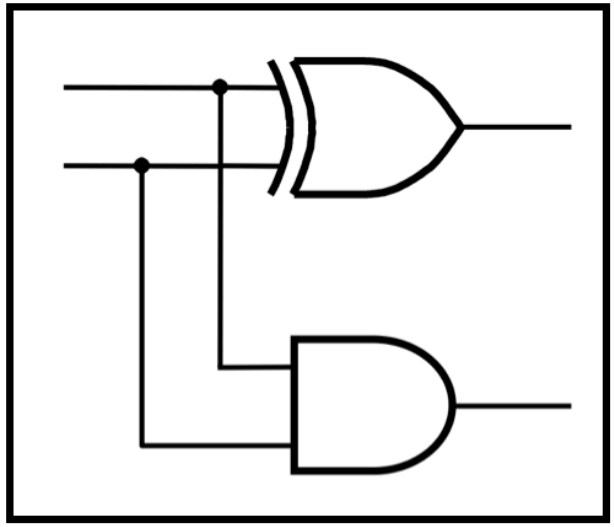

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Administrative Stuff

- **Homework 8 is due next Monday.**
- **The second midterm exam is next Friday.**

Administrative Stuff

- **Midterm Exam #2**
- **When: Friday November 1 @ 4pm.**
- **Where: This classroom**
- **What: Chapters 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.1-5.8**
- **The exam will be closed book but open notes (you can bring up to 3 pages of handwritten notes).**

Midterm 2: Format

- **The exam will be out of 130 points**
- **You need 95 points to get an A for this exam**
- **It will be great if you can score more than 100 points.**
  - **but you can't roll over your extra points ☹**

Midterm 2: Topics

- Binary Numbers and Hexadecimal Numbers
- 1's complement and 2's complement representation
- Addition and subtraction of binary numbers
- Circuits for adders and fast adders

- Single and Double precision IEEE floating point formats
- Converting a real number to the IEEE format
- Converting a floating point number to base 10

- Multiplexers (circuits and function)
- Synthesis of logic functions using multiplexers
- Shannon's Expansion Theorem

Midterm 2: Topics

- Decoders (circuits and function)
- Demultiplexers
- Encoders (binary and priority)
- Code Converters
- K-maps for 2, 3, and 4 variables

- Synthesis of logic circuits using adders, multiplexers, encoders, decoders, and basic logic gates
- Synthesis of logic circuits given constraints on the available building blocks that you can use

- Latches (circuits, behavior, timing diagrams)
- Flip-Flops (circuits, behavior, timing diagrams)
- Registers and Register Files

Review of Flip-Flops

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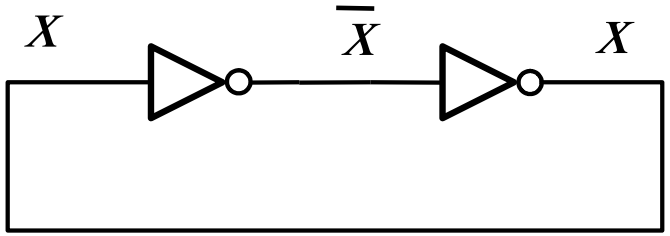

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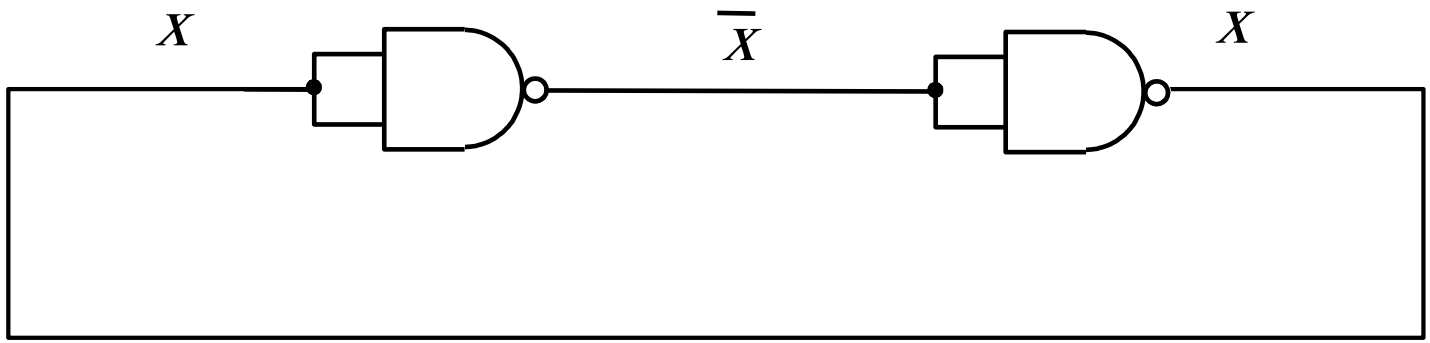

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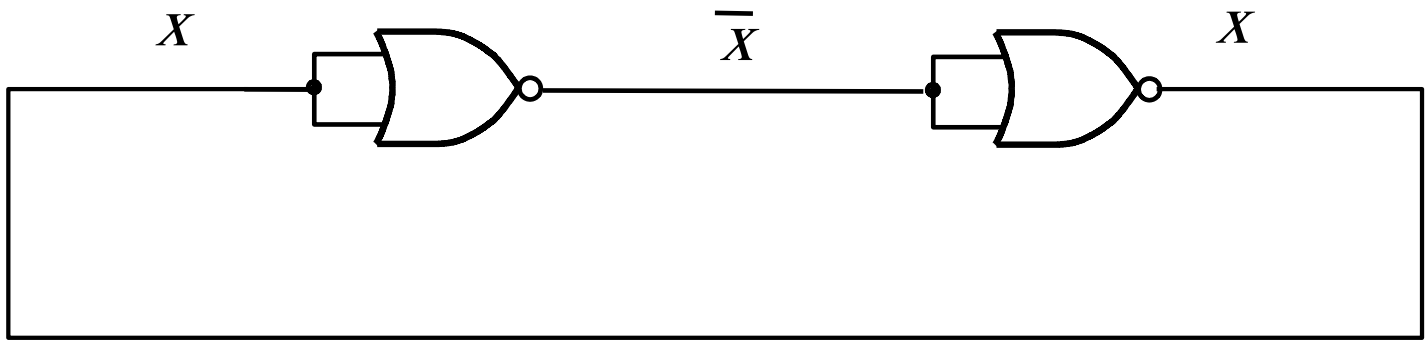

Basic Latch

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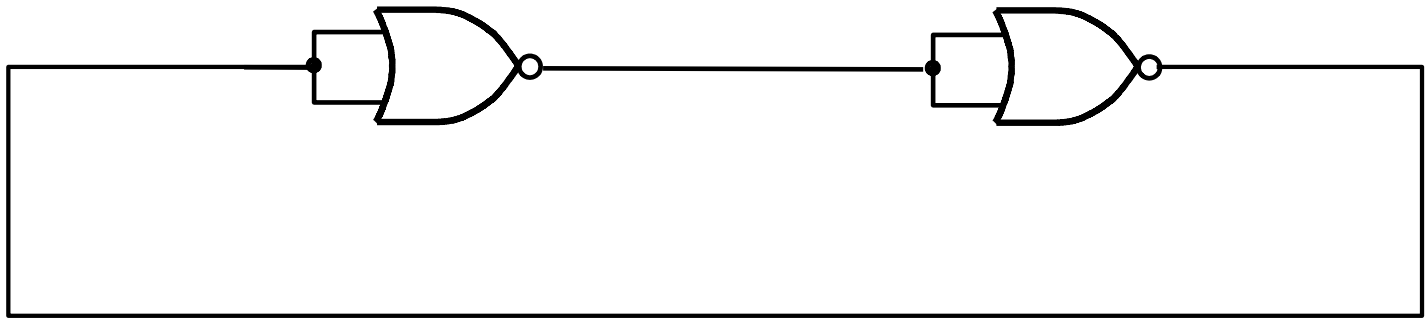

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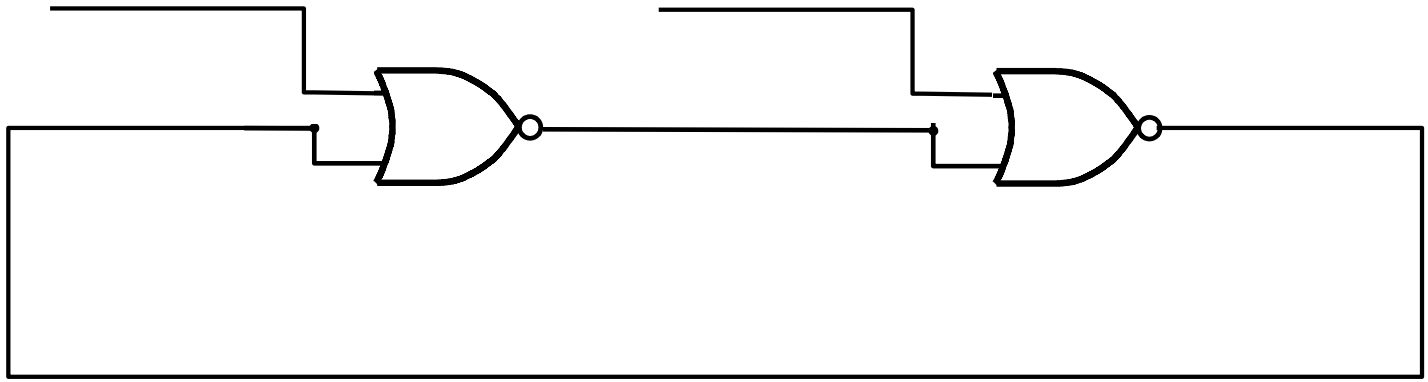

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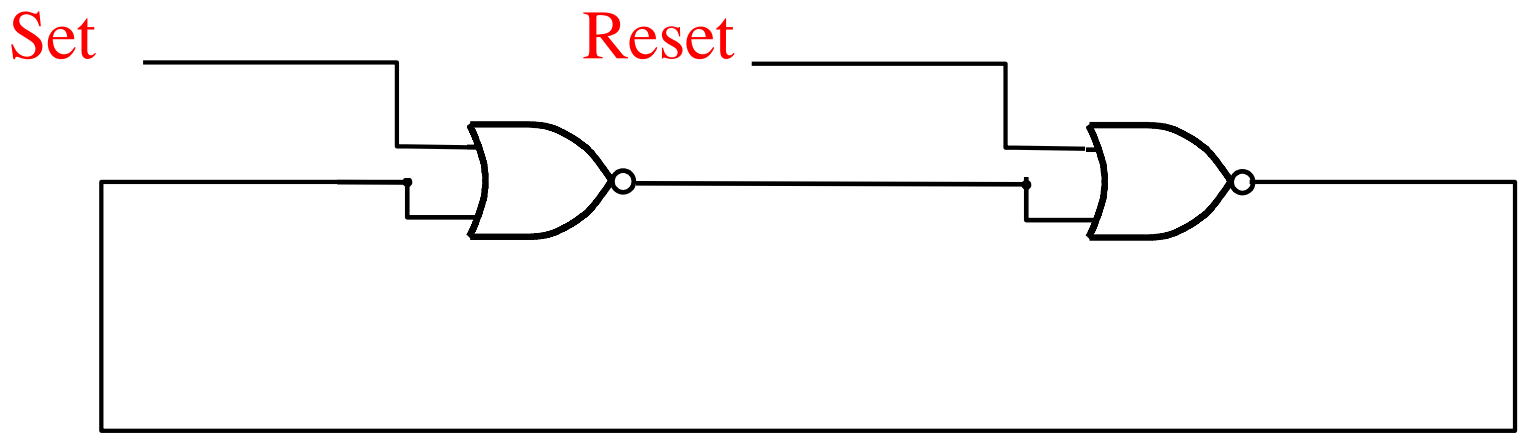

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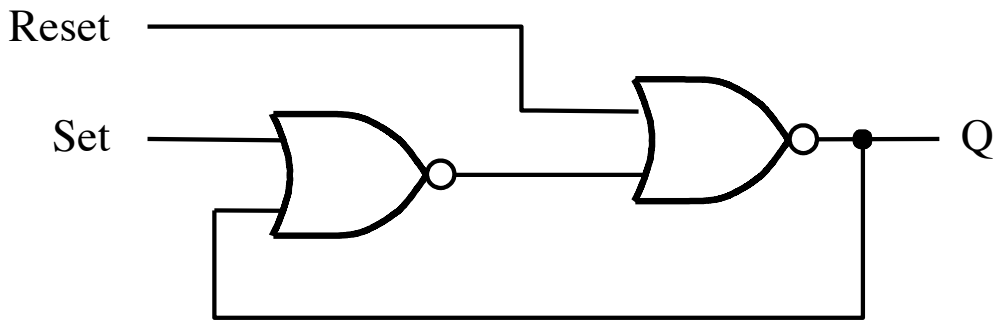

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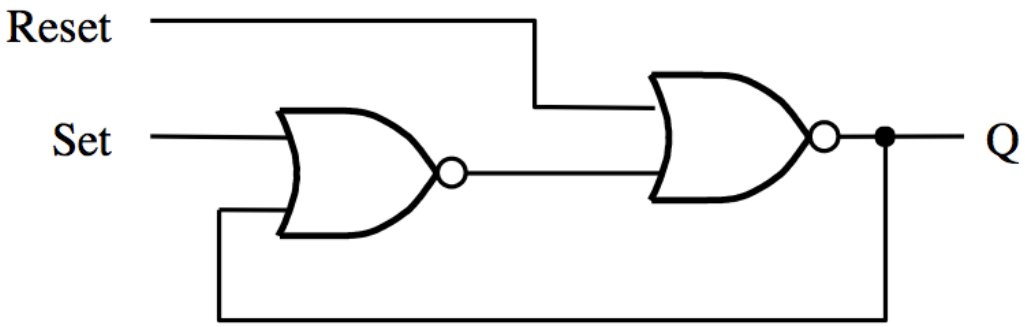

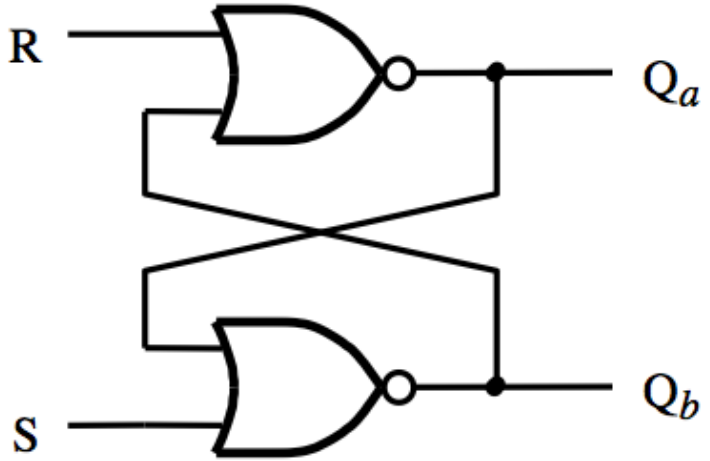

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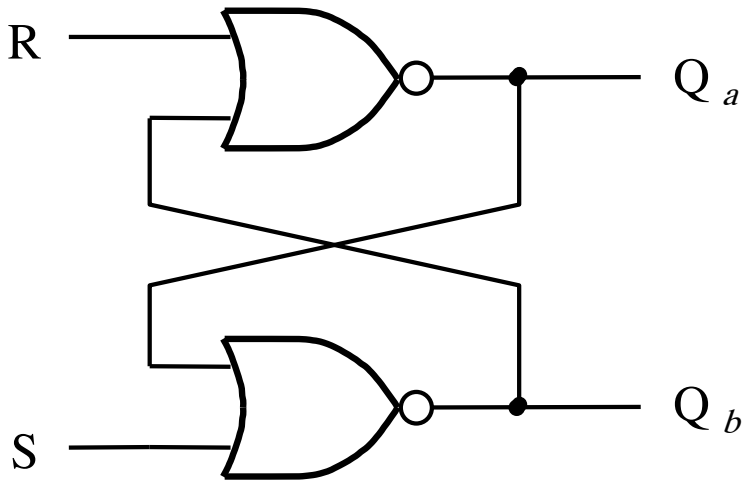
SR Latch: Circuit and Truth Table



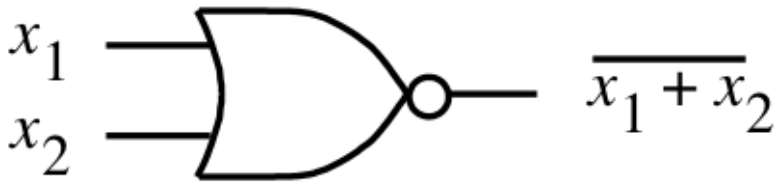
(a) Circuit

S	R	Q_a	Q_b	
0	0	0/1	1/0	(no change)
0	1	0	1	
1	0	1	0	
1	1	0	0	(Undesirable)

(b) Truth table

[Figure 5.4a,b from the textbook]

NOR Gate



NOR Gate Truth table

x_1	x_2	f
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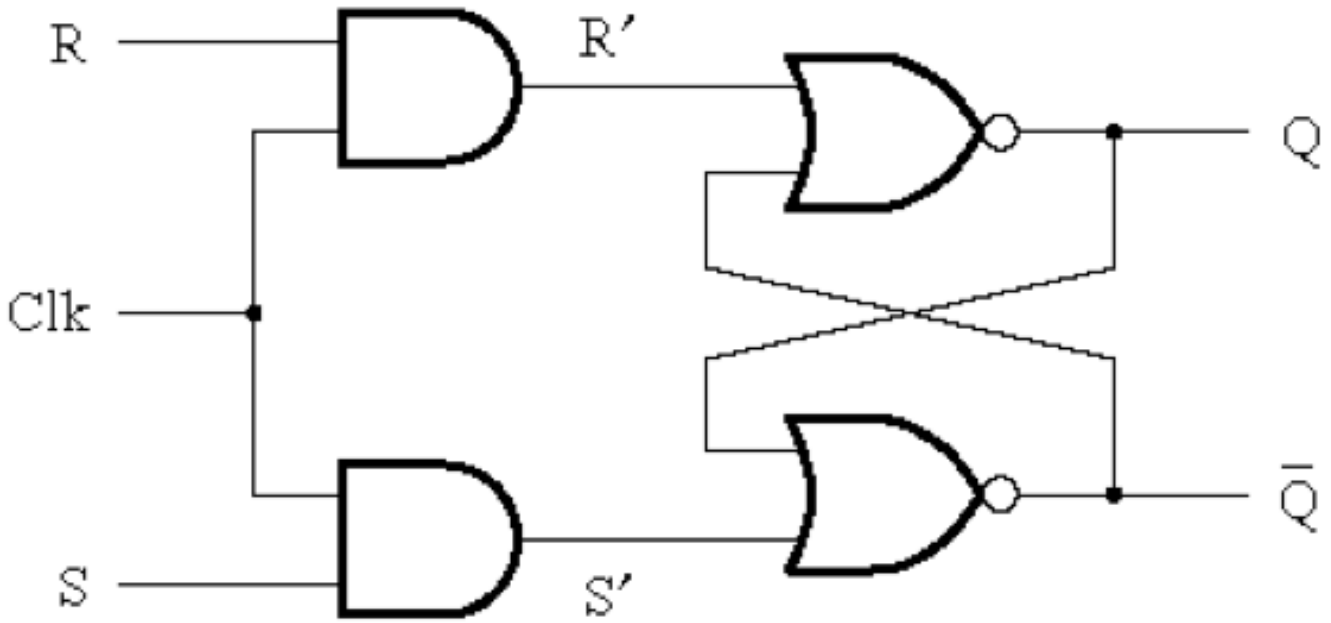
Gated SR Latch

Circuit Diagram for the Gated SR Latch



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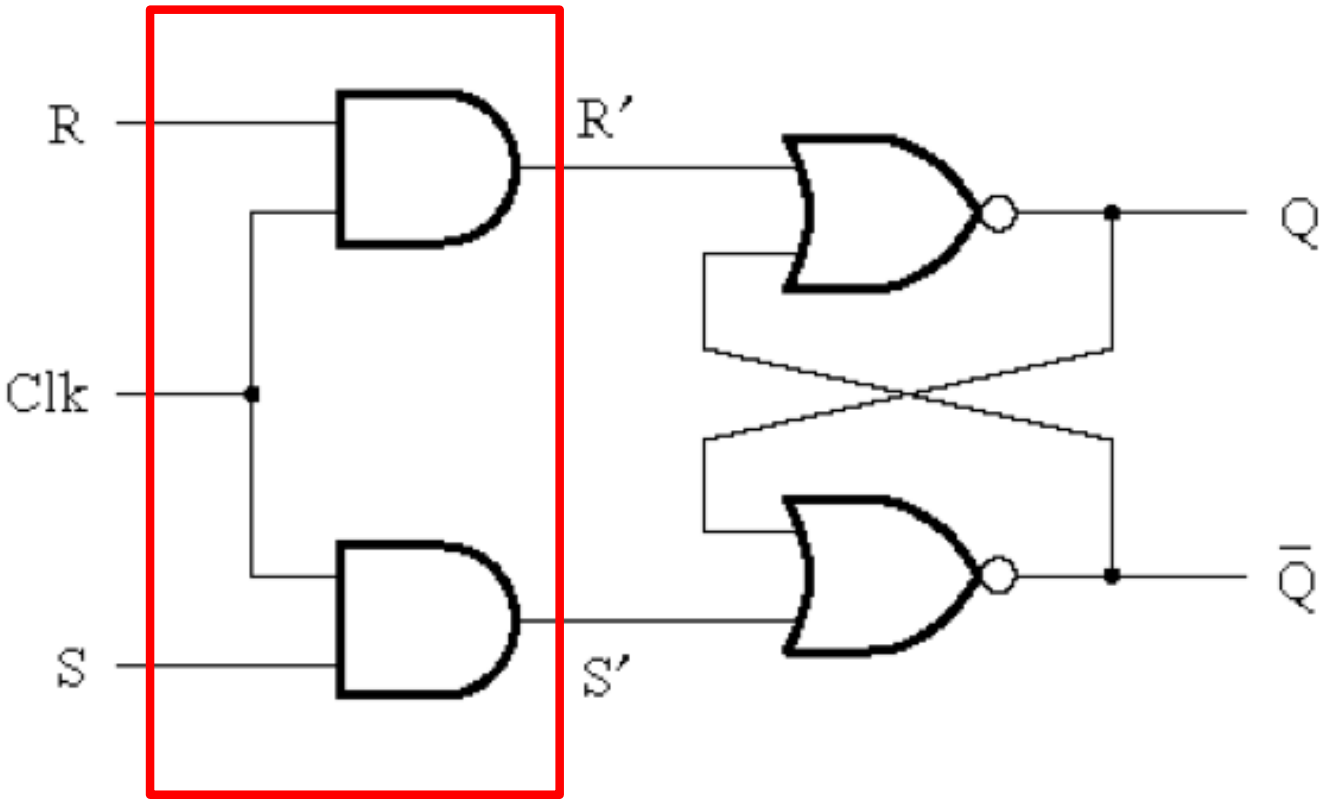
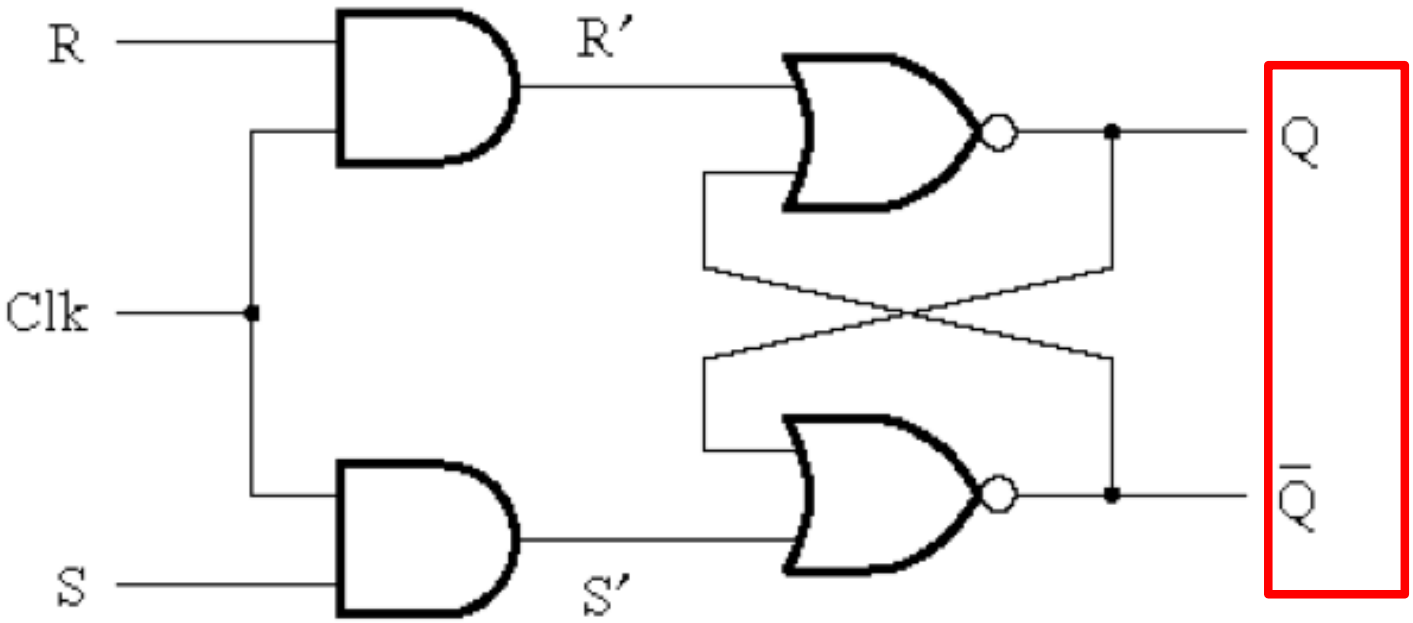


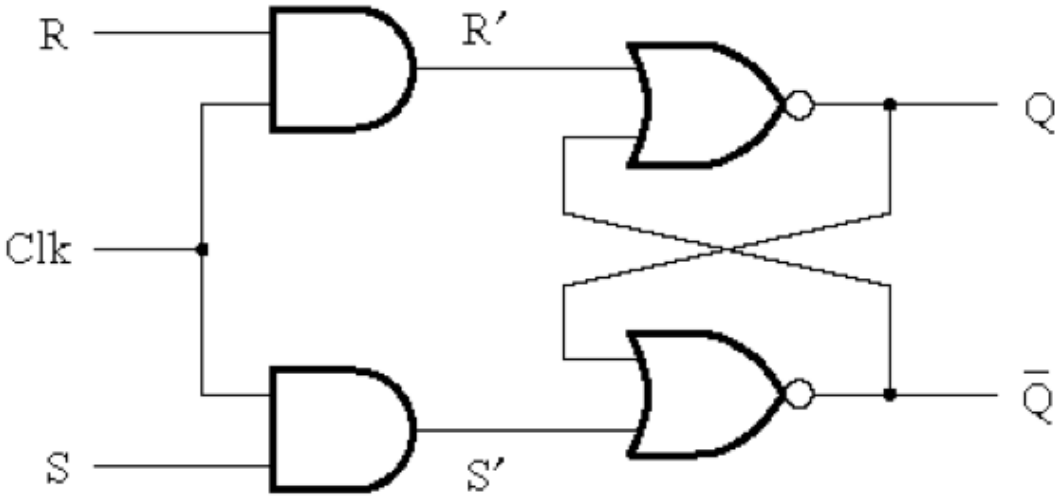
This is the "gate"
of the gated latch

Circuit Diagram for the Gated SR Latch

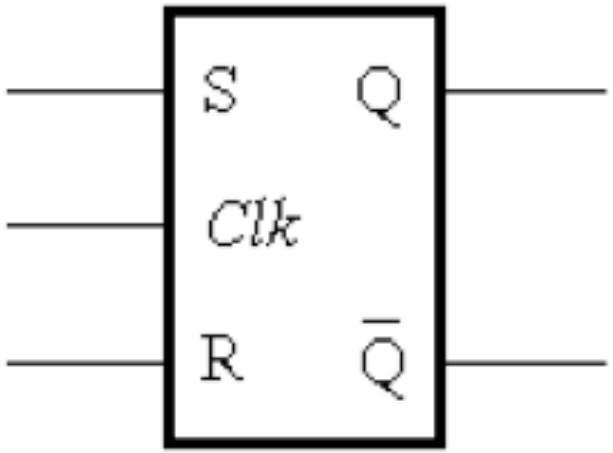


Notice that these are complements of each other

Gated SR Latch: Circuit Diagram, Characteristic Table, and Graphical Symbol



Clk	S	R	Q(t + 1)
0	x	x	Q(t) (no change)
1	0	0	Q(t) (no change)
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	x (Undesirable)



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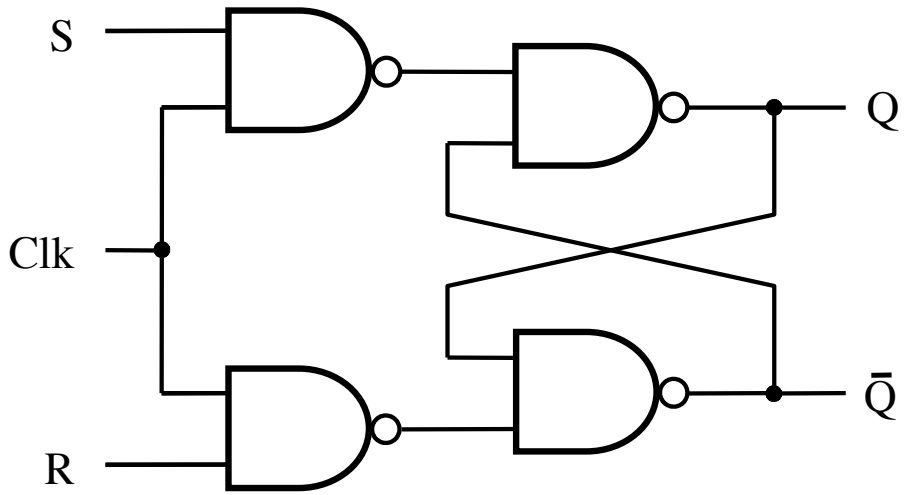
Gated SR latch with NAND gates



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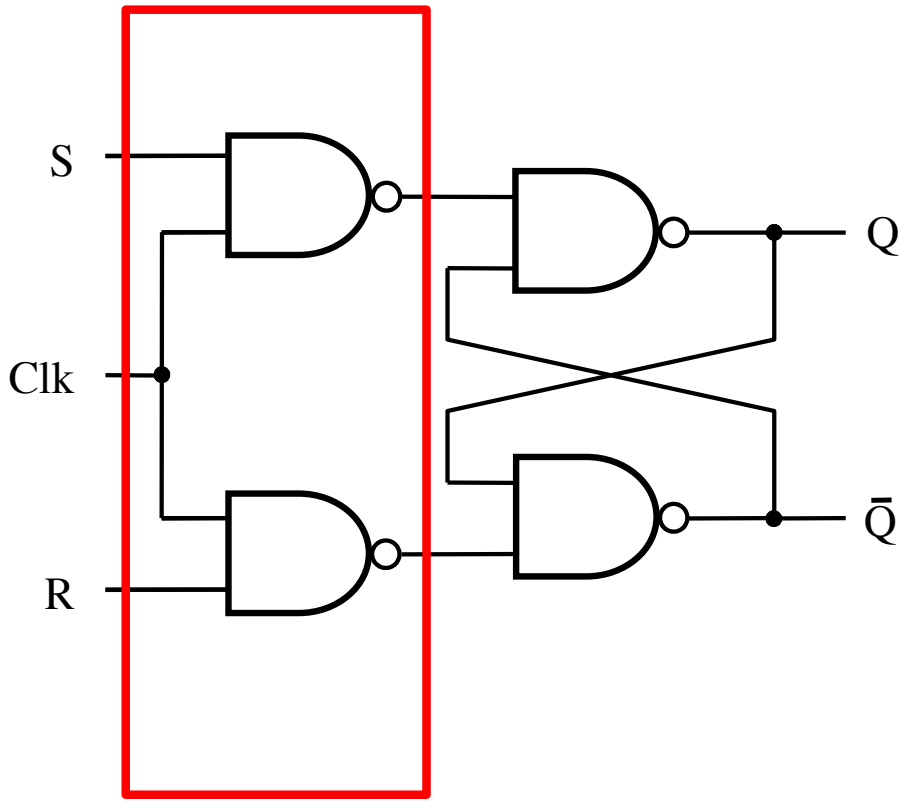
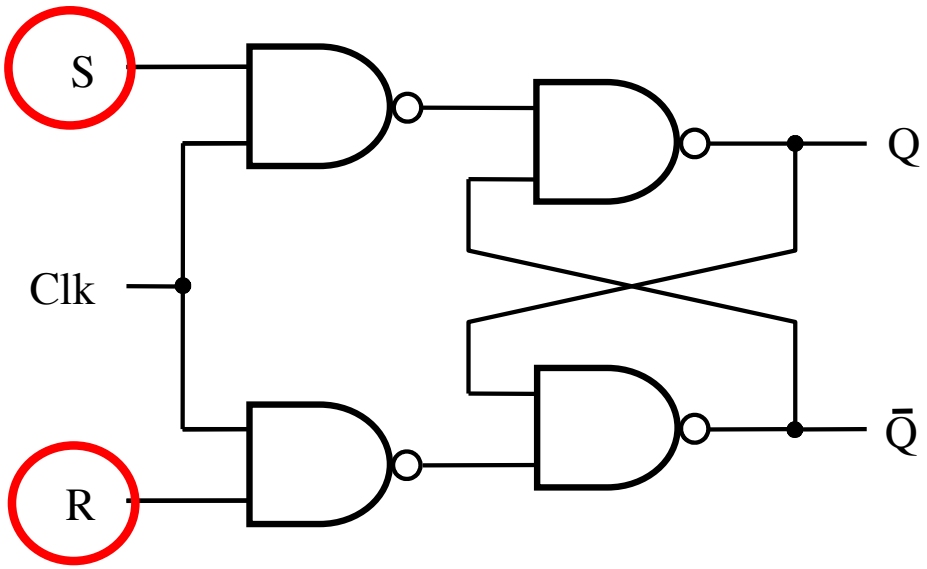


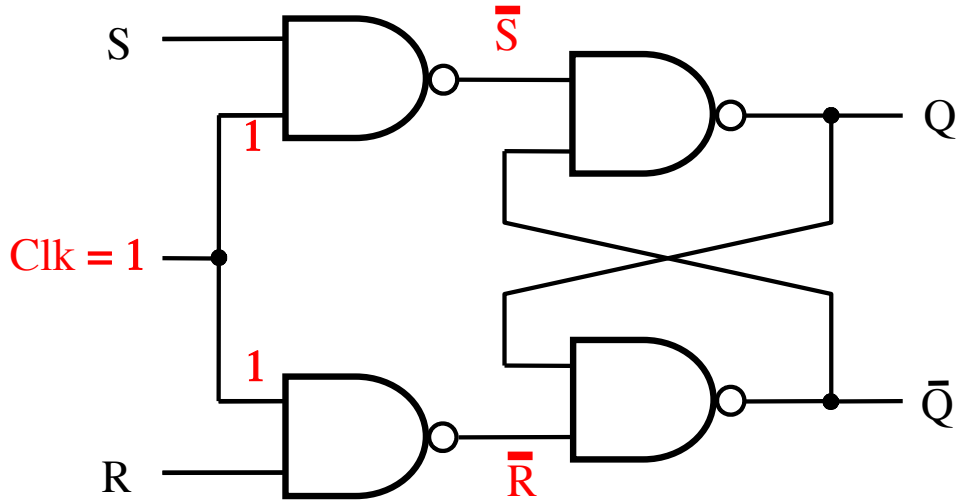
In this case the “gate” is constructed using NAND gates! Not AND gates.

Gated SR latch with NAND gates



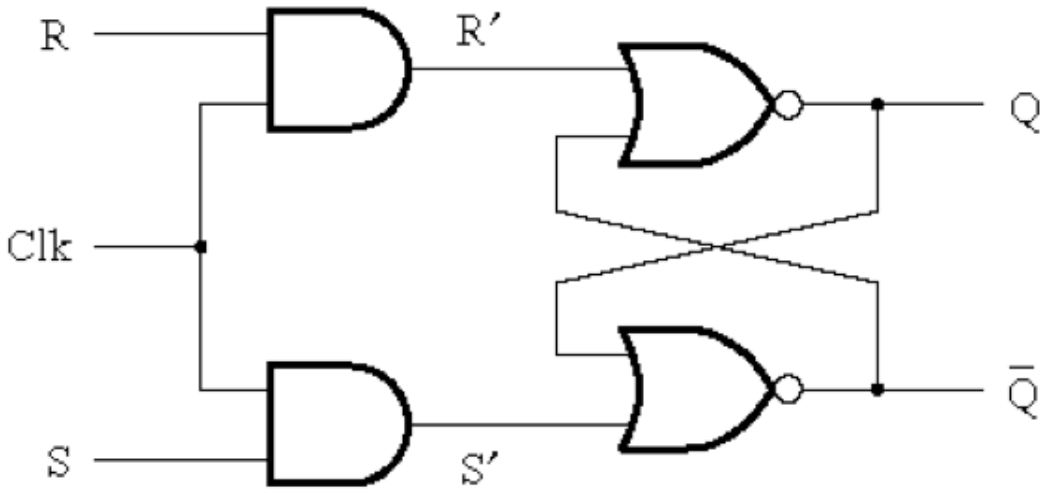
Also, notice that the positions of S and R are now swapped.

Gated SR latch with NAND gates



Finally, notice that when Clk=1 this turns into the basic latch with NAND gates, i.e., the $\overline{S}\overline{R}$ Latch.

Gated SR latch with NOR gates



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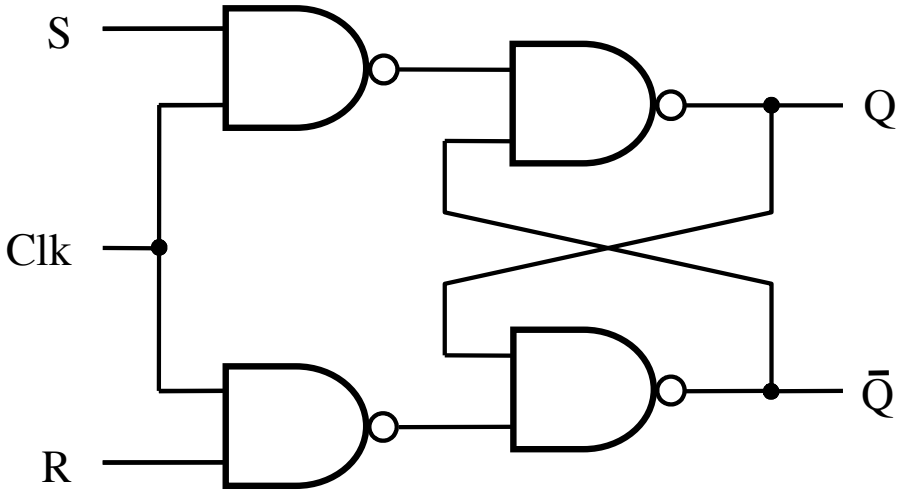

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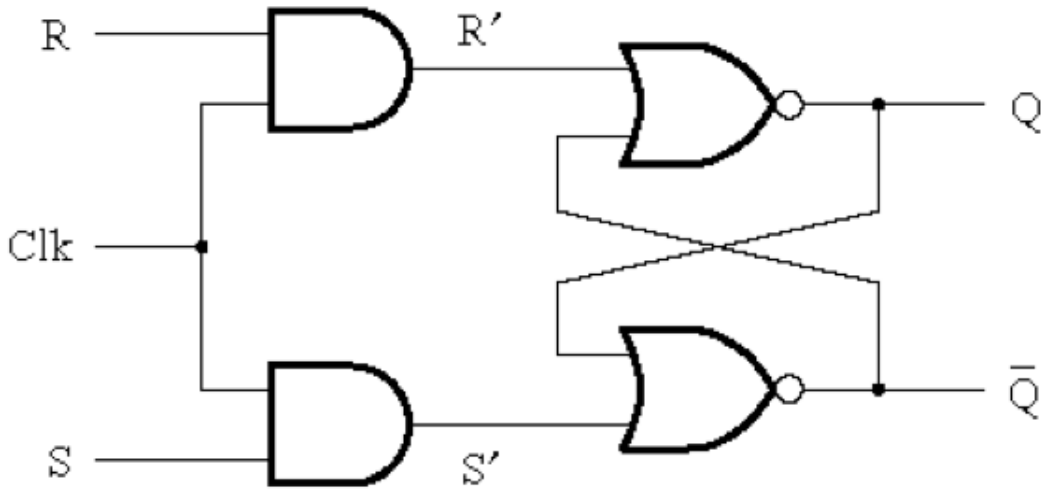

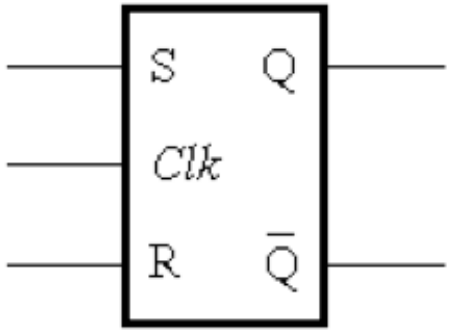

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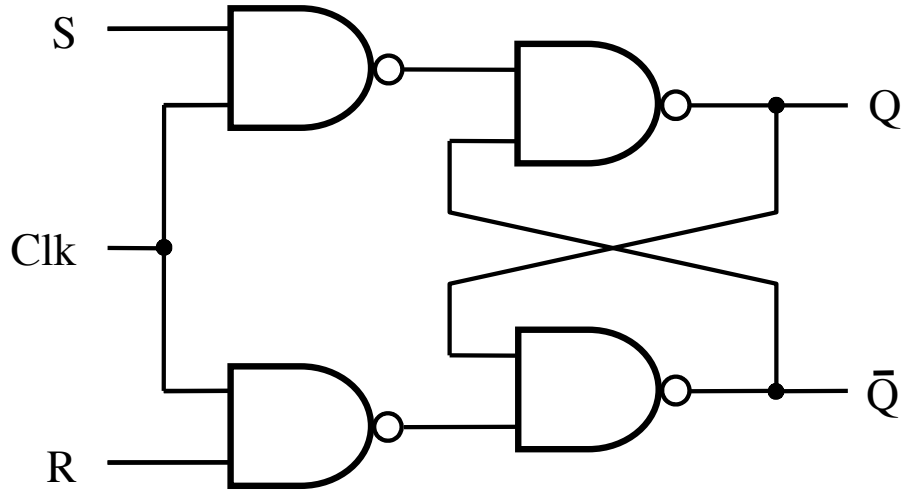
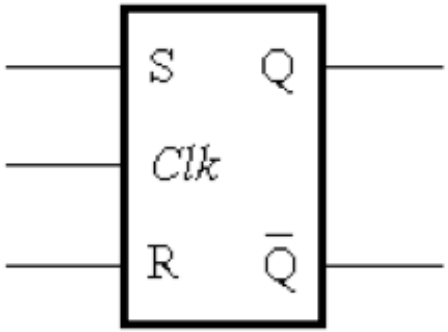
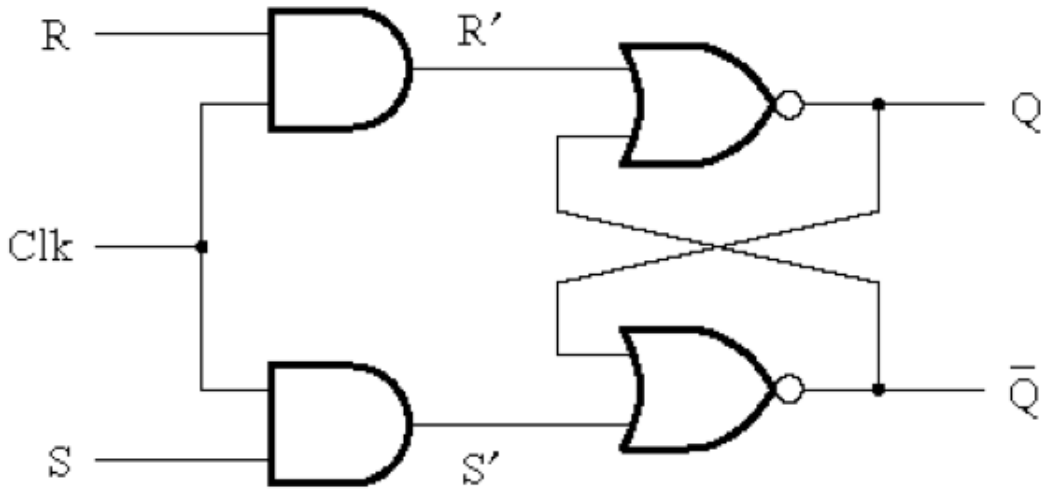




Graphical symbols are the same

Gated SR latch with NOR gates



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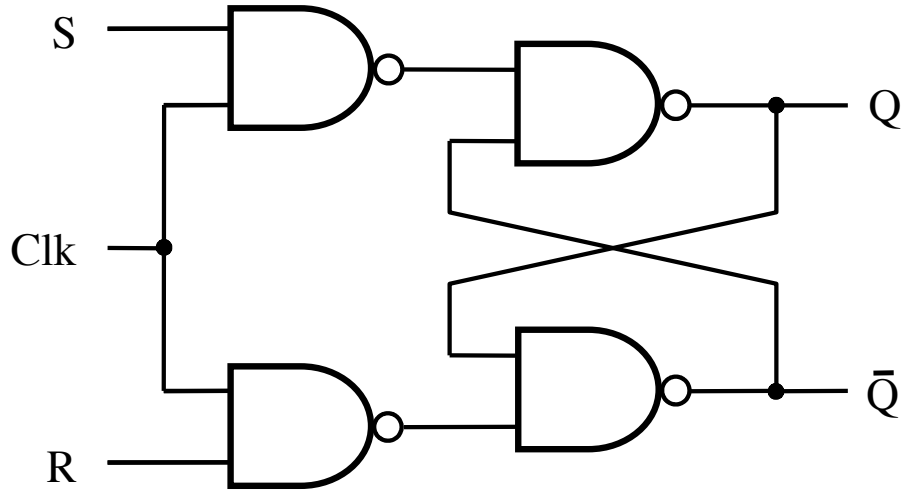

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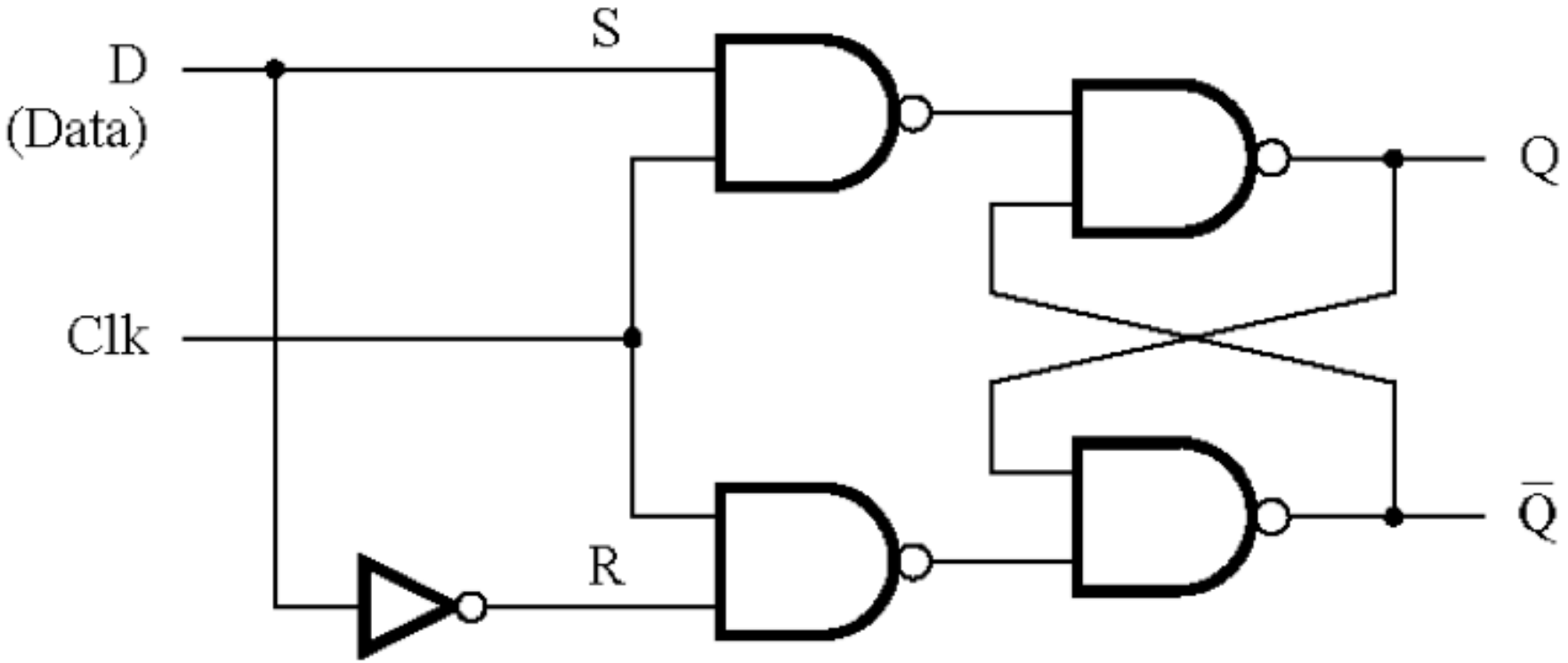
Characteristic tables are the same

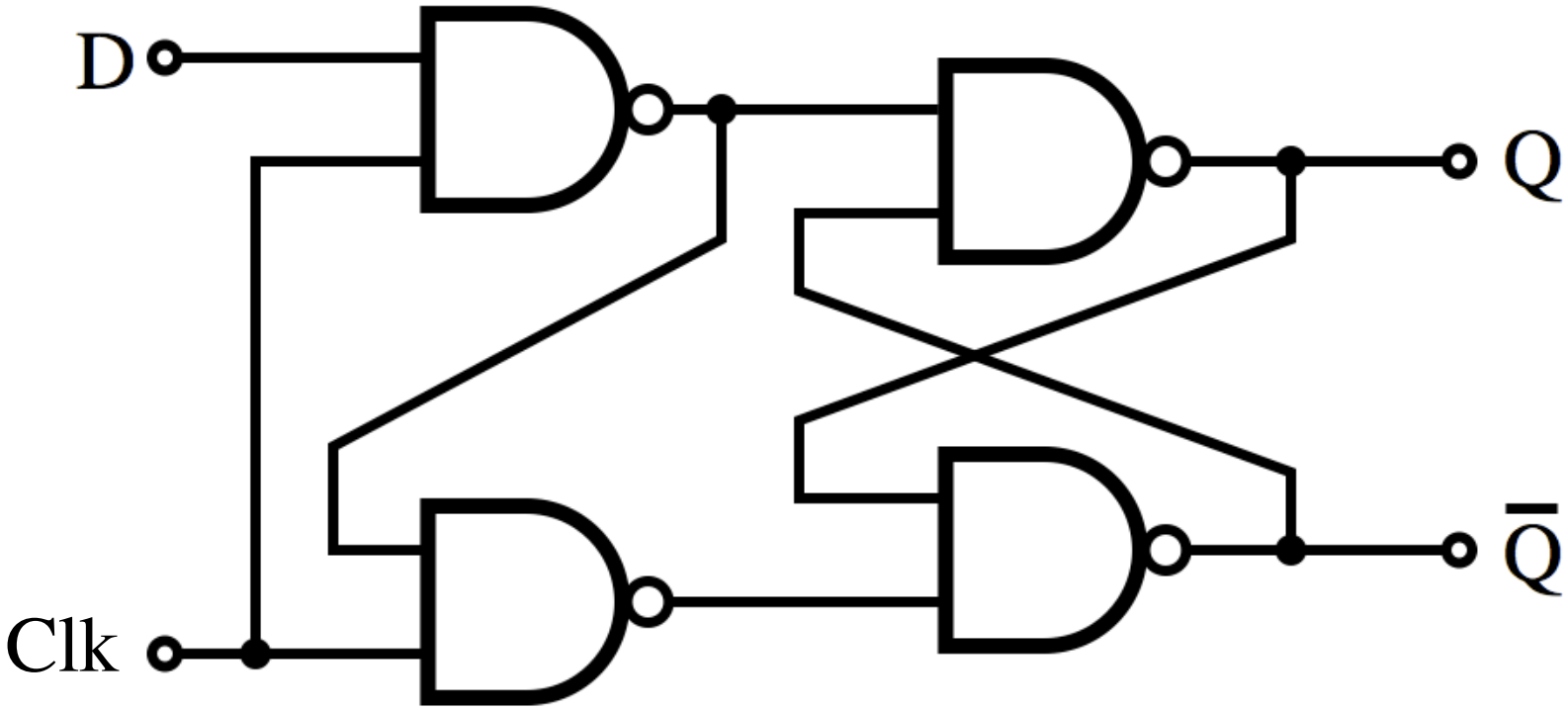
Gated D Latch

Circuit Diagram for the Gated D Latch



[Figure 5.7a from the textbook]

Gated D Latch: Alternative Design



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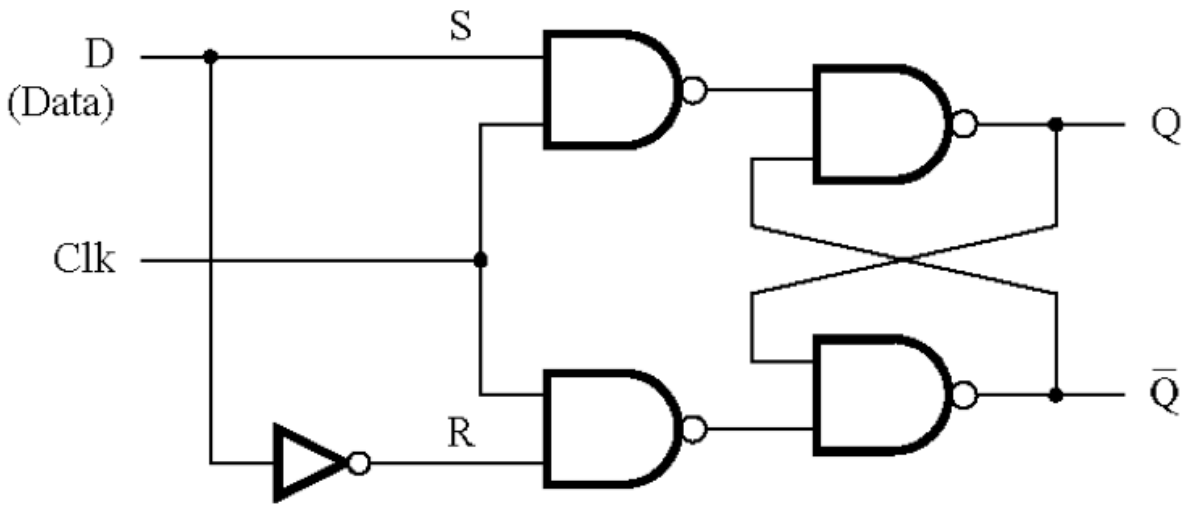
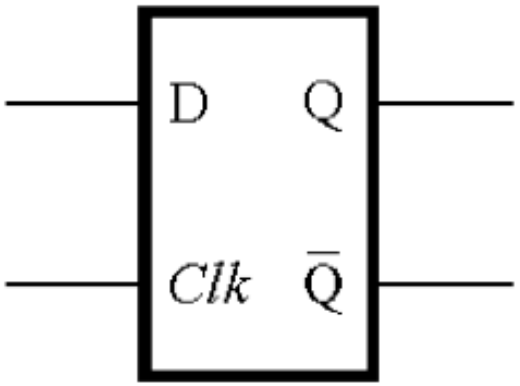
Gated D Latch: Circuit Diagram, Characteristic Table, and Graphical Symbol



Clk	D	$Q(t+1)$
0	x	$Q(t)$
1	0	0
1	1	1

Note that it is now impossible to have S=R=1.

When Clk=1 the output follows the D input.
When Clk=0 the output cannot be changed.



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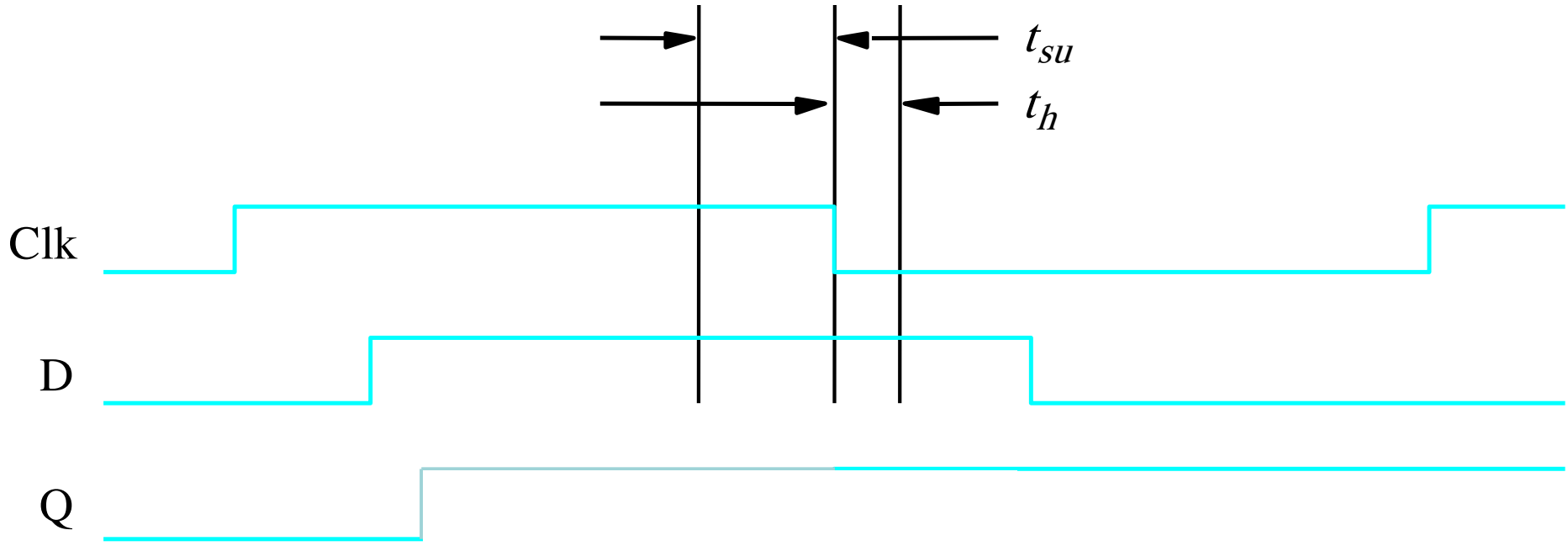
Setup and hold times for Gated D latch



Setup time (t_{su}) – the minimum time that the D signal must be stable prior to the the negative edge of the Clock signal

Hold time (t_h) – the minimum time that the D signal must remain stable after the the negative edge of the Clock signal

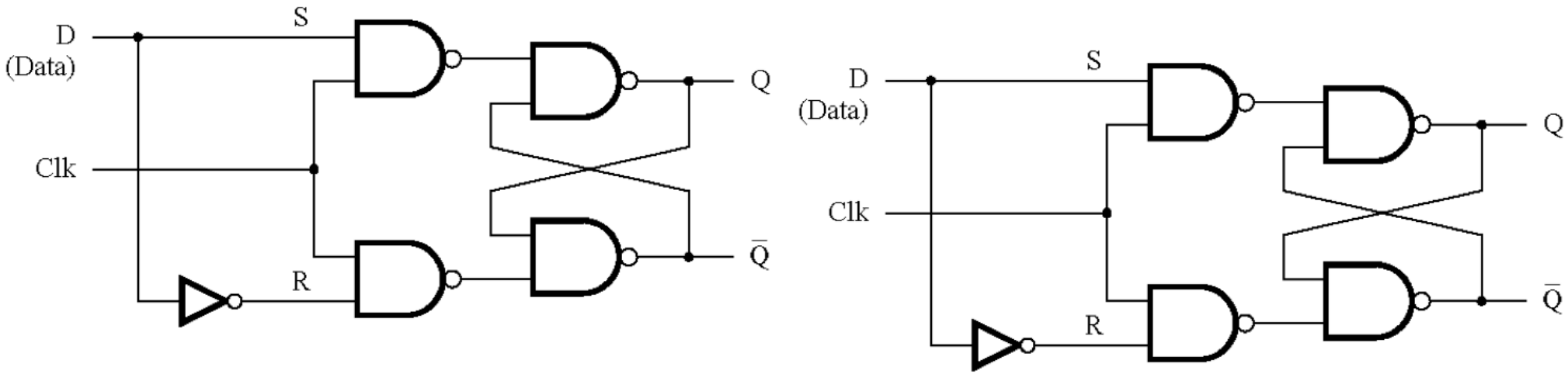
[Figure 5.8 from the textbook]

Master-Slave D Flip-Flop

Constructing a Master-Slave D Flip-Flop From Two D Latches

Master

Slave



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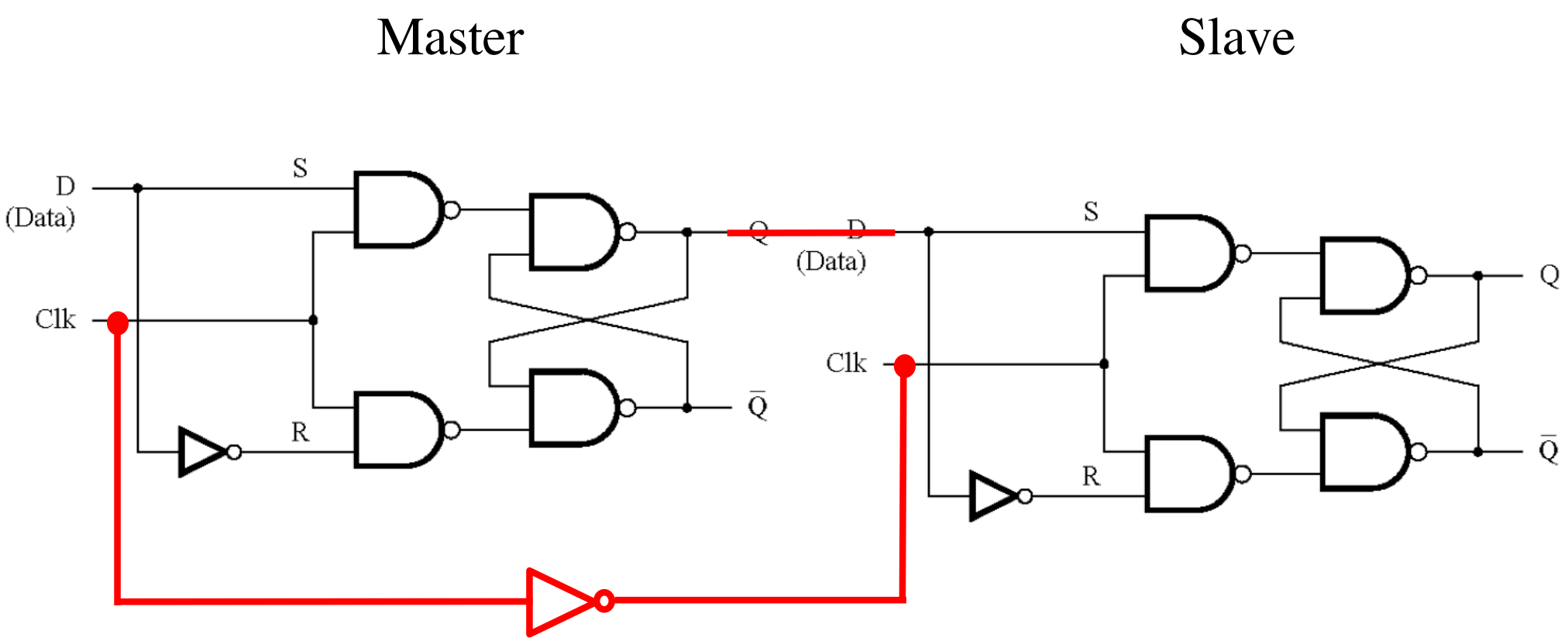

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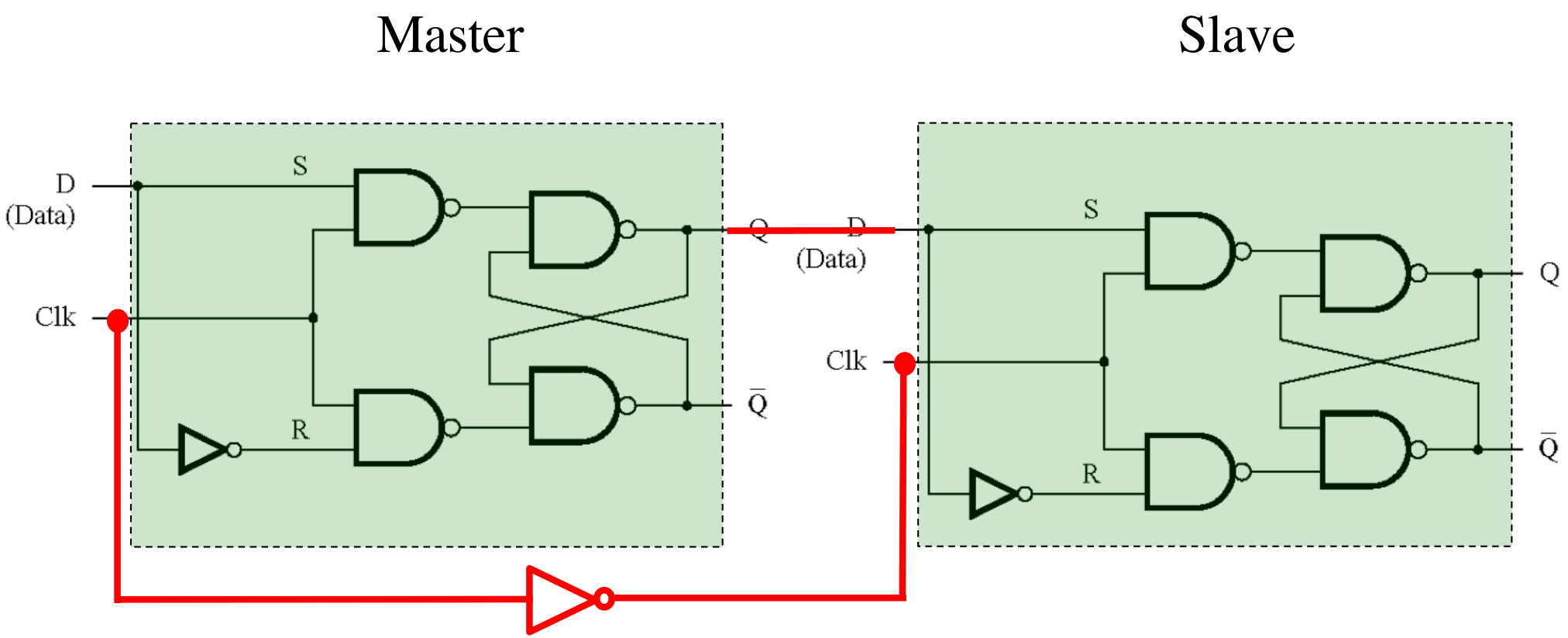

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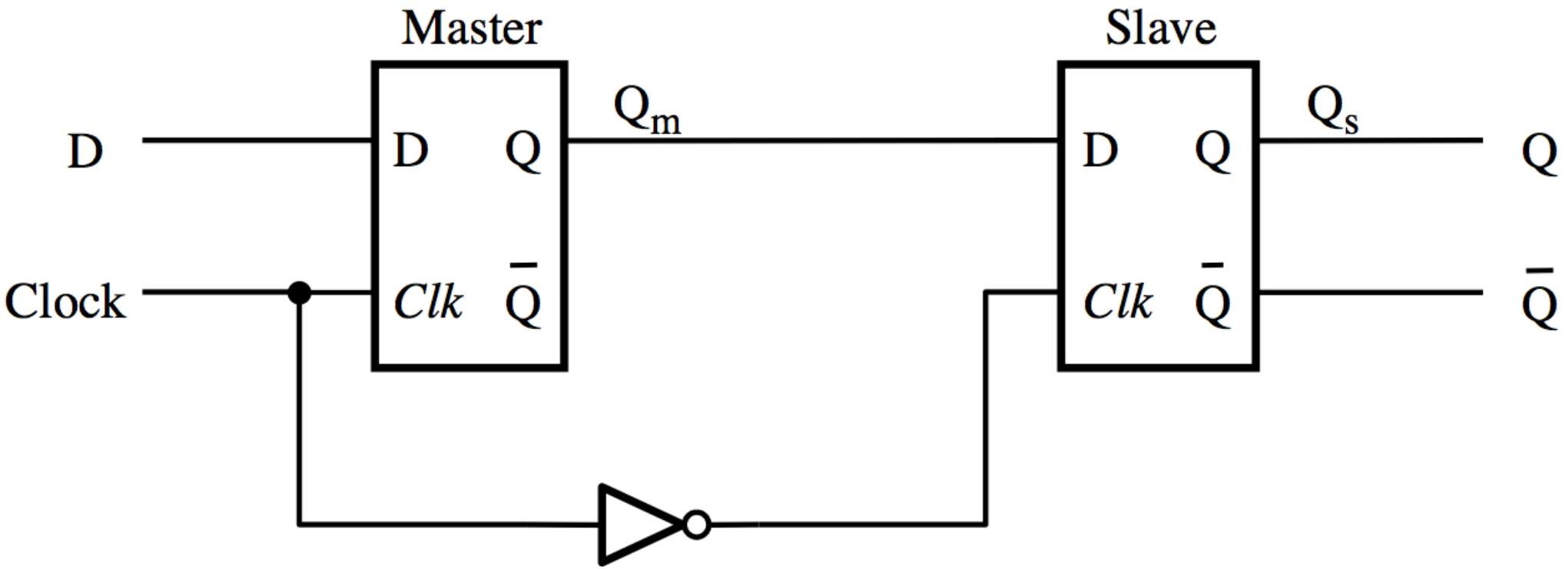

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Constructing a Master-Slave D Flip-Flop From one D Latch and one Gated SR Latch

(This version uses one less NOT gate)

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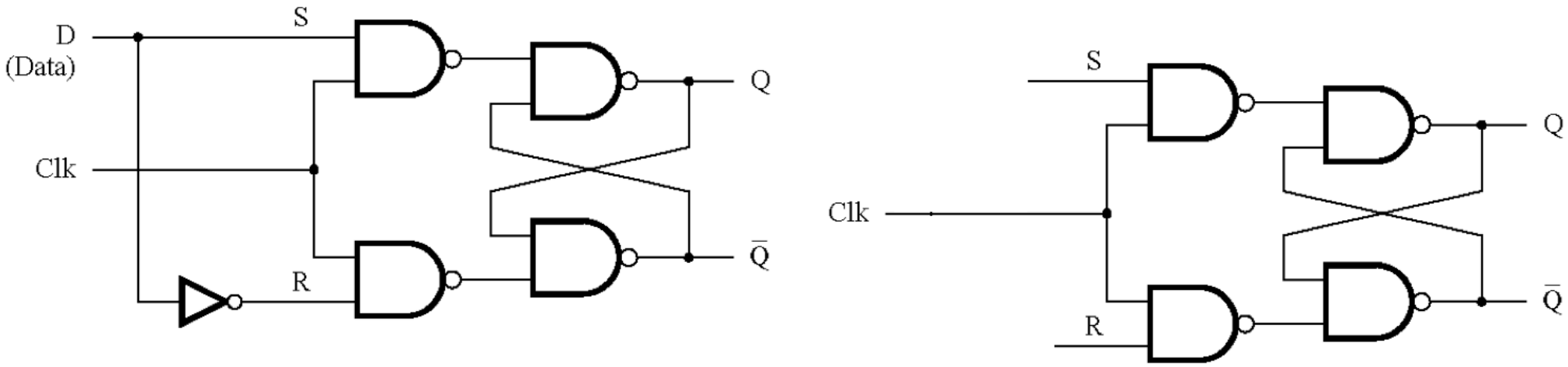

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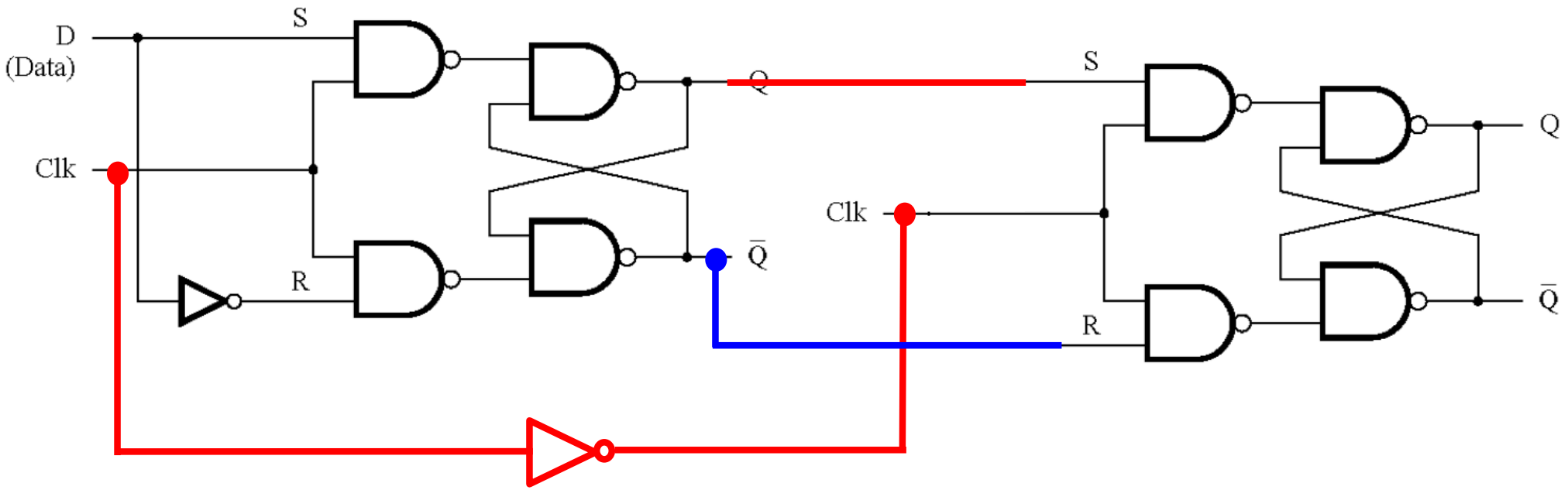
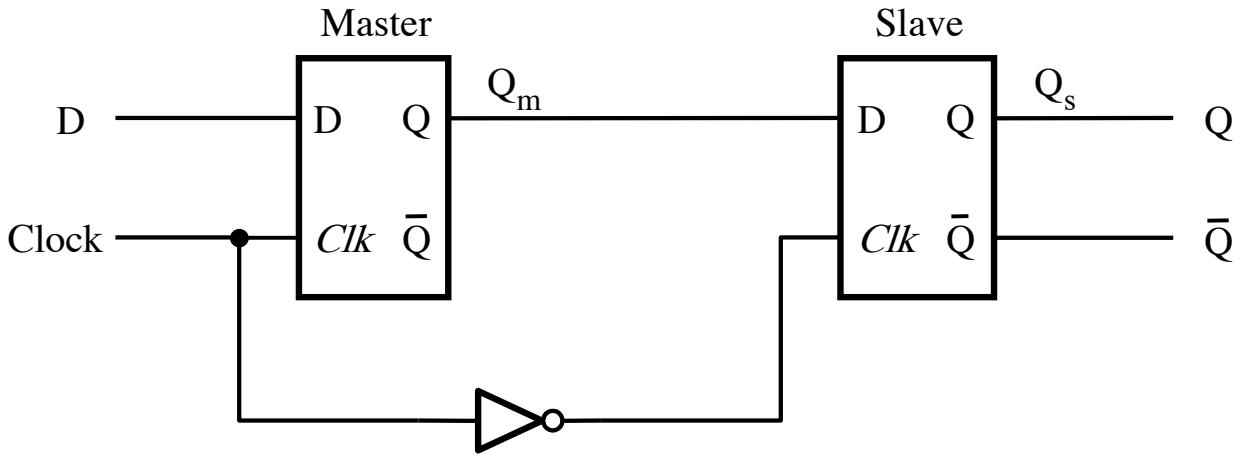


Edge-Triggered D Flip-Flops

Master-Slave D Flip-Flop



(a) Circuit

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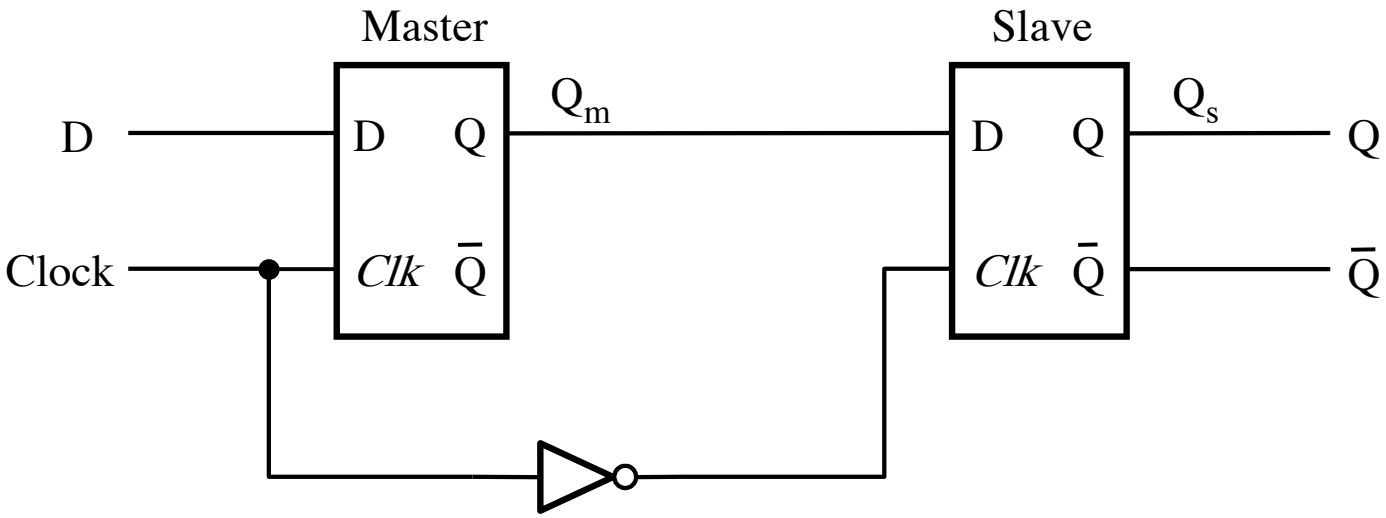
Negative-Edge-Triggered Master-Slave D Flip-Flop



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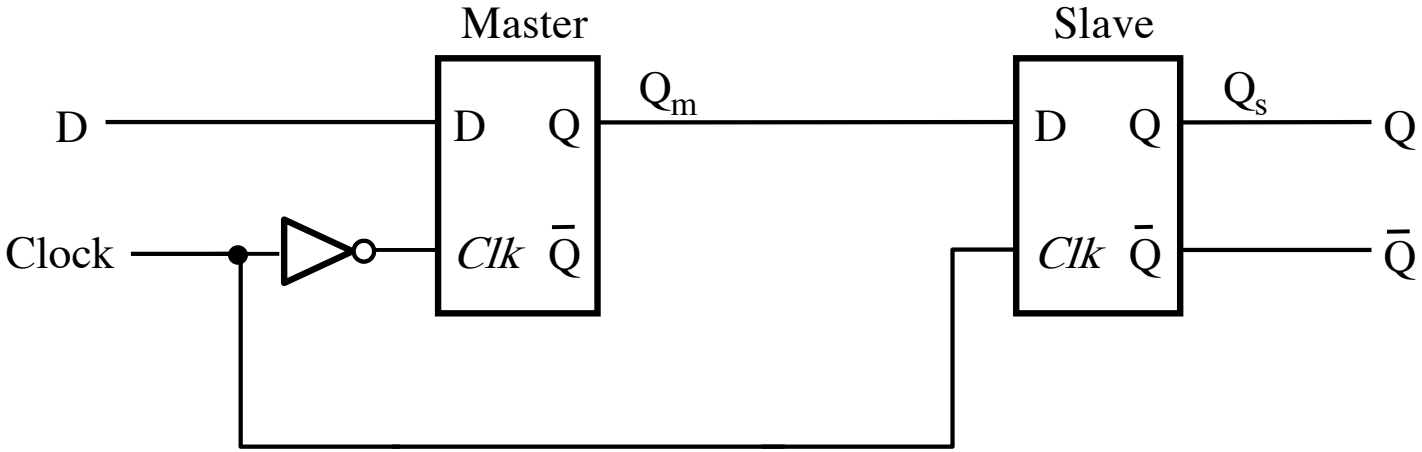

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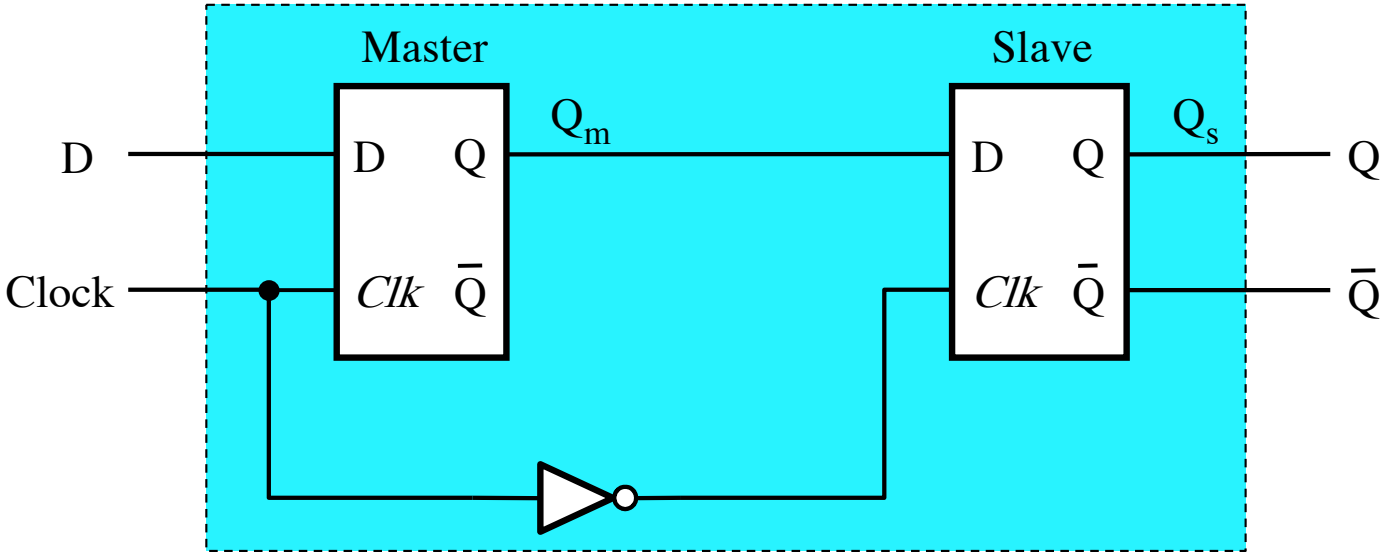

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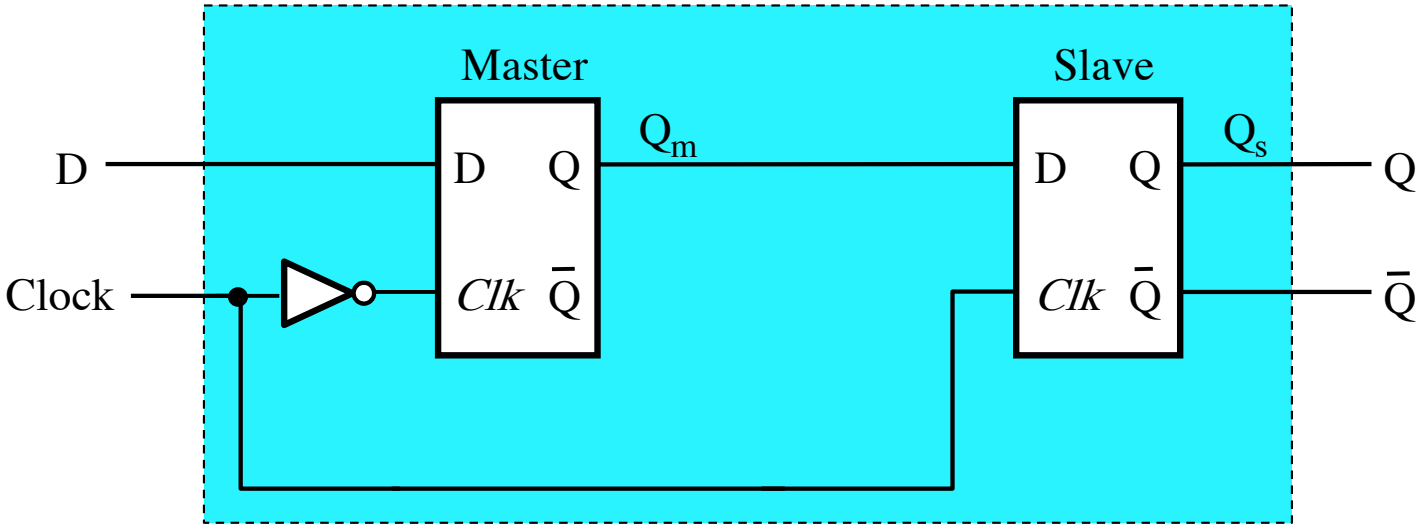

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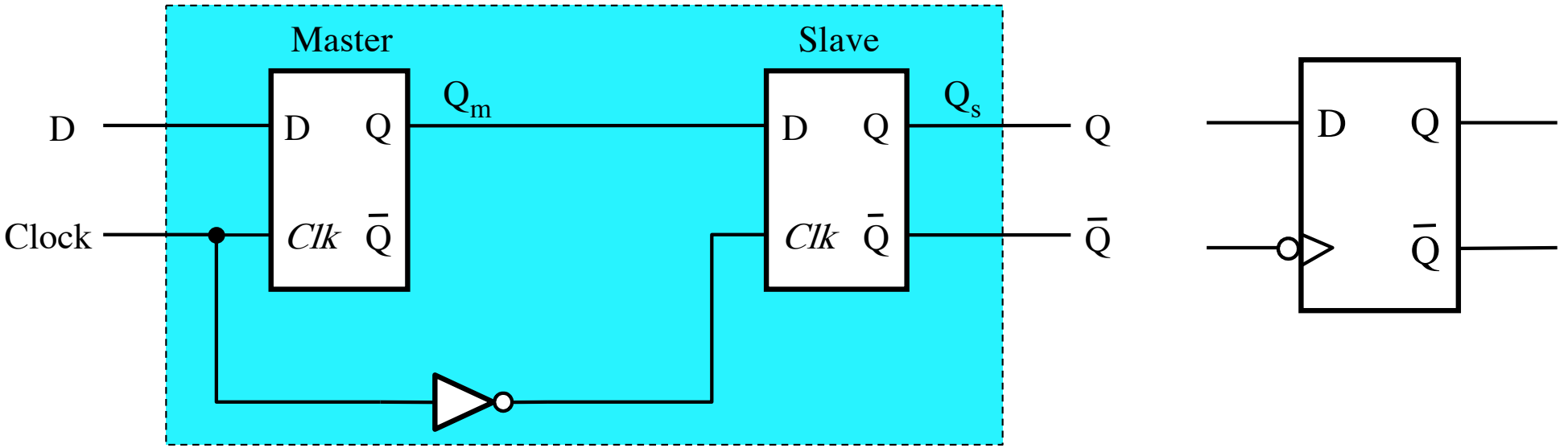

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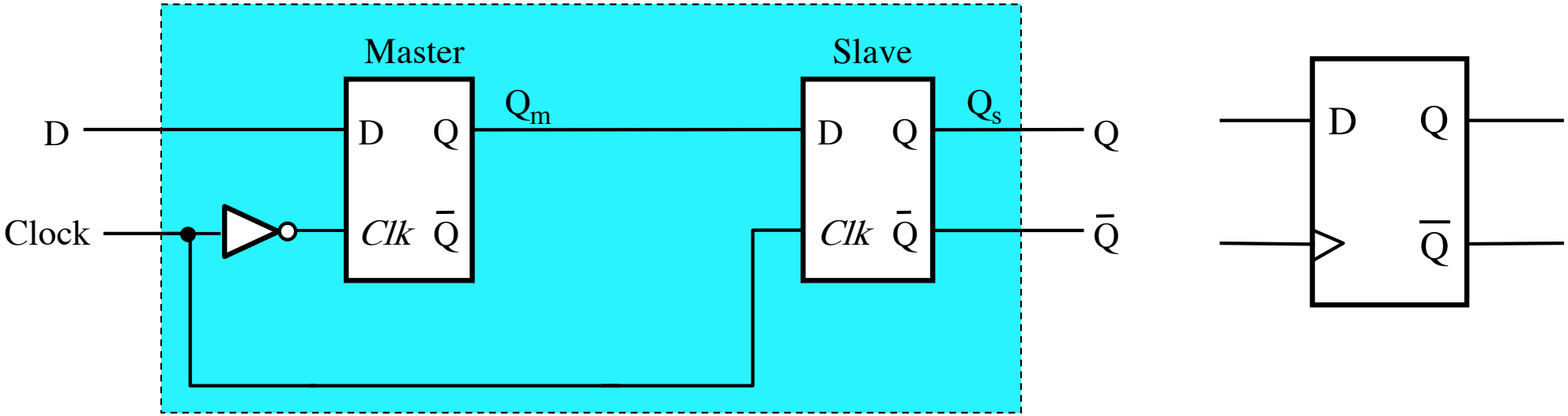

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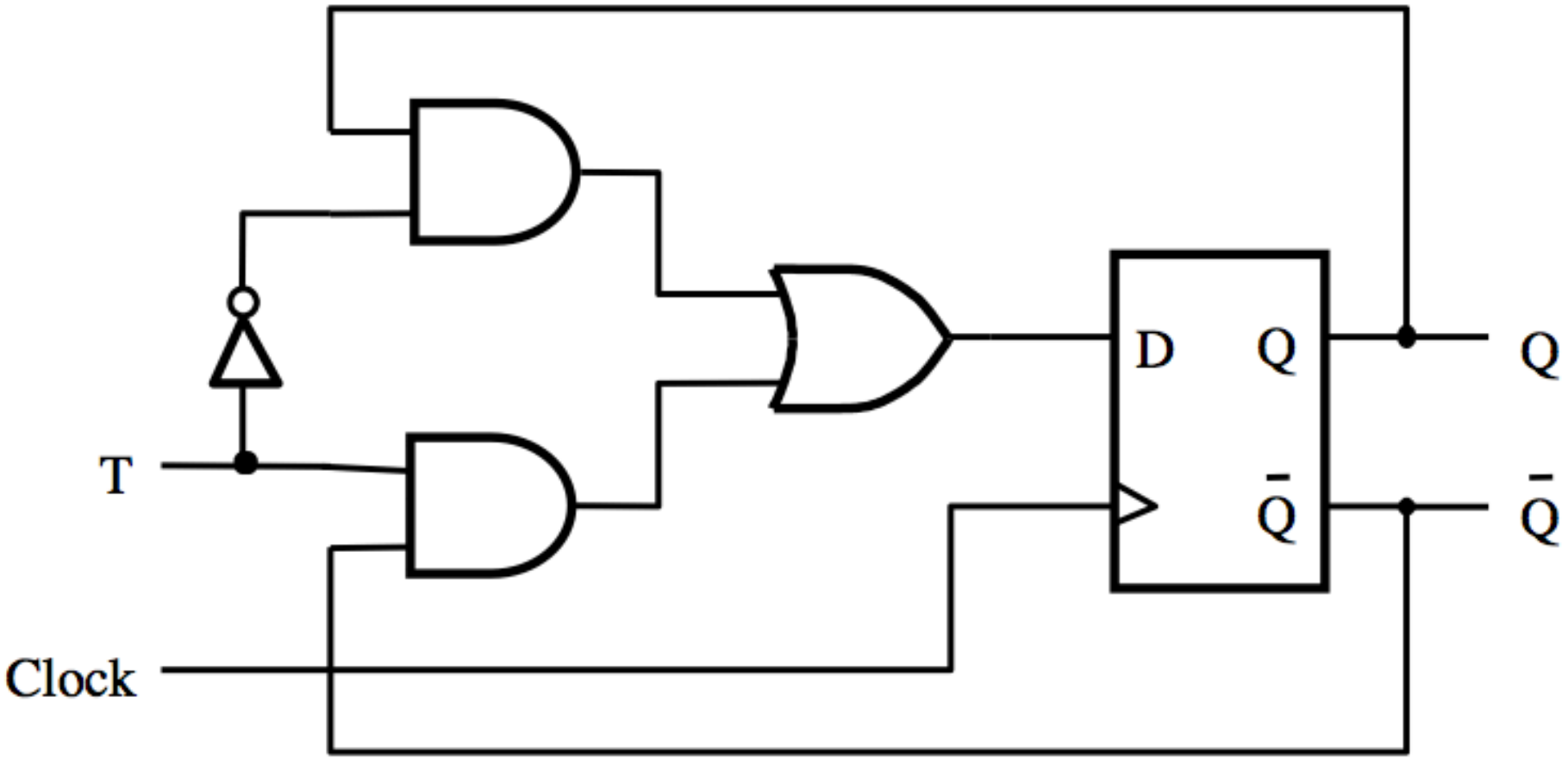

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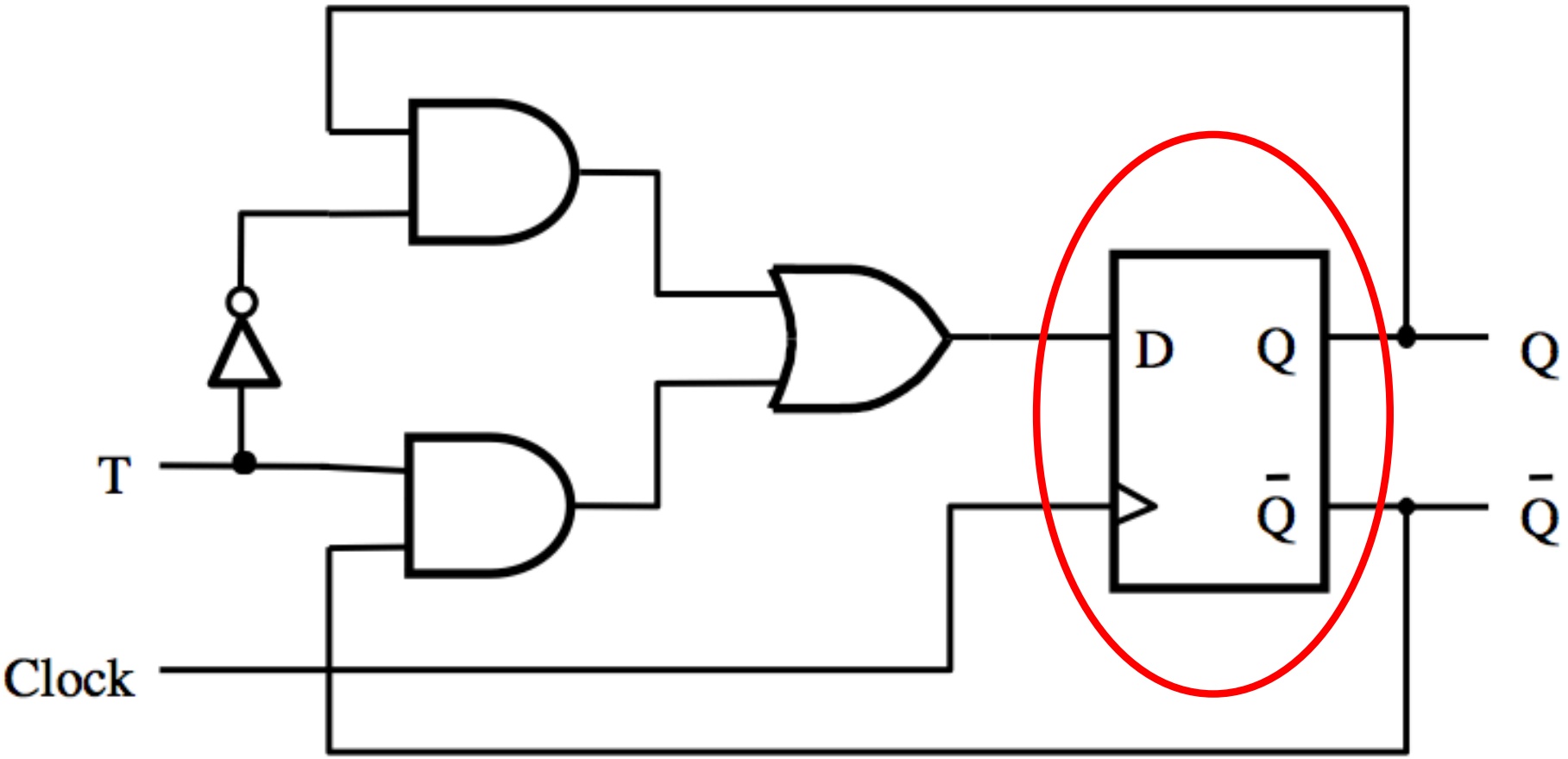

Positive-edge-triggered
D Flip-Flop

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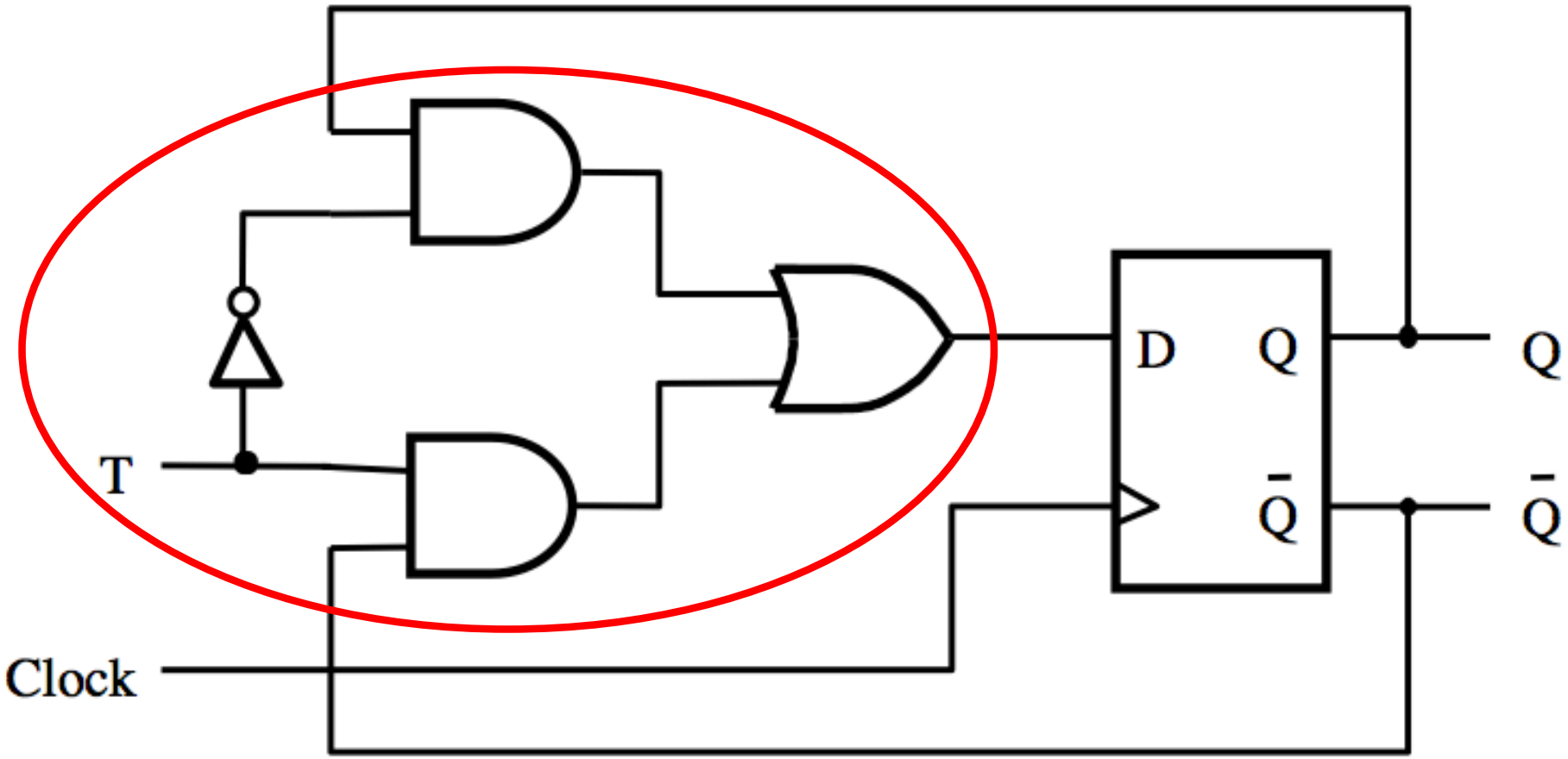

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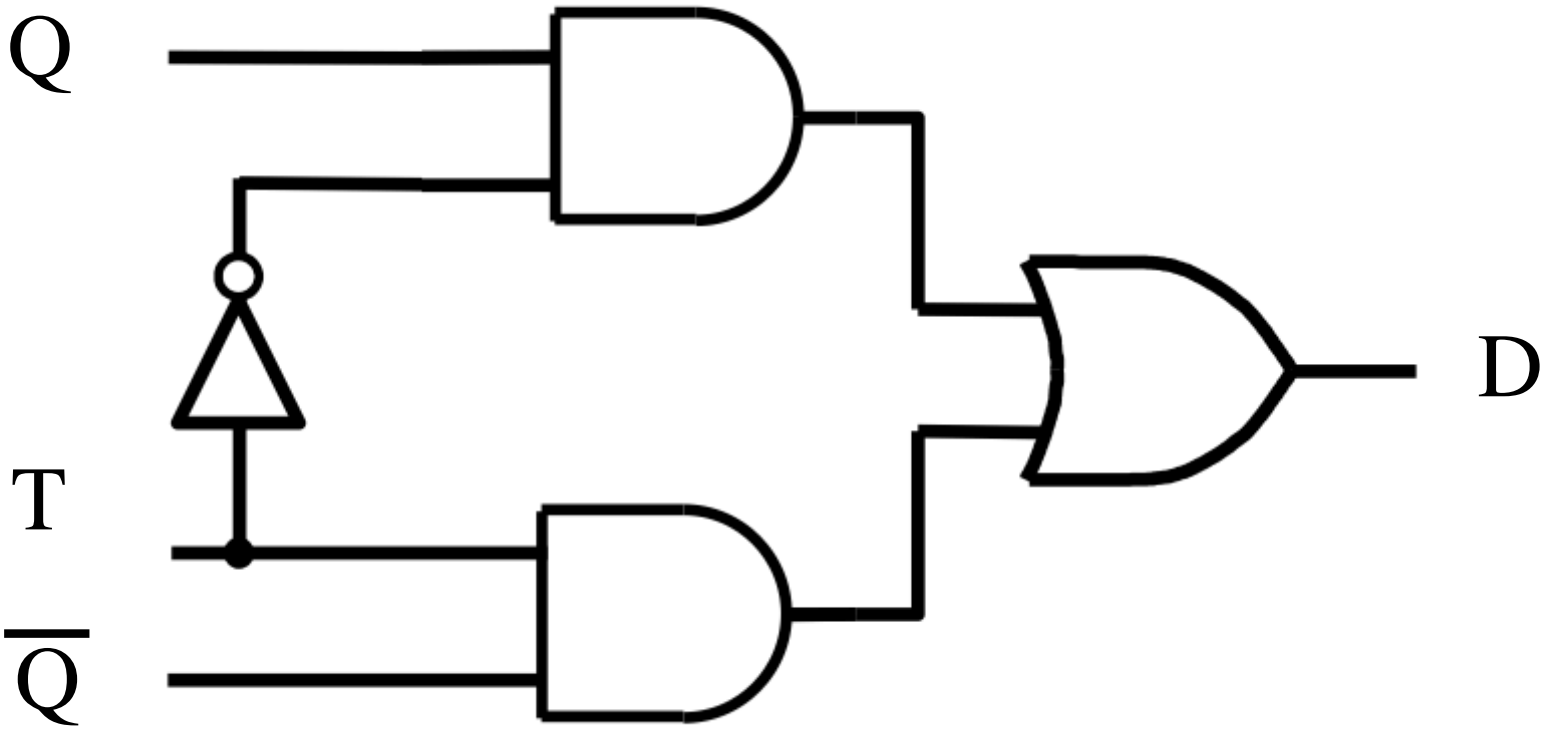

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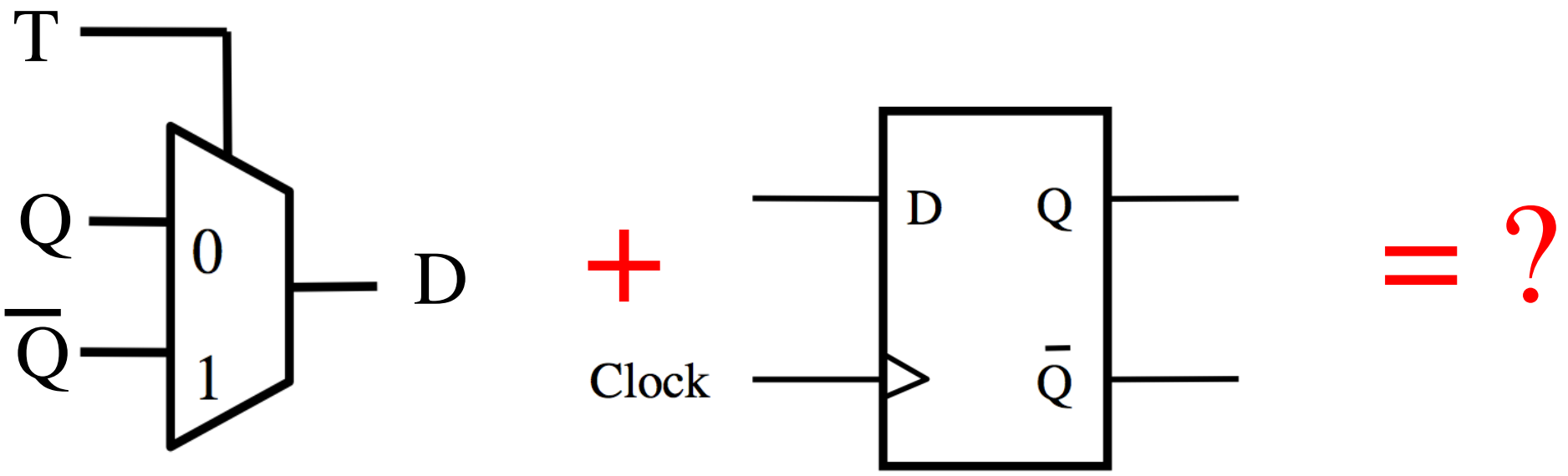

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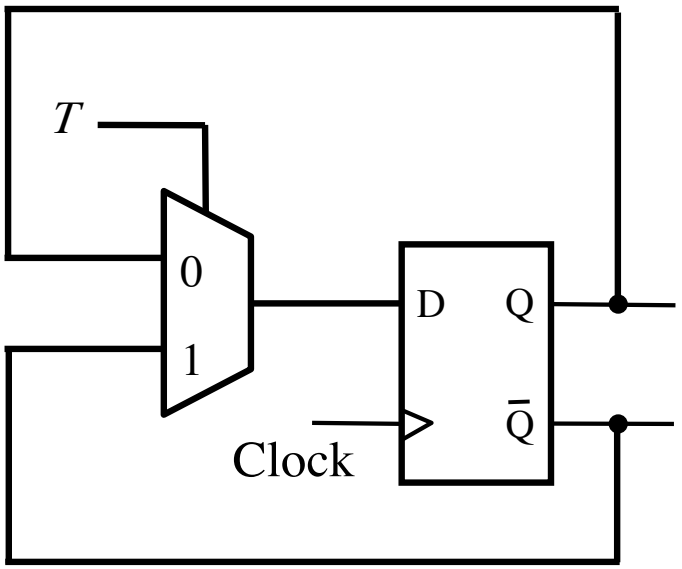

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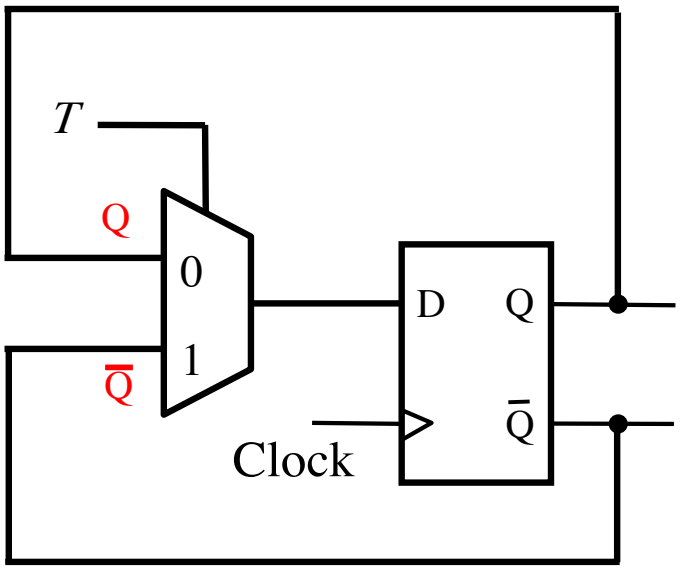

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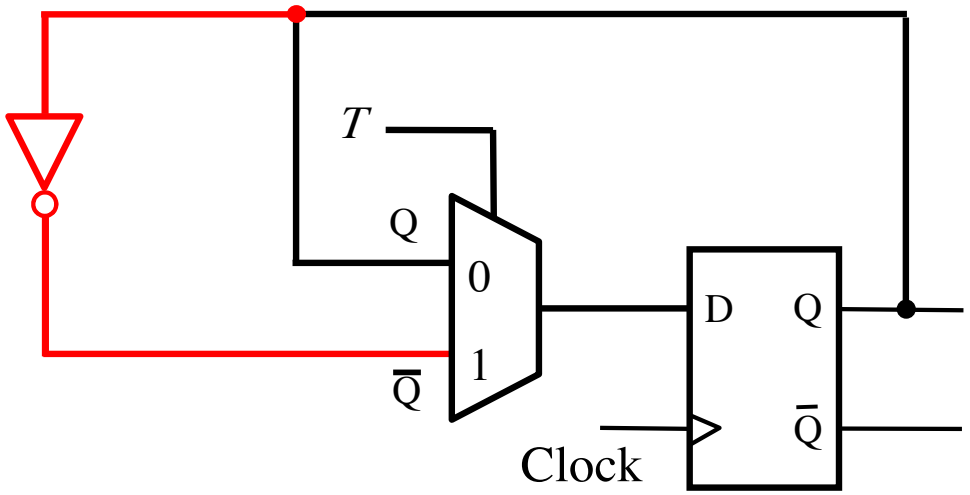

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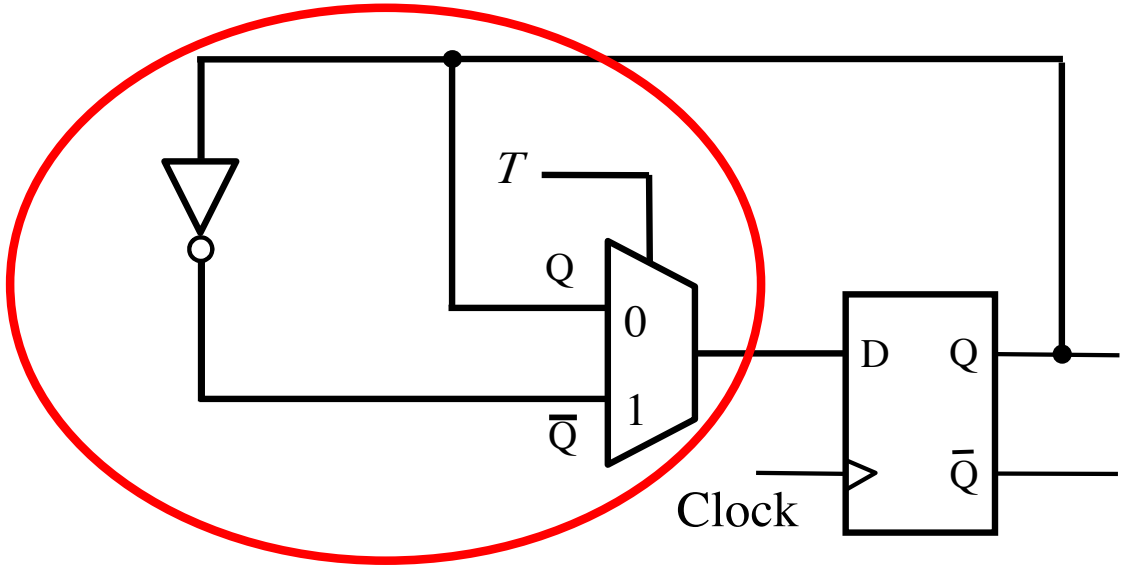

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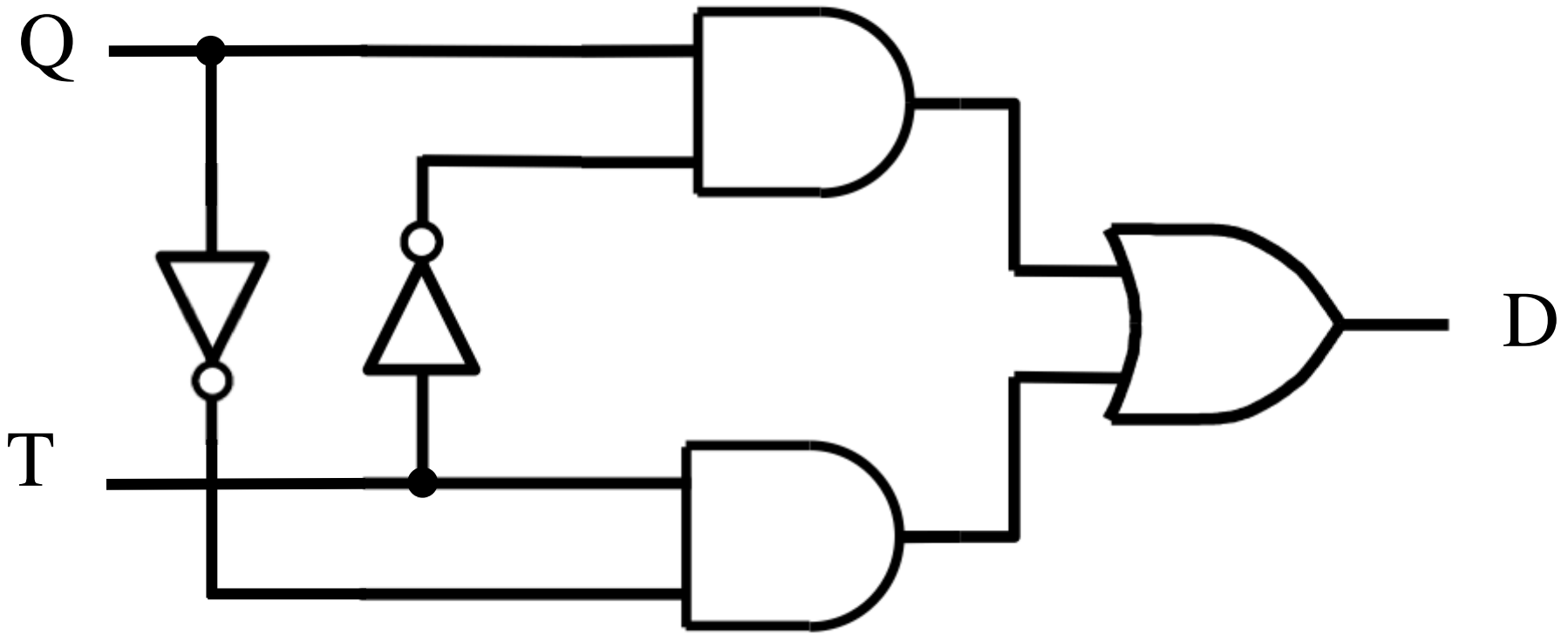

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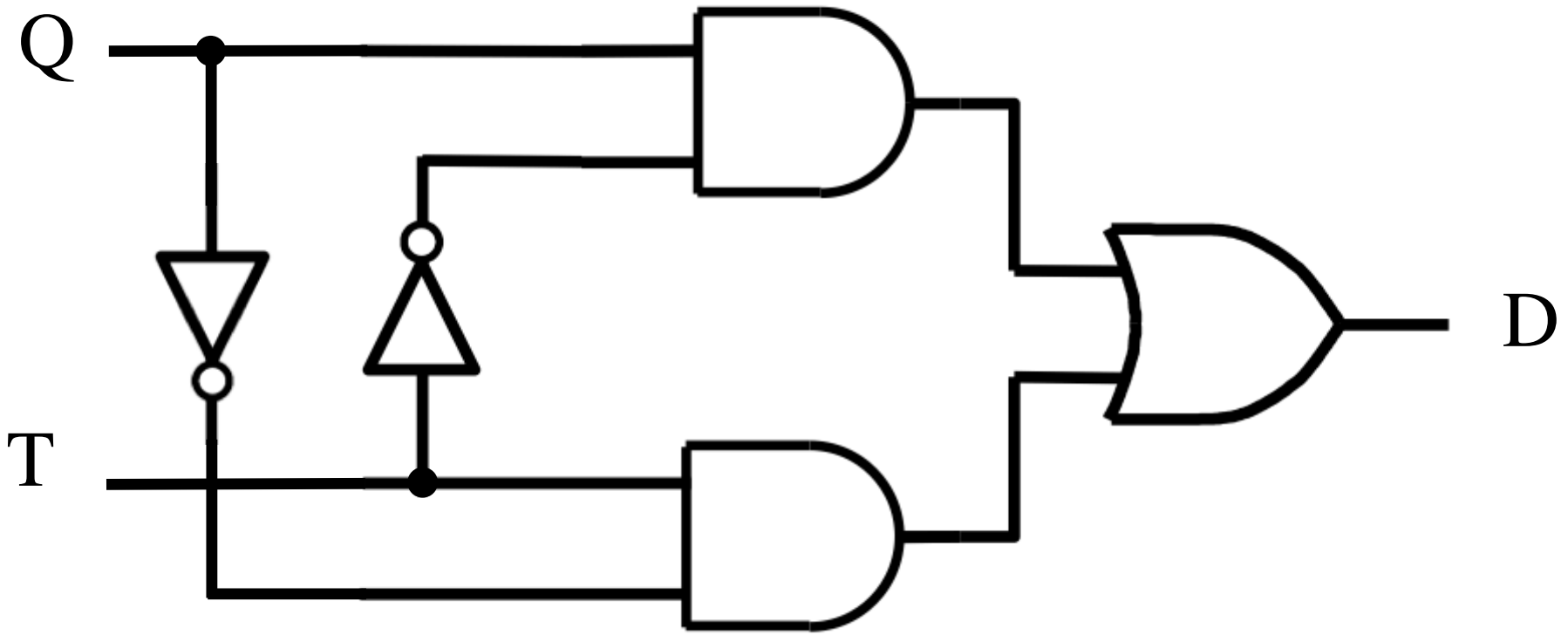
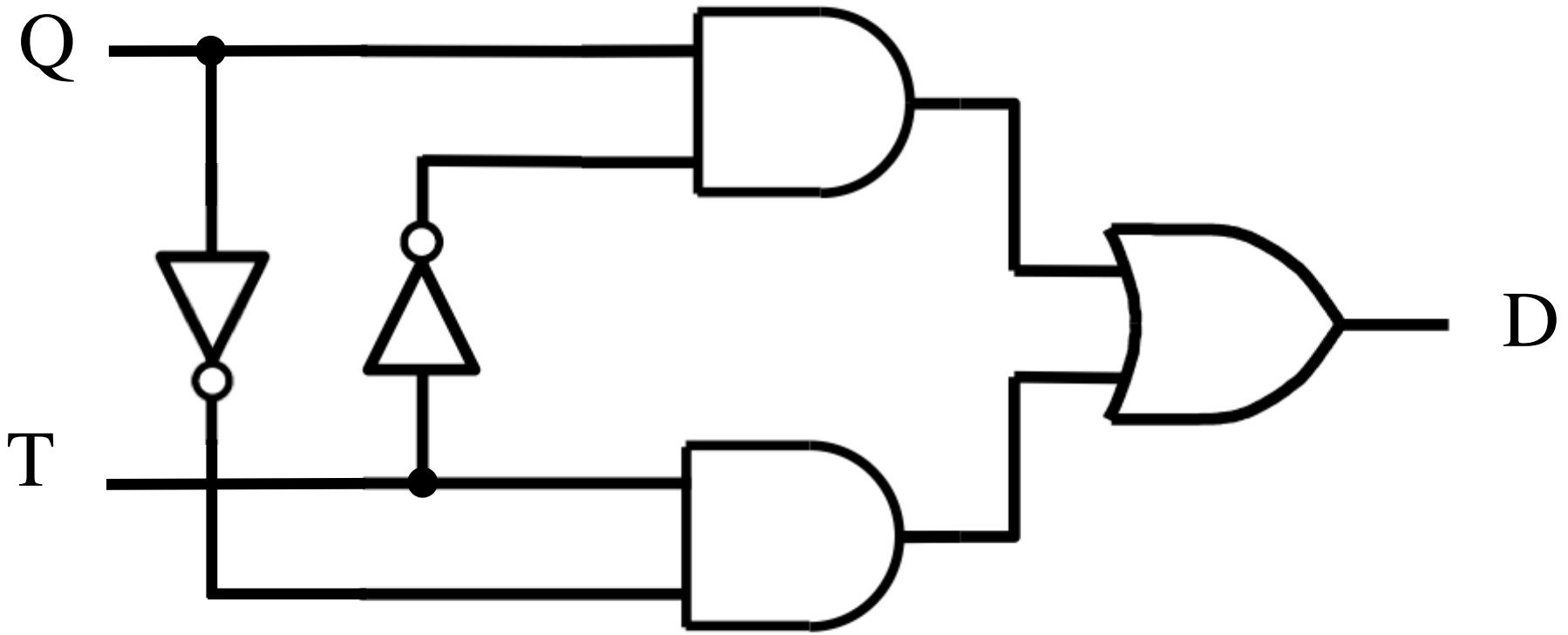


$$D = Q\overline{T} + \overline{Q}T$$

It is an XOR



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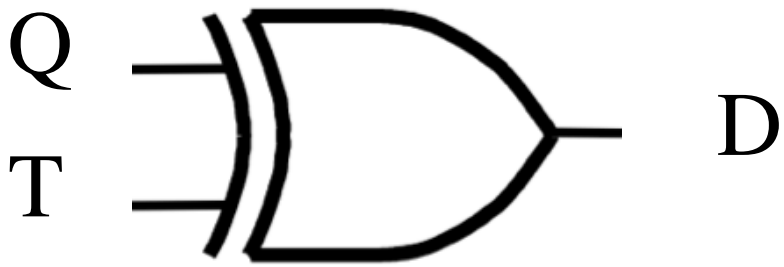

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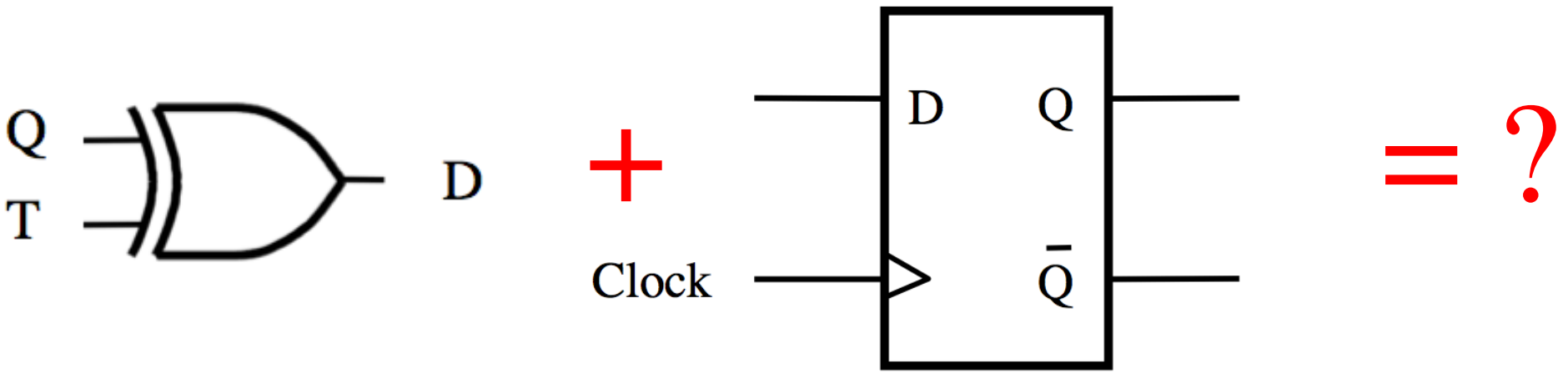

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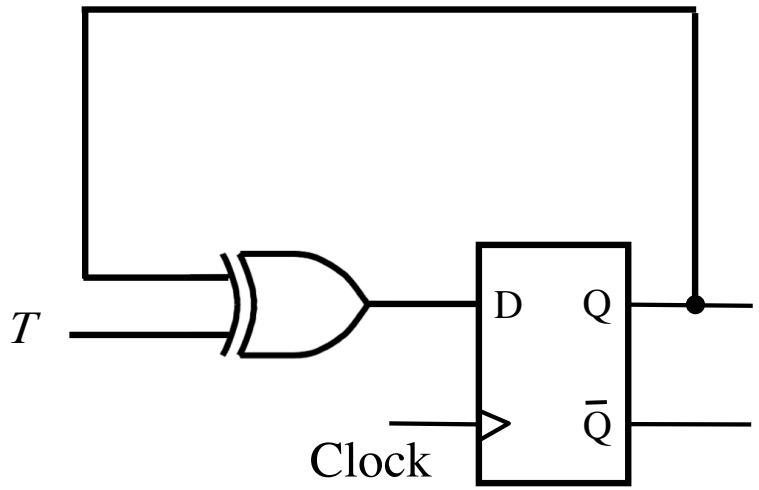
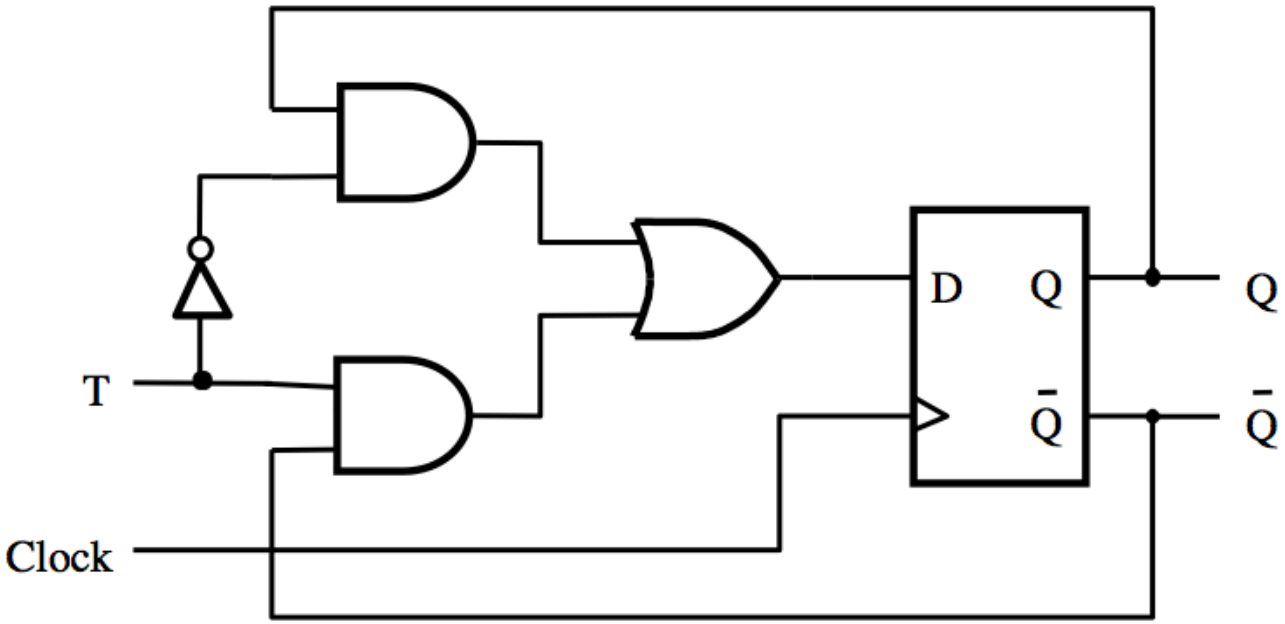
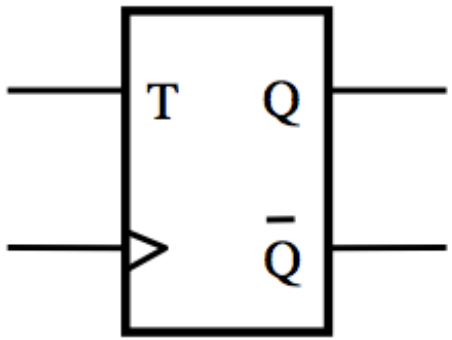


T Flip-Flop
(circuit, truth table and graphical symbol)



T	Q(t + 1)
0	Q(t)
1	$\overline{Q}(t)$



[Figure 5.15a-c from the textbook]

T Flip-Flop
(How it Works)

If T=0 then it stays in its current state

If T=1 then it reverses its current state

In other words the circuit “toggles” its state when T=1. This is why it is called T flip-flop.

JK Flip-Flop

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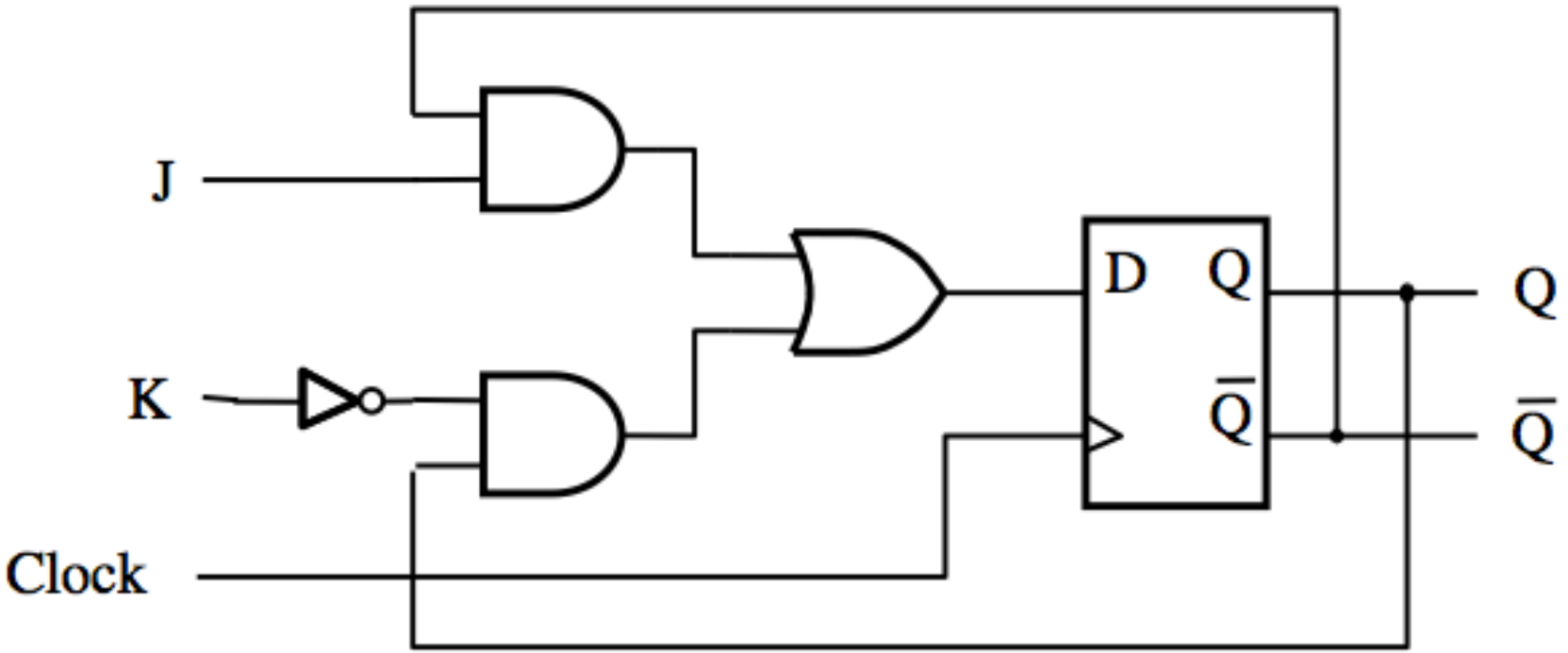
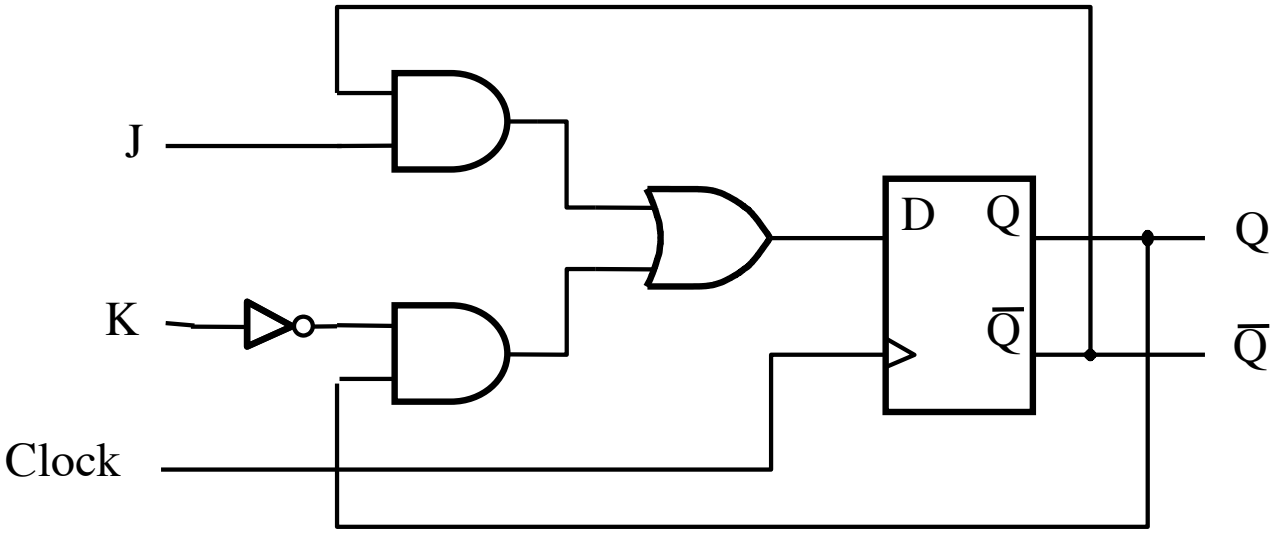


$$D = J\overline{Q} + \overline{K}Q$$

[Figure 5.16a from the textbook]

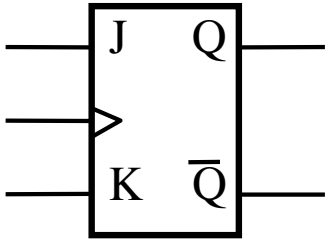
JK Flip-Flop



(a) Circuit

J	K	Q (t+1)
0	0	Q (t)
0	1	0
1	0	1
1	1	$\overline{Q}$ (t)

(b) Truth table



(c) Graphical symbol

[Figure 5.16 from the textbook]

JK Flip-Flop
(How it Works)

A versatile circuit that can be used both as a SR flip-flop and as a T flip flop

If J=0 and S =0 it stays in the same state

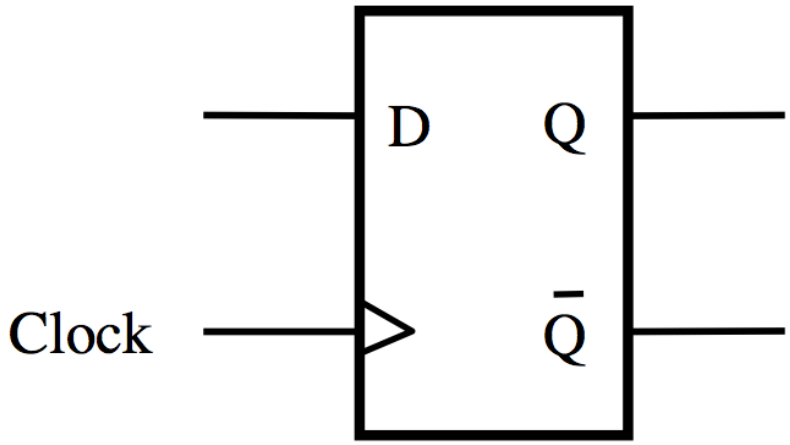
Just like SR It can be set and reset

J=S and K=R

If J=K=1 then it behaves as a T flip-flop

Complete Wiring Diagrams

Positive-Edge-Triggered D Flip-Flop



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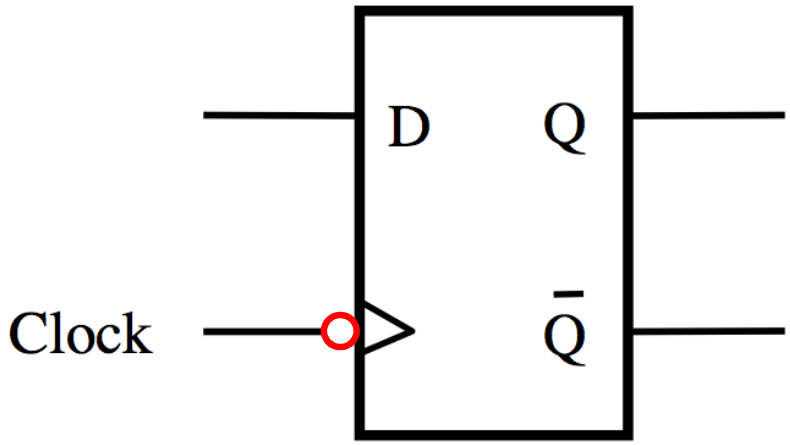
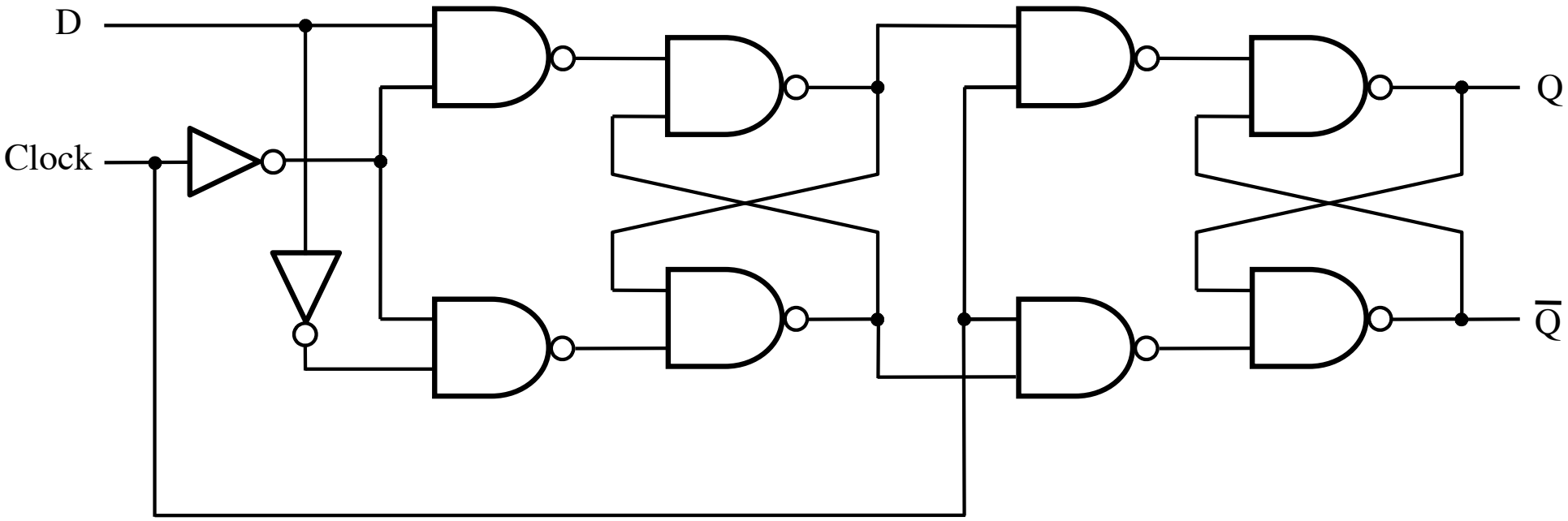


The Complete Wiring Diagram for a Positive-Edge-Triggered D Flip-Flop



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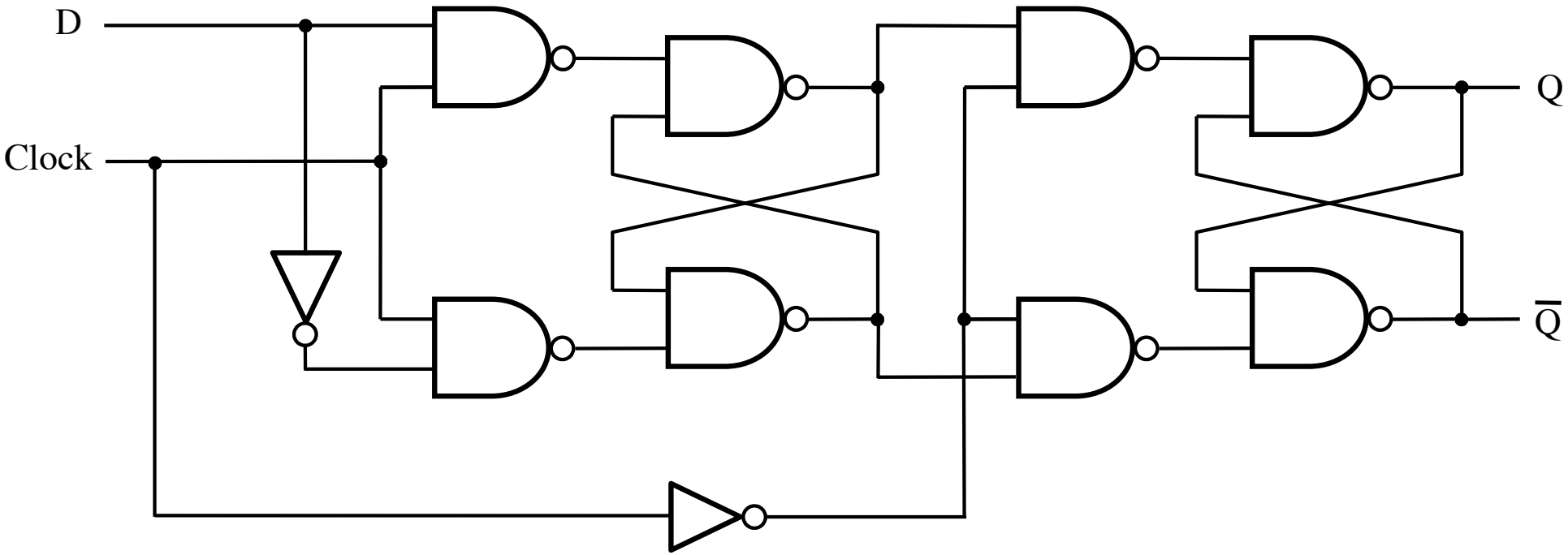

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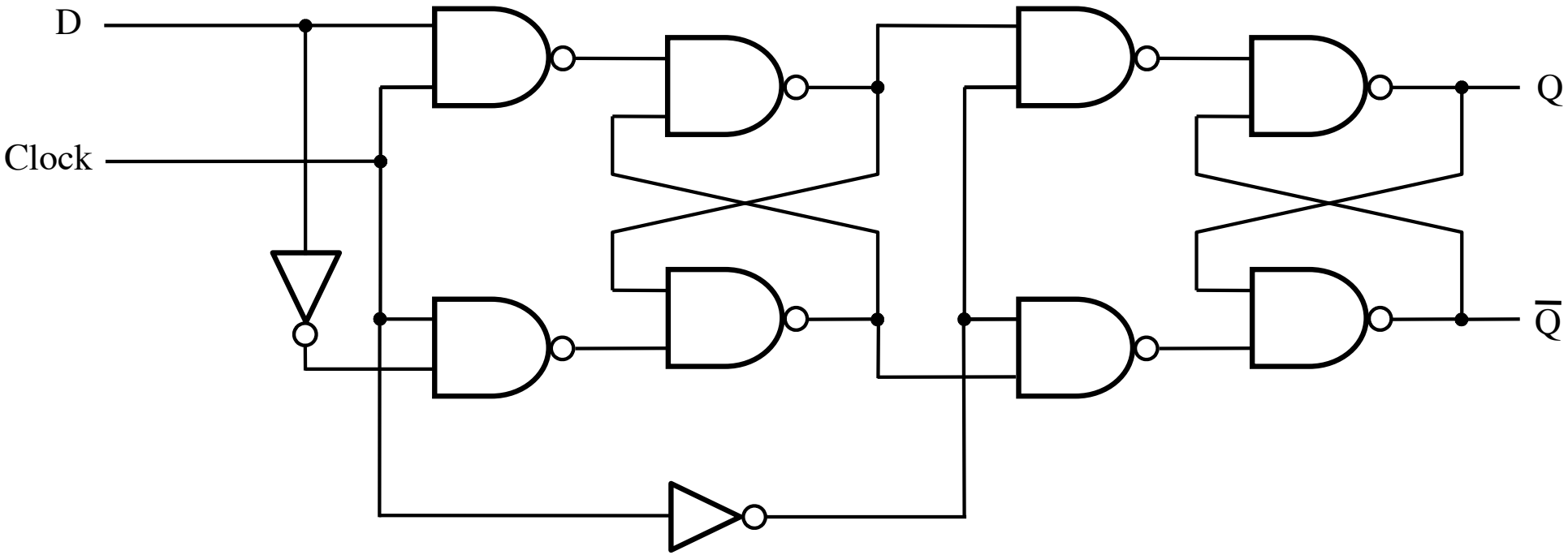

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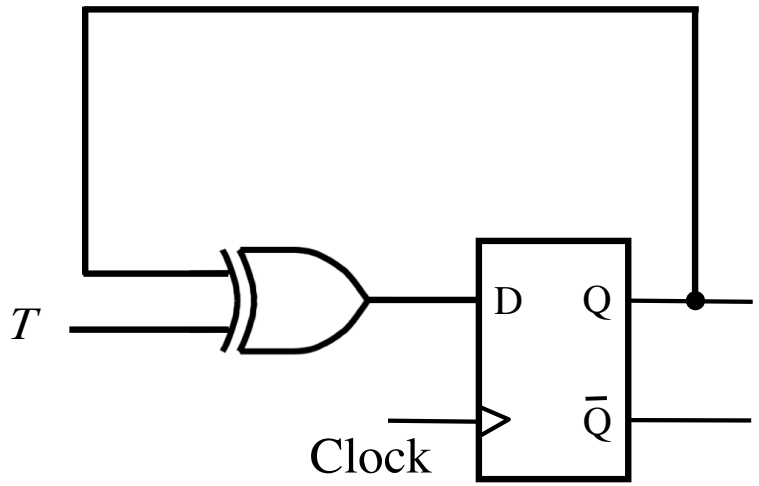

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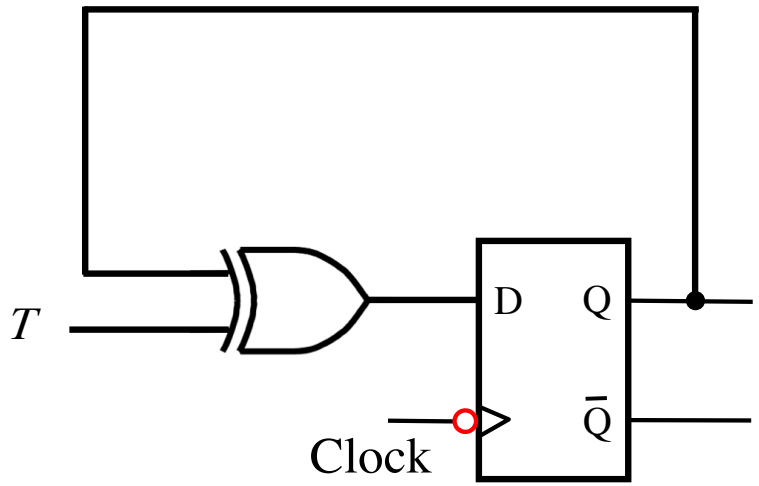

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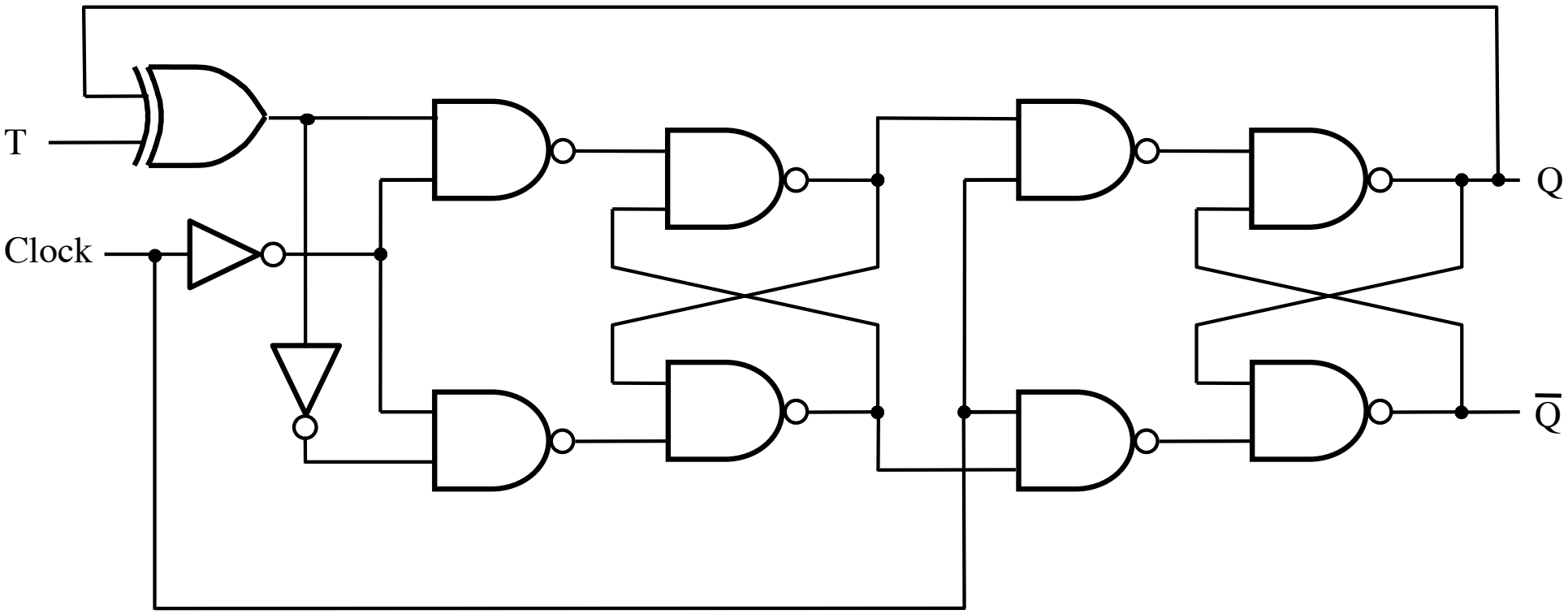

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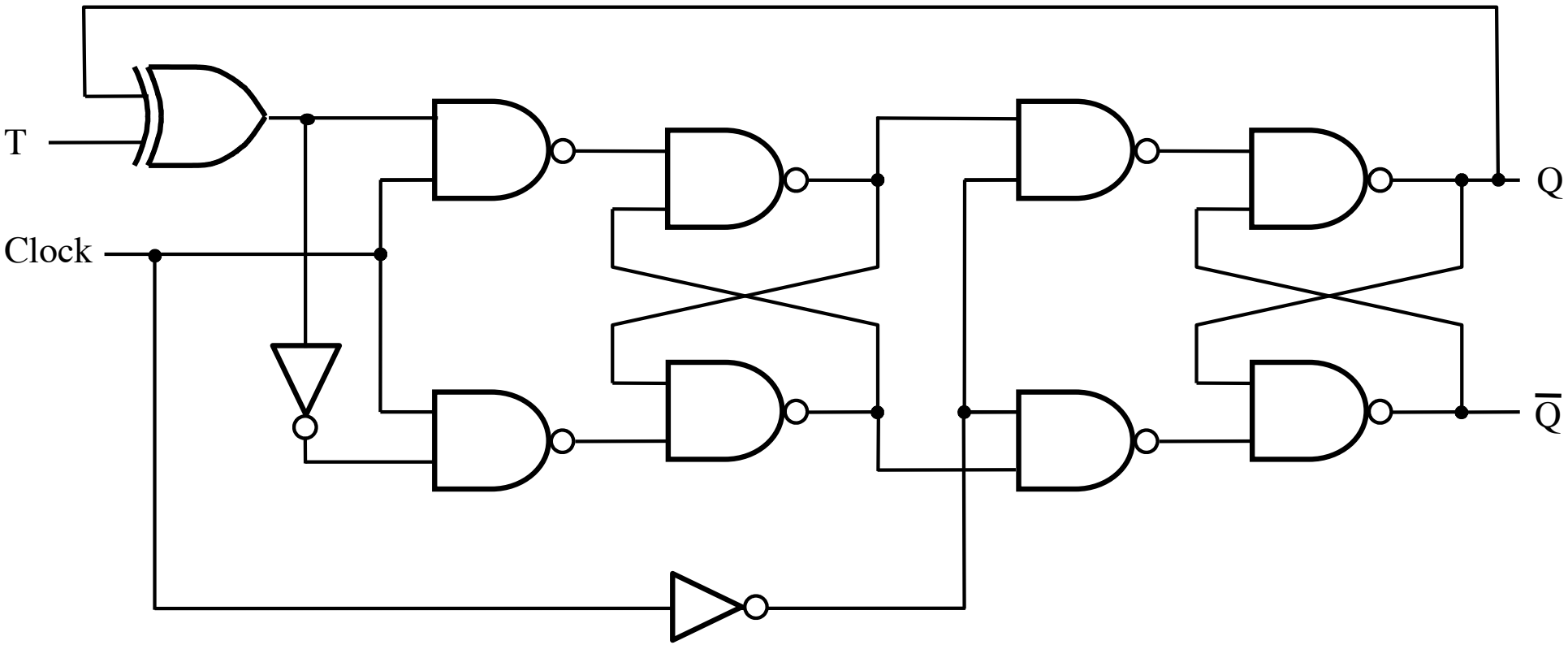

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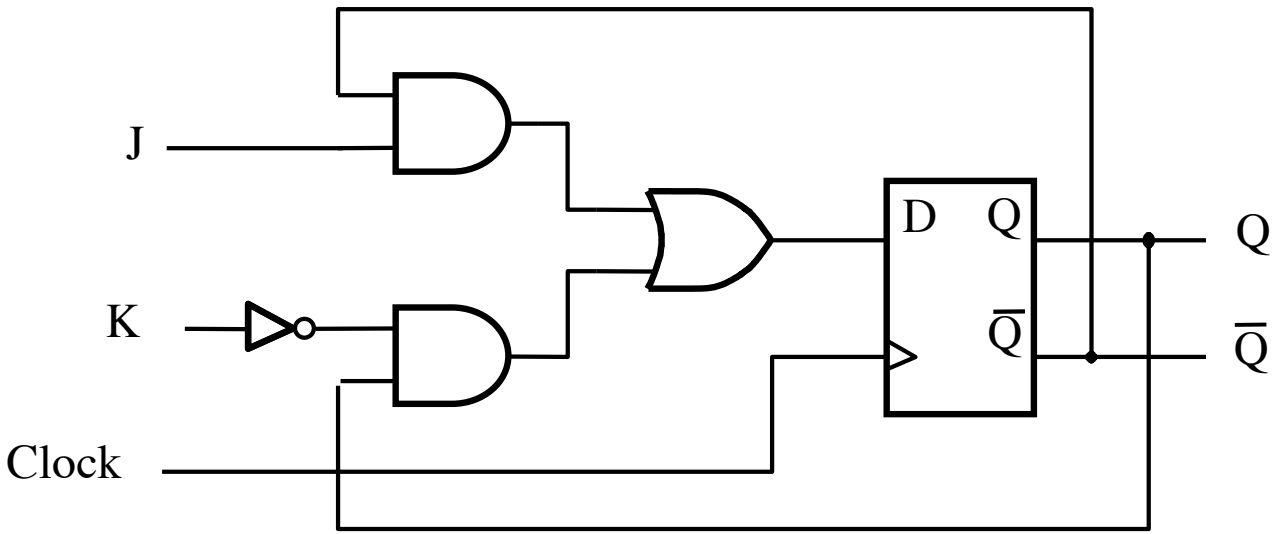

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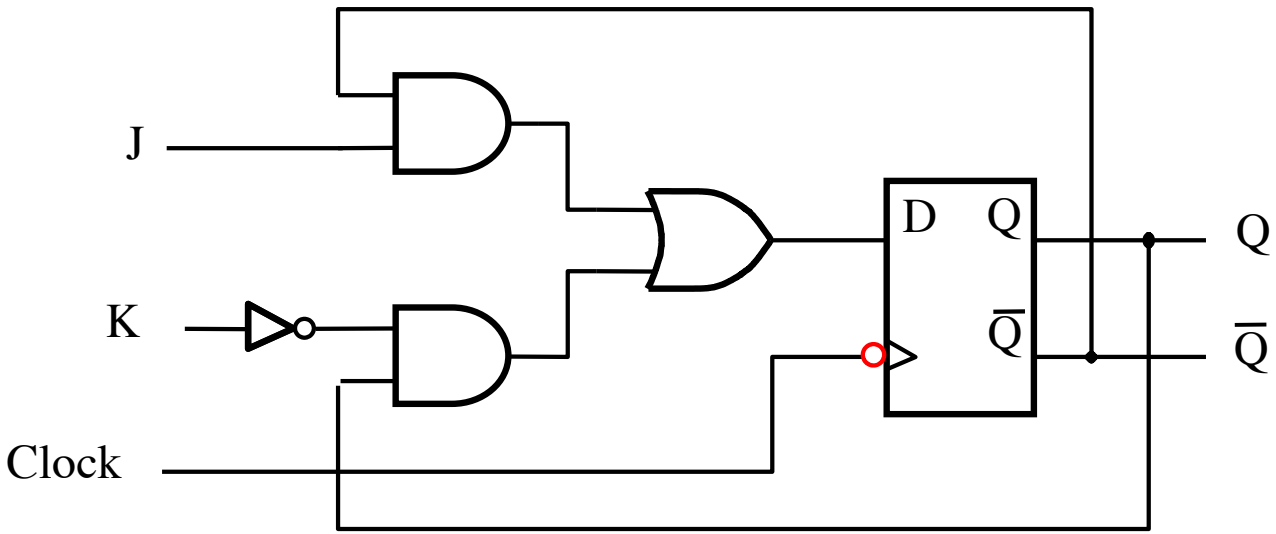

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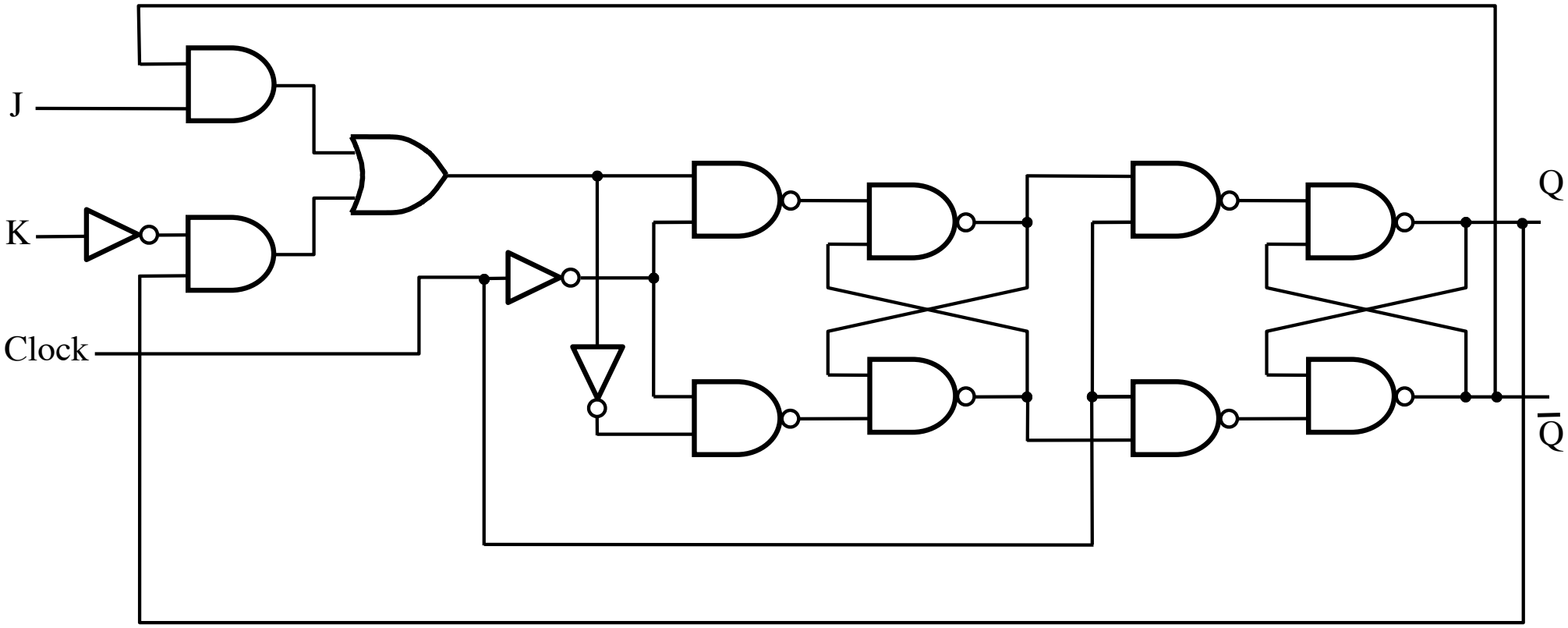

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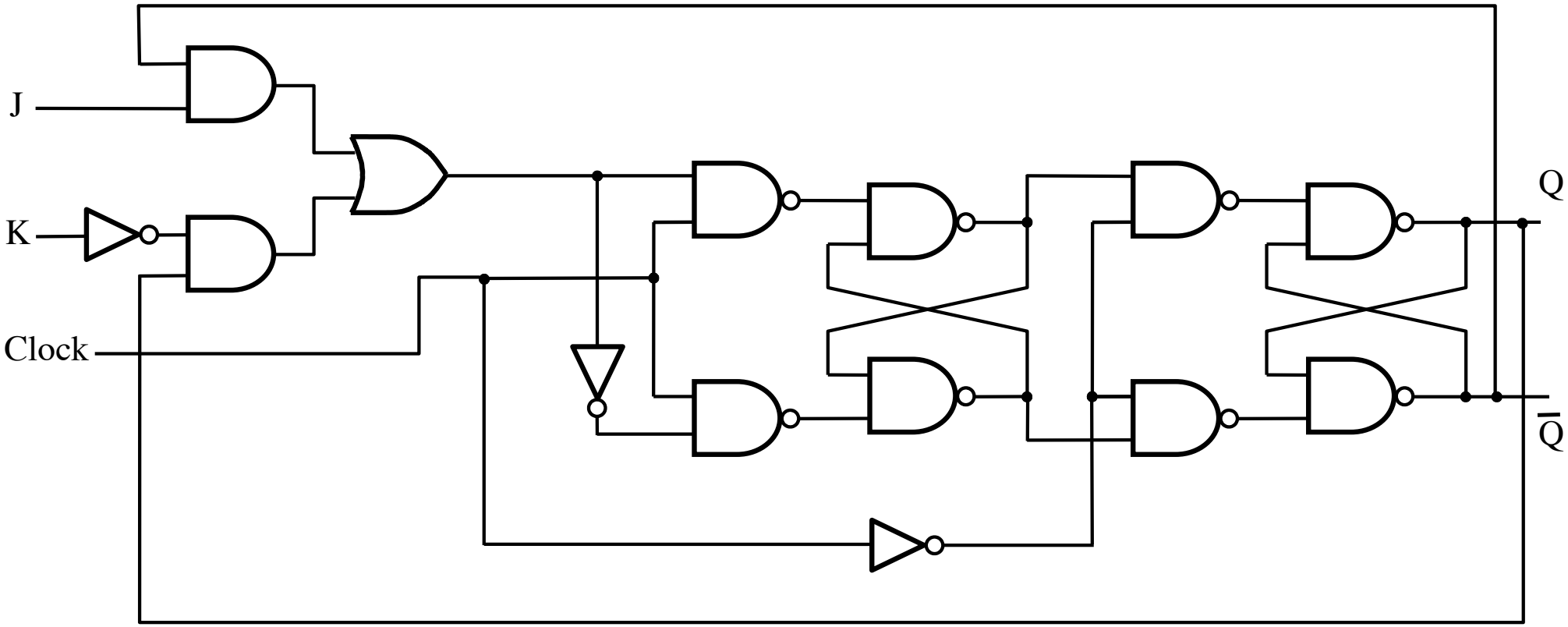


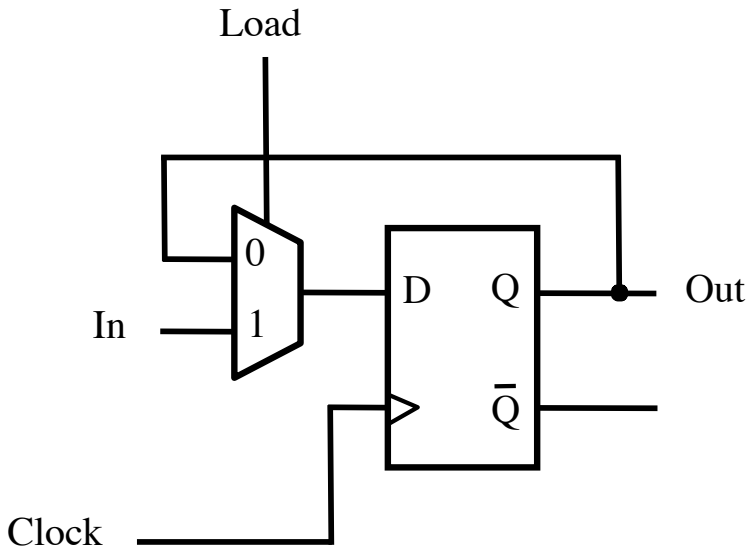
Registers

Register
(Definition)

An n-bit structure consisting of flip-flops.

Parallel-Access Register

1-Bit Parallel-Access Register



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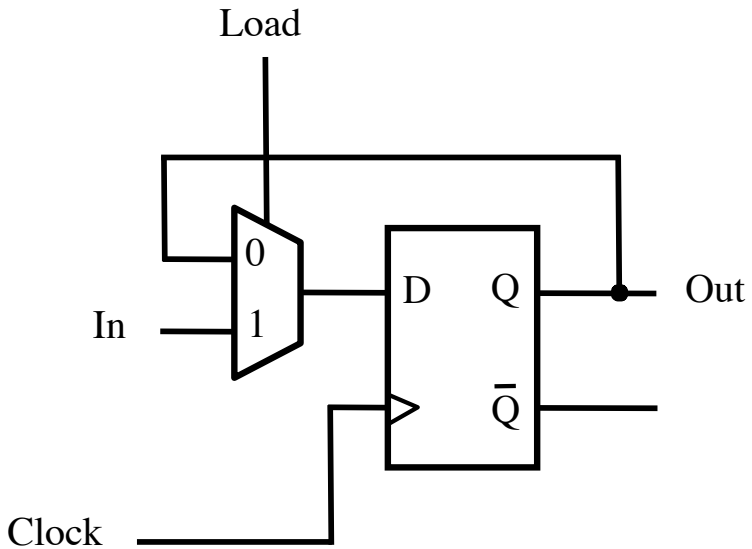

The 2-to-1 multiplexer is used to select whether to load a new value into the D flip-flop or to retain the old value.

The output of this circuit is the Q output of the flip-flop.

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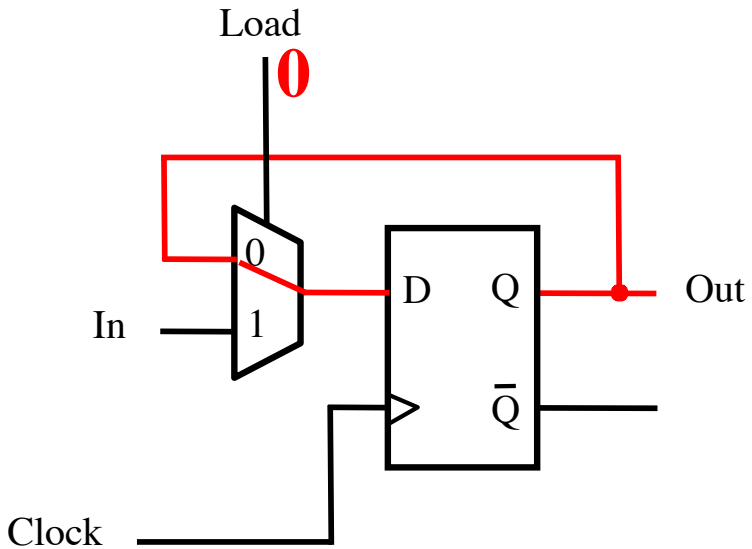

If Load = 0, then retain the old value.

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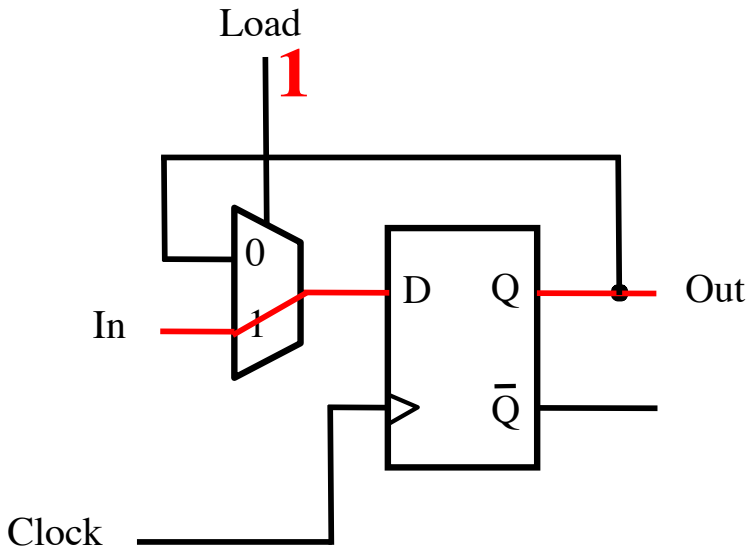

If Load = 1, then load the new value from In.

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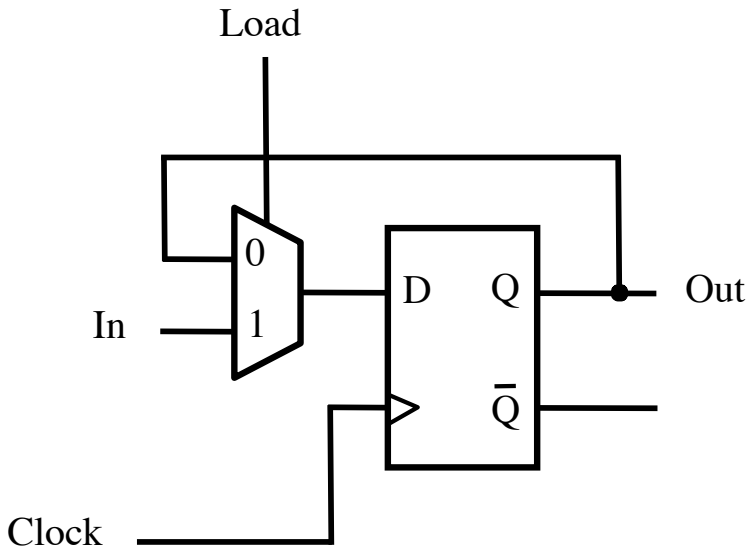

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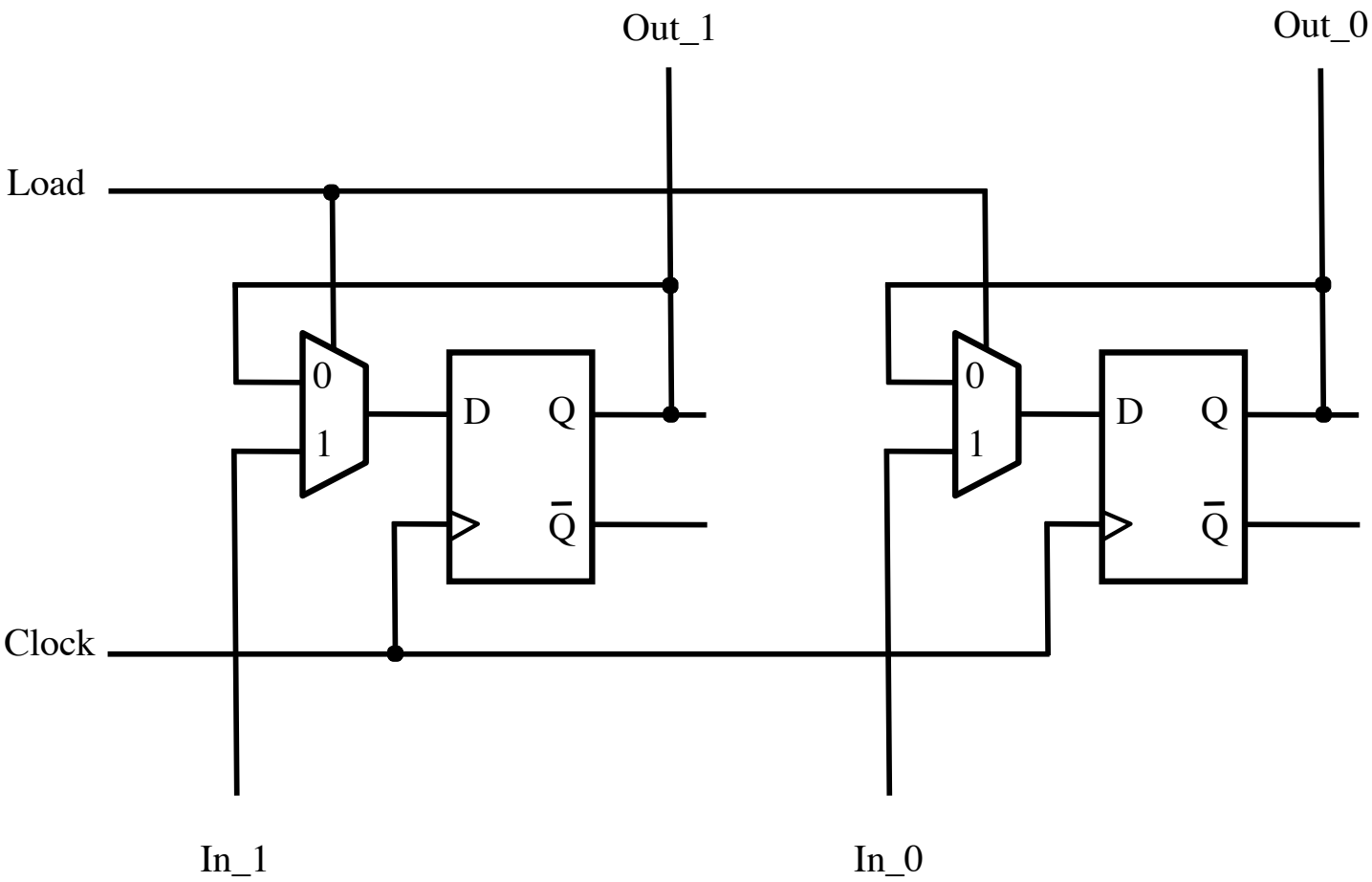

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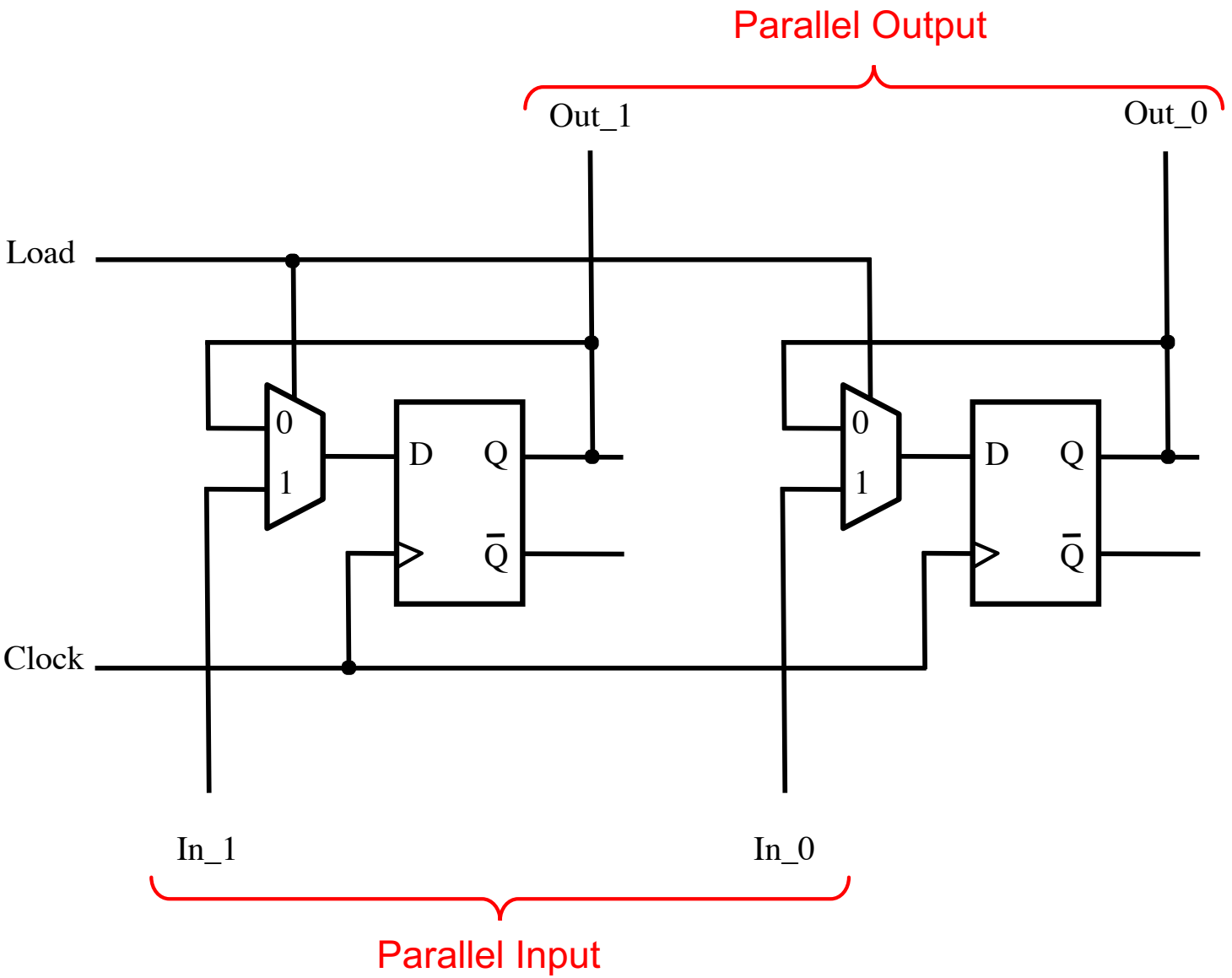

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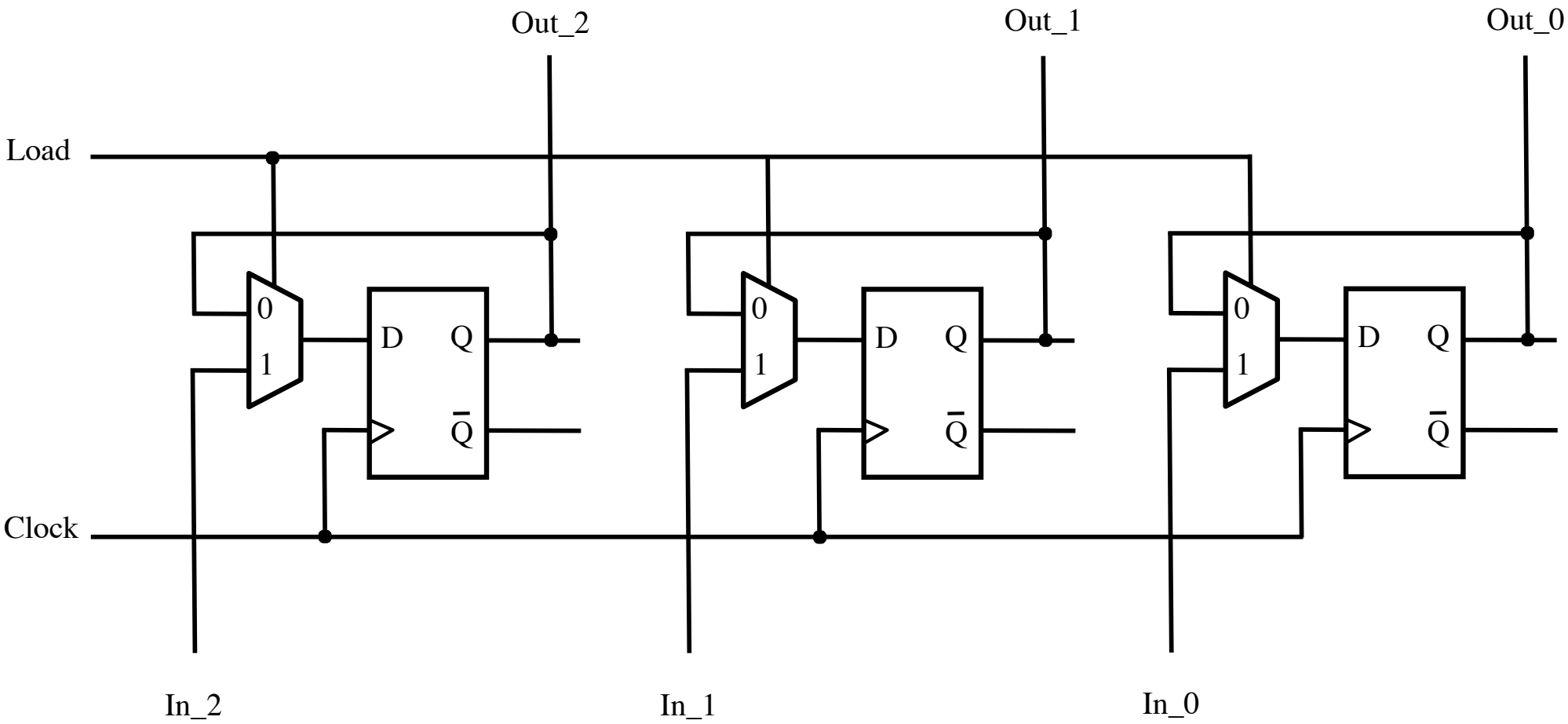

Notice that all flip-flops are on the same clock cycle.

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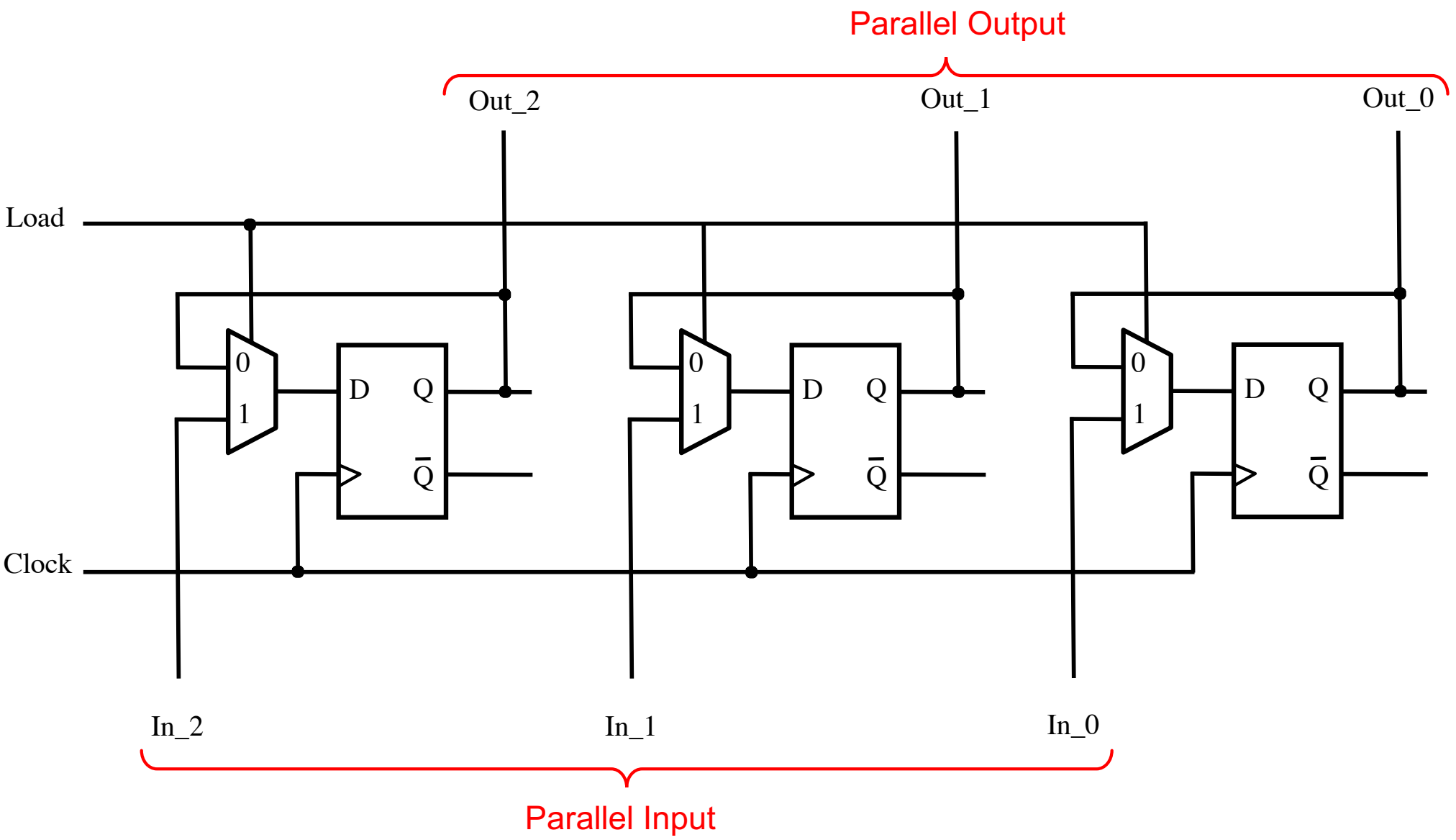

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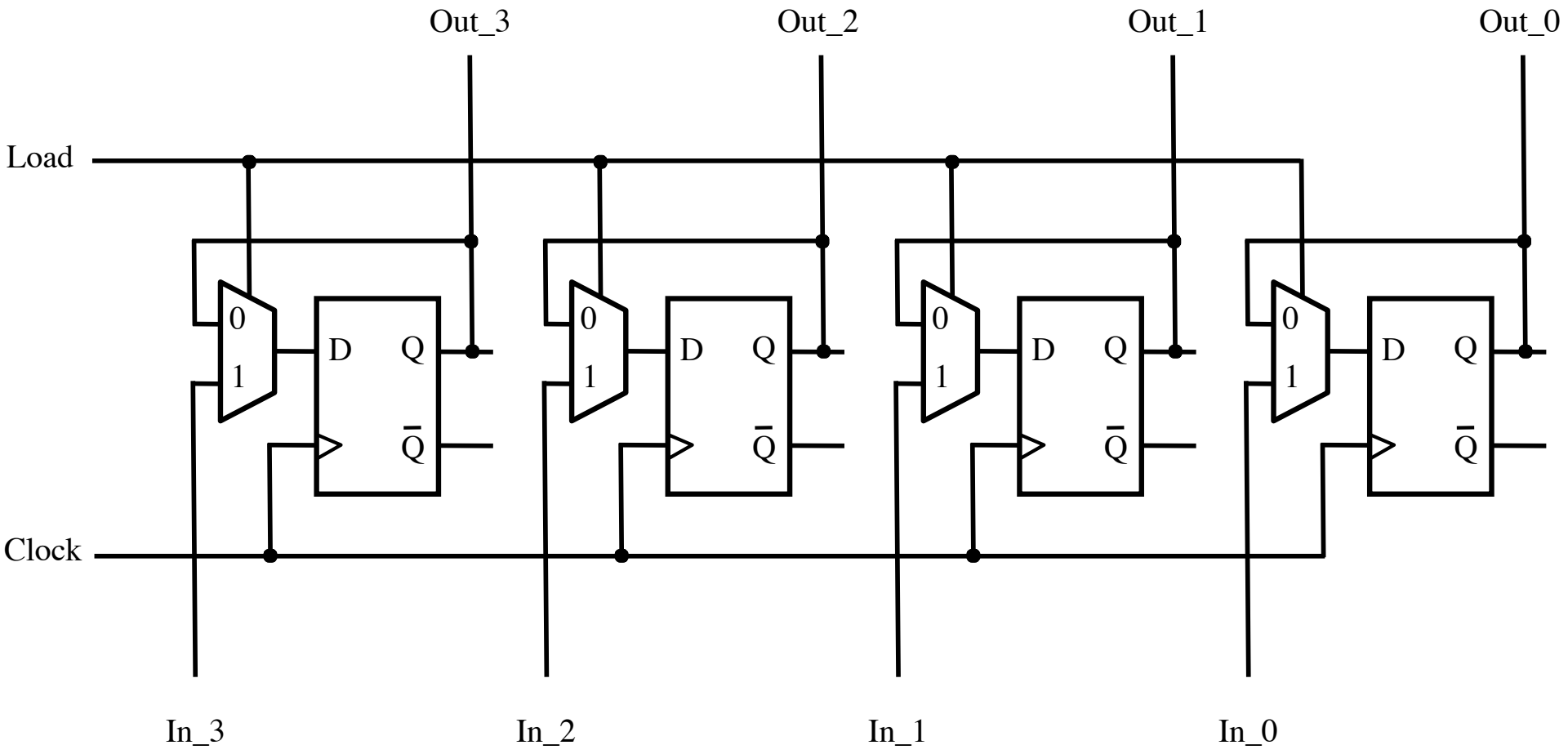

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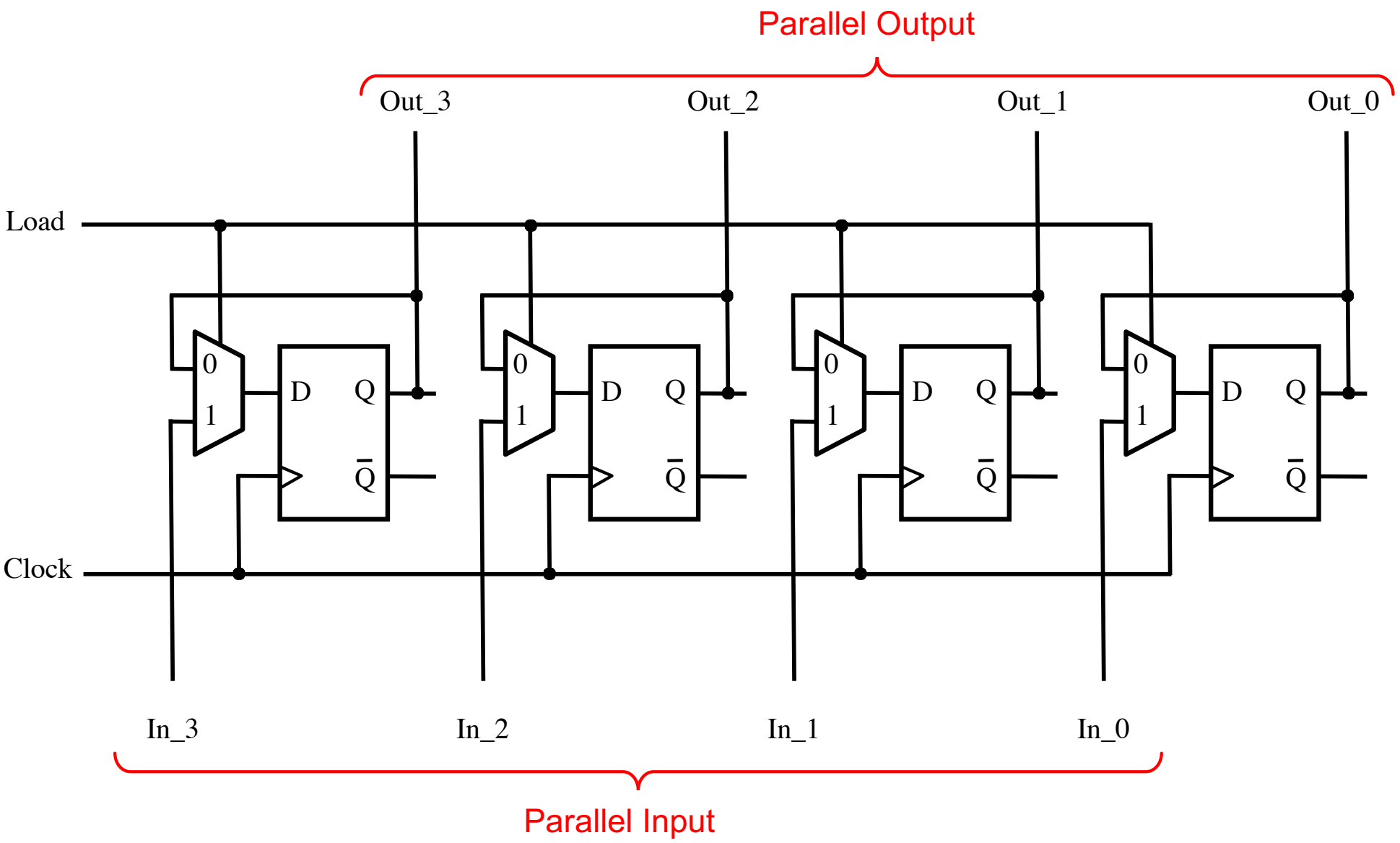

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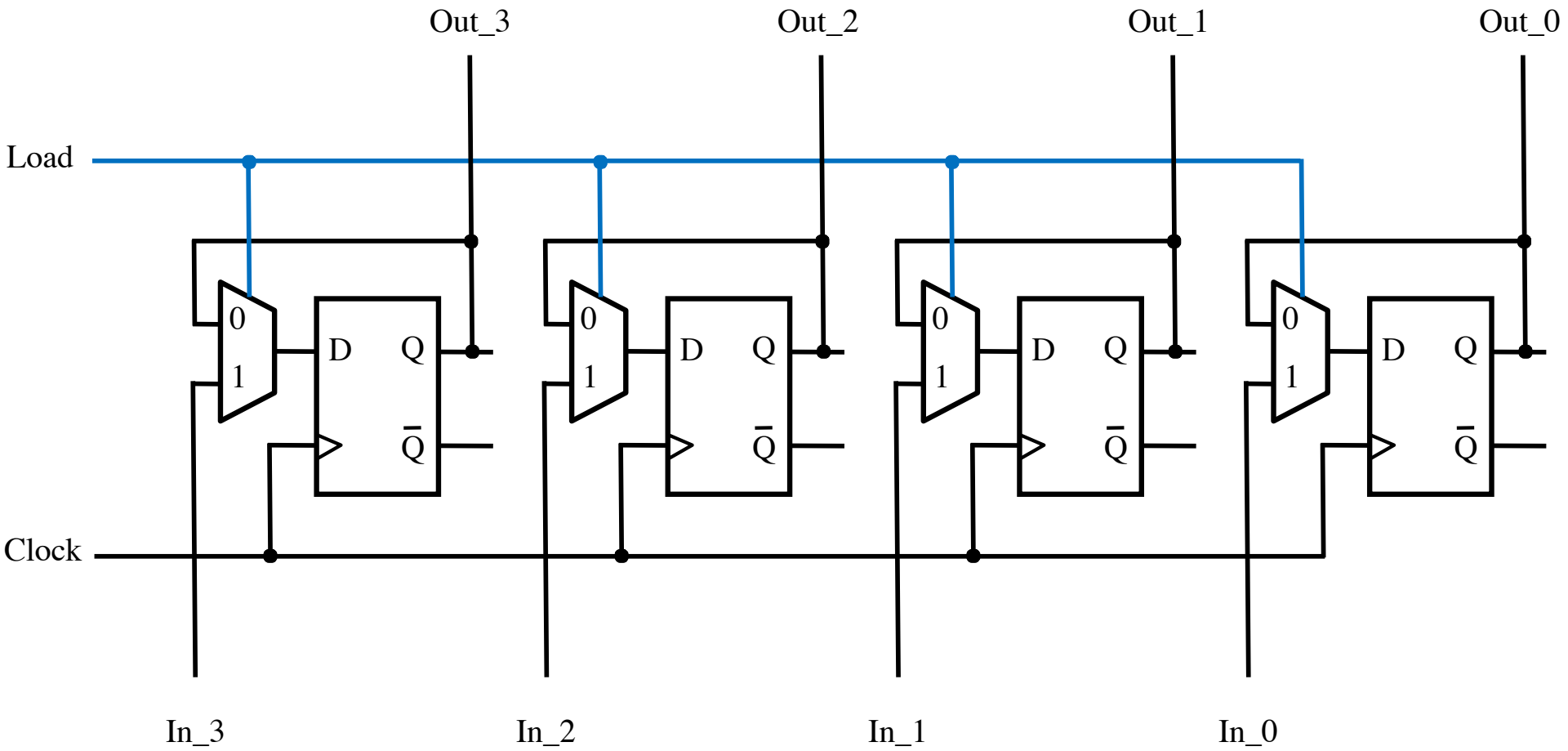

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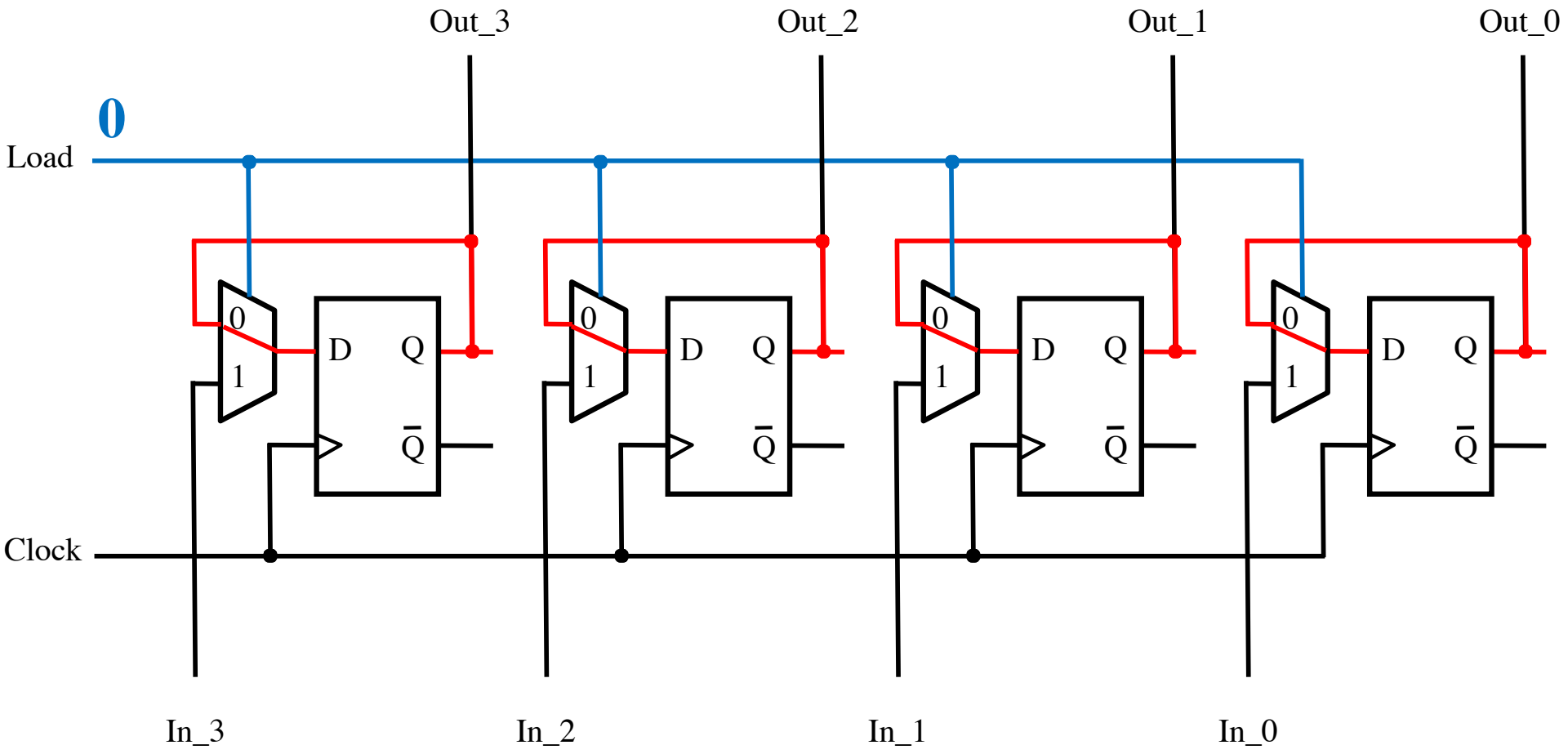

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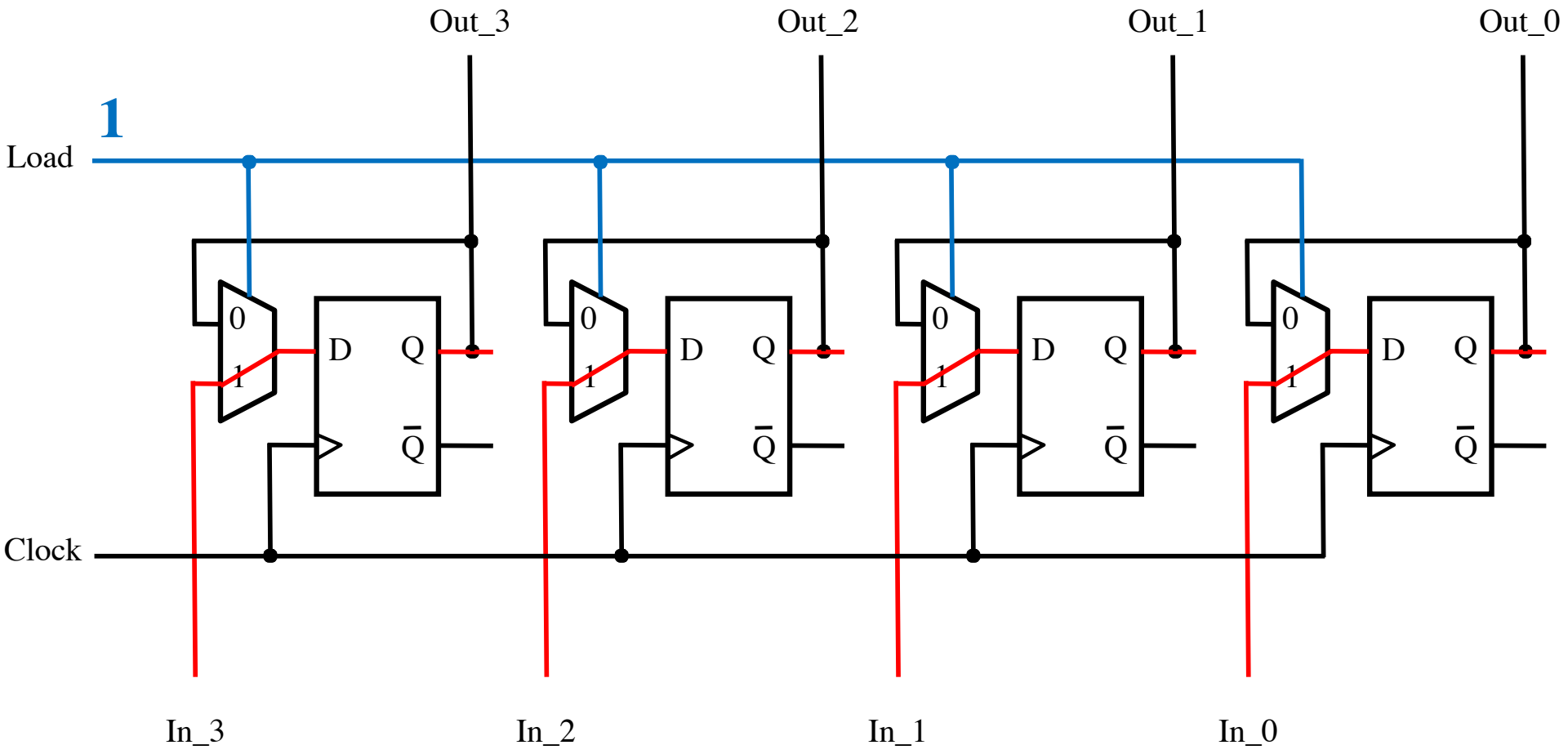

Shift Register

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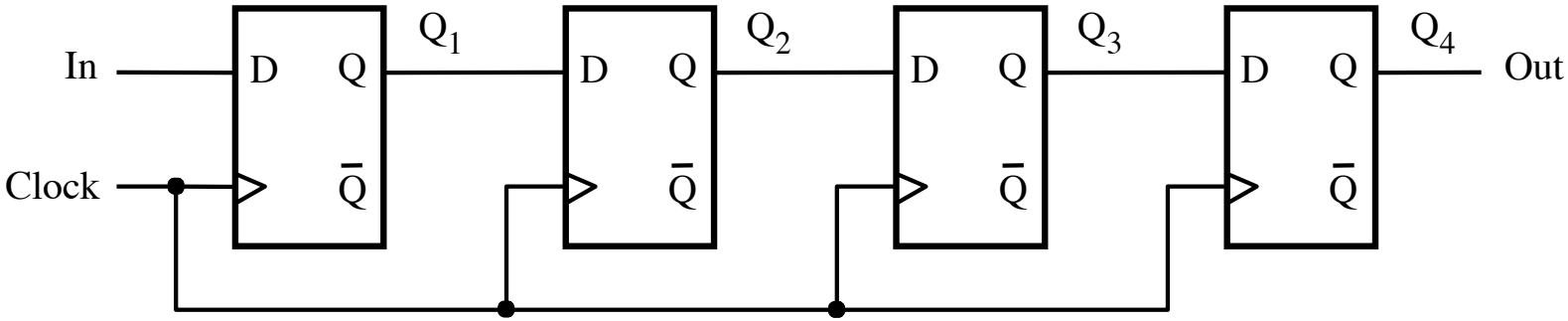

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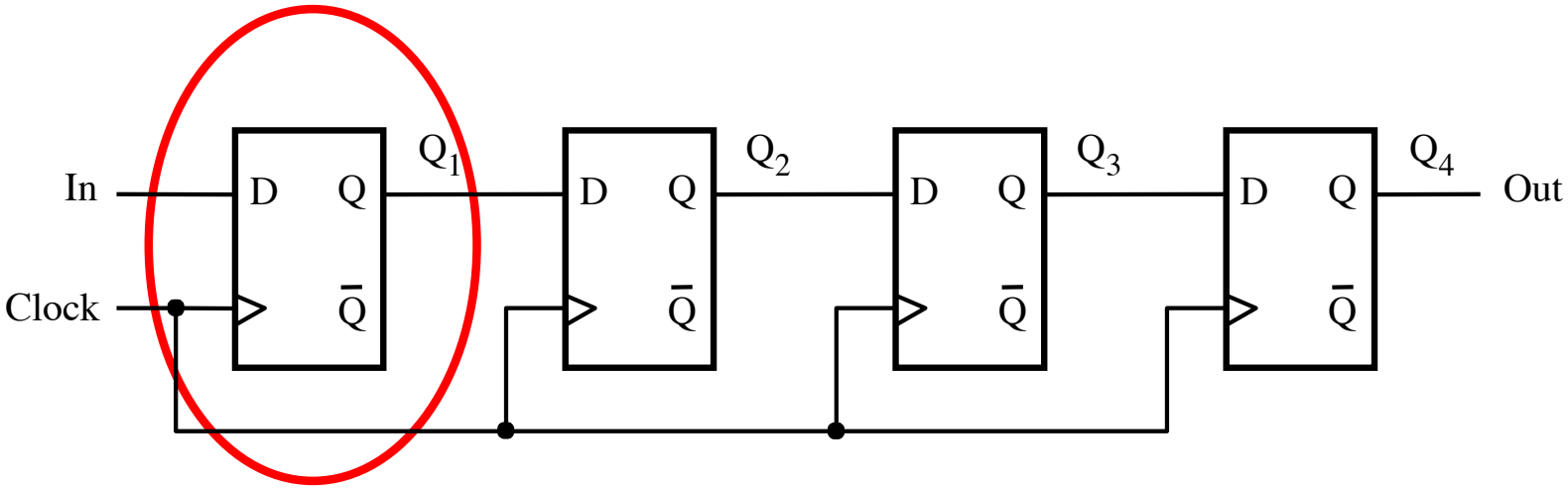

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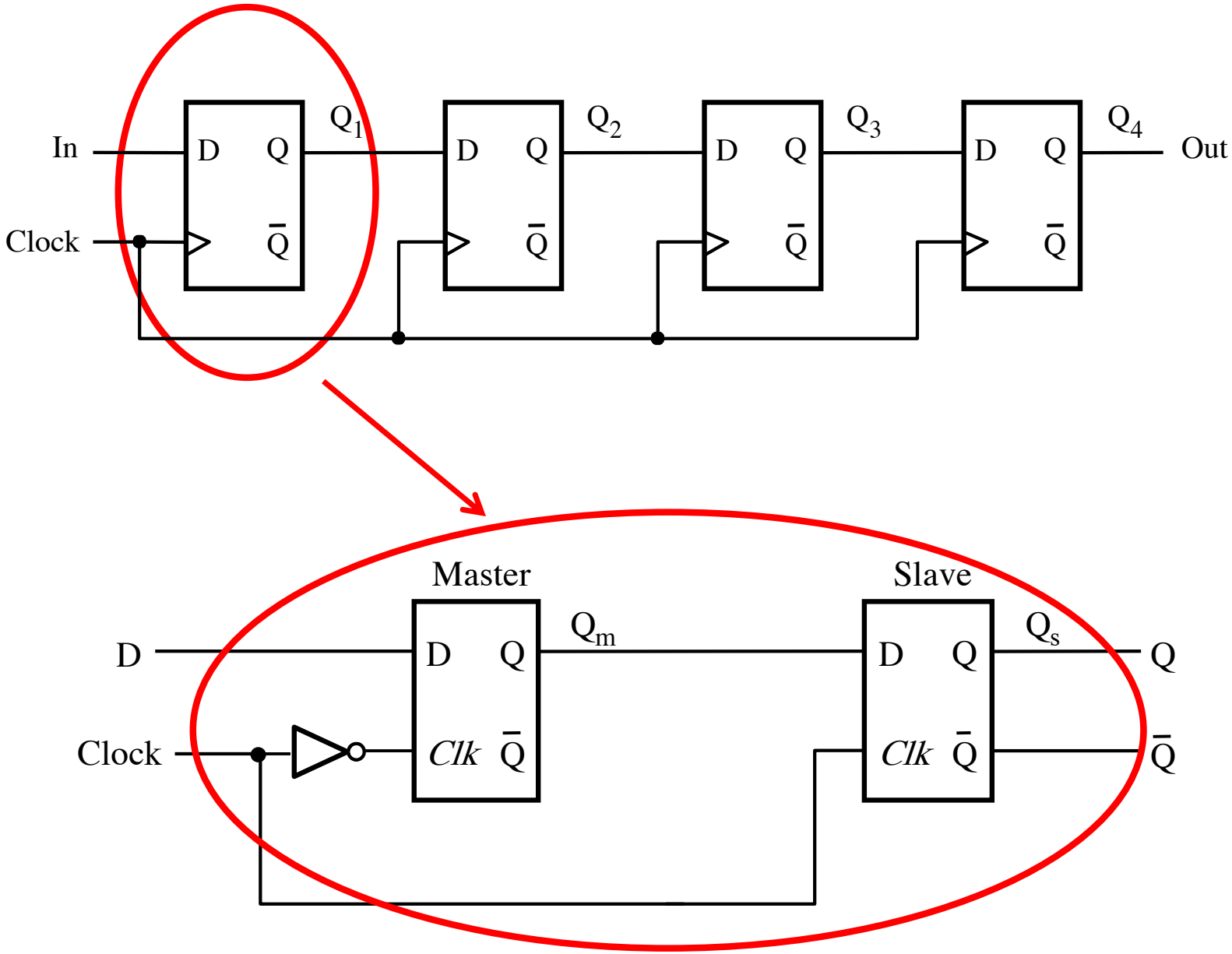

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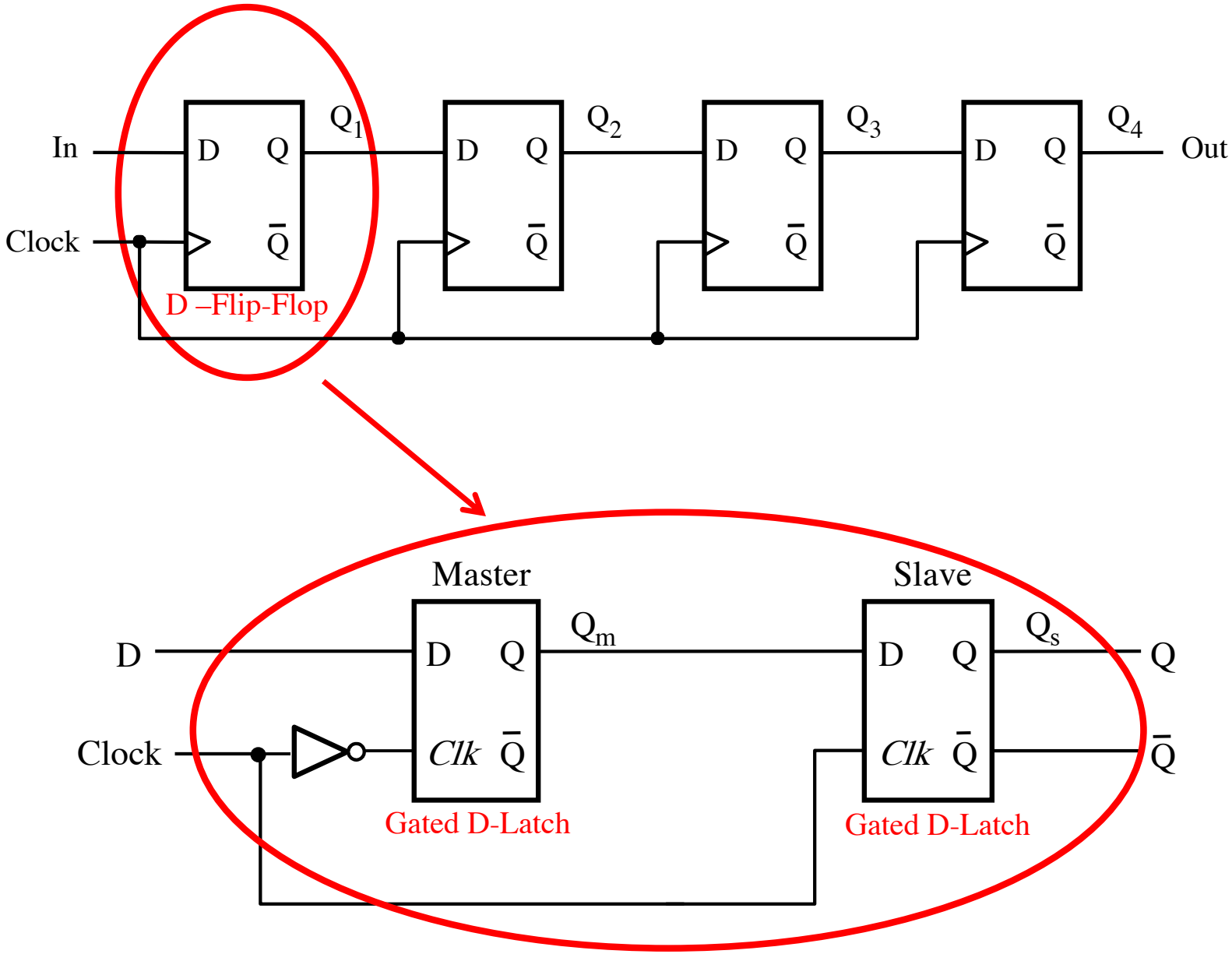

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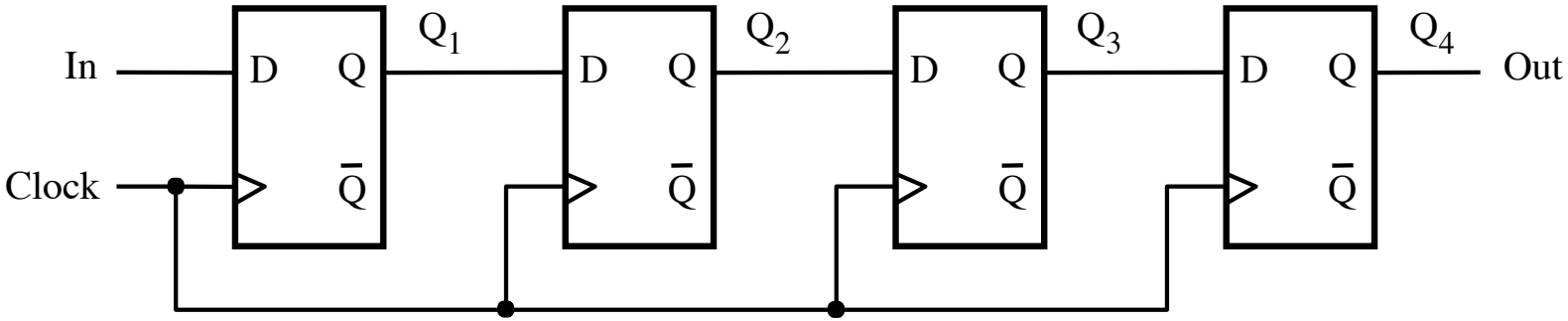

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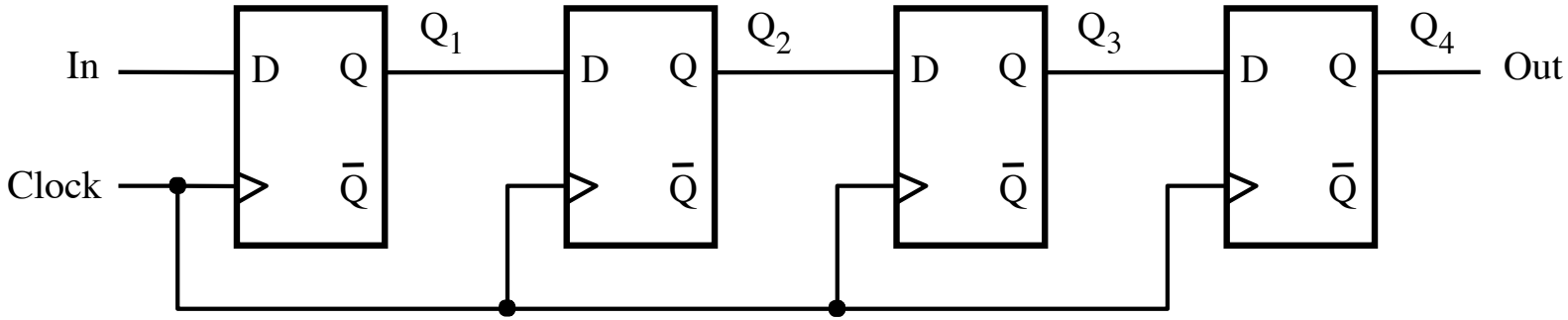

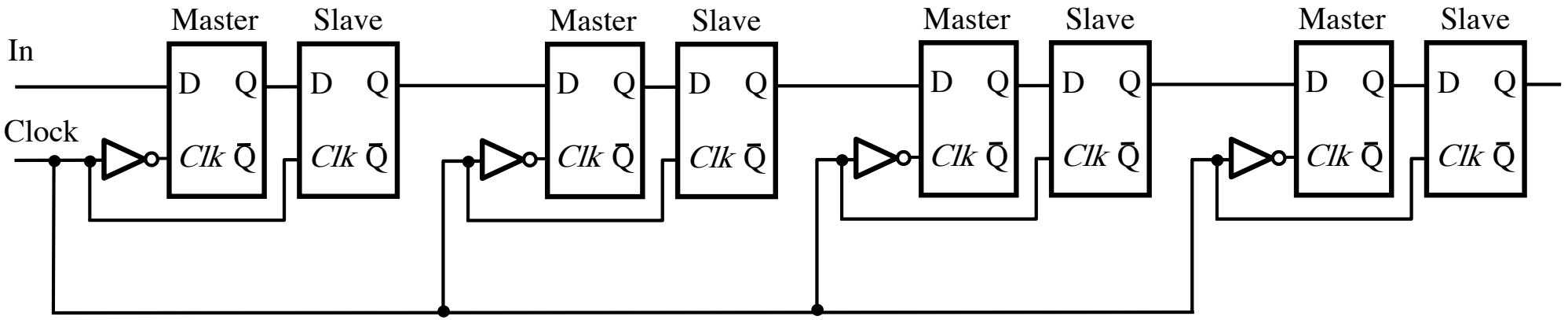

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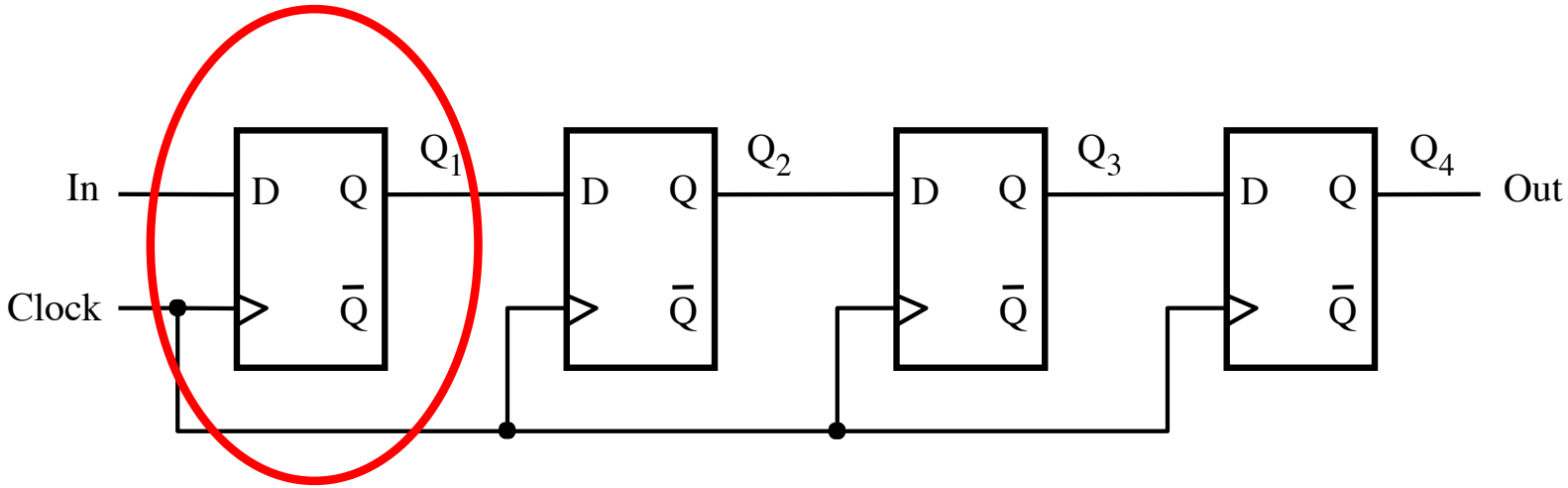

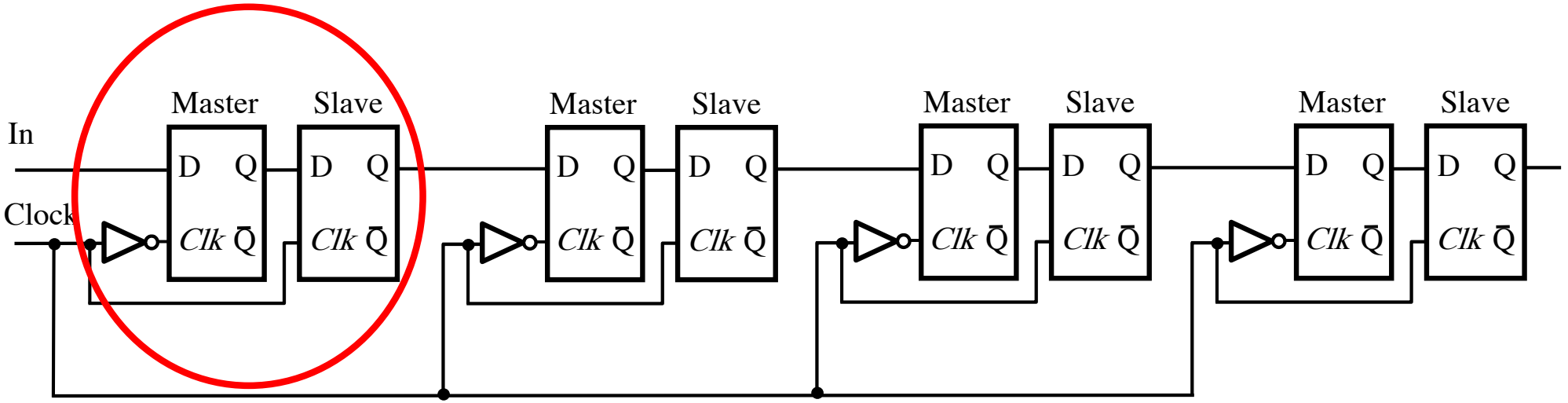

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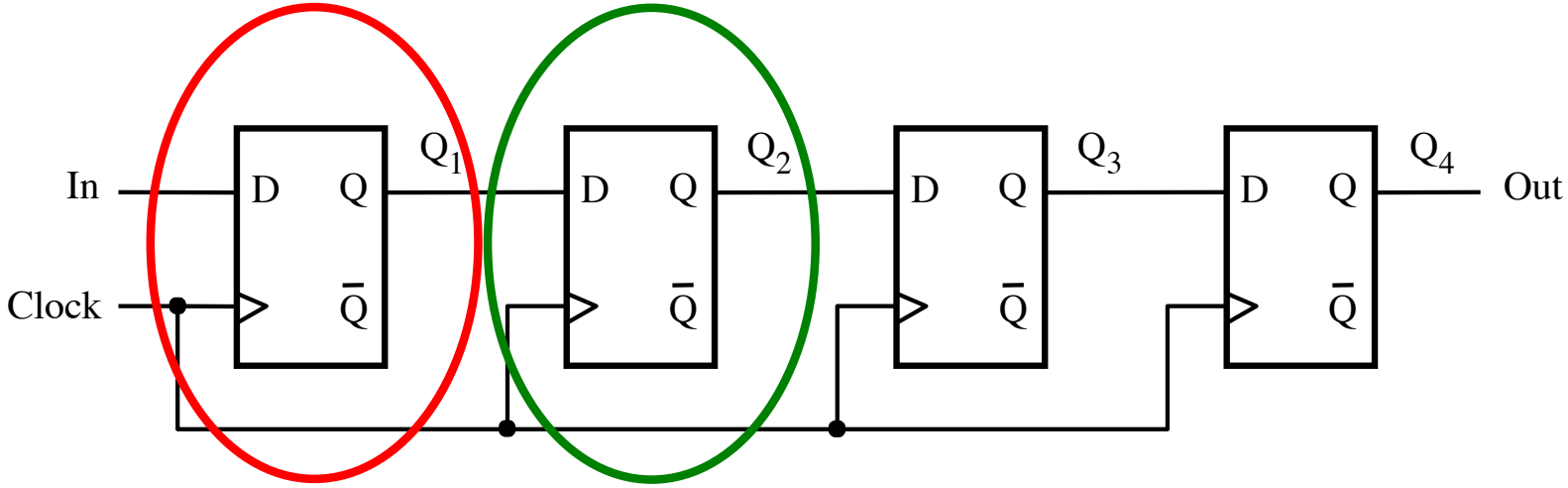

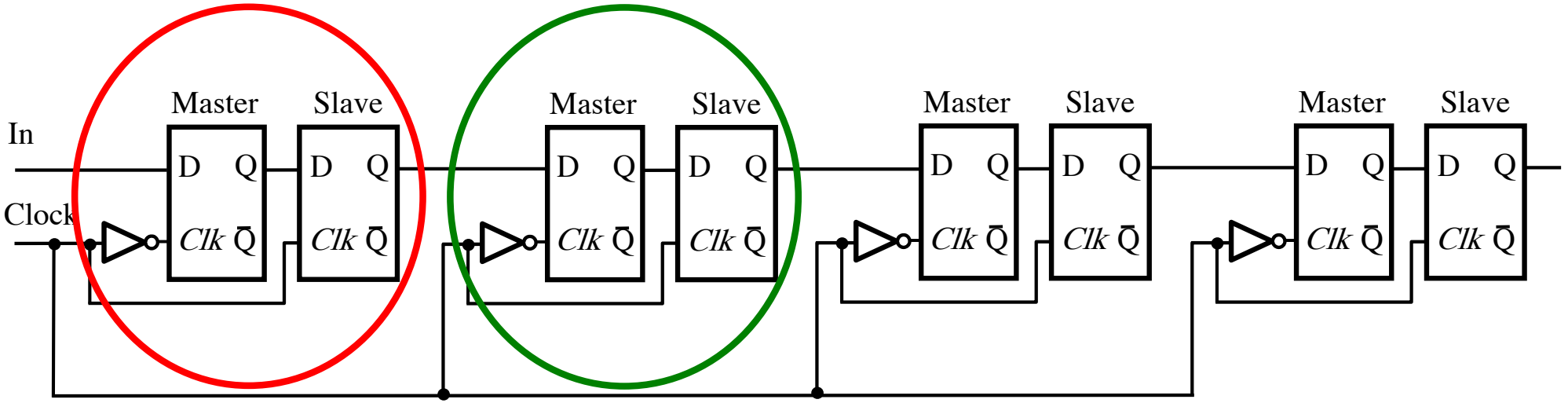

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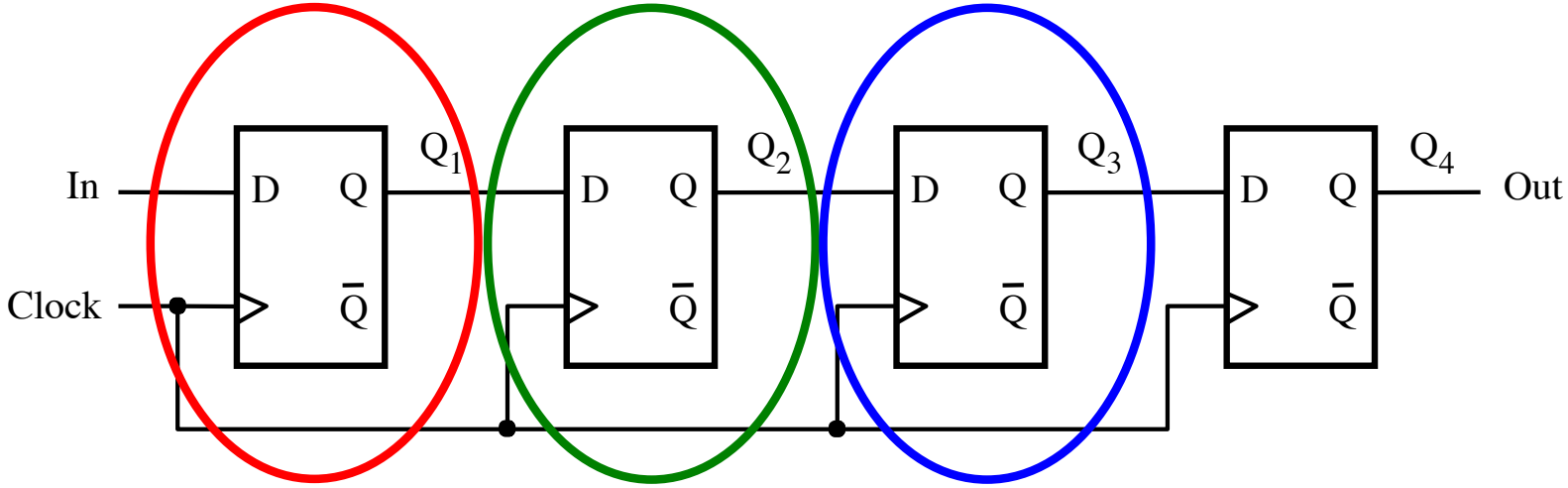

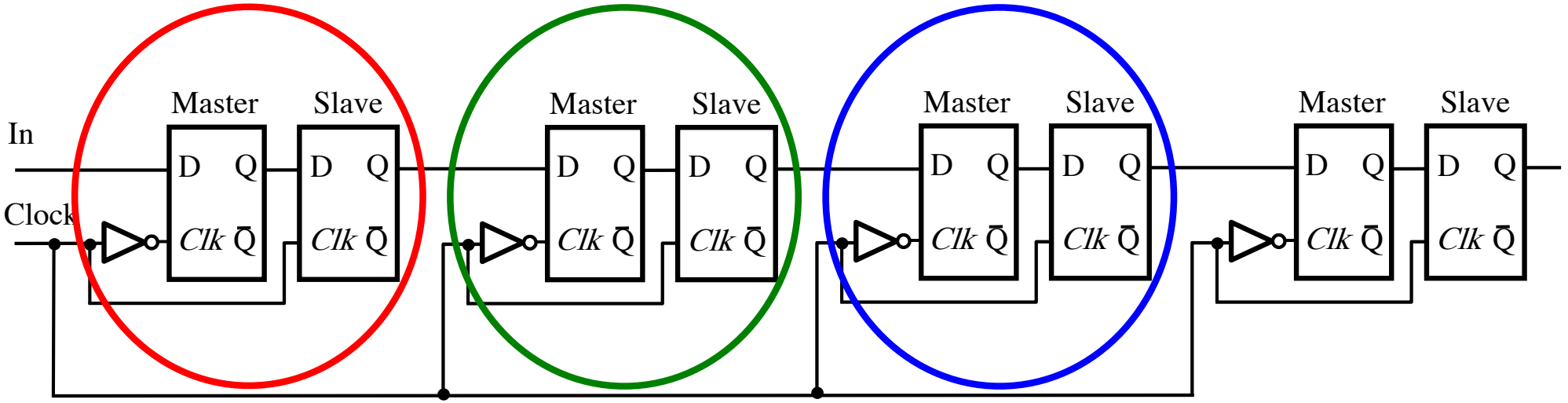

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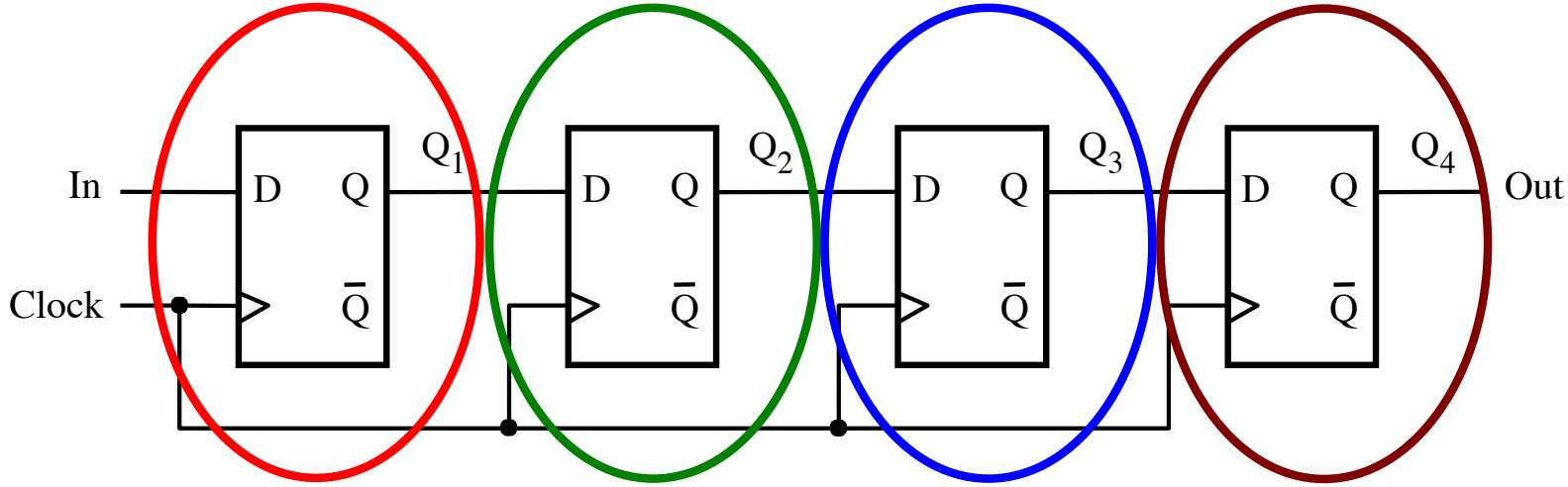

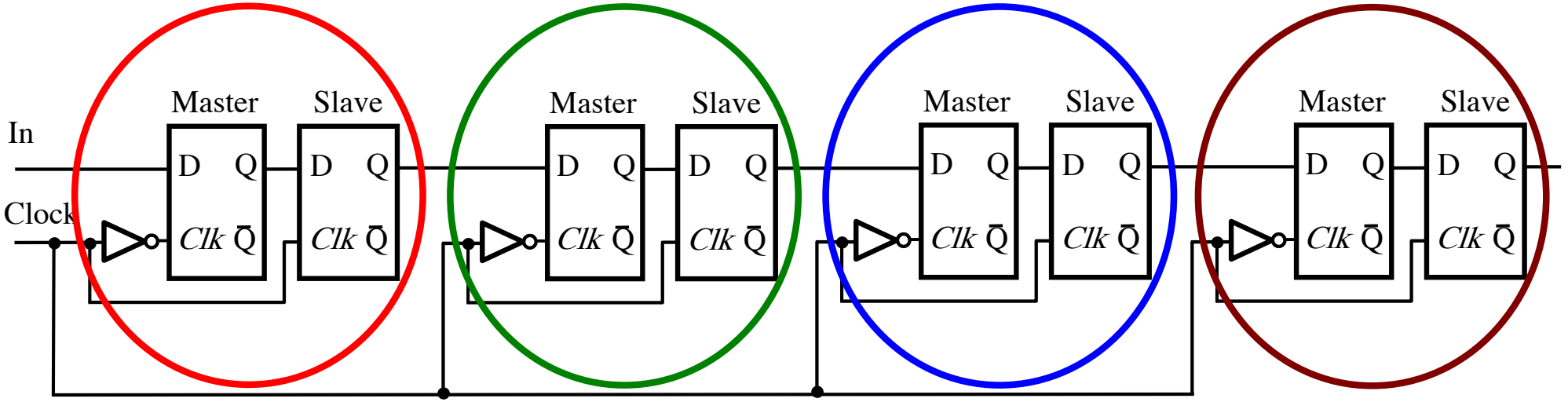

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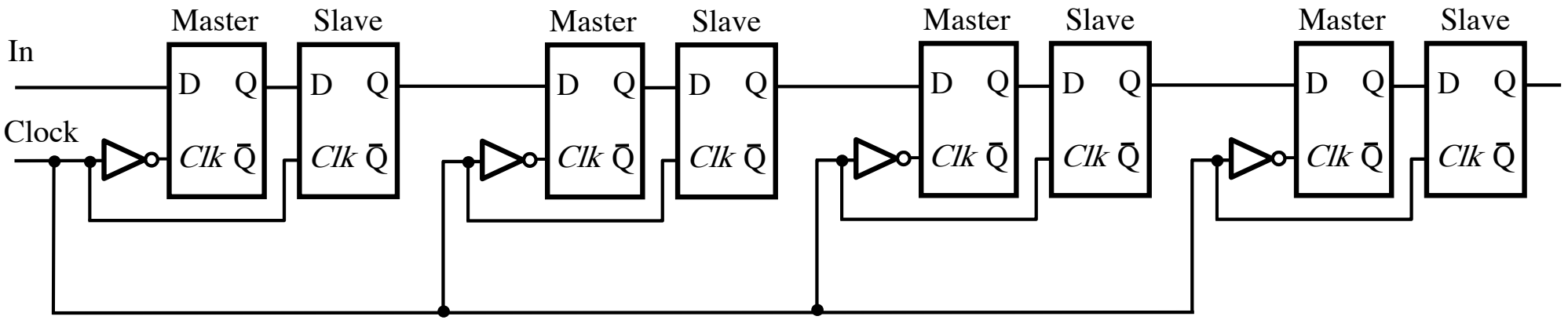

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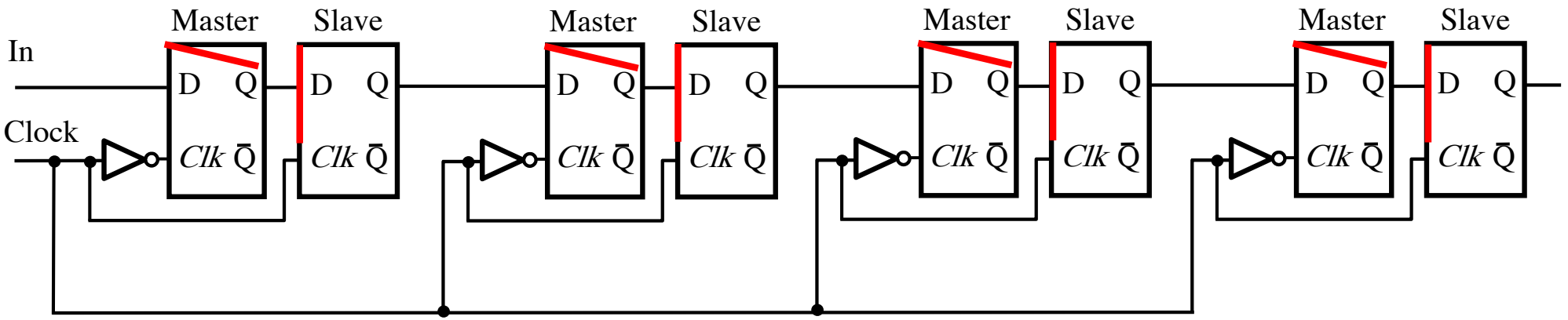

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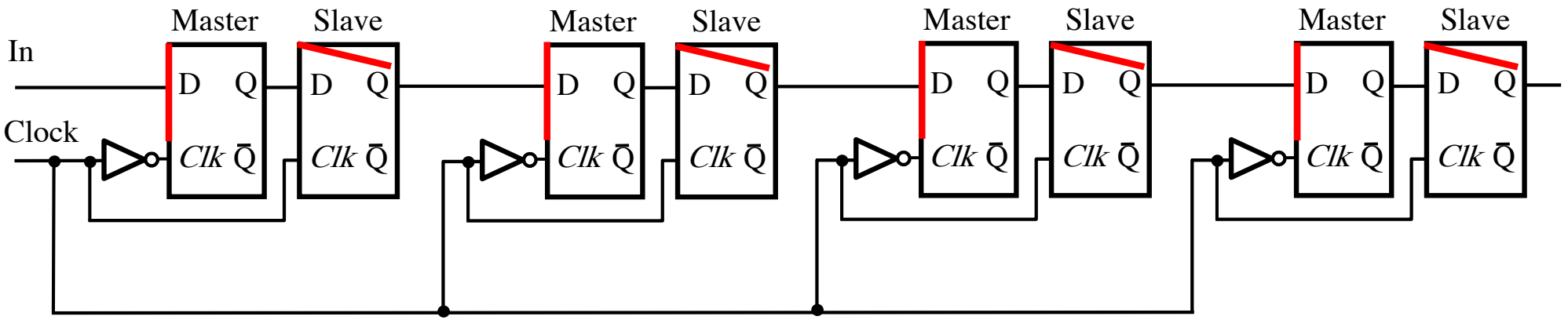

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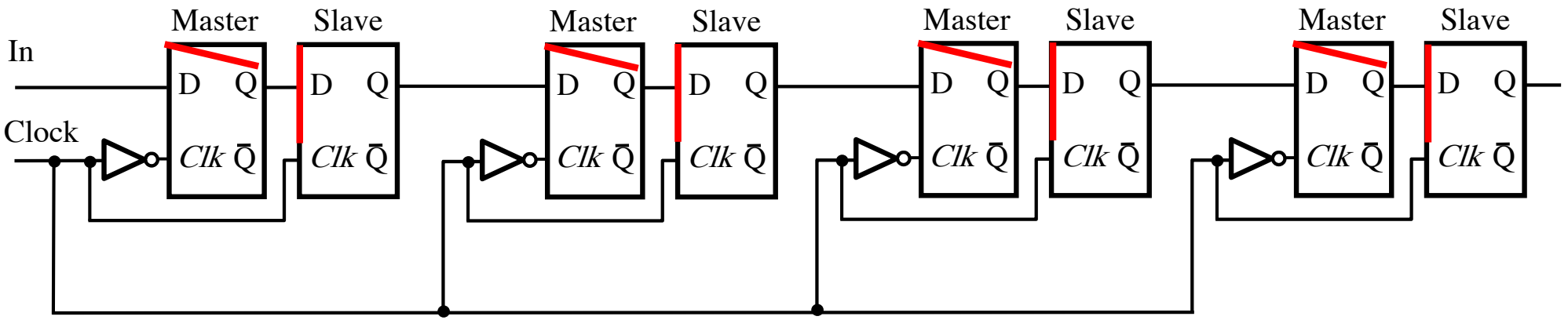

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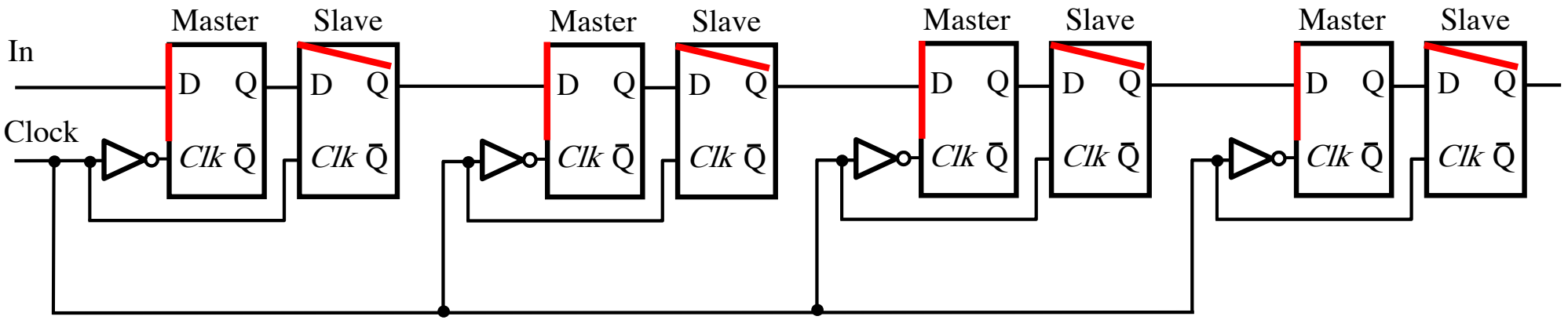

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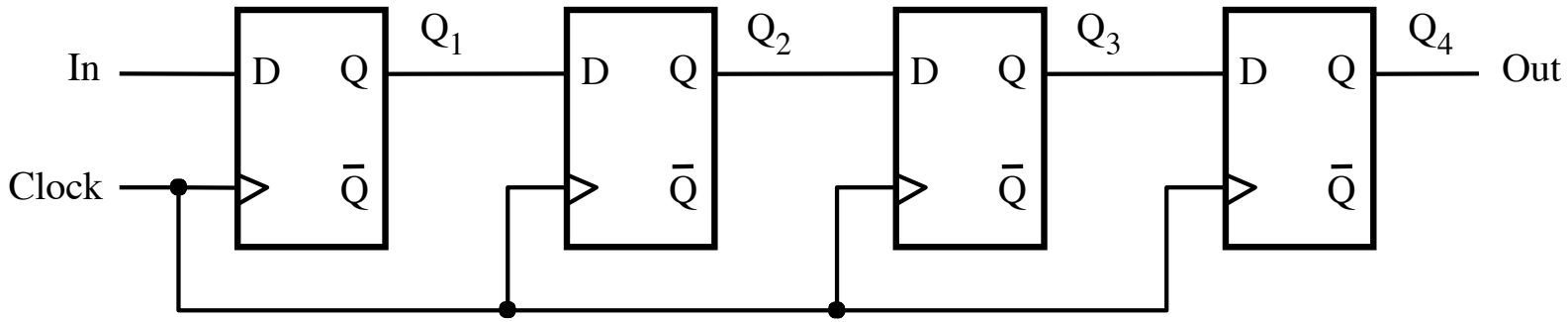

(a) Circuit

	In	Q_1	Q_2	Q_3	Q_4 = Out
t_0	1	0	0	0	0
t_1	0	1	0	0	0
t_2	1	0	1	0	0
t_3	1	1	0	1	0
t_4	1	1	1	0	1
t_5	0	1	1	1	0
t_6	0	0	1	1	1
t_7	0	0	0	1	1

(b) A sample sequence

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Parallel-Access Shift Register

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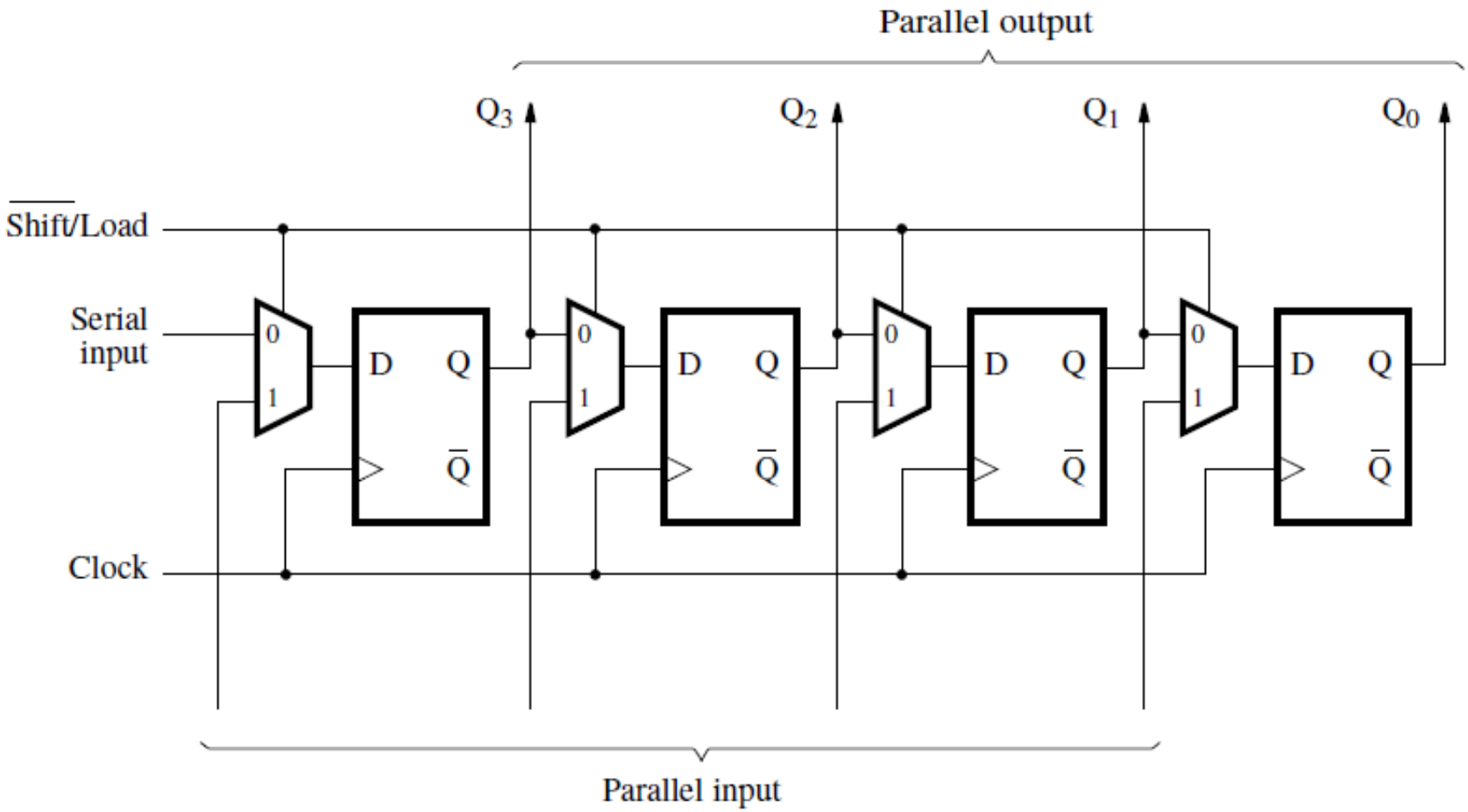

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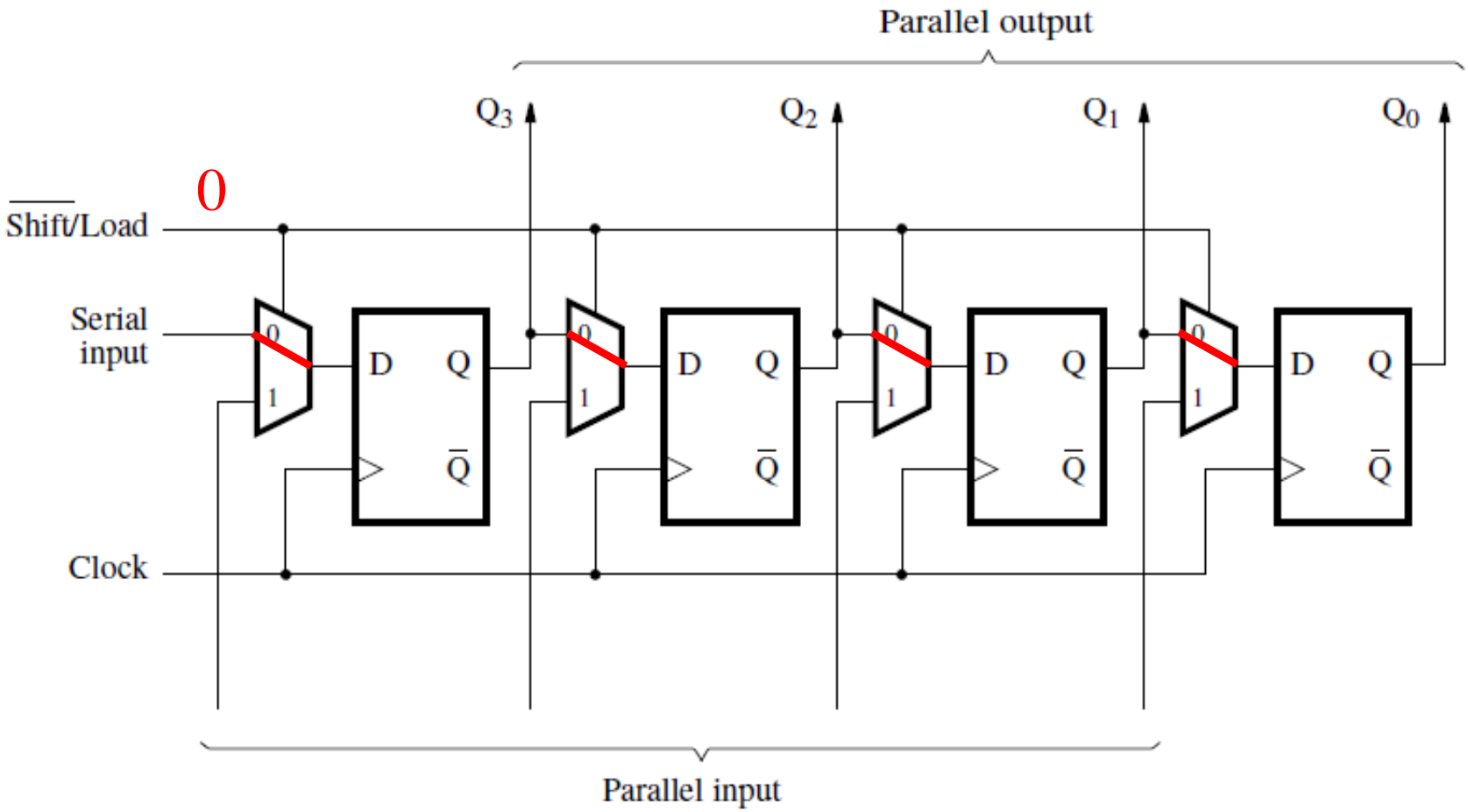

When Load=0, this behaves like a shift register.

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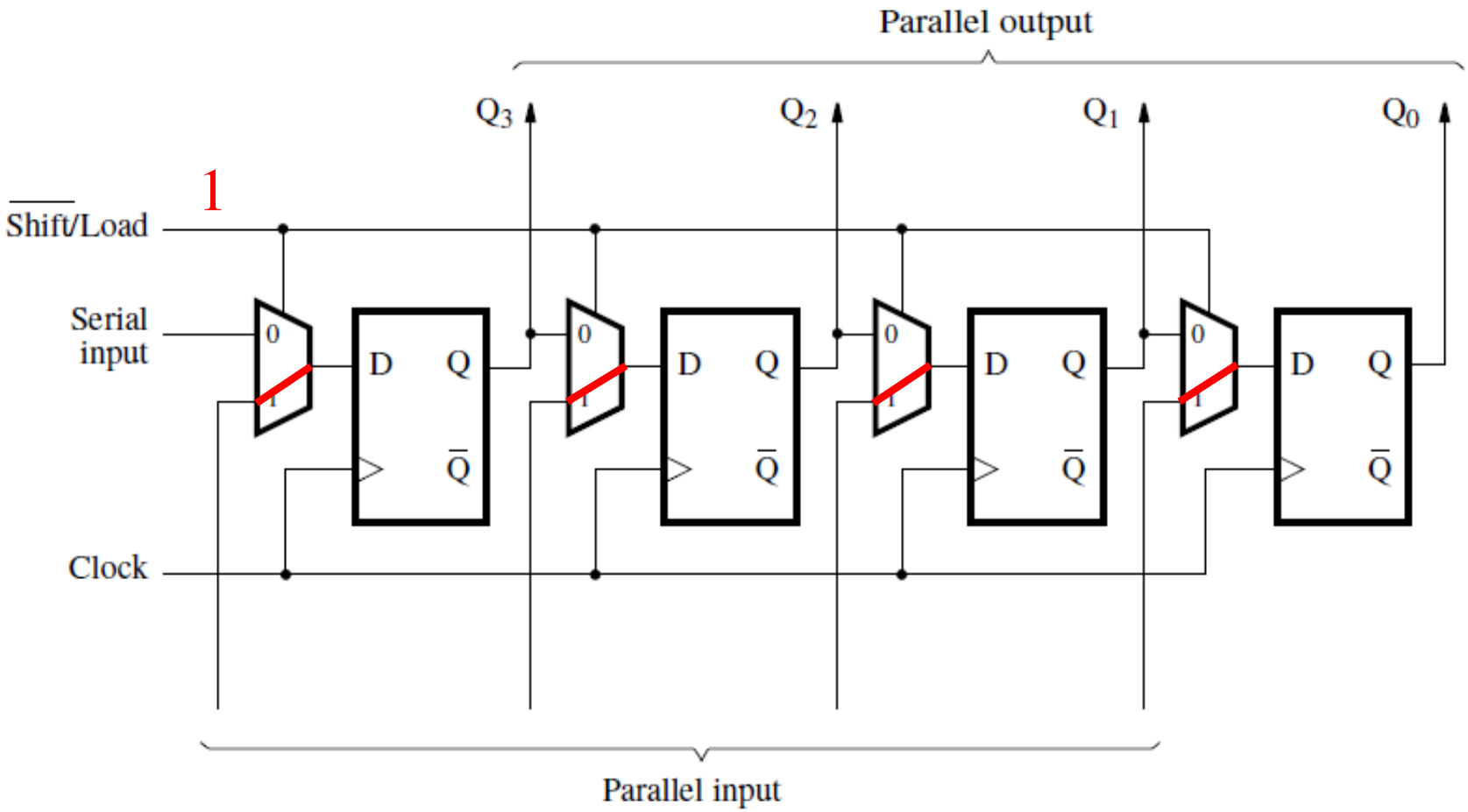

When Load=1, this behaves like a parallel-access register.

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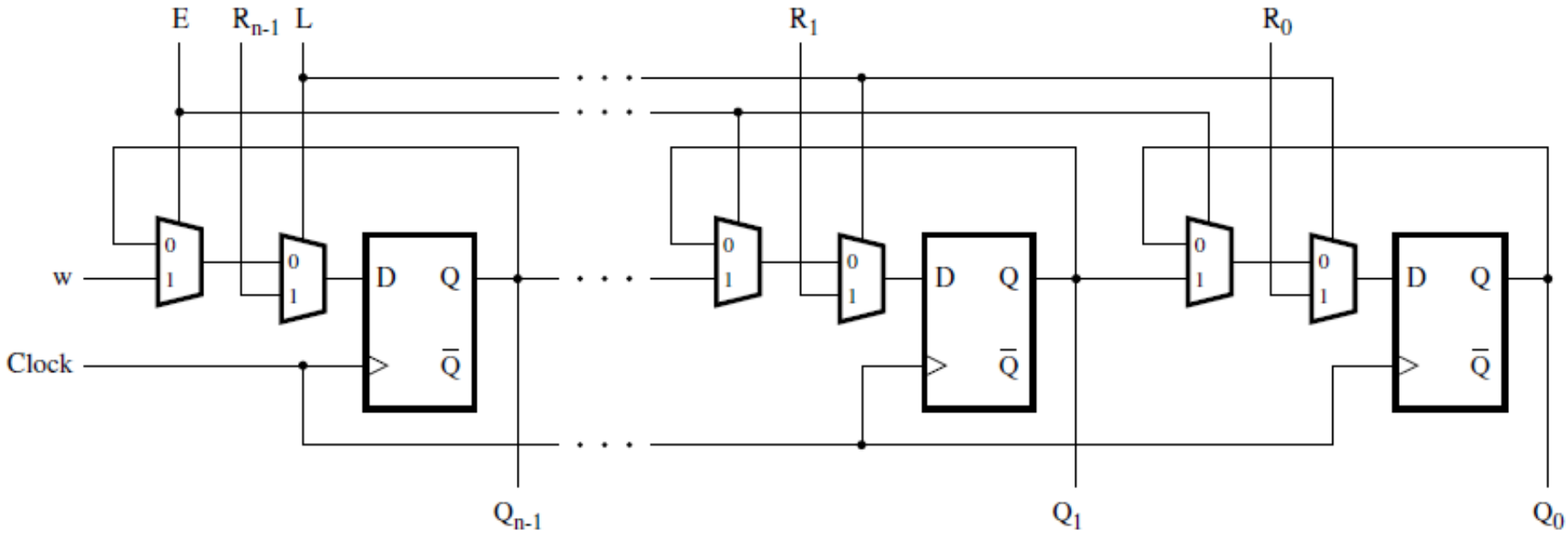
Shift Register With Parallel Load and Enable

A shift register with parallel load and enable control inputs



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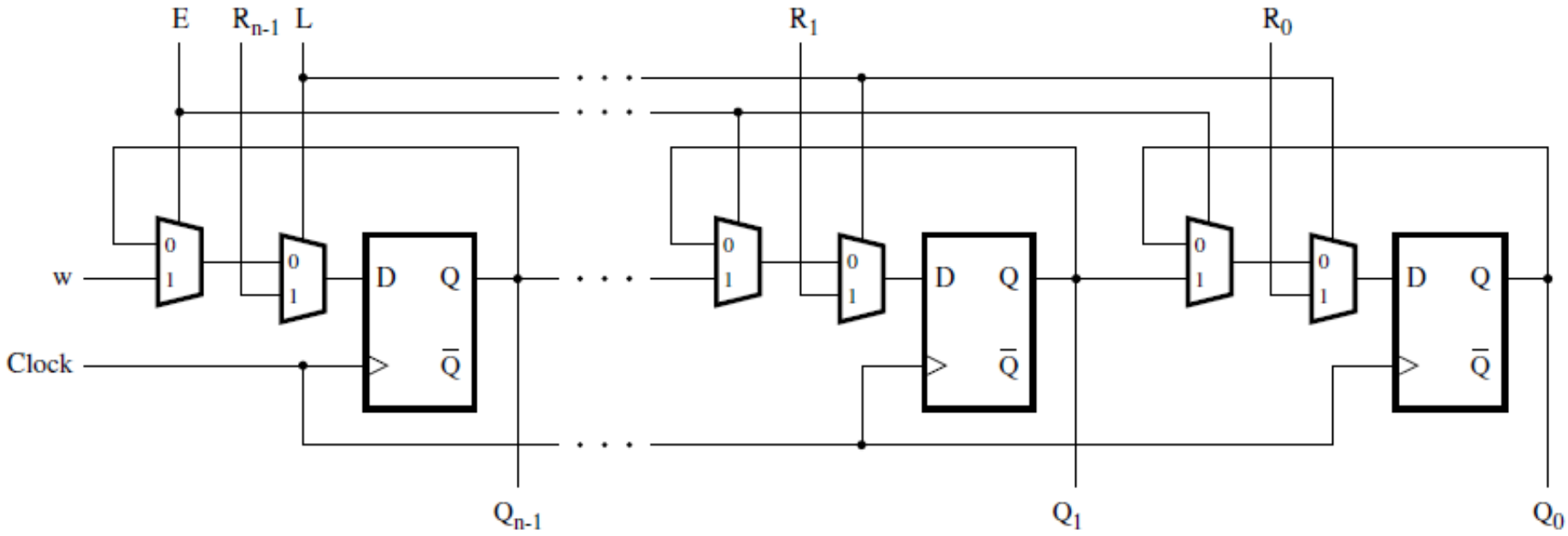
A shift register with parallel load and enable control inputs



The directions of the input and output lines are switched relative to the previous slides.

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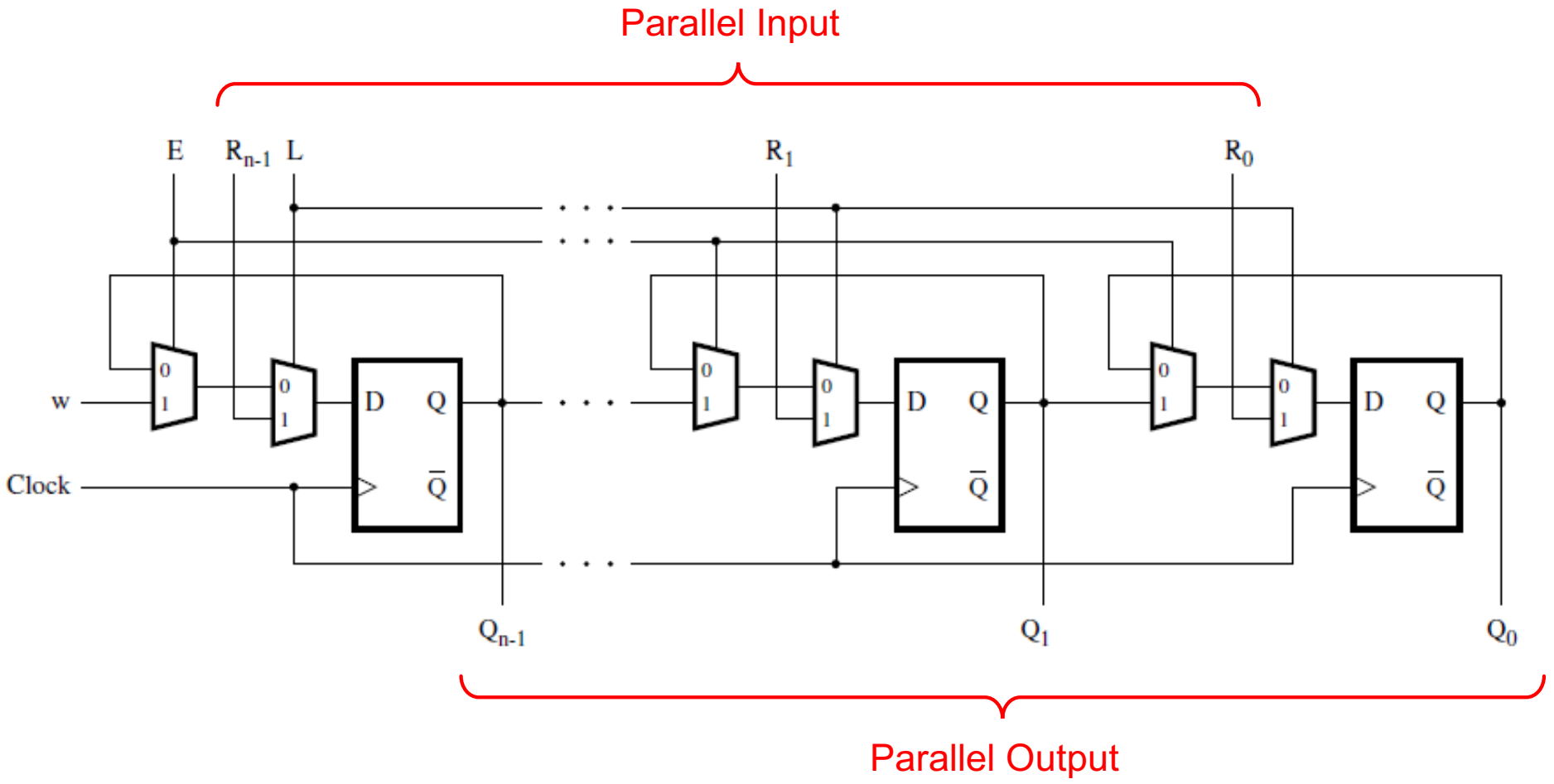

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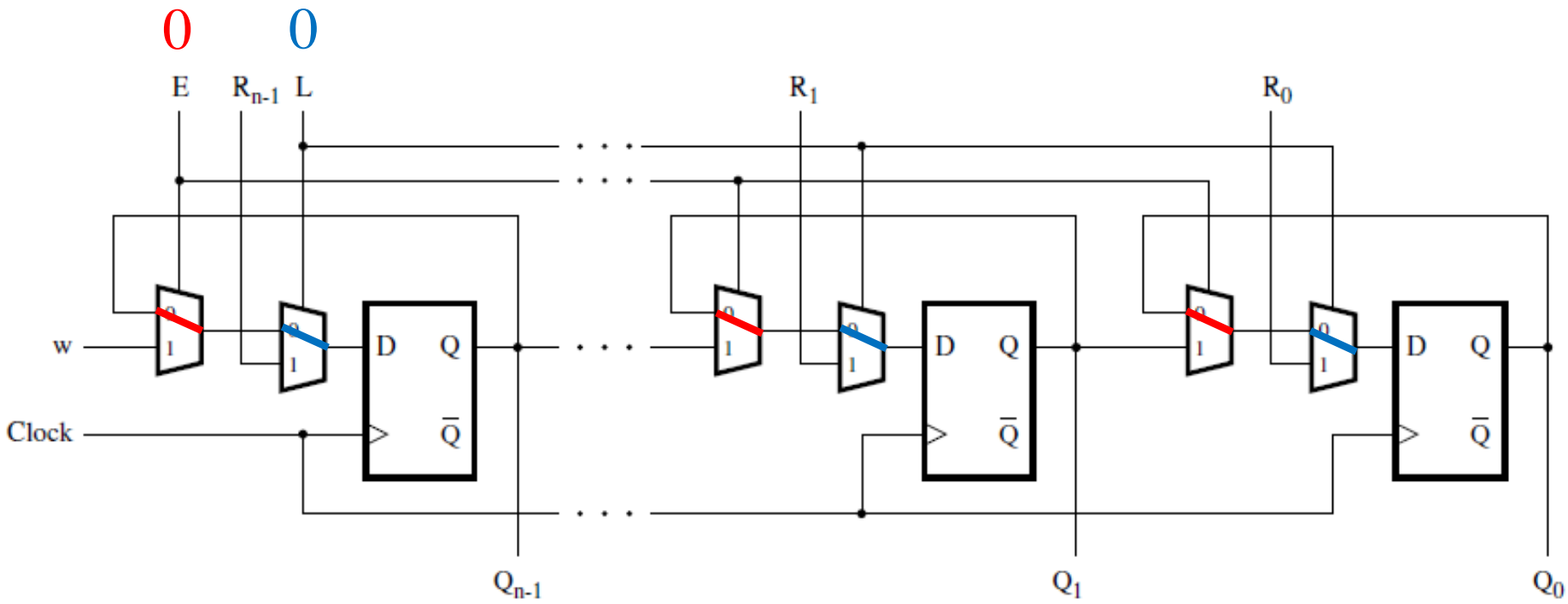

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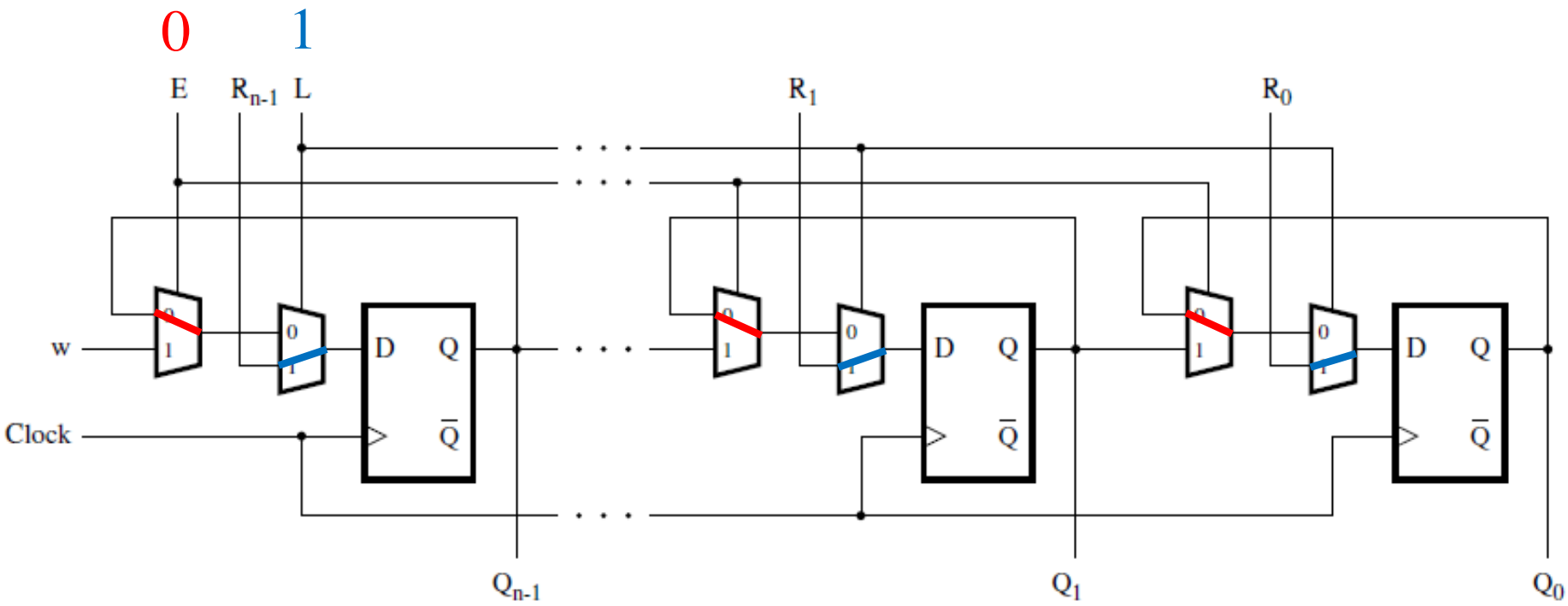

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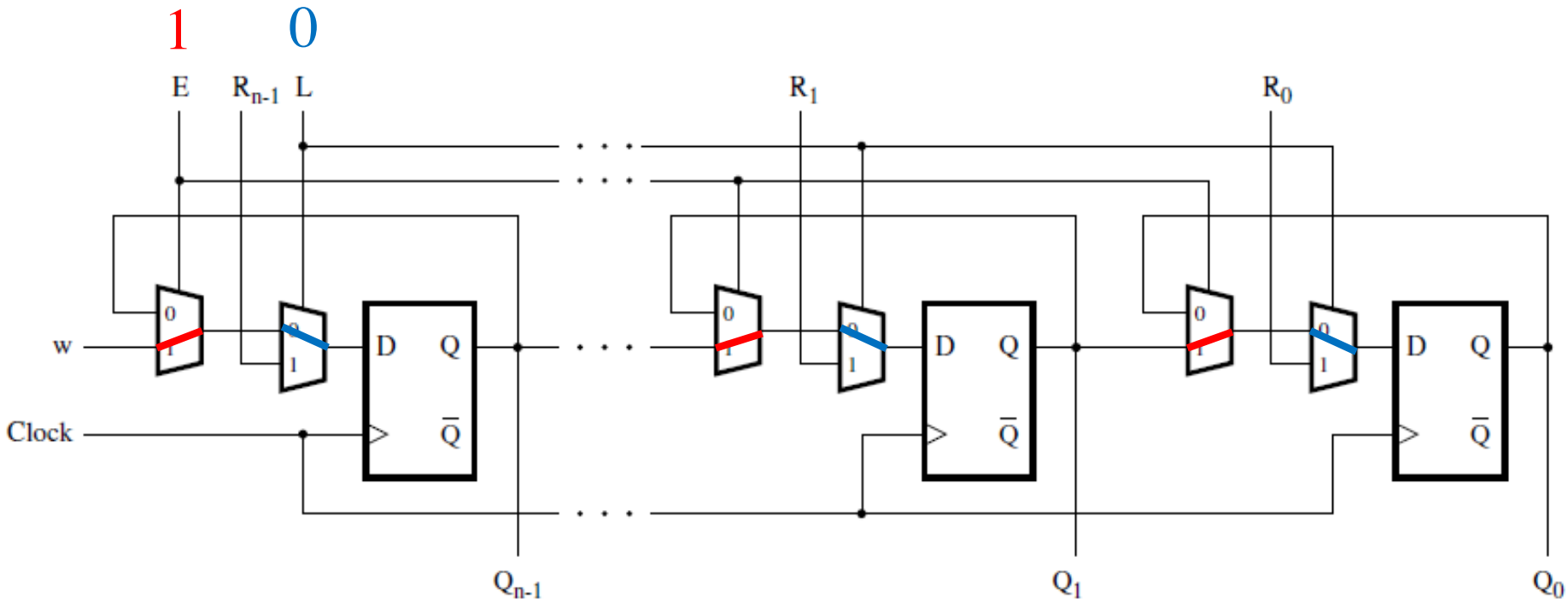

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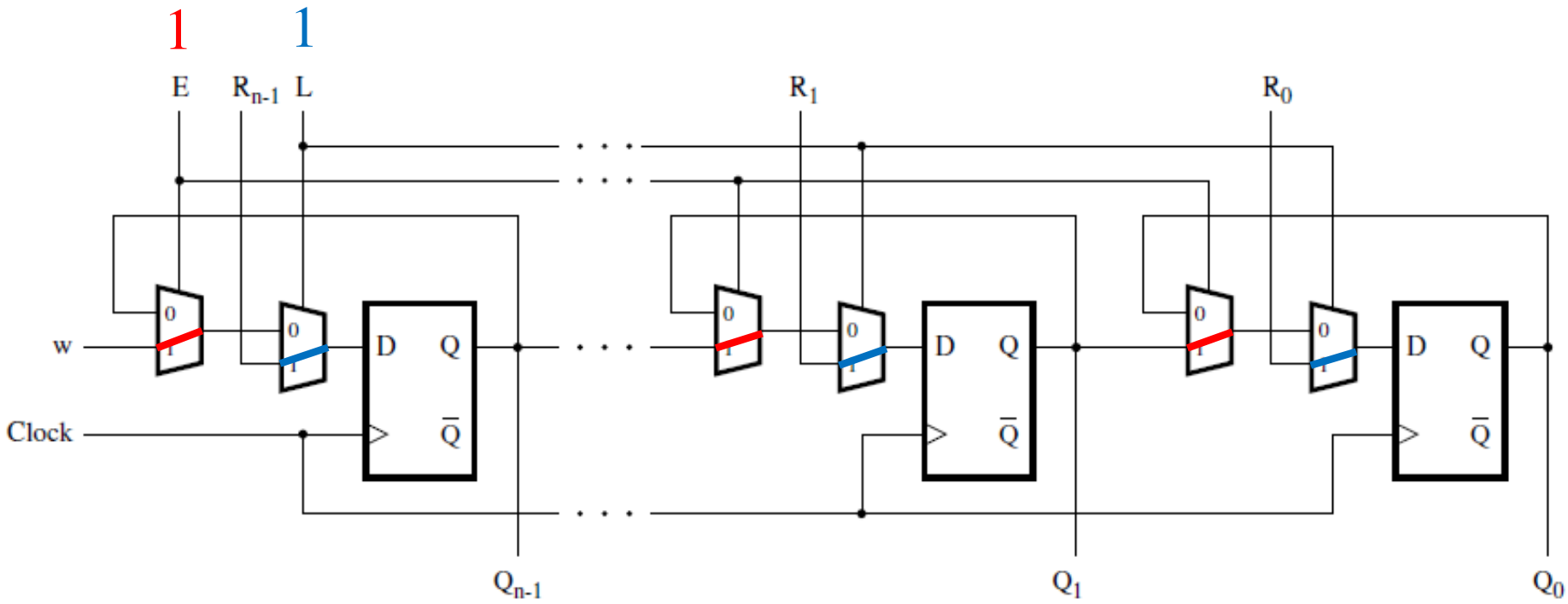

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Parallel-access shift left / right register

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Complete the following circuit diagram to implement a 4-bit register that has both parallel load and shift left/right functionality. The register has two control inputs (C1 and C0), four parallel input lines (I3, I2, I1, and I0), and four output lines (Q3, Q2, Q1, and Q0). Depending on the values of C1 and C0, the register performs one of the following four operations:

C_1	C_0	Operation
0	0	Hold the current value (i.e., $Q_3\ Q_2\ Q_1\ Q_0$ are not changed)
0	1	Shift left (i.e., new Q_3=Q_2, new Q_2=Q_1, new Q_1=Q_0, new Q_0=I_0)
1	0	Shift right (i.e., new Q_3=I_3, new Q_2=Q_3, new Q_1=Q_2, new Q_0=Q_1)
1	1	Load new data (i.e., new Q_3=I_3, new Q_2=I_2, new Q_1=I_1, new Q_0=I_0)

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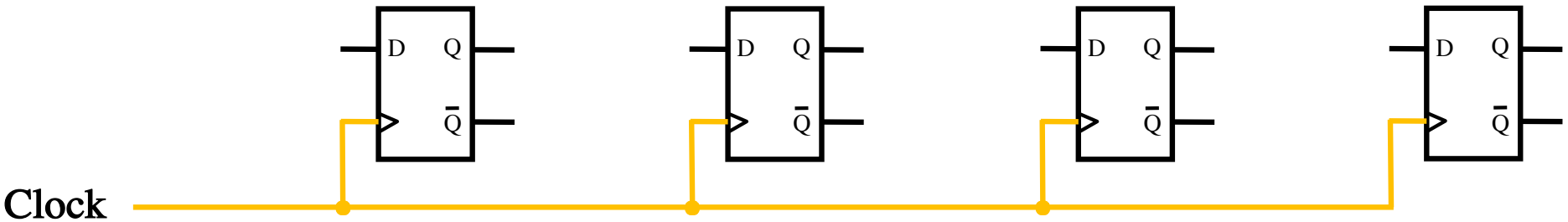

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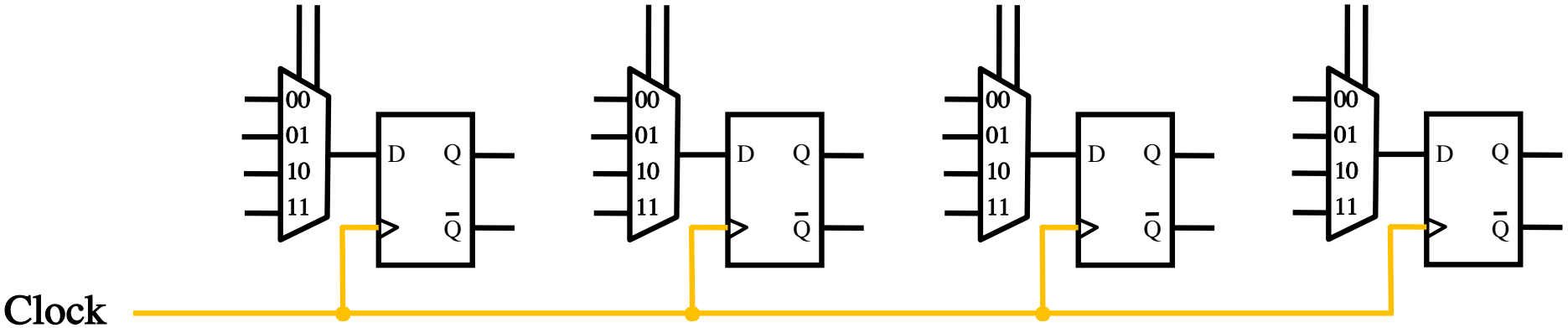

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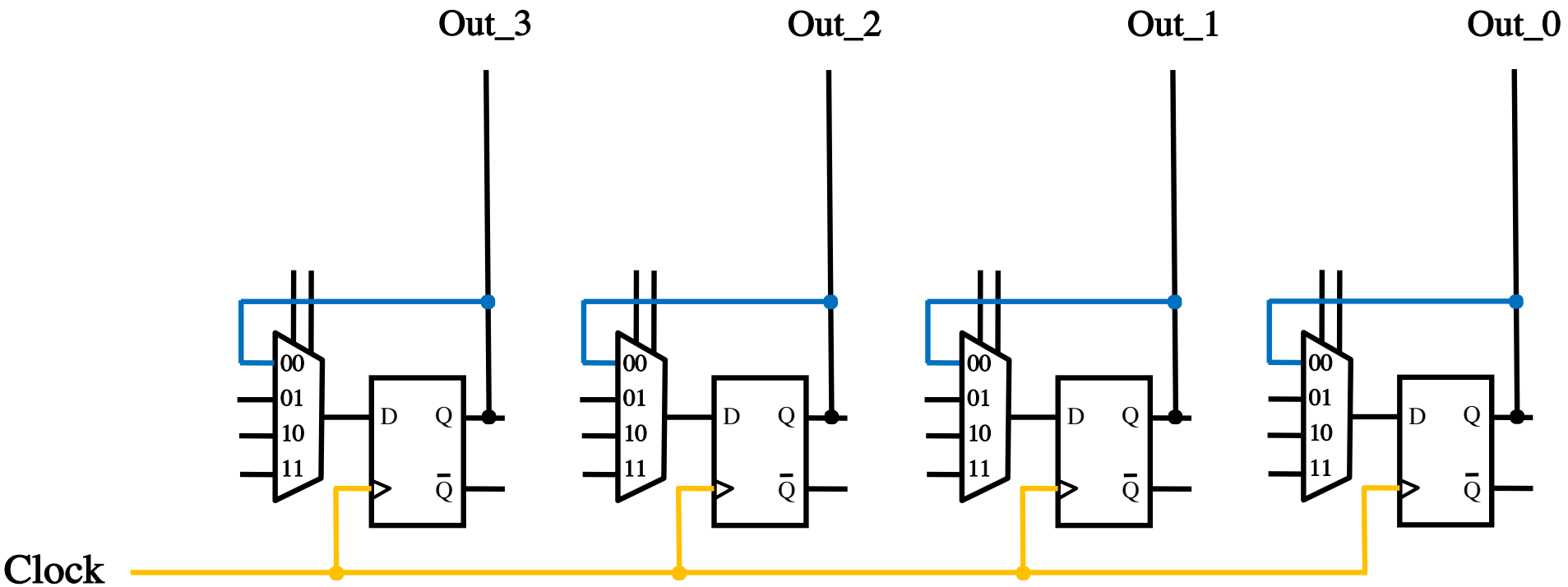

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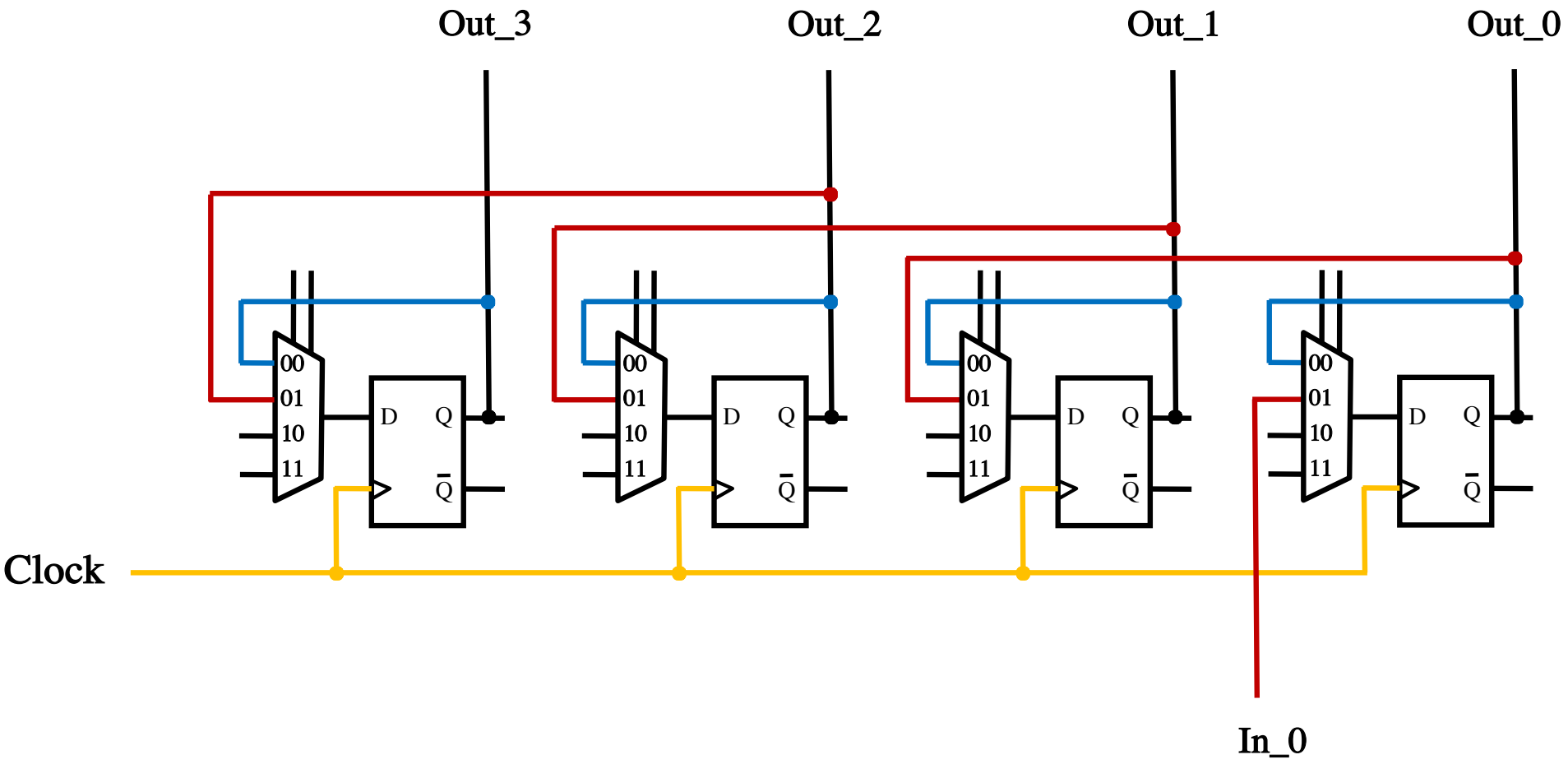

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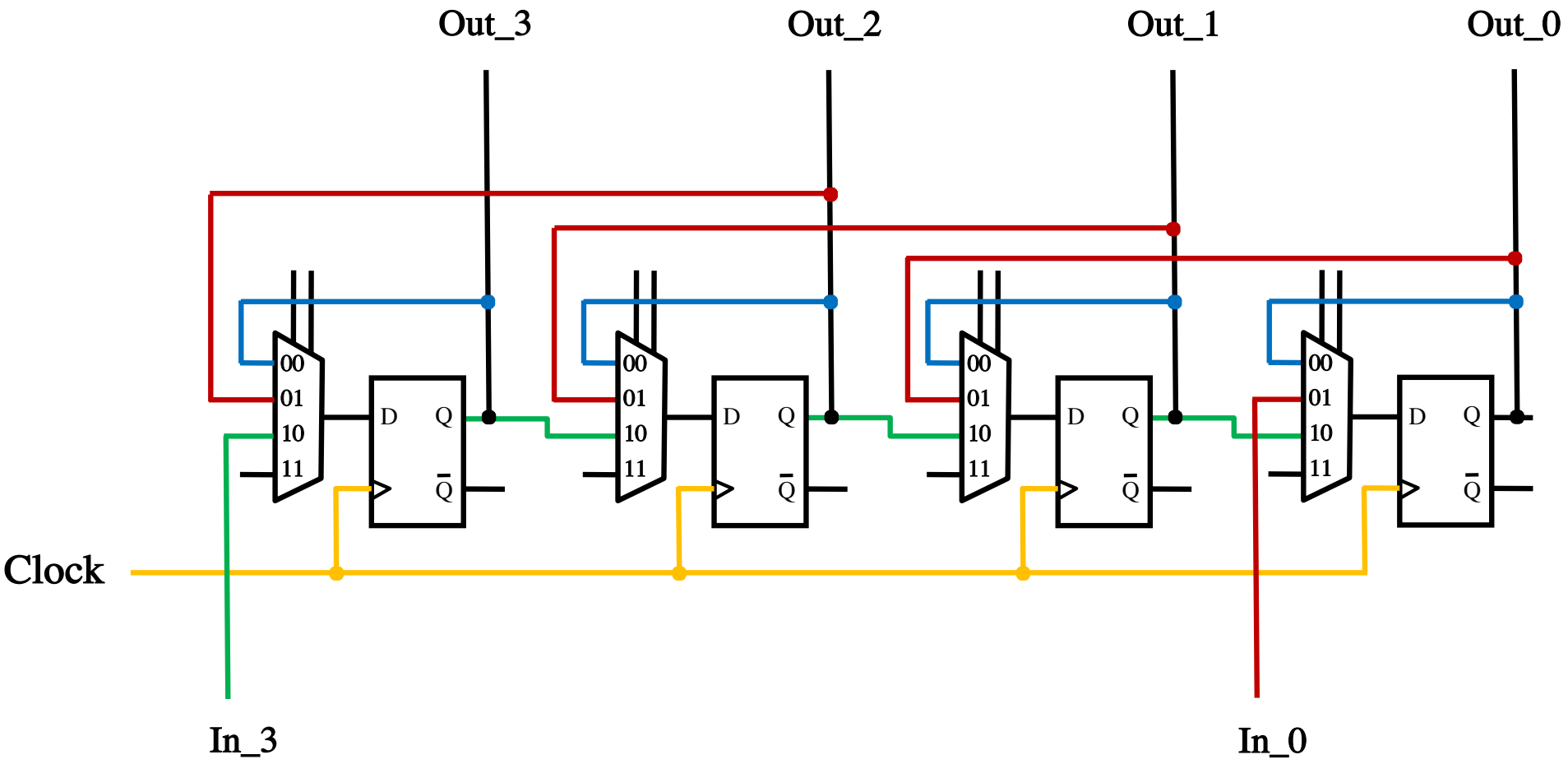

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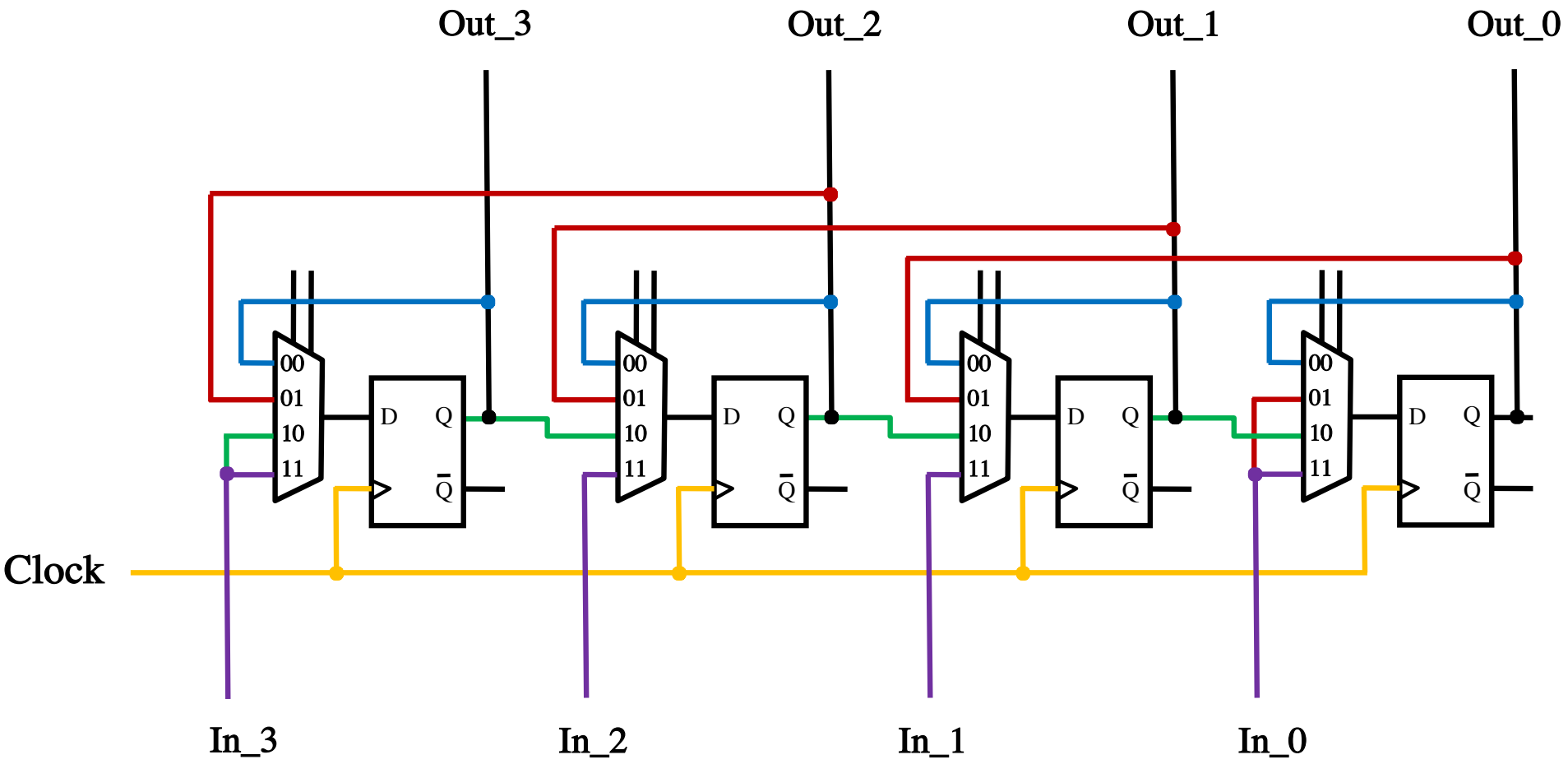

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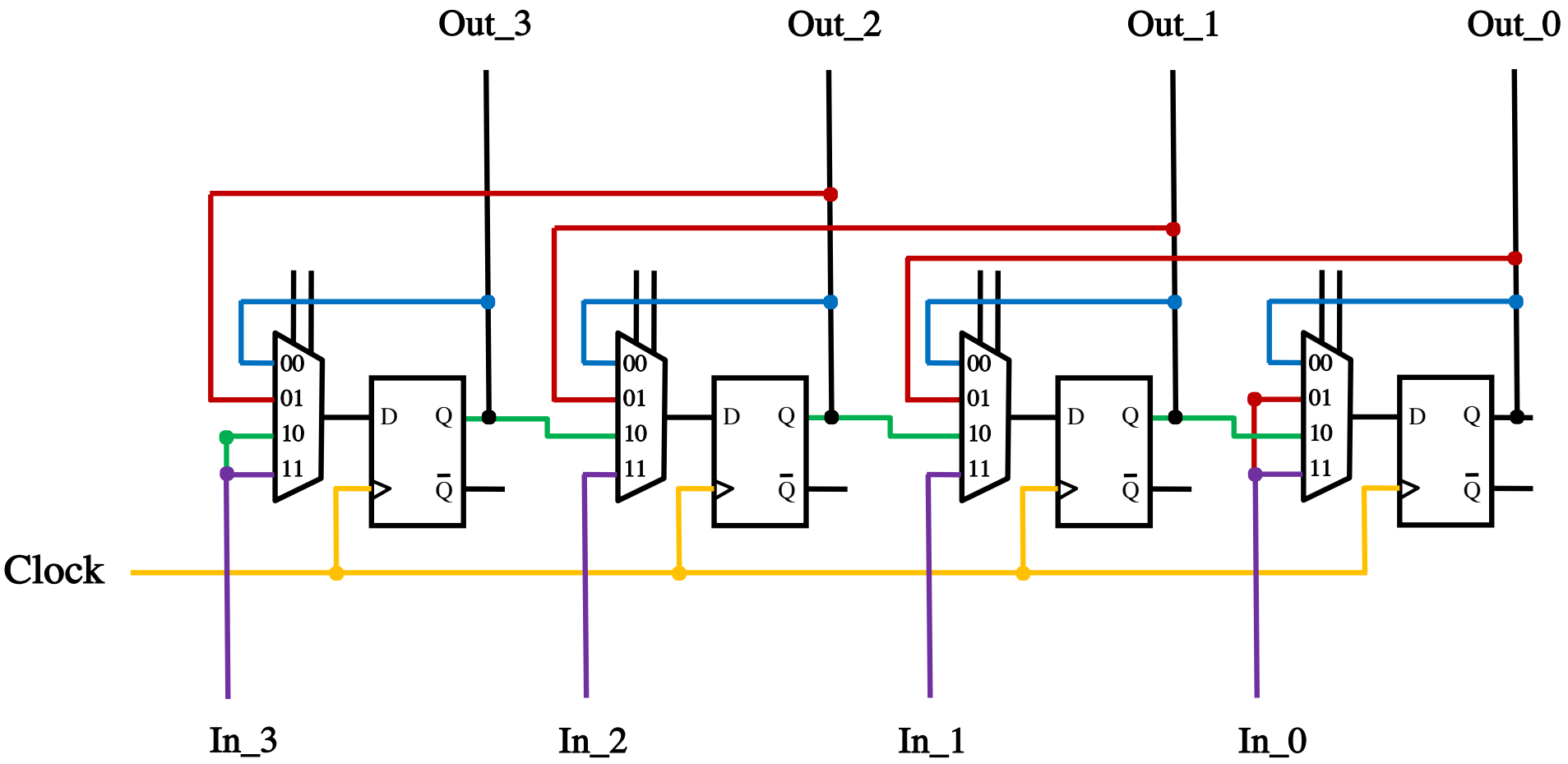

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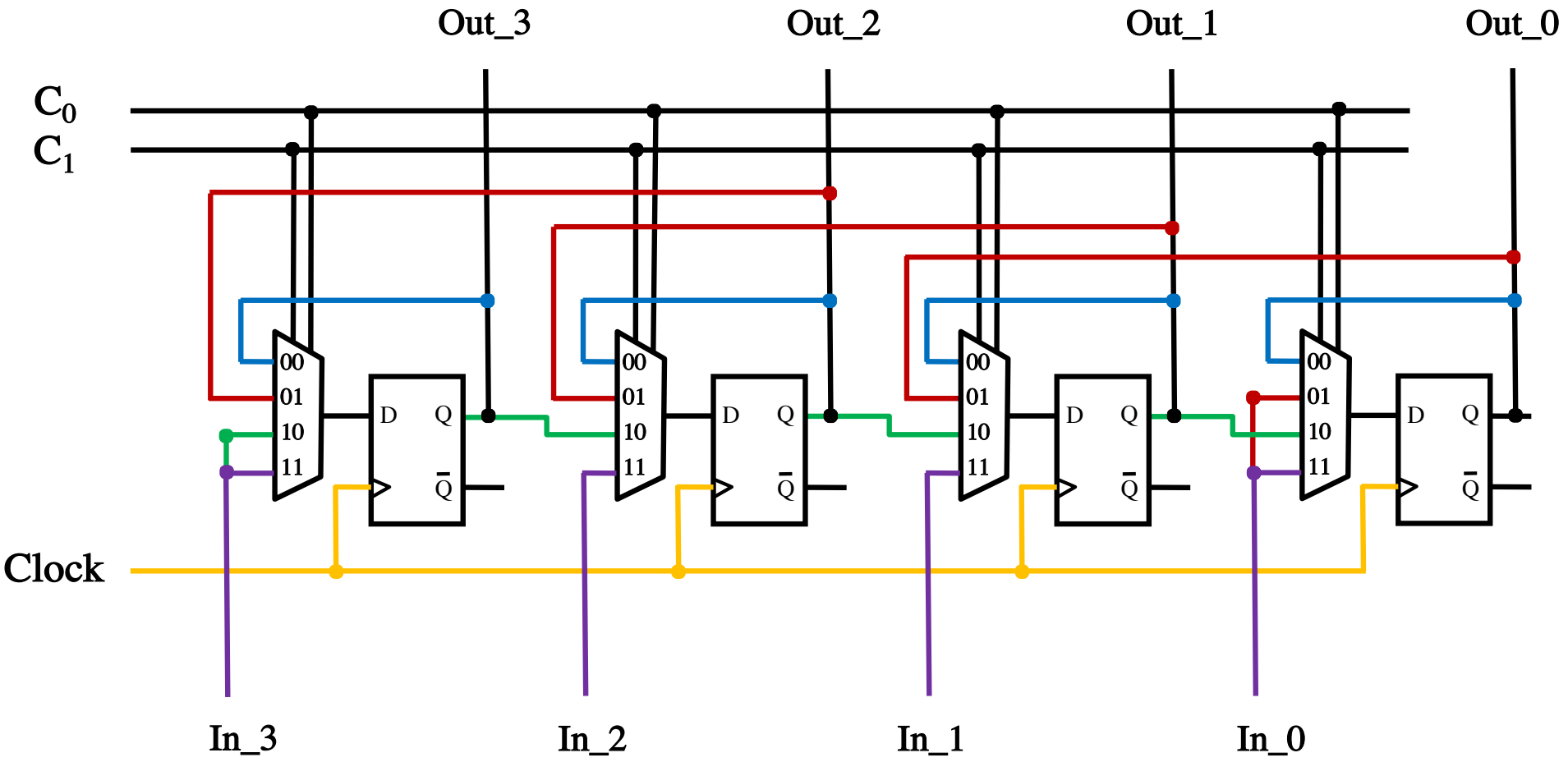

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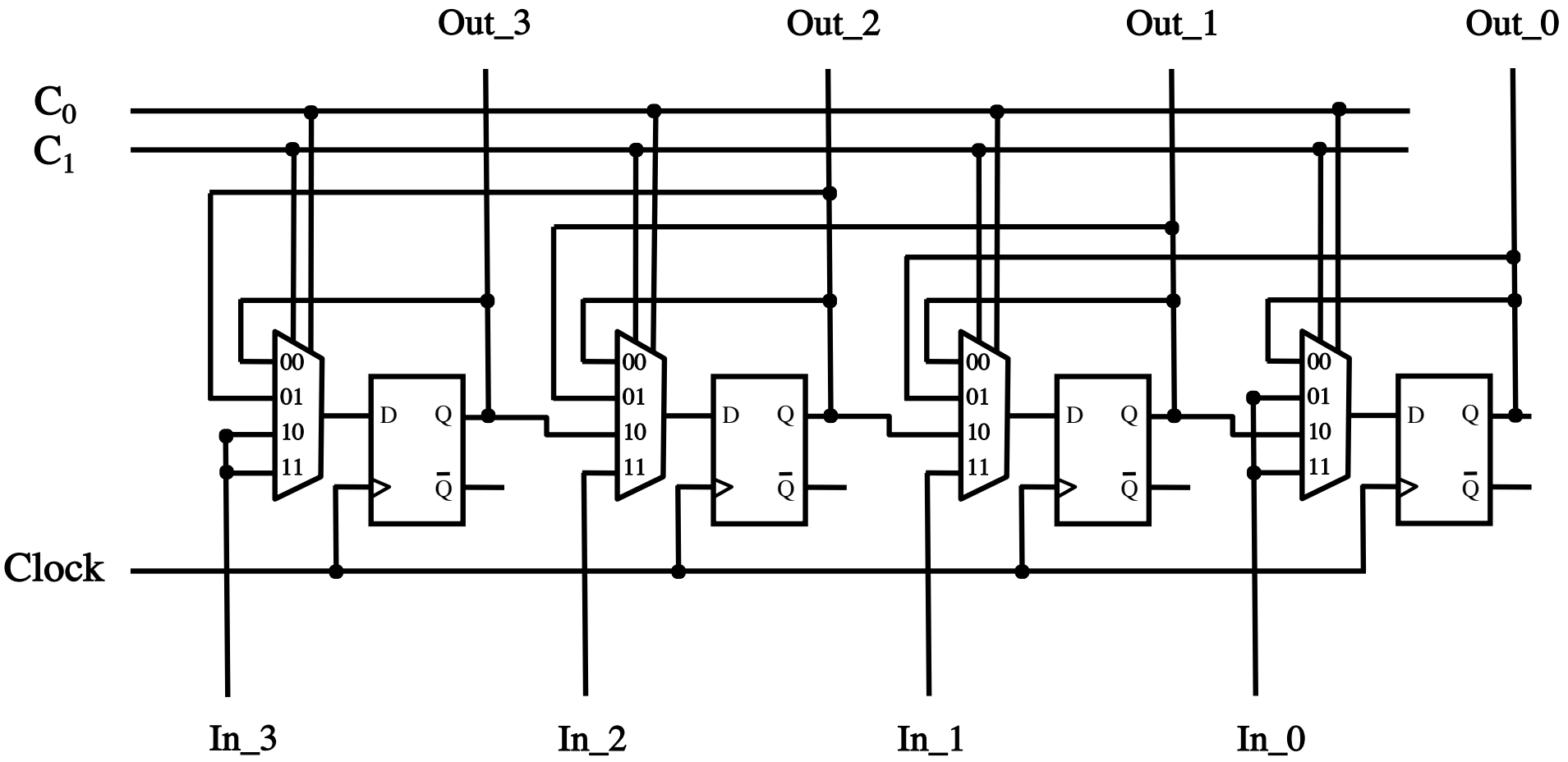

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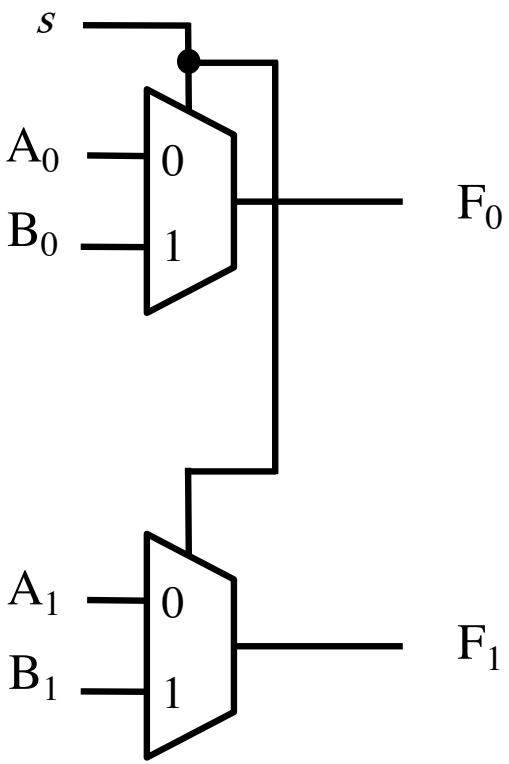

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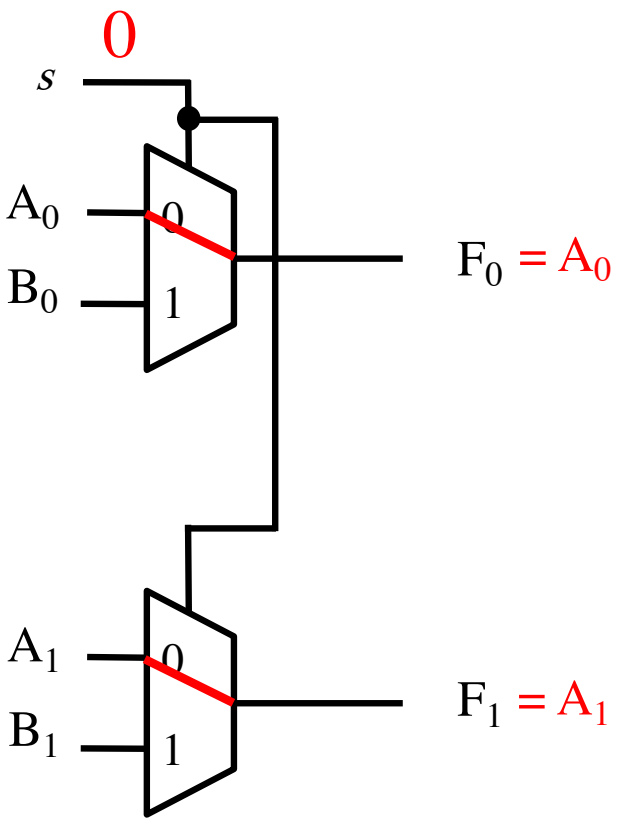

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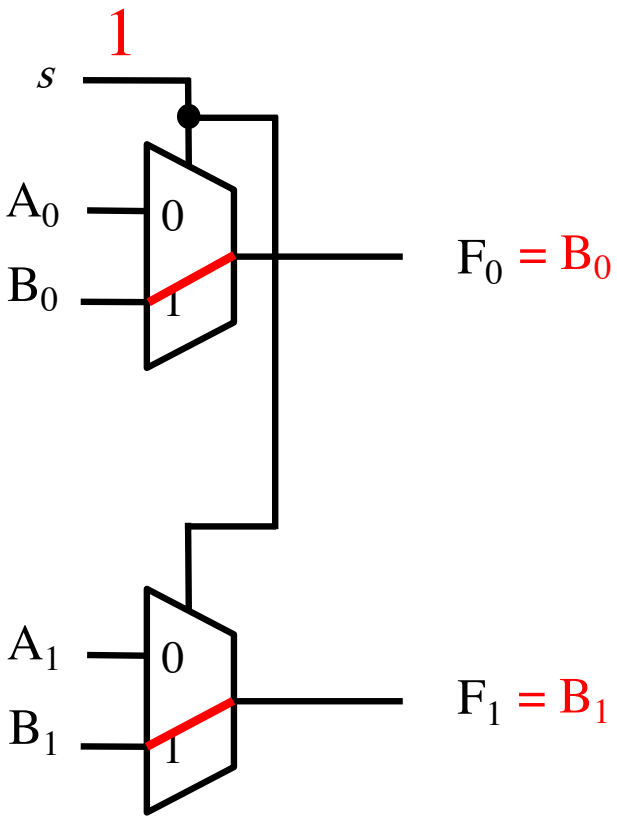

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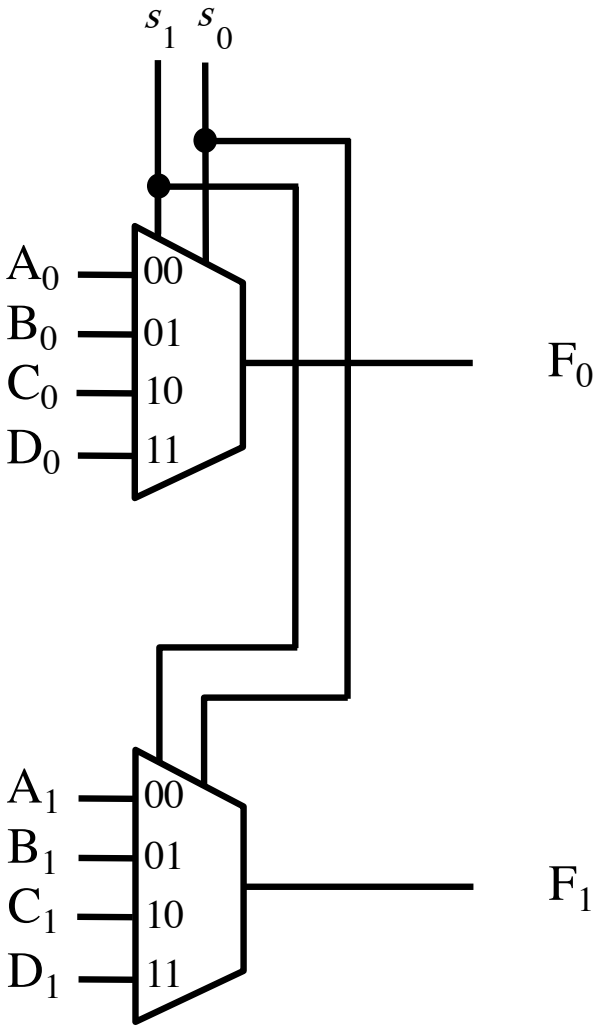

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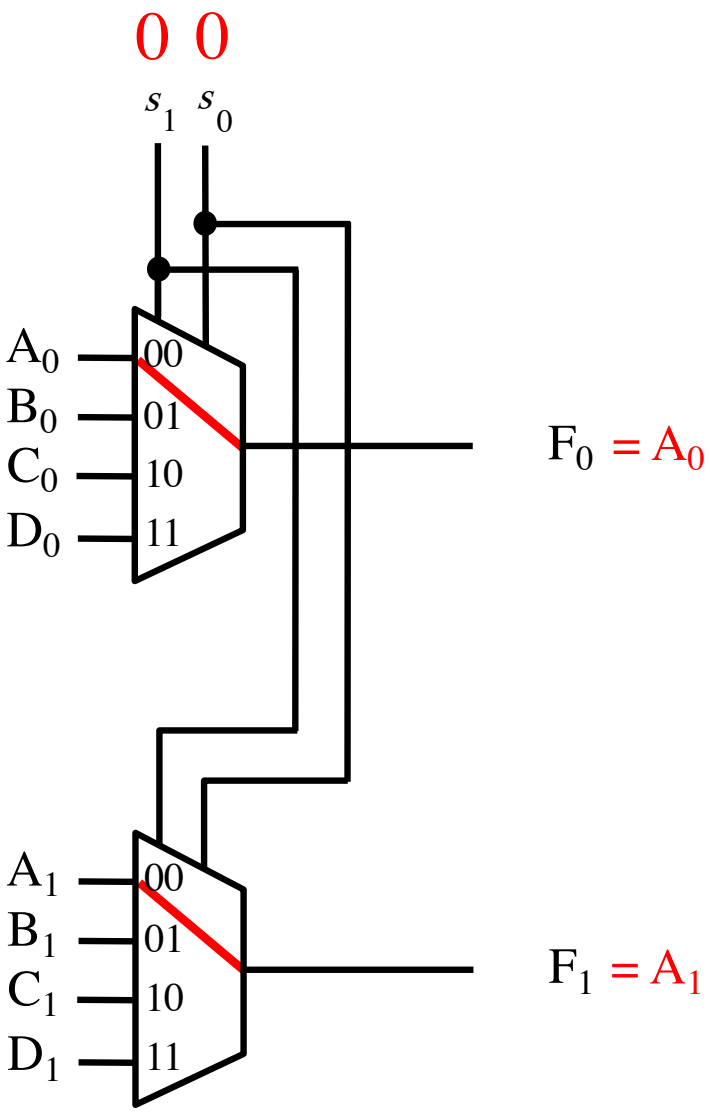

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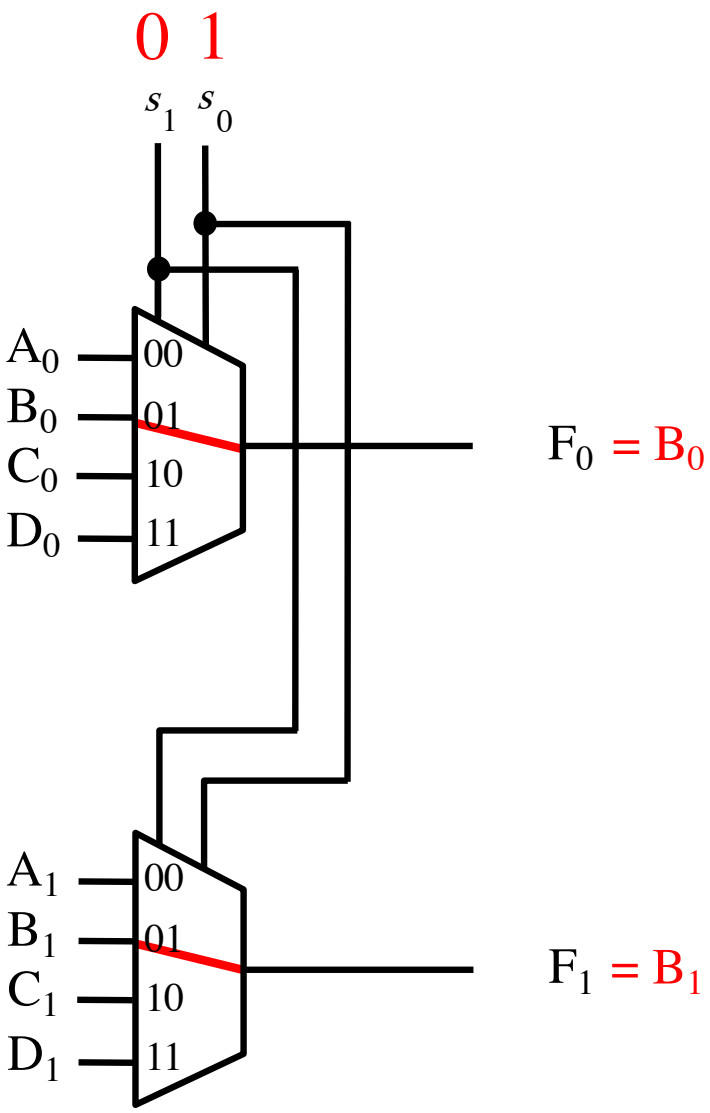

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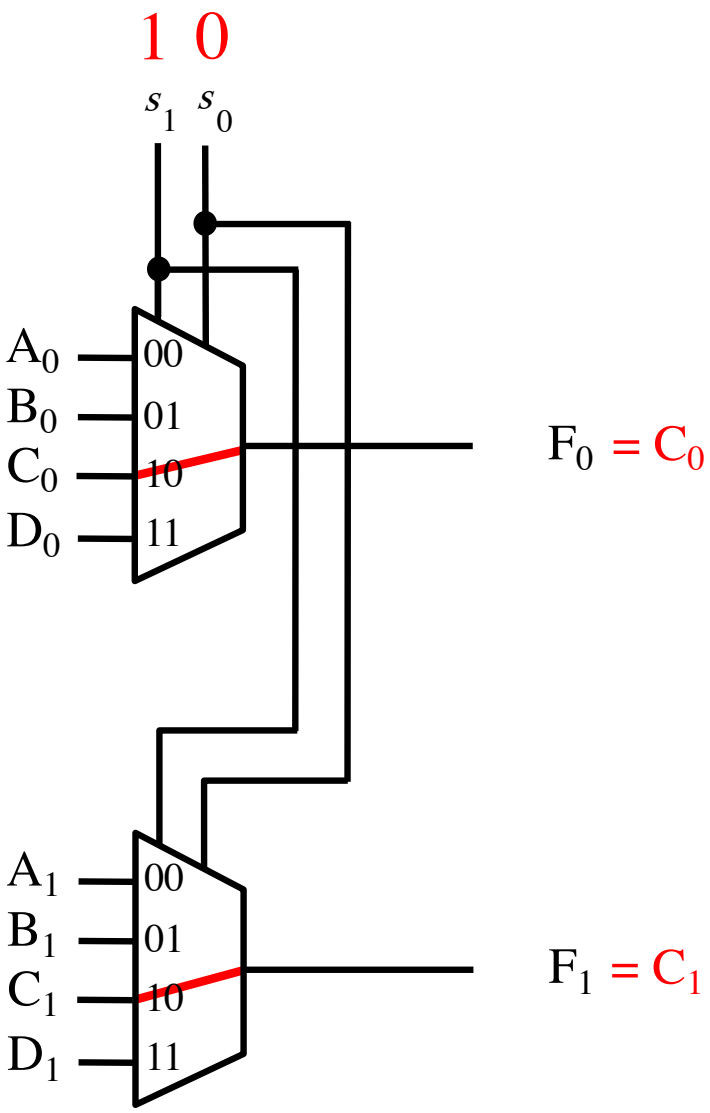

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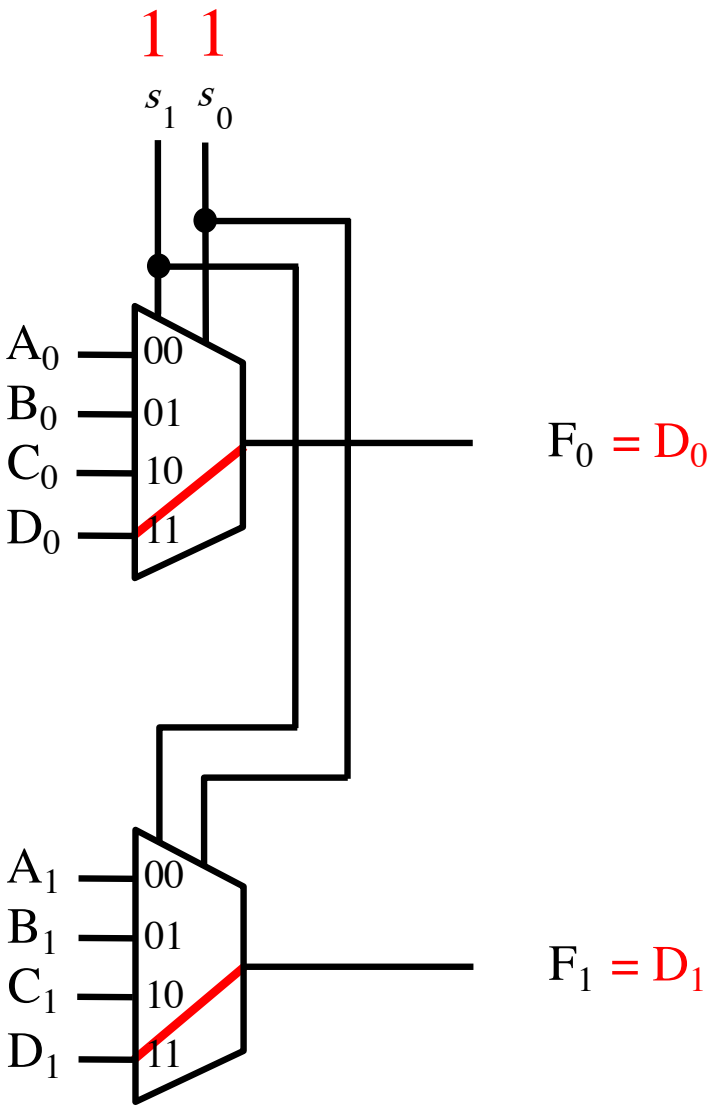
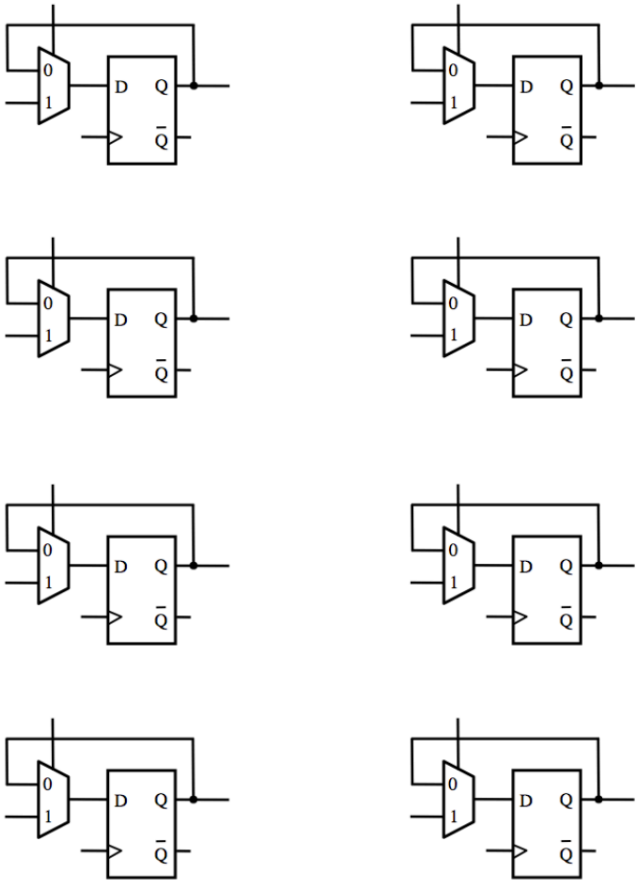
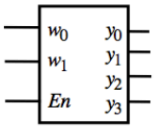
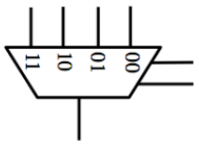


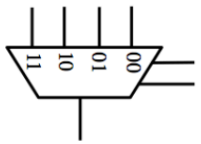
Register File

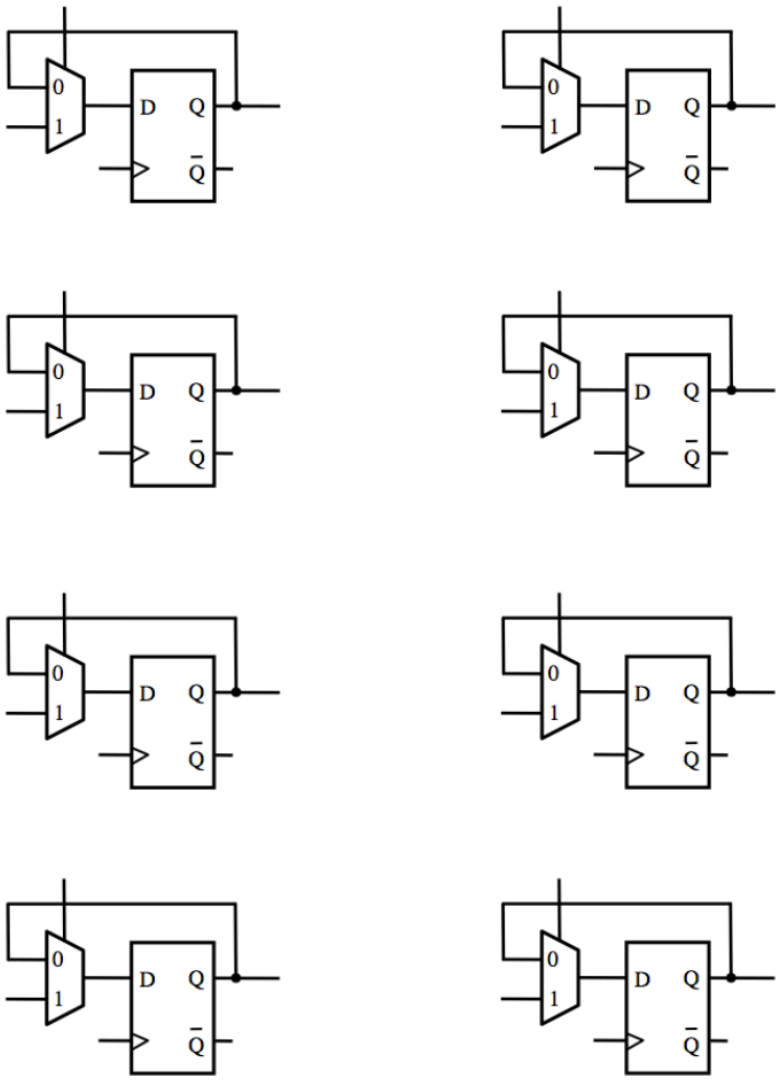
Complete the following circuit diagram to implement a register file with four 2-bit registers, one write port, one read port, and one write enable line.







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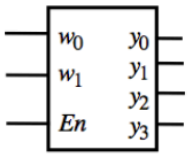
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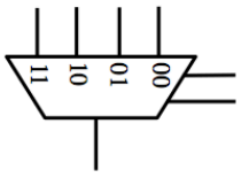
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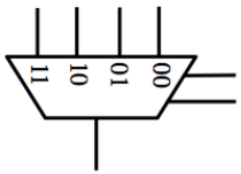
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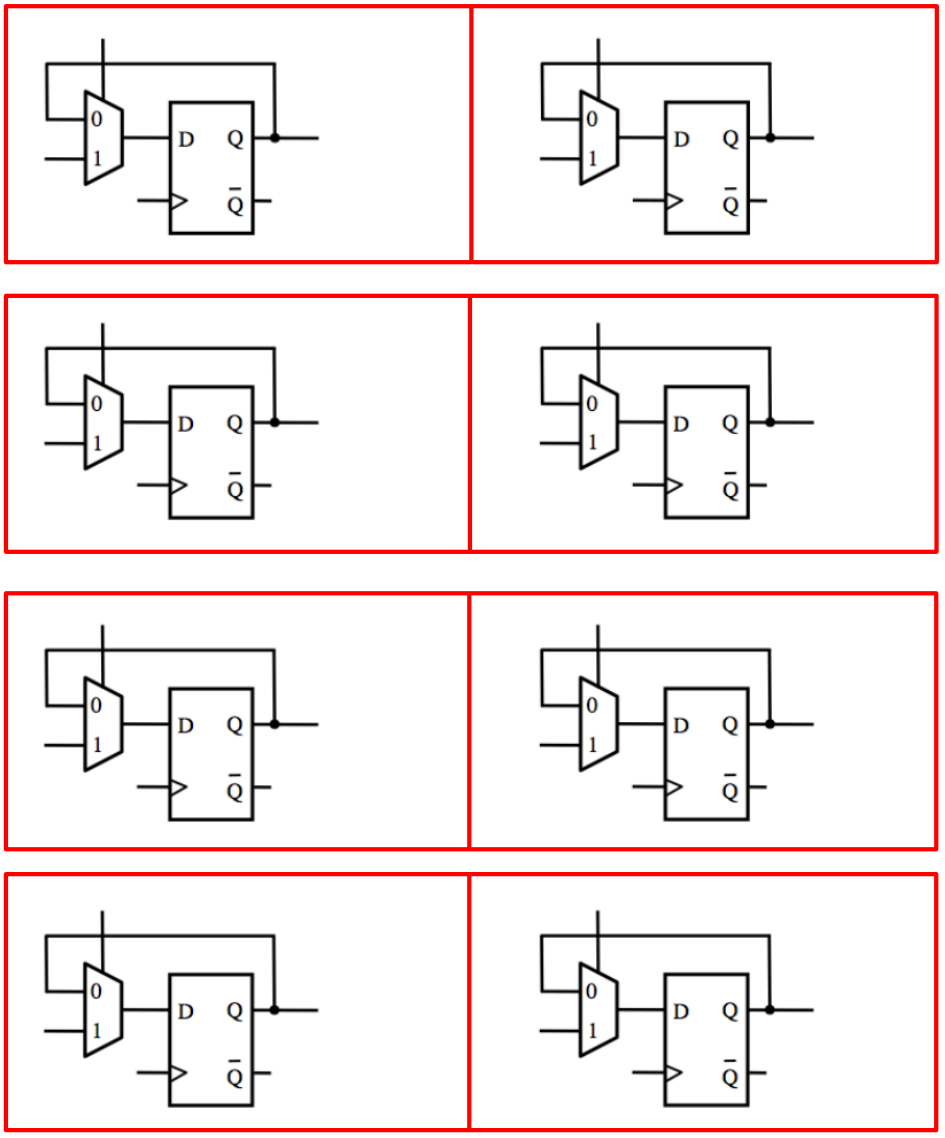
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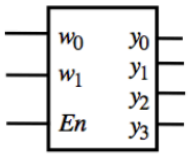
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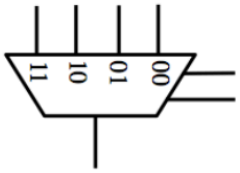
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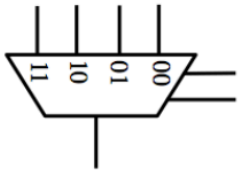
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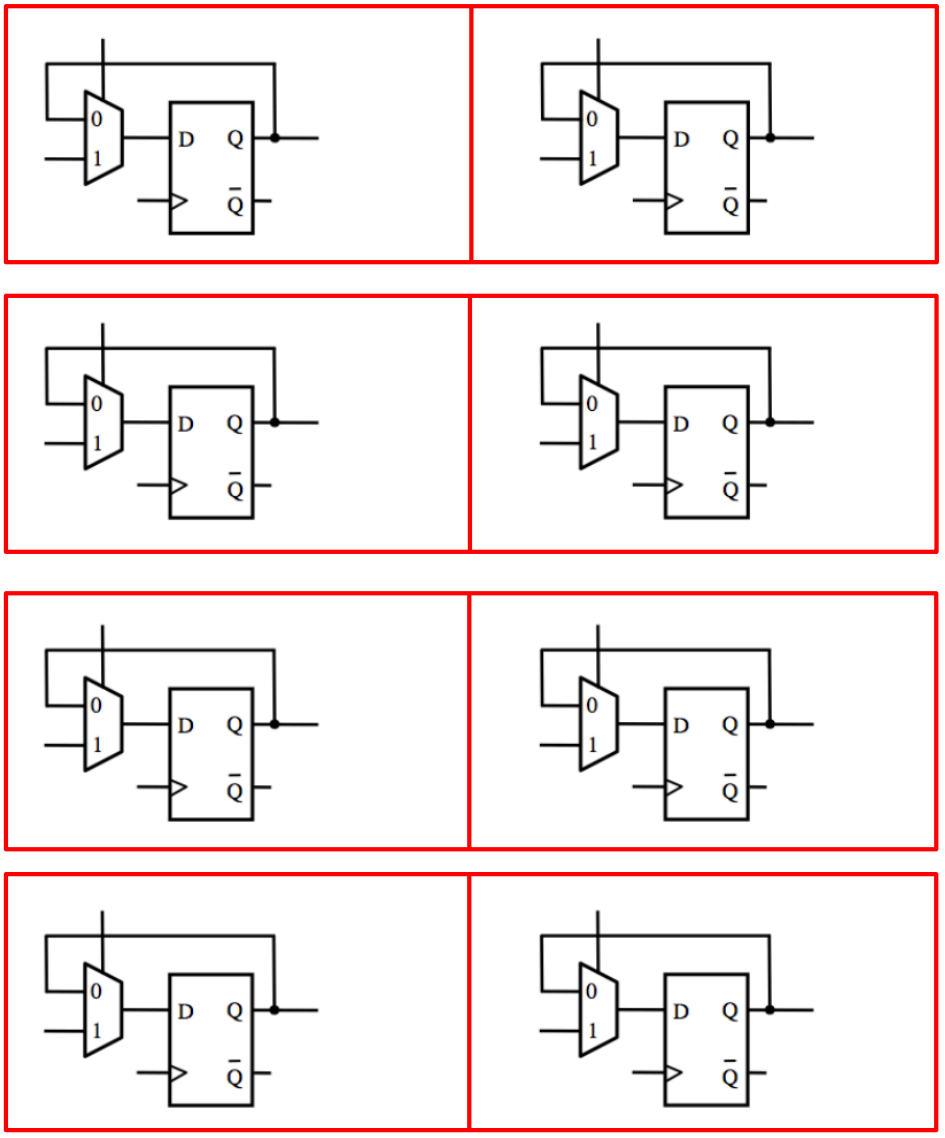
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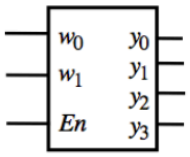
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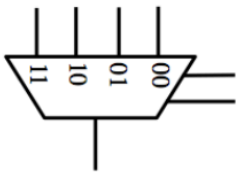
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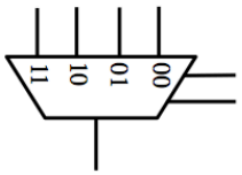
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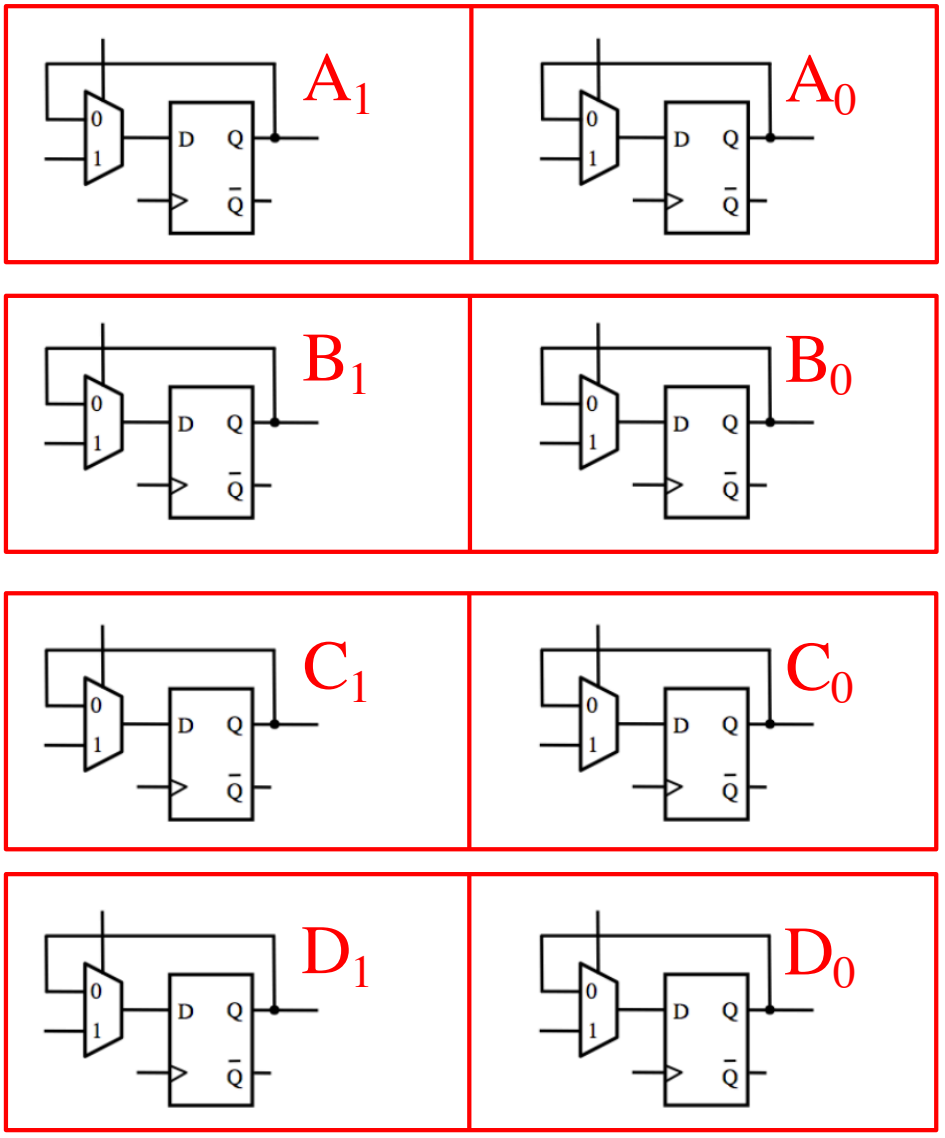
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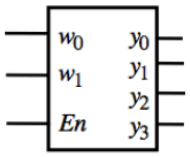
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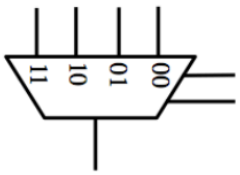
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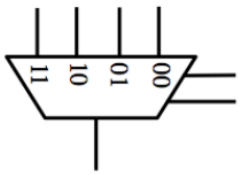
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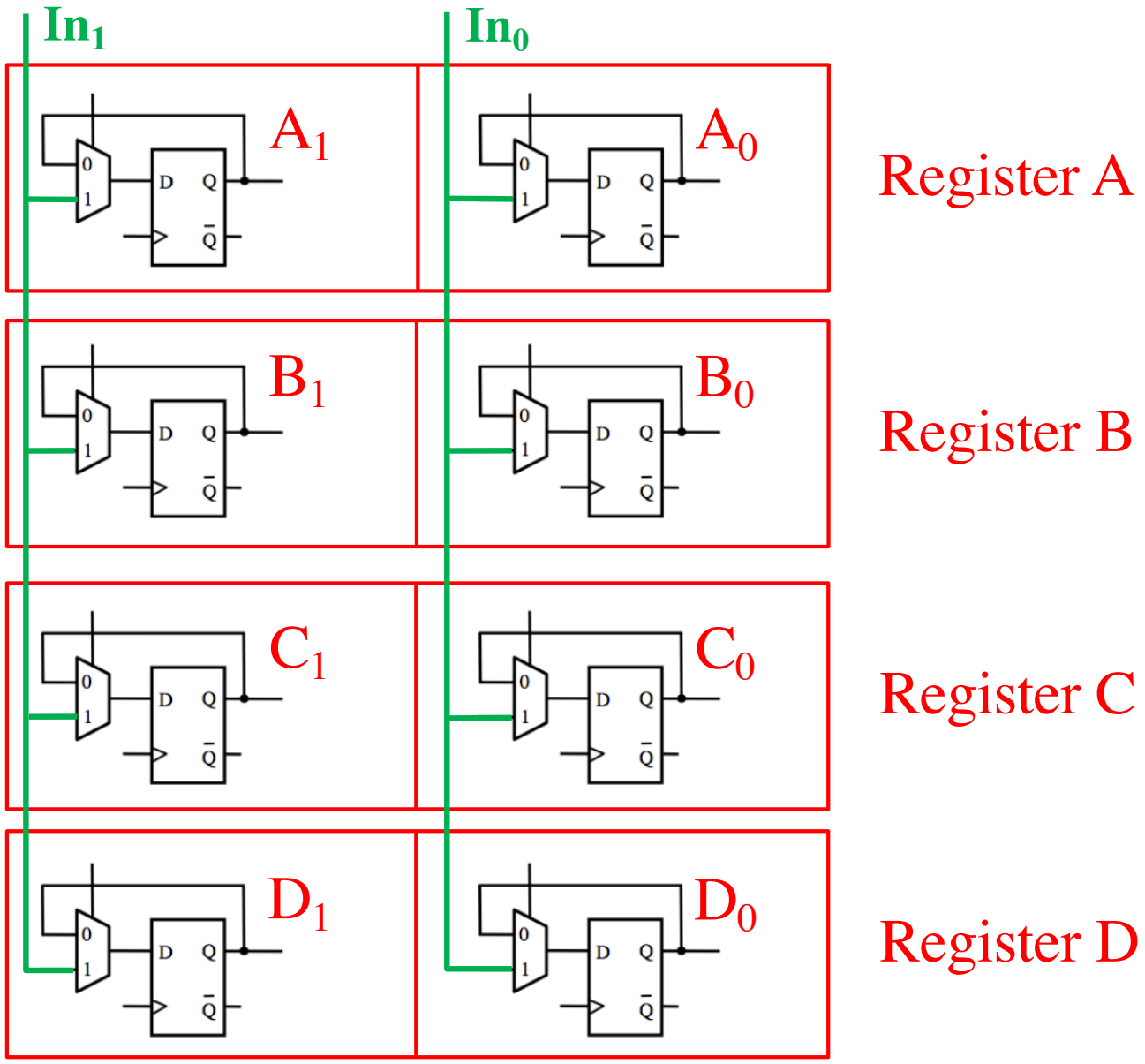
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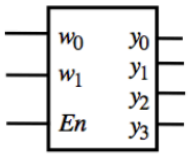
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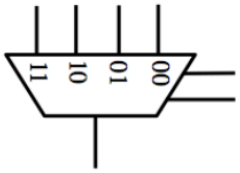
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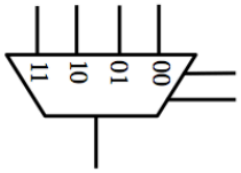
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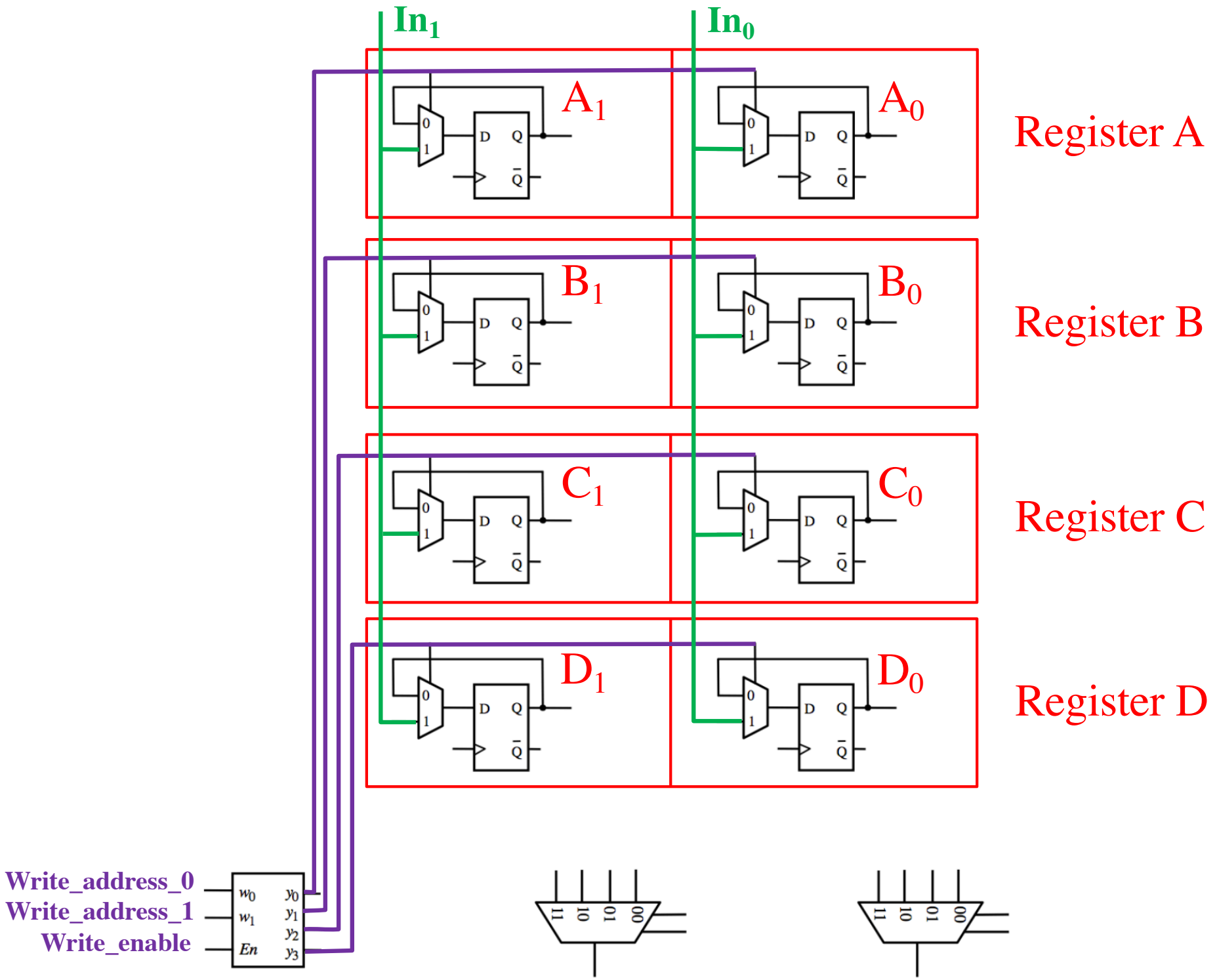
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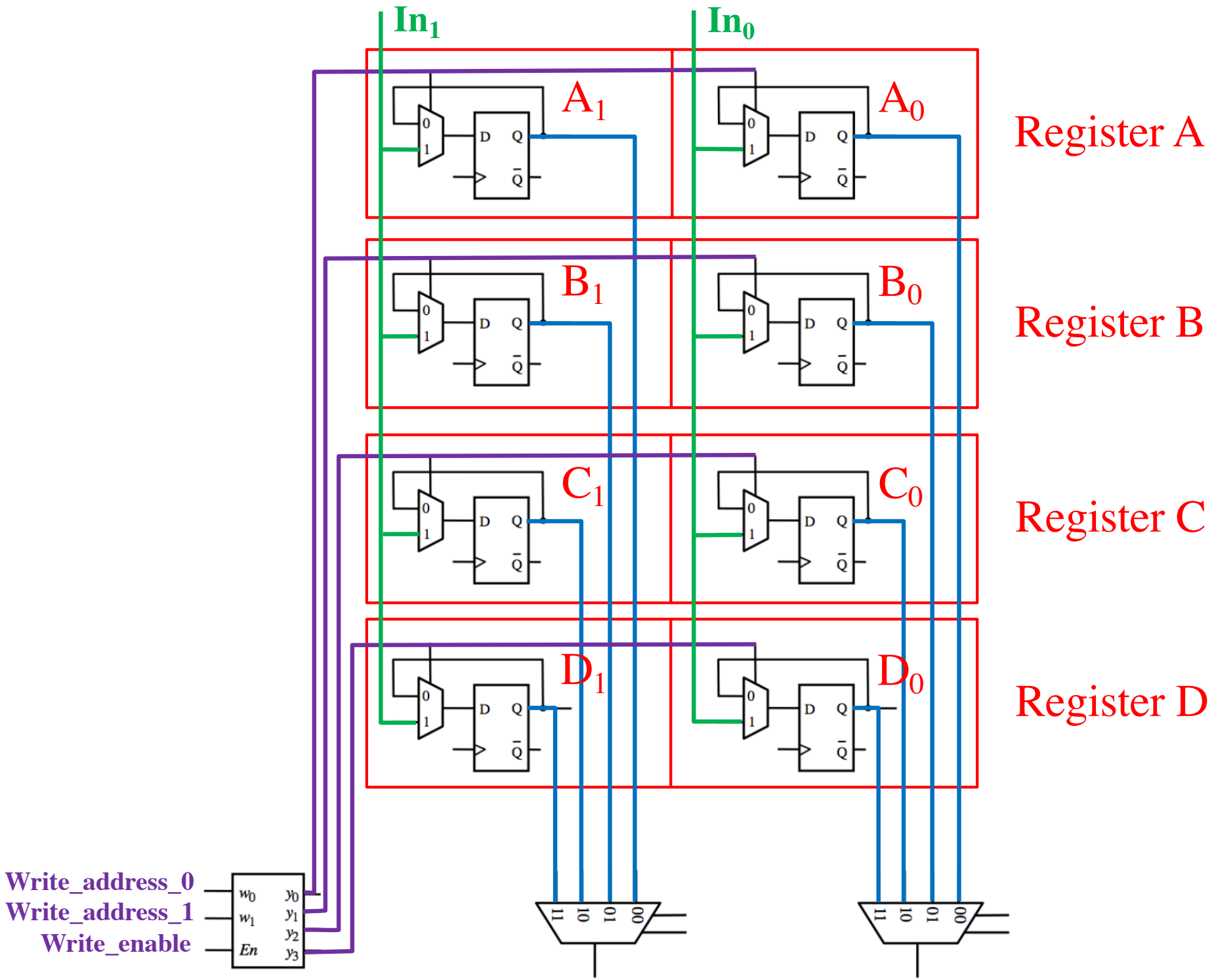
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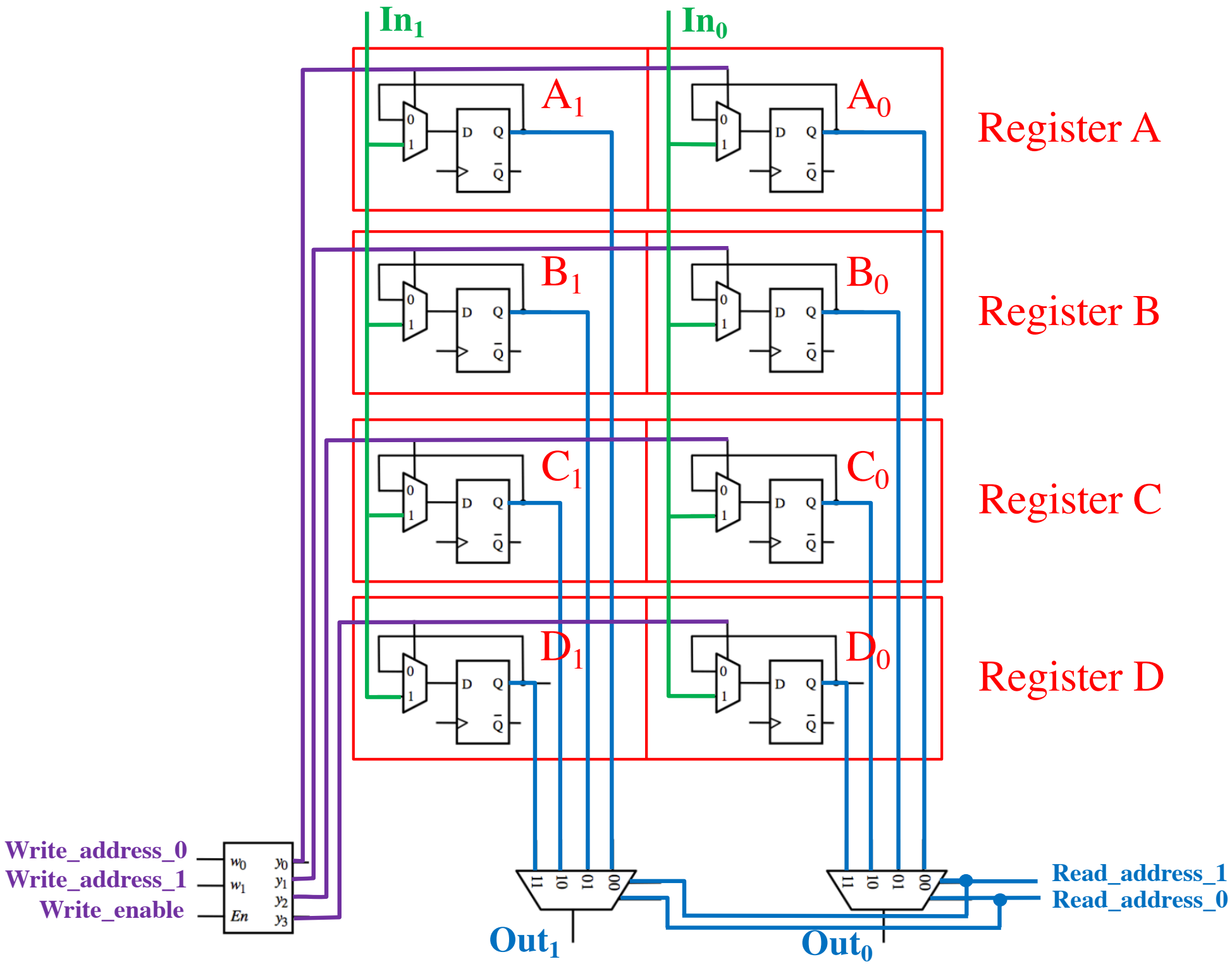
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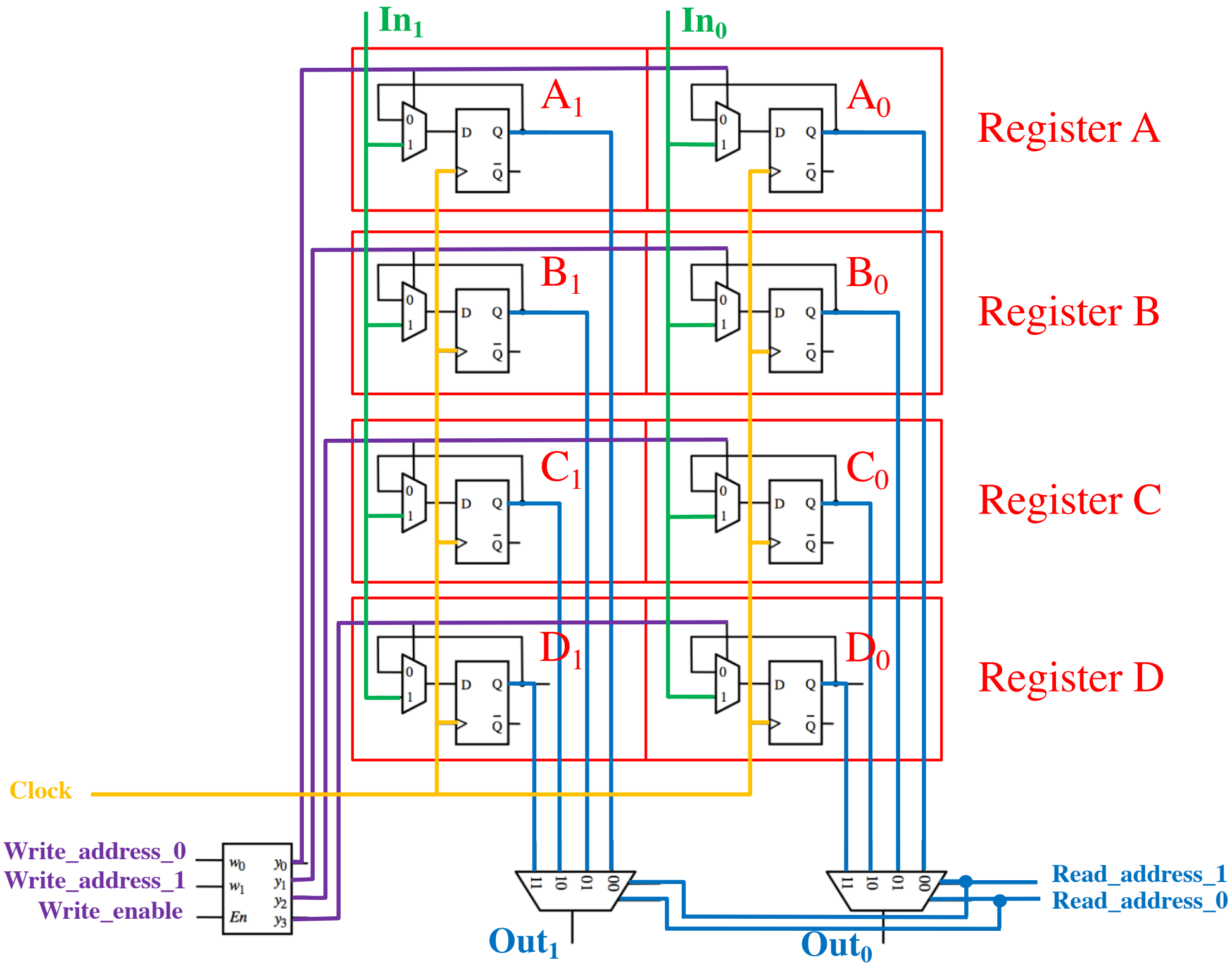
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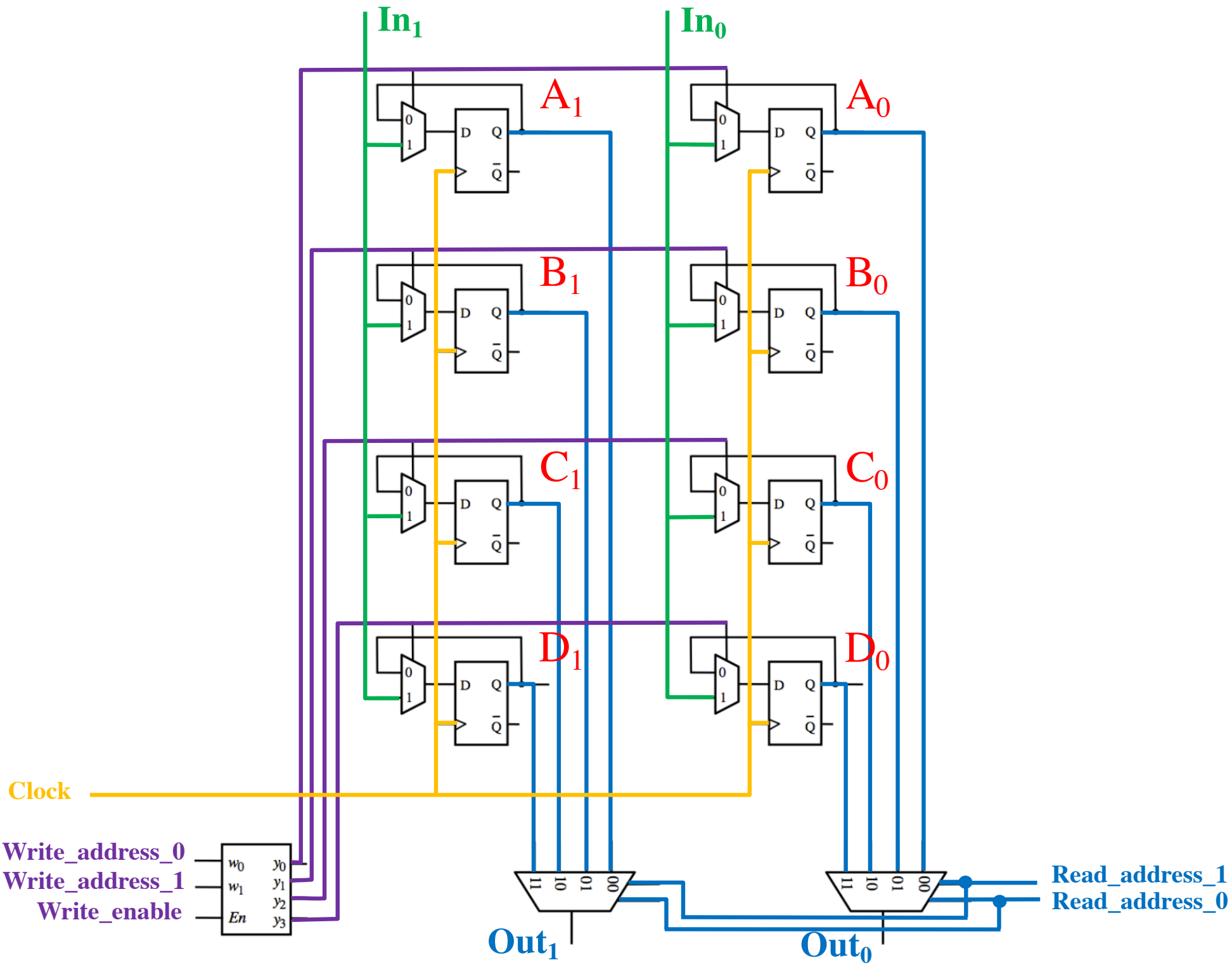
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Questions?

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