



# Case Study: DCT

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# Outline

- DCT Algorithm
- 1-D DCT : Row-Column Method
- Direct 2-D Architecture

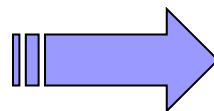


# DCT Algorithm

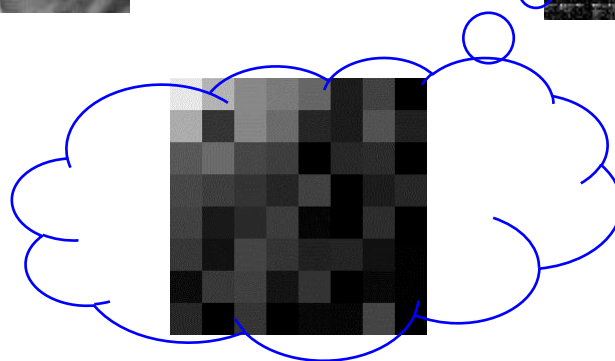
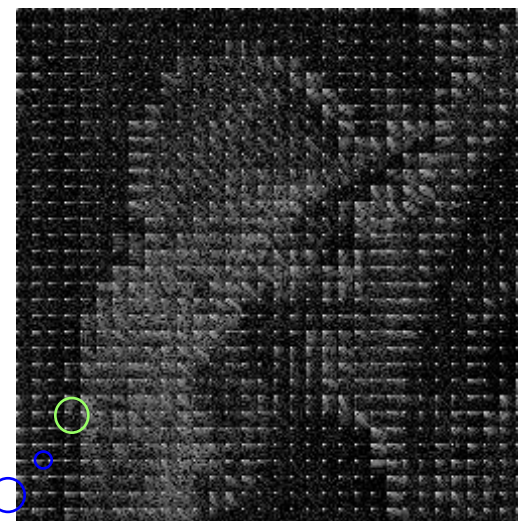
# Discrete Cosine Transform



*DCT*  
*block size 8 x 8*



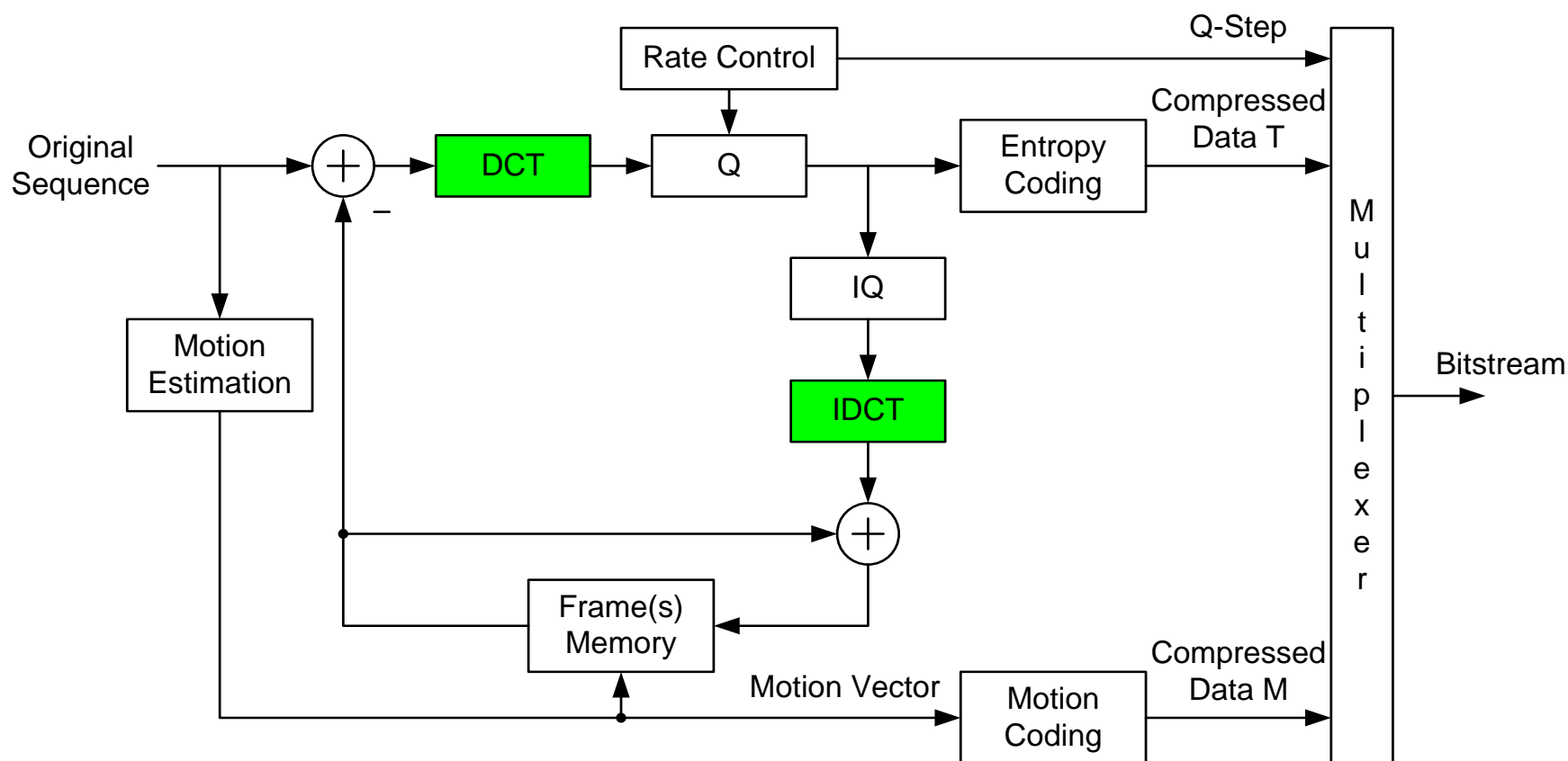
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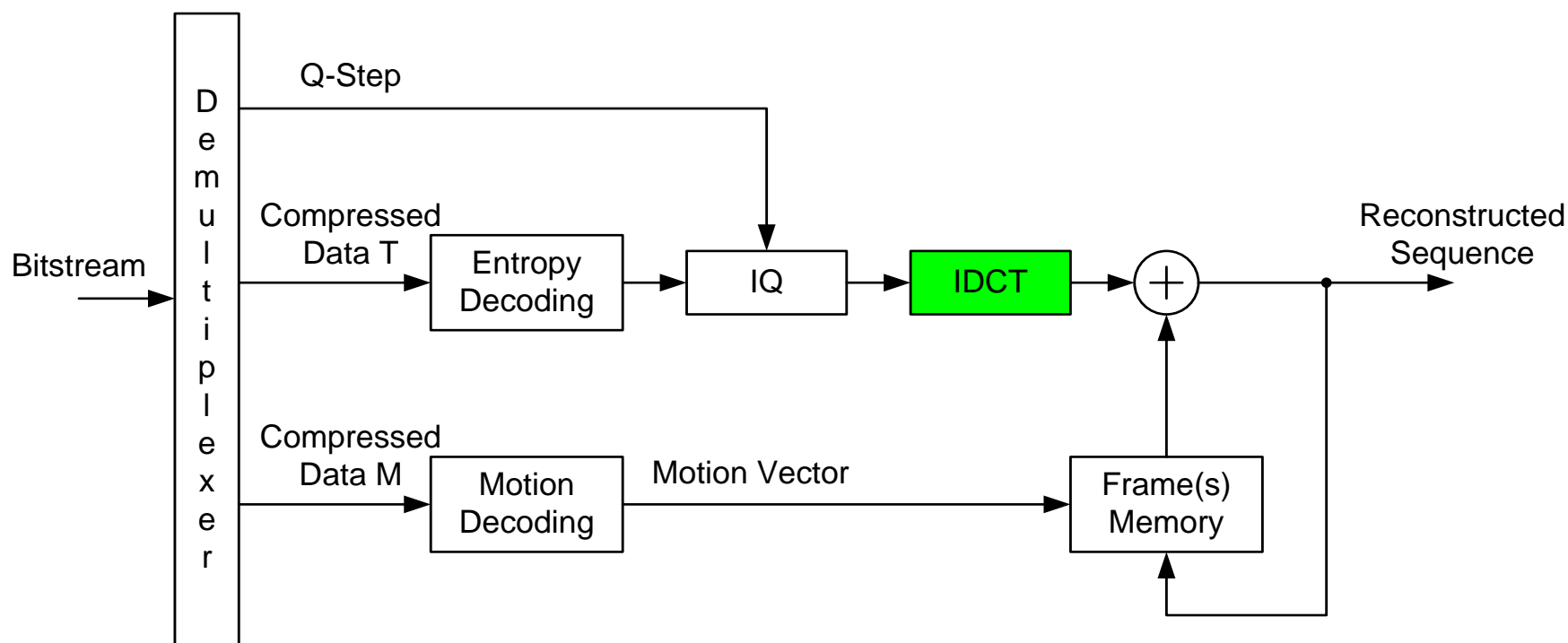
# DCT-Based Coding

- Optimal transform is KLT, but
  - KLT is image dependent
  - High computing complexity
- DCT-based coding,
  - Image independent, unlike KLT for highly correlated image data
  - DCT compaction efficiency is close to KLT
  - Computations of DCT can be performed with fast algorithms which can be easily implemented on parallel architectures.

# Roles in Video Encoder



# Roles in Video Decoder





# Hardware/Software Trade-Off

- For **low-end** applications, using software approach is powerful enough
- For **high-end** applications, must use hardware approach
- For **middle-end** applications, either software or hardware approach is possible, depending on the target design platform



# Basic Transformation Forms

## ■ 2-D forward transforms

$$T(u,v) = \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} g(x,y) f(x,y,u,v)$$

## ■ 2-D inverse transforms

$$g(x,y) = \sum_{u=0}^{N-1} \sum_{v=0}^{N-1} T(u,v) i(x,y,u,v)$$

# 1-D Discrete Cosine Transform

## ■ Forward DCT

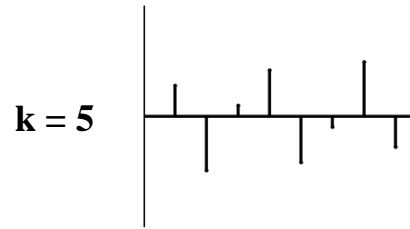
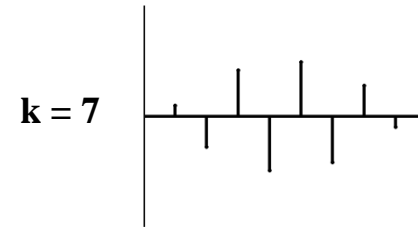
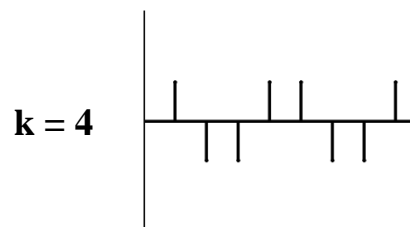
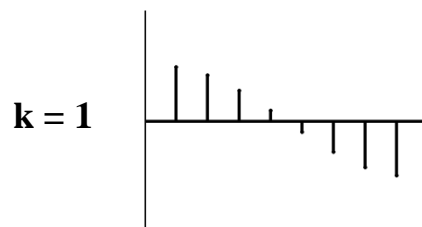
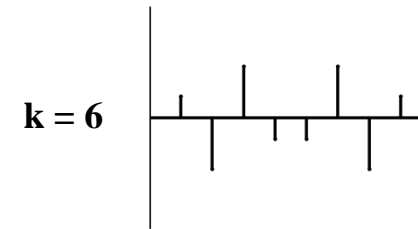
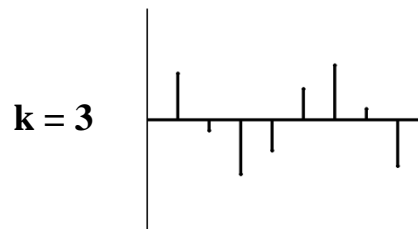
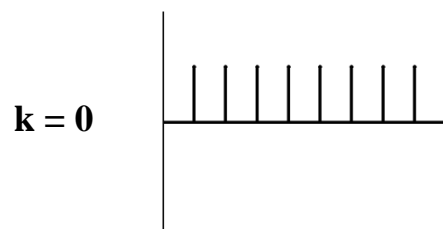
$$X(m) = u(m) \sqrt{\frac{2}{N}} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x(i) \cos \frac{(2i+1)m\pi}{2N}, \text{ for } m = 0, 1, \dots, N-1,$$

$$\text{where } u(m) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } m = 0; \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

## ■ Backward DCT

$$x(i) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{N}} \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} u(m) X(m) \cos \frac{(2i+1)m\pi}{2N}.$$

# 1D 8-Point DCT Basis Functions





# 2-D Discrete Cosine Transform

## ■ Forward DCT

$$X(m, n) = u(m)u(n) \frac{2}{N} \sum_{i=0}^{M-1} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} x(i, j) \cos \frac{(2i+1)m\pi}{2M} \cos \frac{(2j+1)n\pi}{2N},$$

for  $m = 0, 1, \dots, M-1, n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$ .

where  $u(m), u(n) = \begin{cases} 1/\sqrt{2}, & \text{for } m, n = 0 \\ 1, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

## ■ Backward DCT

$$x(i, j) = \frac{2}{N} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} u(m)u(n) X(m, n) \cos \frac{(2i+1)m\pi}{2M} \cos \frac{(2j+1)n\pi}{2N},$$

for  $i = 0, 1, \dots, M-1, j = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$ .

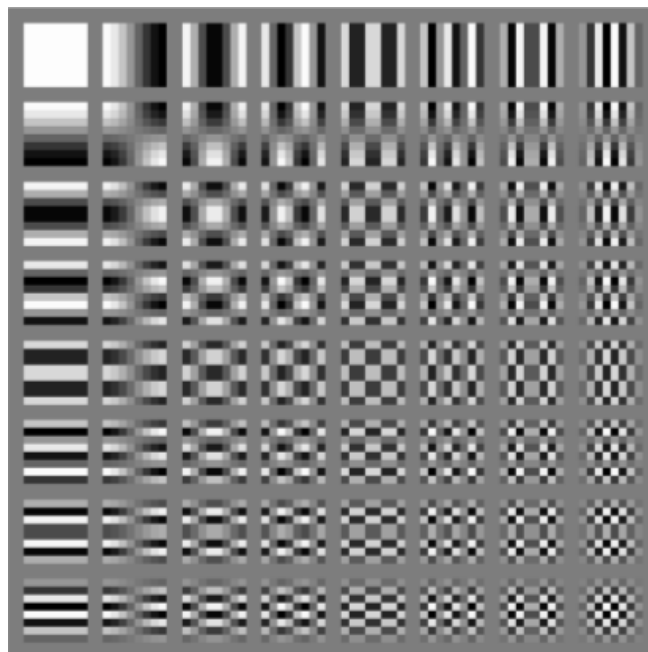
Block size =  $N \times N$

$X(m, n)$  : DCT coefficients

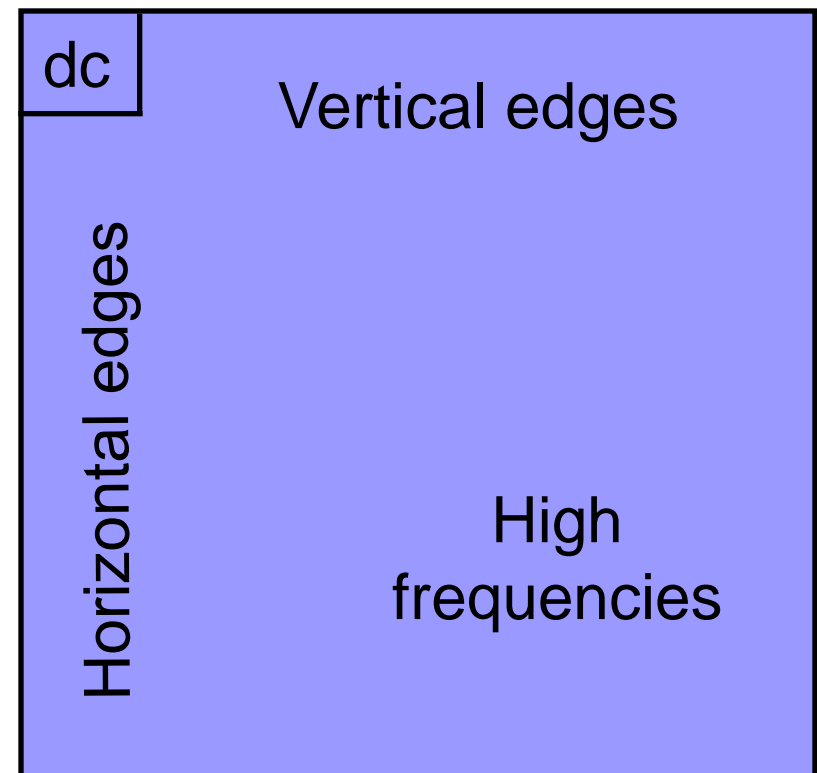
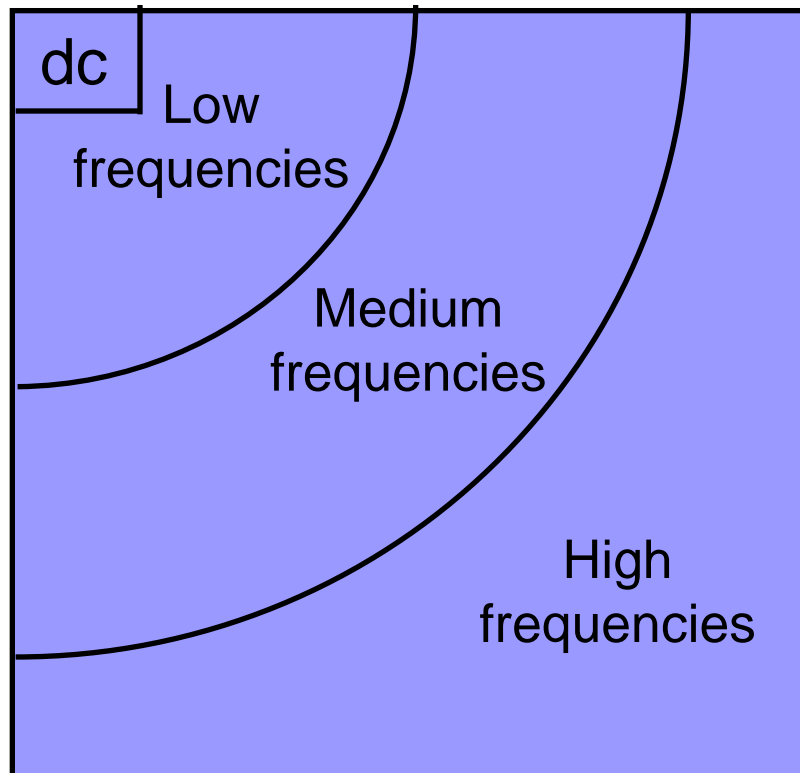
$x(i, j)$  : image samples in block

# 2-D 8x8 DCT Basis Functions

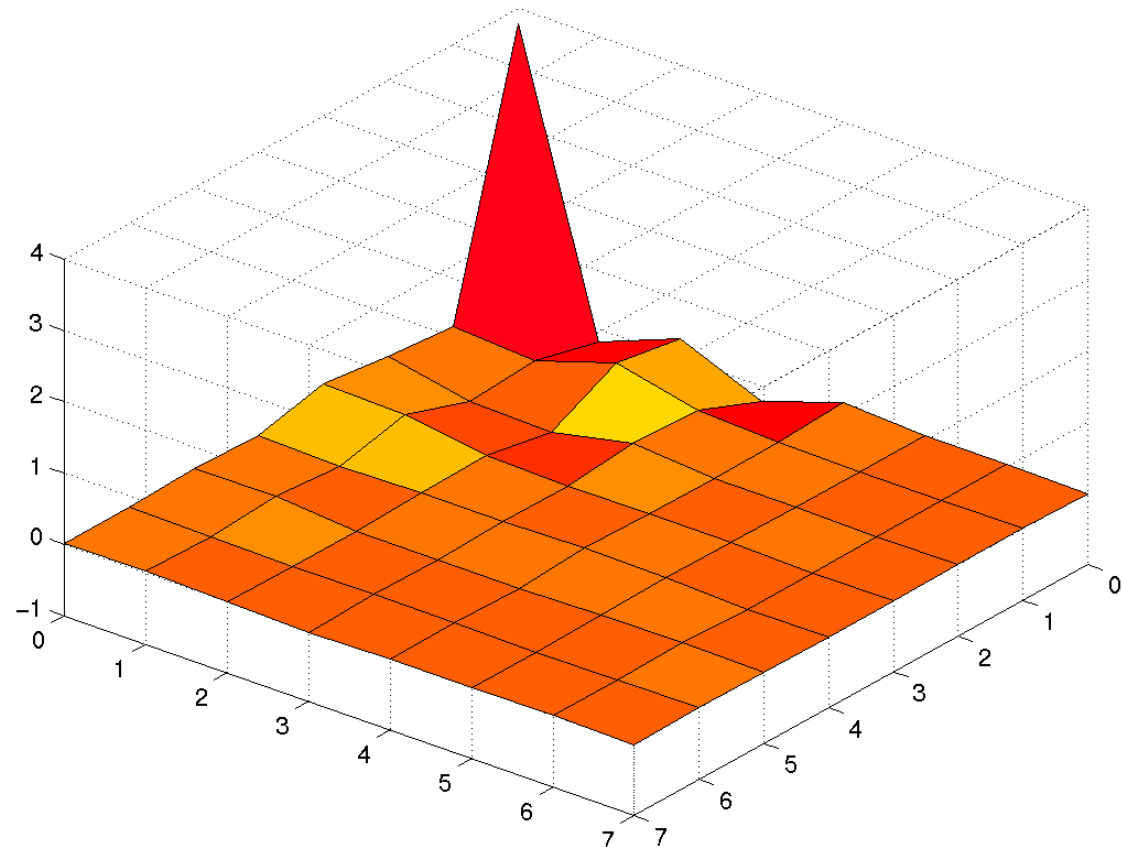
- The DCT represents each block of image samples as a weighted sum of 2-D cosine functions (**basis functions**)



# DCT Coefficients



# An Example of Energy Compaction



# An Example of DCT

52	55	61	66	71	61	64	73
63	59	66	90	109	585	69	72
62	59	68	113	144	104	66	73
63	58	71	122	154	106	70	69
67	61	68	104	126	88	68	70
79	65	60	70	77	68	58	75
85	71	64	59	55	61	65	83
87	79	69	58	65	76	78	94

Pixel Domain

DCT ↓

↑ IDCT

DC →	609	-29	-62	25	55	-20	-1	3
	7	-21	-62	9	11	-7	-6	6
	-46	8	77	-25	-30	10	7	-5
AC →	-50	13	35	-15	-9	6	0	3
	11	-8	-13	-2	-1	1	-4	1
	-10	1	3	-3	-1	0	2	-1
	-4	-1	2	-1	2	-3	1	-2
	-1	-1	-1	-2	-1	-1	0	-1

Frequency Domain

DC:  $F(0,0) = (1/8) \sum \sum f(m,n)$

related to the average value of the block



# DCT Algorithm Classification

## ■ Direct 2-D Method

- The 2-D transforms, DCT and IDCT, to be applied directly on the  $N \times N$  input data items

## ■ Row-Column Method

- The 2-D transform can be carried out with two passes of 1-D transforms
- The separability property of 2-D DCT/IDCT allows the transform to be applied on one dimension (row) then on the other (column)
- Requires  $2N$  instances of  $N$ -point 1-D DCT to implement an  $N \times N$  2-D DCT

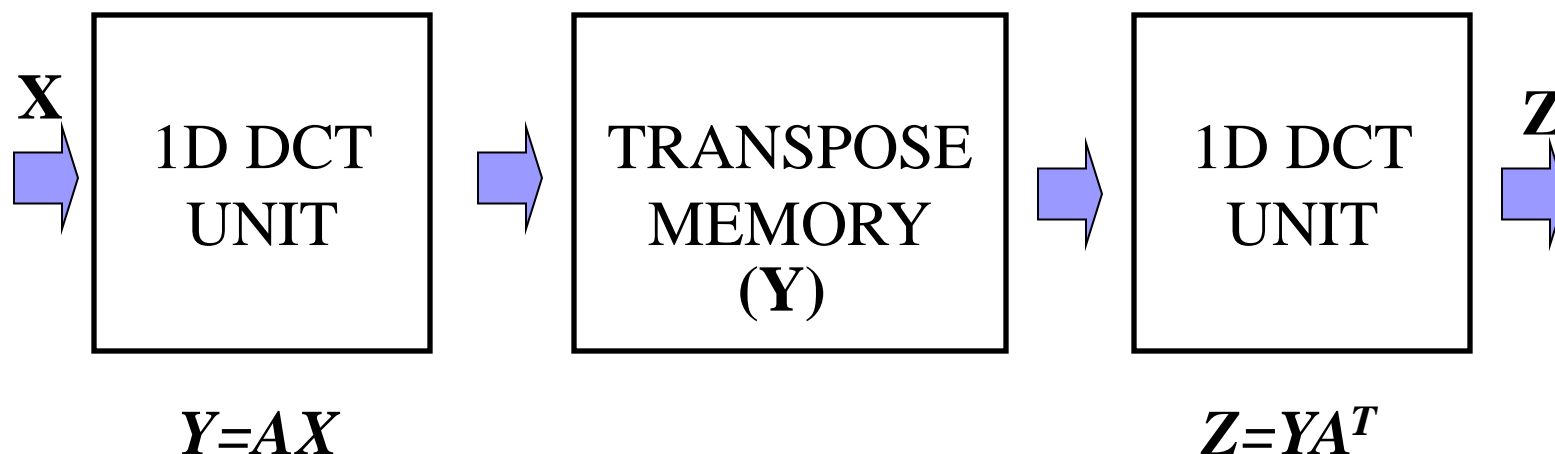
# Row-Column Decomposition

*Separable,  
row-column decomposition*

$$a(k, n) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{N}} c(k) \cos\left[\frac{2\pi(2n+1)k}{4N}\right]$$
$$k, n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

$$Z = AXA^T$$

$$c(0) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \text{and} \quad c(k) = 1 \quad \text{for} \quad k \neq 0$$



# Straightforward Approach

- Carry out the computation as full matrix-vector multiplications
  - 1-D transform requires  $N \times N$  multiplications and  $N \times (N-1)$  additions
  - 2-D transform requires  $N \times N \times N \times N$  multiplications and  $N \times N \times (N \times N - 1)$  additions
  - Although requiring the most number of operations, this method is very regular
  - Most suitable for vector processors or deeply pipelined architectures for high PE utilization
  - **1-D fast algorithms  $\Rightarrow O(N \times \log N)$**
  - **2-D fast algorithms  $\Rightarrow O(N \times N \times \log N)$**

## DCT Definition

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### DCT

$$X(k) = e(k) \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \cos \left[ \frac{(2n+1) \pi k}{2N} \right], \quad k = 0, 1 \dots N-1$$

### IDCT

$$x(n) = \frac{2}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e(k) X(k) \cos \left[ \frac{(2n+1) \pi k}{2N} \right], \quad n = 0, 1 \dots N-1$$

$$e(k) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ if } k = 0, \quad e(k) = 1 \text{ otherwise}$$

## Example: 4-point DCT (N=4)

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$$X(k) = e(k) \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n) \cos \left[ \frac{(2n+1) \pi k}{8} \right], \quad k = 0, 1, 2, 3$$

$$X(0) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} x(0) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} x(1) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} x(2) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} x(3)$$

$$X(1) = \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n) \cos \left[ \frac{(2n+1) \pi}{8} \right] = x(0) \cos \frac{\pi}{8} + x(1) \cos \frac{3\pi}{8} + x(2) \cos \frac{5\pi}{8} + x(3) \cos \frac{7\pi}{8}$$

$$X(2) = \dots\dots$$

$$X(3) = \dots\dots$$

Coefficients



## 4-point DCT - Matrix Form

$$\begin{bmatrix} X(0) \\ X(1) \\ X(2) \\ X(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \cos \frac{\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{3\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{5\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{7\pi}{8} \\ \cos \frac{2\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{6\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{10\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{14\pi}{8} \\ \cos \frac{3\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{9\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{15\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{21\pi}{8} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ x(1) \\ x(2) \\ x(3) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X(0) \\ X(1) \\ X(2) \\ X(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \cos \frac{\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{3\pi}{8} & -\cos \frac{3\pi}{8} & -\cos \frac{\pi}{8} \\ \cos \frac{2\pi}{8} & -\cos \frac{2\pi}{8} & -\cos \frac{2\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{2\pi}{8} \\ \cos \frac{3\pi}{8} & -\cos \frac{\pi}{8} & \cos \frac{\pi}{8} & -\cos \frac{3\pi}{8} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ x(1) \\ x(2) \\ x(3) \end{bmatrix}$$

**Symmetric or  
anti-  
symmetric  
rows**

# 4-point DCT - Matrix Form

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$$\begin{bmatrix} X(0) \\ X(1) \\ X(2) \\ X(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_2 & c_2 & c_2 & c_2 \\ c_1 & c_3 & -c_3 & -c_1 \\ c_2 & -c_2 & -c_2 & c_2 \\ c_3 & -c_1 & c_1 & -c_3 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ x(1) \\ x(2) \\ x(3) \end{bmatrix}$$

**N-1 (3)  
Coefficients**

**C<sub>1</sub>, C<sub>2</sub>, C<sub>3</sub>**

## 4-point DCT

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### Define New Variables

$$\begin{bmatrix} X(0) \\ X(1) \\ X(2) \\ X(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_2 & c_2 & c_2 & c_2 \\ c_1 & c_3 & -c_3 & -c_1 \\ c_2 & -c_2 & -c_2 & c_2 \\ c_3 & -c_1 & c_1 & -c_3 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ x(1) \\ x(2) \\ x(3) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X(0) = [x(0) + x(3) + x(1) + x(2)] \times c_2$$

$$X(1) = [x(0) - x(3)] \times c_1 + [x(1) - x(2)] \times c_3$$

$$X(2) = [x(0) + x(3) - (x(1) + x(2))] \times c_2$$

$$X(3) = [x(0) - x(3)] \times c_3 - [x(1) - x(2)] \times c_1$$



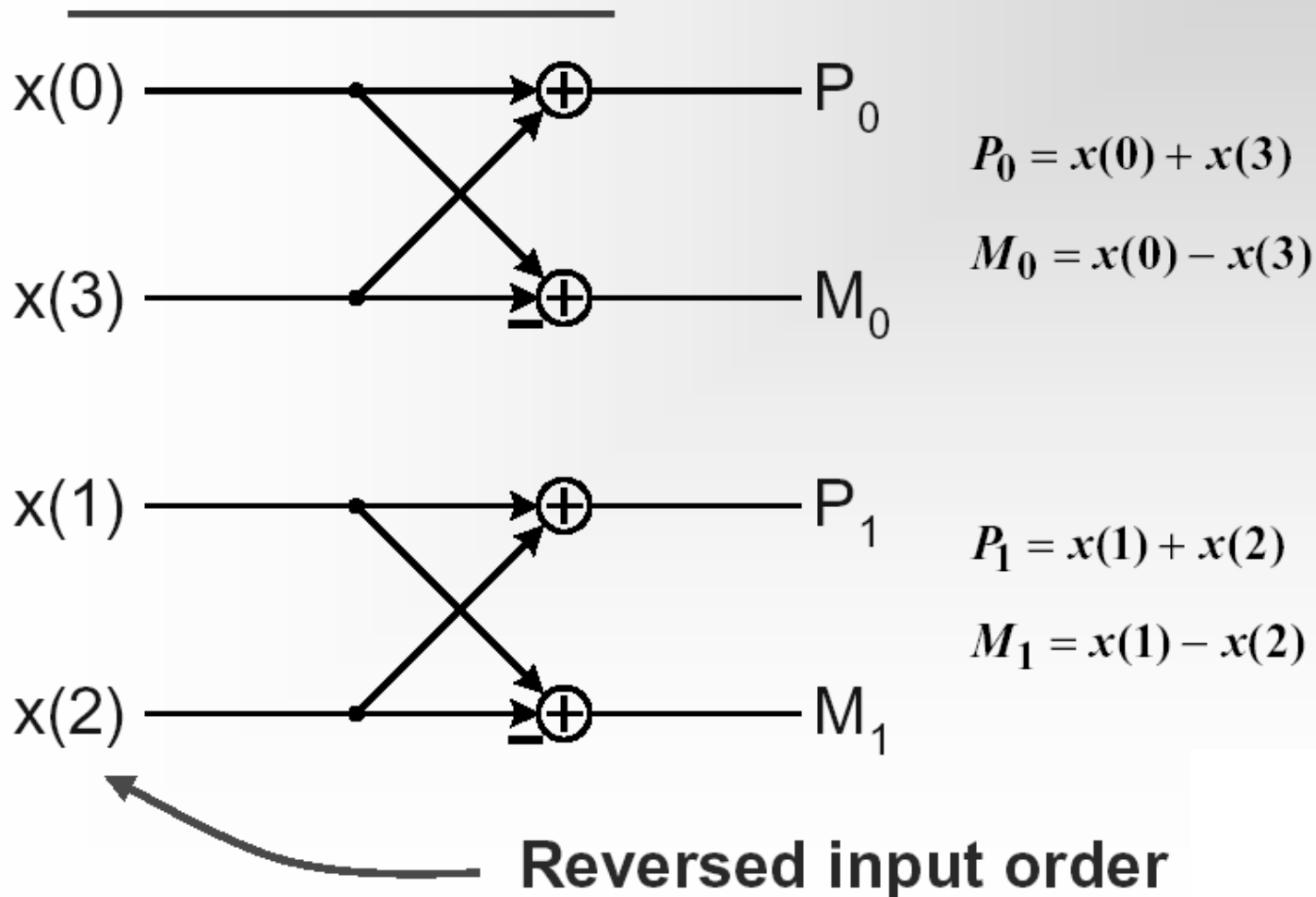
## 4-point DCT

**16 Mult  
reduced  
to 6**

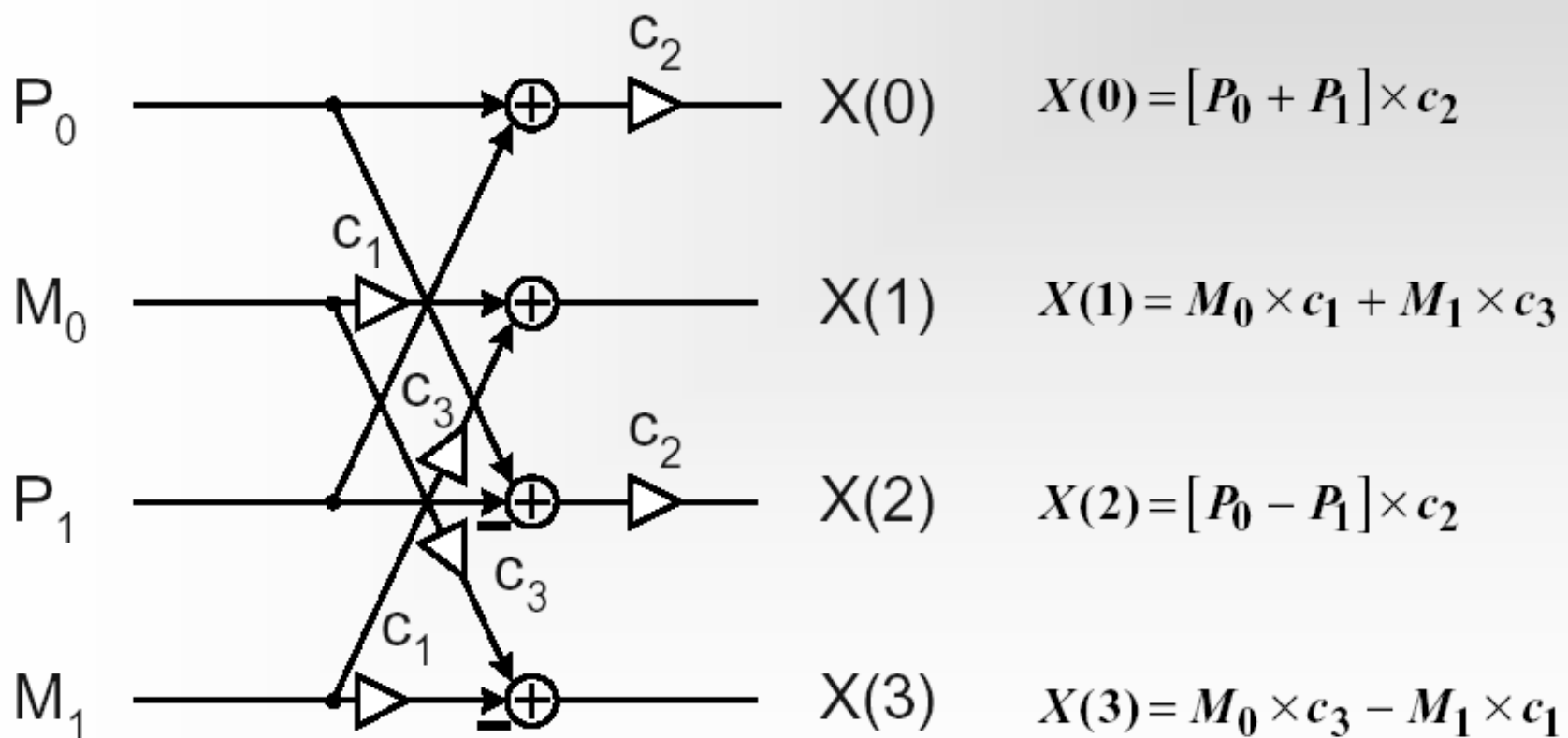
$$\begin{cases} X(0) = [x(0) + x(3) + x(1) + x(2)] \times c_2 \\ X(1) = [x(0) - x(3)] \times c_1 + [x(1) - x(2)] \times c_3 \\ X(2) = [x(0) + x(3)] \times c_2 - [x(1) + x(2)] \times c_2 \\ X(3) = [x(0) - x(3)] \times c_3 - [x(1) - x(2)] \times c_1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} X(0) = [P_0 + P_1] \times c_2 \\ X(1) = M_0 \times c_1 + M_1 \times c_3 \\ X(2) = [P_0 - P_1] \times c_2 \\ X(3) = M_0 \times c_3 - M_1 \times c_1 \end{cases}, \text{ where } \begin{cases} P_0 = x(0) + x(3) \\ M_0 = x(0) - x(3) \\ P_1 = x(1) + x(2) \\ M_1 = x(1) - x(2) \end{cases}$$

## Butterfly: First DCT Stage

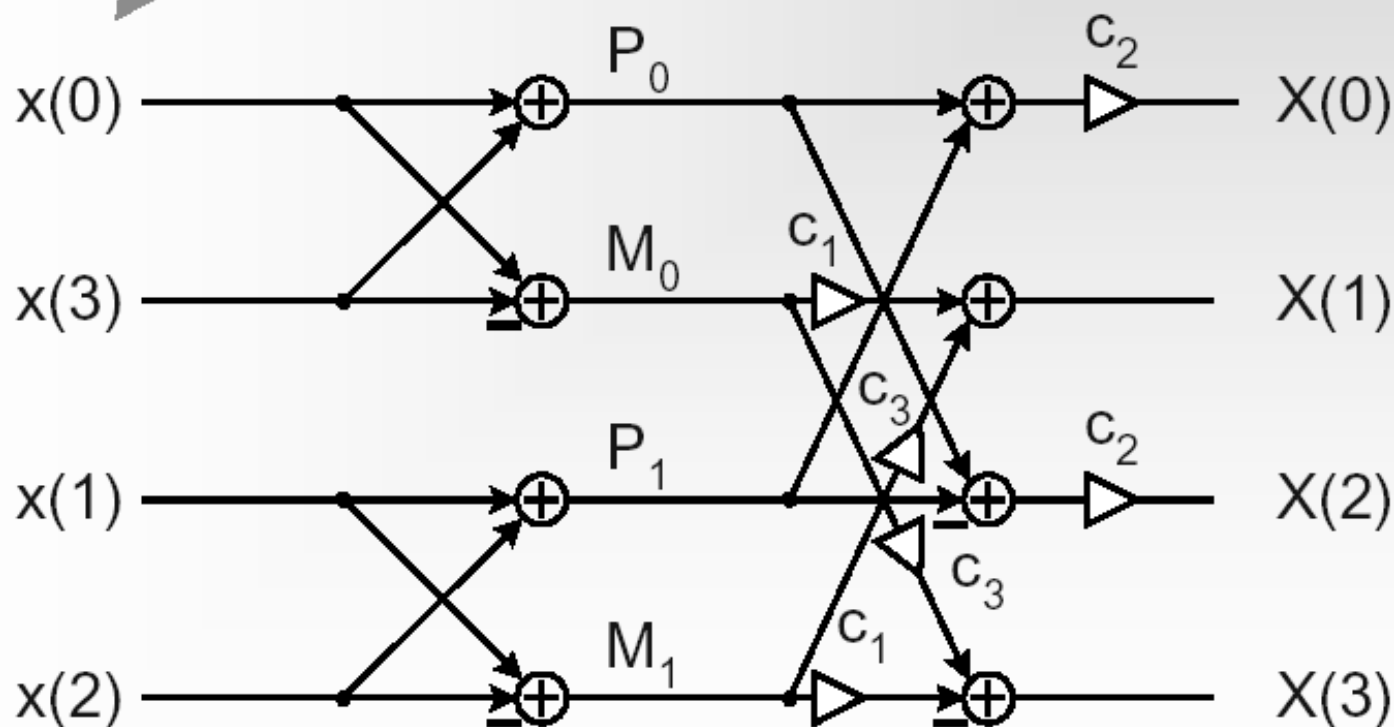


## Butterfly: Second stage



# 4-point DCT

Reversed input order



# 8-point DCT

$$\begin{bmatrix} X(0) \\ X(1) \\ X(2) \\ X(3) \\ X(4) \\ X(5) \\ X(6) \\ X(7) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 \\ c_1 & c_3 & c_5 & c_7 & c_9 & c_{11} & c_{13} & c_{15} \\ c_2 & c_6 & c_{10} & c_{14} & c_{18} & c_{22} & c_{26} & c_{30} \\ c_3 & c_9 & c_{15} & c_{21} & c_{27} & c_1 & c_7 & c_{13} \\ c_4 & c_{12} & c_{20} & c_{28} & c_4 & c_{12} & c_{20} & c_{28} \\ c_5 & c_{15} & c_{25} & c_3 & c_{13} & c_{23} & c_1 & c_{11} \\ c_6 & c_{18} & c_{30} & c_{10} & c_{22} & c_2 & c_{14} & c_{26} \\ c_7 & c_{21} & c_3 & c_{17} & c_{31} & c_{13} & c_{27} & c_9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ x(1) \\ x(2) \\ x(3) \\ x(4) \\ x(5) \\ x(6) \\ x(7) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X(0) \\ X(1) \\ X(2) \\ X(3) \\ X(4) \\ X(5) \\ X(6) \\ X(7) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & c_4 \\ c_1 & c_3 & c_5 & c_7 & -c_7 & -c_5 & -c_3 & -c_1 \\ c_2 & c_6 & -c_6 & -c_2 & -c_2 & -c_6 & c_6 & c_2 \\ c_3 & -c_7 & -c_1 & -c_5 & c_5 & c_1 & c_7 & -c_3 \\ c_4 & -c_4 & -c_4 & c_4 & c_4 & -c_4 & -c_4 & c_4 \\ c_5 & -c_1 & c_7 & c_3 & -c_3 & -c_7 & c_1 & -c_5 \\ c_6 & -c_2 & c_2 & -c_6 & -c_6 & c_2 & -c_2 & c_6 \\ c_7 & -c_5 & c_3 & -c_1 & c_1 & -c_3 & c_5 & -c_7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ x(1) \\ x(2) \\ x(3) \\ x(4) \\ x(5) \\ x(6) \\ x(7) \end{bmatrix}$$



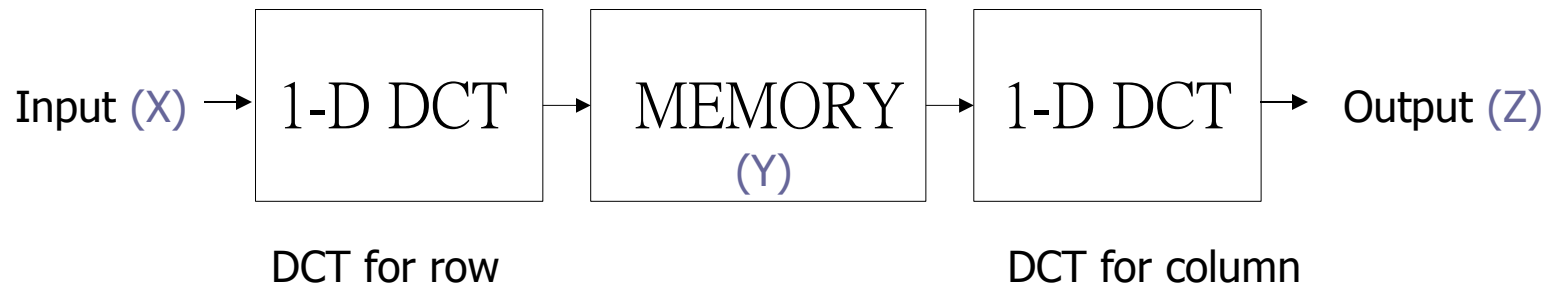
# 1-D DCT Row-Column Method



# Row-Column Method(1/2)

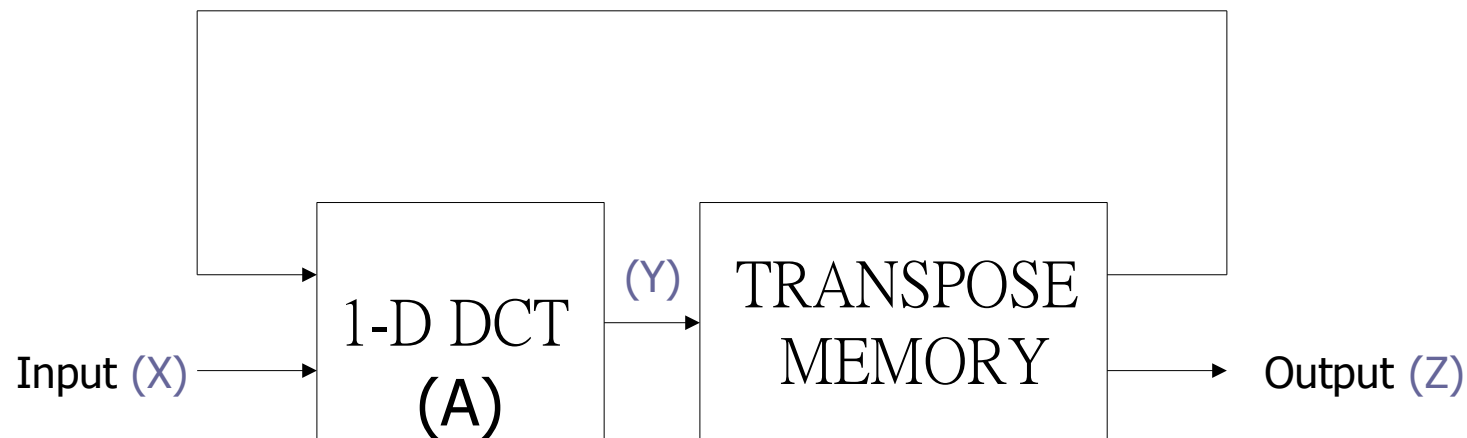
## ■ Basic concept :

$$2\text{-D DCT} = 1\text{-D DCT}(\text{row}) \rightarrow 1\text{-D DCT}(\text{column})$$



# Row-Column Method(2/2)

- Use transpose memory



$$Z = AXA^T$$





# Row-Column Method Example

A. Madisetti and A. N. Willson Jr., “A 100 MHz 2-D 8x8 DCT/IDCT processor for HDTV applications,” *IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology*, vol. 5, no. 2, April 1995

# Matrix Decomposition

- For 8-bit 1D-DCT unit array A:

$$Y = AX$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & a & a & a & a & a & a & a \\ b & d & e & g & -g & -e & -d & -b \\ c & f & -f & -c & -c & -f & f & c \\ d & -g & -b & -e & e & b & g & -d \\ a & -a & -a & a & a & -a & -a & a \\ e & -b & g & d & -d & -g & b & -e \\ f & -c & c & -f & -f & c & -c & f \\ g & -e & d & -b & b & -d & e & -g \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \\ e \\ f \\ g \end{bmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{N}} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \\ \cos \frac{\pi}{16} \\ \cos \frac{\pi}{8} \\ \cos \frac{3\pi}{16} \\ \cos \frac{5\pi}{16} \\ \cos \frac{3\pi}{8} \\ \cos \frac{7\pi}{16} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Matrix Decomposition

- Use symmetrical property of DCT coefficients:

$$\text{DCT : } \begin{bmatrix} Y(0) \\ Y(2) \\ Y(4) \\ Y(6) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & a & a & a \\ c & f & -f & -c \\ a & -a & -a & a \\ f & -c & c & -f \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0)+X(7) \\ X(1)+X(6) \\ X(2)+X(5) \\ X(3)+X(4) \end{bmatrix}$$

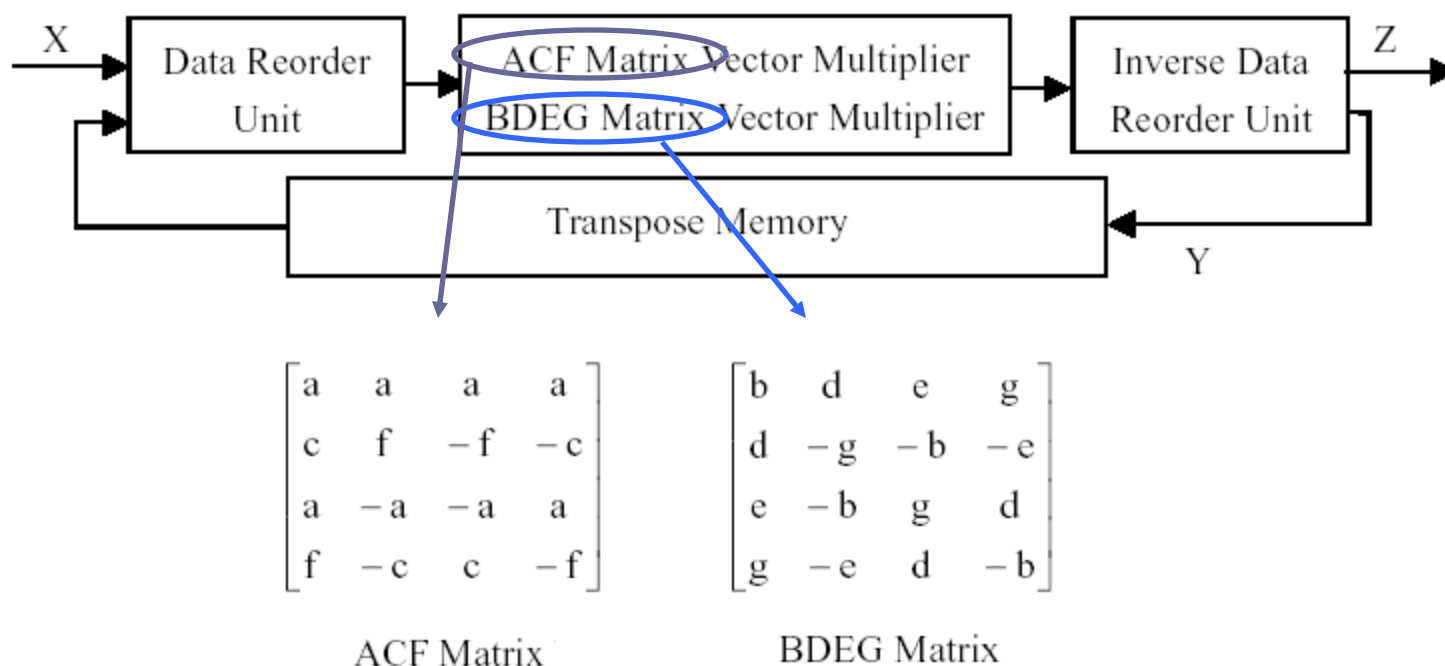
$$\begin{bmatrix} Y(1) \\ Y(3) \\ Y(5) \\ Y(7) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b & d & e & g \\ d & -g & -b & -e \\ e & -b & g & d \\ g & -e & d & -b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0)-X(7) \\ X(1)-X(6) \\ X(2)-X(5) \\ X(3)-X(4) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{IDCT : } \begin{bmatrix} Y(0) \\ Y(1) \\ Y(2) \\ Y(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & c & a & f \\ a & f & -a & -c \\ a & -f & -a & c \\ a & -c & a & -f \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0) \\ X(2) \\ X(4) \\ X(6) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b & d & e & g \\ d & -g & -b & -e \\ e & -b & g & d \\ g & -e & d & -b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(1) \\ X(3) \\ X(5) \\ X(7) \end{bmatrix}$$

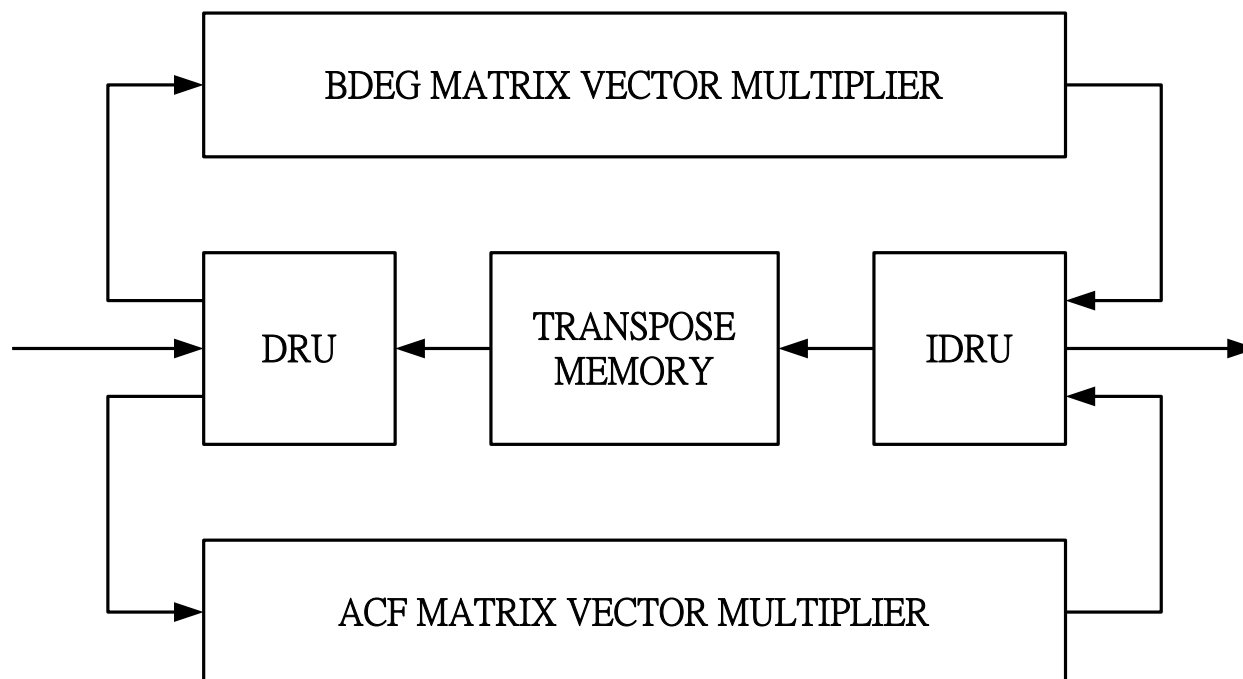
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# Overall Architecture (1/2)

## ■ Architecture:

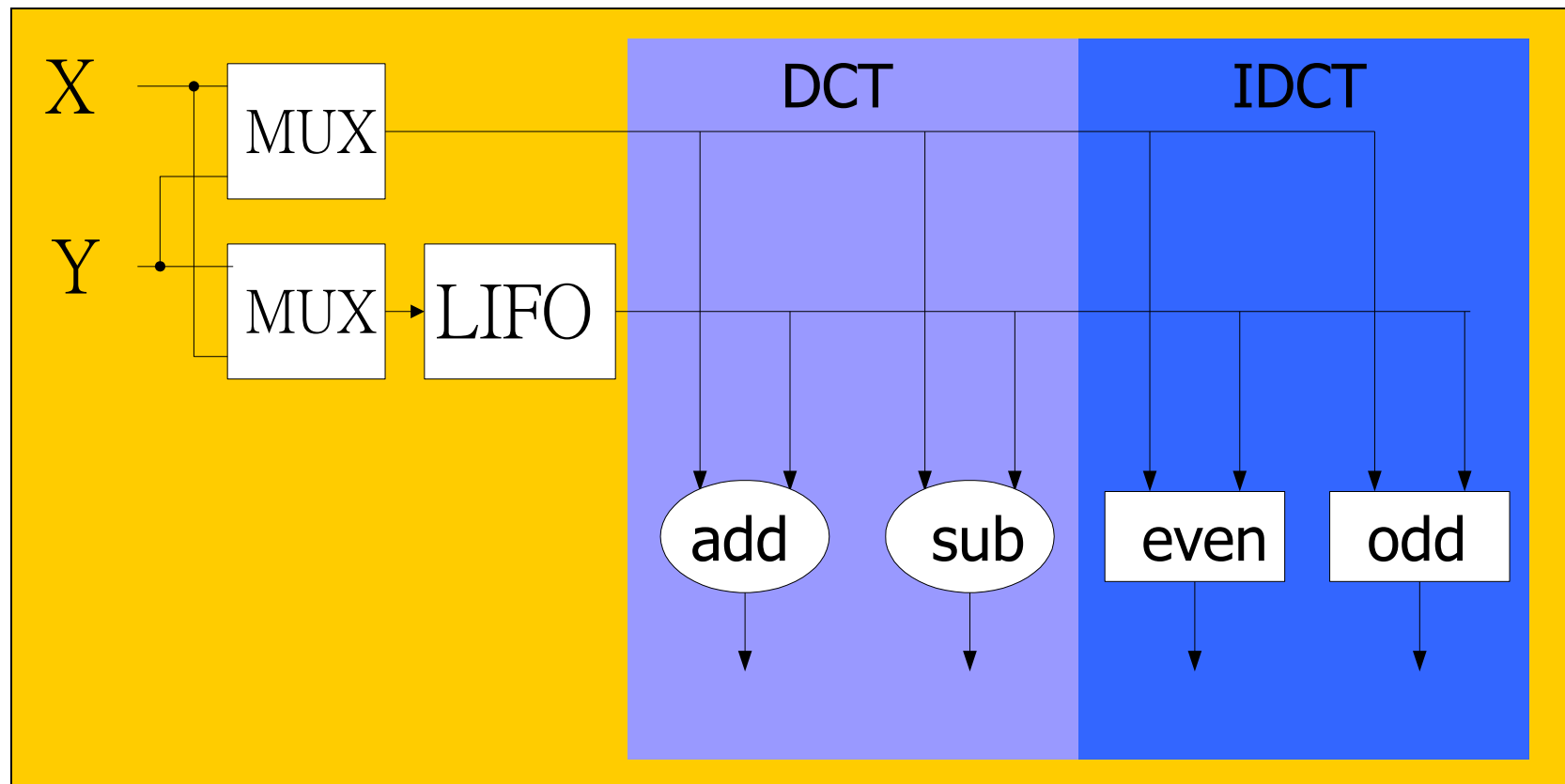


# Overall Architecture (2/2)



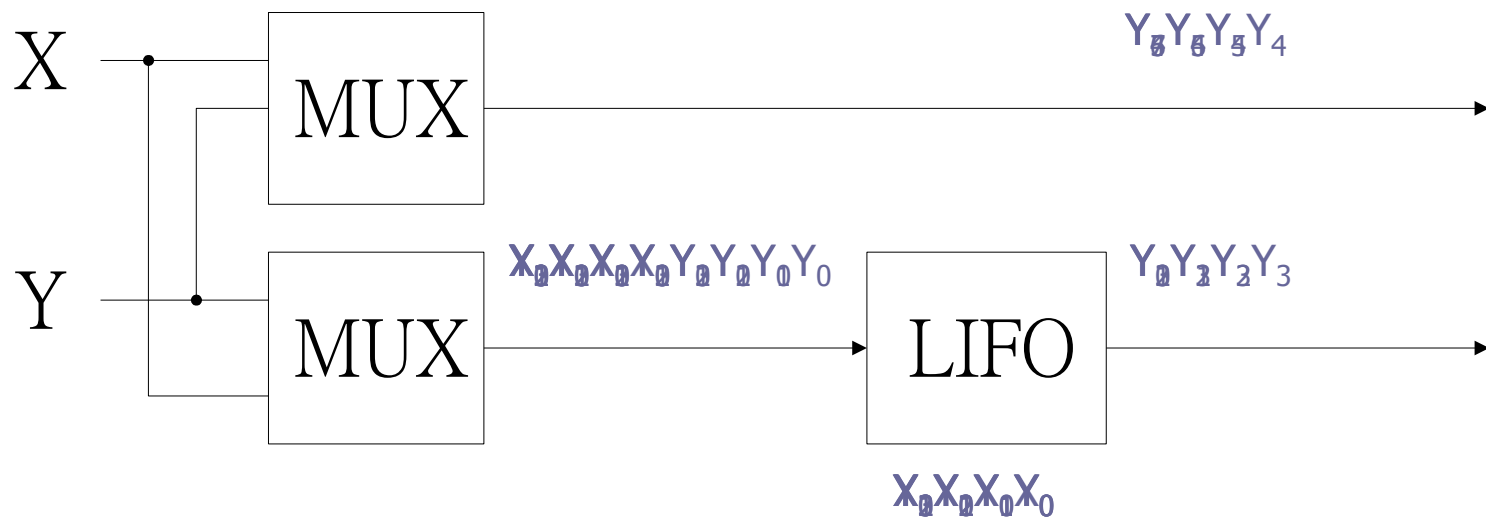
# Data Reorder Unit (1/3)

## ■ DRU architecture



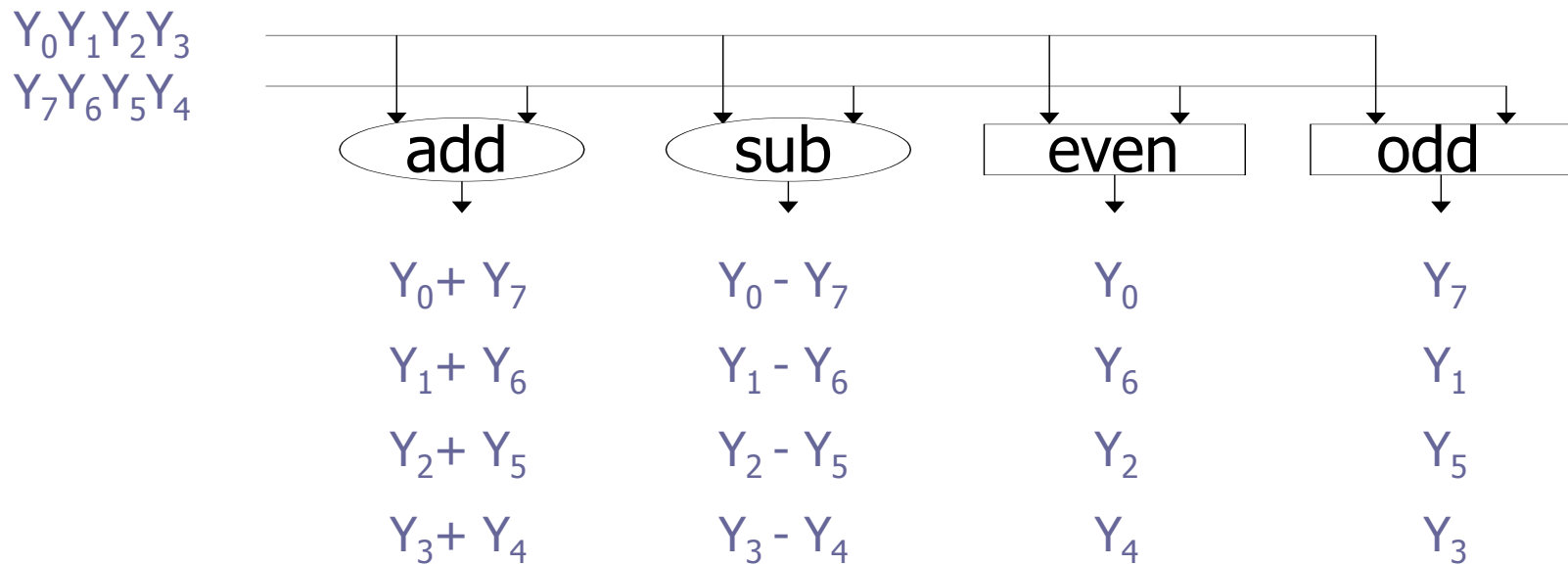
# Data Reorder Unit (2/3)

## ■ DRU\_1 Data flow:



# Data Reorder Unit (3/3)

## ■ DRU\_2 Data flow:

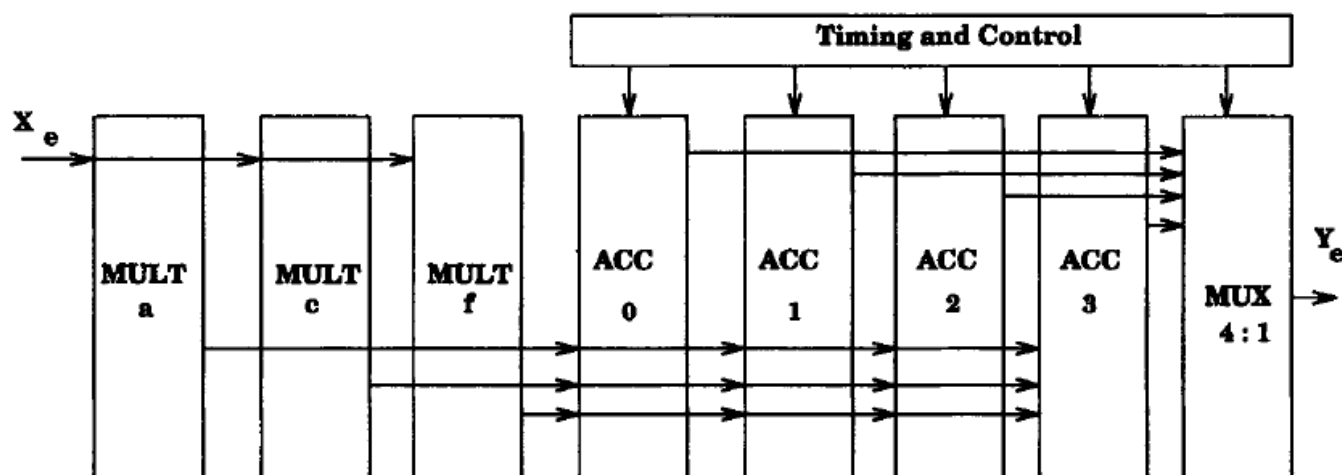




# Matrix multiplier (1/4)

## ■ ACF matrix vector multiplier

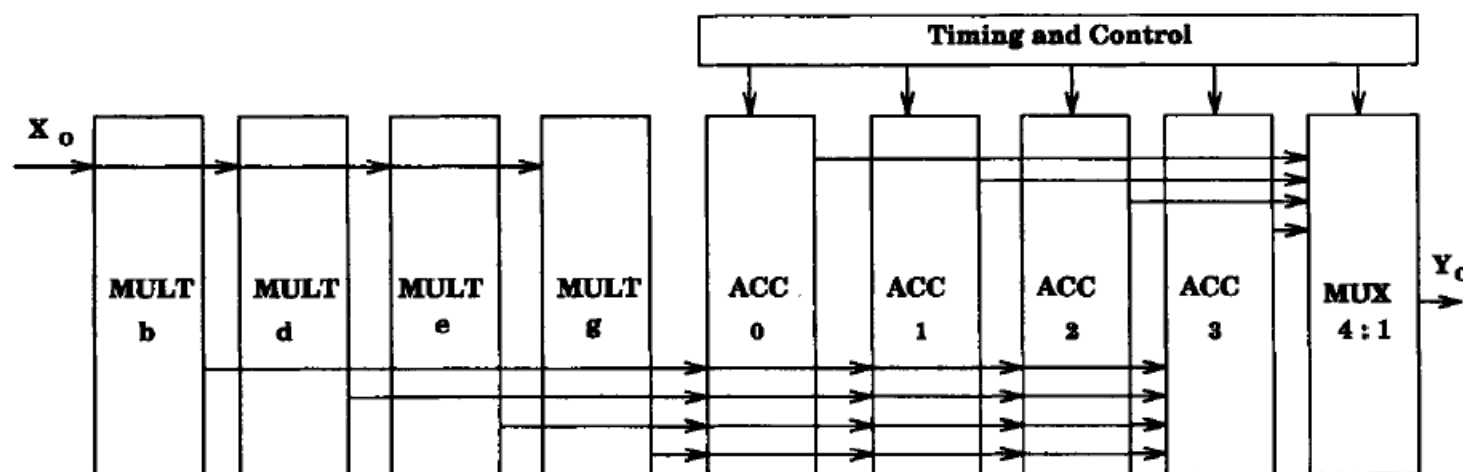
$$\begin{aligned}
 \begin{bmatrix} Y(0) \\ Y(2) \\ Y(4) \\ Y(6) \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} \text{acc0} & a & a & a & a \\ c & f & -f & -c & \\ a & -a & -a & a & \\ f & -c & c & -f & \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0) + X(7) \\ X(1) + X(6) \\ X(2) + X(5) \\ X(3) + X(4) \end{bmatrix} \\
 \begin{bmatrix} Y(1) \\ Y(3) \\ Y(5) \\ Y(7) \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} b & d & e & g & \\ d & -g & -b & -e & \\ e & -b & g & d & \\ g & -e & d & -b & \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0) - X(7) \\ X(1) - X(6) \\ X(2) - X(5) \\ X(3) - X(4) \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$



# Matrix multiplier (2/4)

## ■ BDEG matrix vector multiplie

$$\begin{bmatrix} Y(0) \\ Y(2) \\ Y(4) \\ Y(6) \\ Y(1) \\ Y(3) \\ Y(5) \\ Y(7) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & a & a & a \\ c & f & -f & -c \\ a & -a & -a & a \\ f & -c & c & -f \\ \text{acc0} & b & d & e & g \\ d & -g & -b & -e \\ e & -b & g & d \\ g & -e & d & -b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0) + X(7) \\ X(1) + X(6) \\ X(2) + X(5) \\ X(3) + X(4) \\ X(0) - X(7) \\ X(1) - X(6) \\ X(2) - X(5) \\ X(3) - X(4) \end{bmatrix}$$



# Matrix multiplier (3/4)

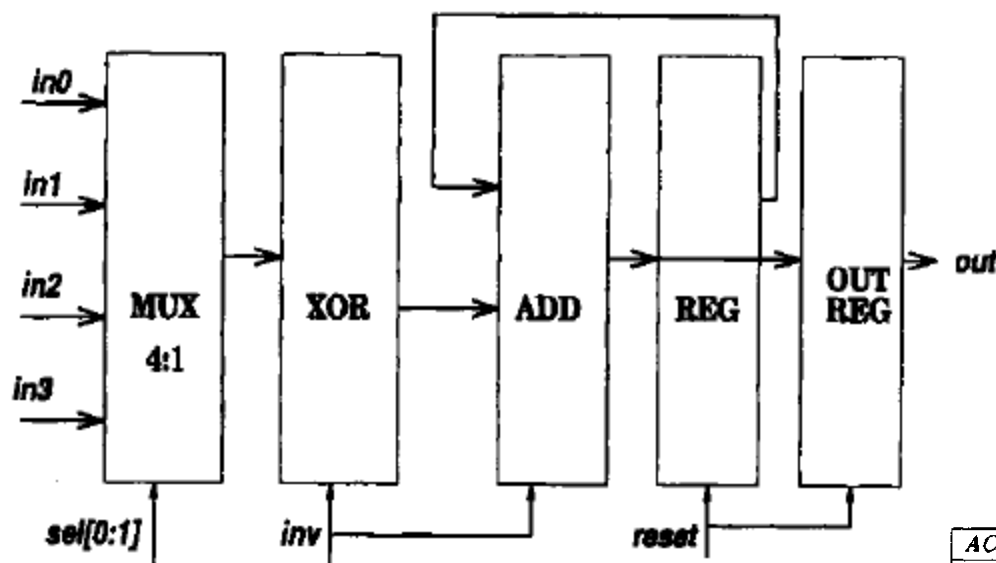
- Hardwired multipliers
  - Use SDC number system

TABLE II  
SIGNED DIGIT REPRESENTATION OF THE DCT COEFFICIENTS

coefficient	value	12 bit signed	SD representation	No. bits
a	0.35355	0.35351	$2^{-2} + 2^{-4} + 2^{-5} + 2^{-7} + 2^{-9} = 0.35352$	5
b	0.49039	0.49023	$2^{-1} - 2^{-7} - 2^{-9} + 2^{-13} = 0.49036$	4
c	0.46194	0.46191	$2^{-1} - 2^{-5} - 2^{-7} + 2^{-10} = 0.46191$	4
d	0.41573	0.41552	$2^{-2} + 2^{-3} + 2^{-5} + 2^{-7} + 2^{-9} - 2^{-12} = 0.41577$	6
e	0.27779	0.27734	$2^{-2} + 2^{-5} - 2^{-8} + 2^{-11} = 0.27783$	4
f	0.19134	0.19091	$2^{-3} + 2^{-4} + 2^{-8} - 2^{-14} = 0.19135$	4
g	0.09755	0.09716	$2^{-4} + 2^{-5} + 2^{-8} - 2^{-13} = 0.09753$	4

# Matrix multiplier (4/4)

## ■ Accumulator



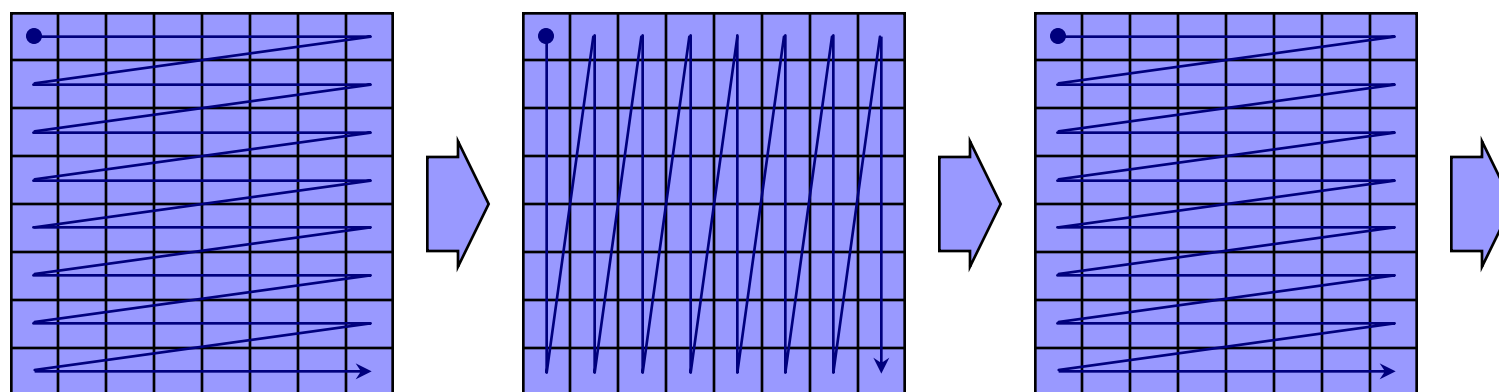
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$$\begin{bmatrix} Y(1) \\ Y(3) \\ Y(5) \\ Y(7) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b & d & e & g \\ d & -g & -b & -e \\ e & -b & g & d \\ g & -e & d & -b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0) - X(7) \\ X(1) - X(6) \\ X(2) - X(5) \\ X(3) - X(4) \end{bmatrix}$$

TABLE I  
INPUT SELECTION FOR ACCUMULATORS FOR THE DCT/IDCT

ACF ACCBANK FOR DCT/IDCT				BDEG ACCBANK FOR DCT/IDCT			
ACC0	ACC1	ACC2	ACC3	ACC0	ACC1	ACC2	ACC3
a/a	c/a	a/a	f/a	g/d	e/g	d/b	b/e
a/c	f/f	a/f	c/c	e/e	b/b	g/g	d/d
a/f	f/c	a/c	c/f	d/b	g/d	b/e	e/g
a/a	c/a	a/a	f/a	b/g	d/e	e/d	g/b

# Transpose Memory (1/2)



■ Pin-pong mode

■ Using RAMs

ADDR

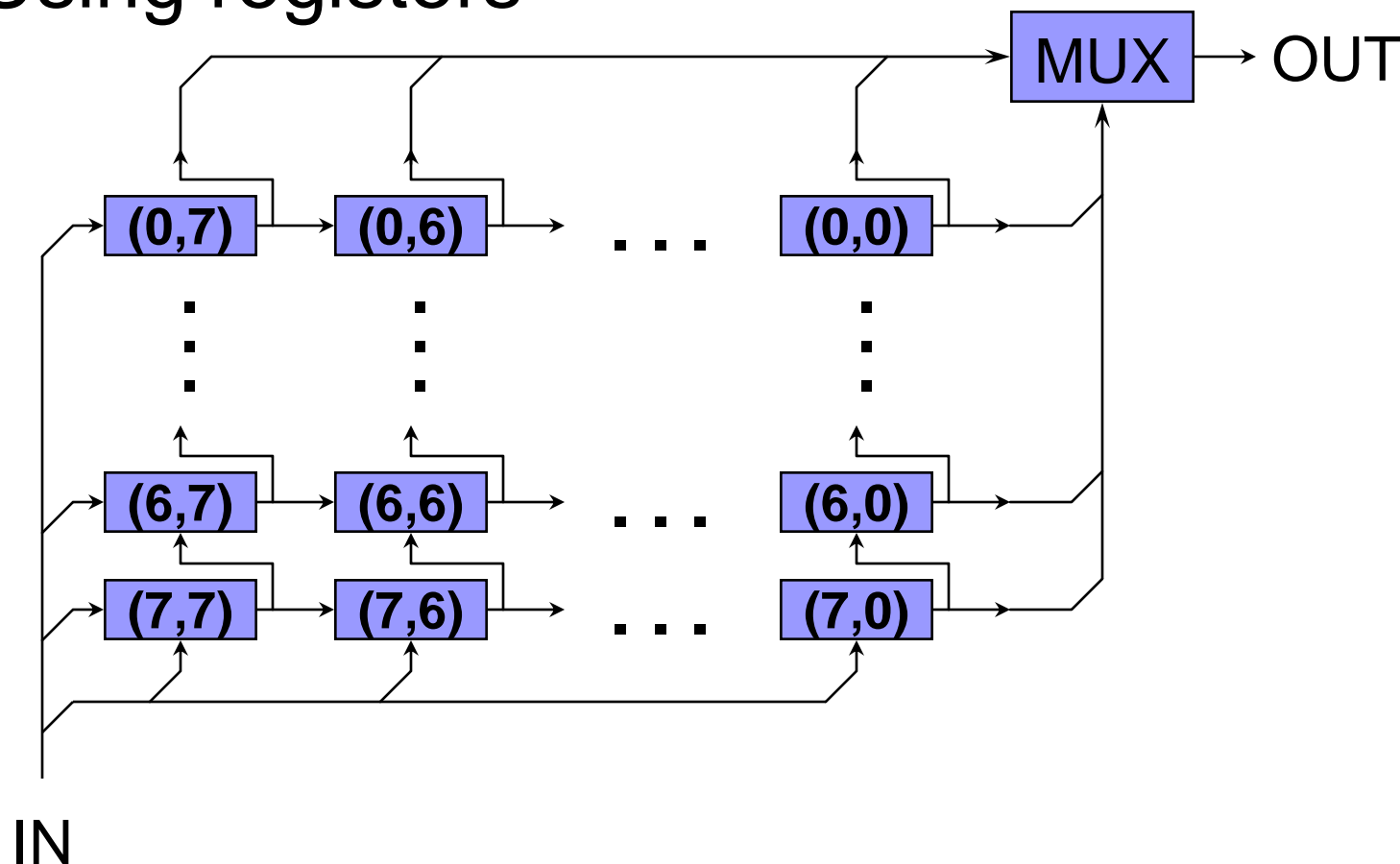
TIME



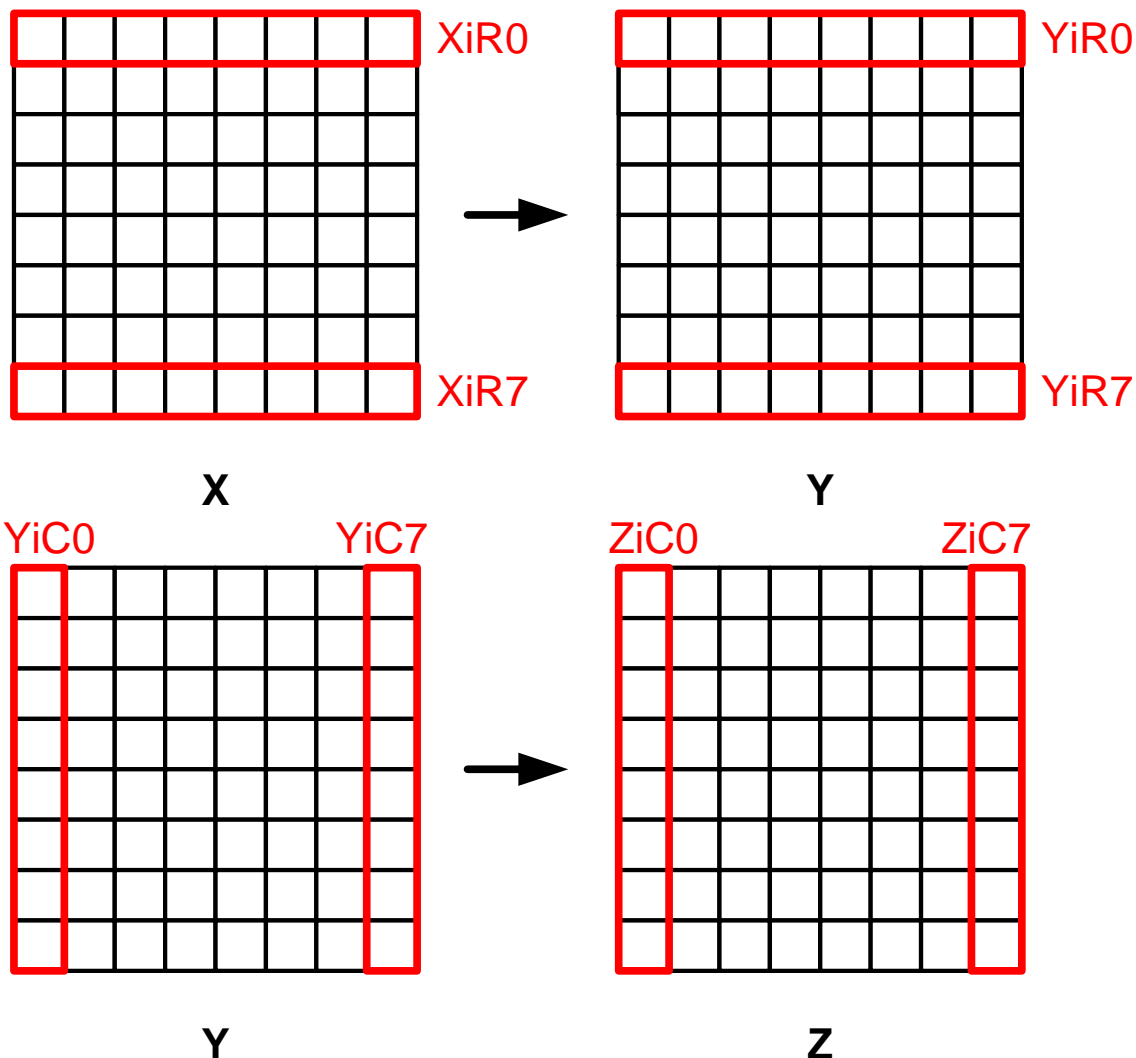
0	1	2	3...	7	8	9	10	11...	15	16	17...	62	63
0	8	16	24...	56	1	9	17	25...	57	2	10...	55	63
0	1	2	3...	7	8	9	10	11...	15	16	17...	62	63

# Transpose Memory (2/2)

## ■ Using registers



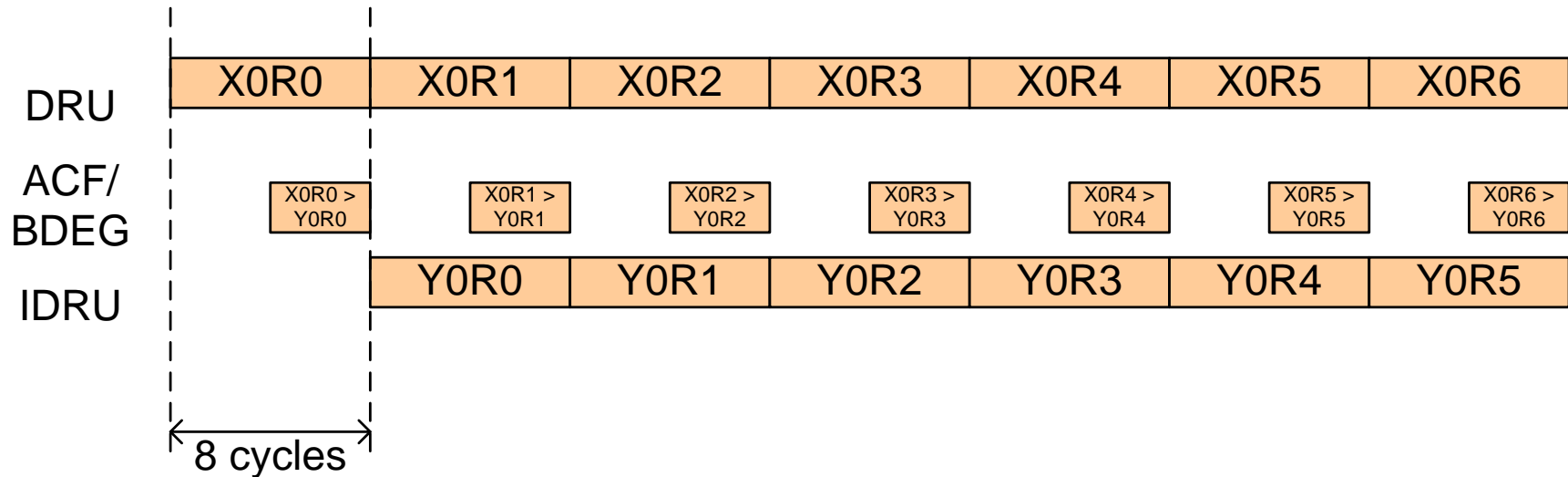
# Scheduling



R: row  
C: column  
i: block index



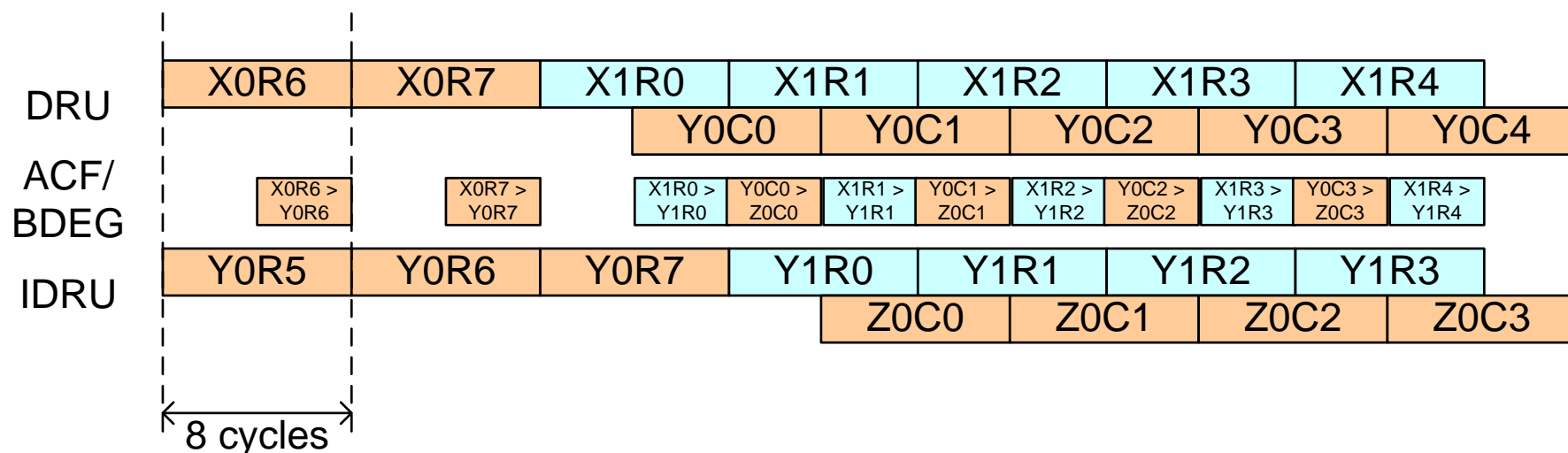
# Scheduling







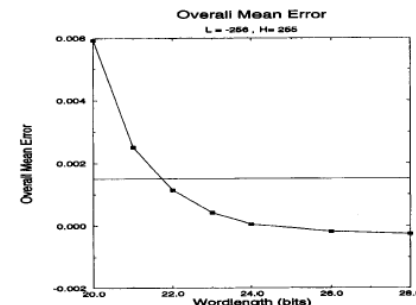
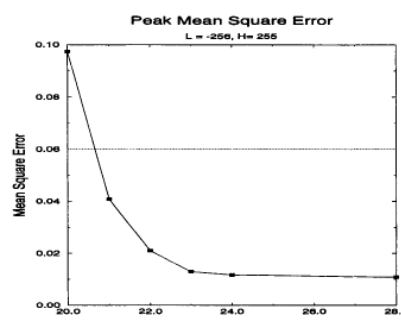
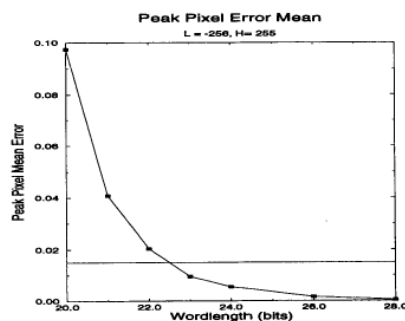
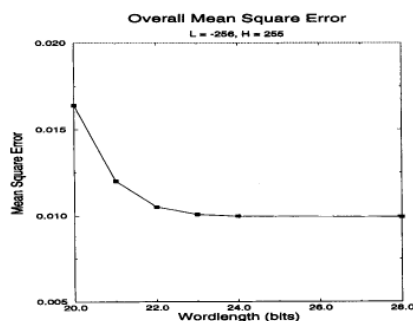
# Scheduling



**100% hardware utilization!**

# Finite Word Length Analysis

- The word length for the accumulator is 22-bit



	Specification	L, H = -256, 255	L = H = 300	L = H = 5
Peak Pixel Error	$\leq 1$	1	1	1
Peak Pixel Mean Square Error	$\leq 0.06$	0.0134	0.0153	0.0139
Overall Mean Square Error	$\leq 0.02$	0.0104	0.0101	0.0028
Peak Pixel Mean Error	$\leq 0.015$	0.0133	0.0125	0.0139
Overall Mean Error	$\leq 0.0015$	0.00096	0.0011	0.0011

# Implementation Results

## Core Characteristic

Inputs	9 bits (DCT), 12 bits (IDCT)
Outputs	12 bits (DCT), 9 bits (IDCT)
Internal Wordlength	22 bits
Technology	0.8- $\mu$ m CMOS, triple metal
No. of Transistors	67,000
Core Size	10 mm <sup>2</sup>
Clock Rate	100 MHz
Mode Selection	DCT or IDCT
Block Size	8 $\times$ 8
Accuracy	CCITT compliant

## IO Specification

Function	Number
Input	12
Output	12
Clock	1
Power	8
Ground	8
DCT/IDCT control	1
Start	1

# 1-D Approach with DA

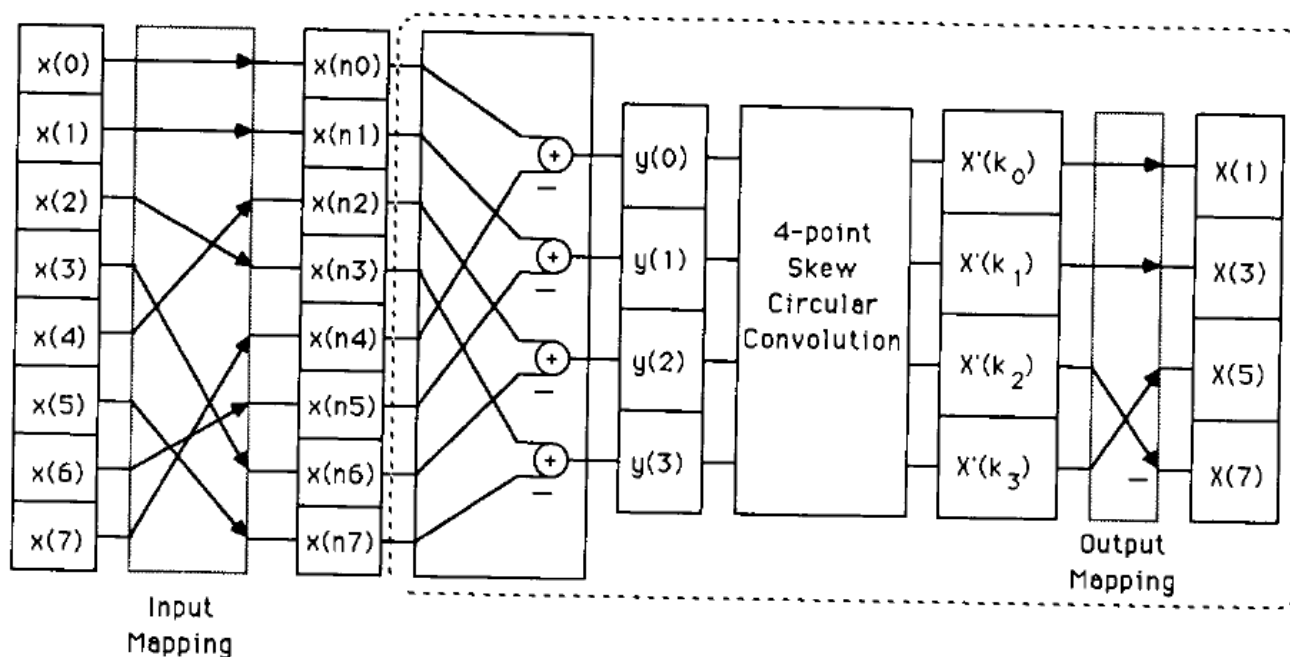
D. Slaweck and W. Li, “DCT/IDCT processor for high data rate image coding,” *IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology*, vol. 2, no. 2, June 1992

# DCT Algorithm (1/3)

## ■ Odd-indexed DCT component

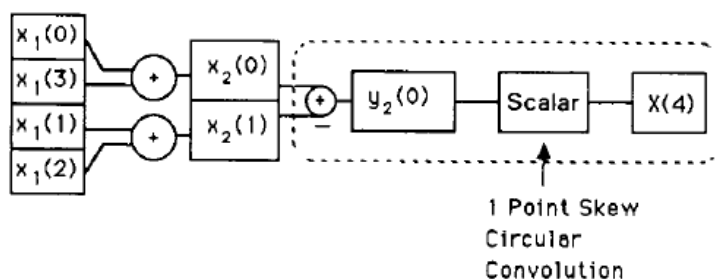
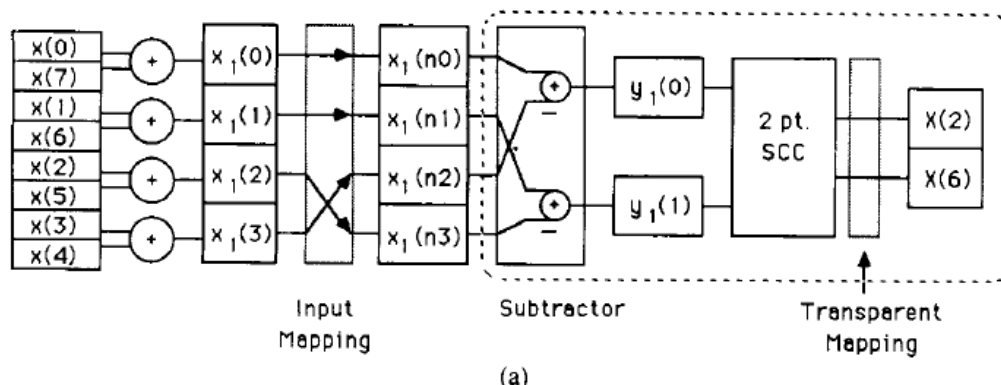
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$$\begin{bmatrix} Y(1) \\ Y(3) \\ Y(5) \\ Y(7) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b & d & e & g \\ d & -g & -b & -e \\ e & -b & g & d \\ g & -e & d & -b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0) - X(7) \\ X(1) - X(6) \\ X(2) - X(5) \\ X(3) - X(4) \end{bmatrix}$$



# DCT Algorithm (2/3)

## ■ Even-indexed DCT component

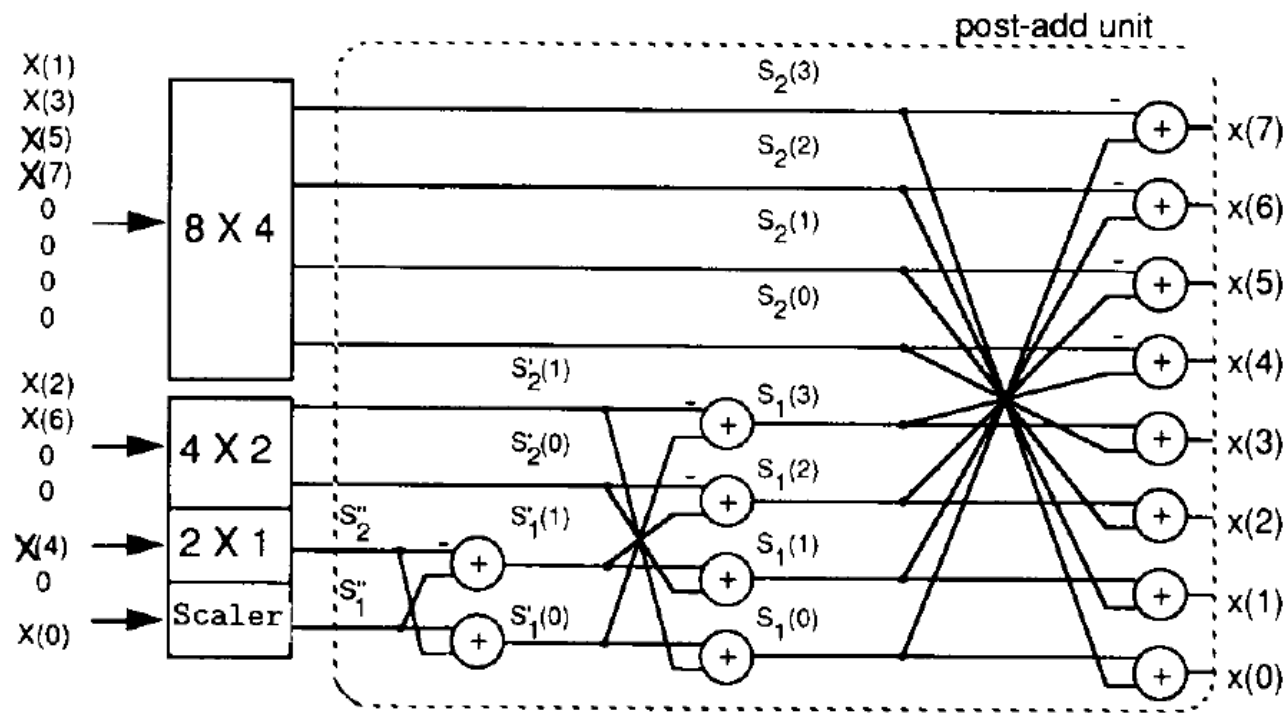


$$\begin{bmatrix} Y(0) \\ Y(2) \\ Y(4) \\ Y(6) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & a & a & a \\ c & f & -f & -c \\ a & -a & -a & a \\ f & -c & c & -f \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0) + X(7) \\ X(1) + X(6) \\ X(2) + X(5) \\ X(3) + X(4) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} Y(1) \\ Y(3) \\ Y(5) \\ Y(7) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b & d & e & g \\ d & -g & -b & -e \\ e & -b & g & d \\ g & -e & d & -b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(0) - X(7) \\ X(1) - X(6) \\ X(2) - X(5) \\ X(3) - X(4) \end{bmatrix}$$

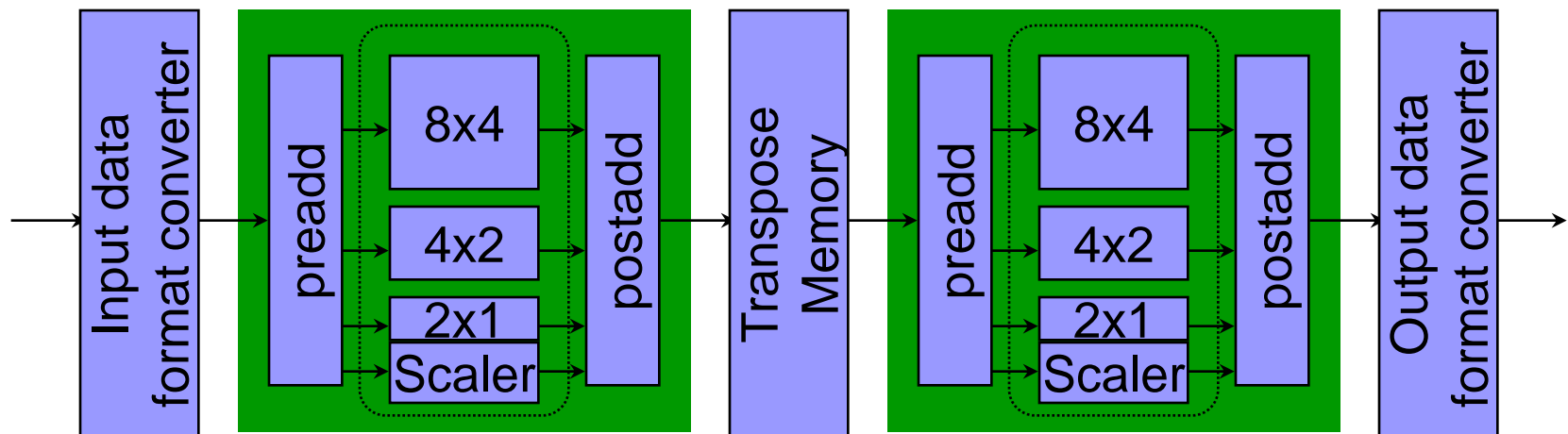
# DCT Algorithm (3/3)

## ■ IDCT



# Block Diagram

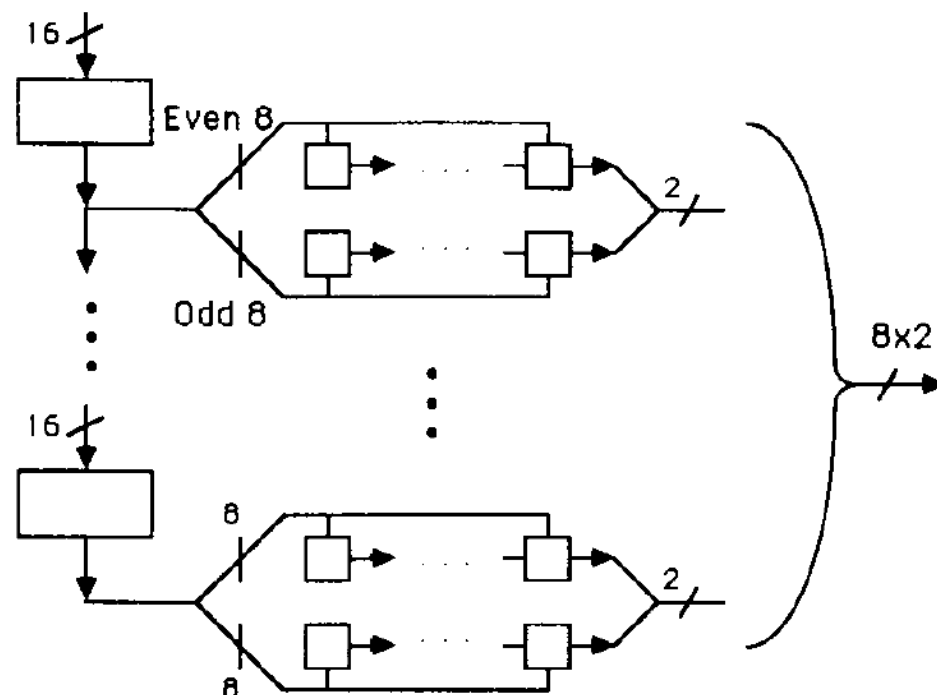
- Word-serial/bit parallel input/output
- Word-parallel/digit-serial datapath
- Block Diagram



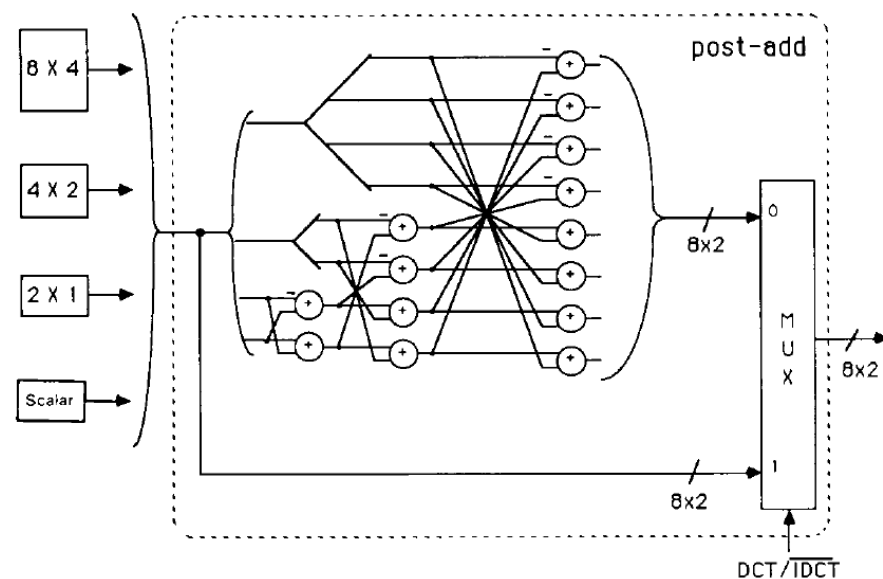
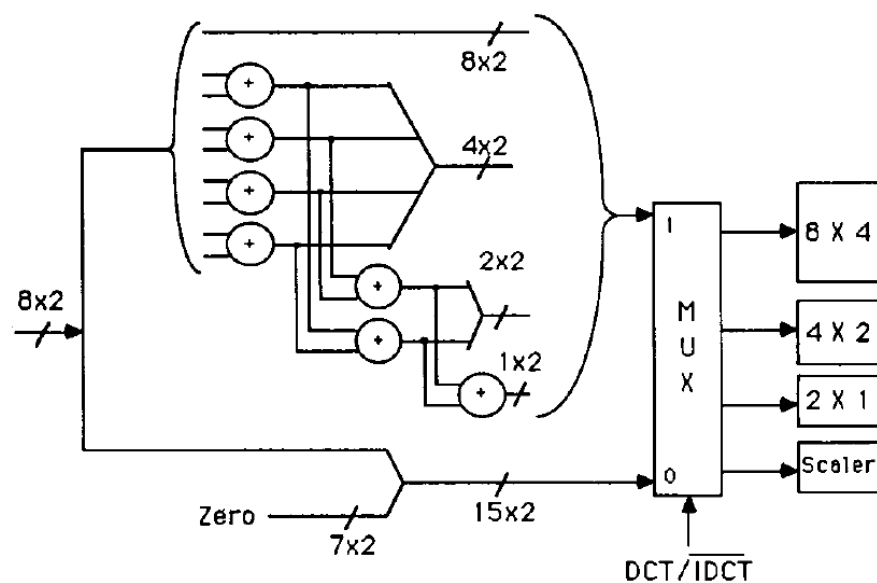


# Input Data Format Converter

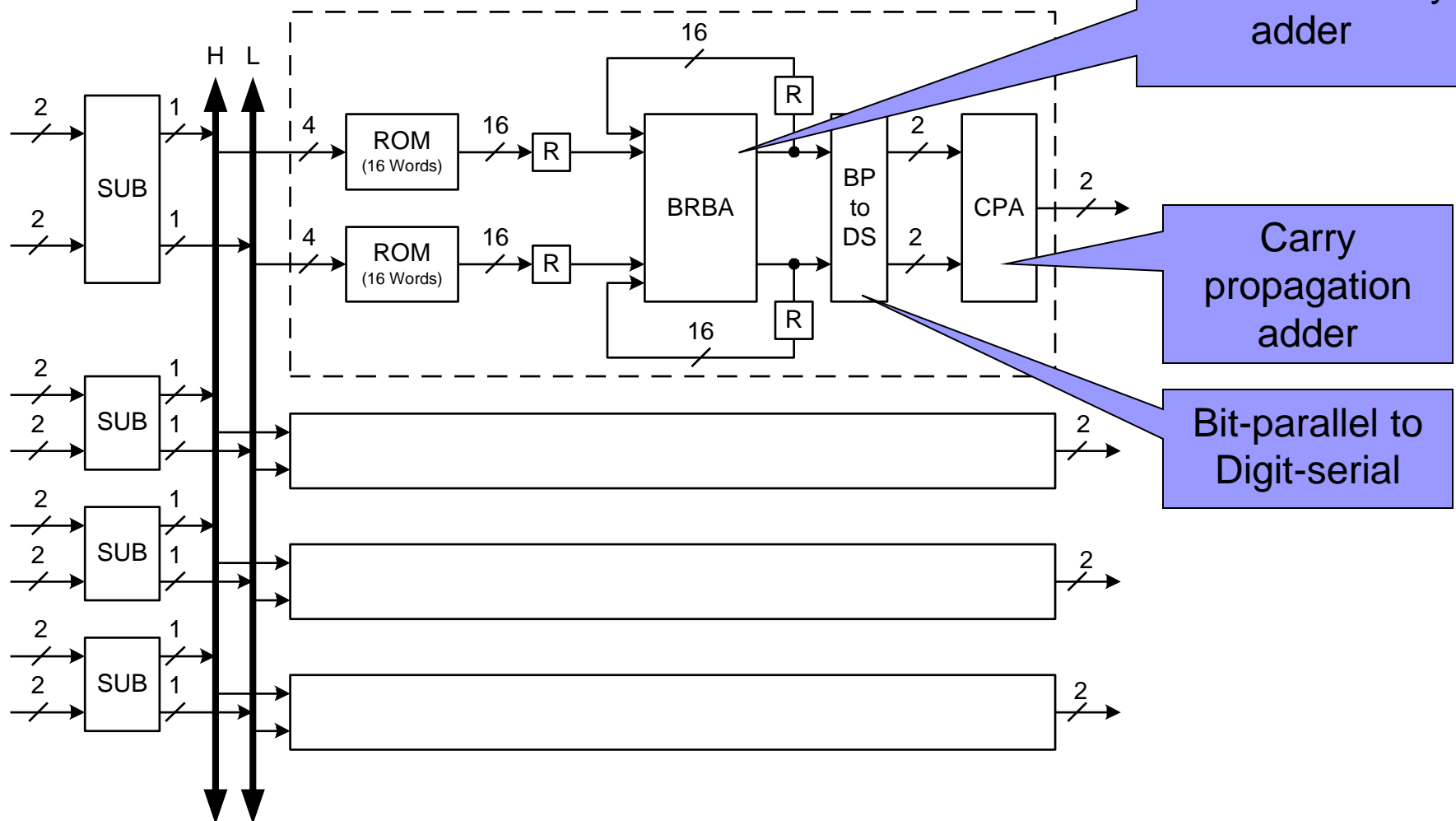
- Input: word-serial/bit-parallel
- Output: word-parallel/2-digit serial



# Preadd and Postadd

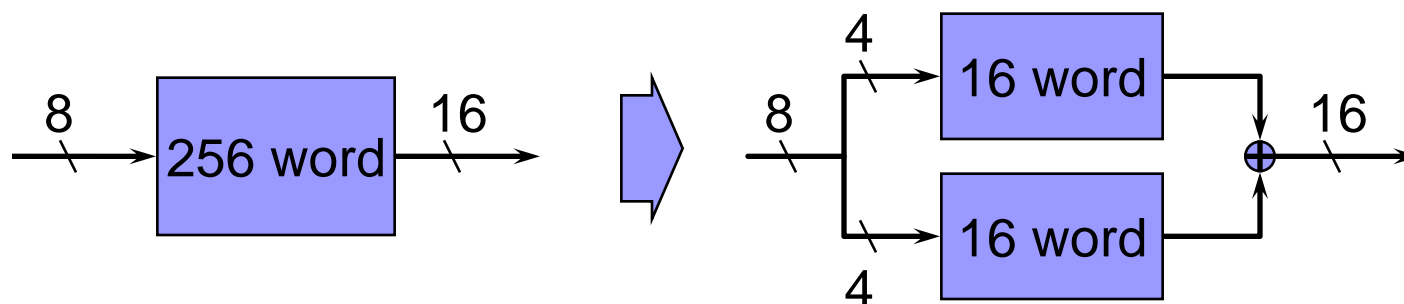


# DA-Based DCT Core (1/3)



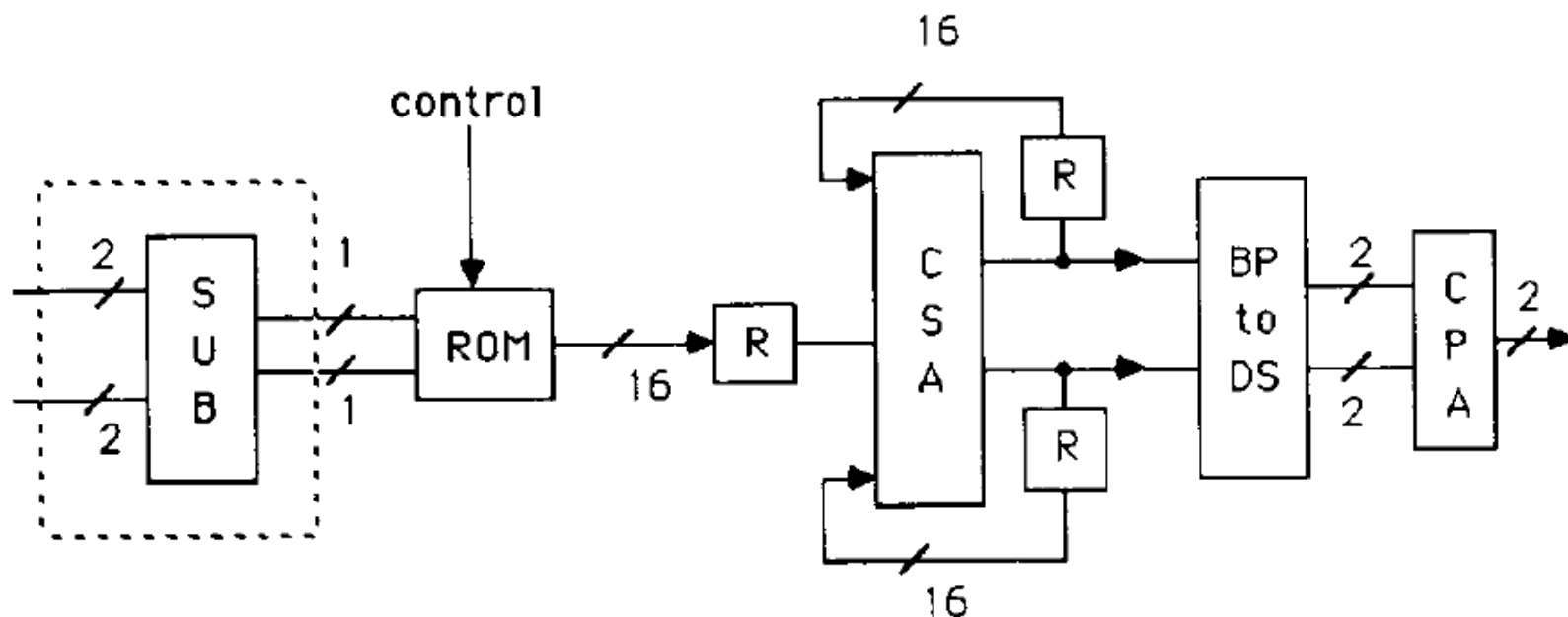
# DA-Based DCT Core (2/3)

## ■ ROM size reduction

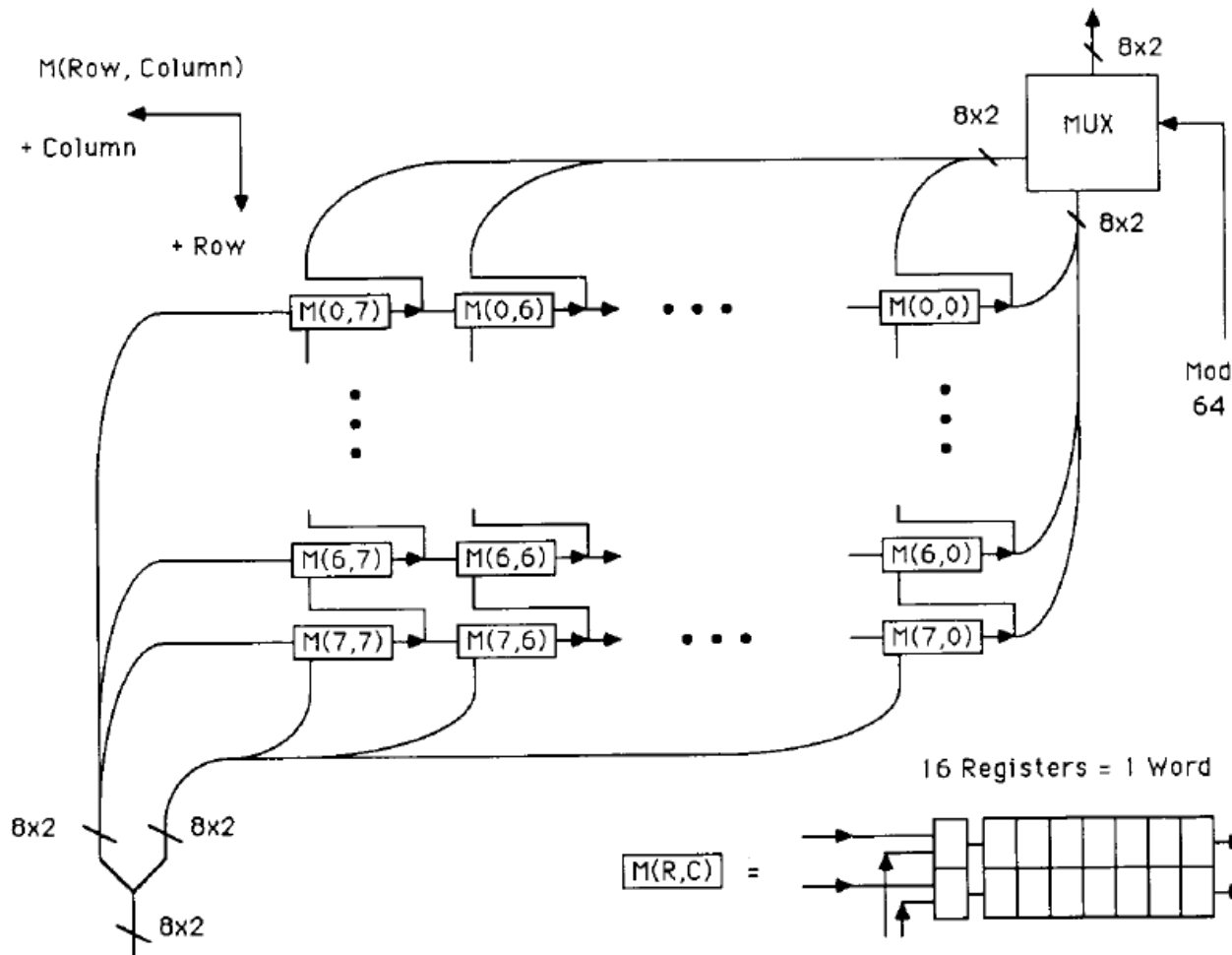


# DA-Based DCT Core (3/3)

## ■ 2x1 and scaler units



# Transpose Memory





# Direct 2-D DCT Architecture

# Direct 2-D DCT Method

- Computing the transform directly from the  $N \times N$  input numbers
  - Derive fast DCT algorithms from the signal flow graph (like FFT)
  - Based on 1-D DCT
  - Larger flow graph
  - Global routing
  - More temporal storage
  - Larger datapath



# An Example of 2-D DCT Architecture

