EE101: Digital circuits (Part 5)

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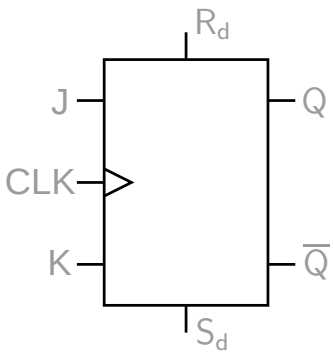

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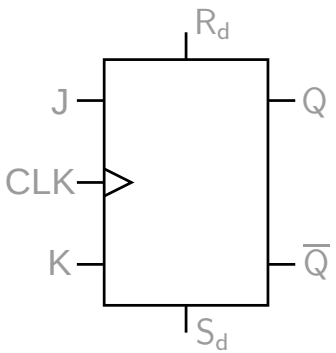

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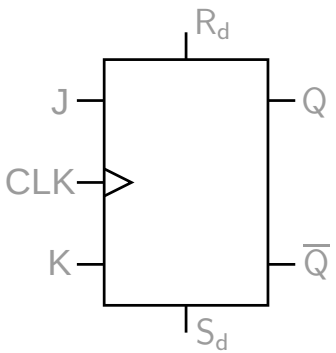

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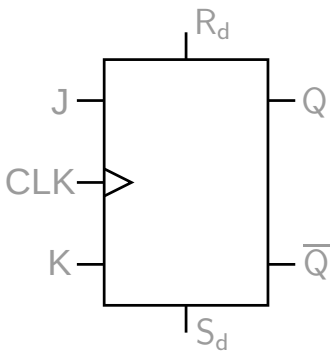

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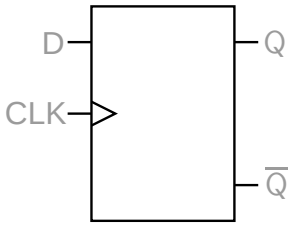
* The asynchronous inputs are convenient for "starting up" a circuit in a known state.

D flip-flop



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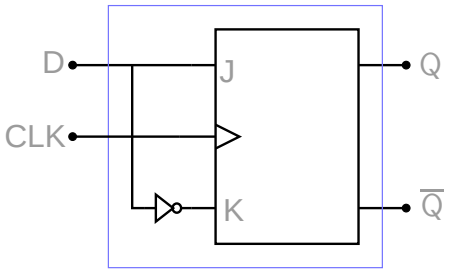
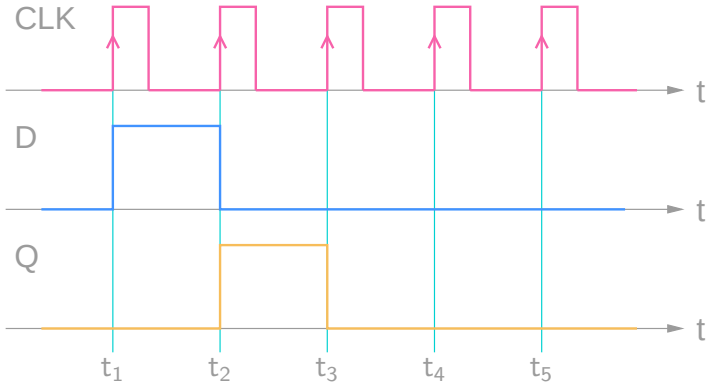
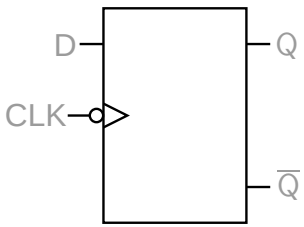
positive edge−triggered D flip−flop







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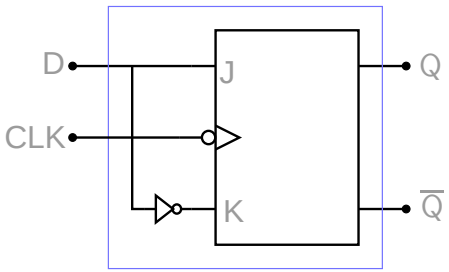

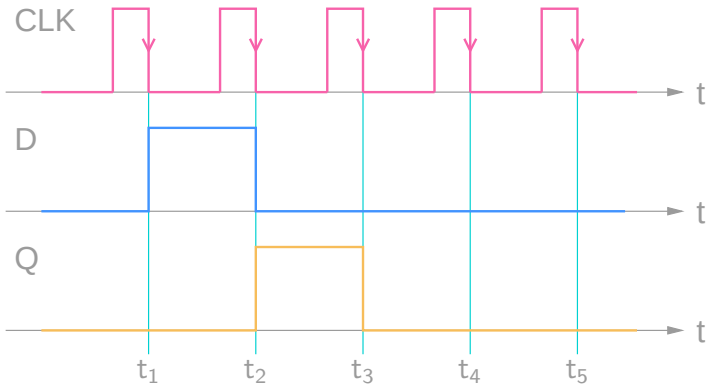

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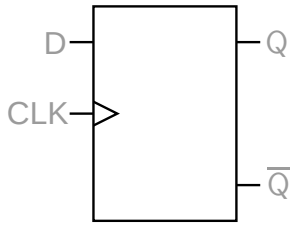

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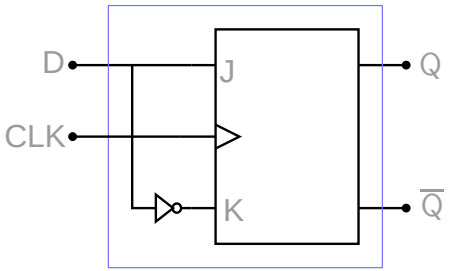

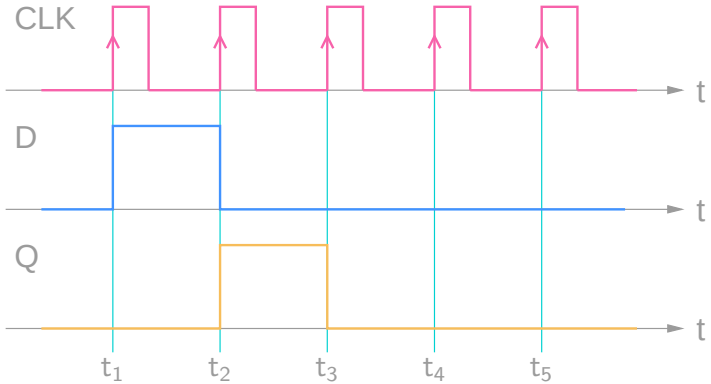

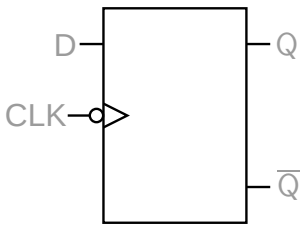

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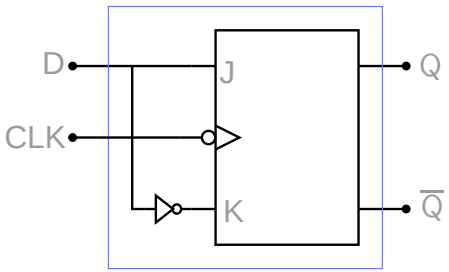

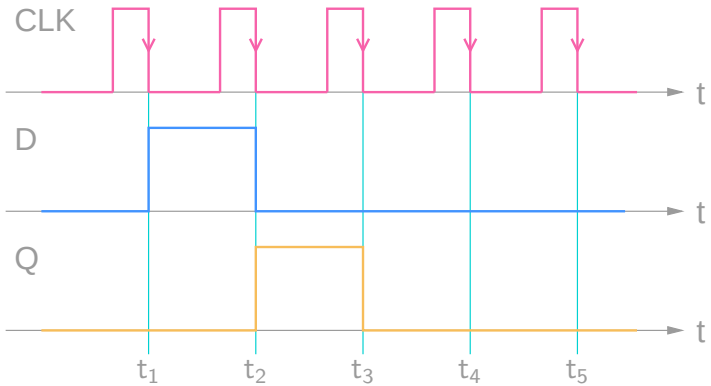

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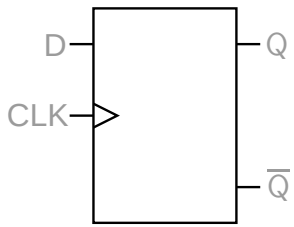

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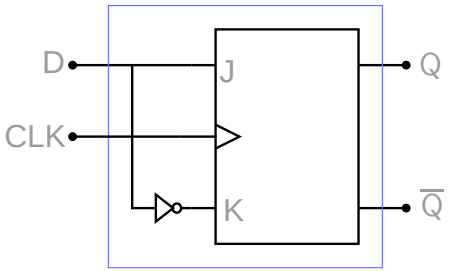

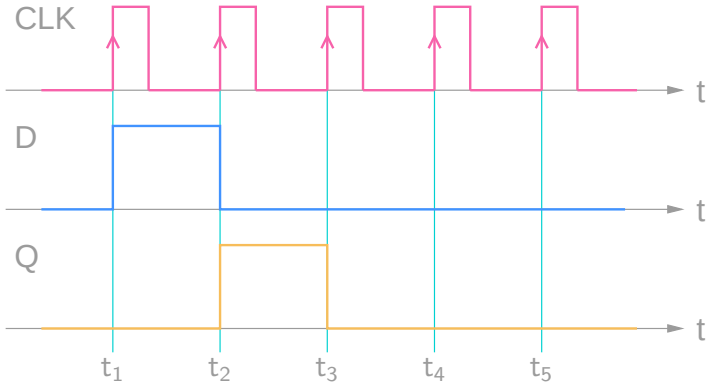

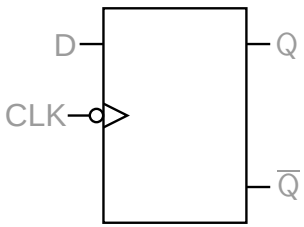

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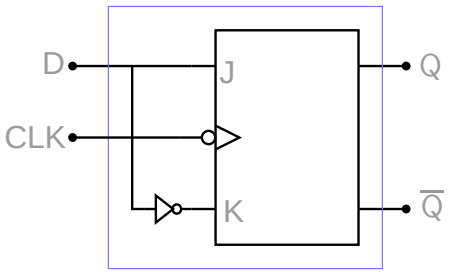

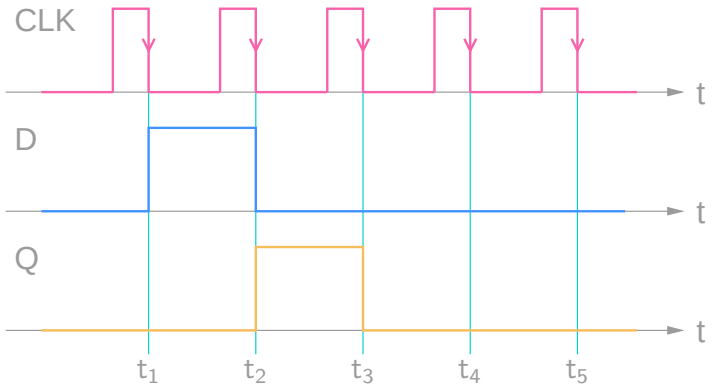

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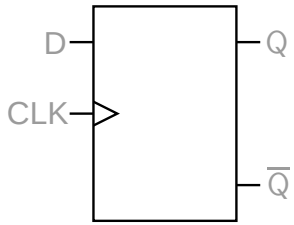

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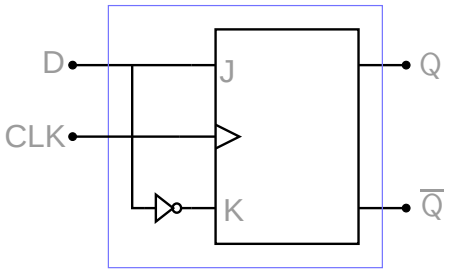

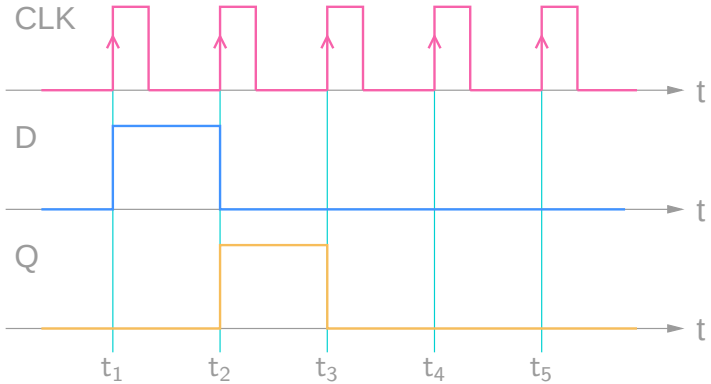

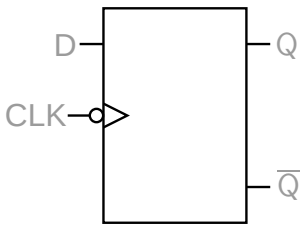

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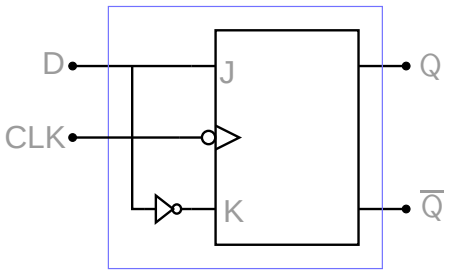

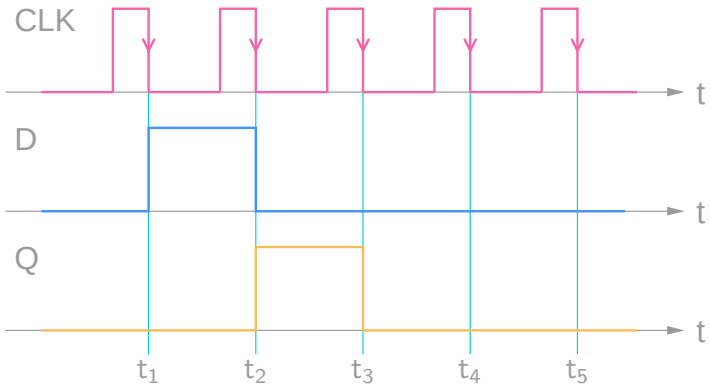

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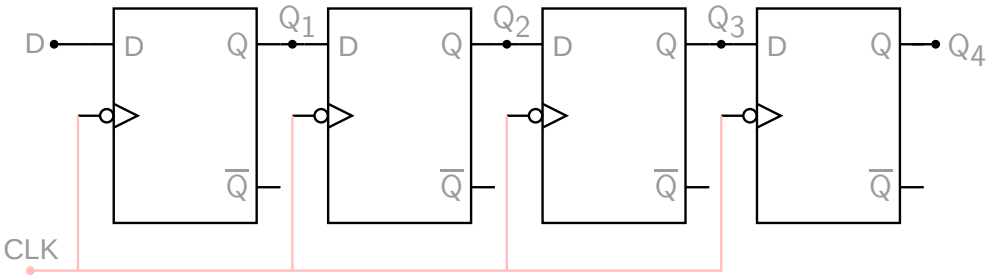

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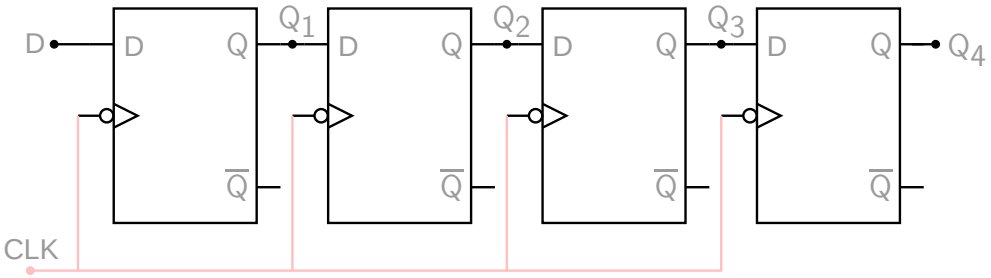

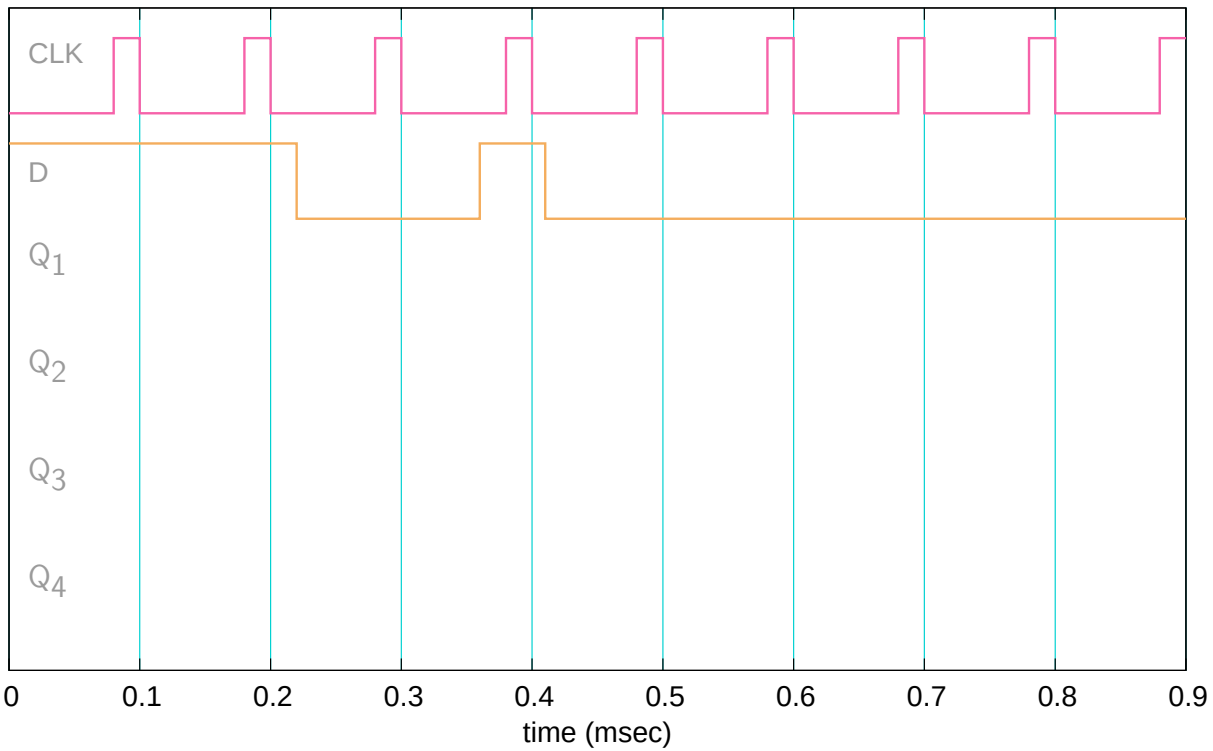

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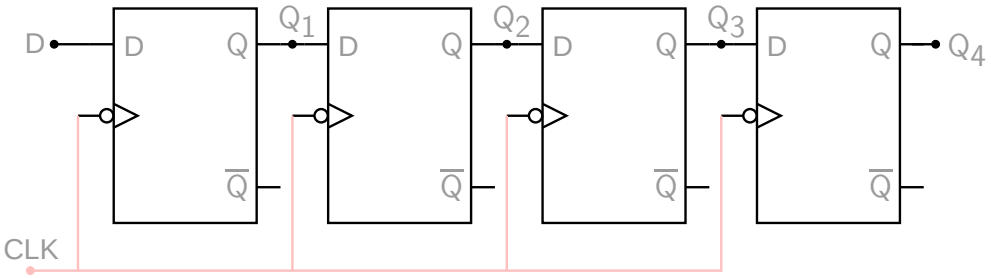

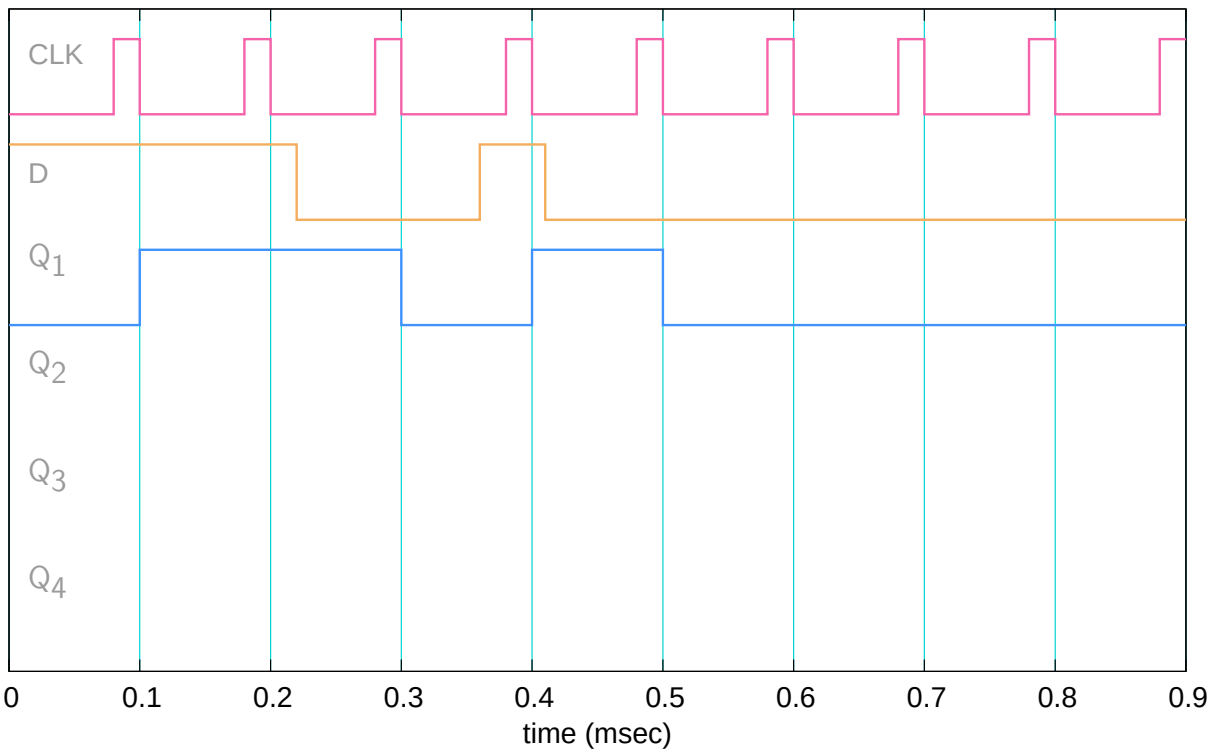

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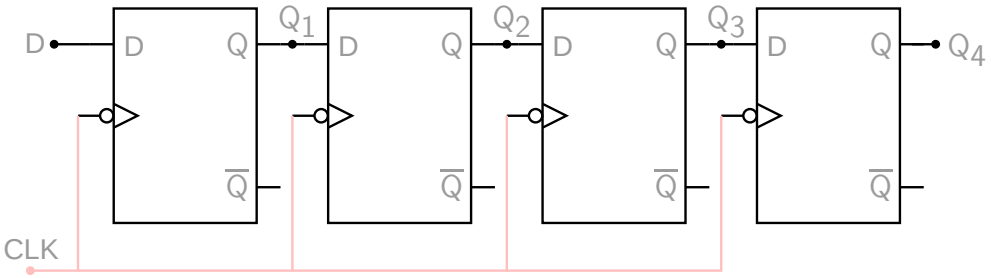

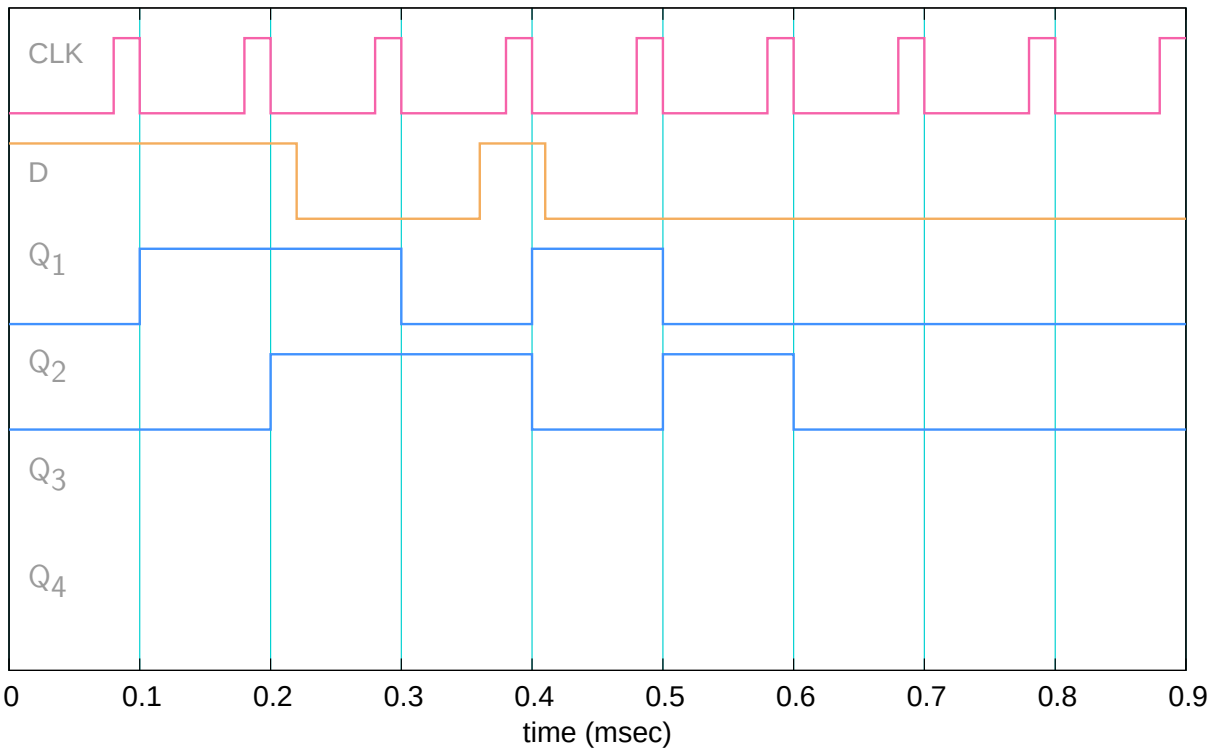

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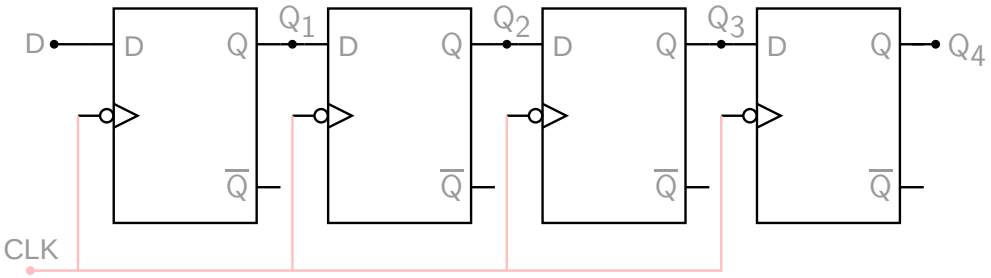

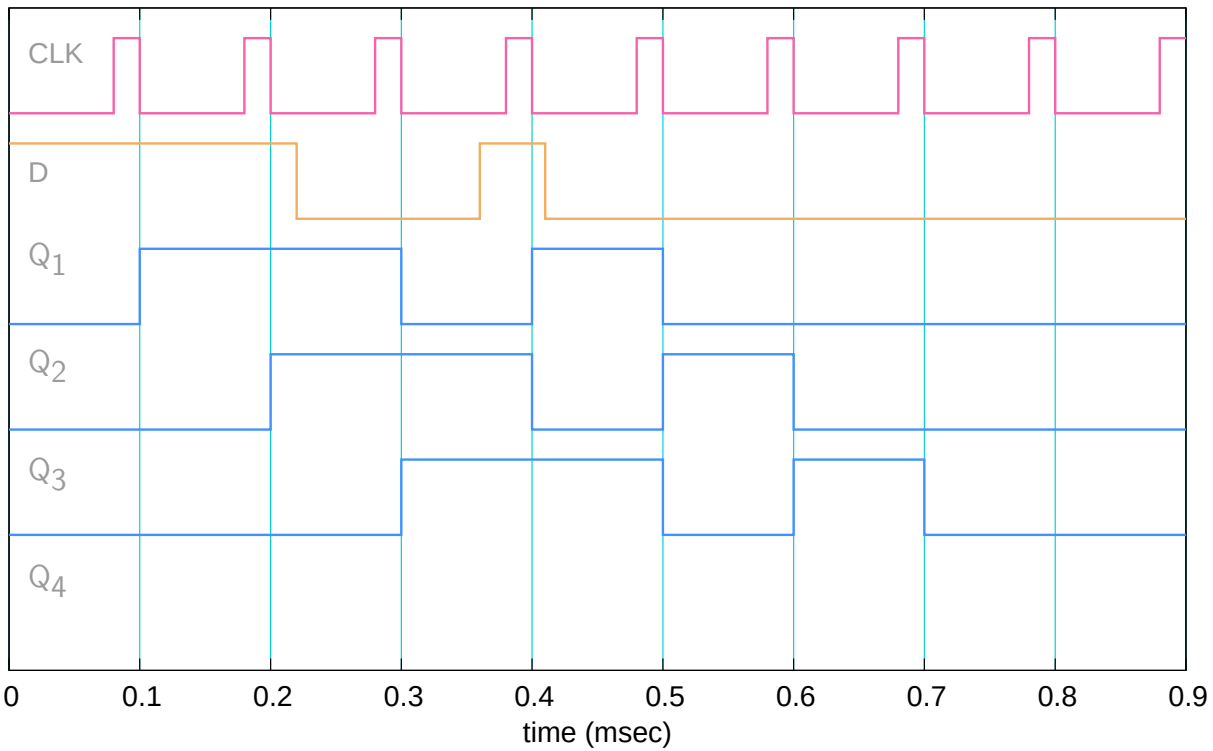

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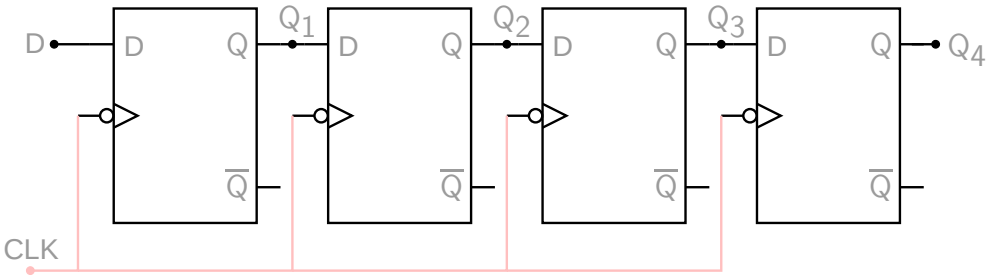

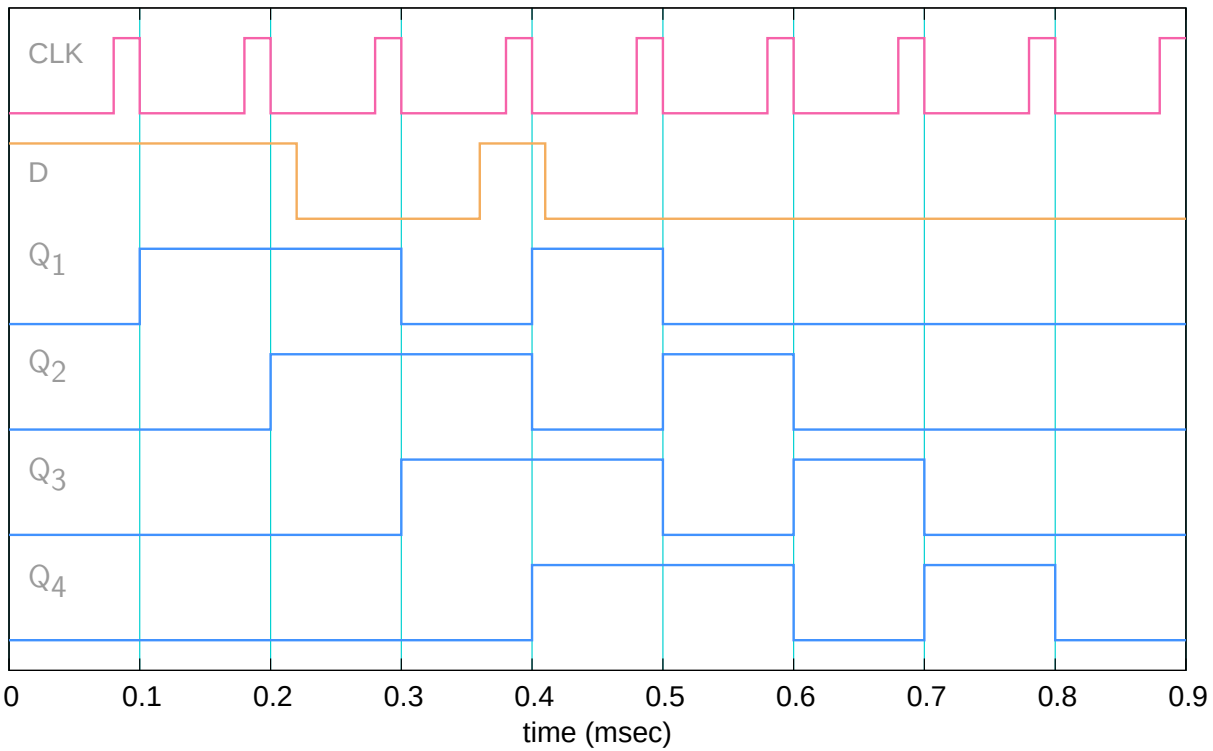

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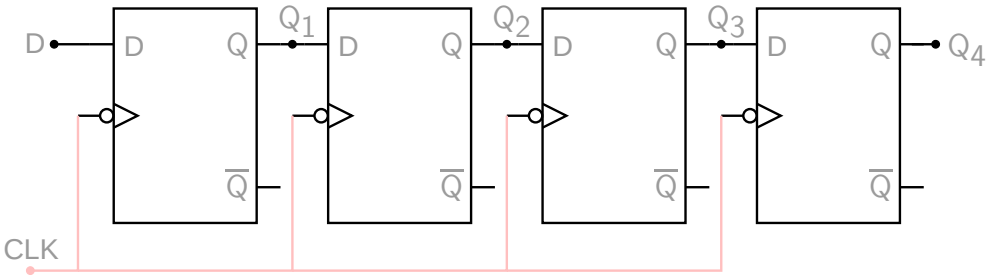

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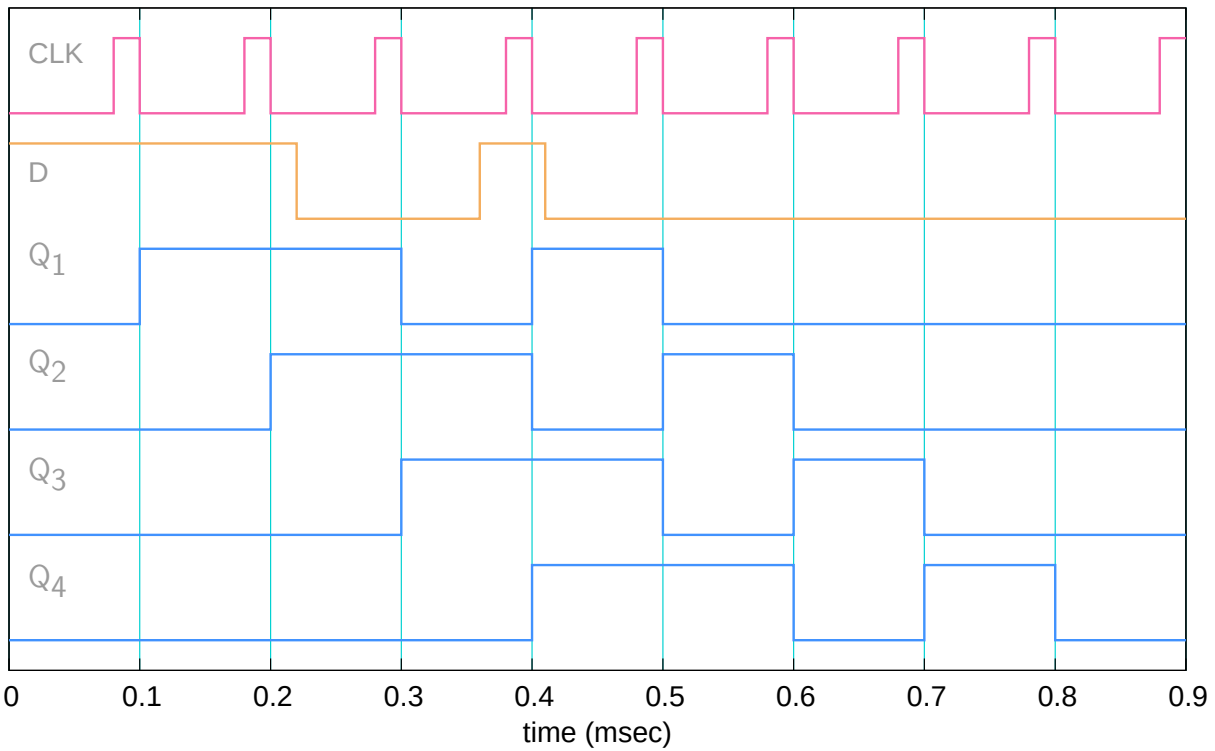

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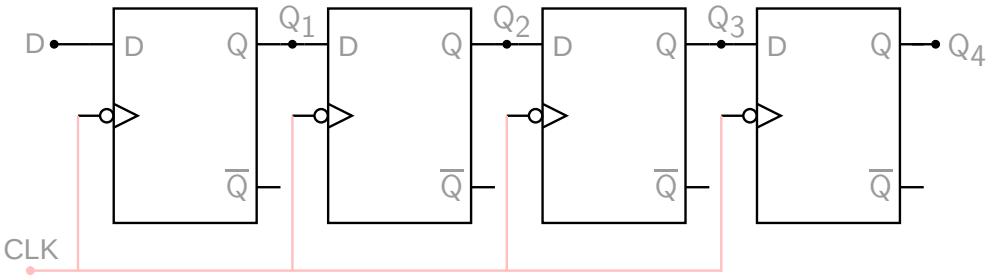

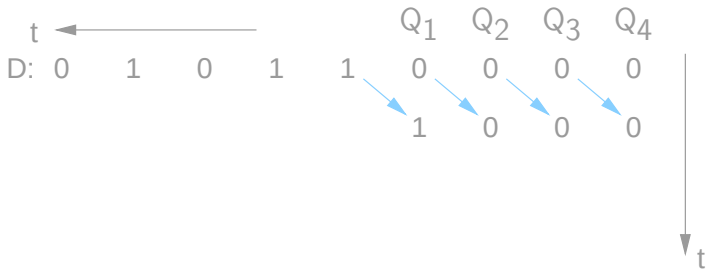

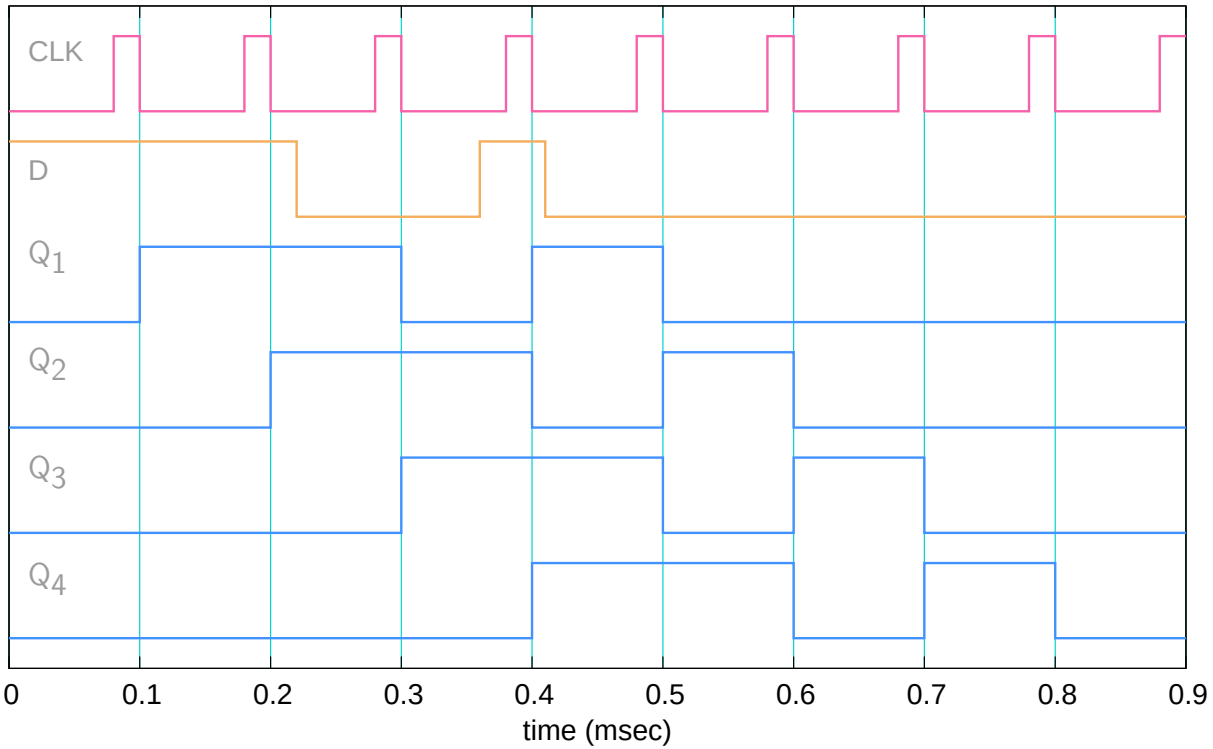

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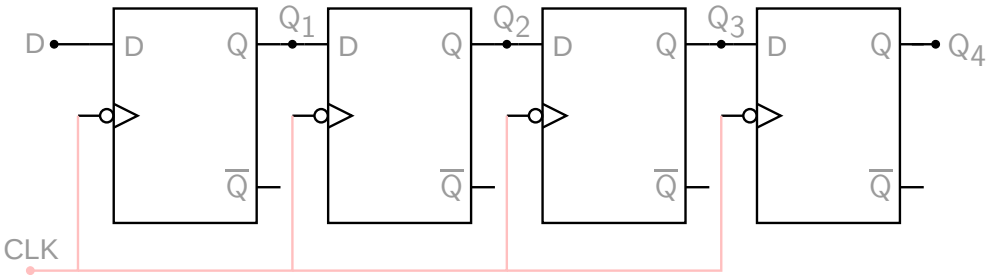

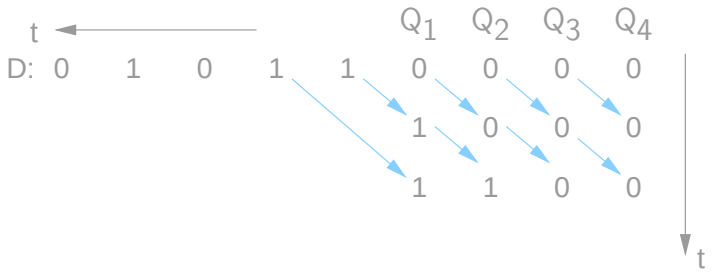

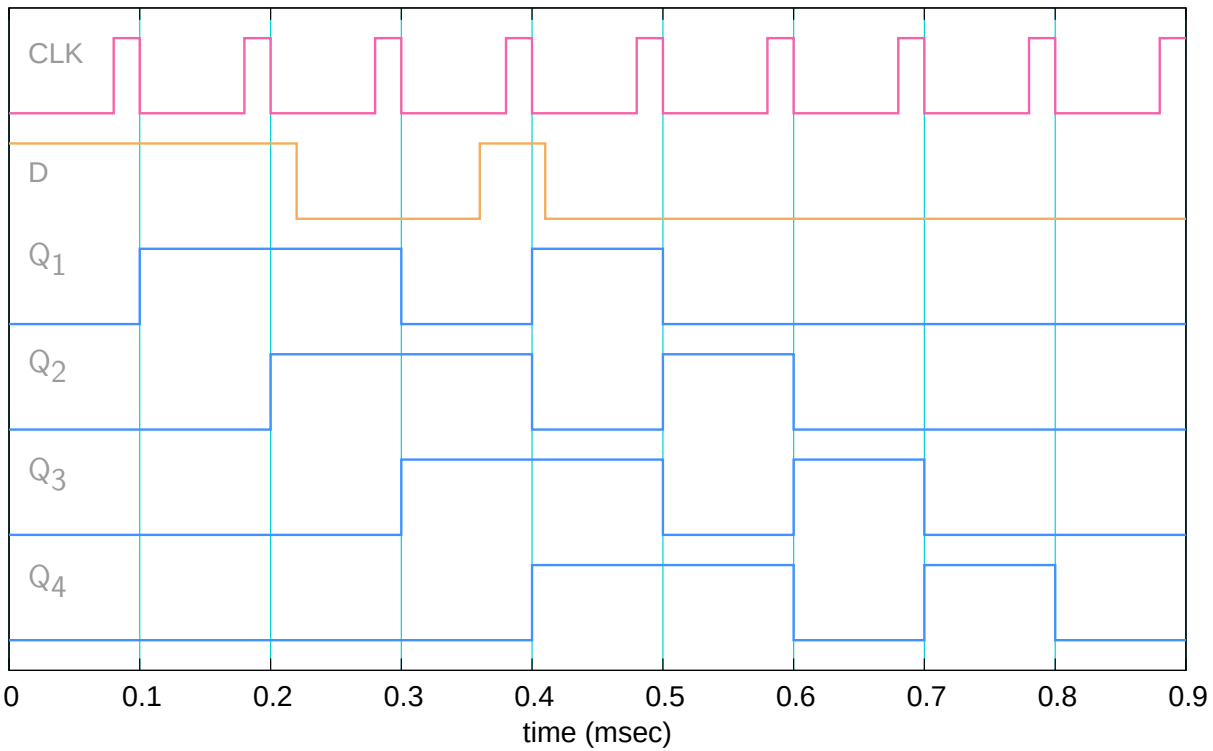

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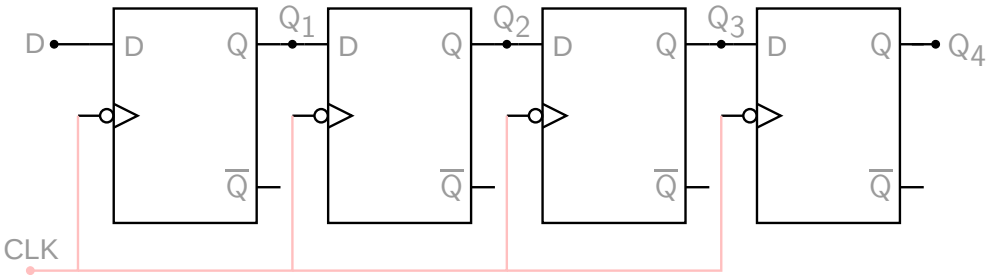

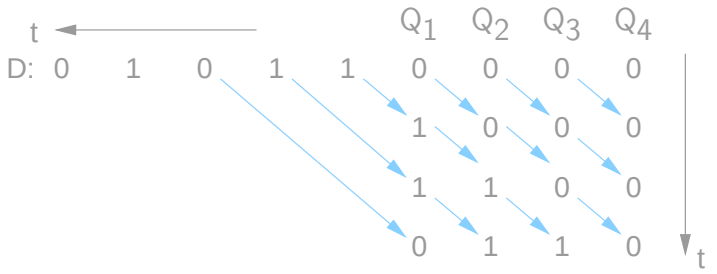

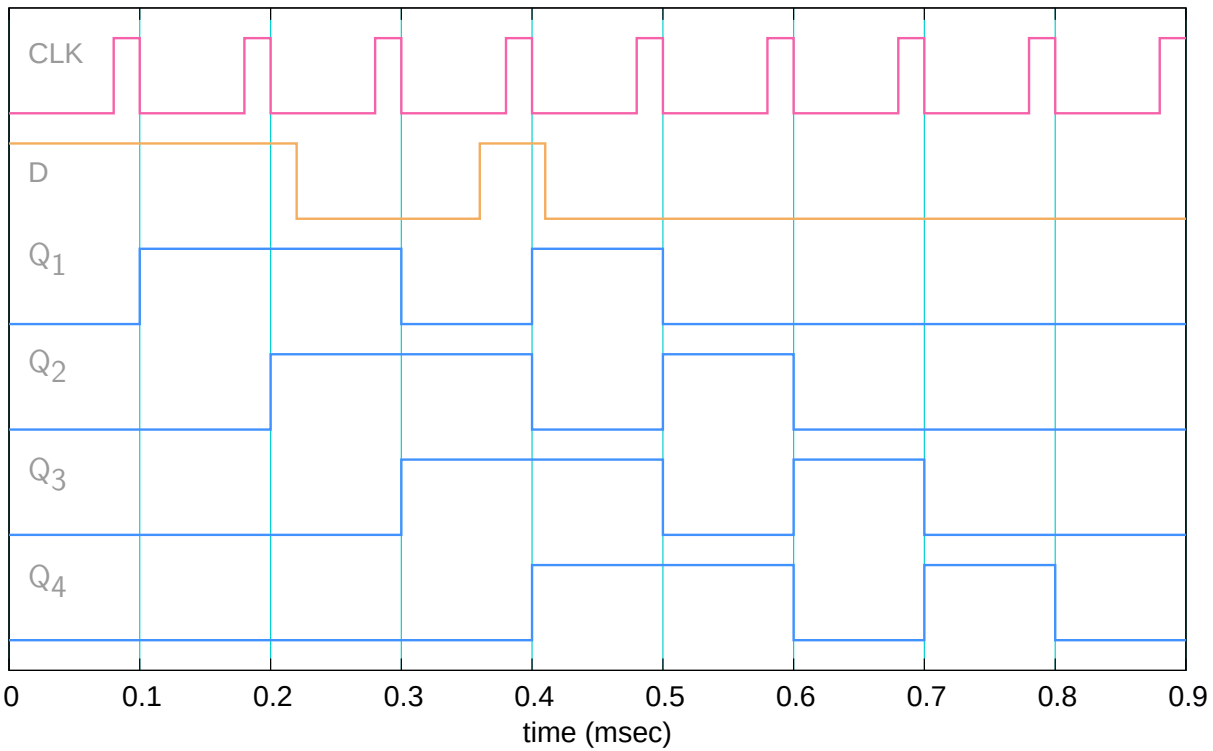

Shift register

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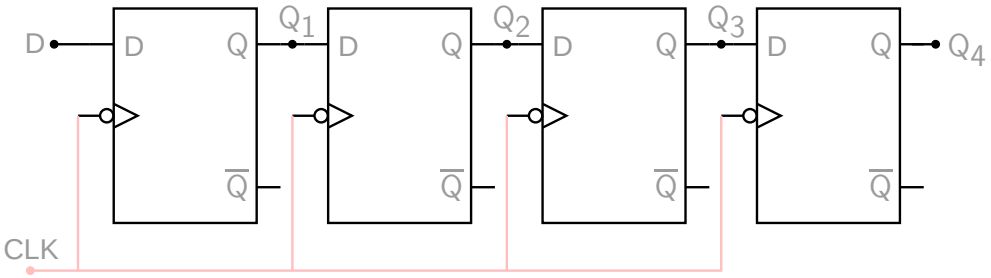

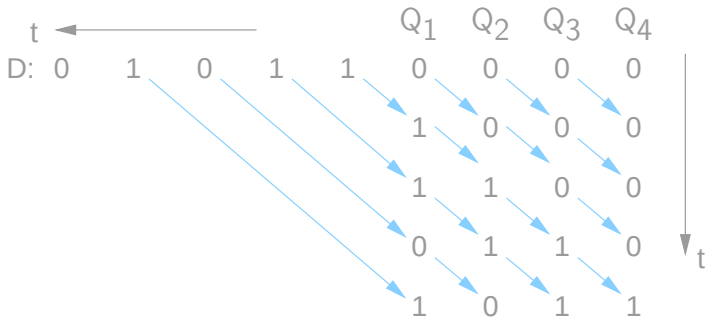

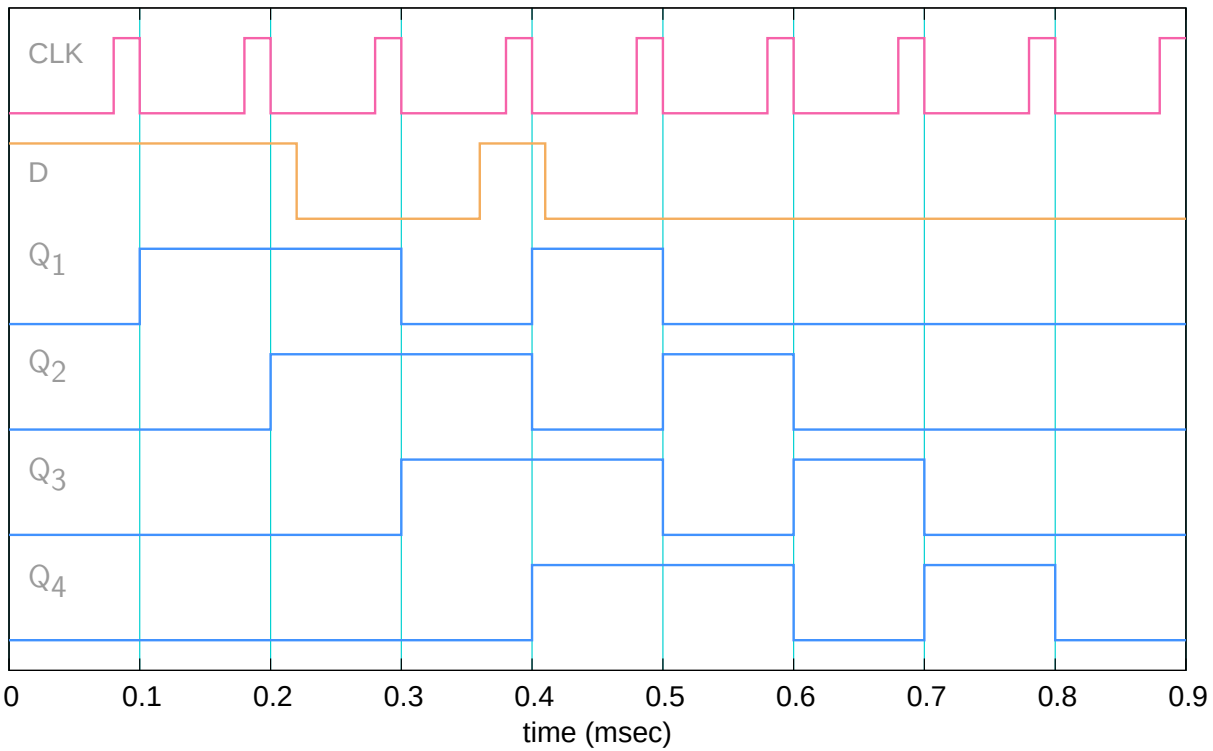

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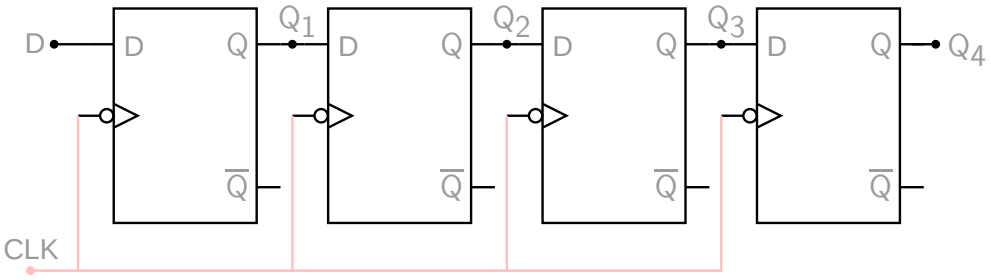

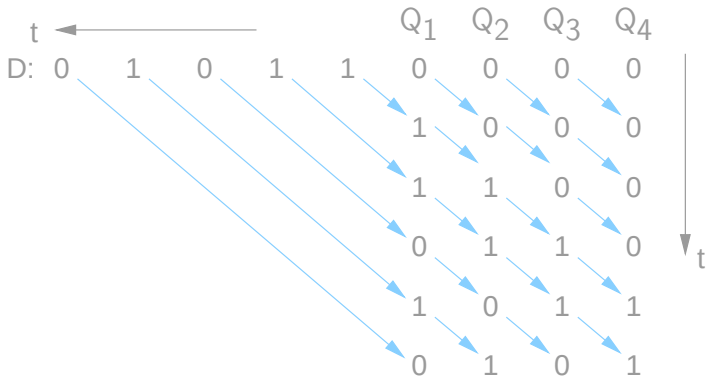

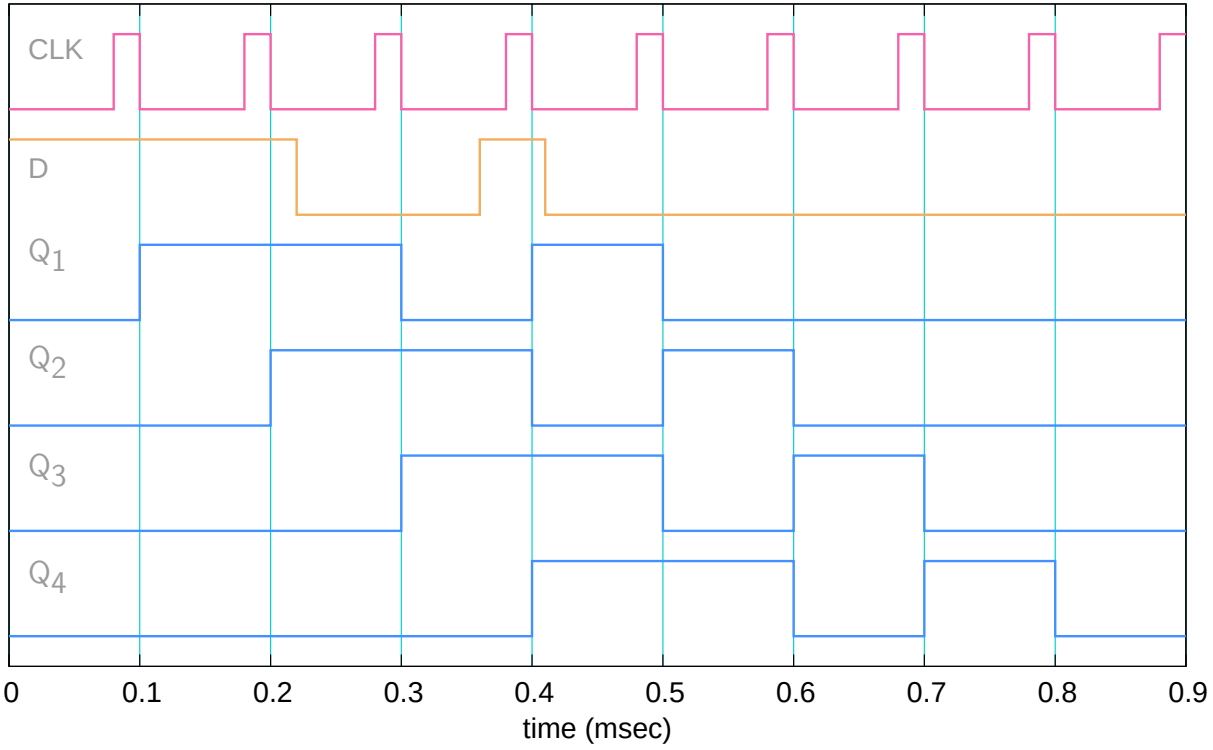

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Shift register

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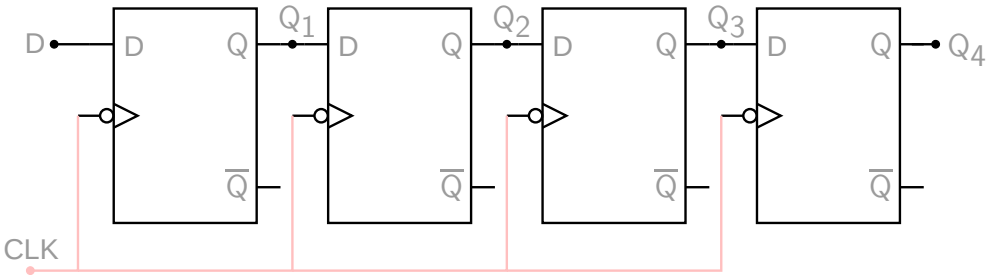

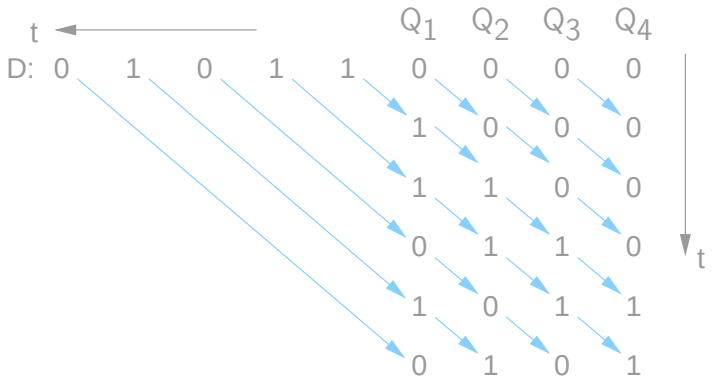

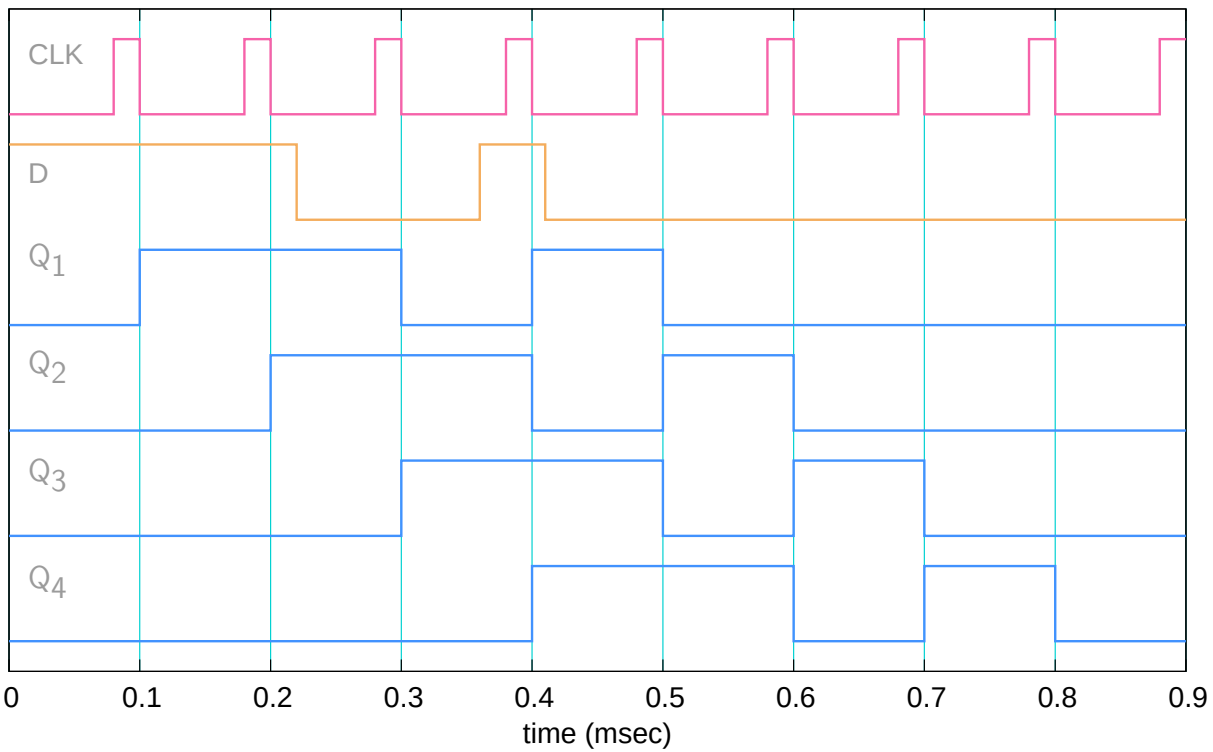

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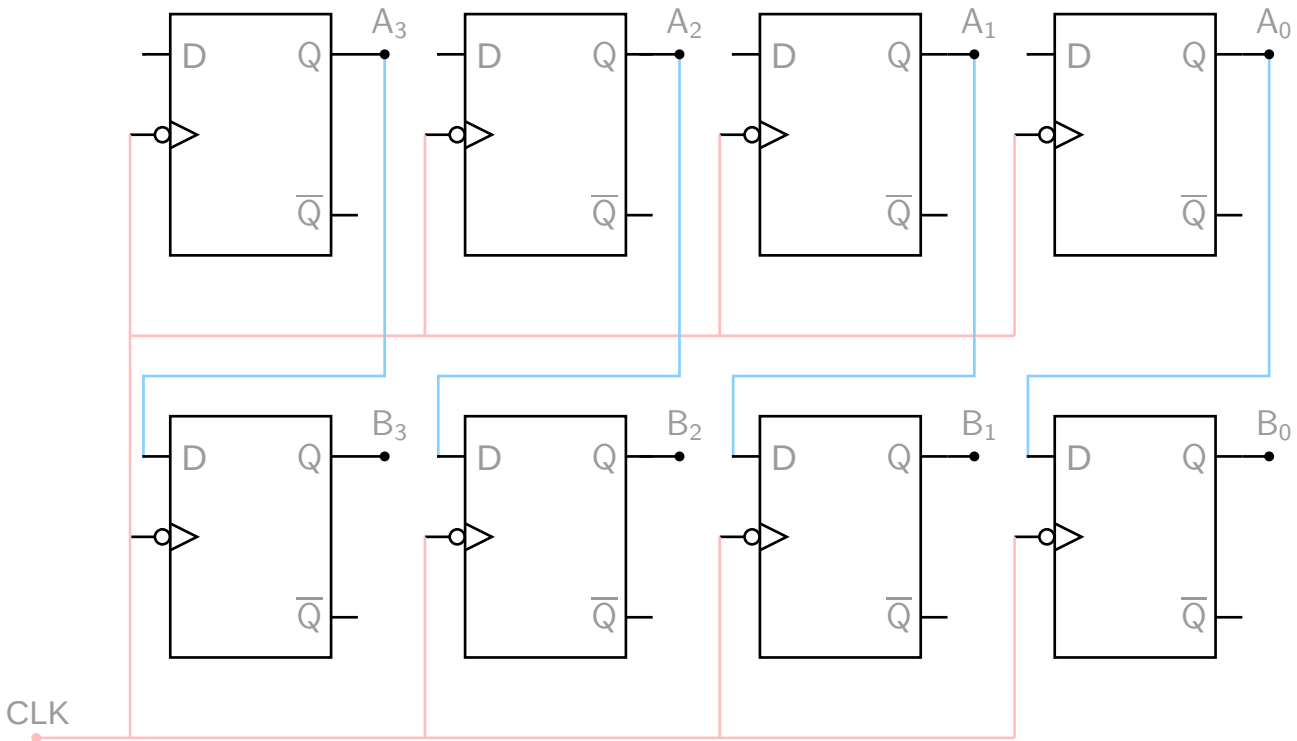
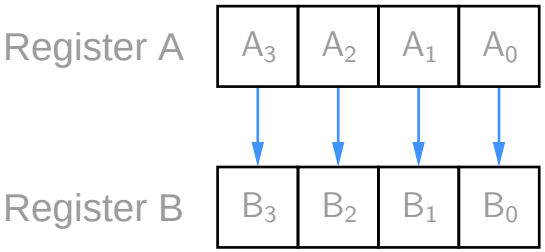
* The data (D) keeps shifting right after each active clock edge.

Parallel transfer between shift registers





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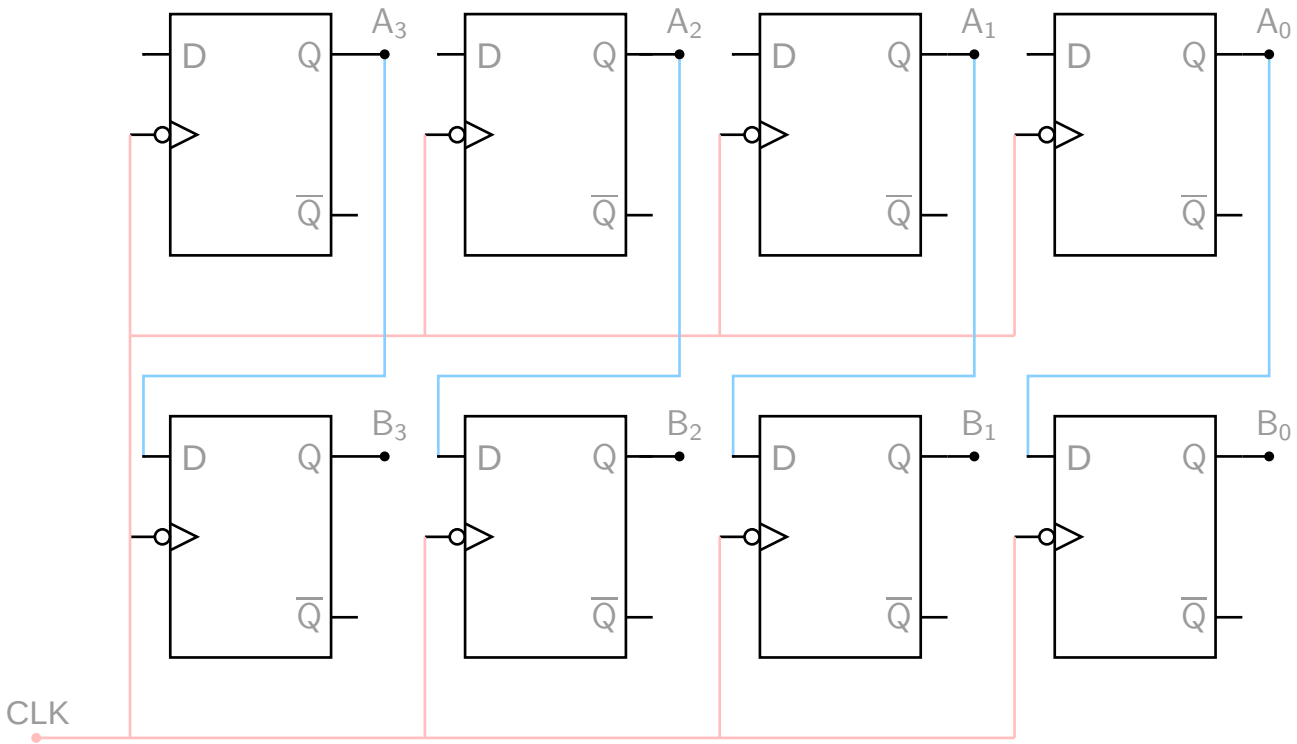
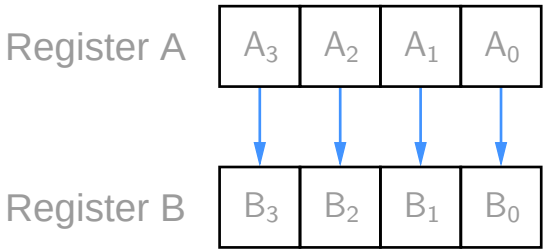
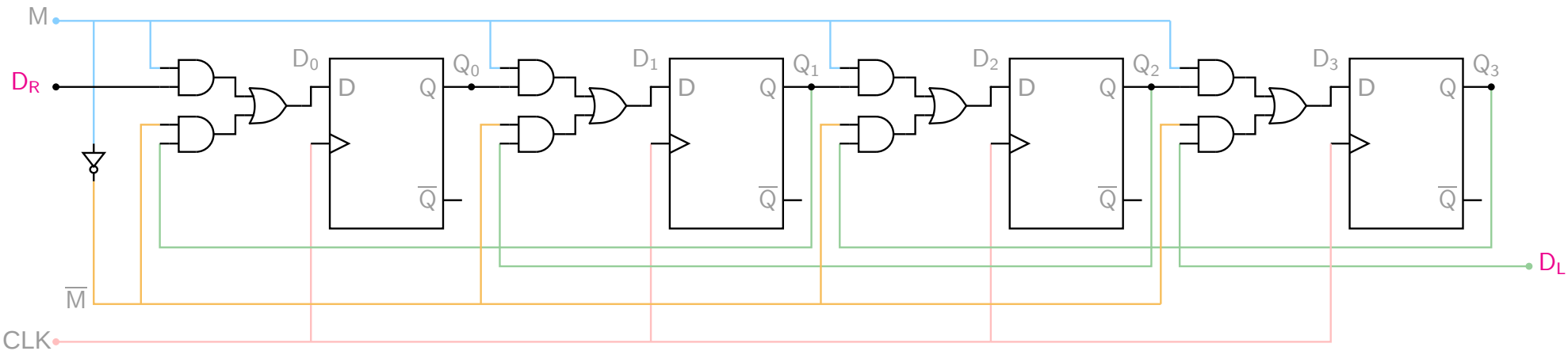




* After the active clock edge, the contents of the A register ($A_3A_2A_1A_0$) are copied to the B register.

Bidirectional shift register



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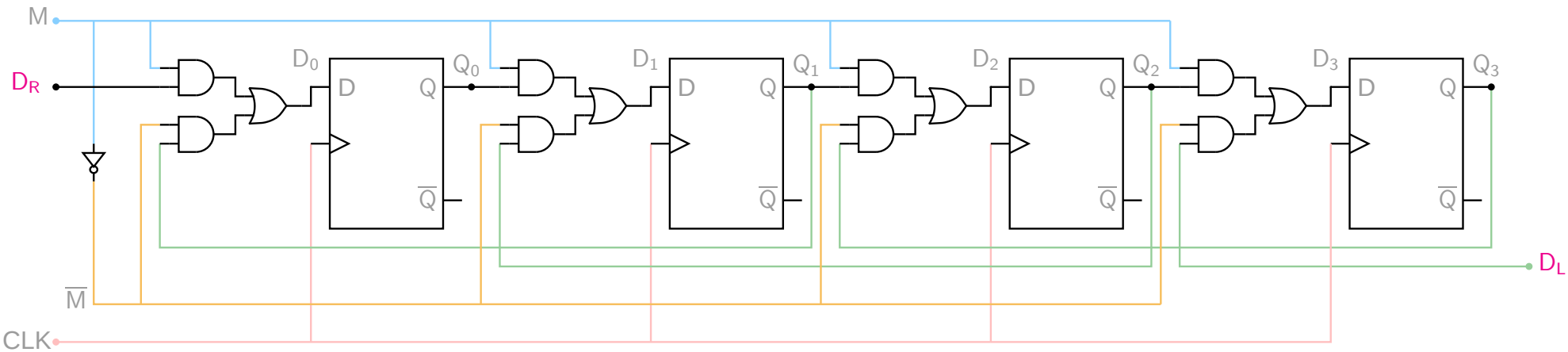
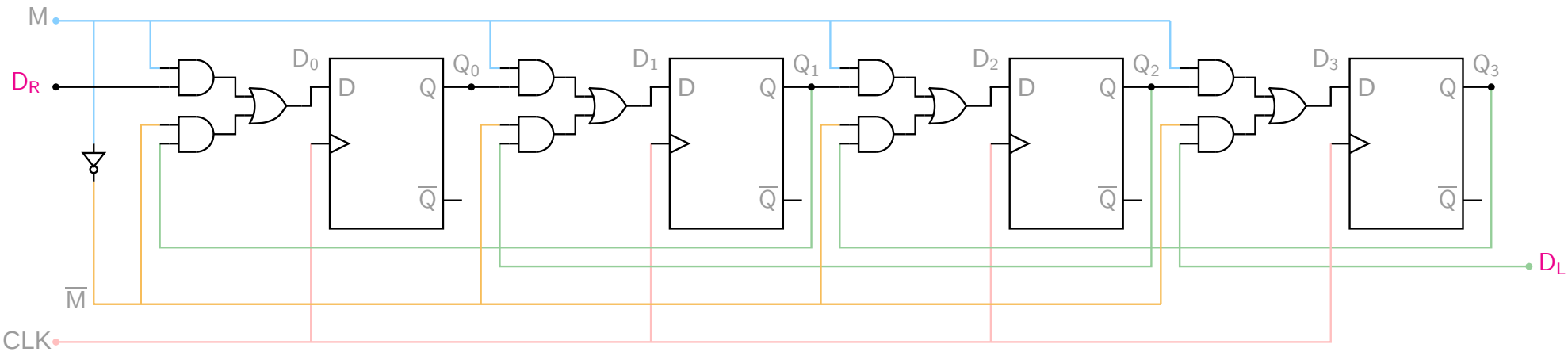


* When the mode input (M) is 1, we have $D_0 = D_R$, $D_1 = Q_0$, $D_2 = Q_1$, $D_3 = Q_2$.

Bidirectional shift register



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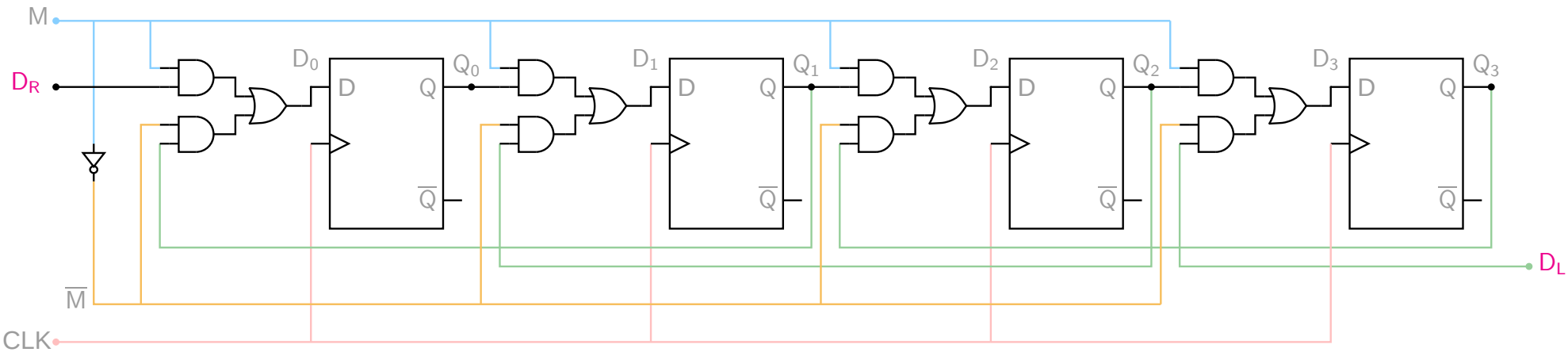
Bidirectional shift register



* When the mode input (M) is 1, we have $D_0 = D_R$, $D_1 = Q_0$, $D_2 = Q_1$, $D_3 = Q_2$.
* When the mode input (M) is 0, we have $D_0 = Q_1$, $D_1 = Q_2$, $D_2 = Q_3$, $D_3 = D_L$.
* $M = 1 \rightarrow$ shift right operation.
  $M = 0 \rightarrow$ shift left operation.

Multiplication using shift and add

				1	0	1	1	$A_3A_2A_1A_0$ (decimal 11)
			$\times$	1	1	0	1	$B_3B_2B_1B_0$ (decimal 13)
				1	0	1	1	since $B_0 = 1$
+			0	0	0	0	Z	since $B_1 = 0$
			0	1	0	1	1	addition
+		1	0	1	1	Z	Z	since $B_2 = 1$
		1	1	0	1	1	1	addition
+	1	0	1	1	Z	Z	Z	since $B_3 = 1$
1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	addition (decimal 143)

Note that $Z = 0$. We use Z to denote 0s which are independent of the numbers being multiplied.

Multiplication using shift and add

			1	0	1	1	$A_3A_2A_1A_0$ (decimal 11)
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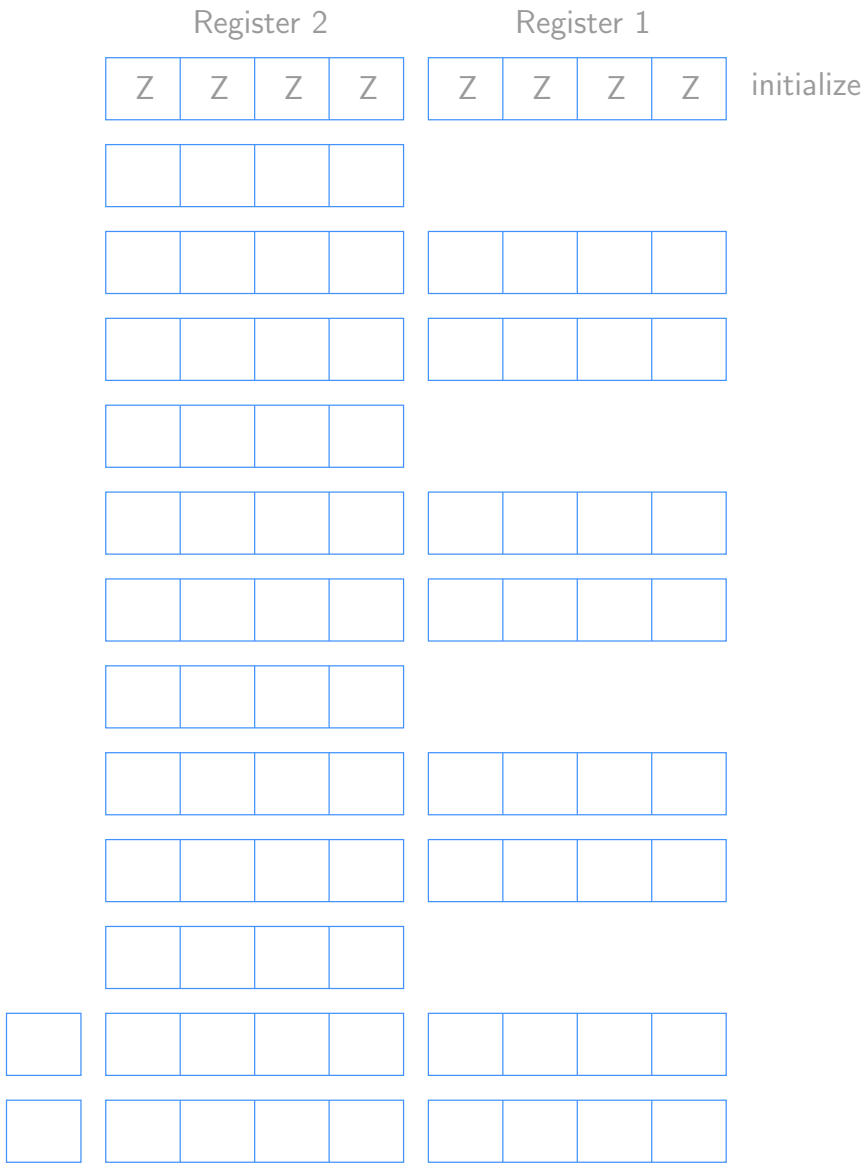

Multiplication using shift and add

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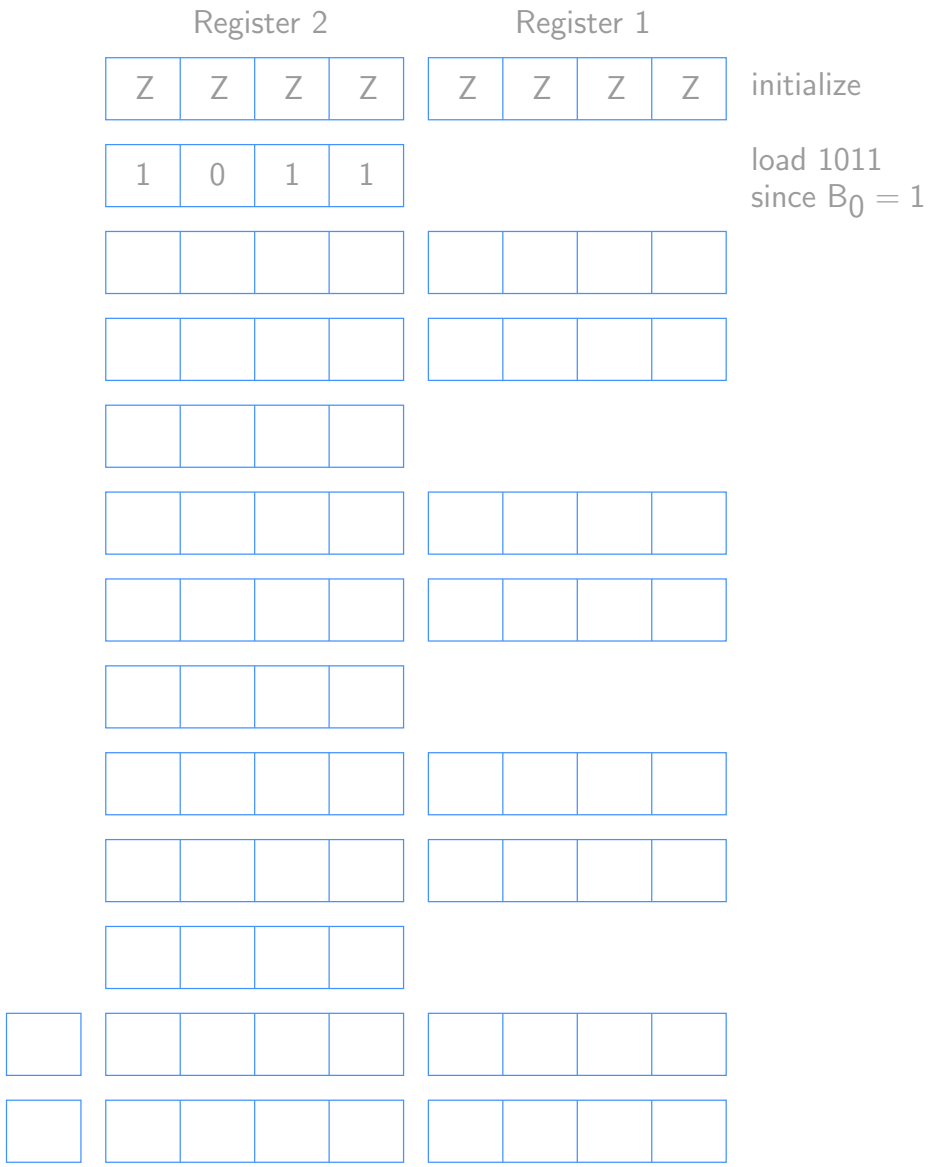

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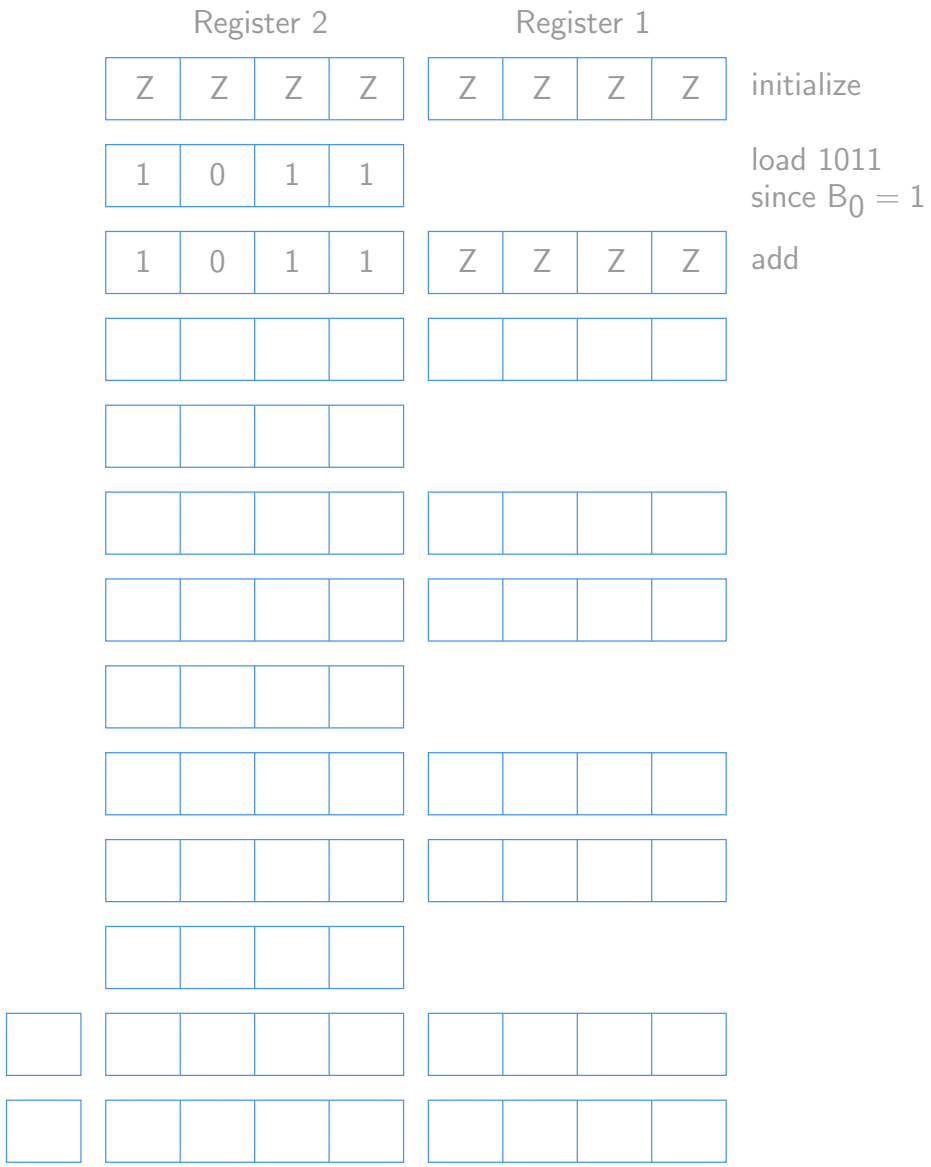

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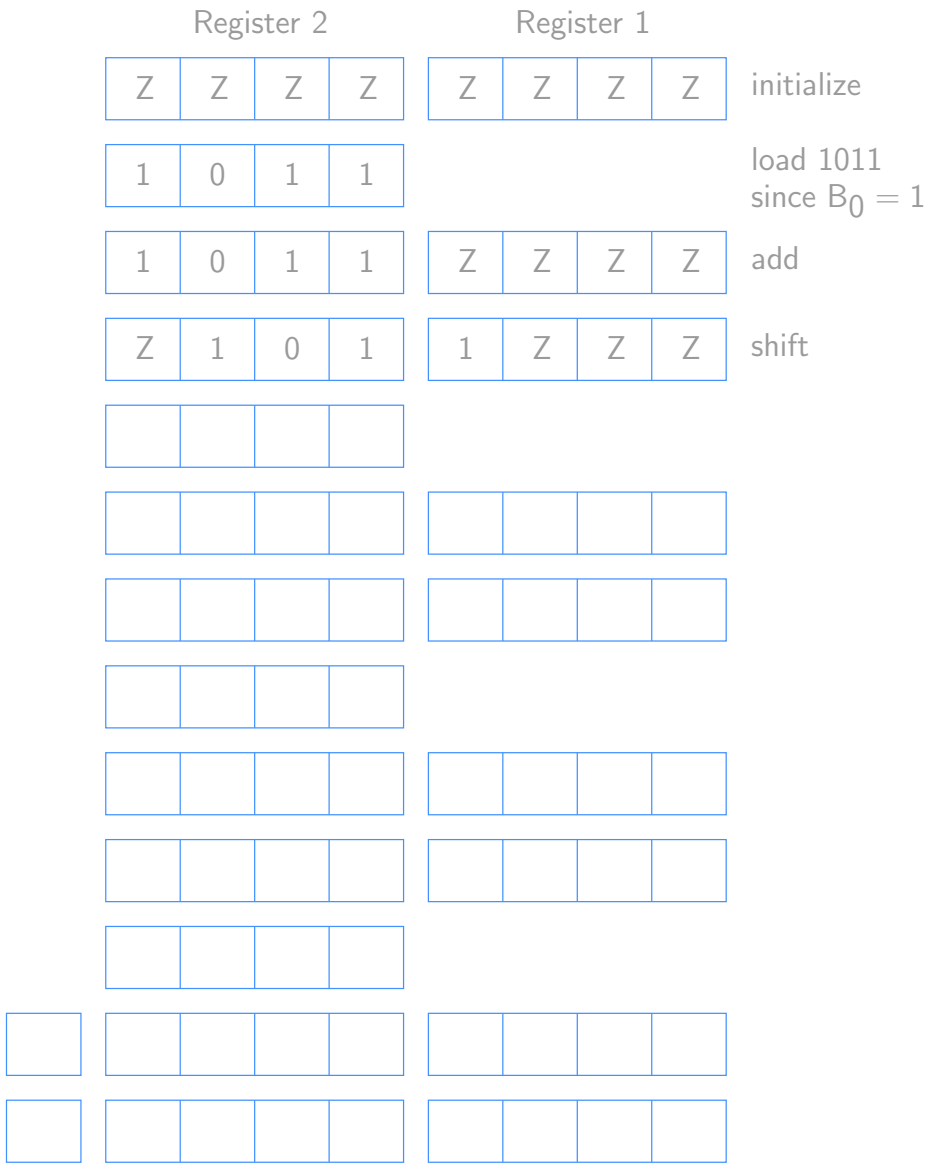

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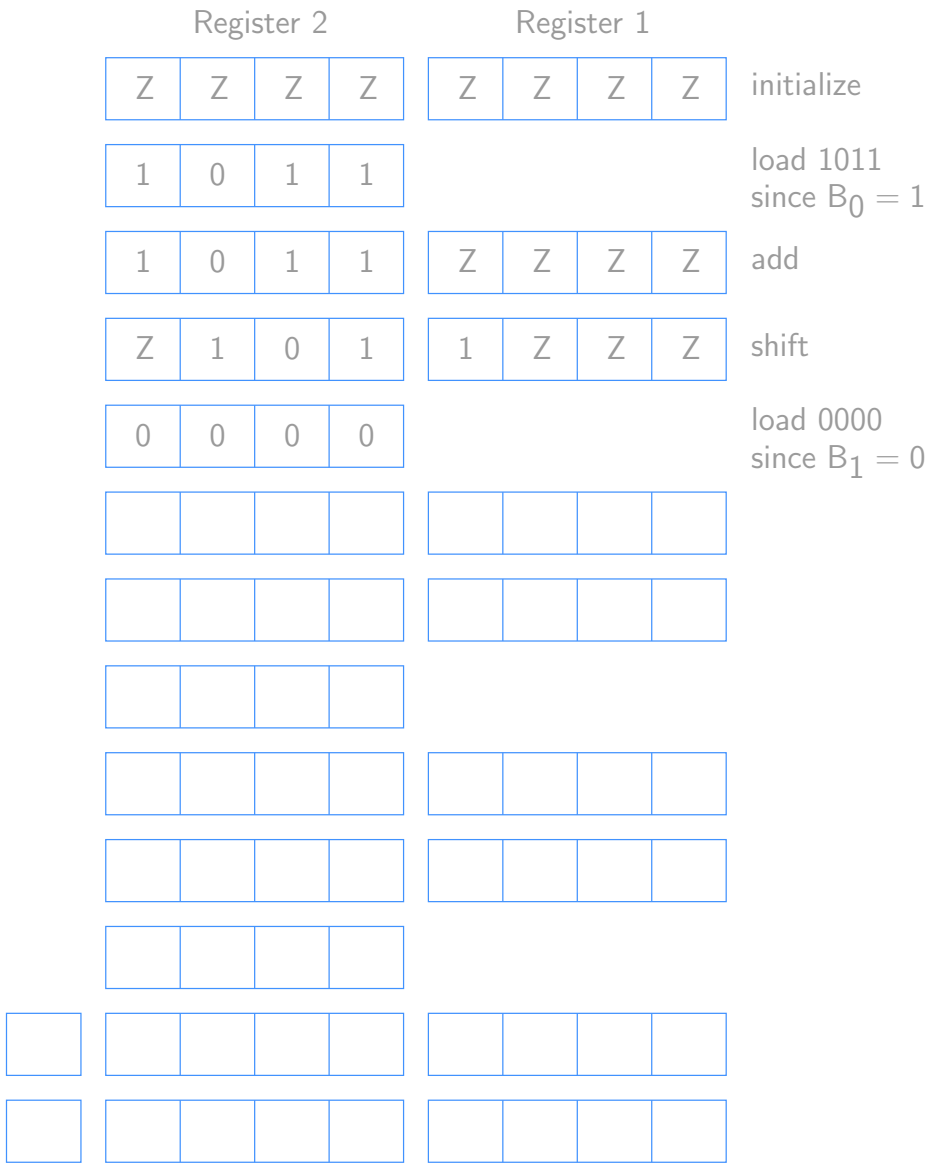

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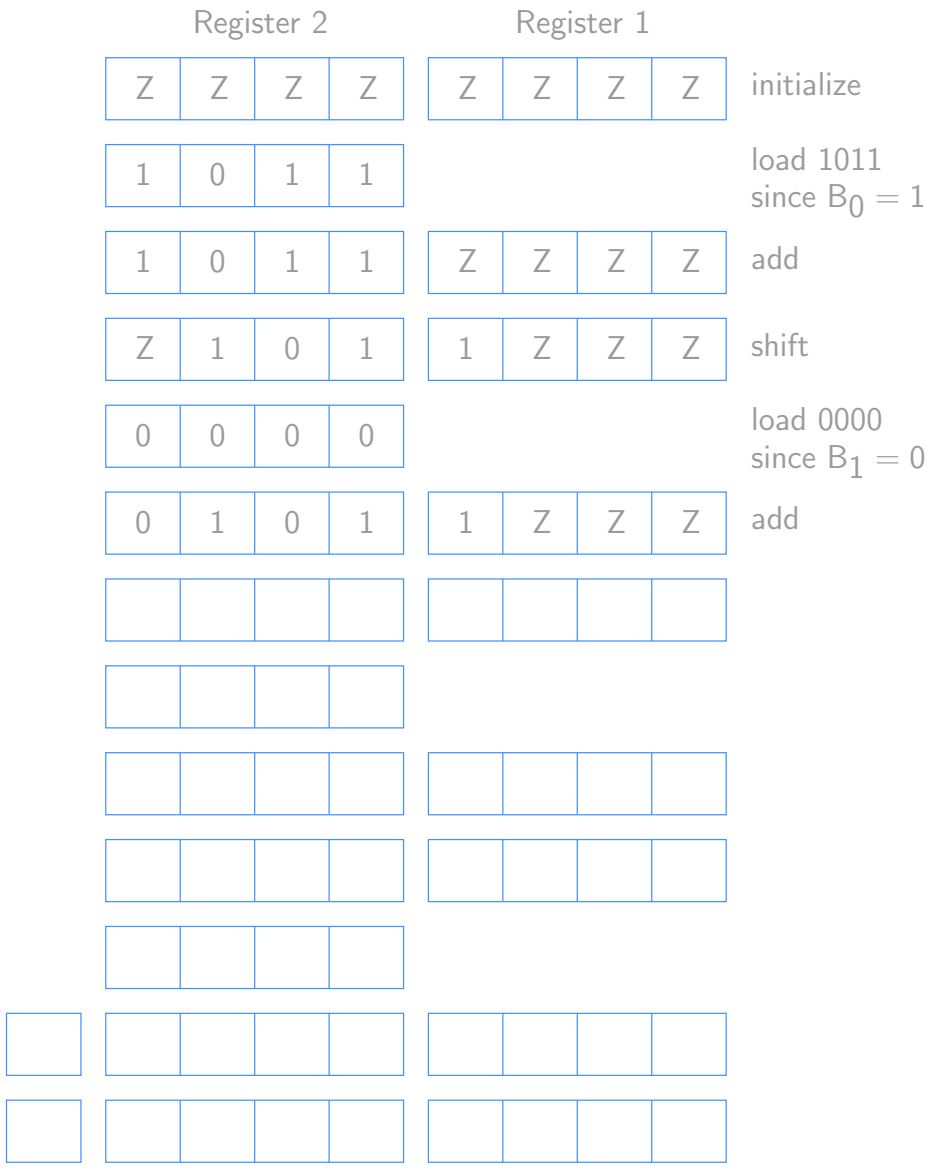

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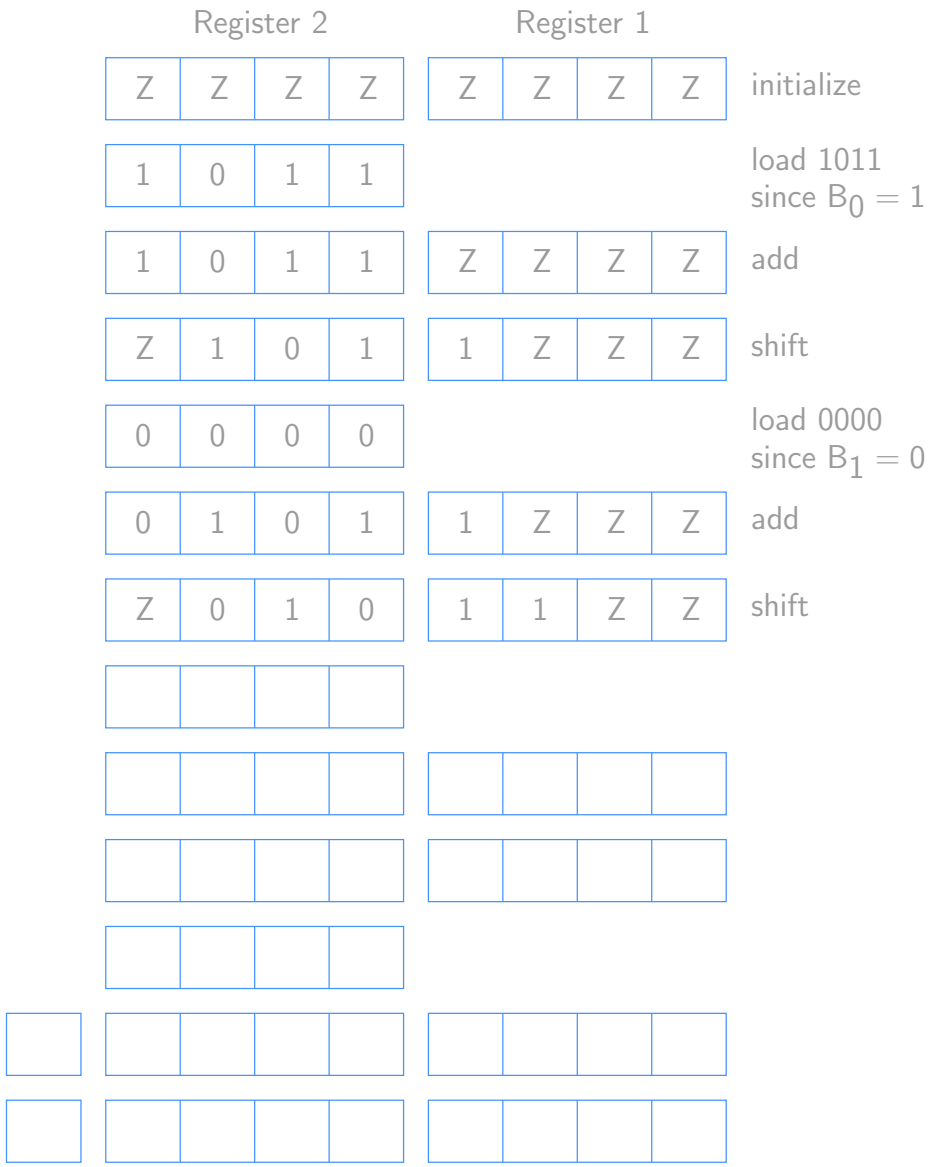

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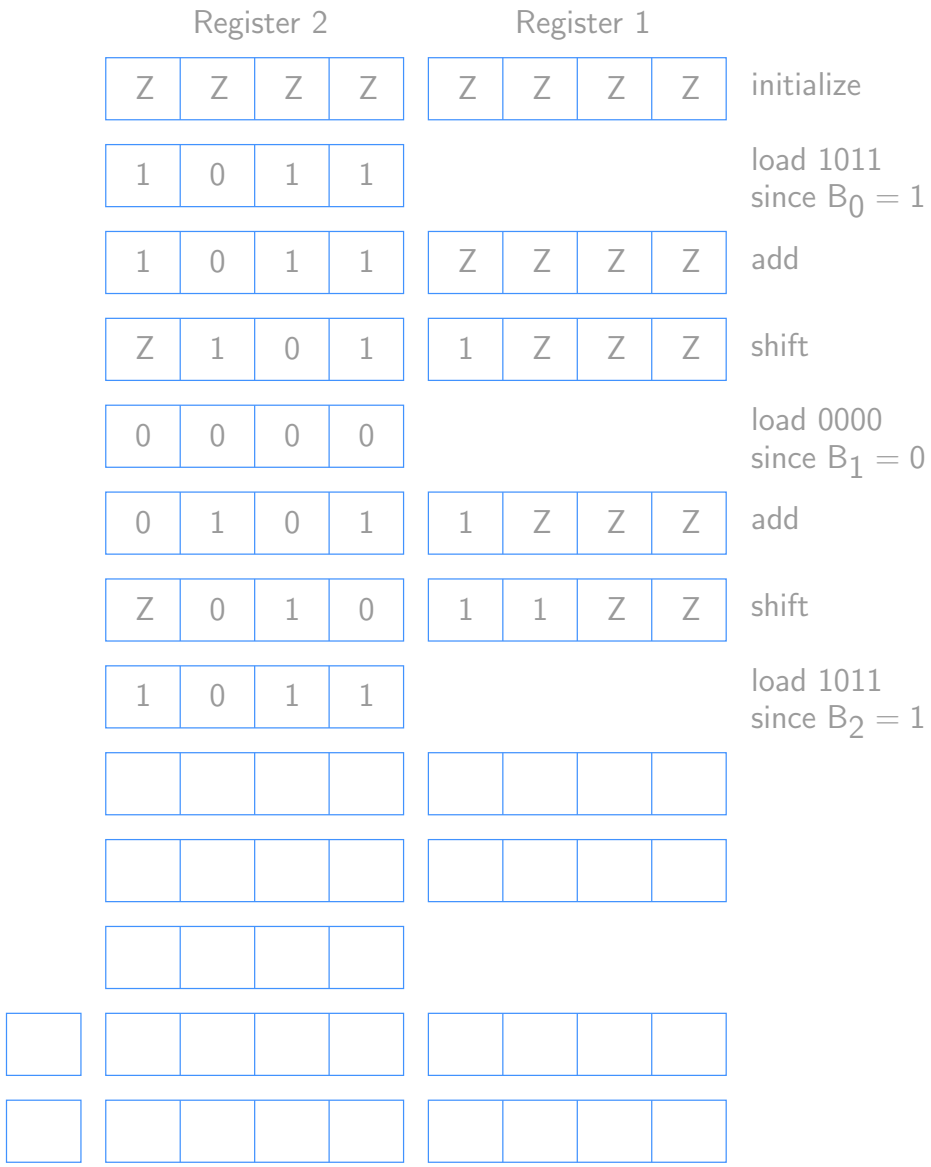

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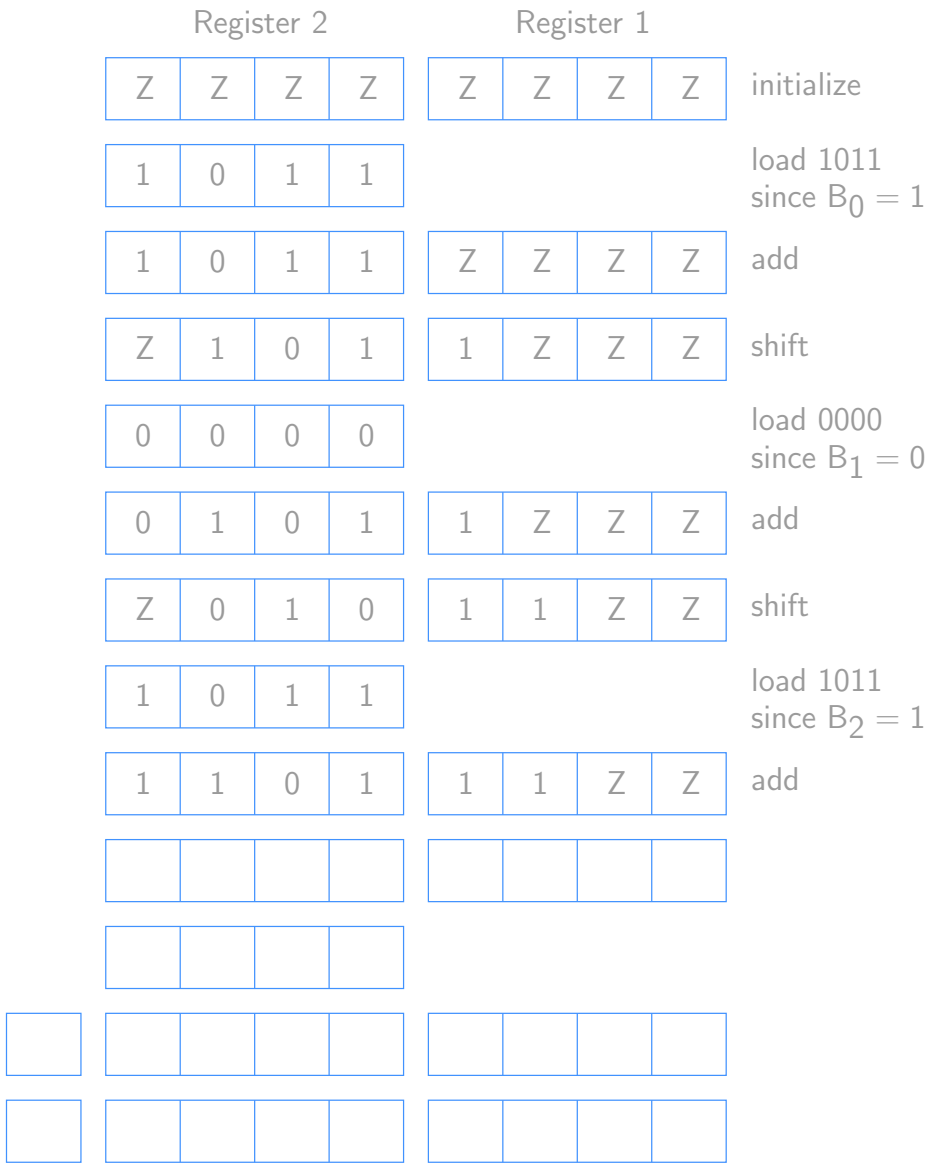

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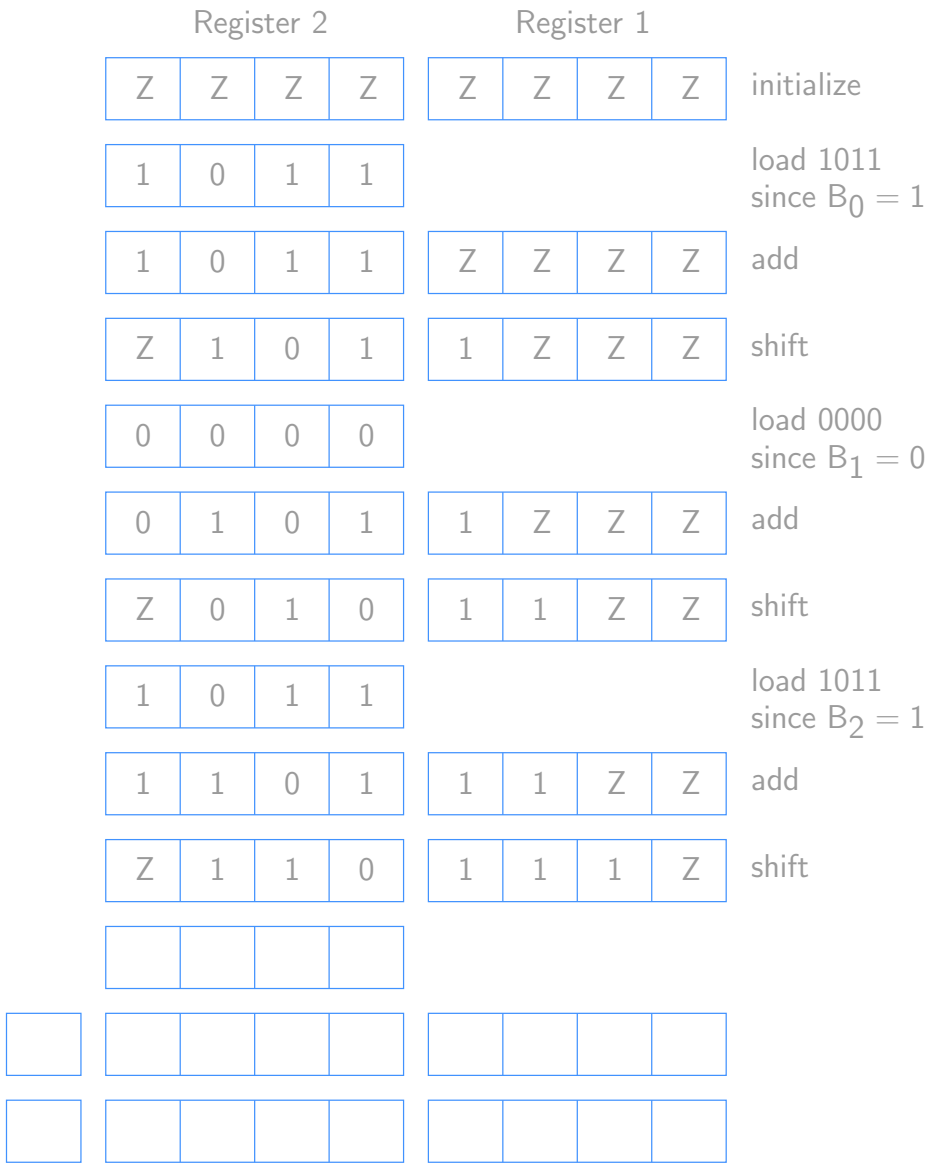

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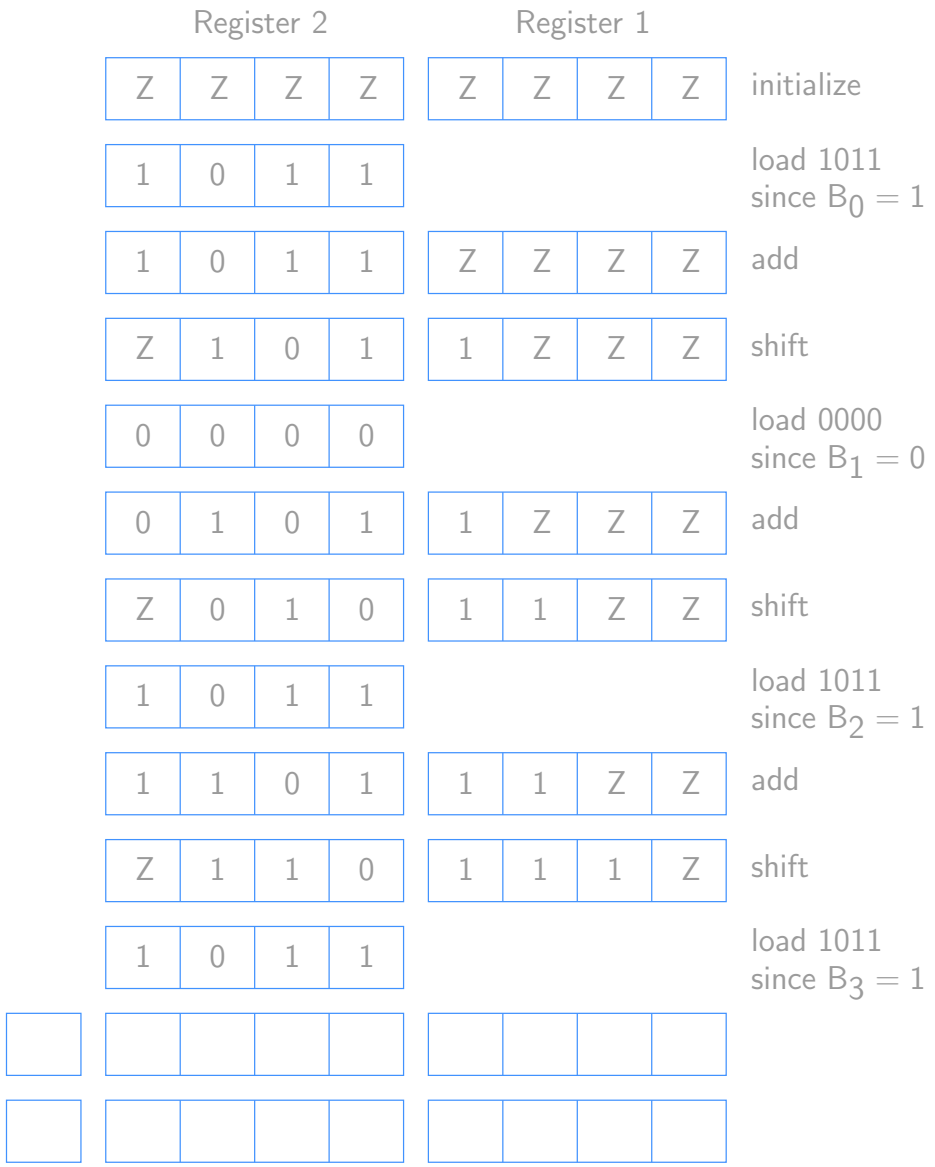

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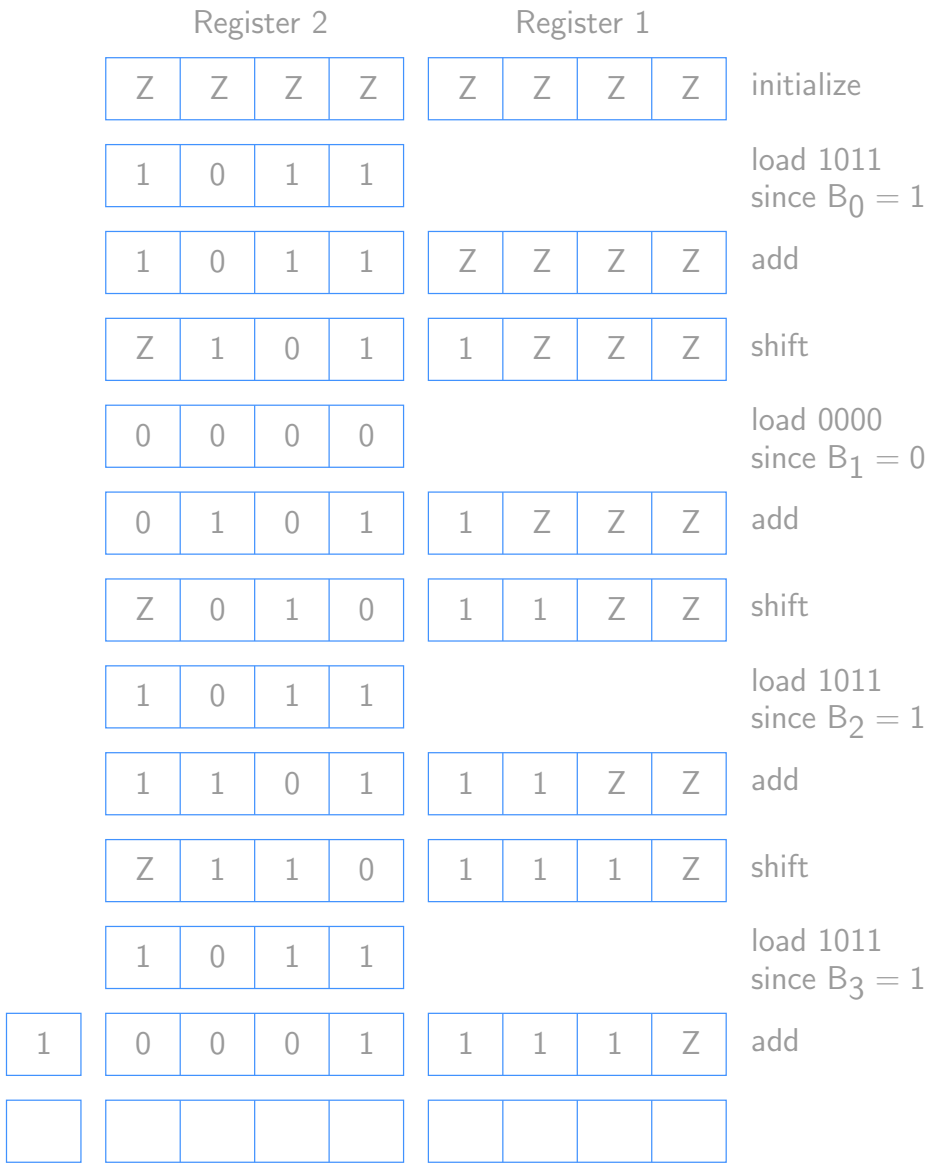

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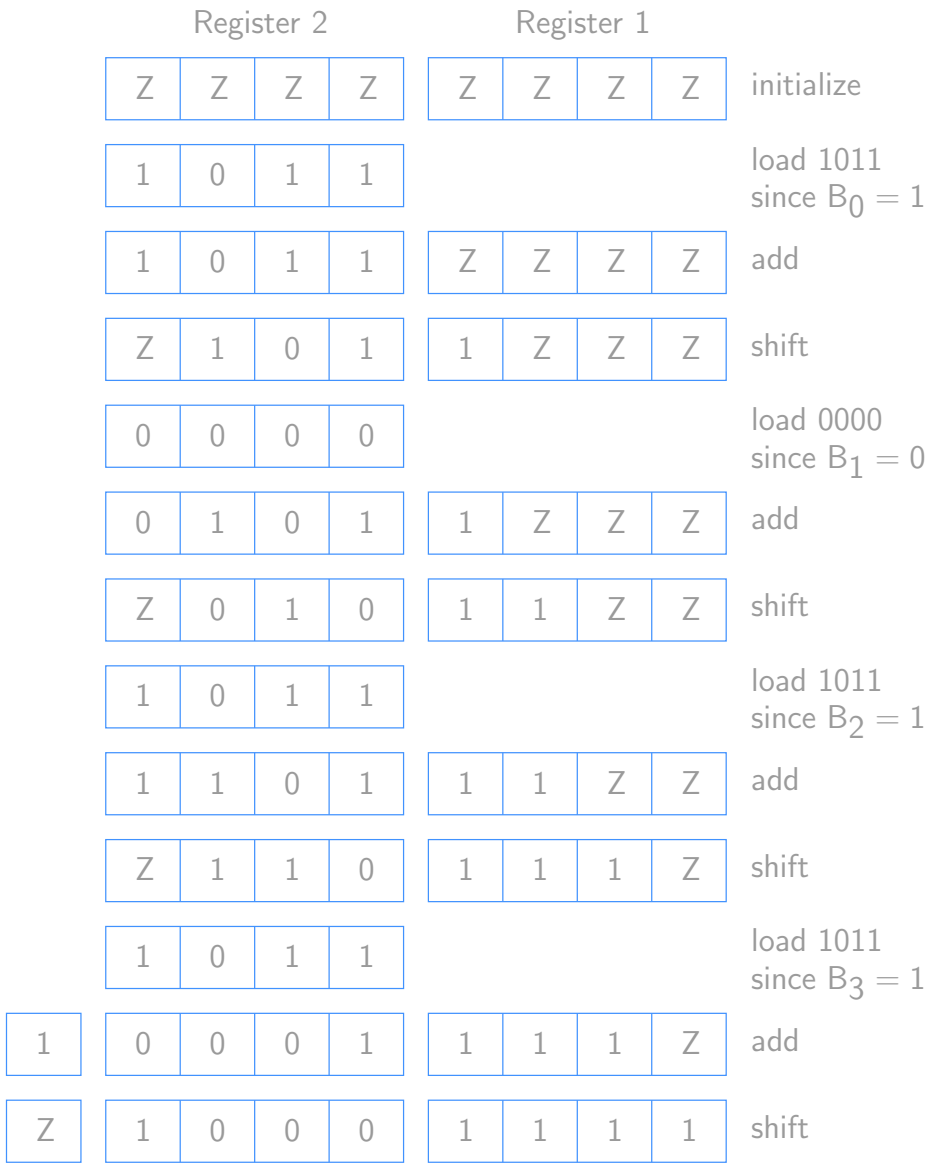

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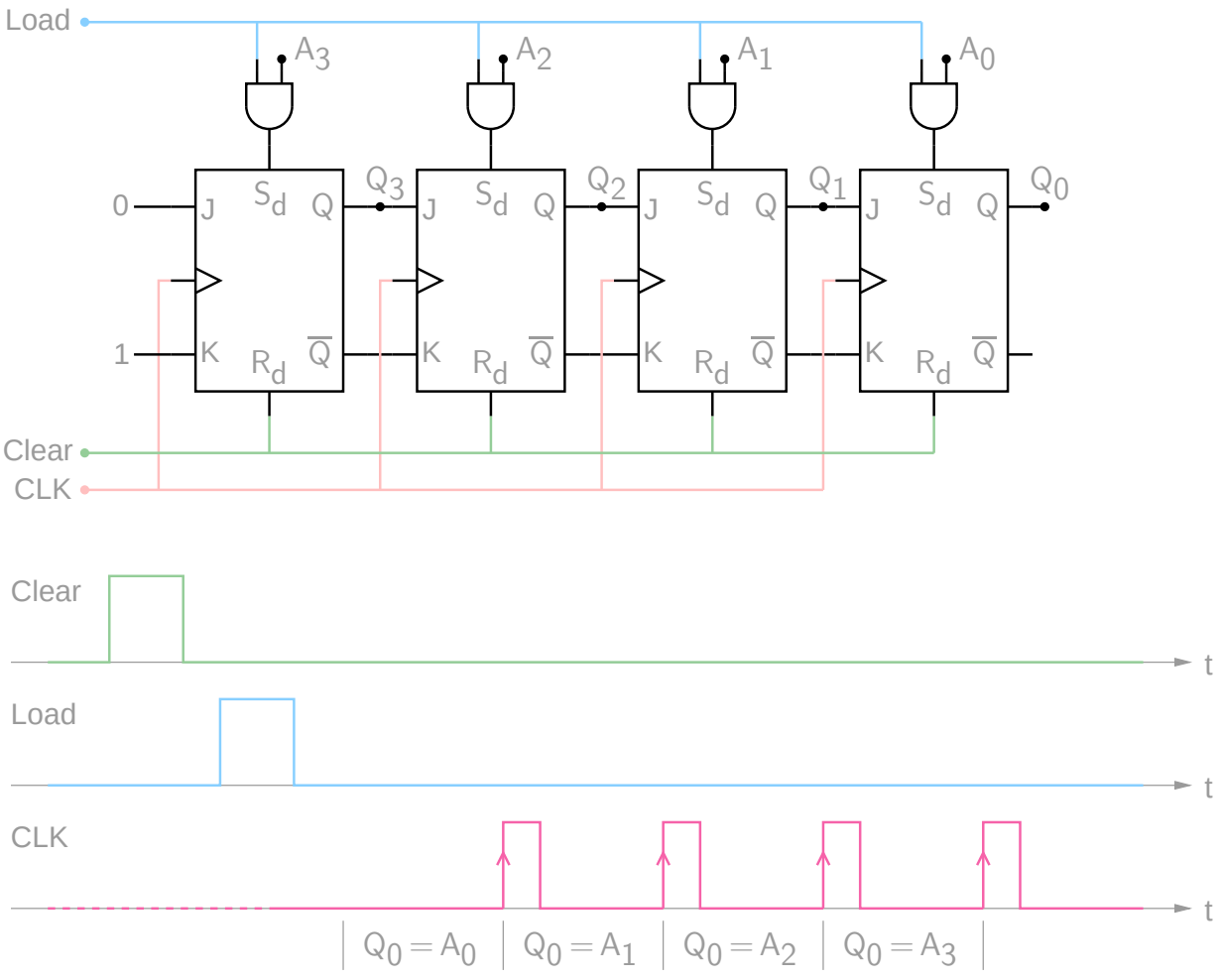

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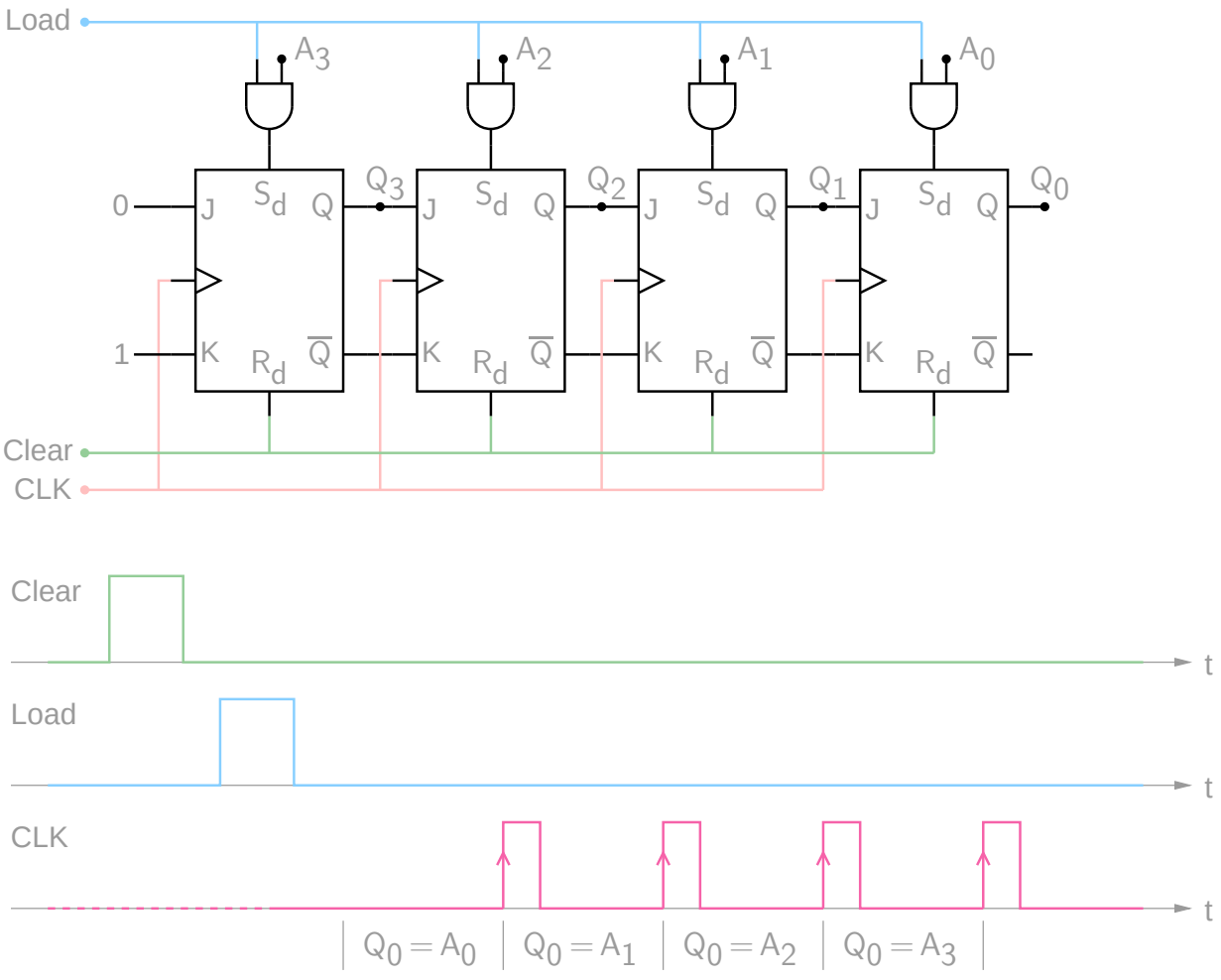

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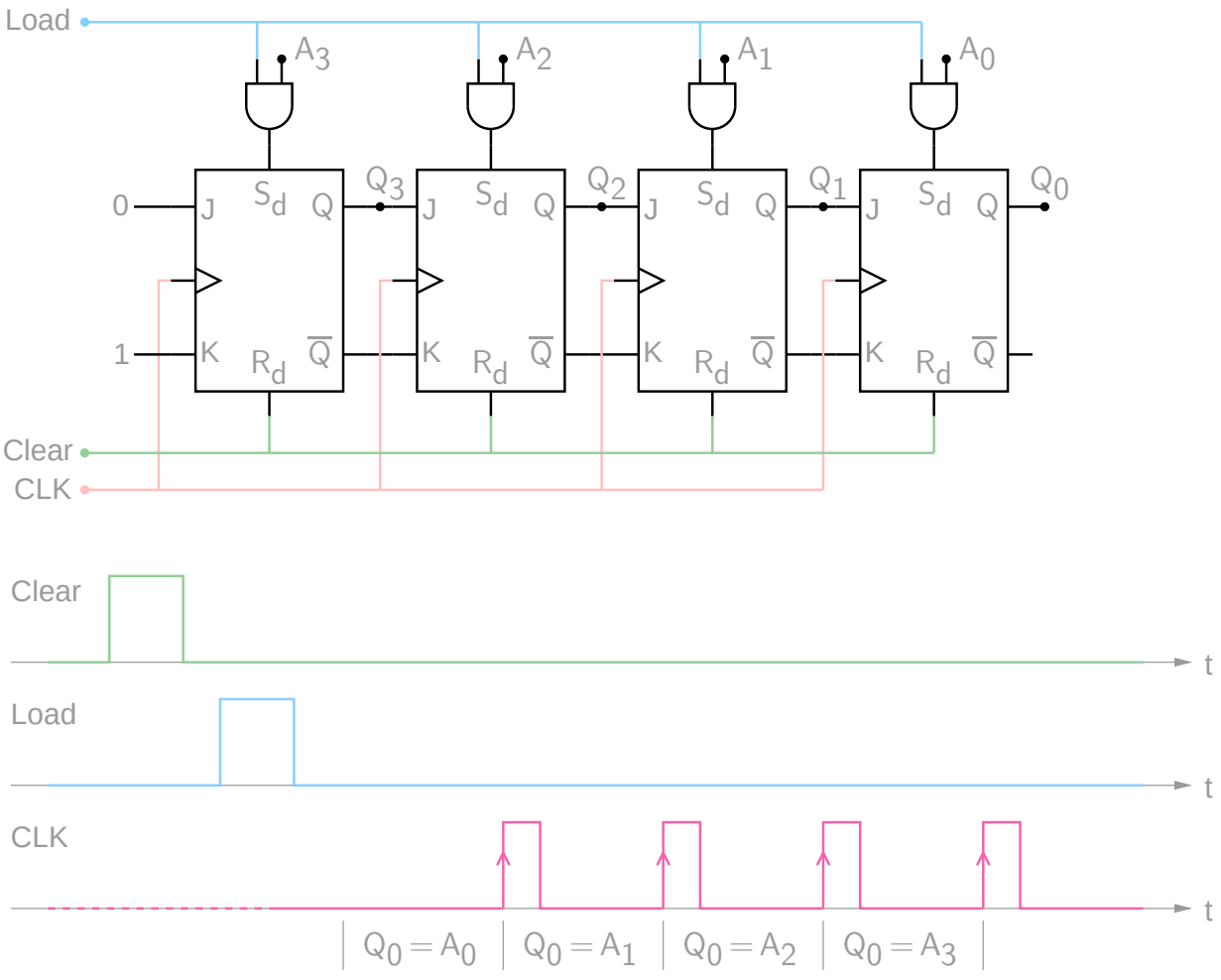

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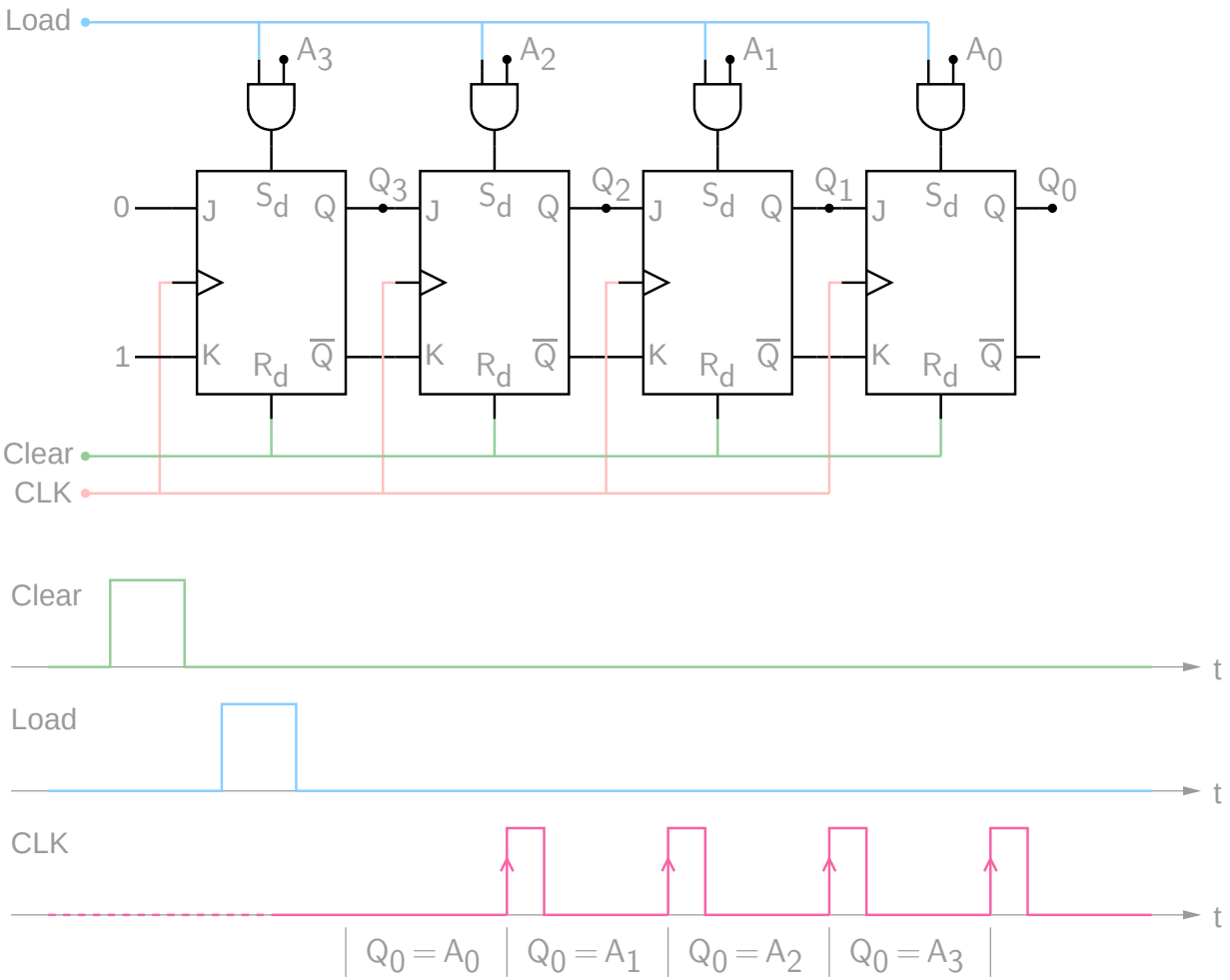

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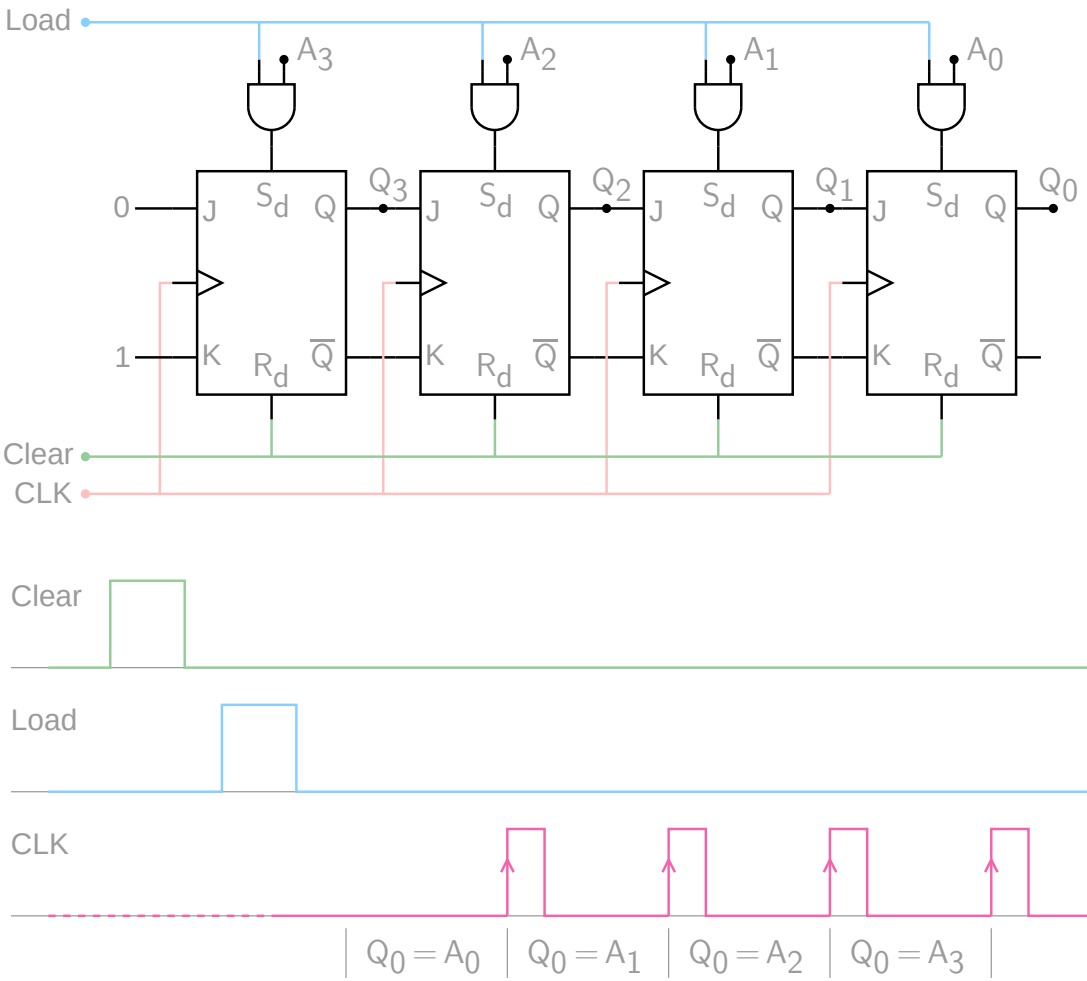

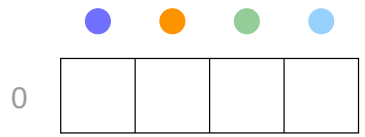

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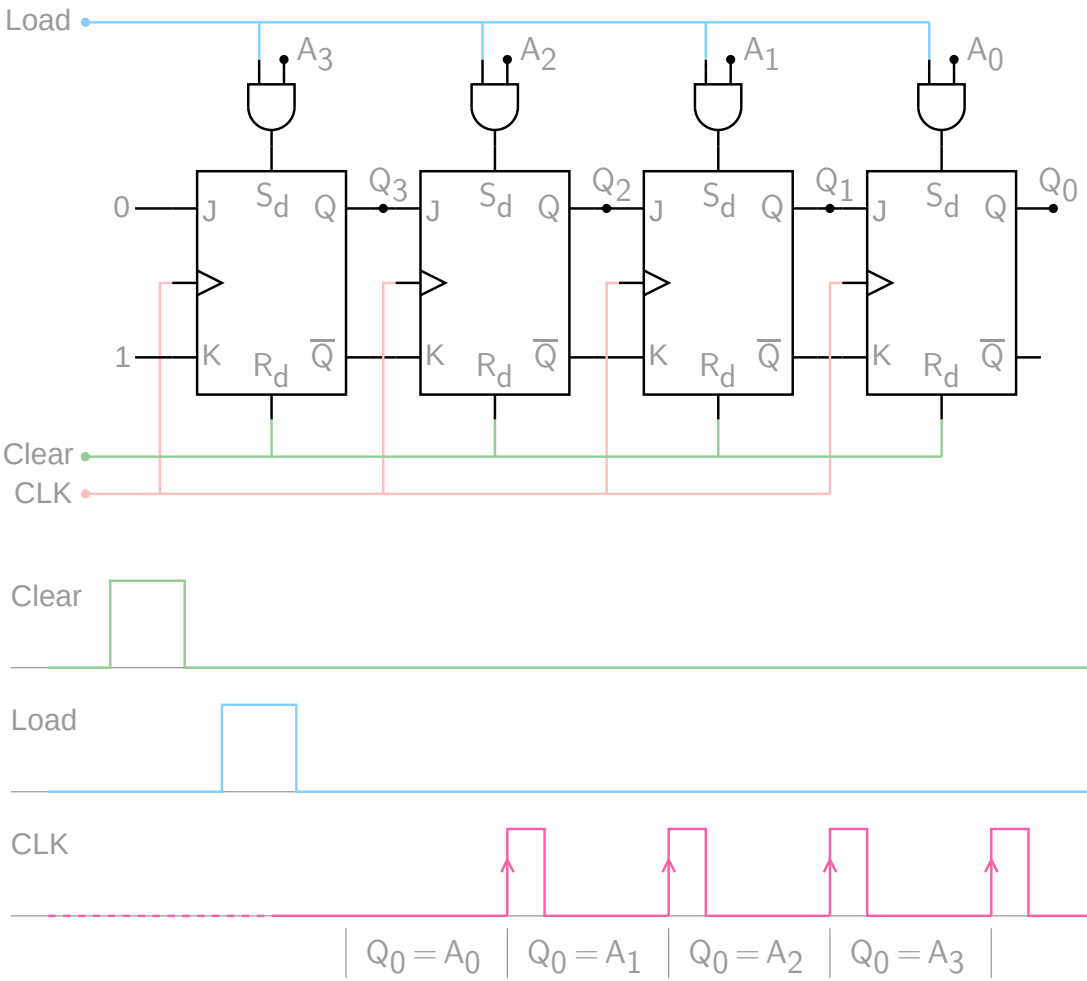

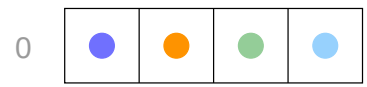

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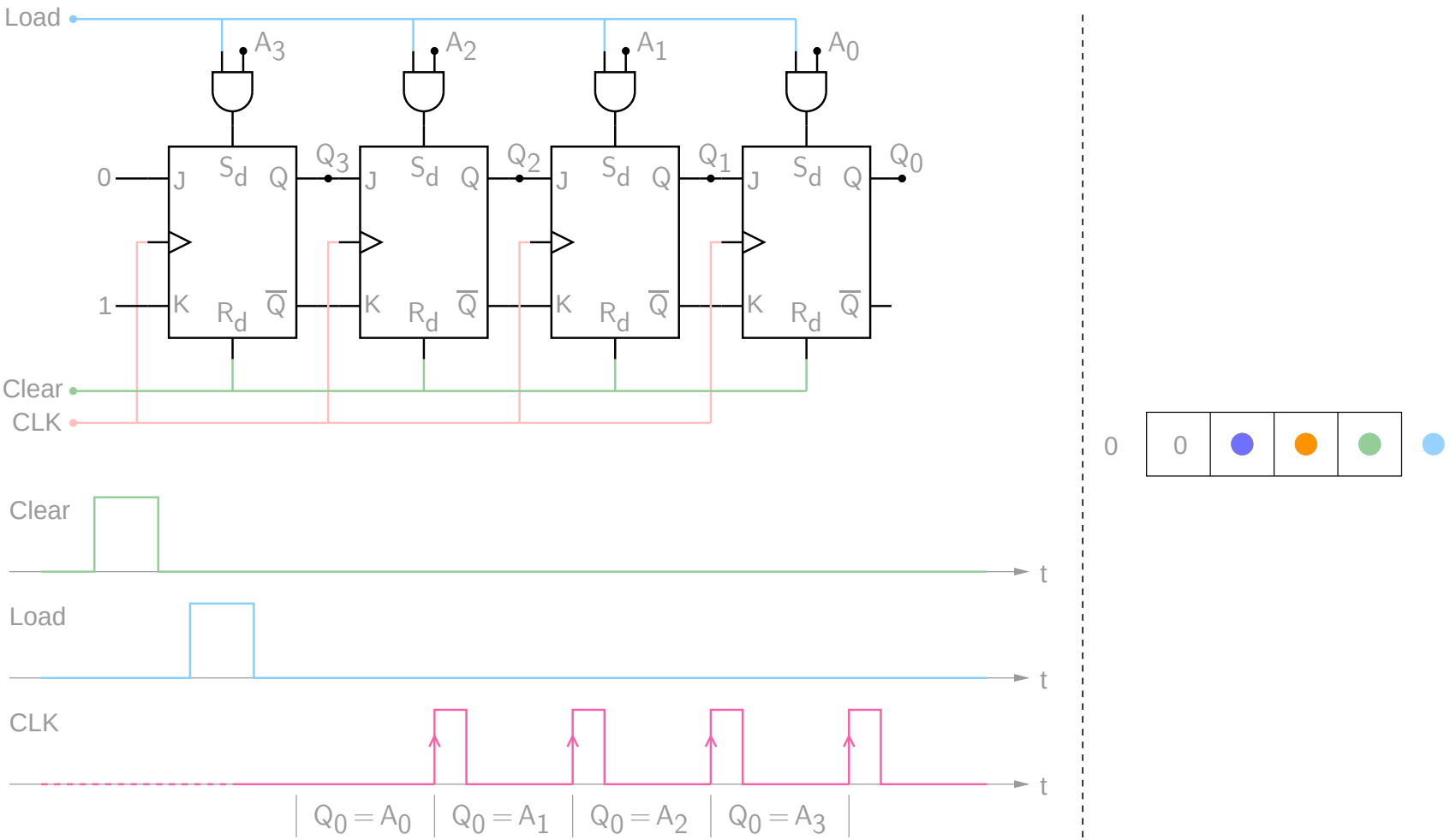

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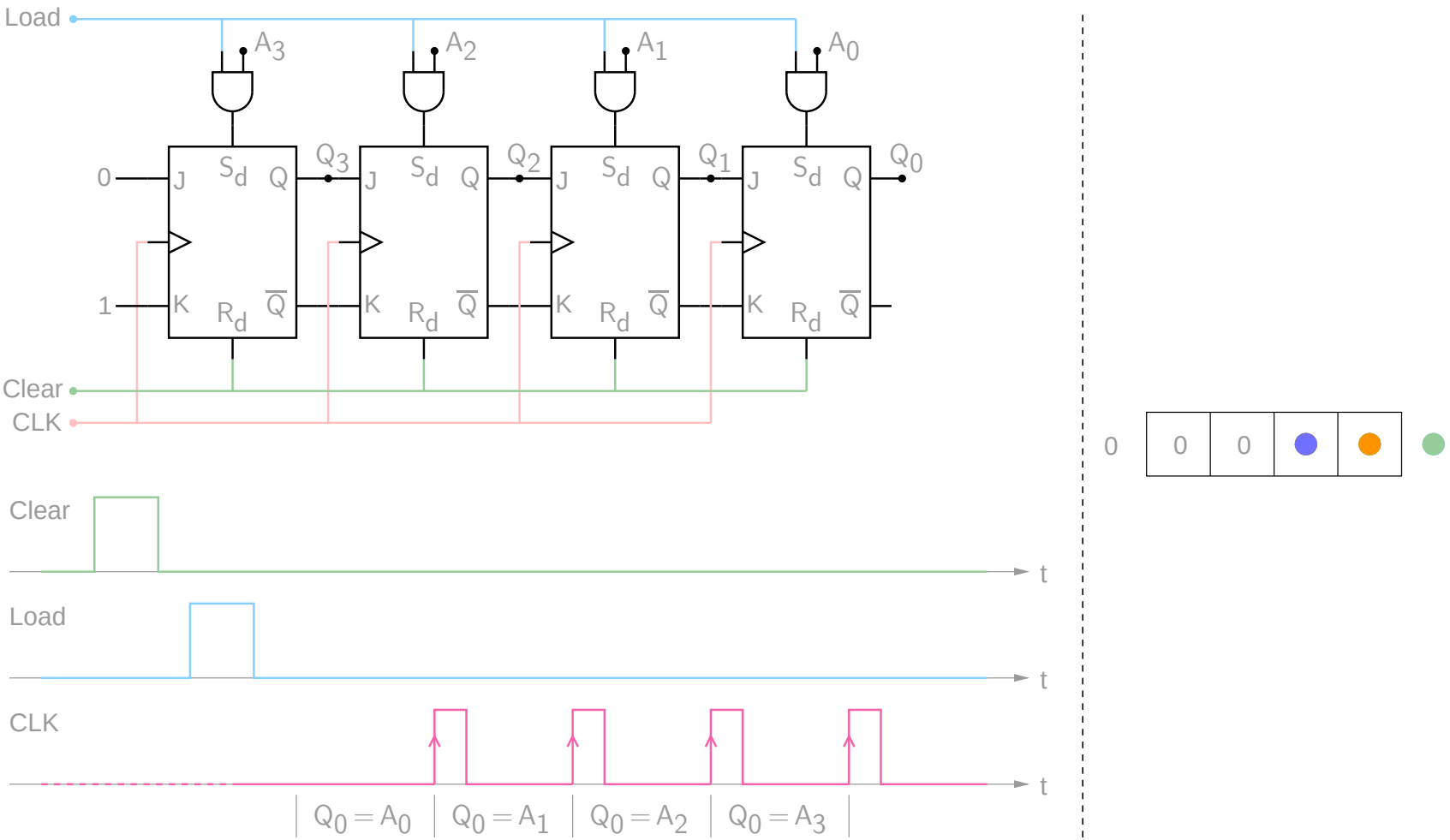

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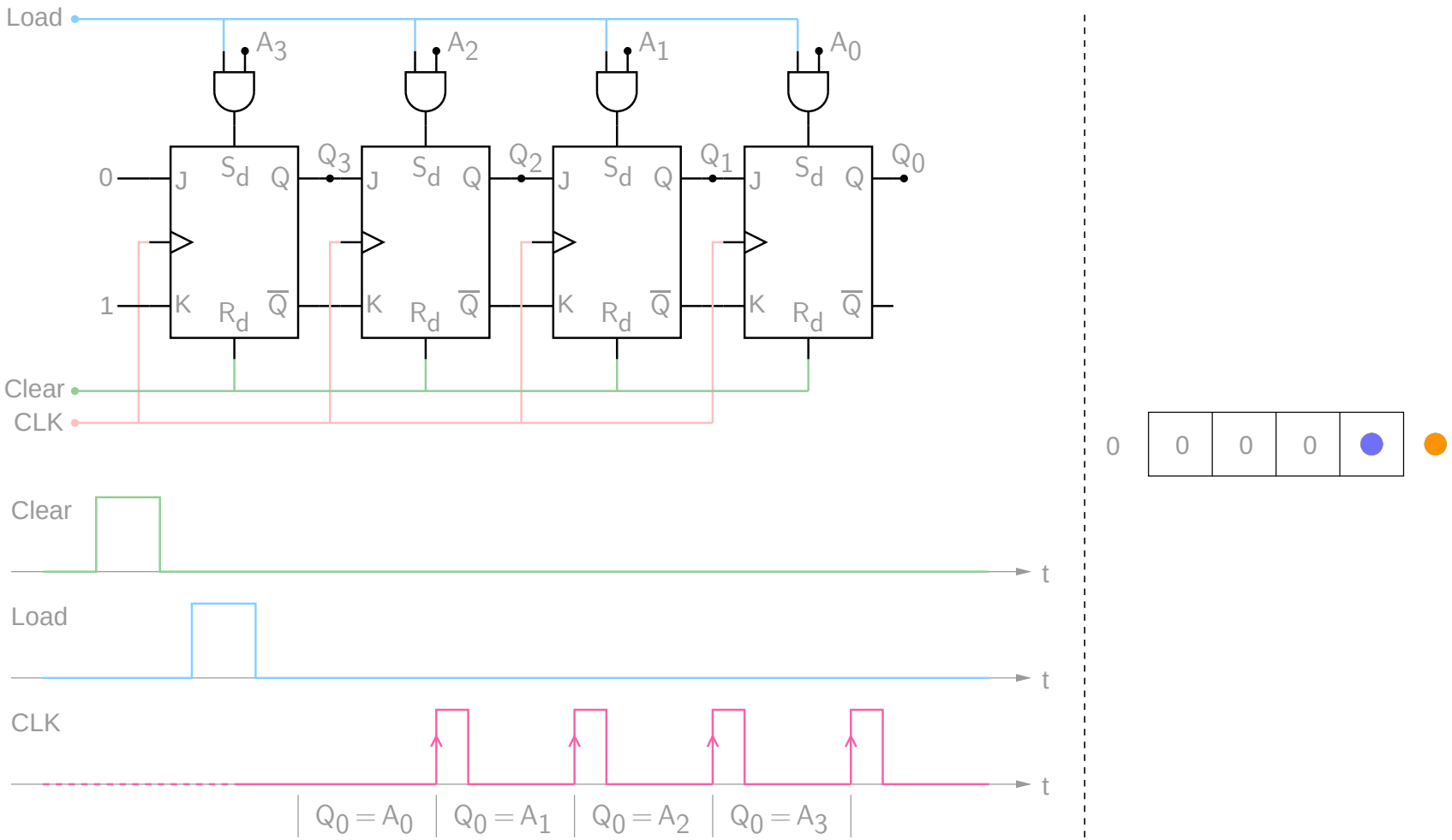

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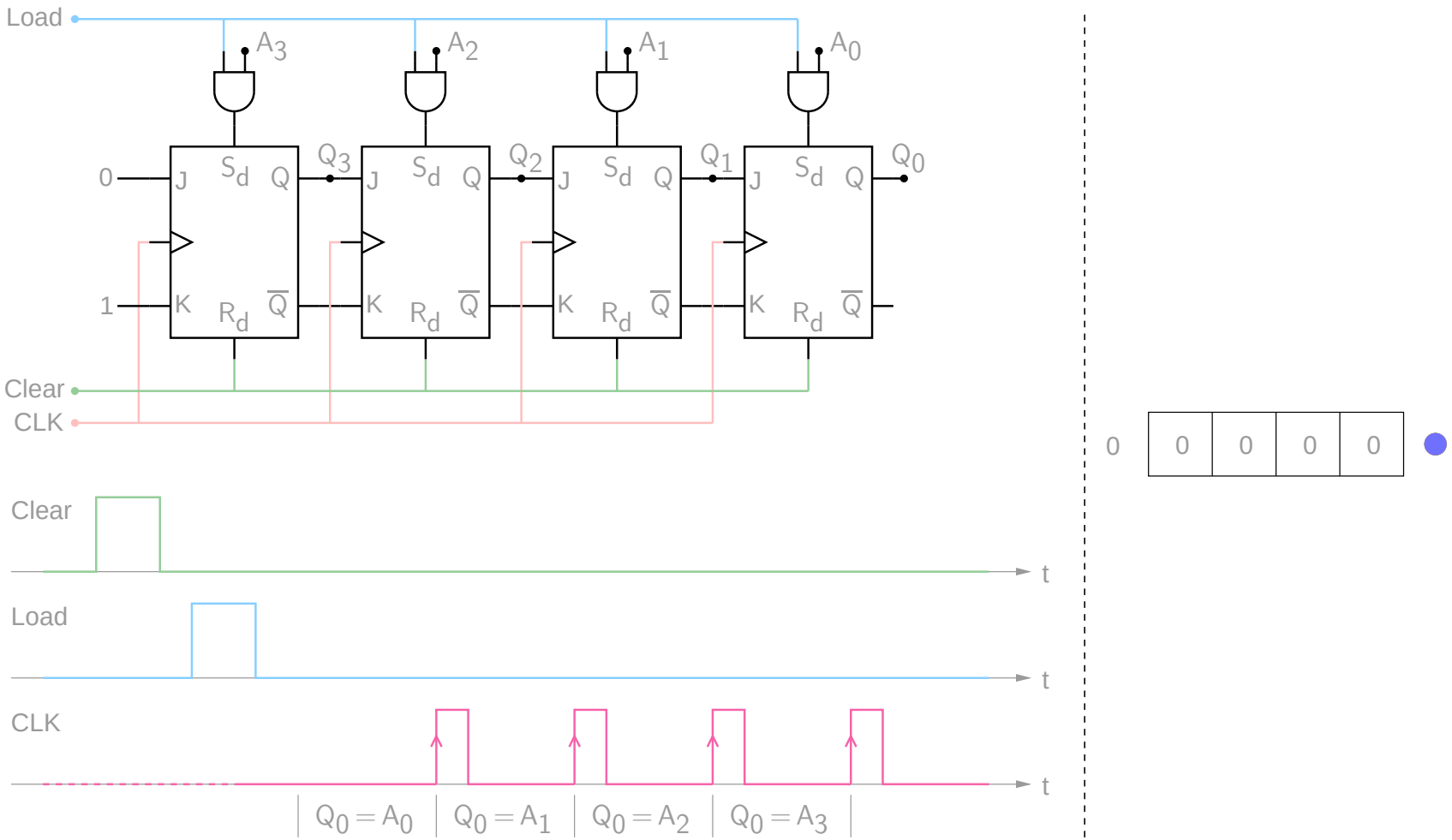

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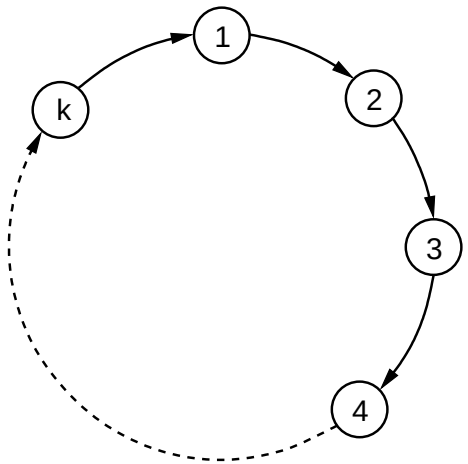

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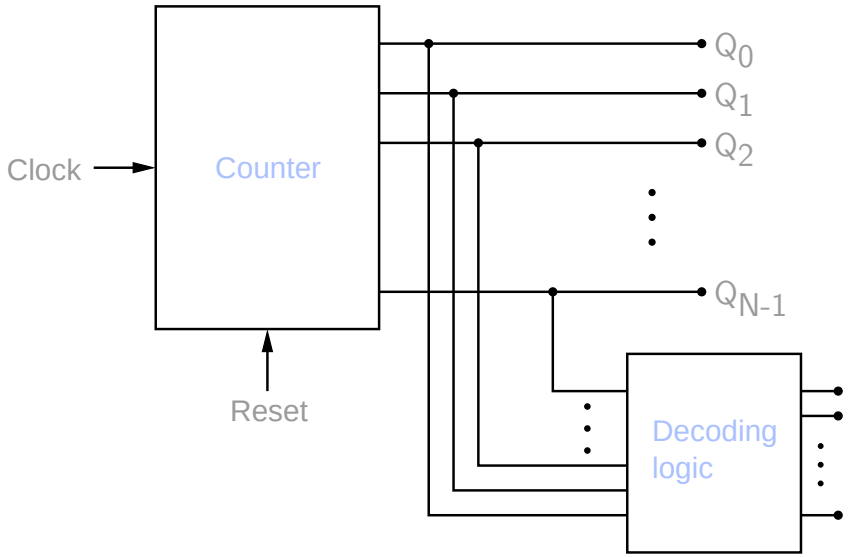

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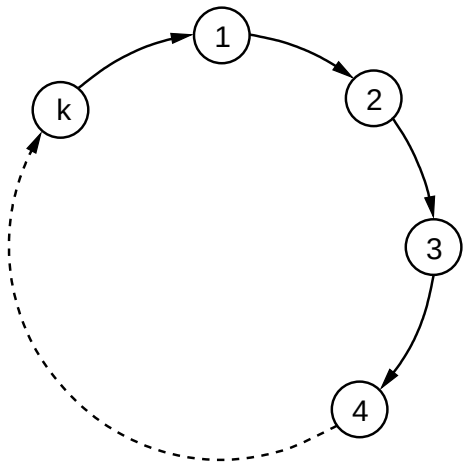

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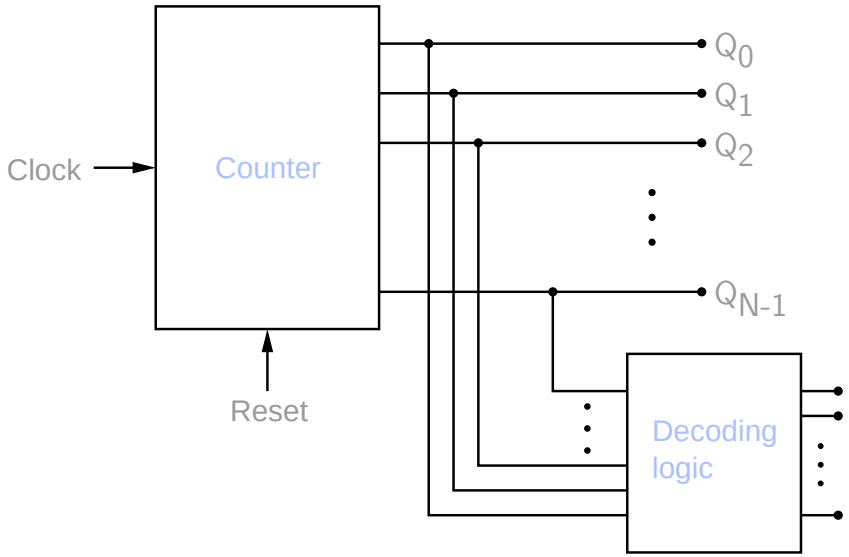

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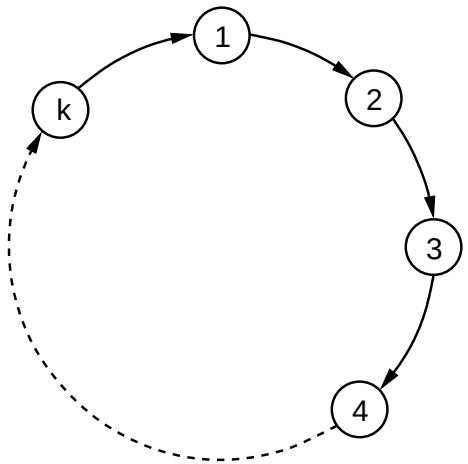

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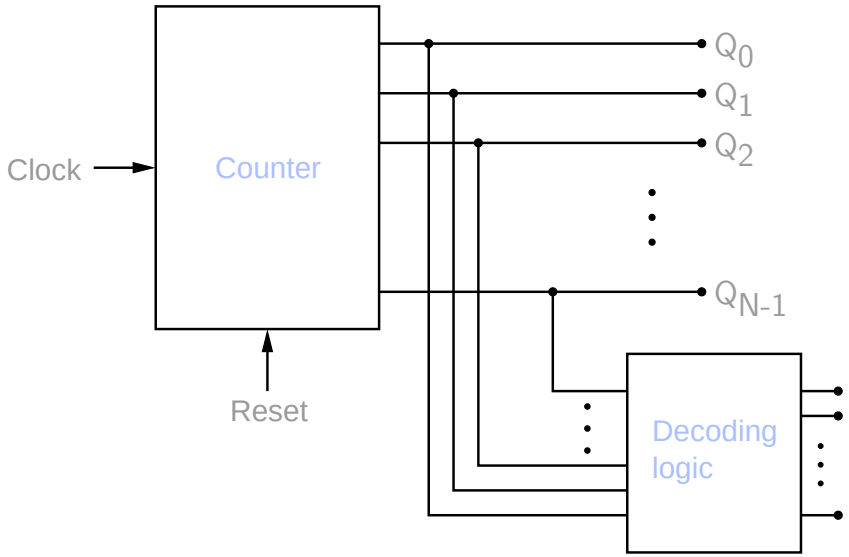

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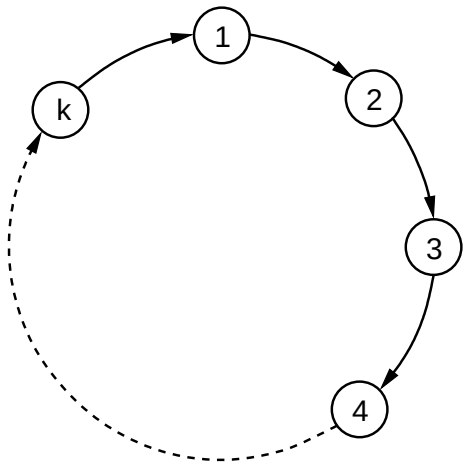

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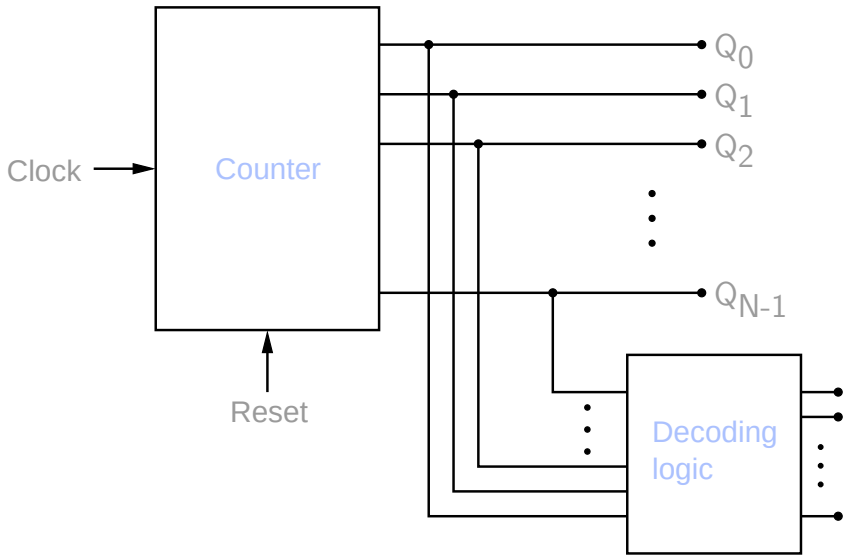

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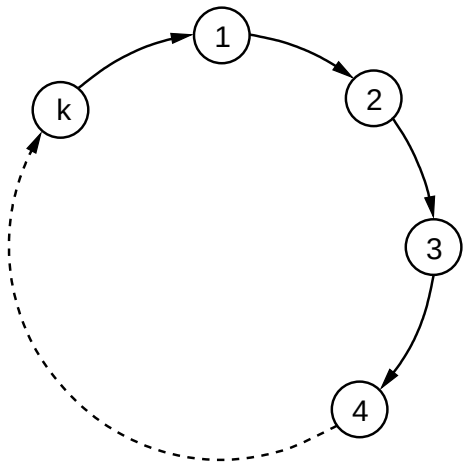

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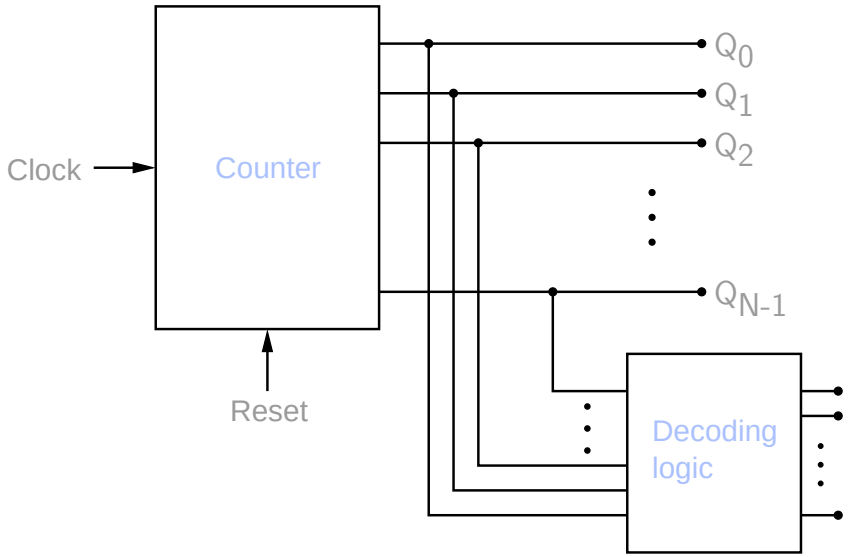

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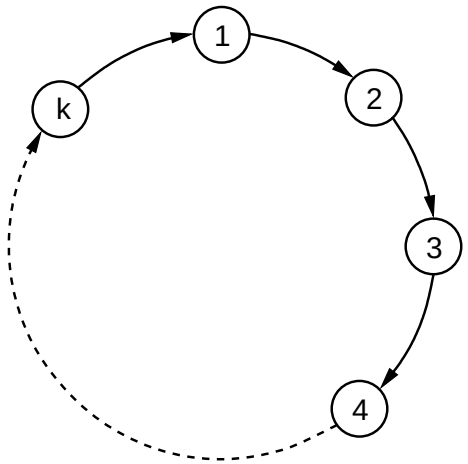

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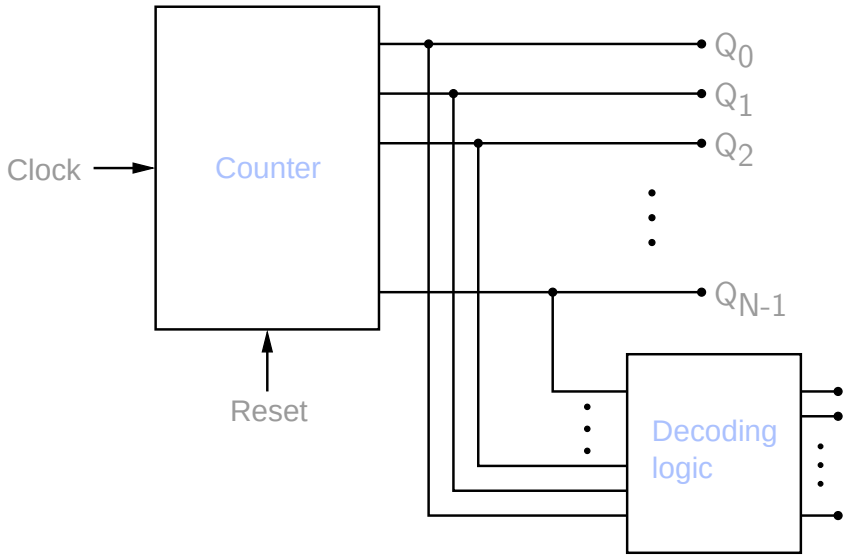

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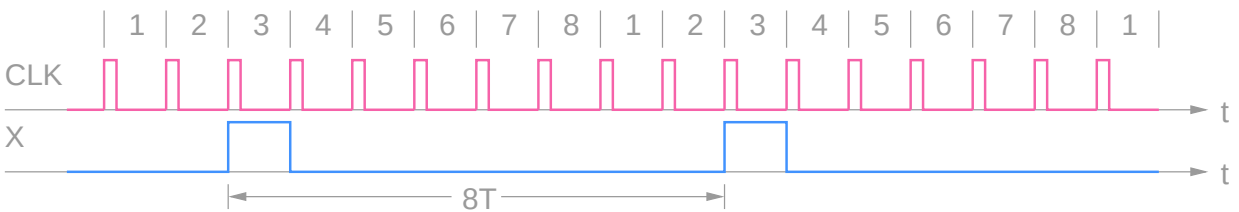

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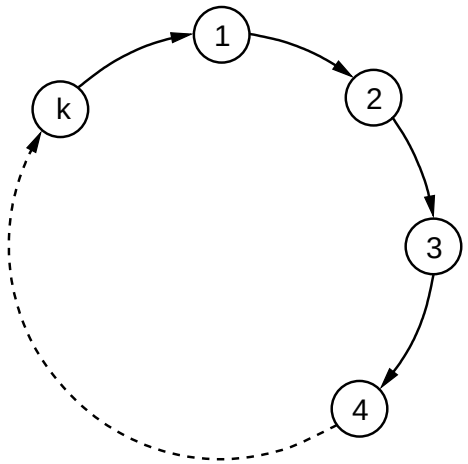

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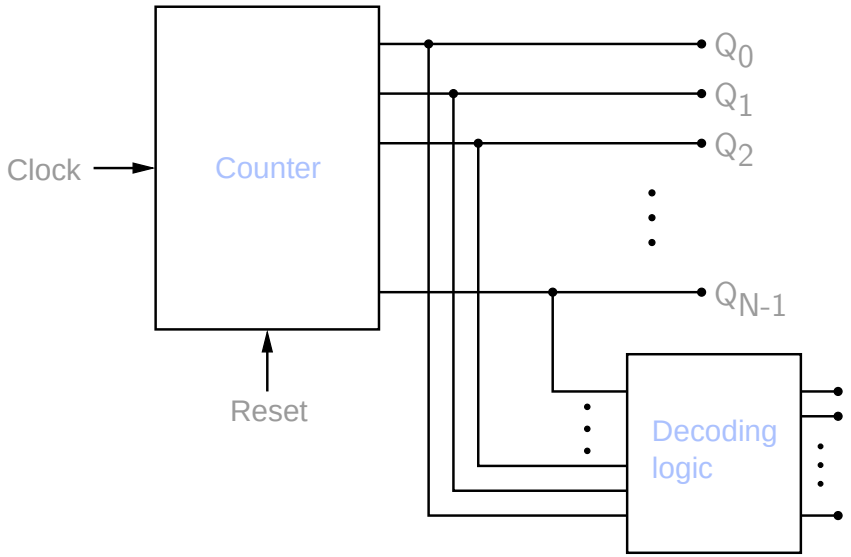

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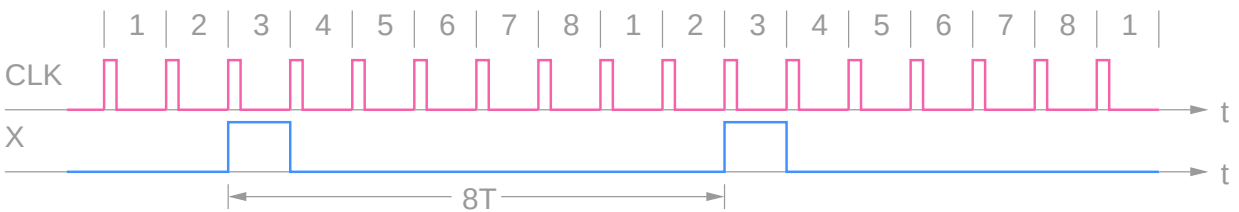

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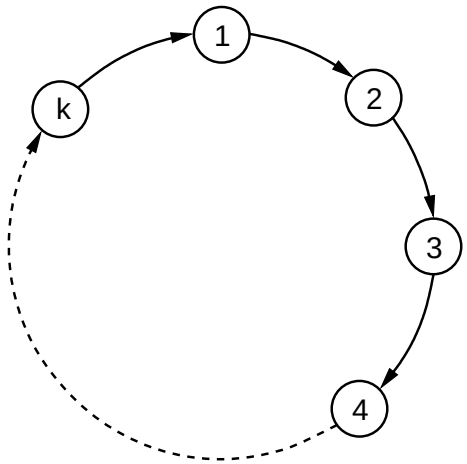

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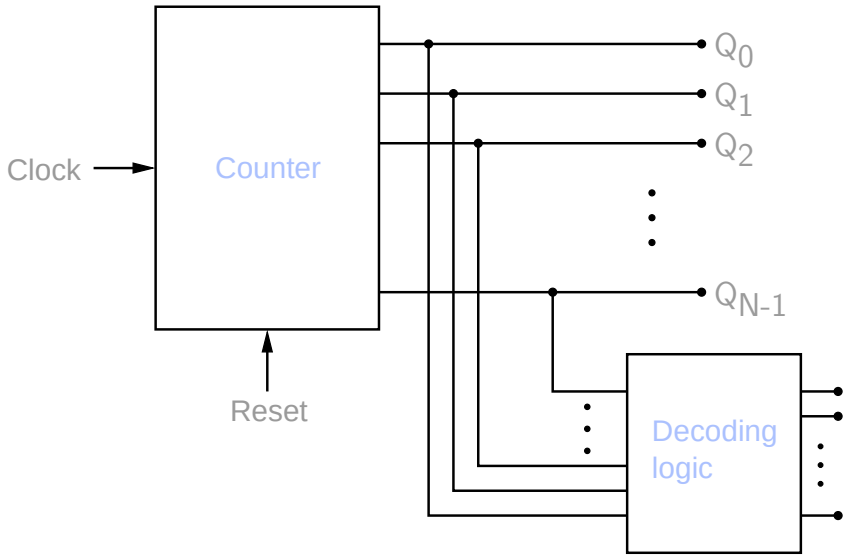

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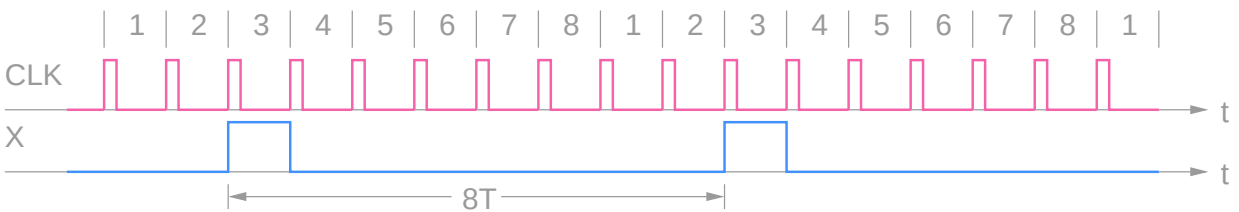

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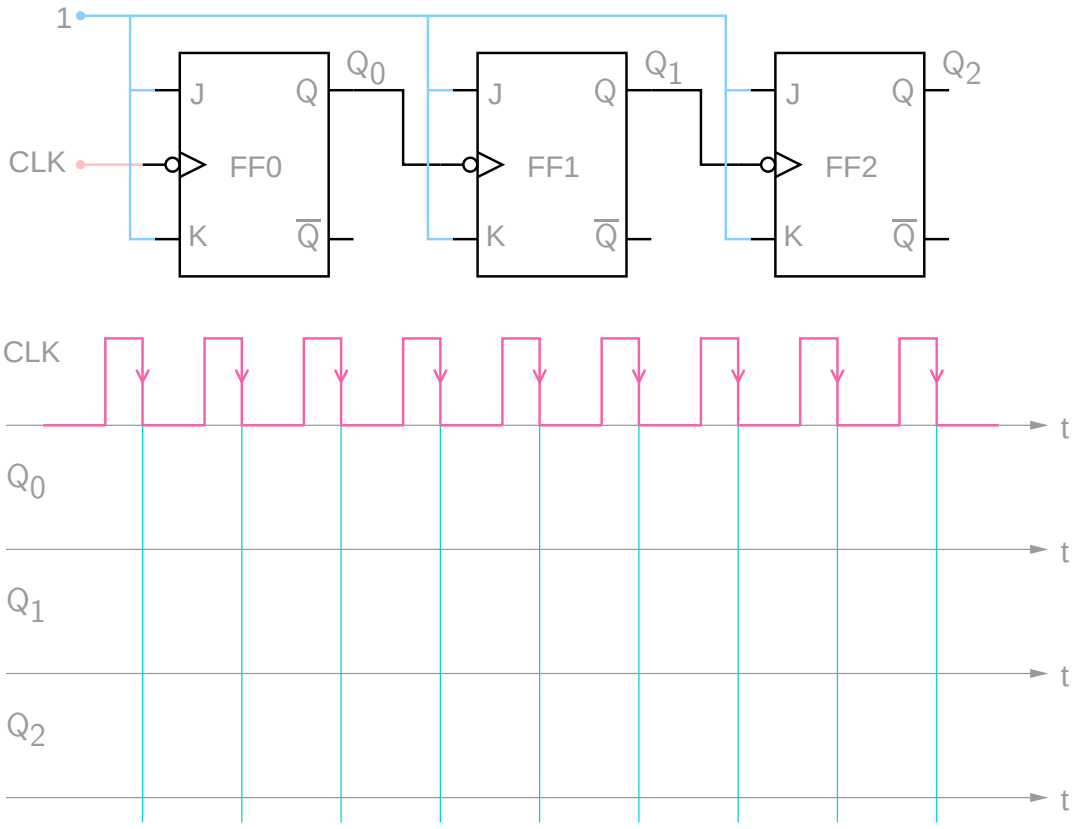

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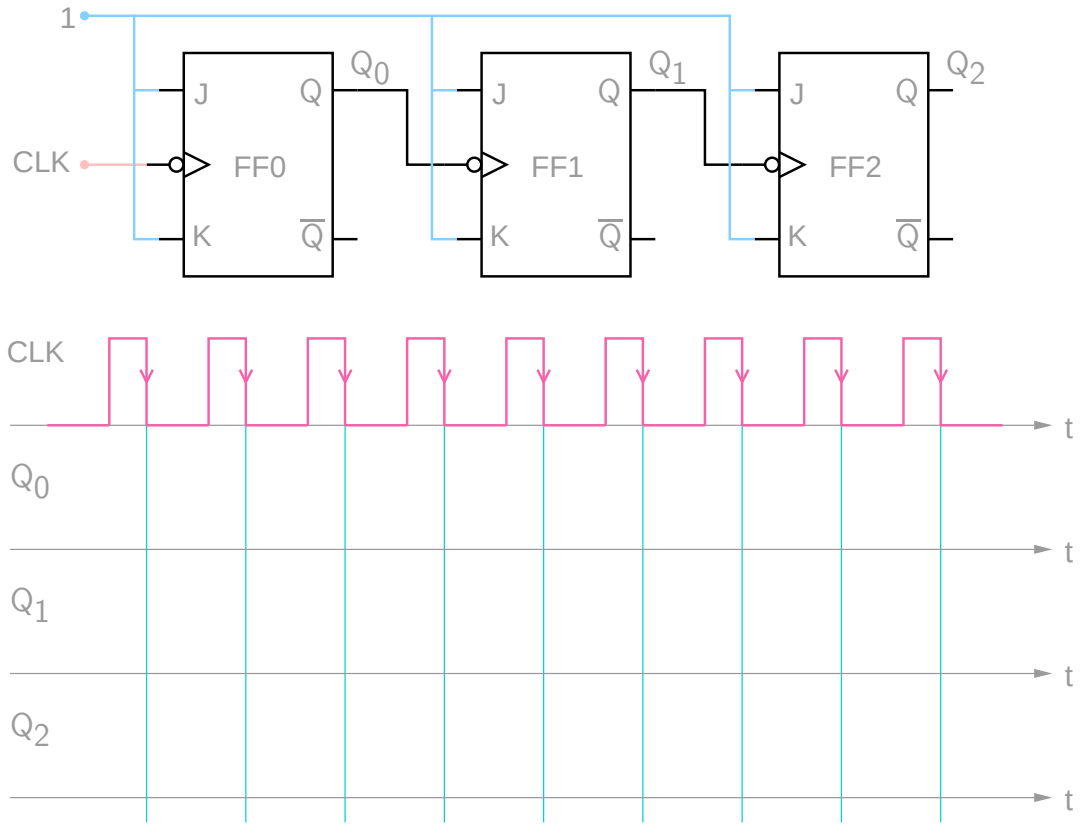

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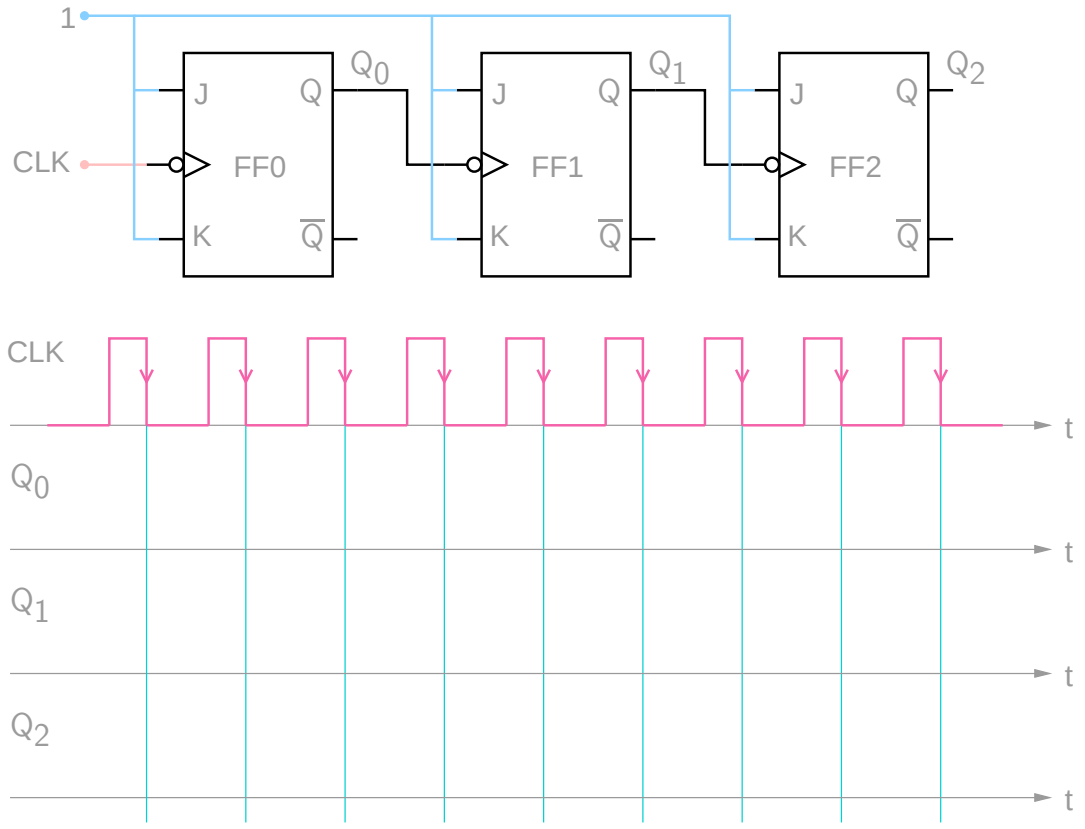

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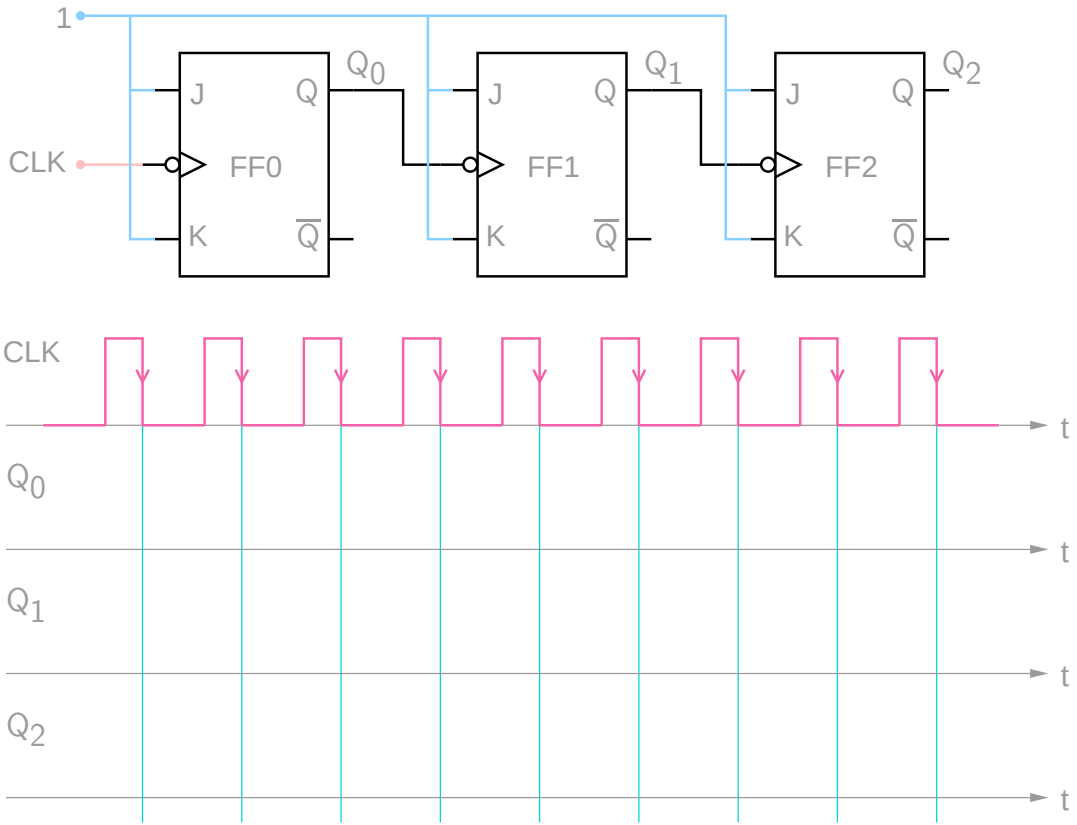

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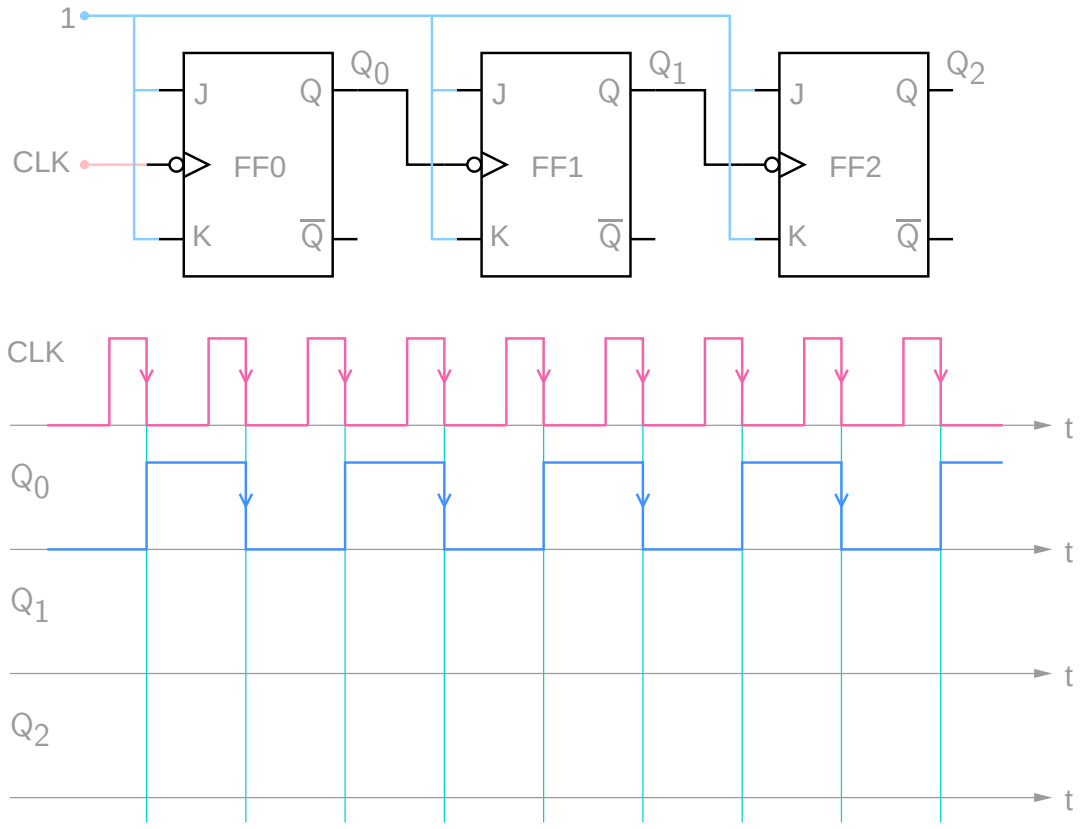

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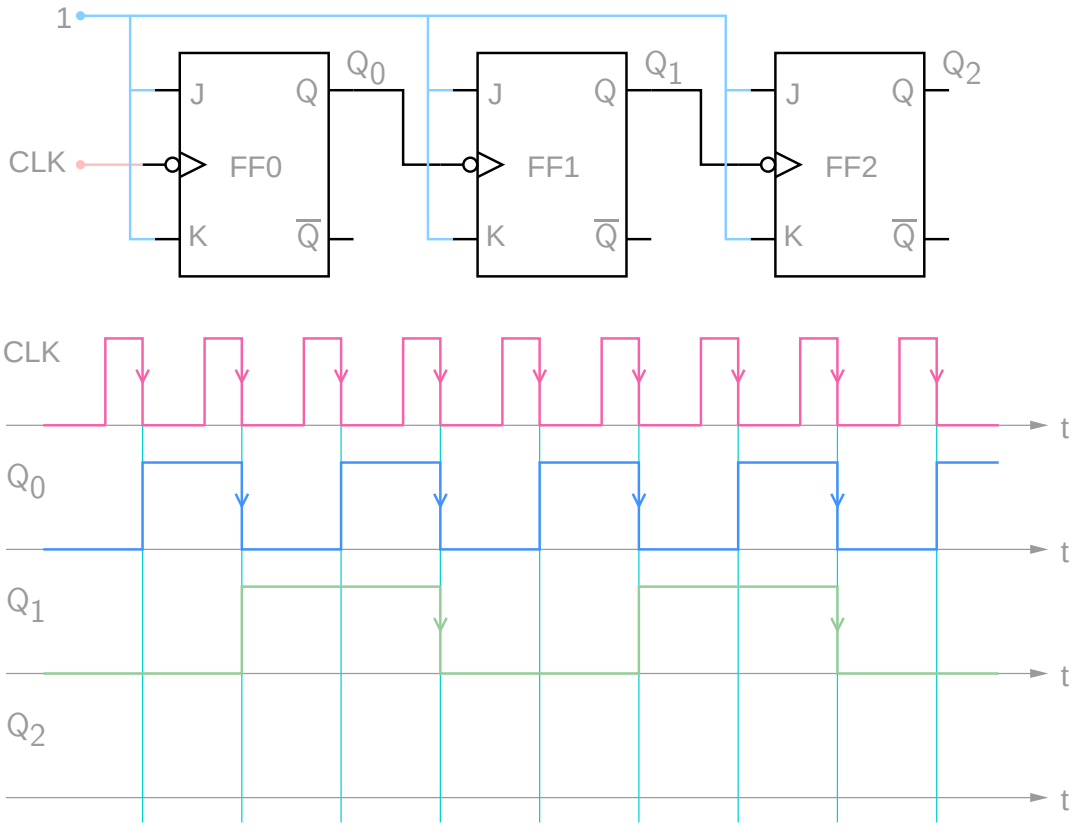

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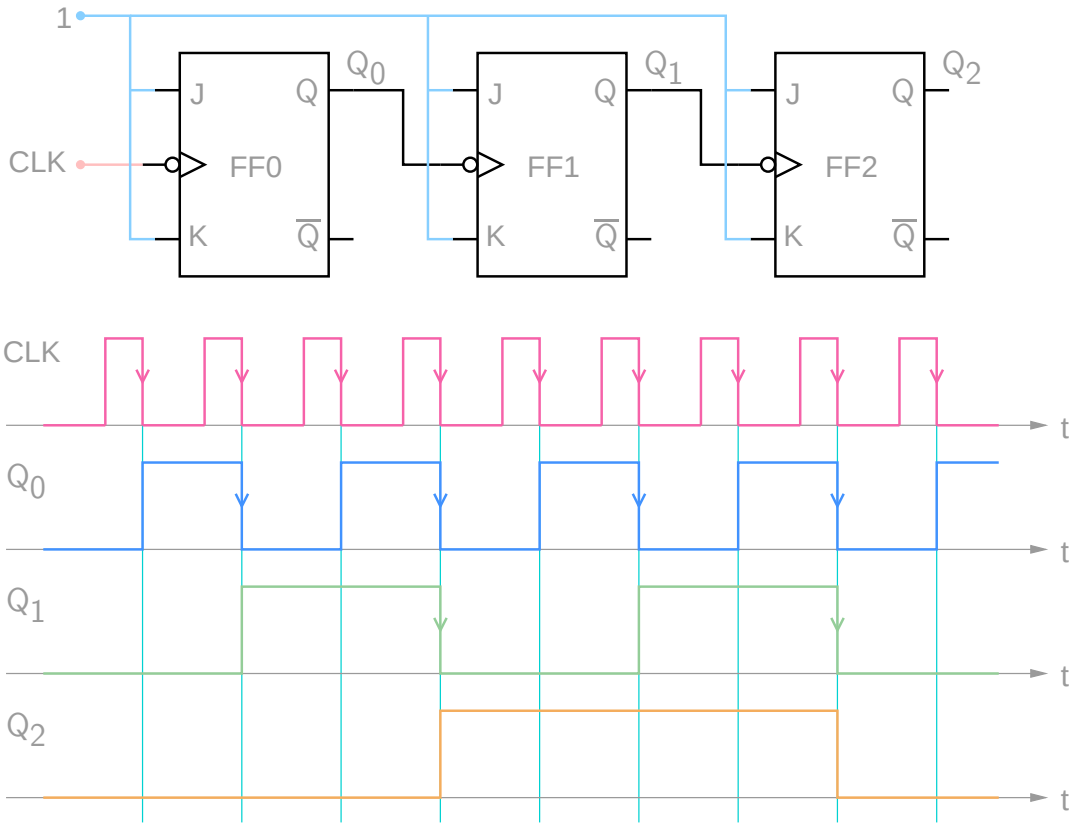

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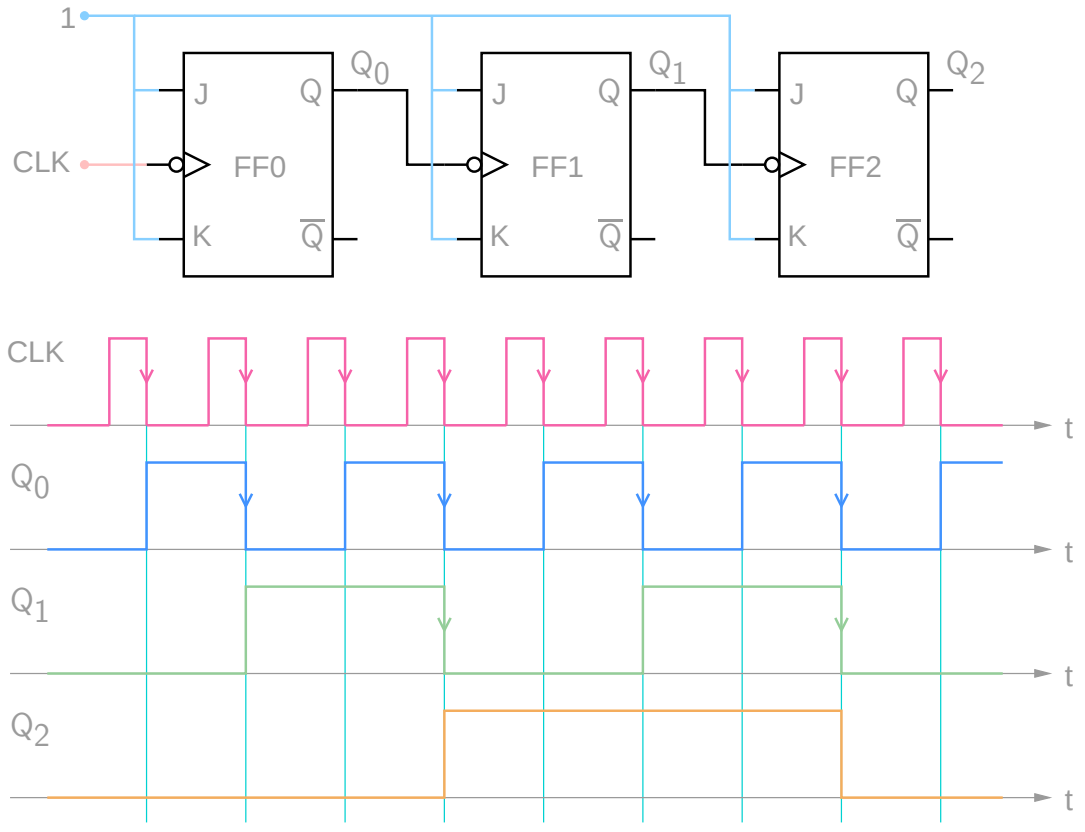

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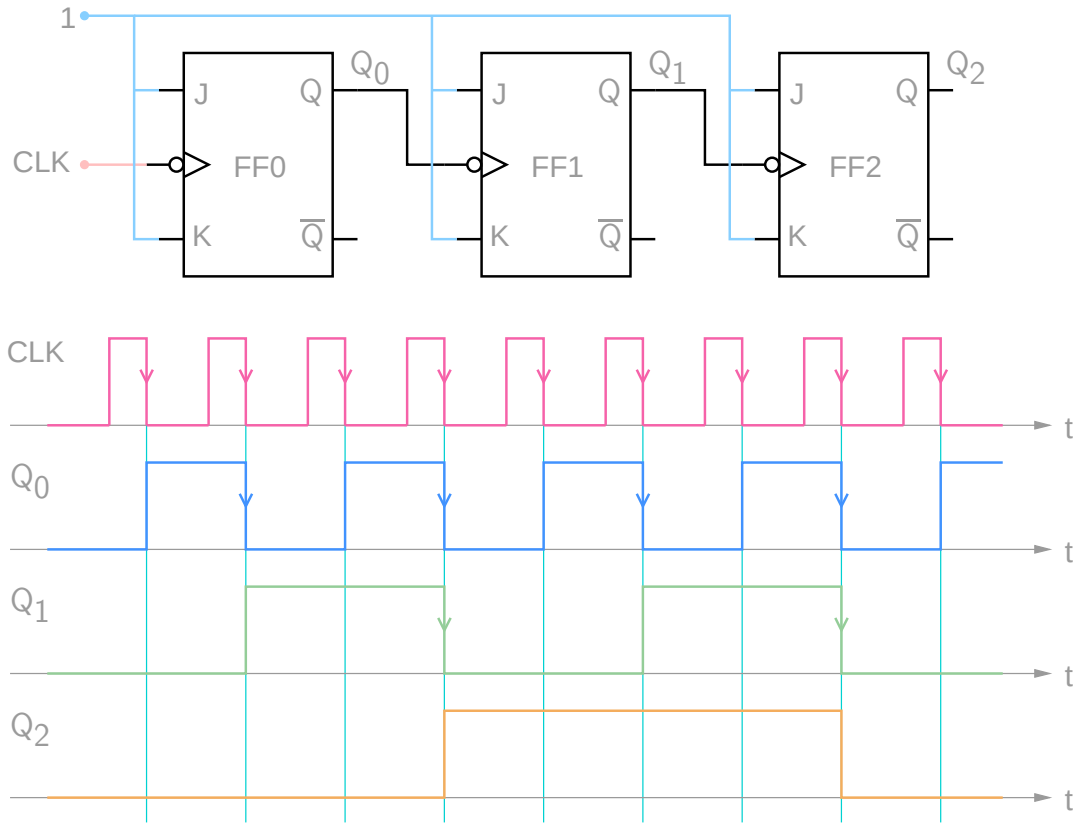

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* Note that the direct inputs S_d and R_d (not shown) are assumed to be $S_d = R_d = 0$ for all flip-flops, allowing normal flip-flip operation.

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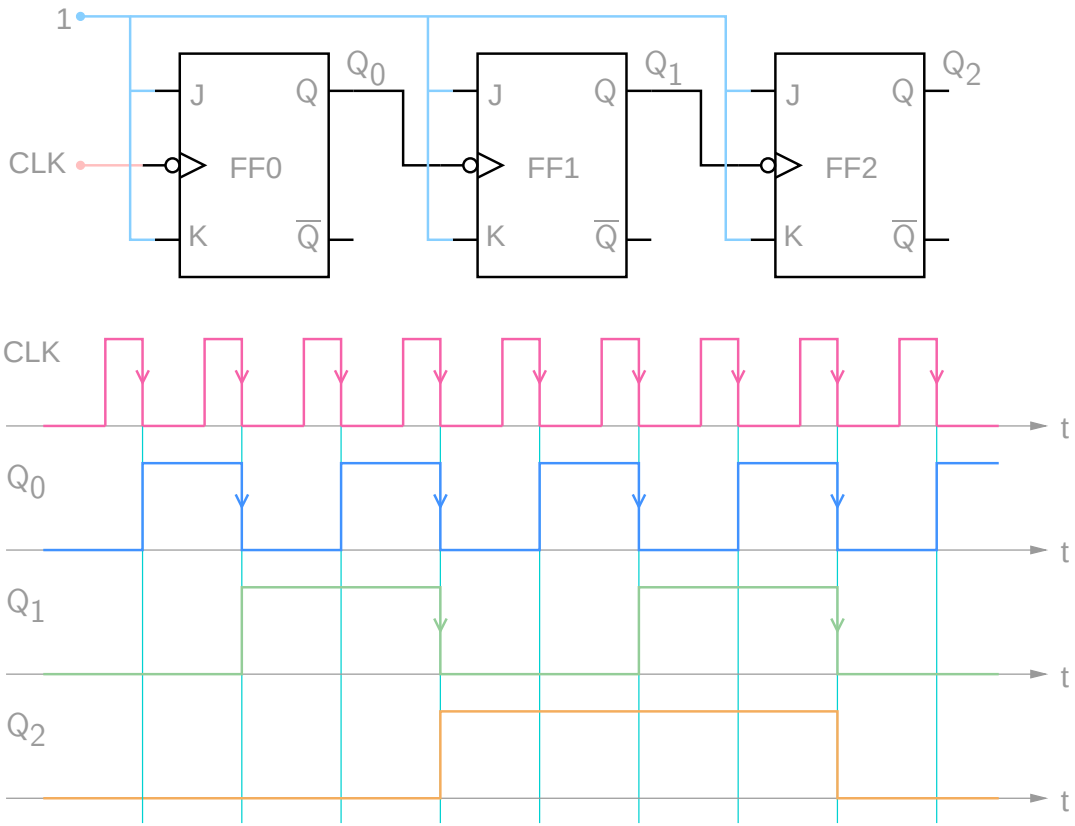
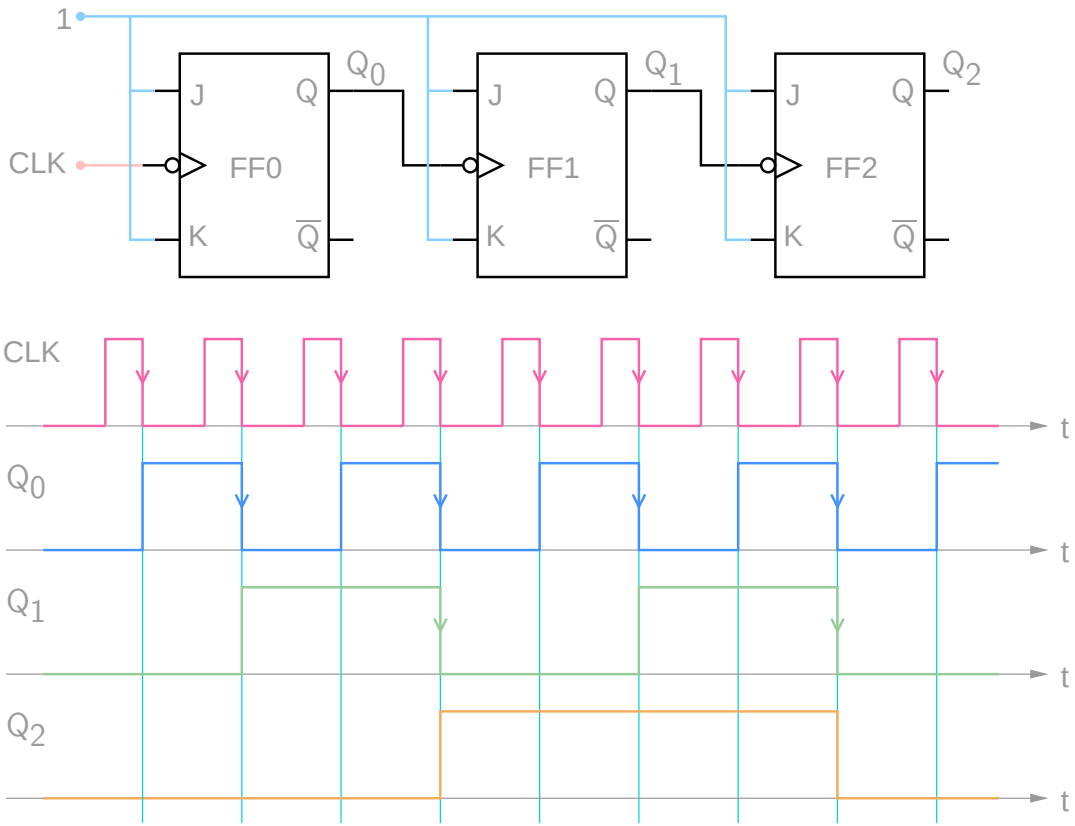


Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
0	0	0
0	0	1
0	1	0
0	1	1
1	0	0
1	0	1
1	1	0
1	1	1
0	0	0

repeats

A binay ripple counter



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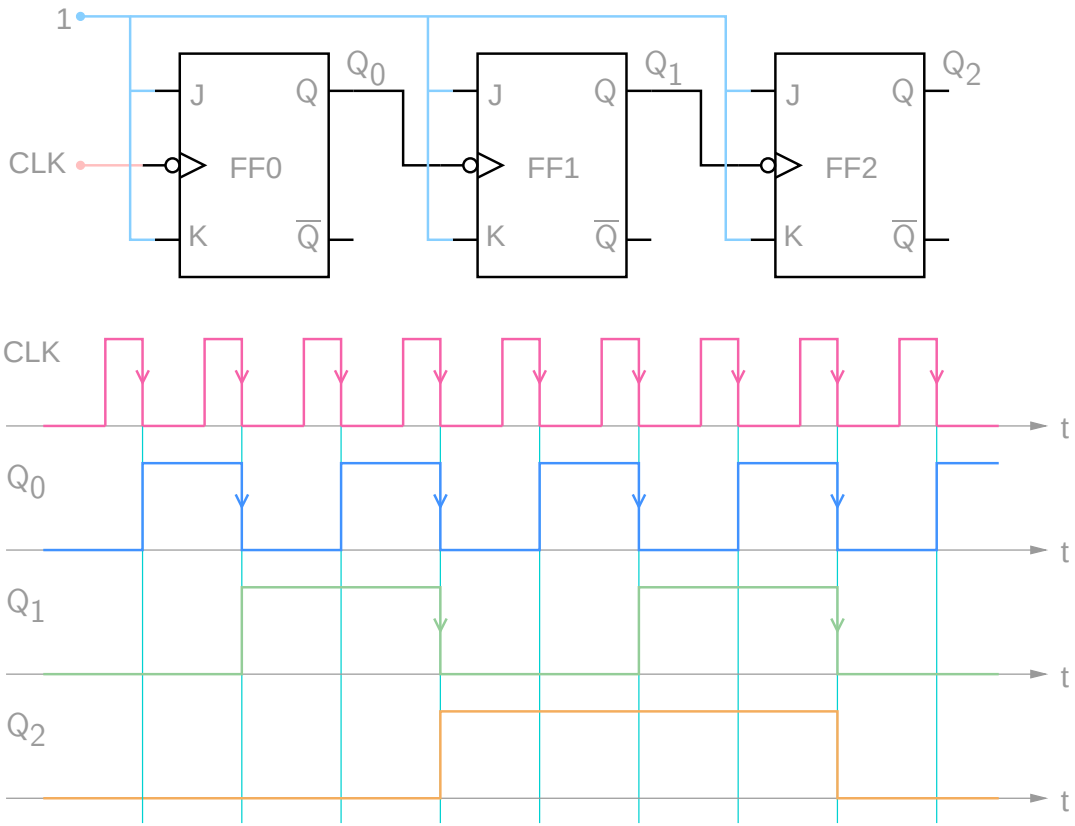
1	1	1
0	0	0

repeats

* The counter has 8 states, $Q_2 Q_1 Q_0 = 000$, 001, 010, 011, 100, 101, 110, 111.
  $\rightarrow$ it is a mod-8 counter. In particular, it is a *binary, mod-8, up* counter (since it counts *up* from 000 to 111).

A binay ripple counter



Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
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0	0	1
0	1	0
0	1	1
1	0	0
1	0	1
1	1	0
1	1	1
0	0	0

repeats

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* If the clock frequency is f_c, the frequency at the Q_0, Q_1, Q_2 outputs is $f_c/2$, $f_c/4$, $f_c/8$, respectively. For this counter, therefore, div-by-2, div-by-4, div-by-8 outputs are already available, without requring decoding logic.

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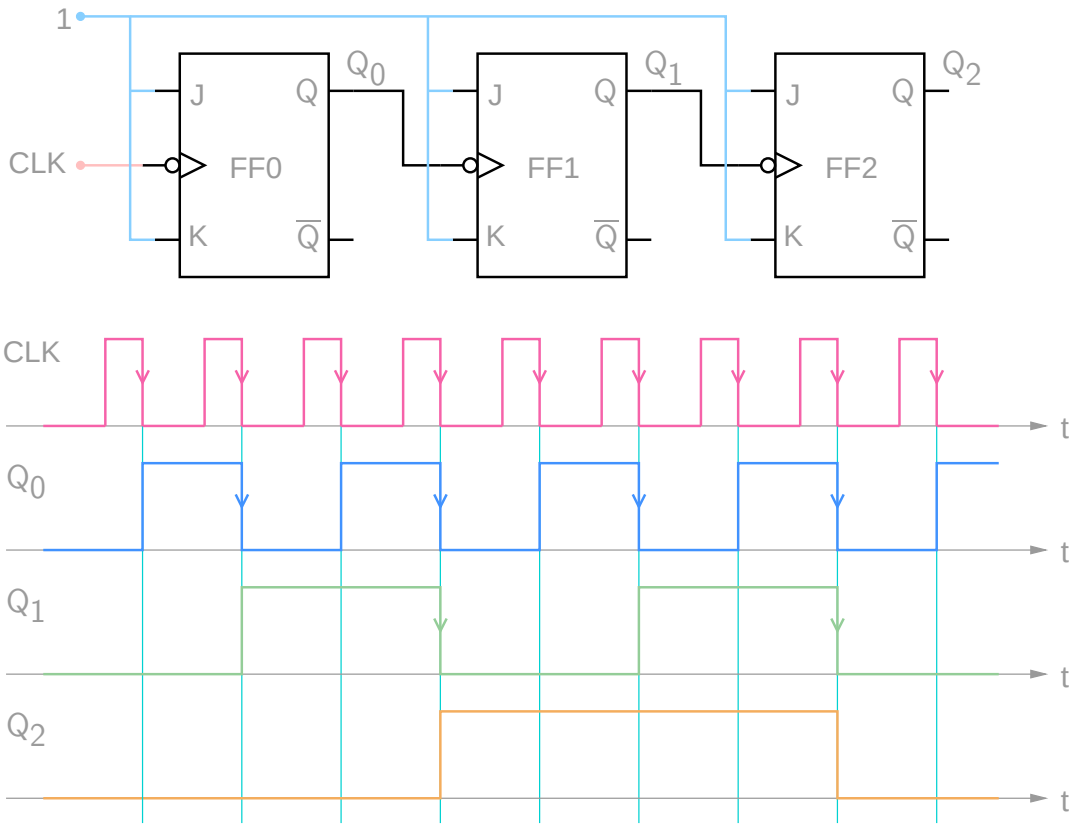

Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
0	0	0
0	0	1
0	1	0
0	1	1
1	0	0
1	0	1
1	1	0
1	1	1
0	0	0

repeats

* The counter has 8 states, $Q_2 Q_1 Q_0 = 000$, 001, 010, 011, 100, 101, 110, 111.
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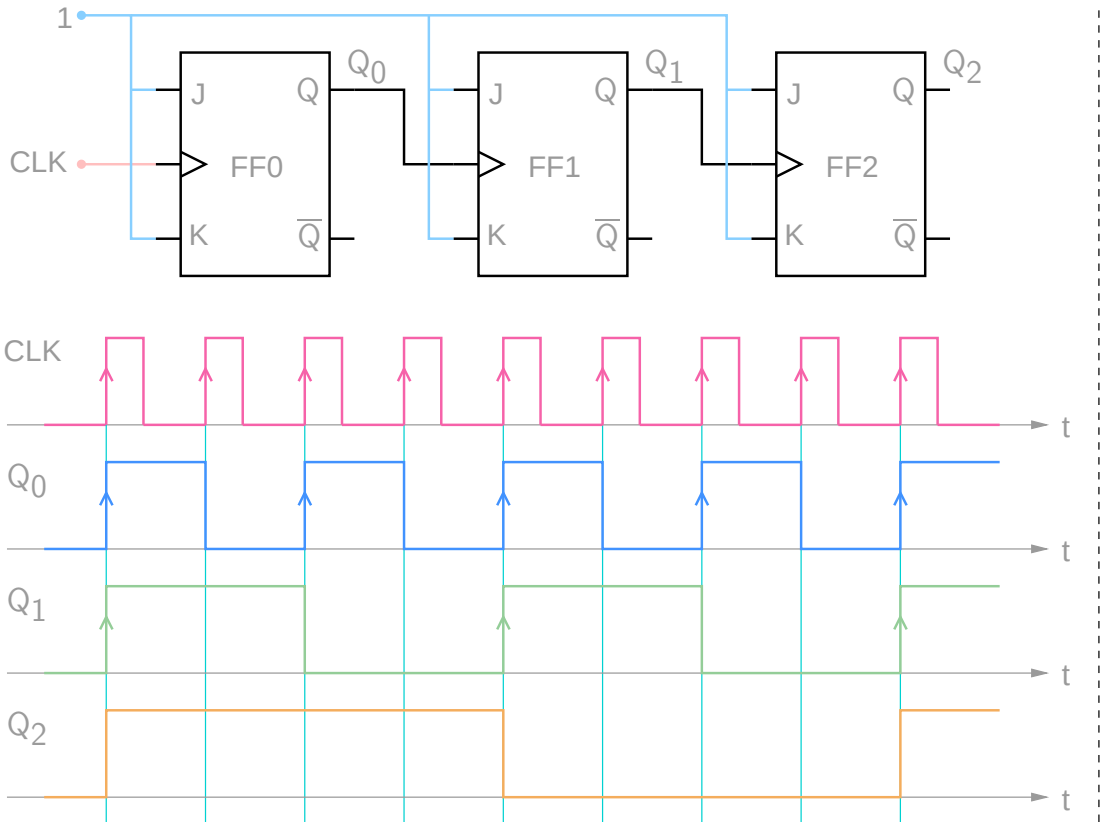
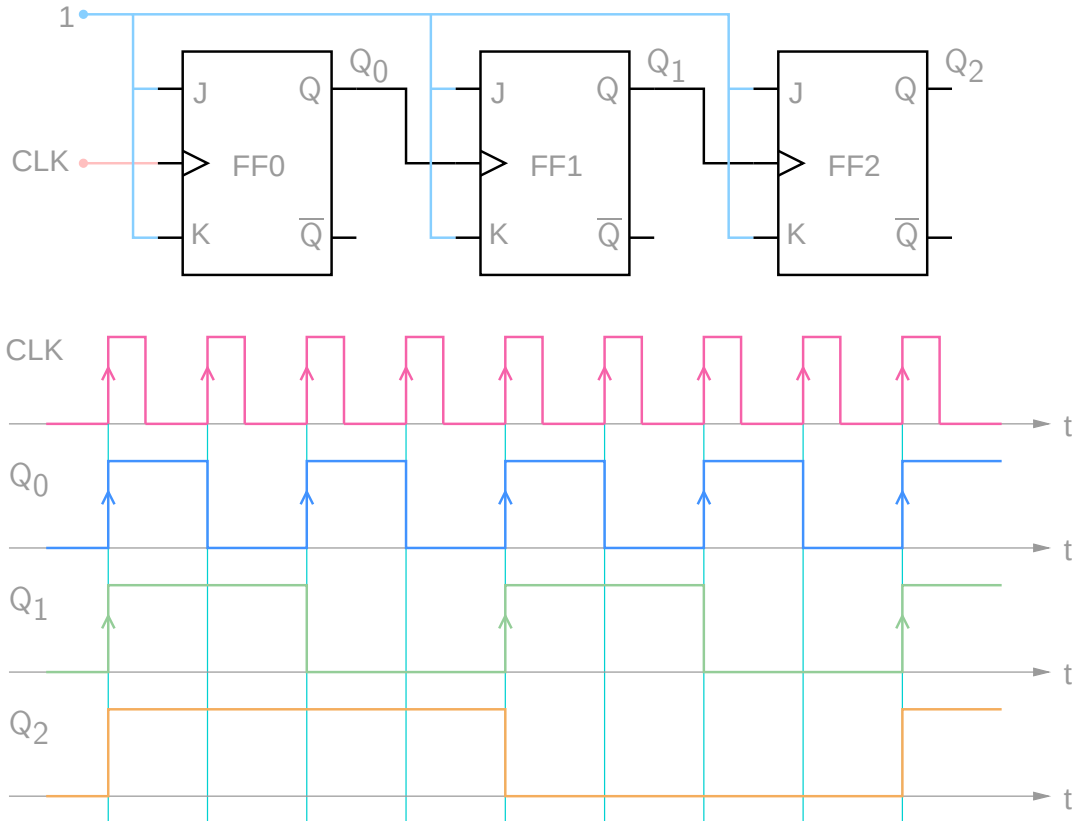
* This type of counter is called a "ripple" counter since the clock transitions *ripple* through the flip-flops.

A binay ripple counter



Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	
0	0	0	
1	1	1	
1	1	0	
1	0	1	
1	0	0	
0	1	1	
0	1	0	
0	0	1	
0	0	0	repeats

A binay ripple counter

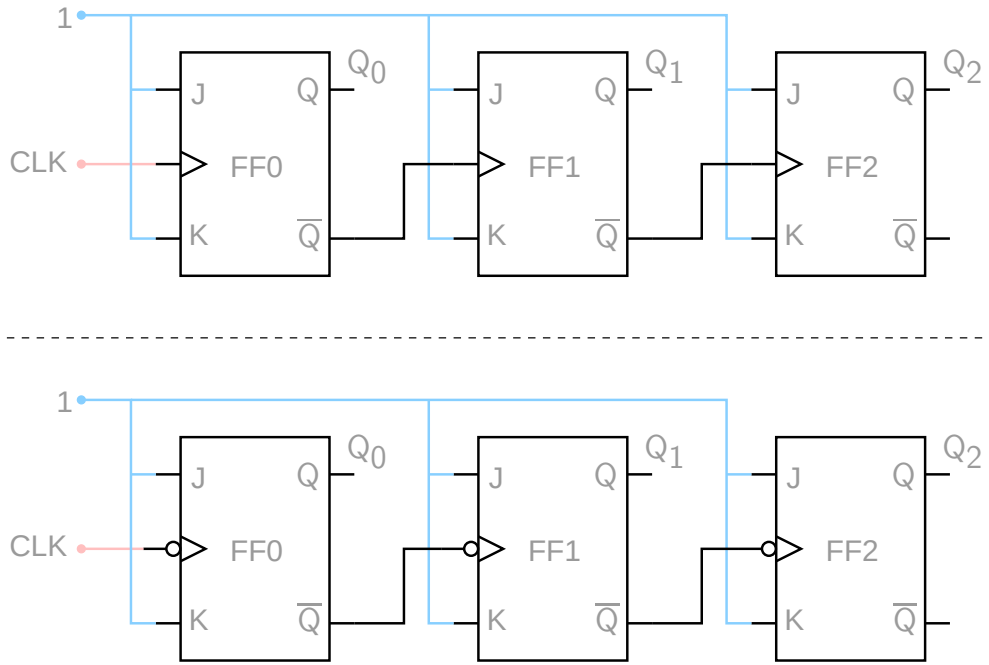


Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
0	0	0
1	1	1
1	1	0
1	0	1
1	0	0
0	1	1
0	1	0
0	0	1
0	0	0

repeats

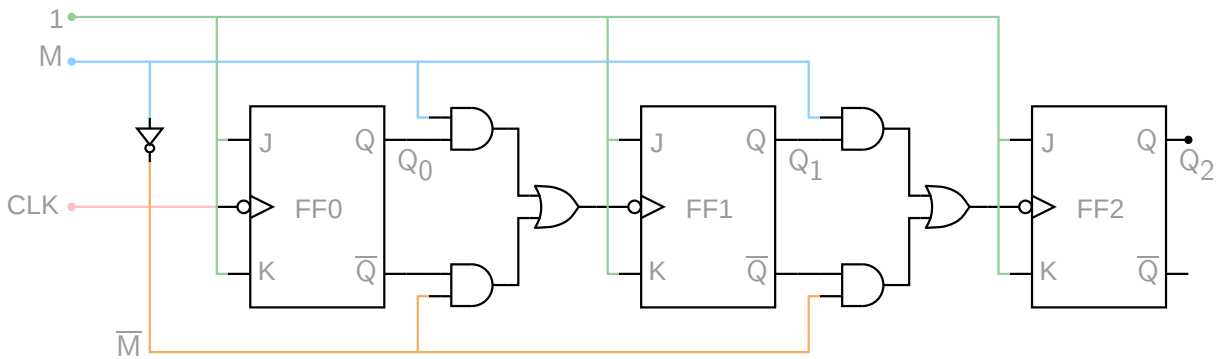
* If positive edge-triggered flip-flops are used, we get a binary *down* counter (counting down from 1111 to 0000).

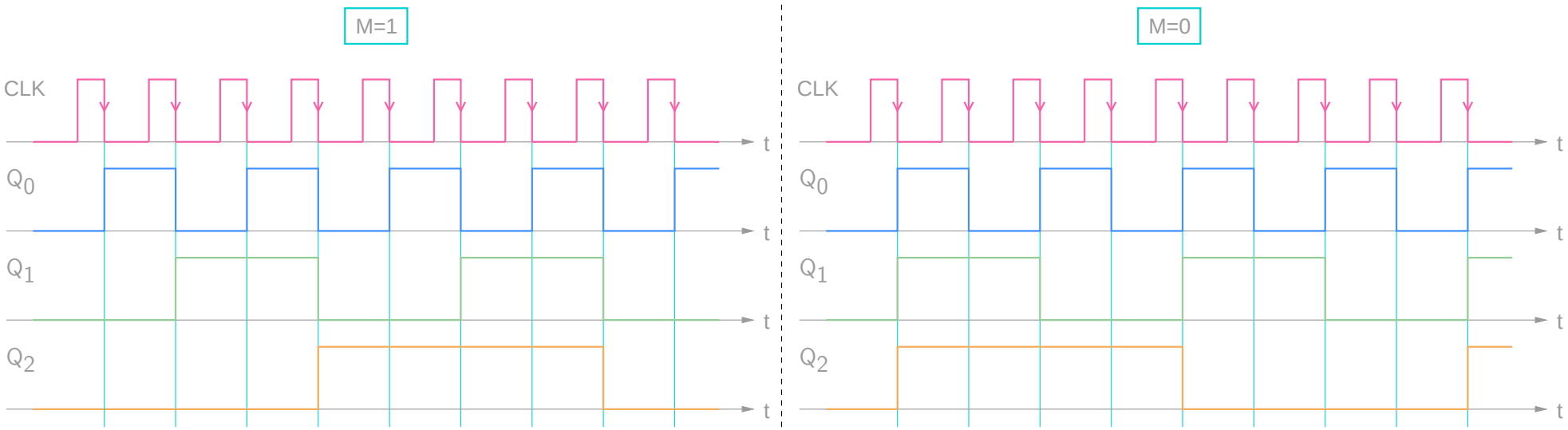
Binay ripple counters



* Home work: Sketch the waveforms (CLK, Q_0, Q_1, Q_2), and tabulate the counter states in each case.

Up-down binay ripple counters





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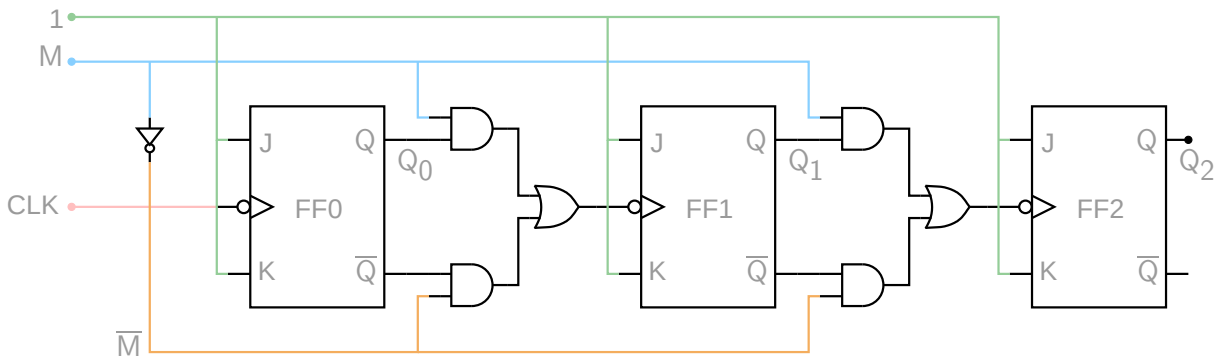
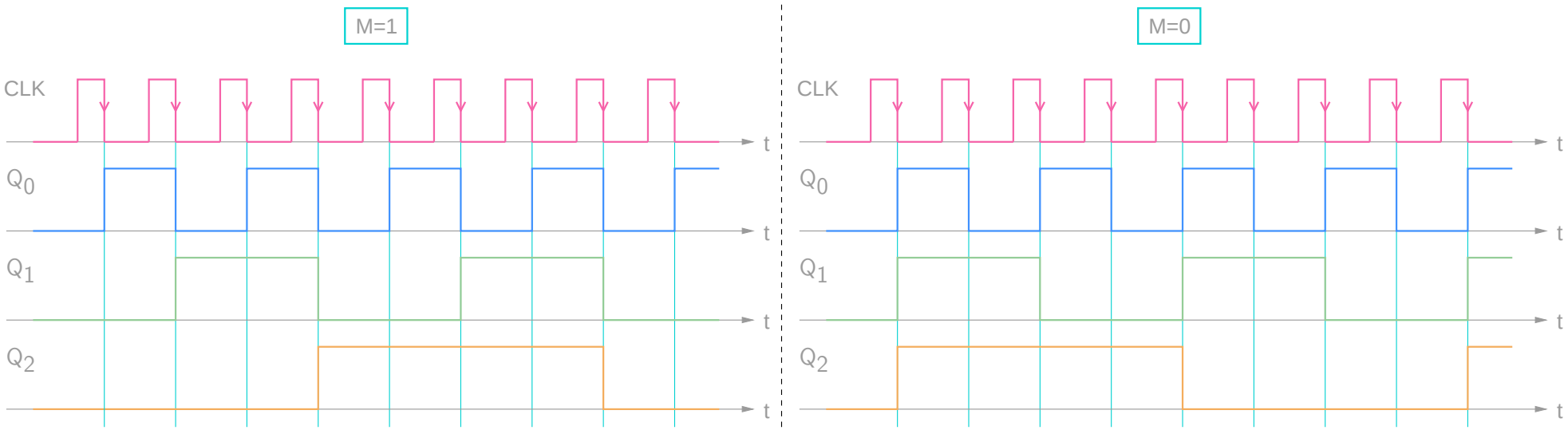
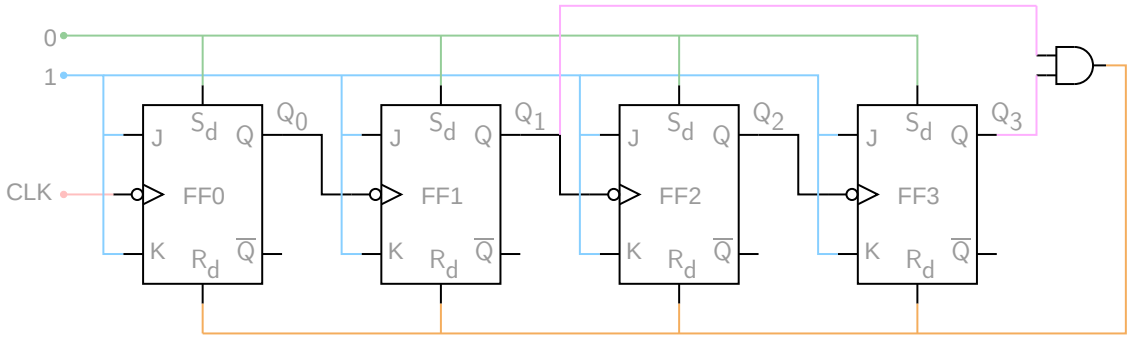
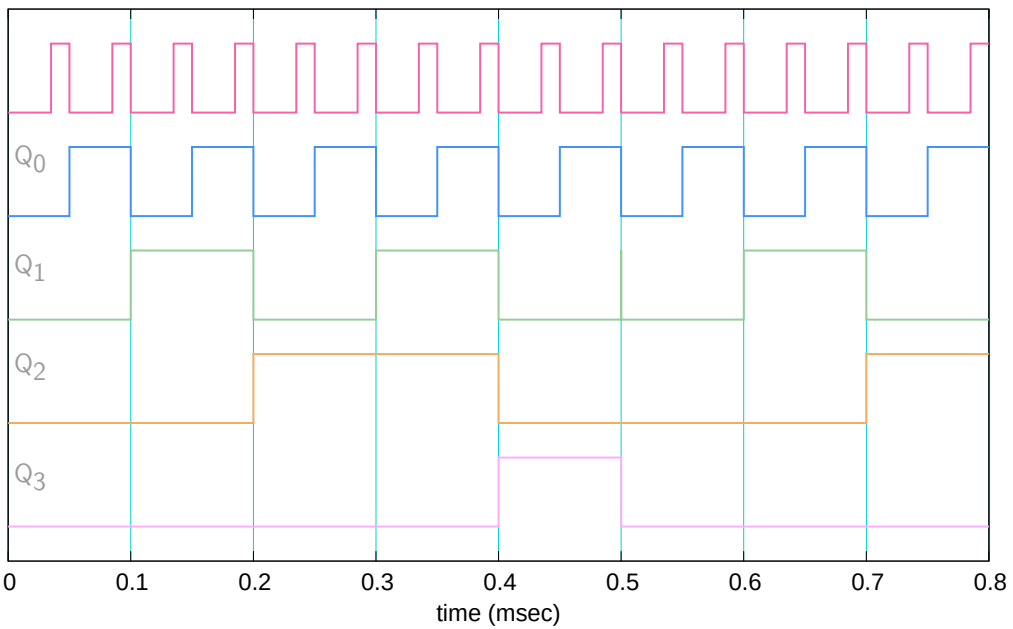




* When Mode (M) = 1, the counter counts up; else, it counts down.
(SEQUEL file: `ee101_counter_3.sqproj`)

Decade counter using direct inputs





Q_3	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
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0	0	0	1
0	0	1	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	0
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	0	1
0	0	0	0

repeats

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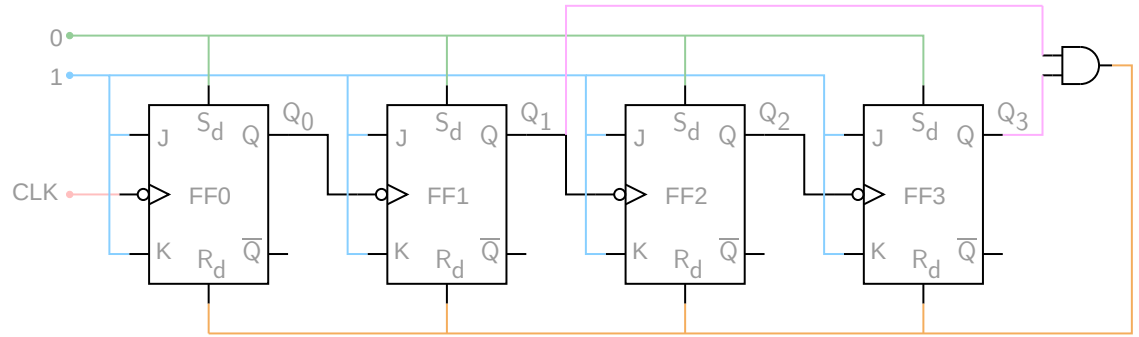
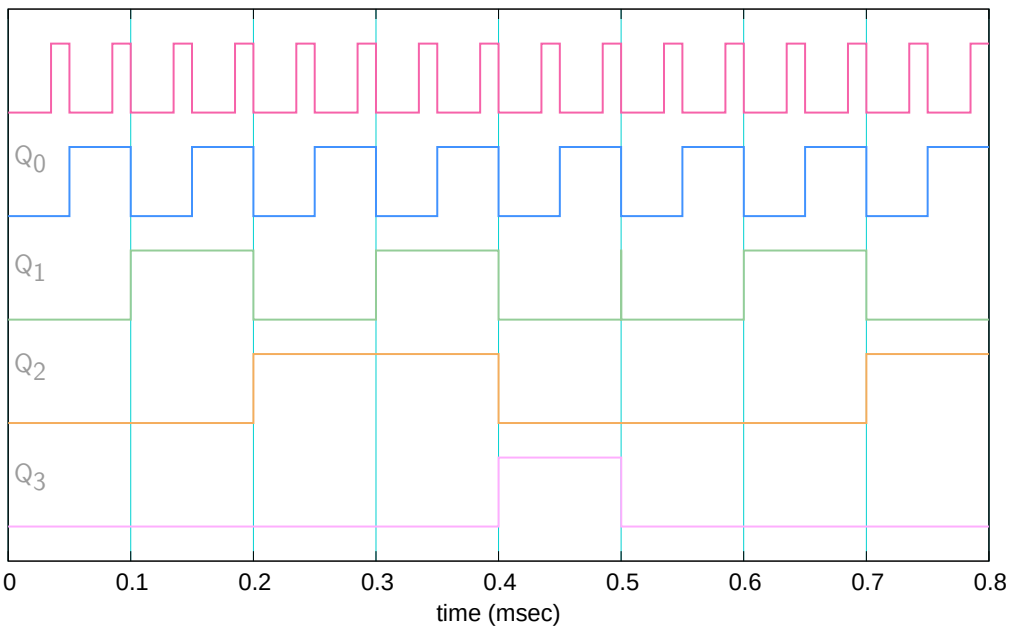


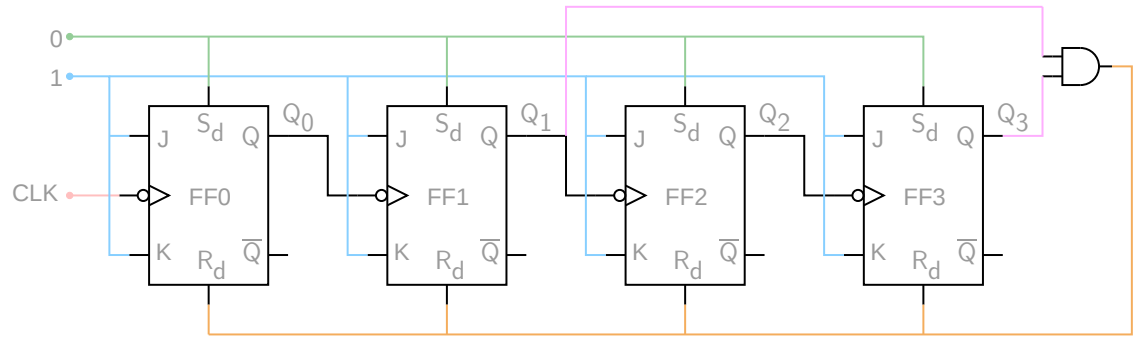


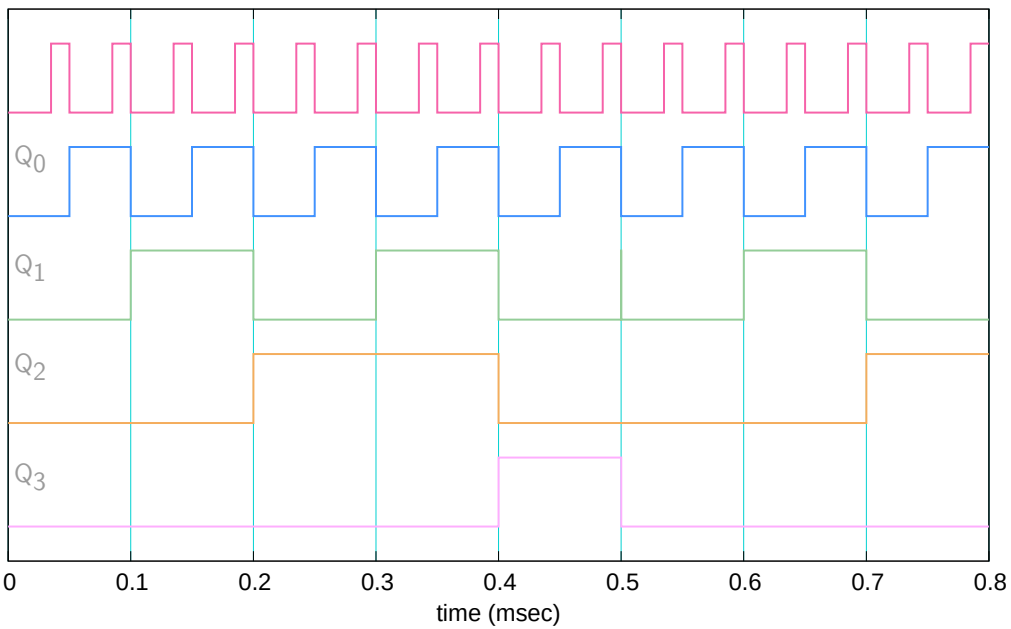
Q_3	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1
0	0	1	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	0
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	0	1
0	0	0	0

repeats

* When the counter reaches $Q_3 Q_2 Q_1 Q_0 = 1010$ (i.e., decmial 10), $Q_3 Q_1 = 1$, and the flip-flops are cleared to $Q_3 Q_2 Q_1 Q_0 = 0000$.

Decade counter using direct inputs



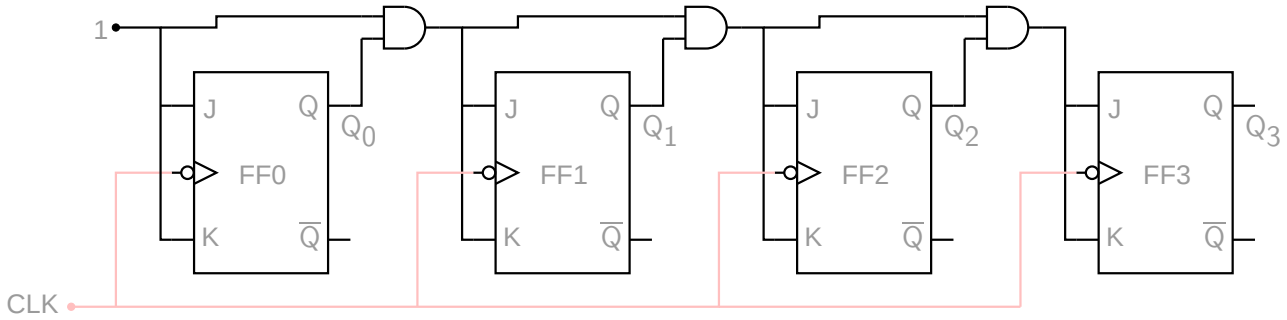


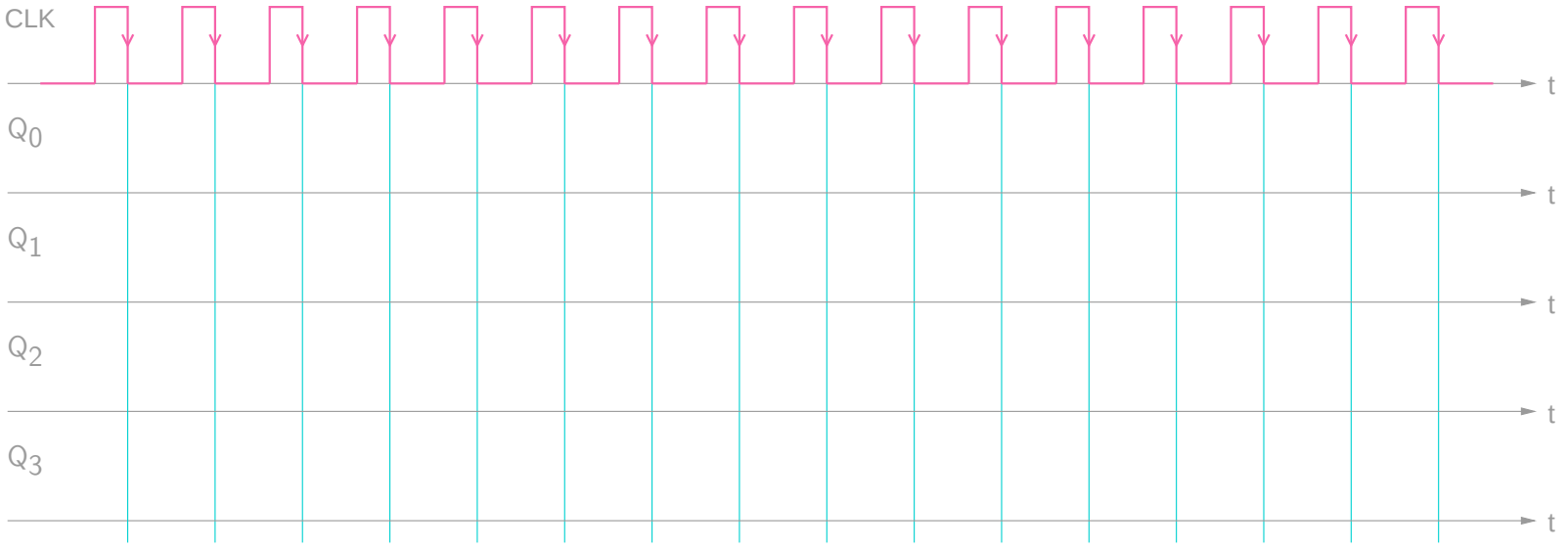
Q_3	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1
0	0	1	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	0
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	0	1
0	0	0	0

repeats

* When the counter reaches $Q_3 Q_2 Q_1 Q_0 = 1010$ (i.e., decmial 10), $Q_3 Q_1 = 1$, and the flip-flops are cleared to $Q_3 Q_2 Q_1 Q_0 = 0000$.
* The counter counts from 0000 (decimal 0) to 1001 (decimal 9) $\rightarrow$ "decade counter." (SEQUEL file: `ee101_counter_5.sqproj`)

A synchronous counter





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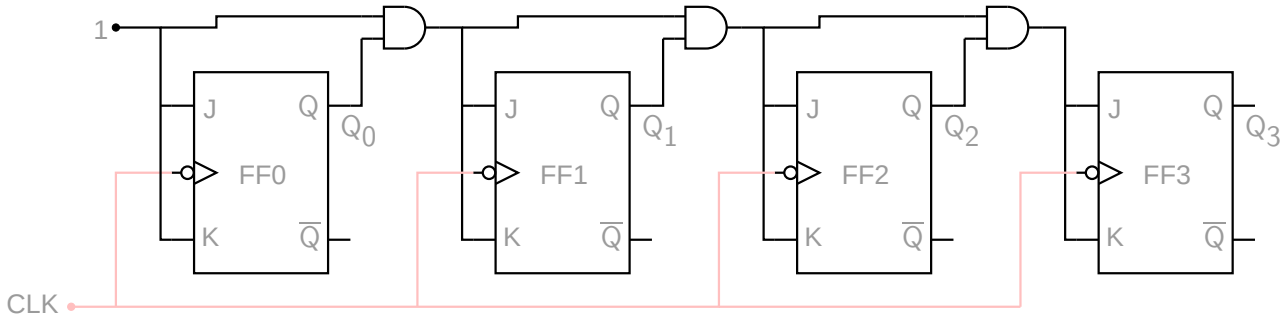

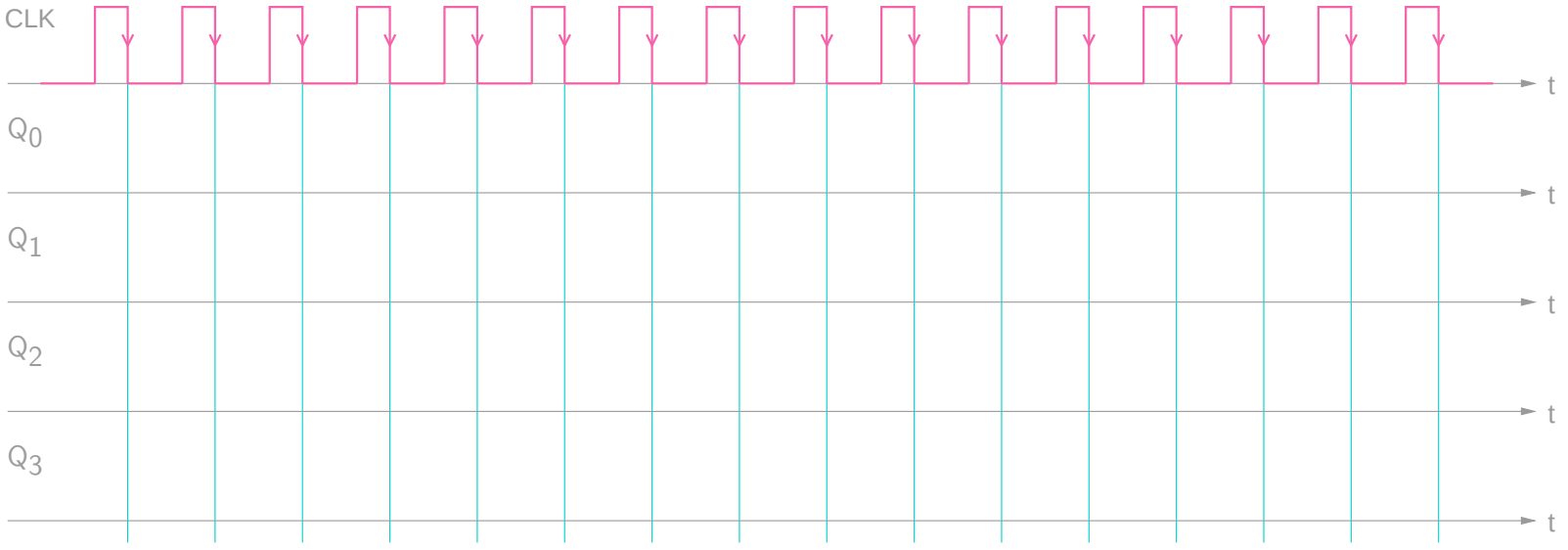

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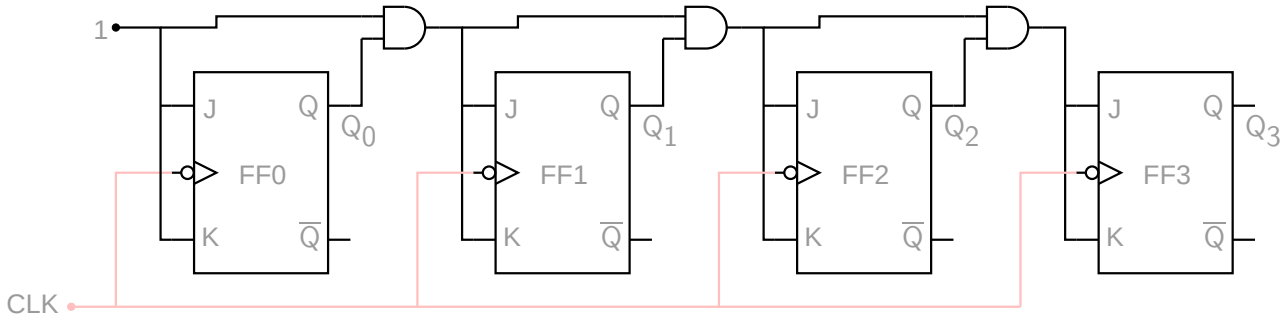

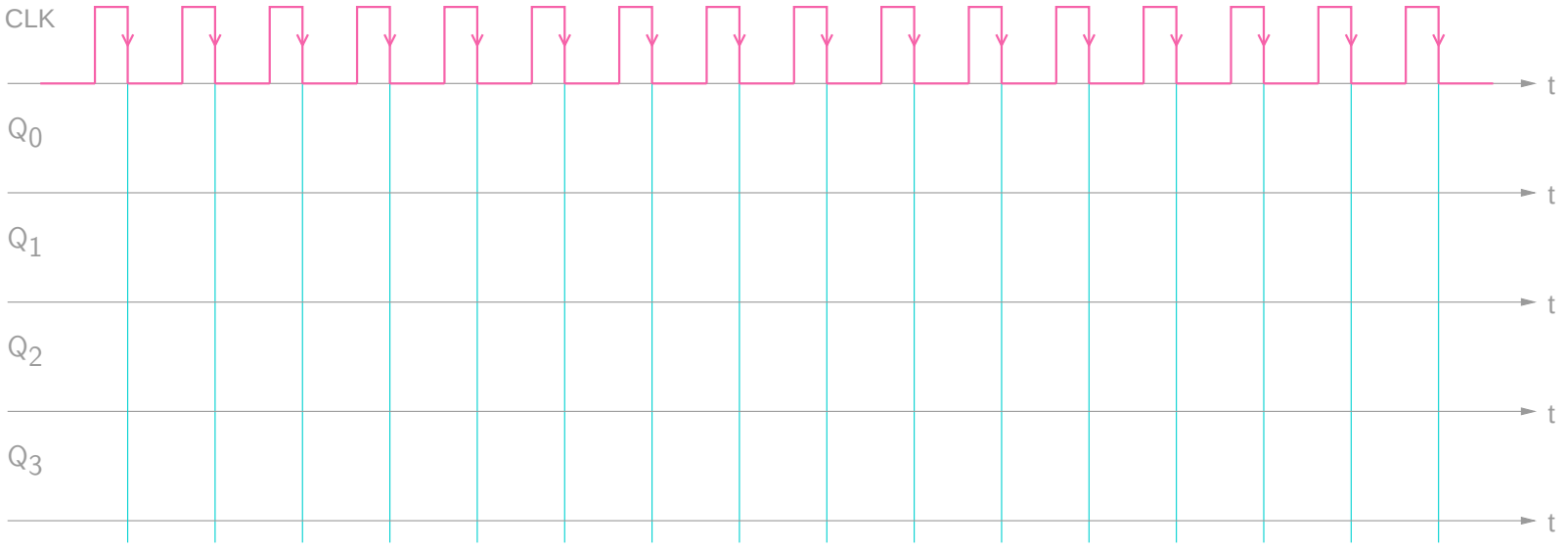

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* $J_0 = K_0 = 1,\ J_1 = K_1 = Q_0,\ J_2 = K_2 = Q_1 Q_0,\ J_3 = K_3 = Q_2 Q_1 Q_0.$

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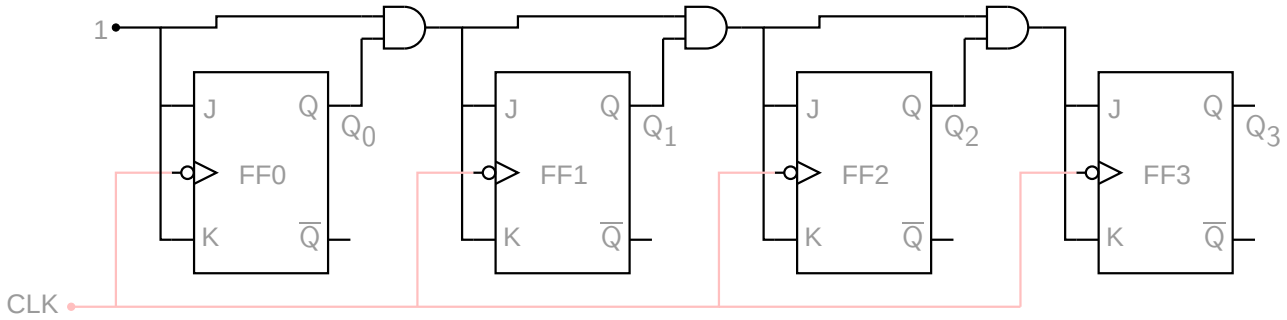

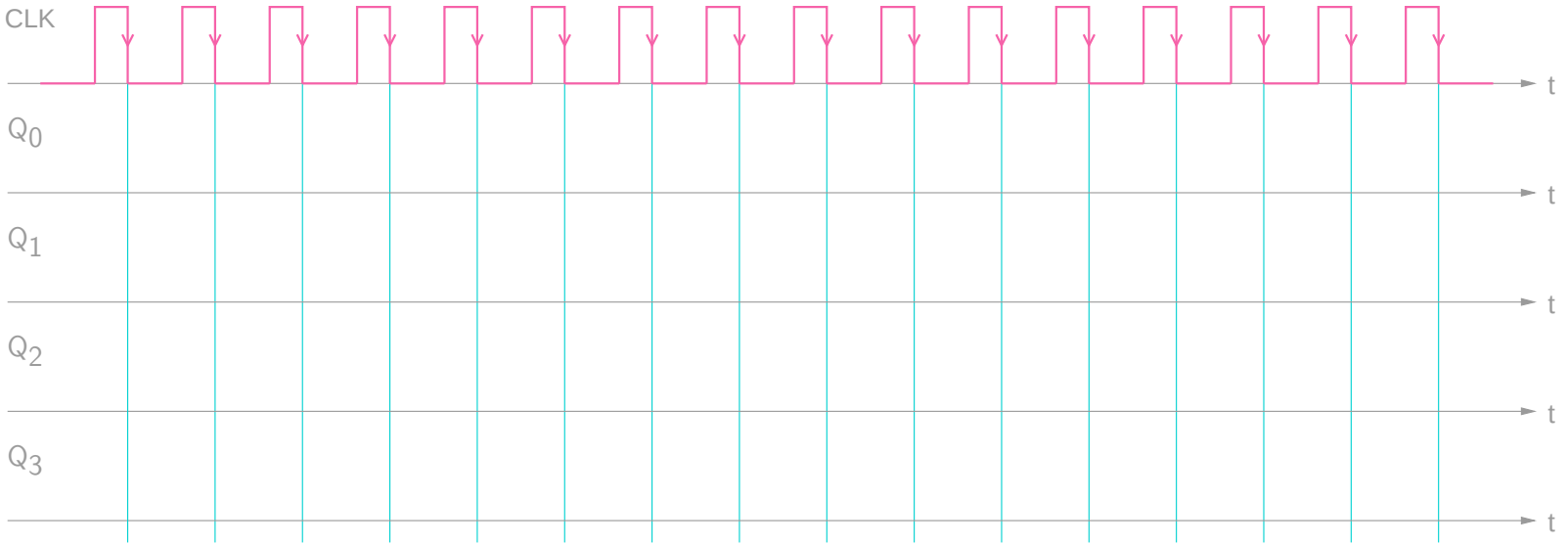

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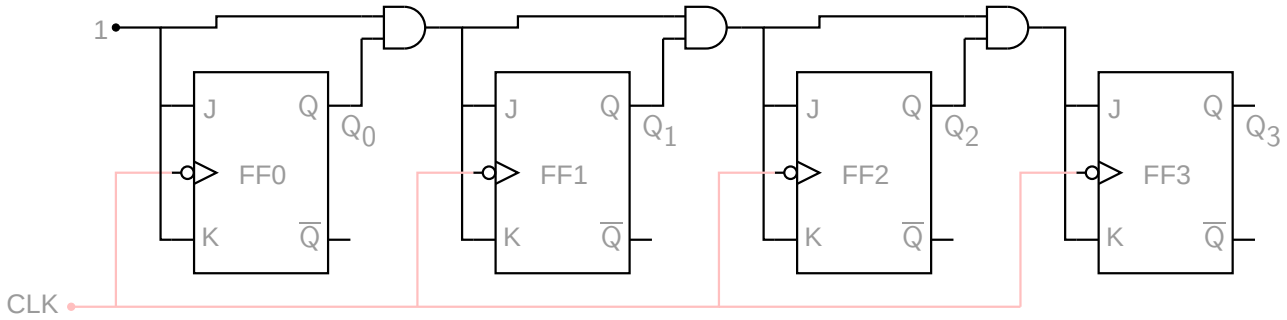

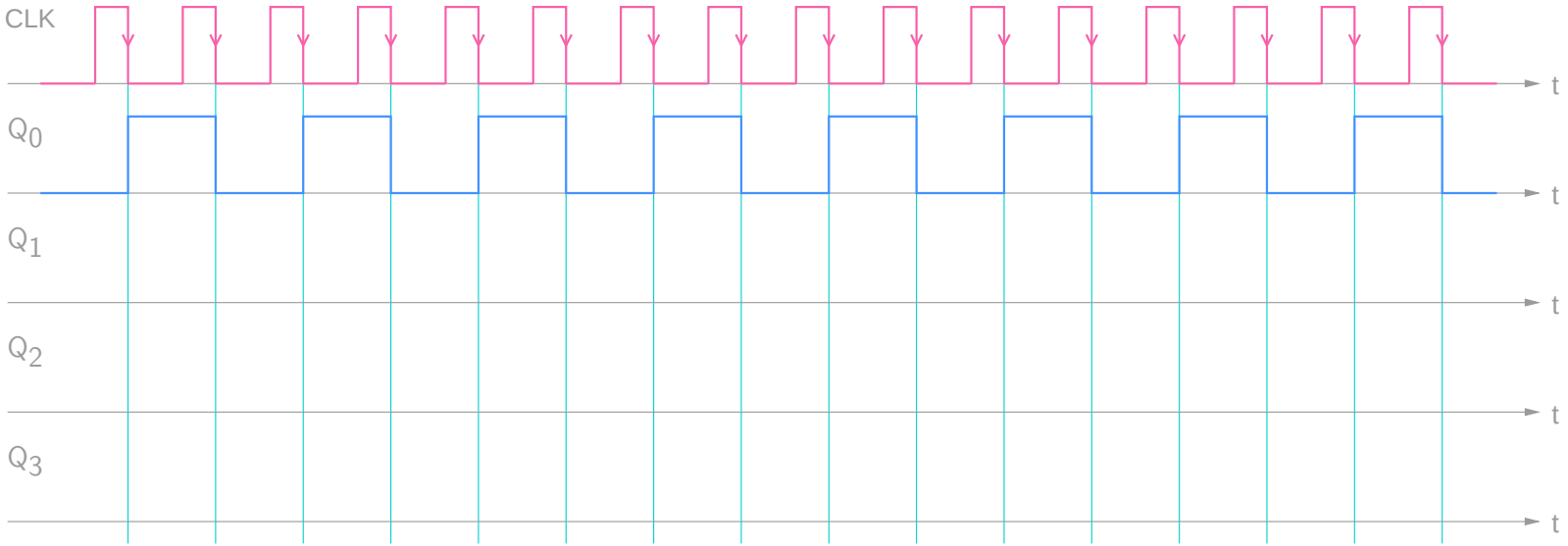

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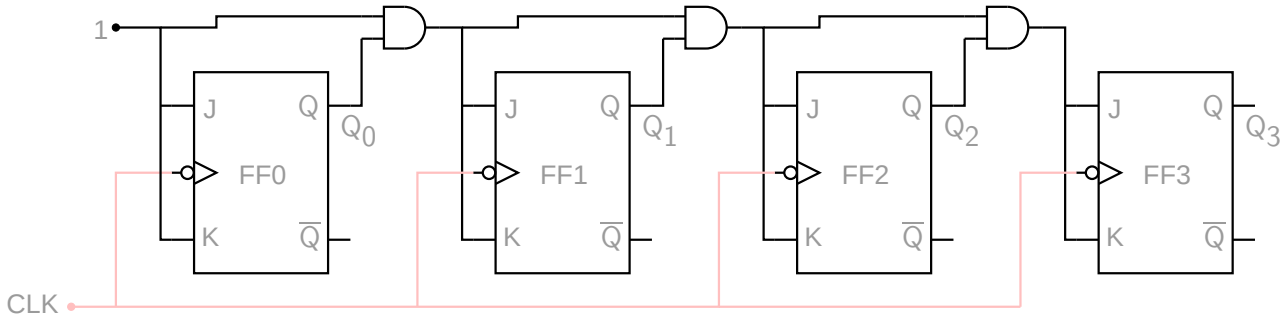

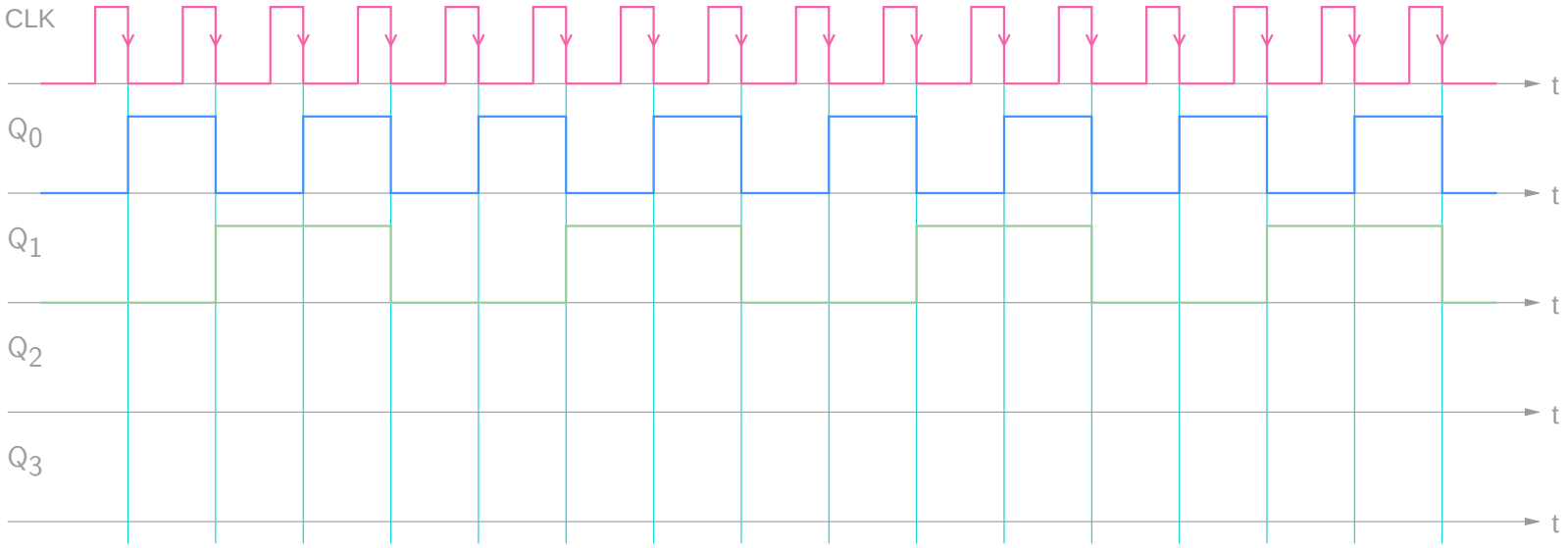

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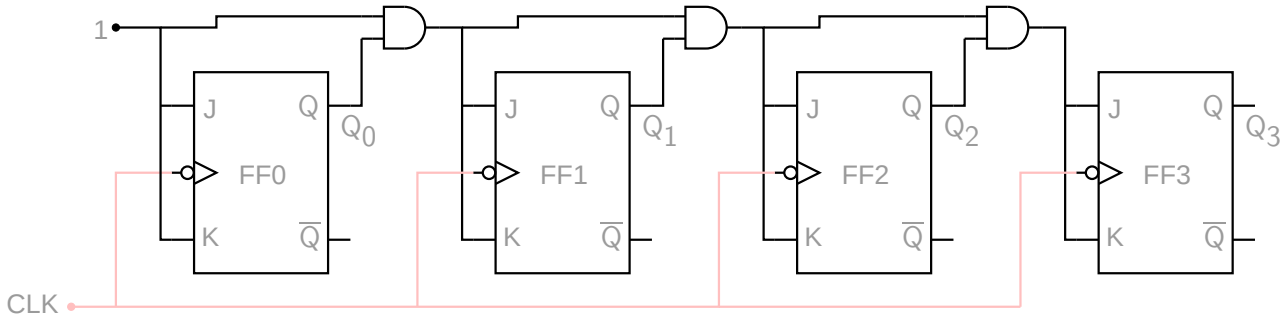

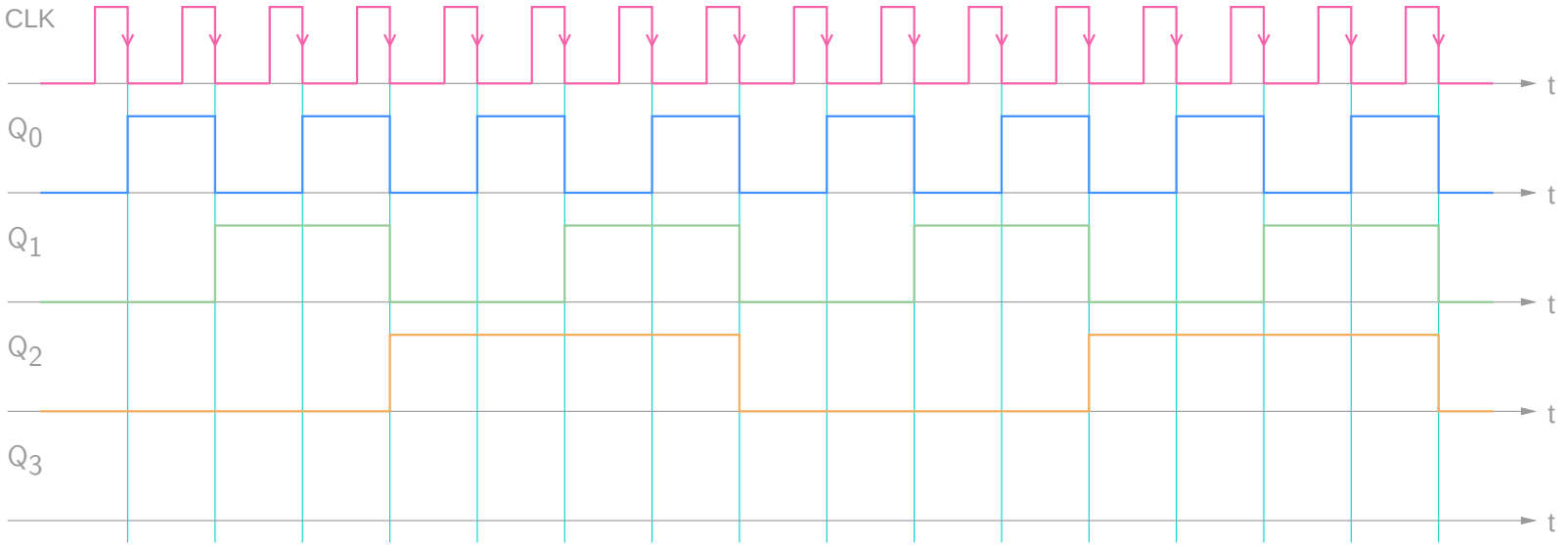

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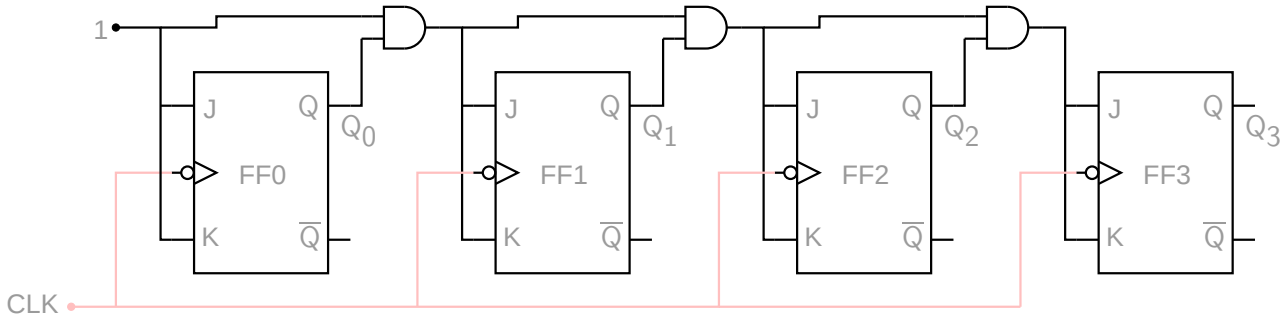

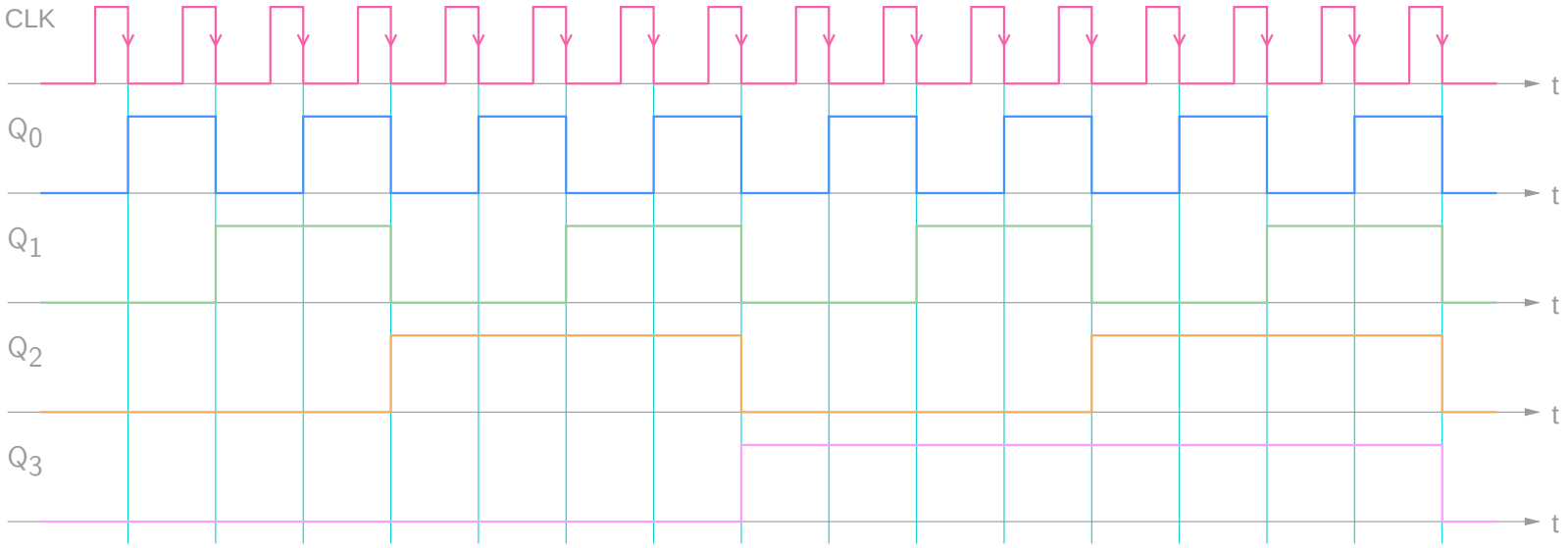

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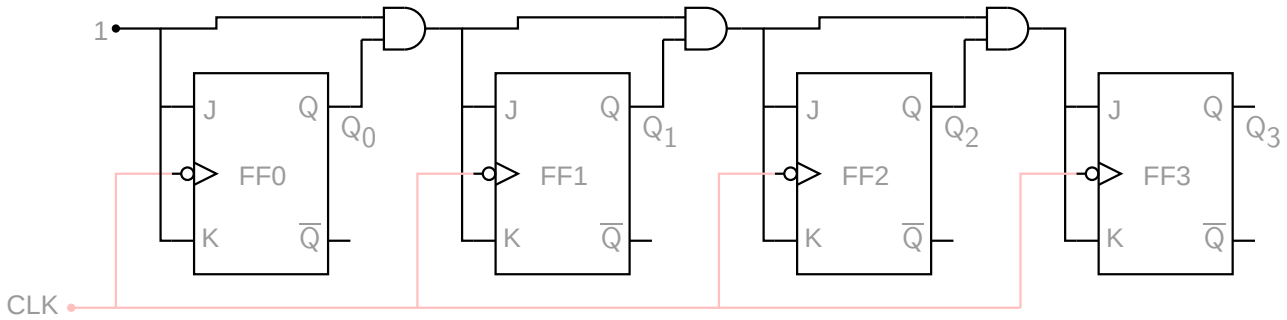

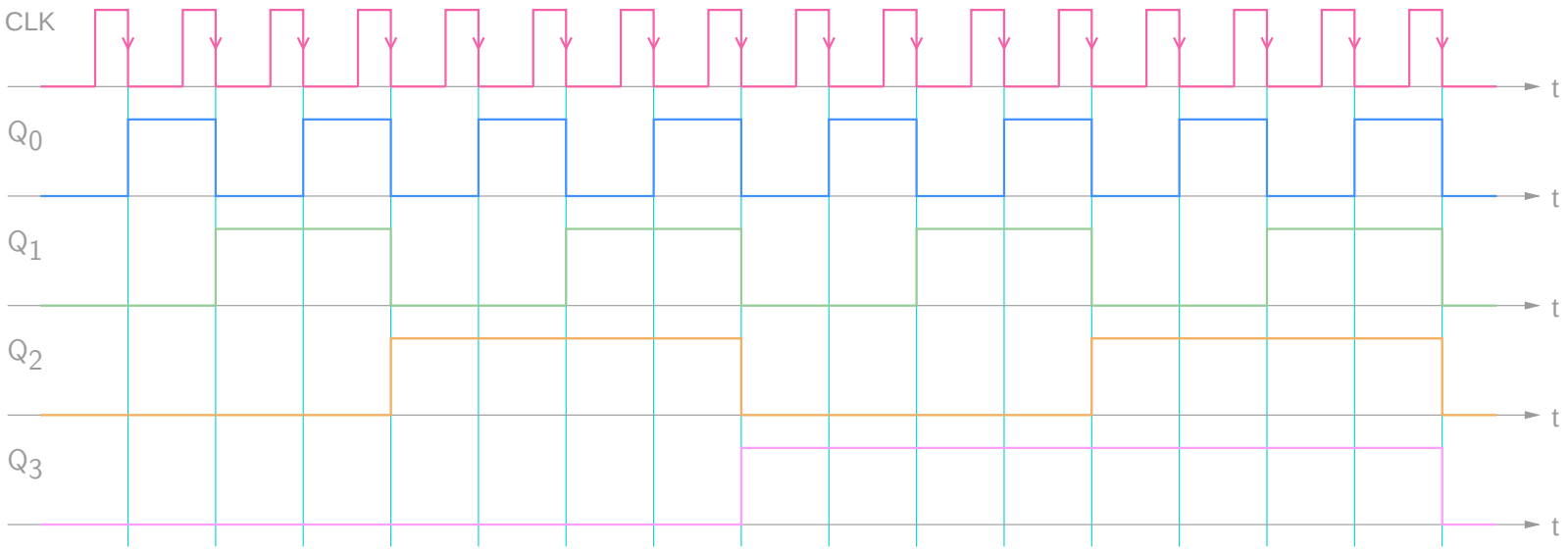

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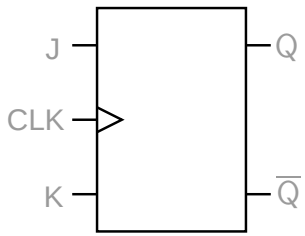
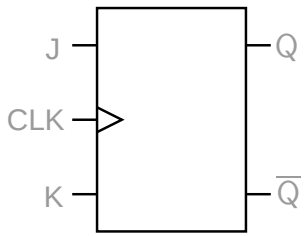
* From the waveforms, we see that it is a binary up counter.

Design of synchronous counters



CLK	J	K	Q_{n+1}
$\uparrow$	0	0	Q_n
$\uparrow$	0	1	0
$\uparrow$	1	0	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	$\overline{Q_n}$

Design of synchronous counters



CLK	J	K	Q_{n+1}
↑	0	0	Q_n
↑	0	1	0
↑	1	0	1
↑	1	1	$\overline{Q_n}$

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K

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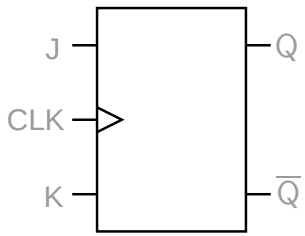

CLK	J	K	Q_{n+1}
↑	0	0	Q_n
↑	0	1	0
↑	1	0	1
↑	1	1	$\overline{Q_n}$

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K

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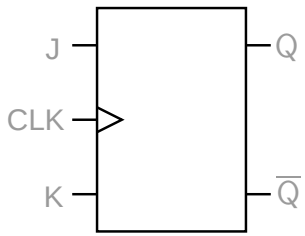
Design of synchronous counters



CLK	J	K	Q_{n+1}
↑	0	0	Q_n
↑	0	1	0
↑	1	0	1
↑	1	1	$\overline{Q_n}$

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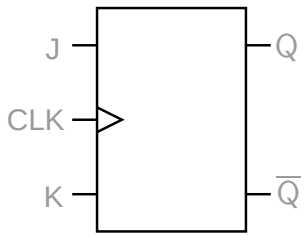
Design of synchronous counters



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CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
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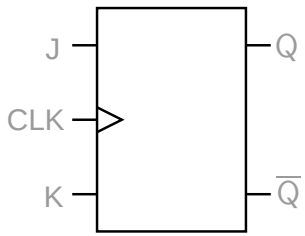
Design of synchronous counters



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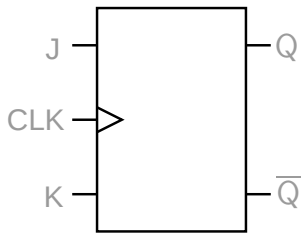
Design of synchronous counters



CLK	J	K	Q_{n+1}
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↑	1	0	1
↑	1	1	$\overline{Q_n}$

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

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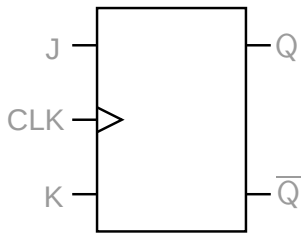

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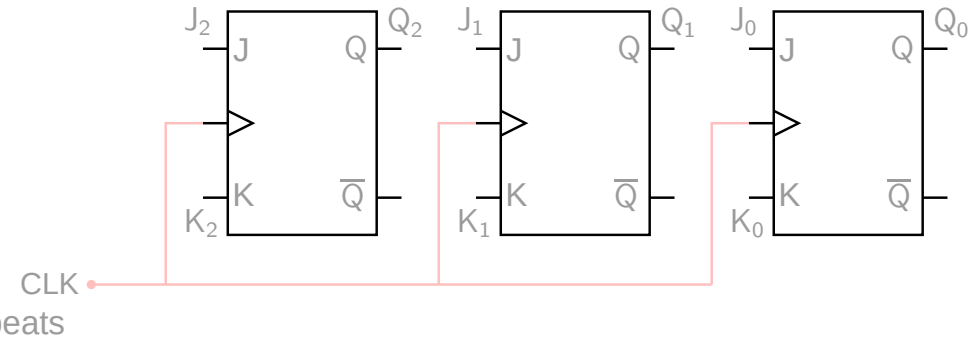
CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

* Consider the *reverse* problem: We are given Q_n and the next desired state (Q_{n+1}). What should J and K be in order to make that happen?
* $Q_n = 0$, $Q_{n+1} = 0$: We can either force $Q_{n+1} = 0$ with $J = 0$, $K = 1$, or let $Q_{n+1} = Q_n = 0$ by making $J = 0$, $K = 0$.
  $\rightarrow$ $J = 0$, $K = X$ (i.e., K can be 0 or 1).
* Similarly, work out the other entries in the table.
* The table for a negative edge-triggered flip-flop would be identical excpet for the active edge.

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
1	0	0	0
2	0	0	1
3	0	1	0
4	0	1	1
5	1	0	0
1	0	0	0

repeats



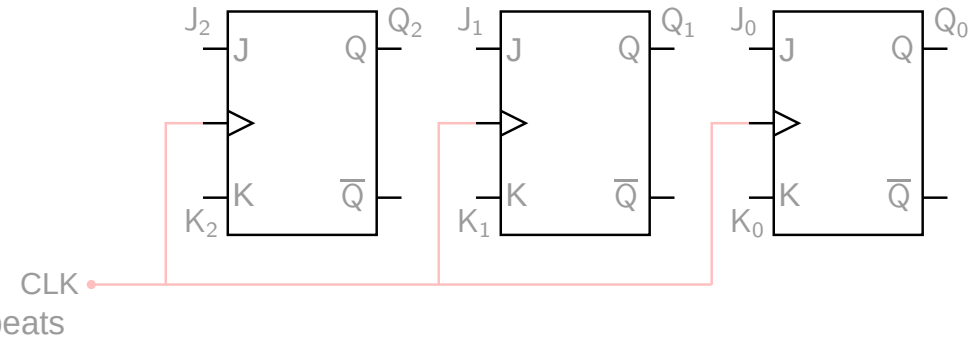
CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design a synchronous mod-5 counter with the given state transition table.

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
1	0	0	0
2	0	0	1
3	0	1	0
4	0	1	1
5	1	0	0
1	0	0	0

repeats



CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

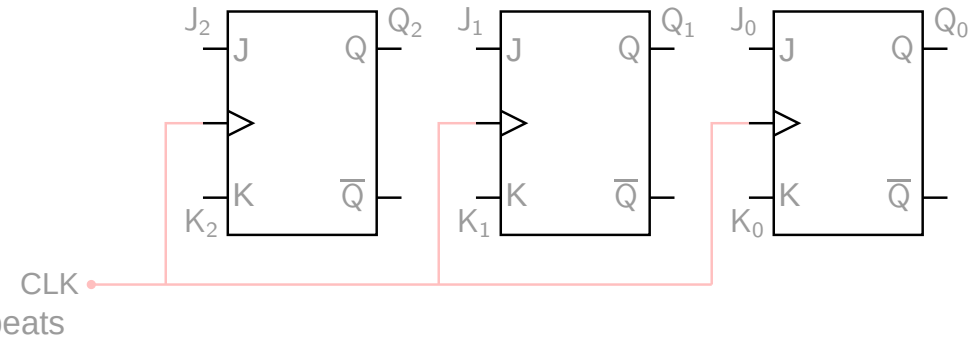
Design a synchronous mod-5 counter with the given state transition table.

Outline of method:

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
1	0	0	0
2	0	0	1
3	0	1	0
4	0	1	1
5	1	0	0
1	0	0	0

repeats



CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design a synchronous mod-5 counter with the given state transition table.

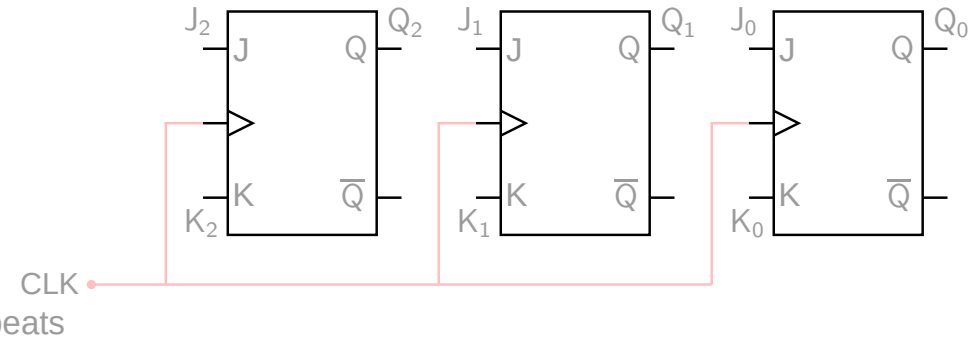
Outline of method:

* State 1 $\rightarrow$ State 2 means
  Q_2: 0 $\rightarrow$ 0,
  Q_1: 0 $\rightarrow$ 0,
  Q_0: 0 $\rightarrow$ 1.

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
1	0	0	0
2	0	0	1
3	0	1	0
4	0	1	1
5	1	0	0
1	0	0	0

repeats



CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design a synchronous mod-5 counter with the given state transition table.

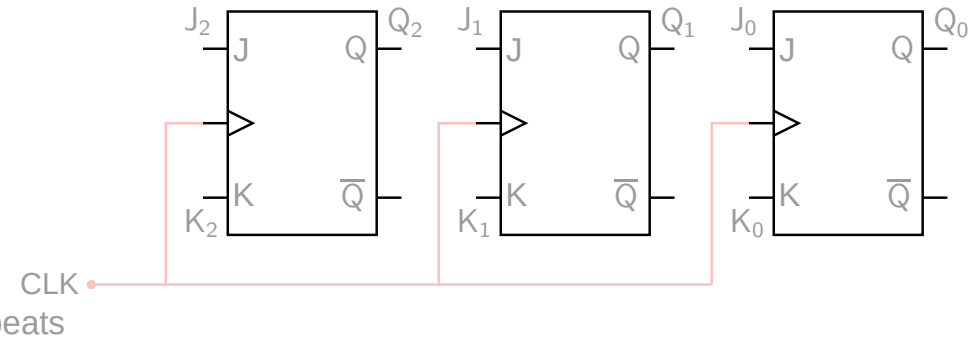
Outline of method:

* State 1 $\rightarrow$ State 2 means
  Q_2: $0 \rightarrow 0$,
  Q_1: $0 \rightarrow 0$,
  Q_0: $0 \rightarrow 1$.
* Refer to the right table. For Q_2: $0 \rightarrow 0$, we must have $J_2 = 0$, $K_2 = X$, and so on.

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
1	0	0	0
2	0	0	1
3	0	1	0
4	0	1	1
5	1	0	0
1	0	0	0

repeats



CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design a synchronous mod-5 counter with the given state transition table.

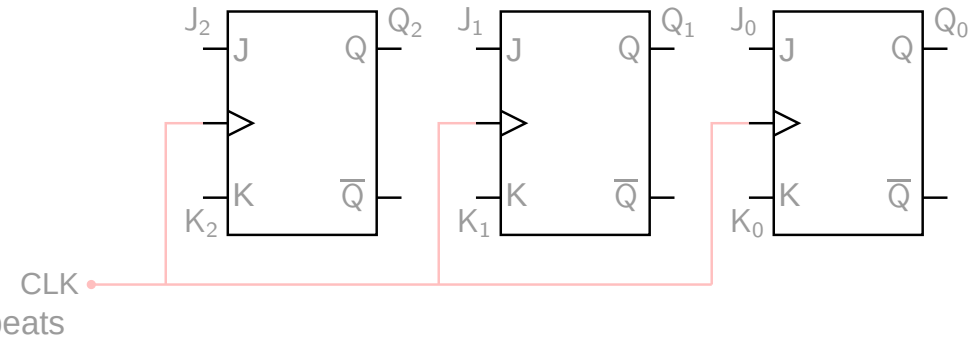
Outline of method:

* State 1 $\rightarrow$ State 2 means
  Q_2: $0 \rightarrow 0$,
  Q_1: $0 \rightarrow 0$,
  Q_0: $0 \rightarrow 1$.
* Refer to the right table. For Q_2: $0 \rightarrow 0$, we must have $J_2 = 0$, $K_2 = X$, and so on.
* When we cover all transitions in the left table, we have the truth tables for J_0, K_0, J_1, K_1, J_2, K_2 in terms of Q_1, Q_2, Q_3.

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0
1	0	0	0
2	0	0	1
3	0	1	0
4	0	1	1
5	1	0	0
1	0	0	0

repeats



CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design a synchronous mod-5 counter with the given state transition table.

Outline of method:

* State 1 $\rightarrow$ State 2 means
  Q_2: $0 \rightarrow 0$,
  Q_1: $0 \rightarrow 0$,
  Q_0: $0 \rightarrow 1$.
* Refer to the right table. For Q_2: $0 \rightarrow 0$, we must have $J_2 = 0$, $K_2 = X$, and so on.
* When we cover all transitions in the left table, we have the truth tables for J_0, K_0, J_1, K_1, J_2, K_2 in terms of Q_1, Q_2, Q_3.
* The last step is to come up with suitable functions for J_0, K_0, J_1, K_1, J_2, K_2 in terms of Q_1, Q_2, Q_3. This can be done with K-maps. (If the number of flip-flops is more than 4, other techniques can be employed.)

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0						
2	0	0	1						
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0						
2	0	0	1						
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X				
2	0	0	1						
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X		
2	0	0	1						
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1						
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1						
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X				
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X		
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0						
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X				
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0		
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1						
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X				
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1		
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0						
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CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
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Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
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3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0						
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0	X	1				
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0	X	1	0	X		
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0	X	1	0	X	0	X
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
↑	0	0	0	X
↑	0	1	1	X
↑	1	0	X	1
↑	1	1	X	0

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0	X	1	0	X	0	X
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

* We now have the truth tables for J_0, K_0, J_1, K_1, J_2, K_2 in terms of Q_0, Q_1, Q_2. The next step is to find logical functions for each of them.

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0	X	1	0	X	0	X
1	0	0	0						

CLK	Q_n	Q_{n+1}	J	K
$\uparrow$	0	0	0	X
$\uparrow$	0	1	1	X
$\uparrow$	1	0	X	1
$\uparrow$	1	1	X	0

* We now have the truth tables for J_0, K_0, J_1, K_1, J_2, K_2 in terms of Q_0, Q_1, Q_2. The next step is to find logical functions for each of them.
* Note that we have not tabulated the J and K values for those combinations of Q_0, Q_1, Q_2 which do not occur in the state transition table (such as $Q_2 Q_1 Q_0 = 110$). We treat these as don't care conditions (next slide).

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0	X	1	0	X	0	X
1	0	0	0						

J_2

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	0	0	X	X
1	0	1	X	X

K_2

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	X	X	1
1	X	X	X	X

J_1

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	0	X	X	0
1	1	X	X	X

K_1

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	0	X	X
1	X	1	X	X

J_0

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	1	1	X	0
1	X	X	X	X

K_0

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	X	X	X
1	1	1	X	X

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0	X	1	0	X	0	X
1	0	0	0						

J_2

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	0	0	X	X
1	0	1	X	X

K_2

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	X	X	1
1	X	X	X	X

J_1

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	0	X	X	0
1	1	X	X	X

K_1

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	0	X	X
1	X	1	X	X

J_0

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	1	1	X	0
1	X	X	X	X

K_0

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	X	X	X
1	1	1	X	X

* We treat the unused states ($Q_2Q_1Q_0 = 101, 110, 111$) as (additional) don't care conditions. Since these are different from the don't care conditions arising from the state transition table, we mark them with a different colour.

Design of synchronous counters

state	Q_2	Q_1	Q_0	J_2	K_2	J_1	K_1	J_0	K_0
1	0	0	0	0	X	0	X	1	X
2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0	X	1	0	X	0	X
1	0	0	0						

J_2

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	0	0	X	X
1	0	1	X	X

K_2

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	X	X	1
1	X	X	X	X

J_1

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
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1	1	X	X	X

K_1

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	0	X	X
1	X	1	X	X

J_0

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	1	1	X	0
1	X	X	X	X

K_0

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	X	X	X
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Design of synchronous counters

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2	0	0	1	0	X	1	X	X	1
3	0	1	0	0	X	X	0	1	X
4	0	1	1	1	X	X	1	X	1
5	1	0	0	X	1	0	X	0	X
1	0	0	0						

J_2

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	0	0	X	X
1	0	1	X	X

K_2

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	X	X	1
1	X	X	X	X

J_1

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	0	X	X	0
1	1	X	X	X

K_1

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	X	0	X	X
1	X	1	X	X

J_0

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
0	1	1	X	0
1	X	X	X	X

K_0

Q_0 \ Q_2Q_1	00	01	11	10
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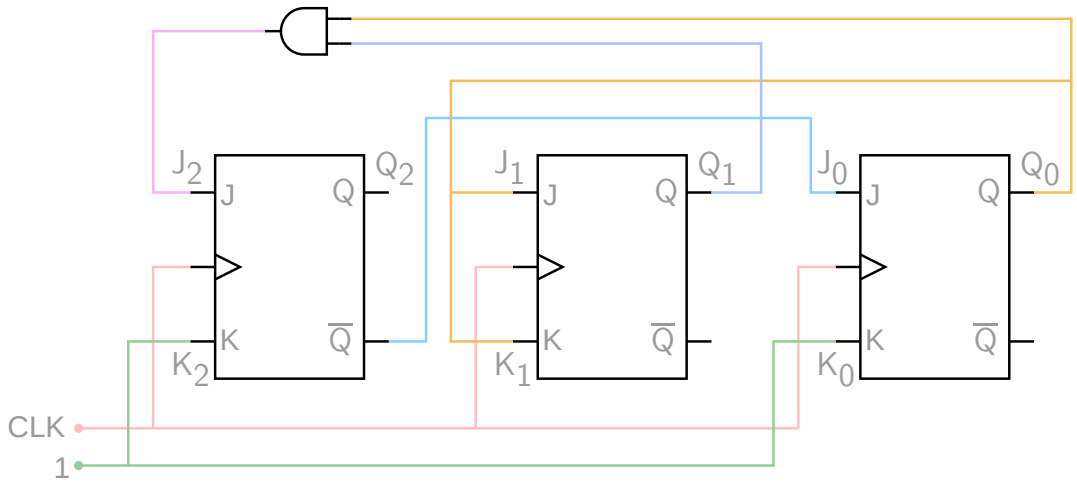
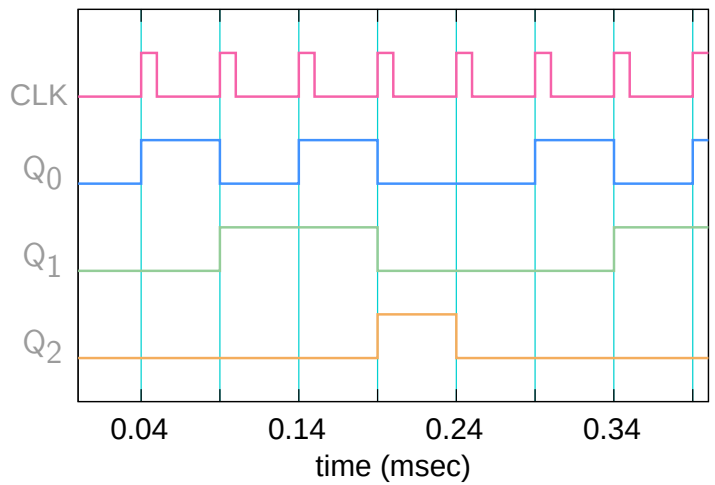
* From the K-maps, $J_2 = Q_1Q_0$, $K_2 = 1$, $J_1 = Q_0$, $K_1 = Q_0$, $J_0 = \overline{Q_2}$, $K_0 = 1$.

Design of synchronous counters: verification





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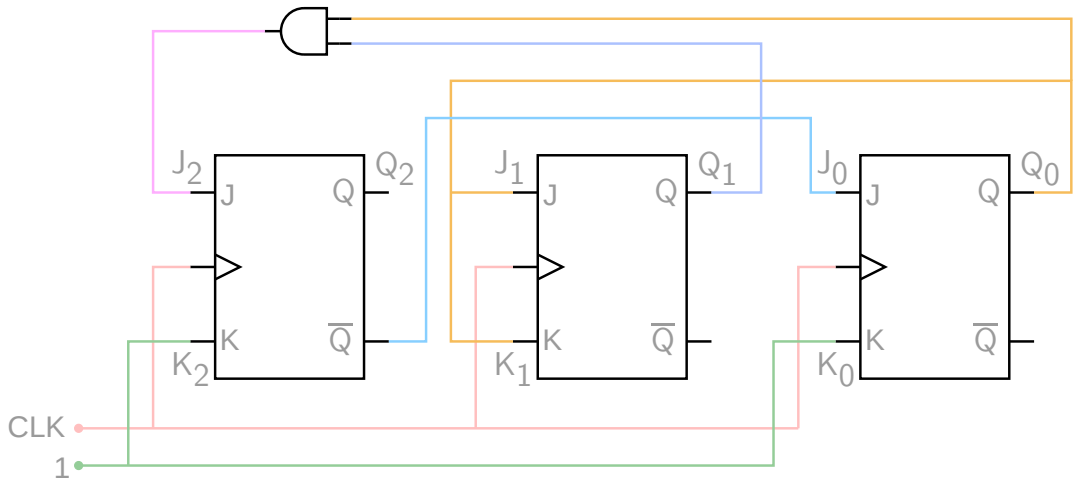

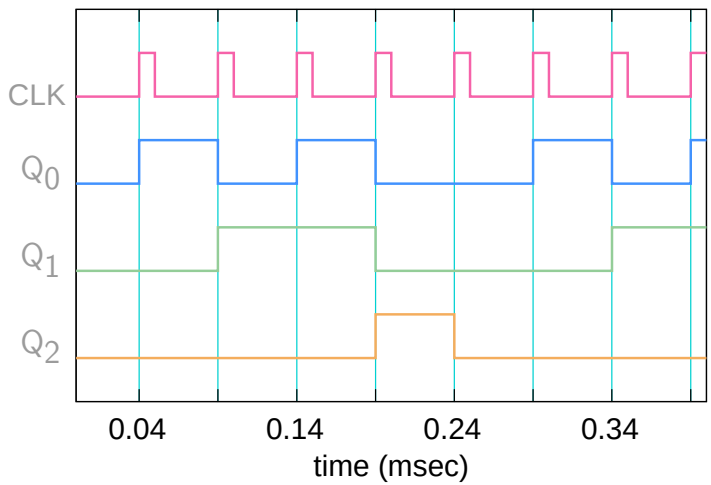

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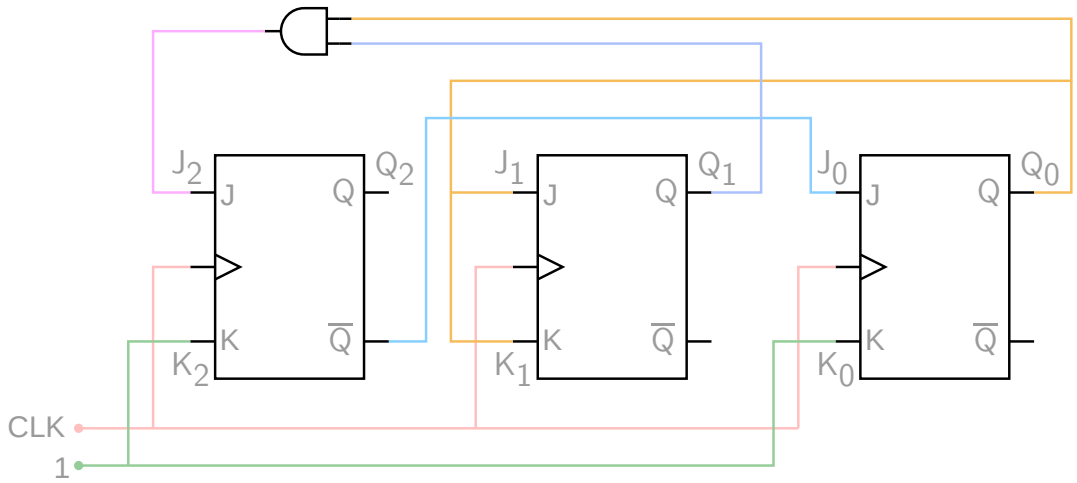

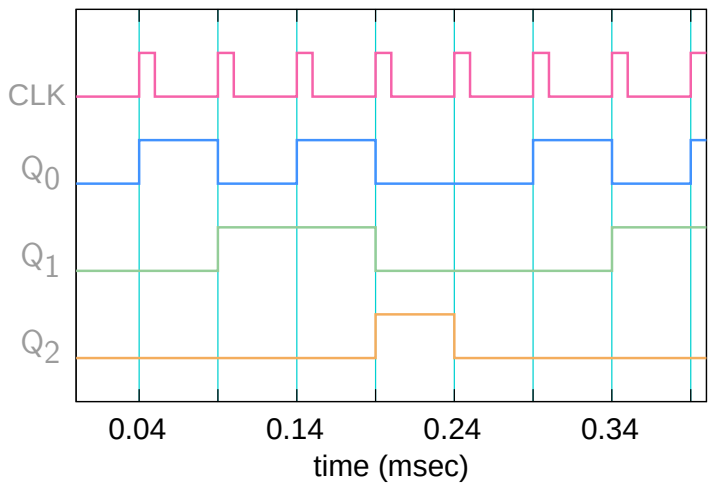

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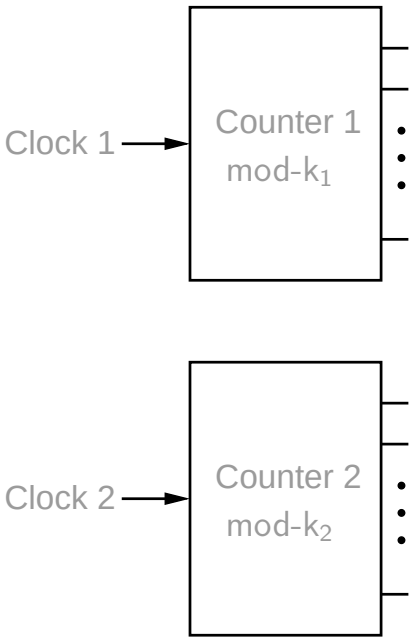
Combination of counters



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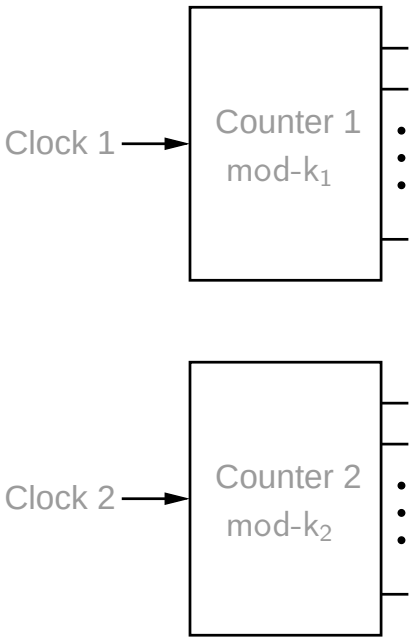
Combination of counters



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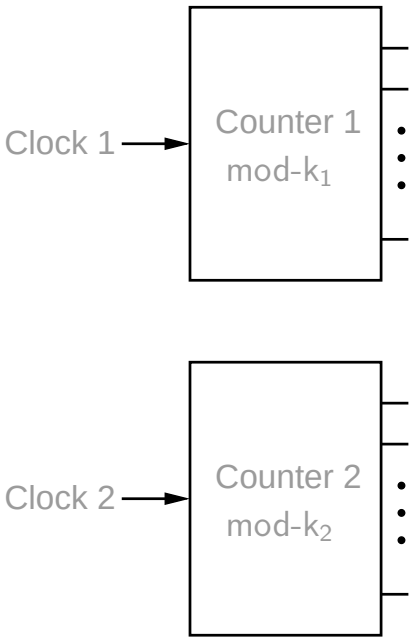

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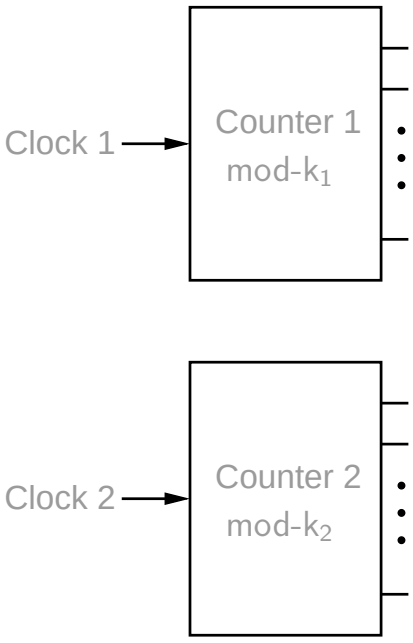
Combination of counters



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* There are two ways of providing synchronisation:
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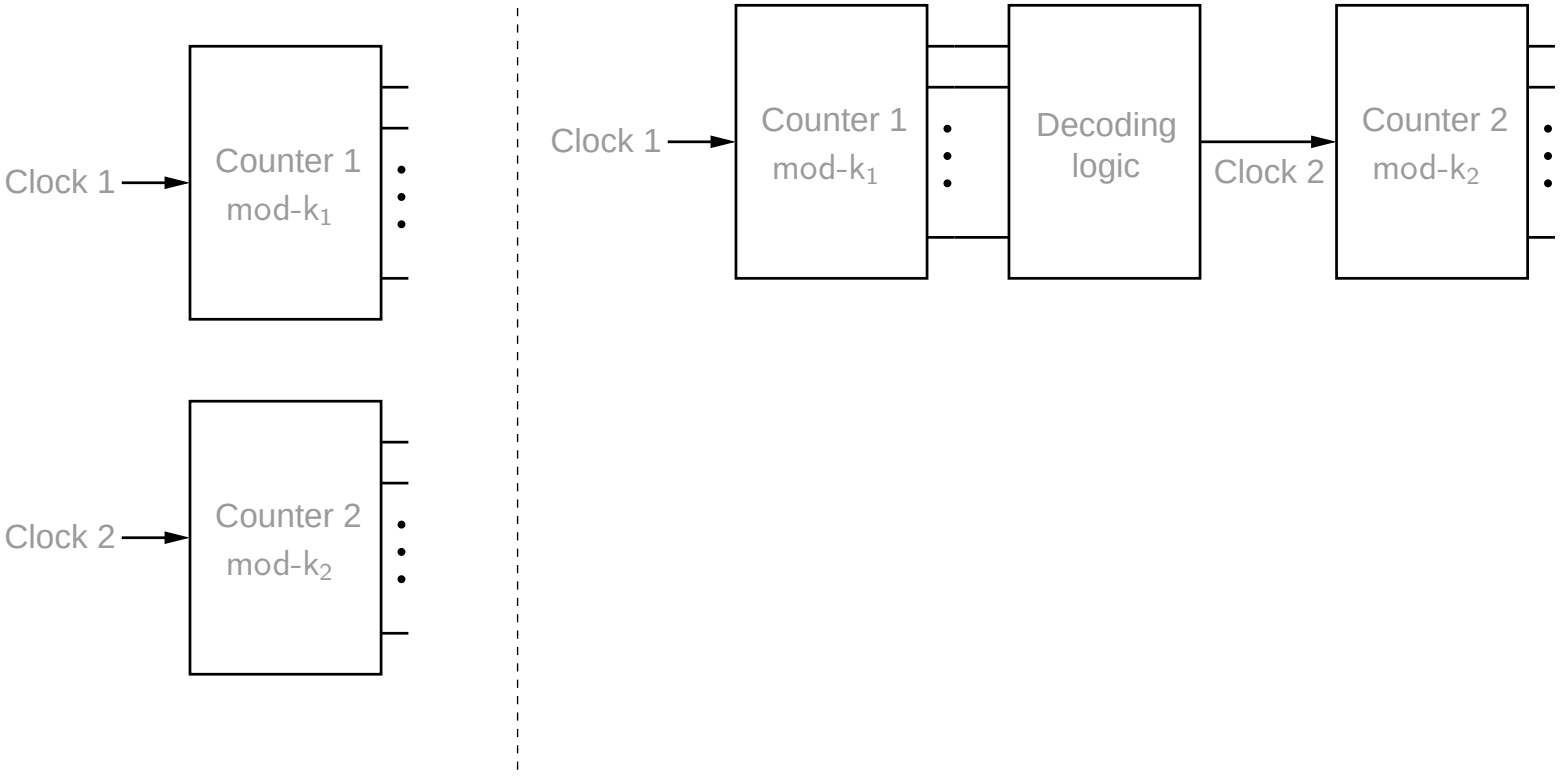

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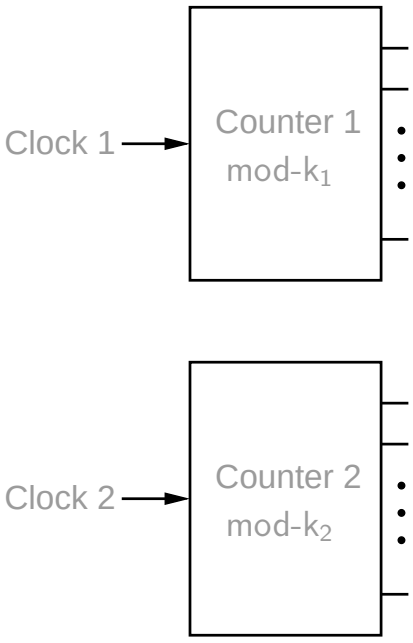

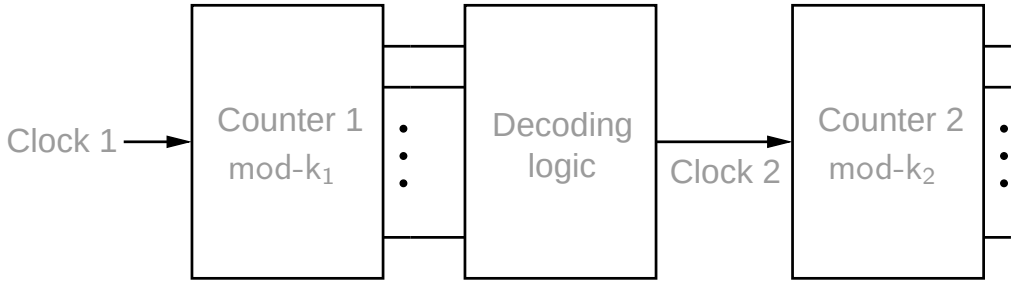

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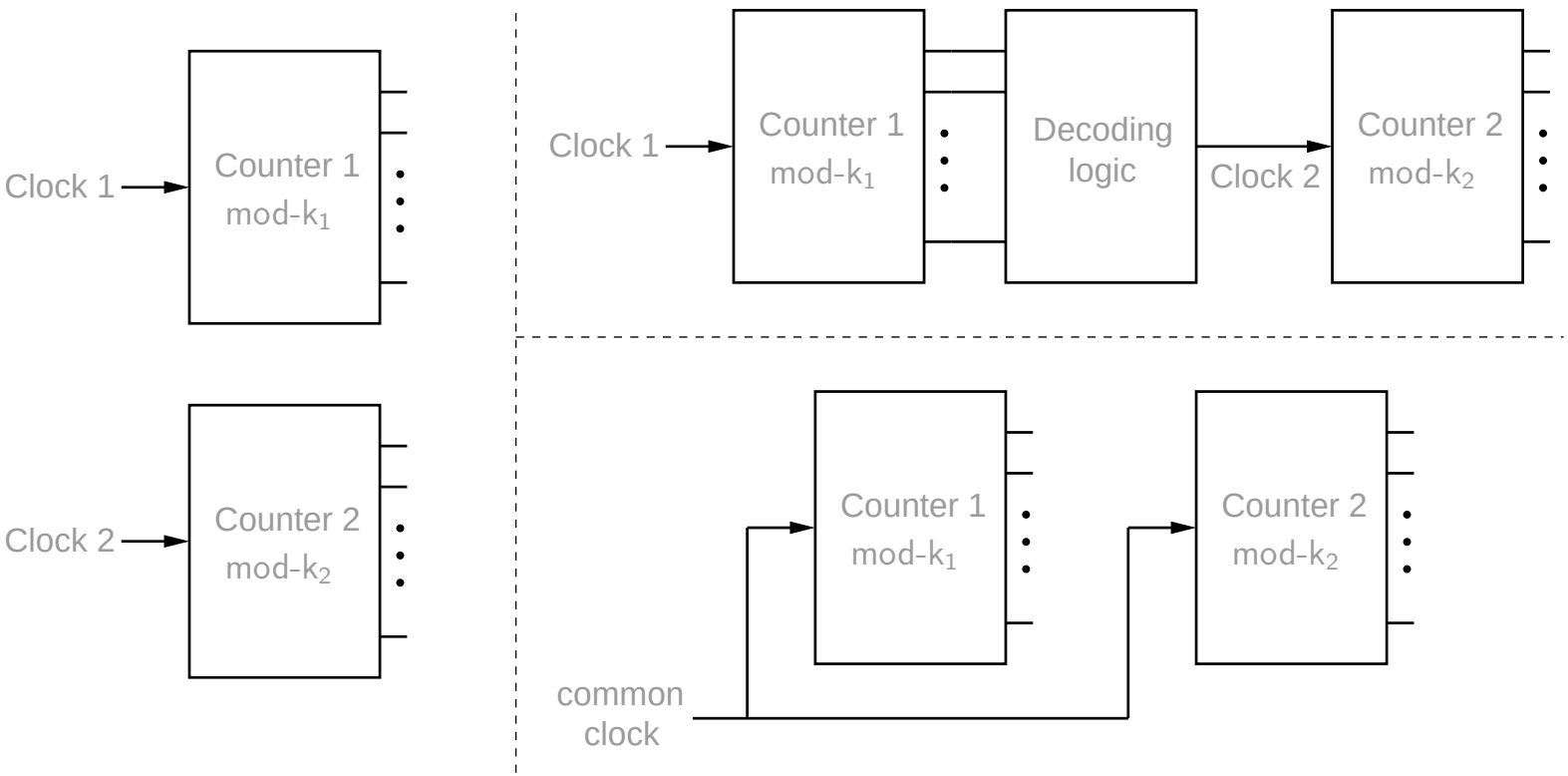
Combination of counters



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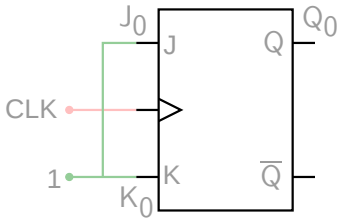
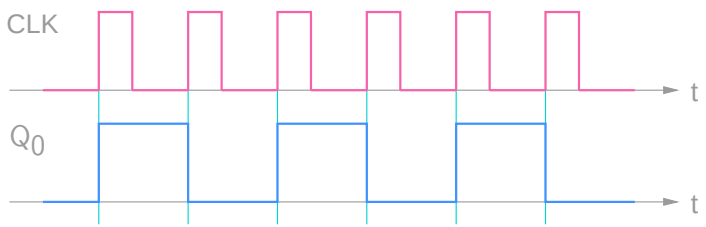
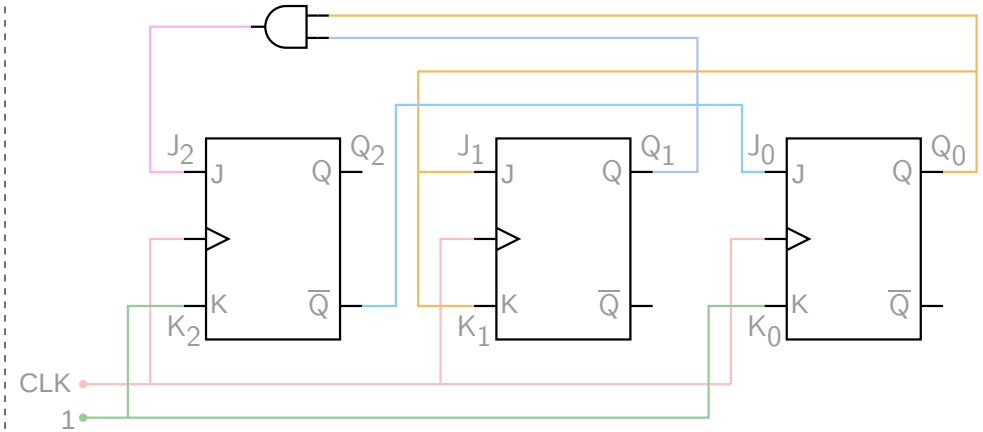
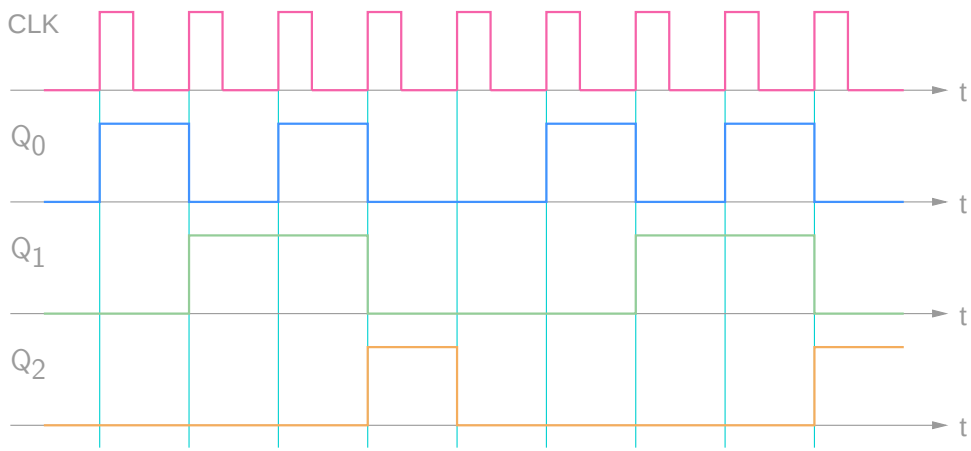




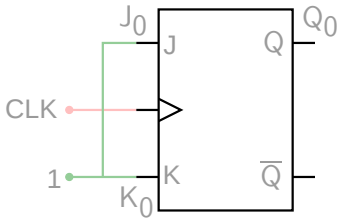
mod−2 counter

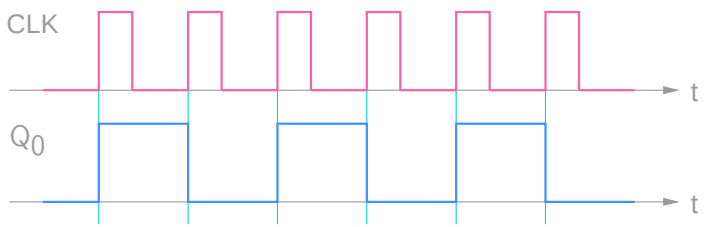




mod−5 counter

Combination of counters





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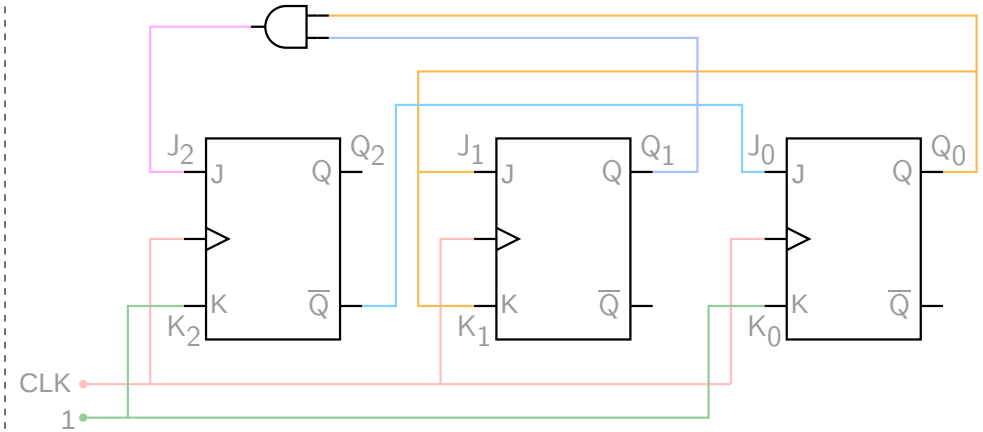
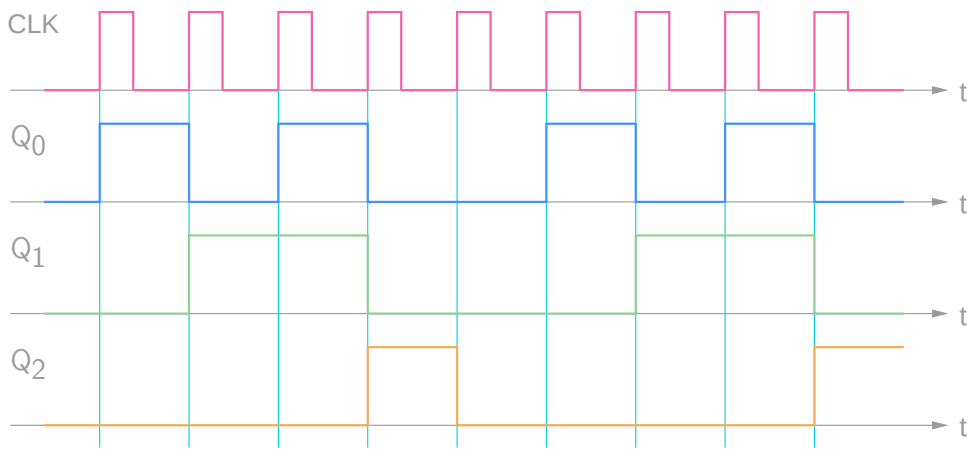
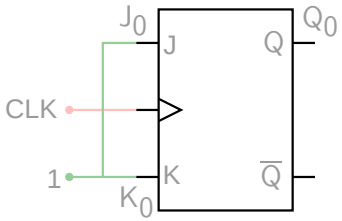


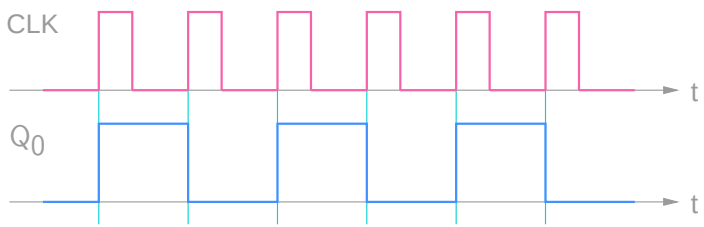


mod−5 counter

* Let us combine the mod-2 and mod-5 counters to make a mod-10 counter.

Combination of counters





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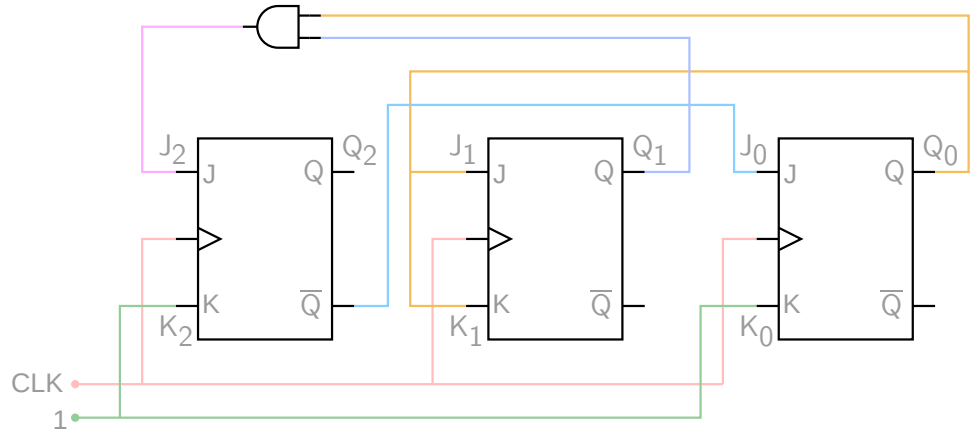

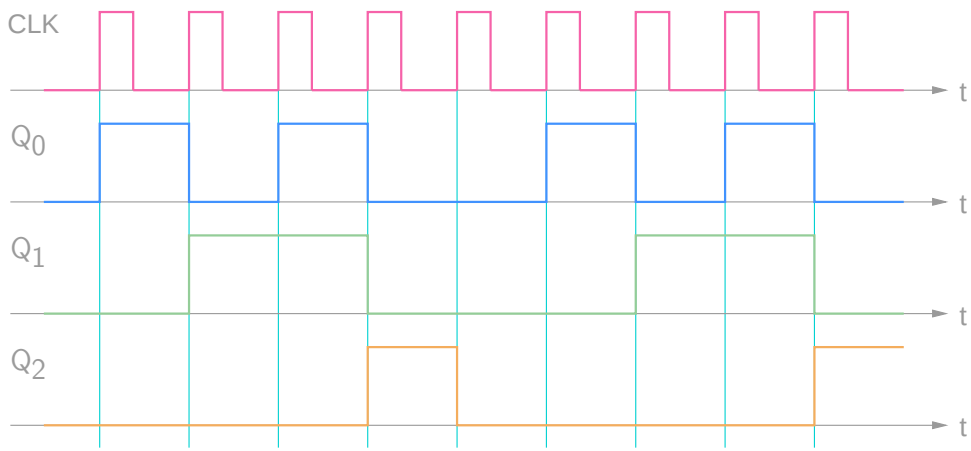

mod−5 counter

* Let us combine the mod-2 and mod-5 counters to make a mod-10 counter.
* We will follow two approaches (as described earlier):

  A: The clock for the second (mod-5) counter is derived from the first (mod-2) counter.

  B: A common clock is used to drive the mod-2 and mod-5 counters.

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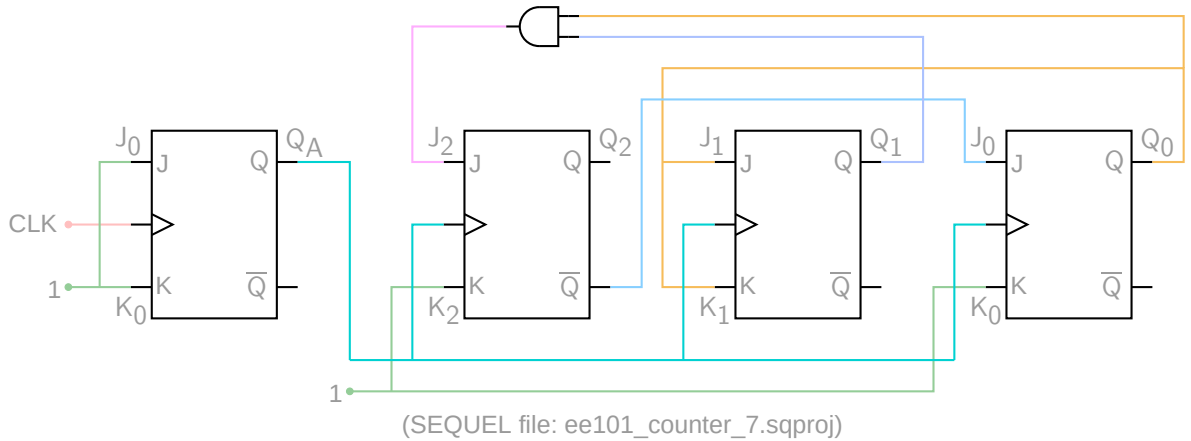

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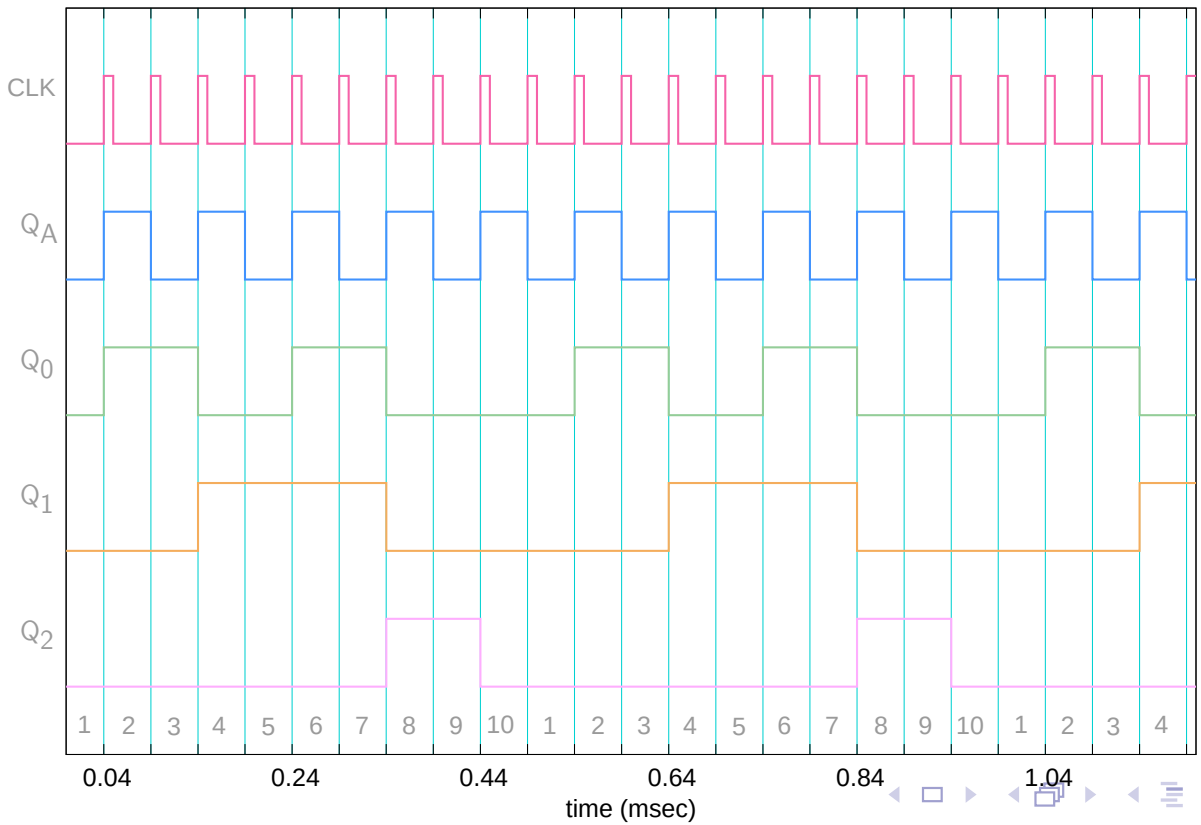

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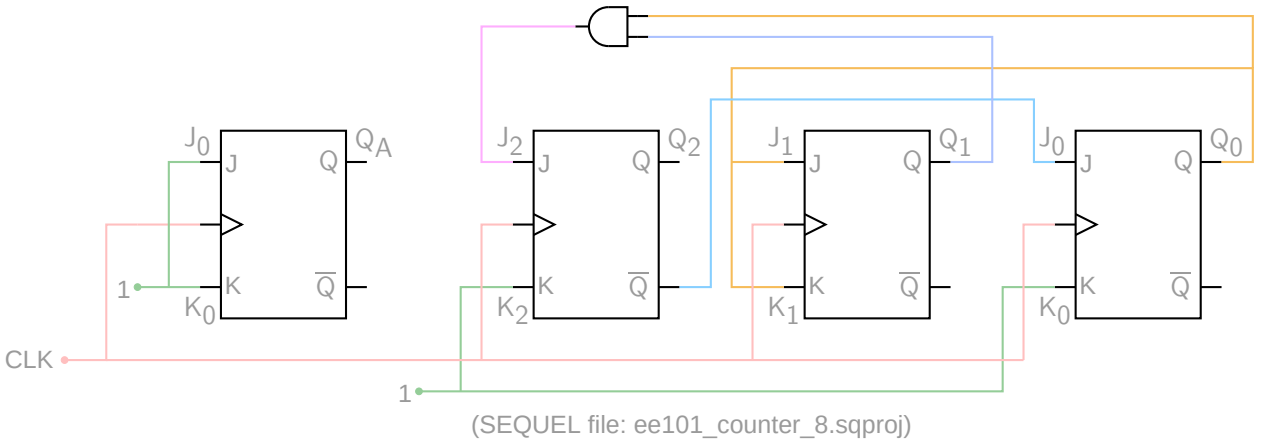

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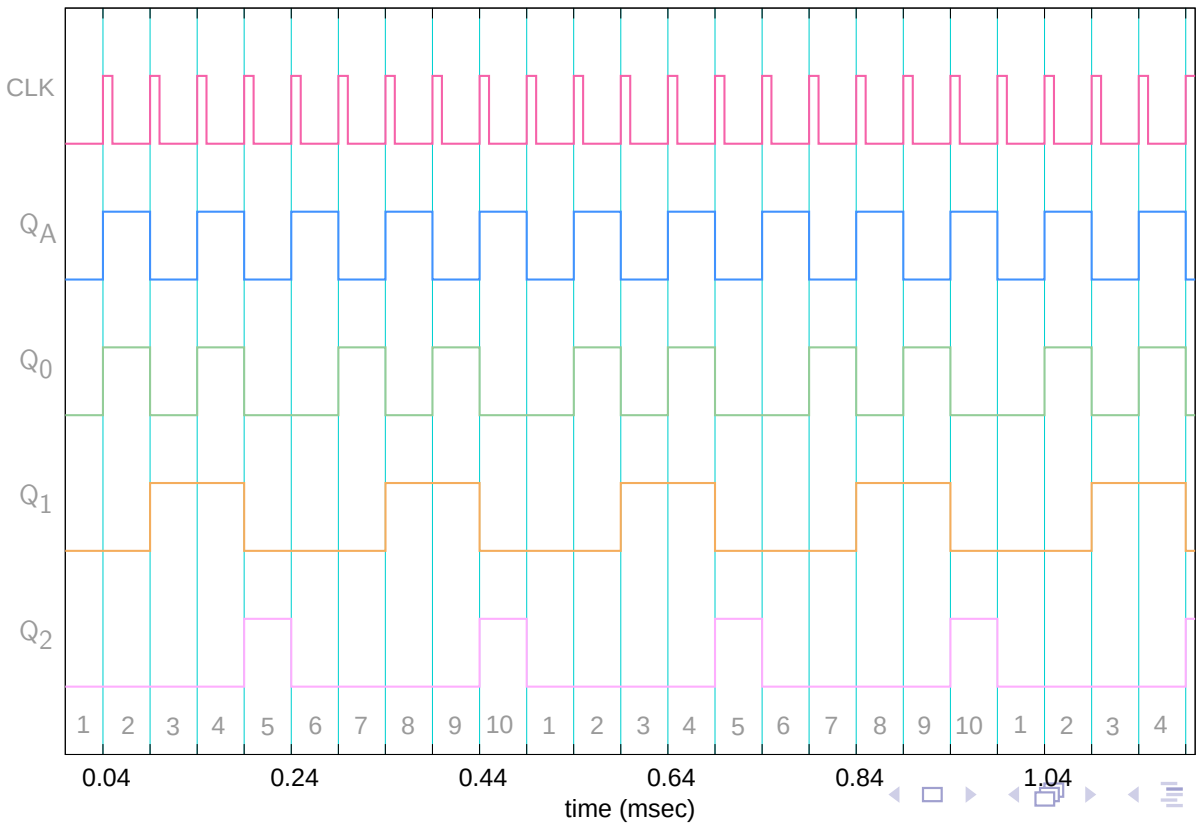

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