

## Quiz 2 - Solutions

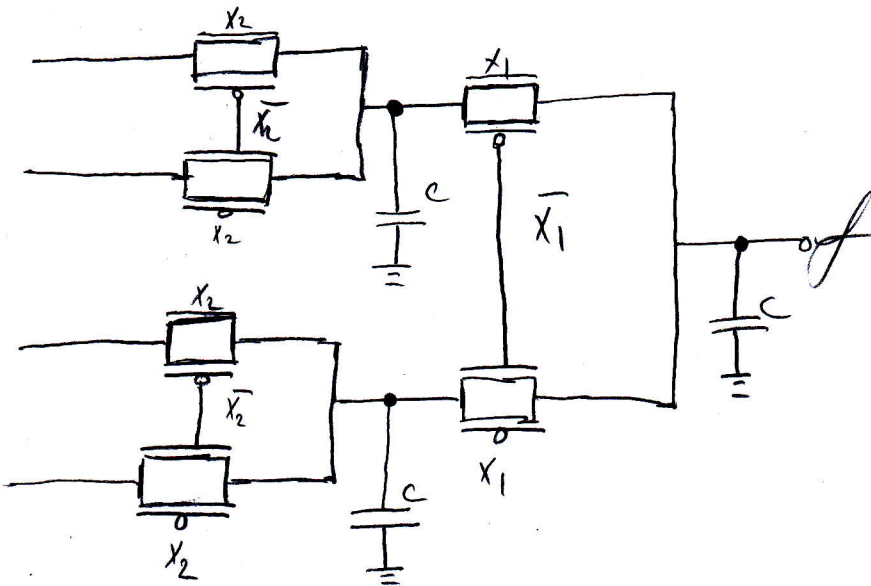
1)  $f = x_1 \bar{x}_3 + \bar{x}_1 \bar{x}_2 x_3 + x_2 \bar{x}_3 \rightarrow$  missing variables added for shannon expansion.

$$= x_1 \bar{x}_3 (x_2 + \bar{x}_2) + \bar{x}_1 \bar{x}_2 x_3 + x_2 \bar{x}_3 (x_1 + \bar{x}_1)$$

$$= x_1 x_2 \bar{x}_3 + x_1 \bar{x}_2 \bar{x}_3 + \bar{x}_1 \bar{x}_2 x_3 + \cancel{x_1 x_2 \bar{x}_3} + \bar{x}_1 x_2 \bar{x}_3$$

$$= x_1 (x_2 \bar{x}_3 + \bar{x}_2 \bar{x}_3) + \bar{x}_1 (\bar{x}_2 x_3 + x_2 \bar{x}_3)$$

$$= x_1 (x_2 (\bar{x}_3) + \bar{x}_2 (\bar{x}_3)) + \bar{x}_1 (x_2 (\bar{x}_3) + \bar{x}_2 (x_3))$$



worst case  $\rightarrow$  2 pass transistors  $\rightarrow$  each dual section must have either both (4 transistors total) open or both closed transistors, so we can use  $R_n // R_p$  for each dualics.

$$t_{PLH} = t_{PHL} = 0.69 (C_{n1} // R_p) \cdot C + 2(C_{n1} // R_p) \cdot C$$

$$= 3(C_{n1} // R_p) = 40 \cdot 10^3$$

$$\frac{1}{R_n} + \frac{1}{R_p} = \frac{1}{R_n // R_p} \rightarrow \frac{(W/L)_n}{12k} + \frac{(W/L)_p}{24k} = \frac{1}{4k} \rightarrow 2(W/L)_n + (W/L)_p = 6$$

$\rightarrow$  now we can check possible values for  $(W/L)_n$  and  $(W/L)_p$  and find an approximate value or interval.

$\rightarrow (W/L)_n$	$(W/L)_p$	
0	6	$\rightarrow X$
0.5	5	$\rightarrow 3.5$
1	4	$\rightarrow 5$
1.5	3	$\rightarrow 4.5$
2	2	$\rightarrow 4$
2.5	1	$\rightarrow 3.5$
2.75	0.5	$\rightarrow 3.25$
2.85	0.4	$\rightarrow 3.05$

$\rightarrow \min(W/L) = 1 \checkmark$

$\rightarrow$  as  $(W/L)_n$  converges to 3 and  $(W/L)_p$  to '0' we can have minimum as 3 but this not a practical solution for real devices.

2- $\rightarrow$ 

A	B	X
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

 $\rightarrow$  X: output of first part on circuit.

$$X = AB + \bar{A}\bar{B}, \text{ Sum} = X.C_{in} + \bar{X}.0 = X.C_{in}$$

$$C_{out} = \bar{X}.C_{in} + X.A$$

- First we inspect delay situations on node 'X'.

$\rightarrow$  Delays occurred on 'sum' and 'Cout' are sum of delay at 'X' and transistors before them.

$\rightarrow$  Different cases for X should be inspected

$AB \rightarrow A'B'$	X	
11 $\rightarrow$ 11	1	$\rightarrow t_{PLH(x)} = 0.69 \cdot (R_n/2) \cdot C = 41.4 \text{ ns}$
10 $\rightarrow$ 00	1	$\rightarrow t_{PLH(x)} = 0.69 \cdot (R_p.C + 2R_p.C) = 496.8 \text{ ns} \checkmark$
01 $\rightarrow$ 00	1	$\rightarrow t_{PLH(x)} = 0.69 \cdot (2 \cdot R_p.C) = 331.2 \text{ ns}$
00 $\rightarrow$ 01	0	$\rightarrow t_{PHL(x)} = 0.69 \cdot (R_n.C) = 82.8 \text{ ns} \checkmark$
10 $\rightarrow$ 10	0	

$\rightarrow$  Highest delay values for HL and LH.

Worst cases: after calculating each delay value on X, we can consider 'sum' and 'Cout' values and their  $t_{PHL}$  and  $t_{PLH}$  values.

**Cout**  $t_{PHL}(C_{out}) = t_{PLH(x)} + 0.69 \cdot R_n.C = 579 \text{ ns} \rightarrow t_{PLH(x)} \text{ and } A=0$

$t_{PLH}(C_{out}) = t_{PHL(x)} + 0.69 \cdot R_p.C = 268.4 \text{ ns} \checkmark$  but for  $t_{PLH}$ , A must be 1, so that situation wouldn't occur.

$t_{PLH}(C_{out}) = t_{PLH(x)} + 0.69 \cdot R_n.C = 123.6 \text{ ns} \checkmark$

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**Sum**  $t_{PHL}(\text{sum}) = t_{PLH(x)} + 0.69 \cdot R_n.C = 579 \text{ ns}$

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$\rightarrow t_{PLH(x)} + 0.69 R_p.C$  could be used but it would have lower value.