

ECED2200 – DIGITAL CIRCUITS

Adders, Subtractors, ALUs

GENERAL NOTES

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- These slides are not the complete course – they are extended in-class
- You will find the following references useful, see www.newae.com/teaching for more information/links:
 - The book “Bebop to the Boolean Boogie” which is available to Dalhousie Students
 - Course notes (covers almost everything we will discuss in class)
 - Various websites such as e.g.: www.play-hookey.com
 - The book “Contemporary Logic Design”, which was used in previous iterations of the class and you may have already

ADDERS & SUBTRACTORS

HALF ADDER

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HALF ADDER

A	B	Sum	Carry
0	0	0	0
0	1	1	0
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1	1	0	1

HALF ADDER - SUM

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0	0	0
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1	0	1
1	1	0

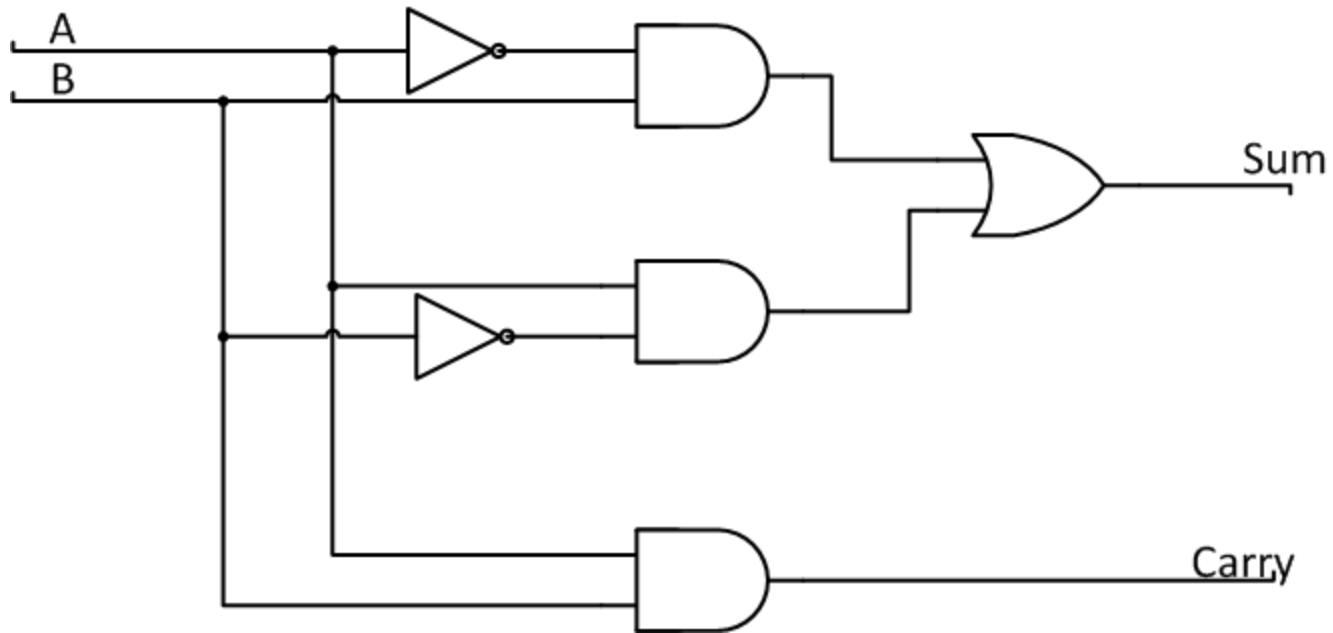
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HALF ADDER - CARRY

A	B	Carry
0	0	0
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$$C = m_3 = A \cdot B$$

HALF ADDER - CIRCUIT



HALF ADDER - CAN WE IMPROVE IT?

$$S = \overline{A} \cdot B + A \cdot \overline{B}$$

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HALF ADDER - CAN WE IMPROVE IT?

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19) $\overline{C} \cdot \overline{D} = \overline{C+D}$

$$= \overline{\overline{A} \cdot \overline{B} + \overline{A} \cdot \overline{B}}$$

$$= \overline{A + \overline{B}} + \overline{\overline{A} + B}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \overline{A + \overline{B} \bullet \overline{A} + B} \\
 &= \overline{(A \bullet \overline{A}) + (A \bullet B) + (\overline{A} \bullet \overline{B}) + (B \bullet \overline{B})} \\
 &= \overline{(0) + (A \bullet B) + (\overline{A} \bullet \overline{B}) + (0)} \\
 &= \overline{(A \bullet B) + (\overline{A} \bullet \overline{B})} \\
 19) \quad &\overline{\overline{C} \bullet \overline{D}} = \overline{C + D} \\
 &= \overline{(\overline{\overline{A + B}})} + \overline{(\overline{A + B})}
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$$= \overline{\overline{A + B}} + \overline{A + B}$$

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$$= \overline{\overline{A + B}} \cdot (A + B)$$

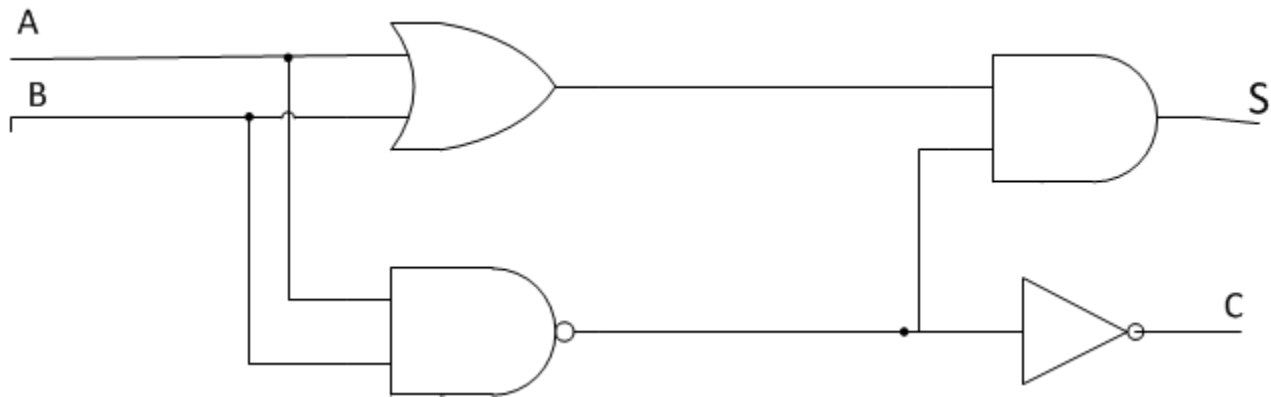
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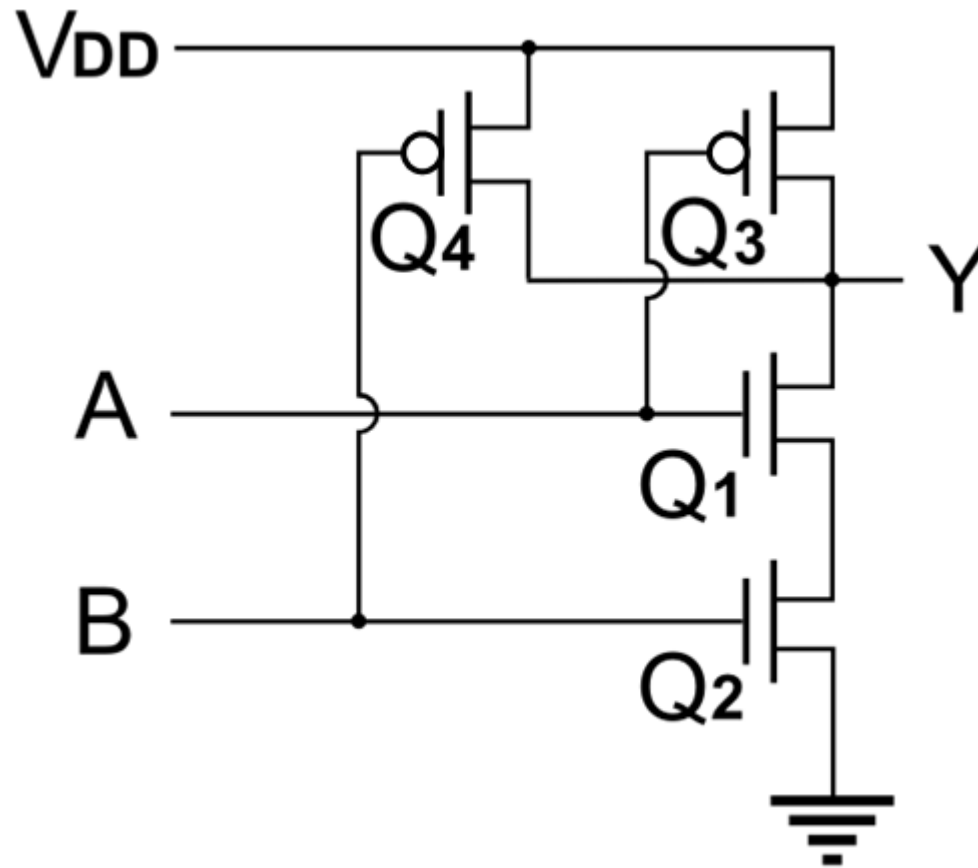
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HALF ADDER - IMPROVED IMPLEMENTATION



NAND GATE IMPLEMENTATION



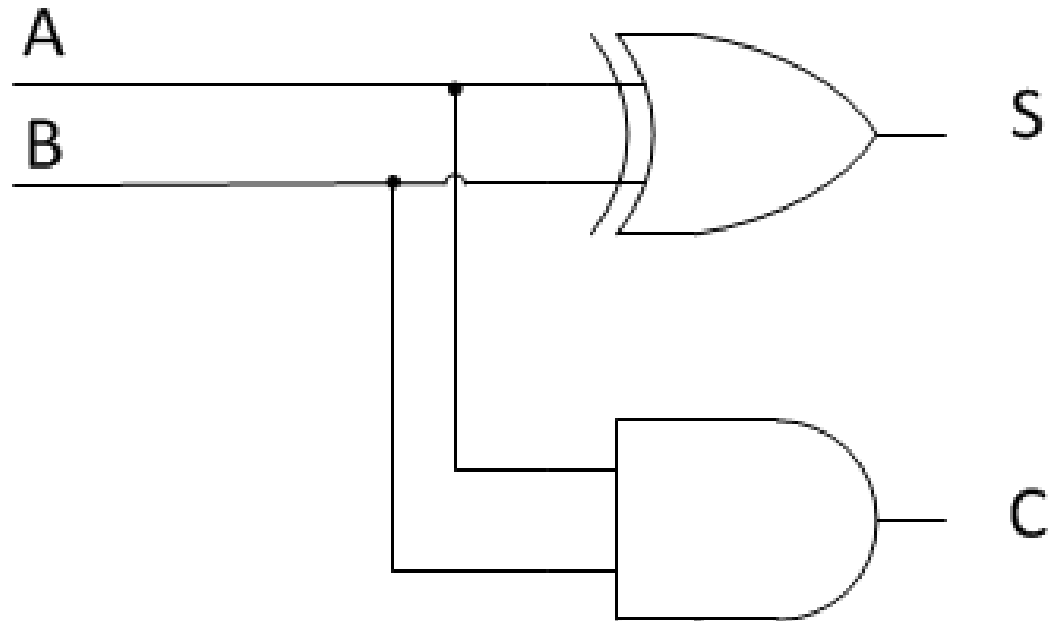
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HALF ADDER - EASIER SUM

A	B	Sum
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

$$S = A \oplus B$$

HALF ADDER - CLASSIC IMPLEMENTATION



FULL ADDER

A	B	Carry In	Sum	Carry Out
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	1
1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	1
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	1

FULL ADDER - SUM OUT

A	B	Carry In	Sum
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1

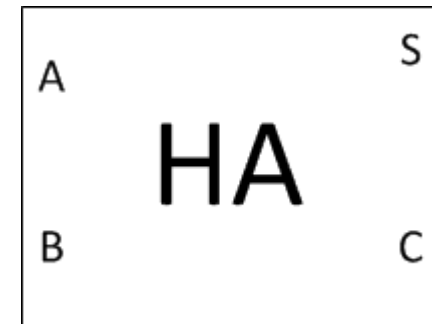
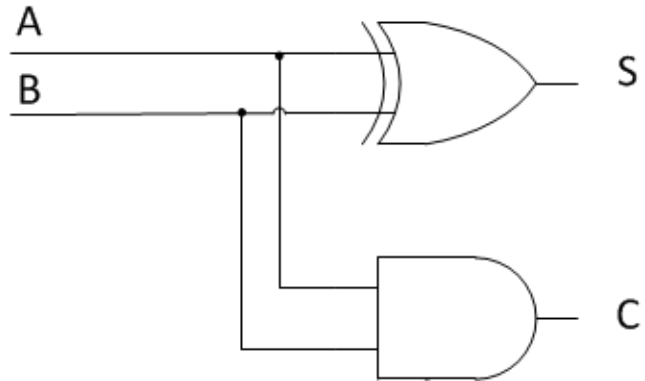
$$S = m_1 + m_2 + m_4 + m_7$$

FULL ADDER - CARRY OUT

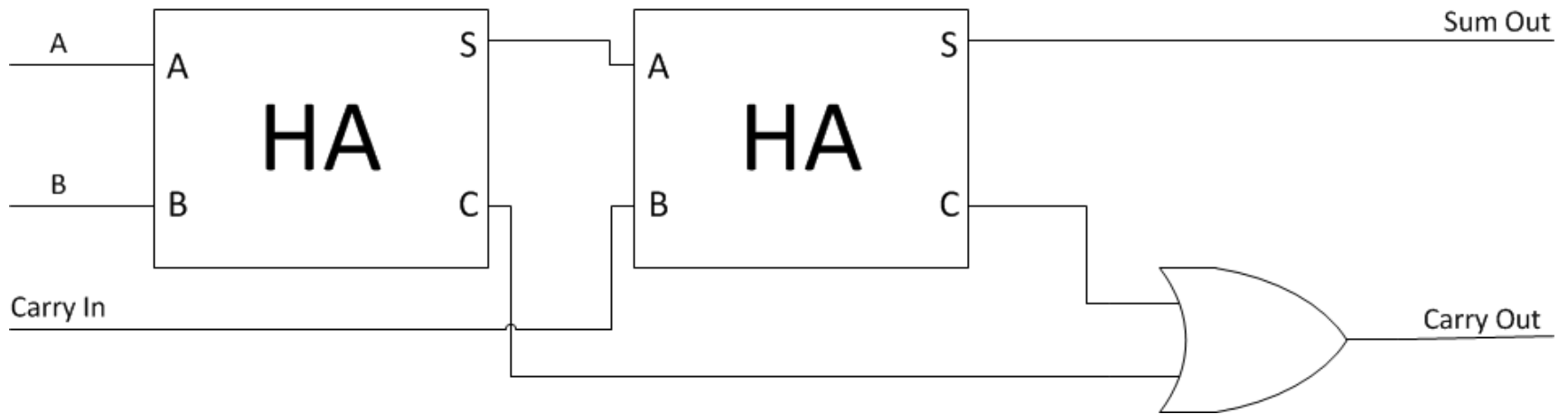
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0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
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1	1	0	1
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$$C_o = m_3 + m_5 + m_6 + m_7$$

FULL ADDER BUILT FROM HALF ADDERS

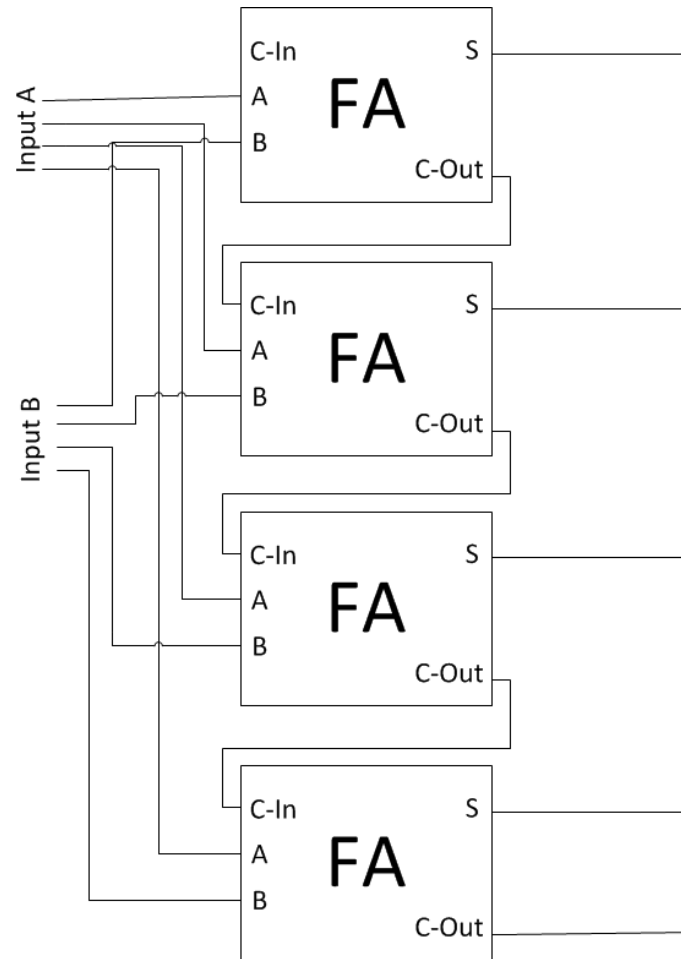


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0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	1
1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	1
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	1

N-BIT ADDERS



ARITHMETIC LOGIC UNIT (ALU)

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SECTION SUMMARY

- See ECED Notes “Arithmetic Logic Units” (ALU)
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