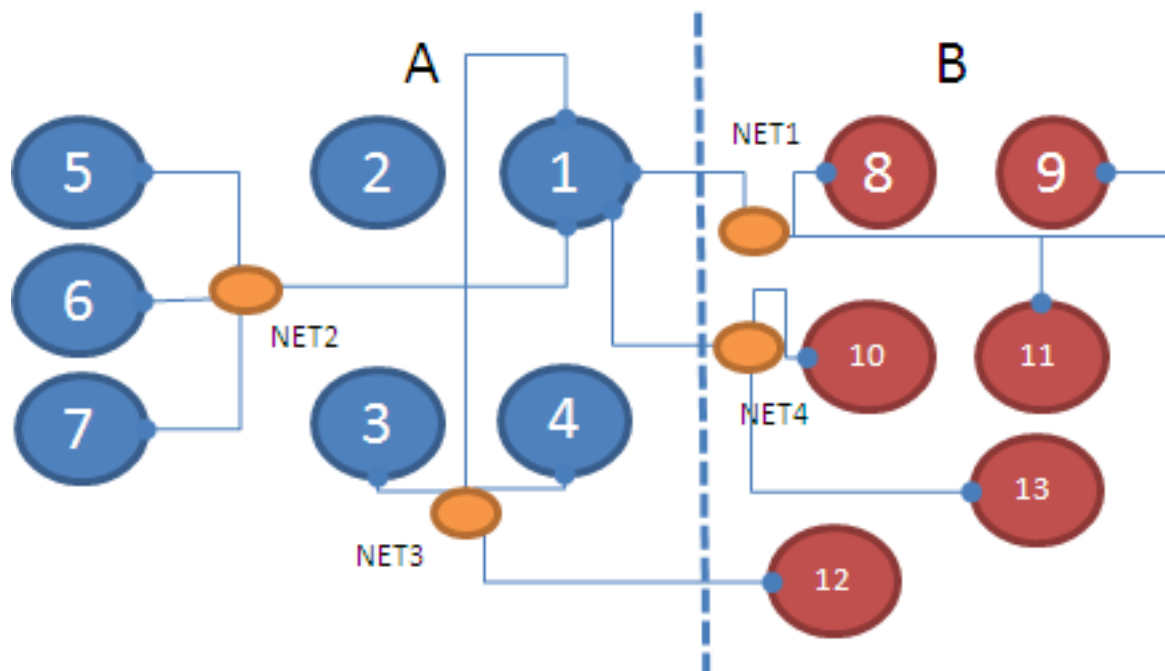


VLSI PDA HW2

Two-way Min-cut Partitioning

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Introduction

Using Language: C++

Compiler/Version: g++ (GCC) 4.8.2 20140120 (Red Hat 4.8.2-15)

(Notice: You must use the g++ compiler that has c++ 11 standard to compile my code!)

OS: Linux/OS X

Results

for p2-1:

- Initial Cut Size = 226
- Final Cut Size = 6
- # of FM Passes = 6
- Total Run Time = 0 sec

for p2-2:

- Initial Cut Size = 3385
- Final Cut Size = 221
- # of FM Passes = 14
- Total Run Time = 0.1 sec

for p2-3:

- Initial Cut Size = 68098
- Final Cut Size = 1630
- # of FM Passes = 18
- Total Run Time = 2.82 sec

Implementation

I build the initial partition while reading input.

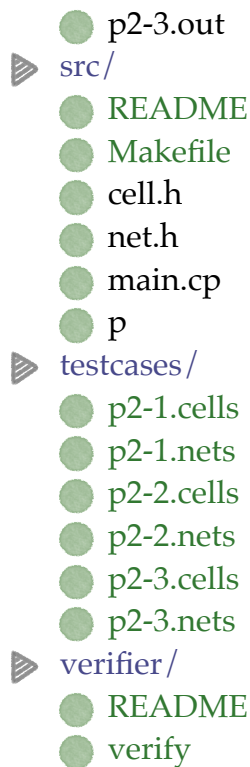
I just greedily check if set A is smaller I put it in set A, otherwise I put it in set B, and finally slightly adjust if $||A| - |B|| \geq \text{total cell size} / 10$.

Then follow the FM Algorithm, there is nothing special.

File Structure

CS6135_HW2_101021120/

- CS6135_Hw2_2016.pdf
- CS6135_HW2_101021120_Report.pdf
- bin/
 - FM_Partitioner
 - FM_Partitioner_OSX
- output/
 - p2-1.out
 - p2-2.out



"Report.pdf" is this file.

"output/" contains the results.

"bin/" contains the executable file "FM_Partitioner."

"src/" contains the source codes.

"testcases/" is provided by TA.

"verify/" is provided by TA.

"FM_Partitioner" is compiled in Linux

"FM_Partitioner_OSX" is compiled in Mac OS X

How to Compile

Go to the "src/" directory and type the command: **make**

It will generate the executable file "FM_Partitioner" in the same directory.

If you want to remove it please type the command: **make clean**

How to Run

- **Help Command [-h?]**

- ✓ Format: **./<exe> -h**

- ✓ E.g. **./FM_Partitioner -h**

- ✓ Output: Usage: **./FM_Partitioner -c <cells file name> -n <nets file name> -o <output file name>**

- **Execution Command [-cno]**

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- ✓ Format: `./<exe> -c <cells file name> -n <nets file name> -o <output file name>`
 - ✓ E.g. `./FM_Partitioner -c ../testcases/p2-1.cells -n ../testcases/p2-1.nets -o p2-1.out`
 - ✓ Output: (The experimental result saving in p2-1.out and showing on screen)
- Initial Cut Size = 226

Pass 1

Best Partial Sum of Gains: 159

Total Sum of Gains (Should be 0): 0

Pass 2

Best Partial Sum of Gains: 25

Total Sum of Gains (Should be 0): 0

Pass 3

Best Partial Sum of Gains: 17

Total Sum of Gains (Should be 0): 0

Pass 4

Best Partial Sum of Gains: 16

Total Sum of Gains (Should be 0): 0

Pass 5

Best Partial Sum of Gains: 1

Total Sum of Gains (Should be 0): 0

Pass 6

Best Partial Sum of Gains: 2

Total Sum of Gains (Should be 0): 0

Final Cut Size = 6

FM Algorithm Run Time: 0 sec

Total Run Time: 0 sec

- **Verify Command**

Format: `./<exe> <nets file name> <cells file name> <output file name>`

E.g. `./verify ../testcases/p2-1.nets -n ../testcases/p2-1.nets ../output/p2-1.out`

- ✓ Output: (AC or not AC)