

Boolean algebra and logic circuits

Boolean algebra: Boolean algebra is an algebra which deals with the binary number system. It is very useful in designing logic circuits which are used by the processors of computer system.

Q Compare Boolean algebra and general algebra

- ① In boolean algebra are used only two binary digit 0 and 1.
- ② It is used for simplification and design switching circuit.
- ③ It has two conditions true or false
- ④ Example: $1+1=1$

General algebra :

- ① In general algebra are used only ten digits 0 to 9.
- ② It is used for solving mathematical problem.
- ③ In general algebra, true or false condition does not apply.
- ④ Example : $1 + 1 = 2$

Fundamental concept of B.A

- ① Use of binary digits: 0 and 1
- ② Logical addition: OR Gate (+)
- ③ Logical multiplication: AND Gate (\cdot)
- ④ Complement : NOT gate ($\bar{\cdot}$)
- ⑤ Operator Precedence:

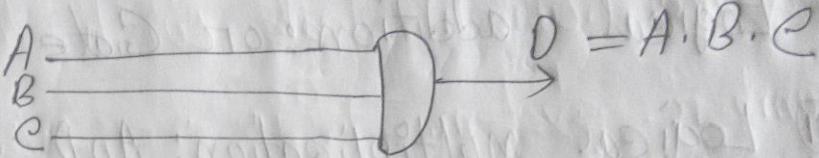
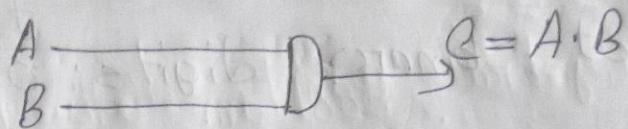
$$A + B \cdot C = (A + B) \cdot C \quad | A + (B \cdot C)$$

$$(1 + 0) \cdot 0 = 0$$

$$1 + (0 \cdot 0) = 1$$

A	B	C	f
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1

AND (.) :

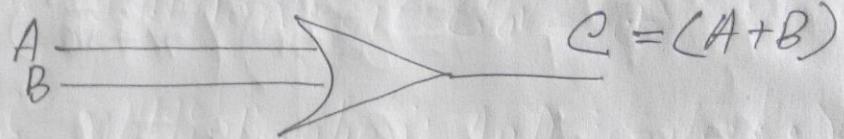


Truth table :

A	B	C = a · b
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

A	B	C	D = a · b · c
0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1

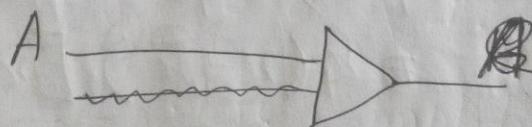
OR (+) :



$$C = (A+B)$$

A	B	C = A+B
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

NOT () :



A	A
0	1
1	0

Postulates of B.A

$$\textcircled{1} \quad x + 0 = x$$

$$x \cdot 1 = x$$

$$\textcircled{10} \quad x + y = y + x$$

$$x \cdot y = y \cdot x$$

$$\textcircled{11} \quad x + (y + z) = (x + y) + z$$

$$x \cdot (yz) = (xy) \cdot z$$

$$\textcircled{12} \quad x + \bar{x} = 1 \quad * \quad x(y + z) = (x - y) + (x \cdot z)$$

$$x \cdot \bar{x} = 0 \quad x + (\bar{x} \cdot z) = (x + y) \cdot (x + \bar{z})$$

$$\textcircled{13} \quad x + x = x$$

$$x \cdot x = x$$

$$\textcircled{14} \quad x + x \cdot y = x$$

$$x \cdot (x + y) = x$$

$$\textcircled{15} \quad x \cdot (\bar{x} + y) = x \cdot y$$

$$x + (\bar{x} \cdot y) = x + y$$

$$\textcircled{16} \quad \text{De-Morgan's theorem}$$

$$\overline{x + y} = \bar{x} \cdot \bar{y}$$

$$\overline{x \cdot y} = \bar{x} + \bar{y}$$

① Prove that: $n + n = n$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= n + n \\ &= (n \cdot n) \cdot 1 \\ &= (n+n)(n+\bar{n}) \\ &= n + (n \cdot \bar{n}) \rightarrow (n+n) \cdot (n+\bar{n}) \\ &= n+0 \\ &\Rightarrow n = \text{R.S.} \end{aligned}$$

② Prove that: $n \cdot n = n$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= n \cdot n \\ &= n \cdot n + 0 \\ &= n \cdot n + n \cdot \bar{n} \\ &= n(n+\bar{n}) \quad [n(n+\bar{n}) = n \cdot n + n \cdot \bar{n}] \\ &= n \cdot 1 = (n+\bar{n}) \cdot 0 \quad (\text{Q}) \\ &= n \cdot (n+\bar{n}) + n \end{aligned}$$

∴ $n \cdot n = n$ Q.E.D.

$$\sqrt{xy} = \sqrt{x+y}$$

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③ Prove that,

$$x+1 = 1$$

$$\text{L.H.S} = x+1$$

$$= (x+1) \cdot 1$$

$$= (x+1) \cdot (x+\bar{x})$$

$$= x + (1 \cdot x) \quad [x + (1 \cdot x) = (x+1)(x+\bar{x})]$$

$$= x + x\bar{x}$$

$$= 1$$

④ De morgan's theorem

$$\text{I} \quad \overline{x+y} = \overline{x} \cdot \overline{y}$$

$$\text{II} \quad \overline{x \cdot y} = \overline{x} + \overline{y}$$

A	A'
0	1
1	0

$$(\bar{+}) = \cdot$$

$$(\bar{\div}) = +$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \overline{x+y} = \bar{x} \cdot \bar{y}$$

Input			Output			
x	y	$x+y$	$\overline{x+y}$	\bar{x}	\bar{y}	$\bar{x} \cdot \bar{y}$
0	0	0	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	0	0	0	0

$$\textcircled{11} \quad \overline{x \cdot y} = \bar{x} + \bar{y}$$

Input			Output			
x	y	$x \cdot y$	$\overline{x \cdot y}$	\bar{x}	\bar{y}	$\bar{x} + \bar{y}$
0	0	0	1	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	0	1
1	0	0	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	0

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \overline{x+y} = \overline{x} \cdot \overline{y}$$

When the OR sum of two variables is inverted, this is equal to inverting each variables individually and the AND ing these variables. That is $\overline{x+y} = \overline{x} \cdot \overline{y}$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \overline{x \cdot y} = \overline{x} + \overline{y}$$

When the AND sum of two variables is inverted, this is equal to inverting each variables individually and the OR ing these variables.

$$(x+y) \cdot (\overline{x}+\overline{y}) = x\overline{y} + \overline{x}y \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$P \leftarrow \rightarrow (x+y) \cdot 1 = \\ (x+y) =$$

The Principle of Duality

	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
OR	Row 1 $1+1=1$	$0+1=1$	$1+0=1$	$0+0=0$
AND	Row 2 $0 \cdot 0 = 0$	$1 \cdot 0 = 0$	$0 \cdot 1 = 0$	$1 \cdot 1 = 1$

In Boolean algebra there is principle duality betn the operators AND (\cdot) and OR (+) and the digits 0 and 1.

Simplify the boolean functions to a minimum number of literals.

$$\begin{aligned}
 ① \quad x + x'y &= (x + x') \cdot (x + y) \\
 &= 1 \cdot (x + y) \quad \longleftrightarrow q \\
 &= (x + y)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\textcircled{11} \quad n(n'+y) = (n \cdot n') + (n \cdot y) \\ = 0 + (n \cdot y) \quad \leftarrow \text{?} \quad 4 \\ = ny$$

$$\textcircled{111} \quad ny'z + nyz + ny' \\ = n'z(y+y) + ny' \\ = y'z \cdot 1 + ny' \\ = n'z + ny'$$

$$\textcircled{A} \quad ny + n'z + yz \\ = ny + n'z + yz \cdot 1 \\ = ny + n'z + yz \cdot (n+n) \quad \leftarrow \text{?} \quad \textcircled{A} \\ = ny + n'z + yzny + yzn' \\ = ny + n'z + nyz + n'y z \\ = ny(1+z) + n'z(1+y) \\ = ny \cdot 1 + n'z \cdot 1 \\ = ny + n'z$$

Q. Find the complement of the function $F = x'y'z + x'yz'$

Ans:

$$\begin{aligned} F' &= (x'y'z + x'y'z')' \\ &= (x'yz')' \cdot (x'y'z)' \\ &= (x+y+z) \cdot (x+y+z') \end{aligned}$$

Q. Find the complement of the function

$$F = \underline{\text{En}}(y'z' + yz)$$

$$\begin{aligned} F' &= (\underline{\text{En}}(y'z' + yz))' \\ &= x' + (y'z' + yz)' \\ &= x' + (y+z) \cdot (y'+z') \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 * \quad F &= (xy'z) + (x'y'z') + xy \\
 F' &= ((xy'z) + (x'y'z') + xy)' \\
 &= (xy'z) \cdot (x'y'z') \cdot (xy)' \\
 &= (x'+y+z') \cdot (x+y+z) \cdot (x'+y')
 \end{aligned}$$

Boolean function: A Boolean function is an expression which formed with binary variables, the two binary operators OR and AND and the unary operator NOT. Parentheses and equal sign.

For minimizing a boolean function we can use the method,

① Canonical Form:

① minterm (sum of product) $(x'y'z') + (x'yz)$

② Maxterm (Product of sum) $(x+y+z) \cdot (x+y'+z')$

minterm: A boolean quantity consisting of all terms ANDed together any combination of terms and complements is permissible provided all are included in the terms.

Example: Express the boolean function $F = A + B'C$ in the sum of products (minterms) form.

$$\begin{aligned} F &= A \cdot B' \cdot C + A \cdot B' \cdot C' + A \cdot B \cdot C + A \cdot B \cdot C' \\ &= A \cdot (B \cdot B') + B' \cdot C \cdot (A + A') \\ &= (AB + AB') \cdot (C + C') + B'C'A + B'C'A' \\ &= ABC + ABC' + AB'C + AB'C' + A'B'C \\ &\quad + A'B'C' \end{aligned}$$

$$= ABC + ABC' + AB'C + AB'C' + A B' C$$

$$= 111 + 110 + 101 + 100 + 001$$

$$= m_7 + m_6 + m_5 + m_4 + m_1$$

$$= m_1 + m_4 + m_5 + m_6 + m_7$$

$$= \sum(1, 4, 5, 6, 7)$$

Variables			Minterm		Maxterm	
x	y	z	term	De	term	De
0	0	0	$x'y'z'$	m_0	$x+y+z$	M_0
0	0	1	$x'y'z$	m_1	$x+y+z'$	M_1
0	1	0	$x'y'z'$	m_2	$x+y'+z$	M_2
0	1	1	$x'yz$	m_3	$x+y+z'$	M_3
1	0	0	$xy'z'$	m_4	$x'+y+z$	M_4
1	0	1	$xy'z$	m_5	$x'+y+z'$	M_5
1	1	0	xyz'	m_6	$x+y+z'$	M_6
1	1	1	xyz	m_7	$x'+y'+z'$	M_7

Example - 2

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

Ansatzkom

$$= 011 + 010 + 001 + 000$$

Ansatz

$$= m_3 + m_2 + m_1 + m_0$$

Wirk

$$= m_0 + m_1 + m_2 + m_3$$

$\Sigma(0, 1, 2, 3)$

$$\text{B} (A+B) \cdot e' = A e' + B e'$$

$$= A e' + B e'$$

$$= A e'(B+B') + B e'(A+A')$$

$$= AB e' + A e' B' + AB e' + A' B e'$$

$$= AB e' + AB' e' + AB e' + A' B e'$$

$$= 110 + 100 + 110 + 010$$

$$= m_6 + m_4 + m_6 + m_2$$

$$= m_2 + m_4 + m_6$$

$$= \Sigma(2, 4, 6)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 F(A, B, C, D) &= D(A' + B) + B'D \\
 &= A'D + BD + B'D \\
 &= A'D(B + B') + BD(A + A') + B'D(A + A') \\
 &= A'B'D + A'B'D + ABD + ABD + AB'D + A'B'D \\
 &= A'B'D + A'B'D + ABD + ABD \\
 &= 011 + 001 + 111 + 101 \\
 &= m_3 + m_1 + m_7 + m_5 \\
 &= m_1 + m_3 + m_5 + m_7 \\
 &= \Sigma(1, 3, 5, 7)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Q5} \quad F(A, B, C, D) &= D(A'B) + B'D \\
 &= A'D + BD + B'D \\
 &= A'D(B+B') + (A+A')BD + (A+A')B'D \\
 &= A'BD + A'B'D + ABD + A'BD + AB'D + A'B'D \\
 &= A'BD(C+C') + A'B'D(C+C') + ABD(C+C') + A'BD(C+C') + \\
 &\quad (ABD)(C+C') + ABD(C+C') \\
 &= A'BCD + A'BC'D + A'BCD + A'BC'D + ABCD + ABC'D + A'BCD + A'BC'D \\
 &\quad + AB'C'D + AB'C'D + A'BC'D + A'BC'D + ABCD + ABC'D \\
 &= A'BCD + A'BC'D + A'BC'D + A'BC'D + ABCD + ABC'D + \\
 &\quad + AB'C'D + AB'C'D \\
 &= 0111 + 0101 + 0011 + 0001 + 1111 + 01101 + 1011 + 1001 \\
 &= m_7 + m_5 + m_3 + m_1 + m_{15} + m_{13} + m_{11} + m_9 \\
 &= m_1 + m_3 + m_5 + m_7 + m_9 + m_{11} + m_{13} + m_{15} \\
 &= \Sigma(1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$F(x, y, z) =$$

$$= m + m'$$

$$= m_6(y + y') + m'(y + y')$$

$$= xy + ny' + y'y + ny'$$

$$+ (x + y)(y + y')$$

$$+ (x + y')(y + y')$$

$$= ny \cdot (z + z') + ny'(z + z') + ny(z + z')$$

$$+ n'y'(z + z')$$

$$= xyz + nyz + ny'z + ny'z' + nyz + ny'z' + ny'z +$$

$$= 111 + 110 + 101 + 100 + 011 + 010 + 001 + 000$$

$$= m_7 + m_6 + m_5 + m_4 + m_3 + m_2 + m_1 + m_0$$

$$= m_0 + m_1 + m_2 + m_3 + m_4 + m_5 + m_6 + m_7$$

$$= \sum(0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7)$$

$$③ F(A, B, C) = (A' + B) \cdot (B' + C)$$

$$= (A' + B)(C + C') + (B' + C)(A + A')$$

$$= A'C + A'C' + BC + BC' + B'A + B'A' + CA + CA'$$

$$= A'C(B + B') + A'C'(B + B') + BC(A + A') + BC'(A + A') \\ + B'A(C + C') + B'A'(C + C') + CA(B + B') \\ + CA'(B + B')$$

$$= A'BC + A'B'C + ABC' + A'B'C' + ABC + A'B'C + ABC' \\ + ABC' + A'B'C + ABC + A'B'C + A'B'C' + ABC \\ + A'B'C + A'B'C + A'B'C'$$

$$= A'BC + A'B'C + ABC' + A'B'C' + ABC + ABC' + ABC' \\ + A'B'C' + \cancel{ABC}$$

$$= 011 + 001 + 010 + 000 + 0111 + 110 + 101 + 100$$

$$= m_3 + m_1 + m_2 + m_0 + m_8 + m_6 + m_5 + m_4$$

$$= m_0 + m_1 + m_2 + m_3 + m_4 + m_5 + m_6 + m_7$$