



COMPUTER ORGANISATION (TỔ CHỨC MÁY TÍNH)

Sequential circuits

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WHERE ARE WE NOW?

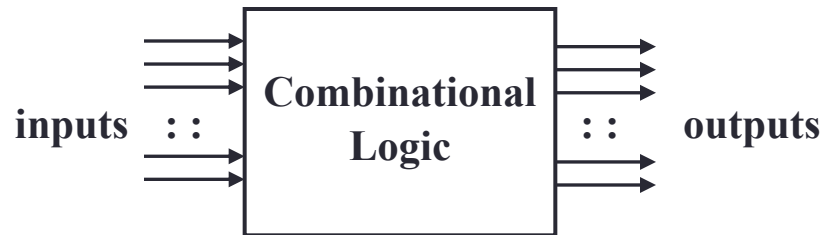
- Number systems and codes
 - Boolean algebra
 - Logic gates and circuits
 - Simplification
 - Combinational circuits
 - **Sequential circuits**
 - Performance
 - Assembly language
 - The processor: Datapath and control
 - Pipelining
 - Memory hierarchy: Cache
 - Input/output
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- The diagram illustrates the course structure with blue brackets and a red arrow. A bracket groups the first two items (Number systems and codes, Boolean algebra) under the label 'Preparation: 2 weeks'. Another bracket groups the next four items (Logic gates and circuits, Simplification, Combinational circuits, and Sequential circuits) under the label 'Logic Design: 3 weeks'. A red arrow points from the 'Sequential circuits' item to the left. A final bracket groups the last five items (Performance, Assembly language, The processor: Datapath and control, Pipelining, and Memory hierarchy: Cache) under the label 'Computer organisation'. The 'Input/output' item is not grouped by any bracket.
- Preparation: 2 weeks
- Logic Design: 3 weeks
- Computer organisation

SEQUENTIAL LOGIC

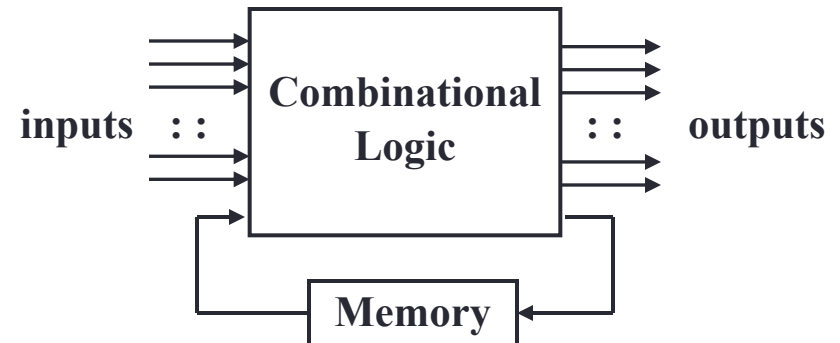
- Memory Elements
- Latches: *S-R* Latch, *D* Latch
- Flip-flops: *S-R* flip-flop, *D* flip-flop, *J-K* flip-flops, *T* flip-flops
- Asynchronous Inputs
- Synchronous Sequential Circuit: Analysis and Design
- Memory
- Memory Unit
- Read/Write Operations
- Memory Arrays

INTRODUCTION (1/2)

- Two classes of logic circuits
 - Combinational
 - Sequential
- **Combinational Circuit**
 - Each output depends entirely on the immediate (present) inputs.



- **Sequential Circuit**
 - Each output depends on both present inputs and state.

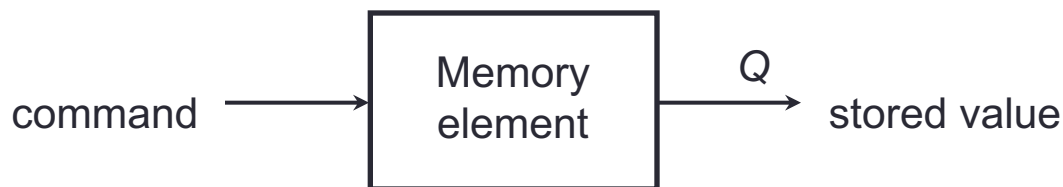


INTRODUCTION (2/2)

- Two types of sequential circuits:
 - **Synchronous**: outputs change only at specific time
 - **Asynchronous**: outputs change at any time
- Multivibrator: a class of sequential circuits
 - Bistable (2 stable states)
 - Monostable or one-shot (1 stable state)
 - Astable (no stable state)
- Bistable logic devices
 - **Latches** and **flip-flops**.
 - They differ in the methods used for changing their state.

MEMORY ELEMENTS (1/3)

- **Memory element**: a device which can remember value indefinitely, or change value on command from its inputs.



■ Characteristic table:

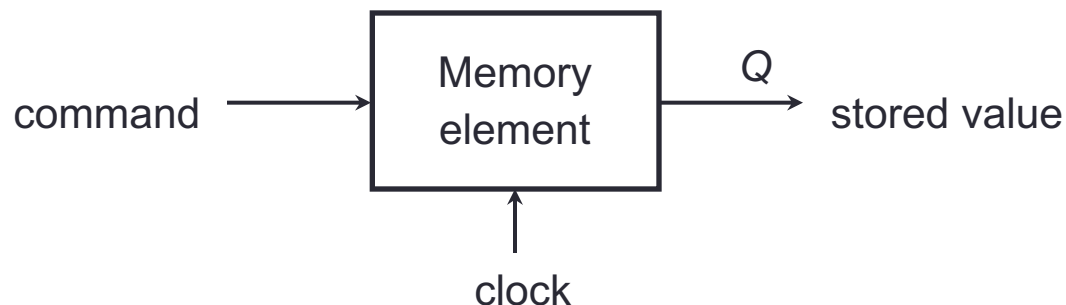
Command (at time t)	$Q(t)$	$Q(t+1)$
Set	X	1
Reset	X	0
Memorise / No Change	0	0
	1	1

$Q(t)$ or Q : current state

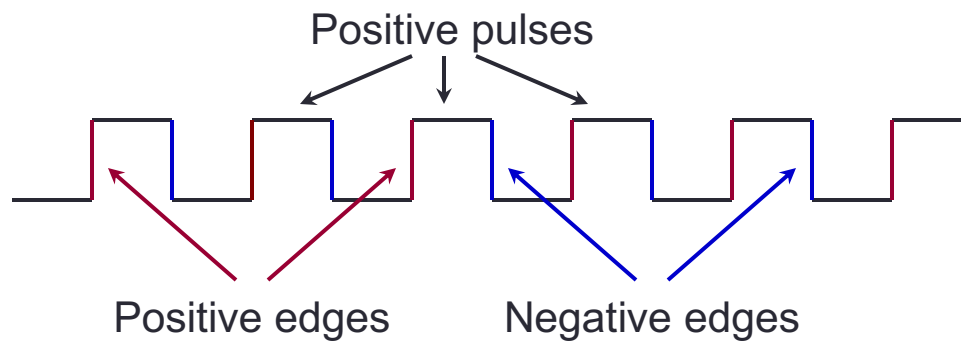
$Q(t+1)$ or Q^+ : next state

MEMORY ELEMENTS (2/3)

- Memory element with clock.



- Clock is usually a square wave.



MEMORY ELEMENTS (3/3)

- Two types of triggering/activation

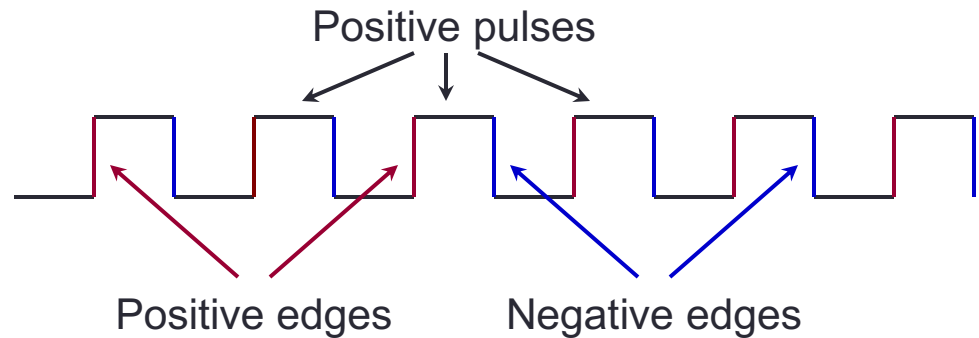
- Pulse-triggered
- Edge-triggered

- Pulse-triggered

- Latches
- ON = 1, OFF = 0

- Edge-triggered

- Flip-flops
- Positive edge-triggered (ON = from 0 to 1; OFF = other time)
- Negative edge-triggered (ON = from 1 to 0; OFF = other time)

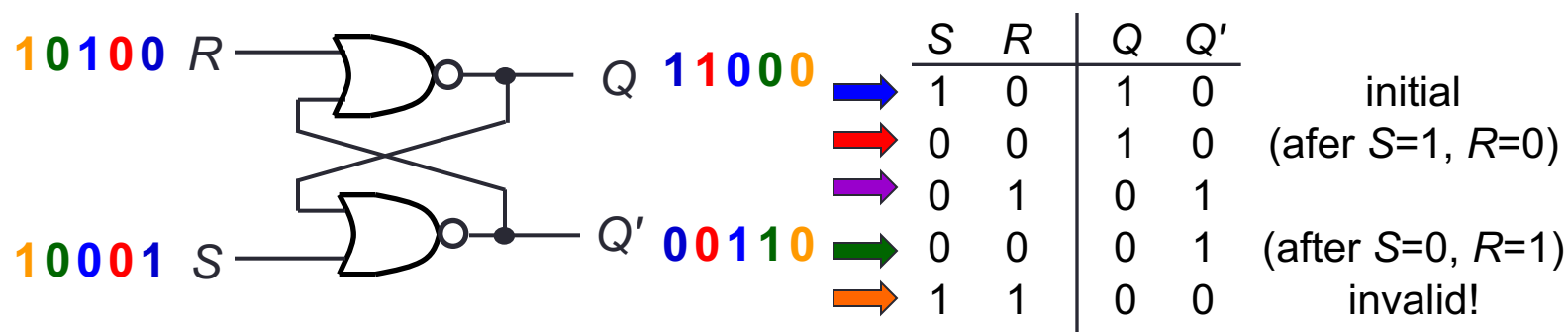


S-R LATCH (1/3)

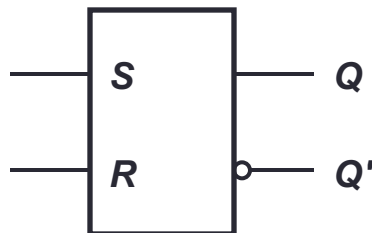
- **Two inputs:** S and R .
- **Two complementary outputs:** Q and Q' .
 - When $Q = \text{HIGH}$, we say latch is in SET state.
 - When $Q = \text{LOW}$, we say latch is in RESET state.
- For active-high input S-R latch (also known as NOR gate latch)
 - $R = \text{HIGH}$ and $S = \text{LOW} \rightarrow Q$ becomes LOW (RESET state)
 - $S = \text{HIGH}$ and $R = \text{LOW} \rightarrow Q$ becomes HIGH (SET state)
 - Both R and S are LOW \rightarrow No change in output Q
 - Both R and S are HIGH \rightarrow Outputs Q and Q' are both LOW (invalid!)
- Drawback: invalid condition exists and must be avoided.

S-R LATCH (2/3)

- Active-high input S-R latch:

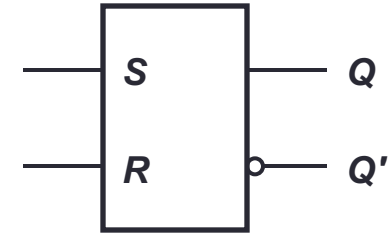


- Block diagram:



S-R LATCH (3/3)

- Characteristic table for active-high input S-R latch:



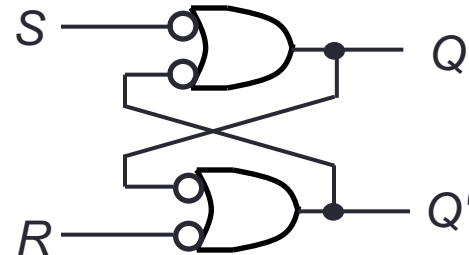
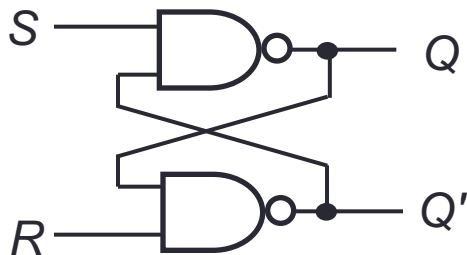
S	R	Q	Q'	
0	0	NC	NC	No change. Latch remained in present state.
1	0	1	0	Latch SET.
0	1	0	1	Latch RESET.
1	1	0	0	Invalid condition.

S	R	Q(t+1)	
0	0	Q(t)	No change
0	1	0	Reset
1	0	1	Set
1	1	indeterminate	

$$Q(t+1) = ?$$

ACTIVE-LOW S-R LATCH

- (You may skip this slide.)
- What we have seen is **active-high input** S-R latch.
- There are **active-low input** S-R latches, where NAND gates are used instead. See diagram on the left below.

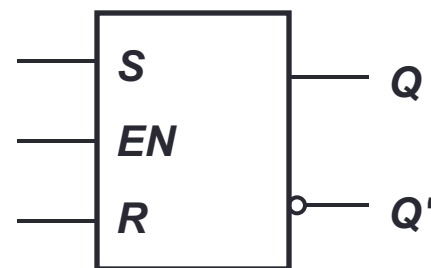
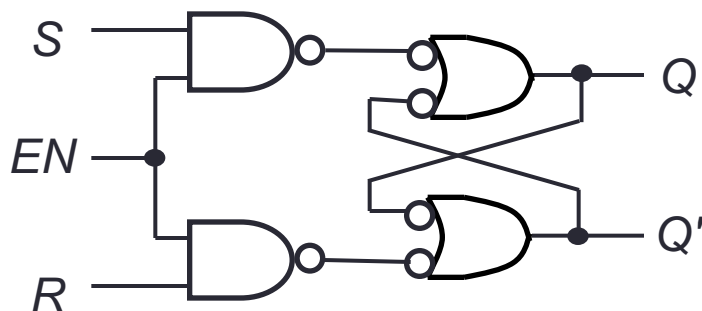


- In this case,
 - when $R=0$ and $S=1$, the latch is reset (i.e. Q becomes 0)
 - when $R=1$ and $S=0$, the latch is set (i.e. Q becomes 1)
 - when $S=R=1$, it is a no-change command.
 - when $S=R=0$, it is an invalid command.
- Sometimes, we use the alternative gate diagram for the NAND gate. See diagram on the right above. (This appears in more complex latches/flip-flops in the later slides.)

(Sometimes, the inputs are labelled as S' and R' .)

GATED S-R LATCH

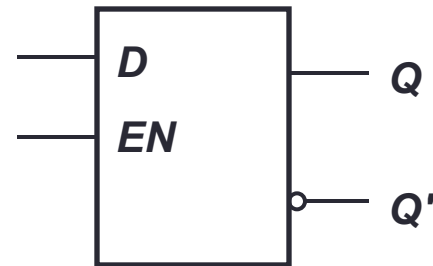
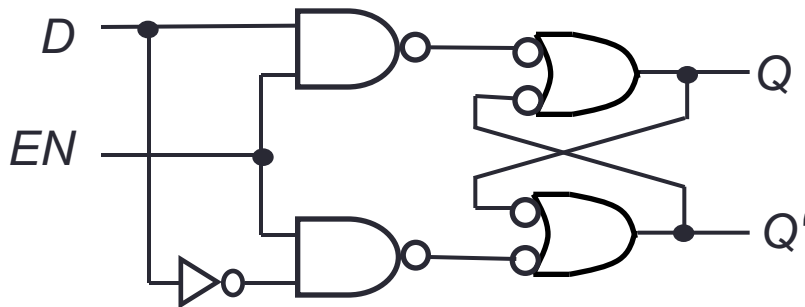
- S-R latch + *enable input* (EN) and 2 NAND gates \rightarrow a **gated S-R latch**.



- Outputs change (if necessary) only when EN is high.

GATED *D* LATCH (1/2)

- Make input R equal to S' \rightarrow **gated D latch**.
- D latch eliminates the undesirable condition of invalid state in the S - R latch.



GATED *D* LATCH (2/2)

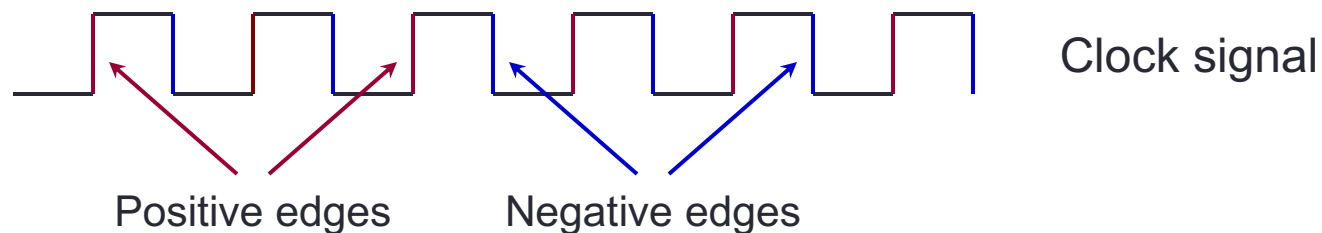
- When *EN* is high,
 - *D* = HIGH → latch is SET
 - *D* = LOW → latch is RESET
- Hence when *EN* is high, *Q* “follows” the *D* (data) input.
- Characteristic table:

<i>EN</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Q(t+1)</i>	
1	0	0	Reset
1	1	1	Set
0	X	<i>Q(t)</i>	No change

When *EN*=1, *Q(t+1)* = ?

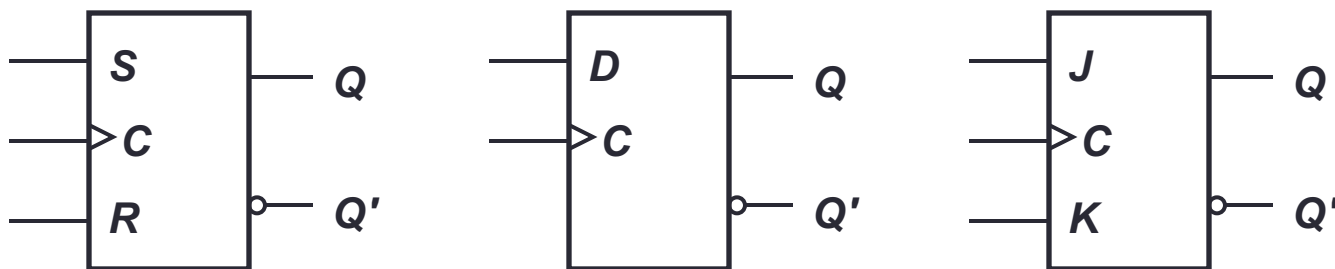
FLIP-FLOPS (1/2)

- Flip-flops are synchronous bistable devices.
- Output changes state at a specified point on a triggering input called the clock.
- Change state either at the positive (rising) edge, or at the negative (falling) edge of the clock signal.

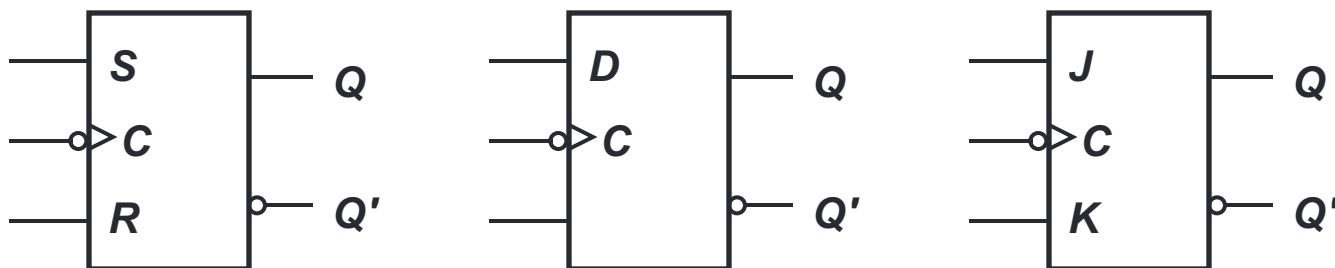


FLIP-FLOPS (2/2)

- *S-R* flip-flop, *D* flip-flop, and *J-K* flip-flop.
- Note the “>” symbol at the clock input.



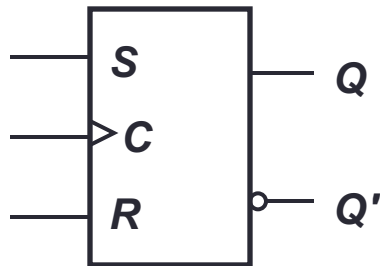
Positive edge-triggered flip-flops



Negative edge-triggered flip-flops

S-R FLIP-FLOP

- **S-R flip-flop**: On the triggering edge of the clock pulse,
 - $R = \text{HIGH}$ and $S = \text{LOW} \rightarrow Q$ becomes LOW (RESET state)
 - $S = \text{HIGH}$ and $R = \text{LOW} \rightarrow Q$ becomes HIGH (SET state)
 - Both R and S are LOW \rightarrow No change in output Q
 - Both R and S are HIGH \rightarrow Invalid!
- **Characteristic table** of positive edge-triggered S-R flip-flop:



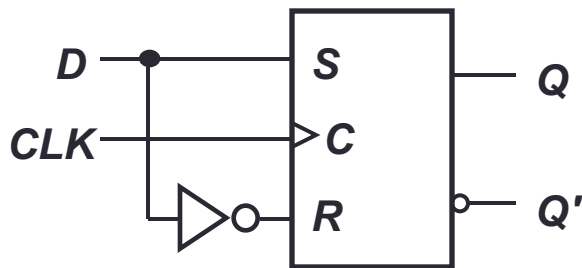
S	R	CLK	$Q(t+1)$	Comments
0	0	X	$Q(t)$	No change
0	1	\uparrow	0	Reset
1	0	\uparrow	1	Set
1	1	\uparrow	?	Invalid

X = irrelevant ("don't care")

\uparrow = clock transition LOW to HIGH

D FLIP-FLOP (1/2)

- **D flip-flop**: Single input D (data). On the triggering edge of the clock pulse,
 - $D = \text{HIGH} \rightarrow Q$ becomes HIGH (SET state)
 - $D = \text{LOW} \rightarrow Q$ becomes LOW (RESET state)
- Hence, Q “follows” D at the clock edge.
- Convert S - R flip-flop into a D flip-flop: add an inverter.



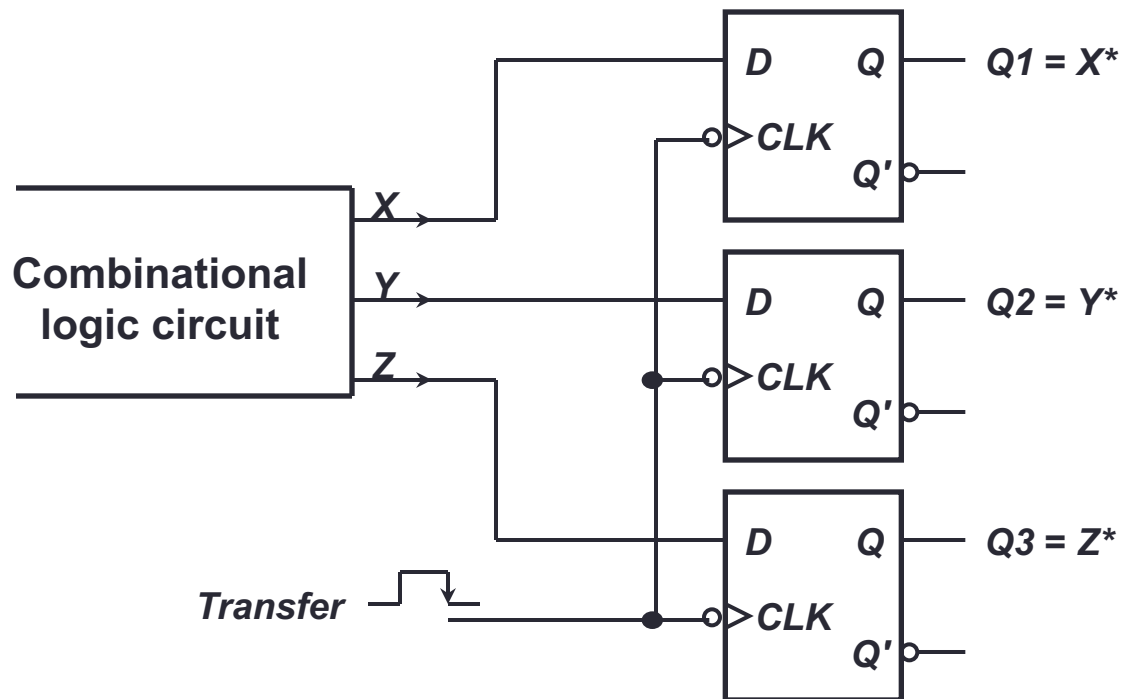
A positive edge-triggered D flip-flop formed with an S-R flip-flop.

D	CLK	$Q(t+1)$	Comments
1	↑	1	Set
0	↑	0	Reset

↑ = clock transition LOW to HIGH

D FLIP-FLOP (2/2)

- Application: Parallel data transfer.
 - To transfer logic-circuit outputs X , Y , Z to flip-flops $Q1$, $Q2$ and $Q3$ for storage.



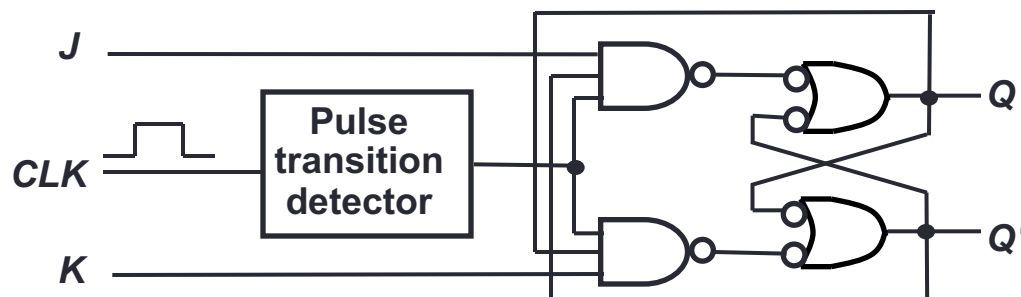
* After occurrence of negative-going transition

J-K FLIP-FLOP (1/2)

- *J-K flip-flop*: Q and Q' are fed back to the pulse-steering NAND gates.
- No invalid state.
- Include a toggle state
 - $J = \text{HIGH}$ and $K = \text{LOW} \rightarrow Q$ becomes HIGH (SET state)
 - $K = \text{HIGH}$ and $J = \text{LOW} \rightarrow Q$ becomes LOW (RESET state)
 - Both J and K are LOW \rightarrow No change in output Q
 - Both J and K are HIGH \rightarrow Toggle

J-K FLIP-FLOP (2/2)

- J-K flip-flop circuit:



- Characteristic table:

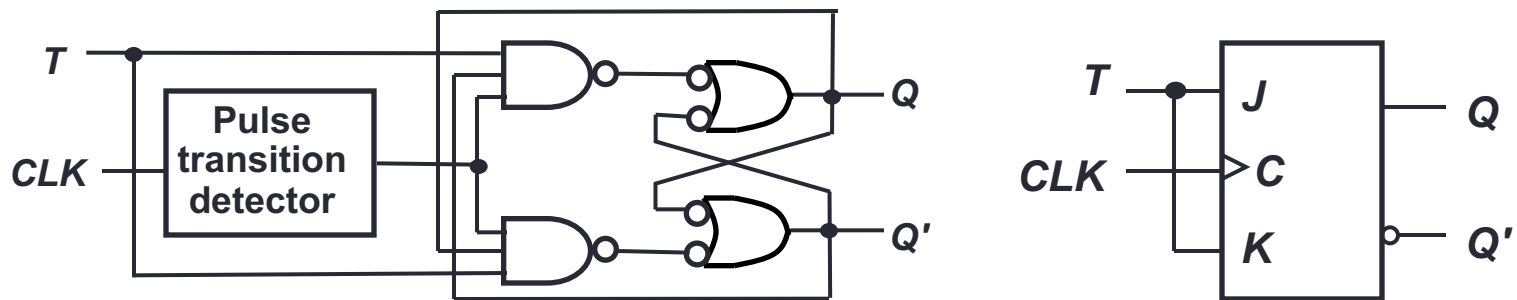
J	K	CLK	$Q(t+1)$	Comments
0	0	\uparrow	$Q(t)$	No change
0	1	\uparrow	0	Reset
1	0	\uparrow	1	Set
1	1	\uparrow	$Q(t)'$	Toggle

$$Q(t+1) = ?$$

Q	J	K	$Q(t+1)$
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	0

T FLIP-FLOP

- T flip-flop**: Single input version of the *J-K* flip-flop, formed by tying both inputs together.



■ Characteristic table:

<i>T</i>	<i>CLK</i>	<i>Q(t+1)</i>	Comments
0	↑	<i>Q(t)</i>	No change
1	↑	<i>Q(t)'</i>	Toggle

$$Q(t+1) = ?$$

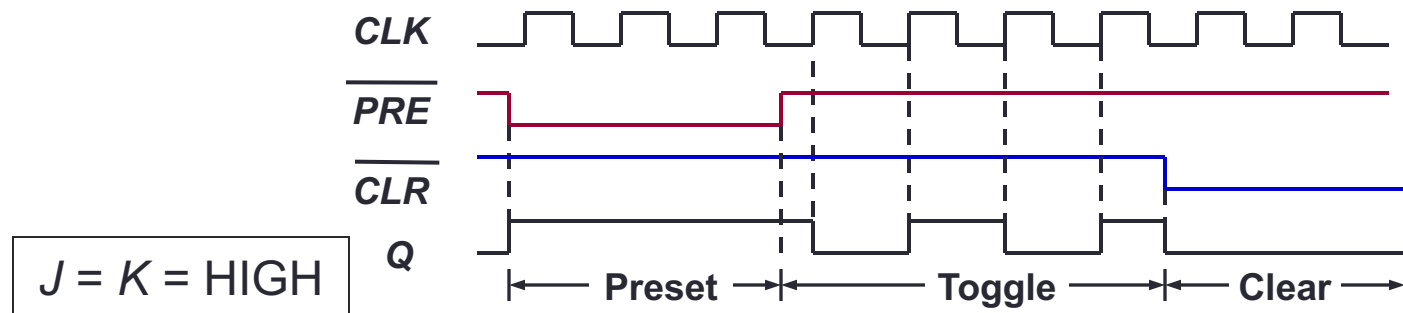
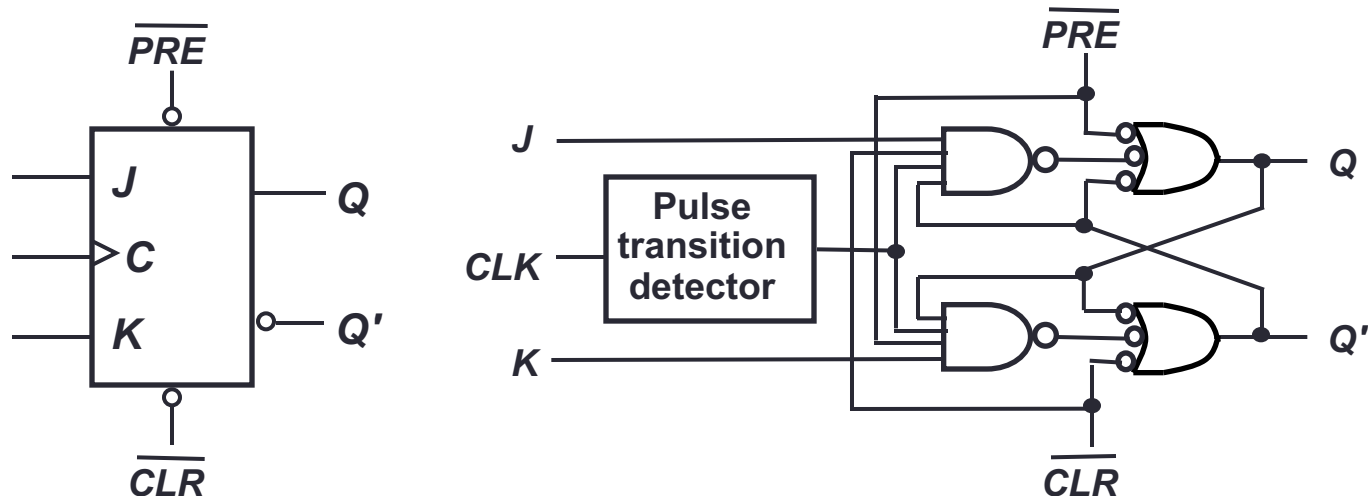
<i>Q</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>Q(t+1)</i>
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

ASYNCHRONOUS INPUTS (1/2)

- S - R , D and J - K inputs are **synchronous inputs**, as data on these inputs are transferred to the flip-flop's output only on the triggered edge of the clock pulse.
- **Asynchronous** inputs affect the state of the flip-flop independent of the clock; example: *preset* (PRE) and *clear* (CLR) [or *direct set* (SD) and *direct reset* (RD)].
- When $PRE=HIGH$, Q is immediately set to HIGH.
- When $CLR=HIGH$, Q is immediately cleared to LOW.
- Flip-flop in normal operation mode when both PRE and CLR are LOW.

ASYNCHRONOUS INPUTS (2/2)

- A J - K flip-flop with active-low PRESET and CLEAR asynchronous inputs.



SYNCHRONOUS SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS

- Building blocks: **logic gates** and **flip-flops**.
- Flip-flops make up the **memory** while the gates form one or more combinational sub-circuits.
- We have discussed *S-R* flip-flop, *J-K* flip-flop, *D* flip-flop and *T* flip-flop.

FLIP-FLOP CHARACTERISTIC TABLES

- Each type of flip-flop has its own behaviour, shown by its **characteristic table**.

J	K	$Q(t+1)$	Comments
0	0	$Q(t)$	No change
0	1	0	Reset
1	0	1	Set
1	1	$Q(t)'$	Toggle

S	R	$Q(t+1)$	Comments
0	0	$Q(t)$	No change
0	1	0	Reset
1	0	1	Set
1	1	?	Unpredictable

D	$Q(t+1)$
0	0 Reset
1	1 Set

T	$Q(t+1)$
0	$Q(t)$ No change
1	$Q(t)'$ Toggle

SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS: ANALYSIS (1/7)

- Given a sequential circuit diagram, we can analyze its behaviour by deriving its *state table* and hence its *state diagram*.
- Requires *state equations* to be derived for the flip-flop inputs, as well as *output functions* for the circuit outputs other than the flip-flops (if any).
- We use $\mathbf{A}(t)$ and $\mathbf{A}(t+1)$ (or simply \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{A}^+) to represent the present state and next state, respectively, of a flip-flop represented by A .

SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS: ANALYSIS (2/7)

- Example using D flip-flops

State equations:

$$A^+ = A \cdot x + B \cdot x$$

$$B^+ = A' \cdot x$$

Output function:

$$y = (A + B) \cdot x'$$

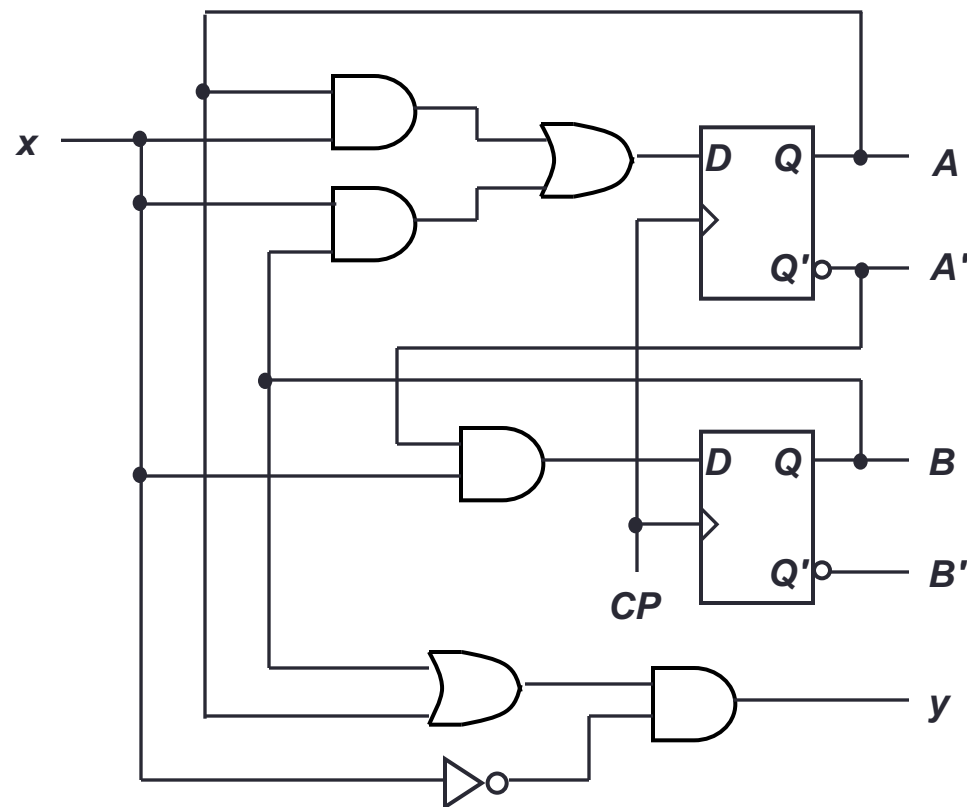


Figure 1

SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS: ANALYSIS (3/7)

- From the *state equations* and *output function*, we derive the **state table**, consisting of all possible binary combinations of present states and inputs.
- State table
 - Similar to truth table.
 - Inputs and present state on the left side.
 - Outputs and next state on the right side.
- m flip-flops and n inputs $\rightarrow 2^{m+n}$ rows.

SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS: ANALYSIS (4/7)

- **State table** for circuit of Figure 1:

State equations:

$$A^+ = A \cdot x + B \cdot x$$

$$B^+ = A' \cdot x$$

Output function:

$$y = (A + B) \cdot x'$$

Present State		Input x	Next State		Output y
A	B		A^+	B^+	
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1	0
0	1	0	0	0	1
0	1	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	1	1	0	0
1	1	0	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	0	0

SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS: ANALYSIS (5/7)

- Alternative form of state table:

Full table

Present State		Input x	Next State		Output y
A	B		A^+	B^+	
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1	0
0	1	0	0	0	1
0	1	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	1	1	0	0
1	1	0	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	0	0

Compact table

Present State AB	Next State		Output	
	$x=0$ A^+B^+	$x=1$ A^+B^+	$x=0$ y	$x=1$ y
00	00	01	0	0
01	00	11	1	0
10	00	10	1	0
11	00	10	1	0

SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS: ANALYSIS (6/7)

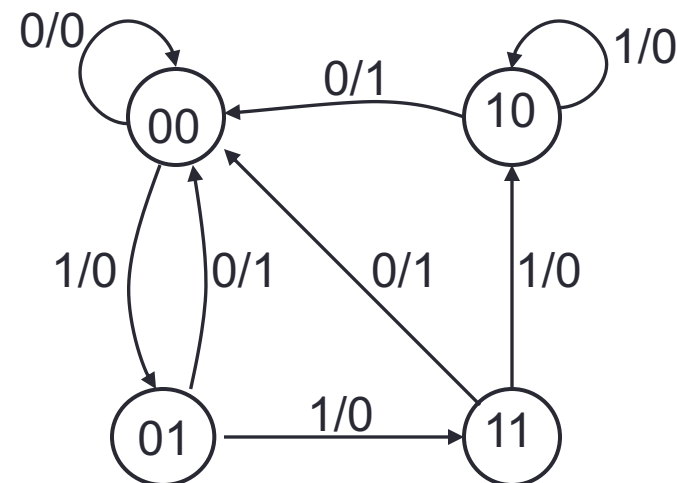
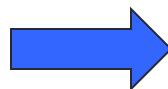
- From the *state table*, we can draw the **state diagram**.
- State diagram
 - Each state is denoted by a circle.
 - Each arrow (between two circles) denotes a transition of the sequential circuit (a row in state table).
 - A label of the form a/b is attached to each arrow where a (if there is one) denotes the inputs while b (if there is one) denotes the outputs of the circuit in that transition.
- Each combination of the flip-flop values represents a state. Hence, m flip-flops \rightarrow up to 2^m states.

SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS: ANALYSIS (7/7)

- **State diagram** of the circuit of Figure 1:

Present State	Next State		Output	
	$x=0$	$x=1$	$x=0$	$x=1$
AB	A^+B^+	A^+B^+	y	y
00	00	01	0	0
01	00	11	1	0
10	00	10	1	0
11	00	10	1	0

DONE!



FLIP-FLOP INPUT FUNCTIONS (1/3)

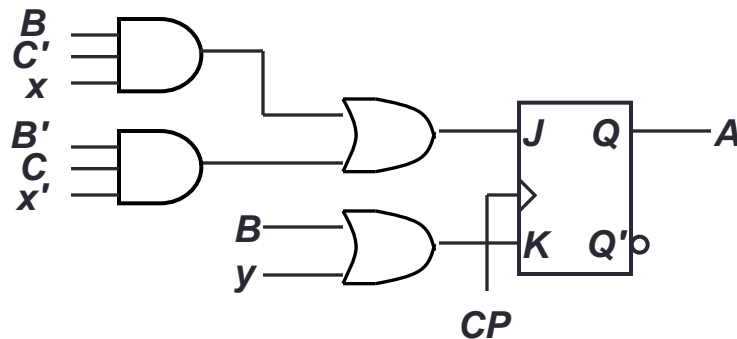
- The outputs of a sequential circuit are functions of the present states of the flip-flops and the inputs. These are described algebraically by the *circuit output functions*.
 - In Figure 1: $y = (A + B) \cdot x'$
- The part of the circuit that generates inputs to the flip-flops are described algebraically by the *flip-flop input functions* (or *flip-flop input equations*).
- The flip-flop input functions determine the next state generation.
- From the flip-flop input functions and the characteristic tables of the flip-flops, we obtain the next states of the flip-flops.

FLIP-FLOP INPUT FUNCTIONS (2/3)

- Example: circuit with a JK flip-flop.
- We use 2 letters to denote each flip-flop input: the first letter denotes the input of the flip-flop (J or K for J - K flip-flop, S or R for S - R flip-flop, D for D flip-flop, T for T flip-flop) and the second letter denotes the name of the flip-flop.

$$JA = B \cdot C' \cdot x + B' \cdot C \cdot x'$$

$$KA = B + y$$



FLIP-FLOP INPUT FUNCTIONS (3/3)

- In Figure 1, we obtain the following state equations by observing that $Q^+ = DQ$ for a D flip-flop:

$$A^+ = A \cdot x + B \cdot x \quad (\text{since } DA = A \cdot x + B \cdot x)$$

$$B^+ = A' \cdot x \quad (\text{since } DB = A' \cdot x)$$

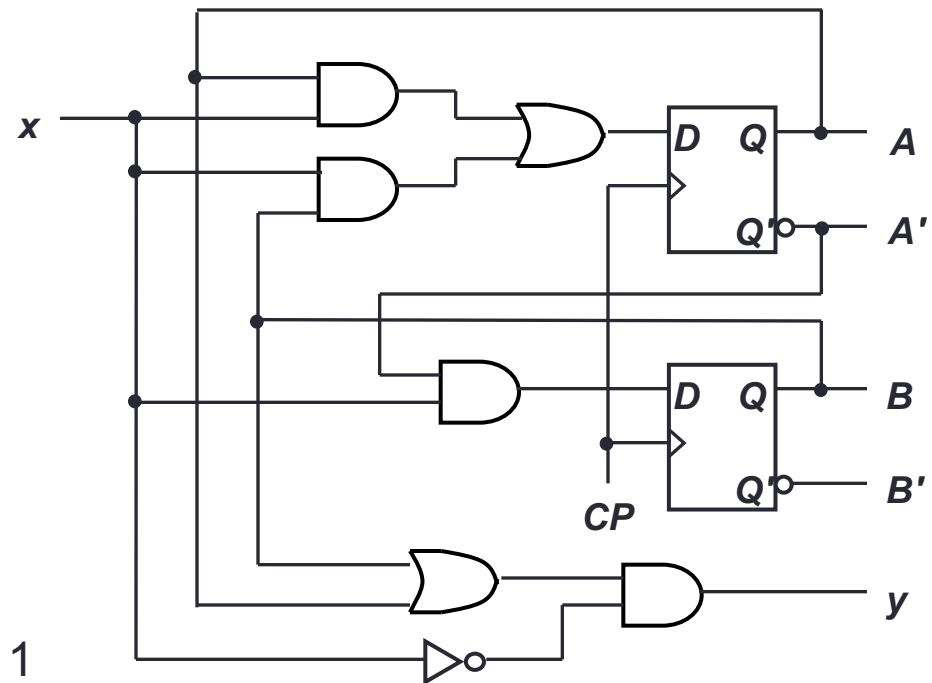
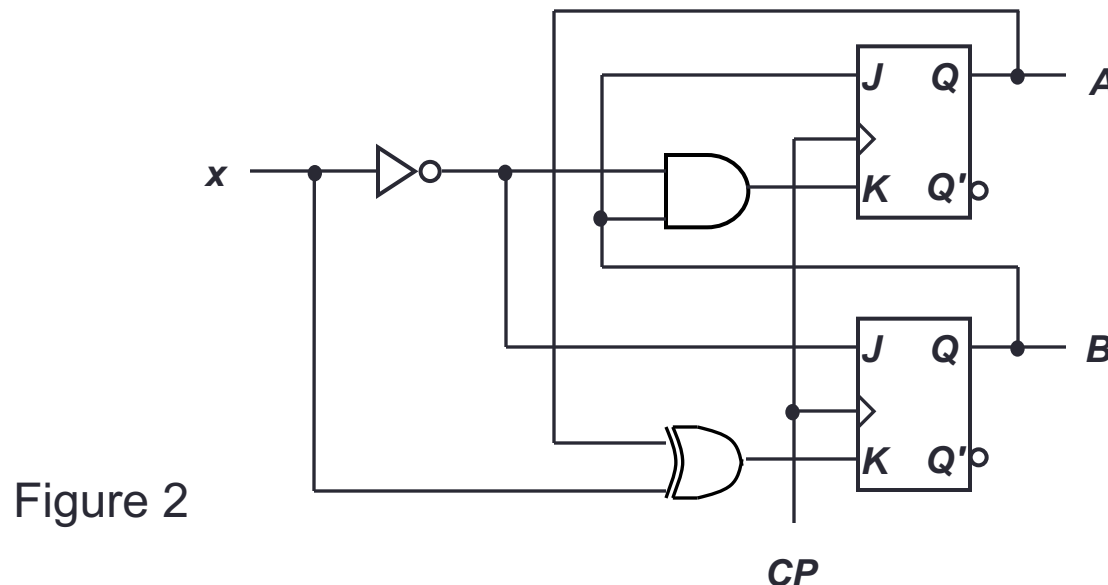


Figure 1

ANALYSIS: EXAMPLE #2 (1/3)

- Given Figure 2, a sequential circuit with two J - K flip-flops A and B , and one input x .



- Obtain the flip-flop input functions from the circuit:

$$JA = B$$

$$JB = x'$$

$$KA = B \cdot x'$$

$$KB = A' \cdot x + A \cdot x' = A \oplus x$$

ANALYSIS: EXAMPLE #2 (2/3)

$$JA = B$$

$$KA = B \cdot x'$$

$$JB = x'$$

$$KB = A' \cdot x + A \cdot x' = A \oplus x$$

- Fill the state table using the above functions, knowing the characteristics of the flip-flops used.

J K		$Q(t+1)$	Comments
0	0	$Q(t)$	No change
0	1	0	Reset
1	0	1	Set
1	1	$Q(t)'$	Toggle

Present state		Input x	Next state		Flip-flop inputs			
A	B		A^+	B^+	JA	KA	JB	KB
0	0	0			0	0	1	0
0	0	1			0	0	0	1
0	1	0			1	1	1	0
0	1	1			1	0	0	1
1	0	0			0	0	1	1
1	0	1			0	0	0	0
1	1	0			1	1	1	1
1	1	1			1	0	0	0

ANALYSIS: EXAMPLE #2 (3/3)

- Draw the state diagram from the state table.

Present state		Input x	Next state		Flip-flop inputs			
A	B		A^+	B^+	J_A	K_A	J_B	K_B
0	0	0			0	0	1	0
0	0	1			0	0	0	1
0	1	0			1	1	1	0
0	1	1			1	0	0	1
1	0	0			0	0	1	1
1	0	1			0	0	0	0
1	1	0			1	1	1	1
1	1	1			1	0	0	0



ANALYSIS: EXAMPLE #3 (1/3)

- Derive the state table and state diagram of this circuit.

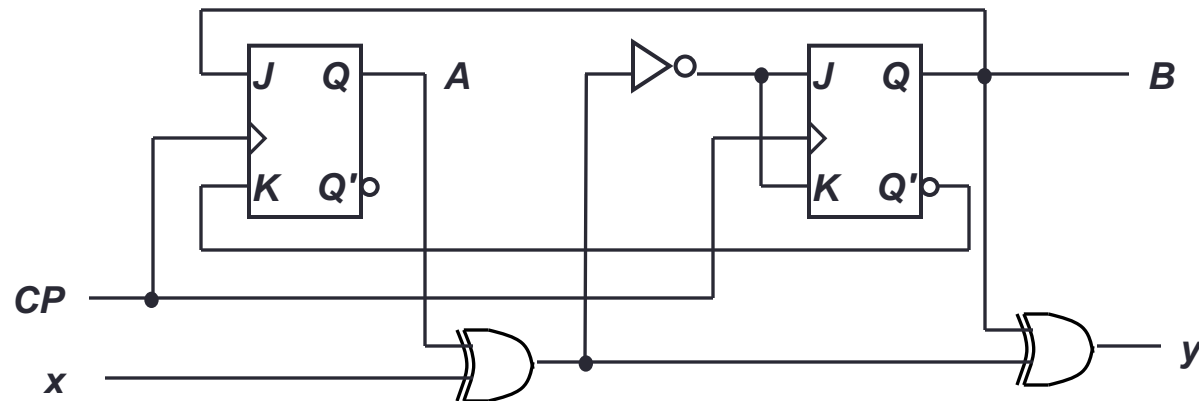


Figure 3

- Flip-flop input functions:

$$JA = B$$

$$KA = B'$$

$$JB = KB = (A \oplus x)' = A \cdot x + A' \cdot x'$$

ANALYSIS: EXAMPLE #3 (2/3)

- Flip-flop input functions:

$$JA = B$$

$$JB = KB = (A \oplus x)' = A \cdot x + A' \cdot x'$$

$$KA = B'$$

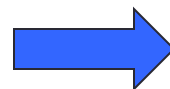
- State table:

Present state		Input x	Next state		Output y	Flip-flop inputs			
A	B		A^+	B^+		JA	KA	JB	KB
0	0	0			0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1			1	0	1	0	0
0	1	0			1	1	0	1	1
0	1	1			0	1	0	0	0
1	0	0			1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1			0	0	1	1	1
1	1	0			0	1	0	0	0
1	1	1			1	1	0	1	1

ANALYSIS: EXAMPLE #3 (3/3)

- State diagram:

Present state		Input x	Next state		Output y	Flip-flop inputs			
A	B		A^+	B^+		JA	KA	JB	KB
0	0	0			0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1			1	0	1	0	0
0	1	0			1	1	0	1	1
0	1	1			0	1	0	0	0
1	0	0			1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1			0	0	1	1	1
1	1	0			0	1	0	0	0
1	1	1			1	1	0	1	1



FLIP-FLOP EXCITATION TABLES (1/2)

- *Analysis*: Starting from a circuit diagram, derive the state table or state diagram.
- *Design*: Starting from a set of specifications (in the form of state equations, state table, or state diagram), derive the logic circuit.
- *Characteristic tables* are used in analysis.
- *Excitation tables* are used in design.

FLIP-FLOP EXCITATION TABLES (2/2)

- *Excitation tables*: given the required transition from present state to next state, determine the flip-flop input(s).

Q	Q^+	J	K
0	0	0	X
0	1	1	X
1	0	X	1
1	1	X	0

JK Flip-flop

Q	Q^+	S	R
0	0	0	X
0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1
1	1	X	0

SR Flip-flop

Q	Q^+	D
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	0
1	1	1

D Flip-flop

Q	Q^+	T
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

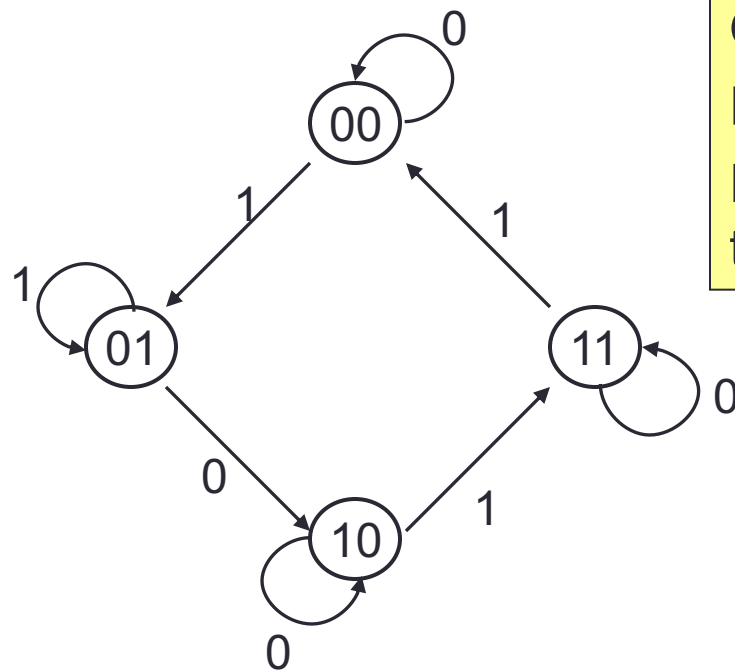
T Flip-flop

SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS: DESIGN

- Design procedure:
 - Start with circuit specifications – description of circuit behaviour, usually a state diagram or state table.
 - Derive the state table.
 - Perform state reduction if necessary.
 - Perform state assignment.
 - Determine number of flip-flops and label them.
 - Choose the type of flip-flop to be used.
 - Derive circuit excitation and output tables from the state table.
 - Derive circuit output functions and flip-flop input functions.
 - Draw the logic diagram.

DESIGN: EXAMPLE #1 (1/5)

- Given the following state diagram, design the sequential circuit using *JK* flip-flops.



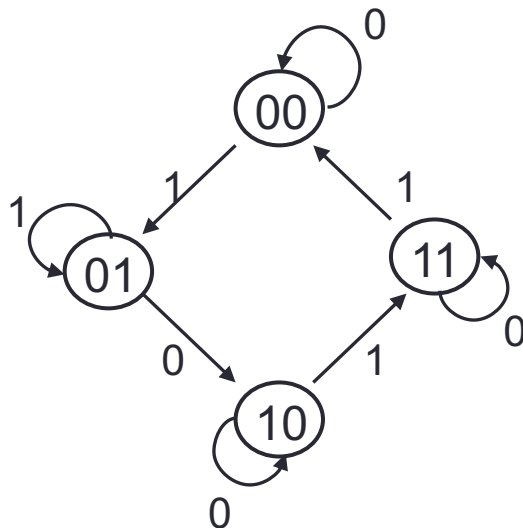
Questions:

How many flip-flops are needed?

How many input variable are there?

DESIGN: EXAMPLE #1 (2/5)

- Circuit state/excitation table, using *JK* flip-flops.



<i>Q</i>	<i>Q</i> ⁺	<i>J</i>	<i>K</i>
0	0	0	X
0	1	1	X
1	0	X	1
1	1	X	0

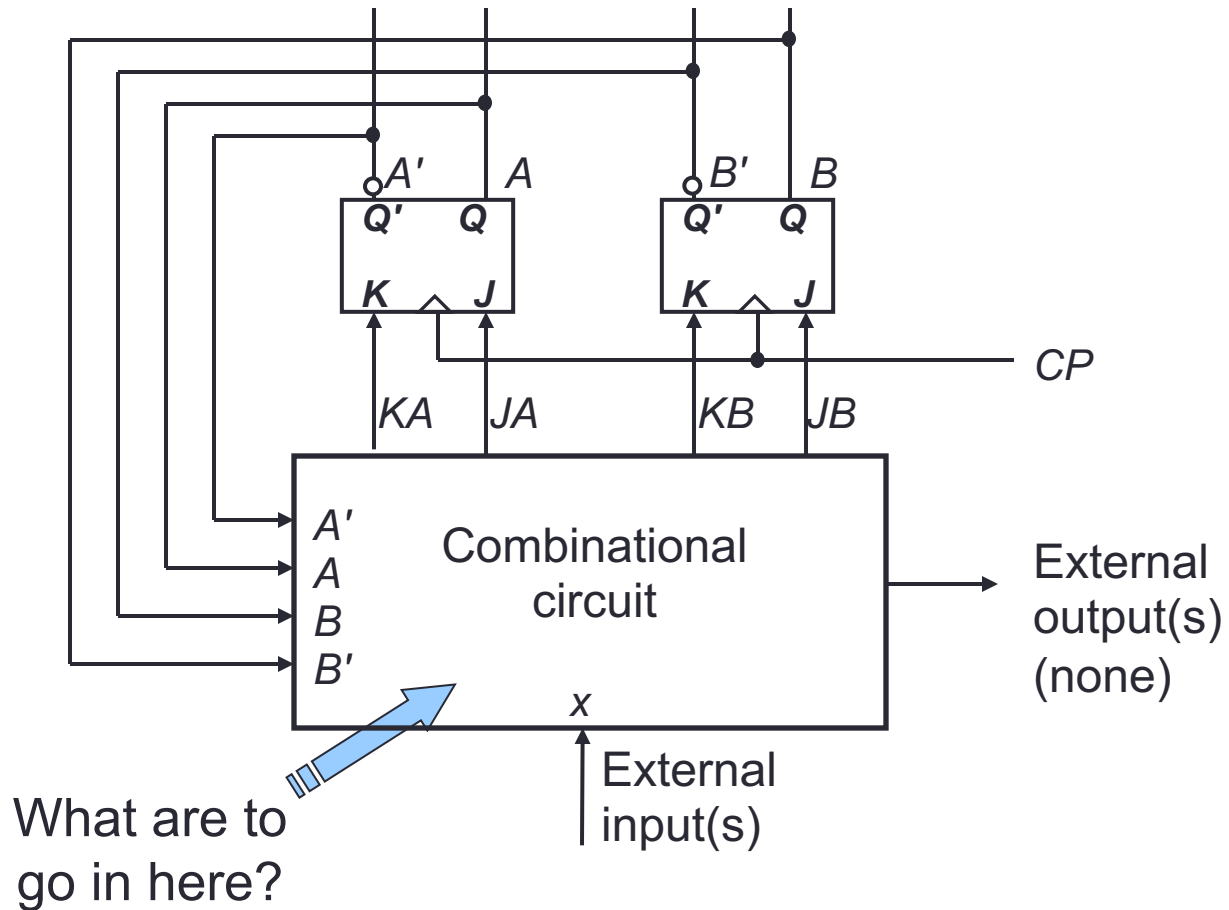
JK Flip-flop's
excitation table.

Present State	Next State	
	<i>x</i> =0	<i>x</i> =1
<i>AB</i>	<i>A</i> ⁺ <i>B</i> ⁺	<i>A</i> ⁺ <i>B</i> ⁺
00	00	01
01	10	01
10	10	11
11	11	00

Present state		Input	Next state		Flip-flop inputs			
<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>		<i>A</i> ⁺	<i>B</i> ⁺	<i>J</i> <i>A</i>	<i>K</i> <i>A</i>	<i>J</i> <i>B</i>	<i>K</i> <i>B</i>
0	0	0	0	0				
0	0	1	0	1				
0	1	0	1	0				
0	1	1	0	1				
1	0	0	1	0				
1	0	1	1	1				
1	1	0	1	1				
1	1	1	0	0				

DESIGN: EXAMPLE #1 (3/5)

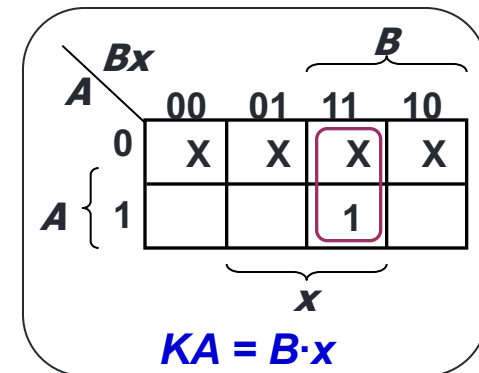
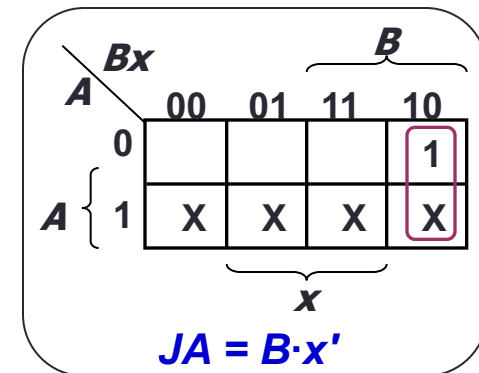
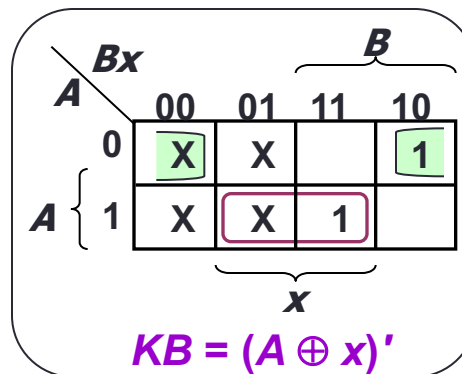
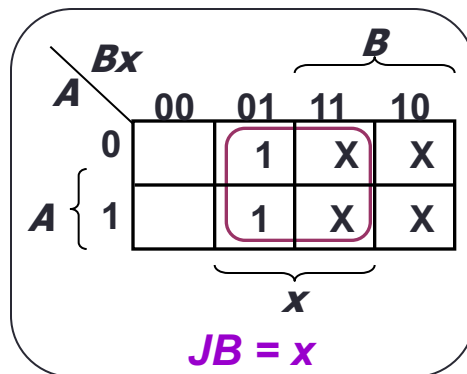
- Block diagram.



DESIGN: EXAMPLE #1 (4/5)

- From state table, get flip-flop input functions.

Present state		Input x	Next state		Flip-flop inputs			
A	B		A^+	B^+	JA	KA	JB	KB
0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	X
0	0	1	0	1	0	X	1	X
0	1	0	1	0	1	X	X	1
0	1	1	0	1	0	X	X	0
1	0	0	1	0	X	0	0	X
1	0	1	1	1	X	0	1	X
1	1	0	1	1	X	0	X	0
1	1	1	0	0	X	1	X	1



DESIGN: EXAMPLE #2 (1/3)

- Using D flip-flops, design the circuit based on the state table below. (Exercise: Design it using JK flip-flops.)

Present state		Input	Next state		Output
A	B		A^+	B^+	
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1	1
0	1	0	1	0	0
0	1	1	0	1	0
1	0	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
1	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	1	0	0	0

DESIGN: EXAMPLE #2 (2/3)

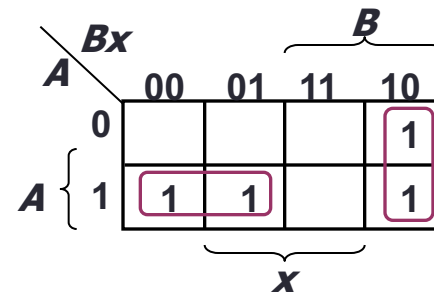
- Determine expressions for flip-flop inputs and the circuit output y .

Present state		Input x	Next state		Output y
A	B		A^+	B^+	
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1	1
0	1	0	1	0	0
0	1	1	0	1	0
1	0	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
1	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	1	0	0	0

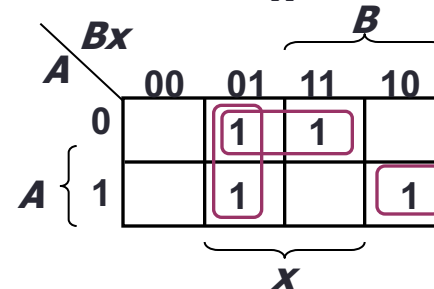
$$DA(A,B,x) = \Sigma m(2,4,5,6)$$

$$DB(A,B,x) = \Sigma m(1,3,5,6)$$

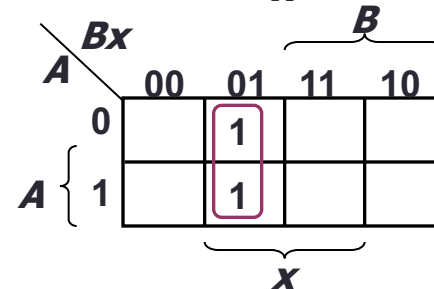
$$y(A,B,x) = \Sigma m(1,5)$$



$$DA = A \cdot B' + B \cdot x'$$



$$DB = A' \cdot x + B' \cdot x + A \cdot B \cdot x'$$



$$y = B' \cdot x$$

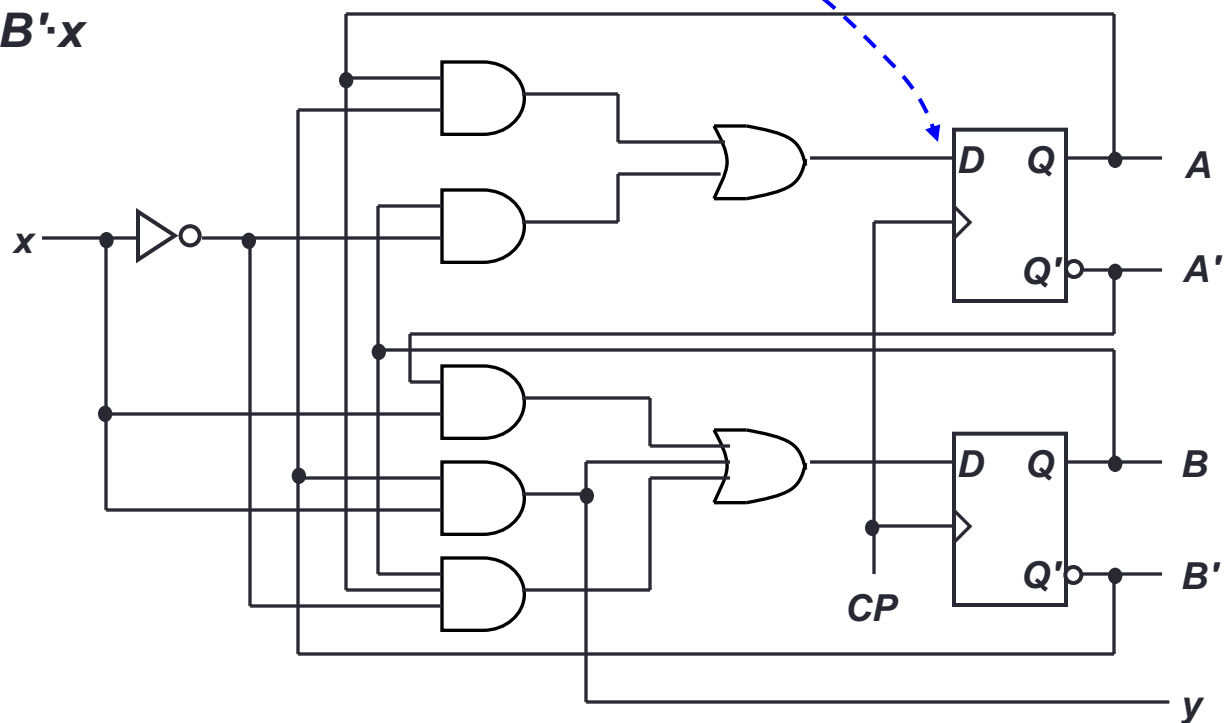
DESIGN: EXAMPLE #2 (3/3)

- From derived expressions, draw logic diagram:

$$DA = A \cdot B' + B \cdot x'$$

$$DB = A' \cdot x + B' \cdot x + A \cdot B \cdot x'$$

$$y = B' \cdot x$$



DESIGN: EXAMPLE #3 (2/4)

- From state table, obtain expressions for flip-flop inputs.

SA = ?

$AB \backslash Cx$		C			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X		
	01		1	1	
	11	X	X	X	X
	10	X	X	X	
		x			
		B			

RA = ?

$AB \backslash Cx$		C			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X	X	X
	01	X			X
	11	X	X	X	X
	10				1
		x			
		B			

SB = ?

$AB \backslash Cx$		C			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X	1	
	01	X			
	11	X	X	X	X
	10				
		x			
		B			

RB = ?

$AB \backslash Cx$		C			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X		X
	01		1	1	1
	11	X	X	X	X
	10	X	X	X	X
		x			
		B			

DESIGN: EXAMPLE #3 (3/4)

- From state table, obtain expressions for flip-flop inputs (cont'd).

SC = ?

$AB \backslash Cx$		C			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X		X
	01	1			X
	11	X	X	X	X
	10	1			X

Groupings: B (rows 00, 01), x (columns 00, 10)

RC = ?

$AB \backslash Cx$		C			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X	1	
	01		X	1	
	11	X	X	X	X
	10		X	1	

Groupings: B (rows 00, 01), x (columns 01, 11)

$AB \backslash Cx$		C			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X		
	01				
	11	X	X	X	X
	10		1	1	

Groupings: B (rows 11, 10), x (columns 01, 11)

y = ?

DESIGN: EXAMPLE #3 (4/4)

- From derived expressions, draw the logic diagram:

$$SA = B \cdot x$$

$$RA = C \cdot x'$$

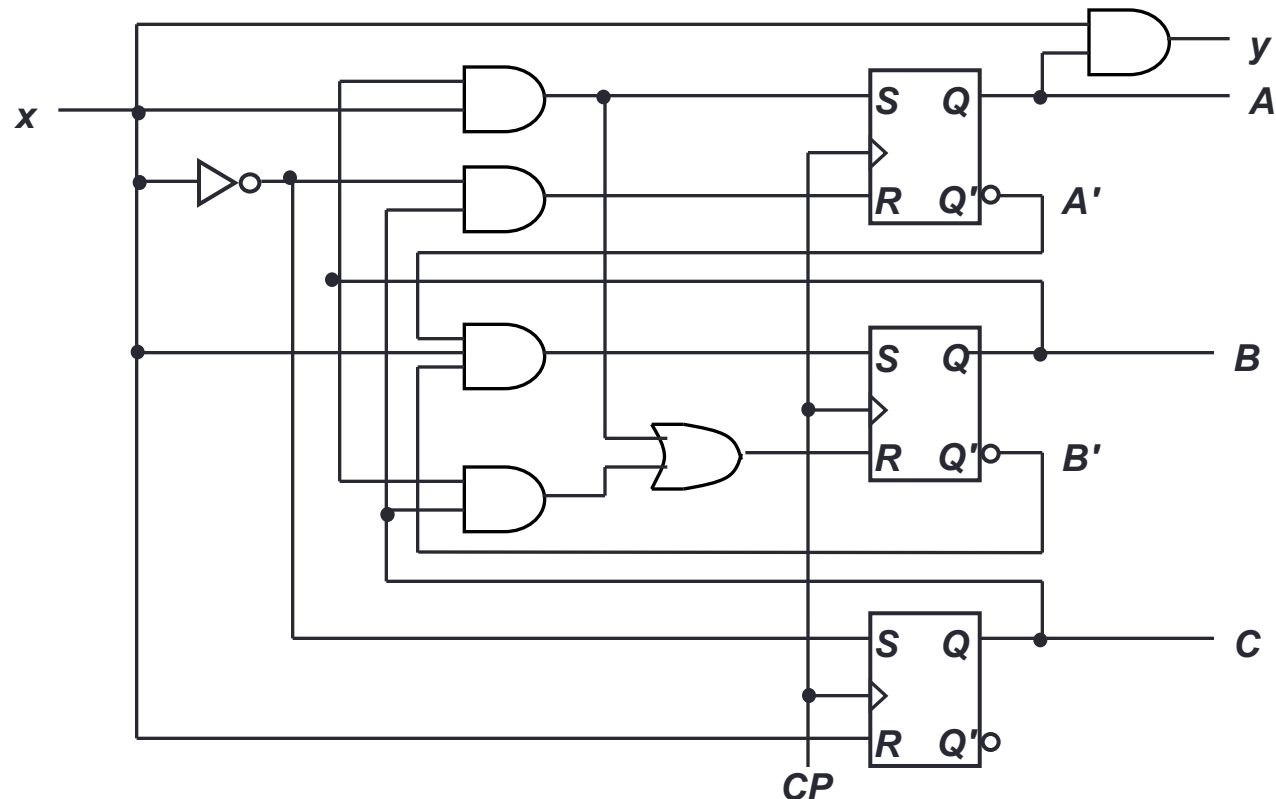
$$SB = A' \cdot B' \cdot x$$

$$RB = B \cdot C + B \cdot x$$

$$SC = x'$$

$$RC = x$$

$$y = A \cdot x$$

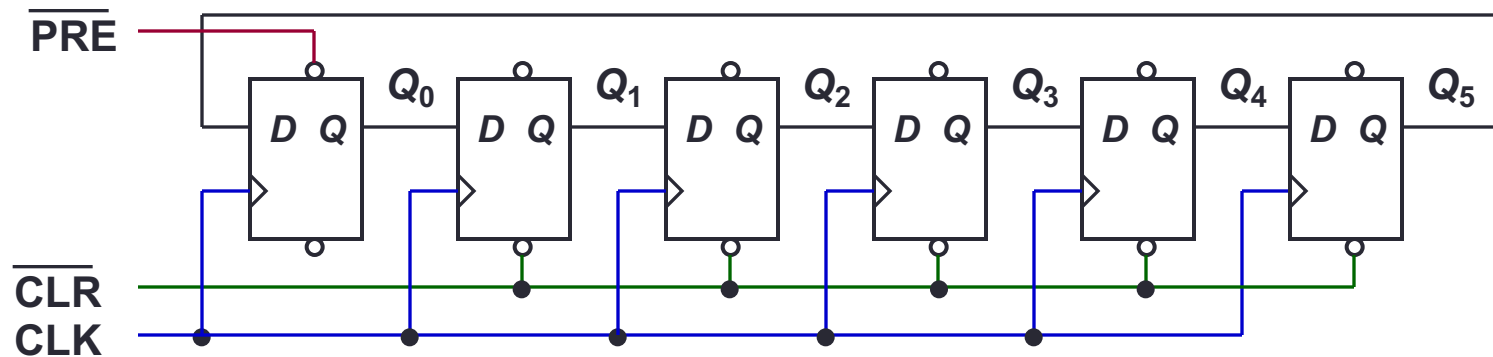


COUNTERS

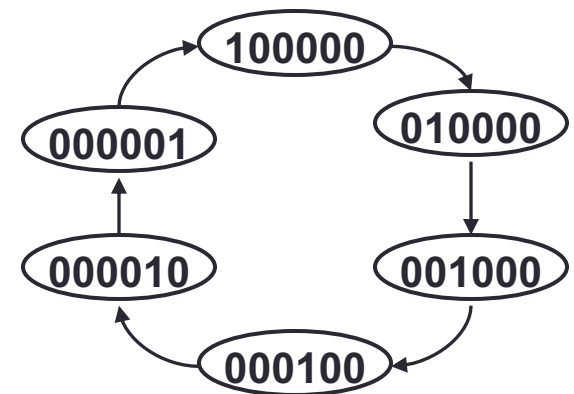
- Counters are sequential circuits that cycle through some states.
- They can be implemented using flip-flops.
- Two examples are shown: **Ring counter** and **Johnson counter**.
- Implementation is simple: using D flip-flops.
- (This and next few slides on ring counter and Johnson counter are just for your reading.)

RING COUNTERS

- An n -bit ring counter cycles through n states.
- Example: A 6-bit ring counter (also called mod-6 ring counter)

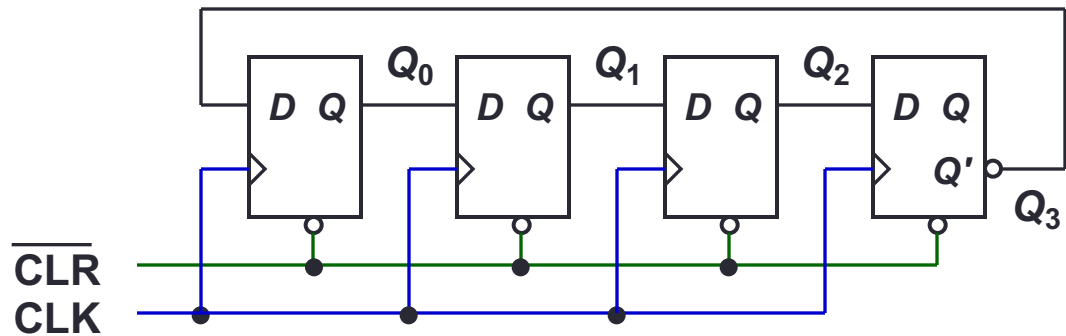


Clock	Q_0	Q_1	Q_2	Q_3	Q_4	Q_5
0	1	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	0	0	0
2	0	0	1	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	1	0	0
4	0	0	0	0	1	0
5	0	0	0	0	0	1

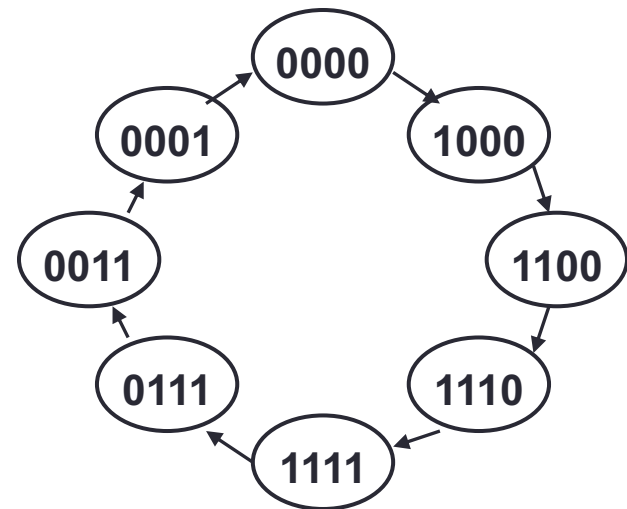


JOHNSON COUNTERS (1/2)

- An n -bit Johnson counter (also called twisted-ring counter) cycles through $2n$ states.
- Example: A 4-bit Johnson counter (also called mod-8 Johnson counter)



Clock	Q_0	Q_1	Q_2	Q_3
0	0	0	0	0
1	1	0	0	0
2	1	1	0	0
3	1	1	1	0
4	1	1	1	1
5	0	1	1	1
6	0	0	1	1
7	0	0	0	1



JOHNSON COUNTERS (2/2)

- Requires decoding logic for the states.
- Example: Decoding logic for a 4-bit Johnson counter.

Clock	A	B	C	D	Decoding
0	0	0	0	0	$A'.D'$
1	1	0	0	0	$A.B'$
2	1	1	0	0	$B.C'$
3	1	1	1	0	$C.D'$
4	1	1	1	1	$A.D$
5	0	1	1	1	$A'.B$
6	0	0	1	1	$B'.C$
7	0	0	0	1	$C'.D$

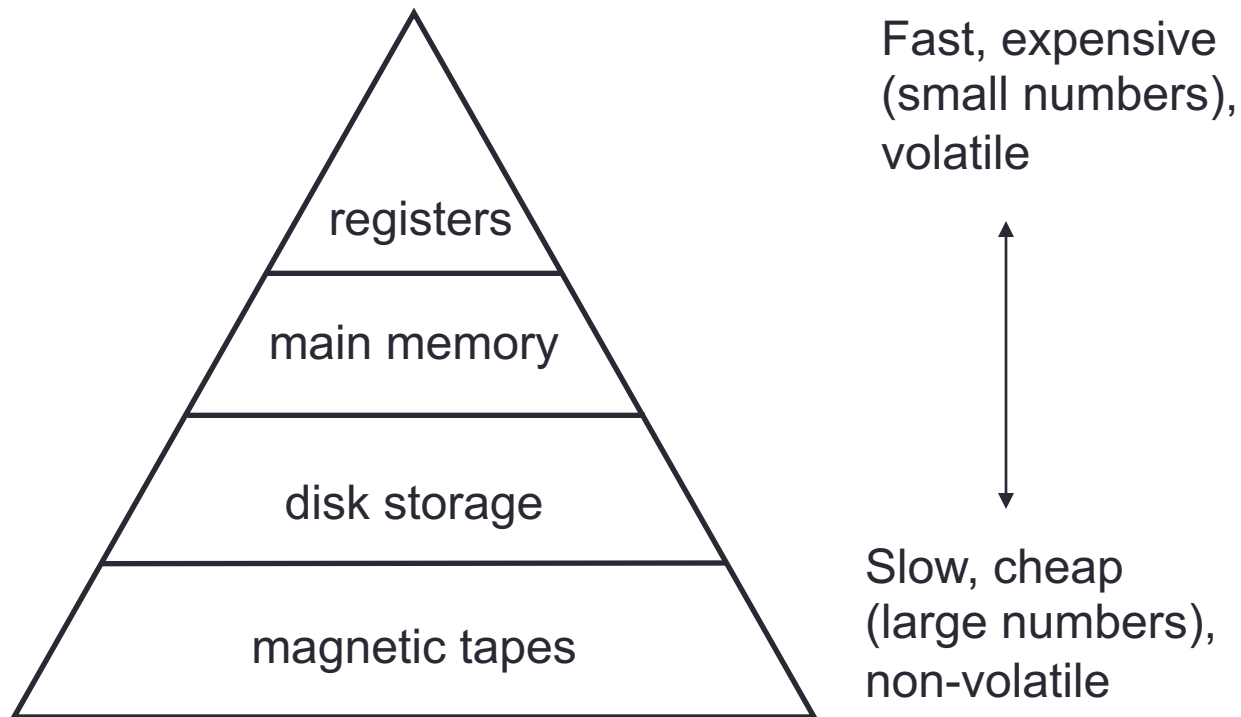


MEMORY (1/4)

- Memory stores programs and data.
- Definitions:
 - 1 byte = 8 bits
 - 1 word: in multiple of bytes, a unit of transfer between main memory and registers, usually size of register.
 - 1 KB (kilo-bytes) = 2^{10} bytes; 1 MB (mega-bytes) = 2^{20} bytes; 1 GB (giga-bytes) = 2^{30} bytes; 1 TB (tera-bytes) = 2^{40} bytes.
- **Desirable properties:** fast access, large capacity, economical cost, non-volatile.
- However, most memory devices do not possess all these properties.

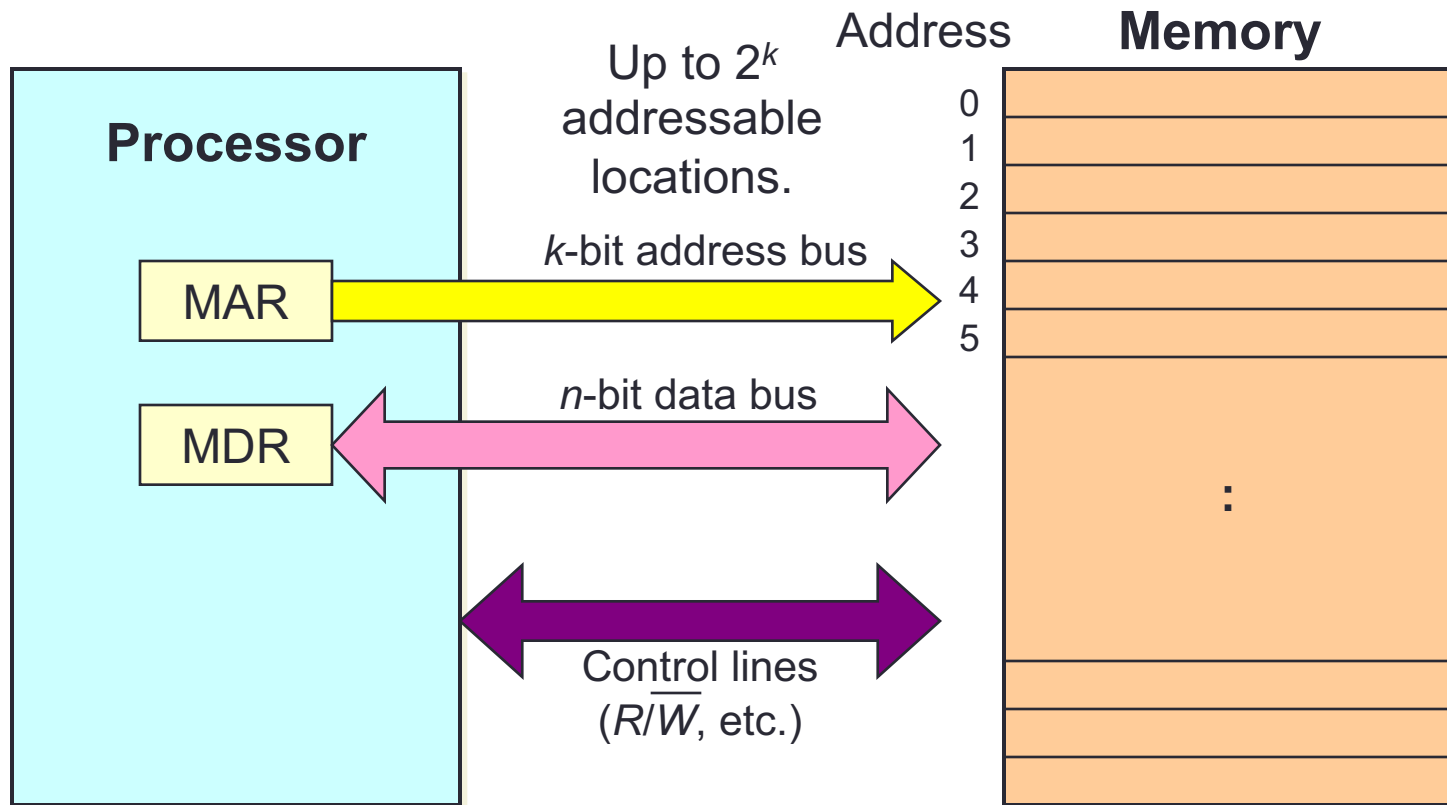
MEMORY (2/4)

- Memory hierarchy



MEMORY (3/4)

- Data transfer

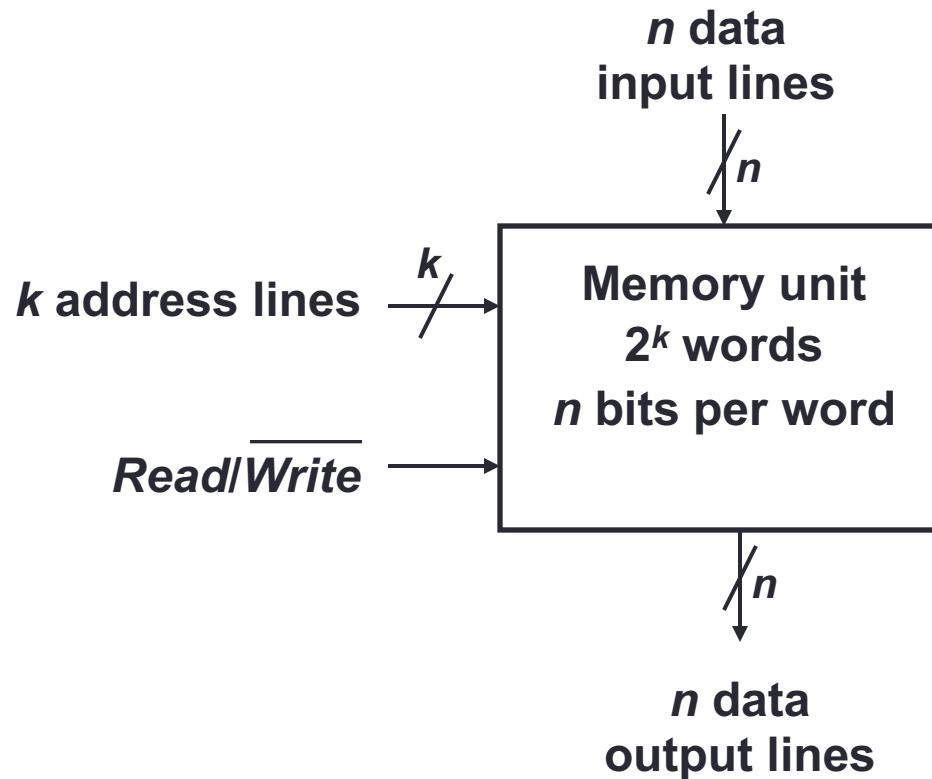


MEMORY (4/4)

- A memory unit stores binary information in groups of bits called *words*.
- The data consists of n lines (for n -bit words). *Data input lines* provide the information to be stored (*written*) into the memory, while *data output lines* carry the information out (*read*) from the memory.
- The *address* consists of k lines which specify which word (among the 2^k words available) to be selected for reading or writing.
- The control lines *Read* and *Write* (usually combined into a single control line *Read/Write*) specifies the direction of transfer of the data.

MEMORY UNIT

- Block diagram of a memory unit:



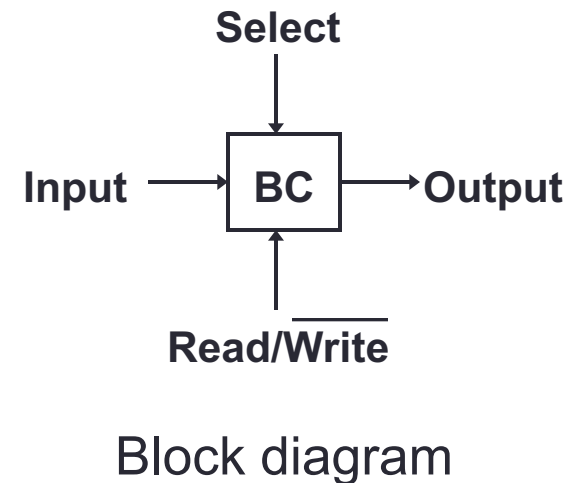
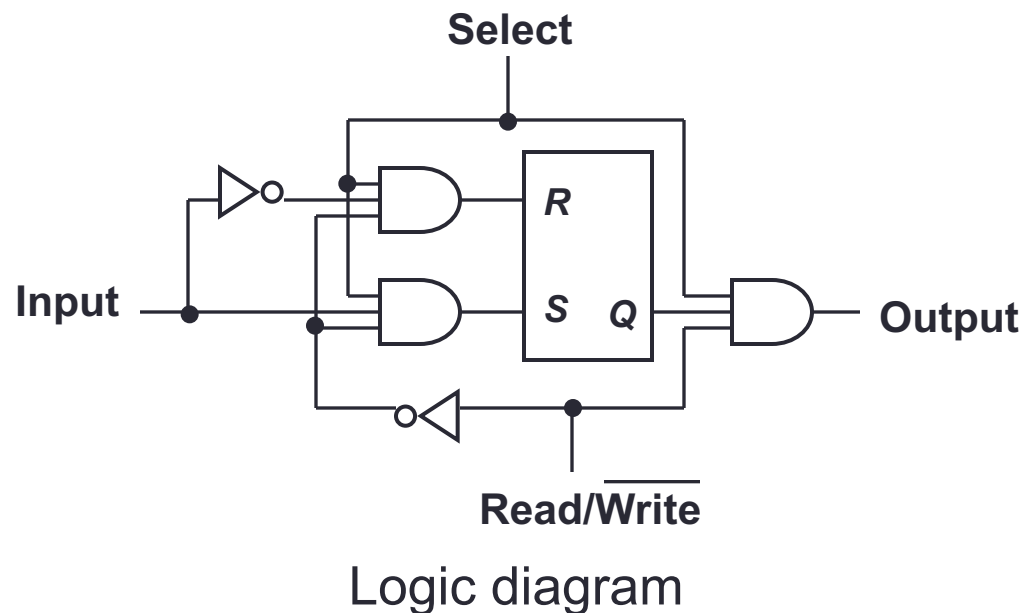
READ/WRITE OPERATIONS

- **Write** operation:
 - Transfers the address of the desired word to the address lines.
 - Transfers the data bits (the word) to be stored in memory to the data input lines.
 - Activates the *Write* control line (set $\overline{Read/Write}$ to 0).
- **Read** operation:
 - Transfers the address of the desired word to the address lines.
 - Activates the *Read* control line (set $\overline{Read/Write}$ to 1).

Memory Enable	$\overline{Read/Write}$	Memory Operation
0	X	
1	0	
1	1	

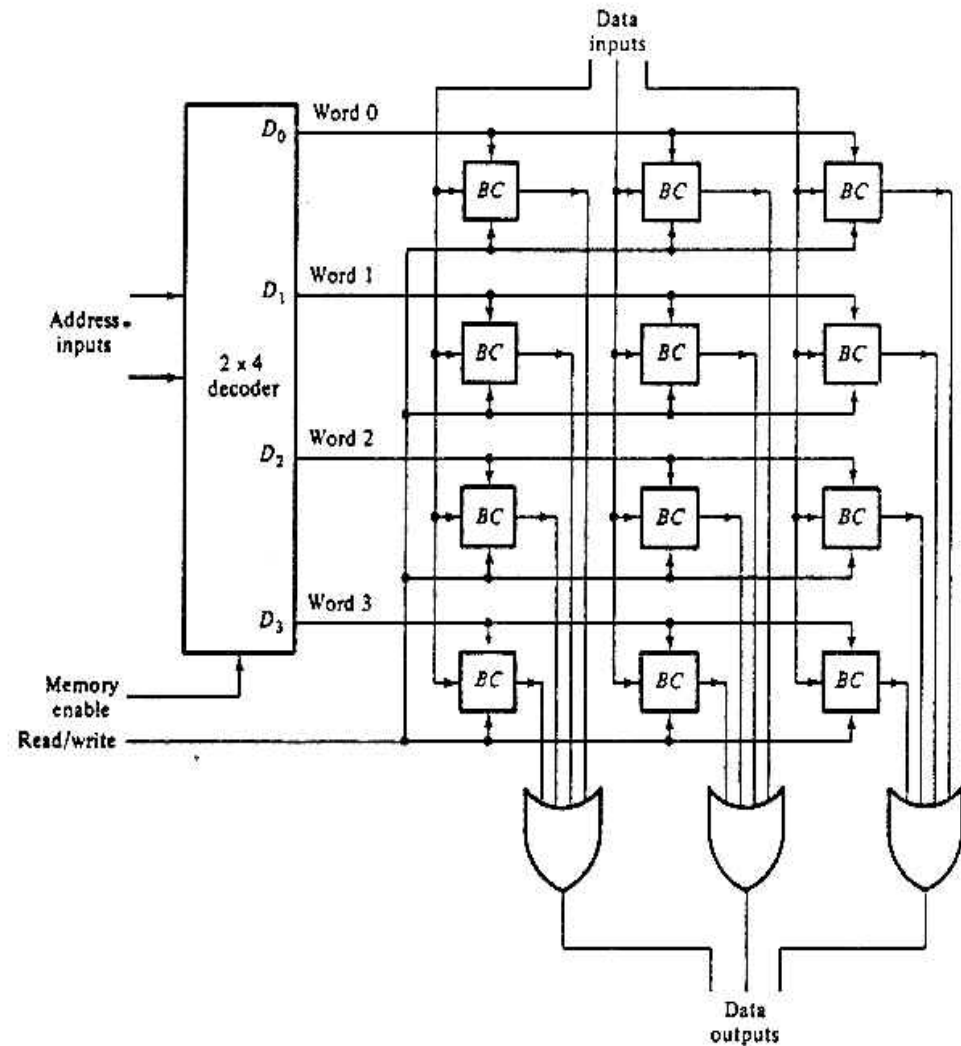
MEMORY CELL

- Two types of RAM
 - Static RAMs use flip-flops as the memory cells.
 - Dynamic RAMs use capacitor charges to represent data. Though simpler in circuitry, they have to be constantly refreshed.
- A single memory cell of the static RAM has the following logic and block diagrams:



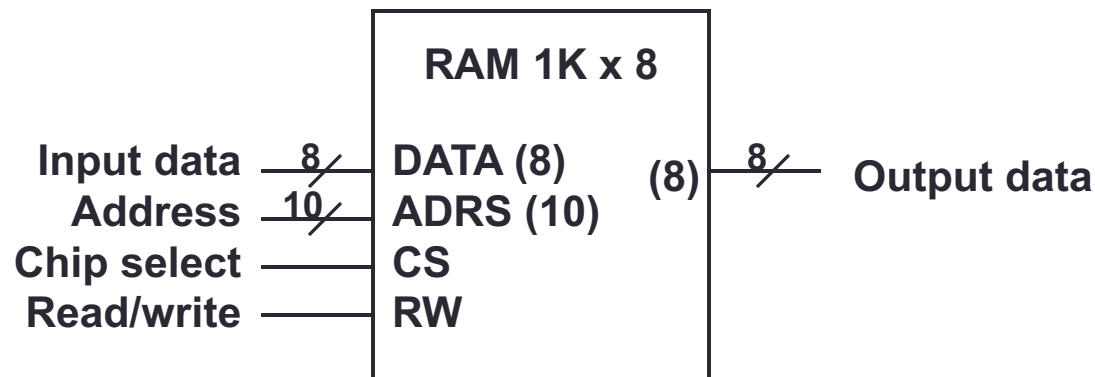
MEMORY ARRAYS (1/1)

- Logic construction of a **4×3 RAM** (with decoder and OR gates):



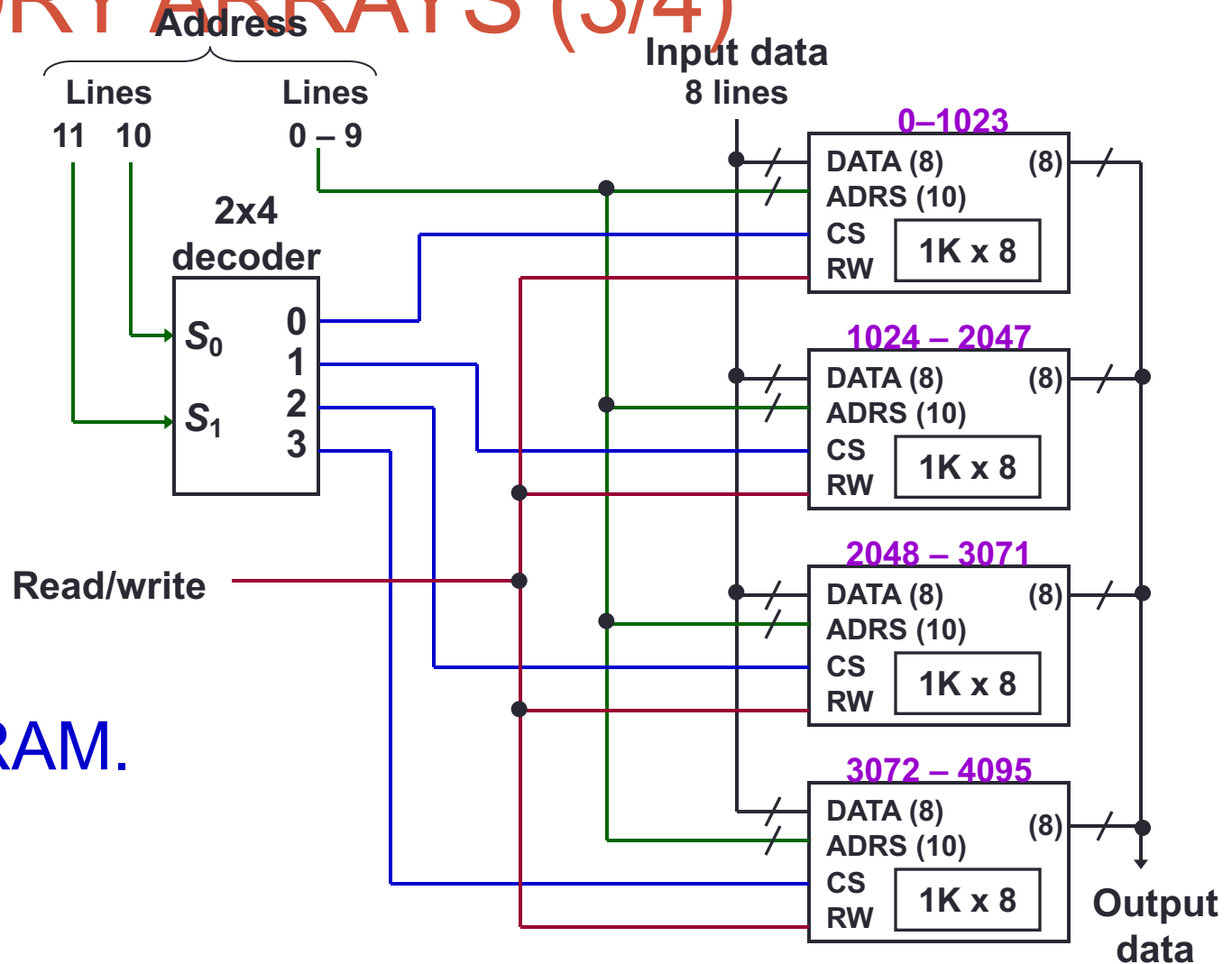
MEMORY ARRAYS (2/4)

- An array of RAM chips: memory chips are combined to form larger memory.
- A $1\text{K} \times 8\text{-bit}$ RAM chip:



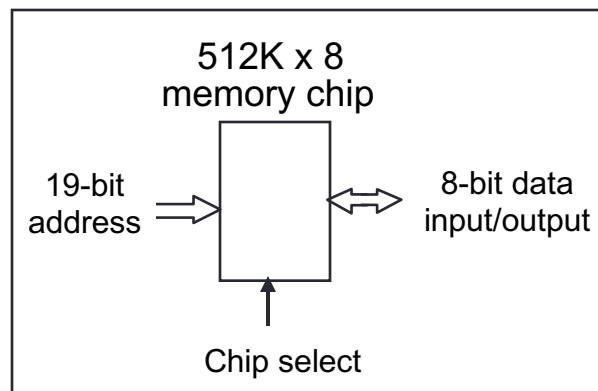
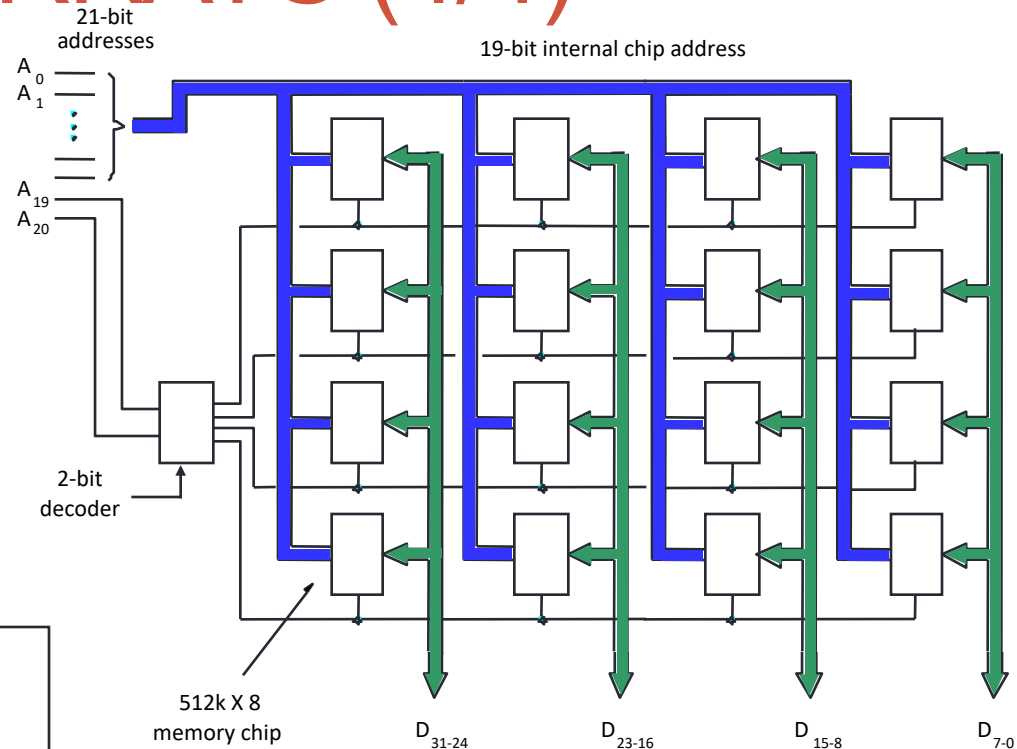
Block diagram of a 1K x 8 RAM chip

MEMORY ARRAYS (3/4)



- 4K x 8 RAM.

MEMORY ARRAYS (4/4)



- **2M × 32** memory module
- Using 512K × 8 memory chips.

Q&A