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## First Semester M.Tech. Degree Examination, Dec.2018/Jan.2019 Digital Circuits and Logic Design

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

**Note: Answer FIVE full questions, choosing  
ONE full question from each module.**

### Module-1

- 1 a. Find the function  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)$  for the threshold network shown in Fig.Q1(a). Show the map. (06 Marks)

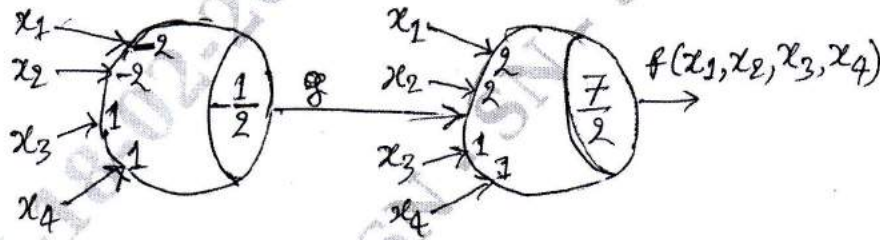


Fig.Q1(a)

- b. Explain the elementary properties. (04 Marks)
- c. Given the switching function :  
 $f(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = \Sigma(2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 12, 14, 15)$   
 Find a minimal threshold logic realization. (10 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Explain the concept of threshold logic and its physical realization. (10 Marks)
- b. Determine whether the function :  
 $f(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = \Sigma(0, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 12, 13)$   
 is a threshold function and if it is, find a weight-threshold vector. (10 Marks)

### Module-2

- 3 a. Explain with an example a fault detection by path sensitizing method. (10 Marks)
- b. i) Find all the static hazards in the circuit shown in Fig.Q3(b). Assume the individual elements to be hazard free.
- ii) Changing only the parameters of the threshold element, redesign the circuit so that all static hazards are eliminated. (10 Marks)

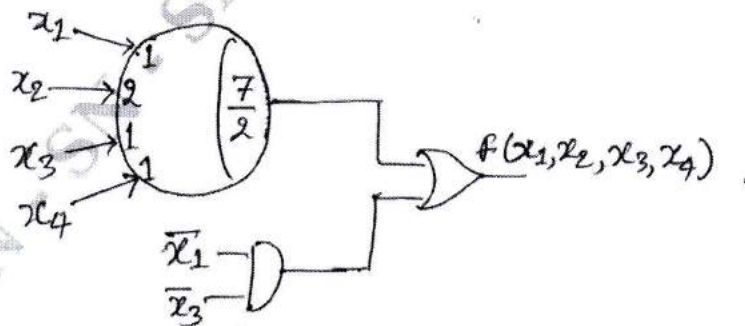


Fig.Q3(b)

Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.  
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42-8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.

OR

- 4 a. Explain the static hazard and hazard free circuits, with example. (10 Marks)  
 b. Find the minimal sets of fault-detection test for AND-OR network function 'f',  
 $f(w, x, y, z) = \bar{w} \bar{y} + \bar{y} z + wxz + xy \bar{z}$ . (10 Marks)

**Module-3**

- 5 a. Find the equivalence partition for the machine shown in Table Q5(a).  
 i) Show the standard form of the corresponding reduced machine  
 ii) Find a minimum length sequence that distinguishes state A from state B. (10 Marks)

PS	NS, Z	
	X = 0	X = 1
A	B, 1	H, 1
B	F, 1	D, 1
C	D, 0	E, 1
D	C, 0	F, 1
E	D, 1	C, 1
f	C, 1	C, 1
G	C, 1	D, 1
H	C, 0	A, 1

TableQ5(a)

- b. Draw the merger graph and its minimal form for the machine in Table Q5(b). Also write its merger table. (10 Marks)

PS	NS, Z			
	I <sub>1</sub>	I <sub>2</sub>	I <sub>3</sub>	I <sub>4</sub>
A	-	C, 1	E, 1	B, 1
B	E, 0	-	-	-
C	F, 0	F, 1	-	-
D	-	-	B, 1	-
E	-	F, 0	A, 0	D, 1
F	C, 0	-	B, 0	C, 1

Table.Q5(b)

OR

- 6 a. For incompletely specified machine shown in Table.Q6(a). Find the minimum state reduced machine containing the original one using merger graph, and compatibility graph. (10 Marks)

PS	NS, Z		
	I <sub>1</sub>	I <sub>2</sub>	I <sub>3</sub>
A	C, 0	E, 1	-
B	C, 0	E, -	-
C	B, -	C, 0	A, -
D	B, 0	C, -	E, -
E	-	E, 0	A, -

Table.Q6(a)

- b. Apply Boolean difference method to test wire 'h' in the circuit shown in Fig.Q6(b).

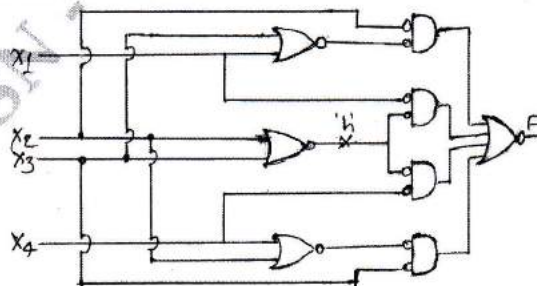


Fig. Q6(b)

**Module-4**

- 7 The machine shown in Table. Q7 has the following output consistent and input consistent partitions :

$$\lambda_0 = \{\overline{A,E,F}; \overline{B,D}; \overline{C,G}\}$$

$$\lambda_1 = \{\overline{A,E,F}; \overline{B,C,D,G}\}$$

- i) List all other closed partitions
- ii) Use state splitting to decompose the machine into components which operate in parallel.

PS	NS		Output, Z	
	x = 0	x = 1	x = 0	x = 1
A	B	C	0	0
B	A	F	1	1
C	F	E	1	0
D	F	E	1	1
E	G	D	0	0
F	D	B	0	0
G	E	F	1	0

Table. Q7

(20 Marks)

**OR**

- 8 a. For the machine given in Table. Q8(a), determine the  $\pi$ -Lattice.

(10 Marks)

PS	NS	
	x = 0	x = 1
A	E	B
B	E	A
C	D	A
D	C	F
E	F	C
F	E	C

Table. Q8(a)

- b. Explain :
- i) Input – consistent
  - ii) Output consistent
  - iii) Closed partitions.

(10 Marks)

**Module-5**

- 9 a. Explain the Homing experiments with example. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the adaptive distinguishing experiment by considering the machine shown in Table.Q9(b). (10 Marks)

PS	NS, Z	
	x = 0	x = 1
A	C, 0	A, 1
B	D, 0	C, 1
C	B, 1	D, 1
D	C, 1	A, 0

Table.Q9(b)

OR

- 10 a. Find the shortest Homing sequence and the shortest synchronizing sequenced for the machine shown in Table. Q10(a). (10 Marks)

PS	NS, Z	
	x = 0	x = 1
A	A, 1	E, 0
B	A, 0	C, 0
C	B, 0	D, 1
D	C, 1	C, 0
E	C, 0	D, 0

Table. Q10(a)

- b. Explain the different steps involving in machine identification with the help of following data :

Time	$t_1 - t_2$	$t_2 - t_3$	$t_3 - t_4$	$t_4 - t_5$	$t_5 - t_6$	$t_6 - t_7$	$t_7 - t_8$
Input sequence	1	1	1	0	1	0	1
Output sequence	0	1	0	0	1	0	0

(10 Marks)

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