

BNC **Branch if Not Carry**

Syntax: [*label*] BNC *n*

Operands: $-128 \leq n \leq 127$

Operation: if carry bit is '0'
 $(PC) + 2 + 2n \rightarrow PC$

Status Affected: None

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| Encoding: | 1110 | 0011 | nnnn | nnnn |
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Description: If the Carry bit is '0', then the program will branch.
 The 2's complement number '2n' is added to the PC. Since the PC will have incremented to fetch the next instruction, the new address will be $PC+2+2n$. This instruction is then a two-cycle instruction.

Words: 1

Cycles: 1(2)

Q Cycle Activity:

If Jump:

| Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 |
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| Decode | Read literal 'n' | Process Data | Write to PC |
| No operation | No operation | No operation | No operation |

If No Jump:

| Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 |
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| Decode | Read literal 'n' | Process Data | No operation |

Example: HERE BNC Jump

Before Instruction

PC = address (HERE)

After Instruction

If Carry = 0:

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PC = address (Jump)
If Carry = 1;
PC = address (HERE+2)
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