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SUM OF PRODUCTS IN BOOLEAN ALGEBRA

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BOOLEAN EXPRESSION



• In Digital Electronics any logic circuit's output is the function of digital inputs.

• The relation between input and output can be represented using logic table or Boolean expressions.

This Boolean expression can be represented in two forms.

- Sum of Product (SOP)
- Product of Sum (POS)



The Sum of Product Form



• In sum of product form of expression, we perform logical OR operations on different product terms.





Canonical & Non-Canonical forms



The SOP form can be in either:

- (i) Non-canonical form.
- (ii) Canonical form

Non-Canonical SOP Form

In this form each product term between may or may not contain all the variables of the function.

Examples:

$$F(A,B,C) = A + B.C + A.C$$



Canonical form



Canonical SOP Form

In canonical SOP form each product term contains all the variables of the function, where variables in each product term can be in true form or complemented form.

Examples:

$$F(A,B) = \bar{A}.B + A.B$$

The product terms are called as **Minterms**



SOP



- With 'n' inputs namely X, Y, Z, we get 2ⁿ combinations.
- Here number of inputs are three and so 8 combinations

X	Y	Z	Minterms
0	0	0	X'Y'Z' = m0
0	0	1	X'Y'Z = m1
0	1	0	X'Y Z' = m2
0	1	1	X'YZ = m3
1	0	0	XY'Z'= m4
1	0	1	XY'Z = m5
1	1	0	XYZ' = m6
1	1	1	XYZ = m7



Canonical Sum of Products



Find the Canonical Sum of Products:

X	Y	Z	F
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	0







Find the Canonical Sum of Products:

X	Υ	Z	F
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	0

For the table, the **canonical SOP form** is:

$$F = \sum (m1, m2, m3, m5)$$

By expanding the above summation we can get the following function.

$$F = m1 + m2 + m3 + m5, m3, m5$$

By substituting the minterms in the above equation we can get the below expression

$$F = X'Y'Z + X'YZ' + X'YZ + XY'Z$$



Non- Canonical Sum of Products



Find the Non- Canonical Sum of Products:

In the non-canonical sum of product form, the product terms are simplified.

$$F = X'Y'Z + X'YZ' + X'YZ + XY'Z$$

$$F = X'Y'Z + X'Y (Z'+Z) + XY'Z$$

$$F = X'Y'Z + X'Y (1) + XY'Z$$
 [W.K.T Z'+Z =1]

$$F = X'Y'Z + X'Y + XY'Z$$



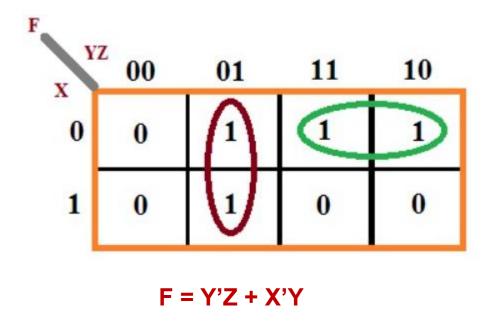




Find the Minimal Sum of Products:

• It is simply done by using **K-map** (Karnaugh map).

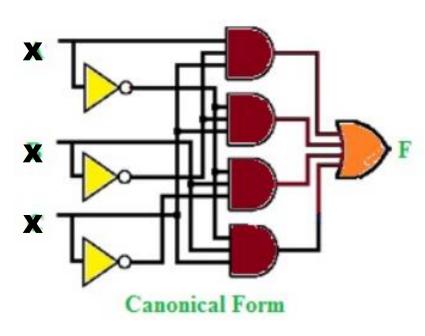
X	Y	Z	F
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	0



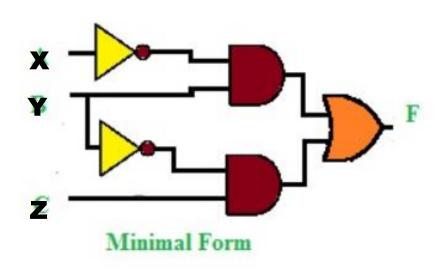


Schematic Design of Sum of Product









$$F = Y'Z + X'Y$$



Assessment



1. What is a minterm?

2. Mention the difference between Canonical and Non-Canonical SOP?





