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Instructions:

- 1 You have 90 minutes to complete this exam.
- 2 Print and sign your name, enter your student ID number.
- 3 Read the questions carefully.
- 4 Write your solution clearly.
- 5 You must supply units for all your answers (i.e. $k\Omega$, μA)
- 6 This exam has 6 questions worth 75 points, so you should proceed at around 1 point per minute.

Problem # 1 (25 points)

- (a) Simplify the following Boolean expression:

$$Q = AB + \overline{B} + \overline{(A + C)}B + \overline{A}BC$$

Q =	4 points
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- (b) What do these acronyms stand for?

CMOS:	1 point
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RAM:	1 point
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FET:	1 point
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PSK:	1 point
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- (c) What is the principal advantage of CMOS logic circuits?

Answer:	1 point
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- (d) Draw a comparator and explain what it does.

Answer:	2 points
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- (e) You want to build a digital thermometer capable of measuring temperatures in the range from 0° to 212°. Your digital thermometer can have a quantization error of $\pm 0.001^\circ$. How many binary lines are needed in the output data bus of the digital thermometer?

Answer:	2 points
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- (f) List any two uses for coding in communication systems.

	2 points
1	
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(g) Consider the following code.

We transmit the five bits 00000 for the digital **0** and the five bits 11111 for **1**.

How many bit errors can this code correct? 1 point

How many bit errors can this code detect? 1 point

(h) What dopant material is typically used to make a p-type semiconductor?

Answer: 1 point

(i) What dopant material is typically used to make an n-type semiconductor?

Answer: 1 point

(j) Is coding used for communication of analog signals?

Answer: 1 point

(k) Do diodes require an external power supply?

Answer: 1 point

(l) What is the purpose of a commutator in a brushless DC motor?

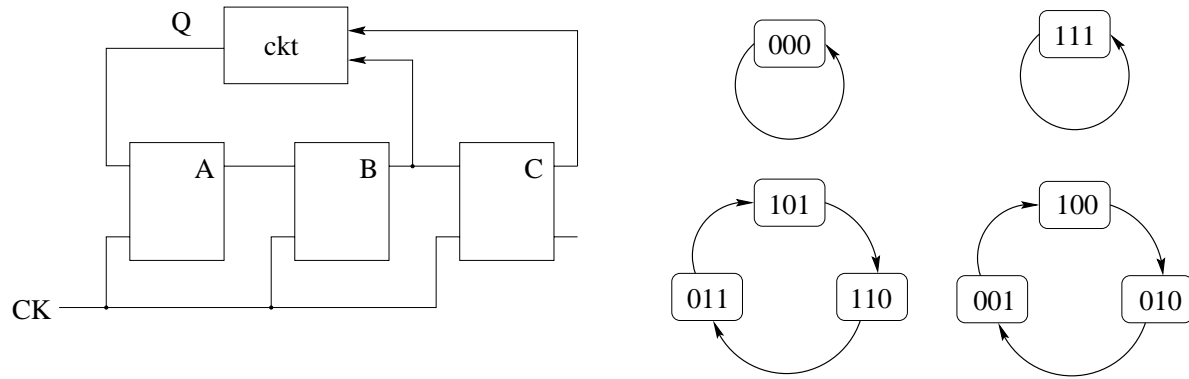
Answer: 2 point

(m) What is the purpose of a quadrature encoder for motor?

Answer: 2 point

Problem # 2 (10 points)

Consider the counter circuit shown below. There are three D-type flip flops, and the state of the counter is labeled **ABC**. Design the combinatorial circuit labeled **ckt** that will realize the state transition diagram shown below.



Draw your circuit here:

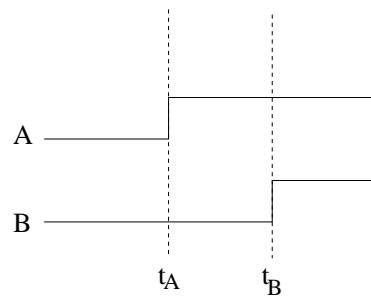
Problem # 3 (10 points)

Tiffany and Riley are playing Jeopardy on national TV. They each have a little button that they can press which generates the signals A and B . When they press their button, a signal changes from 0 to 1. For example, in the figure shown below Tiffany hits her button at time t_A while Riley hits his button at the later time t_B .

You can assume that they never push their buttons at exactly the same time.

Design a circuit to detect who hit their button first. The circuit should have two outputs:

$$P = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if Tiffany pressed her button first} \\ 0 & \text{if no one has pressed a button yet} \end{cases} \quad Q = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if Riley pressed his button first} \\ 0 & \text{if no one has pressed a button yet} \end{cases}$$



Draw your circuit here:

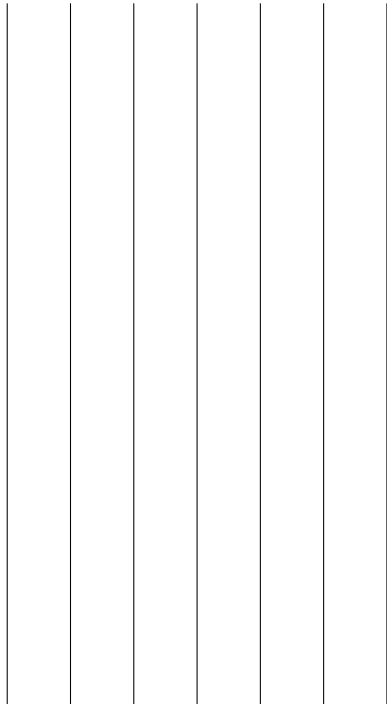
Problem # 4 (10 points)

In this problem, you are asked to design a digital circuit. There is parallel binary data arriving at an seven line bus **A6, A5, A4, A3, A2, A1, A0**. The data on the bus represents a number x between 0_{10} and 127_{10} . The least significant bit is $A0$ and the most significant bit is $A6$.

You have to build a digital circuit whose output is **F**. The output **F** should be **1** if and only if the number x represented on the bus is exactly divisible by 4. For example, if the current data is **1100**, the number represented is 76 which is divisible by 4 and so **F = 1**. Otherwise **F = 0**.

Draw your circuit here:

A6 A5 A4 A3 A2 A1 A0



Problem # 5 (10 points)

You have three binary signals A , B , and C .

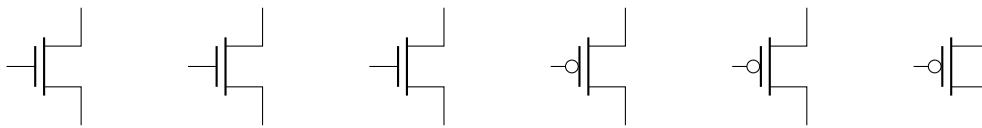
Design a CMOS gate to realize the logical expression

$$F = A \cdot B + C$$

You can use the 6 FET switches shown below.

You also have access to logical **0** and logical **1** signals.

There will be no partial credit for this problem.



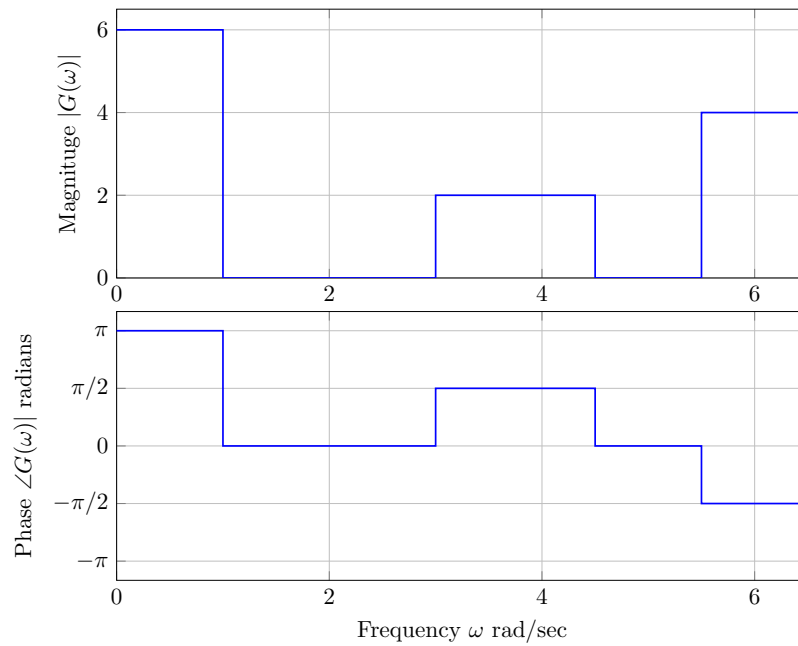
Answer:

Problem # 6 (3+3+4 = 10 points)

A filter with input voltage $v_i(t)$ and output voltage $v_o(t)$ has voltage gain $\mathbb{G}(\omega)$. In other words,

$$\mathbb{V}_o(\omega) = \mathbb{G}(\omega)\mathbb{V}_i$$

where \mathbb{V}_i and \mathbb{V}_o are the phasors of $v_i(t)$ and $v_o(t)$ respectively.



The magnitude and phase of $\mathbb{G}(\omega)$ are plotted above. In each of the following cases, compute the voltage output $v_o(t)$:

(a) $v_i(t) = \cos(4t)$

$$v_o(t) =$$

(b) $v_i(t) = \cos(4t) + \cos(6t)$

$$v_o(t) =$$

(c) $v_i(t) = 1 + \sin(4t - \pi/2)$

$$v_o(t) =$$