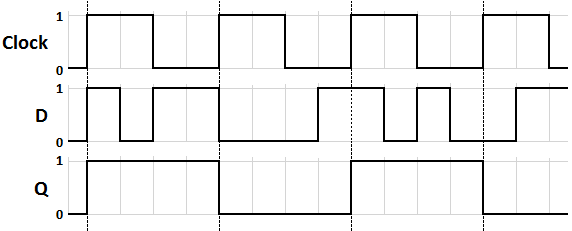
**Harold’s Circuits: Flip-Flops**

**Cheat Sheet**

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| **S-R Flip-Flop (Edge-Triggered)** | | |
| **Style** | NAND-NAND | AND-NOR |
| **Circuit** |  | Flip-flop (electronics) - Wikipedia |
| **Symbol** |  | |
| **Truth Table** | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **S** | **R** | **Qnext** | **Action** | | 0 | 0 | Q | No change, Hold | | 0 | 1 | 0 | Reset (Q 🡪 0) | | 1 | 0 | 1 | Set (Q 🡪 1) | | 1 | 1 | X | Invalid, Not allowed | | |
| **Boolean Equation** |  | |
| **Name Origin** | SR for Set-Reset | |
| **Observations** | * A **Flip-Flop** is a **Latch** with 2 AND/NAND gates added for clock input to trigger data flow from left to right | |
| **Applications** | * Storing a single bit of data, 1 or 0 | |
| **TTL Chips** | 74x71, 74Lx74 | |
| **D Flip-Flop (Edge-Triggered)** | | |
| **Style** | NAND-NAND | AND-NOR |
| **Circuit** | Schematic diagram |  |
| **Symbol** | Digital Logic Part 4 - Data SignalsRheingold Heavy | |
| **Truth Table** | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **Inputs** | | **Outputs** | | **Action** | | **D** | **CLK** | **Qnext** | **Q’next** | | 0 | ↑ | 0 | 1 | Reset (Q 🡪 0) | | 1 | ↑ | 1 | 0 | Set (Q 🡪 1) | | |
| **Boolean Equation** |  | |
| **Name Origin** | D for Delays, since it delays the signal until the next active clock transition | |
| **Observations** | * Made with S-R flip-flop with input S inverted for input R * Stores a single bit after the edge-triggered clock pulse | |
| **Applications** | * Storing Bits (memory) in a pipeline * Event Detection | |
| **TTL Chips** | 74x74, 74x79, 74x171, 74x173 | |



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| **J-K Flip-Flop (Edge-Triggered)** | | |
| **Style** | NAND-NAND | AND-NOR |
| **Circuit** | J K Flip Flop Explained in Detail - DCAClab Blog | JK & T Flip-Flops | Room 514 |
| **Symbol** | Introduction to Flip-Flops - luisdanielhernandezengineeringportfolio JK-Flip Flop Evolution | |
| **Truth Table** | |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **Inputs** | | | **Outputs** | |  | | **J** | **K** | **CLK** | **Qnext** | **Q’next** | **Action** | | 0 | 0 | ↓ | Q | Q’ | Hold, No change | | 0 | 1 | ↓ | 0 | 1 | Reset (Q 🡪 0) | | 1 | 0 | ↓ | 1 | 0 | Set (Q 🡪 1) | | 1 | 1 | ↓ | Q’ | Q | Toggle, Change (1 🡪 0) | | |
| **Boolean Equation** |  | |
| **Name Origin** | None, other than J and K are adjacent letters in the alphabet | |
| **Observations** | * Same as S-R flip-flop except 2 feedback lines added * Fixes the invalid 1-1 state | |
| **Applications** | * Frequency Division: If then clock frequency divider * Counting: If cascaded with QA wired to JKB CLK, then QA = LSB and QB=MSB * Sequence Detection: If cascaded with QA🡪JB and Q’A🡪KB, then tap Q/Q’s for 1/0 pattern, then AND for output | |
| **TTL Chips** | 74x68, 74x69, 74x70, 74x73, 74x76, 74x101, 74x102, 74X103, 74x107 | |
| **T Flip-Flop (Edge-Triggered)** | | |
| **Style** | NAND-NAND | AND-NOR |
| **Circuit** | Designing of T Flip Flop | T flip-flop - CircuitVerse |
| **Symbol** | Designing of T Flip Flop | |
| **Truth Table** | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **Inputs** | | **Outputs** | | **Action** | | **T** | **CLK** | **Qnext** | **Q’next** | | 0 | ↑ | Q | Q’ | No change, Hold | | 1 | ↑ | Q’ | Q | Change, Toggle | | |
| **Boolean Equation** |  | |
| **Name Origin** | T for Toggle, since it changes state on the triggering edge of the clock pulse | |
| **Observations** | * Made with J-K flip-flop with input T connected to both J and K * Implements the two middle rows of the J-K flip-flop truth table | |
| **Applications** | * Frequency Division: If then clock frequency divider | |
| **TTL Chips** | 74x374 or use J-K flip-flop chips | |

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| **J-K Flip-Flop Applications** | |
| **Frequency Division** | If then clock frequency divider |
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| **Counting** | If cascaded with QA wired to JKB CLK, then QA = LSB and QB=MSB |
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| **Sequence Detection** | If cascaded with QA🡪JB and Q’A🡪KB, then tap Q/Q’s for 1/0 pattern, then AND for output |
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**Source:**

Diagrams came from “ECPI University EET 230 – Digital Systems II”, Wikipedia, and Google images.