

## Canonical forms

### ◆ Last lecture

- Logic gates and truth tables
- Implementing logic functions
- CMOS switches

### ◆ Today's lecture

- deMorgan's theorem
- NAND and NOR
- Canonical forms
  - Sum-of-products (minterms)
  - Product-of-sums (maxterms)

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## de Morgan's theorem

### ◆ Replace

- with +, + with •, 0 with 1, and 1 with 0
- All variables with their complements

### ◆ Example 1: $Z = A'B' + A'C'$

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

### ◆ Example 2: $Z = A'B'C + A'BC + AB'C + ABC'$

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

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## NAND and NOR

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

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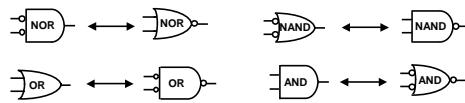
## NAND, NOR, and de Morgan's theorem

### ◆ de Morgan's

- Standard form:  $A'B' = (A + B)'$
- Inverted:  $A + B = (A'B)'$
- $A' + B' = (AB)'$
- $(AB) = (A' + B')'$

- AND with complemented inputs  $\equiv$  NOR
- OR with complemented inputs  $\equiv$  NAND
- $\equiv$  NAND with complemented inputs
- $\equiv$  AND  $\equiv$  NOR with complemented inputs

**pushing  
the  
bubble**



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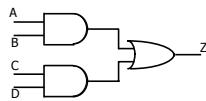
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## Converting between forms

### ◆ Introduce inversions ("bubbles")

- Introduce bubbles in pairs
- Conserve inversions
- Do not alter logic function

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



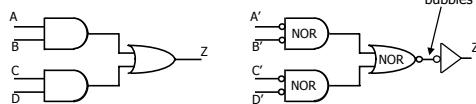
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## Converting between forms (con't)

### ◆ Example: AND/OR network to NOR/NOR

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

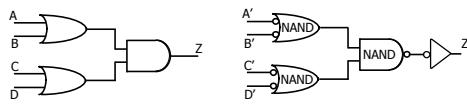


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## Converting between forms (con't)

- ◆ Example: OR/AND to NAND/NAND

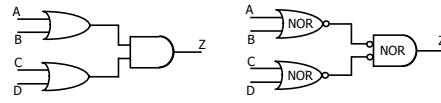


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## Converting between forms (con't)

- ◆ Example: OR/AND to NOR/NOR

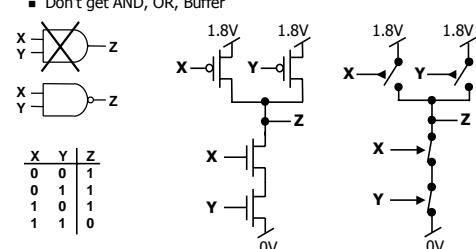


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## Why convert between forms?

- ◆ CMOS logic gates are inverting
  - Get NAND, NOR, NOT
  - Don't get AND, OR, Buffer



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## Canonical forms

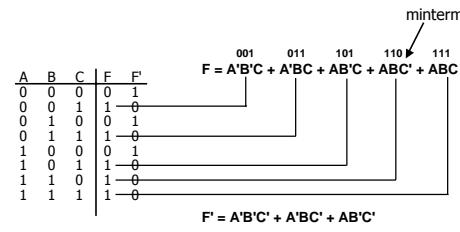
- ◆ Canonical forms
  - Standard forms for Boolean expressions
  - Unique algebraic signatures
  - Generally not the simplest forms
    - ↳ Can be minimized
  - Derived from truth table
- ◆ Two canonical forms
  - Sum-of-products (minterms)
  - Product-of-sum (maxterms)

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## Sum-of-products canonical form

- ◆ Also called disjunctive normal form
  - Commonly called a **minterm expansion**



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## Minterms

- ◆ Variables appears exactly once in each minterm
  - 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	$ABC'$ m4
1	0	1	$ABC$ m5
1	1	0	$AB'C'$ m6
1	1	1	$AB'C$ m7

minterm

F in canonical form:  
 $F(A,B,C) = \Sigma m(1,3,5,6,7)$   
 $= m1 + m3 + m5 + m6 + m7$   
 $= A'B'C + A'BC + AB'C + ABC' + ABC$

canonical form → minimal form  
 $F(A,B,C) = A'B'C + A'BC + AB'C + ABC + ABC'$   
 $= (A'B + A'B + AB + AB)C + ABC'$   
 $= ((A' + A)(B' + B))C + ABC'$   
 $= ABC' + C$   
 $= AB + C$

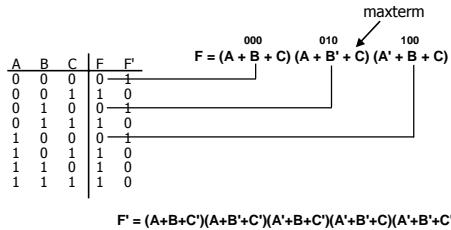
short-hand notation

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## Product-of-sums canonical form

- ◆ Also called conjunctive normal form
  - Commonly called a **maxterm expansion**



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## Maxterms

- ◆ Variables appears exactly once in each maxterm
  - 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

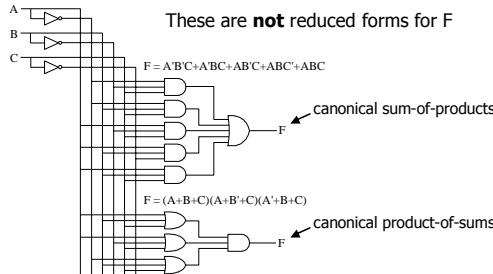
$$\begin{aligned} F \text{ in canonical form:} \\ F(A,B,C) &= \prod M(0,2,4) \\ &= M0 \cdot M2 \cdot M4 \\ &= (A+B+C)(A+B'+C)(A'+B+C) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{canonical form} \rightarrow \text{minimal form} \\ F(A,B,C) &= (A+B+C)(A+B'+C)(A'+B+C) \\ &= (A+B+C)(A+B'+C) \cdot \\ &\quad (A+B+C)(A'+B+C) \\ &= (A+C)(B+C) \end{aligned}$$

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## Canonical implementations of $F = AB + C$



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## SOP, POS, and de Morgan's theorem

- ◆ Sum-of-products
  - $F' = A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C'$
- ◆ Apply de Morgan's to get POS
  - $(F')' = (A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C')'$
  - $F = (A+B+C)(A+B'+C)(A'+B+C)$
- ◆ Product-of-sums
  - $F' = (A+B+C')(A+B'+C')(A'+B+C')(A'+B'+C')$
- ◆ Apply de Morgan's to get SOP
  - $(F')' = ((A+B+C')(A+B'+C')(A'+B+C')(A'+B'+C'))'$
  - $F = A'B'C + A'BC + AB'C + ABC + ABC'$

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## Conversion between canonical forms

- ◆ Minterm to maxterm
  - Use maxterms that aren't in minterm expansion
    - $F(A,B,C) = \sum m(1,3,5,6,7) = \prod M(0,2,4)$
- ◆ Maxterm to minterm
  - Use minterms that aren't in maxterm expansion
    - $F(A,B,C) = \prod M(0,2,4) = \sum m(1,3,5,6,7)$
- ◆ Minterm of F to minterm of  $F'$ 
  - Use minterms that don't appear
    - $F(A,B,C) = \sum m(1,3,5,6,7) \quad F'(A,B,C) = \sum m(0,2,4)$
- ◆ Maxterm of F to maxterm of  $F'$ 
  - Use maxterms that don't appear
    - $F(A,B,C) = \prod M(0,2,4) \quad F'(A,B,C) = \prod M(1,3,5,6,7)$

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