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UNIT 2 – COMBINATIONAL LOGIC CIRCUITS TOPIC – Transmission Gate Logic

Transmission Gate Logic



- The most widely-used solution to deal with the voltage-drop problem is the use of transmission gates.
- It builds on the complementary properties of NMOS and PMOS transistors: NMOS devices pass a strong 0 but a weak 1, while PMOS transistors pass a strong 1 but a weak 0.
- The ideal approach is to use an NMOS to pull-down and a PMOS to pullup.
- The transmission gate combines the best of both device flavors by placing a NMOS device in parallel with a PMOS device. The control signals to the transmission gate (C and C) are complementary









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