

## Basic Logic Operations:

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- AND      $*$
- OR      $+$
- NOT (Complement)      $-$

- Order of Precedence

1. NOT

2. AND

3. OR

– can be modified using parenthesis

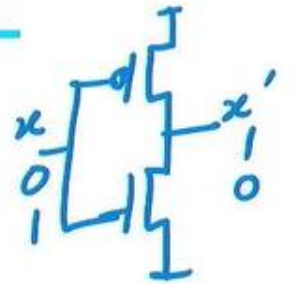
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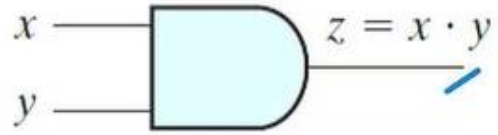
**Table 1.8**  
*Truth Tables of Logical Operations*

AND ✓			OR			NOT	
$x$	$y$	$x \cdot y$	$x$	$y$	$x + y$	$x$	$x'$
0	0	0 ✓	0	0	0 ✓	0	1
0	1	0 ✓	0	1	1 ✓	1	0
1	0	0 ✓	1	0	1 ✓		
1	1	1 ✓	1	1	1 ✓		

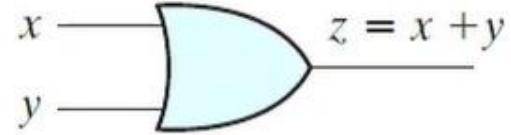


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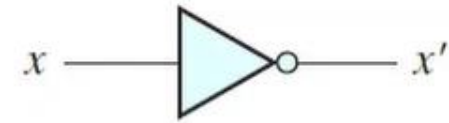
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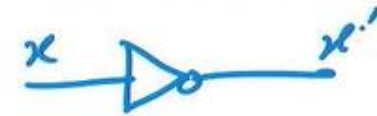
(a) Two-input AND gate



(b) Two-input OR gate



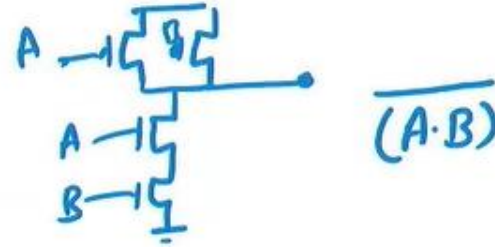
(c) NOT gate or inverter



## Additional Logic Operations:

- NAND

- $F = \overline{(A \cdot B)}$



- NOR

- $F = \overline{(A + B)}$

$$\overline{(A + B)}$$

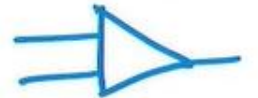
x	y	o/p
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

both same

both different.

- XOR

- Output is 1 iff either input is 1, but not both.

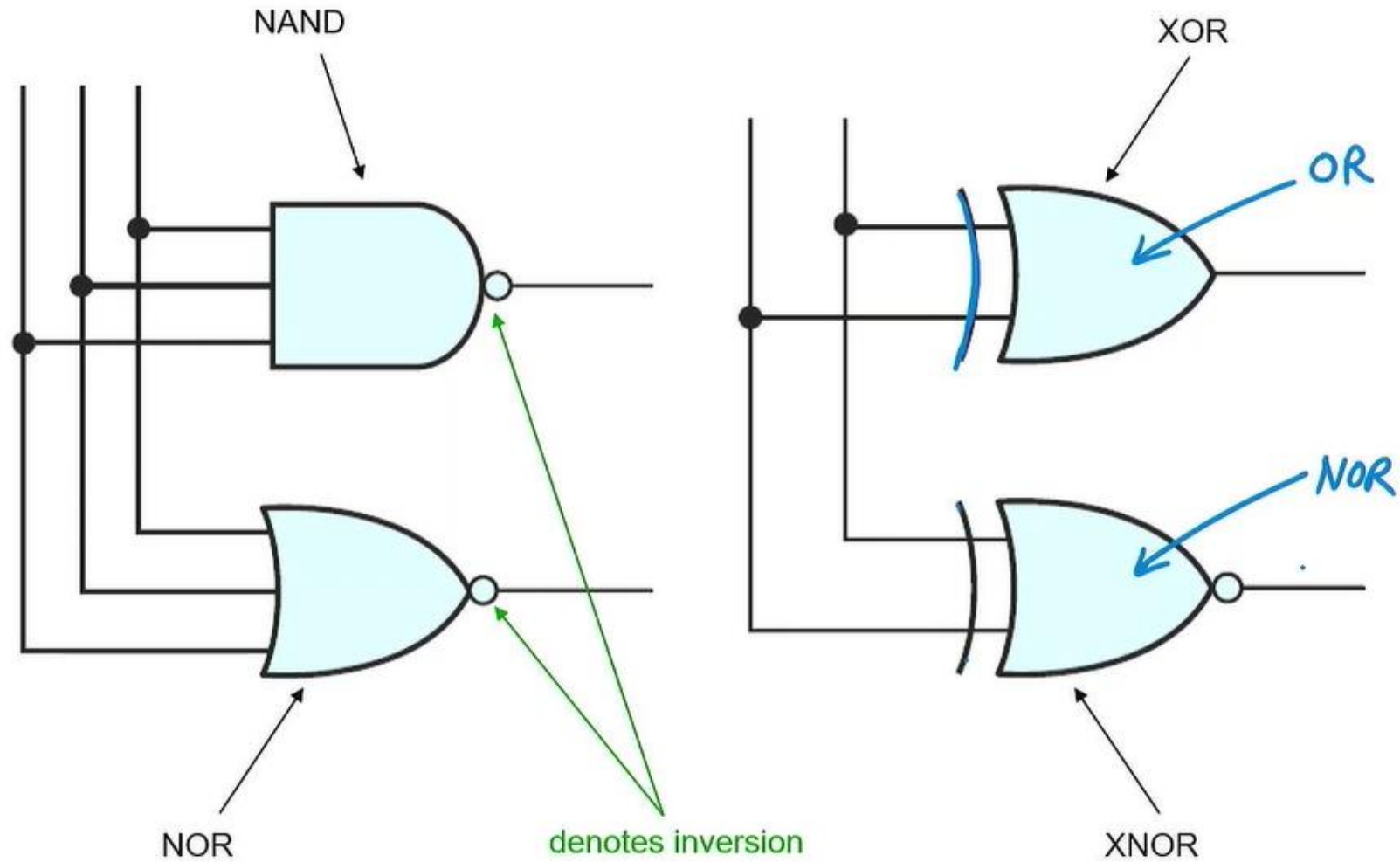


- XNOR (Equivalence)

- Output is 1 iff both inputs are 1 or both inputs are 0.

x	y	o/p
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

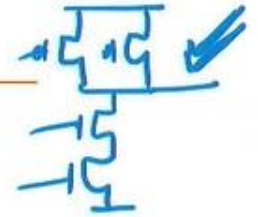
# Additional Logic Operations:





## Truth Tables:

- Used to describe the functional behavior of a Boolean expression and/or Logic circuit.
- Each row in the truth table represents a unique combination of the input variables.
  - For  $n$  input variables, there are  $2^n$  rows.
- The output of the logic function is defined for each row.
- Each row is assigned a numerical value, with the rows listed in ascending order.
- The order of the input variables defined in the logic function is important.



	$x$	$y$	$o/p$
1	0	0	0
2	0	1	0
3	1	0	0
4	1	1	1

$2^n$  unique combinations

# Truth Tables:

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3-input Truth Table  $2^3 = 8$  unique combinations.

$$A \cdot (B + C)$$

$F(A, B, C)$  = Boolean expression

4-input Truth Table  $2^4 = 16$  unique combinations.

$$A + B(C + D) \leftarrow$$

$F(A, B, C, D)$  = Boolean expression

# Boolean Expressions:

- Boolean expressions are composed of
  - Literals – variables and their complements  $A, B, \bar{B}$
  - Logical operations  $(A+B)$   $(A \cdot B)$

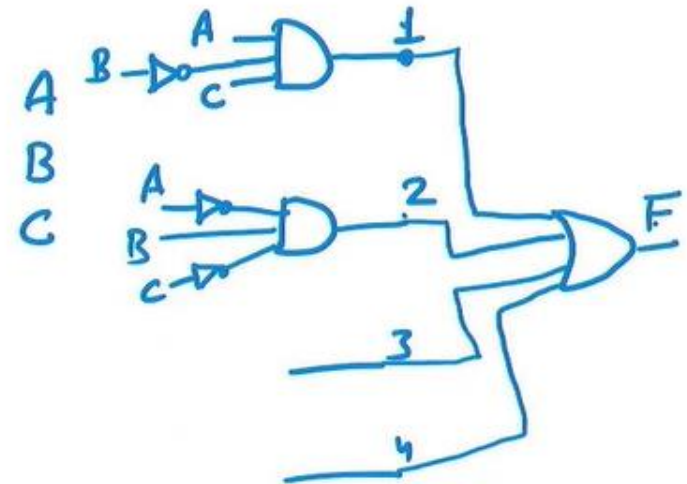
- Examples

- $$F = \overset{1}{A \cdot B' \cdot C} + \overset{2}{A' \cdot B \cdot C'} + \overset{3}{A \cdot B \cdot C} + \overset{4}{A' \cdot B' \cdot C'}$$

Diagram illustrating the components of the Boolean expression  $F = A \cdot B' \cdot C + A' \cdot B \cdot C' + A \cdot B \cdot C + A' \cdot B' \cdot C'$ . The expression is divided into four terms, each circled and numbered 1 through 4. Green arrows labeled "literals" point to the variables  $A, B, C$  and their complements  $A', B', C'$  within the first term. Blue arrows labeled "logic operations" point to the AND ( $\cdot$ ) and OR ( $+$ ) operators within the first term.

(Literals =  $A, B, C$ )

- $$F = (A+B+C').(A'+B'+C).(A+B+C)$$
- $$F = A \cdot B' \cdot C' + A \cdot (B \cdot C' + B' \cdot C)$$

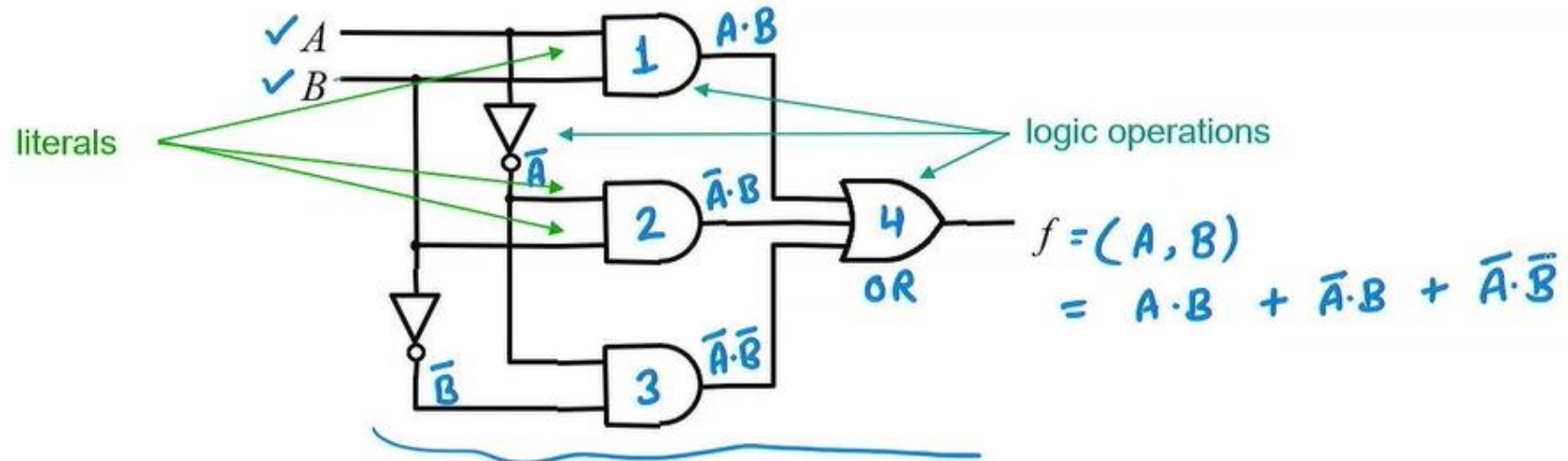




## Boolean Expressions:

- Boolean expressions are realized using a network (or combination) of logic gates.
  - Each logic gate implements one of the logic operations in the Boolean expression
  - Each input to a logic gate represents one of the literals in the Boolean expression

$$A \cdot B \cdot \bar{C}$$



# Boolean Expressions:

- Boolean expressions are evaluated by
  - Substituting a 0 or 1 for each literal
  - Calculating the logical value of the expression
- A Truth Table specifies the value of the Boolean expression for every combination of the variables in the Boolean expression.
- For an n-variable Boolean expression, the truth table has  $2^n$  rows (one for each combination).

$$F = AB + A\bar{B} + \bar{A}\bar{B}$$

A	B	o/p
0	0	( )
0	1	( )
1	0	( )
1	1	( )

4 input	→	16 Row
5 i/p	→	32 Row
6 i/p	→	64 Row
7 i/p	→	128 Row

$2^n$

## Boolean Expressions:

- Two Boolean expressions are equivalent if they have the same value for each combination of the variables in the Boolean expression.

$$\begin{aligned} - F_1 &= (A + B)' &= \overline{(A + B)} \\ - F_2 &= A' \cdot B' &= \overline{A \cdot B} \end{aligned}$$

Trn 1		Trn 2	
i/p	o/p	i/p	o/p
✓	✓	✓	✓
✓	✓	✓	✓
✓	✓	✓	✓
✓	✓	✓	✓

- How do you prove that two Boolean expressions are equivalent?
  - Truth table
  - Boolean Algebra



# Boolean Algebra:

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- George Boole developed an algebraic description for processes involving logical thought and reasoning.
  - Became known as Boolean Algebra ←
- Claude Shannon later demonstrated that Boolean Algebra could be used to describe switching circuits.
  - Switching circuits are circuits built from devices that switch between two states (e.g. 0 and 1).
  - Switching Algebra is a special case of Boolean Algebra in which all variables take on just two distinct values.
- Boolean Algebra is a powerful tool for analyzing and designing logic circuits.

## *Boolean Expressions:*

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- Example:
- Using a Truth table, prove that the following two Boolean expressions are equivalent.
  - $F_1 = (A + B)'$
  - $F_2 = A' \cdot B'$



# Basic Laws and Theorems:

→ Commutative Law

Associative Law

Distributive Law

Null Elements

Identity

Idempotence

Complement

Involution

Absorption (Covering)

Simplification

DeMorgan's Rule

Logic Adjacency (Combining)

Consensus

$$A + B = B + A$$

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

$$A.(B + C) = AB + AC$$

$$A + 1 = 1$$

$$A + 0 = A$$

$$A + A = A$$

$$A + A' = 1$$

$$A'' = A$$

$$A + AB = A$$

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

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

$$AB + AB' = A$$

$$AB + BC + A'C = AB + A'C$$

$$A.B = B.A$$

$$A.(B.C) = (A.B).C$$

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

$$A.0 = 0$$

$$A.1 = A$$

$$A.A = A$$

$$A.A' = 0$$

$$A.(A + B) = A$$

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

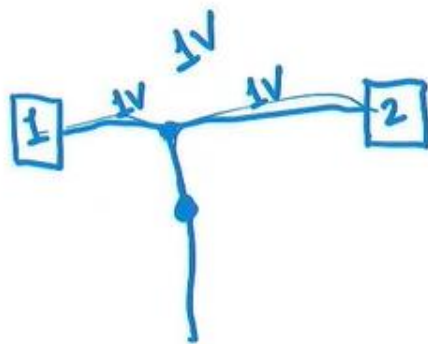
$$(A.B)' = A' + B'$$

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

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

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$$\bullet A + A = A$$

$$\bullet F = \textcircled{ABC} + ABC' + \textcircled{ABC}$$

$$\bullet F = ABC + ABC'$$

$$1 + 1 = 2$$

$$\boxed{1 + 1 = 1}$$

$$\bullet A \cdot A = A$$

$$\bullet G = (A' + B + C') \cdot (A + B' + C) \cdot (A + B' + C)$$

$$\bullet G = (A' + B + C') + (A + B' + C)$$

$$1 \cdot 1 = 1$$

# Complement:

$$\bullet A + A' = 1$$

$$\bullet F = ABC'D \oplus ABCD$$

$$\bullet F = ABD.(C' + C)$$

$$\bullet F = ABD$$

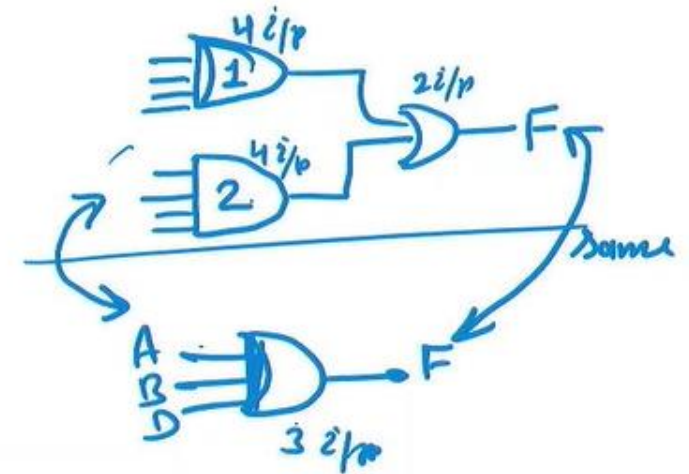
$$\bullet A . A' = 0$$

$$\bullet \underline{G} = (A + B + C + D).(A + B' + C + D)$$

$$\bullet G = (A + C + D) + (B . B')$$

$$\bullet G = A + C + D$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 0 + 1 & = & 1 \\ 1 + 0 & = & 1 \end{array}$$



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## *Distributive Law:*

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- $A.(B + C) = \underline{AB + AC}$

- $F = WX.(Y + Z)$

- $F = WXY + WXZ$

- $G = B'.(AC + AD)$

- $G = AB'C + AB'D$

- $H = A.(W'X + WX' + YZ)$

- $H = AW'X + AWX' + AYZ$

- $\underline{A + (B.C)} = (A + B).(A + C)$

- $F = WX + (Y.Z)$

- $F = (WX + Y).(WX + Z)$

- $G = B' + (A.C.D)$

- $G = (B' + A).(B' + C).(B' + D)$

- $H = A + ( (W'X).(WX') )$

- $H = (A + W'X).(A + WX')$

# Absorption (Covering):

- $A + AB = A$

$A(1+B)$   
always 1  
 $= A \cdot 1$   
 $= A$

- $F = A'BC + A'$

- $F = A'$

- $G = XYZ + XY'Z + X'Y'Z' + XZ$

- $G = XYZ + XZ + X'Y'Z'$

- $G = XZ + X'Y'Z'$

- $H = D + DE + DEF$

- $H = D$

- $A.(A + B) = A$

- $F = A'.(A' + BC)$

- $F = A'$

- $G = XZ.(XZ + Y + Y')$

- $G = XZ.(XZ + Y)$

- $G = XZ$

- $H = D.(D + E + EF)$

- $H = D$



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## *Simplification:*

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- $A + A'B = A + B$

- $F = (XY + Z).(Y'W + Z'V') + (XY + Z)'$

- $F = Y'W + Z'V' + (XY + Z)'$

- $A.(A' + B) = A . B$

- $G = (X + Y).( (X + Y)' + (WZ) )$

- $G = (X + Y) . WZ$

## Logic Adjacency (Combining):

$$\bullet A.B + A.B' = A$$

$$A(\underline{B} + \underline{B}') = A \cdot 1 = A$$

$$\bullet F = (X + Y).(\underline{W'X'Z}) + (X + Y).(\underline{W'X'Z})'$$

$$\bullet F = (X + Y)$$

$$\bullet (A + B).(A + B') = A$$

$$\bullet G = (XY + \underline{X'Z'}).(XY + (\underline{X'Z'})')$$

$$\bullet G = XY$$

## DeMorgan's Law:

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- Can be stated as follows:
  - The complement of the product (AND) is the sum (OR) of the complements.

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

- $(X \cdot Y)' = X' + Y'$

- The complement of the sum (OR) is the product (AND) of the complements.

- $(X + Y)' = X' \cdot Y'$

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

$$\overline{xy \cdot z} \Rightarrow \bar{xy} + \bar{z}$$

- Easily generalized to n variables.
- Can be proven using a Truth table

## DeMorgan's Law:

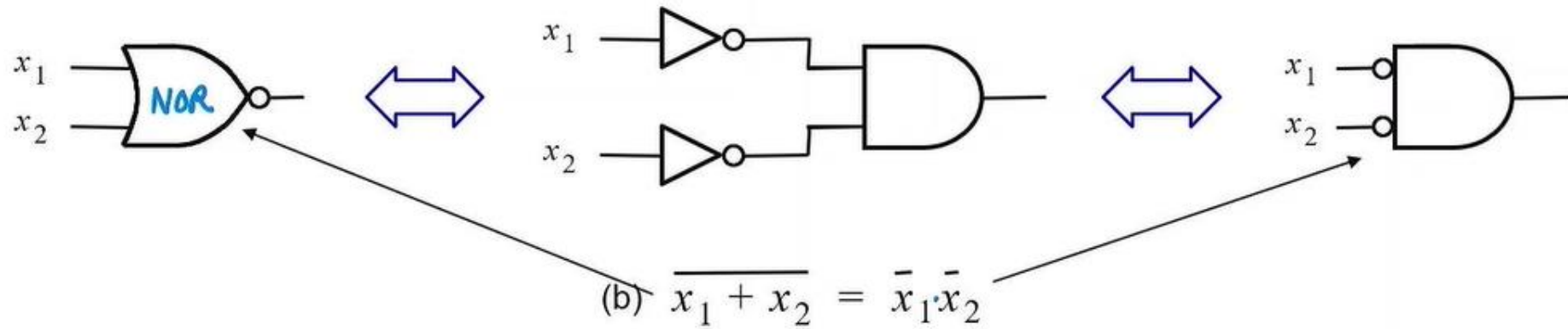
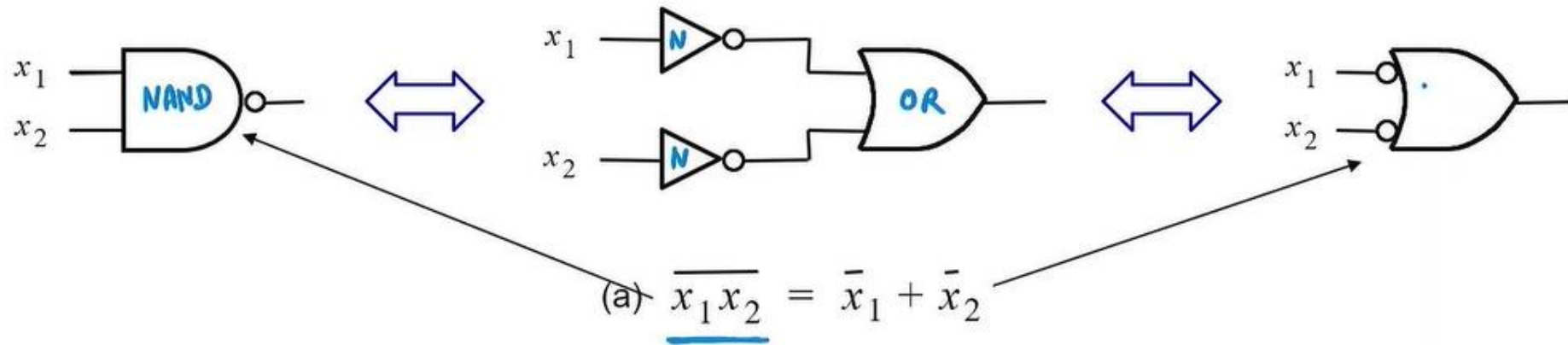
$$(X \cdot Y)' = X' + Y'$$

↑            ↑        ↑

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

LHS                      RHS

# DeMorgan's Law:





# Importance of Boolean Algebra:

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- Boolean Algebra is used to simplify Boolean expressions.
  - Through application of the Laws and Theorems discussed
- Simpler expressions lead to simpler circuit realization, which, generally, reduces cost, area requirements, and power consumption.
- The objective of the digital circuit designer is to design and realize optimal digital circuits.

} Law's and theorems

# Importance of Boolean Algebra:

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- Justification for simplifying Boolean expressions:
  - Reduces the cost associated with realizing the expression using logic gates.
  - Reduces the area (i.e. silicon) required to fabricate the switching function.
  - Reduces the power consumption of the circuit.
- In general, there is no easy way to determine when a Boolean expression has been simplified to a minimum number of terms or minimum number of literals.
  - No unique solution