

**SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR**  
(AUTONOMOUS)

**B.Tech. IV Year I Semester Regular & Supplementary Examinations December-2024**  
**VLSI DESIGN**  
(Electronics & Communications Engineering)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

(Answer all Five Units 5 x 12 = 60 Marks)

**UNIT-I**

- 1 a Illustrate the steps involved in NMOS fabrication process with neat sketches. CO2 L2 6M  
b Discuss about body bias effect in the NMOS transistor. CO1 L2 6M

OR

- 2 a Derive the relationship between  $I_{ds}$  &  $V_{ds}$  in saturated region. CO2 L3 6M  
b Give the basic steps for IC fabrication. CO2 L2 6M

**UNIT-II**

- 3 a What are lambda-based design rules? Explain. CO3 L1 6M  
b Illustrate design rules for wires and MOS transistors. CO3 L2 6M

OR

- 4 a Illustrate stick diagram of AND-OR-INVERTER in CMOS design Style. CO3 L2 6M  
b Explain about Implant and demarcation line in stick diagrams with neat sketches. CO3 L2 6M

**UNIT-III**

- 5 a What is switch logic? Explain with an example. CO4 L1 6M  
b Explain about pass transistors logic with an example. CO4 L2 6M

OR

- 6 a What design methods are used in physical design cycle? Explain each term with suitable diagrams. CO4 L1 6M  
b What is routing? Explain about different routing techniques. CO4 L2 6M

**UNIT-IV**

- 7 Design an Arithmetic and Logic Unit circuit with four functions using multiplexers and explain its operation. CO4 L3 12M

OR

- 8 a Compare different types of memory elements. CO4 L4 6M  
b Develop the 4x4 array multiplier. CO4 L3 6M

**UNIT-V**

- 9 a Illustrate the architecture of FPGA with neat sketch. CO5 L2 6M  
b Discuss about the merits of FPGA over other PLD architectures. CO5 L2 6M

OR

- 10 a What is testing? Explain any three test principles. CO5 L1 6M  
b What is controllability and observability? Give examples to explain it. CO5 L2 6M

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