

## QUESTION 5.

- 5 (a) (i) Complete the Boolean function that corresponds to the following truth table.

INPUT			OUTPUT
A	B	C	X
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1

$$X = \bar{A} \cdot B \cdot C + A \cdot \bar{B} \cdot \bar{C} + A \cdot B \cdot C \dots [3]$$

The part to the right of the equals sign is known as the sum-of-products.

- (ii) For the truth table above complete the Karnaugh Map (K-map).

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
C	0	0	0	1	0
	1	0	1	1	0

Large groups  
fewer no. of groups

[1]

The K-map can be used to simplify the function in part(a)(i).

- (iii) Draw loop(s) around appropriate groups of 1's to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]

- (iv) Using your answer to part (a)(iii), write the simplified sum-of-products Boolean function.

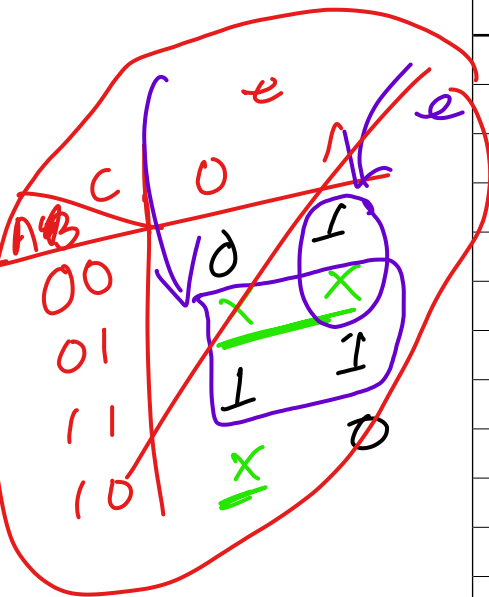
$$X = BC + AB \dots [2]$$

$B(A+C)$  S.O.P P.O.S



(b) The truth table for a logic circuit with four inputs is given below:

INPUT				OUTPUT
A	B	C	D	X
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1



← 0100

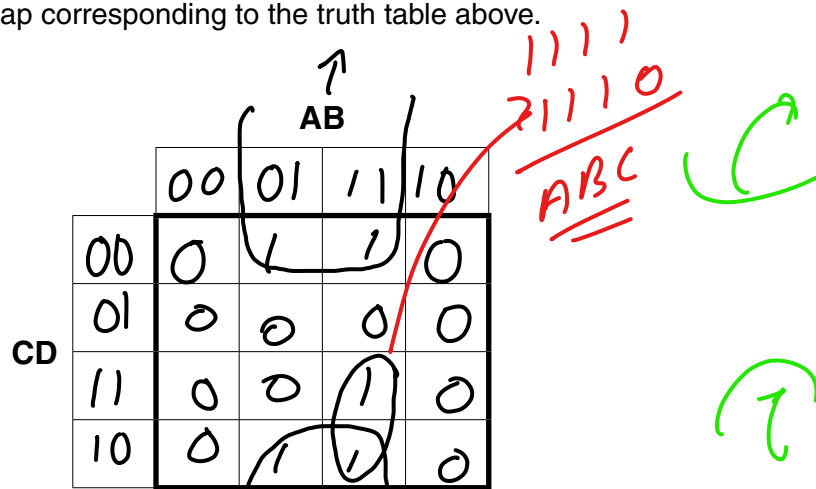
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← 1111

(i) Complete the K-map corresponding to the truth table above.



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(ii) Draw loop(s) around appropriate groups of 1's to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]

(iii) Using your answer to part (b)(ii), write the simplified sum-of-products Boolean function.

$X = \dots A \cdot B \cdot C + B \cdot \bar{D} \dots$  [2]

## QUESTION 6.

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- 5 (a) (i) Complete the Boolean function that corresponds to the following truth table.

INPUT			OUTPUT
P	Q	R	Z
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1

$$Z = P \cdot \bar{Q} \cdot \bar{R} + \dots\dots\dots [3]$$

The part to the right of the equals sign is known as the sum-of-products.

- (ii) For the truth table above complete the Karnaugh Map (K-map).

		PQ			
		00	01	11	10
R	0				
	1				

[1]

The K-map can be used to simplify the function in **part(a)(i)**.

- (iii) Draw loop(s) around appropriate groups of 1's to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]

- (iv) Using your answer to **part (a)(iii)**, write the simplified sum-of-products Boolean function.

$$Z = \dots\dots\dots [1]$$



(b) The truth table for a logic circuit with four inputs is given below:

INPUT				OUTPUT
P	Q	R	S	Z
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	0
0	1	1	1	1
1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	0
1	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	1

(i) Complete the K-map corresponding to the truth table above.

		PQ			
RS	00				
	01				
	11				
	10				

[4]

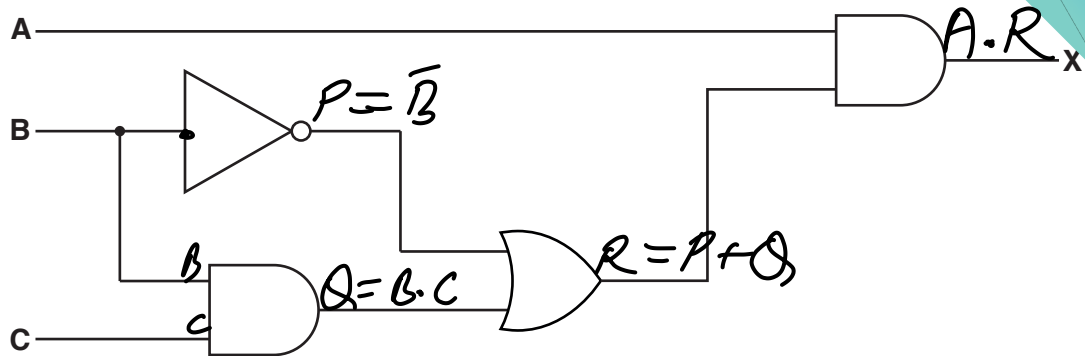
(ii) Draw loop(s) around appropriate groups of 1's to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]

(iii) Using your answer to **part (b)(ii)**, write the simplified sum-of-products Boolean function.

Z = .....[2]

## QUESTION 7.

- 3 Consider the following logic circuit, which contains a redundant logic gate.



- (a) Write the Boolean algebraic expression corresponding to this logic circuit.

$X = A \cdot (\bar{B} + B.C)$  [3]

- (b) Complete the truth table for this logic circuit.

A	B	C	P	Working space	R	X
0	0	0	1	0	1	0
0	0	1	1	0	1	0
0	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	1	1	0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1	0	1	1
1	0	1	1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	0	1	1	1

[2]

- (c) (i) Complete the Karnaugh Map (K-map) for the truth table in part (b).

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
C	0				
	1				

[1]

The K-map can be used to simplify the expression in part (a).

- (ii) Draw loop(s) around appropriate groups to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]  
 (iii) Write a simplified sum-of-products expression, using your answer to part (ii).

$X = A \cdot (\bar{B} + B.C)$  [2]



(d) One Boolean identity is:

$$\underline{A + \bar{A}.B = A + B}$$

Simplify the expression for X in **part (a)** to the expression for X in **part (c)(iii)**. You should use the given identity.

$$A\bar{B} + ABC$$

$$A(\bar{B} + BC)$$

$$A(\bar{B} + C) = \underline{A\bar{B} + AC}$$

$$\underline{\underline{A\bar{B} + AC}}$$

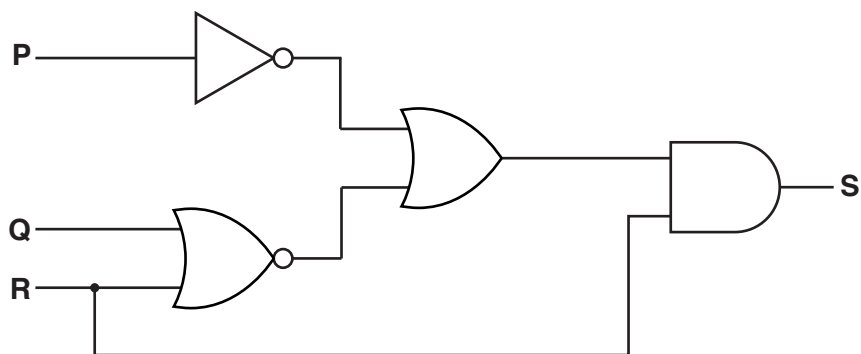
[2]

- common  
- rule

## QUESTION 8.



3 A logic circuit is shown:



(a) Write the Boolean algebraic expression corresponding to this logic circuit:

S = .....[4]

[2]

[1]

[1]

. [1]

(ii) Draw loop(s) around appropriate groups to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [1]

S = ..... [1]

$$(A + B) \cdot C = A \cdot C + B \cdot C$$

You should use the given identity and De Morgan's Laws.

.....[3]



## QUESTION 9.



- 4 (a) A Boolean expression corresponds to the following truth table.

INPUT			OUTPUT
A	B	C	X
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1

- (i) Write the Boolean expression for the truth table by applying the sum-of-products.

X = .....[2]

- (ii) Complete the Karnaugh Map (K-map) for the truth table.

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
C	0				
	1				

[1]

- (iii) The K-map can be used to simplify the expression in **part (a)(i)**.

Draw loop(s) around appropriate groups of 1s in the table in **part (a)(ii)** to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [3]

- (iv) Write the simplified sum-of-products expression for your answer to **part (a)(iii)**.

X = .....[3]



(b) A logic circuit with four inputs produces the following truth table.

INPUT				OUTPUT
A	B	C	D	X
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	0
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1

(i) Complete the K-map that corresponds to the truth table.

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
CD	00				
	01				
	11				
	10				

[4]

(ii) Draw loop(s) around appropriate groups of 1s in the table in **part (b)(i)** to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]

(iii) Write the simplified sum-of-products expression for your answer to **part (b)(ii)**.

X = ..... [2]

## QUESTION 10.

- 3 (a) Consider the following Boolean expression.

$$A \cdot \bar{B} \cdot \bar{C} + A \cdot B \cdot \bar{C} + A \cdot B \cdot C$$

Use Boolean algebra to simplify the expression.

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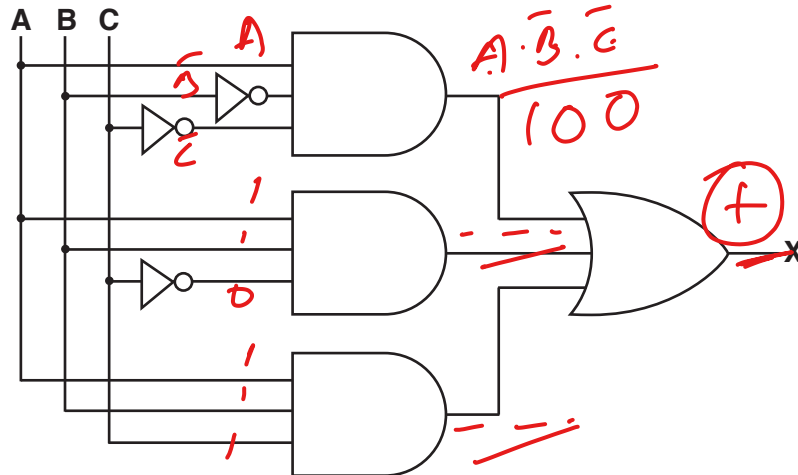
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.....[4]





- (b) (i) Complete the truth table for the following logic circuit.



A	B	C	Working space	X
0	0	0		
0	0	1		
0	1	0		
0	1	1		
1	0	0		1
1	0	1		
1	1	0		1
1	1	1		1

[2]

- (ii) Complete the Karnaugh Map (K-map) for the truth table in **part (b)(i)**.

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
C	0				
	1				

[1]

- (iii) Draw loops around appropriate groups of 1s in the table in **part (b)(ii)** to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]

- (iv) Using your answer to **part (b)(iii)**, write a simplified sum-of-products Boolean expression.

X = ..... [2]



(c) The truth table for a logic circuit with four inputs is shown.

INPUT				OUTPUT
A	B	C	D	X
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	0
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1

(i) Complete the K-map for the truth table in **part (c)**.

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
CD	00				
	01				
	11				
	10				

[4]

(ii) Draw loops around appropriate groups of 1s in the table in **part (c)(i)** to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]

(iii) Using your answer to **part (c)(ii)**, write a simplified sum-of-products Boolean expression.

**X** = ..... [2]

## QUESTION 11.



- 3 (a) A Boolean algebraic expression produces the following truth table.

INPUT			OUTPUT
A	B	C	X
0	0	0	1
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	0

- (i) Complete the Karnaugh Map (K-map) for the truth table.

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
C	0				
	1				

[1]

The K-map can be used to simplify the expression that produced the truth table in **part (a)**.

- (ii) Draw loops around appropriate groups of 1s in the K-map to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]
- (iii) Write the simplified sum-of-products Boolean expression for the truth table.

**X** = ..... [2]



(b) A logic circuit with four inputs produces the following truth table.

INPUT				OUTPUT
A	B	C	D	X
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	1
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	0

← 0010  
← 0011

← 0110  
← 0111  
← 1000  
← 1001

← 1100  
← 1101

$\bar{A}C + A\bar{C}$   
↓  
 $\bar{A}C + A\bar{C}$

(i) Complete the K-map for the truth table.

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
CD	00	0	0	1	1
	01	0	0	1	1
	11	1	1	0	0
	10	1	1	0	0

1100  
1000  
1101  
1001

$A\bar{C}$

0011  
0111  
0010  
0110  
0100  
0000

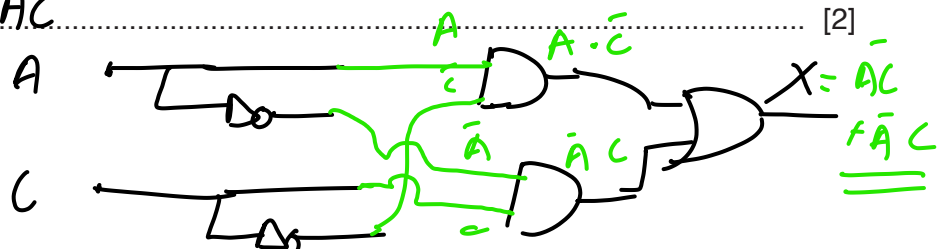
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(ii) Draw loops around appropriate groups of 1s in the K-map to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]

(iii) Write the simplified sum-of-products Boolean algebraic expression for the truth table.

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

[2]



## QUESTION 12.



- 4 A Boolean expression produces the following truth table.

INPUT			OUTPUT
A	B	C	X
0	0	0	1
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1

- (a) Write the Boolean expression for the truth table as a sum-of-products.

$X =$  ..... [2]

- (b) Complete the Karnaugh Map (K-map) for the truth table above.

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
C	0				
	1				

[1]

The K-map can be used to simplify the expression in **part (a)**.

- (c) Draw loops around appropriate groups in the K-map in **part (b)** to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]

- (d) Write, using your answer to **part (c)**, a simplified sum-of-products expression for the truth table.

$X =$  ..... [2]



## QUESTION 13.



- 2 (a) A Boolean expression produces the following truth table.

INPUT			OUTPUT
A	B	C	X
0	0	0	1
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	0

- (i) Write the Boolean expression for the truth table by applying the sum-of-products.

X = .....  
 ..... [3]

- (ii) Complete the Karnaugh Map (K-map) for the truth table in **part (a)**.

		AB			
		00	01	11	10
C	0				
	1				

[1]

The K-map can be used to simplify the function in **part (a)(i)**.

- (iii) Draw loop(s) around appropriate groups in the table in **part (a)(ii)**, to produce an optimal sum-of-products. [2]
- (iv) Write, using your answer to **part (a)(iii)**, a simplified Boolean expression for your Karnaugh map.

X = ..... [2]



(b) Simplify the following expression using De Morgan's laws. Show your working.

$$\begin{aligned} & \overline{(\overline{W} + X) \cdot (Y + \overline{Z})} \\ = & \overline{(\overline{W} + X)} + \overline{(Y + \overline{Z})} \\ = & (\overline{\overline{W}} \cdot \overline{X}) + (\overline{Y} \cdot \overline{\overline{Z}}) \\ = & W \cdot \overline{X} + \overline{Y} \cdot Z \end{aligned}$$

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[3]

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \therefore (\overline{A+B}) &= \overline{A} \cdot \overline{B} \\ \therefore \checkmark (\overline{A \cdot B}) &= \overline{A} + \overline{B} \end{aligned} \right\}$$