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



which pairs of numbers have a product greater than 2?

	A	В	C	D	F	
	0	0	0	0		
	0	0	0	1		
	0	0	1	0		
	0	0	1	1		
	0	1	0	0		
	0	1	0	1		
_	0	1	1	0		7
	0	1	1	1		1 X 3
Ī	1	0	0	0		
_	1	0	0	1		-
	1	0	1	0		2 X 2
Γ	1	0	1	1		2 X 3
-	1	1	0	0		-
	1	1	0	1		3 X 1
ſ	1	1	1	0		3 X 2
ľ	1	1	1	1		3 X 3
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A	В	C	D	F
0	0	0	0	
0	0	0	1	
0	0	1	0	
0	0	1	1	
0	1	0	0	
0	1	0	1	
0	1	1	0	
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	
1	0	0	1	
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	0

Question #1a: Answer

A	В	C	D	F
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0
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Question #1b: SOP

A	В	C	D	F
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	0



Sum Of Products: OR minterms associated with *F*=1

Question #1b: SOP

A	В	C	D	F
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	0

Question #1b: SOP Answer

A	В	C	D	F
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	0

$$ar{A} \cdot ar{B} \cdot ar{C} \cdot ar{D}$$
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 $ar{A} \cdot B \cdot ar{C} \cdot D$
 $ar{A} \cdot B \cdot C \cdot D$

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

 $A \cdot \overline{B} \cdot \overline{C} \cdot \overline{D}$

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

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

Question #1b: POS

A	В	C	D	F
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	0



Product of Sums:

AND maxterms associated with F=0

Question #1b: POS

A	В	C	D	F	
0	0	0	0	1	
0	0	0	1	1	
0	0	1	0	1	
0	0	1	1	1	
0	1	0	0	1	
0	1	0	1	1	
0	1	1	0	1	
0	1	1	1	0	$A + \bar{B} + \bar{C} + \bar{D}$
1	0	0	0	1	
1	0	0	1	1	
1	0	1	0	0	$\bar{A} + B + \bar{C} + D$
1	0	1	1	0	$\bar{A} + B + \bar{C} + \bar{D}$
1	1	0	0	1	
1	1	0	1	0	$\bar{A} + \bar{B} + C + \bar{D}$
1	1	1	0	0	$\bar{A} + \bar{B} + \bar{C} + D$
1	1	1	1	0	$\bar{A} + \bar{B} + \bar{C} + \bar{D}$

Question #1b: POS Answer

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0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
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Question #1c: SOP Answer

A	В	C	D	F
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0
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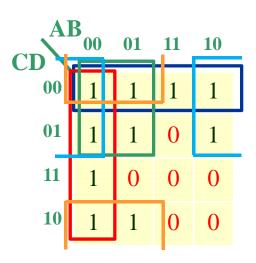


Question #1d: Minimization SOP

A	В	C	D	F
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
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1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0
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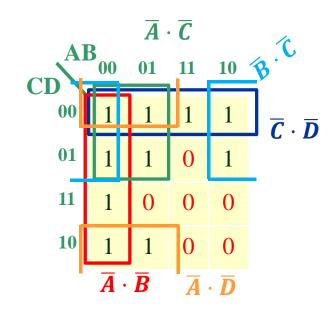
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0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	0

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

$$A \cdot \overline{B} \cdot \overline{C} \cdot \overline{D}$$
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0	0	0	
0	0	1	
0	1	0	
0	1	1	
1	0	0	
1	0	1	
1	1	0	
1	1	1	



find inputs with two or more 1's

Question #2a: Answer

A	В	C	F
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
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Question #2b: SOP Answer

A	В	C	F	
0	0	0	0	
0	0	1	0	
0	1	0	0	
0	1	1	1	$\bar{A} \cdot B$
1	0	0	0	
1	0	1	1	$A \cdot \bar{B}$
1	1	0	1	$A \cdot B$
1	1	1	1	$A \cdot B$

$$\cdot B \cdot C$$

$$A \cdot B \cdot C$$

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

$$A \cdot B \cdot C$$

$$F = \overline{A} \cdot B \cdot C + A \cdot \overline{B} \cdot C + A \cdot B \cdot \overline{C} + A \cdot B \cdot C$$

Question #2b: POS Answer

A	В	C	F
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1

$$A + B + C$$

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

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

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

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

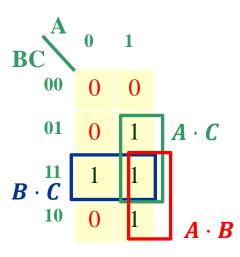
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Question #2c-d: Answer

A	В	C	F	
0	0	0	0	
0	0	1	0	
0	1	0	0	
0	1	1	1	$\bar{A} \cdot B \cdot C$
1	0	0	0	
1	0	1	1	$A \cdot \overline{B} \cdot C$
1	1	0	1	$A \cdot B \cdot \bar{C}$
1	1	1	1	$A \cdot B \cdot C$



$$F = A \cdot C + A \cdot B + B \cdot C$$

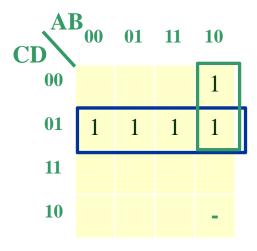
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 - (b) $Z = (\overline{A} + B + \overline{C})(A + B + \overline{C})$ with don't cares for ABC = 111 and 110
 - (c) $f(x_1, \dots, x_4) = \sum m(0,4,5,6,7) + D(1,12,13,14,15)$, where m() is the set of minterms for which f = 1 and D() is the set of don't cares. For example, m(2) is the minterm corresponding to $x_1x_2x_3x_4 = 0010$ (this alternate shorthand notation is often used to express SOPs).

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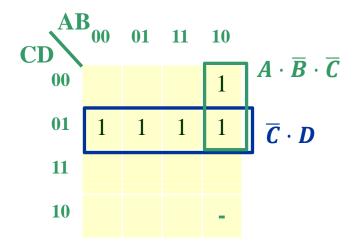
(a)
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 with don't care for $ABCD = 1010$

- (b) $Z = (\overline{A} + B + \overline{C})(A + B + \overline{C})$ with don't cares for ABC = 111 and 110
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Question #3a: SOP

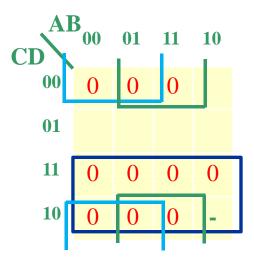


Question #3a: SOP Answer

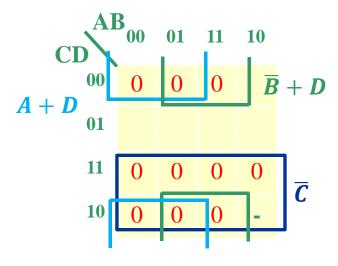


$$F = A \cdot \overline{B} \cdot \overline{C} + \overline{C} \cdot D$$

Question #3a: POS



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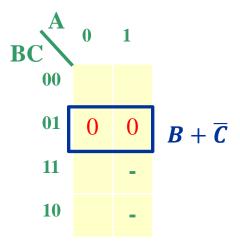
$$F = (\overline{B} + D) \cdot (A + D) \cdot \overline{C}$$

Question #3b

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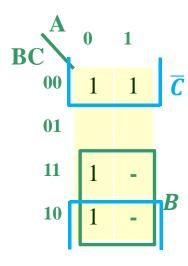
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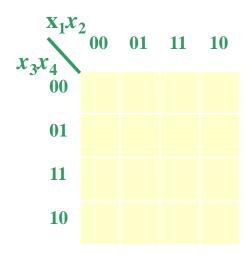
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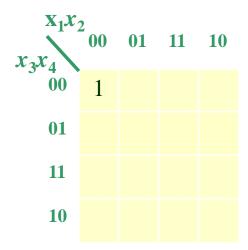
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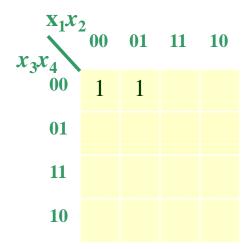


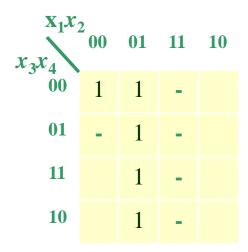
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 - (a) $Z = \overline{A}\overline{B}\overline{C}D + \overline{A}B\overline{C}D + AB\overline{C}D + A\overline{B}\overline{C}D + A\overline{B}\overline{C}D$ with don't care for ABCD = 1010
 - (b) $Z = (\overline{A} + B + \overline{C})(A + B + \overline{C})$ with don't cares for ABC = 111 and 110
 - (c) $f(x_1, \dots, x_4) = \sum m(0,4,5,6,7) + D(1,12,13,14,15)$, where m() is the set of minterms for which f = 1 and D() is the set of don't cares. For example, m(2) is the minterm corresponding to $x_1x_2x_3x_4 = 0010$ (this alternate shorthand notation is often used to express SOPs).

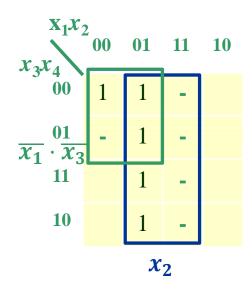








Question #3c: SOP Answer

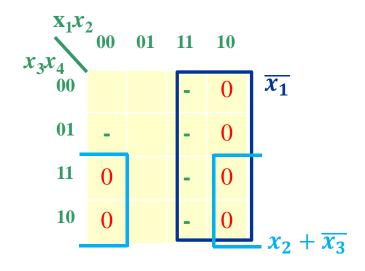


$$F = \overline{x_1} \cdot \overline{x_3} + x_2$$

Question #3c: POS

x_1x_2		01	11	10
x_3x_4			-	0
01	-		-	0
11	0		-	0
10	0		-	0

Question #3c: POS Answer



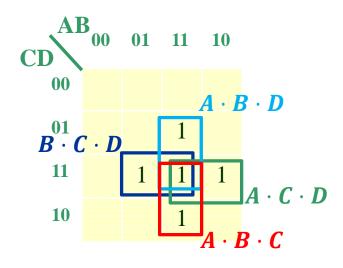
$$F = \overline{x_1} \cdot (x_2 + \overline{x_3})$$

A combinational circuit has four inputs A, B, C and D and an output Z. The output is asserted whenever three or more of the inputs are asserted, otherwise the output is de-asserted. Find an MSOP expression for Z. Design combinational circuits using only 74'04 inverters, 74'00 2-input NAND gates and 74'10 3-input NAND gates. Assume that A, B and Z are active high signals, while C and D are active low signals. Use alternate gate representations for clarity of circuit diagrams.

A	В	C	D	Z
0	0	0	0	
0	0	0	1	
0	0	1	0	
0	0	1	1	
0	1	0	0	
0	1	0	1	
0	1	1	0	
0	1	1	1	1
1	0	0	0	
1	0	0	1	
1	0	1	0	
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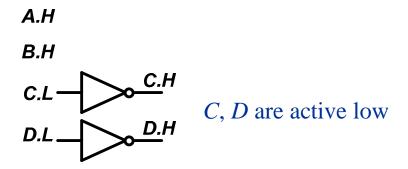
A	В	C	D	Z
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
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0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	0
0	1	1	1	1
1	0	0	0	0
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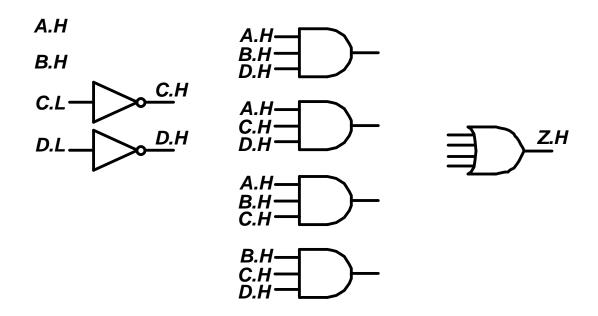
$$Z = A \cdot B \cdot D + A \cdot C \cdot D$$

+ $A \cdot B \cdot C + B \cdot C \cdot D$

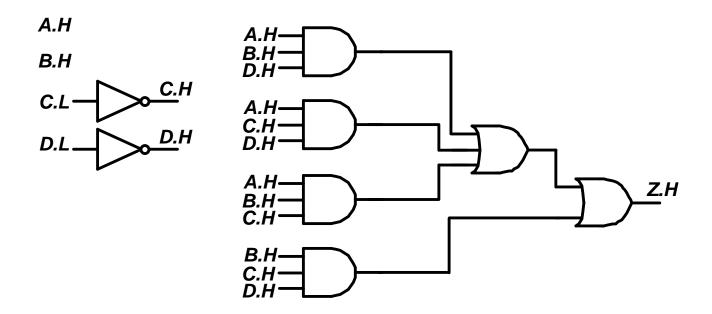
$$Z = A \cdot B \cdot D + A \cdot C \cdot D + A \cdot B \cdot C + B \cdot C \cdot D$$



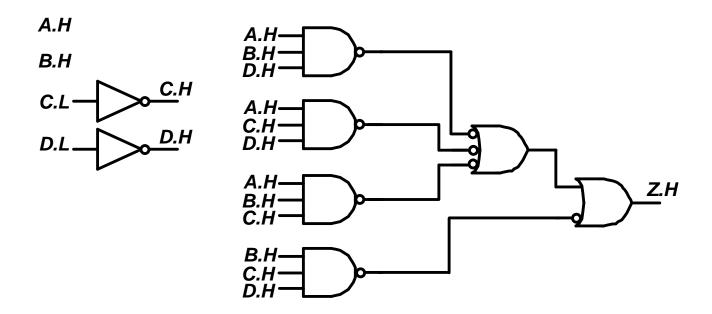
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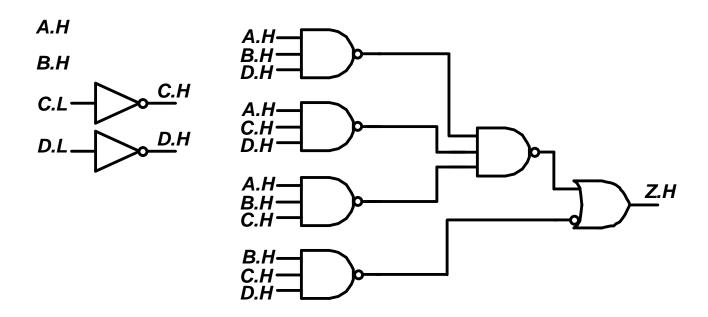
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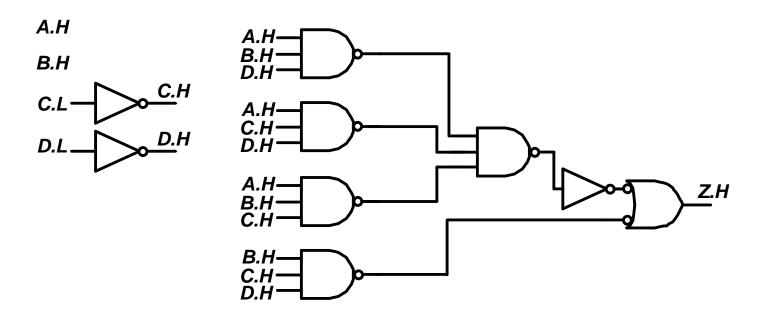
$$Z = A \cdot B \cdot D + A \cdot C \cdot D + A \cdot B \cdot C + B \cdot C \cdot D$$



$$Z = A \cdot B \cdot D + A \cdot C \cdot D + A \cdot B \cdot C + B \cdot C \cdot D$$



$$Z = A \cdot B \cdot D + A \cdot C \cdot D + A \cdot B \cdot C + B \cdot C \cdot D$$



Question #4: Answer

$$Z = A \cdot B \cdot D + A \cdot C \cdot D + A \cdot B \cdot C + B \cdot C \cdot D$$

