



COL215 DIGITAL LOGIC AND SYSTEM DESIGN

Divider Design

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Division: example

0100 | 00001101 ← Q
 0011 ← A

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B

0000000 ← $0 \times B \times 2^3$
00001101

0000000 ← $0 \times B \times 2^2$
00001101

01000 ← $1 \times B \times 2^1$
00000101

0100 ← $1 \times B \times 2^0$
00000001 ← R

Unsigned Division

$$A = Q \times B + R$$

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R = A; Q = 0; D = B
for i in 0 to n - 1 loop
  if (D x 2n-i-1 ≤ R) then
    R = R - D x 2n-i-1
    Qn-i-1 = 1
  else Qn-i-1 = 0
  end if
end loop
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can this be avoided ?

Introducing shift registers

$$A = Q \times B + R$$

$R = A; Q = 0; D = B \times 2^{n-1}$

for i in 0 to $n - 1$ loop

if $(D \leq R)$ then

$R = R - D$

$Q = 2 \times Q + 1$

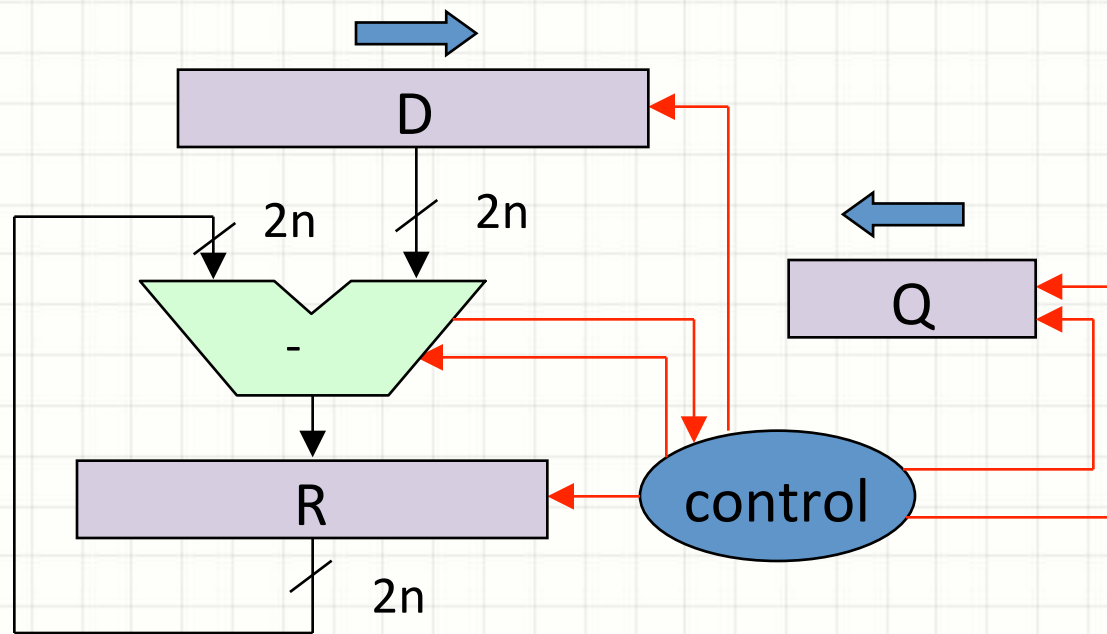
else $Q = 2 \times Q$

end if

$D = D / 2$

end loop

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Reducing subtractor size

$$A = Q \times B + R$$

$R = A; Q = 0; D = B$

for i in 0 to $n - 1$ loop

$R = 2 \times R$

if $(D \leq R_H)$ then

$R_H = R_H - D$

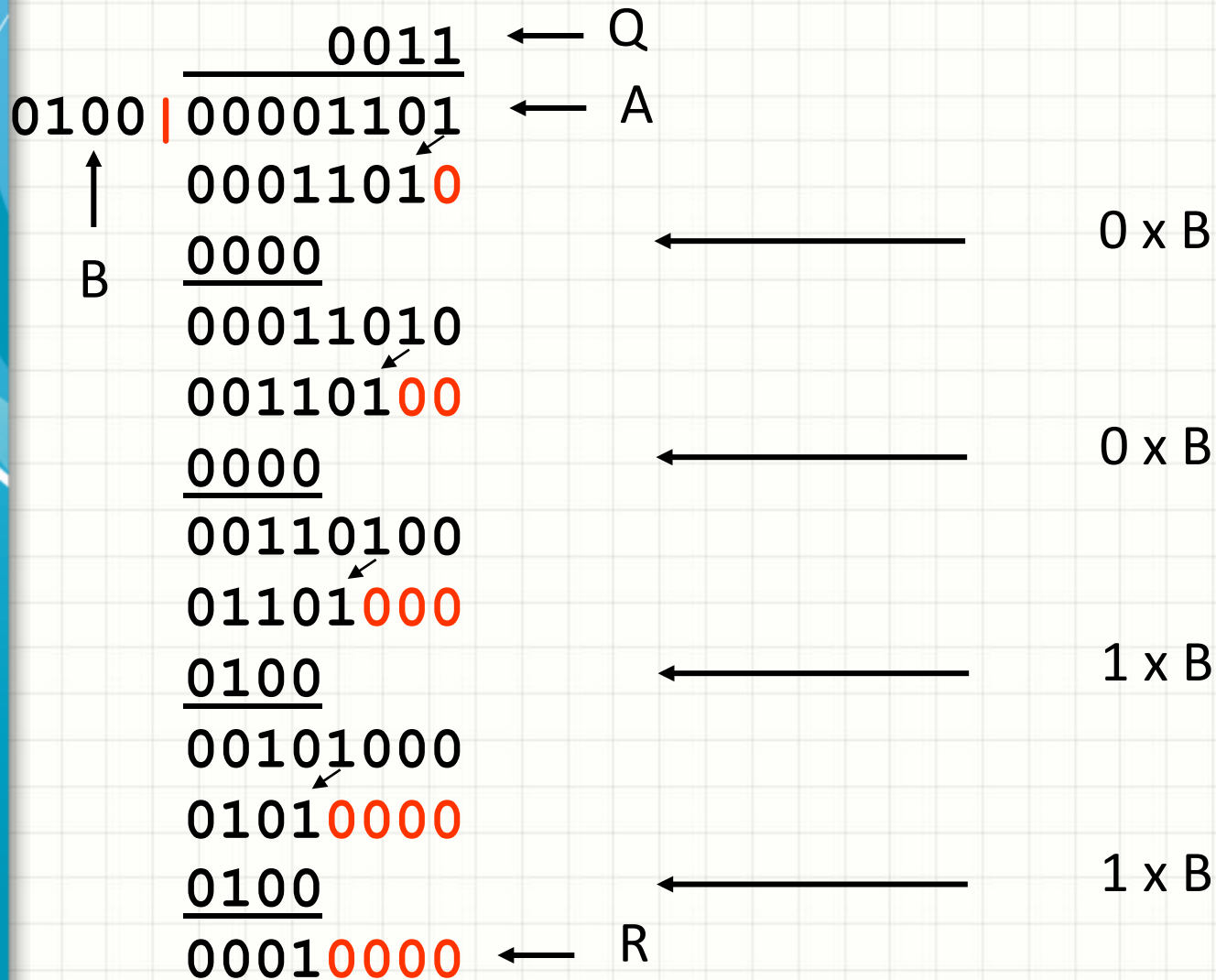
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else $Q = 2 \times Q$

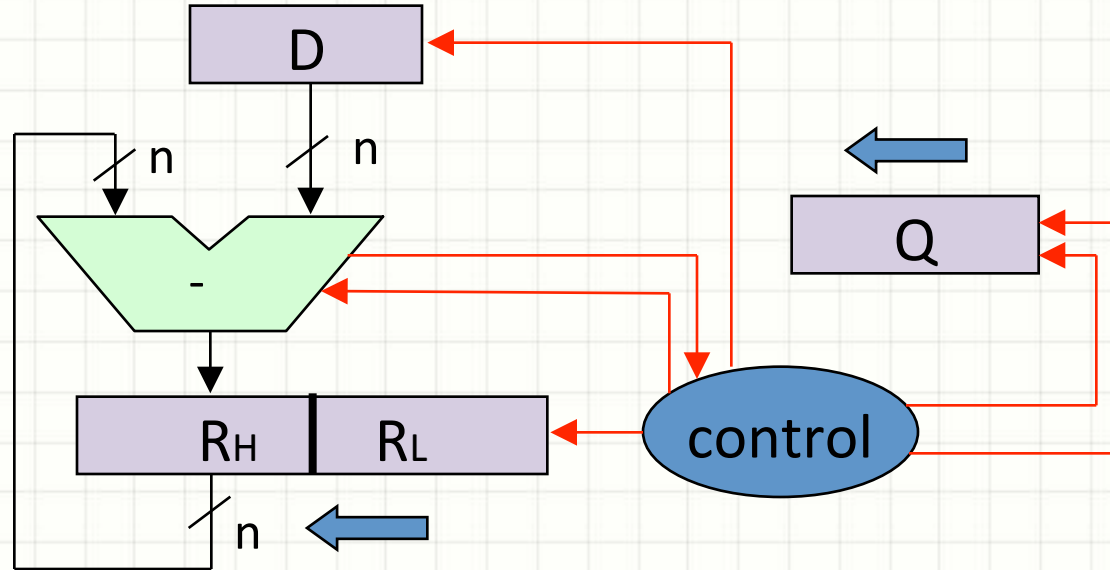
end if

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Reducing registers

$$A = Q \times B + R$$

$R = A; D = B$

for i in 0 to $n - 1$ loop

$R = 2 \times R$

if $(D \leq R_H)$ then

$R_H = R_H - D$

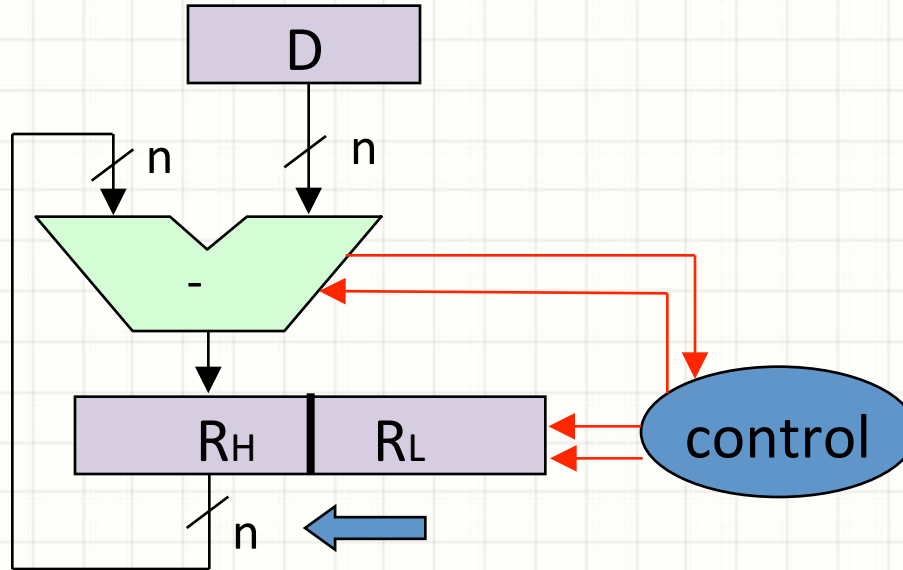
$R = R + 1$

end if

end loop

R_H = remainder, R_L = quotient

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Restoring division

- Non-restoring division
 - First compare the remaining dividend with divisor
 - Subtract only if dividend is large enough
- Restoring division
 - Subtract without comparing
 - Add (restore) the divisor if subtraction result negative

Signed multiplication/division

- Handle sign and magnitude separately
- Directly multiply/divide signed integers

Dividend	Divisor	Quotient	Remainder
+	+	+	+
-	+	-	-
+	-	-	+
-	-	+	-

Direct signed multiplication

- Use a common expression representing the values of positive as well as negative integers

$$B = -B_{n-1} \cdot 2^{n-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} B_i \cdot 2^i$$

Common expr for +/- integers

$$\text{for } B \geq 0, B = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} B_i \cdot 2^i = -B_{n-1} \cdot 2^{n-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} B_i \cdot 2^i \quad (\because B_{n-1} = 0)$$

$$\text{for } B < 0, B = -|B|$$

$$\text{now } |B| = 2^n - \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} B_i \cdot 2^i$$

$$\therefore B = -2^n + B_{n-1} \cdot 2^{n-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} B_i \cdot 2^i$$

$$= -B_{n-1} \cdot 2^{n-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} B_i \cdot 2^i \quad (\because B_{n-1} = 1)$$

Direct signed multiplication

$$\begin{aligned} B &= -B_{n-1} \cdot 2^{n-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} B_i \cdot 2^i \\ &= -B_{n-1} \cdot 2^{n-1} + B_{n-2} \cdot 2^{n-2} + \dots + B_0 \cdot 2^0 \\ &= -B_{n-1} \cdot 2^{n-1} + 2B_{n-2} \cdot 2^{n-2} - B_{n-2} \cdot 2^{n-2} + \dots + 2B_0 \cdot 2^0 - B_0 \cdot 2^0 \\ &= -B_{n-1} \cdot 2^{n-1} + B_{n-2} \cdot 2^{n-1} - B_{n-2} \cdot 2^{n-2} + \dots + B_0 \cdot 2^1 - B_0 \cdot 2^0 \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (B_{i-1} - B_i) \cdot 2^i \quad \text{where } B_{-1} = 0 \\ \therefore A \cdot B &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} A \cdot (B_{i-1} - B_i) \cdot 2^i \end{aligned}$$

Booth's algorithm

Comparing with unsigned case

unsigned multiplication

B_i operation

0 no addition

1 add A

signed multiplication

B_i, B_{i-1} operation

0 0 no addition

0 1 add A

1 0 subtract A

1 1 no addition

Original motivation for Booth's algorithm

Reduce the number of additions required

..... 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0

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add

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subtract

+ 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

- 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

0 1 1 1 1 1 1

What have we learnt?

- Logic design (combinational circuits) [2, 4]
 - truth tables, expressions, circuits, VHDL
- Logic design (sequential circuits) [7, 8]
 - state transition tables, diagrams, circuits, VHDL
- Combinational & sequential modules [6, 7]
 - mux, demux, decoders, encoders, VHDL
 - flip-flops, registers, counters, VHDL
- From logic to arithmetic [5]
 - representations, conversions
 - operations and operators (add, subtract, compare, multiply, divide)

What lies ahead?

- Technology [3]
 - transistor to FPGA and things in between
- A little more theory [4, 8, 9]
 - minimizing logic, minimizing states
- System design [10]
 - from algorithmic description to circuits
 - control-data partition
- Testing [11]
 - testing tools, design for testability



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