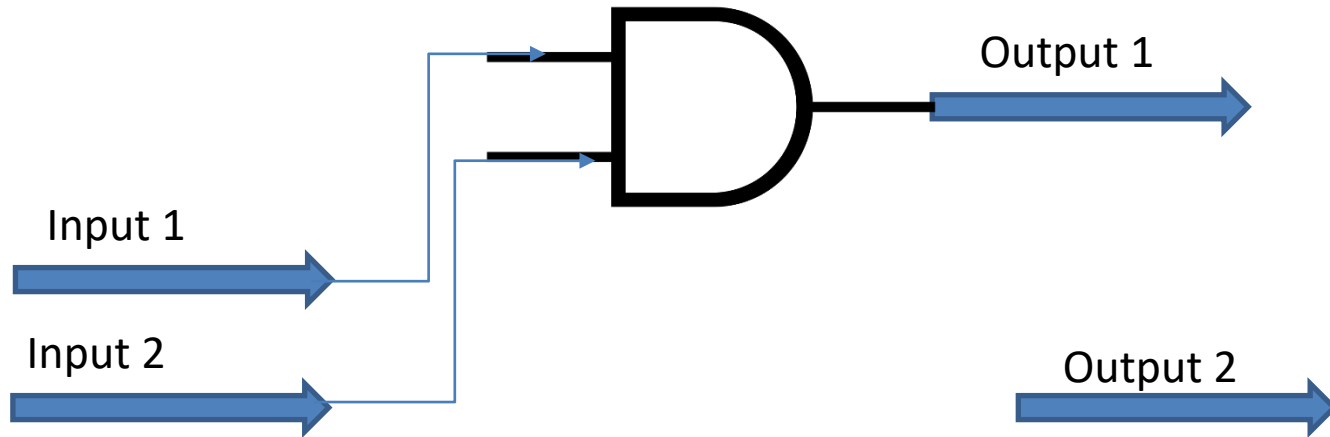
Design an Adder



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0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	0

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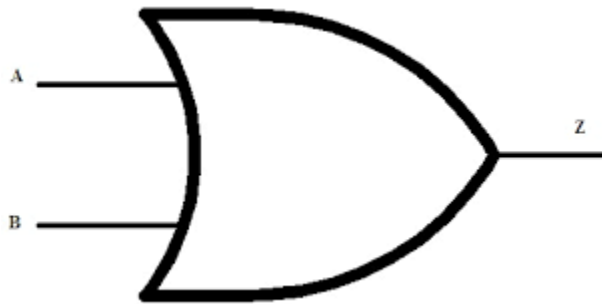
Design a Adder



It looks similar to OR Gate.
Except the last row is inverted where both inputs are 1,
the result is inverted.

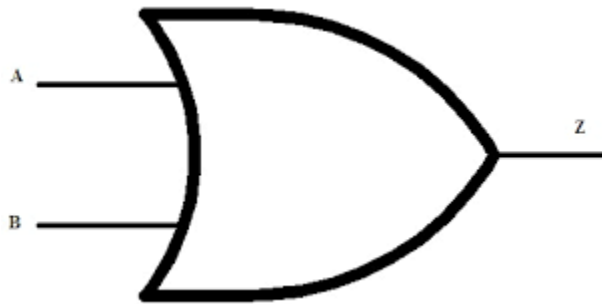
Input 1	Input 2	Output 1	Output 2
0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	0

Binary

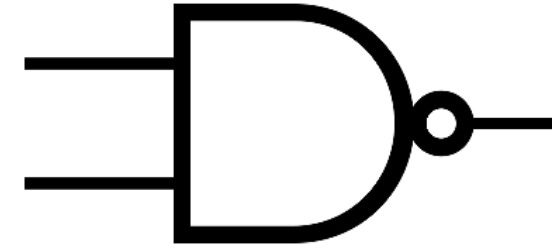


OR Gate

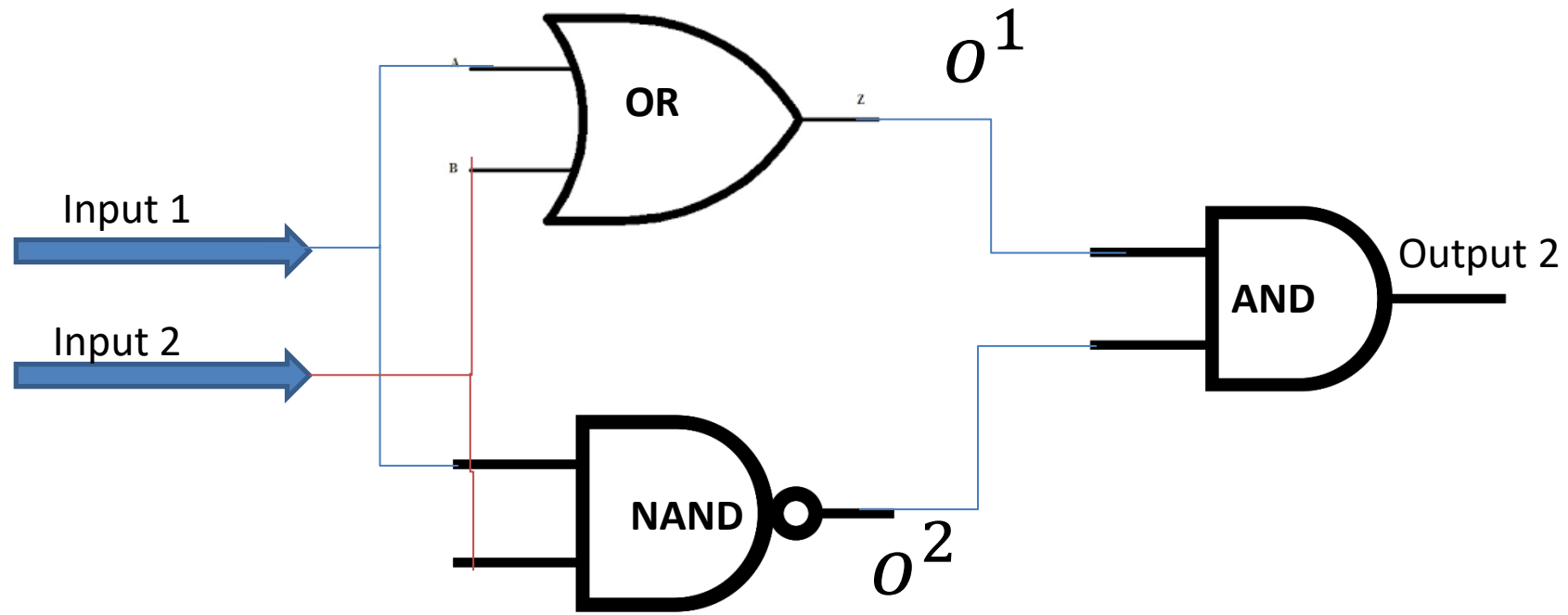
Input 1	Input 2	Output
0	0	0
1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	1

**OR Gate**

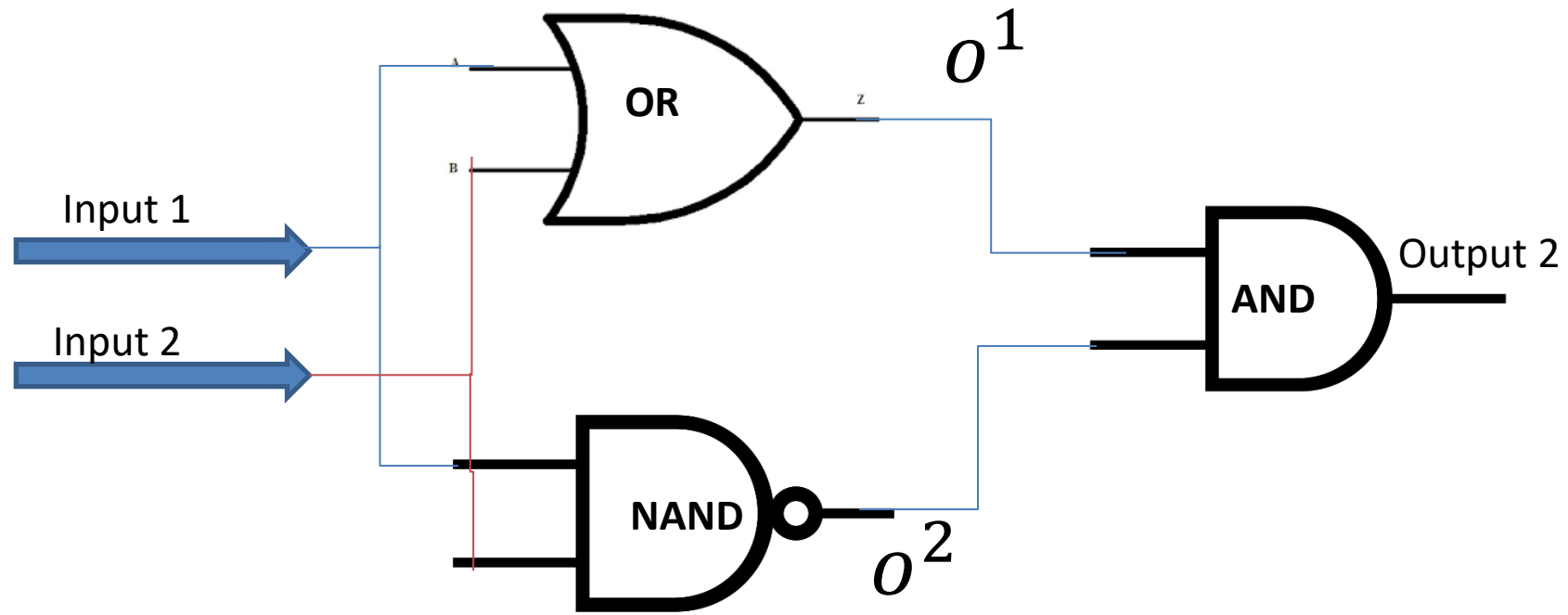
Input 1	Input 2	Output
0	0	0
1	0	1
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**NAND Gate**

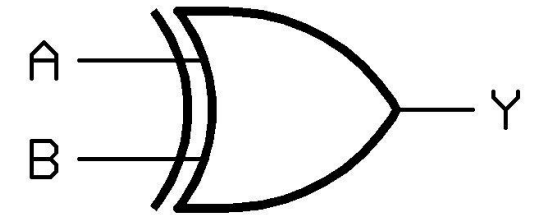
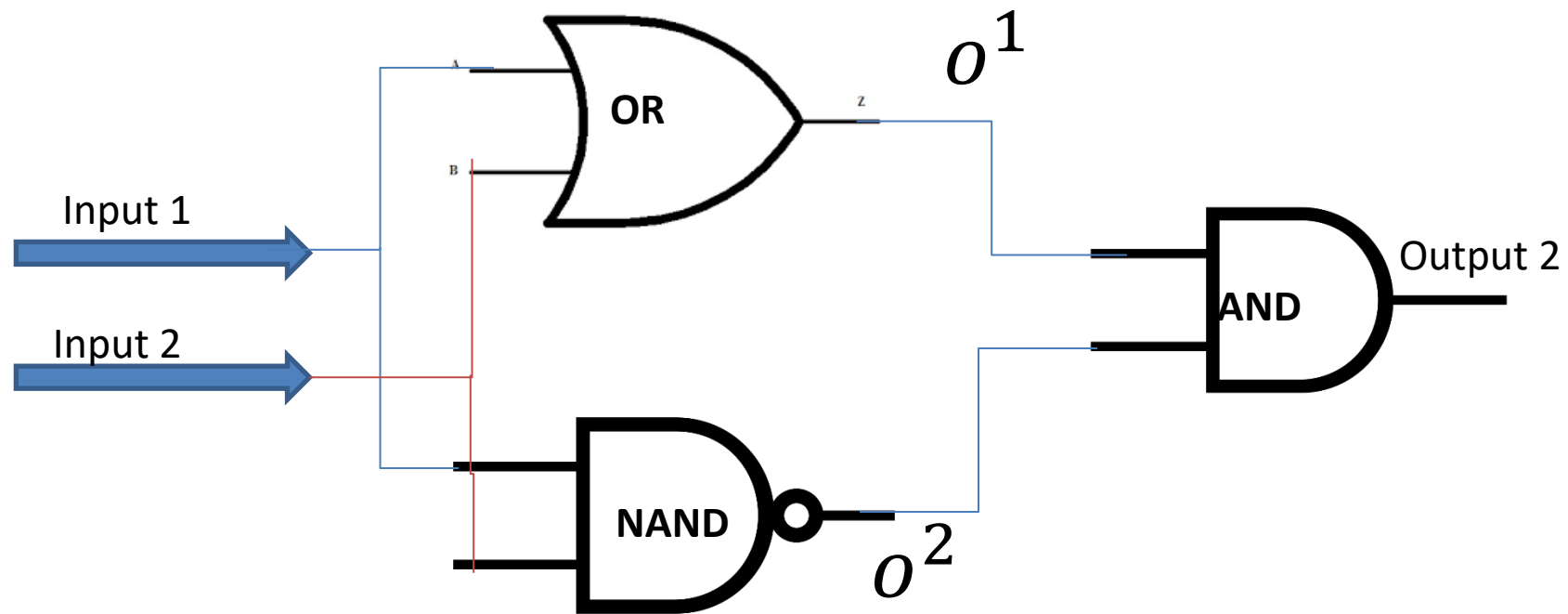
Input 1	Input 2	NAND
0	0	1
1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	0



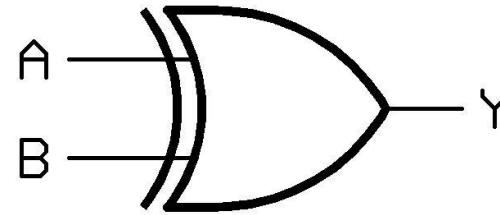
Input 1	Input 2	o^1	o^2	Output 2
0	0	0		
1	0	1		
0	1	1		
1	1	1		



Input 1	Input 2	o^1	o^2	Output 2
0	0	0	1	
1	0	1	1	
0	1	1	1	
1	1	1	0	

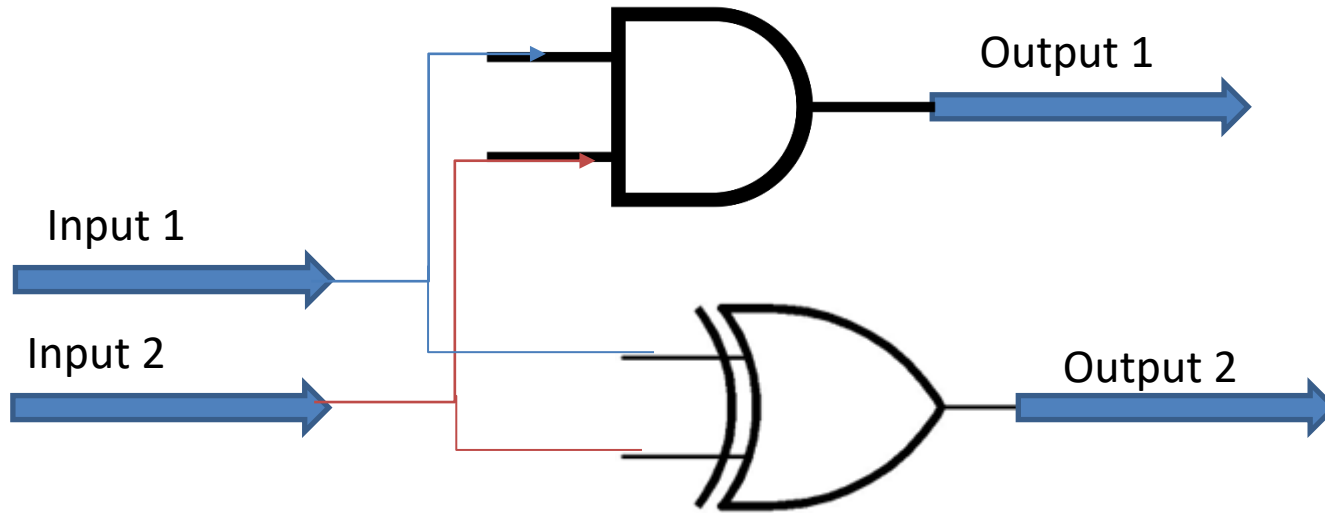
**XOR Gate**

Input 1	Input 2	o^1	o^2	Output 2
0	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	1	1
0	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0

**XOR Gate**

Input 1	Input 2	Output 2
0	0	0
1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	0

Design an Adder



XOR Gate

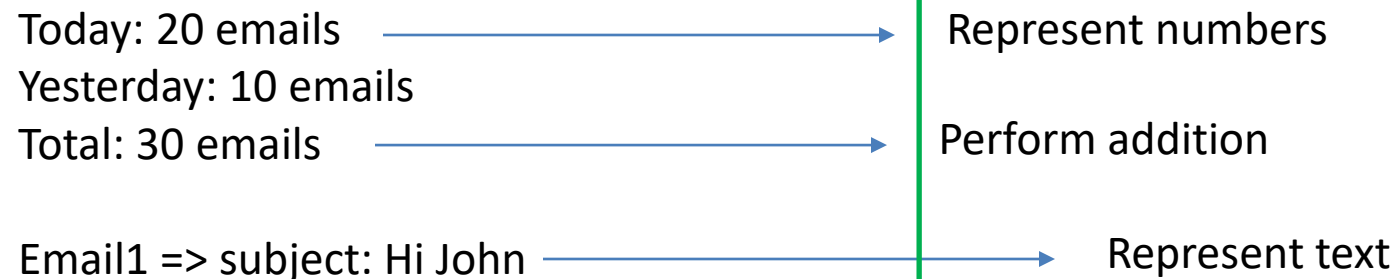
It looks similar to OR Gate.

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Input 1	Input 2	Output 1	Output 2
0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	0

Binary

How do computers work?



Many Such Circuits Exists

- There are many such circuits available to
 - Load data, store data, add, subtract and perform logical ops on data.

Questions

1. What operations can hardware perform? How to instruct computer to perform a certain operation? How are negative numbers/exponentials represented?
2. How do we perform addition, multiplication, division?
3. How do we improve the speed of the computer? Can we do things in parallel (compute while loading next data, etc.)
4. Where is data stored? How can we make it efficient?
5. Can we perform computations in parallel to improve performance?
6. How do we define performance?

Computer Architecture

Computer Architecture:

- refers to attributes of a system visible to a programmer
- includes the **instruction set architecture (ISA)** which defines instruction formats, instruction codes, number and names of registers, etc.

Computer Organization:

- refers to the operational units and their interconnections that realize the architectural specifications
- Examples: number of bits used to represent various data types (e.g., numbers, characters), I/O mechanisms,
- Computer Organization \neq Computer Architecture
e.g. Intel and AMD CPUs offer nearly identical architecture (they support the same set of operations), but have a very different (internal) organization.

History of Computers

First Generation: Vacuum Tubes

- Vacuum tubes were used for digital logic and memory
- IAS computer
 - Fundamental design approach was the stored program concept
 - Attributed to the mathematician John von Neumann, but significant contributions and developments happening all around the world (Alan Turing, Konrad Zuse, etc.)
 - First publication of the idea was in 1945 for the EDVAC
 - Design began at the Princeton Institute for Advanced Studies
 - Completed in 1952
 - Prototype of all subsequent general-purpose computers



Second Generation: Transistors

- Invented at Bell Labs in 1947
- Smaller, Cheaper and Dissipates less heat than a vacuum tube
- Is a *solid state device* made from silicon
- fully transistorized computers were commercially available in the late 1950's

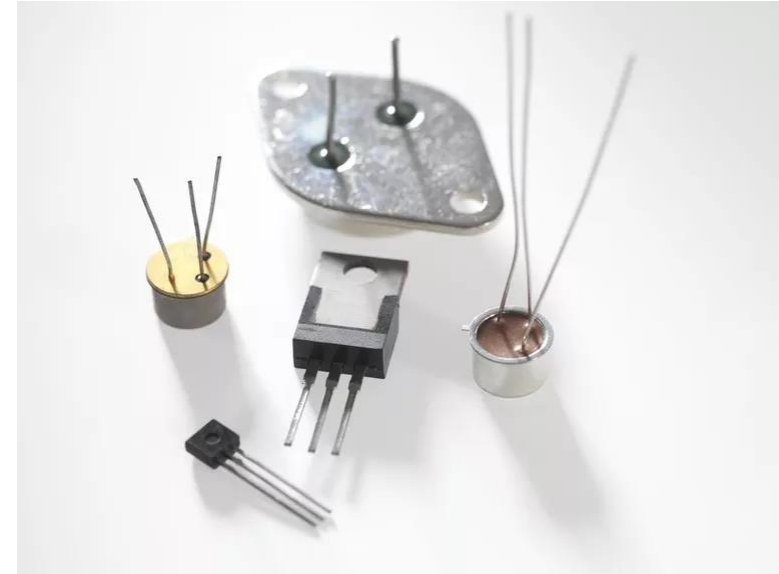


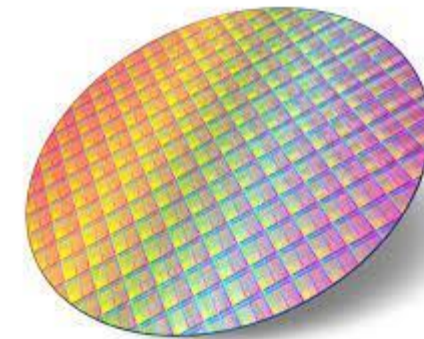
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Second Generation Computers

- Introduced:
 - More complex arithmetic and logic units and control units
 - The use of high-level programming languages
 - Provision of *system software* which provided the ability to:
 - Load programs
 - Move data to peripherals
 - Libraries perform common computations

Third Generation: Integrated Circuits

- 1958 – the invention of the integrated circuit
- Exploits the fact that transistors can be fabricated from a semiconductor such as silicon
- Many transistors can be produced at the same time on a single wafer of silicon
- Transistors can be connected with a processor metallization to form circuits



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Moore's Law

- Moore observed that the number of transistors that could be integrated on a single chip doubled roughly every 18 month
- Cost of a chip manufacturing remained virtually unchanged => cost of computer logic and memory circuitry has decreased
- Logic and memory elements are placed closer together
=>electrical path length is shortened, increasing operating speed
- The computer becomes smaller, making it more convenient to place in a variety of environments
- Reduction in power and cooling requirements