

Boolean Algebra: Exhaustive Proofs

Steps:

- ① Make a table
- ② Calculate all values on left-hand side
- ③ Calculate all values on the right-hand side
- ④ See if they agree

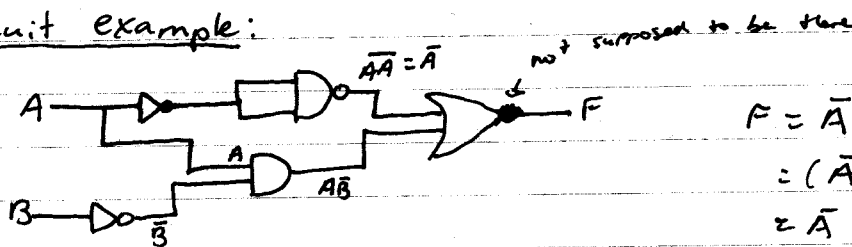
Second Distributive Law

$$(A+C)(B+C) = AB + C$$

ex. Does  $\overline{a+b} = \overline{a} + \overline{b}$ ?

a	b	x	y
0	0	1	1 ✓
0	1	1	0 ✗

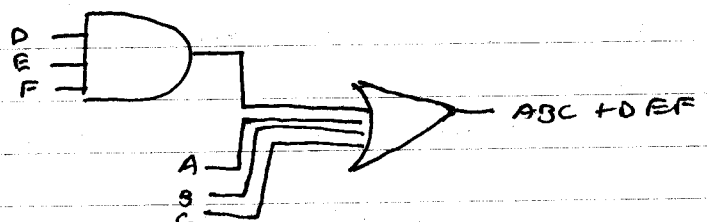
$$\therefore \overline{a+b} \neq \overline{a} + \overline{b}$$

Circuit example:

$$\begin{aligned} F &= \overline{A} + AB \\ &= (\overline{A} + A)(\overline{A} + B) \\ &= \underline{\overline{A} + B} \end{aligned}$$

ex. Implement  $(A+B+C+D)(A+B+C+E)(A+B+C+F)$   
with one multi-input OR and one multi-input AND.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } Z &= A+B+C \\ &= (Z+D)(Z+E)(Z+F) \\ &= (Z+DE)(Z+F) \\ &= (Z+DEF) \end{aligned}$$



## Duality

- take any valid Boolean identity
- sub AND for OR and 0 for 1
- the result is another valid Boolean identity.

ex.  $x(y+z) = xy + yz$   
 $x(y+z) = (xy) + (xz)$   
 $x + (yz) = (x+y)(x+z)$

\* NEVER 'say an expression is equal to its dual.

- some formulas are their own duals (ex.  $\overline{\overline{x}} = x$ )
- self-dual functions have  $\overline{F(a,b,c)} = F(\overline{a}, \overline{b}, \overline{c})$

NOTE:  $X \cdot \text{ANYTHING} + X = X$

ex. simplify  $x + xzy + \overline{x} + x\overline{y}z + \overline{x}y\overline{z} + y\overline{z}$

$$= \underbrace{x + \overline{x}}_1 + xzy + x\overline{y}z \dots$$

$$= 1 + xzy + \dots$$

$$= 1$$

! + anything is 1  
- no need to continue solving.

- duality is useful for simplifying more complex sets.

## Other Dual Theorems

Consensus:  $Ab + bc + c\overline{A} = Ab + c\overline{A}$

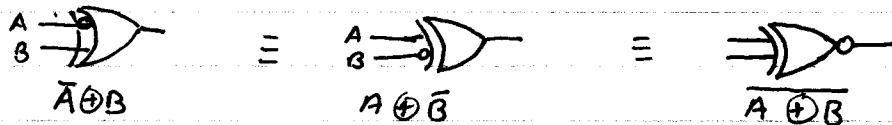
Swap:  $(\overline{A} + b)(A + c) = Ab + \overline{A}c$

## X-OR

↳ F is 1 if exactly one of a or b is 1.

Useful properties:

↳ inverting any lead changes XOR  $\rightarrow$  XNOR



↳ making one input "1" makes XOR an inverter

## Obtaining Formulas from Truth Tables

- ① Go through the truth table and write down the terms that make the result "1".
- ② OR all terms together.

ex.  $X = \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + A\bar{B}\bar{C} + A\bar{B}C + \bar{A}B\bar{C} + ABC$

Inputs			Output	
A	B	C	X	
0	0	0	1	$\bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}$
0	0	1	0	
0	1	0	0	
0	1	1	0	
1	0	0	1	$A\bar{B}\bar{C}$
1	0	1	0	
1	1	0	1	$A\bar{B}C$
1	1	1	1	$ABC$

$$\therefore X = \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + A\bar{B}\bar{C} + A\bar{B}C + ABC$$

## Adder

↳ adds 1 bit #s

↳  $\Sigma$  is an XOR gate

↳ carry ( $C_y$ ) is an AND gate



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$$= 1 + XZY + \dots$$

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## Error Detection

↳ parity to find transmission errors

$p = 1$  if odd # of 1 inputs

$z = 0$  if even # of 1 inputs

$z = 1 \rightarrow$  bit changed during transmission.

ex. Transmission

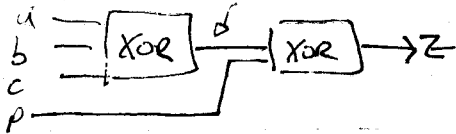
a b c p  
1 0 0 1

$\rightarrow \oplus$   
noise

Received  
a b c p  
1 0 1 1

$\therefore z = 1$

$$(1 \oplus 0) \oplus 1 = 0$$



Transmission

a b c p  
1 0 0 1

Received

a b c p  
0 1 0 1

$\rightarrow$  no error (still even # of 1s)

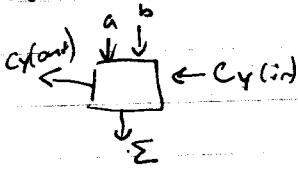
# Circuits From Truth Tables

ex. #	a	b	c	X
	0	0	0	1
	0	0	1	0
	0	1	0	0
	0	1	1	0
	1	0	0	1
	1	0	1	0
	1	1	0	1
	1	1	1	1

$$X = \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C + \bar{A}B\bar{C} + \bar{A}BC$$

- create circuit.

ex. Full adder.



a	b	C <sub>in</sub>	C <sub>out</sub>
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	1	1
1	1	0	0

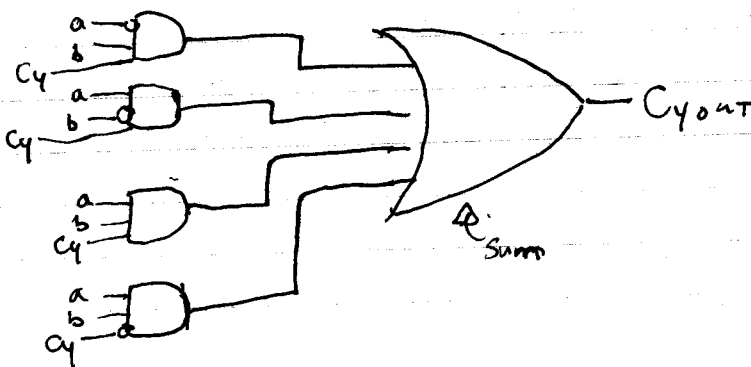
$$\therefore C_{out} = \bar{a}\bar{b}C_{in} + a\bar{b}C_{in} + abC_{in} + ab\bar{C}_{in}$$

- do for sum too (on slides).

⚠

↳ this is not the fastest / most efficient way.

Circuit for truth table:



$$\bar{A}B\bar{C}_{in} + a\bar{b}C_{in} + ab\bar{C}_{in} + abc_{in}$$

OR

Use or gate only as needs to be 1 to get C<sub>out</sub>.

## Simplifying Full Adder Eq's

ex.  $C_{out} = \bar{a}b C_y + a\bar{b}C_y + abc_y + ab\bar{c}_y$   
 $= \bar{a}b C_y + ab C_y + a\bar{b} C_y$   
 etc.

## De Morgan's Theorem (L3 + 4)

- used to find the inverse of expressions

$$\overline{AB} = \bar{A} + \bar{B}$$

Inverse:

$$\overline{\bar{A} + \bar{B}} = AB$$

Dual:

$$\overline{D + E} = \bar{D} \bar{E}$$

Dual Inverse:

$$\overline{\bar{D} \bar{E}} = D + E$$

ex.

A	B	$\bar{A}$	$\bar{B}$	$\bar{A} + \bar{B}$	$\bar{A}B$	$\bar{A}\bar{B}$
0	0	1	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1	1	0	1
1	1	0	0	0	1	0

## Gate Implementation of DeMorgans

$$\overline{AB} = K = \bar{A} + \bar{B}$$

↑  
NAND



NAND (OR GATE w/ INVERTED INPUTS)

## De Morgan Complementing Expressions

- ↳ an OR gate w/ inverted inputs = an AND gate w/ inverted output
- ↳ an AND gate w/ inverted input = an OR gate w/ inverted output
- ↳ inverting inputs + outputs of an OR makes an AND
- ↳ " " " AND " " OR

ex. convert  $\overline{(a+b)(a+c)}$  to an exp. w/ 3 letters

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{(a+b)(a+c)} &= \overline{(a+b)} + \overline{(a+c)} \\ &= (\bar{a}\bar{b} + \bar{a}\bar{c}) \\ &= (\bar{a}\bar{b} + \bar{a}\bar{c}) = \boxed{\bar{a}(\bar{b} + \bar{c})} \end{aligned}$$

↳ any logic circuit can be made from AND + NOT gates using De Morgan's Law.

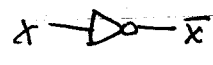
ex. reduce  $\overline{(a+b)} + \overline{ab}$  to 4 letters + single inversion bars.

$$\begin{aligned}
 F &= \overline{(a+b)} + \overline{ab} \\
 &= \overline{(a+b)} + ab \quad \downarrow A+B = \overline{AB} \text{ (DM)} \\
 &= \overline{(a+b)}(ab) \\
 &= (a+b)(\overline{ab}) \quad \downarrow \overline{AB} = \overline{A} + \overline{B} \\
 &= (a+b)(\overline{a} + \overline{b}) \\
 &= a\overline{a} + a\overline{b} + b\overline{a} + b\overline{b} \\
 &= \overline{ab} + \overline{a}b \quad (\text{XOR})
 \end{aligned}$$

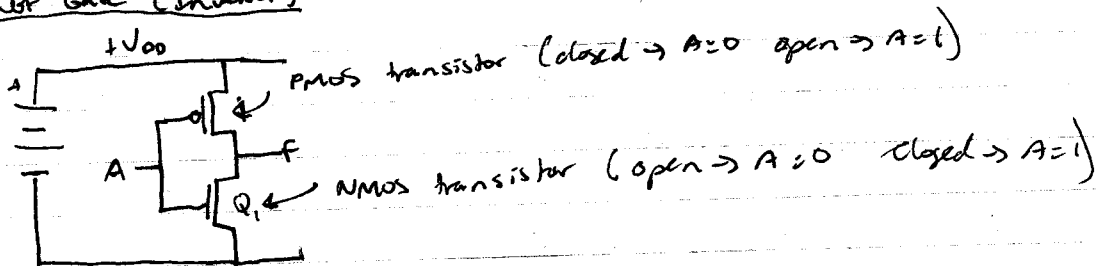
(CMOS → Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor)

### Real CMOS gates

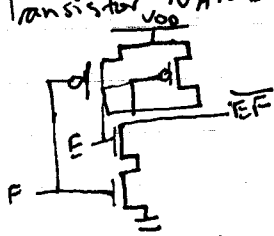
- ↳ you can't make AND or OR gates directly
- ↳ real ones are NAND + NOR
- ↳ use DM to convert.



### NOR Gate (Inverter)

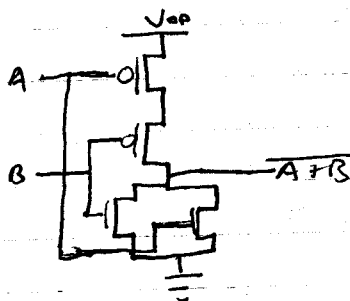


### Transistor NAND ( $\equiv \text{D}$ )



E	F	EF
1	0	1

### Transistor NOR ( $\equiv \text{D}$ )



A	B	$\overline{A+B}$
1	0	1

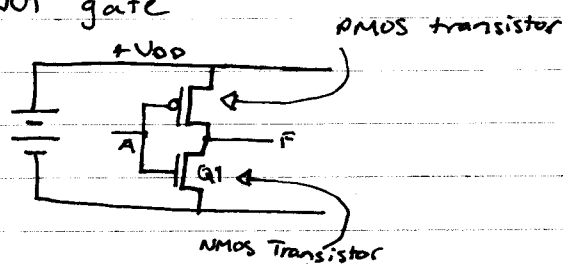
0 = gnd  
1 = Vdd

\* Assignment 1 due ~~FEB 27~~ Jan. 27 on cuLearn \*

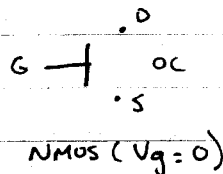
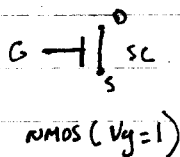
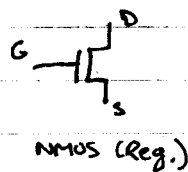
### Real Gates Cont'd

- ↳ you can't make AND + OR gates directly
- ↳ all CMOS gates invert
- ↳ real gates are NAND, NOR, + NOT.

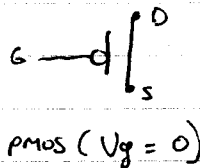
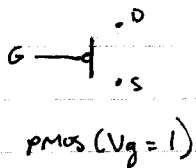
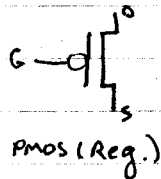
ex. NOT gate



NMOS: open switch when  $A = 0$   
closed when  $A = 1$



PMOS: open switch when  $A = 1$   
closed when  $A = 0$

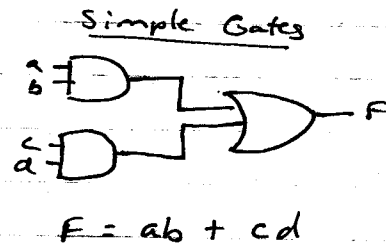
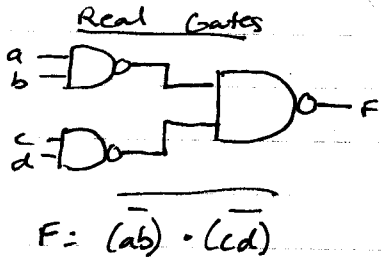




PMOS → turn off with a one input  
NMOS → turn on with a one input

To make gates → make AND + OR gates and then invert the output to get NAND + NOR

- to design circuits more easily, use AND + OR and then use DeMorgan's Laws to invert.

ex.  $F = \overline{(ab) \cdot (cd)}$  is equivalent to  $F = ab + cd$



Note:  - F is eq. to  - F

ex. Doors on a train



DO1	DO2	Output
0	0	1 ✓
0	1	1 X
1	0	1 X

(we want both doors closed)  
 logic error - we shouldn't be starting with one open + one closed

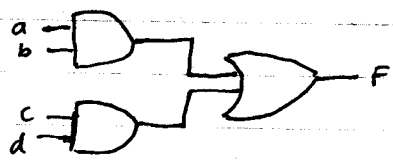
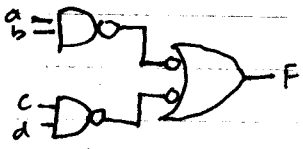
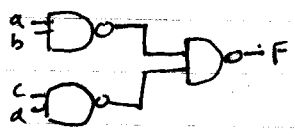


DO1	DO2	Output
0	0	1 ✓
0	1	0 ✓
1	0	0 ✓
1	1	0 ✓

Logic is now correct - we only proceed if both are closed.

- NAND - NOR logic is more confusing and make harder to read diagrams.

ex. Converting from real to simple gates



$F = \overline{ab \cdot cd}$   
 (real gates)

use DeMorgan to convert NAND gate. negatives cancel out.

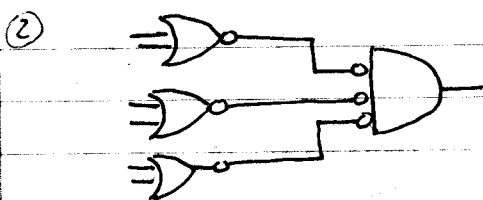
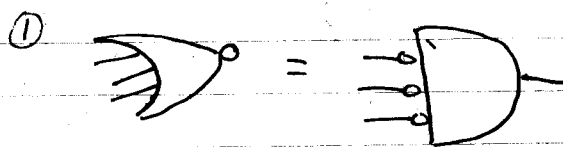
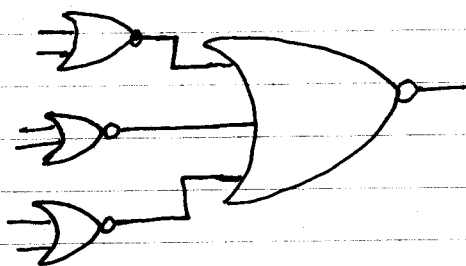
$F = ab + cd$   
 (simple gates)

Transforming NAND/NOR to AND/OR

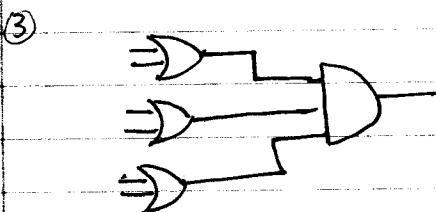
↳ one output circle cancels all the input circles it feeds

↳ use DeMorgan alternate symbols

ex. Transform this circuit into simple gates.

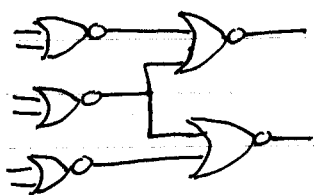


- circles cancel out

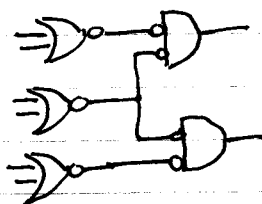
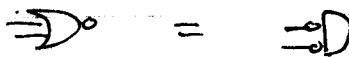


↳ final simple gate circuit

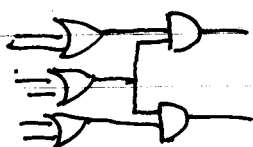
ex. 2



① only change outputs w/ AND



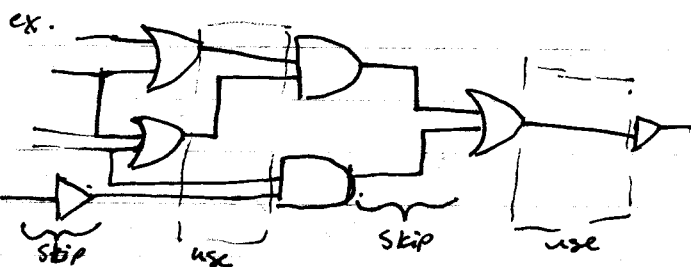
② ~~two~~ circles cancel



③ Final answer

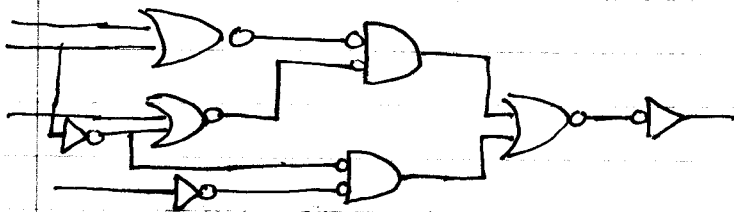
## Graphical Form

- ↳ start with AND/OR circuit
- ↳ select alternating connection layers
  - every 2nd layer of wires b/w gates.



① starting circuit (simple gates)

- ↳ put bubble back to bubble inverting circles on both ends of the leads
- ↳ move gates to make logic more simple

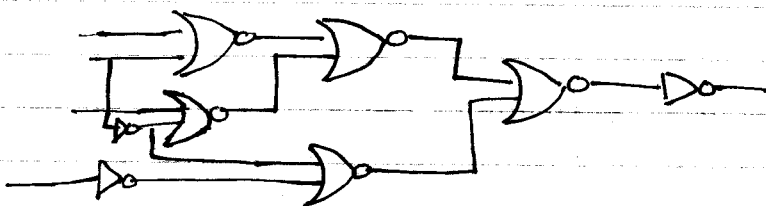


② converted to real gates

- ↳ select unconventional gates (w/ input bubbles) + convert them.



Final circuit:



- see a second example in the lecture slides

## Generalized De Morgan

$$\overline{F(A, B, C, \dots, +, \cdot)} = F(\bar{A}, \bar{B}, \bar{C}, \dots, \cdot, +)$$

↳ convert whole bar into single ones

↳ convert and to or + v.v.

Try # 49 (lec. slides) for homework.

## Using general De Morgan

- ① Take Boolean expression
- ② Bracket all groups of ANDS
- ③ Change AND  $\rightarrow$  OR + OR  $\rightarrow$  AND
- ④ Clean up brackets
- ⑤ Invert variables.

Do # 51 (lec. slides). Answer:  $H' = ((a' + b')c + g')(d' + e' + a'b')$   
(\*  $X' = \bar{X}$ ).

# 50

a) Convert  $\overline{(a+b)(a+\bar{c})}$  using Generalized De Morgan.

① Let  $F = (a+b)(a+\bar{c})$ .

② Take the dual.

$$F = (ab) + (a\bar{c})$$

③ Invert.

$$F = \bar{a}\bar{b} + \bar{a}c$$

$$= \bar{a}(\bar{b} + c) \leftarrow \text{final answer.}$$

b)  $F = \overline{(a+b)(a+\bar{c})}$  use  $\overline{AB} = \bar{A} + \bar{B}$

$$= \overline{(a+b)} + \overline{(a+\bar{c})} \quad \text{use } \overline{A+B} = \bar{A}\bar{B}$$

$$= \bar{a}\bar{b} + \bar{a}c$$

$$= \bar{a}(\bar{b} + c) \leftarrow \text{same answer as general De Morgan.}$$