## Dr K B Singh Lecture Notes PG III Sem

## Decoders

General decoder structure


Typically n inputs, $2^{\mathrm{n}}$ outputs -2 -to-4, 3-to-8, 4-to-16, etc.

## Binary 2-to-4 decoder



| Inputs |  |  |  | Outputs |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | EN | 11 | 10 |  | $\mathrm{Y}_{3}$ | $\mathrm{Y}_{2}$ | $\mathrm{Y}_{1}$ |
| Y | Y 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0 | x | x |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 |  | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 |  | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Note " x " (don't care) notation.

## 2-to-4-decoder logic diagram



## Decoder Symbol



