

## AN ILLUSTRATIVE DIGITAL DESIGN

PROBLEM: DESIGN A DIGITAL SYSTEM TO ADD TWO INTEGERS IN THE RANGE  $[0, 1, \dots, 15]$  WITH CARRY-IN AND CARRY-OUT.

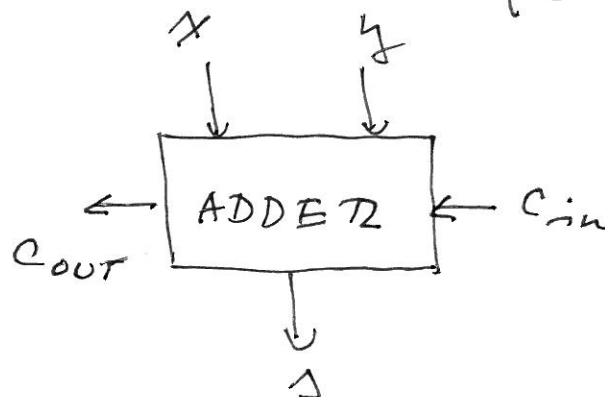
SPECIFICATION

- a) HIGH LEVEL: INPUTS:  $x, y \in \{0, \dots, 15\}$   
 $c_{in} \in \{0, 1\}$   
 OUTPUTS:  $s \in \{0, \dots, 15\}$   
 $c_{out} \in \{0, 1\}$

FUNCTION:

$$s = \underbrace{(x + y + c_{in})}_w \bmod 16$$

$$c_{out} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } w \geq 16 \\ 0 & \text{OTHERWISE} \end{cases}$$



## b) BINARY LEVEL:

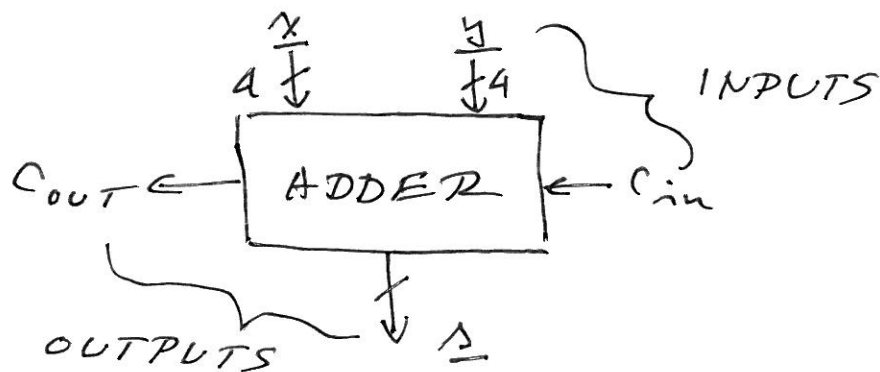
REPRESENT  $x, y, \Delta$  AS BIT-VECTORS

$$x \xrightarrow{\text{CODE}} \underline{x} = (x_3, x_2, x_1, x_0) \quad x_i \in \{0, 1\}$$

$$y \rightarrow \underline{y} \quad \Delta \rightarrow \underline{\Delta}$$

SUCH THAT 
$$x = \sum_{i=0}^3 x_i \cdot 2^i \quad (\text{BINARY CODE})$$

E.G.  $13_{10} \rightarrow 1101_2$  etc.



FUNCTION:

$$\Delta_0 = f_0(x_0, y_0, c_{in})$$

$$\Delta_1 = f_1(x_1, y_1, x_0, y_0, c_{in})$$

$$\Delta_2 = f_2(\dots)$$

$$\Delta_3 = f_3(\underline{x}, \underline{y}, c_{in})$$

BINARY  
VAR

9 BINARY VARIABLES

$$f_3: \text{DOMAIN} \rightarrow \text{RANGE}$$

$$\{2^9 \text{ 9-TUPLES}\} \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$$

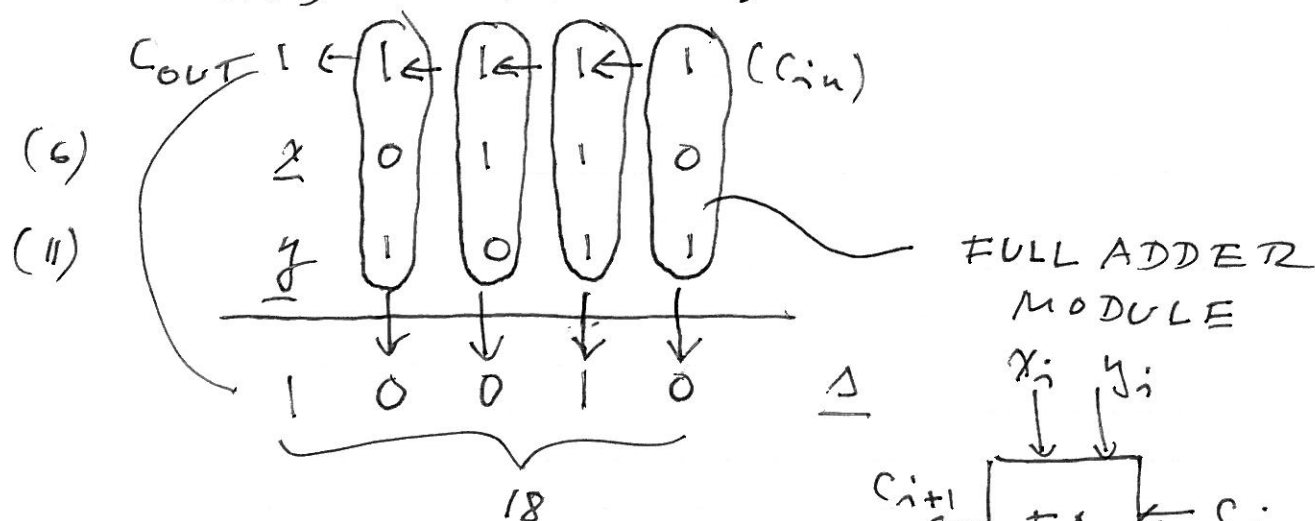
$\Rightarrow f_3$  IS A SWITCHING FUNCTION  
A CENTRAL CONCEPT

$$C_{OUT} = f_{OUT}(x, y, C_{in})$$

DIFFERENT IMPLEMENTATIONS POSSIBLE,

DIFFER IN COST, DELAY, POWER (AREA)

CONSIDER A COMMON "PAPER & PENCIL" METHOD OF ADDITION:



DEFINING ARITH. EXPRESSION:

$$x_i + y_i + c_i = 2c_{i+1} + \Delta_i$$

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TABLE

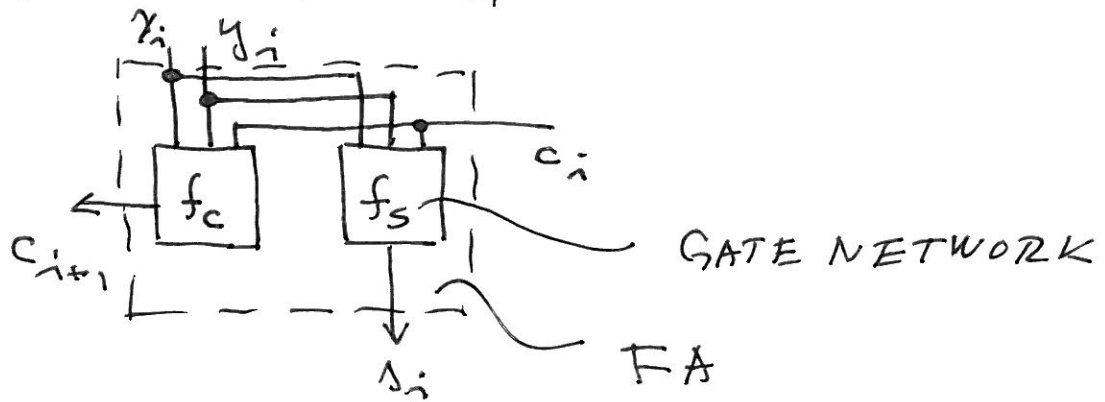
$\Sigma$	$x_i$	$y_i$	$c_i$	$c_{i+1}$	$\Delta_i$
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	1	0	1
	0	1	0	0	1
	0	1	1	1	0
	1	0	0	0	1
	1	0	1	1	0
	1	1	0	1	0
	1	1	1	1	1

SUM OF INPUTS  
≡ SUM OF OUTPUTS

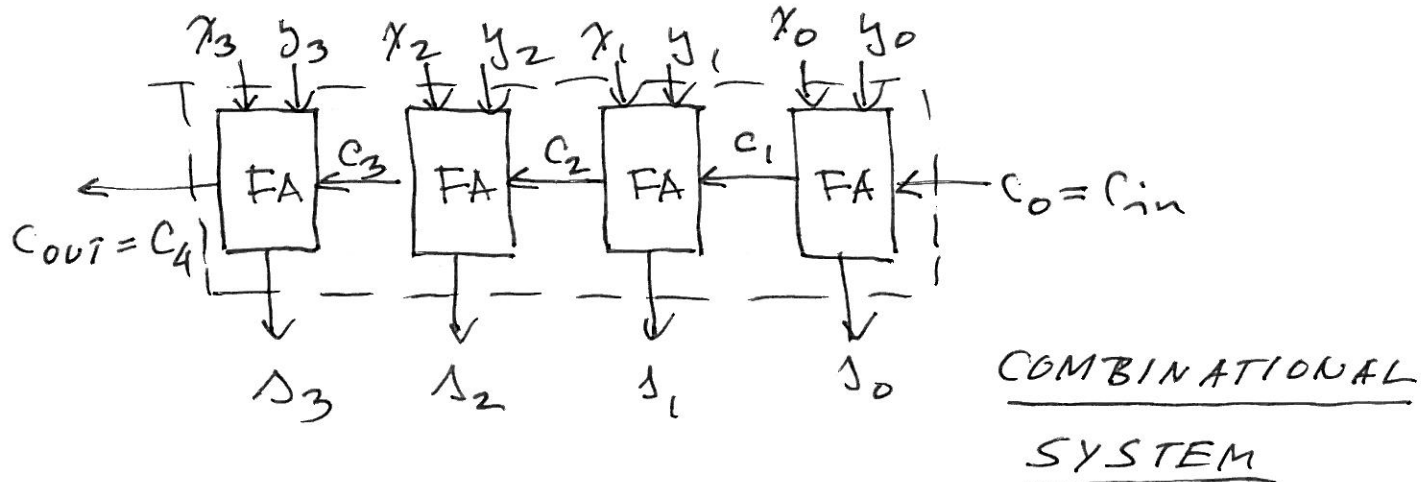
$$\Delta_i = f_s(x_i, y_i, c_i)$$

$$c_{i+1} = f_c(x_i, y_i, c_i)$$

→ SIMPLE, FAST



### FINAL DESIGN OF 4-BIT ADDER



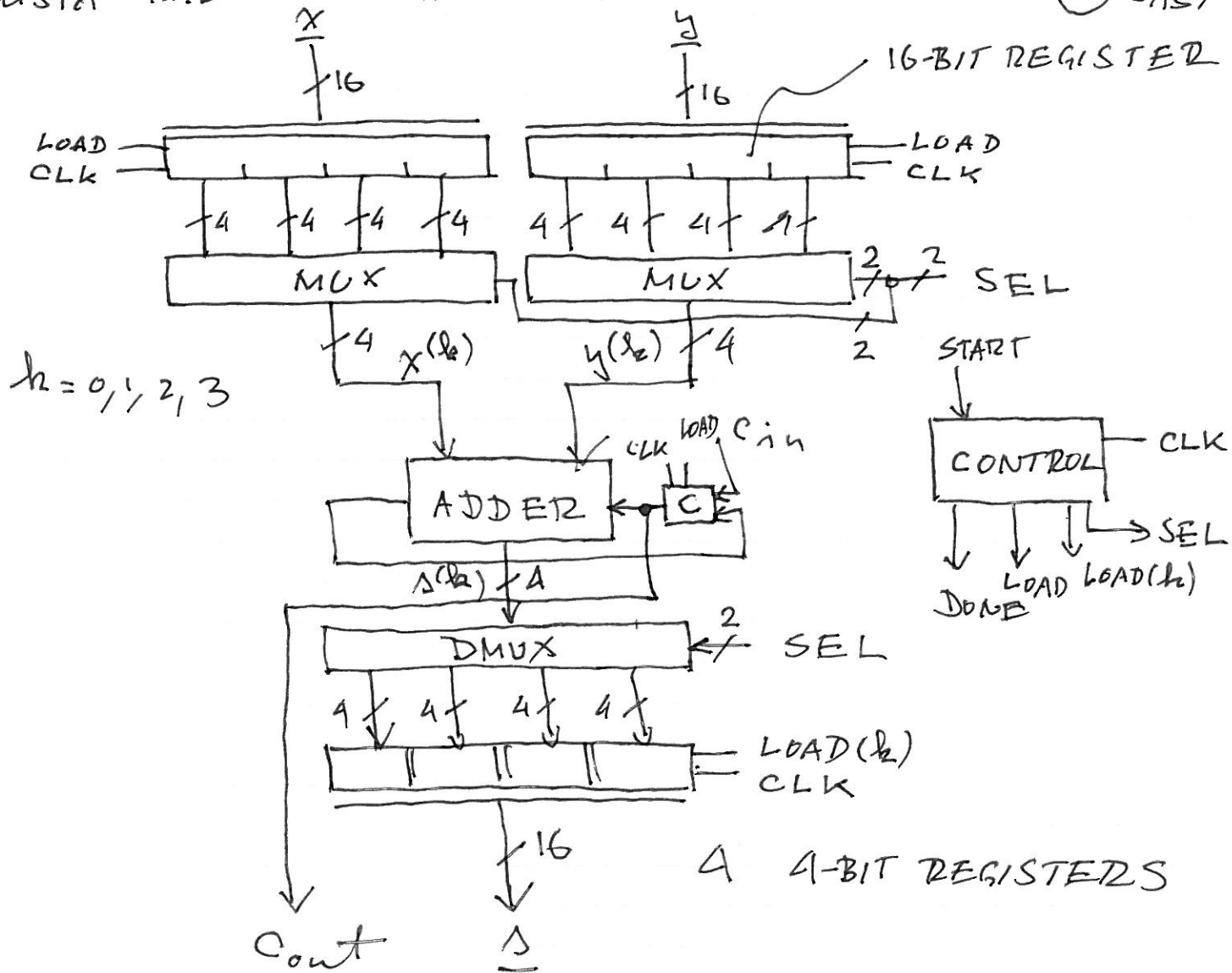
ESTIMATE : COST

DELAY

REPEAT FOR N-BIT ADDER

SUPPOS YOU NEED TO ADD 16-BIT  
INTEGERS HAVING ONLY A SINGLE  
4-BIT ADDER, REGISTERS, ...

→ DESIGN A SEQUENTIAL SYSTEM



## TIME BEHAVIOR:

