CO Unit-1

Part-2 Boolean Algebra And Logic Gates

Syllabus

- Basic Definitions
- Axiomatic definition of Boolean Algebra
- Basic theorems and properties of Boolean algebra
- Boolean functions canonical and standard forms

Boolean Algebra:

- A deductive mathematical system
- Defined with
 - A set of elements
 - ex: B = {0, 1}
 - A set of operators
 - ex: +, *, ...
 - A number of unproved axioms or postulates

- The most common postulates used to formulate various algebraic structures are:
- 1. Closure. N= $\{1,2,3,4...\}$, for any a,b \in N we obtain a unique c \in N by the operation a+b=c. Ex:2-3= -1 and 2,3 \in N, while (-1) \notin N.
- Associative law. A binary operator * on a set S is said to be associative whenever

$$(x * y) * z = x * (y * z)$$
 for all x, y, z, $\in S$

3. Commutative law.

x * y = y * x for all $x, y \in S$

4. Identity element. e is identity element which belongs to S.

e * x = x * e = x for every $x \in S$ Ex: x + 0 = 0 + x = x for any $x \in I=\{...,-2, -1, 0, 1, 2,...\}$ x * 1 = 1 * x = x

5. **Inverse.** In the set of integers, I, with e = 0

x * y = e; a + (-a) = 0

-a and y are inverse elements

6. Distributive law. If * and · are two binary operators on a set S, * is said to be distributive over · Whenever

 $x * (y \cdot z) = (x * y) \cdot (x * z)$

- The operators and postulates have the following meanings:
- The binary operator + defines addition.
- The additive identity is 0.
- The additive inverse defines subtraction.
- The binary operator \cdot defines multiplication.
- The multiplicative identity is 1.
- The multiplicative inverse of a = 1/a defines division, i.e.,

The only distributive law applicable is that of \cdot over +:

$$a \cdot (b + c) = (a \cdot b) + (a \cdot c)$$

AXIOMATIC DEFINITION OF BOOLEAN ALGEBRA

- In 1854, George Boole
 - Introduced a systematic treatment of logic
 - Developed an algebraic system called *Boolean* algebra
- In 1938, C. E. Shannon
 - Introduced a two-valued Boolean algebra called switching algebra
 - The properties of bistable electrical switching circuits (digital circuits) can be represented by it
- In 1904, E. V. Huntington
 - Formulate the postulates as the formal definitions

AXIOMATIC DEFINITION OF BOOLEAN ALGEBRA

- Boolean algebra is defined by a set of elements, B, provided following postulates with two binary operators, + and ·, are satisfied:
- 1. Closure with respect to the operators + and \cdot .
- 2. An identity element with respect to + and \cdot is 0 and 1, respectively.
- 3. Commutative with respect to + and \cdot . Ex: x + y = y + x
- 4. + is distributive over \cdot : x + (y \cdot z)=(x + y) \cdot (x + z)
 - . is distributive over + : $x \cdot (y + z) = (x \cdot y) + (x \cdot z)$
- 5. Complement elements: x + x' = 1 and $x \cdot x' = 0$.
- 6. There exists at least two elements $x, y \in B$ such that $x \neq y$.

AXIOMATIC DEFINITION OF BOOLEAN ALGEBRA

- 1. Huntington postulates don't include the associative law, however, this holds for Boolean algebra.
- The distributive law of + over · is valid for Boolean algebra, but not for ordinary algebra.
- Boolean algebra doesn't have additive and multiplicative inverses; therefore, no subtraction or division operations.
- Postulate 5 defines an operator called complement that is not available in ordinary algebra.
- Ordinary algebra deals with the real numbers. Boolean algebra deals with the as yet undefined set of elements, B, in two-valued Boolean algebra, the B have two elements, 0 and 1.

Two-Valued Boolean Algebra

A two-valued Boolean algebra is

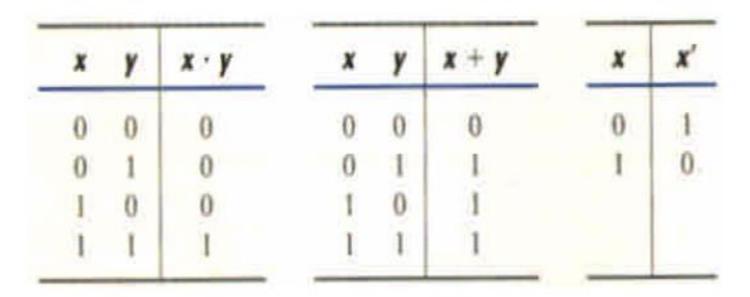
- Defined on a set of two elements B = {0, 1}
- With rules for the binary operators + and *

		x*y			x+y			x′
0	0	0	0	0	0 1 1 1	-	0	1 0
0	1	0	0	1	1		1	0
1	0	0	1	0	1			I
1	1	0 0 0 1	1	1	1			

Satisfying the six Huntington postulates
 Called "switching algebra", "*binary logic*"

Two-Valued Boolean Algebra

- With rules for the two binary operators + and . as shown in the following table, exactly the same as AND, OR , and NOT operations, respectively.
- From the tables as defined by postulate 2.



Two-Valued Boolean Algebra

x	Y	z	y + z	$\mathbf{x} \cdot (\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{z})$	x·y	x·z	$(x \cdot y) + (x \cdot z)$
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
0	1	I	1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1
1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

 $x \cdot (y + z) = (x \cdot y) + (x \cdot z)$

 To emphasize the similarities between two-valued Boolean algebra and other binary systems, this algebra was called "binary logic". We shall drop the adjective "two-valued" from Boolean algebra in subsequent discussions.

 If the binary operators and the identity elements are interchanged, it is called the duality principle. We simply <u>interchange OR and AND operators and</u> replace 1's by 0's and 0's by 1's.

The theorem 1(b) is the dual of theorem 1(a) and that each step of the proof in part (b) is the dual of part (a). Show at the slice after next slice.

Postulates and Theorems of Boolean Algebra

Postulate 2	(a)	x + 0 = x	(b)	$x \cdot 1 = x$
Postulate 5	(a)	x + x' = 1	(b)	$x \cdot x' = 0$
Theorem 1	(a)	x + x = x	(b)	$x \cdot x = x$
Theorem 2	(a)	x + 1 = 1	(b)	$x \cdot 0 = 0$
Theorem 3, involution		(x')' = x		
Postulate 3, commutative	(a)	x + y = y + x	(b)	xy = yx
Theorem 4, associative	(a)	x + (y + z) = (x + y) + z	(b)	x(yz) = (xy)z
Postulate 4, distributive	(a)	x(y+z) = xy + xz	(b)	x + yz = (x + y)(x + z)
Theorem 5, DeMorgan	(a)	(x + y)' = x'y'	(b)	(xy)' = x' + y'
Theorem 6, absorption	(a)	x + xy = x	(b)	x(x + y) = x

Theorem 1(a)
 X + X = X

< proof> $X + X = (X + X) * 1 \dots p2(b)$ $= (X + X) (X + X') \dots p5(a)$ $= X + XX' \dots p4(b)$ $= X + 0 \dots P5(b)$ $= X \dots P2(a)$

Theorem 1(b)
 X * X = X

<proof>

- X * X = XX + 0 p2(a)
 - = XX + XX⁴ p5(b)
 - = X (X + X') p4(a)
 - = X * 1 p5(a)
 - = X p2(a)

Theorem 2(a): X + 1 = 1 <proof> $X + 1 = 1 * (X + 1) \dots p2(b)$ $= (X + X') (X + 1) \dots p5(a)$ = X + X' * 1 p4(b) = X + X' p2(b) $= 1 \dots p5(a)$ Theorem 2(b): X * 0 = 0 <proof> by duality of theorem 2(a)

- Theorem 3: (X')' = X (involution, 乘方)
 - X + X' = 1 and X * X' = 0 (from p5)
 - \Rightarrow X and X' are complement to each other
 - \therefore the complement of X[•] = (X[•])[•] = X

- Theorem 4: (associative)
 - (a) X + (Y + Z) = (X + Y) + Z(b) X (YZ) = (XY) Z
- <proof for (a)>
 - $X + (Y + Z) = X^*1 + (Y + Z)^*1 \dots p2(b)$
 - = X*1 + Y*1 + Z*1 p4(a)
 - = (X + Y)*1 + Z*1 p4(a)
 - = (X + Y) + Z p2(b)

<proof for (b)>

can be obtained by the duality of theorem 4(a)

Theorem 5: (DeMorgan)

(a) (X + Y)' = X'Y' (b) (XY)' = X' + Y' <proof>

(a) by truth table

-	-	(x+y)'		у′	-
0 0	0	1 0	1	1 0 1 0	1
0 1	1	0	1	0	0
1 0	1	0	0	1	0
1 1	1	0	0	0	0

(b) can be proofed by similar way

Basic Theorems and Properties Theorem 6: (absorption, 合件) (a) X + XY = X (b) X(X + Y) = X<proof for (a)> $X + XY = X * 1 + XY \dots p2(b)$ $= X (1 + Y) \dots p4(a)$ $= X (Y + 1) \dots p3(a)$ = X * 1 p2(a) = X p2(b) <proof for (b)>

can be obtained by the duality of theorem 6(a)

THEOREM 6(b): x(x + y) = x by duality.

The theorems of Boolean algebra can be proven by means of truth tables. In truth tables, both sides of the relation are checked to see whether they yield identical results for all possible combinations of the variables involved. The following truth table verifies the first absorption theorem:

x	y	xy	x + xy
0	0	0	0
0	1	0	0
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	1

The algebraic proofs of the associative law and DeMorgan's theorem are long and will not be shown here. However, their validity is easily shown with truth tables. For example, the truth table for the first DeMorgan's theorem, (x + y)' = x'y', is as follows:

x	y	x + y	(x + y)'	x ′	Y'	x'y'
0	0	0	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	0	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0	0	0

Operator Precedence

- (1) Parentheses (括號)
- (2) NOT similar to the sign of numbers
- (3) AND similar to multiplication
- (4) OR similar to addition
- Ex: (X + Y)' + Z
 - step 1: X + Y inside the parentheses
 - step 2: (X + Y)'
 - step 3: (X + Y)' + Z

- A Boolean function is described by an algebraic expression that consists of
 - Binary variables
 - The constant 0 and 1
 - The logic operation symbols
- For a given value of the binary variables, the function can be equal to either 1 or 0
- Ex: F1 = X +Y' Z
 - $X = 1 \rightarrow F1 = 1$
 - Y = 0 and $Z = 1 \rightarrow F1 = 1$

otherwise \rightarrow F1 = 0

- A Boolean function can be represented in a truth table
 - An unique representation
- A truth table includes
 - A list of combinations of 1's and 0's assigned to the binary variables
 - A column that shows the value of the function for each binary combination
- Ex: F1 = X + Y' Z
 - No. of binary variables = 3

 $\begin{array}{c|ccccc} x & y & z & F1 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array}$

 A Boolean function can be transformed from an algebraic expression into a circuit diagram composed of logic gates connected in a particular structure.

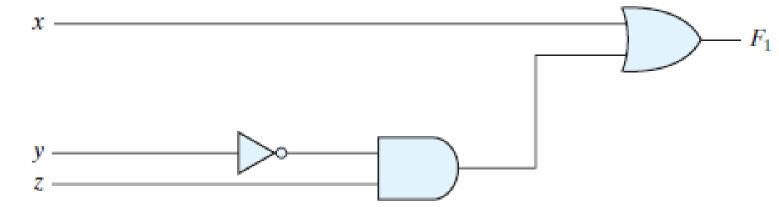
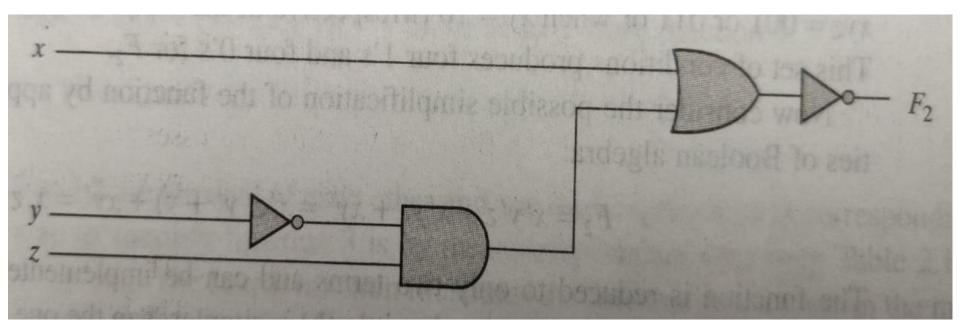


FIGURE 2.1

Gate implementation of $F_1 = x + y'z$

- There is only one way to represent Boolean function in a truth table.
- In algebraic form, it can be expressed in a variety of ways.
- By simplifying Boolean algebra, we can reduce the number of gates in the circuit and the number of inputs to the gate.

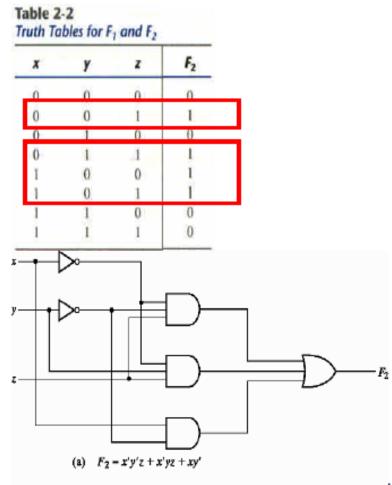


Before simplification of Boolean function

 Consider the following Boolean function:
 F₂ = x'y'z + x'yz + xy'

This function with logic gates is shown in Fig. 2-2(a)

 The function is equal to 1 when xyz = 001 or 011 or when xyz = 10x.



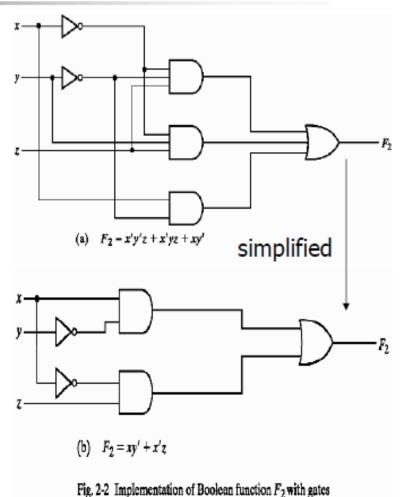
After simplification of Boolean function

 Simplify the following Boolean function:

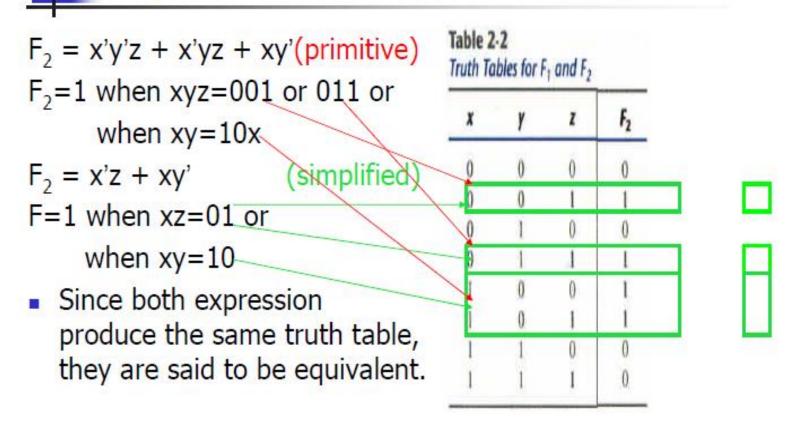
$$F_2 = x'y'z + x'yz + xy'$$

= x'z (y' + y) + xy'
= x'z + xy'

 In 2-2 (b), would be preferable because it requires less wires and components.



Equivalent



Algebraic Manipulation

- When a Boolean expression is implemented with logic gates, each term requires a gate and each variable within the term designates an input to the gate.
- Literal: a single variable within a term that may be complement or not
 - F2 = x'y'z + x'yz + xy' (3 terms, 8 literals)
 - F2 = xy' + x'z (2 terms, 4 literals)
- Reducing the number of terms and the number of literals can often lead to a simpler circuit

Algebraic Manipulation
Ex 2-1: 4.
$$X Y + X'Z + YZ$$
 Consensus term
Merged
 $= xy + x'z + yz(x + x')$
 $= xy + x'z + xyz + x'yz$
 $= xy(1 + z) + x'z(1 + y)$
 $= xy + x'z$

Function 5 can be derived from the dual of the steps used to derive function 4.

 Functions 4 and 5 are known as the consensus theorem.

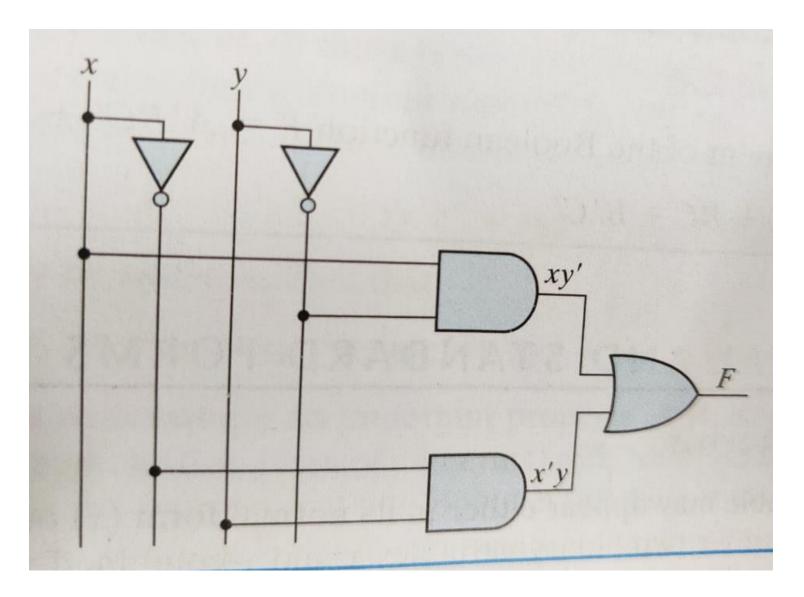
Example 2-1

 Simplify the following Boolean functions to a minimum number of literals 1. x(x' + y) = xx' + xy = 0 + xy = xy2. x + x'y = (x + x')(x + y) = 1(x + y) = x + y3. (x + y)(x + y') = x + xy + xy' + yy'= x(1 + y + y') + 0 = x4. xy + x'z + yz = xy + x'z + yz(x + x')= xy + x'z + xyz + x'yz= xy(1 + z) + x'z(1 + y) = xy + x'z5. (x + y)(x' + z)(y + z) = (x + y)(x' + z)by duality from function 4

Example

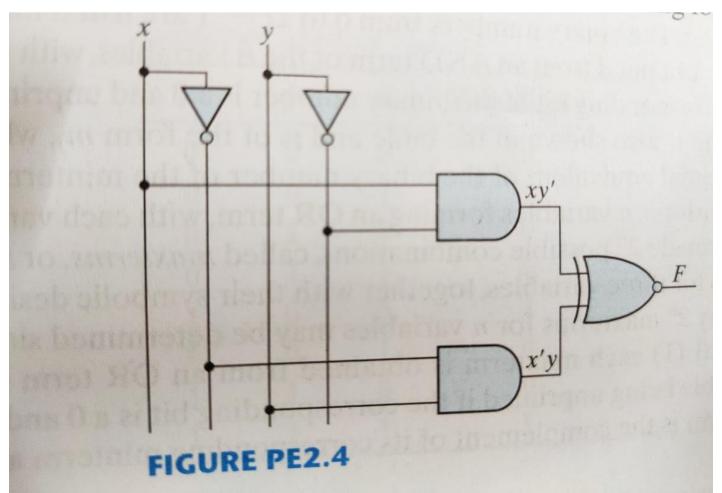
Draw a logic diagram for the Boolean function
 F=x'y+xy'

Answer

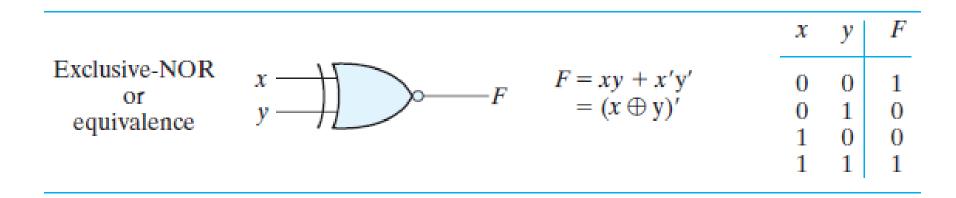


Example

What boolean Expression is implemented by the following logic diagram?



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Answer

- (xy')(x'y)+(xy')'(x'y)'
- 0+(x'+y)(x+y')
- xx'+x'y'+xy+yy'
- xy+x'y'
- Draw truth table for xy+x'y'

X Y X' Y' XY X'Y' XY+X'Y'

- The complement of a function F is F' and is obtained from an interchange of O's for 1's and 1's for O's in the value of F.
- The complement of a function may be derived algebraically through DeMorgan's theorems
- DeMorgan's theorems can be extended to three or more variables. The three-variable form of the first DeMorgan's theorem is derived as follows, from postulates and theorems.

(A + B + C)' = (A + x)' let B + C = x

= A'x' by theorem 5(a) (DeMorgan)

= A'(B + C)' substitute B + C = x

= A'(B'C') by theorem 5(a) (DeMorgan)

= A'B'C' by theorem 4(b) (associative)

DeMorgan's theorems for any number of variables resemble the two-variable case in form and can be derived by successive substitutions similar to the method used in the preceding derivation. These theorems can be generalized as follows:

$$(A + B + C + D + \dots + F)' = A'B'C'D'\dots F'$$

 $(ABCD\dots F)' = A' + B' + C' + D' + \dots + F'$

The generalized form of DeMorgan's theorems states that the complement of a function is obtained by interchanging AND and OR operators and complementing each literal.

EXAMPLE 2.2

Find the complement of the functions $F_1 = x'yz' + x'y'z$ and $F_2 = x(y'z' + yz)$. By applying DeMorgan's theorems as many times as necessary, the complements are obtained as follows:

$$F'_{1} = (x'yz' + x'y'z)' = (x'yz')'(x'y'z)' = (x + y' + z)(x + y + z')$$

$$F'_{2} = [x(y'z' + yz)]' = x' + (y'z' + yz)' = x' + (y'z')'(yz)'$$

$$= x' + (y + z)(y' + z')$$

$$= x' + yz' + y'z$$

EXAMPLE 2.3

Find the complement of the functions F_1 and F_2 of Example 2.2 by taking their duals and complementing each literal.

- 1. $F_1 = x'yz' + x'y'z$. The dual of F_1 is (x' + y + z')(x' + y' + z). Complement each literal: $(x + y' + z)(x + y + z') = F'_1$.
- 2. $F_2 = x(y'z' + yz)$.

The dual of F_2 is x + (y' + z')(y + z). Complement each literal: $x' + (y + z)(y' + z') = F'_2$.

Example

- Find the complement of the boolean function
- F=A'BC'+A'B'C

Answer

- (A'BC'+A'B'C)'
- (A+B'+C).(A+B+C')
- AA+AB+AC'+B'A+B'B+B'C'+CA+CB+CC'
- A+AB+AC'+B'A+0+B'C'+CA+CB+0
- A+AB+AC'+B'A+B'C'+CA+CB
- A+A(B+B')+A(C+C')+B'C'+BC
- A+A+A+B'C'+BC
- A+B'C'+BC

CANONICAL AND STANDARD FORMS

- n variables can form 2ⁿ(0~2ⁿ-1) Minterms, so does Maxterms (Table 2-3).
- Minterms and Maxterms
 Minterms: obtain from an AND term of the n
 variables, or called standard product.

 Maxterms: n variables form an OR term, or called
 standard sum.
- Each Maxterm is the complement of its corresponding Minterm, and vice versa.
- A sum of minterms or product of maxterms are said to be in canonical form.

CANONICAL AND STANDARD FORMS

			Minterms		Maxterms	
Х	У	Ζ	Term	Name	Term	Name
0	0	0	x'y'z'	m ₀	x + y + z	M ₀
0	0	1	x'y'z	m ₁	x + y + z'	M_1
0	1	0	x'yz'	m ₂	x + y' + z	M_2
0	1	1	x'yz	m ₃	x + y' + z'	M_3
1	0	0	xy'z'	m ₄	x' + y + z	M_4
1	0	1	xy'z	m ₅	x' + y + z'	M_5
1	1	0	xyz'	m ₆	x' + y' + z	M_6
1	1	1	xyz	m ₇	x' + y' + z'	M ₇

Minterm = standard product

Maxterm = standard sum

CANONICAL AND STANDARD FORMS

■ F1 = x'y'z+xy'z'+xyz = $m_1+m_4+m_7$ ■ F1' = x'y'z'+x'yz'+x'yz+xy'z+xyz' → F1 = (x+y+z)(x+y'+z)(x+y'+z') (x'+y+z')(x'+y'+z)= $M_0M_2M_3M_5M_6$

Х	у	Z	F1	F2
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	0	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

Similarly:

 $F2 = x'yz+xy'z+xyz'+xyz = m_3+m_5+m_6+m_7$ = (x+y+z)(x+y+z')(x+y'+z)(x'+y+z) = M_0M_1M_2M_4

 Boolean functions expressed as a sum of minterms or product of maxterms are said to be in *canonical form*

Canonical Form

- From a truth table can express a minterm for each combination of the variables that produces a 1 in a Boolean function, and then taking the OR of all those terms.
- <EX.> Upon the table 2-4 that produces 1 in f₁=1:
- F1 = x'y'z + xy'z' + xyz
 - $= m_1 + m_4 + m_7$
- F1' = x'y'z' + x'yz' + x'yz + xy'z + xyz'→ F1 = (x+y+z)(x+y'+z)(x+y'+z') (x'+y+z')(x'+y'+z)
 - $= M_0 M_2 M_3 M_5 M_6$
- Similarly:

 $F2 = x'yz + xy'z + xyz' + xyz = m_3 + m_5 + m_6 + m_7$

 $= (x+y+z)(x+y+z')(x+y'+z)(x'+y+z) = M_0M_1M_2M_4$

 Boolean functions expressed as a sum of minterms or product of maxterms are said to be in *canonical form*

x	у	Z	F1	F2
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	0	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

Sum of Minterms

- Each term must contain all the variables
 - If x is missing, ANDed with (x + x')
- Ex.2-4 Express the Boolean function F = A + BC in a sum of minterms.

A→ lost two variables (B, C) A = A(B+B') = AB + AB' → still missing one variable A = AB(C + C') + AB'(C + C') =ABC + ABC' + AB'C + AB'C' B'C → lost one variable (A) B'C = B'C(A + A') = AB'C + A'B'C Combining all terms F = A'B'C+ AB'C'+AB'C+ABC'+ABC = m₁+m₄+m₅+m₆+m₇ Convenient expression

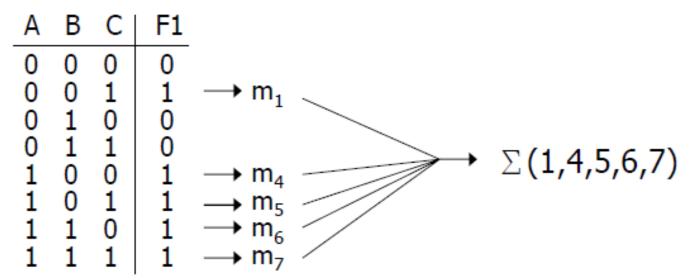
 $F(A, B, C) = \sum (1, 4, 5, 6, 7)$

Notation for Sum of Minterms

• F = A+B'C = ABC+ABC'+AB'C+AB'C'+A'B'C

 $= m_1 + m_4 + m_5 + m_6 + m_7$

- \Rightarrow F (A, B, C) = Σ (1,4,5,6,7)
 - Σ : ORing of terms
- Can be derived directly from the truth table



Product of Maxterms

Each term must contain all the variables

- If x is missing, ORed with xx' and apply distributive law
- Ex.2-5 Express the Boolean function F= xy + x'z in a product of maxterm form.
- using distributive law \rightarrow F = xy + x'z =(xy+x')(xy+z) = (x + x')(y + x')(x + z)(y + z) = (x' + y)(x + z)(y + z)

Each OR term missing one variable

$$x' + y = x' + y + zz' = (x' + y + z)(x' + y + z')$$

$$x + z = x + z + yy' = (x + y + z)(x + y' + z)$$

$$y + z = y + z + xx' = (x + y + z)(x' + y + z)$$

Combining all the terms

$$F = (x + y + z)(x + y' + z)(x' + y + z)(x' + y + z')$$

= M₀M₂M₄M₅

A convenient way to express this function

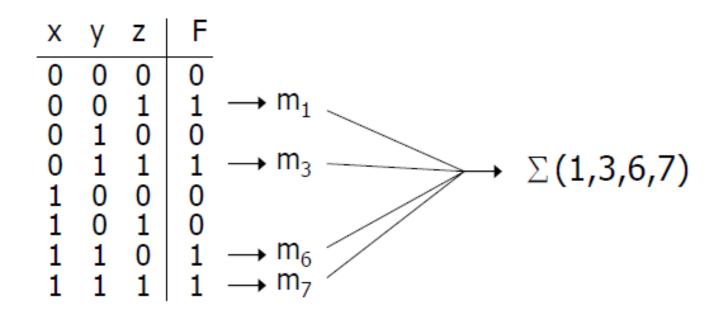
 $F(x, y, z) = \prod(0, 2, 4, 5)$

Conversion between Canonical Forms

- The complement of a function = the sum of minterms missing from the original function
 - $F(A,B,C) = \Sigma(1,4,5,6,7)$
 - $F'(A,B,C) = \Sigma(0,2,3) = m_0 + m_2 + m_3$
- From DeMorgan's theorem:
 - F = $(m_0 + m_2 + m_3)' = m_0' m_2' m_3' = M_0 M_2 M_3 = \prod(0,2,3)$ ■ $m_j' = M_j$ are shown in Table 2-3
- To convert from one canonical from to another:
 - Interchange the symbol Σ and Π
 - List those numbers missing from the original form

Example 2-5 by Conversion

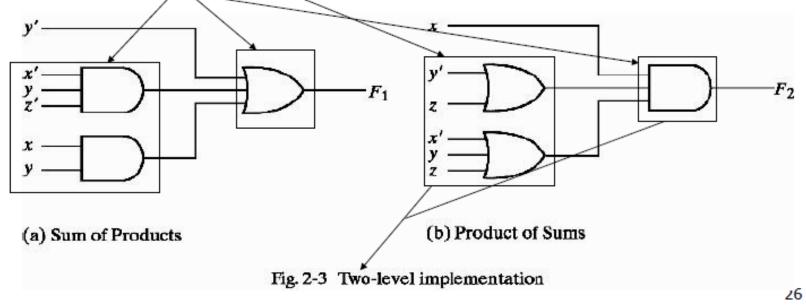
• F = xy + x'z = x'y'z + x'yz + xyz' + xyz



The missing numbers are 0, 2, 4, 5
 F = ∏(0,2,4,5)

Standard forms

- Another way to express Boolean functions is in standard form.
- 1. Sum of products(SOP): $F_1 = y' + xy + x'yz'$
- 2. Product of sums(POS): $F_2 = x(y' + z)(x' + y + z')$



 Standard forms : not required to have all variables in each term

Non-Standard Forms

- Neither in sum of products nor in product of sums
 - F3 = AB + C(D+E) non-standard form
 - F3 = AB + CD + CE standard form
- Results in a multi-level gating structure
- In general, two-level implementations are preferred
 - Produce the least amount of delay from inputs to outputs

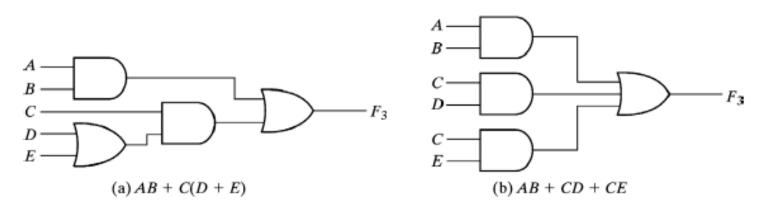


Fig. 2-4 Three- and Two-Level implementation