ECE 1250 homework # D1 Combinatorial Logic

- 1. Look at the network of switches to the right. A = 1 means that switch A is closed (making contact). A = 0 means that switch A is open (not making contact). Same for the other two switches, B, and C. If there is a path of connection between terminals x and y then consider P = 1, otherwise P = 0.
 - a) Create a truth table showing A, B, and C as inputs and P as the output
 - b) Write a Boolean expression for P in terms of A, B, and C.
- 2. Repeat problem 1 for the next network shown. The A switch is closed when A = 0 and open when A = 1. Also simplify the Boolean expression you get in part b).





- 3. Find the simplest SOP form for the following Boolean expressions. You may wish to refer to the table of Logic Identities shown on page 645 of you textbook.
- 4. The truth table at right shows both the exclusive-OR function and the exclusive-NOR (equivalence) functions.
 - a) Express the XOR in a sum-of-products (SOP) form.
 - b) Manipulate the following product-of-sums (POS) form to show that it is the same.

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- c) Express the XNOR in a sum-of-products (SOP) form.
- d) Manipulate the following product-of-sums (POS) form to show that it is the same. $(A + \overline{B}) \cdot (\overline{A} + B)$
- 5. Simplify the following. Hint: You'll need DeMorgan's theorem

a)
$$X \cdot Y \cdot Z + X \cdot Y \cdot Z + X \cdot (Y + Z)$$

b)
$$\left(\overline{\left(A \cdot B + A \cdot B\right)} \cdot A \cdot B\right)$$

6. For the given truth table, find the expression for F.

Α	В	С	F
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1

			AOK	ANOK
1	4	В	A⊕ B	A ⊙ B
()	0	0	1
()	1	1	0
1	1	0	1	0
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- 7. A 3-member town council votes on resolutions by pressing a button to indicate "yes".
 - a) Create a logic circuit which will indicate if a resolution passes with a majority vote.
 - b) Add more to your circuit so the the Mayor could veto the resolution by pushing a button.
 - c) Add more to your circuit so the the Mayor's veto could be overridden by a unanimous vote of the council.
- 8. 7-segment display problem.

Make a truth table for 8 possible inputs (0 through 7). Look at the 7-segment display at right and determine the outputs necessary to operate segments b and d for input binary numbers 0 through 7. Find logical expressions and the logic circuits for segments b and d.



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<u>Answers</u>

