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TOPIC: Combinational Circuits

Sub: Switching Theory and Logic Design

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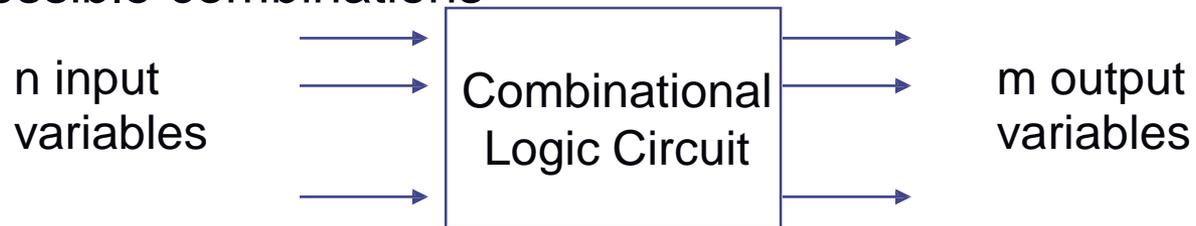
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Combinational Circuits



A combinational circuit of n input values

- 2 possible combinations



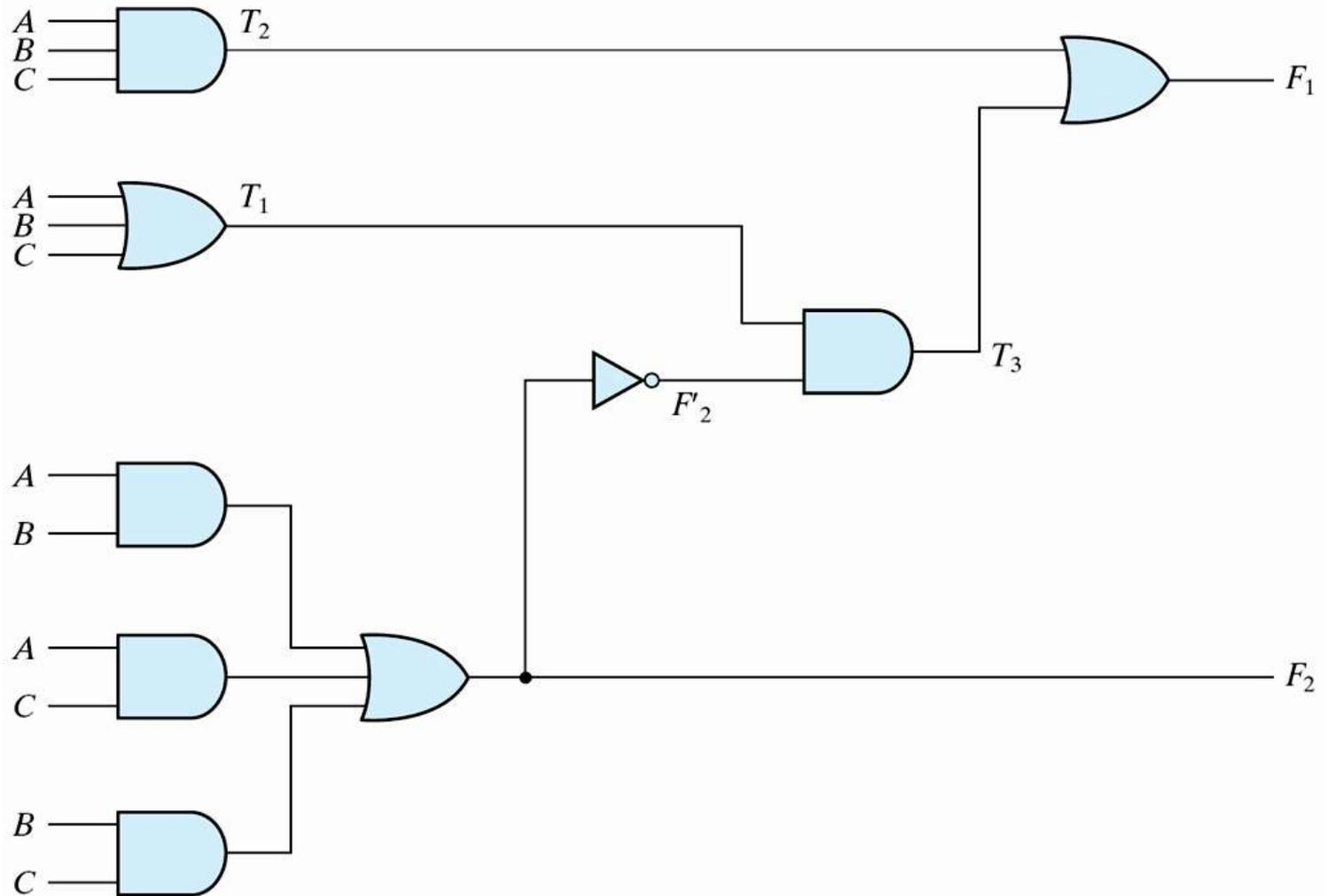
- Specific functions
 - ◆ Adders, subtractors, comparators, decoders, encoders, and multiplexers
 - ◆ MSI circuits or standard cells

Analysis Procedure

- ◆ Step 1: Label all gate outputs that are a function of input variables with arbitrary symbols – but with meaningful names. Determine the Boolean functions for each gate output.
- ◆ Step 2: Label the gates that are a function of input variables and previously labeled gates with other arbitrary symbols. Find the Boolean functions for these gates.
- ◆ Step 3: Repeat the process outlined in step 2 until the outputs of the circuit are obtained.
- ◆ Step 4: By repeated substitution of previously defined functions, obtain the output Boolean functions in terms of input variables.

Analysis Procedure Example

- ◆ A straight-forward procedure



Analysis Procedure Example

◆ Step 1:

- $F_2 = AB+AC+BC$
- $T_1 = A+B+C$
- $T_2 = ABC$

◆ Step 2:

□ $T_3 = F_2'T_1$

◆ Step 3:

- $F_1 = T_3+T_2$

◆ Step 4:

- $$\begin{aligned} F_1 &= T_3+T_2 = F_2'T_1+ABC \\ &= (AB+AC+BC)'(A+B+C)+ABC \\ &= (A'+B')(A'+C')(B'+C')(A+B+C)+ABC \\ &= (A'+B'C')(AB'+AC'+BC'+B'C)+ABC \\ &= A'BC'+A'B'C+AB'C'+ABC \end{aligned}$$

Truth Table

Table 4.1

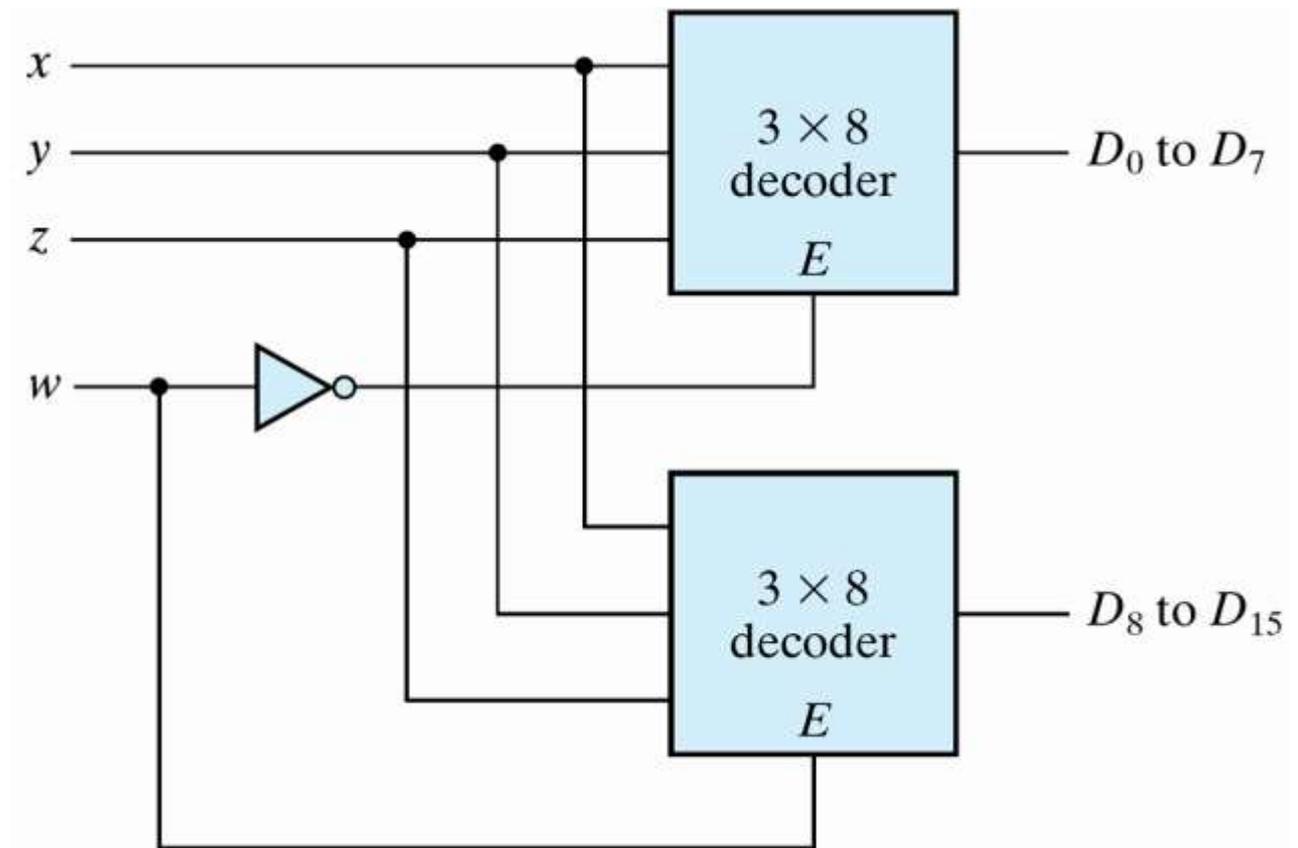
Truth Table for the Logic Diagram of Fig. 4.2

A	B	C	F₂	F'₂	T₁	T₂	T₃	F₁
0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1
0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
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4x16 Decoder

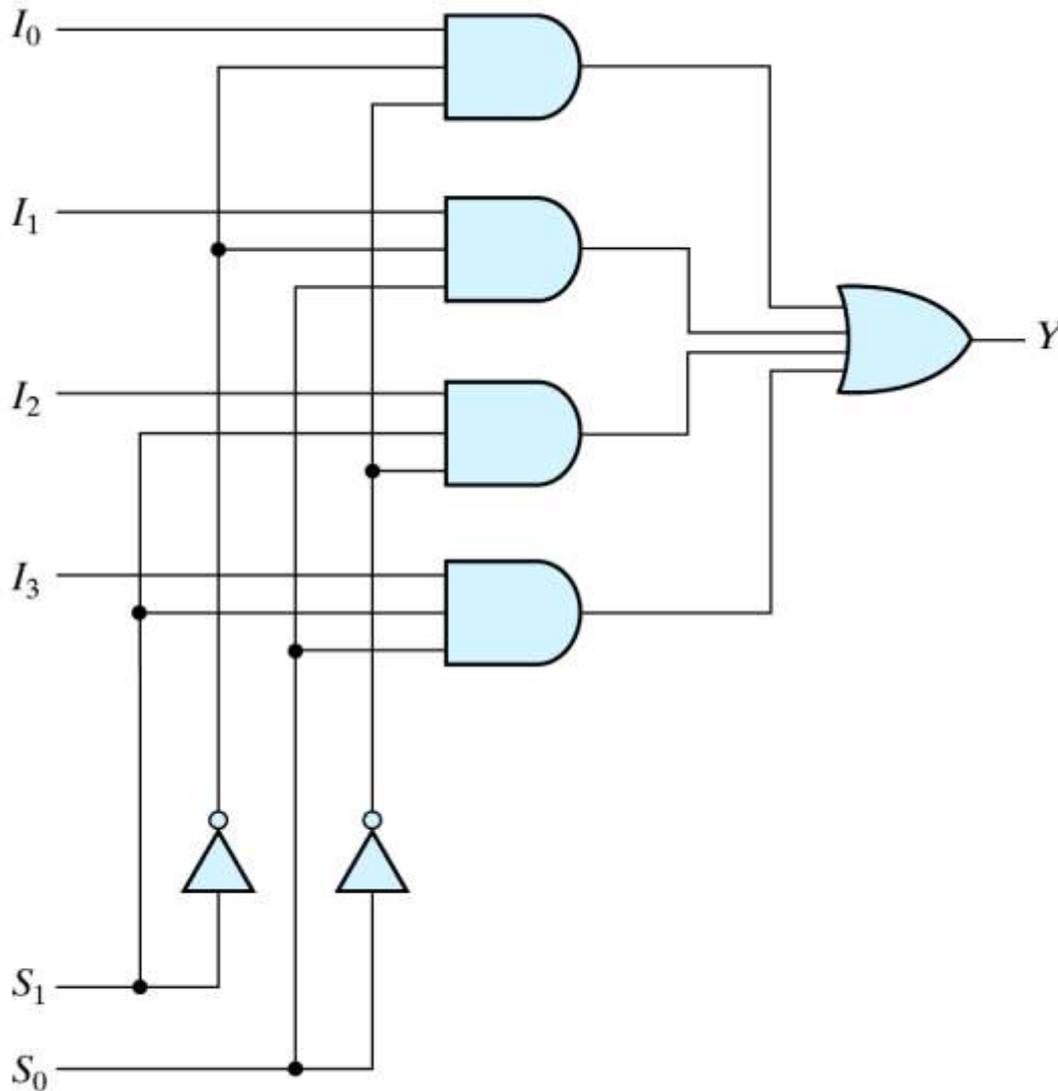
◆ Expansion

- two 3-to-8 decoder: a 4-to-16 decoder



4 x 16 decoder
constructed with two
3 x 8 decoders

4-to-1-Line Multiplexer



(a) Logic diagram

S_1	S_0	Y
0	0	I_0
0	1	I_1
1	0	I_2
1	1	I_3

(b) Function table