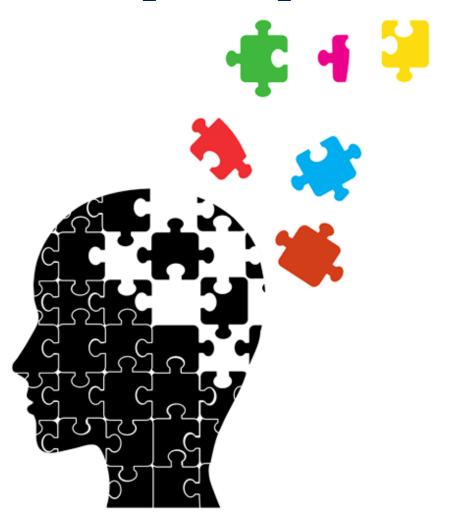
UNIT V I/O ORGANIZATION AND PARALLELISM

Accessing I/O devices – Interrupts – Direct Memory Access - Buses–
Interface circuits - Standard I/O Interfaces (PCI, SCSI, USB)–Instruction
Level Parallelism : Concepts and Challenges – Introduction to multicore
processor Graphics Processing Unit.





Recap the previous Class





Function of I/O Interface

- Provide a storage buffer for at least one word of data;
- Contain status flags that can be accessed by the processor to determine whether the buffer is full or empty;
- Contain address-decoding circuitry to determine when it is being addressed by the processor;
- Generate the appropriate timing signals required by the bus control scheme;
- Perform any format conversion that may be necessary to transfer data between the bus and the I/O device.



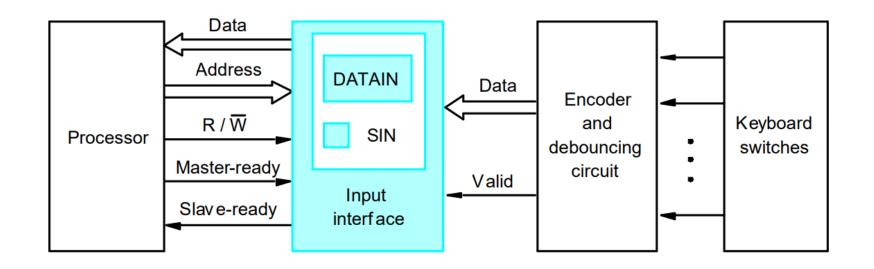
Parallel Port

- A parallel port transfers data in the form of a number of bits, typically 8 or 16, simultaneously to or from the device.
- For faster communications



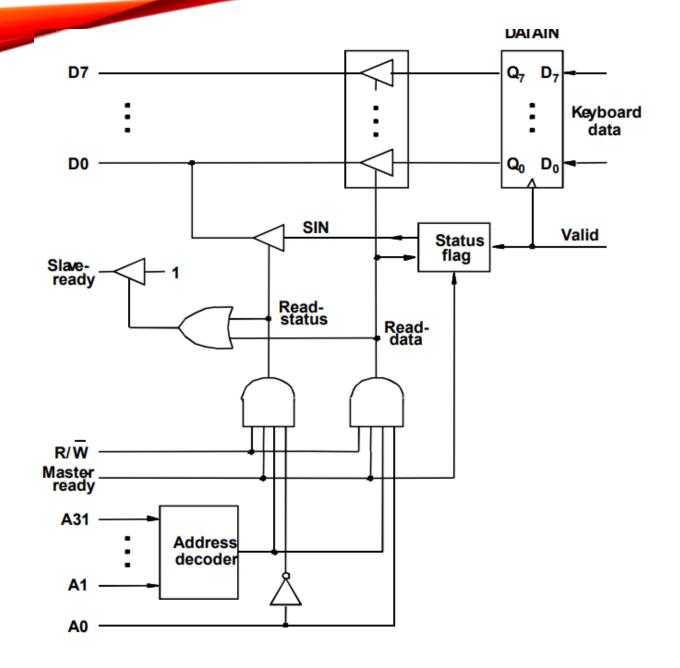
Parallel Port – Input Interface (Keyboard to Processor Connection)

Keyboard to processor connection





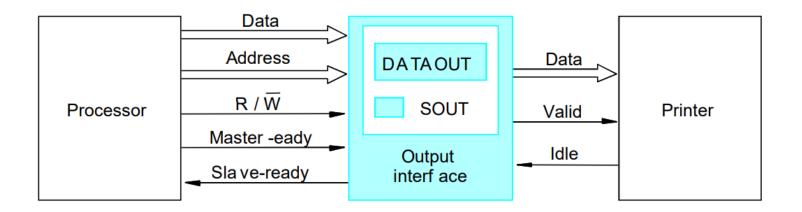
Input interface circuit





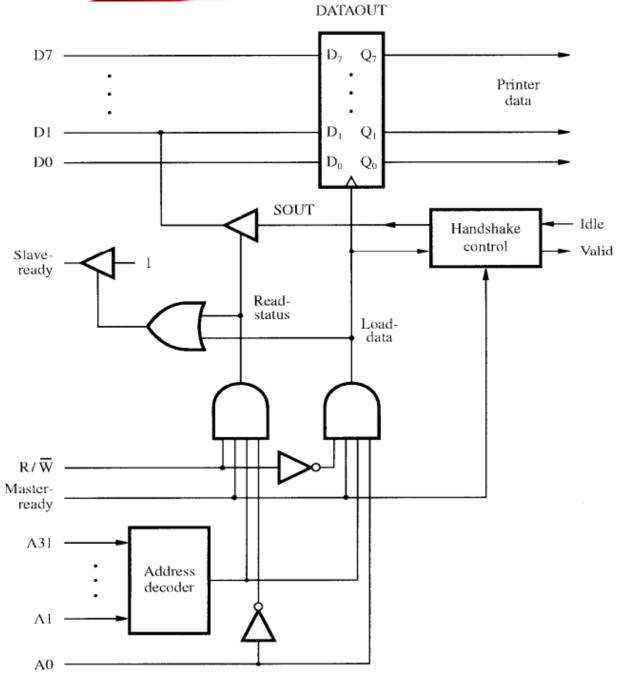
Parallel Port - Output Interface (Keyboard to Processor Connection)

Printer to processor connection





Output interface circuit





Serial Port

- A serial port is used to connect the processor to I/O devices that require transmission of data one bit at a time
- The key feature of an interface circuit for a serial port is that it is capable of communicating in bit-serial fashion on the device side and in a bit-parallel fashion on the bus side
- Capable of longer distance communication than parallel transmission.



serial interface

