

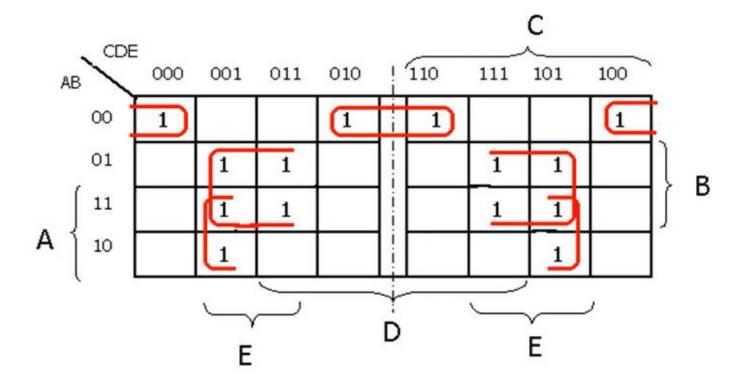
• 5 variables -> 32 minterms, hence 32 squares required

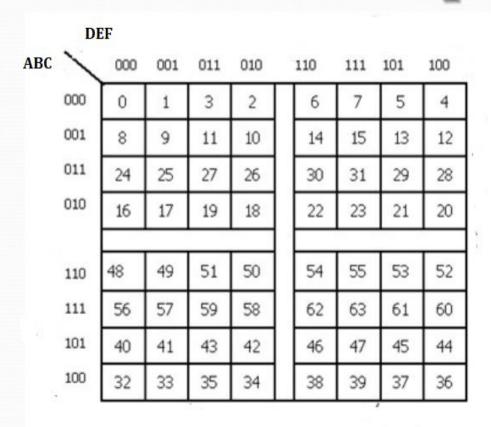
- Adjacent squares. E.g. square 15 is adjacent to 7,14,13,31 and its mirror square 11.
- The centre line must be considered as the centre of a book, each half of the K-map being a page
- The centre line is like a mirror with each square being adjacent not only to its 4 immediate neighbouring squares, but also to its mirror image.

Example: Simplify the Boolean function

 $F_{(ABCDE)} = \sum (0,2,4,6,11,13,15,17,21,25,27,29,31)$

Soln: $F_{(ABCDE)} = BE + AD'E + A'B'E'$





^{□ 6} variables -> 64 minterms, hence 64 squares required

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