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III Multiplication

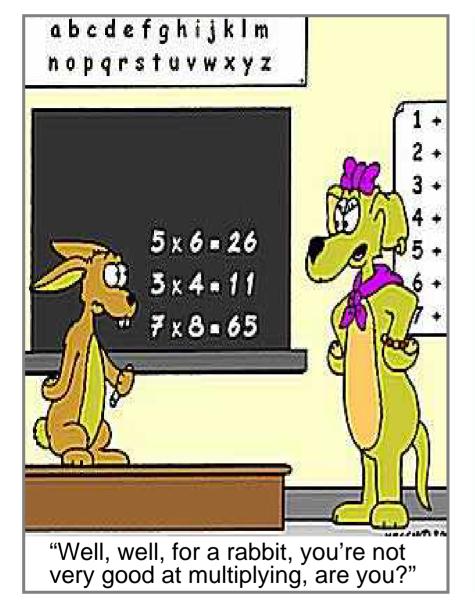
Review multiplication schemes and various speedup methods

- Multiplication is heavily used (in arith & array indexing)
- Division = reciprocation + multiplication
- Multiplication speedup: high-radix, tree, recursive
- Bit-serial, modular, and array multipliers

Topics in	This Part
Chapter 9	Basic Multiplication Schemes
Chapter 10	High-Radix Multipliers
Chapter 11	Tree and Array Multipliers
Chapter 12	Variations in Multipliers











9 Basic Multiplication Schemes

Chapter Goals

Study shift/add or bit-at-a-time multipliers and set the stage for faster methods and variations to be covered in Chapters 10-12

Chapter Highlights

Multiplication = multioperand addition
Hardware, firmware, software algorithms
Multiplying 2's-complement numbers
The special case of one constant operand





Basic Multiplication Schemes: Topics

Topics in This Chapter

- 9.1 Shift/Add Multiplication Algorithms
- 9.2 Programmed Multiplication
- 9.3 Basic Hardware Multipliers
- 9.4 Multiplication of Signed Numbers
- 9.5 Multiplication by Constants
- 9.6 Preview of Fast Multipliers



9.1 Shift/Add Multiplication Algorithms

Notation for our discussion of multiplication algorithms:

a Multiplicand $a_{k-1}a_{k-2} \dots a_1a_0$ x Multiplier $x_{k-1}x_{k-2} \dots x_1x_0$ p Product $(a \times x)$ $p_{2k-1}p_{2k-2} \dots p_3p_2p_1p_0$

Initially, we assume unsigned operands

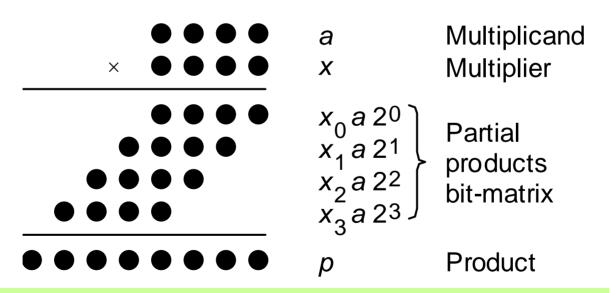
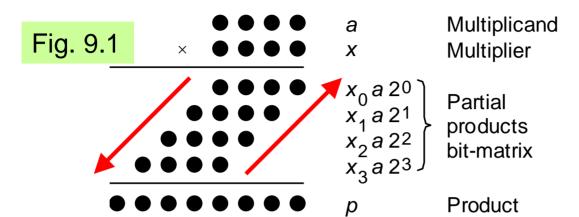


Fig. 9.1 Multiplication of two 4-bit unsigned binary numbers in dot notation.



Multiplication Recurrence



Multiplication with right shifts: top-to-bottom accumulation

with
$$p^{(0)} = 0$$
 and $p^{(k)} = p = ax + p^{(0)}2^{-k}$

Multiplication with left shifts: bottom-to-top accumulation

with
$$p^{(0)} = 0$$
 and $p^{(k)} = p = ax + p^{(0)}2^k$

Preferred





Examples of Basic Multiplication

Right-shift algorithm							
a X	10	10+	-1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1				
p ⁽⁰⁾ +x ₀ a	0 0 1 0	0 0 1 0					
$ \begin{array}{ccc} 2p^{(1)} & 0 \\ p^{(1)} & +x_1a \end{array} $	1 0 0 1 1 0	1 0 0 1 1 0	0				
$2p^{(2)}$ 0 $p^{(2)}$ + x_2a	1 1 0 1 0 0	1 1 1 1 0 0	0 1 0				
$2p^{(3)}$ 0 $p^{(3)}$ + x_3a	0 1 0 0 1 0	1 1 1 1 1 0	1 0 1 1 0				
$ \begin{array}{ccc} \hline 2p^{(4)} & 0 \\ p^{(4)} & \\ ===================================$	1 1 0 1	0 1 1 0	1 1 0 1 1 0				

Left-snift aig	gorithr	n 	
======= а	1	0 1	0
X	1	0 1	1
$p^{(0)}$ $2p^{(0)}$ $+x_3a$	0 0 0 1	•	0 0 0
$p^{(1)}$ $2p^{(1)}$ $+x_2a$	0 1 1 0 0	0 1 1 0 0 0	0 0 0
$p^{(2)} = (p^{(j)} + x_j)$ $$		1 0 2 ⁻¹	0 0 0
-shift +x ₀ a	right- 1	— 0 1	0 0 0
$p^{(4)}$ 0 1 1	0 1	1 1	0

Loft chift algorithm

Fig. 9.2
Examples of sequential multiplication with right and left shifts.

Check: 10 × 11 = 110 = 64 + 32 + 8 + 4 + 2

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Examples of Basic Multiplication (Continued)

Right-sh) T ==:	aı ==	go:		 ==:			===	
а						1	0	1	0
X						1	0	1	1
$p^{(0)}$		== 0	== 0	== 0	0	===			==
+x ₀ a		1	_	1	_				
2 <i>p</i> ⁽¹⁾	0	1	0	1	0				
$p^{(1)}$			1			0			
+ <i>x</i> ₁ <i>a</i>		1	0	1	0				
- (0)									
$2p^{(2)}$	0	1	1	1	1	0	^		
$p^{(2)}$	_	^	1	1	1	1		a	
$p^{(2)}$ + x $p^{(j+1)}$	_	=	2 µ) (j)	+	0 X _k -		ıa	
$\frac{p^{(2)}}{+x_2} \frac{p^{(j+1)}}{p^{(j+1)}}$	_	=	2µ sh	ر ازاری ift	+	X _k -		ıa -	
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$\frac{p^{(2)}}{+x_2} \frac{p^{(j+1)}}{p^{(j+1)}}$	_	=	2µ sh	ر ازاری ift	+	X _k -	-j-^	ı <mark>a</mark> —	
$p^{(2)}$ $+x^{2}$ $p^{(j+1)}$ $2p^{(3)}$ $+x_{3}a$ $2p^{(4)}$	_	1	2 µ sh 0	1 1 0	+ -ad 0	X _k -	1	<mark> a</mark> 0	
$p^{(2)}$ $+x_{i}$ $p^{(j+1)}$ $2p^{(3)}$ $p^{(3)}$:	1	2 µ sh 0)(/) ift	+ -ad 0	X _k -	1 1	<u>- </u>	0

Lef	Left-shift algorithm								
a X					1 1	0	1	0	
$p^{(0)}$ $2p^{(0)}$ $+x_3a$				0	0 0 1	0 0 0	0 0 1	0 0 0	
$p^{(1)}$ $2p^{(1)}$ $+x_2a$			0	0	1 0 0	0 1 0	1 0 0	0 0 0	
$p^{(2)}$ $2p^{(2)}$ $+x_1a$		0	0	1	0 1 1	1 0 0	0 0 1	0 0 0	
$p^{(3)}$ $2p^{(3)}$ $+x_0a$	0	0	1	1 0	0 0 1	0 1 0	1 0 1	0 0 0	
p ⁽⁴⁾	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	

Fig. 9.2
Examples
of
sequential
multiplication with
right and
left shifts.

Check:

$$10 \times 11$$

$$= 64 + 32 +$$

$$8 + 4 + 2$$





9.2 Programmed Multiplication

```
{Using right shifts, multiply unsigned m cand and m ier,
storing the resultant 2k-bit product in p high and p low.
Registers: R0 holds 0
                       Rc for counter
                                                          Rc Counter
           Ra for m cand Rx for m ier
                                           Ra Multiplicand
                                                          Rx Multiplier
           Rp for p high Rg for p low}
                                           Rp Product, high
                                                         Rq Product, low
{Load operands into registers Ra and Rx}
           load
                              Ra with m cand
   mu1t:
           load
                              Rx with m ier
{Initialize partial product and counter}
                              R0 into Rp
           сору
                              R0 into Rq
           сору
           load
                                 into Rc
{Begin multiplication loop}
           shift
                       Rx right 1 {LSB moves to carry flag}
 m_loop:
           branch
                       no add if carry = 0
           add
                       Ra to Rp {carry flag is set to cout}
  no add:
                       Rp right 1 {carry to MSB, LSB to carry}
           rotate
                       Rg right 1 {carry to MSB, LSB to carry}
           rotate
           decr
                                   {decrement counter by 1}
                       Rc
           branch
                       m loop if Rc \neq 0
{Store the product}
                                              Fig. 9.3 Programmed
                       Rp into p high
           store
                                              multiplication (right-shift
                       Rq into p_low
           store
                                              algorithm).
 m done:
```



Time Complexity of Programmed Multiplication

Assume k-bit words

k iterations of the main loop 6-7 instructions per iteration, depending on the multiplier bit

Thus, 6k + 3 to 7k + 3 machine instructions, ignoring operand loads and result store

k = 32 implies 200+ instructions on average

This is too slow for many modern applications!

Microprogrammed multiply would be somewhat better

9.3 Basic Hardware Multipliers

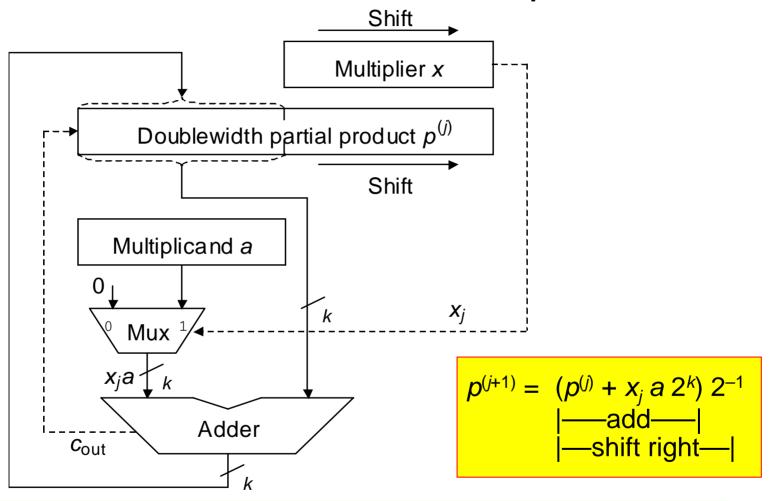


Fig. 9.4 Hardware realization of the sequential multiplication algorithm with additions and right shifts.

Example of Hardware Multiplication

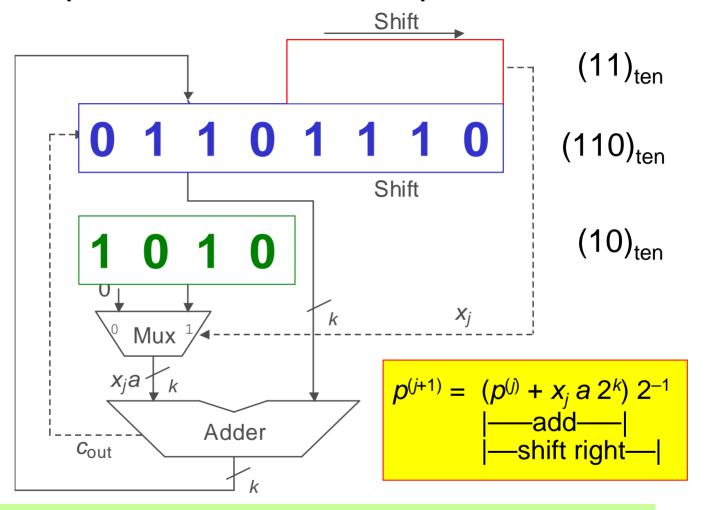


Fig. 9.4a Hardware realization of the sequential multiplication algorithm with additions and right shifts.

Performing Add and Shift in One Clock Cycle

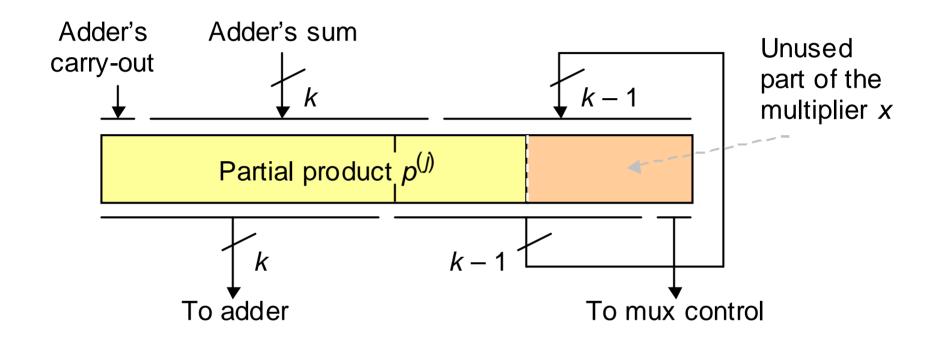


Fig. 9.5 Combining the loading and shifting of the double-width register holding the partial product and the partially used multiplier.

Sequential Multiplication with Left Shifts

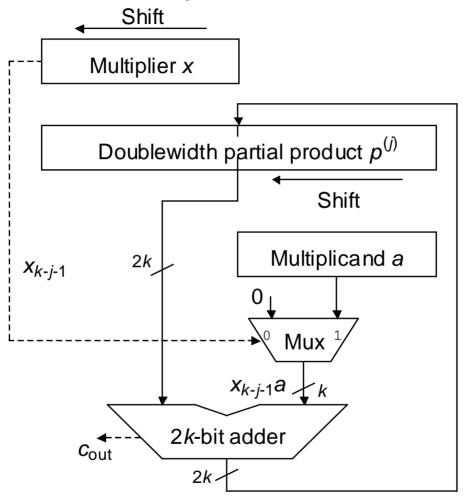


Fig. 9.4b Hardware realization of the sequential multiplication algorithm with left shifts and additions.

9.4 Multiplication of Signed Numbers

Fig. 9.6 Sequential multiplication of 2's-complement numbers with right shifts (positive multiplier).

Negative multiplicand, positive multiplier:

No change, other than looking out for proper sign extension

=====	==	==	==	==	==	==		===	===	==:	==	
a X		1	0	1	1	0						
$p^{(0)} + x_0 a$	==	0 1	0 0	0 1	0	0	===		===			eck: ×11
$2p^{(1)}$ $p^{(1)}$ $+x_1a$	1	1 1 1	0 1 0	1 0 1	1 1 1	0 1 0	0			=	- <u>g</u>	110 512 + 56 +
$2p^{(2)}$ $p^{(2)}$ $+x_2a$	1	1 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	1 0 0	0	0				28 + 6 + 2
$2p^{(3)}$ $p^{(3)}$ $+x_3a$	1	1 1 1	1 1 0	0 1 1	0 0 1	0 0 0	1 0	0	0			
$2p^{(4)}$ $p^{(4)}$ $+x_4a$	1	1 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 0	1 0 0	0 1 0	0	1		0		
2 <i>p</i> ⁽⁵⁾ <i>p</i> ⁽⁵⁾	1	1 1 ==	1 1 ==	0 1	0	1 0	0 1	0	1	0	0	



The Case of a Negative Multiplier

Fig. 9.7 Sequential multiplication of 2's-complement numbers with right shifts (negative multiplier).

Negative multiplicand, negative multiplier:

In last step (the sign bit), subtract rather than add

======	==:	==	==	==	==	==	===	===	==:	===	==			
а Х		1	0	1 1	1	0								
$p^{(0)} + x_0 a$		0 1	0	0 1	0	0				he 0		:: −11	l	
$2p^{(1)}$ $p^{(1)}$ $+x_1a$	1	1 1 0	0 1 0	1 0 0	1 1 0	0 1 0	0				+	· 32		
$2p^{(2)}$ $p^{(2)}$ $+x_2a$	1	1 1 1	1 1 0	0 1 1	1 0 1	1 1 0	0	0						
$2p^{(3)}$ $p^{(3)}$ $+x_3a$	1	1 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 0	1 0 0	1 1 0	1	0	0					
$ \begin{array}{c} 2p^{(4)} \\ p^{(4)} \\ +(-x_4a) \end{array} $	1	1 1 0	1 1 1	0 1 0	0 0 1	1 0 0	1	1	0	0				
2p ⁽⁵⁾ p ⁽⁵⁾	0	0	0	1	1	0 1	1 0	1	1	0	0			

Signed 2's-Complement Hardware Multiplier

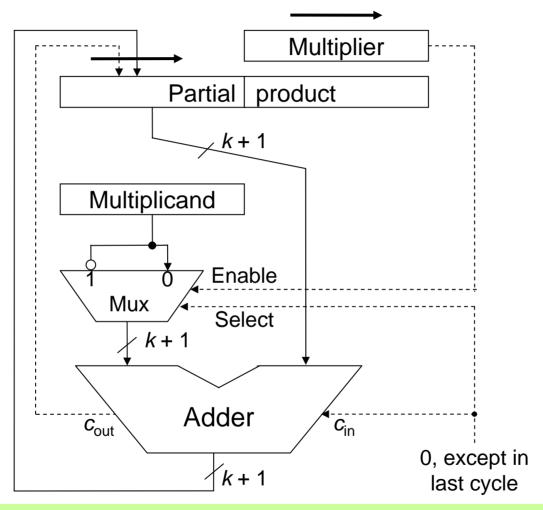


Fig. 9.8 The 2's-complement sequential hardware multiplier.



Booth's Recoding

Table 9.1	Radix-2 Booth's recoding
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X_i	<i>X_i</i> −1	y _i	Explanation
0	0	0	No string of 1s in sight
0	1	1	End of string of 1s in x
1	0	-1	Beginning of string of 1s in x
1	1	0	Continuation of string of 1s in x

Example

Justification

$$2^{j} + 2^{j-1} + \ldots + 2^{i+1} + 2^{i} = 2^{j+1} - 2^{i}$$



Example Multiplication with Booth's Recoding

Fig. 9.9 Sequential multiplication of 2's-complement numbers with right shifts by means of Booth's recoding.

X _i	<i>X_i</i> –1	Уi
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	⁻ 1
1	1	0

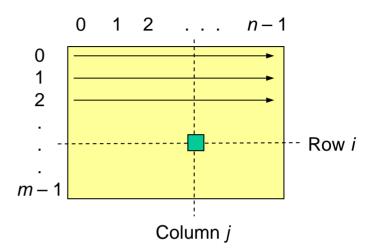
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а х у 	_	1 1 1 -1	0 0 1	1 1 -1	1 0 1	0 1 -1				lier -re		de	d
p ⁽⁰⁾ +y ₀ a		0	0	0	0	0				he 0		<: −11	
$2p^{(1)}$ $p^{(1)}$ $+y_1a$	0	0 0 1	1 0 0	0 1 1	1 0 1	0 1 0	0		=		ļ ₄	- 32 4 +	
$2p^{(2)}$ $p^{(2)}$ $+y_2a$	1	1 1 0	1 1 1	0 1 0	1 0 1	1 1 0	0	0					
$2p^{(3)}$ $p^{(3)}$ $+y_3a$	0	0 0 1	0 0 0	1 0 1	1 1 1	1 1 0	1	0	0				
2p ⁽⁴⁾ p ⁽⁴⁾ y ₄ a	1	1 1 0	1 1 1	0 1 0	0 0 1	1 0 0	1	1	0	0			
2 <i>p</i> ⁽⁵⁾ <i>p</i> ⁽⁵⁾	0	0	0 0	1 0	1	0	1 0	1	1	0	0	:	

9.5 Multiplication by Constants

Explicit, e.g.
$$y := 12 * x + 1$$

Implicit, e.g.
$$A[i, j] := A[i, j] + B[i, j]$$

Address of A[i, j] = base + n * i + j



Software aspects:

Optimizing compilers replace multiplications by shifts/adds/subs

Produce efficient code using as few registers as possible Find the best code by a time/space-efficient algorithm

Hardware aspects:

Synthesize special-purpose units such as filters

$$y[t] = a_0x[t] + a_1x[t-1] + a_2x[t-2] + b_1y[t-1] + b_2y[t-2]$$



Multiplication Using Binary Expansion

Example: Multiply R1 by the constant $113 = (1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1)_{two}$

```
R2 \leftarrow R1 shift-left 1

R3 \leftarrow R2 + R1 Shift, add Shift

R6 \leftarrow R3 shift-left 1

R7 \leftarrow R6 + R1 Ri: Register that contains i times (R1)

R112 \leftarrow R7 shift-left 4 This notation is for clarity; only one
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R112 ← R7 shift-left 4 This notation is for clarity; only one R113 ← R112 + R1 register other than R1 is needed

Shorter sequence using shift-and-add instructions

R3 \leftarrow R1 shift-left 1 + R1 R7 \leftarrow R3 shift-left 1 + R1 R113 \leftarrow R7 shift-left 4 + R1

Multiplication via Recoding

Example: Multiply R1 by $113 = (1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1)_{two} = (1 \ 0 \ 0^{-1} \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1)_{two}$

R8 \leftarrow R1 shift-left 3

 $R7 \leftarrow R8 - R1$

R112 ← R7 shift-left 4

R113 ← R112 + R1

Shift, add Shift
Shift, subtract

Shorter sequence using shift-and-add/subtract instructions

R7 ← R3 shift-left 3 - R1

R113 ← R7 shift-left 4 + R1

6 shift or add (3 shift-and-add) instructions needed without recoding

Multiplication via Factorization

Example: Multiply R1 by $119 = 7 \times 17 = (8 - 1) \times (16 + 1)$

R8 \leftarrow R1 shift-left 3

 $R7 \leftarrow R8 - R1$

R112 ← R7 shift-left 4

 $R119 \leftarrow R112 + R7$

Shorter sequence using shift-and-add/subtract instructions

R7
$$\leftarrow$$
 R3 shift-left 3 - R1

R119 \leftarrow R7 shift-left 4 + R7

Requires a scratch register for holding the 7 multiple

$$119 = (1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1)_{two} = (1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0^{-1} \ 0 \ 0^{-1})_{two}$$

More instructions may be needed without factorization



9.6 Preview of Fast Multipliers

Viewing multiplication as a multioperand addition problem, there are but two ways to speed it up

- a. Reducing the number of operands to be added: Handling more than one multiplier bit at a time (high-radix multipliers, Chapter 10)
- b. Adding the operands faster:
 Parallel/pipelined multioperand addition
 (tree and array multipliers, Chapter 11)

In Chapter 12, we cover all remaining multiplication topics:

Bit-serial multipliers
Modular multipliers
Multiply-add units
Squaring as a special case





10 High-Radix Multipliers

Chapter Goals

Study techniques that allow us to handle more than one multiplier bit in each cycle (two bits in radix 4, three in radix 8, . . .)

Chapter Highlights

High radix gives rise to "difficult" multiples Recoding (change of digit-set) as remedy Carry-save addition reduces cycle time Implementation and optimization methods





High-Radix Multipliers: Topics

Topics in This Chapter

10.1 Radix-4 Multiplication

10.2 Modified Booth's Recoding

10.3 Using Carry-Save Adders

10.4 Radix-8 and Radix-16 Multipliers

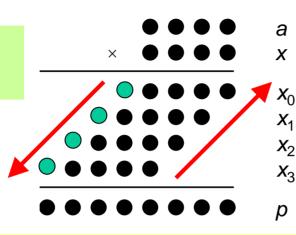
10.5 Multibeat Multipliers

10.6 VLSI Complexity Issues



10.1 Radix-4 Multiplication

Fig. 9.1 (modified)



Multiplicand Multiplier

 $\begin{cases} x_0 & a & r^0 \\ x_1 & a & r^1 \\ x_2 & a & r^2 \\ x_3 & a & r^3 \end{cases}$ Partial products

Product

Preferred

Multiplication with right shifts in radix r: top-to-bottom accumulation

with
$$p^{(0)} = 0$$
 and $p^{(k)} = p = ax + p^{(0)}r^{-k}$

Multiplication with left shifts in radix r: bottom-to-top accumulation

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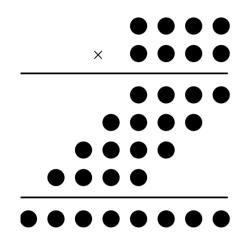
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Radix-4 Multiplication in Dot Notation



a Multiplicandx Multiplier

 $\begin{bmatrix}
 x_0 & a & 20 \\
 x_1 & a & 21 \\
 x_2 & a & 22 \\
 x_3 & a & 23
 \end{bmatrix}
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 x_0 & a & 20 \\
 x_1 & a & 21 \\
 x_2 & a & 22 \\
 x_3 & a & 23
 \end{bmatrix}$

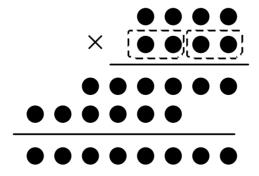
Partial products bit-matrix

p Product

Fig. 9.1

Fig. 10.1 Radix-4, or two-bit-at-a-time, multiplication in dot notation

Number of cycles is halved, but now the "difficult" multiple 3a must be dealt with



a x $(x_1x_0)_{two}a 4^0$ $(x_3x_2)_{two}a 4^1$

p

Product

Multiplicand

Multiplier



A Possible Design for a Radix-4 Multiplier

Precomputed via shift-and-add (3a = 2a + a)

k/2 + 1 cycles, rather than k

One extra cycle over k/2 not too bad, but we would like to avoid it if possible

Solving this problem for radix 4 may also help when dealing with even higher radices

Fig. 10.2 The multiple generation part of a radix-4 multiplier with precomputation of 3*a*.

Example Radix-4 Multiplication Using 3a

==========	==	==	===	===	===		===	===	===	==
а			0	1	1	0				
3 <i>a</i>	0	1	0	0	1	0				
X			1	1	1	0				
=========	==	-			-==	===		===	===	==
$\rho^{(0)}$			0	0	0	0				
$+(x_1x_0)_{two}a$	0	0	1	1	0	0				
4 <i>p</i> ⁽¹⁾	0	0	1	1	0	0				
$p^{(1)}$			0	0	1	1	0	0		
$+(x_3x_2)_{two}a$	0	1	0	0	1	0				
$4p^{(2)}$	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0		
$4p^{(2)}$ $p^{(2)}$			0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
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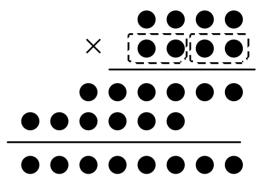
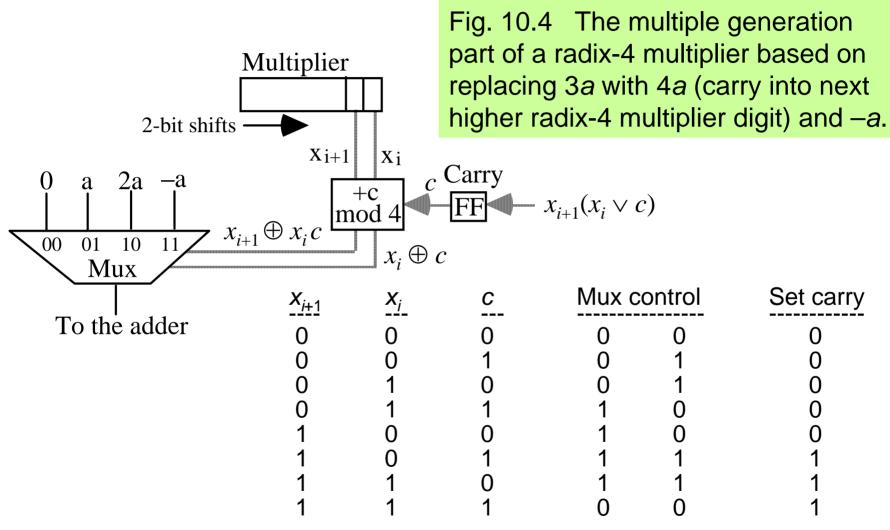


Fig. 10.3 Example of radix-4 multiplication using the 3*a* multiple.

A Second Design for a Radix-4 Multiplier





10.2 Modified Booth's Recoding

Table 10.1 Radix-4 Booth's recoding yielding $(z_{k/2} \dots z_1 z_0)_{\text{four}}$

<i>X</i> _{<i>i</i>+1}	X_i	X _{i-1}	<i>y</i> _{i+1}	y _i	$Z_{i/2}$	Explanation
0 0 0 0 1 1 1	0 0 1 1 0 0 1	0 1 0 1 0 1 0	0 0 0 1 -1 -1 0	0 1 1 0 0 1 -1	0 1 1 2 -2 -1 -1 0	No string of 1s in sight End of string of 1s Isolated 1 End of string of 1s Beginning of string of 1s End a string, begin new one Beginning of string of 1s Continuation of string of 1s
		Context		oded 2 digits	Radix-4	4 digit

Example

Operand *x*Recoded version *y*Radix-4 version *z*



Example Multiplication via Modified Booth's Recoding

========	===		===	===	===	===	===	===	==:	==
а			0	1	1	0				
X			1	0	1	0				
Z				-1	-	-2		Ra	dix	-4
========	===	==	===	===	===	===	===	===	==:	==
<i>p</i> ⁽⁰⁾ + <i>z</i> ₀ <i>a</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0				
+ <i>z</i> ₀ <i>a</i>	1	1	0	1	0	0				
$4p^{(1)}$	1	1	0	1	0	0				
$\rho^{(1)}$	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0		
+z ₁ a	1	1	1	0	1	0				
$4p^{(2)}$	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0		
$4p^{(2)}$ $p^{(2)}$			1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
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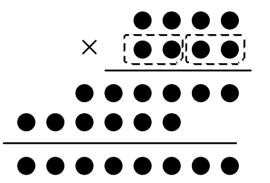


Fig. 10.5 Example of radix-4 multiplication with modified Booth's recoding of the 2's-complement multiplier.



Multiple Generation with Radix-4 Booth's Recoding

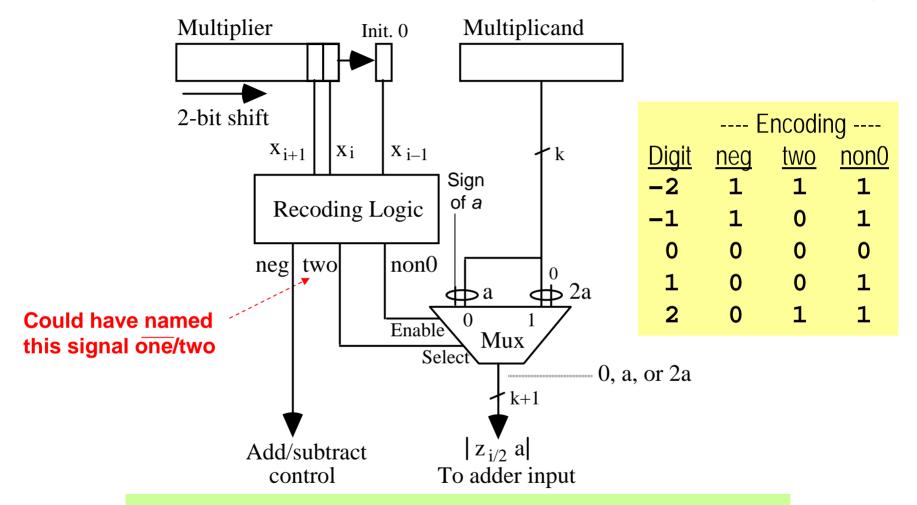


Fig. 10.6 The multiple generation part of a radix-4 multiplier based on Booth's recoding.



10.3 Using Carry-Save Adders

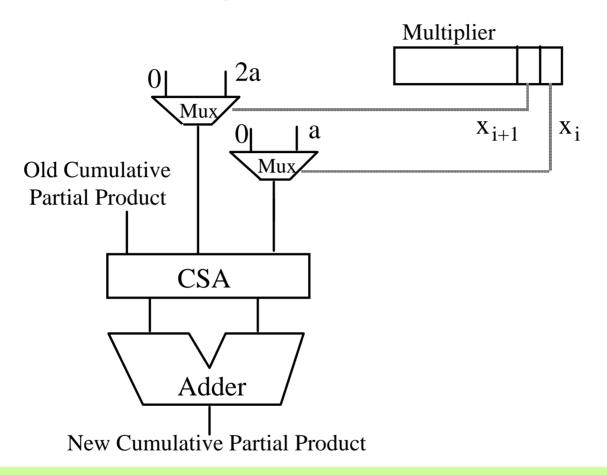
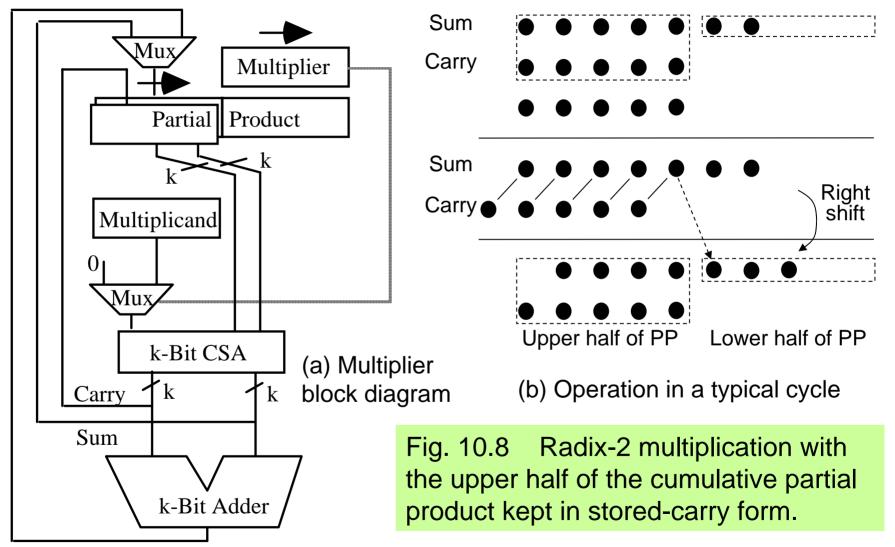


Fig. 10.7 Radix-4 multiplication with a carry-save adder used to combine the cumulative partial product, $x_i a$, and $2x_{i+1}a$ into two numbers.

Keeping the Partial Product in Carry-Save Form





Carry-Save Multiplier with Radix-4 Booth's Recoding

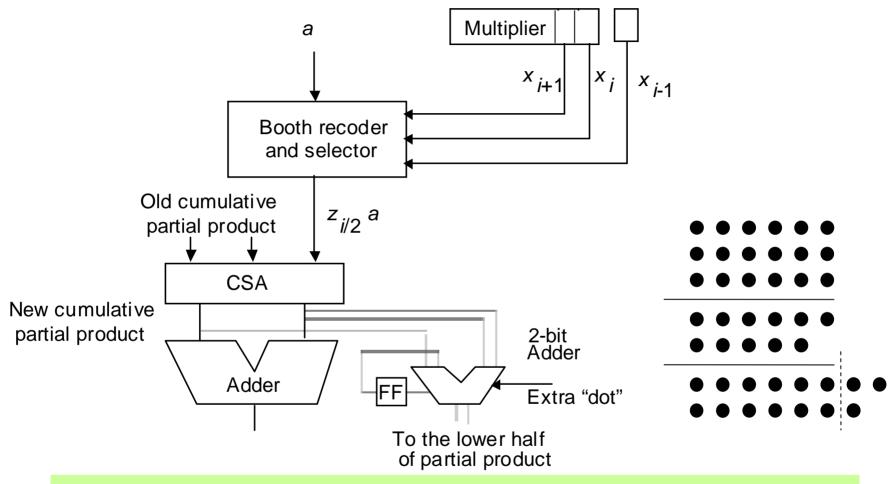


Fig. 10.9 Radix-4 multiplication with a CSA used to combine the stored-carry cumulative partial product and $z_{i/2}a$ into two numbers.



Radix-4 Booth's Recoding for Parallel Multiplication

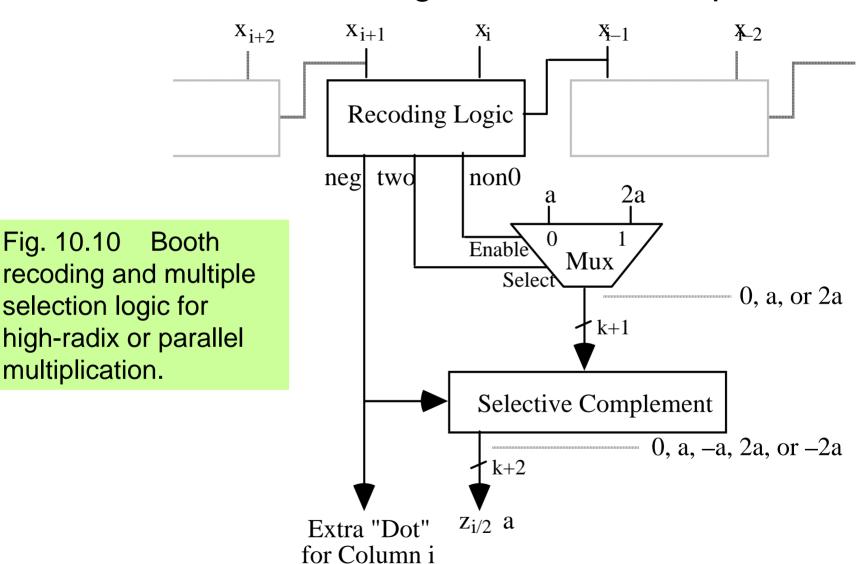
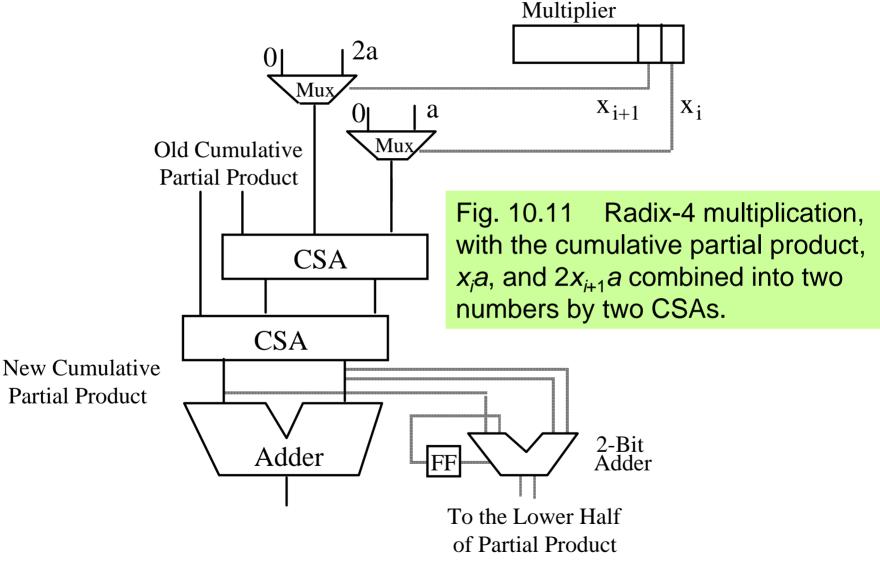


Fig. 10.10

Yet Another Design for Radix-4 Multiplication





10.4 Radix-8 and Radix-16 Multipliers

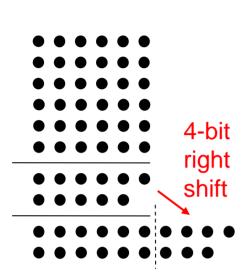
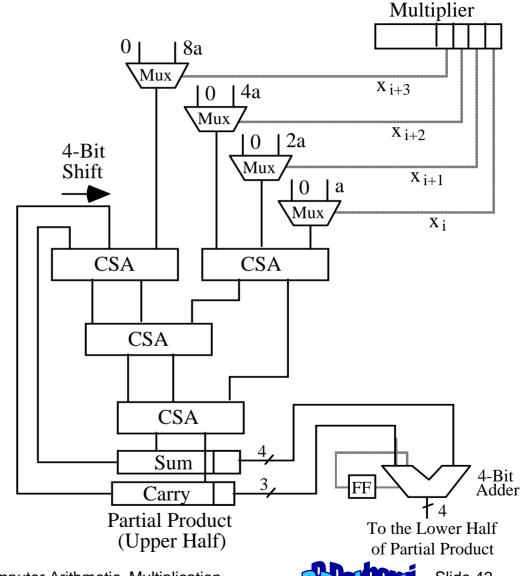


Fig. 10.12 Radix-16 multiplication with the upper half of the cumulative partial product in carry-save form.

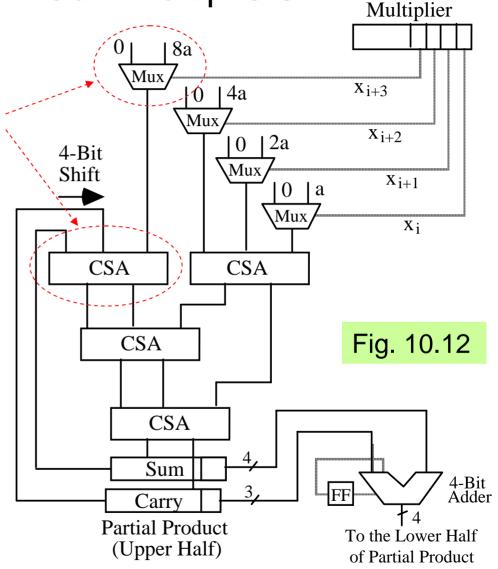




Other High-Radix Multipliers

Remove this mux & CSA and replace the 4-bit shift (adder) with a 3-bit shift (adder) to get a radix-8 multiplier (cycle time will remain the same, though)

A radix-16 multiplier design becomes a radix-256 multiplier if radix-4 Booth's recoding is applied first (the muxes are replaced by Booth recoding and multiple selection logic)





A Spectrum of Multiplier Design Choices

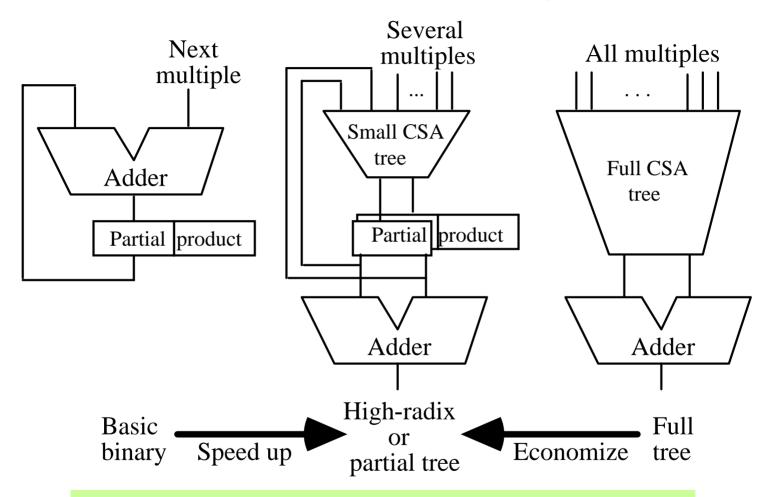
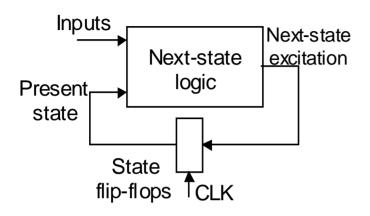
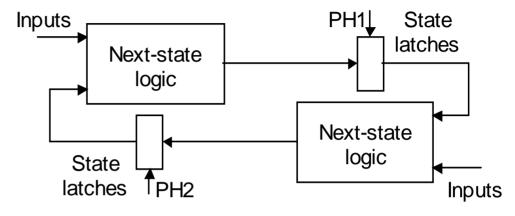


Fig. 10.13 High-radix multipliers as intermediate between sequential radix-2 and full-tree multipliers.



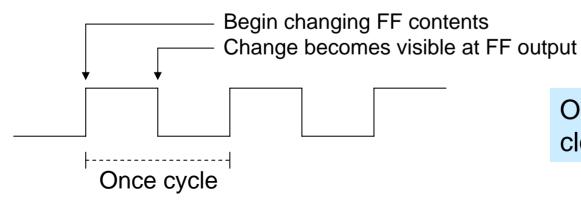
10.5 Multibeat Multipliers





- (a) Sequential machine with FFs
- (b) Sequential machine with latches and 2-phase clock

Fig. 10.15 Two-phase clocking for sequential logic.



Observation: Half of the clock cycle goes to waste

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Twin-Beat and Three-Beat Multipliers

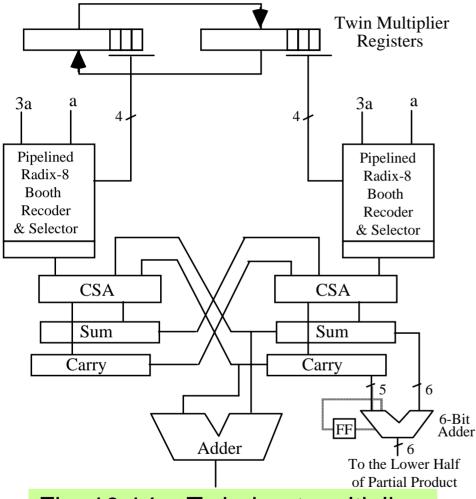


Fig. 10.14 Twin-beat multiplier with radix-8 Booth's recoding.

This radix-64 multiplier runs at the clock rate of a radix-8 design (2X speed)

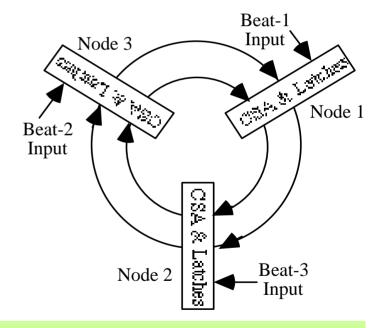


Fig. 10.16 Conceptual view of a three-beat multiplier.



10.6 VLSI Complexity Issues

A radix-2^b multiplier requires:

bk two-input AND gates to form the partial products bit-matrix O(bk) area for the CSA tree

At least $\Theta(k)$ area for the final carry-propagate adder

Total area: A = O(bk)

Latency: $T = O((k/b) \log b + \log k)$

Any VLSI circuit computing the product of two *k*-bit integers must satisfy the following constraints:

AT grows at least as fast as $k^{3/2}$

 AT^2 is at least proportional to k^2

The preceding radix-2^b implementations are suboptimal, because:

$$AT = O(k^2 \log b + bk \log k)$$

$$AT^2 = O((k^3/b) \log^2 b)$$



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$$AT = O(k^2 \log b + bk \log k)$$

$$AT^2 = O((k^3/b) \log^2 b)$$

	Low-Cost b = O(1)	High Speed $b = O(k)$	AT- or AT ² - Optimal
AT	$O(k^2)$	$O(k^2 \log k)$	$O(k^{3/2})$
AT ²	$O(k^3)$	$O(k^2 \log^2 k)$	$O(k^2)$

Intermediate designs do not yield better AT or AT^2 values; The multipliers remain asymptotically suboptimal for any b

By the *AT* measure (indicator of cost-effectiveness), slower radix-2 multipliers are better than high-radix or tree multipliers

Thus, when an application requires many independent multiplications, it is more cost-effective to use a large number of slower multipliers

High-radix multiplier latency can be reduced from $O((k/b) \log b + \log k)$ to $O(k/b + \log k)$ through more effective pipelining (Chapter 11)





11 Tree and Array Multipliers

Chapter Goals

Study the design of multipliers for highest possible performance (speed, throughput)

Chapter Highlights

Array multiplier = one-sided reduction tree + ripple-carry adder





Tree and Array Multipliers: Topics

Topics in This Chapter

- 11.1. Full-Tree Multipliers
- 11.2. Alternative Reduction Trees
- 11.3. Tree Multipliers for Signed Numbers
- 11.4. Partial-Tree and Truncated Multipliers
- 11.5. Array Multipliers
- 11.6. Pipelined Tree and Array Multipliers



11.1 Full-Tree Multipliers

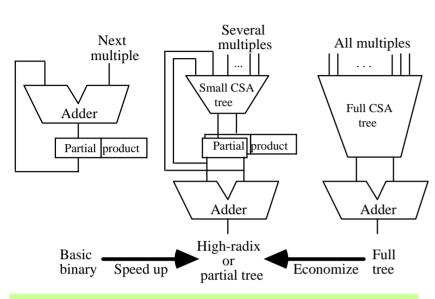


Fig. 10.13 High-radix multipliers as intermediate between sequential radix-2 and full-tree multipliers.

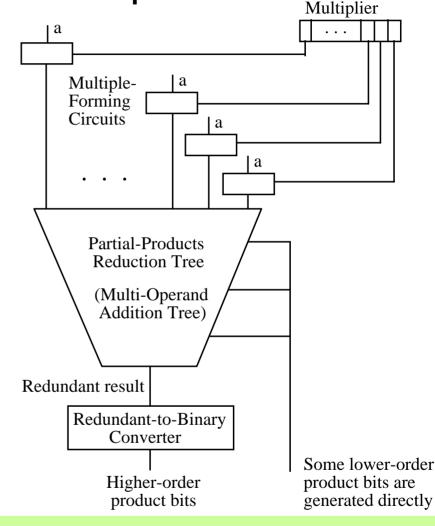
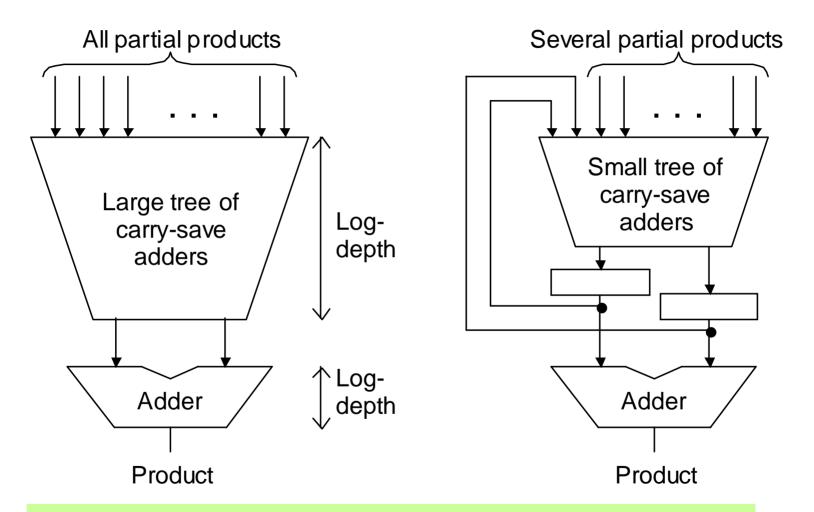


Fig. 11.1 General structure of a full-tree multiplier.





Full-Tree versus Partial-Tree Multiplier



Schematic diagrams for full-tree and partial-tree multipliers.





Variations in Full-Tree Multiplier Design

Multiplier Designs are distinguished by variations in three elements: Multiplea Forming Circuits 1. Multiple-forming circuits Partial-Products **Reduction Tree** 2. Partial products reduction tree (Multi-Operand Addition Tree) Fig. 11.1 Redundant result Redundant-to-Binary 3. Redundant-to-binary converter Converter Some lower-order Higher-order product bits are product bits generated directly



Example of Variations in CSA Tree Design

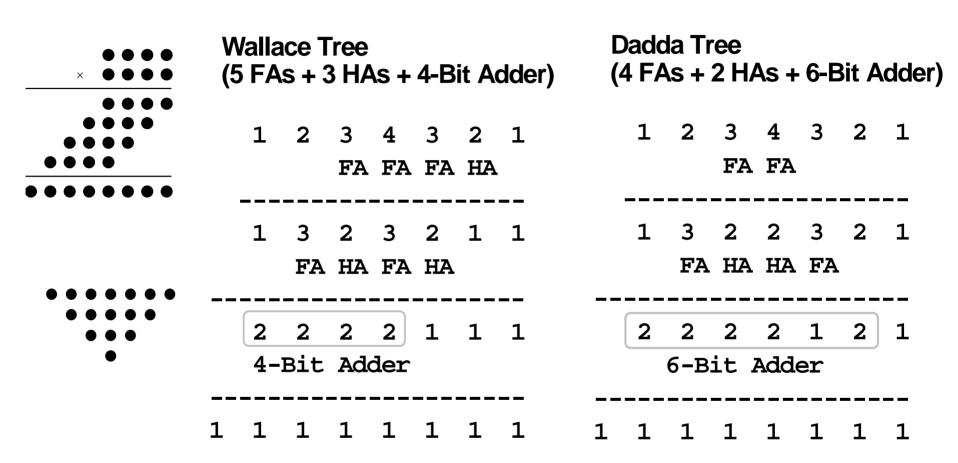


Fig. 11.2 Two different binary 4×4 tree multipliers.



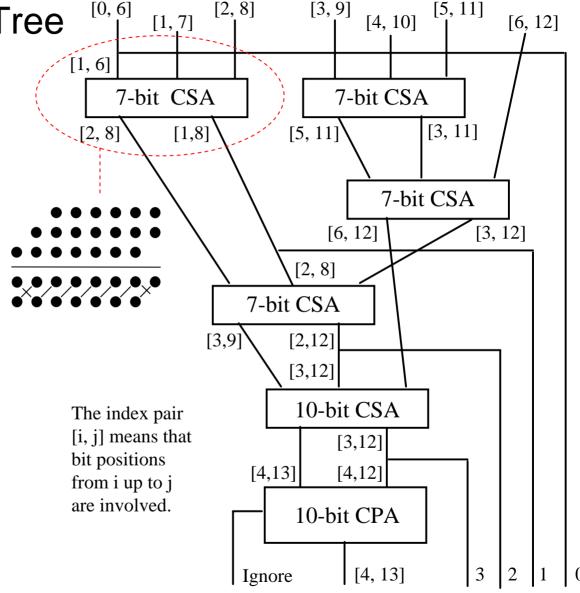


Details of a CSA Tree

Fig. 11.3 Possible CSA tree for a 7×7 tree multiplier.

CSA trees are quite irregular, causing some difficulties in VLSI realization

Thus, our motivation to examine alternate methods for partial products reduction

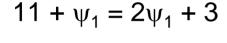


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11.2 Alternative Reduction Trees

Inputs FA FA FA Level-1 carries FA FA Level-2 carries FA FA Level-3 carries FA Level-4 carry FA



Therefore, $\psi_1 = 8$ carries are needed

Fig. 11.4
A slice of a balanced-delay tree for 11 inputs.





Outputs

FA

FA

FA

FA

FA

FA

FA

FA

FA

Level

Level

Level

Level

Level

5

Binary Tree of 4-to-2 Reduction Modules

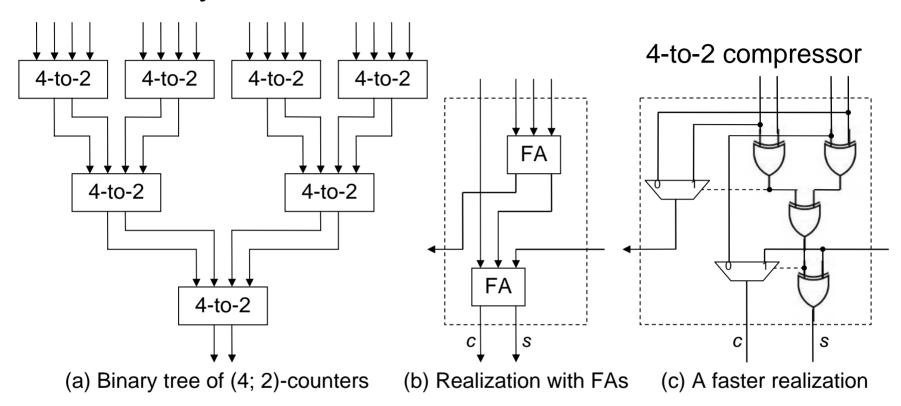


Fig. 11.5 Tree multiplier with a more regular structure based on 4-to-2 reduction modules.

Due to its recursive structure, a binary tree is more regular than a 3-to-2 reduction tree when laid out in VLSI



Example Multiplier with 4-to-2 Reduction Tree

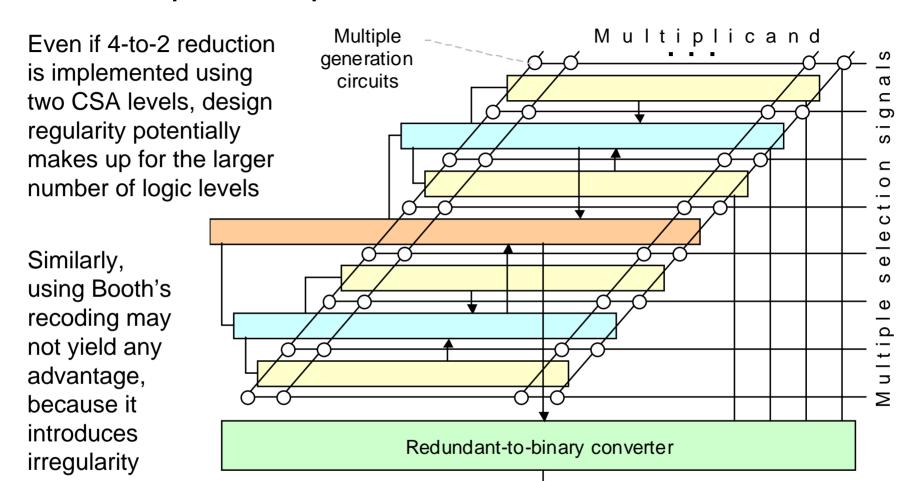


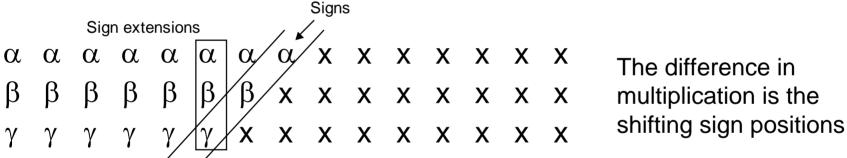
Fig. 11.6 Layout of a partial-products reduction tree composed of 4-to-2 reduction modules. Each solid arrow represents two numbers.



11.3 Tree Multipliers for Signed Numbers

Extended positions					Sign	Magnitude positions			
<i>X</i> _{<i>k</i>-1}	<i>X</i> _{<i>k</i>-1}	<i>X</i> _{<i>k</i>-1}	<i>X</i> _{<i>k</i>-1}	<i>X_k</i> -1	<i>X</i> _{<i>k</i>-1}	X _{k-2}	<i>X</i> _{k-3}	X_{k-4}	
y_{k-1}	y_{k-1}	y_{k-1}	y_{k-1}	y_{k-1}	y_{k-1}	y_{k-2}	y_{k-3}	y_{k-4}	
Z_{k-1}	Z_{k-1}	Z_{k-1}	Z_{k-1}	Z_{k-1}	Z_{k-1}	Z_{k-2}	Z_{k-3}	$Z_{k\!-\!4}$	

From Fig. 8.19a Sign extension in multioperand addition.



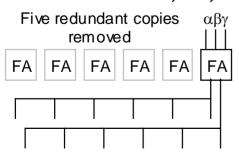


Fig. 11.7 Sharing of full adders to reduce the CSA width in a signed tree multiplier.

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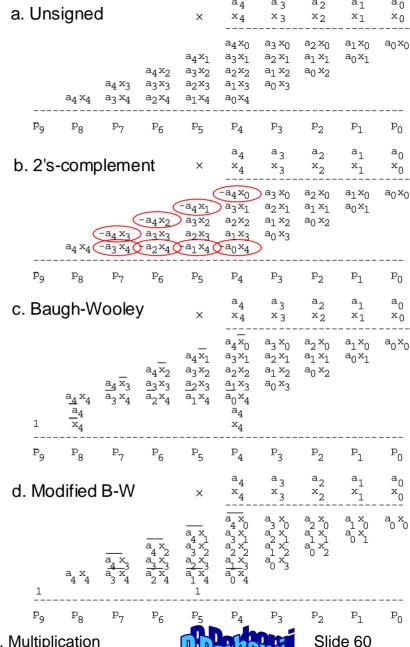


Using the Negative-Weight Property of the Sign Bit

Sign extension is a way of converting negatively weighted bits (negabits) to positively weighted bits (posibits) to facilitate reduction, but there are other methods of accomplishing the same without introducing a lot of extra bits

Baugh and Wooley have contributed two such methods

Fig. 11.8 Baugh-Wooley 2's-complement multiplication.



The Baugh-Wooley Method and Its Modified Form

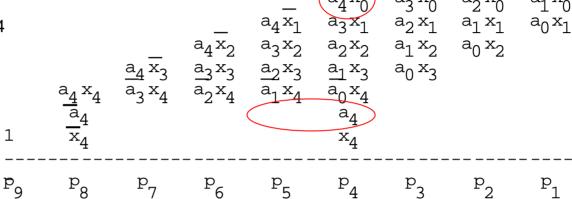
Fig. 11.8

$$-a_4 x_0 = a_4 (1 - x_0) - a_4$$

= $a_4 x_0' - a_4$

$$-a_4$$
 a_4x_0' a_4

In next column



d. Modified B-W

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$$-a_{4}x_{0} = (1 - a_{4}x_{0}) - 1$$

$$= (a_{4}x_{0})' - 1$$

$$= (a_{4}x_{0})'$$

$$-1 (a_{4}x_{0})'$$

$$= (a$$

 $(a_4x_0)'$

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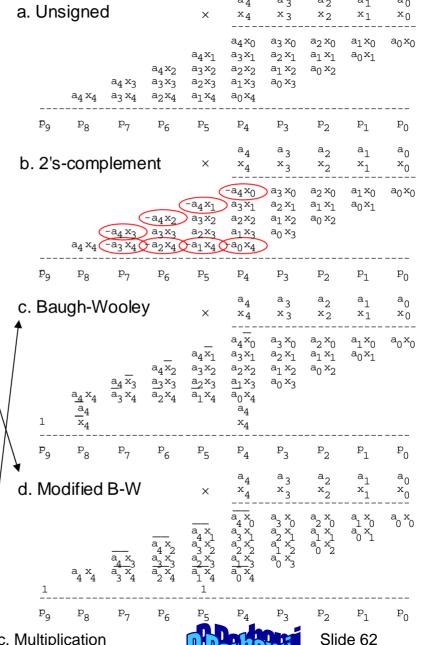


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Alternate Views of the Baugh-Wooley Methods





 $a_{\!\scriptscriptstyle A}$

 X_{Δ}

11.4 Partial-Tree and Truncated Multipliers

High-radix versus partial-tree multipliers: The difference is quantitative, not qualitative

For small h, say ≤ 8 bits, we view the multiplier of Fig. 11.9 as high-radix

When *h* is a significant fraction of *k*, say *k*/2 or *k*/4, then we tend to view it as a partial-tree multiplier

Better design through pipelining to be covered in Section 11.6

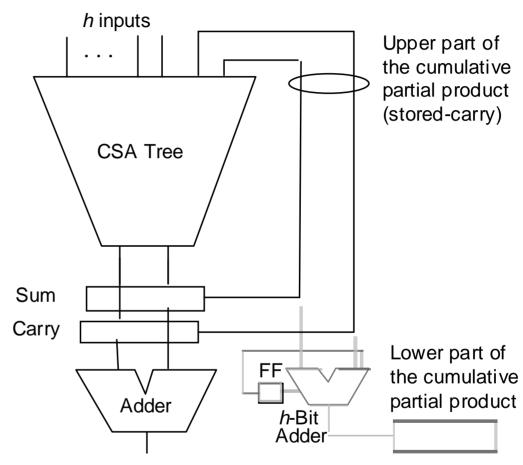


Fig. 11.9 General structure of a partial-tree multiplier.





Why Truncated Multipliers?

Nearly half of the hardware in array/tree multipliers is there to get the last bit right (1 dot = one FPGA cell)

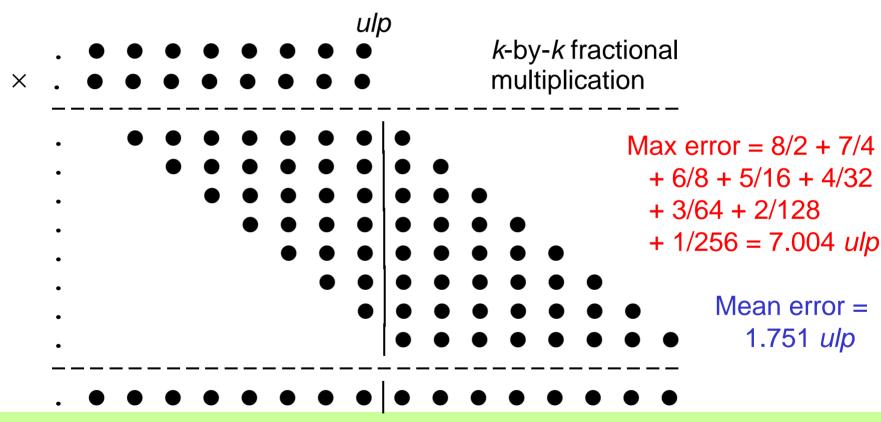


Fig. 11.10 The idea of a truncated multiplier with 8-bit fractional operands.



Truncated Multipliers with Error Compensation

We can introduce additional "dots" on the left-hand side to compensate for the removal of dots from the right-hand side

Constant compensation

Variable compensation

Constant and variable error compensation for truncated multipliers.

Max error =
$$+4$$
 ulp Max error ≈ -3 *ulp*

Max error = +?
$$ulp$$

Max error \cong -? ulp



11.5 Array Multipliers

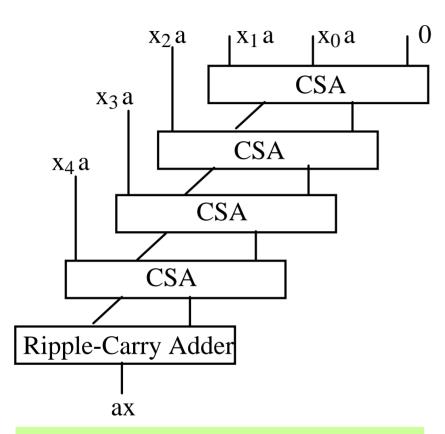


Fig. 11.11 A basic array multiplier uses a one-sided CSA tree and a ripple-carry adder.

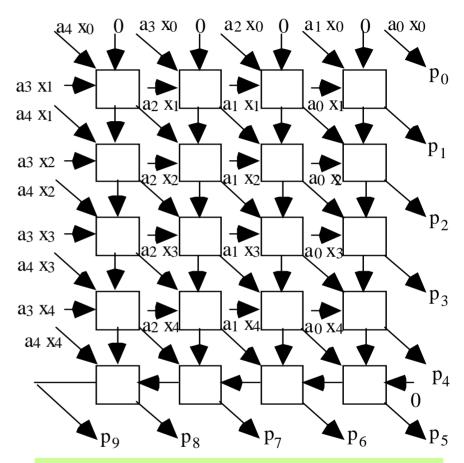
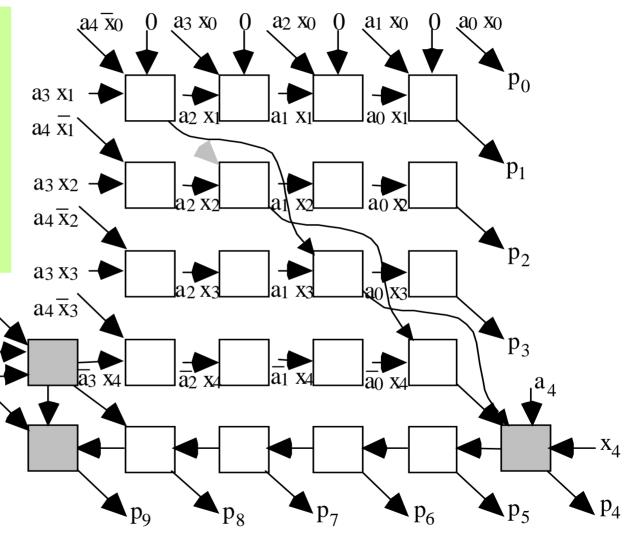


Fig. 11.12 Details of a 5×5 array multiplier using FA blocks.



Signed (2's-complement) Array Multiplier

Fig. 11.13
Modifications in a 5×5
array multiplier to deal
with 2's-complement
inputs using the
Baugh-Wooley
method or to shorten
the critical path.





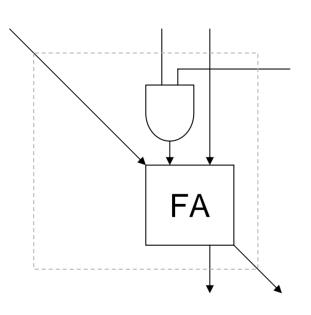
a4 x4

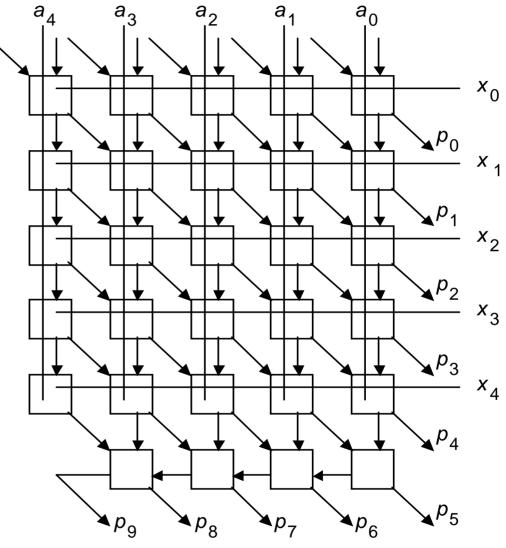
 $\frac{\overline{a}}{\overline{x}_4}$



Array Multiplier Built of Modified Full-Adder Cells

Fig. 11.14 Design of a 5×5 array multiplier with two additive inputs and full-adder blocks that include AND gates.







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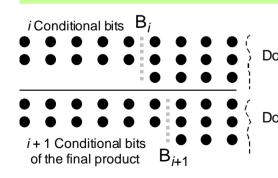


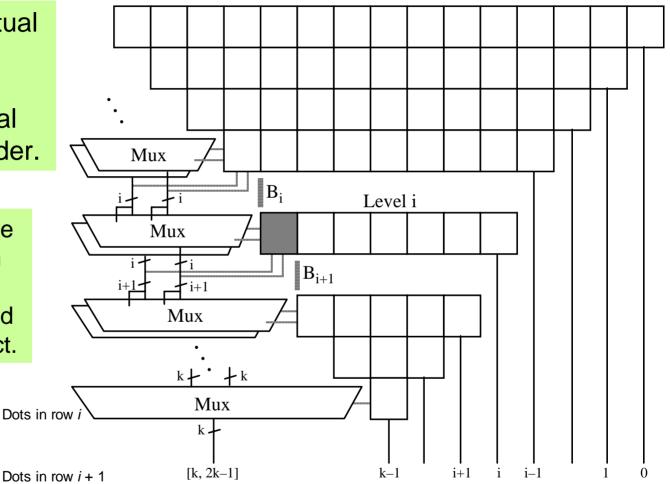
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Array Multiplier without a Final Carry-Propagate Adder

Fig. 11.15 Conceptual view of a modified array multiplier that does not need a final carry-propagate adder.

Fig. 11.16 Carry-save addition, performed in level *i*, extends the conditionally computed bits of the final product.

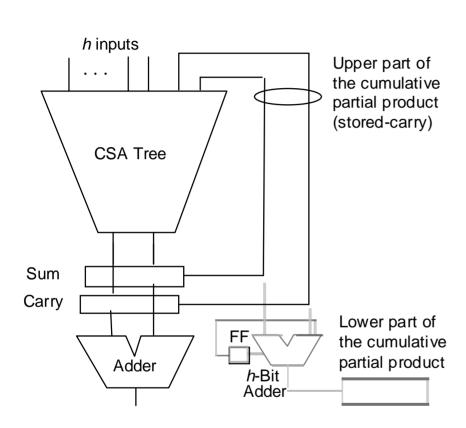




All remaining bits of the final product produced only 2 gate levels after p_{k-1}



11.6 Pipelined Tree and Array Multipliers



h inputs Latches **Pipelined** (h + 2)-input **CSA Tree** Latches CSA tree Latches **CSA** Latch **CSA** Sum Carry Lower part of the cumulative partial product Adder *h*-Bit Adder

Fig. 11.9 General structure of a partial-tree multiplier.

Fig. 11.17 Efficiently pipelined partial-tree multiplier.



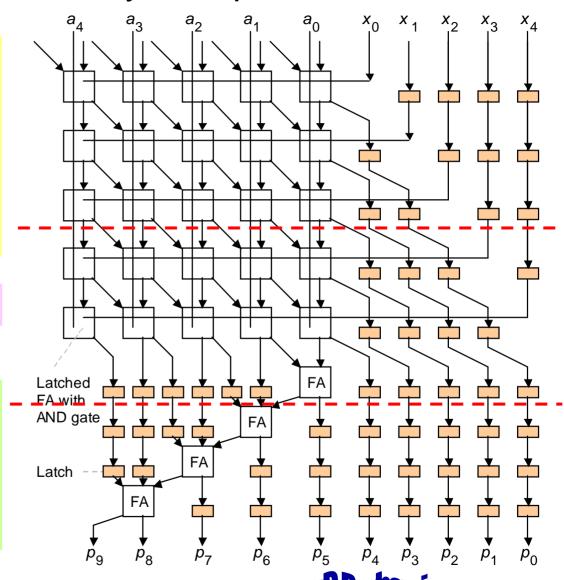
Pipelined Array Multipliers

With latches after every FA level, the maximum throughput is achieved

Latches may be inserted after every *h* FA levels for an intermediate design

Example: 3-stage pipeline

Fig. 11.18 Pipelined 5×5 array multiplier using latched FA blocks.
The small shaded boxes are latches.





12 Variations in Multipliers

Chapter Goals

Learn additional methods for synthesizing fast multipliers as well as other types of multipliers (bit-serial, modular, etc.)

Chapter Highlights

Building a multiplier from smaller units
Performing multiply-add as one operation
Bit-serial and (semi)systolic multipliers
Using a multiplier for squaring is wasteful





Variations in Multipliers: Topics

Topics in This Chapter

- 12.1 Divide-and-Conquer Designs
- 12.2 Additive Multiply Modules
- 12.3 Bit-Serial Multipliers
- 12.4 Modular Multipliers
- 12.5 The Special Case of Squaring
- 12.6 Combined Multiply-Add Units



12.1 Divide-and-Conquer Designs

Building wide multiplier from narrower ones

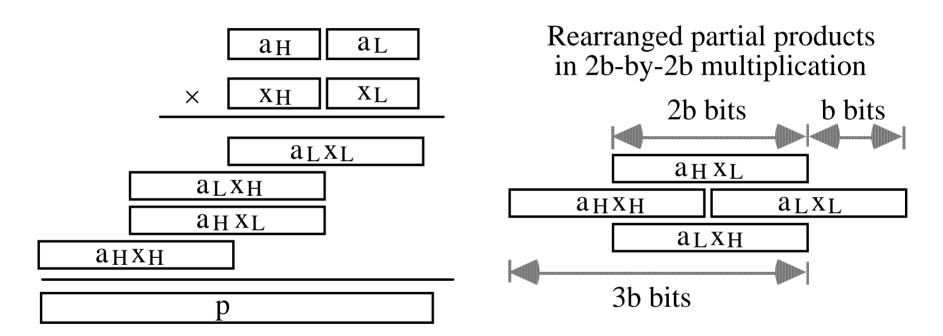


Fig. 12.1 Divide-and-conquer (recursive) strategy for synthesizing a $2b \times 2b$ multiplier from $b \times b$ multipliers.



General Structure of a Recursive Multiplier

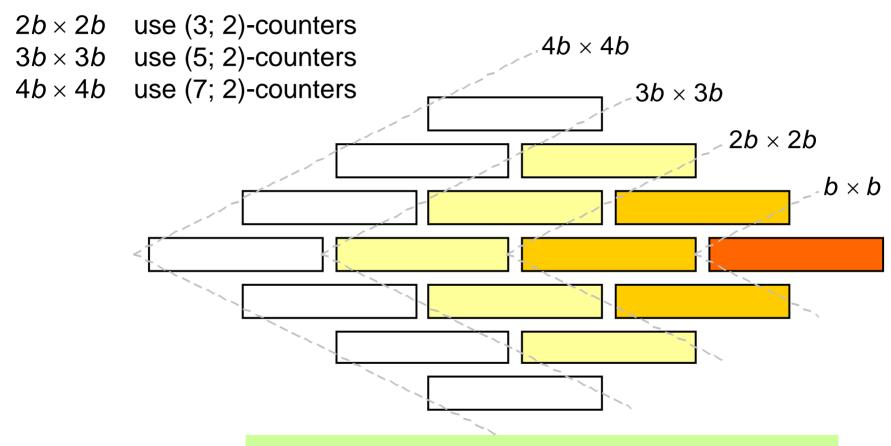
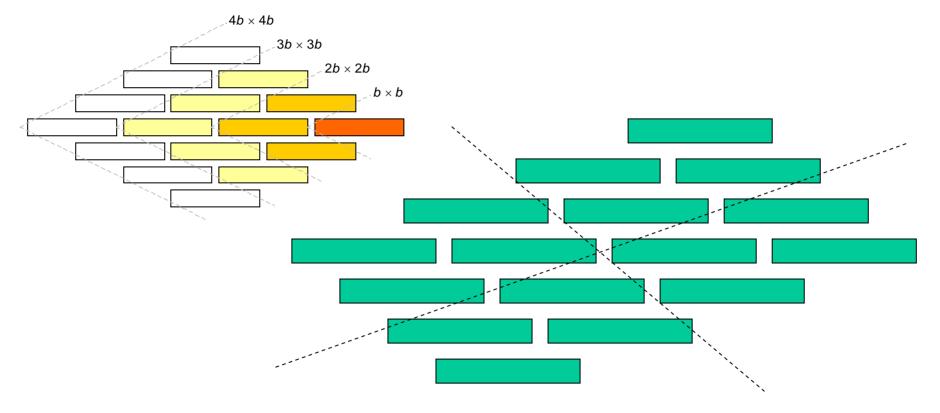


Fig. 12.2 Using $b \times b$ multipliers to synthesize $2b \times 2b$, $3b \times 3b$, and $4b \times 4b$ multipliers.



Using $b \times c$, rather than $b \times b$ Building Blocks



 $2b \times 2c$ use $b \times c$ multipliers and (3; 2)-counters

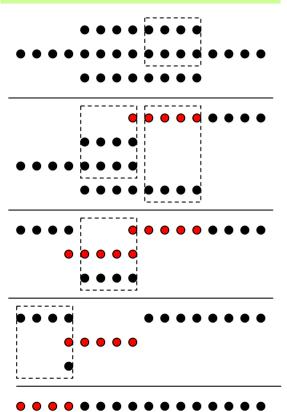
 $2b \times 4c$ use $b \times c$ multipliers and (5?; 2)-counters

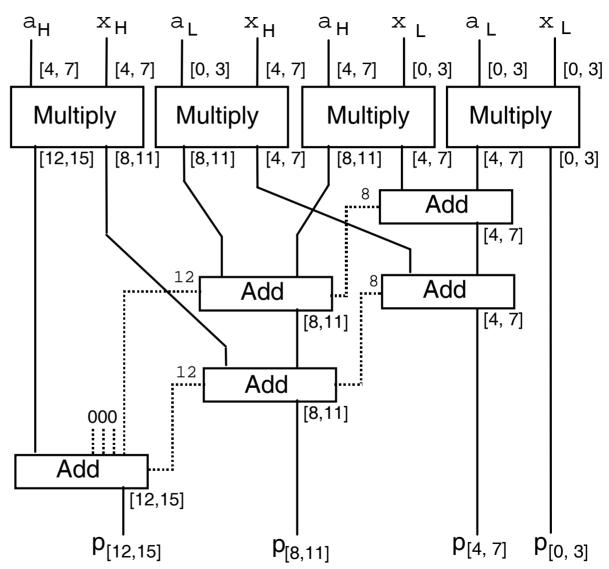
 $gb \times hc$ use $b \times c$ multipliers and (?; 2)-counters



Wide Multiplier Built of Narrow Multipliers and Adders

Fig. 12.3 Using 4×4 multipliers and 4-bit adders to synthesize an 8×8 multiplier.









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Karatsuba Multiplication

 $2b \times 2b$ multiplication requires four $b \times b$ multiplications:

$$(2^{b}a_{H} + a_{L}) \times (2^{b}x_{H} + x_{L}) = 2^{2b}a_{H}x_{H} + 2^{b}(a_{H}x_{L} + a_{L}x_{H}) + a_{L}x_{L}$$

Karatsuba noted that one of the four multiplications can be removed at the expense of introducing a few additions:

$$(2^{b}a_{H} + a_{L}) \times (2^{b}x_{H} + x_{L}) =$$

$$2^{2b}a_{H}x_{H} + 2^{b}[(a_{H} + a_{L}) \times (x_{H} + x_{L}) - a_{H}x_{H} - a_{L}x_{L}] + a_{L}x_{L}$$

$$a_{H} \quad a_{L}$$

$$x_{H} \quad x_{L}$$
Mult 1 Mult 3 Mult 2

Benefit is quite significant for extremely wide operands





12.2 Additive Multiply Modules

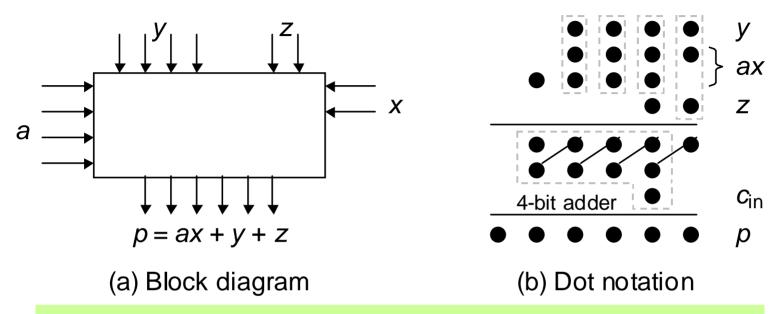
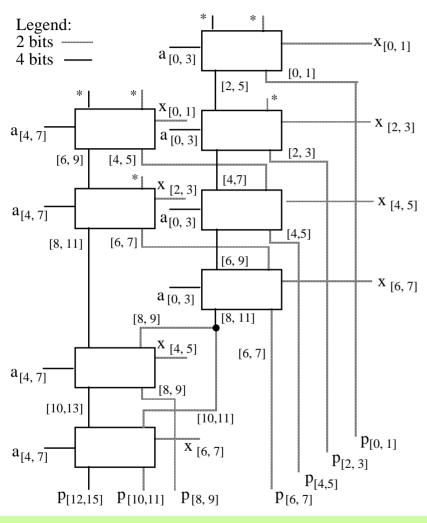


Fig. 12.4 Additive multiply module with 2×4 multiplier (ax) plus 4-bit and 2-bit additive inputs (y and z).

$$b imes c$$
 AMM $b imes b$ -bit and $b imes c$ -bit additive inputs $b imes c$ b-bit and $b imes c$ -bit additive inputs $(b + c)$ -bit output $(2^b - 1) imes (2^c - 1) + (2^b - 1) + (2^c - 1) = 2^{b+c} - 1$



Multiplier Built of AMMs



Understanding an 8×8 multiplier built of 4×2 AMMs using dot notation

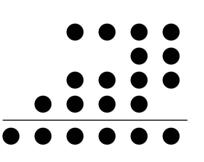
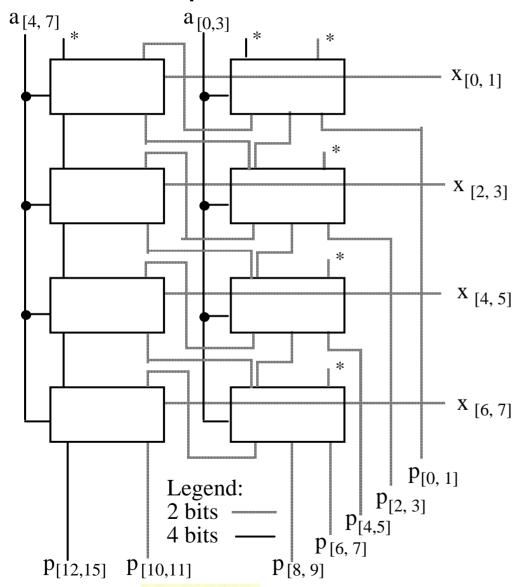


Fig. 12.5 An 8×8 multiplier built of 4×2 AMMs. Inputs marked with an asterisk carry 0s.





Multiplier Built of AMMs: Alternate Design



This design is more regular than that in Fig. 12.5 and is easily expandable to larger configurations; its latency, however, is greater

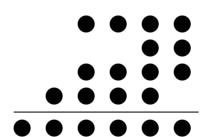


Fig. 12.6 Alternate 8×8 multiplier design based on 4×2 AMMs. Inputs marked with an asterisk carry 0s.

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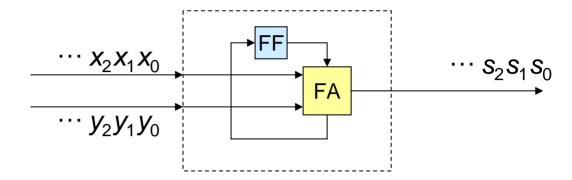


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12.3 Bit-Serial Multipliers

Bit-serial adder (LSB first)



Bit-serial multiplier (Must follow the *k*-bit inputs with *k* 0s; alternatively, view the product as being only *k* bits wide)



What goes inside the box to make a bit-serial multiplier? Can the circuit be designed to support a high clock rate?



Semisystolic Serial-Parallel Multiplier

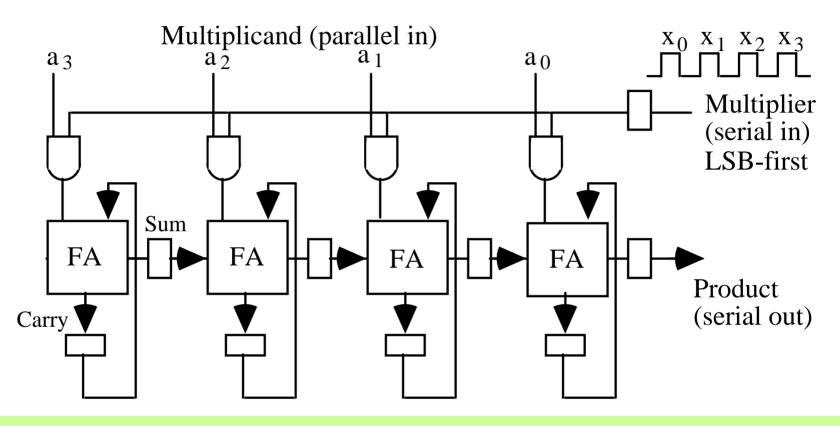


Fig. 12.7 Semi-systolic circuit for 4 × 4 multiplication in 8 clock cycles.

This is called "semisystolic" because it has a large signal fan-out of *k* (*k*-way broadcasting) and a long wire spanning all *k* positions





Systolic Retiming as a Design Tool

A semisystolic circuit can be converted to a systolic circuit via retiming, which involves advancing and retarding signals by means of delay removal and delay insertion in such a way that the relative timings of various parts are unaffected

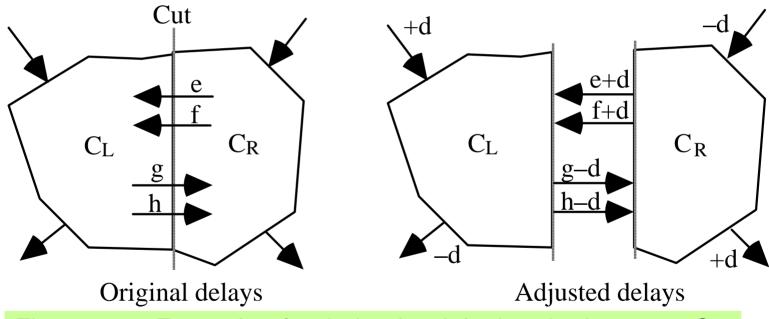
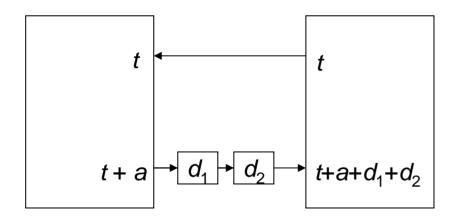


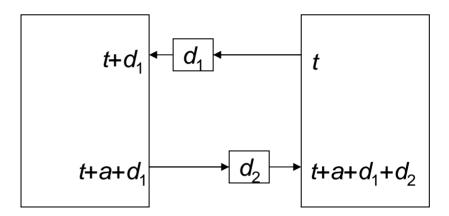
Fig. 12.8 Example of retiming by delaying the inputs to C_L and advancing the outputs from C_1 by d units





Alternate Explanation of Systolic Retiming



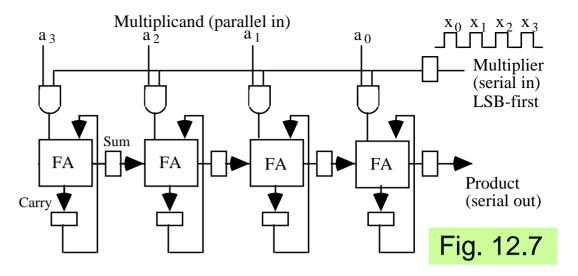


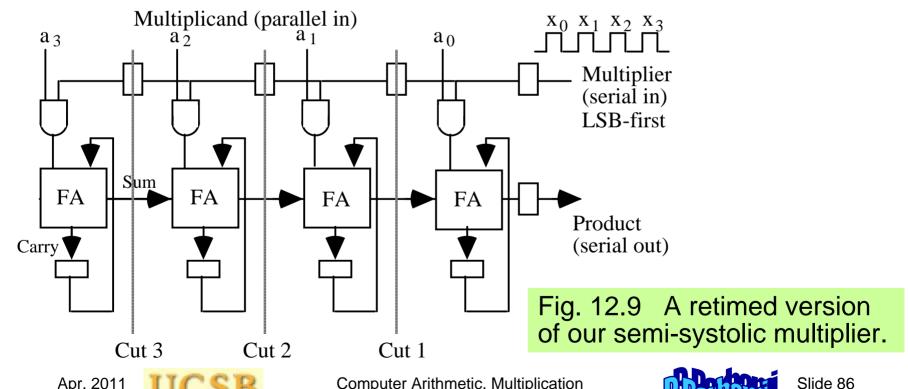
Transferring delay from the outputs of a subsystem to its inputs does not change the behavior of the overall system



A First Attempt at Retiming

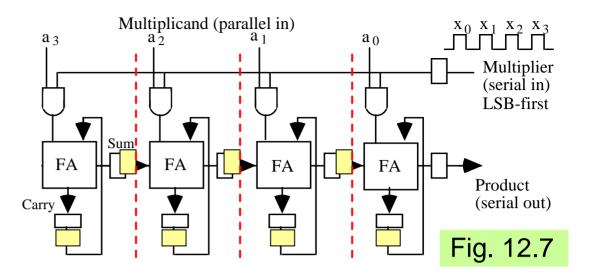
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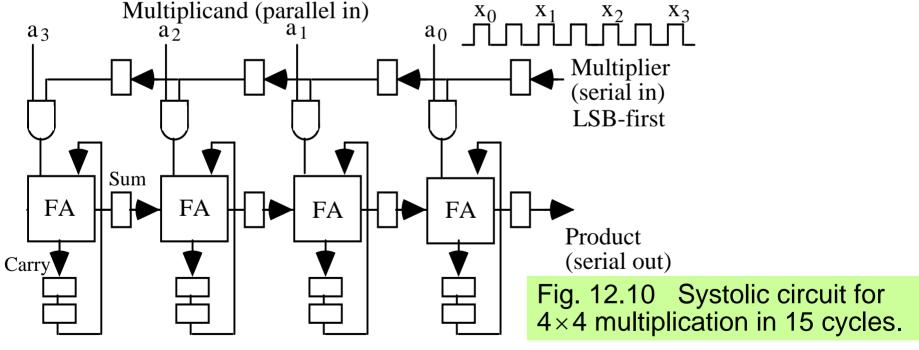




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Deriving a Fully Systolic Multiplier







A Direct Design for a Bit-Serial Multiplier

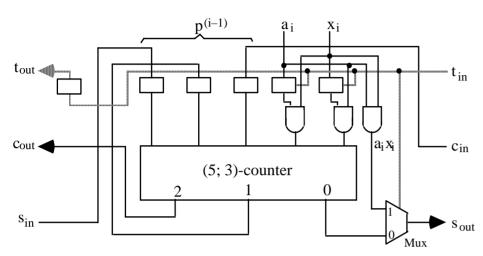


Fig. 12.11 Building block for a latency-free bit-serial multiplier.

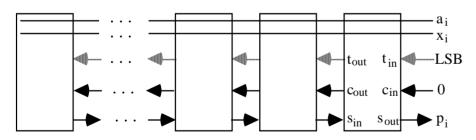
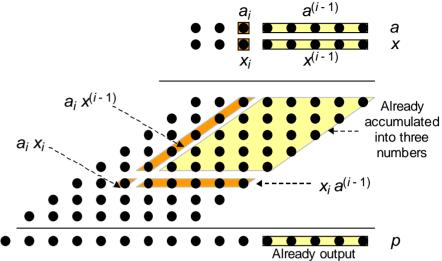
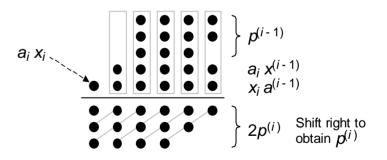


Fig. 12.12 The cellular structure of the bit-serial multiplier based on the cell in Fig. 12.11.



(a) Structure of the bit-matrix



(b) Reduction after each input bit

Fig. 12.13 Bit-serial multiplier design in dot notation.



12.4 Modular Multipliers

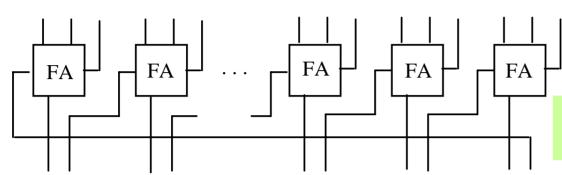


Fig. 12.14 Modulo- $(2^b - 1)$ carry-save adder.

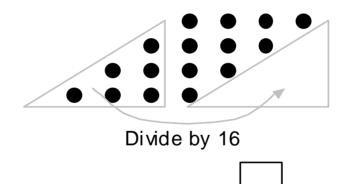
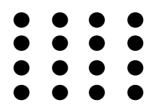
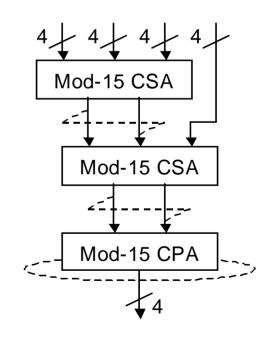


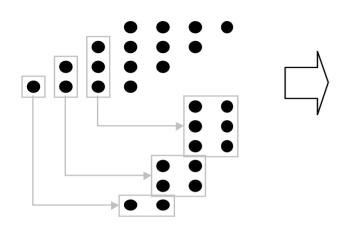
Fig. 12.15 Design of a 4×4 modulo-15 multiplier.







Other Examples of Modular Multiplication



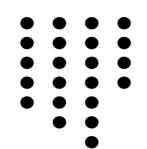


Fig. 12.16 One way to design of a 4 × 4 modulo-13 multiplier.

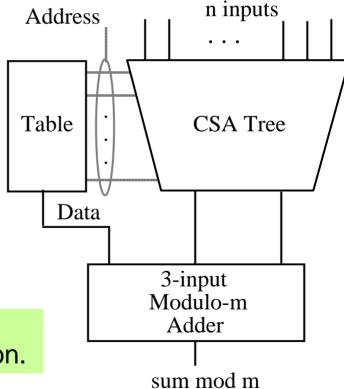


Fig. 12.17 A method for modular multioperand addition.



12.5 The Special Case of Squaring

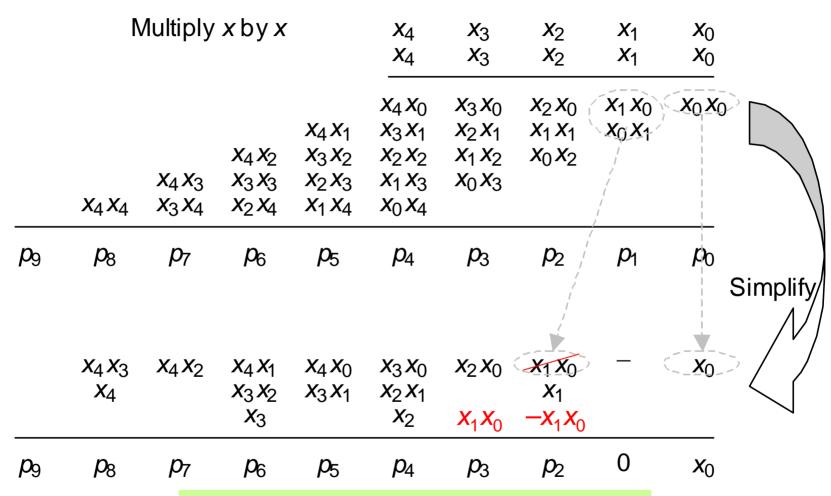


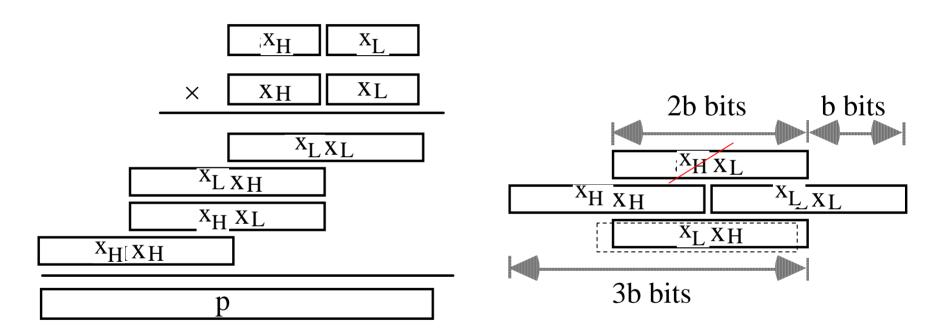
Fig. 12.18 Design of a 5-bit squarer.





Divide-and-Conquer Squarers

Building wide squarers from narrower ones

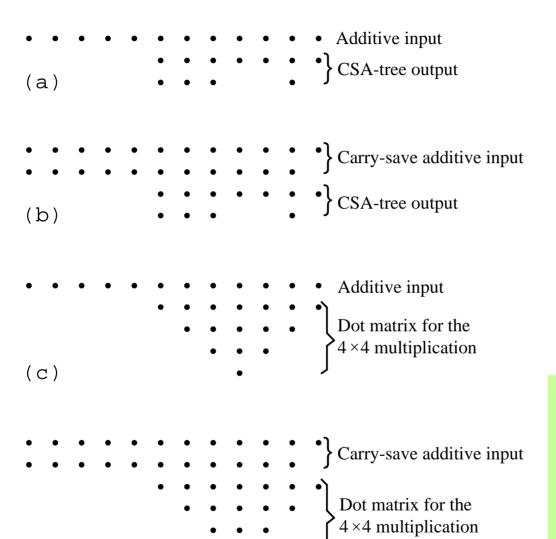


Divide-and-conquer (recursive) strategy for synthesizing a $2b \times 2b$ squarer from $b \times b$ squarers and multiplier.





12.6 Combined Multiply-Add Units



Multiply-add versus multiply-accumulate

Multiply-accumulate units often have wider additive inputs

Fig. 12.19 Dot-notation representations of various methods for performing a multiply-add operation in hardware.



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