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Assignment 1

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https://github.com/neharani289/FPGA-Lab/tree/main/Assignment1

1 Question

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State the application of Half Adder. Draw the truth table and circuit diagram for a Half Adder

2 Solution

2.1 Application of Half Adder

- 1) Half Adder is a combinational logic circuit. It is used for the purpose of adding two single bit numbers.
- 2) Half adder is used to make full adder as a full adder requires 3 inputs, the third input being an input carry i.e. we will be able to cascade the carry bit from one adder to the other.
- 3) The ALU (arithmetic logic circuitry) of a computer uses half adder to compute the binary addition operation on two bits.

2.3 Circuit Diagram

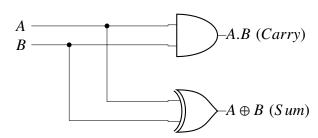


Fig. 1: Circuit Diagram of Half Adder

2.4 Implementation of Half Adder using NAND Gate

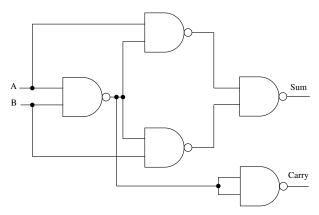


Fig. 2: Circuit Diagram of Half Adder using NAND Gate

2.2 Truth Table of Half Adder

The truth table corresponding to sum and carry for various choices of input A, B is shown below:

Α	В	Sum	Carry
0	0	0	0
0	1	1	0
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1