

Circuit Simulation Project

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Title: Design of Half Adder using 4×1 multiplexer as a subcircuit

Theory:

A half adder is used to add two single-digit binary numbers and results into a two-digit output. It is named as such because putting two half adders together with the use of an OR gate results in a full adder. In other words, it only does half the work of a full adder. This circuit has two inputs and two outputs. The two inputs A, B denote the two numbers to be added respectively. The two outputs, C and D represent the sum and carry, respectively.

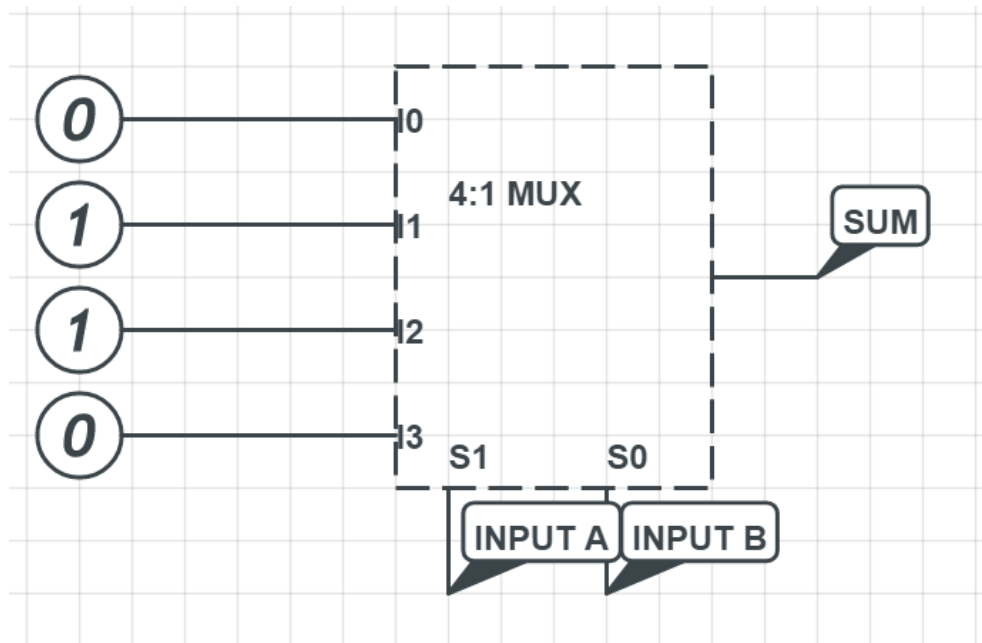
We can implement a half adder using two 4×1 multiplexers.

The truth table for adding two single digit binary digits A and B is shown below:

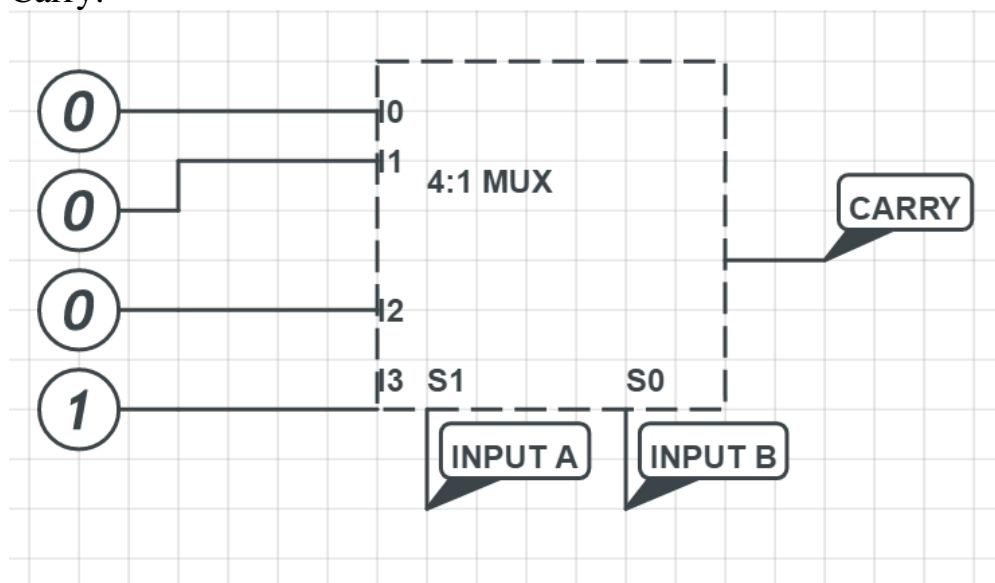
A	B	Sum	Carry
0	0	0	0
0	1	1	0
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1

We can use the multiplexers to get the sum and carry as shown below:

Sum:

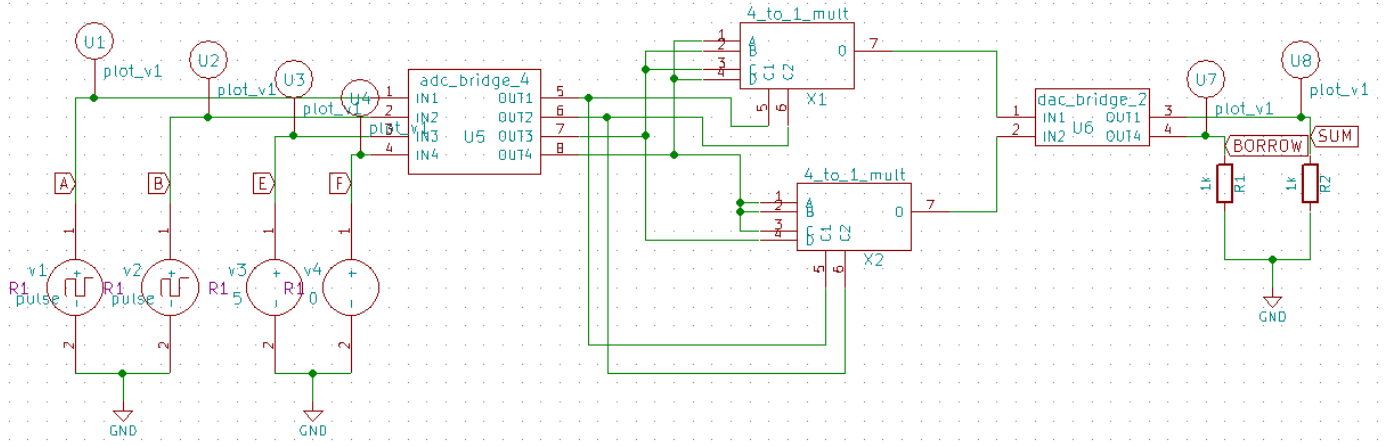


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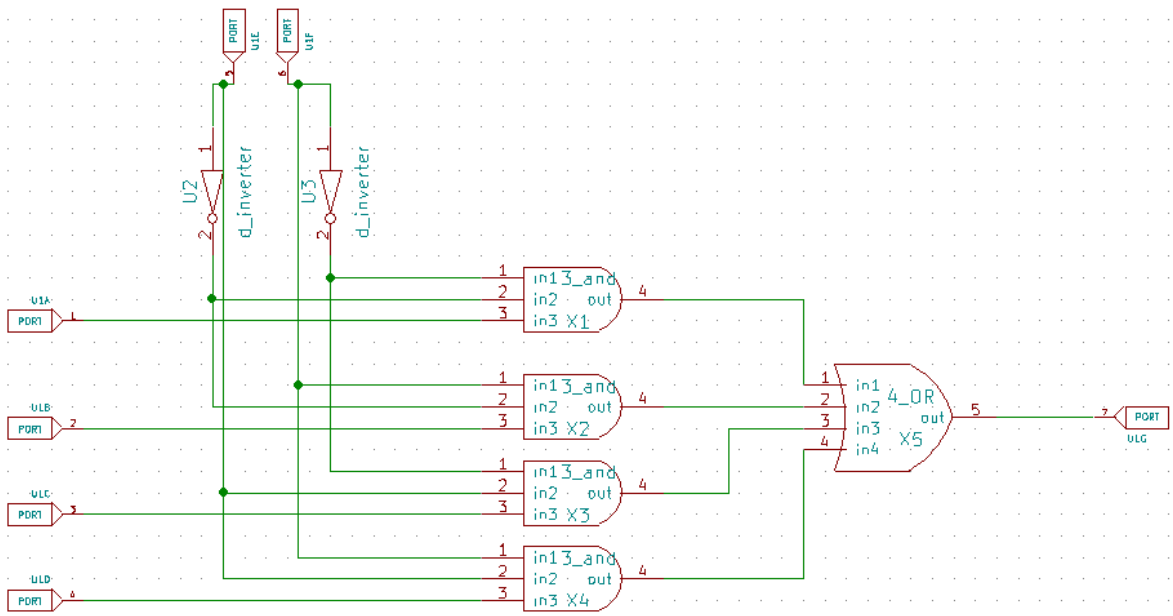


Circuit Diagrams: -

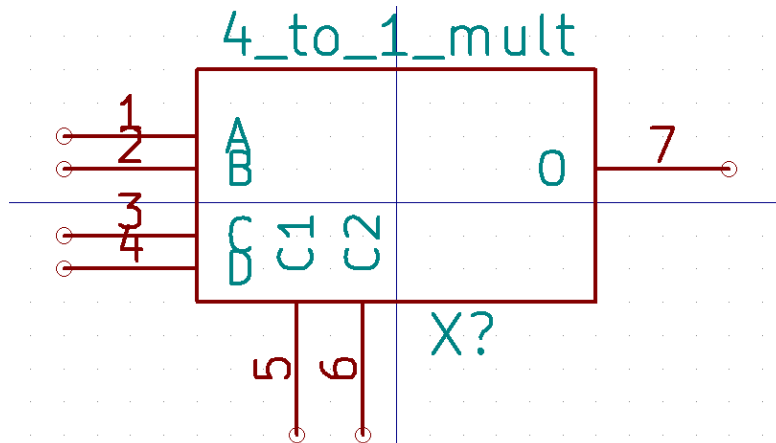
This is the main functional circuit schematic for the half adder which uses a subcircuit (4×1 multiplexer):



The structure of the 4×1 multiplexer subcircuit used:



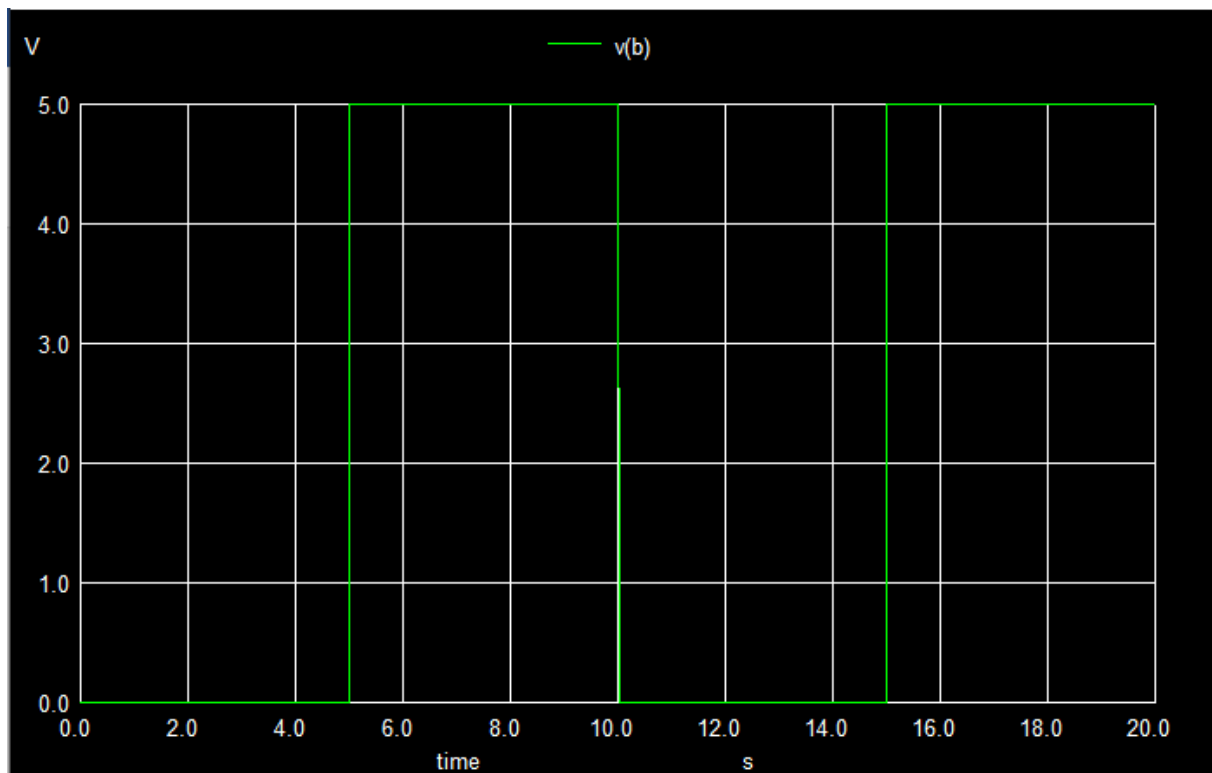
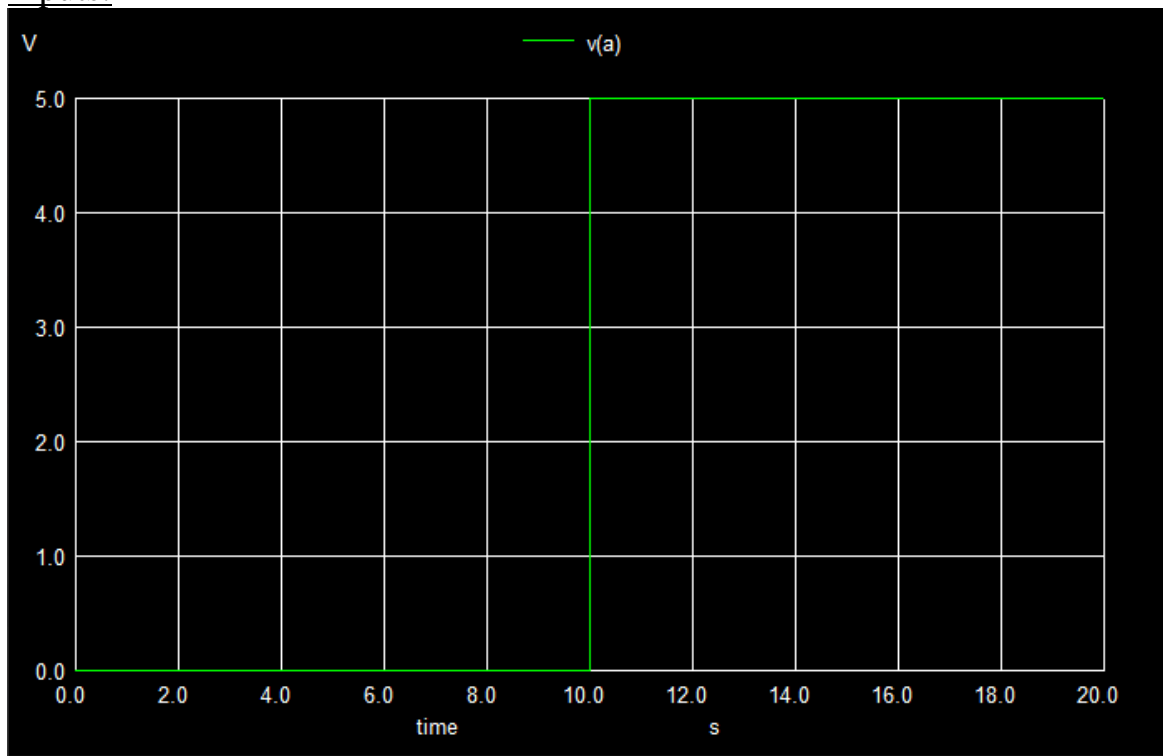
The symbol defined for the subcircuit:

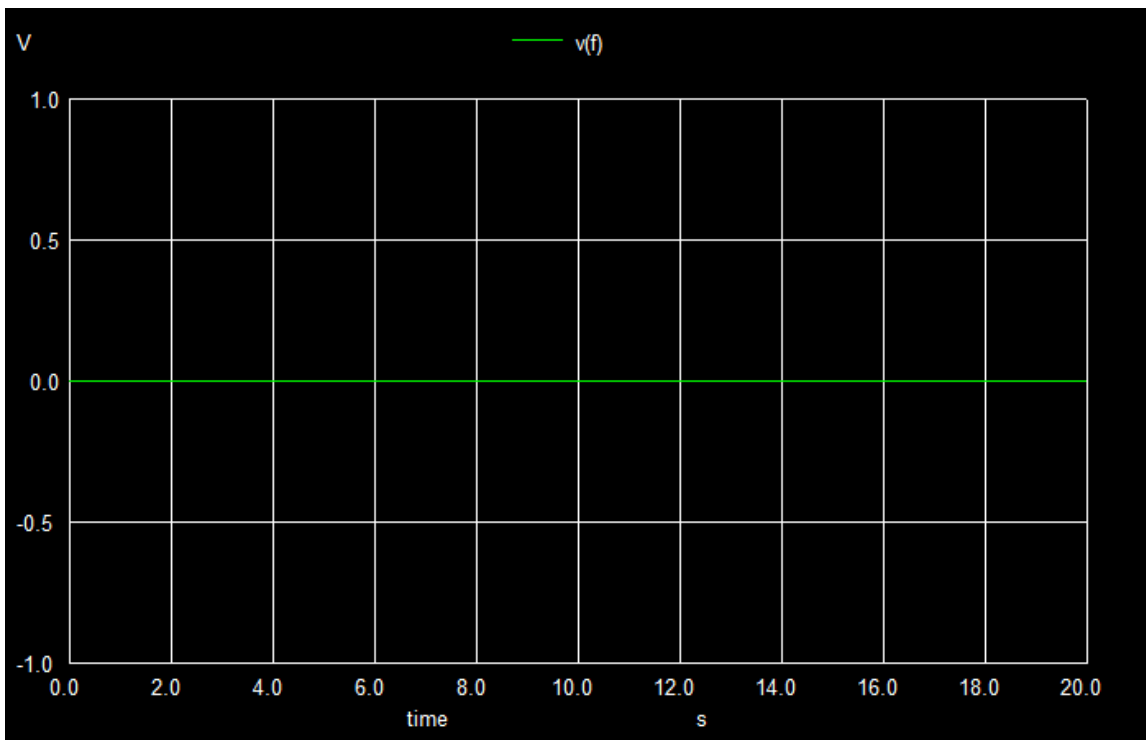
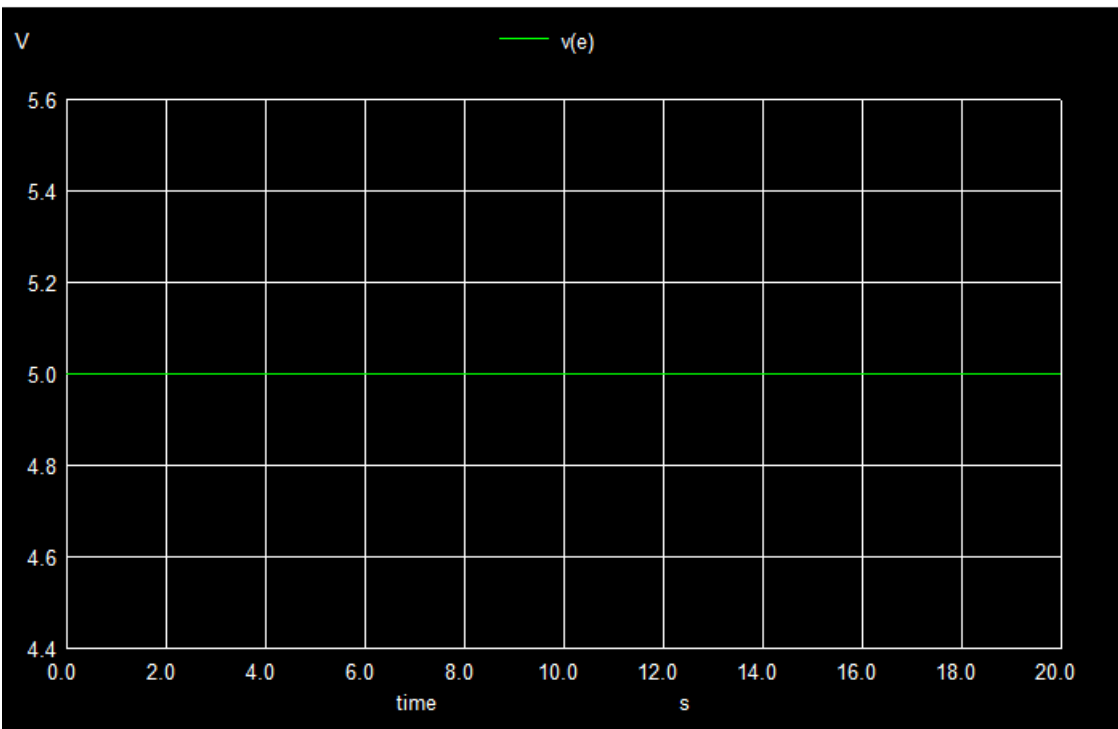


Result:

Ngspice Plots:

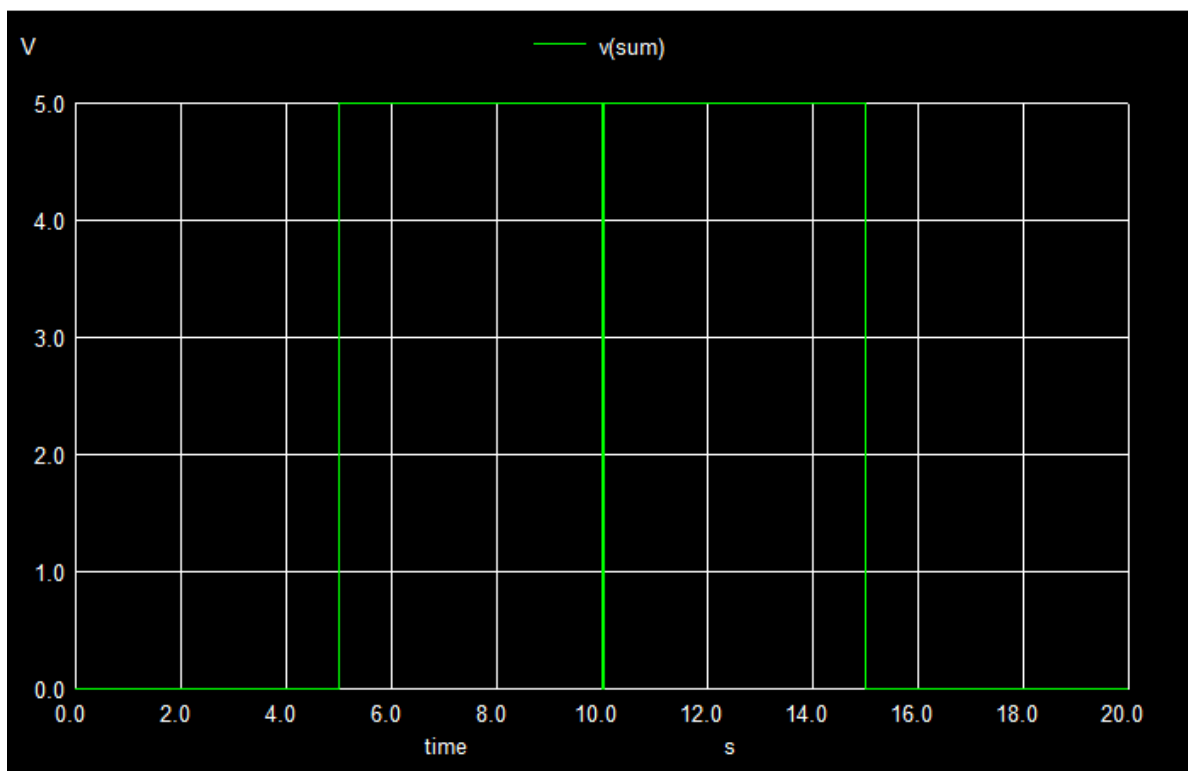
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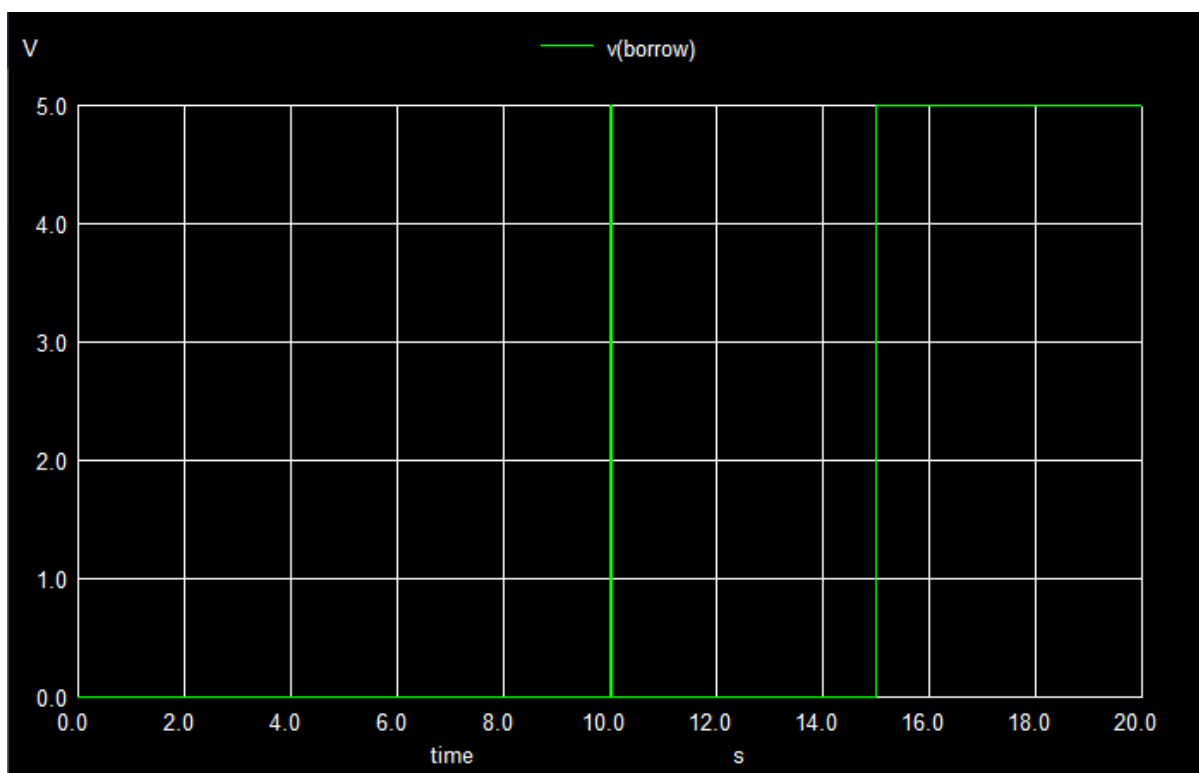


Outputs:

Sum:



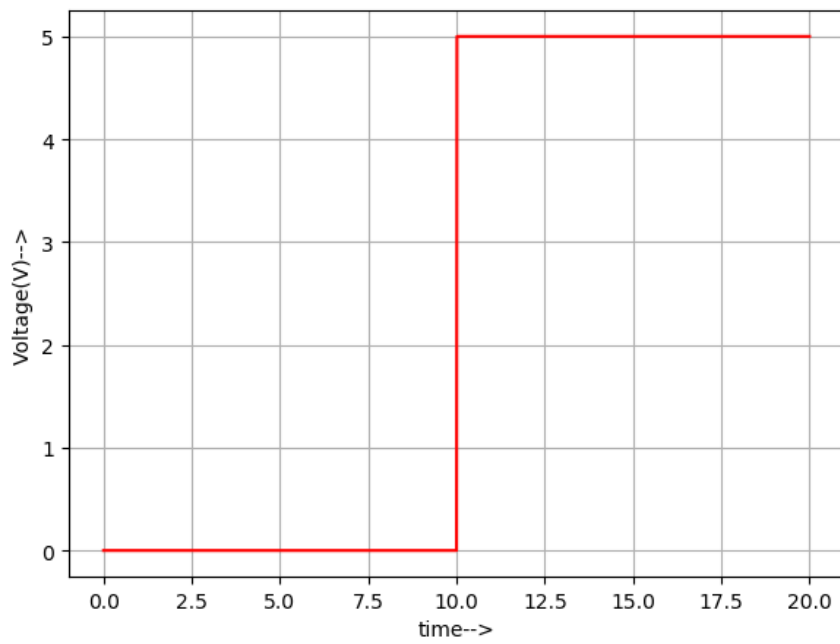
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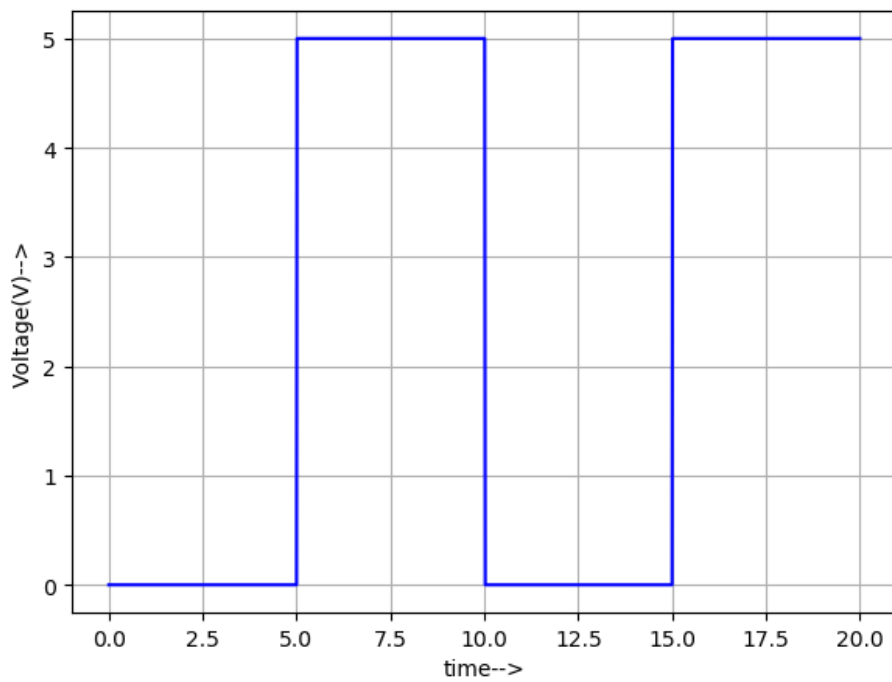
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Inputs:

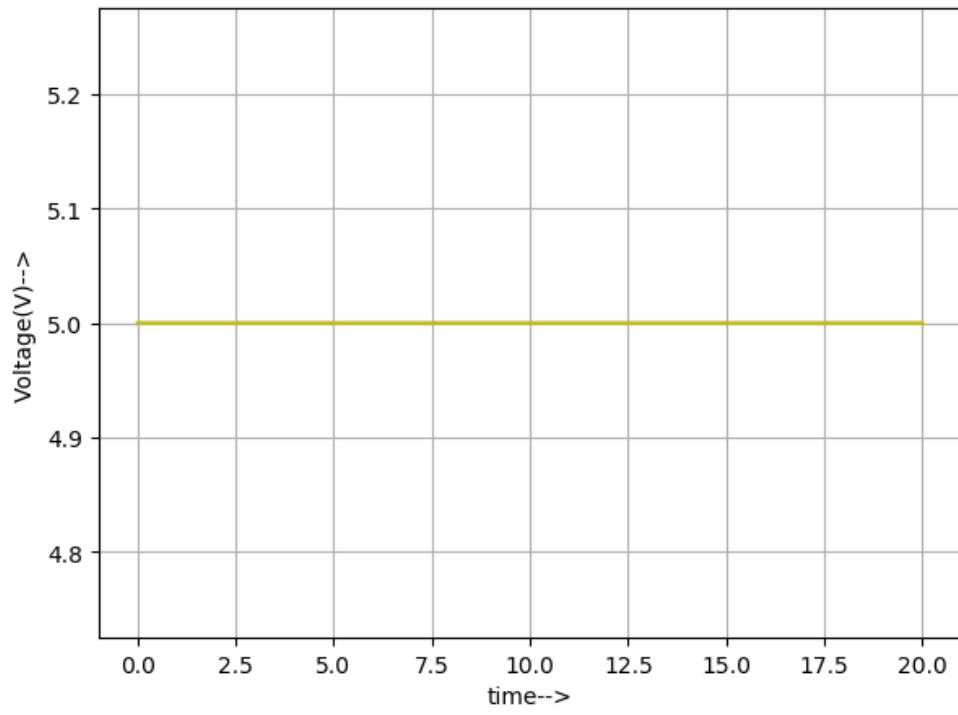
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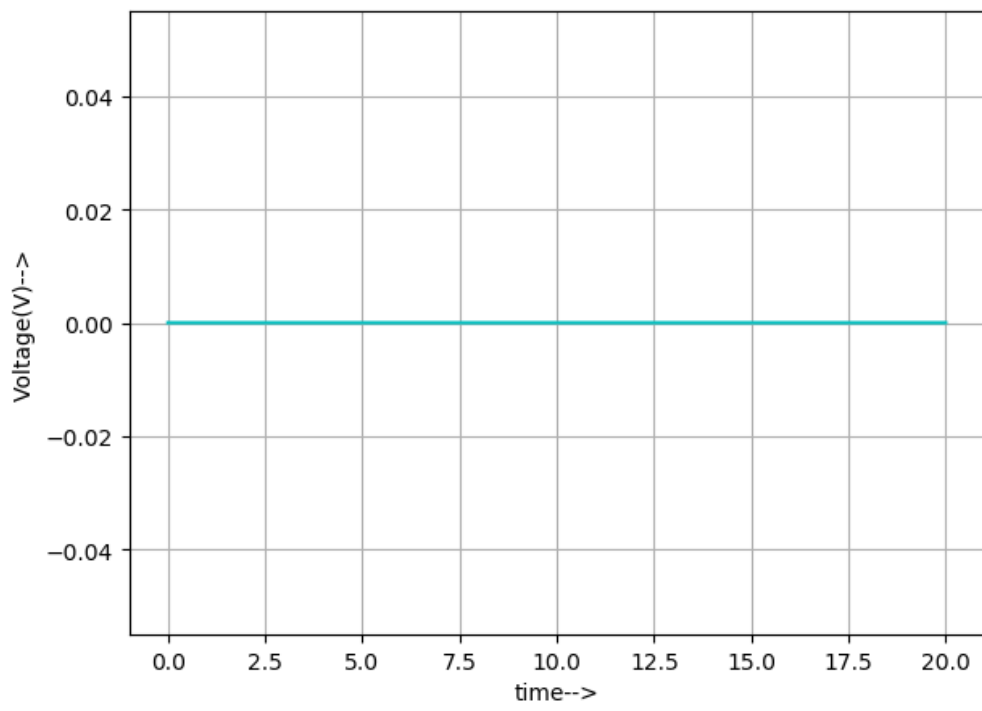
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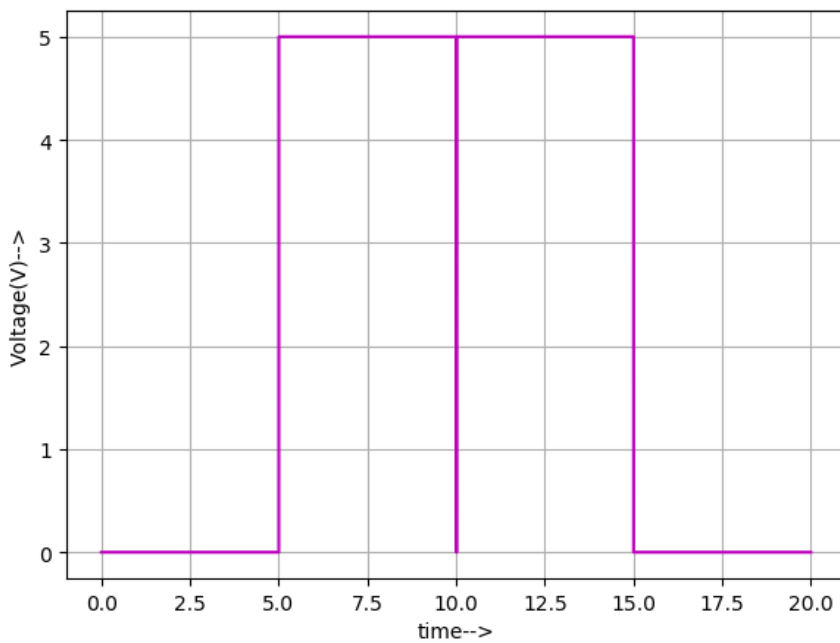


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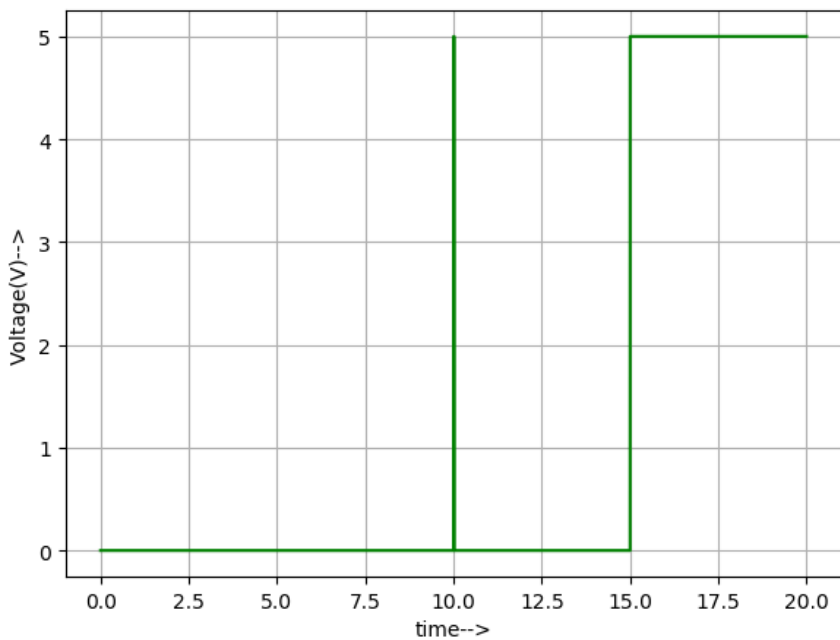


Outputs:

Sum:



Borrow:



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