

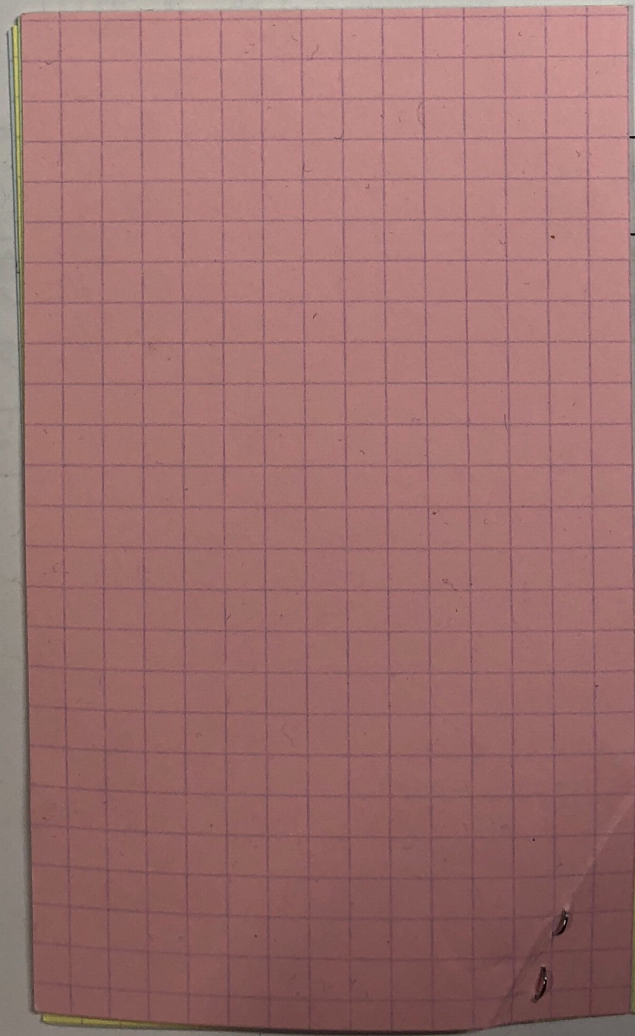
[CS M51A FALL 18] MIDTERM EXAM

Date: 10/30/18

- The midterm is closed book, and up to 4 sheets (= 8 pages) of summary notes are allowed. You can use a calculator but not smart phones.
- For multiple choice questions, wrong answers may have a negative score value so choose carefully. It is possible that questions can have multiple answers.
- Please show all your work and write legibly, otherwise no partial credit will be given.
- **This should strictly be your own work; any form of collaboration will be penalized.**

Name :

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Problem 1 (10 points)

1. (4 points) How many bits are required to encode a color spectrum capable of supporting 16 million using:

(a. Decimal digits in BCD

$\rightarrow (4 \times 6) \text{ million bits}$
 6 million bits
~~X~~

BCD encode each digit (0-9) as 4 bits

b. Hexadecimal representation

~~7 digits~~ $16^6 = 16.7 \text{ million}$
 \therefore we need 7 digits in hex
 \Rightarrow Each hex = 4 bits
 $= 7 \times 4 = 28 \text{ bits}$

Which representation is more efficient? Why?

✓ Hex is a more compact representation w/ 28 bits rather than BCD's 64m bits. Also it has 7 hex digits which is enough to encode key color properties like R, G, B, Y, alpha, gamma and within its 7 hex digits.

✓

2. (6 points) Fill in the missing entries in the table.

Radix	Digit vector \underline{x}	Value x in decimal
16	(5, 1, 7)	1303
8	(5, 1, 7)	335
7	<u>4</u> <u>5</u> <u>3</u> <u>2</u>	1640

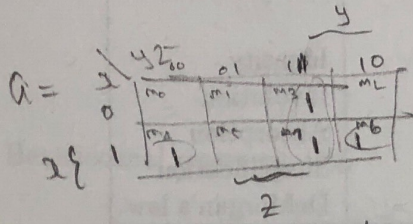
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Problem 3 (15 points)

Show if the gate G, described by $G(x, y, z) = \text{one-set}\{3, 4, 6, 7\}$, can implement NOT and AND gates. Assume that 0 and 1 are available. If it can, then use G gates to implement the following expression and show the corresponding network of G gates

$$E(a, b, c) = (a + b')(b + c')$$

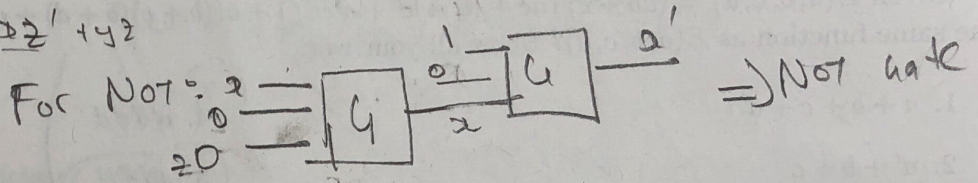
G	0	0	0
	0	0	1
	0	1	0
	1	0	0
	1	0	1
	1	1	0
	1	1	1



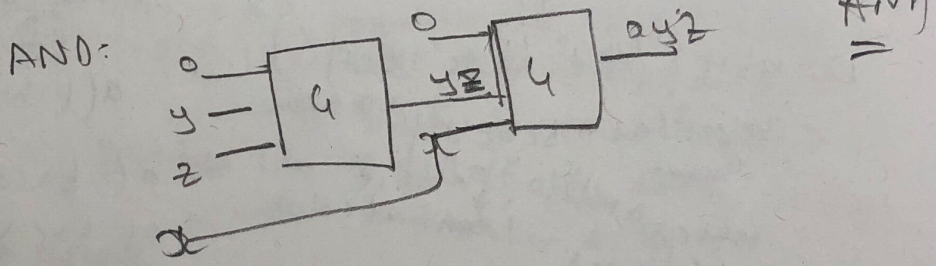
... Suitable Expression for G is $xz' + yz$

$$G(x, y, z) = xz' + yz$$

Not: $\text{Not}(x) = x'$
 $G(x, 0, 0) = x$
 $G(x, 0, 1) = 0 + x = x$
 $G(x, 1, 0) = x$
 $G(x, 1, 1) = x'$ ✓



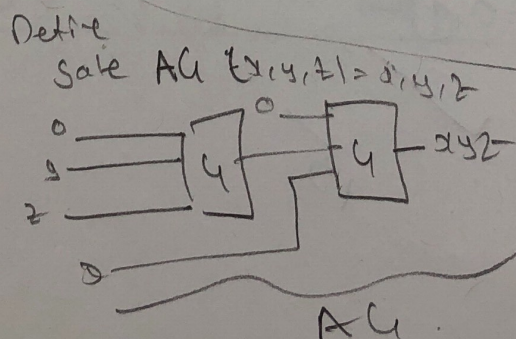
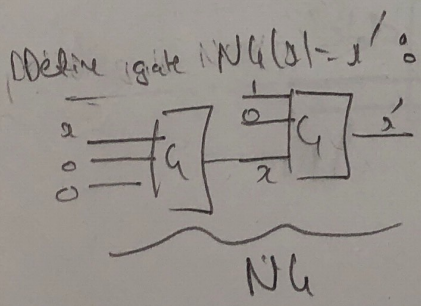
AND: $G(0, y, z) = yz$ ✓
 $G(1, y, z, x) = yz$



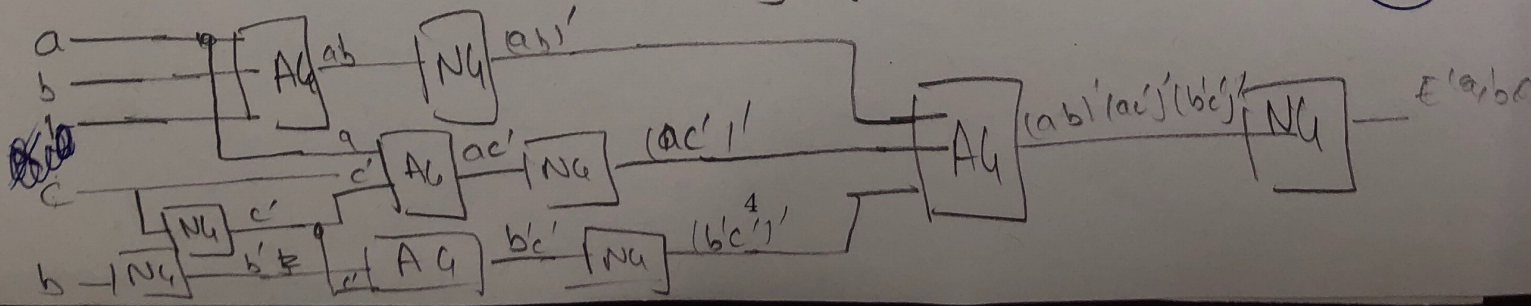
$$E(a, b, c) = (a + b')(b + c') = ab + ac' + b'c'$$

$$= ((ab)'(ac')'(b'c')')'$$

⇒ can be implemented using AND and NOT gates.
 ⇒ can be implemented with G.



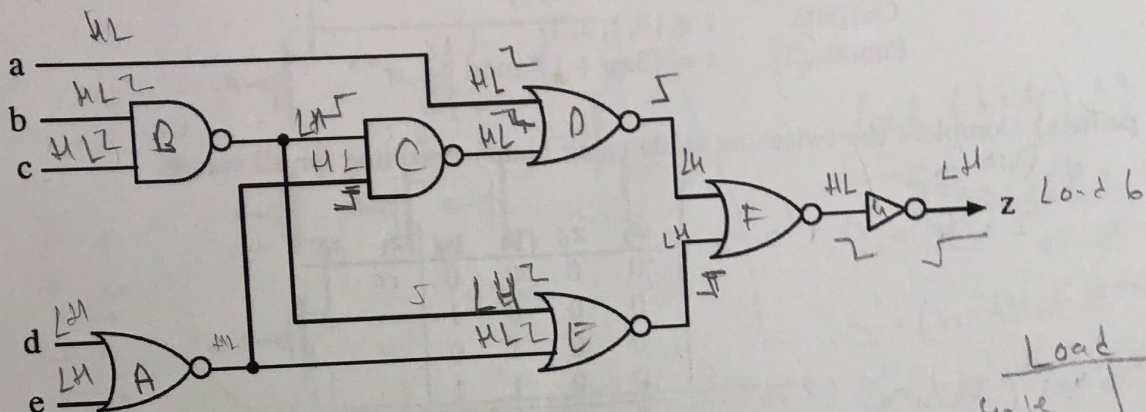
Then we can implement $E(a, b, c)$ as follows:



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Problem 4 (15 points)

With the help of the table below, determine the low to high propagation delay $t_{pLH}(d, z)$ of the output z of the network shown below. Assume the network output has a load of 6.



Gate Type	Fan-in	Propagation Delays (ns)		Load Factor
		t_{pLH}	t_{pHL}	
NOT	1	$0.02 + 0.038L$	$0.05 + 0.017L$	1.0
NAND	2	$0.05 + 0.038L$	$0.08 + 0.027L$	1.0
NOR	2	$0.06 + 0.075L$	$0.07 + 0.016L$	1.0

Gate	Load
A	2
B	2
C	1
D	1
E	1
F	1
z	6

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \cancel{t_A(LH)} + t_B(LH) + t_C(HL) + t_D(LH) + t_E(LH) + t_F(HL) + t_z(LH) \\
 &= (0.07 + 0.016 * 2) + (0.05 + 0.038 * 2) + (0.08 + 0.027 * 1) \\
 &\quad + (0.06 + 0.075) + (0.06 + 0.075) + (0.07 + 0.016) \\
 &\quad + (0.02 + 0.038 * 6) \\
 &= 0.939 \text{ ns}
 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 5 (20 points)

Obtain a two-level gate network of the following system.

Inputs: $x, y \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$
 Outputs: $z \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$
 Function: $z = \{3xy + 1\} \pmod 4$

1. (2 points) Complete the switching table using binary encoding for all values.

For Part 2:

$$z_1 = x_1 x_0' y_0 + x_1 y_1' y_0 + x_1' x_0 y_1 + x_0 y_1 y_0'$$

$$= (x_1 x_0' y_0) + (x_1 y_1' y_0) + (x_1' x_0 y_1) + (x_0 y_1 y_0')$$

Always complemented input. prod.

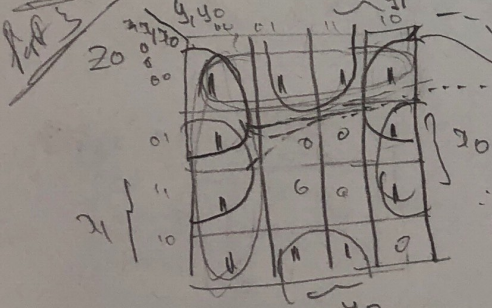
x_1	x_0	y_1	y_0	z_1	z_0
0	0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	0	0	1
0	0	1	1	0	1
0	1	0	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	0	0
0	1	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	0	1
1	0	1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
1	1	0	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	1	0	0

x	y	$(3xy+1)$
0	0	0+1
0	1	0+1
0	2	0+1
0	3	0+1
1	0	0+1
1	1	3+1
1	2	6+1
1	3	9+1
2	0	6+1
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2	2	19
2	3	19
3	0	9+1
3	1	19
3	2	19
3	3	28

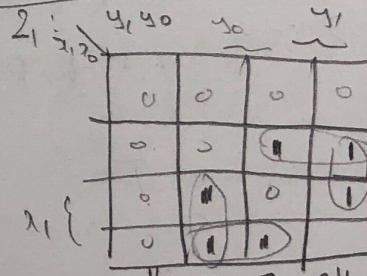
2. (5 points) Show the switching expressions of z_1 and z_0 in sum of minterms form.

$$z_0 = \sum m(0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14)$$

$$z_1 = \sum m(6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14)$$



Not essential: $\{m_0, m_2, m_4, m_6\}$
 Essential: $\{m_1, m_3, m_5, m_7\}, \{m_8, m_{10}, m_{12}, m_{14}\}, \{m_{11}, m_{13}, m_9, m_{14}\}$



3. (8 points) Show the minimal sum of products expressions of z_1 and z_0 . In each case, show a K-map, indicate all prime implicants, and all essential prime implicants. Show NAND-NAND networks.

Minimal SOP:

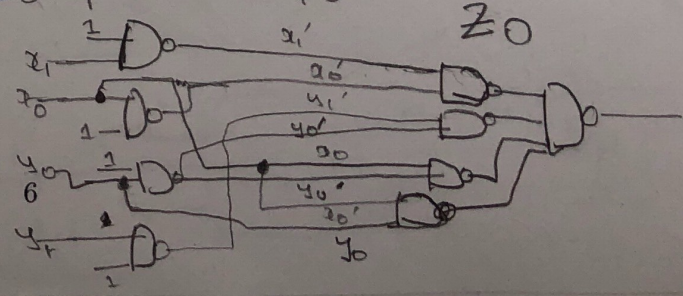
$$z_0 = x_1' x_0' + y_1' y_0' + x_0 y_0' + x_0' y_0$$

$$z_1 = x_1 x_0' y_0 + x_1 y_1' y_0 + x_1' x_0 y_1 + x_0 y_1 y_0'$$

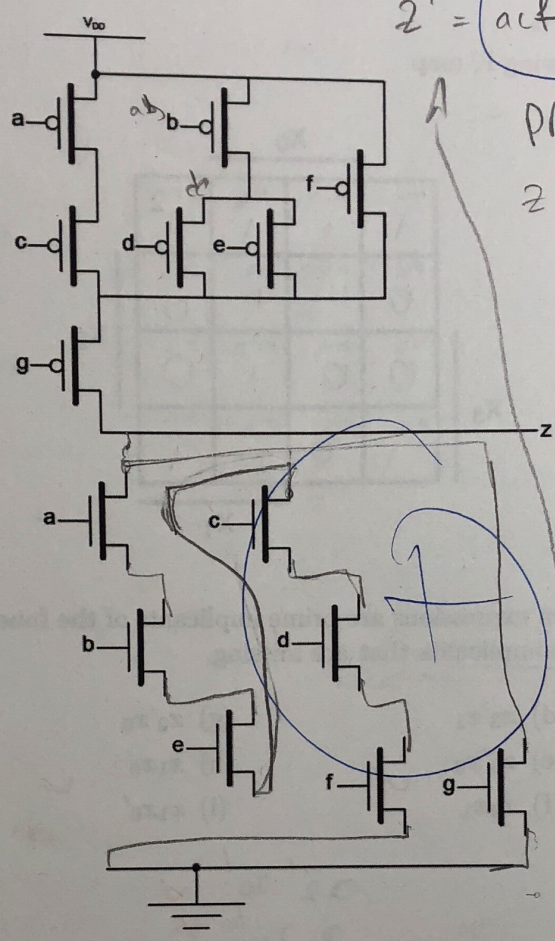
z1 above next part

For z1 all prime imp are ess

$$z_0 = (x_1' x_0') (y_1' y_0') (x_0 y_0') (x_0' y_0)$$



Problem 6 (10 points)
 are given the following partial CMOS network.



$$z' = acf(b+de) + g$$

PD:

$$z = (acf(b+de) + g)'$$

$$g' \cdot (acf(b+de))'$$

$$g' \cdot (act' + (b+de)')$$

$$g' \cdot ((a'+c'+t') + b'(de)')$$

$$g' \cdot ((a'+c'+t') + b'(d'te'))$$

$$g' \cdot (a'b'+c'+d'te'+t')$$

1. (5 points)

Write the expression for the pull-up network. From this, derive the expression for the pull-down network using switching algebra.

2. (5 points)

Connect NMOS transistors to complete the circuit according to the pull-down expression. Please only add missing wires.

Problem 7 (15 points)

For $f(x_3, x_2, x_1, x_0) = (x_3 + x_2' + x_1 + x_0)(x_3 + x_2' + x_1' + x_0)(x_3' + x_2 + x_1 + x_0')(x_3' + x_2' + x_1 + x_0)(x_3' + x_2 + x_1 + x_0')(x_3' + x_2' + x_1' + x_0)$

1. (2 points) Fill out the following K-map.

		x_0				
		0	1	1	0	
	x_3	0	1	1	0	x_2
	1	0	1	1	0	
x_3	0	0	0	1	0	
1	0	1	1	1	0	
		x_1				

Prime implicants
 $x_2'x_3' + x_0x_1'$
 $+ x_0x_3'$
 $+ x_2'x_0'$
 $+ x_1x_2'$
 $+ x_3x_2'$

2. (4 points) Which of the given expressions are prime implicants of the function given above? Circle all that apply. Write down any prime implicants that are missing.

- (a) x_1
- (b) x_3x_1
- (c) $x_3'x_2'$ ✓
- (d) $x_3'x_1$
- (e) $x_3'x_0$ ✓
- (f) x_2x_1
- (g) $x_2'x_0$
- (h) x_1x_0 ✓
- (i) x_1x_0' ✓
- (j) $x_3'x_2'x_1$
- (k) $x_2x_1x_0$
- (l) $x_3x_2x_1x_0$

$x_2'x_0'$ ✓
 x_1x_2' ✗
 x_3x_2' ✗

3. (2 points) Write down the complete set of essential prime implicants.

$x_2'x_3'$ ✓
 x_0x_1' ✓
 x_0x_3' ✓
 $x_2'x_0'$ ✓

4. (1 point) Write the minimal sum of products expression for f . Is it unique?

Minimum SOP $f = x_2'x_3' + x_0x_1' + x_0x_3' + x_2'x_0'$
 → Unique ✓ ✓ ✓