



Five Variable K Map

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Working With Maxterms

- At times, we may be required to work with maxterms.
 - The previous process actually worked with minterms. Remember that the numbers used for minterms are the opposites of the numbers used for maxterms:
 - $F(w, x, y, z) = \sum(0, 1, 2, 8, 9, 10, 11)$, uses minterms
 - $F(w, x, y, z) = \prod(3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 15)$, uses maxterms
 - If you are given minterms, fill in 1's for the minterms and then fill the remaining cells with 0's
 - If you are given maxterms, fill in 0's for the maxterms and then fill the remaining cells with 1's
 - For SOP simplification, solve the map for the 1's
 - For POS simplification, solve the map for the 0's to get complemented function. Taking the complement of this complemented function we obtain function in POS form

Five-Variable Map

- A **five-variable map** holds thirty-two minterms for five variables.
- We use **two four variable map** with one of the variables distinguishing between the two.
- Each square in the first map is adjacent to the corresponding square in the second map (i.e. 4 and 20 are adjacent). It is just like placing one map on the top of the other.

$v = 0$

wx \ yz				
	00	01	11	10
00	0	1	3	2
01	4	5	7	6
11	12	13	15	14
10	8	9	11	10

$v = 1$

wx \ yz				
	00	01	11	10
00	16	17	19	18
01	20	21	23	22
11	28	29	31	30
10	24	25	27	26

5-Variable Map Patterns

$A = 0$

		DE		D	
BC		00	01	11	10
00		0	1	3	2
01		4	5	7	6
11	B	12	13	15	14
10		8	9	11	10
		E			

C

$A = 1$

		DE		D	
BC		00	01	11	10
00		16	17	19	18
01		20	21	23	22
11	B	28	29	31	30
10		24	25	27	26
		E			

C

5-Variable Map Patterns

- The number of adjacent squares that may be combined always represent a number that is a **power of 2** such as 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, and 32.
 - One square represents one minterm with five literals.
 - Two adjacent squares represents a term of four literals.
 - Four adjacent squares represents a term of three literals.
 - Eight adjacent squares represents a term of two literals.
 - Sixteen adjacent squares represents a term of one literal.
 - Thirty-two adjacent squares represents the entire map and produces a function that is always equal to 1.

Alternative Five Variable Map

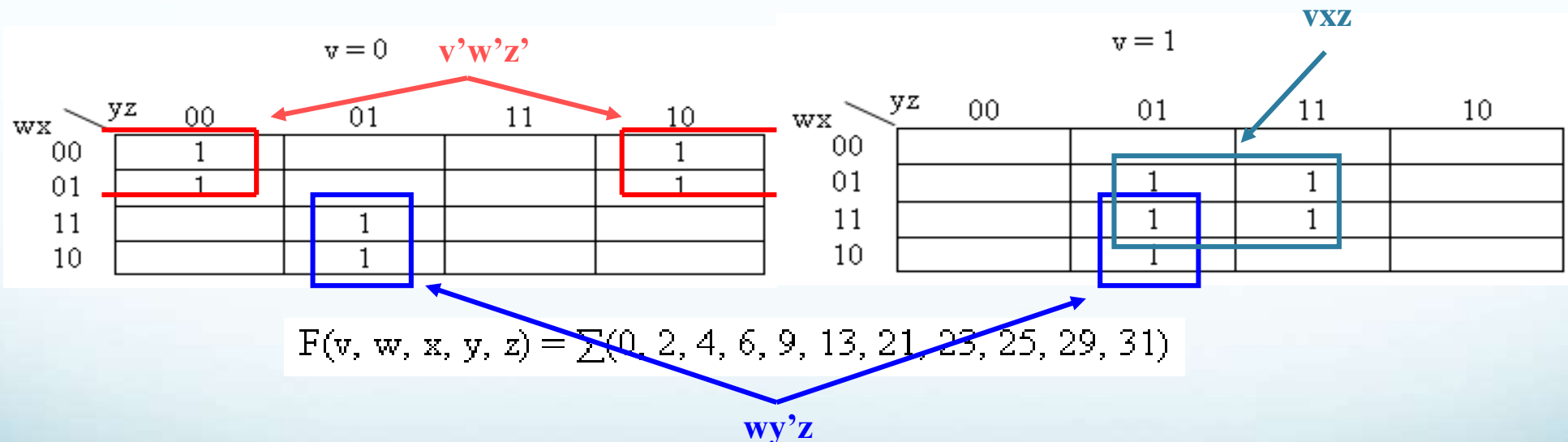
		CD E				C			
		000	001	011	010	110	111	101	100
A	00	0	1	3	2	6	7	5	4
	01	8	9	11	10	14	15	13	12
	11	24	25	27	26	30	31	29	28
	10	16	17	19	18	22	23	21	20

Labels and groupings:

- A**: {11, 10} (rows 3 and 4)
- B**: {01, 11, 10} (rows 2, 3, and 4)
- C**: {110, 111, 101, 100} (columns 6, 7, 8, and 9)
- D**: {011, 010, 110, 111} (columns 3, 4, 5, and 6)
- E**: {000, 001, 011, 010} (columns 1, 2, 3, and 4)

Minimization Example (5-Variable Map)

- Example 3-7
- Simplify the Boolean function
 $F(V,W,X,Y,Z) = \Sigma(0,2,4,6,9,13,21,23,25,29,31)$

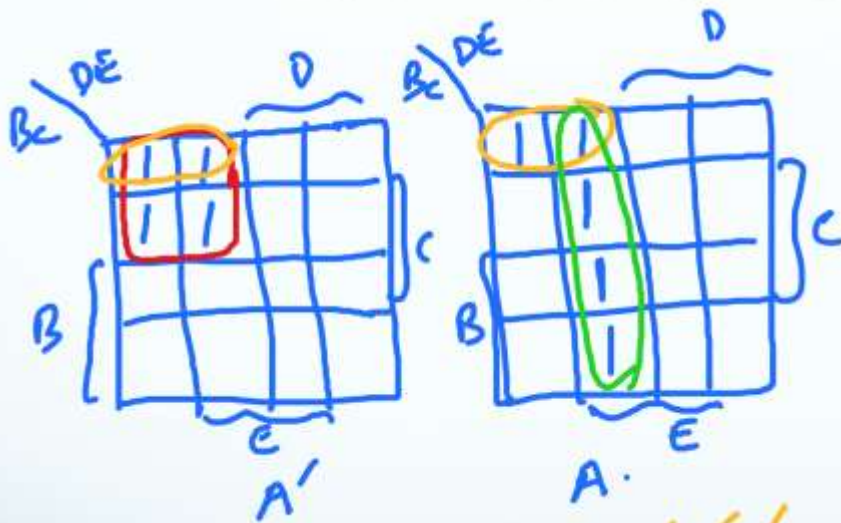


- $F = v'w'z' + wy'z + vxz$

Your Turn

- Simplify the following function in Sum of Products form

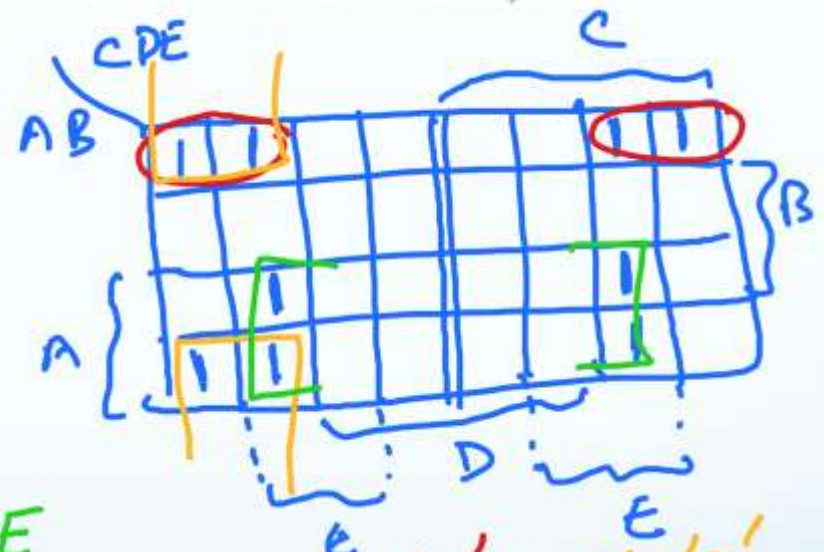
$$F(A, B, C, D, E) = \Sigma(0, 1, 4, 5, 16, 17, 21, 25, 29)$$



$$F = A'B'D' + B'C'D' + ADE$$

Method 1
(Book)

$$F = A'B'D' + B'C'D' + AB'E$$



$$F = A'B'D' + B'C'D' + ADE$$

Method 2
(Gray Code)

Overview of Karnaugh Map

- Karnaugh Map?
 - Made up of squares
 - Each square represent one minterm
 - The variables in squares change in gray code
 - Each variable covers an area in the squares
- Grouping of Squares Rules?
 - Every cell containing a 1 must be included at least once.
 - The largest possible “power of 2 rectangle” must be enclosed.
 - The 1’s must be enclosed in the smallest possible number of rectangles
- Mapping of Functions into the Karnaugh Map
 - Function expressed in sum of products or sum of minterms
 - Function expressed in product of sums or product of maxterms?
 - Convert it to sum of minterms or sum of products form



The End