

- 1) We know that product of maxterms is a valid cnf, so we simply use that. Since all expressions have around 3 variables, the POM won't be too large \Rightarrow no intermediate variables are needed.

a) $x_1 \cdot x_2 + \bar{x}_1 \cdot x_2 :$

x_1	x_2	y	
0	0	0	✓
0	1	1	
1	0	0	✓
1	1	1	

$$y = (x_1 + x_2) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + x_2)$$

b) $x_1 \oplus x_2 \oplus x_3 \oplus x_3 :$

x_1	x_2	x_3	y	
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	0	✓
1	1	1	0	✓

$$y = (x_1 + x_2 + x_3) \cdot (x_1 + x_2 + \bar{x}_3) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + \bar{x}_2 + \bar{x}_3) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + \bar{x}_2 + x_3)$$

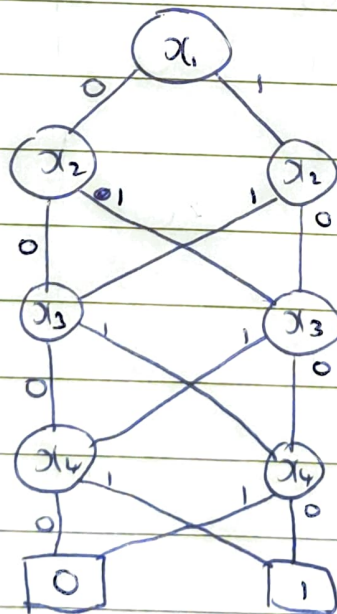
c) $(x_1 + x_2 \cdot x_3) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + x_2 \cdot x_3)$:

x_1	x_2	x_3	y	
0	0	0	0	✓
0	0	1	0	✓
0	1	0	0	✓
0	1	1	1	
1	0	0	0	✓
1	0	1	0	✓
1	1	0	0	✓
1	1	1	1	

$$y = (x_1 + x_2 + x_3) \cdot (x_1 + x_2 + \bar{x}_3) \cdot (x_1 + \bar{x}_2 + x_3) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + x_2 + x_3) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + x_2 + \bar{x}_3) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + \bar{x}_2 + x_3)$$

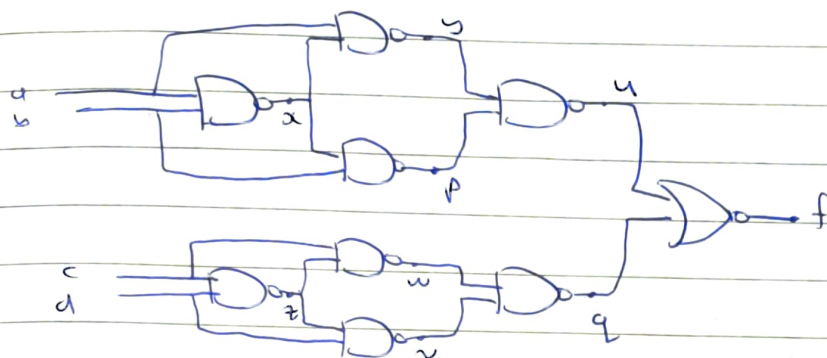
2) To convert ROBDD to CNF, we can look at all the paths that lead to $\boxed{0}$, and use their maxterm form (like in q1) to come up with the CNF.

$x_1 \oplus x_2 \oplus x_3 \oplus x_4$:



$$y = (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4) \cdot (x_1 + x_2 + \bar{x}_3 + \bar{x}_4) \cdot (x_1 + \bar{x}_2 + \bar{x}_3 + x_4) \cdot (x_1 + \bar{x}_2 + x_3 + \bar{x}_4) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + x_2 + x_3 + \bar{x}_4) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + x_2 + \bar{x}_3 + x_4) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + \bar{x}_2 + x_3 + x_4) \cdot (\bar{x}_1 + \bar{x}_2 + \bar{x}_3 + \bar{x}_4)$$

3)



$$x = \overline{a \cdot b}$$

$$y = \overline{x \cdot a} = \overline{\overline{a \cdot b} \cdot a} = a \cdot b + \overline{a} = b + \overline{a}$$

$$p = \overline{x \cdot b} = \overline{\overline{a \cdot b} \cdot b} = a \cdot b + \overline{b} = a + \overline{b}$$

$$u = \overline{y \cdot p} = \overline{(b + \overline{a}) \cdot (a + \overline{b})} = \overline{a \cdot b + \overline{b} \cdot \overline{a} + a \cdot \overline{b} + b \cdot \overline{a}} = \overline{a \oplus b}$$

$$\text{or } = \overline{(\overline{a} + \overline{b}) \cdot p} = \overline{\overline{a} \cdot \overline{b} + \overline{p}}$$

$$z = \overline{c \cdot d}$$

$$w = \overline{d + \overline{c}}$$

$$v = \overline{\overline{d} + c}$$

$$q = \overline{c \oplus d} = \overline{(c + d)(\overline{c} + \overline{d})}$$

$$f = \overline{a \oplus b + c \oplus d}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or } (\overline{\overline{a} \cdot \overline{b} + \overline{p}}) + c \oplus d &= (\overline{\overline{a} \cdot \overline{b}}) \cdot p \cdot \overline{c \oplus d} \\ &= (\overline{\overline{a} \cdot \overline{b}}) \cdot p \cdot \overline{(c \cdot d + \overline{c} \cdot \overline{d})} \\ &= (\overline{\overline{a} \cdot \overline{b}}) \cdot p \cdot (c + \overline{d}) \cdot (\overline{c} + d) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or } \overline{(a \oplus b) + q} &= \overline{(a \cdot b + \overline{a} \cdot \overline{b}) \cdot \overline{q}} \\ &= \overline{(a + \overline{b})(\overline{a} + b) \cdot \overline{q}} \end{aligned}$$

a) p -sq-0:

① a, b, c, d st. $p = 1$

② a, b, c, d st. $\frac{df}{dp} = f|_{p=0} \oplus f|_{p=1} = 1$

①: $p = 1 \Leftrightarrow (a + \bar{b})$

②: $f = (\bar{a} + \bar{b}) \cdot p \cdot (c + \bar{d}) \cdot (\bar{c} + d)$

$\therefore f|_{p=0} = 0$

$f|_{p=1} = (\bar{a} + \bar{b})(c + \bar{d})(\bar{c} + d)$

$\therefore \frac{df}{dp} = 0 \oplus f|_{p=1} = f|_{p=1}$

$\therefore \textcircled{1} \cdot \textcircled{2} : (a + \bar{b})(\bar{a} + \bar{b})(c + \bar{d})(\bar{c} + d)$

From minisat:

$a = b = c = d = 0$ is a valid test

b) p -sq-1:

again, $\frac{df}{dp} = (\bar{a} + \bar{b})(c + \bar{d})(\bar{c} + d)$

but we want a, b, c, d st. $p = 0$

$\therefore (a + \bar{b}) = \bar{a} \cdot b$

$\therefore \textcircled{1} \cdot \textcircled{2} = (\bar{a}) \cdot (b) \cdot (\bar{a} + \bar{b}) \cdot (c + \bar{d}) \cdot (\bar{c} + d)$

From minisat:

~~unsatisfiable~~

~~$\Rightarrow p$ -sq-1 isn't testable~~

~~$\Rightarrow p$ -sq-1 doesn't affect the circuit.~~

$a = c = d = 0, b = 1$ is a valid test.

c) $q = sa = 0$:

$$(1) \quad q=1 \Leftrightarrow c \oplus d = (c+d)(\bar{c}+\bar{d})$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{df}{dq} = 1$$

$$f = (a+\bar{b})(\bar{a}+b) \cdot \bar{q}$$

$$\therefore f|_{q=1} = 0$$

$$f|_{q=0} = (a+\bar{b})(\bar{a}+b)$$

$$\therefore \frac{df}{dq} = (a+\bar{b})(\bar{a}+b)$$

$$(1) \cdot (2) : (a+\bar{b})(\bar{a}+b)(c+d)(\bar{c}+\bar{d})$$

From minisat:

$a=b=d=0, c=1$ is a valid test.

d) $q = sa = 1$:

$$(2) \quad \frac{df}{dq} = (a+\bar{b})(\bar{a}+b)$$

$$(1) \quad q=0 \Leftrightarrow \overline{c \oplus d} = (c+\bar{d})(\bar{c}+d)$$

$$(1) \cdot (2) : (a+\bar{b})(\bar{a}+b)(c+\bar{d})(\bar{c}+d)$$

From minisat:

$a=b=c=d=0$ is a valid test.