

1. Design a combinational circuit that generates a 4-bit Gray-code of a 4-bit binary number.
(see the Truth Table on the right hand.)

- (a) Express the output functions in sum-of-minterms form.
- (b) Use K-maps to simplify each output function and compare with the (a).
- (c) Use Boolean algebra to simplify each output function to a minimum number of literals.
- (d) Implement the output functions with only NOR gates from the simplified expression.
(*Find Boolean expressions for implementing with NAND gates and Draw the logic diagram.)

Binary Number				Gray Code			
a	b	c	d	w	x	y	z
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1
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- (a) Obtain the SOP Table for only $F_1 = 1$. (*No required of the whole Truth Table.
- (b) Obtain the Boolean functions F_1 , F_2 , and F_3 .
- (c) Implement the function F_3 with only NAND gates. (*Find Boolean expression for implementing with NOR gates and Draw the logic diagram.)

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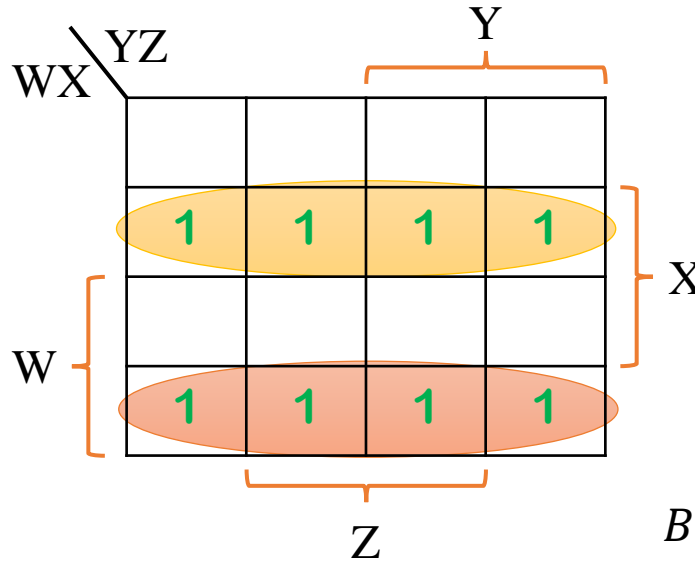
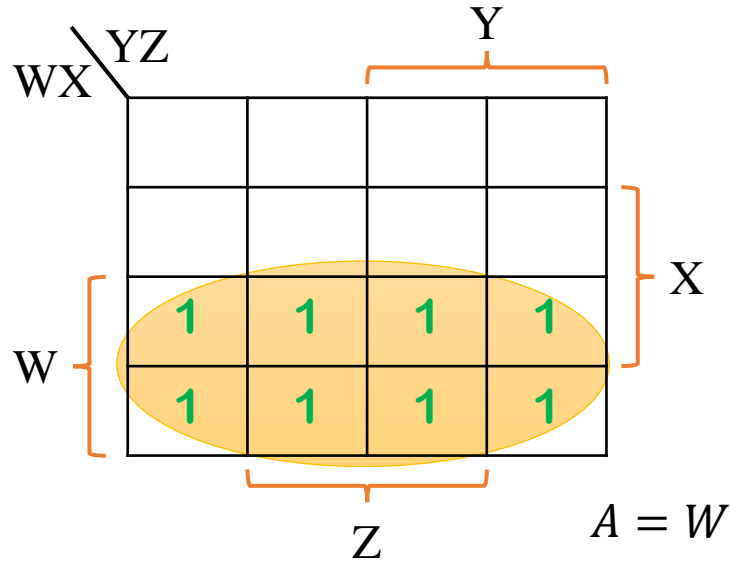
(a) Express the output functions in **sum-of-minterms form**.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A = \sum (8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15) \\ B = \sum (4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11) \\ C = \sum (2,3,4,5,10,11,12,13) \\ D = \sum (1,2,5,6,9,10,13,14) \end{array} \right.$$

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3	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
4	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
5	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1
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(b) Use K-map to **simplify each output function and compare them** with the answers from (a).

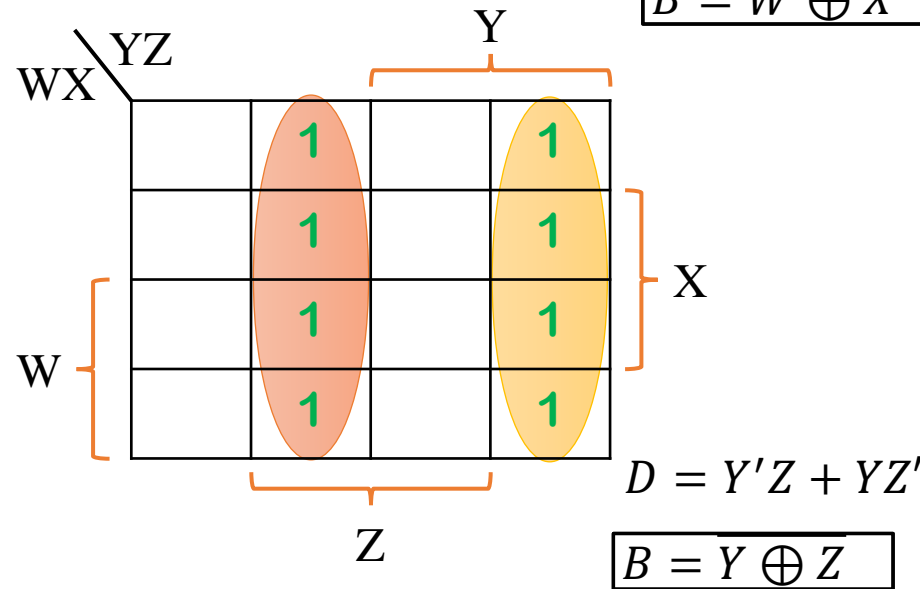
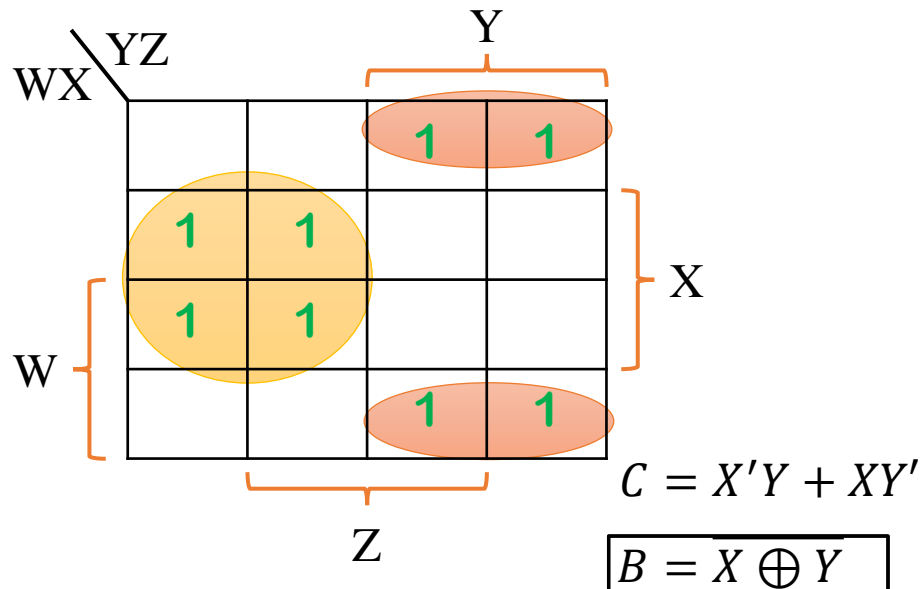


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$$B = W \oplus X$$

* Indicators are important!

$$B = X \oplus Y$$

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* Either one is okay!

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(c) Use Boolean algebra to **simplify each output function** to a minimum number of literals.

(XOR Function)

$$\begin{aligned}A &= WX'Y'Z' + WX'Y'Z + WX'YZ' + WX'YZ + WXY'Z' + WXY'Z + WXYZ' + WXYZ \\&= W(X'Y'Z' + X'Y'Z + X'YZ' + X'YZ + XY'Z' + XY'Z + XYZ' + XYZ) \\&= W\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}B &= W'XY'Z' + W'XY'Z + W'XYZ' + W'XYZ + WX'Y'Z' + WX'Y'Z + WX'YZ' + WX'YZ \\&= W'XY'(Z' + Z) + W'XY(Z' + Z) + WX'Y'(Z' + Z) + WX'Y(Z' + Z) \\ \text{or} \quad &= W'X(Y'Z' + Y'Z + YZ' + YZ) + WX'(Y'Z' + Y'Z + YZ' + YZ) \\&= W'X + WX\end{aligned}$$

Same way as B:

$$C = X'Y + XY'$$

$$D = Y'Z + YZ'$$

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$$A = W$$

$$B = W'X + WX' \xrightarrow{\text{Then}} B' = (W'X)' \cdot (WX')' = (W + X') \cdot (W' + X)$$

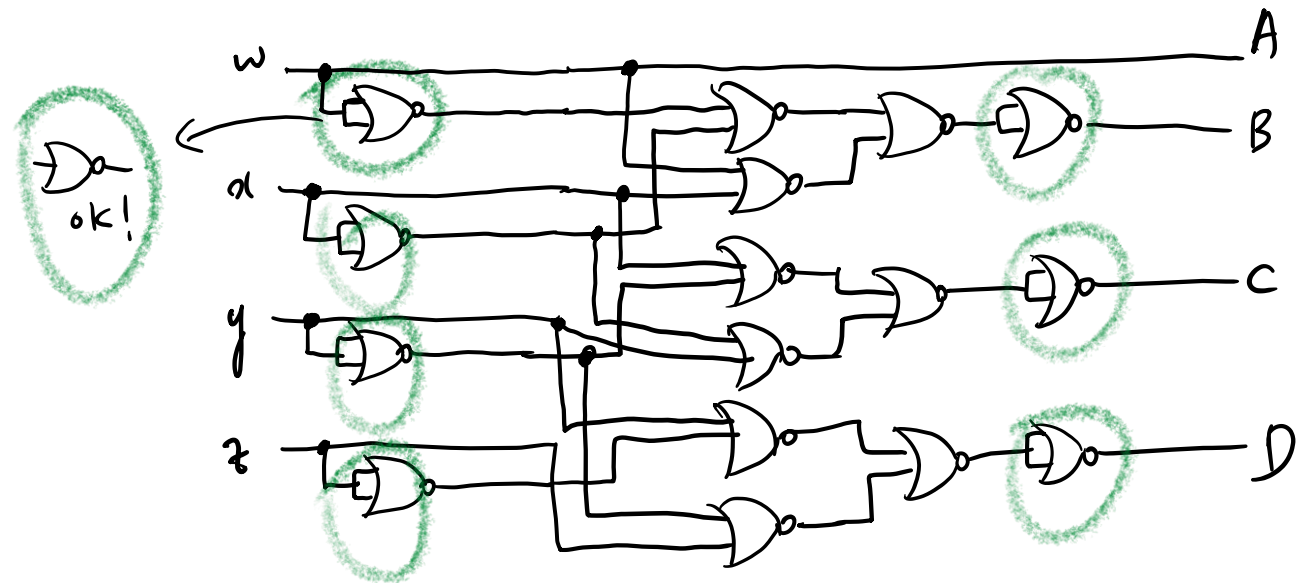
$$\xrightarrow{\text{Then}} (B')' = (W + X')' + (W' + X)'$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Then}} (B')' = [[(W + X')' + (W' + X)']']'$$

$$C = X'Y + XY' = [[(X + Y')' + (X' + Y)']']'$$

$$D = Y'Z + YZ' = [[(Y + Z')' + (Y' + Z)']']'$$

* W' , X' , Y' , Z' inputs are needed to implement with a single input NOR gate.



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(a) Obtain the Truth Table for only $F_1=1$. (* No required of the whole Truth Table.)

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(b) Obtain the **Boolean functions** F_1 , F_2 , and F_3 .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & A & B \\ & A_2 \ A_1 \ A_0 & B_2 \ B_1 \ B_0 \end{array}$$

$$F_1 = (A'_2B'_2 + A_2B_2). (A'_1B'_1 + A_1B_1). (A'_0B'_0 + A_0B_0)$$

$$F_2 = A_2B'_2 + (A'_2B'_2 + A_2B_2). A_1B'_1 + (A'_2B'_2 + A_2B_2). (A'_1B'_1 + A_1B_1). A_0B'_0$$

$$F_3 = A'_2B_2 + (A'_2B'_2 + A_2B_2). A'_1B_1 + (A'_2B'_2 + A_2B_2). (A'_1B'_1 + A_1B_1). A'_0B_0$$

You can also define x_i as $x_i = A'_iB'_i + A_iB_i$ So:

$$F_1 = x_2 \cdot x_1 \cdot x_0$$

$$F_2 = A_2B'_2 + x_2 \cdot A_1B'_1 + x_2 \cdot x_1 \cdot A_0B'_0$$

$$F_3 = A'_2B_2 + x_2 \cdot A'_1B_1 + x_2 \cdot x_1 \cdot A'_0B_0$$

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(c) **Implement the function F_3 with only NAND gates.**

$$x_2 = A'_2 B'_2 + A_2 B_2$$

$$x_1 = A'_1 B'_1 + A_1 B_1$$

$$F_3 = A'_2 B_2 + x_2 \cdot A'_1 B_1 + x_2 \cdot x_1 \cdot A'_0 B_0$$

$$\begin{aligned} (F_3)' &= (A'_2 B_2 + x_2 \cdot A'_1 B_1 + x_2 \cdot x_1 \cdot A'_0 B_0)' \\ &= (A'_2 B_2)' \cdot (x_2 \cdot A'_1 B_1)' \cdot (x_2 \cdot x_1 \cdot A'_0 B_0)' \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} ((F_3)')' &= F_3 \\ &= [(A'_2 B_2)' \cdot (x_2 \cdot A'_1 B_1)' \cdot (x_2 \cdot x_1 \cdot A'_0 B_0)']' \end{aligned}$$

$$* x'_2 = (A'_2 B'_2 + A_2 B_2)' = (A'_2 B'_2)' \cdot (A_2 B_2)'$$

$$((x_2)')' = x_2 = [(A'_2 B'_2)' \cdot (A_2 B_2)']'$$

Similarly: $x_1 = [(A'_1 B'_1)' \cdot (A_1 B_1)']'$

