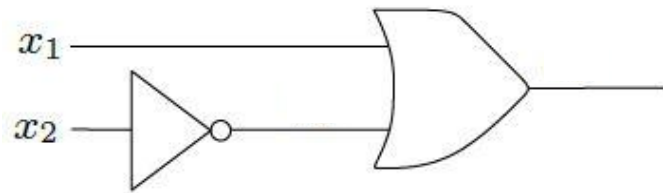


Hands-on Session (pre-requisites)

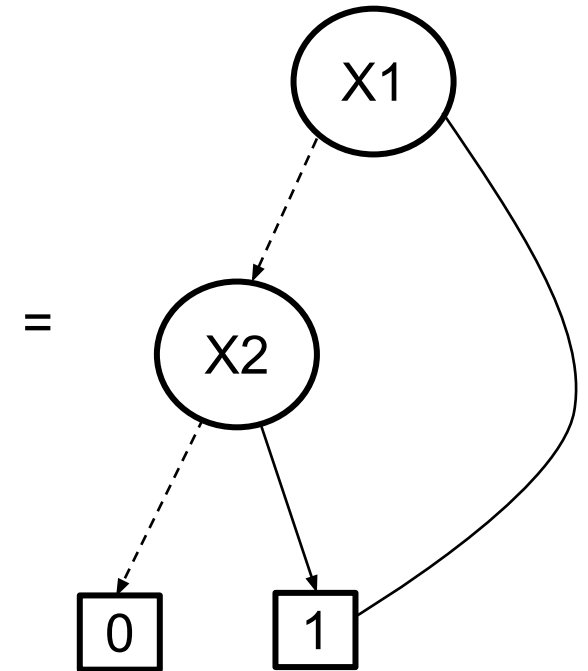
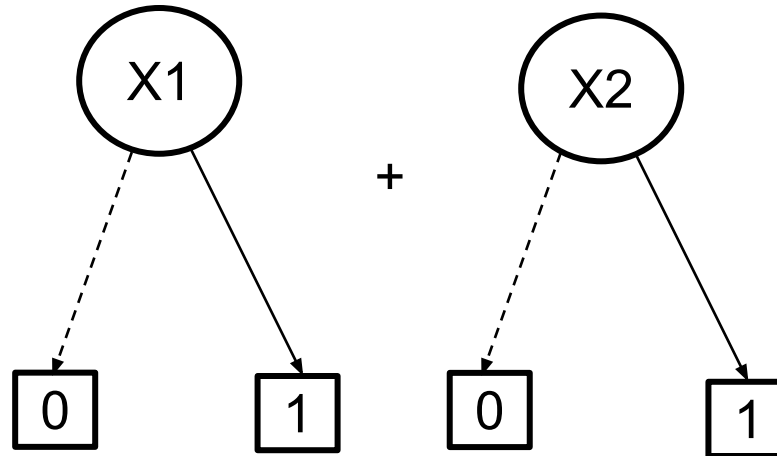
- **BDD solvers (CUDD) installed in the machines.**
 - Download CUDD version 3.0.0 from <http://davidkebo.com/cudd> and Untar.
 - Run the following
 - `./configure`
 - `make`
 - `make check`
 - `sudo make install`
 - Include CUDD include libraries in C/C++ path
 - `export CPATH=/<path-to-cudd>/:<path-to-cudd>/cudd:<path-to-cudd>/util/`
 - To build add `-lcudd -lutil -lm` to the gcc command

Gate Level Circuit to BDDs

- Each input of the circuit is a BDD.
- Each gate becomes an operator that produces a new BDD.
- Example:



$$f = x_1 + \neg x_2$$



BDD for f

Using CUDD

- CUDD is a C/C++ library for creating different types of decision diagrams (BDDs, ZDDs, ADDs).

- In order to use CUDD you must include two header files

```
#include "cudd.h"
```

```
#include "util.h"
```

- You should link `libcudd.a`, `libmtr.a`, `libst.a`, and `libutil.a` to your executable.

```
gcc -o main main.c -lcudd -lutil -lm
```

- To use the functions in the CUDD package, one has first to Initialize a `DdManager` using `Cudd_Init()`

```
DdManager *manager;
```

```
manager = Cudd_Init(0,0,CUDD_UNIQUE_SLOTS,CUDD_CACHE_SLOTS,0);
```

- The constant 1 is returned by `Cudd_ReadOne`. The BDD logic 0 is obtained by complementation (`Cudd_Not`) of the constant 1

Using CUDD

- CUDD has a built-in garbage collection system. When a BDD is not used anymore, its memory can be reclaimed.
- To facilitate the garbage collector, we need to “reference” and “dereference” each node in our BDD:

```
Cudd_Ref(DdNode*)
```

```
Cudd_RecursiveDeref(DdNode*)
```

- The **DdNode** is the core building block of BDDs. New DdNodes can be created using the `Cudd_bddNewVar` function.

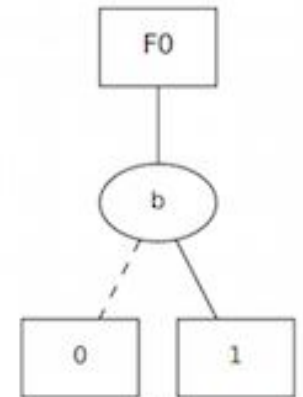
```
DdNode *bdd = Cudd_bddNewVar(DdManager*)
```

- **Sample Program**

```
// This program creates a single BDD variable
int main (int argc, char *argv[])
{
    DdManager *gbm; /* Global BDD manager. */
    char filename[30];

    gbm = Cudd_Init(0,0,CUDD_UNIQUE_SLOTS,CUDD_CACHE_SLOTS,0);
    DdNode *bdd = Cudd_bddNewVar(gbm); /*Create a new BDD variable*/
    Cudd_Ref(bdd); /*Increases the reference count of a node*/
    bdd = Cudd_BddToAdd(gbm, bdd); /*Convert BDD to ADD for display */

    sprintf(filename, "./bdd/graph.dot"); /*Write .dot filename*/
    write_dd(gbm, bdd, filename); /*Write the dd to a file*/
    Cudd_Quit(gbm);
    return 0;
}
```



BDD of Boolean functions

- CUDD has inbuilt functions for expressing Boolean operations.

`Cudd_bddXor` (DdManager*, DdNode*, DdNode*)

`Cudd_bddAnd` (DdManager*, DdNode*, DdNode*)

`Cudd_bddOR` (DdManager*, DdNode*, DdNode*)

`Cudd_bddXnor` (DdManager*, DdNode*, DdNode*)

`Cudd_bddNand` (DdManager*, DdNode*, DdNode*)

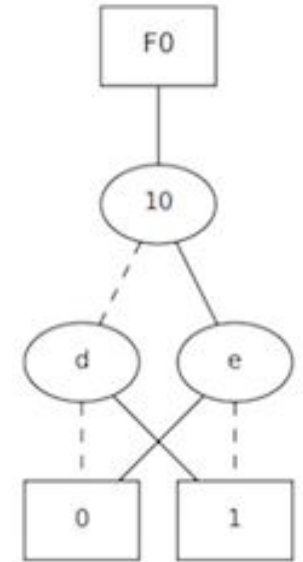
`Cudd_bddNor` (DdManager*, DdNode*, DdNode*)

`Cudd_bddNot` (DdNode*)

Implementing XOR Using CUDD

```
int main (int argc, char *argv[])

{
  char filename[30];
  DdManager *gbm; /* Global BDD manager. */
  gbm = Cudd_Init(0,0,CUDD_UNIQUE_SLOTS,CUDD_CACHE_SLOTS,0);
  DdNode *bdd, *x1, *x2;
  x1 = Cudd_bddNewVar(gbm); /*Create a new BDD variable x1*/
  x2 = Cudd_bddNewVar(gbm); /*Create a new BDD variable x2*/
  bdd = Cudd_bddXor(gbm, x1, x2); /*Perform XOR*/
  Cudd_Ref(bdd);          /*Update the reference count*/
  bdd = Cudd_BddToAdd(gbm, bdd);
  sprintf(filename, "./bdd/graph.dot"); /*Write .dot filename*/
  write_dd(gbm, bdd, filename);
  Cudd_Quit(gbm);
  return 0;
}
```



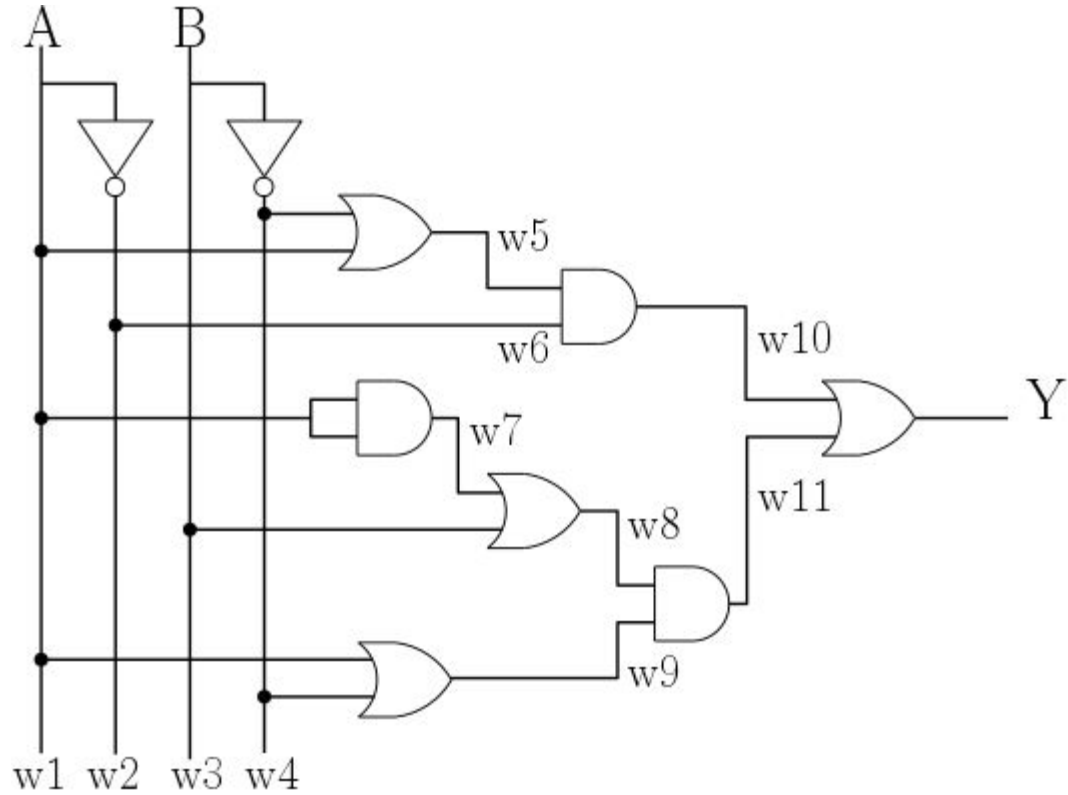
Comparing Logic Implementations

- Are two Boolean logics F and G the same?
 - Build BDD for F .
 - Build BDD for G .
 - Compare pointers to roots of F , G .
 - If pointers are same, $F == G$.
- What inputs make functions F , G give different answers?
 - Build BDD for F .
 - Build BDD for G .
 - Build the BDD for $H = F \text{ xor } G$.
 - Check if H is satisfiable or not.

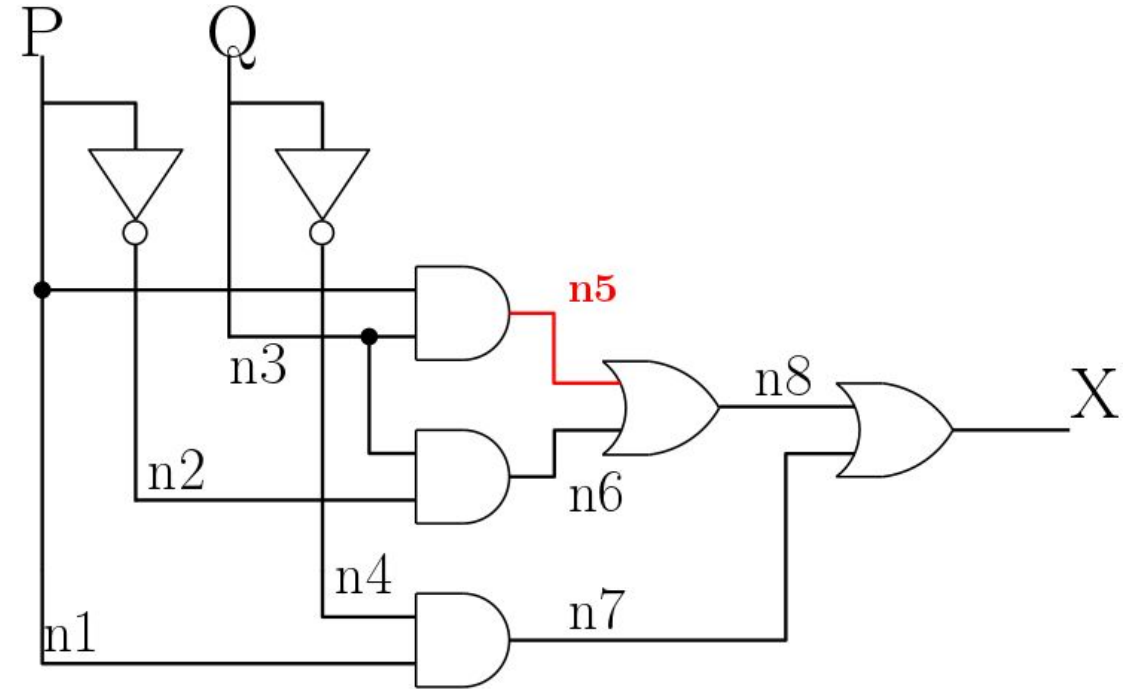
Tautology Checking and Satisfiability with BDDs

- **Tautology Checking**
 - The function will be reduced to one node pointing to 1.
- **Satisfiability Checking**
 - Any path from root to “1” leaf is solution!

Observe the two circuits



Circuit-1



Circuit-2

Inputs A and B are equivalent to inputs P and Q.

Assignments on BDD

- 1.** Represent Circuit-1 and Circuit-2 in as BDDs.
- 2.** Check whether the two circuits are equivalent or not.
- 3.** Find the input condition(s) for which the output is 1.