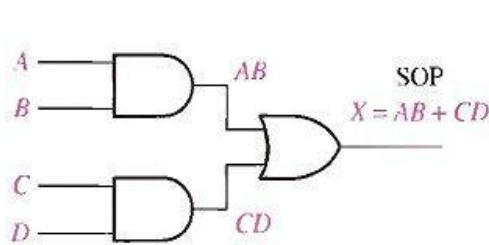


Implementation of logical circuit using NAND and NOR gates:

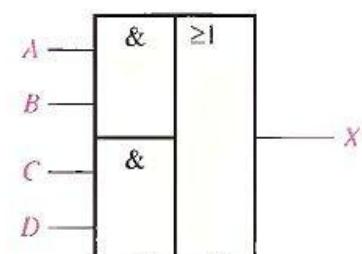
1- AND-OR Logic

Fig.(6-1)(a) shows an AND-OR circuit consisting of two 2-input AND gates and one 2-input OR gate; Fig.(6-1)(b) is the ANSI standard rectangular outline symbol. The Boolean expressions for the AND gate outputs and the resulting SOP expression for the output X are shown in the diagram. In general, all AND-OR circuit can have any number of AND gates each with any number of inputs.

The truth table for a 4-input AND-OR logic circuit is shown in Table 6-1. The intermediate AND gate outputs (AB and CD columns) are also shown in the table.



(a) Logic diagram



(b) ANSI standard rectangular outline symbol.

Fig.(6-1)

For a 4-input AND-OR logic circuit, the output X is HIGH (1) if both input A and input B are HIGH (1) or both input C and input D are HIGH (1).

2-AND-OR-Invert Logic

When the output of an AND-OR circuit is complemented (inverted), it results in an AND-OR-Invert circuit. Recall that AND-OR logic directly implements SOP expressions. POS expressions can be implemented with AND-OR-Invert logic. This is illustrated as follows, starting with a POS expression and developing the corresponding AND-OR-Invert expression.

Table 6-1

INPUTS				OUTPUT		
A	B	C	D	AB	CD	X
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0	1	1
0	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	0	0	0
0	1	1	0	0	0	0
0	1	1	1	0	1	1
1	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0	1	0	1
1	1	0	1	1	0	1
1	1	1	0	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1

$$X = (\overline{A} + \overline{B})(\overline{C} + \overline{D}) = (\overline{AB})(\overline{CD}) = \overline{(\overline{AB})(\overline{CD})} = \overline{\overline{AB}} + \overline{\overline{CD}} = \overline{AB + CD}$$

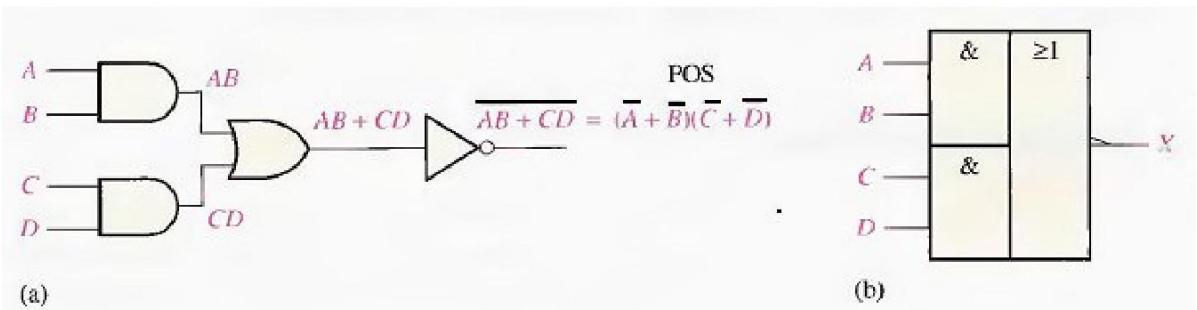


Fig.(6-2)

For a 4-input AND-OR-Invert logic circuit, the output X is LOW (0) if both input A and input B are HIGH (1) or both input C and input D are HIGH (1).

3-Exclusive-OR logic

The exclusive-OR gate was introduced before. Although, because of its importance, this circuit is considered a type of logic gate with its own unique symbol it is actually a combination of two AND gates, one OR gate, and two inverters, as shown in Fig.(6-3)(a). The two standard logic symbols are shown in parts (b) and (c).

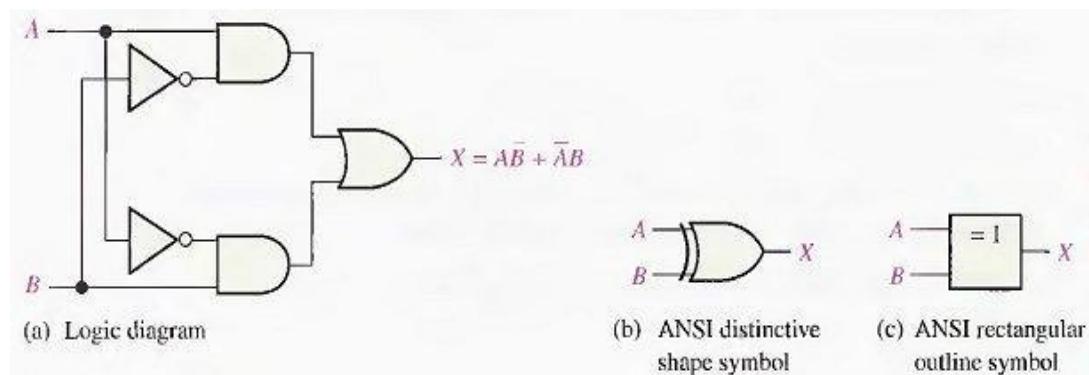


Fig.(6-3)

The output expression for the circuit in Fig.(6-3) is

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

Can be written as $X = A \oplus B$

Table 6-2 Truth table for an exclusive-OR.

A	B	X
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

4- Exclusive-NOR Logic

As you know, the complement of the exclusive-OR function is the exclusive-NOR, which is derived as follows:

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

Notice that the output X is HIGH only when the two inputs, A and B, are at the same level.

The exclusive-NOR can be implemented by simply inverting the output of an exclusive-OR, as shown in Fig(6-4)(a), or by directly implementing the expression $AB + AB$, as shown in part (b).

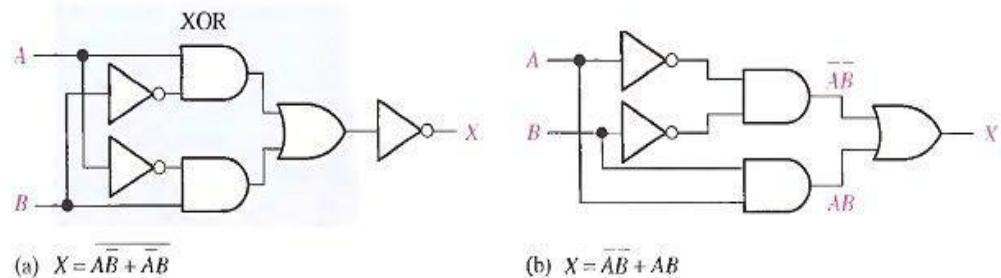


Fig.(6-4)

Example

Develop a logic circuit with four input variables that will only produce a 1 output when exactly three input variables are 1s. Fig.(6-5) shows the circuit.

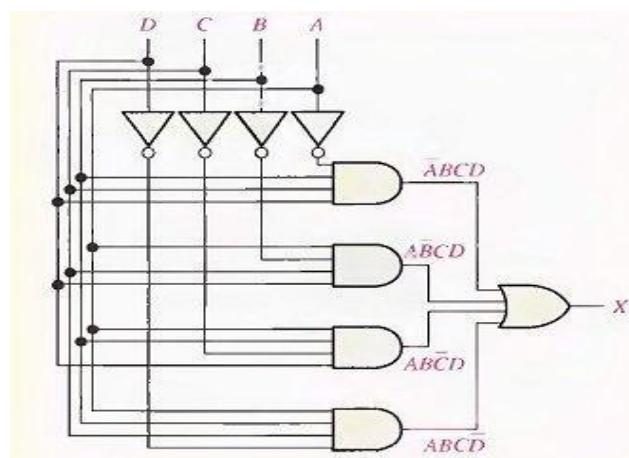


Fig.(6-5)

Example

Reduce the combinational logic circuit in Fig.(6-6) to a minimum form.

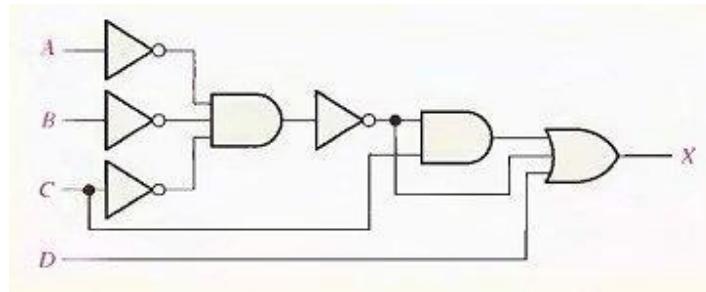


Fig.(6-6)

Solution

The expression for the output of the circuit is

$$X = (A \bar{B} C) C + ABC + D$$

Applying DeMorgan's theorem and Boolean algebra,

$$\begin{aligned} X &= (\bar{\bar{A}} + \bar{\bar{B}} + \bar{\bar{C}})C + \bar{\bar{A}} + \bar{\bar{B}} + \bar{\bar{C}} + D \\ &= AC + BC + CC + A + B + C + D \\ &= AC + BC + C + A + B + \cancel{C} + D \\ &= C(A + B + 1) + A + B + D \\ X &= A + B + C + D \end{aligned}$$

The simplified circuit is a 4-input OR gate as shown in Fig.(6-7).

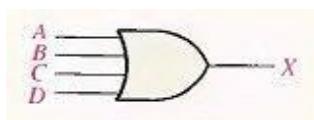


Fig.(6-7)