

Boolean algebra,
AND/OR/NAND/NOR gates
Assigned Date: Second Week
Finish by Sep. 8, 2021

P1. (10 points) Use algebraic manipulation to prove the following:

- A. $AB + BC + \bar{A}C = AB + \bar{A}C$
- B. $(X + Y)(X + \bar{Y}) = X$

P2. (10 points) Use Boolean algebra to simplify the following logic expressions:

- A. $S_1S_3 + S_2\bar{S}_3 + S_2S_3 + S_1\bar{S}_3$
- B. $XY\bar{Z} + XYZ + XYW$

P3. (15 points) Considering the following functions, write the canonical SOP expression, then simplify it.

- A. $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \sum m(0, 3, 7)$
- B. $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \sum m(1, 3, 5, 6, 7)$

P4. (15 points) Considering the following functions, write the canonical POS expression, then simplify it.

- A. $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \prod M(0, 2, 5)$
- B. $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \prod M(1, 3, 6, 7)$

P5. (15 points) Draw the following function using only NAND gates:

- A. $f = \bar{A}C + A\bar{C} + B$

P6. (15 points) Draw the following function using only NOR gates:

- A. $f = (A + B)(B + C)D$

P7. (20 points) Consider the logic function $f(a, b, c) = \bar{a}\bar{b}\bar{c} + \bar{a}bc + a\bar{b}c + \bar{a}bc + a\bar{b}\bar{c}$

- A. Draw the logic circuit for the function given above.
- B. Let the cost of a logic circuit be the total number of gates plus the total number of inputs to all gates in the circuit. What is the cost of the circuit in A?
- C. Simplify f using Boolean algebra as much as possible.
- D. Draw the logic circuit for the simplified version of f in C.
- E. What is the cost of the circuit in D?