

Cost of Different Logic Functions

- Some are easier, others harder, to implement
 - Each has a cost associated with the number of switches needed
 - 0 (F0) and 1 (F15): require 0 switches, directly connect output to low/high
 - X (F3) and Y (F5): require 0 switches, output is one of inputs
 - X' (F12) and Y' (F10): require 2 switches for "inverter" or NOT-gate
 - X nor Y (F4) and X nand Y (F14): require 4 switches
 - X or Y (F7) and X and Y (F1): require 6 switches
 - X = Y (F9) and X \oplus Y (F6): require 16 switches

- Because NOT, NOR, and NAND are the cheapest they are the functions we implement the most in practice

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Minimal Set of Functions

- Implement any logic functions from NOT, NOR, and NAND?

- For example, implementing X and Y is the same as implementing not (X nand Y)

- Do it with only NOR or only NAND

- NOT is just a NAND or a NOR with both inputs tied together

X	Y	X nor Y		X	Y	X nand Y
0	0	1		0	0	1
1	1	0		1	1	0

- and NAND and NOR are "duals", i.e., easy to implement one using the other

$$\begin{aligned}
 X \text{ nand } Y &= \text{not} (\text{not } X \text{ nor } \text{not } Y) \\
 X \text{ nor } Y &= \text{not} (\text{not } X \text{ nand } \text{not } Y)
 \end{aligned}$$

- Based on the mathematical foundations of logic: Boolean Algebra

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Algebraic Structure

■ Consists of

- Set of elements B
- Binary operations $\{ +, \cdot \}$
- Unary operation $\{ ' \}$
- Following axioms hold:

1. set B contains at least two elements, a, b, such that $a \neq b$
2. closure: $a + b$ is in B $a \cdot b$ is in B
3. commutativity: $a + b = b + a$ $a \cdot b = b \cdot a$
4. associativity: $a + (b + c) = (a + b) + c$ $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c$
5. Identity: $a + 0 = a$ $a \cdot 1 = a$
6. distributivity: $a + (b \cdot c) = (a + b) \cdot (a + c)$ $a \cdot (b + c) = (a \cdot b) + (a \cdot c)$
7. complementarity: $a + a' = 1$ $a \cdot a' = 0$

Boolean Algebra

■ Boolean algebra

- $B = \{0, 1\}$
- $+$ is logical OR, \cdot is logical AND
- $'$ is logical NOT

■ All algebraic axioms hold

Logic Functions and Boolean Algebra

- Any logic function that can be expressed as a truth table can be written as an expression in Boolean algebra using the operators: $'$, $+$, and \cdot .

X	Y	$X \cdot Y$
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

X	Y	X'	$X' \cdot Y$
0	0	1	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	1	0	0

X	Y	X'	Y'	$X \cdot Y$	$X' \cdot Y'$	$(X \cdot Y) + (X' \cdot Y')$
0	0	1	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0	0	0
1	1	0	0	1	0	1

$$(X \cdot Y) + (X' \cdot Y') = X = Y$$

Boolean expression that is true when the variables X and Y have the same value and false, otherwise

X, Y are Boolean algebra variables

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Axioms and Theorems of Boolean Algebra

- Identity**
 - $X + 0 = X$
 - $X \cdot 1 = X$
- Null**
 - $X + 1 = 1$
 - $X \cdot 0 = 0$
- Idempotency:**
 - $X + X = X$
 - $X \cdot X = X$
- Involution:**
 - $(X')' = X$
- Complementarity:**
 - $X + X' = 1$
 - $X \cdot X' = 0$
- Commutativity:**
 - $X + Y = Y + X$
 - $X \cdot Y = Y \cdot X$
- Associativity:**
 - $(X + Y) + Z = X + (Y + Z)$
 - $(X \cdot Y) \cdot Z = X \cdot (Y \cdot Z)$

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Axioms and Theorems of Boolean Algebra (cont'd)

■ Distributivity:

$$8. X \cdot (Y + Z) = (X \cdot Y) + (X \cdot Z) \quad 8D. X + (Y \cdot Z) = (X + Y) \cdot (X + Z)$$

■ Uniting:

$$9. X \cdot Y + X \cdot Y' = X \quad 9D. (X + Y) \cdot (X + Y') = X$$

■ Absorption:

$$10. X + X \cdot Y = X \quad 10D. X \cdot (X + Y) = X$$

$$11. (X + Y') \cdot Y = X \cdot Y \quad 11D. (X \cdot Y') + Y = X + Y$$

■ Factoring:

$$12. (X + Y) \cdot (X' + Z) = X \cdot Z + X' \cdot Y \quad 12D. X \cdot Y + X' \cdot Z = (X + Z) \cdot (X' + Y)$$

■ Consensus:

$$13. (X \cdot Y) + (Y \cdot Z) + (X' \cdot Z) = X \cdot Y + X' \cdot Z \quad 13D. (X + Y) \cdot (Y + Z) \cdot (X' + Z) = (X + Y) \cdot (X' + Z)$$

Axioms and Theorems of Boolean Algebra (cont'd)

■ deMorgan's:

$$14. (X + Y + \dots)' = X' \cdot Y' \cdot \dots \quad 14D. (X \cdot Y \cdot \dots)' = X' + Y' + \dots$$

■ Generalized de Morgan's:

$$15. f'(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n, 0, 1, +, \cdot) = f(X_1', X_2', \dots, X_n', 1, 0, \cdot, +)$$

■ Establishes relationship between \cdot and $+$

Axioms and Theorems of Boolean Algebra (cont'd)

Duality

- Dual of a Boolean expression is derived by replacing \cdot by $+$, $+$ by \cdot , 0 by 1, and 1 by 0, and leaving variables unchanged
- Any theorem that can be proven is thus also proven for its dual!
- Meta-theorem (a theorem about theorems)

Duality:

$$16. X + Y + \dots \Leftrightarrow X \cdot Y \cdot \dots$$

Generalized duality:

$$17. f(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n, 0, 1, +, \cdot) \Leftrightarrow f(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n, 1, 0, \cdot, +)$$

Different than deMorgan's Law

- This is a statement about theorems
- This is not a way to manipulate (re-write) expressions

Proving Theorems (Rewriting Method)

Using the axioms of Boolean algebra:

■ e.g., prove the theorem:	$X \cdot Y + X \cdot Y'$	$= X$
distributivity (8)	$X \cdot Y + X \cdot Y'$	$= X \cdot (Y + Y')$
complementarity (5)	$X \cdot (Y + Y')$	$= X \cdot (1)$
identity (1D)	$X \cdot (1)$	$= X \checkmark$

■ e.g., prove the theorem:	$X + X \cdot Y$	$= X$
identity (1D)	$X + X \cdot Y$	$= X \cdot 1 + X \cdot Y$
distributivity (8)	$X \cdot 1 + X \cdot Y$	$= X \cdot (1 + Y)$
identity (2)	$X \cdot (1 + Y)$	$= X \cdot (1)$
identity (1D)	$X \cdot (1)$	$= X \checkmark$

Proving Theorems (Perfect Induction)

Using perfect induction (complete truth table):

e.g., de Morgan's:

$(X + Y)' = X' \cdot Y'$
 NOR is equivalent to AND
 with inputs complemented

X	Y	X'	Y'	$(X + Y)'$	$X' \cdot Y'$
0	0	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0	0
1	1	0	0	0	0

$(X \cdot Y)' = X' + Y'$
 NAND is equivalent to OR
 with inputs complemented

X	Y	X'	Y'	$(X \cdot Y)'$	$X' + Y'$
0	0	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1
1	1	0	0	0	0

Simple Example

1-bit binary adder

- Inputs: A, B, Carry-in
- Outputs: Sum, Carry-out



A	B	Cin	S	Cout
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	1
1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	1
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	1

$$S = A' B' Cin + A' B Cin' + A B' Cin' + A B Cin$$

$$Cout = A' B Cin + A B' Cin + A B Cin' + A B Cin$$

Apply the Theorems to Simplify Expressions

- Theorems of Boolean algebra can simplify Boolean expressions

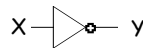
- e.g., full adder's carry-out function (same rules apply to any function)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Cout} &= A' B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\
 &= A' B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} + A B C_{in} \\
 &= A' B C_{in} + A B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\
 &= (A' + A) B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\
 &= (1) B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\
 &= B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} + A B C_{in} \\
 &= B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\
 &= B C_{in} + A (B' + B) C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\
 &= B C_{in} + A (1) C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\
 &= B C_{in} + A C_{in} + A B (C_{in}' + C_{in}) \\
 &= B C_{in} + A C_{in} + A B (1) \\
 &= B C_{in} + A C_{in} + A B
 \end{aligned}$$

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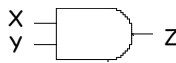
From Boolean Expressions to Logic Gates

- NOT X' \bar{X} $\sim X$



X	Y
0	1
1	0

- AND $X \cdot Y$ XY $X \wedge Y$



X	Y	Z
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

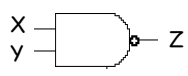
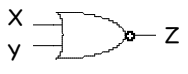
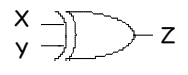
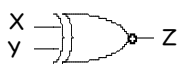
- OR $X + Y$ $X \vee Y$



X	Y	Z
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

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From Boolean Expressions to Logic Gates (cont'd)

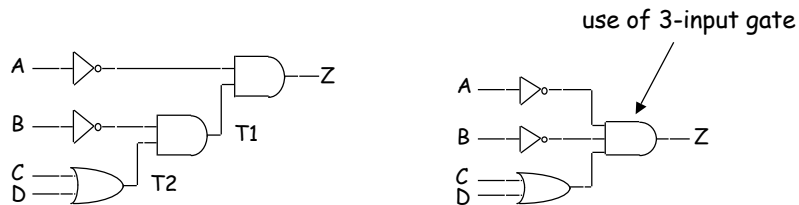
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From Boolean Expressions to Logic Gates (cont'd)

- More than one way to map expressions to gates

■ e.g., $Z = A' \cdot B' \cdot (C + D) = \frac{\frac{A'}{T2} \cdot \frac{B'}{T1} \cdot (C + D)}{T1}$



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Which Realization is Best?

■ Reduce number of inputs

- | literal: input variable (complemented or not)
 - | can approximate cost of logic gate as 2 transistors per literal
 - | why not count inverters?
- | Fewer literals means less transistors
 - | smaller circuits
- | Fewer inputs implies faster gates
 - | gates are smaller and thus also faster
- | Fan-ins (# of gate inputs) are limited in some technologies

■ Reduce number of gates

- | Fewer gates (and the packages they come in) means smaller circuits
 - | directly influences manufacturing costs

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Which is the Best Realization? (cont'd)

■ Reduce number of levels of gates

- | Fewer level of gates implies reduced signal propagation delays
- | Minimum delay configuration typically requires more gates
 - | wider, less deep circuits

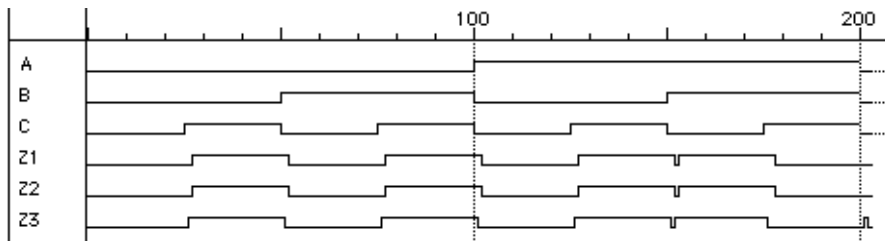
■ How do we explore tradeoffs between increased circuit delay and size?

- | Automated tools to generate different solutions
- | Logic minimization: reduce number of gates and complexity
- | Logic optimization: reduction while trading off against delay

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Are All Realizations Equivalent?

- Under the same inputs, the alternative implementations have *almost* the same waveform behavior
 - Delays are different
 - Glitches (hazards) may arise
 - Variations due to differences in number of gate levels and structure
- Three implementations are functionally equivalent



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Implementing Boolean Functions

- Technology independent
 - Canonical forms
 - Two-level forms
 - Multi-level forms
- Technology choices
 - Packages of a few gates
 - Regular logic
 - Two-level programmable logic
 - Multi-level programmable logic

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Canonical Forms

- Truth table is the unique signature of a Boolean function
- Many alternative gate realizations may have the same truth table
- Canonical forms
 - Standard forms for a Boolean expression
 - Provides a unique algebraic signature

Sum-of-Products Canonical Forms

- Also known as disjunctive normal form
- Also known as minterm expansion

				$F = 001 \quad 011 \quad 101 \quad 110 \quad 111$				
				$F = A'B'C + A'BC + AB'C + ABC' + ABC$				
A	B	C	F	F'				
0	0	0	0	1				
0	0	1	1	0				
0	1	0	0	1				
0	1	1	1	0				
1	0	0	0	1				
1	0	1	1	0				
1	1	0	1	0				
1	1	1	1	0				

$F' = A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C'$

Sum-of-Products Canonical Form (cont'd)

■ Product term (or minterm)

- ANDed product of literals - input combination for which output is true
- Each variable appears exactly once, in true or inverted form (but not both)

A	B	C	minterms
0	0	0	$A'B'C'$ m0
0	0	1	$A'B'C$ m1
0	1	0	$A'BC'$ m2
0	1	1	$A'BC$ m3
1	0	0	$AB'C'$ m4
1	0	1	$AB'C$ m5
1	1	0	ABC' m6
1	1	1	ABC m7

short-hand notation for minterms of 3 variables

F in canonical form:

$$\begin{aligned}
 F(A, B, C) &= \sum m(1,3,5,6,7) \\
 &= m1 + m3 + m5 + m6 + m7 \\
 &= A'B'C + A'BC + AB'C + ABC' + ABC
 \end{aligned}$$

canonical form \neq minimal form

$$\begin{aligned}
 F(A, B, C) &= A'B'C + A'BC + AB'C + ABC + ABC' \\
 &= (A'B' + A'B + AB' + AB)C + ABC' \\
 &= ((A' + A)(B' + B))C + ABC' \\
 &= C + ABC' \\
 &= ABC' + C \\
 &= AB + C
 \end{aligned}$$

Product-of-Sums Canonical Form

- Also known as conjunctive normal form
- Also known as maxterm expansion

A	B	C	F	F'
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	1	0

$$\begin{aligned}
 F &= \begin{matrix} 000 & 010 & 100 \\ (A+B+C) & (A+B'+C) & (A'+B+C) \end{matrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$F' = (A + B + C') (A + B' + C') (A' + B + C') (A' + B' + C) (A' + B' + C')$$

Product-of-Sums Canonical Form (cont'd)

■ Sum term (or maxterm)

- ORed sum of literals - input combination for which output is false
- Each variable appears exactly once, in true or inverted form (but not both)

A	B	C	maxterms	
0	0	0	$A+B+C$	M0
0	0	1	$A+B+C'$	M1
0	1	0	$A+B'+C$	M2
0	1	1	$A+B'+C'$	M3
1	0	0	$A'+B+C$	M4
1	0	1	$A'+B+C'$	M5
1	1	0	$A'+B'+C$	M6
1	1	1	$A'+B'+C'$	M7

F in canonical form:

$$\begin{aligned} F(A, B, C) &= \Pi M(0,2,4) \\ &= M0 \cdot M2 \cdot M4 \\ &= (A + B + C)(A + B' + C)(A' + B + C) \end{aligned}$$

canonical form \neq minimal form

$$\begin{aligned} F(A, B, C) &= (A + B + C)(A + B' + C)(A' + B + C) \\ &= (A + B + C)(A + B' + C) \\ &\quad (A + B + C)(A' + B + C) \\ &= (A + C)(B + C) \end{aligned}$$

short-hand notation for maxterms of 3 variables

S-o-P, P-o-S, and deMorgan's Theorem

■ Sum-of-products

$$F' = A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C'$$

■ Apply de Morgan's

$$\begin{aligned} (F')' &= (A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C')' \\ F &= (A + B + C)(A + B' + C)(A' + B + C) \end{aligned}$$

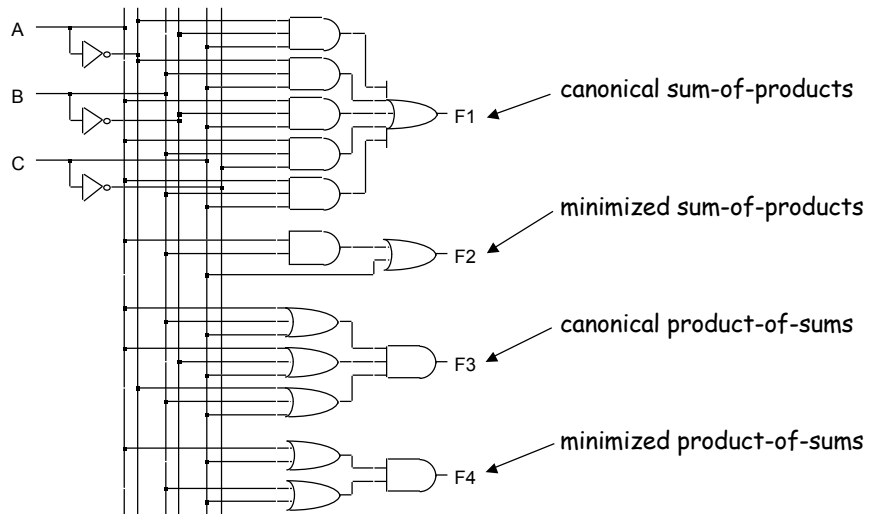
■ Product-of-sums

$$F' = (A + B + C')(A + B' + C')(A' + B + C')(A' + B' + C)(A' + B' + C')$$

■ Apply de Morgan's

$$\begin{aligned} (F')' &= ((A + B + C')(A + B' + C')(A' + B + C')(A' + B' + C)(A' + B' + C'))' \\ F &= A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C' + ABC' + ABC \end{aligned}$$

Four Alternative Two-level Implementations of $F = AB + C$

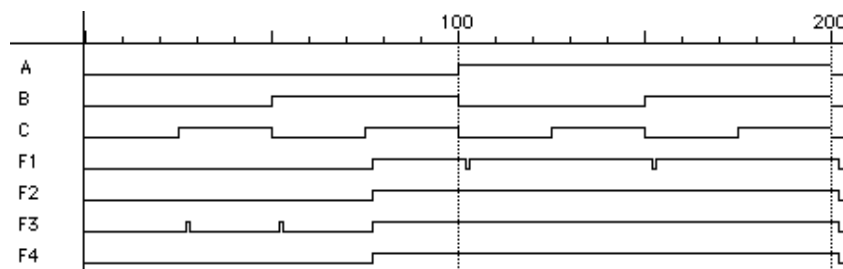


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Waveforms for the Four Alternatives

■ Waveforms are essentially identical

- Except for timing hazards (glitches)
- Delays almost identical (modeled as a delay per level, not type of gate or number of inputs to gate)



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Mapping Between Canonical Forms

■ Minterm to maxterm conversion

- Use maxterms whose indices do not appear in minterm expansion
- e.g., $F(A,B,C) = \Sigma m(1,3,5,6,7) = \Pi M(0,2,4)$

■ Maxterm to minterm conversion

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- e.g., $F(A,B,C) = \Pi M(0,2,4) = \Sigma m(1,3,5,6,7)$

■ Minterm expansion of F to minterm expansion of F'

- Use minterms whose indices do not appear
- e.g., $F(A,B,C) = \Sigma m(1,3,5,6,7)$ $F'(A,B,C) = \Sigma m(0,2,4)$

■ Maxterm expansion of F to maxterm expansion of F'

- Use maxterms whose indices do not appear
- e.g., $F(A,B,C) = \Pi M(0,2,4)$ $F'(A,B,C) = \Pi M(1,3,5,6,7)$

Incompletely Specified Functions

■ Example: binary coded decimal increment by 1

- BCD digits encode decimal digits 0 - 9 in bit patterns 0000 - 1001

A	B	C	D	W	X	Y	Z
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	0	1	0	
0	0	1	0	0	1	1	
0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0
0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	X	X	X	X
1	0	1	1	X	X	X	X
1	1	0	0	X	X	X	X
1	1	0	1	X	X	X	X
1	1	1	0	X	X	X	X
1	1	1	1	X	X	X	X

off-set of W
 on-set of W
 don't care (DC) set of W
 these inputs patterns should never be encountered in practice - "don't care" about associated output values, can be exploited in minimization

Notation for Incompletely Specified Functions

■ Don't cares and canonical forms

- So far, only represented on-set
- Also represent don't-care-set
- Need two of the three sets (on-set, off-set, dc-set)

■ Canonical representations of the BCD increment by 1 function:

- $Z = m_0 + m_2 + m_4 + m_6 + m_8 + d_{10} + d_{11} + d_{12} + d_{13} + d_{14} + d_{15}$
- $Z = \Sigma [m(0,2,4,6,8) + d(10,11,12,13,14,15)]$
- $Z = M_1 \cdot M_3 \cdot M_5 \cdot M_7 \cdot M_9 \cdot D_{10} \cdot D_{11} \cdot D_{12} \cdot D_{13} \cdot D_{14} \cdot D_{15}$
- $Z = \Pi [M(1,3,5,7,9) \cdot D(10,11,12,13,14,15)]$

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Simplification of Two-level Combinational Logic

- Finding a minimal sum of products or product of sums realization
 - Exploit don't care information in the process
- Algebraic simplification
 - Not an algorithmic/systematic procedure
 - How do you know when the minimum realization has been found?
- Computer-aided design tools
 - Precise solutions require very long computation times, especially for functions with many inputs (> 10)
 - Heuristic methods employed - "educated guesses" to reduce amount of computation and yield good if not best solutions
- Hand methods still relevant
 - Understand automatic tools and their strengths and weaknesses
 - Ability to check results (on small examples)

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Administrative Announcement

- All discussion sections to meet in 125 Cory
- Moving F 10-11 AM discussion to F 11-noon
- Students on wait list:
 - W 9-12 Lab is still available
 - W 5-8 lab is at capacity
 - We can take a VERY small number of students into the Tu labs
 - Email your preference to Head TA Po-Kai
- Instructional Web now mirrors Randy's web site
 - <http://inst.eecs.Berkeley.edu/~cs150>
 - HW #1 and Lab #1 now on-line

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The Uniting Theorem

- Key tool for simplification: $A(B' + B) = A$
- Essence of simplification:
 - Find two element subsets of the ON-set where only one variable changes its value - this single varying variable can be eliminated and a single product term used to represent both elements

$$F = A'B' + AB' = (A' + A)B' = B'$$

A	B	F
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	1
1	1	0

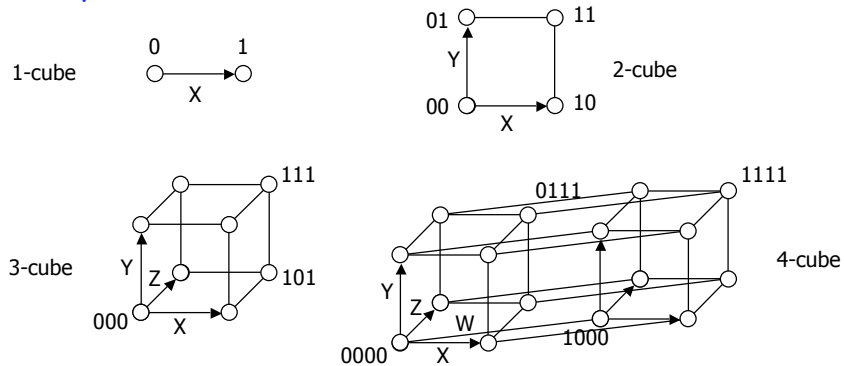
B has the same value in both on-set rows
- B remains

A has a different value in the two rows
- A is eliminated

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Boolean Cubes

- Visual technique for indentifying when the uniting theorem can be applied
- n input variables = n -dimensional "cube"

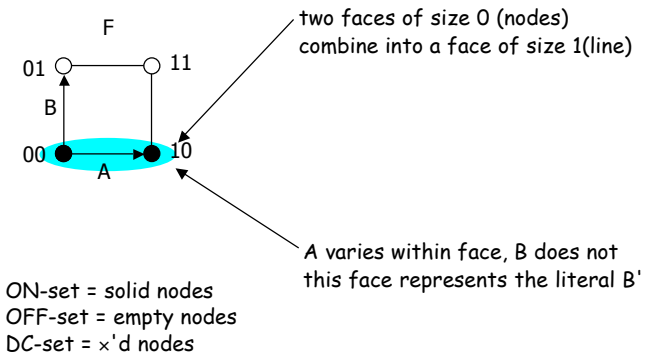


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Mapping Truth Tables onto Boolean Cubes

- Uniting theorem combines two "faces" of a cube into a larger "face"
- Example:

A	B	F
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	1
1	1	0

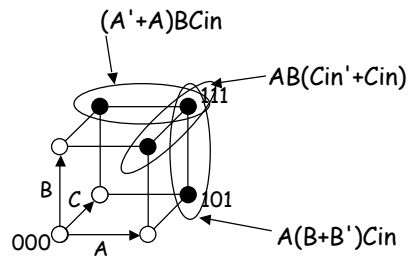


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Three Variable Example

Binary full-adder carry-out logic

A	B	Cin	Cout
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1

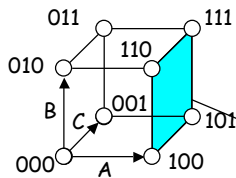


the on-set is completely covered by the combination (OR) of the subcubes of lower dimensionality - note that "111" is covered three times

$$Cout = BCin + AB + ACin$$

Higher Dimensional Cubes

Sub-cubes of higher dimension than 2



$$F(A,B,C) = \Sigma m(4,5,6,7)$$

on-set forms a square
i.e., a cube of dimension 2

represents an expression in one variable
i.e., 3 dimensions - 2 dimensions

A is asserted (true) and unchanged
B and C vary

This subcube represents the
literal A

m-Dimensional Cubes in an n-Dimensional Boolean Space

- In a 3-cube (three variables):
 - 0-cube, i.e., a single node, yields a term in 3 literals
 - 1-cube, i.e., a line of two nodes, yields a term in 2 literals
 - 2-cube, i.e., a plane of four nodes, yields a term in 1 literal
 - 3-cube, i.e., a cube of eight nodes, yields a constant term "1"
- In general,
 - m-subcube within an n-cube ($m < n$) yields a term with $n - m$ literals

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Karnaugh Maps

- Flat map of Boolean cube
 - Wrap-around at edges
 - Hard to draw and visualize for more than 4 dimensions
 - Virtually impossible for more than 6 dimensions
- Alternative to truth-tables to help visualize adjacencies
 - Guide to applying the uniting theorem
 - On-set elements with only one variable changing value are adjacent unlike the situation in a linear truth-table

	A	0	1
B	0	1	1
	1	0	0
		1	3

A	B	F
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	1
1	1	0

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Karnaugh Maps (cont'd)

- Numbering scheme based on Gray-code

- e.g., 00, 01, 11, 10

- Only a single bit changes in code for adjacent map cells

		AB		A	
		00	01	11	10
C	0	0	2	6	4
	1	1	3	7	5
				B	

		A		
	0	2	6	4
C	1	3	7	5
		B		

		A		
	0	4	12	8
	1	5	13	9
	3	7	15	11
C	2	6	14	10
		B		

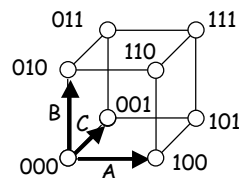
13 = 1101 = ABC'D

Adjacencies in Karnaugh Maps

- Wrap from first to last column

- Wrap top row to bottom row

		A	
	010	110	100
C	001	011	101
		B	



Karnaugh Map Examples

■ $F =$

■ $Cout =$

■ $f(A,B,C) = \sum m(0,4,6,7)$

	A		
	1	1	
B	0	0	B'

	0	0	1	0	
			A		
Cin	0	1	1	1	
			B		

$AB + ACin + BCin$

	1	0	0	1	
			A		
C	0	0	1	1	
			B		

$AC + B'C' + AB'$

obtain the complement of the function by covering 0s with subcubes

More Karnaugh Map Examples

	0	0	1	1	
			A		
C	0	0	1	1	
			B		

$G(A,B,C) = A$

	1	0	0	1	
			A		
C	0	0	1	1	
			B		

$F(A,B,C) = \sum m(0,4,5,7) = AC + B'C'$

	0	1	1	0	
			A		
C	1	1	0	0	
			B		

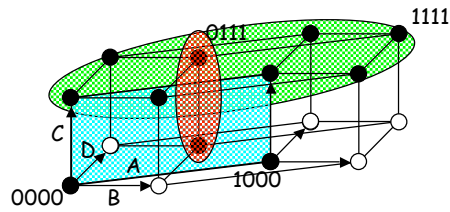
$F'(A,B,C) = \sum m(1,2,3,6) = BC' + A'C$

Karnaugh Map: 4-Variable Example

■ $F(A,B,C,D) = \Sigma m(0,2,3,5,6,7,8,10,11,14,15)$

$F = C + A'BD + B'D'$

	A			
	1	0	0	1
	0	1	0	0
C	1	1	1	1
D	1	1	1	1
	B			



find the smallest number of the largest possible subcubes to cover the ON-set
(fewer terms with fewer inputs per term)

Karnaugh Maps: Don't Cares

■ $f(A,B,C,D) = \Sigma m(1,3,5,7,9) + d(6,12,13)$

■ without don't cares

■ $f = A'D + B'C'D$

	A			
	0	0	X	0
	1	1	X	1
C	1	1	0	0
D	0	X	0	0
	B			

Karnaugh Maps: Don't Cares (cont'd)

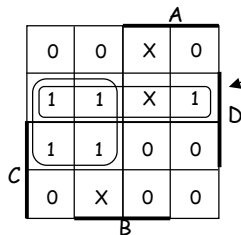
■ $f(A,B,C,D) = \sum m(1,3,5,7,9) + d(6,12,13)$

■ $f = A'D + B'C'D$

without don't cares

■ $f = A'D + CD$

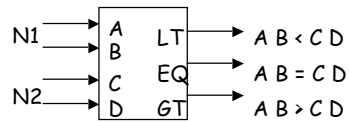
with don't cares



by using don't care as a "1" a 2-cube can be formed rather than a 1-cube to cover this node

don't cares can be treated as 1s or 0s depending on which is more advantageous

Design Example: Two-bit Comparator

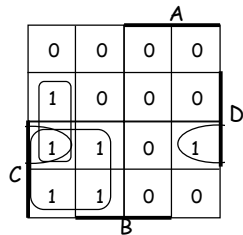


A	B	C	D	LT	EQ	GT
0	0	0	0	0	1	0
		0	1	1	0	0
		1	0	1	0	0
		1	1	1	0	0
0	1	0	0	0	0	1
		0	1	0	1	0
		1	0	1	0	0
		1	1	1	0	0
1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		0	1	0	0	1
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		1	1	1	0	0
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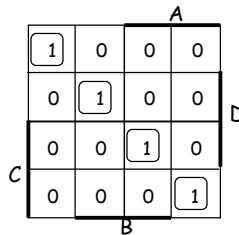
block diagram and truth table

we'll need a 4-variable Karnaugh map for each of the 3 output functions

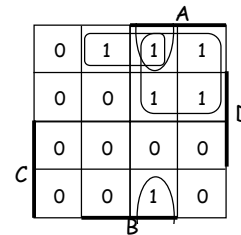
Design Example: Two-bit Comparator (cont'd)



K-map for LT



K-map for EQ



K-map for GT

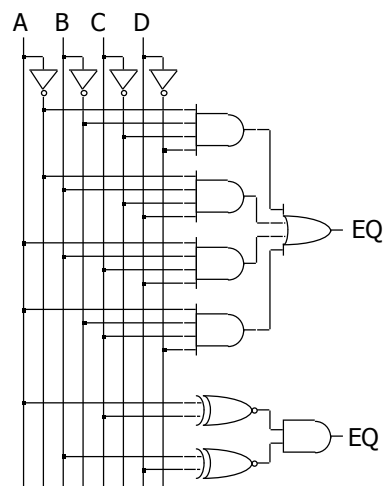
$$LT = A' B' D + A' C + B' C D$$

$$EQ = A' B' C' D' + A' B C' D + A B C D + A B' C D' = (A \text{ xnor } C) \cdot (B \text{ xnor } D)$$

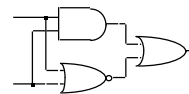
$$GT = B C' D' + A C' + A B D'$$

LT and GT are similar (flip A/C and B/D)

Design Example: Two-bit Comparator (cont'd)

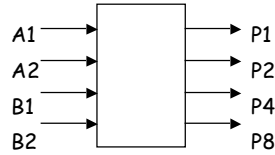


two alternative implementations of EQ with and without XOR



XNOR is implemented with at least 3 simple gates

Design Example: 2x2-bit Multiplier

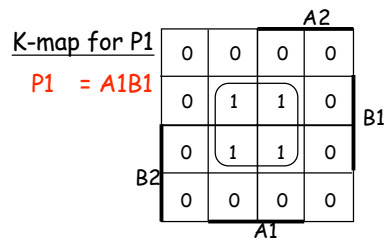
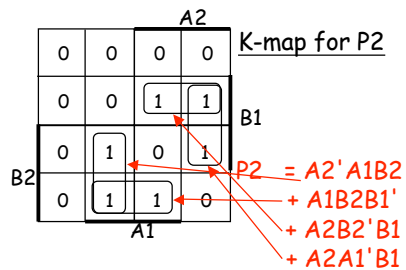
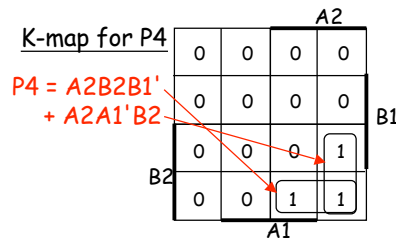
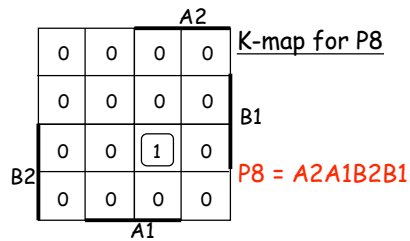


block diagram
and
truth table

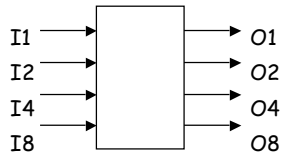
A2	A1	B2	B1	P8	P4	P2	P1
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		0	1	0	0	0	0
		1	0	0	0	0	0
		1	1	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		0	1	0	0	0	1
		1	0	0	0	1	0
		1	1	0	0	1	1
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		0	1	0	0	1	0
		1	0	0	1	0	0
		1	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		0	1	0	0	1	1
		1	0	0	1	1	0
		1	1	1	0	0	1

4-variable K-map
for each of the 4
output functions

Design Example: 2x2-bit Multiplier (cont'd)



Design Example: BCD Increment by 1

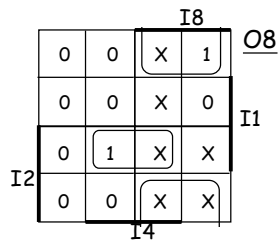


block diagram
and
truth table

I8	I4	I2	I1	O8	O4	O2	O1
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0
0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0
0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1
1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0	X	X	X
1	0	1	1	0	X	X	X
1	1	0	0	0	X	X	X
1	1	0	1	0	X	X	X
1	1	1	0	0	X	X	X
1	1	1	1	0	X	X	X
1	1	1	1	1	X	X	X

4-variable K-map for each of
the 4 output functions

Design Example: BCD Increment by 1 (cont'd)

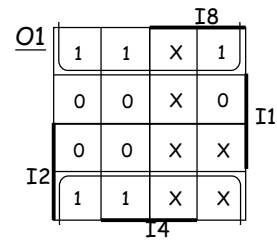
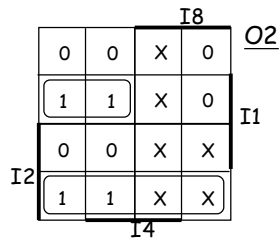
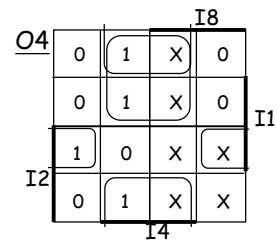


$$O8 = I4 I2 I1 + I8 I1'$$

$$O4 = I4 I2' + I4 I1' + I4' I2 I1$$

$$O2 = I8' I2' I1 + I2 I1'$$

$$O1 = I1'$$



Definition of Terms for Two-level Simplification

■ Implicant

- Single element of ON-set or DC-set or any group of these elements that can be combined to form a subcube

■ Prime implicant

- Implicant that can't be combined with another to form a larger subcube

■ Essential prime implicant

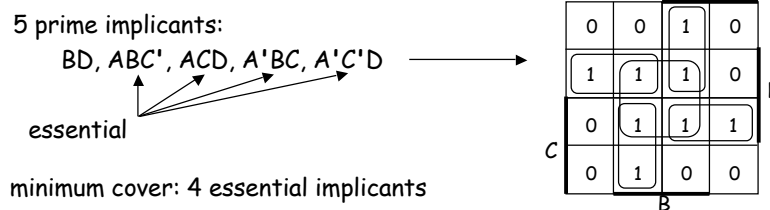
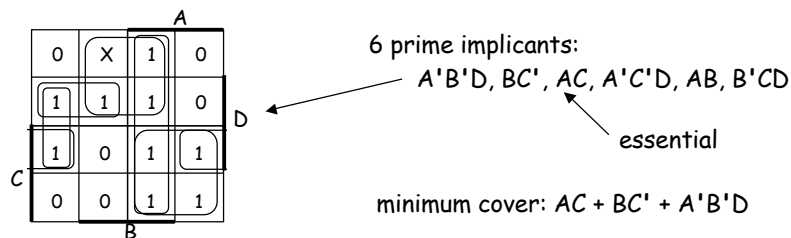
- Prime implicant is essential if it alone covers an element of ON-set
- Will participate in ALL possible covers of the ON-set
- DC-set used to form prime implicants but not to make implicant essential

■ Objective:

- Grow implicant into prime implicants (minimize literals per term)
- Cover the ON-set with as few prime implicants as possible (minimize number of product terms)

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Examples to Illustrate Terms



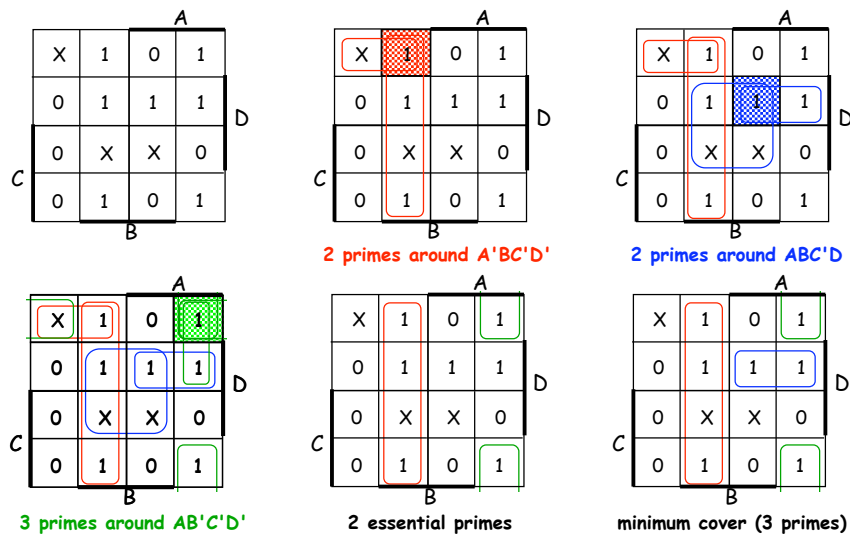
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Algorithm for Two-level Simplification

- **Algorithm: minimum sum-of-products expression from a K-map**
 - ▮ Step 1: choose an element of the ON-set
 - ▮ Step 2: find "maximal" groupings of 1s and Xs adjacent to that element
 - ▮ consider top/bottom row, left/right column, and corner adjacencies
 - ▮ this forms prime implicants (number of elements always a power of 2)
 - ▮ Repeat Steps 1 and 2 to find all prime implicants
 - ▮ Step 3: revisit the 1s in the K-map
 - ▮ if covered by single prime implicant, it is essential, participates in final cover
 - ▮ 1s covered by essential prime implicant do not need to be revisited
 - ▮ Step 4: if there remain 1s not covered by essential prime implicants
 - ▮ select the smallest number of prime implicants that cover the remaining 1s

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Algorithm for Two-level Simplification (example)

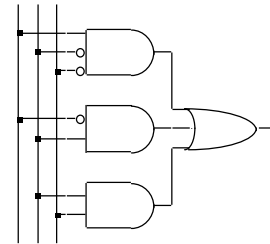


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Implementations of Two-level Logic

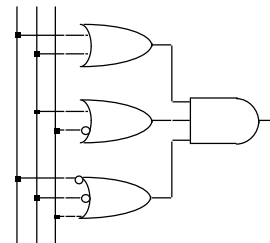
■ Sum-of-products

- AND gates to form product terms (minterms)
- OR gate to form sum



■ Product-of-sums

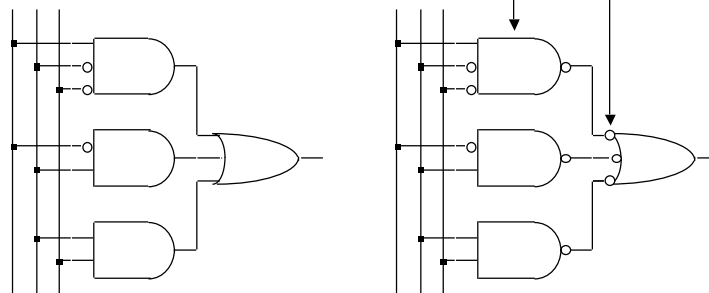
- OR gates to form sum terms (maxterms)
- AND gates to form product



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Two-level Logic Using NAND Gates

- Replace minterm AND gates with NAND gates
- Place compensating inversion at inputs of OR gate



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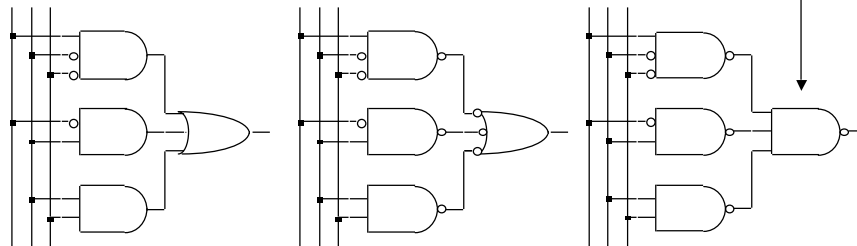
Two-level Logic Using NAND Gates (cont'd)

- OR gate with inverted inputs is a NAND gate

- de Morgan's: $A' + B' = (A \cdot B)'$

- Two-level NAND-NAND network

- Inverted inputs are not counted
 - In a typical circuit, inversion is done once and signal distributed

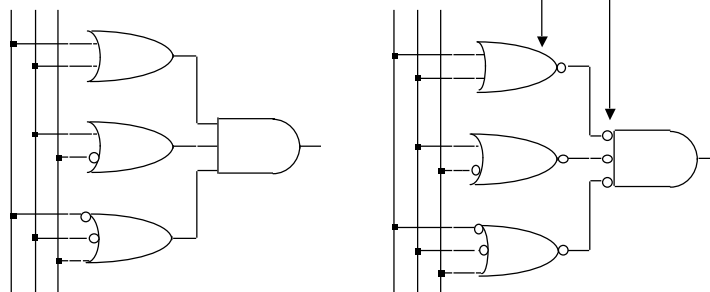


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Two-level Logic Using NOR Gates

- Replace maxterm OR gates with NOR gates

- Place compensating inversion at inputs of AND gate



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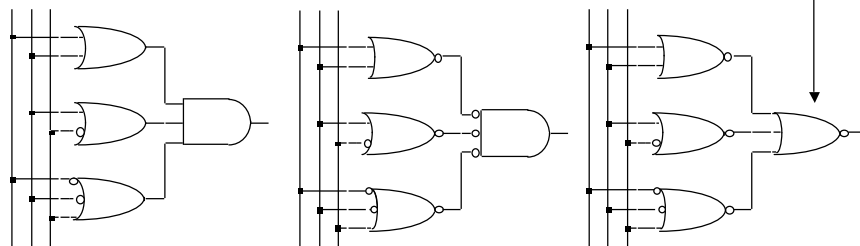
Two-level Logic Using NOR Gates (cont'd)

- AND gate with inverted inputs is a NOR gate

- de Morgan's: $A' \cdot B' = (A + B)'$

- Two-level NOR-NOR network

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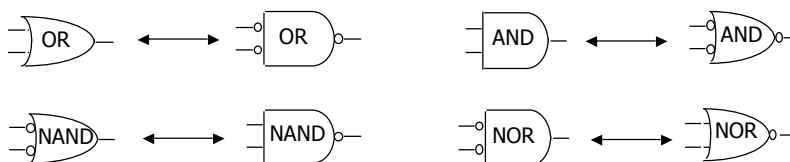
Two-level Logic Using NAND and NOR Gates

- NAND-NAND and NOR-NOR networks

- de Morgan's law: $(A + B)' = A' \cdot B'$
 $(A \cdot B)' = A' + B'$
 - written differently: $A + B = (A' \cdot B)'$
 $(A \cdot B) = (A' + B)'$

- In other words --

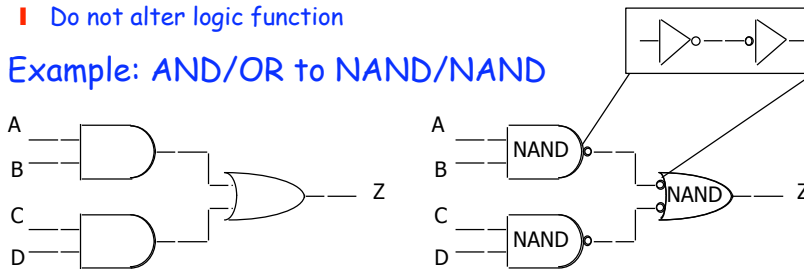
- OR is the same as NAND with complemented inputs
 - AND is the same as NOR with complemented inputs
 - NAND is the same as OR with complemented inputs
 - NOR is the same as AND with complemented inputs



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Conversion Between Forms

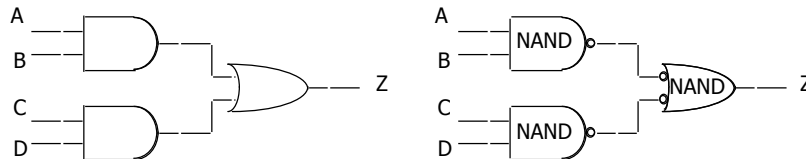
- Convert from networks of ANDs and ORs to networks of NANDs and NORs
 - Introduce appropriate inversions ("bubbles")
- Each introduced "bubble" must be matched by a corresponding "bubble"
 - Conservation of inversions
 - Do not alter logic function
- Example: AND/OR to NAND/NAND



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Conversion Between Forms (cont'd)

- Example: verify equivalence of two forms

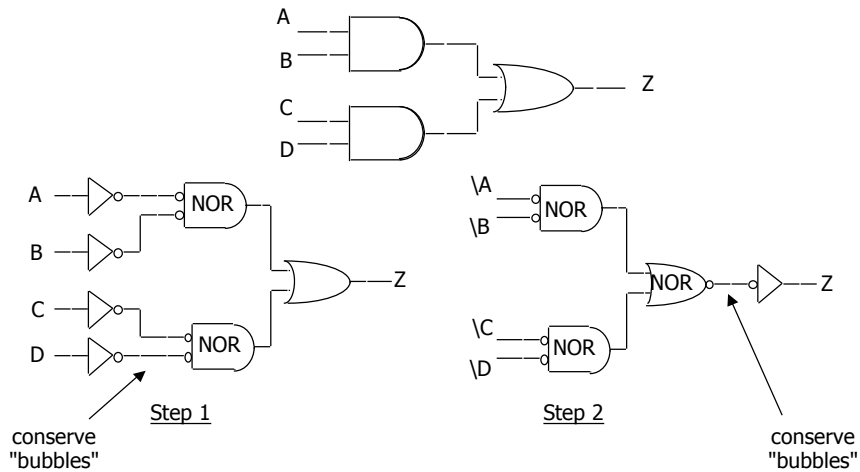


$$\begin{aligned}
 Z &= [(A \cdot B)' \cdot (C \cdot D)']' \\
 &= [(A' + B') \cdot (C' + D)']' \\
 &= [(A' + B')' + (C' + D)'] \\
 &= (A \cdot B) + (C \cdot D) \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

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Conversion Between Forms (cont'd)

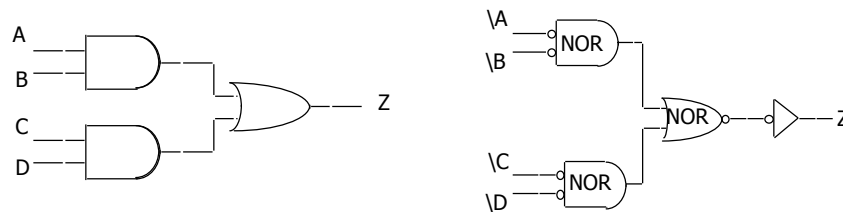
■ Example: map AND/OR network to NOR/NOR network



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Conversion Between Forms (cont'd)

■ Example: verify equivalence of two forms



$$\begin{aligned}
 Z &= \{ [(A' + B') + (C' + D')] \}' \\
 &= \{ (A' + B') \cdot (C' + D') \}' \\
 &= (A' + B')' + (C' + D')' \\
 &= (A \cdot B) + (C \cdot D) \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

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Combinational Logic Summary

- Logic functions, truth tables, and switches
 - NOT, AND, OR, NAND, NOR, XOR, . . . , minimal set
- Axioms and theorems of Boolean algebra
 - Proofs by re-writing and perfect induction
- Gate logic
 - Networks of Boolean functions and their time behavior
- Canonical forms
 - Two-level and incompletely specified functions
- Simplification
 - Two-level simplification