

Gates and Logic

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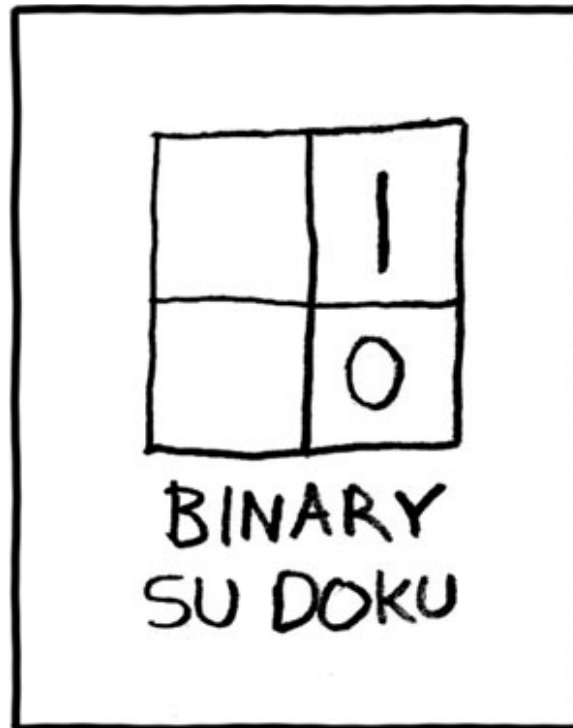
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See: P&H Appendix C.0, C.1, C.2

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Announcements

Class newsgroup created

- Posted on web-page
- Use it for partner finding

First assignment is to find partners

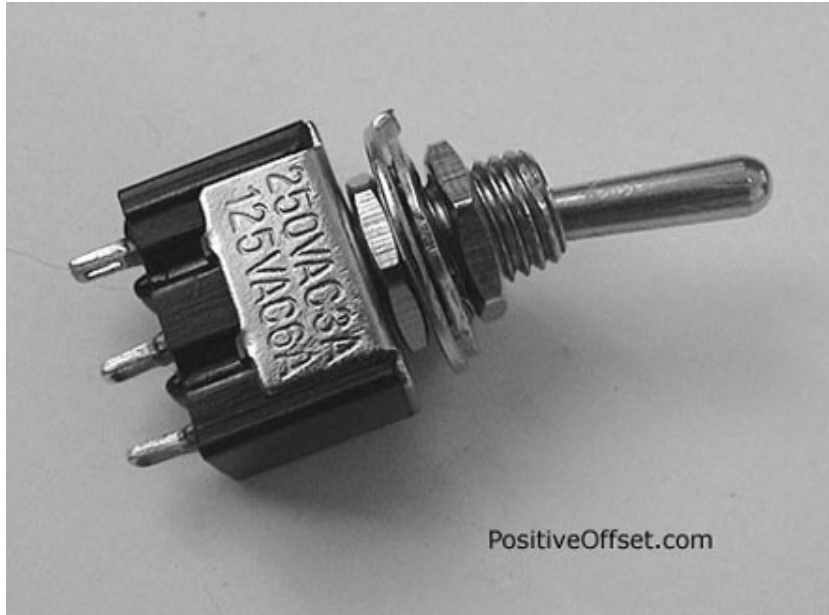
Sections start next week

- Use this weeks section to find a partner

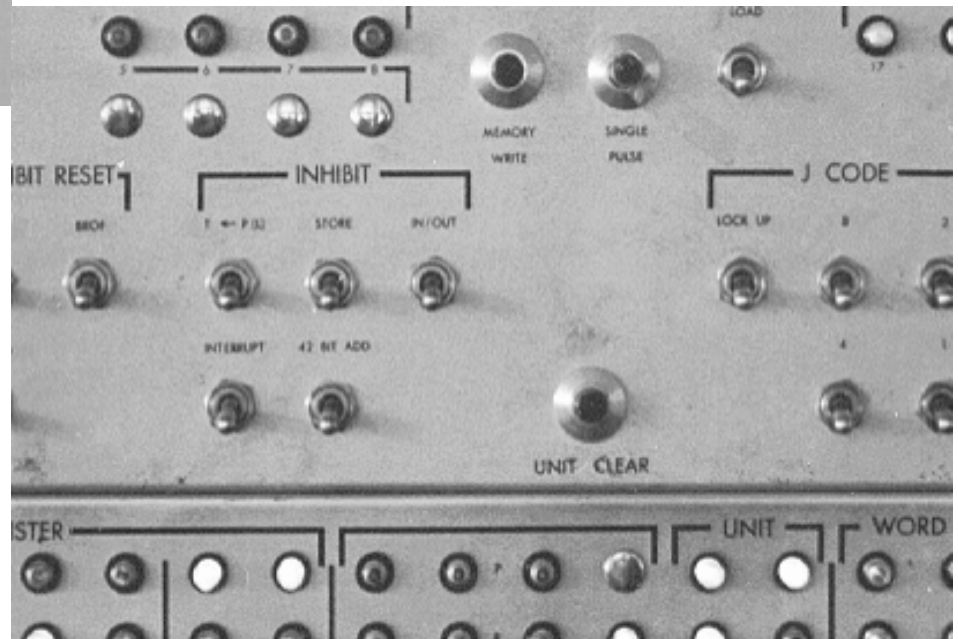
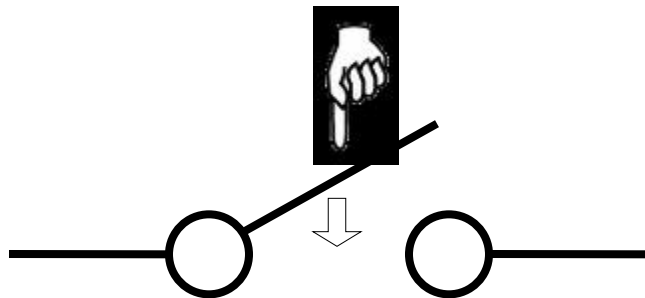
Note about class

- No Verilog or VHDL
- Clickers not required, but will use them from time-to-time

A switch



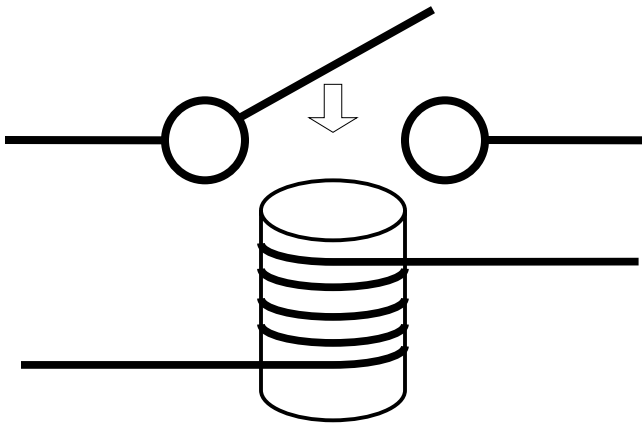
- Acts as a *conductor* or *insulator*
- Can be used to build amazing things...



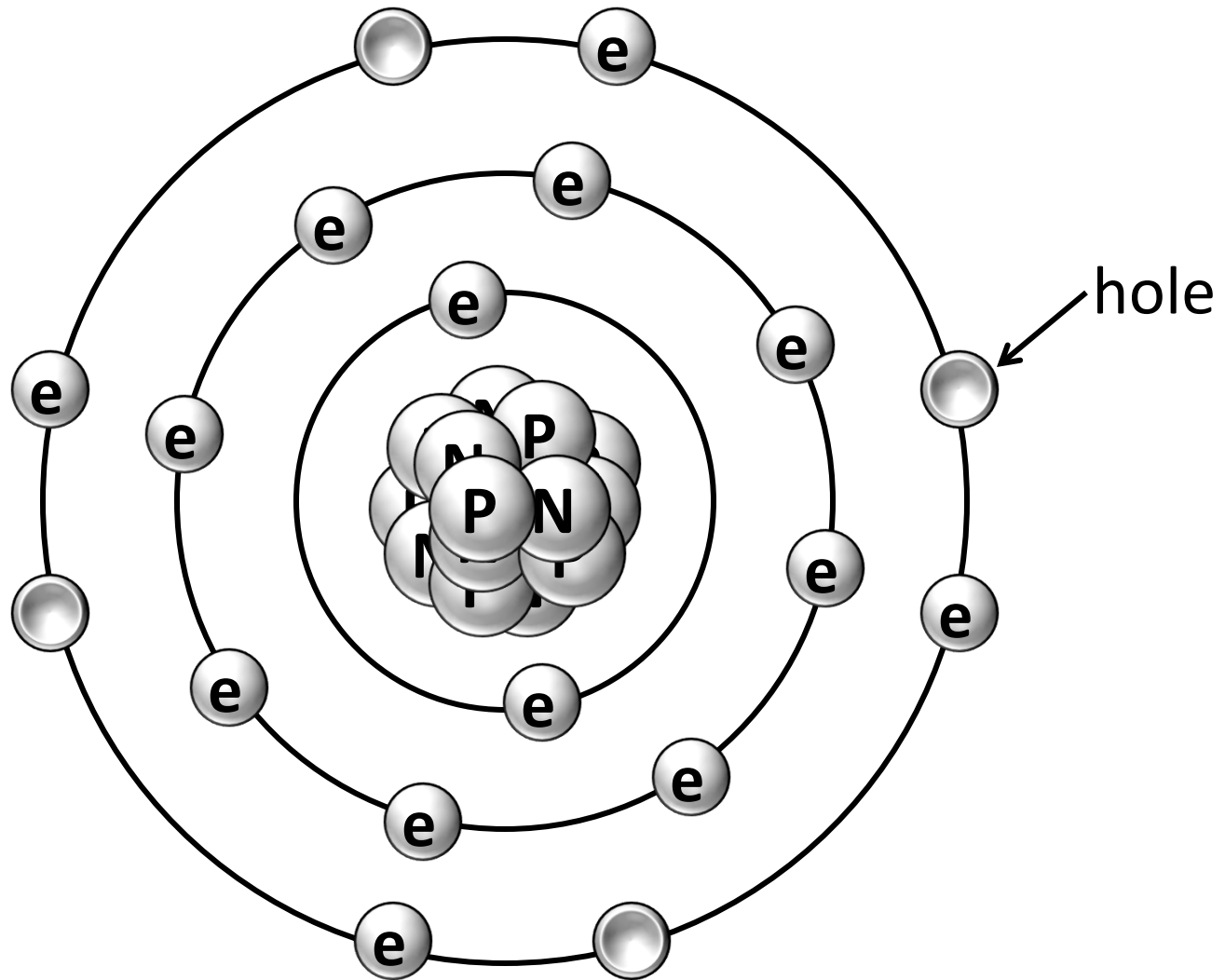
Better Switch



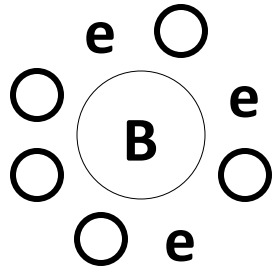
- One current controls another (larger) current
- Static Power:
 - Keeps consuming power when in the state
- Dynamic Power:
 - Jump in power consumption when switching



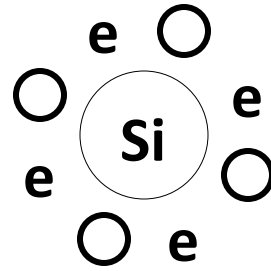
Atoms



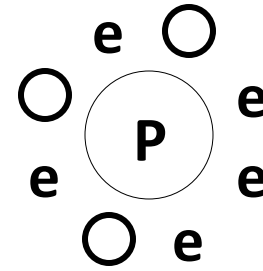
Elements



Boron

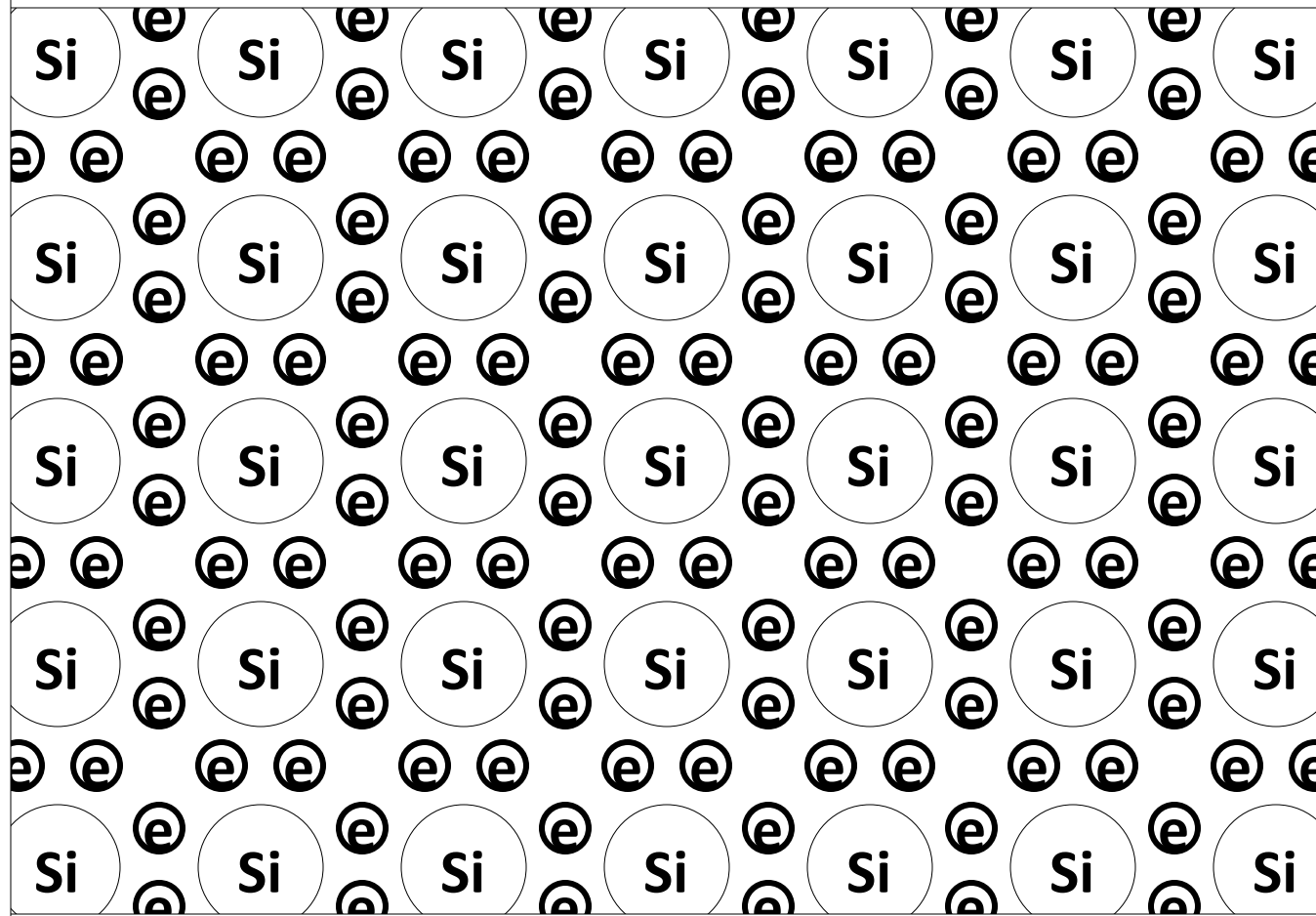


Silicon



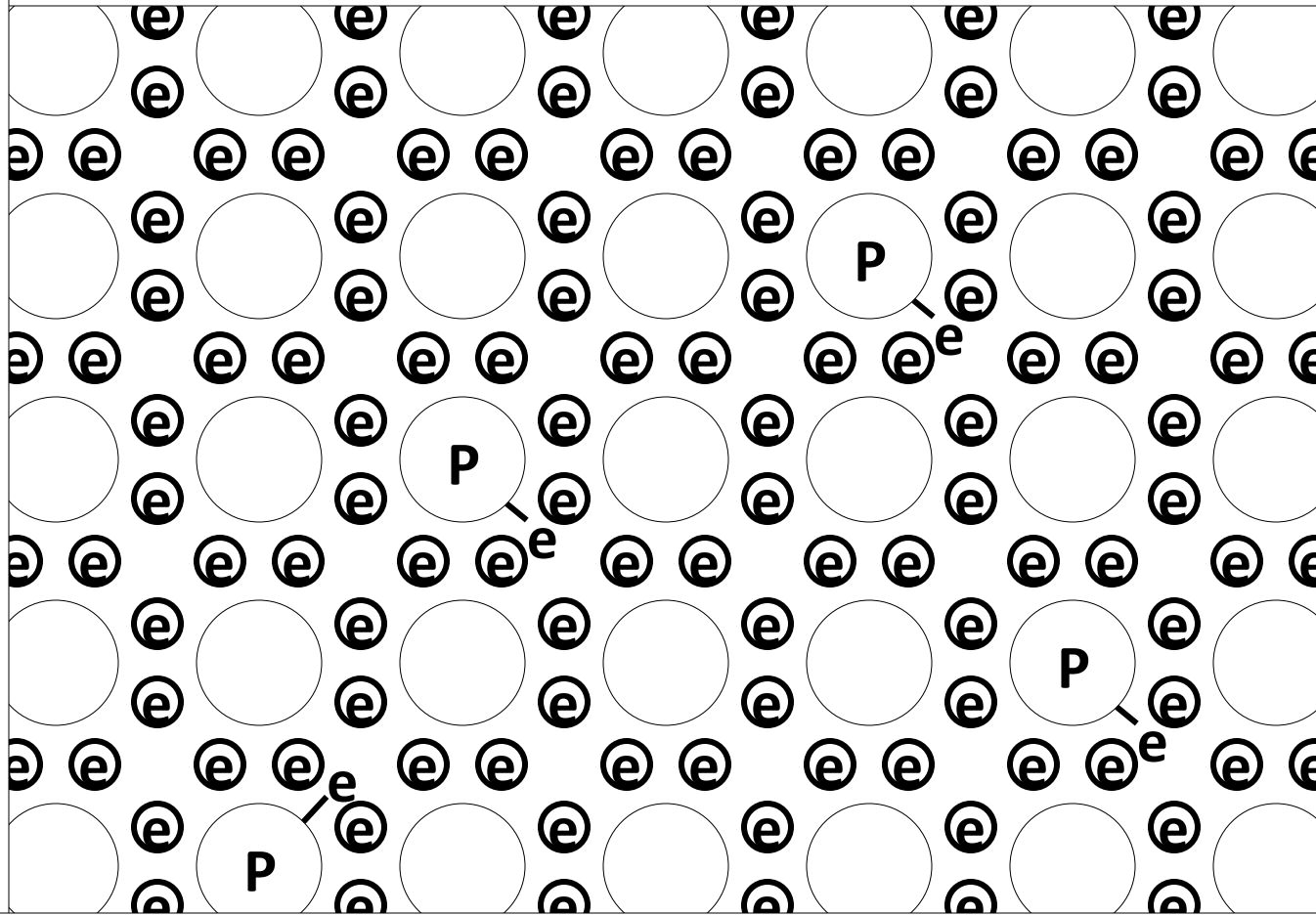
Phosphorus

Silicon Crystal Silicon



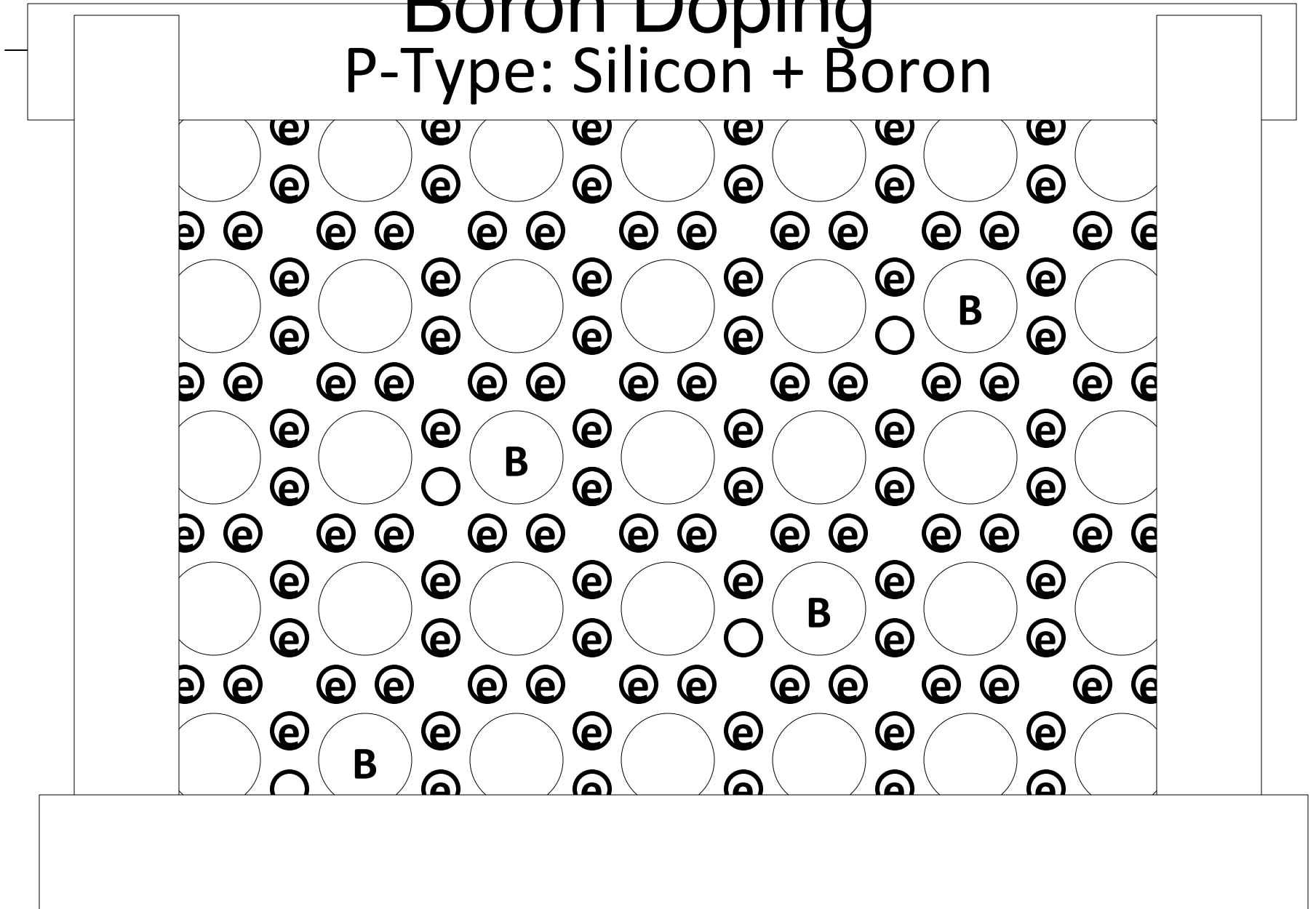
Phosphorus Doping

N-Type: Silicon + Phosphorus

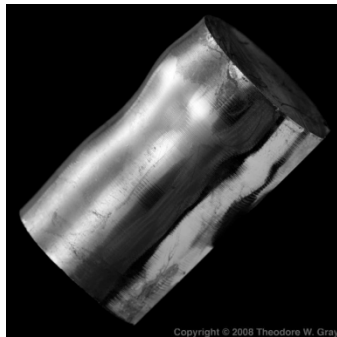


Boron Doping

P-Type: Silicon + Boron



Semiconductors



Insulator



p-type (Si+Boron)
has mobile holes:

low voltage (depleted)

→ insulator

high voltage (mobile holes)

→ conductor



n-type (Si+Phosphorus)
has mobile electrons:

low voltage (mobile electrons)

→ conductor

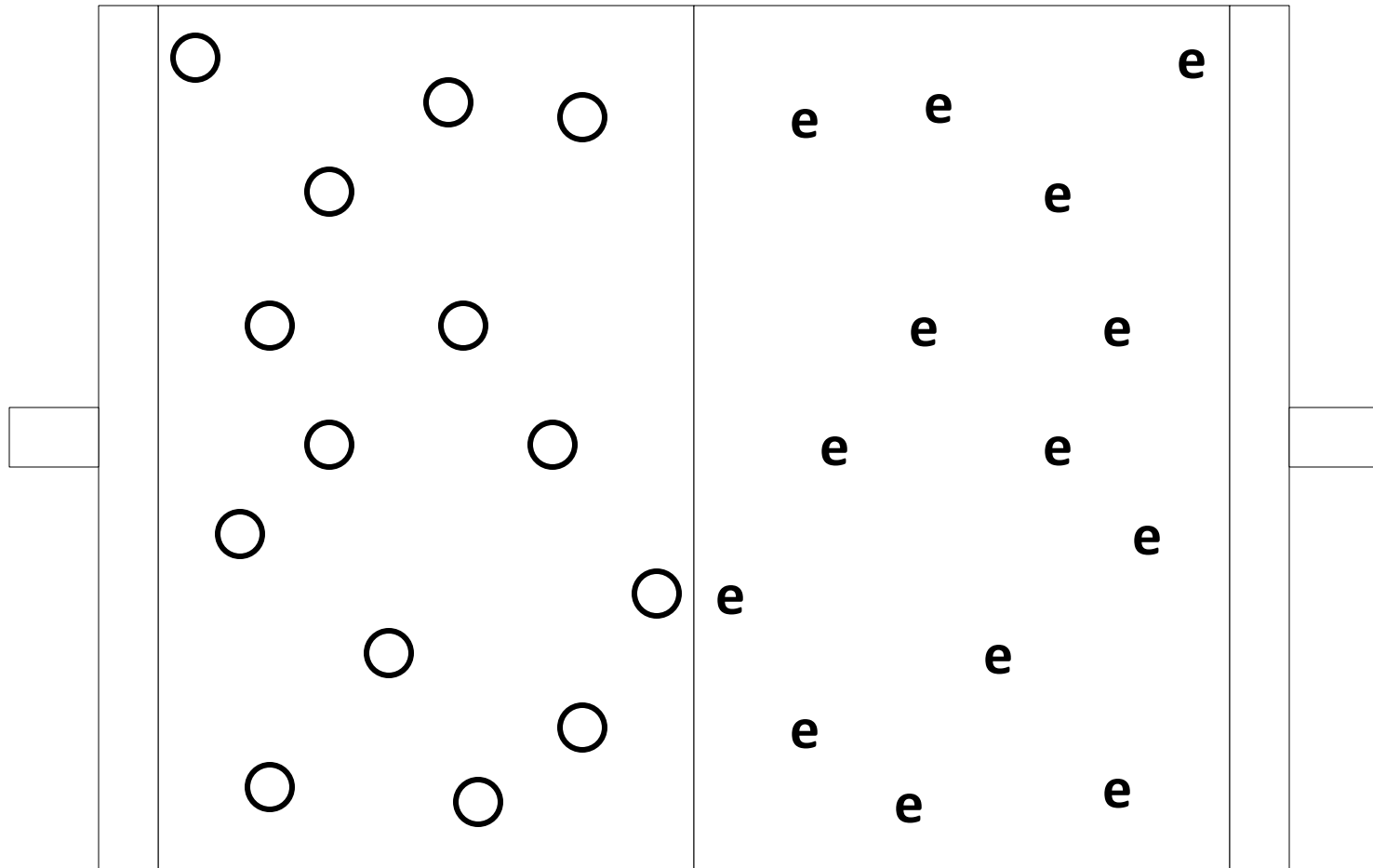
high voltage (depleted)

→ insulator

Bipolar Junction

P-Type

N-Type



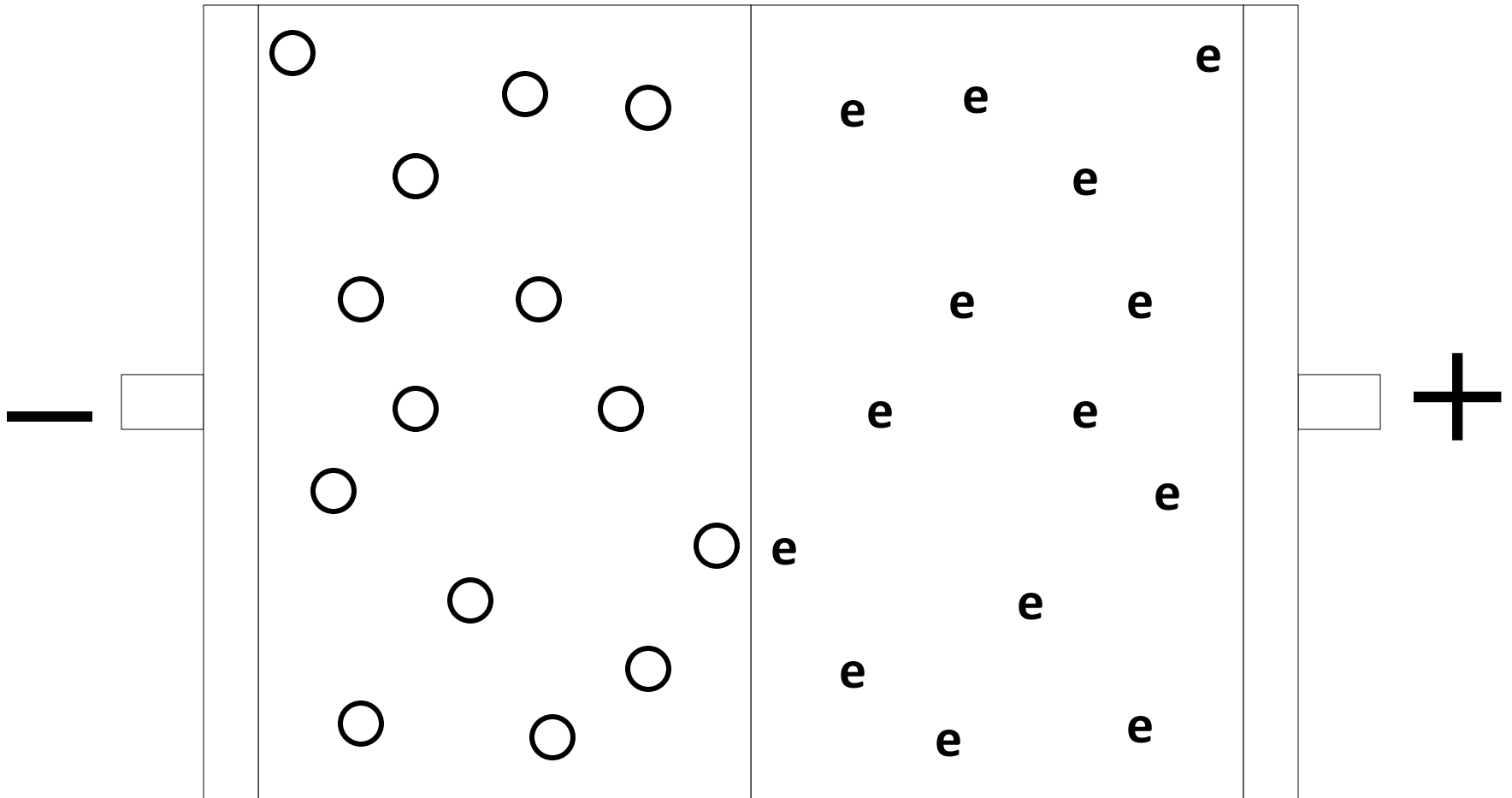
low $v \rightarrow$ insulator
high $v \rightarrow$ conductor

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Reverse Bias

P-Type

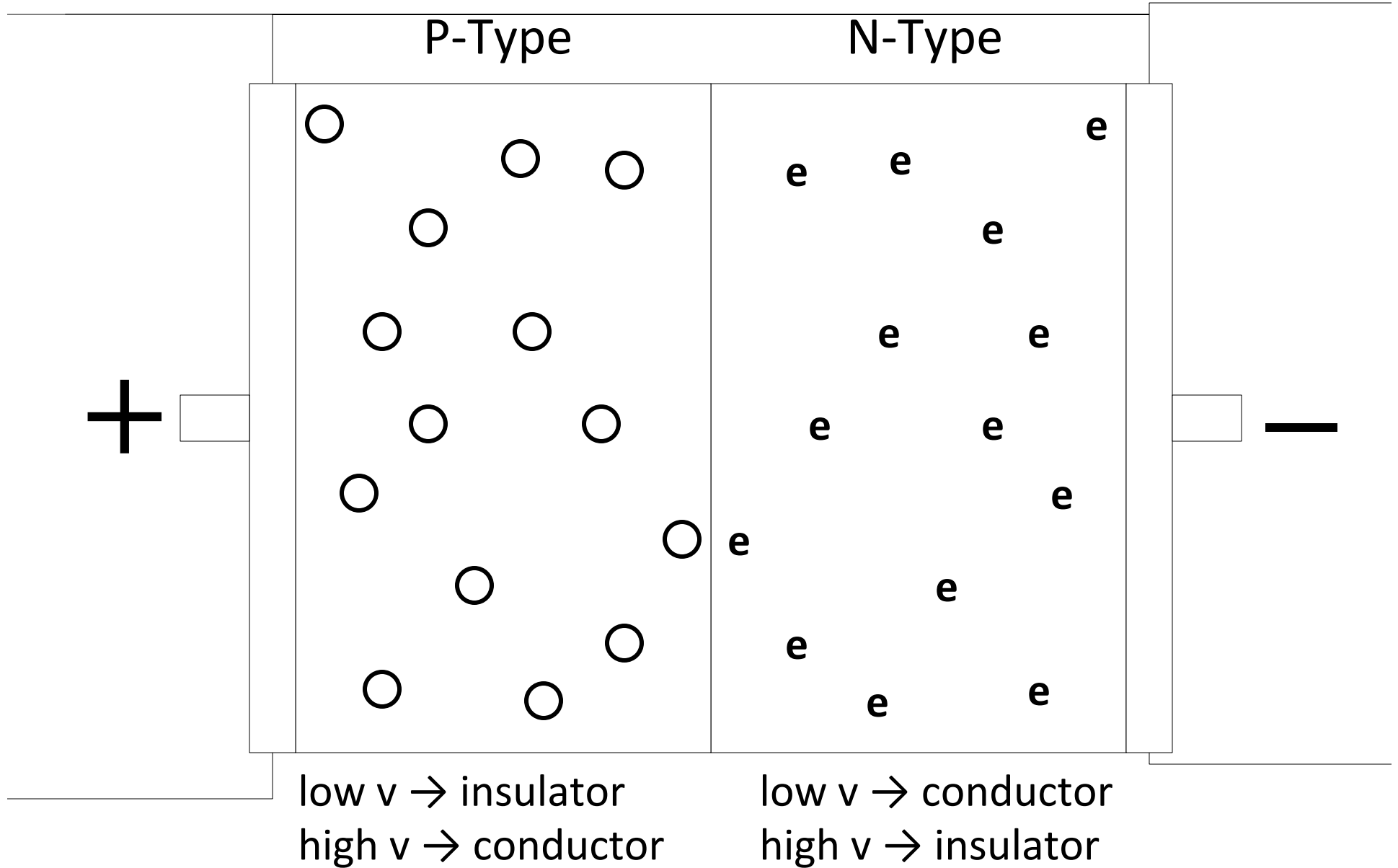
N-Type



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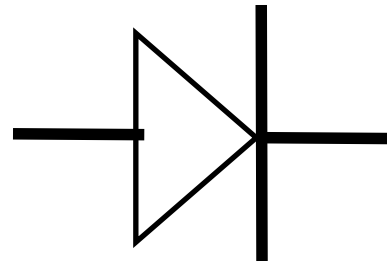
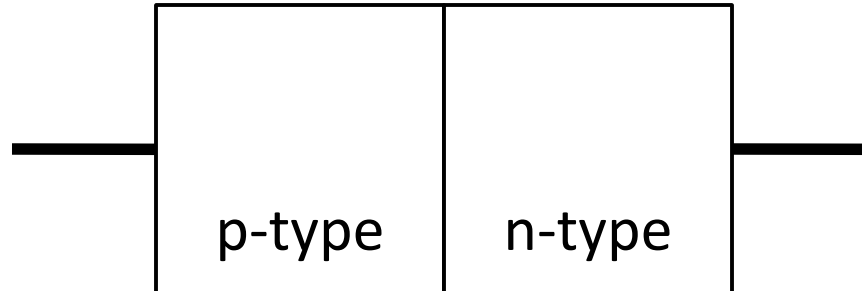
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Forward Bias



Diodes

PN Junction "Diode"

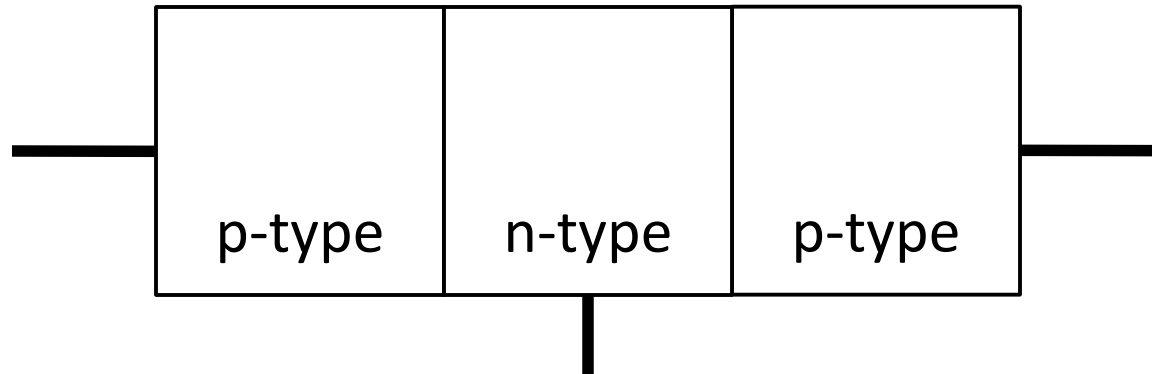


Conventions:

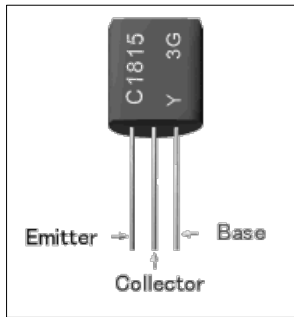
$v_{dd} = v_{cc} = +1.2v = +5v = hi$

$v_{ss} = v_{ee} = 0v = gnd$

PNP Junction



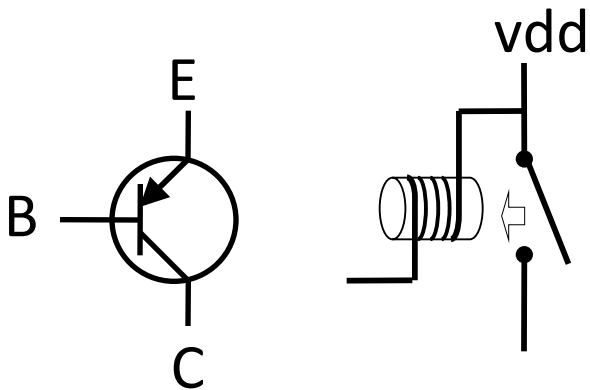
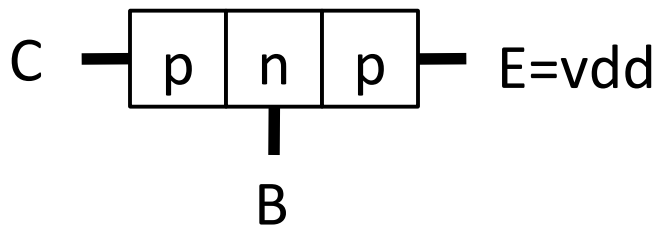
Bipolar Junction Transistors



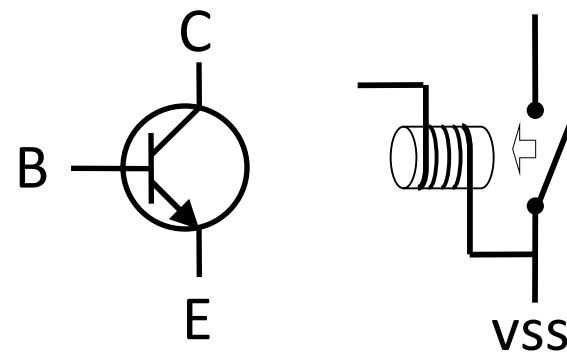
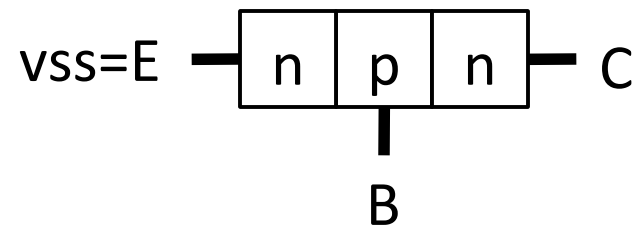
- Solid-state switch: The most amazing invention of the 1900s

Emitter = “input”, Base = “switch”, Collector = “output”

PNP Transistor

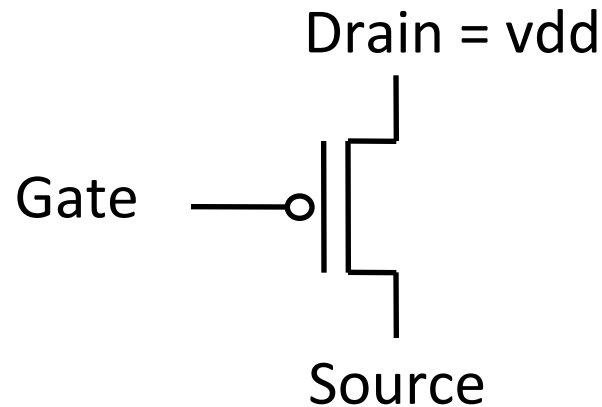


NPN Transistor



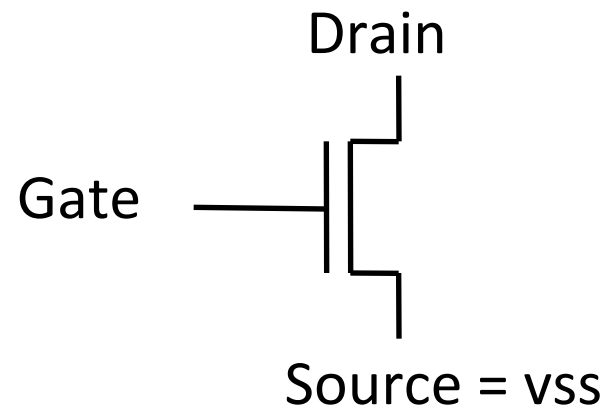
Field Effect Transistors

P-type FET



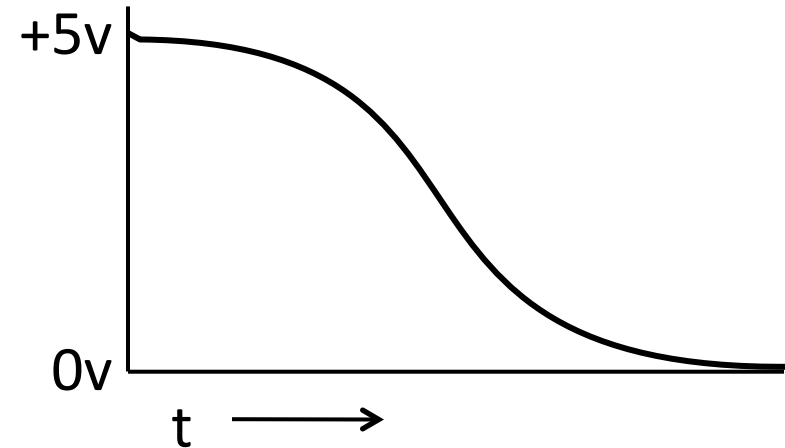
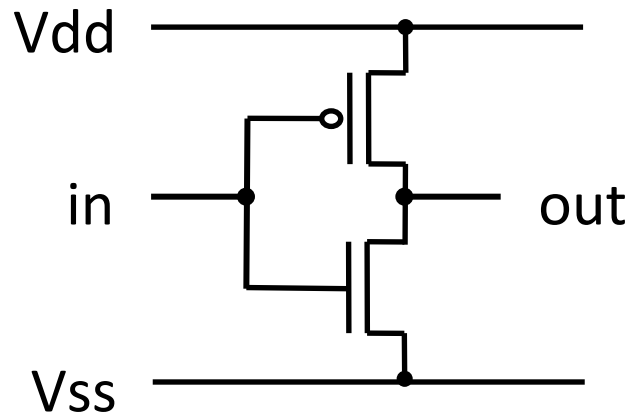
- Connect Source to Drain when Gate = lo
- Drain must be vdd, or connected to source of another P-type transistor

N-type FET



- Connect Source to Drain when Gate = hi
- Source must be vss, or connected to drain of another N-type transistor

Multiple Transistors



In	Out

voltage

Gate delay

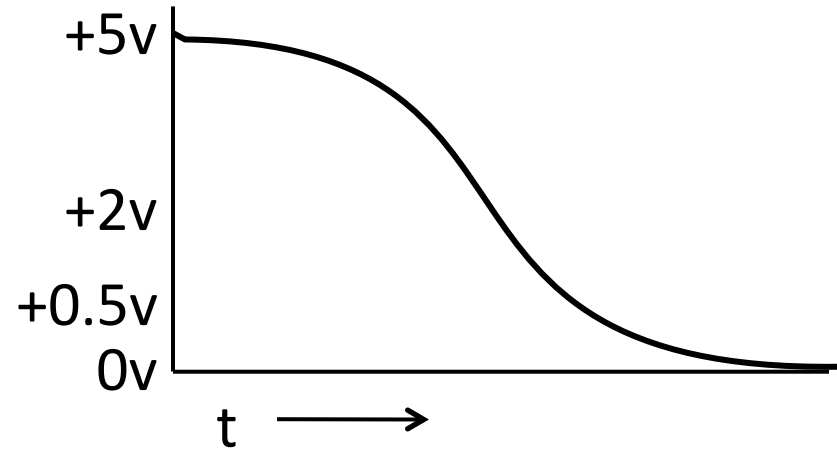
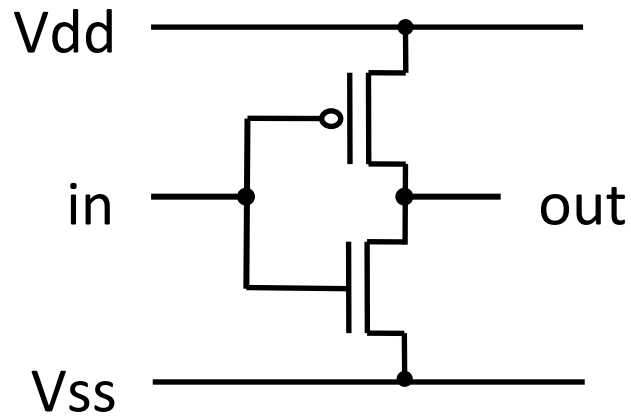
- transistor switching time
- voltage, propagation, fanout, temperature, ...

CMOS design

(complementary-symmetry metal-oxide semiconductor)

- Power consumption = dynamic + leakage

Digital Logic



In	Out
+5v	0v
0v	+5v

voltage

In	Out

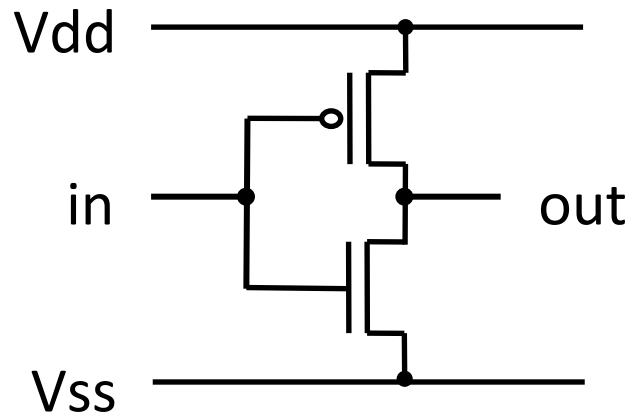
truth table

Conventions:

$v_{dd} = v_{cc} = +1.2v = +5v = hi = true = 1$

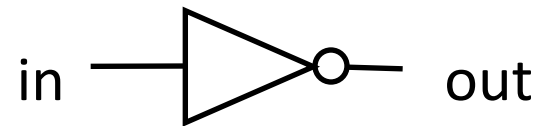
$v_{ss} = v_{ee} = 0v = gnd = false = 0$

NOT Gate (Inverter)



Function: NOT

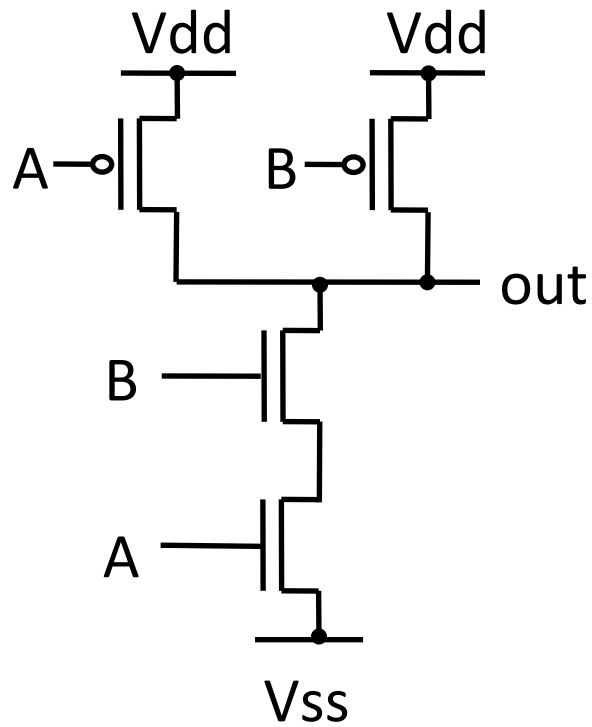
- Symbol:



In	Out
0	1
1	0

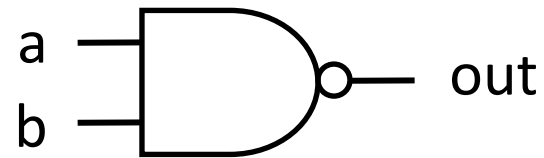
Truth table

NAND Gate



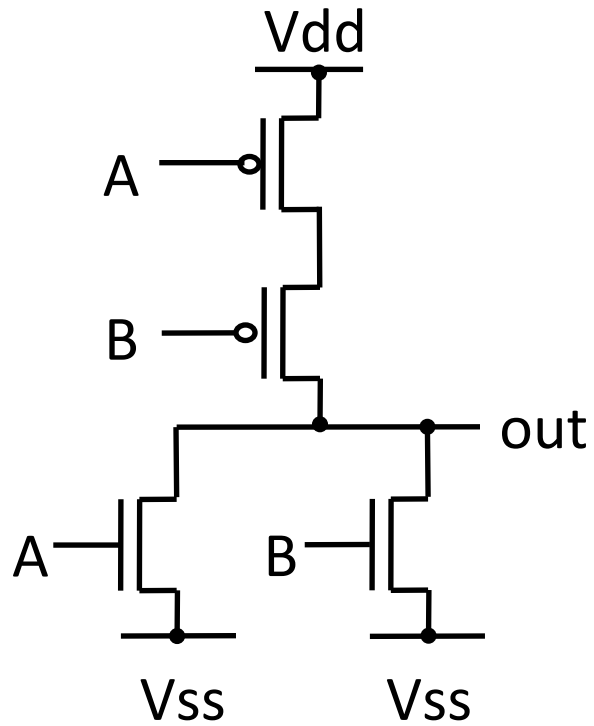
Function: NAND

- Symbol:



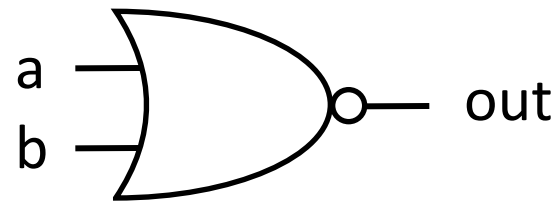
A	B	out
0	0	1
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

NOR Gate



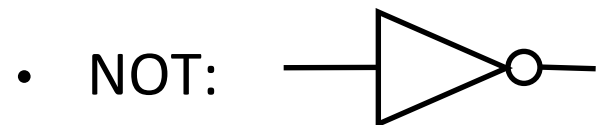
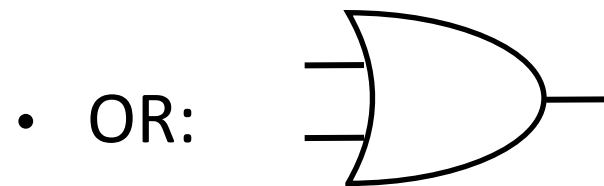
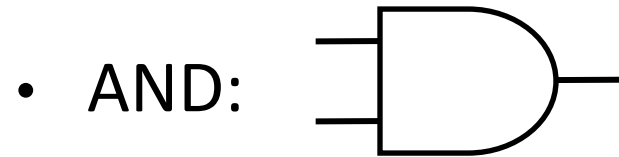
Function: NOR

- Symbol:



A	B	out
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	0

Building Functions

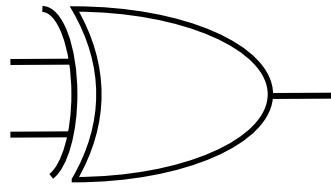


Universal Gates

NAND is universal (so is NOR)

- Can implement any function with just NAND gates
 - De Morgan's laws are helpful (pushing bubbles)
- useful for manufacturing

E.g.: XOR (A, B) = A or B but not both (“exclusive or”)



Proof: ?

Logic Equations

Some notation:

- constants: true = 1, false = 0
- variables: a, b, out, ...
- operators:
 - AND(a, b) = $a b$ = $a \& b$ = $a \wedge b$
 - OR(a, b) = $a + b$ = $a | b$ = $a \vee b$
 - NOT(a) = \bar{a} = $!a$ = $\neg a$

Identities

Identities useful for manipulating logic equations

– For optimization & ease of implementation

$$a + 0 = a$$

$$a + 1 = 1$$

$$a + \bar{a} = 1$$

$$a 0 = 0$$

$$a 1 = a$$

$$a \bar{a} = 0$$

$$\overline{(a + b)} = \bar{a} \bar{b}$$

$$\overline{(a b)} = \bar{a} + \bar{b}$$

$$a + a b = a$$

$$a(b+c) = ab + ac$$

$$\overline{a(b+c)} = \bar{a} + \overline{bc}$$

Logic Manipulation

- functions: gates \leftrightarrow truth tables \leftrightarrow equations
- Example: $(a+b)(a+c) = a + bc$

a	b	c					
0	0	0					
0	0	1					
0	1	0					
0	1	1					
1	0	0					
1	0	1					
1	1	0					
1	1	1					

Logic Manipulation

- functions: gates \leftrightarrow truth tables \leftrightarrow equations
- Example: $(a+b)(a+c) = a + bc$

a	b	c	a+b	a+c	LHS	bc	RHS
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1
1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1
1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1



Logic Minimization

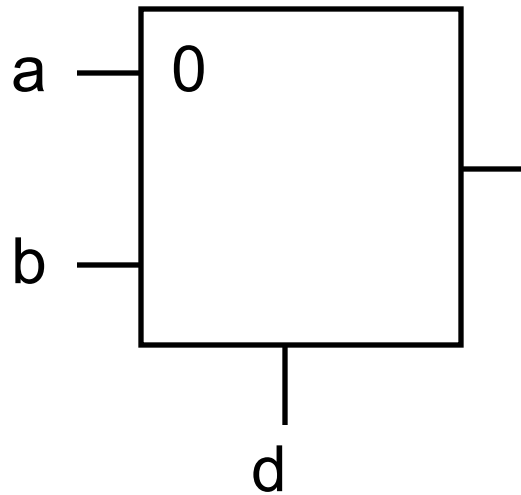
- A common problem is how to implement a desired function most efficiently
- One can derive the equation from the truth table

a	b	c	minterm
0	0	0	\overline{abc}
0	0	1	$\overline{ab}c$
0	1	0	$\overline{a}b\overline{c}$
0	1	1	$\overline{a}bc$
1	0	0	$a\overline{b}\overline{c}$
1	0	1	$a\overline{b}c$
1	1	0	$ab\overline{c}$
1	1	1	abc

for all outputs
that are 1,
take the corresponding
minterm
Obtain the result in
“sum of products” form

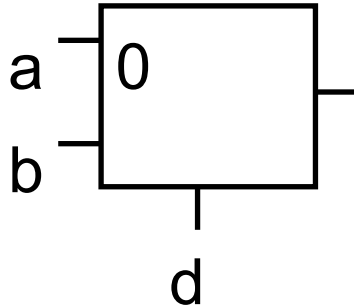
- How does one find the most efficient equation?
 - Manipulate algebraically until satisfied
 - Use Karnaugh maps (or K maps)

Multiplexer



- A multiplexer selects between multiple inputs
 - $\text{out} = a$, if $d = 0$
 - $\text{out} = b$, if $d = 1$
- Build truth table
- Minimize diagram
- Derive logic diagram

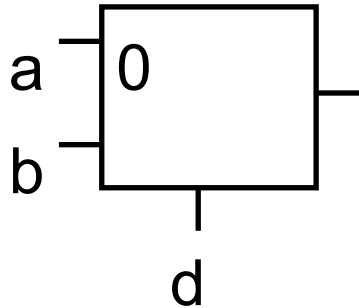
Multiplexer Implementation



- Build a truth table
= $abd + ab\bar{d} + \bar{a}bd + a\bar{b}\bar{d}$
= $a\bar{d} + bd$

a	b	d	out
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1

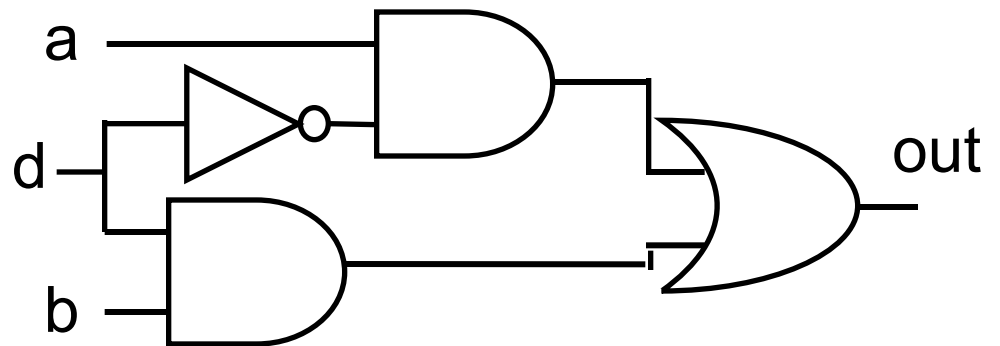
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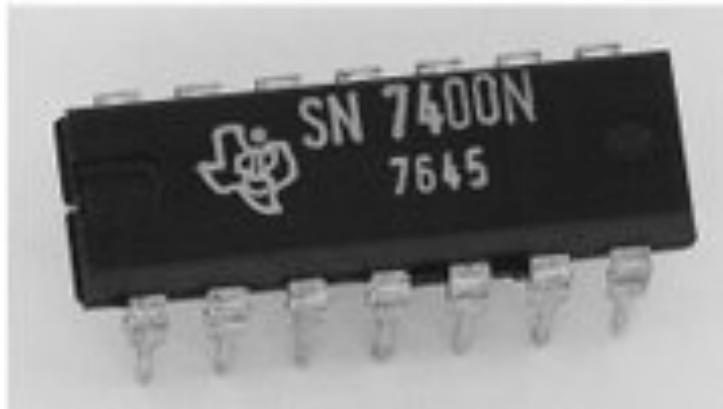
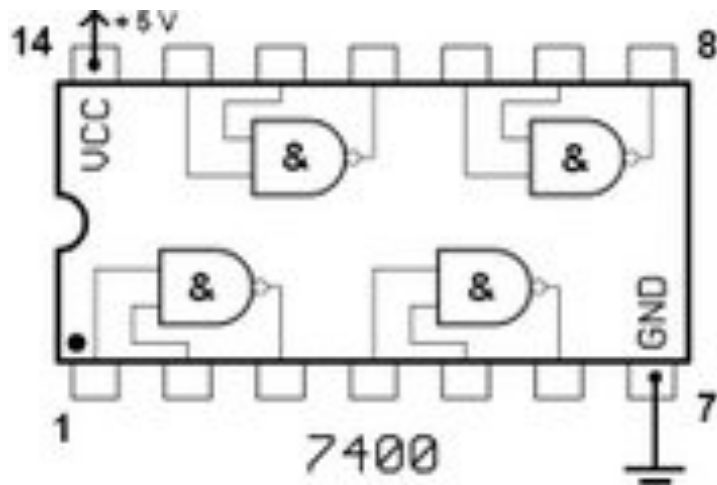
- Draw the circuit

a	b	d	out
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1

$$\text{out} = a\bar{d} + bd$$

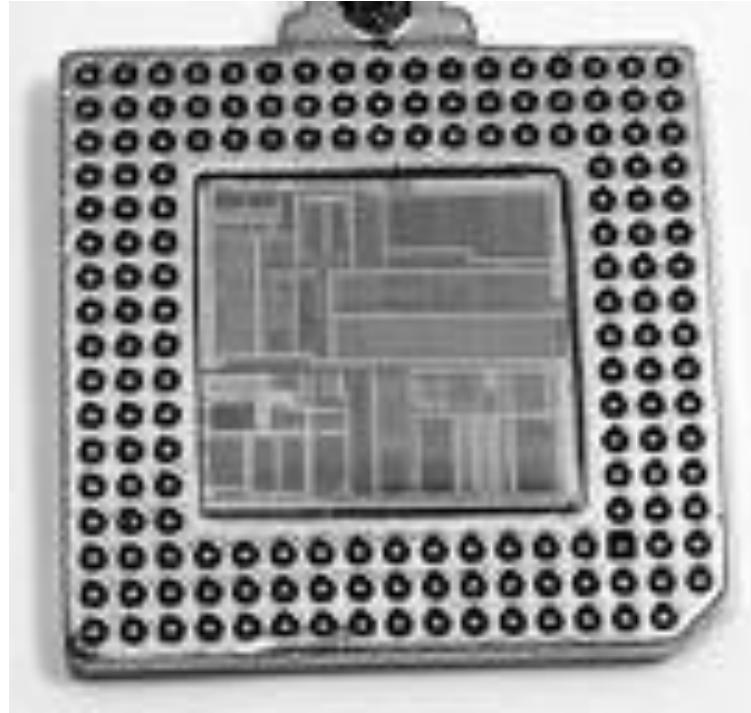


Logic Gates



- One can buy gates separately
 - ex. 74xxx series of integrated circuits
 - cost ~\$1 per chip, mostly for packaging and testing
- Cumbersome, but possible to build devices using gates put together manually

Integrated Circuits



- Or one can manufacture a complete design using a custom mask
- Intel Nehalem has approximately 731 million transistors

Voting machine

- Build something interesting
- A voting machine
- Assume:
 - A vote is recorded on a piece of paper,
 - by punching out a hole,
 - there are at most 7 choices
 - we will not worry about hanging chads or “invalids”

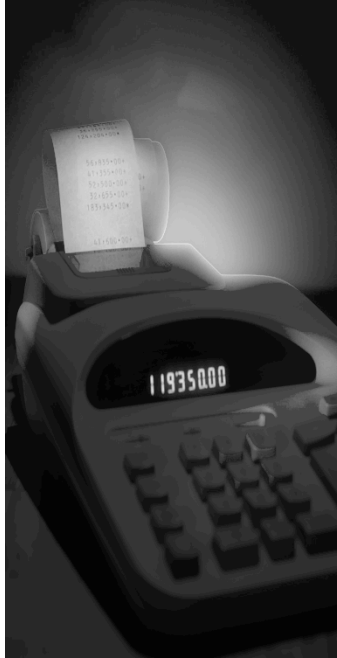
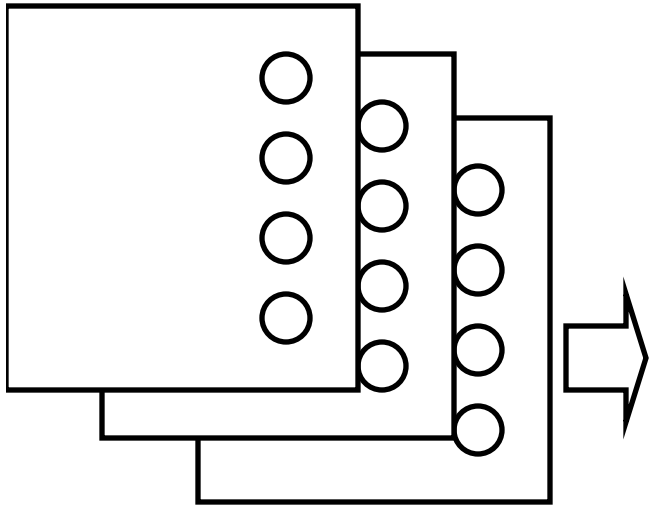
Voting machine

- For now, let's just display the numerical identifier to the ballot supervisor
 - we won't do counting yet, just decoding
 - we can use four photo-sensitive transistors to find out which hole is punched out



- A photo-sensitive transistor detects the presence of light
- Photo-sensitive material triggers the gate

Ballot Reading

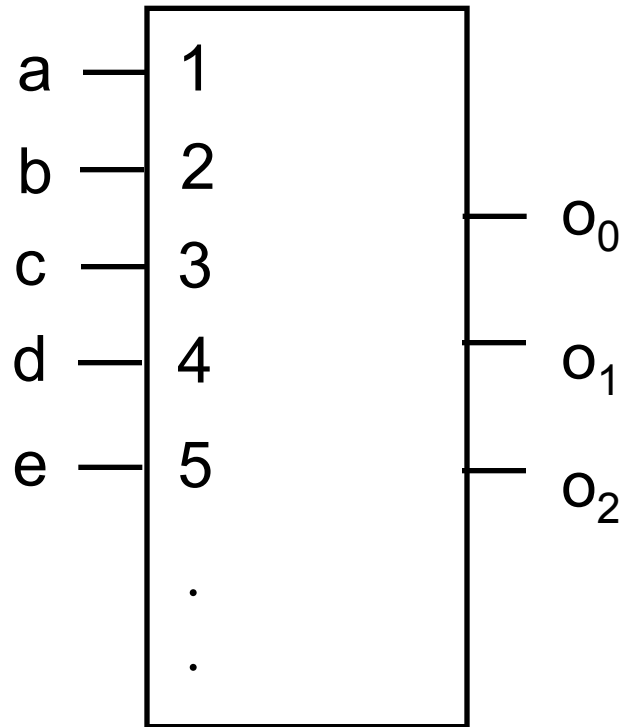


- Input: paper with a hole in it
- Out: number the ballot supervisor can record

Ballots

The 3410 vote recording
machine

Encoders



A 3-bit encoder
(7-to-3)
(5 inputs shown)

- N sensors in a row
- Want to distinguish which of the N sensors has fired
- Want to represent the firing sensor number in compact form
 - N might be large
 - Only one wire is on at any time
 - Silly to route N wires everywhere, better to encode in $\log N$ wires

Number Representations

37
10 10

- Decimal numbers are written in base 10
 - $3 \times 10^1 + 7 \times 10^0 = 37$
- Just as easily use other bases
 - Base 2 - “Binary”
 - Base 8 - “Octal”
 - Base 16 - “Hexadecimal”

Number Representations

3 7
10 10

- Base conversion via repetitive division
 - Divide by base, write remainder, move left with quotient
 - Sanity check with 37 and base 10

Binary Representation

- Check 37 and base 2
- $37 = 32 + 4 + 1$

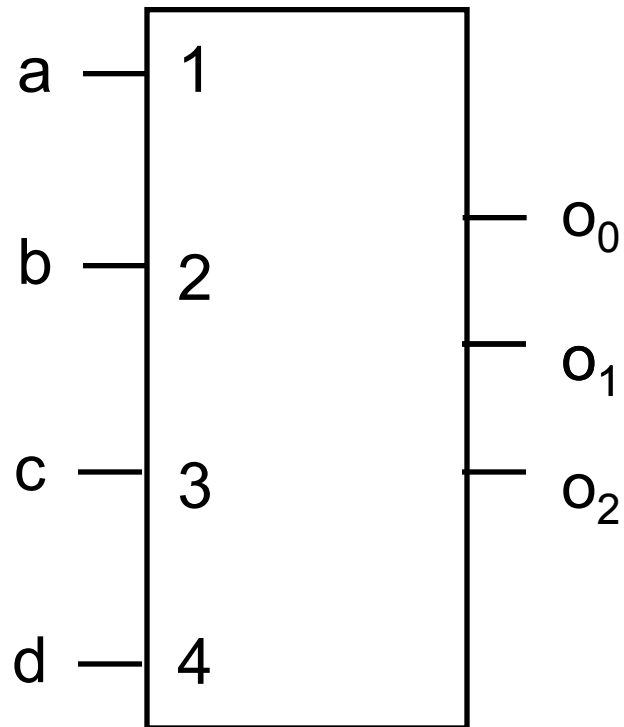
0	1	0	0	1	0	1
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	2	2	2	2	2	2
64	32	16	8	4	2	1

Hexadecimal Representation

25
— —
16 16

- 37 decimal = (25)
- Convention
 - Base 16 is written with a leading 0x
 - 37 = 0x25
- Need extra digits!
 - 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7,
8, 9, A, B, C, D, E, F
- Binary to hexadecimal is easy
 - Divide into groups of 4, translate groupwise into hex digits

Encoder Truth Table

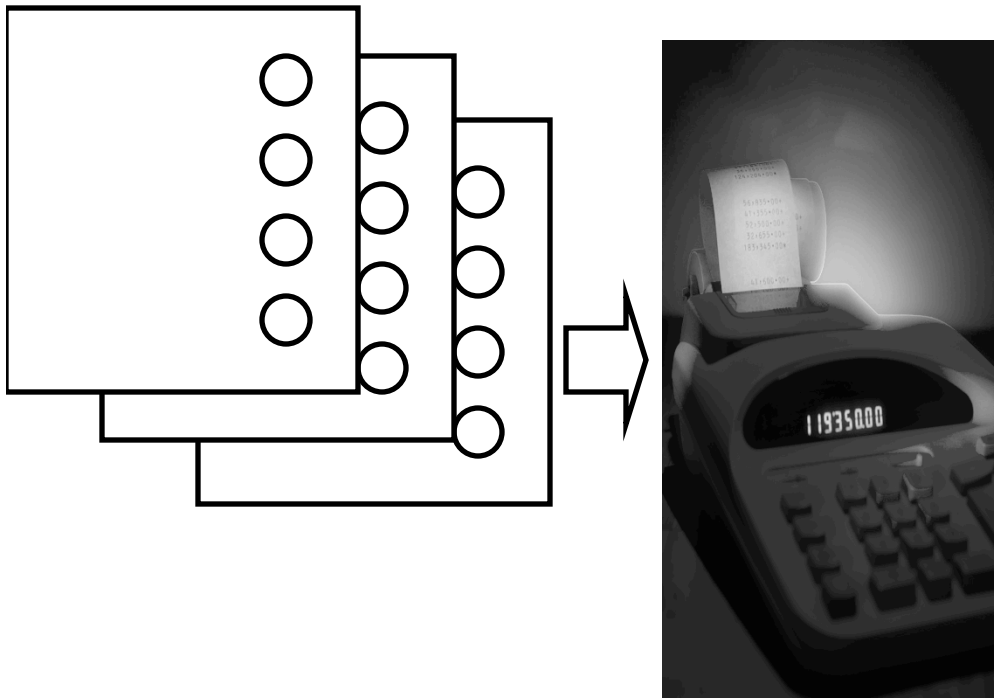


A 3-bit
encoder
with 4 inputs
for simplicity

a	b	c	d		o_2	o_1	o_0
0	0	0	0		0	0	0
1	0	0	0		0	0	1
0	1	0	0		0	1	0
0	0	1	0		0	1	1
0	0	0	1		1	0	0

- $o_2 = \overline{abcd}$
- $o_1 = \overline{a}bcd + a\overline{b}cd$
- $o_0 = \overline{a}bcd + a\overline{b}cd$

Ballot Reading

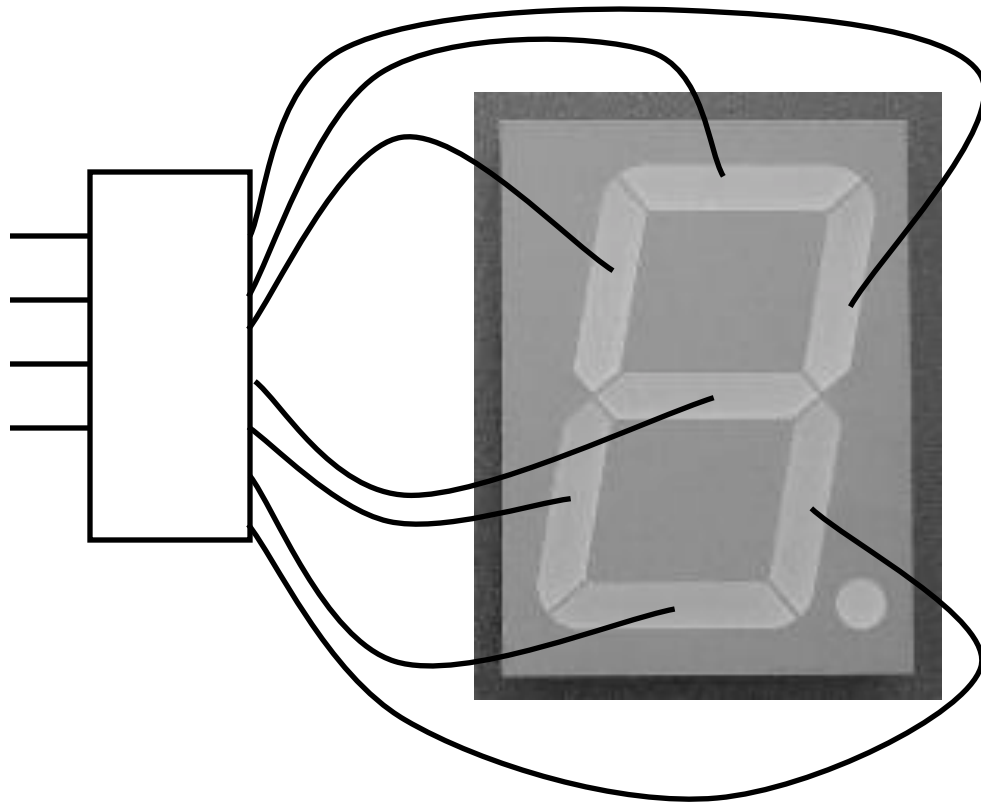


Ballots

The 3410 voting
machine

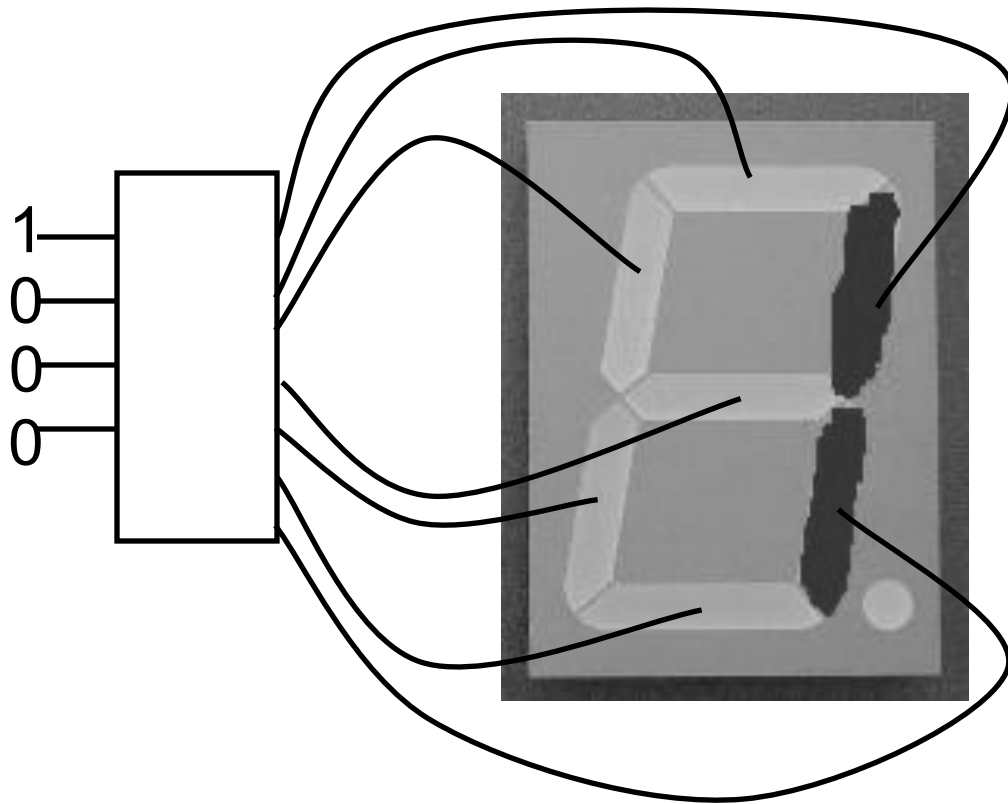
- Ok, we built first half of the machine
- Need to display the result

7-Segment LED Decoder



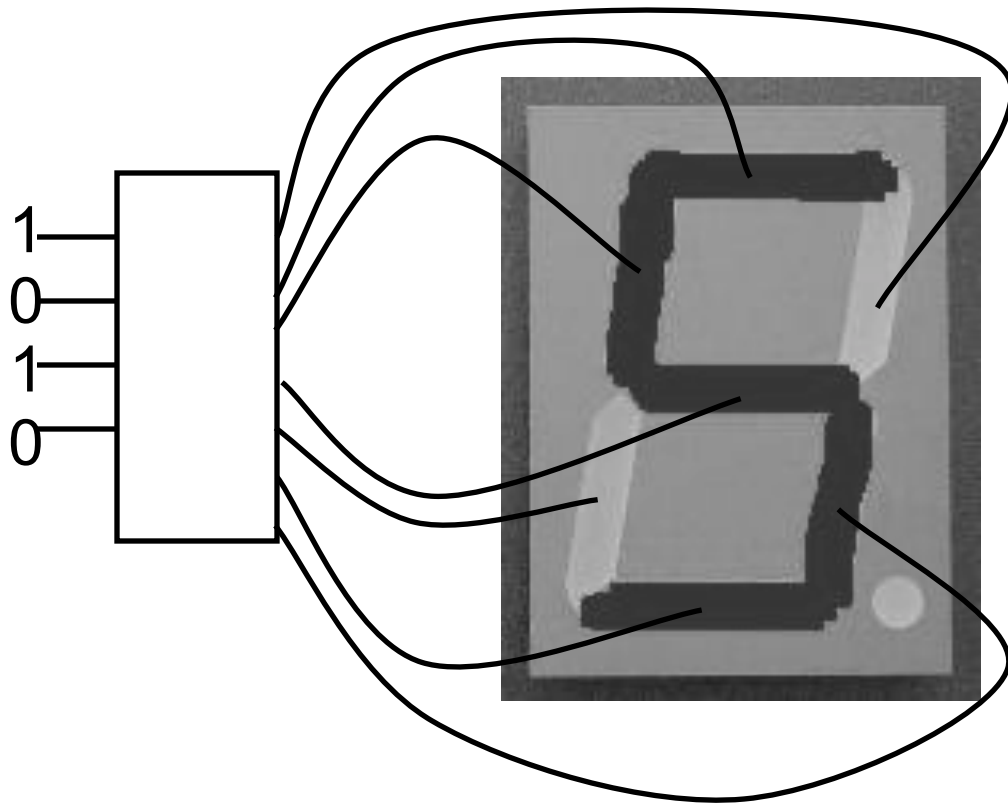
- 4 inputs encoded in binary
- 8 outputs, each driving an independent, rectangular LED
- Can display numbers
- Just a simple logic circuit
- Write the truth table

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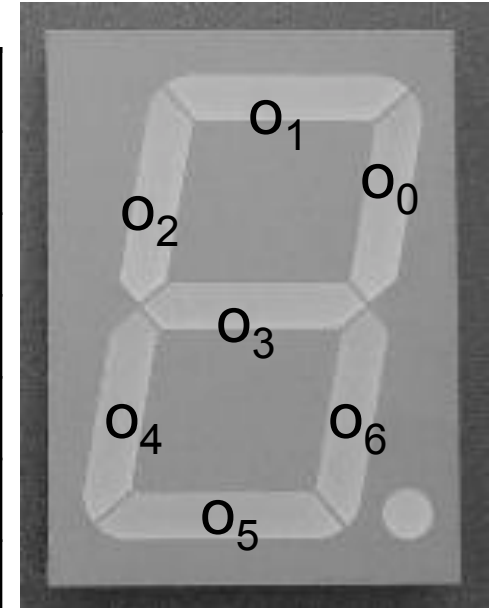
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7-Segment Decoder Truth Table

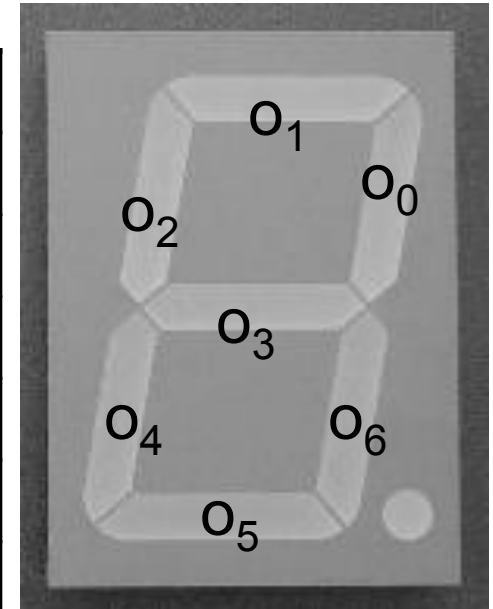
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Exercise: find the error(s) in this truth table

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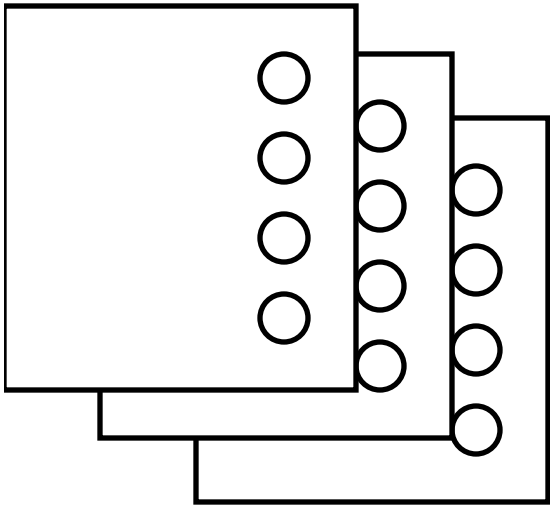
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Ballot Reading

- Done!



Ballots

The 3410 voting
machine

Summary

- We can now implement any logic circuit
 - Can do it efficiently, using Karnaugh maps to find the minimal terms required
 - Can use either NAND or NOR gates to implement the logic circuit
 - Can use P- and N-transistors to implement NAND or NOR gates