

## CprE 281: Digital Logic

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# NAND and NOR Logic Networks

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## **Administrative Stuff**

• HW2 is due today

## **Administrative Stuff**

- HW3 is out
- It is due on Monday Sep 16 @ 4pm.
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  - Your Student ID Number
  - Your Lab Section Letter
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#### **Quick Review**

#### **The Three Basic Logic Gates**



NOT gate

AND gate

OR gate

[Figure 2.8 from the textbook]

#### **Truth Table for NOT**



#### **Truth Table for AND**





#### **Truth Table for OR**





#### **DeMorgan's Theorem**



#### **Synthesize the Following Function**

<b>x</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>f(x</b> <sub>1</sub> , <b>x</b> <sub>2</sub> )
0	0	1
0	1	1
1	0	0
1	1	1

#### 1) Split the function into a sum of 4 functions

<b>X</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>2</sub>	f(x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )	f <sub>00</sub> (x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )	f <sub>01</sub> (x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )	f <sub>10</sub> (x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )	f <sub>11</sub> (x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )
0	0	1	1	0	0	0
0	1	1	0	1	0	0
1	0	0	0	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0	0	1

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

 $f(x_1, x_2) = 1 \bullet f_{00} + 1 \bullet f_{01} + 0 \bullet f_{10} + 1 \bullet f_{11}$ 

#### 2) Write the expressions for all four

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

$$f(x_1, x_2) = 1 \bullet f_{00} + 1 \bullet f_{01} + 0 \bullet f_{10} + 1 \bullet f_{11}$$
  
$$\overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \qquad \overline{x}_1 x_2 \qquad 0 \qquad x_1 x_2$$

#### 3) Then just add them together

<b>x</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>2</sub>	f(x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )	f <sub>00</sub> (x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )	f <sub>01</sub> (x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )	f <sub>10</sub> (x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )	f <sub>11</sub> (x <sub>1</sub> , x <sub>2</sub> )
0	0	1	1	0	0	0
0	1	1	0	1	0	0
1	0	0	0	0	1	0
1	1	1	0	0	0	1

 $f(x_1, x_2) = 1 \cdot f_{00} + 1 \cdot f_{01} + 0 \cdot f_{10} + 1 \cdot f_{11}$  $f(x_1, x_2) = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 + \overline{x}_1 x_2 + 0 + x_1 x_2$ 

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

 $f(x_1, x_2) = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 + \overline{x}_1 x_2 + 0 + x_1 x_2$ 

(uses the ones of the function)

#### Sum-of-Products Form (for the AND logic function)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Minterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1 \end{array}$	$ \begin{array}{ c c c c c } m_0 &= \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_1 &= \overline{x}_1 x_2 \\ m_2 &= x_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_3 &= x_1 x_2 \end{array} \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c} 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 1 \end{array}$

#### Sum-of-Products Form (for the AND logic function)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Minterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$ \begin{array}{ c c c c c } m_0 &= \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_1 &= \overline{x}_1 x_2 \\ m_2 &= x_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_3 &= x_1 x_2 \end{array} \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c} 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 1 \end{array}$

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$\begin{array}{c} 0\\ 1\\ 2\\ 3 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1 \end{array}$	$ \begin{array}{ c c c c c } m_0 &= \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_1 &= \overline{x}_1 x_2 \\ m_2 &= x_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_3 &= x_1 x_2 \end{array} \end{array} $	0 0 0 1

$$f(x_1, x_2) = m_3 = x_1 x_2$$

(In this case there is just one product and there is no need for a sum)

#### **Another Example**

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Minterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1 \end{array}$	$ \begin{array}{ c c c c c } m_0 &= \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_1 &= \overline{x}_1 x_2 \\ m_2 &= x_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_3 &= x_1 x_2 \end{array} \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c}1\\1\\0\\1\end{array}$

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Minterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
$egin{array}{c} 0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1 \end{array}$	$ \begin{array}{ c c c c c } m_0 &= \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_1 &= \overline{x}_1 x_2 \\ m_2 &= x_1 \overline{x}_2 \\ m_3 &= x_1 x_2 \end{array} \end{array} $	1 1 0 1

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Minterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
0	0	0	$m_0 = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2$	1
1	0	1	$m_1 = \overline{x}_1 x_2$	1
2	1	0	$m_2 = x_1 \overline{x_2}$	0
3	1	1	$\parallel m_3 = x_1 x_2$	1

$$f = m_0 \cdot 1 + m_1 \cdot 1 + m_2 \cdot 0 + m_3 \cdot 1$$
  
=  $m_0 + m_1 + m_3$   
=  $\bar{x}_1 \bar{x}_2 + \bar{x}_1 x_2 + x_1 x_2$ 

(uses the zeros of the function)

#### **Product-of-Sums Form** (for the OR logic function)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Maxterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
$egin{array}{c} 0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1 \end{array}$	$M_{0} = x_{1} + x_{2}$ $M_{1} = x_{1} + \overline{x_{2}}$ $M_{2} = \overline{x_{1}} + x_{2}$ $M_{3} = \overline{x_{1}} + \overline{x_{2}}$	0 1 1 1

#### **Product-of-Sums Form** (for the OR logic function)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Maxterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
0	0	0	$ M_0 = x_1 + x_2  M_1 = x_1 + \overline{x_2}  M_2 = \overline{x_1} + x_2  M_2 = \overline{x_1} + x_2 $	0
1	0	1		1
2	1	0		1

#### **Product-of-Sums Form** (for the OR logic function)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Maxterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
0	0	0	$M_0 = x_1 + x_2$	0
1	0	1	$M_1 = x_1 + \overline{x_2}$	1
2	1	0	$M_2 = \overline{x_1} + x_2$	1
3	1	1	$M_3 = \overline{x_1} + \overline{x_2}$	1

 $f(x_1, x_2) = M_0 = x_1 + x_2$ 

(In this case there is just one sum and there is no need for a product)

#### **Another Example**

#### (for this logic function)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Maxterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
0 1 2 3	0 0 1	0 1 0 1	$M_0 = x_1 + x_2$ $M_1 = x_1 + \overline{x_2}$ $M_2 = \overline{x_1} + x_2$ $M_2 = \overline{x_1} + \overline{x_2}$	0 1 0 1

#### (for this logic function)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Maxterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
0 1	00	$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{array}$	$M_{0} = x_{1} + x_{2}$ $M_{1} = x_{1} + \overline{x_{2}}$	0 1
$\frac{2}{3}$	$\begin{vmatrix} 1\\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$	$0 \\ 1$	$ M_2 = \overline{x}_1 + x_2  M_3 = \overline{x}_1 + \overline{x}_2 $	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

#### (for this logic function)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	Maxterm	$f(x_1, x_2)$
0	0	0	$M_0 = x_1 + x_2$	0
1	0	1	$\  M_1 = x_1 + \overline{x_2}  $	1
2	1	0	$\  M_2 = \overline{x_1} + x_2$	0
3	1	1	$\  M_3 = \overline{x_1} + \overline{x_2}$	1

$$f(x_1, x_2) = M_0 \bullet M_2 = (x_1 + x_2) \bullet (\overline{x_1} + x_2)$$

#### **More Examples**

#### Example 2.10

Implement the function  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \sum m(2, 3, 4, 6, 7)$ 

# Minterms and Maxterms (with three variables)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$	Minterm	Maxterm
$egin{array}{ccc} 0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6 \ 7 \end{array}$	$ \begin{array}{c} 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1\\ 1 \end{array} $	$egin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$ \begin{vmatrix} m_0 = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_1 = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 x_3 \\ m_2 = \overline{x}_1 x_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_3 = \overline{x}_1 x_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_4 = x_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_5 = x_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_6 = x_1 x_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_7 = x_1 x_2 x_3 \end{vmatrix} $	$M_0 = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$ $M_1 = x_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_2 = x_1 + \overline{x}_2 + x_3$ $M_3 = x_1 + \overline{x}_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_4 = \overline{x}_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_5 = \overline{x}_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_6 = \overline{x}_1 + \overline{x}_2 + x_3$ $M_7 = \overline{x}_1 + \overline{x}_2 + \overline{x}_3$
# Minterms and Maxterms (with three variables)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$	Minterm	Maxterm
$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{array}$	0 0 0 1 1 1 1	0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1	0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1	$m_0 = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3$ $m_1 = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 x_3$ $m_2 = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3$ $m_3 = \overline{x}_1 x_2 \overline{x}_3$ $m_4 = x_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3$ $m_5 = x_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3$ $m_6 = x_1 x_2 \overline{x}_3$ $m_7 = x_1 x_2 \overline{x}_3$	$M_0 = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$ $M_1 = x_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_2 = x_1 + \overline{x}_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_3 = x_1 + \overline{x}_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_4 = \overline{x}_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_5 = \overline{x}_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_6 = \overline{x}_1 + \overline{x}_2 + x_3$ $M_7 = \overline{x}_1 + \overline{x}_2 + \overline{x}_3$

 $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \sum m(2, 3, 4, 6, 7)$ 

• The SOP expression is:

$$f = m_2 + m_3 + m_4 + m_6 + m_7$$
  
=  $\overline{x}_1 x_2 \overline{x}_3 + \overline{x}_1 x_2 x_3 + x_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 + x_1 x_2 \overline{x}_3 + x_1 x_2 x_3$ 

• This could be simplified as follows:

$$f = \overline{x}_1 x_2 (\overline{x}_3 + x_3) + x_1 (\overline{x}_2 + x_2) \overline{x}_3 + x_1 x_2 (\overline{x}_3 + x_3)$$
  
=  $\overline{x}_1 x_2 + x_1 \overline{x}_3 + x_1 x_2$   
=  $(\overline{x}_1 + x_1) x_2 + x_1 \overline{x}_3$   
=  $x_2 + x_1 \overline{x}_3$ 

#### Example 2.12

Implement the function  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \prod M(0, 1, 5)$ ,

which is equivalent to  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \sum m(2, 3, 4, 6, 7)$ 

# Minterms and Maxterms (with three variables)

Row number	$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$	Minterm	Maxterm
$egin{array}{ccc} 0 & 1 & & \ 2 & & \ 3 & & \ 4 & & \ 5 & \ 6 & & \ 7 & & \ \end{array}$	0 0 0 1 1 1 1	0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1	0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1	$ \begin{array}{c} m_0 = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_1 = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 x_3 \\ m_2 = \overline{x}_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_3 = \overline{x}_1 x_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_4 = x_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_5 = x_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_6 = x_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 \\ m_7 = x_1 \overline{x}_2 \overline{x}_3 \end{array} $	$M_0 = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$ $M_1 = x_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_2 = x_1 + \overline{x}_2 + x_3$ $M_3 = x_1 + \overline{x}_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_4 = \overline{x}_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_5 = \overline{x}_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3$ $M_6 = \overline{x}_1 + \overline{x}_2 + x_3$ $M_7 = \overline{x}_1 + \overline{x}_2 + \overline{x}_3$

 $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \Pi M(0, 1, 5)$ 

• The POS expression is:

$$f = M_0 \cdot M_1 \cdot M_5$$
  
=  $(x_1 + x_2 + x_3)(x_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3)(\overline{x}_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3)$ 

This could be simplified as follows:

$$f = (x_1 + x_2 + x_3)(x_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3)(x_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3)(\overline{x}_1 + x_2 + \overline{x}_3)$$
  
=  $((x_1 + x_2) + x_3)((x_1 + x_2) + \overline{x}_3)(x_1 + (x_2 + \overline{x}_3))(\overline{x}_1 + (x_2 + \overline{x}_3))$   
=  $((x_1 + x_2) + x_3\overline{x}_3)(x_1\overline{x}_1 + (x_2 + \overline{x}_3))$   
=  $(x_1 + x_2)(x_2 + \overline{x}_3)$ 

#### **Two New Logic Gates**

#### **NAND** Gate







#### **AND vs NAND**









#### AND followed by NOT = NAND



#### NAND followed by NOT = AND









#### **OR vs NOR**









#### **OR** followed by **NOT** = **NOR**







$$\begin{array}{c|ccc} x_1 & x_2 & f \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array}$$

#### NOR followed by NOT = OR





$$\begin{array}{c|ccc} x_1 & x_2 & f \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array}$$

#### Why do we need two more gates?

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They can be implemented with fewer transistors.

(more about this later)

#### They are simpler to implement, but are they also useful?

#### **Building a NOT Gate with NAND**







X	X	f
0	0	1
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

#### **Building a NOT Gate with NAND**



#### **Building a NOT Gate with NAND**



Thus, the two truth tables are equal!

#### **Building an AND gate with NAND gates**

**Desired AND Gate** NAND Construction А Q () в B  $\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{A} \text{ AND } \mathbf{B}$ = NOT(NOT(**A** AND **B**)) **Truth Table** Input A Input B **Output Q** 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1

### Building an OR gate with NAND gates

**Desired OR Gate** 

**NAND Construction** 





 $\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{A} \text{ OR } \mathbf{B}$ 

= NOT[ NOT( **A** AND **A** ) AND NOT( **B** AND **B** )]

**Truth Table** 

Input A	Input B	Output Q
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

#### Implications

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## Any Boolean function can be implemented with only NAND gates!

#### NOR gate with NAND gates

**Desired NOR Gate** 

**NAND Construction** 





Q = NOT( A OR B )

= NOT{ NOT[ NOT( **A** AND **A** ) AND NOT( **B** AND **B** )]}

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Input A	Input B	Output Q
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	0

#### **XOR gate with NAND gates**

**Desired XOR Gate** 

**NAND Construction** 





**Q** = **A** XOR **B** 

= NOT[ NOT{**A** AND NOT(**A** AND **B**)} AND NOT{**B** AND NOT(**A** AND **B**)} ]

**Truth Table** 

Input A	Input B	Output Q
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

#### **XNOR** gate with NAND gates

**Desired XNOR Gate** 

**NAND Construction** 





**Q** = NOT( **A** XOR **B**)

= NOT[ NOT[ NOT{**A** AND NOT(**A** AND **B**)} AND NOT{**B** AND NOT(**A** AND **B**)} ]]

#### **Truth Table**

Input A	Input B	Output Q
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NAND\_logic]

#### **Building a NOT Gate with NOR**







X	X	f
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	0

#### **Building a NOT Gate with NOR**



#### **Building a NOT Gate with NOR**



Thus, the two truth tables are equal!

#### Building an OR gate with NOR gates

**Desired Gate** 

**NOR Construction** 



**Truth Table** 

Input A	Input B	Output Q
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NOR\_logic]

#### Let's build an AND gate with NOR gates

#### Let's build an AND gate with NOR gates

**Desired Gate** 

**NOR Construction** 



**Truth Table** 

Input A	Input B	Output Q
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NOR\_logic]

#### Implications

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## Any Boolean function can be implemented with only NOR gates!
## NAND gate with NOR gates

**Desired Gate** 

**NOR Construction** 



**Truth Table** 

Input A	Input B	Output Q
0	0	1
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NOR\_logic]

### **XOR gate with NOR gates**



**Truth Table** 

Input A	Input B	Output Q
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NOR\_logic]

## **XNOR gate with NOR gates**

**Desired XNOR Gate** 

**NOR Construction** 





**Truth Table** 

Input A	Input B	Output Q
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NOR\_logic]

#### The following examples came from this book















#### **DeMorgan's theorem in terms of logic gates**



(a) 
$$\overline{x_1 x_2} = \overline{x_1} + \overline{x_2}$$

#### **DeMorgan's theorem in terms of logic gates**



#### **Function Synthesis**

## Using NAND gates to implement a sum-of-products



[Figure 2.27 from the textbook]

# Using NOR gates to implement a product-of sums



[Figure 2.28 from the textbook]

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## **NOR-gate realization of the function**



(a) POS implementation



(b) NOR implementation

[Figure 2.29 from the textbook]

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## **NAND-gate realization of the function**



(a) SOP implementation



(b) NAND implementation

### **Questions?**

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