

Digital Electronics Paper 1 Question 2 2005

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(a) book work

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(b) $C_1 = A_0 B_0 + A_0 C_0 + B_0 C_0$

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$$S_0 = A_0 B_0 C_0 + A_0 \bar{B}_0 \bar{C}_0 + \bar{A}_0 B_0 \bar{C}_0 + \bar{A}_0 \bar{B}_0 C_0$$

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(c) $S_0 = A_0 \oplus B_0 \oplus C_0$

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(d) $C_3 = A_2 B_2 + (A_2 + B_2) C_2$

$$= A_2 B_2 + (A_2 + B_2)(A_1 B_1 + (A_1 + B_1) C_1)$$

$$= A_2 B_2 + (A_2 + B_2)[A_1 B_1 + (A_1 + B_1)(A_0 B_0 + A_0 C_0 + B_0 C_0)]$$

$$= A_2 B_2 + A_2 A_1 B_1 + A_2 A_1 A_0 B_0 + A_2 A_1 A_0 C_0 + A_2 A_1 B_0 C_0$$

$$+ A_2 B_1 A_0 B_0 + A_2 B_1 A_0 C_0 + A_2 B_1 B_0 C_0$$

$$+ B_2 A_1 B_1 + B_2 A_1 A_0 B_0 + B_2 A_1 A_0 C_0 + B_2 A_1 B_0 C_0$$

$$+ B_2 B_1 A_0 B_0 + B_2 B_1 A_0 C_0 + B_2 B_1 B_0 C_0$$

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will also accept the case where $C_0 = 0$ since the question asked for C_3 in terms of A_i & B_i .

(e) Implementing C_3 already requires multi-level logic since the 15 input OR gate required is not typically found in a digital logic family. We can also see that the number of terms is growing rapidly. The sum-of-products form for C_8 will be far too large to implement in 2-level logic. Therefore a multi-level logic implementation is essential.

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This material is covered in lectures 1 to 4.