

BOOLEAN ALGEBRA

Axioms of Boolean Algebra

- 1a. $0 \cdot 0 = 0$
- 1b. $1 + 1 = 1$
- 2a. $1 \cdot 1 = 1$
- 2b. $0 + 0 = 0$
- 3a. $0 \cdot 1 = 1 \cdot 0 = 0$
- 3b. $1 + 0 = 0 + 1 = 1$
- 4a. If $x = 0$, then $\bar{x} = 1$
- 4b. If $x = 1$, then $\bar{x} = 0$

Single-Variable Theorems

- 5a. $x \cdot 0 = 0$
- 5b. $x + 1 = 1$
- 6a. $x \cdot 1 = x$
- 6b. $x + 0 = x$
- 7a. $x \cdot x = x$
- 7b. $x + x = x$
- 8a. $x \cdot \bar{x} = 0$
- 8b. $x + \bar{x} = 1$
- 9. $\bar{\bar{x}} = x$

Two- and Three-Variable Properties

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| 10a. $x \cdot y = y \cdot x$ | <i>Commutative</i> |
| 10b. $x + y = y + x$ | |
| 11a. $x \cdot (y \cdot z) = (x \cdot y) \cdot z$ | <i>Associative</i> |
| 11b. $x + (y + z) = (x + y) + z$ | |
| 12a. $x \cdot (y + z) = x \cdot y + x \cdot z$ | <i>Distributive</i> |
| 12b. $x + y \cdot z = (x + y) \cdot (x + z)$ | |
| 13a. $x + x \cdot y = x$ | <i>Absorption</i> |
| 13b. $x \cdot (x + y) = x$ | |
| 14a. $x \cdot y + x \cdot \bar{y} = x$ | <i>Combining</i> |
| 14b. $(x + y) \cdot (x + \bar{y}) = x$ | |
| 15a. $\overline{x \cdot y} = \bar{x} + \bar{y}$ | <i>DeMorgan's theorem</i> |
| 15b. $\overline{x + y} = \bar{x} \cdot \bar{y}$ | |
| 16a. $x + \bar{x} \cdot y = x + y$ | |
| 16b. $x \cdot (\bar{x} + y) = x \cdot y$ | |
| 17a. $x \cdot y + y \cdot z + \bar{x} \cdot z = x \cdot y + \bar{x} \cdot z$ | <i>Consensus</i> |
| 17b. $(x + y) \cdot (y + z) \cdot (\bar{x} + z) = (x + y) \cdot (\bar{x} + z)$ | |