

Reminder: You must perform parts P1 and P2 before coming to the lab.

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Instructional Objectives (at the end of this lab you should be able to:)

- Research the internet for IC datasheets and circuit diagrams to obtain required information.
- Understand the fundamentals of Boolean algebra as applied to digital logic.
- Construct combinational logic circuits and test to determine the output signal as a function of all possible combinations of three input signals.
- Create a truth table representation of the combinational logic circuit.

Description and Background

Digital logic *gates* are specialized electronic circuits that implement Boolean algebra expressions. Boolean algebra is the language of computer electronics and consists of logical ‘1’ (sometimes called “true”, “high”, or “on”) and logical ‘0’ (sometimes called “false”, “low”, or “off”). In the electronic circuits in this experiment, we will be using ~5V to represent a logical ‘1’ and ~0 V to represent a logical ‘0’. This is a common standard; however, other voltage representations for logical ‘1’ and ‘0’ are sometimes implemented.

From the two Boolean elements ‘1’ and ‘0’, all *binary* numbers are determined. In contrast, our common decimal numbering system has 10 elements: 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and from these, all our numbers are determined.

In Boolean algebra, three common logical operations are “AND”, “OR”, and “NOT”. Logical AND has similarities to multiplying, and a “dot” symbol such as \bullet is used to indicate AND. The output of an AND circuit is 1 if and only if all the input signals to the AND are 1. For example, a two input AND function gives: $0 \bullet 0 = 0$, $0 \bullet 1 = 0$, $1 \bullet 0 = 0$, and $1 \bullet 1 = 1$. Logical OR is represented by the “+” symbol. The output of an OR circuit is 1 when any of the input signals are 1. Thus, for a two input OR function: $0 + 0 = 0$, $0 + 1 = 1$, $1 + 0 = 1$, and $1 + 1 = 1$. Logical NOT is represented with a prime, “’”, or an over bar “ $\bar{\quad}$ ”. NOT operation is the logical inverse of the expression, for instance, $1' = 0$, and $0' = 1$. For many types of physical logic it is convenient to fabricate NAND and NOR circuits rather than AND and OR circuits. NAND means “NOT AND” and NOR means “NOT OR”.

A simple Boolean expression might be $X = (K \bullet L) + M$. A *truth table* can be constructed, as shown using an arbitrary example below, indicating all possible combinations of inputs and the corresponding output.

K	L	M	X
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1

$X = (K \bullet L) + M$

Equipment

Your own lab kit which includes electronic chips and other components, alligator clips, etc., lab power supply and DMM, plus cables furnished in the lab for connecting to the DMM and power supply.

Procedures

You are to complete Procedures P1 and P2 PRIOR to coming to your lab session.

P1. Perform an internet search for manufacturers' datasheets on the two Texas Instruments IC's SN74LS00 and SN74LS02. Log on to <http://www.ti.com> and perform a product search. Download a copy of the datasheets to obtain pin diagrams, power requirements, etc.

P2. → Using the outline below, draw the DIP package pin diagram including internal gate connections and pin labels for the quad package 2-input NAND gates. → Do the same for the quad package 2-input NOR gates.



Make sure you find the portion of the data sheet dealing with the **74LS** chips.

→ What is the recommended power supply voltage (V_{CC}) that must be provided to the chips before a signal can be applied to the inputs of the NAND or NOR ICs?

V_{CC} : _____

→ What are the *typical* and *maximum* propagation delays (including proper units!) for output transitions from LOW-to-HIGH (t_{PLH}) and HIGH-to-LOW (t_{PHL}) for both **74LS** ICs?

Typical: t_{PLH} : _____ t_{PHL} : _____

Maximum: t_{PLH} : _____ t_{PHL} : _____

→ Using the *maximum* output LOW-to-HIGH and HIGH-to-LOW propagation delay times from the datasheets, how long will it take a change in logic of input signal B of Figure 1 to propagate through the circuit and cause a change in the output logic signal X?

$t_{P(B \text{ to } X)}$: _____

