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### Exercise 2 (a) [Using ABC]

```

1  # A = (a1 a0) and B = (b1 b0)
2  # Y = (y3 y2 y1 y0), Y = A * B
3  # -----
4  .model mul
5  .inputs a1 a0 b1 b0
6  .outputs y3 y2 y1 y0
7  # -----
8  # y3 = a1a0b1b0
9  .names a1 a0 b1 b0 y3
10 1111 1
11 # -----
12 # y2 = a1b1b0' + a1a0'b1
13 .names a1 a0 b1 b0 y2
14 1-10 1
15 101- 1
16 # -----
17 # y1 = a1'a0b1 + a0b1b0'
18 #   + a1b1'b0 + a1a0'b0
19 .names a1 a0 b1 b0 y1
20 011- 1
21 -110 1
22 1-01 1
23 10-1 1
24 # -----
25 # y0 = a0b0
26 .names a0 b0 y0
27 11 1
28 .end

```

*mul.blif*

$A = (a_1 a_0), B = (b_1 b_0)$

$Y = (y_3 y_2 y_1 y_0), Y = A * B$

Construct the truth table in Table 1 and draw Karnaugh maps to get Boolean equations:

$$y_3 = a_1 a_0 b_1 b_0$$

$$y_2 = a_1 b_1 b_0' + a_1 a_0' b_1$$

	00	01	11	10
00	0	0	0	0
01	0	0	0	0
11	0	0	1	0
10	0	0	0	0

	00	01	11	10
00	0	0	0	0
01	0	0	0	0
11	0	0	0	1
10	0	0	1	1

$$y_1 = a_1' a_0 b_1 + a_0 b_1 b_0' + a_1 b_1' b_0 + a_1 a_0' b_0$$

$$y_0 = a_0 b_0$$

	00	01	11	10
00	0	0	0	0
01	0	0	1	1
11	0	1	1	1
10	0	1	1	0

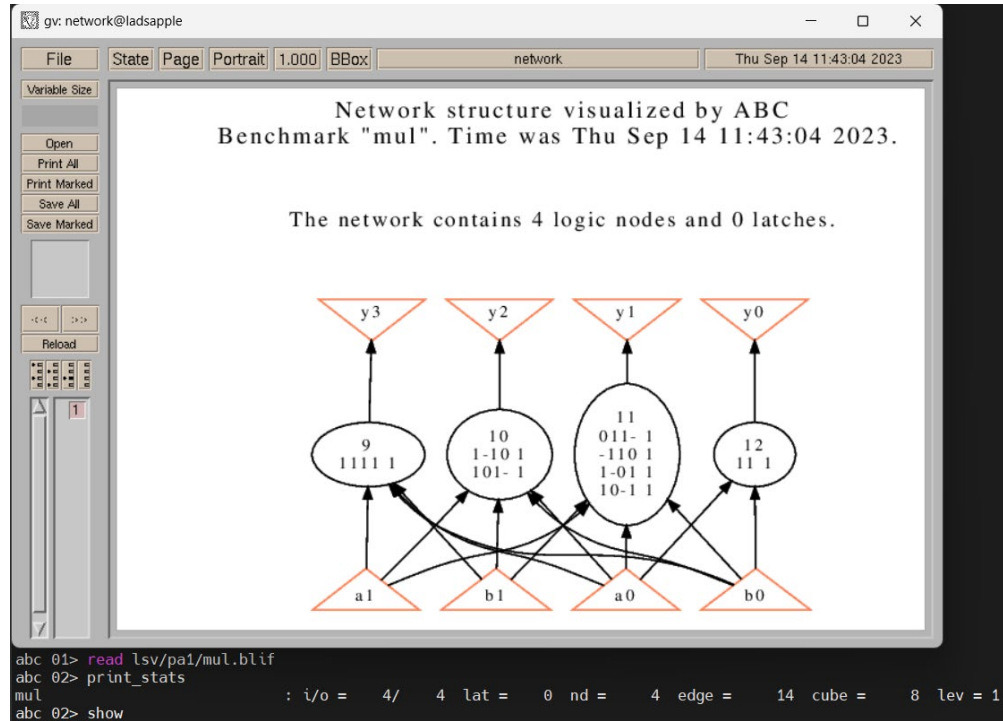
	00	01	11	10
00	0	0	0	0
01	0	1	1	0
11	0	1	1	0
10	0	0	0	0

Table 1. Truth table of the four-bit unsigned integer in Exercise 2

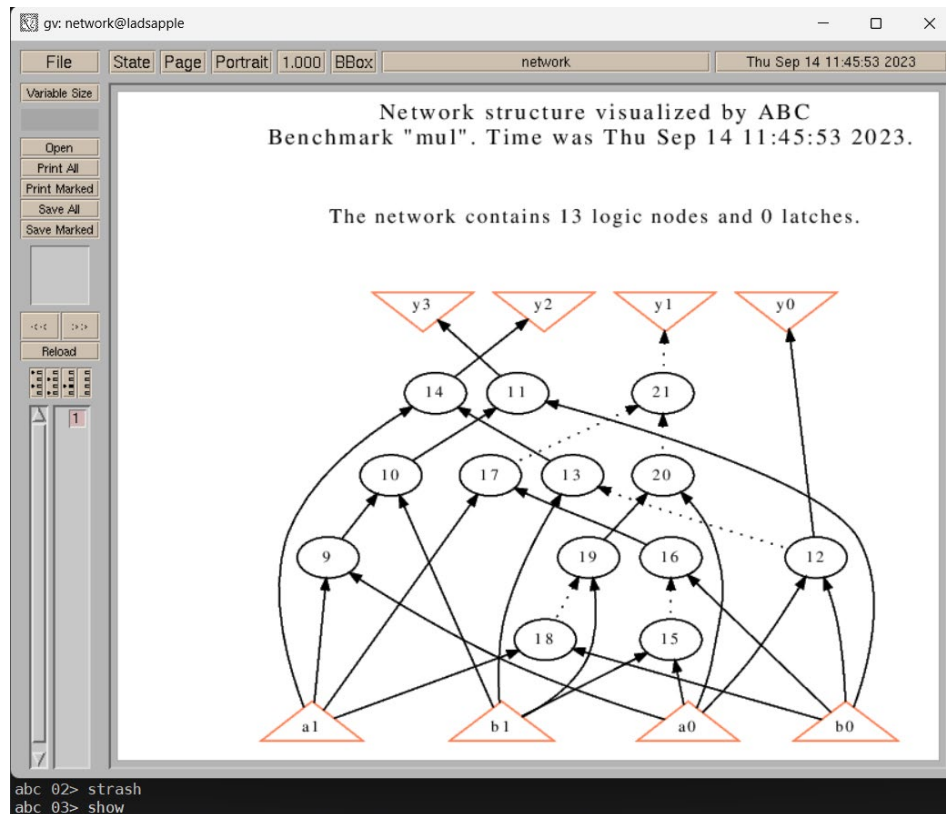
$a_1$	$a_0$	$b_1$	$b_0$	$y_3$	$y_2$	$y_1$	$y_0$
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1

## Exercise 2 (b) [Using ABC]

1. read the BLIF file into ABC (command “read”)
2. check statistics (command “print stats”)
3. visualize the network structure (command “show”)

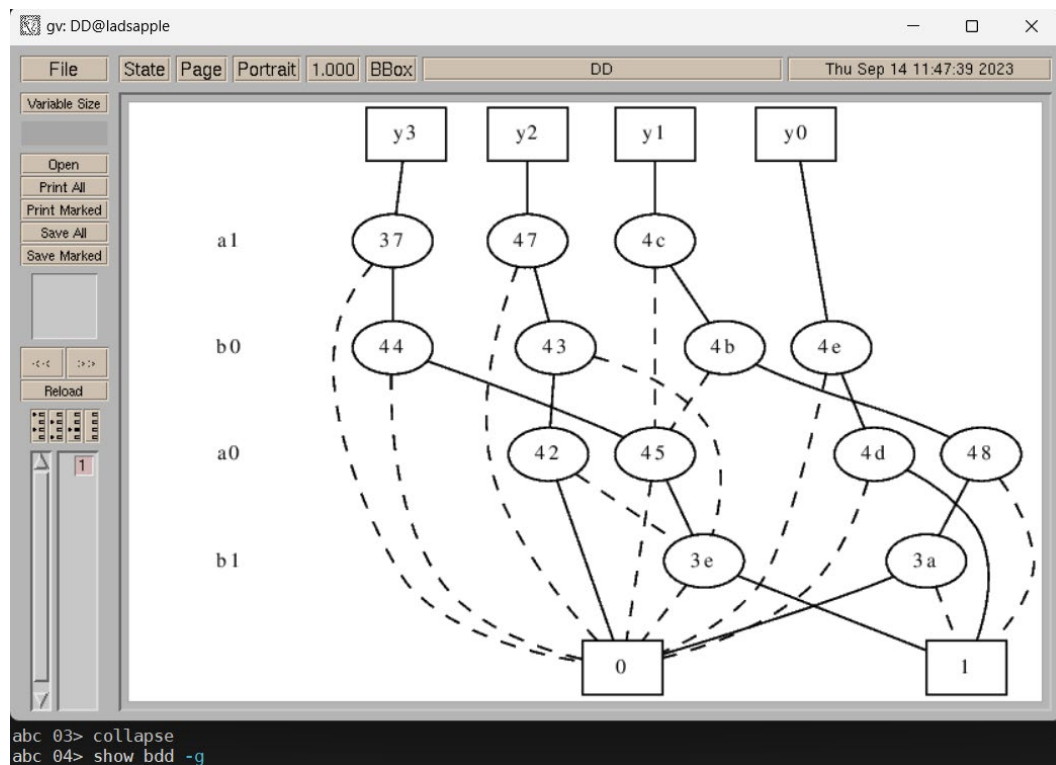


4. convert to AIG (command “strash”)
5. visualize the AIG (command “show”)



6. convert to BDD (command “collapse”)

7. visualize the BDD (command “show bdd -g”; note that “show bdd” only shows the first PO; option “-g” can be applied to show all POs)



### Exercise 3 (a) [ABC Boolean Function Representations]]

#### 1. logic network in AIG vs. structurally hashed AIG

(1) logic network in AIG (by command “aig”)

- **aig** converts local functions of the nodes to AIGs.
- print\_stats shows that 8 cubes become 14 aigs.

```
abc 01> read lsv/pa1/mul.blif
abc 02> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 4 edge = 14 cube = 8 lev = 1
abc 02> aig
abc 02> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 4 edge = 14 aig = 14 lev = 1
```

(2) structurally hashed AIG (by command “strash”)

- **strash** transforms the current network into an AIG by one-level structural hashing. The resulting AIG is a logic network composed of two-input AND gates and inverters represented as complemented attributes on the edges.
- logic network in AIG vs. structurally hashed AIG:  
4 nds, 14 edges, 14 aigs, 1 lev vs. 13 ands, 4 levs

```
abc 01> read lsv/pa1/mul.blif
abc 02> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 4 edge = 14 cube = 8 lev = 1
abc 02> aig
abc 02> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 4 edge = 14 aig = 14 lev = 1
abc 02> strash
abc 03> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 and = 13 lev = 4
```

## 2. logic network in BDD vs. collapsed BDD

### (1) logic network in BDD (by command “bdd”)

- Converts local functions of the nodes to BDDs.
- print\_stats shows that 8 cubes become 17 bdds.

```
abc 01> read lsv/pa1/mul.blif
abc 02> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 4 edge = 14 cube = 8 lev = 1
abc 02> bdd
abc 02> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 4 edge = 14 bdd = 17 lev = 1
```

### (2) collapsed BDD (by command “collapse”)

- Recursively composes the fanin nodes into the fanout nodes resulting in a network, in which each CO is produced by a node, whose fanins are CIs. Collapsing is performed by building global functions using BDDs and is, therefore, limited to relatively small circuits. After collapsing, the node functions are represented using BDDs.
- logic network in BDD vs. collapsed BDD: 17 bdds vs. 14 bdds.

```
abc 01> read lsv/pa1/mul.blif
abc 02> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 4 edge = 14 cube = 8 lev = 1
abc 02> bdd
abc 02> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 4 edge = 14 bdd = 17 lev = 1
abc 02> collapse
abc 03> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 4 edge = 14 bdd = 14 lev = 1
```

## Exercise 3 (a) [ABC Boolean Function Representations]

- Simply type command “**logic**”
- **logic** transforms the AIG into a logic network with the SOP representation of the two-input AND-gates.

```
abc 03> logic
abc 04> show

abc 04> print_stats
mul : i/o = 4/ 4 lat = 0 nd = 13 edge = 26 cube = 13 lev = 4
```

