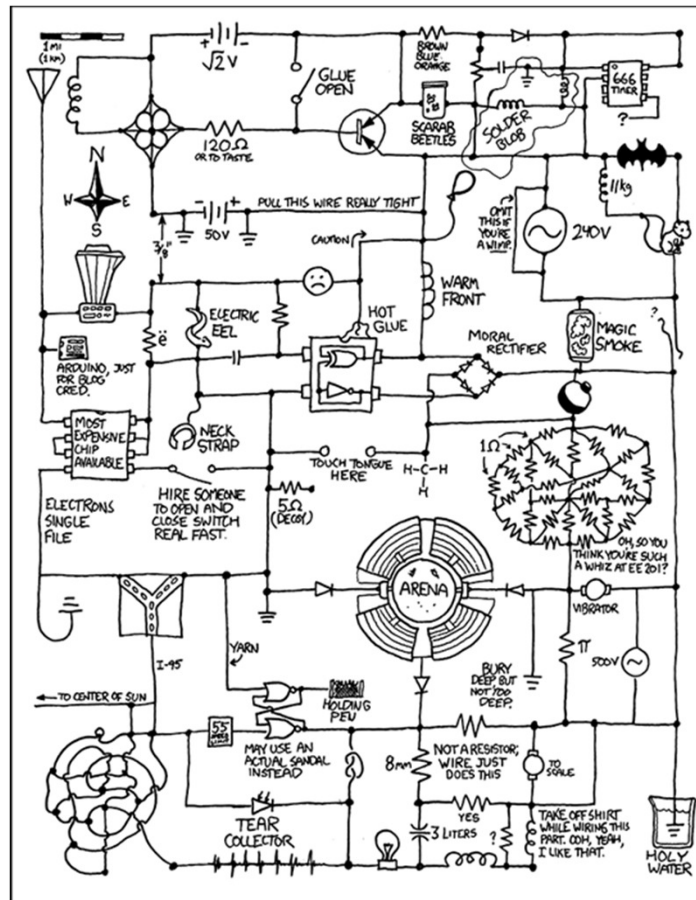


CSE 311: Foundations of Computing

Lecture 4: Boolean Algebra, Circuits, Canonical Forms



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Last Time: Boolean Algebra

- Usual notation used in circuit design

- Boolean algebra

- a set of elements B containing {0, 1}
- binary operations { + , • }
- and a unary operation { ' }
- such that the following axioms hold:

OR AND
"COMPLEMENT"
(NOT)



For any a, b, c in B:

1. closure:
2. commutativity:
3. associativity:
4. distributivity:
5. identity:
6. complementarity:
7. null:
8. idempotency:
9. involution:

$$\begin{aligned} a + b &\text{ is in } B \\ a + b &= b + a \\ a + (b + c) &= (a + b) + c \\ a + (b \cdot c) &= (a + b) \cdot (a + c) \\ a + 0 &= a \\ a + a' &= 1 \\ a + 1 &= 1 \\ a + a &= a \\ (a')' &= a \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a \cdot b &\text{ is in } B \\ a \cdot b &= b \cdot a \\ a \cdot (b \cdot c) &= (a \cdot b) \cdot c \\ a \cdot (b + c) &= (a \cdot b) + (a \cdot c) \\ a \cdot 1 &= a \\ a \cdot a' &= 0 \\ a \cdot 0 &= 0 \\ a \cdot a &= a \end{aligned}$$

Warm-up Exercise

- Create a Boolean Algebra expression for C below in terms of the variables a and b

a	b	$C(a, b)$
<u>1</u>	1	0
1	<u>0</u>	1
<u>0</u>	1	1
0	0	0

Handwritten notes:
- A red squiggle underlines the bottom row (0, 0, 0).
- A red arrow points from the top of the table to the $C(a, b)$ header.
- A red arrow points from the top of the table to the 0 in the first row.
- A red arrow points from the right to the 1 in the second row.
- A red arrow points from the right to the 1 in the third row.
- To the right of the table, the expression ~~$a \cdot b$~~ is written and crossed out.
- Below that, $a \cdot b'$ and $a' \cdot b$ are written, with arrows pointing to the 1s in the second and third rows respectively.

$$\underline{a \cdot b'} + a' \cdot b$$

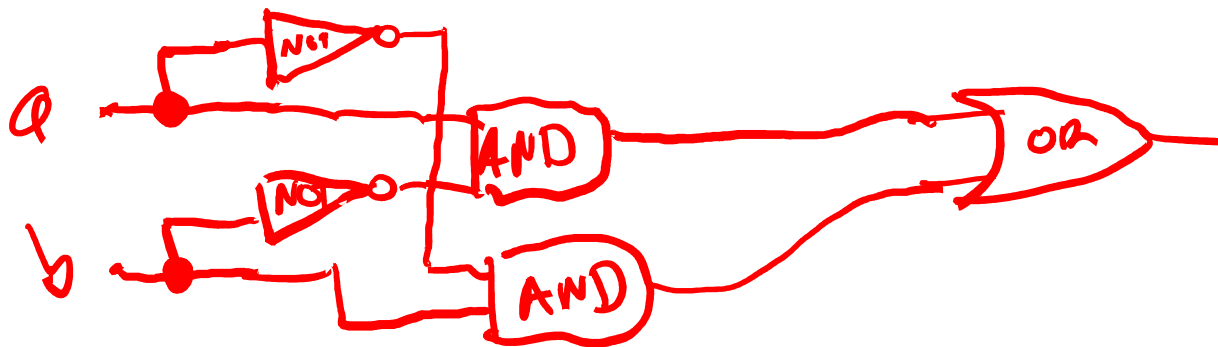
$$ab' + a'b$$

Warm-up Exercise

- Create a Boolean Algebra expression for “ c ” below in terms of the variables a and b

$$c = ab' + a'b$$

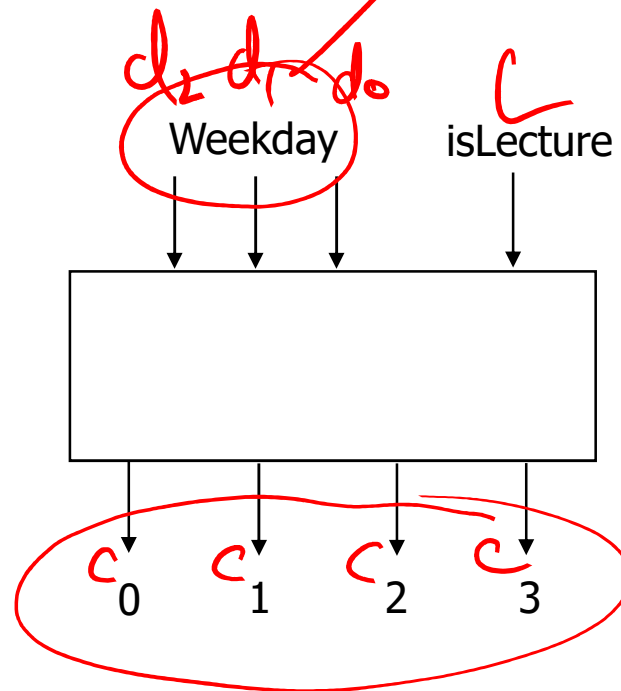
- Draw this as a circuit (using AND, OR, NOT)



Last Time: Combinational Logic

Encoding:

- Binary number for weekday (Binary encoding)
- One bit for each possible output (“1-Hot” encoding)



Last Time: Truth Table to Logic

	$d_2d_1d_0$	L	c_0	c_1	c_2	c_3
SUN	000	0	0	1	0	0
SUN	000	1	0	0	0	1
MON	001	0	0	1	0	0
MON	001	1	0	0	0	1
TUE	010	0	0	1	0	0
TUE	010	1	0	0	1	0
WED	011	0	0	1	0	0
WED	011	1	0	0	1	0
THU	100	-	0	1	0	0
FRI	101	0	1	0	0	0
FRI	101	1	0	1	0	0
SAT	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	1	0	0	0

$d_2' \cdot d_1' \cdot d_0' \cdot L$

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Either situation causes c_3 to be true. So, we "or" them.

$$c_3 = ((d_2' \cdot d_1') \cdot d_0') \cdot L + d_2' \cdot d_1' \cdot d_0 \cdot L$$

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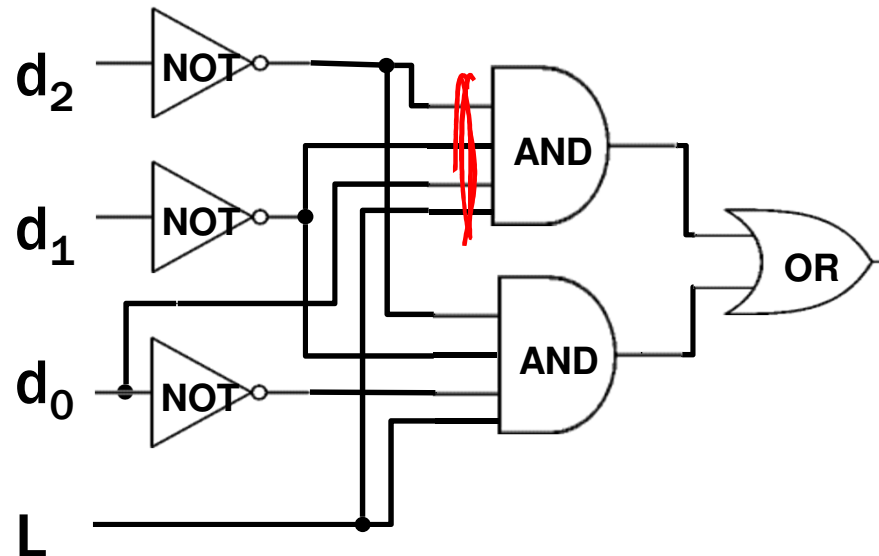
$$c_0 = d_2 \cdot d_1' \cdot d_0 \cdot L' + d_2 \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0' + d_2 \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0$$

$$c_1 = d_2' \cdot d_1' \cdot d_0' \cdot L' + d_2' \cdot d_1' \cdot d_0 \cdot L' + d_2' \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0' \cdot L' + d_2' \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0 \cdot L' + d_2 \cdot d_1' \cdot d_0' + d_2 \cdot d_1' \cdot d_0 \cdot L$$

$$c_2 = d_2' \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0' \cdot L + d_2' \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0 \cdot L$$

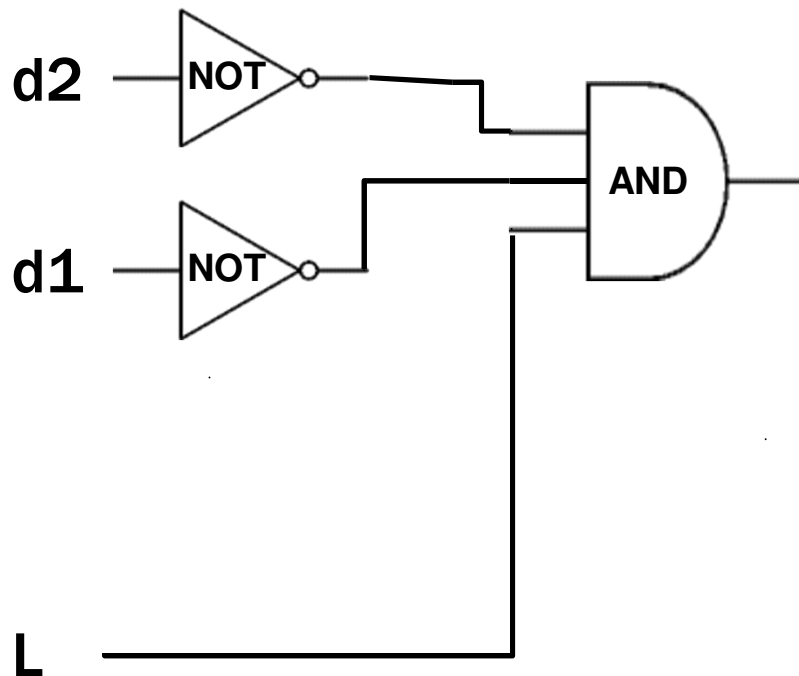
$$c_3 = d_2' \cdot d_1' \cdot d_0' \cdot L + d_2' \cdot d_1' \cdot d_0 \cdot L$$

Here's c_3 as a circuit:



Simplifying using Boolean Algebra

$$\begin{aligned}c3 &= d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0' \cdot L + d2' \cdot d1' \cdot d0 \cdot L \\ &= d2' \cdot d1' \cdot (d0' + d0) \cdot L \\ &= d2' \cdot d1' \cdot 1 \cdot L \\ &= d2' \cdot d1' \cdot L\end{aligned}$$



Important Corollaries of this Construction

- \neg, \wedge, \vee can implement any Boolean function
we didn't need any others to do this

- **Actually, just \neg, \wedge (or \neg, \vee) are enough**
follows by De Morgan's laws

$$a \vee b$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \neg(\neg a \wedge \neg b) \\ & \quad \quad \quad \uparrow \\ & (\neg\neg a \vee \neg\neg b) \\ & \quad \quad \quad \uparrow \\ & (a \vee b) \end{aligned}$$

- **Actually, just NAND (or NOR)**

1-bit Binary Adder

A	$0 + 0 = 0$ (with $C_{OUT} = 0$)
+ B	$0 + 1 = 1$ (with $C_{OUT} = 0$)
S	$1 + 0 = 1$ (with $C_{OUT} = 0$)
<u>(C_{OUT})</u>	$1 + 1 = 0$ (with $C_{OUT} = 1$)

$$\begin{array}{r} 0 \\ 0 \\ \hline 0 \\ \text{Carry} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 1 \\ \hline 10 \\ \uparrow \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 0 \\ 1 \\ \hline 01 \\ \uparrow \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 0 \\ \hline 10 \\ \uparrow \end{array}$$

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Idea: chain these together to add larger numbers

Recall from
elementary school:

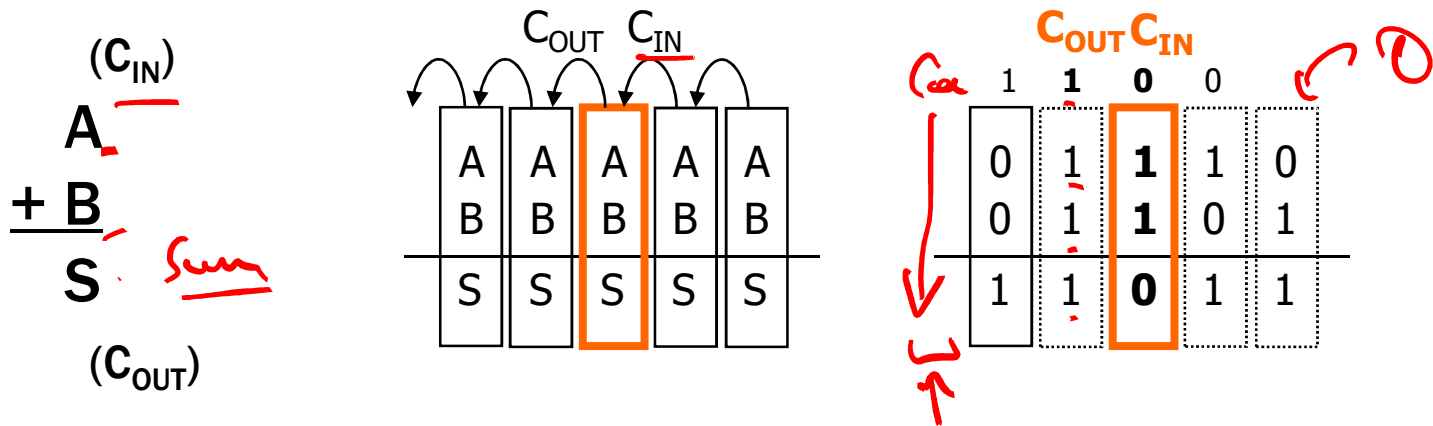
$$\begin{array}{r} 248 \\ + 375 \\ \hline 623 \end{array}$$

(Handwritten red annotations: a red circle around the 4 and 7, a red arrow pointing to the 8, and a red arrow pointing to the 3 in the result.)

1-bit Binary Adder

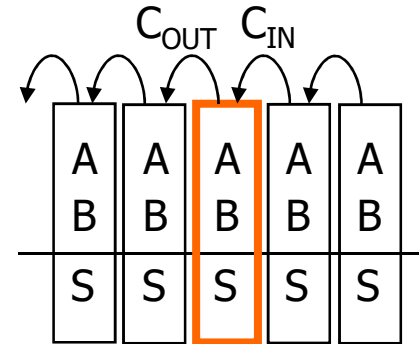
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Idea: These are chained together with a carry-in

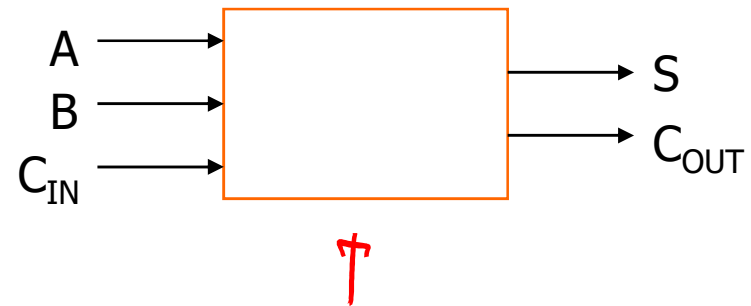


1-bit Binary Adder

- **Inputs:** A, B, Carry-in
- **Outputs:** Sum, Carry-out

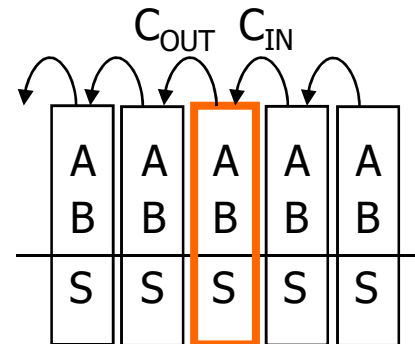


A	B	C_{IN}	C_{OUT}	S
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	1	1



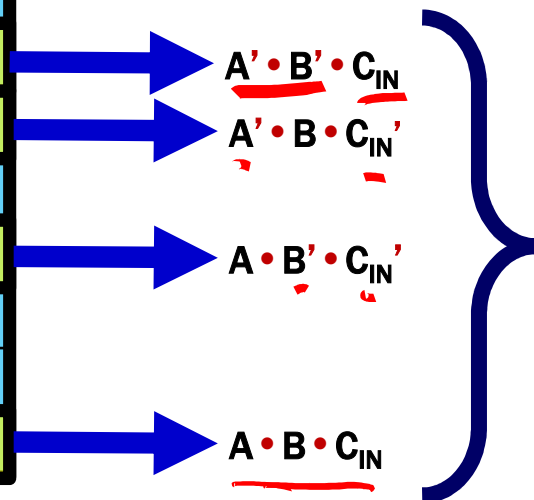
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0	1	0	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	0	1
1	0	1	1	0
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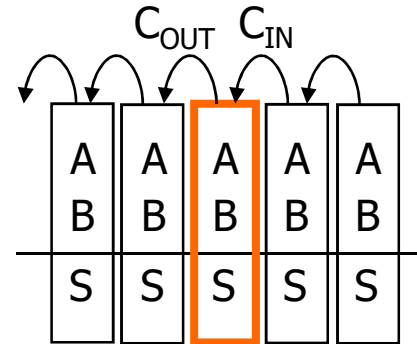
Derive an expression for S



$$S = A' \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN} + A' \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}$$

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A	B	C_{IN}	C_{OUT}	S
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	1	1

Derive an expression for C_{OUT}

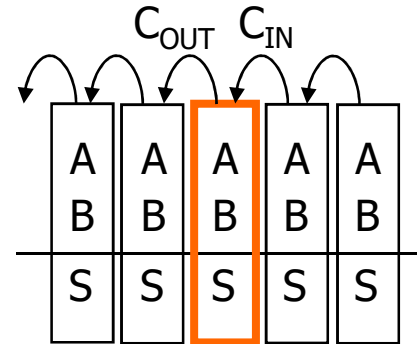
$$C_{OUT} = A' \cdot B \cdot C_{IN} + A \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN} + A \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}$$

The diagram shows the derivation of the carry-out expression. Blue arrows point from the rows in the truth table where $C_{OUT} = 1$ to the corresponding terms in the expression. Red underlines and arrows highlight the variables in each term: A' and B in the first term, A and B' in the second, A and B in the third, and A and B in the fourth. A large blue bracket groups these terms together.

$$S = A' \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN} + A' \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}$$

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- **Inputs:** A, B, Carry-in
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A	B	C _{IN}	C _{OUT}	S
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	1	1	0
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$$S = A' \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN} + A' \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}$$

$$C_{OUT} = A' \cdot B \cdot C_{IN} + A \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN} + A \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}$$

Apply Theorems to Simplify Expressions

The theorems of Boolean algebra can simplify expressions

– e.g., full adder's carry-out function

$$a = a + a$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cout} &= A' B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\ &= A' B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} + A B C_{in} \\ &= A' B C_{in} + A B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\ &= (A' + A) B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\ &= (1) B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\ &= B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} + A B C_{in} \\ &= B C_{in} + A B' C_{in} + A B C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\ &= B C_{in} + A (B' + B) C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\ &= B C_{in} + A (1) C_{in} + A B C_{in}' + A B C_{in} \\ &= B C_{in} + A C_{in} + A B (C_{in}' + C_{in}) \\ &= B C_{in} + A C_{in} + A B (1) \\ &= B C_{in} + A C_{in} + A B \end{aligned}$$

"Karnaugh map"

Apply Theorems to Simplify Expressions

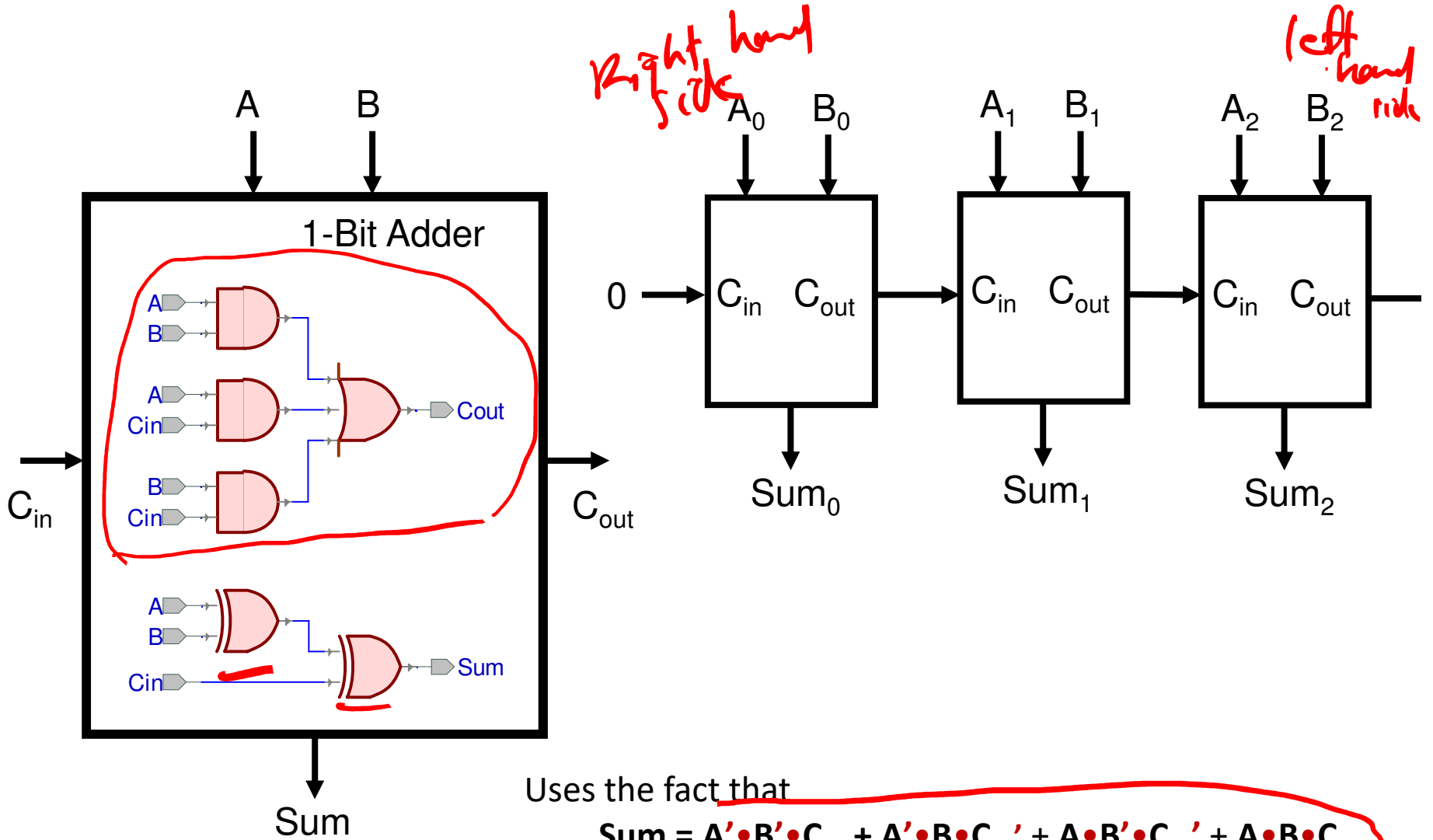
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cout} &= A' B \text{Cin} + A B' \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}' + A B \text{Cin} \\ &= A' B \text{Cin} + A B' \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}' + \boxed{A B \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}} \\ &= A' B \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin} + A B' \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}' + A B \text{Cin} \\ &= (A' + A) B \text{Cin} + A B' \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}' + A B \text{Cin} \\ &= (1) B \text{Cin} + A B' \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}' + A B \text{Cin} \\ &= B \text{Cin} + A B' \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}' + \boxed{A B \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}} \\ &= B \text{Cin} + A B' \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}' + A B \text{Cin} \\ &= B \text{Cin} + A (B' + B) \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}' + A B \text{Cin} \\ &= B \text{Cin} + A (1) \text{Cin} + A B \text{Cin}' + A B \text{Cin} \\ &= B \text{Cin} + A \text{Cin} + A B (\text{Cin}' + \text{Cin}) \\ &= B \text{Cin} + A \text{Cin} + A B (1) \\ &= B \text{Cin} + A \text{Cin} + A B \end{aligned}$$

adding extra terms
creates new factoring
opportunities

A 2-bit Ripple-Carry Adder



Uses the fact that

$$Sum = A' \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN} + A' \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B' \cdot C_{IN}' + A \cdot B \cdot C_{IN}$$

is equivalent to $Sum = (A \oplus B) \oplus C_{IN}$

Mapping Truth Tables to Logic Gates

Given a truth table:

1. Write the output in a table
2. Write the Boolean expression
3. Minimize the Boolean expression
4. Draw as gates
5. Map to available gates

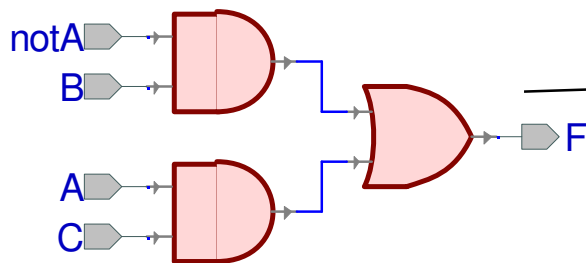
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0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0
<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	1
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1	0	0	0
<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	1
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<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	1

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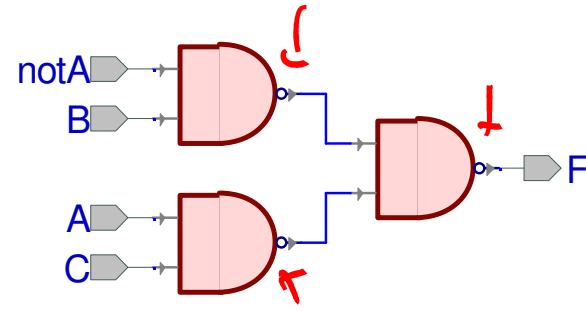
$$\begin{aligned}
 F &= A'BC' + A'BC + AB'C + ABC \\
 &= A'B(C' + C) + AC(B' + B) \\
 &= A'B + AC
 \end{aligned}$$

~~$(A+B) \cdot C$~~ $((a+b)' \cdot (c \cdot d)' \cdot (e \cdot f)')$

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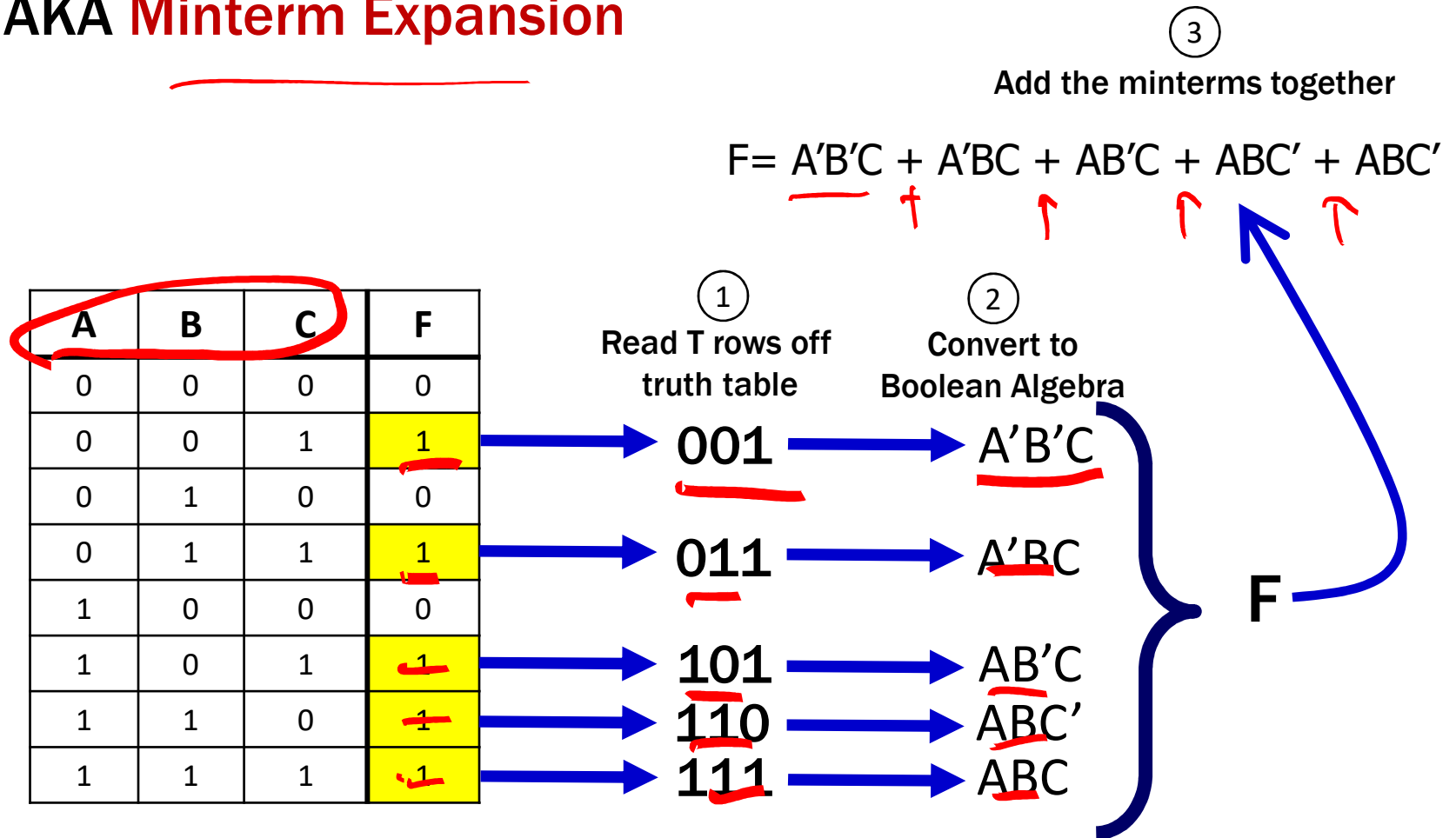


Canonical Forms

- **Truth table is the unique signature of a 0/1 function**
- **The same truth table can have many gate realizations**
 - We've seen this already
 - Depends on how good we are at Boolean simplification
- **Canonical forms**
 - Standard forms for a Boolean expression
 - We all produce the same expression

Sum-of-Products Canonical Form

- **AKA Disjunctive Normal Form (DNF)**
- **AKA Minterm Expansion**



Sum-of-Products Canonical Form

Product term (or minterm)

- ANDed product of literals – input combination for which output is true
- each variable appears exactly once, true or inverted (but not both)

A	B	C	minterms
0	0	0	A'B'C'
0	0	1	A'B'C
0	1	0	A'BC'
0	1	1	A'BC
1	0	0	AB'C'
1	0	1	AB'C
1	1	0	ABC'
1	1	1	ABC

F in canonical form:

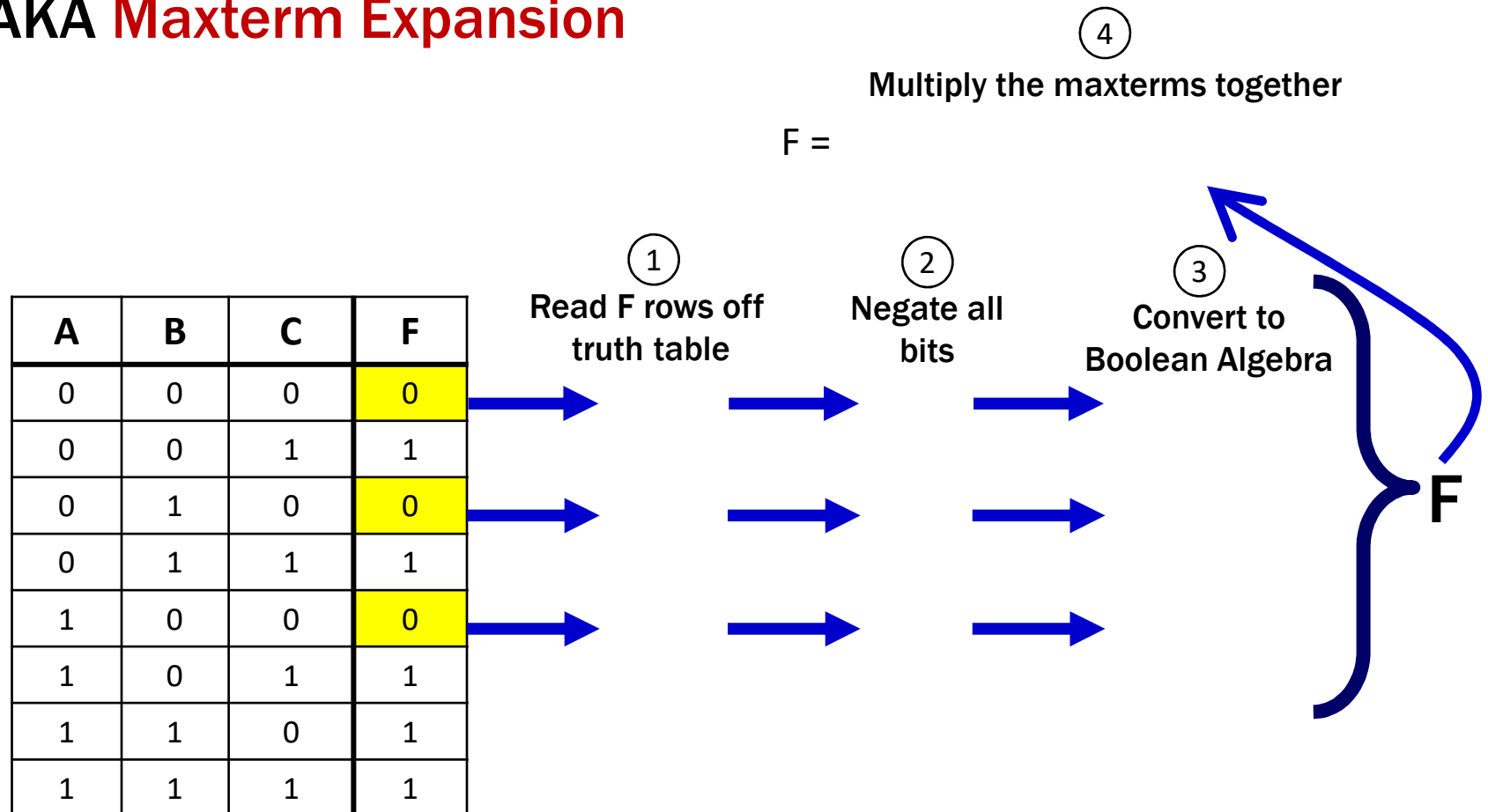
$$F(A, B, C) = A'B'C' + A'B'C + AB'C' + ABC' + ABC$$

canonical form \neq minimal form

$$\begin{aligned} F(A, B, C) &= A'B'C' + A'BC + AB'C' + ABC + ABC' \\ &= (A'B' + A'B + AB' + AB)C + ABC' \\ &= ((A' + A)(B' + B))C + ABC' \\ &= C + ABC' \\ &= ABC' + C \\ &= AB + C \end{aligned}$$

Product-of-Sums Canonical Form

- AKA **Conjunctive Normal Form (CNF)**
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Product-of-Sums Canonical Form

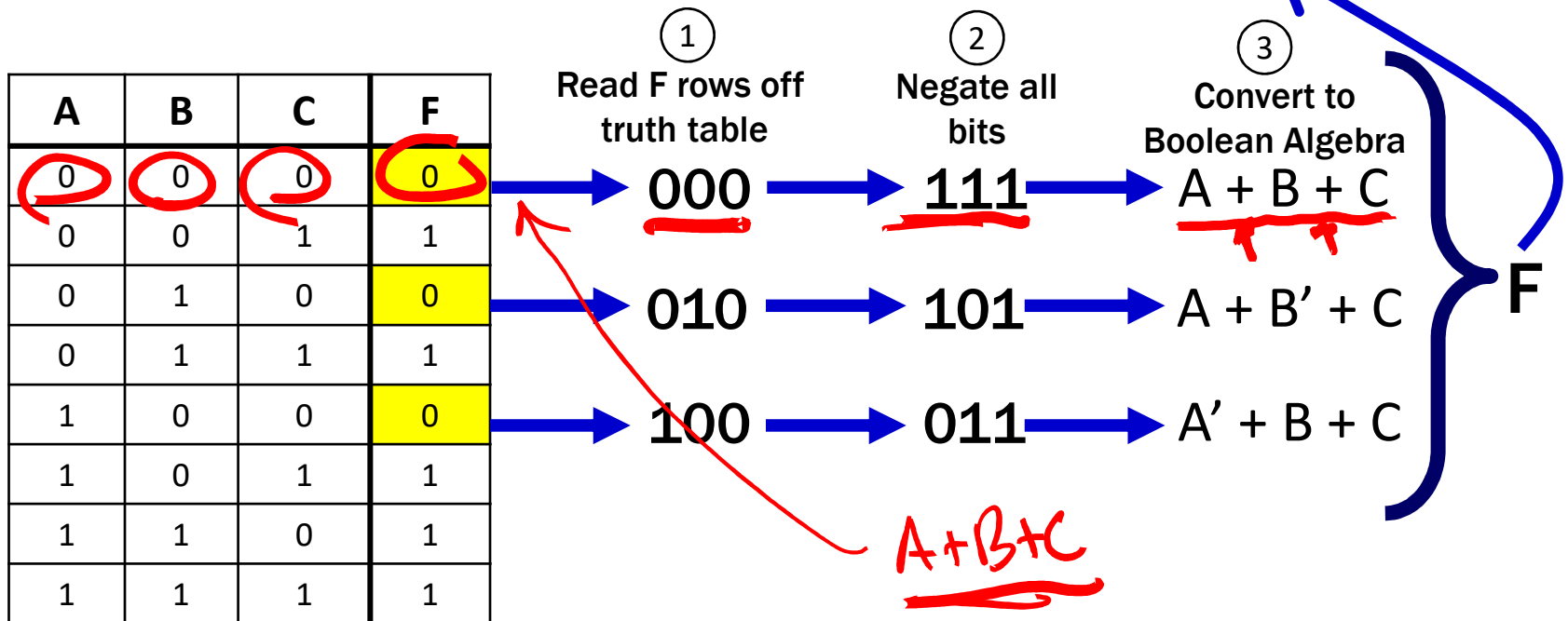
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Multiply the maxterms together

$$F = (A + B + C)(A + B' + C)(A' + B + C)$$

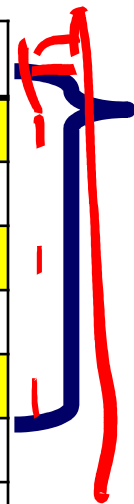


Product-of-Sums: Why does this procedure work?

Useful Facts:

- We know $(F')' = F$
- We know how to get a minterm expansion for F'

A	B	C	F
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0	0	1	1
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$$F' = \underline{A'B'C'} + \underline{A'BC'} + \underline{AB'C'}$$

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$$F' = A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C'$$

Taking the complement of both sides...

$$(F')' = (A'B'C' + A'BC' + AB'C')'$$

And using DeMorgan/Comp....

$$F = (A'B'C')' (A'BC')' (AB'C')'$$

$$F = (A + B + C)(A + B' + C)(A' + B + C)$$

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1	1	0	$A'+B'+C$
1	1	1	$A'+B'+C'$

F in canonical form:

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

canonical form \neq minimal form

$$\begin{aligned} F(A, B, C) &= (A + B + C) (A + B' + C) (A' + B + C) \\ &= (A + B + C) (A + B' + C) \\ &\quad (A + B + C) (A' + B + C) \\ &= (A + C) (B + C) \end{aligned}$$