

EEM16/CSM51A (Fall 2017)

Logic Design of Digital Systems

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Problem set 1
assigned Monday Oct. 9, 2017
due 4pm Monday Oct. 16, 2017
Show all work.

Instructions

This homework is to be done individually. You may consult with others to share thoughts and ideas, but all of your submitted work must be yours alone. Be sure to indicate with whom you've collaborated and in what manner.

You may use any tools or refer to published papers, books, or course notes. You're allowed to make use of online tools such as Logisim, WolframAlpha, etc., provided you properly cite them in the space below.

You must submit all pages in this file based on the procedure below. Because of the grading methodology, you may find it easier to print the document and write out your solutions in the space provided in this problem set. You may alternately opt to digitally enter your solutions into the form entries then download or print the filled PDF.

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Collaborators

Identify with whom you've collaborated and in what manner, if any.

Kenay Zheng, reviewed answers

Online resources

Identify which online tools you've used, if any.

Wolfram Alpha boolean expression simplifier to check if my simplification is correct

1.3 What size are your genes?

Oxytocin is a neuropeptide responsible for a number of psychological processes like anxiety, and bonding. It is made of 9 amino acids.

- 1.3(a). Using a labeling system as described in 1.2, how many bits are needed to represent Oxytocin?
- 1.3(b). If we translated that base-4 representation to a numerical value, what would it be? To what power of 4 would you have to write the numerical value for Oxytocin?
- 1.3(c). If instead we used the amino acids directly as a base-20 representation, what would it be? How many bits would be necessary to write out the numerical value for Oxytocin?

1.1(a) 2

$$\log_2 4$$

b) 5

$$16 < 20 < 32; \log_2 32 = 5$$

1.2 a) 3

$$16 < 20 < 64; \log_4 64 = 3$$

b) $64/20 \approx 3$

1.3 a) 27

$$9 \cdot 3$$

b) 17

$$4^{27} \times 1.8 \times 10^6$$

c) 12

$$20^9 = 5.12 \times 10^{11}$$

- If we specify a set of valid inputs for our system, we can choose what value our function assumes ("don't care" values) whichever way we would like in order to simplify our boolean expressions.
- 2.4(a). If we assume that our 5 bit input will represent a valid hour, come up with a simple boolean expression (using no more than 3 literals) that returns true if the hour is a valid afternoon hour and false if it is a morning hour.
- 2.4(b). If instead we specify that the function must also be false for invalid hours, does the boolean expression change? If so, what is the new expression?
- 2.4(c). Draw this function using only NOR gates.

7.1a) $10/16 @ 4pm \quad 1000010000$

$$\begin{array}{cc} \downarrow & \downarrow \\ b_5 & b_4 \end{array}$$

b) $d_5 \cdot h_4 \cdot \overline{(d_5 + d_4 + d_3 + d_2 + h_3 + h_2 + h_1 + h_0)}$

c) With one of DeMorgan's Laws, it becomes $\overline{d_5 \overline{d_4} \overline{d_3} \overline{d_2} \overline{d_1} \overline{d_0} h_4 \overline{h_3} \overline{h_2} \overline{h_1} h_0}$
 which is a minterm of the system, particularly for the input 1000010000

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$d_4 \dots d_0$	f	$d_4 \dots d_0$	f
00000	0	10000	0
00001	1	10001	0
00010	0	10010	0
00011	0	10011	0
00100	0	10100	0
00101	0	10101	1
00110	0	10110	1
00111	1	10111	0
01000	1	11000	0
01001	0	11001	0
01010	0	11010	0
01011	0	11011	0
01100	0	11100	1
01101	0	11101	1
01110	1	11110	0
01111	1	11111	0

$$\begin{aligned}
 f = & d_4 \bar{d}_3 \bar{d}_2 \bar{d}_1 d_0 + \bar{d}_4 d_3 \bar{d}_2 d_1 d_0 + \bar{d}_4 d_3 \bar{d}_2 \bar{d}_1 \bar{d}_0 \\
 & + \bar{d}_4 d_3 d_2 \bar{d}_1 \bar{d}_0 + \bar{d}_4 d_3 d_2 d_1 \bar{d}_0 + d_4 \bar{d}_3 \bar{d}_2 \bar{d}_1 \bar{d}_0 \\
 & + d_4 \bar{d}_3 d_2 d_1 \bar{d}_0 + d_4 d_3 \bar{d}_2 \bar{d}_1 + d_4 d_3 d_2 \bar{d}_1 \bar{d}_0
 \end{aligned}$$

b) Diffractive, because there are less weekend days than weekdays \Rightarrow less minterms
 \Rightarrow less work

2.3a) needed:

$\rightarrow 00000 h_4 \dots h_0$ (0th day)

$\rightarrow [d_4 \dots d_0] 11000, d_4 \dots d_0 11111]$ (24th-31st hours)

$f = \underbrace{M(0) \cdot M(1) \cdot \dots \cdot M(31)}_{0^{th} \text{ day}} \cdot \underbrace{M(32) \cdot \dots \cdot M(56)}_{1^{st} \text{ day}} \cdot \underbrace{M(57) \cdot \dots \cdot M(95)}_{2^{nd} \text{ day}} \cdot \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{TT Minterms for } 24^{th}-31^{st} \text{ hours} \\ \text{in } 3^{rd}-31^{st} \text{ days} \end{array} \right\}$

b) $f = (d_4 + d_3 + d_2 + d_1 + d_0) \cdot (h_4 \cdot h_3)$

$$b) f = (d_1 + d_3 + d_2 + d_1 + d_0) \cdot (h_4 \cdot h_3)$$

$$c) f^P = (\overline{d}_4 \cdot \overline{d}_3 \cdot \overline{d}_2 \cdot \overline{d}_1 \cdot \overline{d}_0) + (\overline{h}_4 + \overline{h}_3) = (\overline{d}_4 \cdot \overline{d}_3 \cdot \overline{d}_2 \cdot \overline{d}_1 \cdot \overline{d}_0) + (\overline{h}_4 \cdot \overline{h}_3)$$

$$2.4g) f = (h_4 + h_3 + h_2) \cdot (h_4 + h_3 + \overline{h}_2) \cdot (h_4 + \overline{h}_3 + h_2) = h_4 + (h_3 + h_2)(h_3 + \overline{h}_2)(\overline{h}_3 + h_2)$$

input prefixes that make false outputs

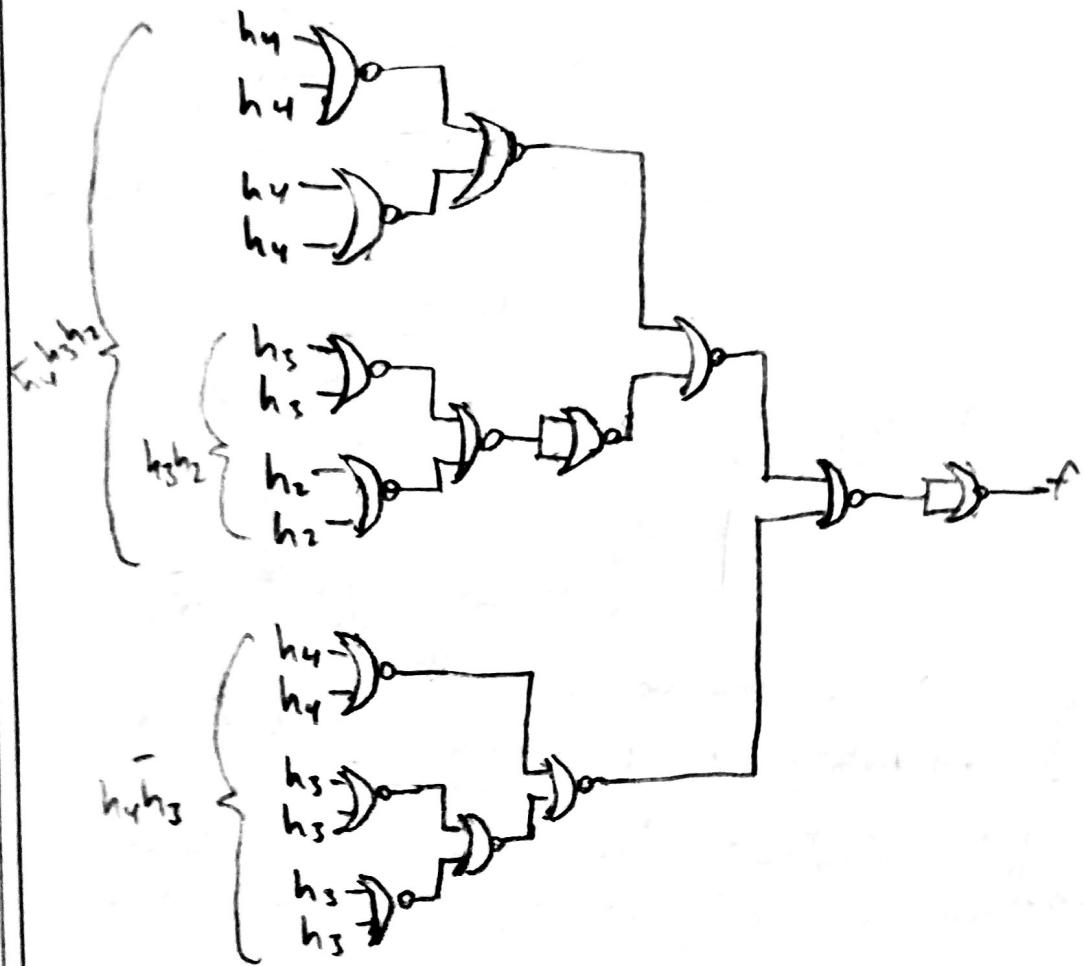
000 \rightarrow (h ₄ + h ₃ + h ₂)	$= h_4 + (h_3 + h_2)(h_3 + \overline{h}_2)(\overline{h}_3 + h_2) = h_4 + (h_3 h_2) = \boxed{h_4 + h_3 h_2}$
001 \rightarrow (h ₄ + h ₃ + \overline{h}_2)	
010 \rightarrow ($\overline{h}_4 + h_3 + h_2$)	

b) yes, it changes. Now inputs with prefix 11 must produce false outputs.

$$f_1 = f \cdot (\overline{h}_4 h_3) = (h_4 + h_3 h_2)(\overline{h}_4 h_3) = (h_4 + h_3 h_2)(\overline{h}_4 + \overline{h}_3) = \boxed{\overline{h}_4 h_3 h_2 + h_4 \overline{h}_3}$$

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c) $\overline{h_4}h_3h_2 + h_4\overline{h_3} = f$



useful properties:

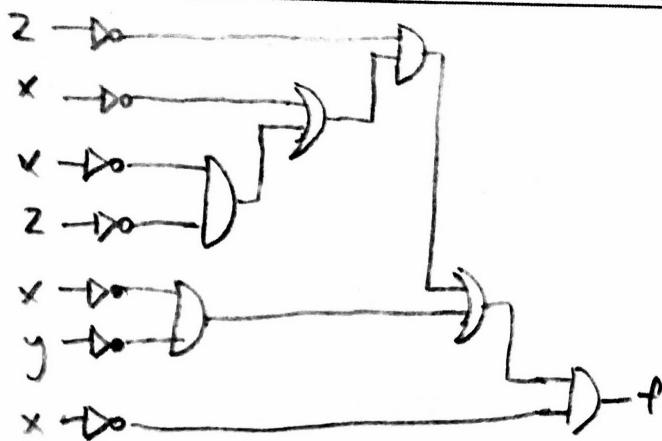
$$\text{NOT } a = a \text{ NOR } a$$

$$a \text{ AND } b = \text{NOT}(\text{NOT } a \text{ OR } \text{NOT } b) = \text{NOT } a \text{ NOR } \text{NOT } b = (\text{NOT } a) \text{ NOR } (\text{NOT } b)$$

I used these properties to express AND gates as NOR gates.

Your turn

often said that you don't truly understand a subject until you can teach it. What was a topic that you struggled with so far in this class? Write and solve a pset problem that sheds light on this particular topic.



Drawing diagrams of given functions,
CMOS especially.

2.1a) write an expression for f that matches the above diagram.

2.1b) simplify the expression and draw the simplified function using gates

2.1c) draw the same function using only NOR/NAND gates

2.2a) Draw the CMOS diagram for the function from (2.1b)

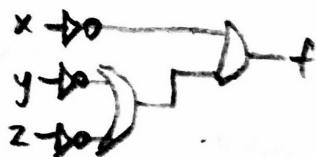
2.2b) Explain how the diagram from (2.1b) is related to that of (2.2a)

2.2c) Explain what is meant by "pullup" and "pulldown" and why each network is named so.

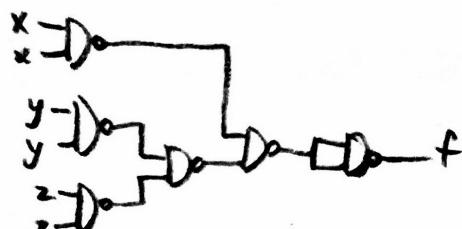
accurate is asked so.

$$2) f = \bar{x}(\bar{z}(x + \bar{y}\bar{z}) + \bar{x}\bar{y})$$

$$b) f = \bar{x}(\bar{z}\bar{x} + \bar{x}\bar{z} + \bar{x}\bar{y}) = \bar{x}(\bar{x}\bar{z} + \bar{x}\bar{y}) = \bar{x}(\bar{y} + \bar{z})$$

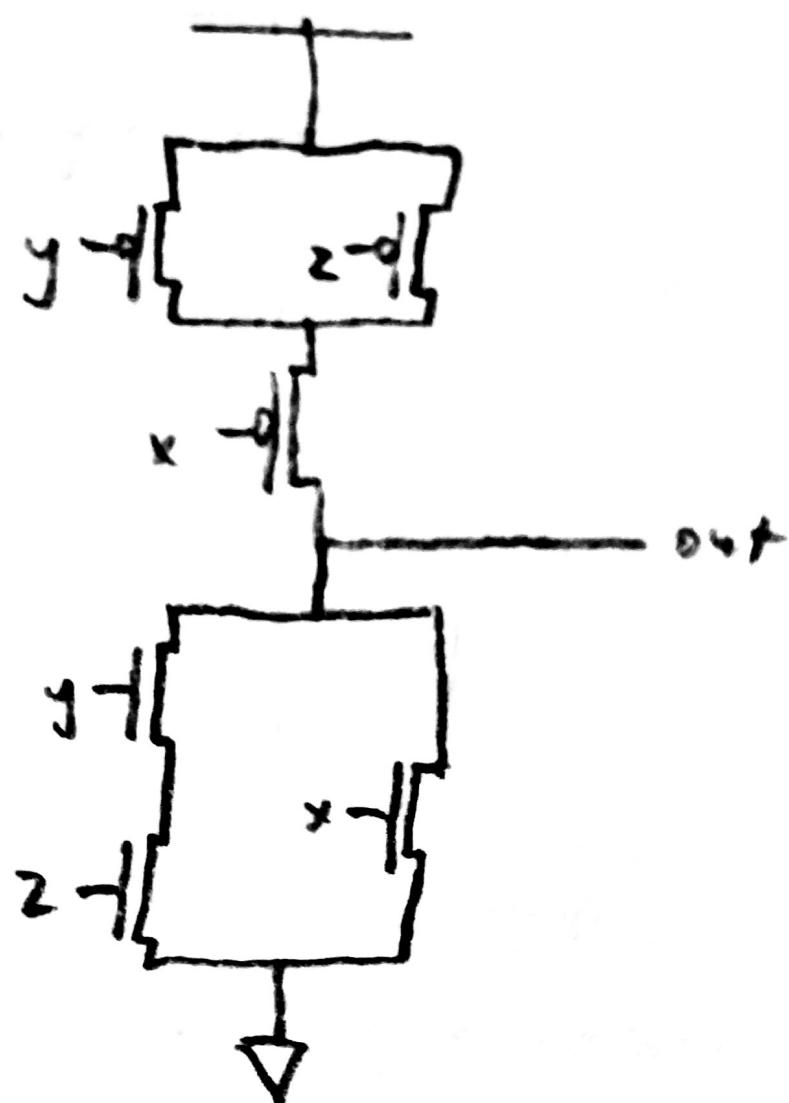


$$c) \begin{array}{c|c} \text{NAND} & \text{out} \\ \hline 00 & 1 \\ 01 & 1 \\ 10 & 1 \\ 11 & 0 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} \text{NOT } a &= a \text{ NAND } a, \\ a \text{ OR } b &= \text{NOT}(\text{NOT } a \text{ AND } \text{NOT } b) = (\text{NOT } a) \text{ NAND } (\text{NOT } b) \end{aligned}$$



Use this page for more any more work that you may

$$2.29) f = \bar{x}(\bar{y} + \bar{z})$$



- b) The pulley network is the same except the DD ... L ...



- b) The pullup network is the same as the diagram from (2.16) except the OR gate is replaced by parallel inputs and the AND gate is replaced by values in series. The pulldown network is then the complement of the pullup network.
- c) The pullup network contains PFETs and is drawn at the top of the diagram. It is called "pullup" because it takes low inputs and produces higher outputs.

The pulldown network contains NFETs and is drawn at the bottom of the diagram. It is called "pulldown" because it takes high inputs and produces lower outputs.