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Lecture #19

Sequential Logic



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6.3 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.



6.3 Flip-flop Excitation Tables (1/2)

- **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



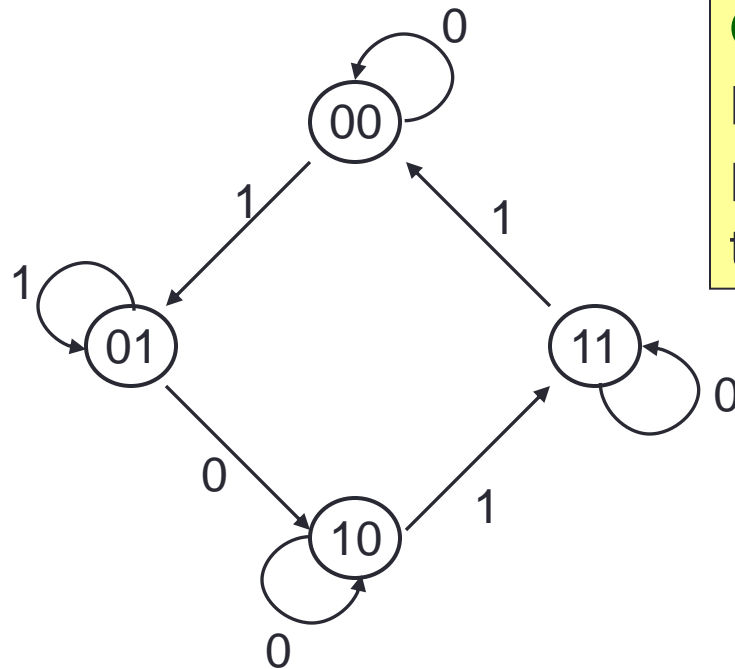
6.4 Sequential Circuits: Design

- 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.



6.4 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?

Answers:

Two flip-flops.

Let's call them *A* and *B*.

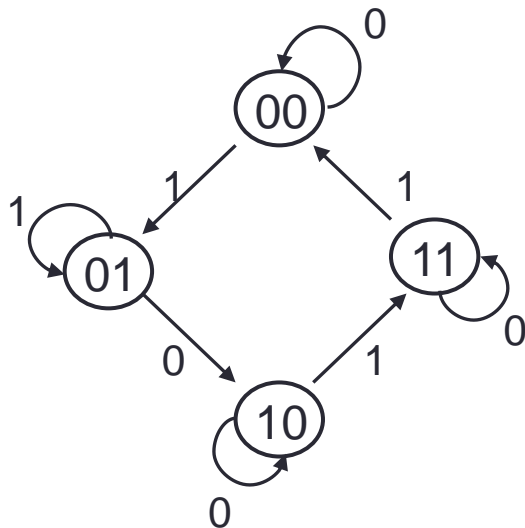
One input variable.

Let's call it *x*.



6.4 Design: Example #1 (2/5)

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



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

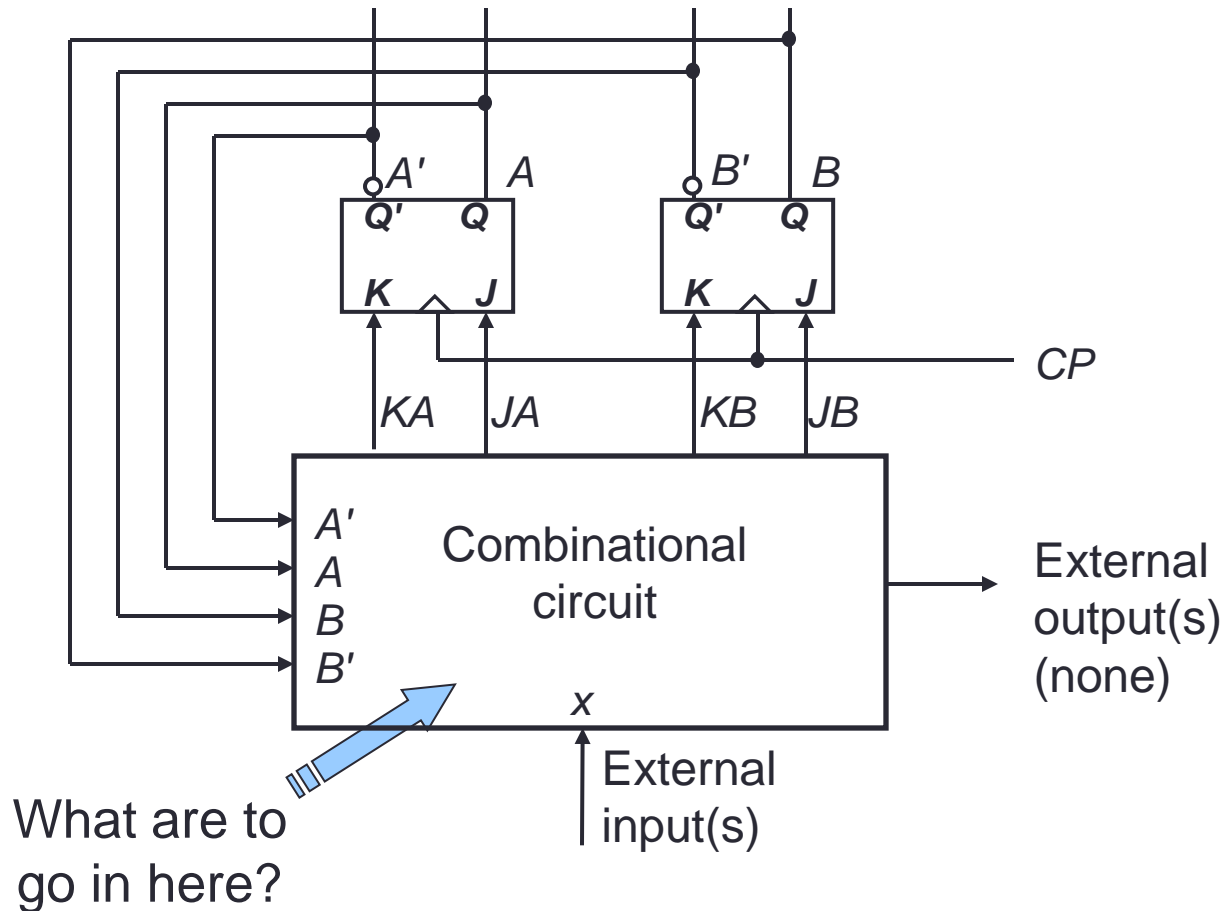
JK Flip-flop's
excitation table.

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

Present state		Input	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

6.4 Design: Example #1 (3/5)

- Block diagram.



6.4 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

Bx		B			
A	x	00	01	11	10
0	0	0	1	X	X
1	0	0	1	X	X

$JB = x$

Bx		B			
A	x	00	01	11	10
0	0	X	X	0	1
1	0	X	X	1	0

$KB = (A \oplus x)'$

Bx		B			
A	x	00	01	11	10
0	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	X	X	X	X

$JA = B \cdot x'$

Bx		B			
A	x	00	01	11	10
0	0	X	X	X	X
1	0	0	0	1	0

$KA = B \cdot x$



6.4 Design: Example #1 (5/5)

- Flip-flop input functions:

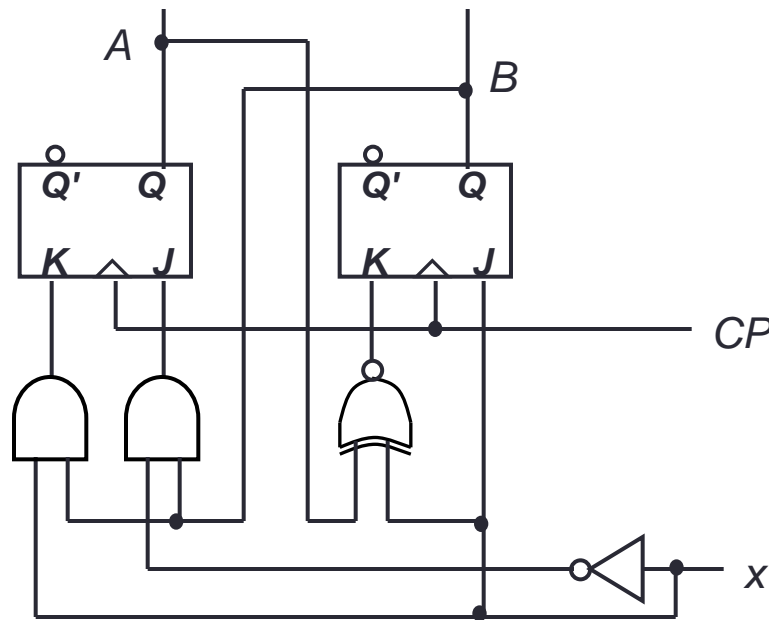
$$JA = B \cdot x'$$

$$JB = x$$

$$KA = B \cdot x$$

$$KB = (A \oplus x)'$$

- Logic diagram:



6.4 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



6.4 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

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

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

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

		B			
		00	01	11	10
A	0	0	0	0	1
	1	1	1	0	1

x

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

		B			
		00	01	11	10
A	0	0	1	1	0
	1	0	1	0	1

x

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

		B			
		00	01	11	10
A	0	0	1	0	0
	1	0	1	0	0

x

$$y = B' \cdot x$$



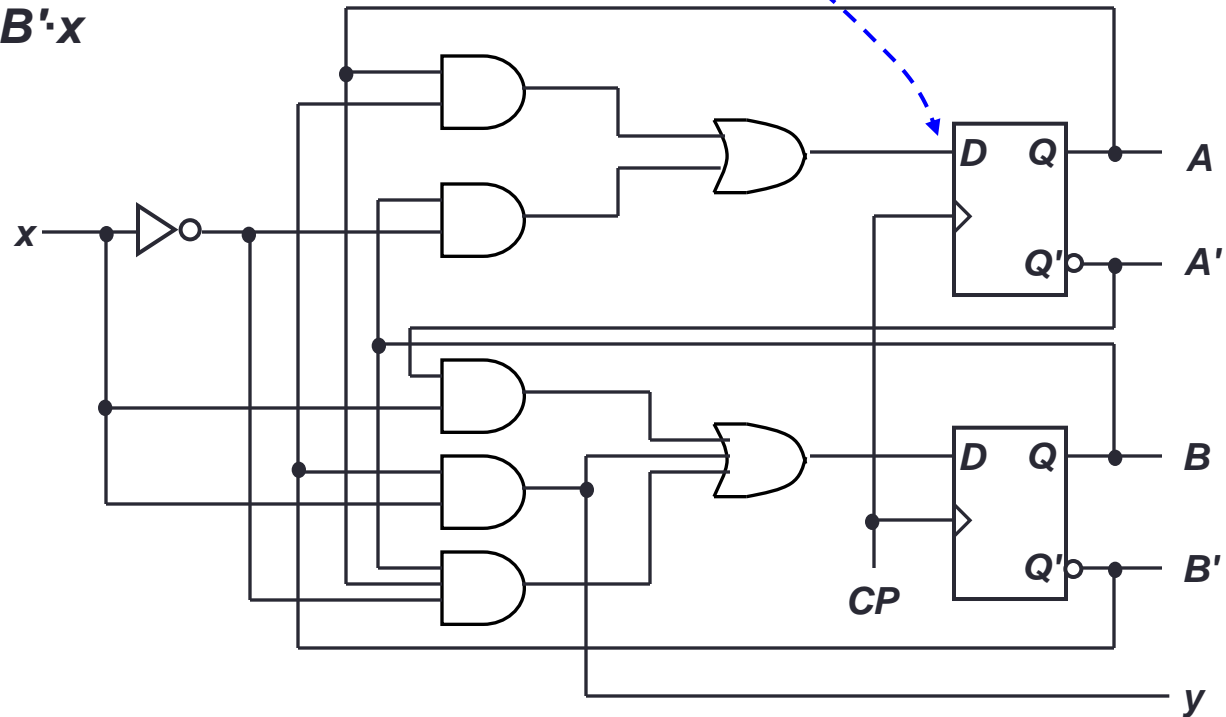
6.4 Design: Example #2 (3/3)

- From derived expressions, draw logic diagram:

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

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

$$y = B' \cdot x$$



6.4 Design: Example #3 (1/4)

- Design involving unused states.

Present state			Input	Next state			Flip-flop inputs						Output
A	B	C		A ⁺	B ⁺	C ⁺	SA	RA	SB	RB	SC	RC	
0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	X	0	X	X	0	0
0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	X	1	0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	X	X	0	1	0	0
0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	X	0
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	X	0	1	X	0	0
0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
1	0	0	0	1	0	1	X	0	0	X	1	0	0
1	0	0	1	1	0	0	X	0	0	X	0	X	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	X	X	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	0	0	X	0	0	X	0	1	1

Given these

Derive these

Are there other unused states?

Unused state 000:

0	0	0	0	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
0	0	0	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X



6.4 Design: Example #3 (2/4)

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

SA = B · x

$\begin{array}{c} AB \\ \backslash \end{array}$		Cx			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X	0	0
	01	0	1	1	0
	11	X	X	X	X
	10	X	X	X	0

x is indicated by a bracket under the columns 01 and 11.

RA = C · x'

$\begin{array}{c} AB \\ \backslash \end{array}$		Cx			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X	X	X
	01	X	0	0	X
	11	X	X	X	X
	10	0	0	0	1

x is indicated by a bracket under the columns 01 and 11.

SB = A' · B' · x

$\begin{array}{c} AB \\ \backslash \end{array}$		Cx			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X	1	0
	01	X	0	0	0
	11	X	X	X	X
	10	0	0	0	0

x is indicated by a bracket under the columns 01 and 11.

RB = B · C + B · x

$\begin{array}{c} AB \\ \backslash \end{array}$		Cx			
		00	01	11	10
A	00	X	X	0	X
	01	0	1	1	1
	11	X	X	X	X
	10	X	X	X	X

x is indicated by a bracket under the columns 01 and 11.



6.4 Design: Example #3 (3/4)

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

SC = x'

AB \ Cx	00	01	11	10
00	X	X	0	X
01	1	0	0	X
11	X	X	X	X
10	1	0	0	X

(Karnaugh map for SC = x' shows groups of 1s in green)

RC = x

AB \ Cx	00	01	11	10
00	X	X	1	0
01	0	X	1	0
11	X	X	X	X
10	0	X	1	0

(Karnaugh map for RC = x shows groups of 1s in pink)

AB \ Cx	00	01	11	10
00	X	X	0	0
01	0	0	0	0
11	X	X	X	X
10	0	1	1	0

(Karnaugh map for y = A · x shows groups of 1s in pink)

y = A · x



6.4 Design: Example #3 (4/4)

- From derived expressions, draw the logic diagram:

$$SA = B \cdot x$$

$$RA = C \cdot x'$$

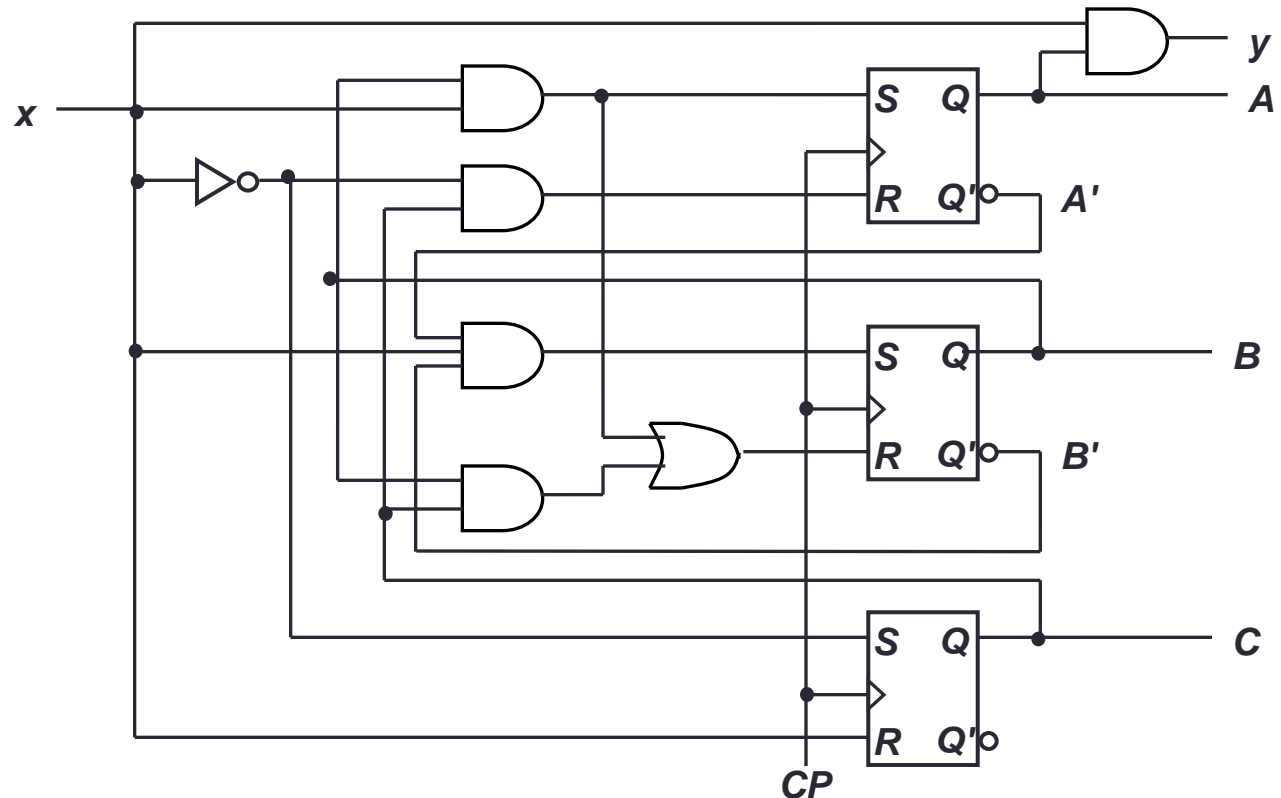
$$SB = A' \cdot B' \cdot x$$

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

$$SC = x'$$

$$RC = x$$

$$y = A \cdot x$$



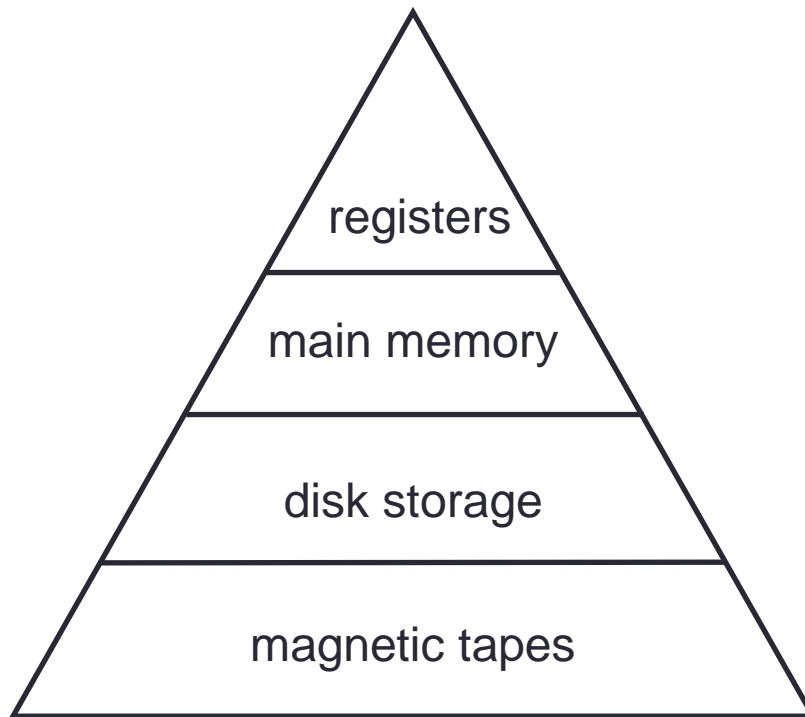
7. Memory (1/4)

- 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.



7. Memory (2/4)

Memory hierarchy



Fast, expensive
(small numbers),
volatile

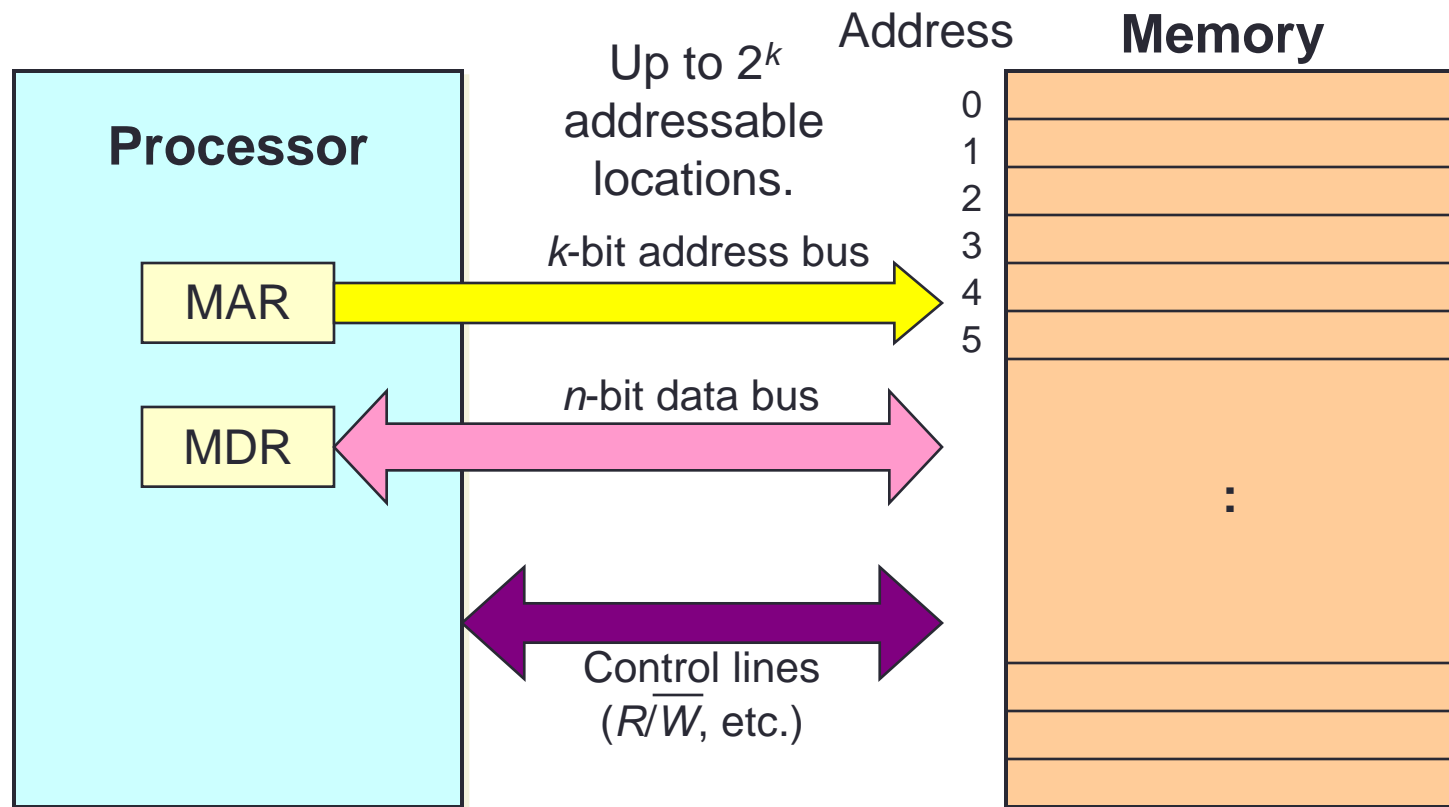


Slow, cheap
(large numbers),
non-volatile



7. Memory (3/4)

Data transfer



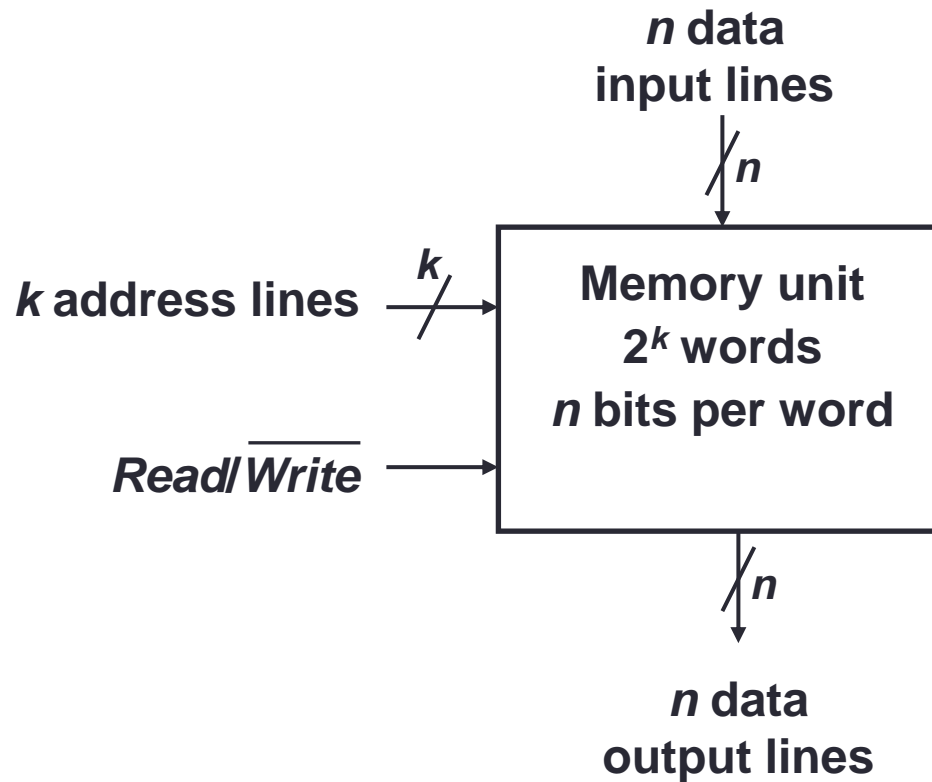
7. Memory (4/4)

- 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.



7.1 Memory Unit

- Block diagram of a memory unit:



7.2 Read/Write Operations

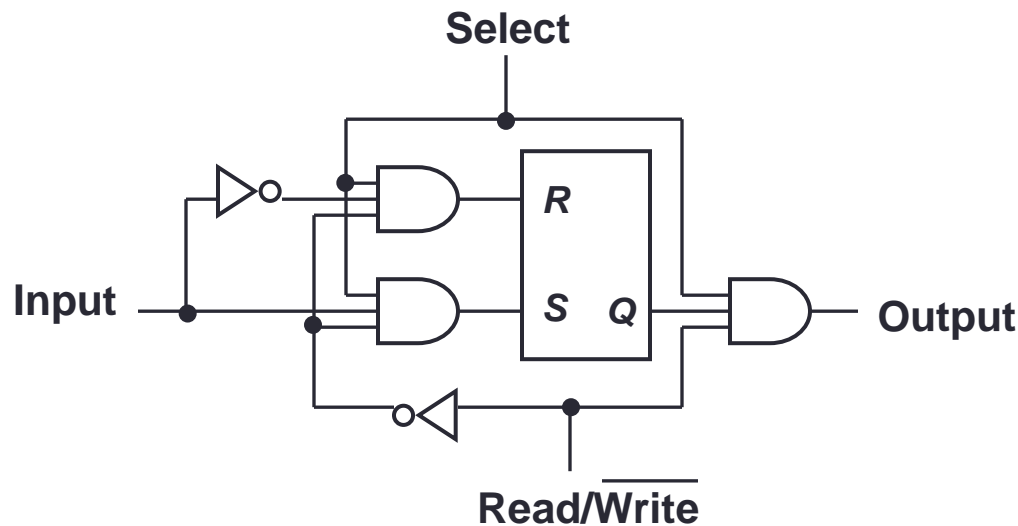
- **Write** operation:
 - Transfers the address of the desired word to the address lines.
 - Transfers the data bits (the word) to be stored in memory to the data input lines.
 - Activates the *Write* control line (set *Read/Write* to 0).
- **Read** operation:
 - Transfers the address of the desired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

Memory Enable	<i>Read/Write</i>	Memory Operation
0	X	None
1	0	Write to selected word
1	1	Read from selected word

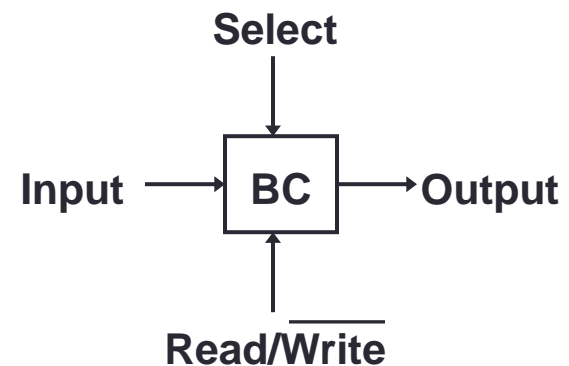


7.3 Memory Cell

- 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:



Logic diagram

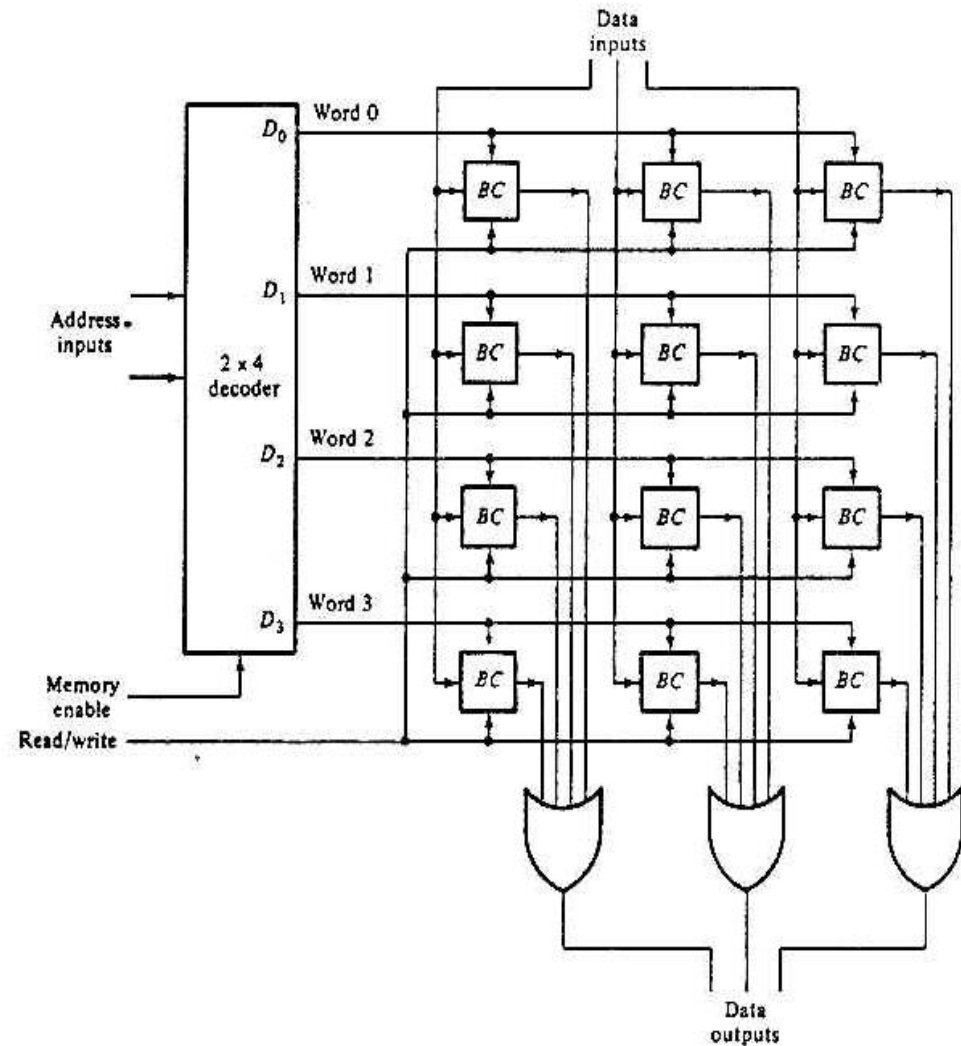


Block diagram



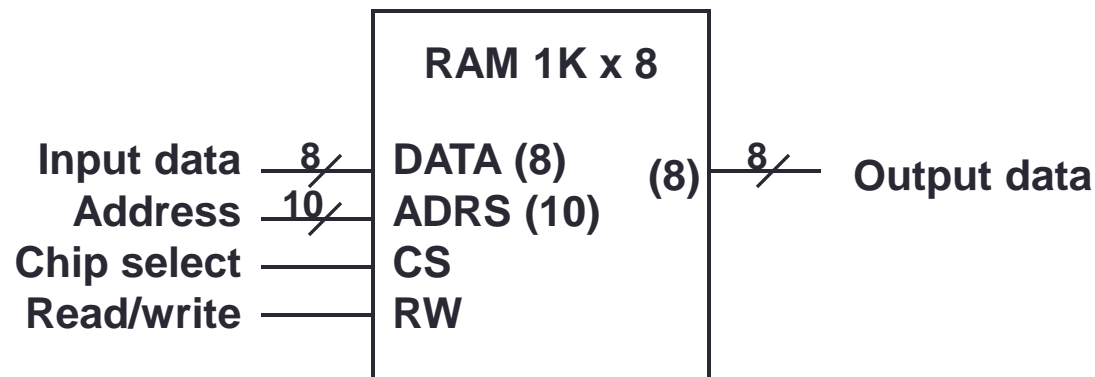
7.4 Memory Arrays (1/4)

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



7.4 Memory Arrays (2/4)

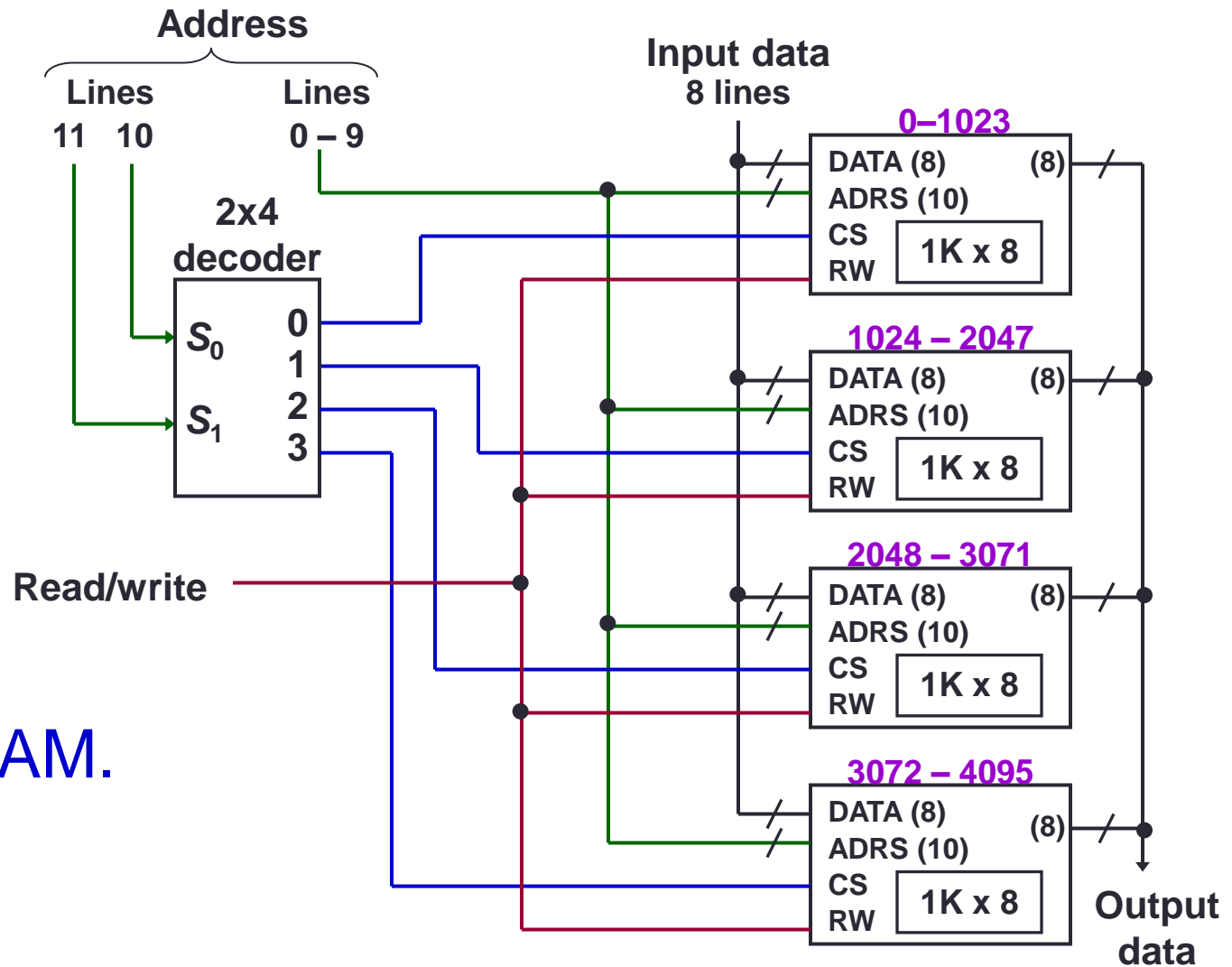
- An array of RAM chips: memory chips are combined to form larger memory.
- A **1K × 8-bit RAM chip**:



Block diagram of a 1K x 8 RAM chip



7.4 Memory Arrays (3/4)

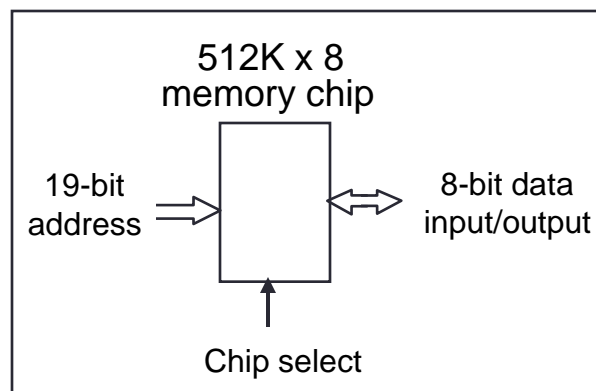
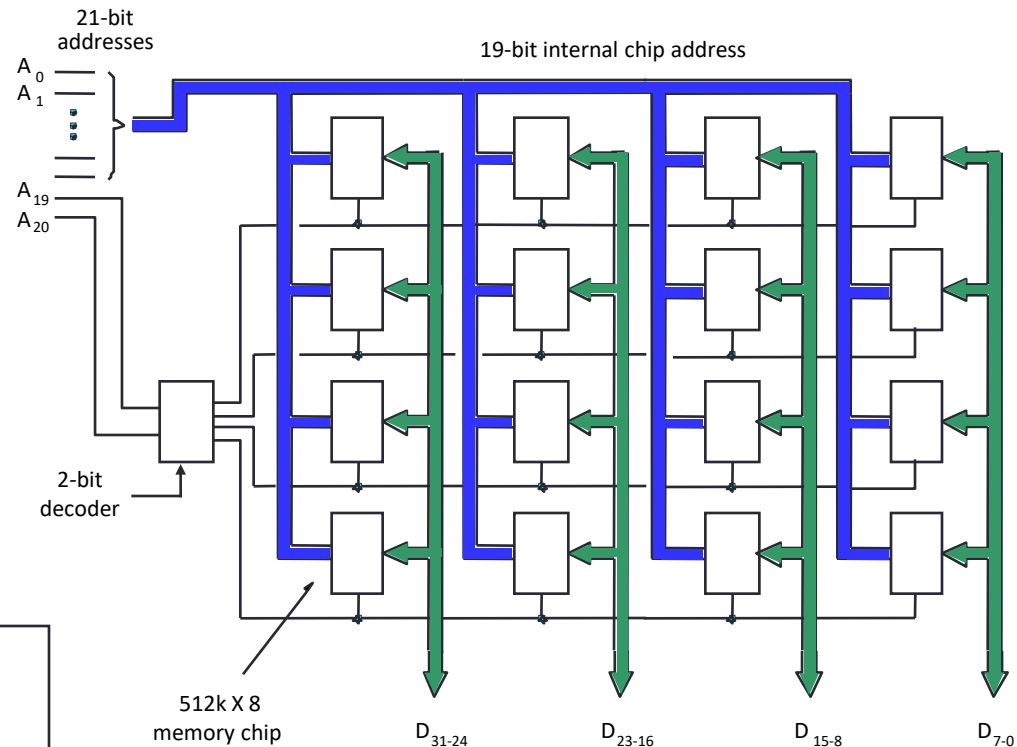


- 4K \times 8 RAM.



7.4 Memory Arrays (4/4)

Read/write control line not included in this diagram.



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



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