

1. Simplify the following expressions using Boolean algebra:

a.  $(B + \bar{C})(\bar{B} + C) + \overline{A + B + \bar{C}}$

$$= B\bar{B} + BC + \bar{B}\bar{C} + C\bar{C} + \bar{A} + \bar{B} + \bar{C}$$

[Dist. + DM]

$$= 0 + BC + \bar{B}\bar{C} + 0 + A + \bar{B} + C$$

[R8, R9]

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

[R1, R10]

b.  $\overline{(\bar{A} + B + \bar{C})(A + B + \bar{C})(\bar{A} + B + C)(BC + \overline{\overline{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}})}$

$$= \overline{(\bar{A} + B + \bar{C}) + (A + B + \bar{C}) + (\bar{A} + B + C) + (BC + \overline{\overline{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}})}$$

[DM]

$$= \overline{\bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + BC + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}}$$

[DM, R9]

$$= \overline{A\bar{B}C + \bar{A}\bar{B}C + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + BC + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}}$$

[R9]

$$= \overline{A\bar{B}C + \bar{A}\bar{B}C + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C} + BC + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}}$$

[R9]

$$= \overline{A\bar{B}(C + \bar{C}) + \bar{A}\bar{B}(C + \bar{C}) + BC}$$

[Dist.]

$$= \overline{A\bar{B} + \bar{A}\bar{B} + BC}$$

[R6, R4]

$$= \overline{\bar{B}(A + \bar{A}) + BC}$$

[Dist.]

$$= \overline{\bar{B} + BC}$$

[R6, R4]

$$= \overline{\bar{B} + C}$$

[R11]

2. Suppose a Boolean variable  $Z$  is described by the following Karnaugh map
- a. Construct a minimum SOP expression for  $Z$ .

		$CD$			
		00	01	11	10
$AB$	00	X	X	X	0
	01	0	X	1	1
	11	0	1	1	X
	10	0	X	X	0

$$Z = D + BC$$

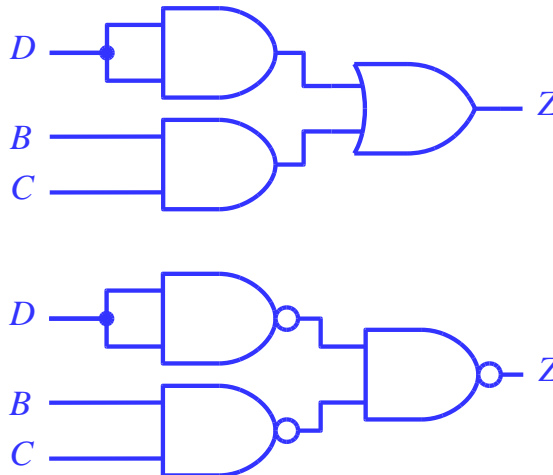
- b. Construct a minimum POS expression for  $Z$ .

		$CD$			
		00	01	11	10
$AB$	00	X	X	X	0
	01	0	X	1	1
	11	0	1	1	X
	10	0	X	X	0

$$Z = B(C + D)$$

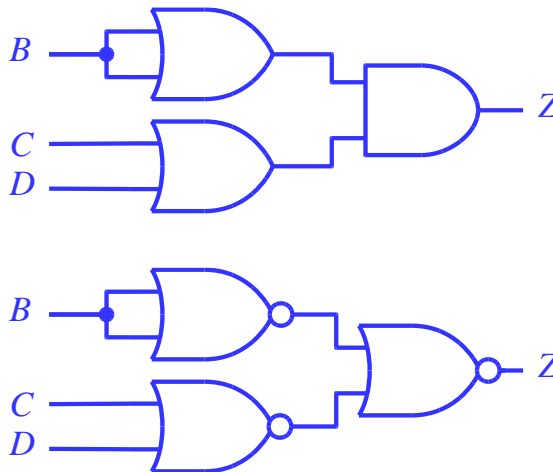
c. Implement  $Z$  using NAND gates.

$$Z = D + BC$$

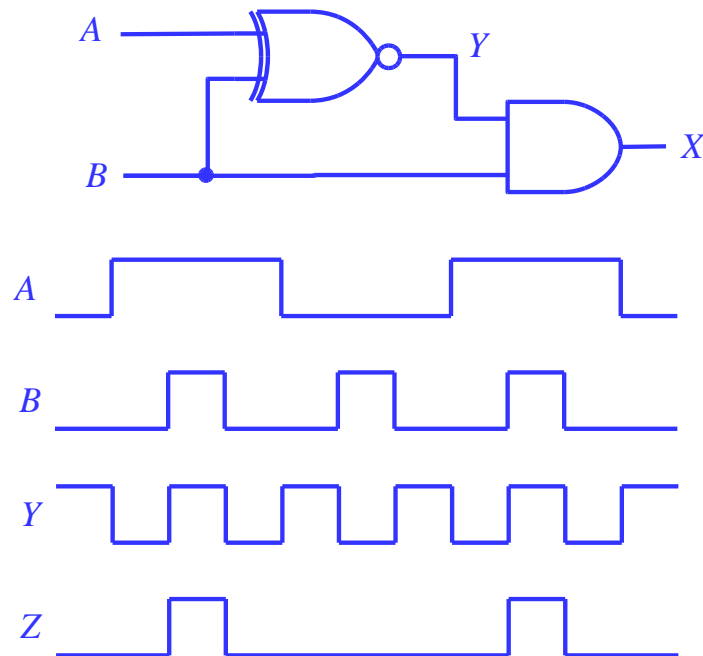


d. Implement  $Z$  using NOR gates.

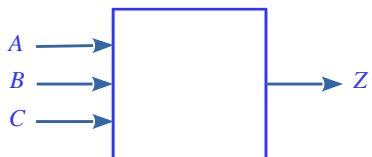
$$Z = B(C + D)$$



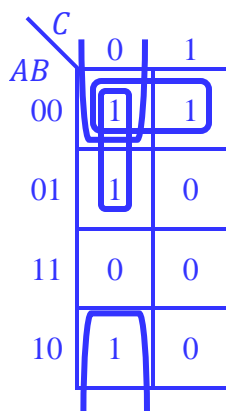
3. For the following logic circuit, draw the output waveform ...



4. Design a logic circuit whose output  $Z$  is HIGH only when a majority of its inputs  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$  are LOW.



Inputs			Output
$A$	$B$	$C$	$Z$
0	0	0	1
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	0



$$Z = \bar{A}\bar{B} + \bar{A}\bar{C} + \bar{B}\bar{C}$$

