

Question 3) a)

$$F(A, B, C, D) = (\overline{A} + B \cdot \overline{D}) \cdot (C \cdot B \cdot A + \overline{C} \cdot D)$$

A	B	C	D	A'	C'	D'	BD'	A'+BD'	CBA	C'D	$CBA + C'D$	$(A'+BD')(CBA + C'D)$
0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0

1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0

Question 3 2)

$$(b) \ F(W, X, Y, Z) = \overline{(W + \overline{X})(Z\overline{Y} + X)}$$

W	X	Z	Y	X'	Y'	(W+X')	ZY'	(ZY'+X)	((W+X')*(ZY'+X))	$\neg[(W+X')(ZY'+X)]$
0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1

1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0
1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0

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$$F(A, B, C, D) = (\bar{A} + B \cdot \bar{D}) \cdot (C \cdot B \cdot A + \bar{C} \cdot D)$$

ii) Sum of products:

from the truth table, cases where  $F$  is true are highlighted  
Read off the table :

$$F = (\bar{A} \bar{B} \bar{C} D) + (\bar{A} B \bar{C} D) + (A B C \bar{D})$$

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

$\therefore$  the sum of product is  $[(\bar{A} \bar{C} D) + (A B C \bar{D})]$

iii) Product of Sums:

Read off the truth table:

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

(ii) continues:

negate both sides:

$$\begin{aligned} F &= \overline{\overline{(ABCD)}} \cdot \overline{\overline{(ABC\bar{D})}} \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}CD)}} \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}\bar{C}\bar{D})}} \\ &\quad \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}C\bar{D})}} \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}CD)}} \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}\bar{C}\bar{D})}} \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}CD)}} \\ &\quad \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}CD)}} \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}CD)}} \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}\bar{C}\bar{D})}} \cdot \overline{\overline{(A\bar{B}CD)}} \\ &\quad \cdot \overline{\overline{(ABCD)}} \end{aligned}$$

Apply De Morgan's Law:

$$\begin{aligned} F &= (A+B+C+D) \cdot (A+B+\bar{C}+D) \cdot (A+B+\bar{C}+\bar{D}) \cdot (A+\bar{B}+C+D) \\ &\quad \cdot (A+\bar{B}+\bar{C}+D) \cdot (A+\bar{B}+\bar{C}+\bar{D}) \cdot (\bar{A}+B+C+D) \cdot (\bar{A}+B+C+\bar{D}) \\ &\quad \cdot (\bar{A}+B+\bar{C}+D) \cdot (\bar{A}+B+\bar{C}+\bar{D}) \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{B}+C+D) \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{B}+C+\bar{D}) \\ &\quad \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{B}+\bar{C}+D) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore (A+B)(A+C) = A+BC$$

$$\begin{aligned} F &= (A+B+D + C\bar{C}) \cdot (A+B+\bar{C}+\bar{D}) \cdot (A+\bar{B}+C+D) \\ &\quad \cdot (A+\bar{B}+\bar{C} + D\bar{D}) \cdot (\bar{A}+B+C + D\bar{D}) \\ &\quad \cdot (\bar{A}+B+\bar{C} + D\bar{D}) \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{B}+C + D\bar{D}) \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{B}+\bar{C}+\bar{D}) \\ \\ &= (A+B+D) \cdot (A+B+\bar{C}+\bar{D}) \cdot (A+\bar{B}+C+D) \\ &\quad \cdot (A+\bar{B}+\bar{C}) \cdot (\bar{A}+B+C) \\ &\quad \cdot (\bar{A}+B+\bar{C}) \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{B}+C) \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{B}+\bar{C}+\bar{D}) \\ \\ &= [(D \cdot (\bar{C}+D)) + (A+B)] \cdot [(\bar{C} \cdot (C+D)) + (A+\bar{B})] \\ &\quad \cdot [(C \cdot \bar{C}) + (\bar{A}+B)] \cdot [(C \cdot (\bar{C}+\bar{D})) + (\bar{A}+\bar{B})] \\ \\ &= (A+\underline{B}+\underline{D}\bar{C}) \cdot (A+\bar{B}+\underline{D}\bar{C}) \cdot (\bar{A}+B) \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{B}+C\bar{D}) \\ \\ &= [(A+D\bar{C}) + (B \cdot \bar{B})] \cdot [(B \cdot (\bar{B}+C\bar{D})) + \bar{A}] \\ \\ &= (A+D\bar{C}) \cdot (B\bar{C} + \bar{A}) \\ \\ &= (A+D\bar{C}) \cdot (A+\bar{C}) \cdot (B+D) \cdot (B+\bar{C}) \cdot (C+D) \cdot (C+\bar{A}) \cdot (\bar{C}+\bar{D}) \\ \\ &= (A \cdot B \cdot C + D) \cdot (A\bar{B}\bar{D} + \bar{C}) \cdot (C+C+\bar{A}) \end{aligned}$$

distributive law  
 $(A \cdot B) + C = (A+C) \cdot (B+C)$

distributive & associativity

$$= (A+D) \cdot (B+D) \cdot (C+D) \cdot (\bar{C}+\bar{D}) \cdot (C+\bar{A})$$

$$= (ABC\bar{D}) + (\bar{A}\bar{C}D)$$

$$= (A+\bar{C}) \cdot (B+\bar{C}) \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{D}) \cdot (C+D).$$

$\therefore$  The Product of sums is  $\boxed{(A+\bar{C}) \cdot (B+\bar{C}) \cdot (\bar{A}+\bar{D}) \cdot (C+D)}$

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Question 3)b)

From the truth table :

*Distributivity*

$$\begin{aligned} F &= (\bar{W}\bar{X}\bar{Z}\bar{Y}) + (\bar{W}\bar{X}\bar{Z}Y) + (\bar{W}\bar{X}Z\bar{Y}) + (\bar{W}X\bar{Z}\bar{Y}) \\ &\quad + (\bar{W}X\bar{Z}Y) + (\bar{W}XZ\bar{Y}) + (\bar{W}XZY) + (W\bar{X}\bar{Z}\bar{Y}) + (W\bar{X}\bar{Z}Y) \\ &= \bar{W}(\bar{X}\bar{Z}\bar{Y} + \bar{X}\bar{Z}Y + \bar{X}Z\bar{Y} + X\bar{Z}\bar{Y} + X\bar{Z}Y + XZ\bar{Y} + XZY) + \\ &\quad W(\bar{X}\bar{Z}\bar{Y} + \bar{X}\bar{Z}Y + \bar{X}Z\bar{Y}) \\ &= \bar{W}(\bar{X}(\bar{Z}\bar{Y} + \bar{Z}Y + ZY) + X(\bar{Z}\bar{Y} + \bar{Z}Y + Z\bar{Y} + ZY)) + \\ &\quad W(\bar{X}(\bar{Z}\bar{Y} + \bar{Z}Y + ZY)) \\ &= \bar{W}(\underbrace{\bar{X}(Y(\bar{Z} + \bar{Z}) + \bar{Y}\bar{Z})}_{A} + X) + W(\underbrace{\bar{X}(Y(\bar{Z} + \bar{Z}) + \bar{Y}\bar{Z})}_{A}) \\ &= \bar{W}(A + X) + W(A) \\ &= \bar{W}A + \bar{W}X + WA \\ &= A(\bar{W} + W) + \bar{W}X \\ &= \bar{X}(Y + \bar{Y}\bar{Z}) + \bar{W}X \\ &= X\bar{W} + \bar{X}Y + \bar{X}\bar{Z} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  The sum of products form:  $(X\bar{W} + \bar{X}Y + \bar{X}\bar{Z})$

Question 3) b) continues :

ii) Product of sums :

read off the truth table :

$$\bar{F} = (\bar{W}\bar{X}Z\bar{Y}) + (W\bar{X}Z\bar{Y}) + (W\bar{X}\bar{Z}\bar{Y}) + (W\bar{X}\bar{Z}Y) \\ + (WXZ\bar{Y}) + (WXZY)$$

negate  
both  
sides

$$\bar{F} = \overline{(\bar{W}\bar{X}Z\bar{Y})} \cdot \overline{(W\bar{X}Z\bar{Y})} \cdot \overline{(W\bar{X}\bar{Z}\bar{Y})} \cdot \overline{(W\bar{X}\bar{Z}Y)} \\ \cdot \overline{(WXZ\bar{Y})} \cdot \overline{(WXZY)}$$

Distributive  
Law

$$= (W+x+\bar{z}+Y) \cdot (\bar{w}+x+\bar{z}+Y) \cdot (\bar{w}+\bar{x}+z+Y) \\ \cdot (\bar{W}+\bar{x}+z+\bar{Y}) \cdot (\bar{W}+\bar{x}+\bar{z}+Y) \cdot (\bar{W}+\bar{x}+\bar{z}+\bar{Y})$$

$$= [(x+\bar{z}+Y) + (W \cdot \bar{w})] \cdot [(\bar{w}+\bar{x}+z) + (\bar{Y} \cdot Y)] \\ \cdot [(\bar{W}+\bar{x}+\bar{z}) + (Y \cdot \bar{F})]$$

$$= (x+\bar{z}+Y) \cdot (\bar{w}+\bar{x}+z) \cdot (\bar{W}+\bar{x}+\bar{z})$$

$$= (x+\bar{z}+Y) \cdot [(\bar{w}+\bar{x}) + (z+\bar{z})]$$

$$= (x+\bar{z}+Y) \cdot (\bar{w}+\bar{x})$$

$$= (\underline{x}\bar{w} + \cancel{x}\cancel{\bar{x}} + \bar{z}\bar{w} + \cancel{\bar{z}}\cancel{\bar{x}} + Y\bar{w} + \cancel{Y}\cancel{\bar{x}})$$

$$= X\bar{w} + \bar{x}(z+Y) + \bar{w}(\bar{z}+Y)$$

$$= X\bar{w} + Y\bar{x} + \bar{x}\bar{z}$$

$\therefore$  The product of sums is  $(X\bar{w} + Y\bar{x} + \bar{x}\bar{z})$

This is the end of Question 3. Thank you so much for your time!

















