

administrivia

Homework #1 Due Friday before class.

Please try out Gradescope before then!

(You can submit multiple times, so do a test run on the first homework.)

Office hours now posted on the web page:

TA	Office hours	Room
Evan McClarty	Thu, 3-4pm	CSE 021
Mert Saglam	Tue, 11-12pm	CSE 021
Krista Holden	Thu, 10:30-11:30am	CSE 220
Gunnar Onarheim	Tue, 3-4pm	CSE 021
Ian Turner	Wed, 12-1pm	CSE 218
Junhao (Ian) Zhu	Thu 4-5pm	CSE 021

Sections start this week:

Section	Day/Time	Room
AA Evan	Th, 1230-120	THO 234
AB Mert	Th, 130-220	DEN 217
AC Ian	Th, 230-320	MGH 254
AD Krista	Th, 1130-1220	MGH 251

Class e-mail list, Discussion board

a combinatorial logic example

Sessions of class:

We would like to compute the number of lectures or quiz sections remaining *at the start* of a given day of the week.

- Inputs: Day of the Week, Lecture/Section flag
- Output: Number of sessions left

Examples: Input: (Wednesday, Lecture) Output: 2  
 Input: (Monday, Section) Output: 1

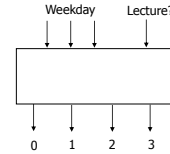
implementation in software

```
public int classesLeft(weekday, lecture_flag) {
    switch (day) {
        case SUNDAY:
        case MONDAY:
            return lecture_flag ? 3 : 1;
        case TUESDAY:
        case WEDNESDAY:
            return lecture_flag ? 2 : 1;
        case THURSDAY:
            return lecture_flag ? 1 : 1;
        case FRIDAY:
            return lecture_flag ? 1 : 0;
        case SATURDAY:
            return lecture_flag ? 0 : 0;
    }
}
```

implementation with combinational logic

Encoding:

- How many bits for each input/output?
- Binary number for weekday
- One bit for each possible output



defining our inputs

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        case WEDNESDAY:
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        case THURSDAY:
            return lecture_flag ? 1 : 1;
        case FRIDAY:
            return lecture_flag ? 1 : 0;
        case SATURDAY:
            return lecture_flag ? 0 : 0;
    }
}
```

Weekday	Number	Binary
Sunday	0	(000) <sub>2</sub>
Monday	1	(001) <sub>2</sub>
Tuesday	2	(010) <sub>2</sub>
Wednesday	3	(011) <sub>2</sub>
Thursday	4	(100) <sub>2</sub>
Friday	5	(101) <sub>2</sub>
Saturday	6	(110) <sub>2</sub>

converting to a truth table

Weekday	Number	Binary	Weekday	Lecture?	c0	c1	c2	c3
Sunday	0	(000) <sub>2</sub>	000	0	0	1	0	0
Monday	1	(001) <sub>2</sub>	000	1	0	0	0	1
Tuesday	2	(010) <sub>2</sub>	001	0	0	1	0	0
Wednesday	3	(011) <sub>2</sub>	001	1	0	0	0	1
Thursday	4	(100) <sub>2</sub>	010	0	0	1	0	0
Friday	5	(101) <sub>2</sub>	010	1	0	0	1	0
Saturday	6	(110) <sub>2</sub>	011	0	0	1	0	0
			011	1	0	0	1	0
			100	-	0	1	0	0
			101	0	1	0	0	0
			101	1	0	1	0	0
			110	-	1	0	0	0
			111	-	-	-	-	-

truth table => logic (part one)

DAY	d2d1d0	L	c0	c1	c2	c3
SunS	000	0	0	1	0	0
SunL	000	1	0	0	0	1
MonS	001	0	0	1	0	0
MonL	001	1	0	0	0	1
TueS	010	0	0	1	0	0
TueL	010	1	0	0	1	0
WedS	011	0	0	1	0	0
WedL	011	1	0	0	1	0
Thu	100	-	0	1	0	0
FriS	101	0	1	0	0	0
FriL	101	1	0	1	0	0
Sat	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	-	-	-	-

$c3 = (\text{DAY} == \text{SUN and LEC}) \text{ or } (\text{DAY} == \text{MON and LEC})$   
 $c3 = (d2 == 0 \ \&\& \ d1 == 0 \ \&\& \ d0 == 0 \ \&\& \ L == 1) \ ||$   
 $(d2 == 0 \ \&\& \ d1 == 0 \ \&\& \ d0 == 1 \ \&\& \ L == 1)$   
 $c3 = d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0' \cdot L + d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0 \cdot L$

truth table => logic (part two)

DAY	d2d1d0	L	c0	c1	c2	c3
SunS	000	0	0	1	0	0
SunL	000	1	0	0	0	1
MonS	001	0	0	1	0	0
MonL	001	1	0	0	0	1
TueS	010	0	0	1	0	0
TueL	010	1	0	0	1	0
WedS	011	0	0	1	0	0
WedL	011	1	0	0	1	0
Thu	100	-	0	1	0	0
FriS	101	0	1	0	0	0
FriL	101	1	0	1	0	0
Sat	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	-	-	-	-

$c3 = d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0' \cdot L + d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0 \cdot L$   
 $c2 = (\text{DAY} == \text{TUE and LEC}) \text{ or}$   
 $(\text{DAY} == \text{WED and LEC})$   
 $c2 = d2' \cdot d1 \cdot d0' \cdot L + d2' \cdot d1 \cdot d0 \cdot L$

truth table => logic (part three)

DAY	d2d1d0	L	c0	c1	c2	c3
SunS	000	0	0	1	0	0
SunL	000	1	0	0	0	1
MonS	001	0	0	1	0	0
MonL	001	1	0	0	0	1
TueS	010	0	0	1	0	0
TueL	010	1	0	0	1	0
WedS	011	0	0	1	0	0
WedL	011	1	0	0	1	0
Thu	100	-	0	1	0	0
FriS	101	0	1	0	0	0
FriL	101	1	0	1	0	0
Sat	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	-	-	-	-

$c3 = d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0' \cdot L + d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0 \cdot L$   
 $c2 = d2' \cdot d1 \cdot d0' \cdot L + d2' \cdot d1 \cdot d0 \cdot L$   
 $c1 =$   
 [you do this one]  
 $c0 = d2 \cdot d1' \cdot d0 \cdot L' + d2 \cdot d1 \cdot d0'$

logic => gates

DAY	d2d1d0	L	c0	c1	c2	c3
SunS	000	0	0	1	0	0
SunL	000	1	0	0	0	1
MonS	001	0	0	1	0	0
MonL	001	1	0	0	0	1
TueS	010	0	0	1	0	0
TueL	010	1	0	0	1	0
WedS	011	0	0	1	0	0
WedL	011	1	0	0	1	0
Thu	100	-	0	1	0	0
FriS	101	0	1	0	0	0
FriL	101	1	0	1	0	0
Sat	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	-	-	-	-

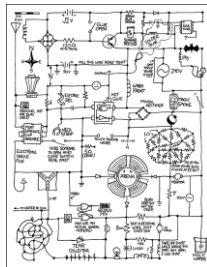
$c3 = d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0' \cdot L + d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0 \cdot L$

(multiple input AND gates)

cse 311: foundations of computing

Spring 2015

Lecture 4: Boolean Algebra and Circuits



Boolean algebra

- Boolean algebra to circuit design
- Boolean algebra
  - a set of elements B containing {0, 1}
  - binary operations { +, · }
  - and a unary operation { ' }
  - such that the following axioms hold:



1. The set B contains at least two elements: 0, 1

For any a, b, c in B:

- |                     |                                 |                                 |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 2. closure:         | a + b is in B                   | a · b is in B                   |
| 3. commutativity:   | a + b = b + a                   | a · b = b · a                   |
| 4. associativity:   | a + (b + c) = (a + b) + c       | a · (b · c) = (a · b) · c       |
| 5. identity:        | a + 0 = a                       | a · 1 = a                       |
| 6. distributivity:  | a + (b · c) = (a + b) · (a + c) | a · (b + c) = (a · b) + (a · c) |
| 7. complementarity: | a + a' = 1                      | a · a' = 0                      |

axioms and theorems of Boolean algebra

- identity:**
  - 1.  $X + 0 = X$
  - 1D.  $X \cdot 1 = X$
- null:**
  - 2.  $X + 1 = 1$
  - 2D.  $X \cdot 0 = 0$
- idempotency:**
  - 3.  $X + X = X$
  - 3D.  $X \cdot X = X$
- involution:**
  - 4.  $(X')' = X$
- complementarity:**
  - 5.  $X + X' = 1$
  - 5D.  $X \cdot X' = 0$
- commutativity:**
  - 6.  $X + Y = Y + X$
  - 6D.  $X \cdot Y = Y \cdot X$
- associativity:**
  - 7.  $(X + Y) + Z = X + (Y + Z)$
  - 7D.  $(X \cdot Y) \cdot Z = X \cdot (Y \cdot Z)$
- distributivity:**
  - 8.  $X \cdot (Y + Z) = (X \cdot Y) + (X \cdot Z)$
  - 8D.  $X + (Y \cdot Z) = (X + Y) \cdot (X + Z)$

axioms and theorems of Boolean algebra

- uniting:**
  - 9.  $X \cdot Y + X \cdot Y' = X$
  - 9D.  $(X + Y) \cdot (X + Y') = X$
- absorption:**
  - 10.  $X + X \cdot Y = X$
  - 10D.  $X \cdot (X + Y) = X$
  - 11.  $(X + Y) \cdot Y = X + Y$
  - 11D.  $(X \cdot Y) + Y = X + Y$
- factoring:**
  - 12.  $(X + Y) \cdot (X' + Z) = X \cdot Z + X' \cdot Y$
  - 12D.  $X \cdot Y + X' \cdot Z = (X + Z) \cdot (X' + Y)$
- consensus:**
  - 13.  $(X \cdot Y) + (Y \cdot Z) + (X' \cdot Z) = X \cdot Y + X' \cdot Z$
  - 13D.  $(X + Y) \cdot (Y + Z) \cdot (X' + Z) = (X + Y) \cdot (X' + Z)$
- de Morgan's:**
  - 14.  $(X + Y + \dots)' = X' \cdot Y' \cdot \dots$
  - 14D.  $(X \cdot Y \cdot \dots)' = X' + Y' + \dots$

proving theorems (rewriting)

Using the laws of Boolean Algebra:

**prove the theorem:**  $X \cdot Y + X \cdot Y' = X$

distributivity (8)  $X \cdot Y + X \cdot Y' = X \cdot (Y + Y')$   
 complementarity (5)  $= X \cdot (1)$   
 identity (1D)  $= X$

**prove the theorem:**  $X + X \cdot Y = X$

identity (1D)  $X + X \cdot Y = X \cdot 1 + X \cdot Y$   
 distributivity (8)  $= X \cdot (1 + Y)$   
 uniting (2)  $= X \cdot (1)$   
 identity (1D)  $= X$

proving theorems (truth table)

Using complete truth table:

For example, de Morgan's Law:

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

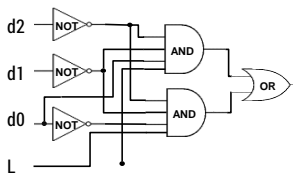
X	Y	X'	Y'	$(X + Y)'$	$X' \cdot Y'$
0	0	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0	0
1	1	0	0	0	0

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

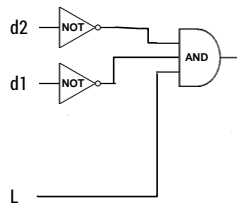
simplifying using Boolean algebra

$c3 = d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0' \cdot L + d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0 \cdot L$   
 $= d2' \cdot d1' \cdot (d0' + d0) \cdot L$   
 $= d2' \cdot d1' \cdot (1) \cdot L$   
 $= d2' \cdot d1' \cdot L$



simplifying using Boolean algebra

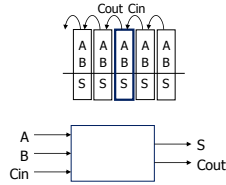
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 $= d2' \cdot d1' \cdot (1) \cdot L$   
 $= d2' \cdot d1' \cdot L$



1-bit binary adder

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

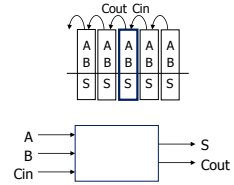
A	B	Cin	Cout	S
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	1	1



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0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	1	0
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 theorems to simplify expressions

The theorems of Boolean algebra can simplify expressions  
 - e.g., full adder's carry-out function

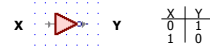
$$\begin{aligned}
 Cout &= A' B Cin + A B' Cin + A B Cin' + A B Cin \\
 &= A' B Cin + A B' Cin + A B Cin' + (A B Cin + A B Cin) \\
 &= A' B Cin + A B Cin + A B' Cin + A B Cin' + A B Cin \\
 &= (A' + A) B Cin + A B' Cin + A B Cin' + A B Cin \\
 &= (1) B Cin + A B' Cin + A B Cin' + A B Cin \\
 &= B Cin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

adding extra terms creates new factoring opportunities

more gates

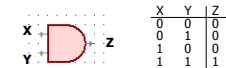
NOT

$$X' \quad \bar{X} \quad \neg X$$



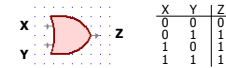
AND

$$X \cdot Y \quad XY \quad X \wedge Y$$



OR

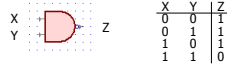
$$X + Y \quad X \vee Y$$



more gates

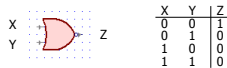
NAND

$$\neg(X \wedge Y) \quad (XY)'$$



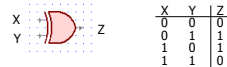
NOR

$$\neg(X \vee Y) \quad (X + Y)'$$



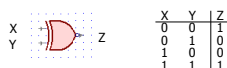
XOR

$$X \oplus Y$$

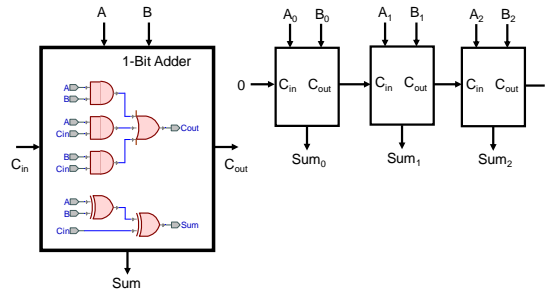


XNOR

$$X \leftrightarrow Y$$



a 2-bit ripple-carry adder



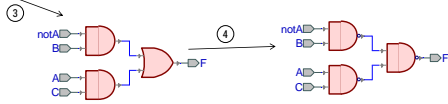
mapping truth tables to logic gates

Given a truth table:

1. Write the Boolean expression
2. Minimize the Boolean expression
3. Draw as gates
4. Map to available gates

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

②  $F = A'BC' + A'BC + AB'C + ABC$   
 $= A'B(C'+C) + AC(B'+B)$   
 $= A'B + AC$



canonical forms

- Truth table is the unique signature of a Boolean function
- The same truth table can have many gate realizations
  - we've seen this already
  - depends on how good we are at Boolean simplification
- Canonical forms
  - standard forms for a Boolean expression
  - we all come up with the same expression

sum-of-products canonical form

- also known as Disjunctive Normal Form (DNF)
- also known as minterm 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

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

sum-of-products canonical form

Product term (or minterm)

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

A	B	C	minterms
0	0	0	A'B'C'
0	0	1	A'B'C
0	1	0	A'BC'
0	1	1	A'BC
1	0	0	AB'C'
1	0	1	AB'C
1	1	0	ABC'
1	1	1	ABC

F in canonical form:

$F(A, B, C) = A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C' + ABC' + ABC$

canonical form ≠ minimal form

$F(A, B, C) = A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C' + ABC' + ABC$   
 $= (A'B' + A'B + AB')C' + ABC'$   
 $= ((A' + A)(B' + B))C' + ABC'$   
 $= C' + ABC'$   
 $= ABC' + C$   
 $= AB + C$

product-of-sums canonical form

- Also known as Conjunctive Normal Form (CNF)
- 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

$F = 000 \ 010 \ 100$   
 $F = (A + B + C) (A + B' + C) (A' + B + C)$

s-o-p, p-o-s, and de Morgan's theorem

Complement of function in sum-of-products form:

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

Complement again and apply de Morgan's and get the product-of-sums form:

-  $(F')' = (A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C')'$   
 $- F = (A + B + C) (A + B' + C) (A' + B + C)$

## product-of-sums canonical form

Sum term (or maxterm)

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

A	B	C	maxterms
0	0	0	A+B+C
0	0	1	A+B+C'
0	1	0	A+B'+C
0	1	1	A+B'+C'
1	0	0	A'+B+C
1	0	1	A'+B+C'
1	1	0	A'+B'+C
1	1	1	A'+B'+C'

F in canonical form:

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

canonical form  $\neq$  minimal form

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