

# Computer Organization

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二進制只有兩種狀態

對、錯

本土化、非本土化

陰、陽

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正、反

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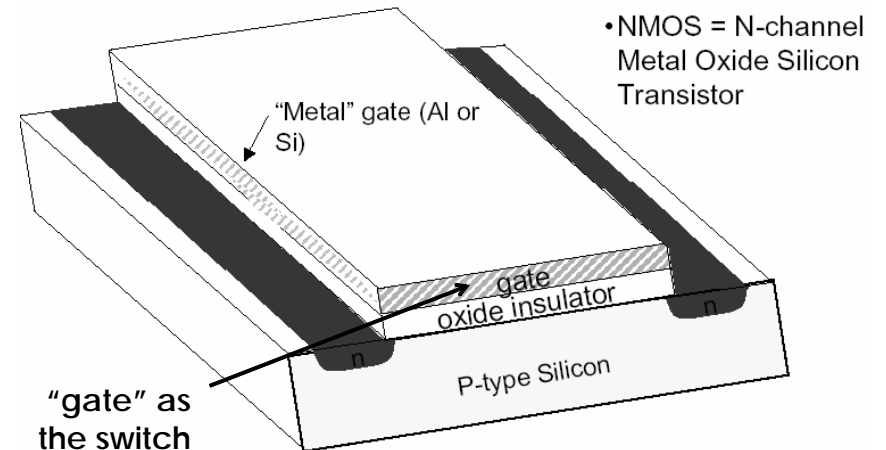
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爲什麼電腦不用十進位  
而用二進位？

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有沒有電子開關？

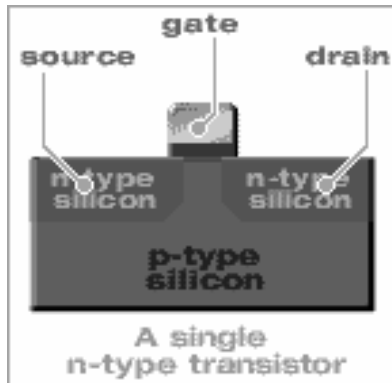
NMOS TRANSISTOR STRUCTURE



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## A Working Transistor (1/5)

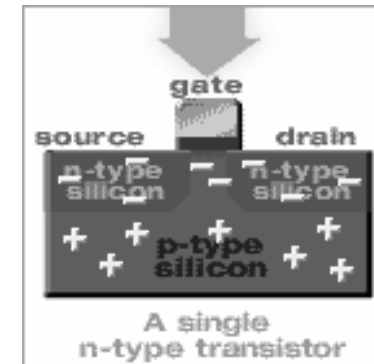
- Transistors consist of three terminals; the source, the gate, and the drain:



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## A Working Transistor (3/5)

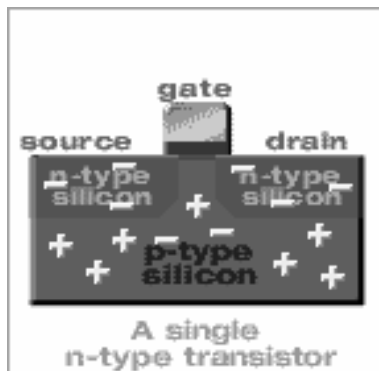
- When positive voltage is applied to the gate, electrons in the p-silicon are attracted to the area under the gate forming an electron channel between the source and the drain.



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## A Working Transistor (2/5)

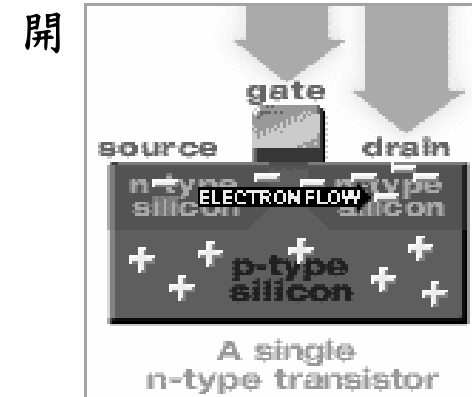
- In the n-type transistor, both the source and the drain are negatively-charged and sit on a positively-charged well of p-silicon.



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## A Working Transistor (4/5)

- When positive voltage is applied to the drain, the electrons are pulled from the source to the drain. In this state the transistor is on.

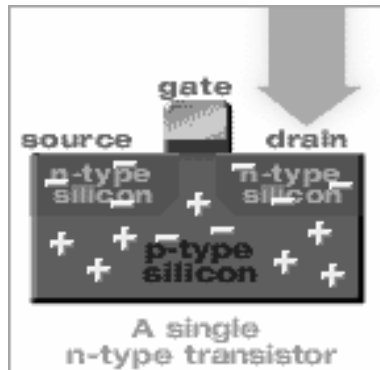


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## A Working Transistor (5/5)

- If the voltage at the gate is removed, electrons are not attracted to the area between the source and drain. The pathway is broken and the transistor is turned off.

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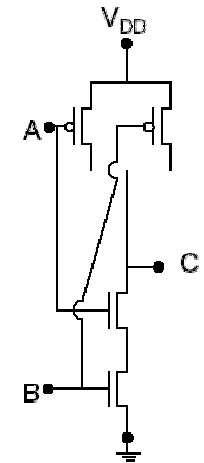


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## 有了開關就可以做邏輯閘

- CMOS NAND:

A	B	AB	$C = \overline{AB}$
0	0	0	1
0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	0



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相關電壓電流特性  
及電路分析等知識

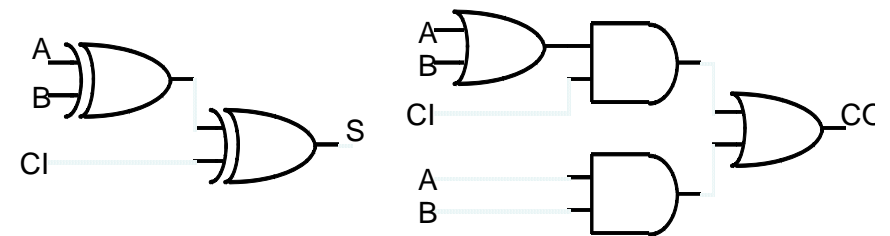
我們是在\_\_\_\_\_課中介紹的

答：「電子電路學」「超大型積體電路設計」

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## 有了邏輯閘就可做邏輯電路

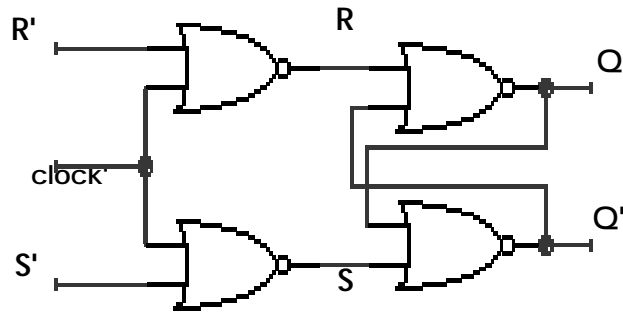
- 加法器：



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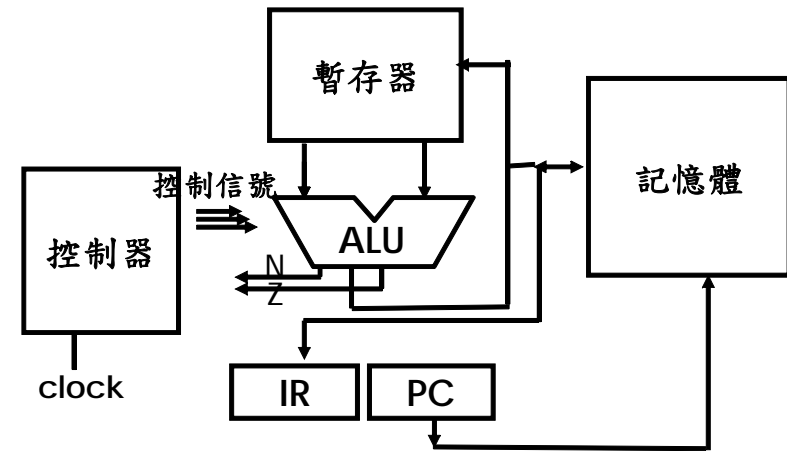
## 也可以做記憶元件

- 可存一個bit的東西：



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最後，  
電腦的主要部份就都可以做了



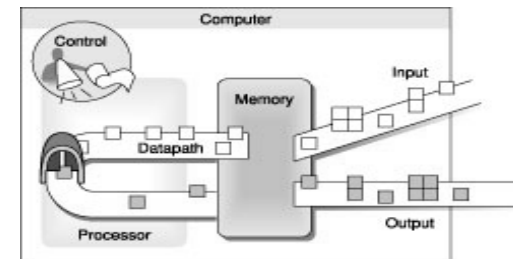
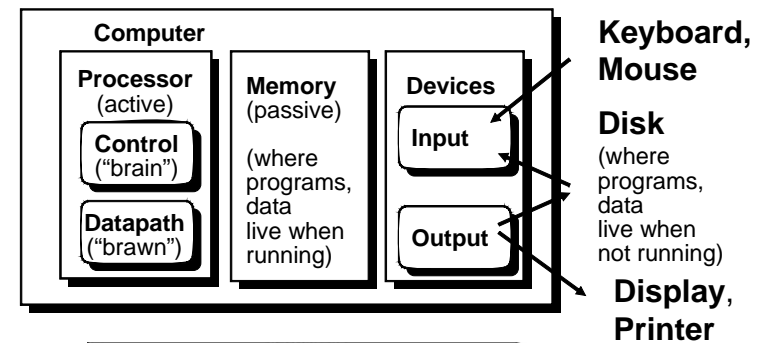
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這部份的學問叫\_\_\_\_\_

答：「數位邏輯設計」

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## Basic Organization of Any Computer



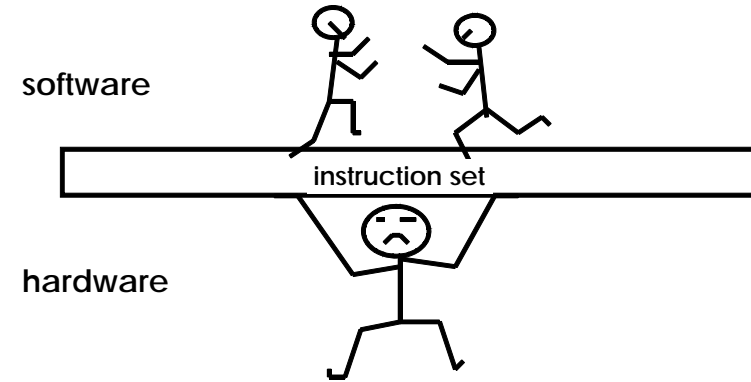
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## Computer Organization

- Capabilities and performance characteristics of principal functional units, e.g., registers, ALU, shifters, ...
- Ways in which these components are interconnected (*structure*)
- Information flows between components (*data, datapath*)
- Logic and means by which such information flow is controlled
- *Register Transfer Level* (RTL) description

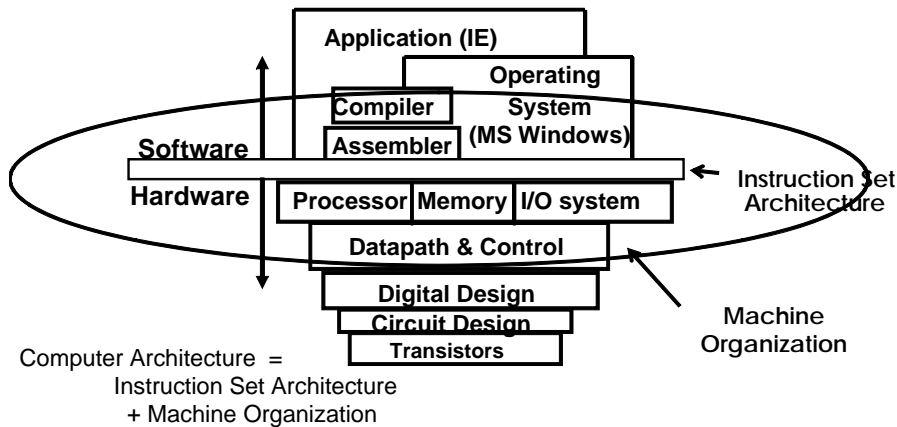
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## Instruction Set as a Critical Interface



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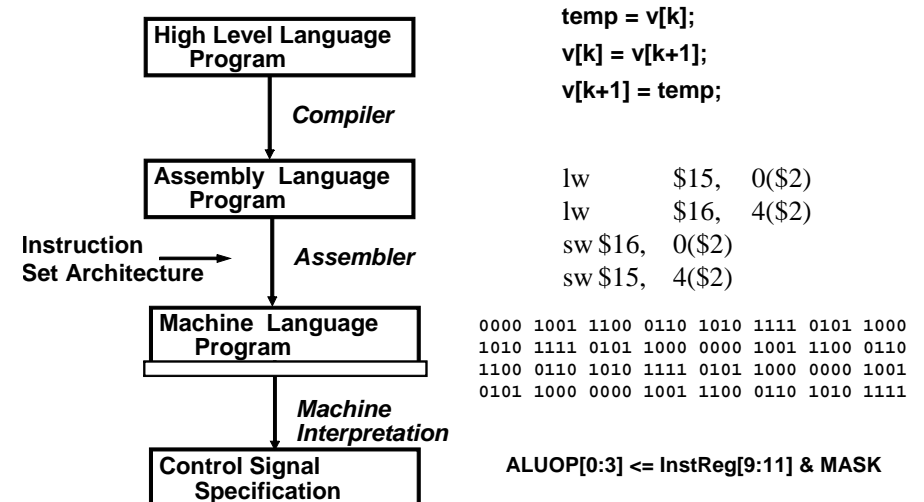
## What is Computer Architecture?



- Coordination of many *levels of abstraction*
- Under a rapidly changing set of forces
- Design, Measurement, *and* Evaluation

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## Another Perspective



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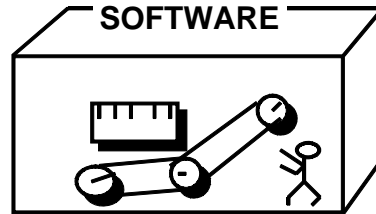
## Instruction Set Architecture (ISA)

“... the attributes of a [computing] system as seen by the programmer, *i.e.* the conceptual structure and functional behavior, as distinct from the organization of the data flows and controls, the logic design, and the physical implementation.”

— Amdahl, Blaaw, and Brooks,

1964

- Organization of Programmable Storage
- Data Types and Data Structures: Encodings and Representations
- Instruction Set
- Instruction Formats
- Modes of Addressing and Accessing Data Items and Instructions
- Exceptional Conditions



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## Example ISA

Digital Alpha	(v1, v3)	1992-97
HP PA-RISC	(v1.1, v2.0)	1986-96
Sun Sparc	(v8, v9)	1987-95
SGI MIPS	(MIPS I, II, III, IV, V)	1986-96
Intel	(8086, 80286, 80386, 80486, Pentium, MMX, SIMD, IA-64, ...)	

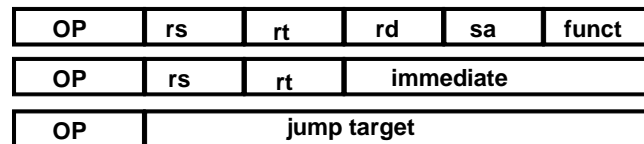
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## MIPS R3000 ISA

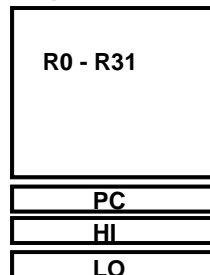
### ● Instruction categories:

- Load/Store
- Computational
- Jump and Branch
- Floating Point
  - coprocessor
- Memory Management
- Special

3 Instruction Formats: all 32 bits wide



### Registers



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## Why Do Computer Architecture?

- RAPID CHANGES
- It is exciting!
- It has never been more exciting!
- It impacts every other aspect of electrical engineering and computer science

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## Text Book

*Computer Organization and Design: The Hardware/Software Interface*, 3rd ed.,  
David Patterson and John Hennessy, 2005



## Prerequisite

- Prerequisite courses:
  - Logic design, assembly language and system programming

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## Topics Covered

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Topic	Chapter
Introduction	1
Instructions: Language of the Machine	2
Arithmetic for Computers	3
Assessing and Understanding Performance	4
The Processor: Datapath and Control	5
Enhancing Performance with Pipelining	6
Exploiting Memory Hierarchy	7
Interfacing Processors and Peripherals	8

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## Expected Course Workload

- Learn MIPS instruction set
- Learn processor emulators and benchmarking
- One mid-term and one final examination
- Grade breakdown
  - Homework Assignments and Quiz 30%
  - Midterm Exam: 35%
  - Final Exam: 35%

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