

TEKNIK DIGITAL (A) (TI 2104)

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BOOLEAN ALGEBRA AND LOGIC SIMPLIFICATION

Boolean Algebra

- VERY nice machinery used to manipulate (simplify) Boolean functions
- George Boole (1815-1864): “An investigation of the laws of thought”
- Terminology:
 - *Literal*: A variable or its complement
 - *Product term*: literals connected by •
 - *Sum term*: literals connected by +

Boolean Algebra Properties

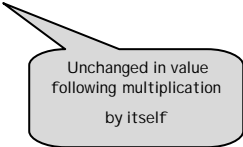
Let X: boolean variable, 0,1: constants

1. $X + 0 = X$ -- Zero Axiom
2. $X \cdot 1 = X$ -- Unit Axiom
3. $X + 1 = 1$ -- Unit Property
4. $X \cdot 0 = 0$ -- Zero Property

Boolean Algebra Properties (cont.)

Let X: boolean variable, 0,1: constants

5. $X + X = X$ -- Idempotence
6. $X \cdot X = X$ -- Idempotence
7. $X + X' = 1$ -- Complement
8. $X \cdot X' = 0$ -- Complement
9. $(X')' = X$ -- Involution



Unchanged in value
following multiplication
by itself

The Duality Principle

- The dual of an expression is obtained by exchanging (\cdot and $+$), and (1 and 0) in it, provided that the precedence of operations is not changed.
- Cannot exchange x with x'
- Example:
 - Find $H(x,y,z)$, the dual of $F(x,y,z) = x'yz' + x'y'z$
 - $H = (x+y+z) (x'+y+z)$
- Dual does not always equal the original expression
- If a Boolean equation/equality is valid, its dual is also valid

The Duality Principle (cont.)

With respect to duality, 1 identities 1 - 8 have the following relationship:

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|-----------------|---------------------|-------------|
| 1. $X + 0 = X$ | 2. $X \cdot 1 = X$ | (dual of 1) |
| 3. $X + 1 = 1$ | 4. $X \cdot 0 = 0$ | (dual of 3) |
| 5. $X + X = X$ | 6. $X \cdot X = X$ | (dual of 5) |
| 7. $X + X' = 1$ | 8. $X \cdot X' = 0$ | (dual of 8) |

Consensus Theorem

1. $xy + x'z + yz = xy + x'z$
2. $(x+y) \cdot (x'+z) \cdot (y+z) = (x+y) \cdot (x'+z)$ -- (dual)

- **Proof:**

$$\begin{aligned}xy + x'z + yz &= xy + x'z + (x+x')yz \\ &= xy + x'z + xyz + x'y z \\ &= (xy + xyz) + (x'z + x'zy) \\ &= xy + x'z\end{aligned}$$

QED (2 true by duality).

Truth Tables (revisited)

- Enumerates all possible combinations of variable values and the corresponding function value
- Truth tables for some arbitrary functions $F_1(x,y,z)$, $F_2(x,y,z)$, and $F_3(x,y,z)$ are shown to the right.

x	y	z	F_1	F_2	F_3
0	0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	0	0	1
0	1	1	0	1	1
1	0	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	1	0
1	1	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	0	1

Truth Tables (cont.)

- Truth table: a unique representation of a Boolean function
- If two functions have identical truth tables, the functions are equivalent (and vice-versa).
- Truth tables can be used to prove equality theorems.
- However, the size of a truth table grows exponentially with the number of variables involved, hence unwieldy. This motivates the use of Boolean Algebra.

Boolean expressions-NOT unique

- Unlike truth tables, expressions representing a Boolean function are NOT unique.
- Example:
 - $F(x,y,z) = x'y'z' + x'yz' + xy'z'$
 - $G(x,y,z) = x'y'z' + yz'$
- The corresponding truth tables for F() and G() are to the right. They are identical!
- Thus, $F() = G()$

x	y	z	F	G
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	0
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	0
1	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	0
1	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	0

Algebraic Manipulation

- Boolean algebra is a useful tool for simplifying digital circuits.
- Why do it? Simpler can mean cheaper, smaller, faster.
- Example: Simplify $F = x'yz + x'yz' + xz$.

$$\begin{aligned} F &= x'yz + x'yz' + xz \\ &= x'y(z+z') + xz \\ &= x'y \cdot 1 + xz \\ &= x'y + xz \end{aligned}$$

Algebraic Manipulation (cont.)

- Example: Prove $x'y'z' + x'yz' + xyz = x'z' + yz'$

- **Proof:**

$$\begin{aligned} &x'y'z' + x'yz' + xyz \\ &= \cancel{x'y'z'} + \cancel{x'yz'} + \cancel{x'yz'} + xyz \\ &= x'z'(y'+y) + yz'(x'+x) \\ &= x'z' \cdot 1 + yz' \cdot 1 \\ &= x'z' + yz' \end{aligned}$$

QED.

Complement of a Function

- The complement of a function is derived by interchanging (\cdot and $+$), and (1 and 0), and complementing each variable.
- Otherwise, interchange 1s to 0s in the truth table column showing F.
- The *complement* of a function IS NOT THE SAME as the *dual* of a function.

Complementation: Example

- Find $G(x,y,z)$, the complement of $F(x,y,z) = xy'z' + x'yz$
- $$\begin{aligned} G = F' &= (xy'z' + x'yz)' \\ &= (xy'z')' \cdot (x'yz)'\quad \text{DeMorgan} \\ &= (x'+y+z) \cdot (x+y'+z')\quad \text{DeMorgan again} \end{aligned}$$
- Note: The complement of a function can also be derived by finding the function's *dual*, and then complementing all of the literals

Canonical and Standard Forms

- We need to consider formal techniques for the simplification of Boolean functions.
 - Minterms and Maxterms
 - Sum-of-Minterms and Product-of-Maxterms
 - Product and Sum terms
 - Sum-of-Products (SOP) and Product-of-Sums (POS)

Definitions

- *Literal*: A variable or its complement
- *Product term*: literals connected by •
- *Sum term*: literals connected by +
- *Minterm*: a product term in which all the variables appear exactly once, either complemented or uncomplemented
- *Maxterm*: a sum term in which all the variables appear exactly once, either complemented or uncomplemented

Minterm

- Represents exactly one combination in the truth table.
- Denoted by m_j , where j is the decimal equivalent of the minterm's corresponding binary combination (b_j).
- A variable in m_j is complemented if its value in b_j is 0, otherwise is uncomplemented.
- Example: Assume 3 variables (A,B,C), and $j=3$. Then, $b_j = 011$ and its corresponding minterm is denoted by $m_j = A'BC$

Maxterm

- Represents exactly one combination in the truth table.
- Denoted by M_j , where j is the decimal equivalent of the maxterm's corresponding binary combination (b_j).
- A variable in M_j is complemented if its value in b_j is 1, otherwise is uncomplemented.
- Example: Assume 3 variables (A,B,C), and $j=3$. Then, $b_j = 011$ and its corresponding maxterm is denoted by $M_j = A+B'+C'$

Truth Table notation for Minterms and Maxterms

- Minterms and Maxterms are easy to denote using a truth table.
- Example:
Assume 3 variables x, y, z (order is fixed)

x	y	z	Minterm	Maxterm
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	$xyz = m_7$	$x'+y'+z' = M_7$

Canonical Forms (Unique)

- Any Boolean function $F()$ can be expressed as a *unique* **sum** of **minterms** and a unique **product** of **maxterms** (under a fixed variable ordering).
- In other words, every function $F()$ has two canonical forms:
 - Canonical Sum-Of-Products (sum of minterms)
 - Canonical Product-Of-Sums (product of maxterms)

Canonical Forms (cont.)

- Canonical Sum-Of-Products:
The minterms included are those m_j such that $F() = 1$ in row j of the truth table for $F()$.
- Canonical Product-Of-Sums:
The maxterms included are those M_j such that $F() = 0$ in row j of the truth table for $F()$.

Example

- Truth table for $f_1(a,b,c)$ at right
- The canonical sum-of-products form for f_1 is

$$f_1(a,b,c) = m_1 + m_2 + m_4 + m_6$$

$$= a'b'c + a'bc' + ab'c' + abc'$$
- The canonical product-of-sums form for f_1 is

$$f_1(a,b,c) = M_0 \cdot M_3 \cdot M_5 \cdot M_7$$

$$= (a+b+c) \cdot (a+b'+c') \cdot (a'+b+c') \cdot (a'+b'+c')$$
- Observe that: $m_j = M_j'$

a	b	c	f_1
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	0

Shorthand: ? and ?

- $f_1(a,b,c) = \sum m(1,2,4,6)$, where \sum indicates that this is a sum-of-products form, and $m(1,2,4,6)$ indicates that the minterms to be included are $m_1, m_2, m_4,$ and m_6 .
- $f_1(a,b,c) = \prod M(0,3,5,7)$, where \prod indicates that this is a product-of-sums form, and $M(0,3,5,7)$ indicates that the maxterms to be included are $M_0, M_3, M_5,$ and M_7 .
- Since $m_j = M_j'$ for any j ,
 $\sum m(1,2,4,6) = \prod M(0,3,5,7) = f_1(a,b,c)$

Conversion Between Canonical Forms

- Replace \sum with \prod (or *vice versa*) and replace those j 's that appeared in the original form with those that do not.

- Example:

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(a,b,c) &= a'b'c + a'bc' + ab'c' + abc' \\ &= m_1 + m_2 + m_4 + m_6 \\ &= \sum (1,2,4,6) \\ &= \prod (0,3,5,7) \\ &= (a+b+c) \cdot (a+b'+c') \cdot (a'+b+c') \cdot (a'+b'+c') \end{aligned}$$

Standard Forms (NOT Unique)

- Standard forms are "*like*" canonical forms, except that not all variables need appear in the individual product (SOP) or sum (POS) terms.
- Example:
 $f_1(a,b,c) = a'b'c + bc' + ac'$
is a *standard* sum-of-products form
- $f_1(a,b,c) = (a+b+c) \cdot (b'+c') \cdot (a'+c')$
is a *standard* product-of-sums form.

Conversion of SOP from standard to canonical form

- Expand *non-canonical* terms by inserting equivalent of 1 in each missing variable x :
 $(x + x') = 1$
- Remove duplicate minterms
- $f_1(a,b,c) = a'b'c + bc' + ac'$
 $= a'b'c + (a+a')bc' + a(b+b')c'$
 $= a'b'c + abc' + a'bc' + abc' + ab'c'$
 $= a'b'c + abc' + a'bc + ab'c'$

Conversion of POS from standard to canonical form

- Expand noncanonical terms by adding 0 in terms of missing variables (e.g., $xx' = 0$) and using the distributive law
- Remove duplicate maxterms
- $f_1(a,b,c) = (a+b+c) \cdot (b'+c') \cdot (a'+c')$
 $= (a+b+c) \cdot (aa'+b'+c') \cdot (a'+bb'+c')$
 $= (a+b+c) \cdot (a+b'+c') \cdot (a'+b'+c') \cdot (a'+b'+c')$
 $= (a+b+c) \cdot (a+b'+c') \cdot (a'+b'+c') \cdot (a'+b'+c')$

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Sederhanakan fungsi boole berikut

a. $((A + B + C) D)'$

b. $(ABC + DEF)'$

c. $(AB' + C'D + EF)'$

d. $((A + B)' + C)'$

e. $((A' + B) + CD)'$

f. $((A + B)C'D' + E + F)'$

g. $AB + A(B + C) + B(B + C)$

h. $[AB'(C + BD) + A'B']C$

i. $A'BC + AB'C' + A'B'C' + AB'C + ABC$

j. $(AB + AC)' + A'B'C$