



CS211 Computer Architecture

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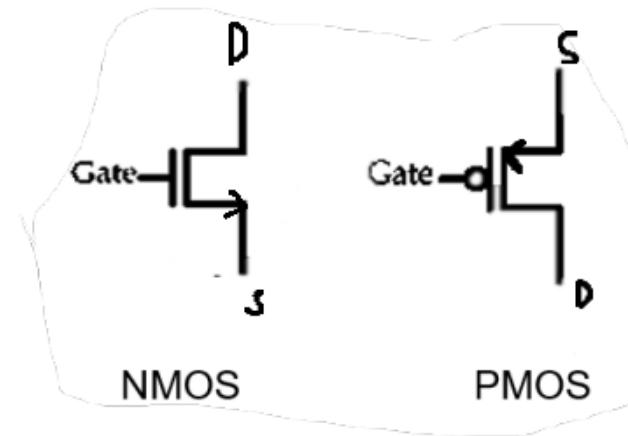
Today

- Transistors overview
- Gates & Truth Tables
- DeMorgan's Law
- Functional Completeness
 - NAND
 - NOR
- Boolean Expressions
 - Drawing a circuit

Transistors

- Transistors are the basic units that build gates
 - Gates are used to implement logic
 - They are used to build computers
 - 2 types:
 - NMOS
 - PMOS
- * MOS = metal oxide semiconductor

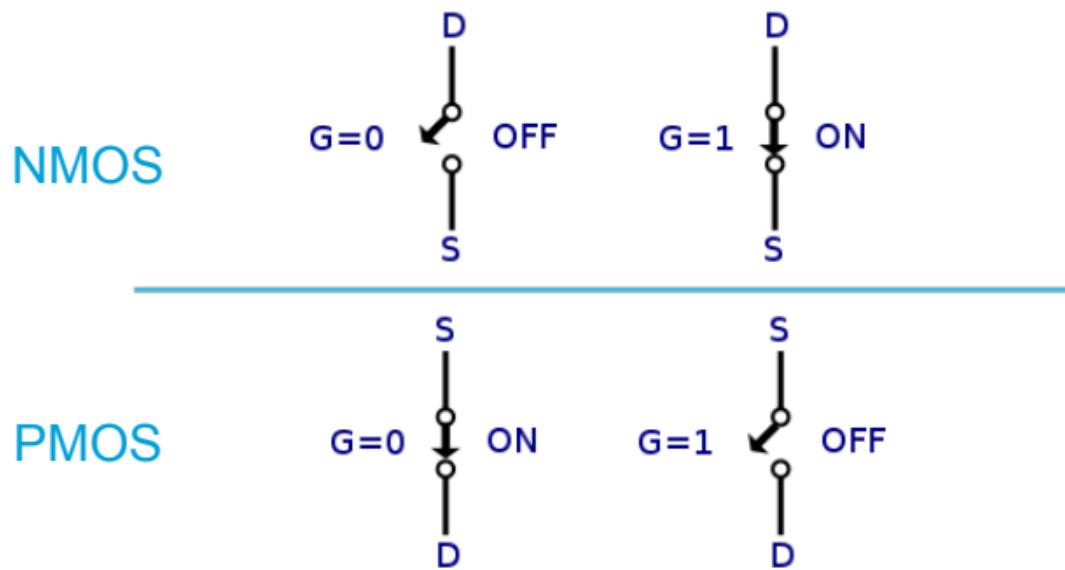
Transistors



voltage applied to gate

- > 0 , ON, acts as short circuit
- < 0 , OFF, acts as open circuit
- < 0 , ON, acts as short circuit
- > 0 , OFF, acts as open circuit

Transistors



Transistors

- A CMOS circuit is made up of both NMOS and PMOS transistors
 - N-type is used to pull output down to ground
 - P-type is used to pull output up towards a voltage at the source
- CMOS circuits are preferred to implement gates such as AND, OR, NOT, etc
 - Low static power dissipation
 - Provides pure logic “1” and “0”

Transistors

- The design of a transistor circuit effects input and output of the circuit
 - Input and outputs are voltages
- The voltages correspond to either logic “0” or “1” in digital logic
 - Certain threshold of voltage values will be accepted as “0” or “1” (aka “low” or “high”)

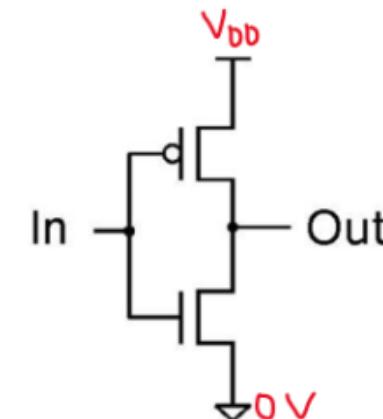
CMOS Inverter Example

- NOT gate using a CMOS inverter
 - Consists of 1 PMOS and NMOS
 - PMOS connected to some voltage supply, let's say VDD
 - NMOS connected to ground (0 V)
 - Input connected to gate of both

Why?

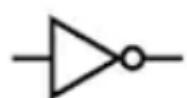
If input voltage = "high" PMOS OFF, NMOS ON
 output connected to GND = "low"

If input voltage = "low" PMOS ON, NMOS OFF
 output connected to VDD = "high"



Input	Output
"low" / 0 / 0 V	"high" / 1 / 2.9 V
"high" / 1 / 2.9 V	"low" / 0 / 0 V

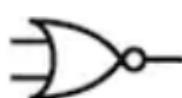
Gates



NOT



OR



NOR



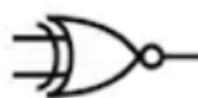
AND



NAND



XOR

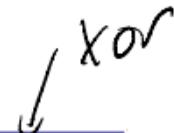


XNOR

Gates – Truth Tables

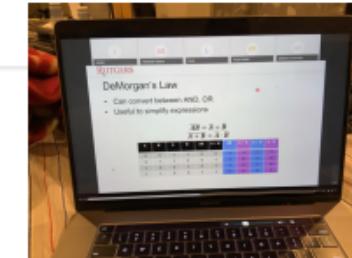
A	B	AB	\overline{AB}
0	0	0	1
0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	1	0

XOR



A	B	A + B	$\overline{A + B}$	$A \oplus B$
0	0	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	1
1	0	1	0	1
1	1	1	0	0

DeMorgan's Law



- Can convert between AND, OR
- Useful to simplify expressions

0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	\overline{B}
0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	
1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	
1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	

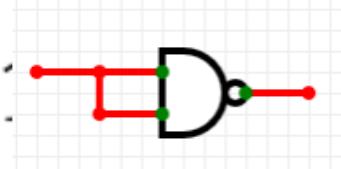
Functional Completeness

- What does it mean?
 - If a gate or set of gates is *functionally complete*, then any Boolean expression can be “realized” using only that set
 - Efficient to use the same type of gate to minimize costs and propagation delays
 - Ex: {AND, OR, NOT} – basic set of gates
- **NOR** and **NAND** are both functionally complete
 - NOT, AND, & OR can be implemented using only NAND or only NOR gates
 - How?

Functional Completeness - NAND

- NOT
 - To invert an input, just N

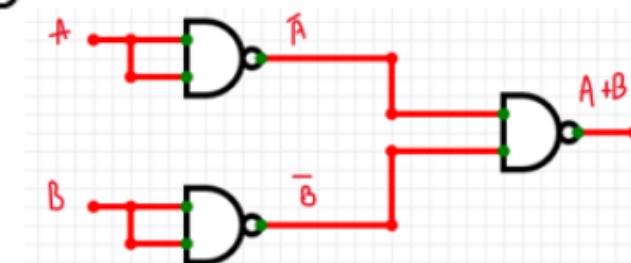
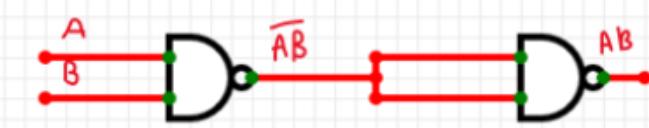
- $\overline{00} = 1$
- $\overline{11} = 0$



Functional Completeness - NAND

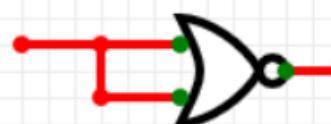
- **AND (2 NAND Gates)**

- We know that we can implement AND with 2 NAND gates
- We can “undo” the effect of the output of NAND gate
- $\overline{AB} = AB$



Functional Completeness - NOR

- NOT
 - To invert a signal, just NOR it
 - $\overline{0+0} = 1$
 - $\overline{1+1} = 0$



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Functional Completeness - NOR

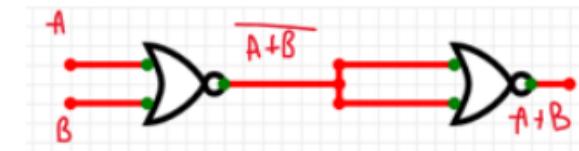
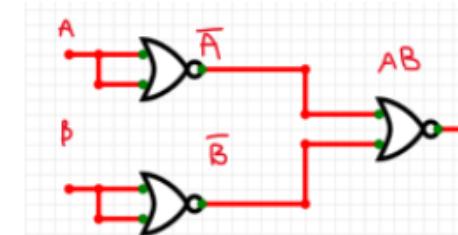
- AND (3 NOR Gates)
 - DeMorgan's
 - Invert your inputs first into 2 separate NOR gates, then take that output as inputs into one final NOR gate
 - $A \cdot B = \overline{\overline{A} + \overline{B}}$
- OR (2 NOR Gates)
 - We know that we can use NOR to invert an output
 - We can "undo" the effects of NOR by taking the output of NOR gate and inverting it
 - $A + B = \overline{\overline{A} \cdot \overline{B}}$

Functional Completeness - NOR

- AND (3 NOR Gates)

- DeMorgan's
- Invert your inputs first
then take that output
gate

$$\overline{\overline{A} \cdot \overline{B}} = A + B$$

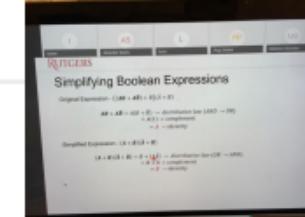


Boolean Expressions

- Convert this expression to a logic diagram

$$(C \wedge D \perp \wedge \bar{D})$$

Simplifying Boolean Expressions



- Original Expression - $((AB + A\bar{B}) + B)(A + \bar{A})$

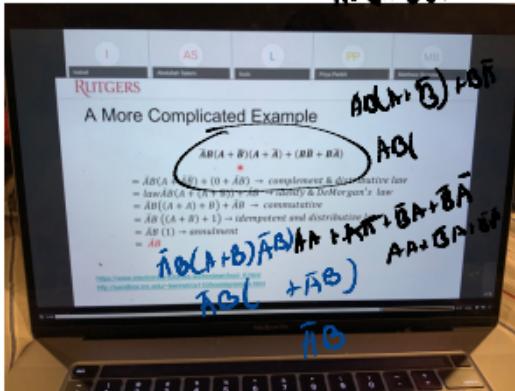
$$\begin{aligned}AB + A\bar{B} &= A(B + \bar{B}) \rightarrow (A \cdot 1) \\&= A(1) \rightarrow \\&= A\end{aligned}$$

Simplified Expression - $(A + B)(\bar{A} + B)$

A More Complicated Example

$$\overline{A}D(A + \overline{B}A + \overline{A}\overline{B}) \overline{D}(P\overline{A}) \\ \overline{D}(1 + \overline{B}(\overline{A}D))$$

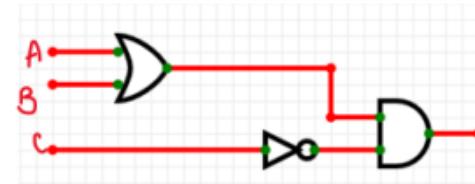
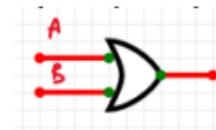
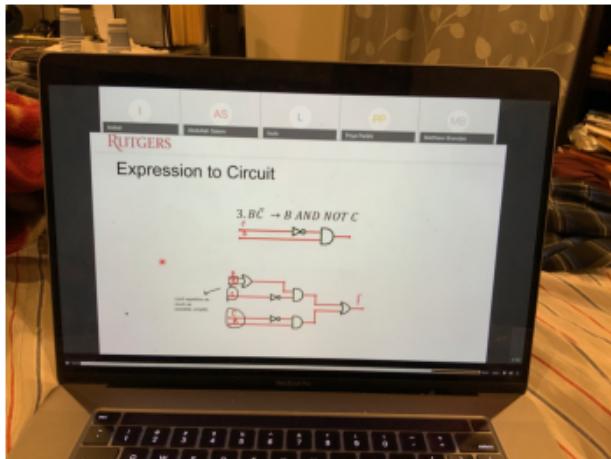
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$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \overline{A}B(A + \overline{B})(A - \overline{B}) \\
 &= \overline{A}B(A + \overline{B})(1) + (0 + \overline{A}B)(A - \overline{B}) \\
 &= \overline{A}B(A + \overline{B}) + \overline{A}B(A - \overline{B}) \rightarrow i \\
 &= \overline{A}((D \cap A) + (\overline{D} \cap \overline{A})) + \overline{A}B
 \end{aligned}$$

Expression to Circuit

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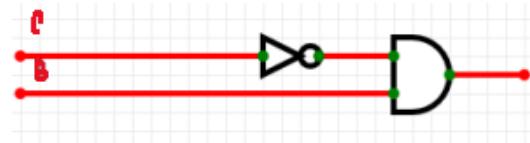


$$F = (A +$$

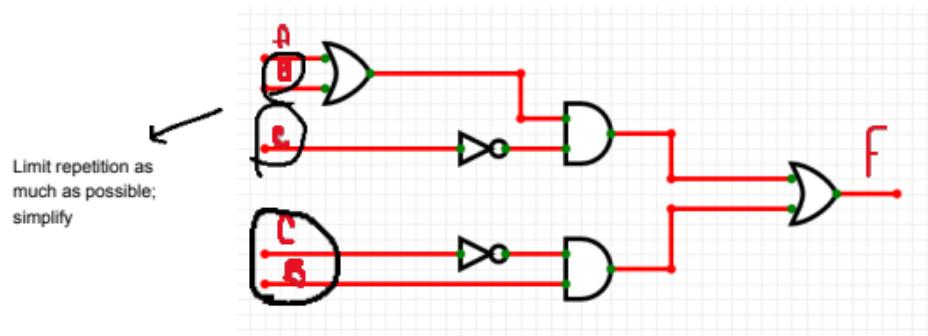
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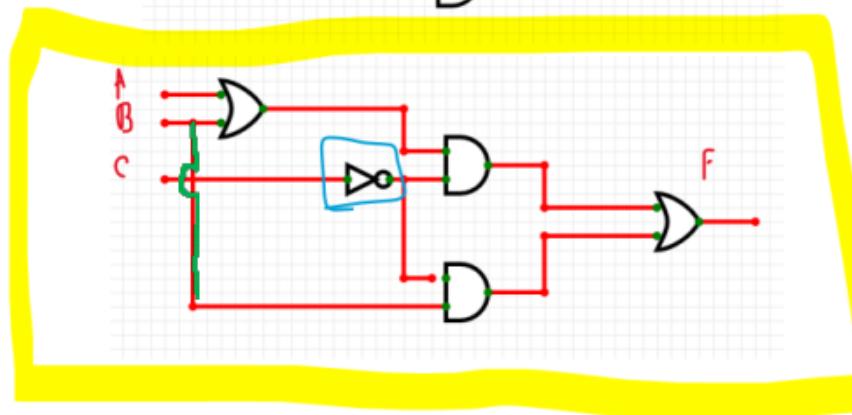
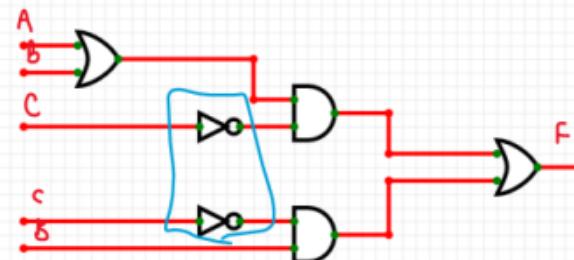
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$$3. B\bar{C} \rightarrow B$$



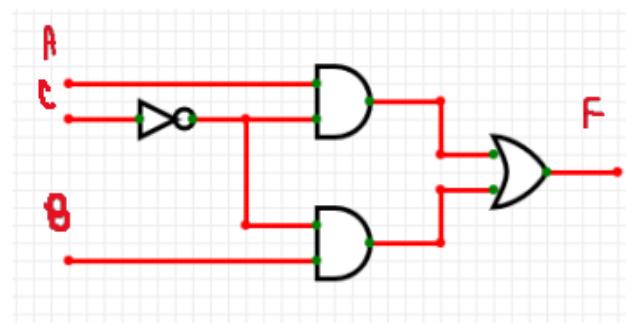
Expression to Circuit



Simplifying Circuits

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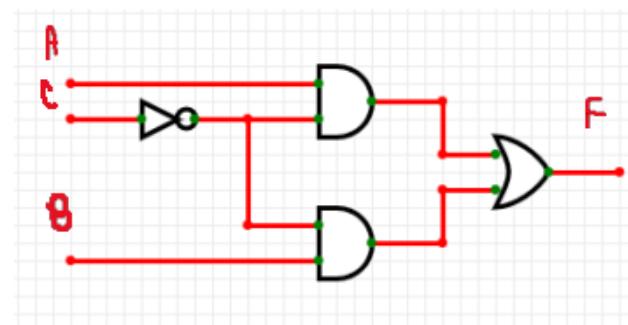
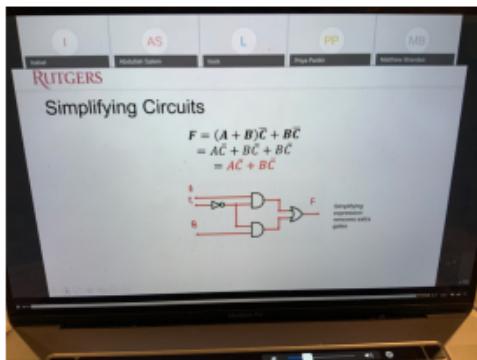
$$\begin{aligned}F &= (A + \\&= A\bar{C} + \\&= A(\end{aligned}$$



Simplifying
expression
removes extra
gates

Simplifying Circuits

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