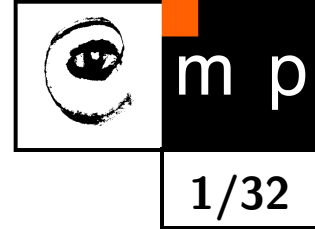


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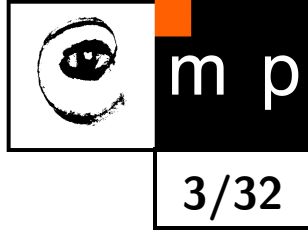
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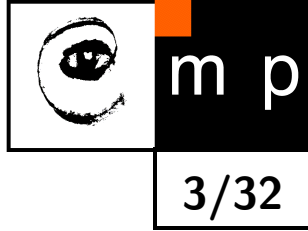
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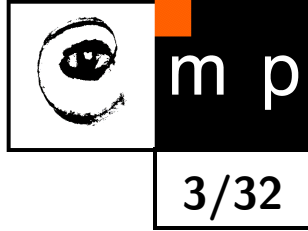
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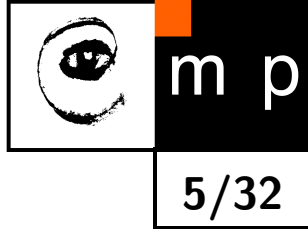
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[Petrík 04] Quine-McCluskey method for Gödel logic with all truth constants and crisp equality operation (=Kronecker delta)

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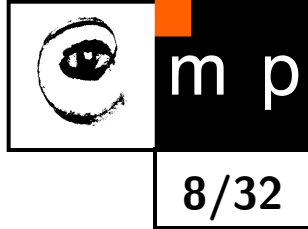
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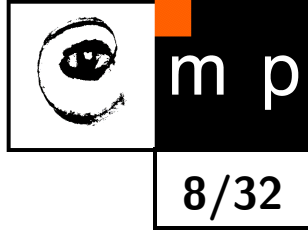
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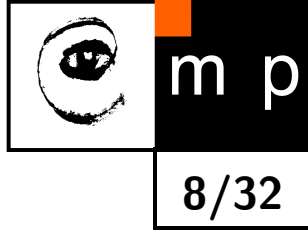
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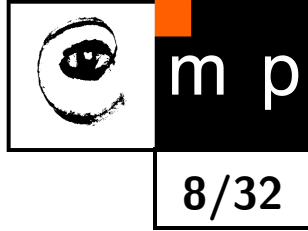
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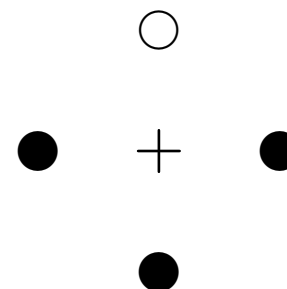
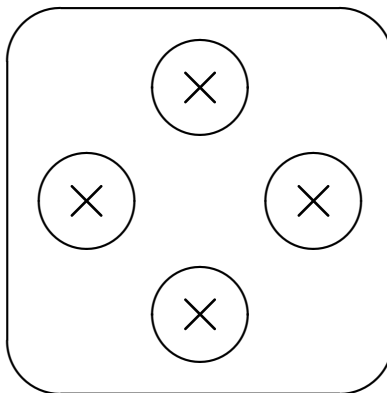
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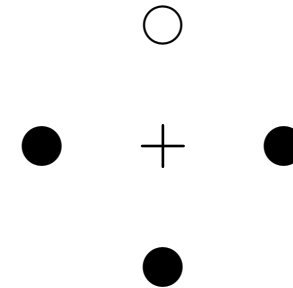
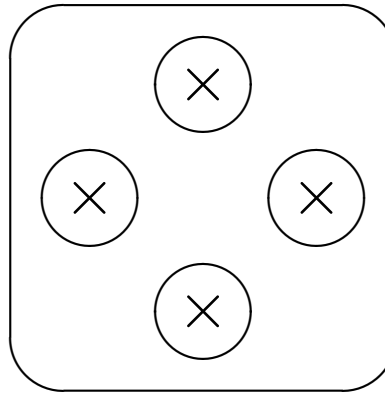
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All $2^4 = 16$ binary Boolean operations represented by subsets of a 4-element set:

$$a = a \begin{matrix} \circ \\ \bullet \\ \bullet \end{matrix} \circ b,$$

$$b = a \begin{matrix} \circ \\ \circ \\ \bullet \end{matrix} b$$

$$a' = a \begin{matrix} \circ \\ \circ \\ \bullet \end{matrix} \bullet b,$$

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Binary Boolean operations can be combined:

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Example with 3 variables – distributivity: $a \vee (b \wedge c) = (a \vee b) \wedge (a \vee c)$

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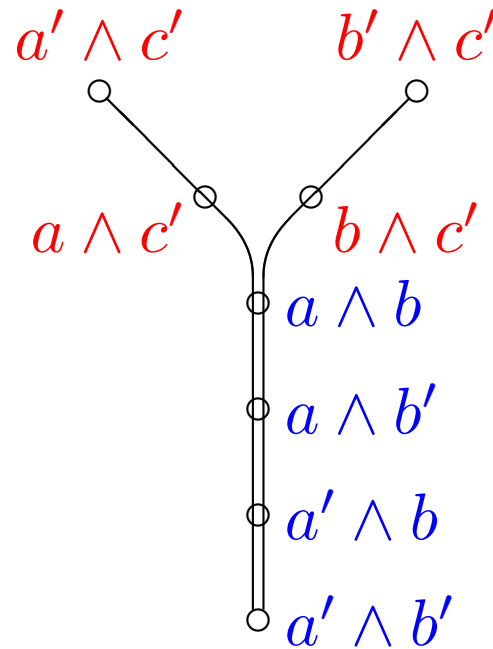
2^3 represented by subsets of an 8-element set:

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Free OML with 2 free generators = $F(a, b) \cong 2^4 \times \text{MO2}$

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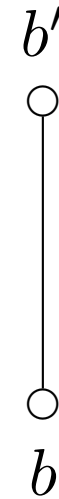
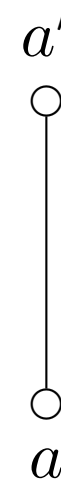
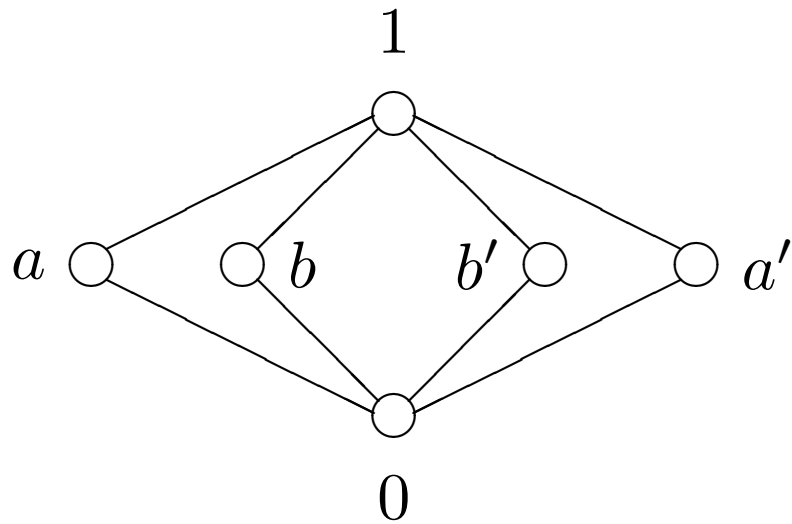


$$c' = (a \wedge b) \vee (a \wedge b') \vee (a' \wedge b) \vee (a' \wedge b')$$

1st factor = 2^4 (Boolean algebra)

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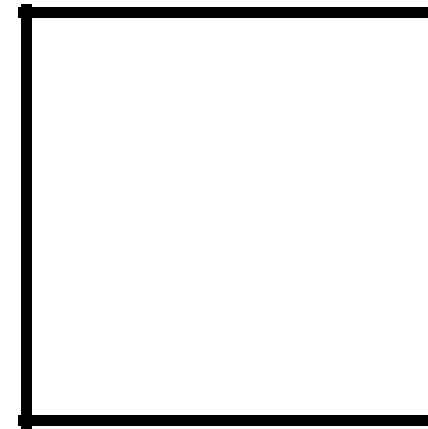
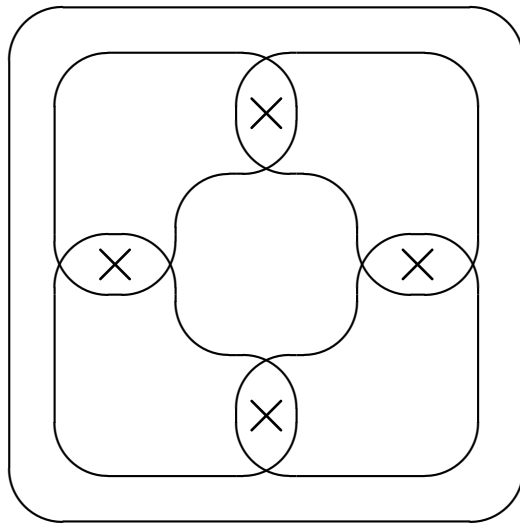


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Computation in MO2

MO2 is also represented by **some** subsets of a 4-element set:



$$0 = a \begin{array}{c} \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \end{array} b,$$

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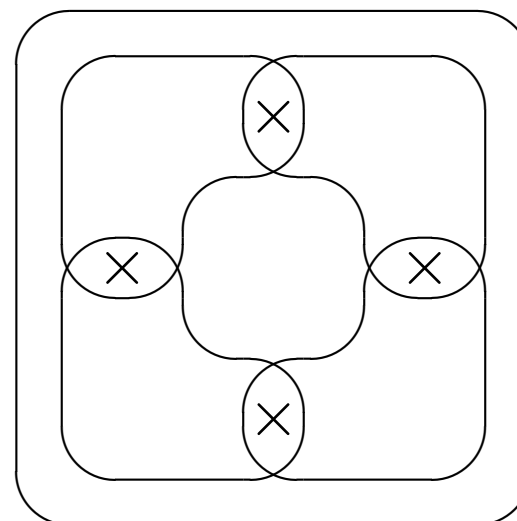
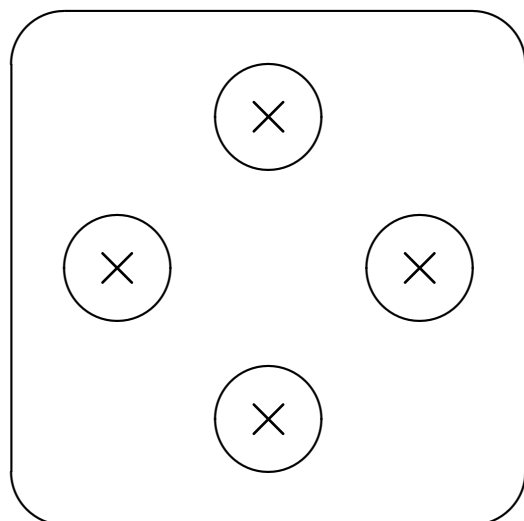
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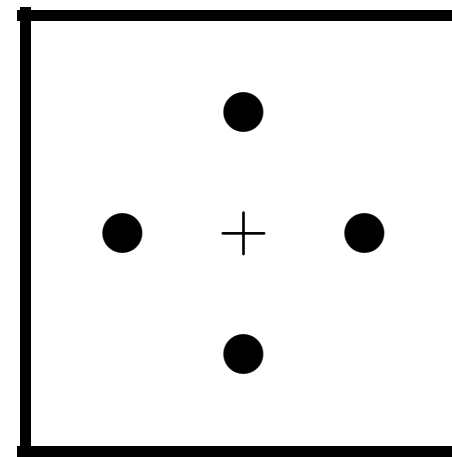
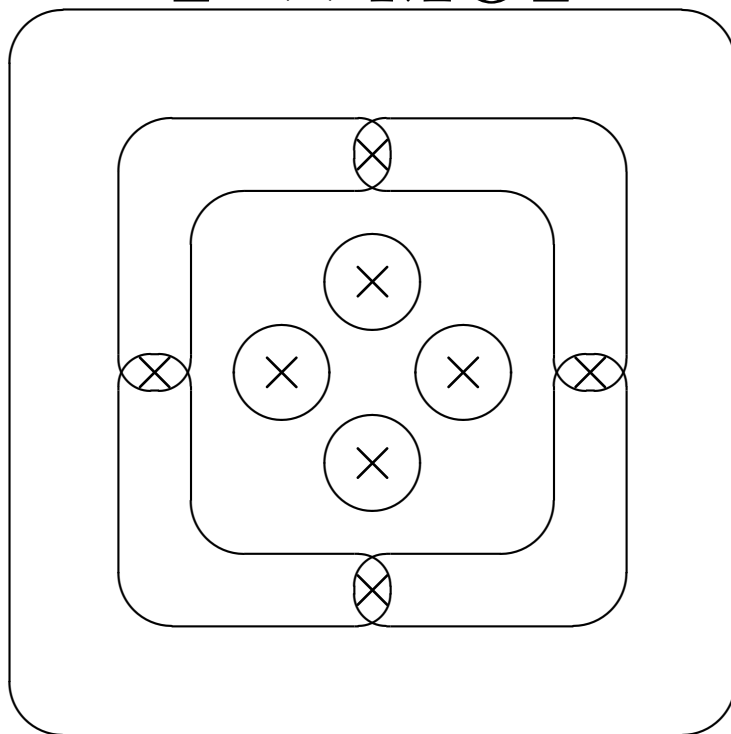
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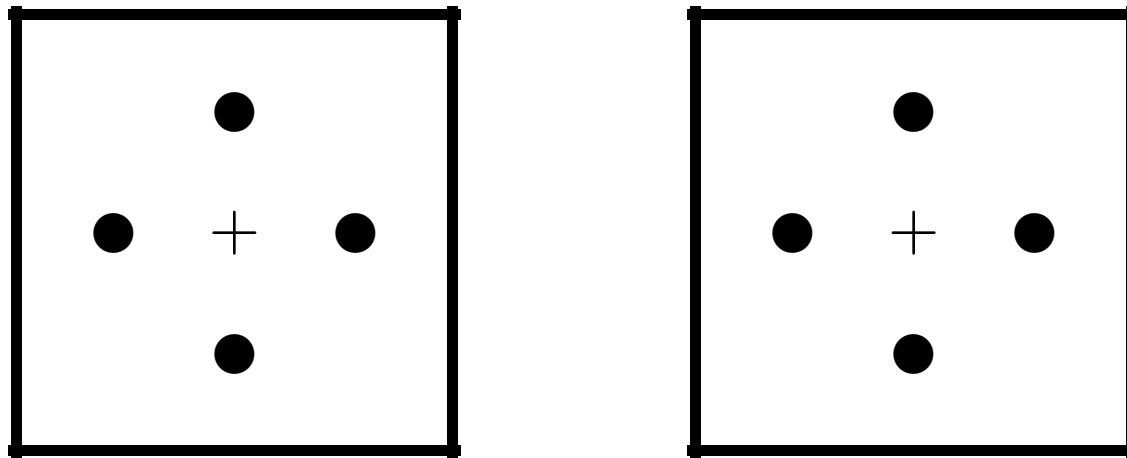
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 a \vee (a' \wedge b) &= (a \begin{array}{|c} \circ \\ \bullet \\ \bullet \end{array} b) \vee ((a \begin{array}{|c} \bullet \\ \circ \\ \circ \end{array} b) \wedge (a \begin{array}{|c} \circ \\ \bullet \\ \bullet \end{array} b)) \\
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 a \vee b &= a \begin{array}{|c} \circ \\ \bullet \\ \bullet \end{array} b \neq a \vee (a' \wedge b)
 \end{aligned}$$

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We may admit further variables which commute with all others.

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$$a = a \left(\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \circ \\ \hline \bullet \\ \hline \end{array}, \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \bullet \\ \hline \circ \\ \hline \end{array} \right)_c b$$

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Automatic prover: <http://www.mat.savba.sk/~hycko/oml>

Example: Associativity equations with 2 variables:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a * a) * b &= a * (a * b) \\
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All can be tested for one binary OML operation $*$ by a single command, e.g.

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Another prover by [Megill and Pavičić].

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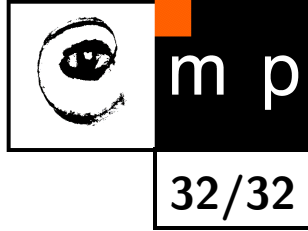
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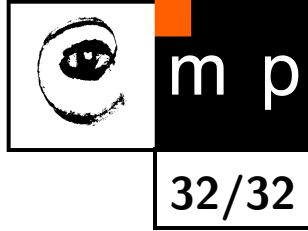
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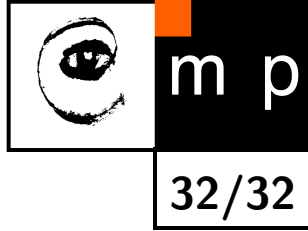
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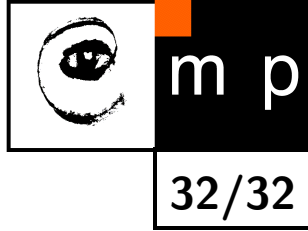


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