

SIMPLIFICATIONS OF BOOLEAN ALGEBRA

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

Applying distributive law, we have

$$AB + AB + AC + BB + BC$$

But $BB = B$ and $AB + AB = AB$, therefore

$$= AB + AC + B + BC$$

$$= AB + AC + B(1 + C)$$

$$= AB + AC + B$$

$$= AB + B + AC$$

$$= B(A + 1) + AC$$

$$= B + AC$$

$$(b) [A\bar{B}(C+BD) + \bar{A}\bar{B}]C$$

Applying distributive law, we have

$$[A\bar{B}C + A\bar{B}BD + \bar{A}\bar{B}]C$$

$$[A\bar{B}C + \bar{A}\bar{B}]C$$

apply distributive law, we have

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

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

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

$$= \bar{B}C$$

$$\textcircled{C} \cdot [AB(C + \overline{BD}) + \overline{AB}] CD$$

Applying de morgan's theorem, we have

$$[AB(C + \overline{B} + \overline{D}) + \overline{A} + \overline{B}] CD$$

Applying distributive law

$$= [ABC + A\overline{B}\overline{D} + A\overline{B}D + \overline{A} + \overline{B}] CD$$

$$= [ABC + A\overline{B}D + \overline{A} + \overline{B}] CD$$

$$= [\overline{A} + ABC + \overline{B} + A\overline{B}D] CD$$

$$= [\overline{A} + BC + \overline{B} + A\overline{B}D] CD$$

$$= [\overline{A} + A\overline{B}D + \overline{B} + BC] CD$$

$$= [A + \overline{B} + \overline{B} + C] CD$$

Applying distributive law, we have

$$= ACD + \overline{C}\overline{D}D + \overline{B}CD + CCD$$

$$= ACD + \overline{B}CD + CD$$

$$= CD(1 + \overline{B})$$

$$= CD$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{d} \quad & \bar{A}BC + A\bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + A\bar{B}C + ABC \\
 &= \bar{A}BC + ABC + A\bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + A\bar{B}C \\
 &= BC(\bar{A} + A) + \bar{B}\bar{C}(A + \bar{A}) + A\bar{B}C \\
 &= BC + \bar{B}\bar{C} + A\bar{B}C \\
 &= BC + \bar{B}(\bar{C} + AC) \\
 &= BC + \bar{B}(\bar{C} + A) \\
 &= BC + \bar{B}\bar{C} + A\bar{B}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{e} \quad & ABC\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C + \bar{A}BC + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} \\
 &= ABC\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C + \bar{A}\bar{B}(C + \bar{C}) \\
 &= ABC\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C + \bar{A}\bar{B} \\
 &= ABC\bar{C} + \bar{A}(\bar{B} + B\bar{C}) \\
 &= ABC\bar{C} + \bar{A}(\bar{B} + C) \\
 &= ABC\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B} + \bar{A}C
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{f} \quad & \overline{AB + AC} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C \\
 &= \overline{AB} \cdot \overline{AC} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C \\
 &= (\bar{A} + \bar{B})(\bar{A} + \bar{C}) + \bar{A}\bar{B}C \\
 &= \bar{A}\bar{A} + \bar{A}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B} + \bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{A}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B} + \bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C \\
 &= \bar{A}(1 + \bar{C}) + \bar{A}\bar{B} + \bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{A}\bar{B} + \bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C \\
 &= \bar{A}(1 + \bar{B}) + \bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{B} (\bar{C} + \bar{A}C) \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{B} (\bar{C} + \bar{A}) \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B} \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{A}\bar{B} + \bar{B}\bar{C} \\
 &= \bar{A}(\cancel{1+B}) + \bar{B}\bar{C} \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{B}\bar{C}
 \end{aligned}$$

(g) $\overline{AB} + \overline{AC} + \overline{ABC}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{B} + \bar{A} + \bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{A} + \bar{B} + \bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{B} + \bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{B} + \bar{C} \\
 &= \bar{A}(\cancel{1+\bar{B}\bar{C}}) + \bar{B} + \bar{C} \\
 &= \bar{A} + \bar{B} + \bar{C}
 \end{aligned}$$

(h) $A + AB + A\bar{B}C$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= A(\cancel{1+B}) + A\bar{B}C \\
 &= A + A\bar{B}C \\
 &= A(\cancel{1+\bar{B}C}) \\
 &= A
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (i) \quad & (\bar{A} + B)C + ABC \\
 &= \bar{A}C + BC + ABC \\
 &= \bar{A}C + BC (\cancel{1} + A) \quad \begin{matrix} \nearrow 1 \\ \downarrow \end{matrix} \\
 &= \bar{A}C + BC \\
 &= C(\bar{A} + B)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (ii) \quad & A\bar{B}C(BD + CDE) + A\bar{C} \\
 &= \cancel{A\bar{B}BCD}^0 + A\bar{B}CCDE + A\bar{C} \\
 &= A\bar{B}CDE + A\bar{C} \\
 &= A(\bar{C} + \bar{B}CDE) \\
 &= A(\bar{C} + \bar{B}DE)
 \end{aligned}$$