

Homework 1

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- 2.2 (b) $(x + y)(x + \bar{y}) = x(y + \bar{y}) = x(1) = x$
(c) $xyz + \bar{x}y + xy\bar{z} = y(xz + \bar{x} + x\bar{z}) = y(\bar{x} + x(z + \bar{z})) = y(\bar{x} + x(1)) = y(1) = y$
(d) $(A + B)(\bar{A} + \bar{B}) = (A + B)(\overline{AB}) = A\bar{B} + \bar{A}B = A \oplus B$
(e) $(a + b + \bar{c})(\bar{a}\bar{b} + c) = (a + b + \bar{c})(\overline{a + b + c}) = (a + b) \oplus c$
(f) $\bar{a}bc + ab\bar{c} + abc + a\bar{b}\bar{c} = b(\bar{a}c + a\bar{c} + ac + \bar{a}\bar{c}) = b(1) = b$

- 2.10 (a) The Boolean function $E = F_1 + F_2$ is true when either F_1 or F_2 or both are true. Thus it contains the union of their minterm sets.
(b) The Boolean function $G = F_1F_2$ is true only when both F_1 and F_2 are true. Thus it contains the intersection of their minterm sets.

- 2.11 (a) $F = xy + x\bar{y} + \bar{y}z$

x	y	z	xy	$x\bar{y}$	$\bar{y}z$	$xy + x\bar{y} + \bar{y}z$
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	0	1	1
0	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	1	1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	1	0	1
1	0	1	0	1	1	1
1	1	0	1	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	0	0	1

- (b) $F = bc + \bar{a}\bar{c}$

a	b	c	bc	$\bar{a}\bar{c}$	$bc + \bar{a}\bar{c}$
0	0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	0	0
0	1	0	0	1	1
0	1	1	1	0	1
1	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	0	0
1	1	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	0	1

- 2.14 (a) With AND, OR, and inverter gates

- (b) With OR and inverter gates
- (c) With AND and inverter gates