

Advanced FPGA Design / System Level Design with Intel FPGAs

Course Duration: (8 Weeks)

Commencing from Sunday, 29th Jan 2023 (Hybrid Mode)

Day	Topics	Learning Outcomes
Day-1	Introduction to Intel FPGAs	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Low end, Mid-range and High-end FPGAs• Introduction to Intel Quartus Prime design software• Lite, Standard and Pro editions• Downloading and Installation• Licensing and Device Support• MAX 10 and Cyclone V devices• Arria 10, Stratix 10 and Agilex devices• Internal Architecture of FPGAs• LUT and ALM• Memory and DSP resources• Clocking and I/O resources
Day-2	Verilog HDL and Advanced Verilog	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Data Flow, Structural and Behavioral modeling• FSM Modeling• Memory designs• Functions and Tasks• Synthesis Support• HDL coding Techniques• SystemVerilog Support
Day-3	Intel Quartus Design Software Tool flow	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Creating and managing projects• Simulation using ModelSim and Questasim• Analysis and Elaboration• I/O Assignments using Pin Planner• IP Catalog• Synthesis and Fitter• Programming File Generation and FPGA Implementation
Day-4	Timing Analysis using Intel Quartus Prime Timing Analyzer	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Understanding the basic timing parameters• Timing Analyzer• Creating basic and complex timing constraints• Timing Exceptions, Analyzing timing reports• Generating better SDC files• Achieving Timing Closure• Timing Closure recommendations for hyperflex devices• How to overcome setup and hold violations• Clock Domain Crossing Considerations• Last Mile Strategies• Tcl based Scripting flow
Day-5	FPGA Debugging Techniques	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction to Signal Tap Logic analyzer• In System Sources and Probes• System Console

Day-6	Internal and External FPGA Memory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Intel FPGA Internal and External memory • Memory Initialization file • On chip RAM and SDRAM • In System memory content editor
Day-7	Platform designer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Platform designer • Create a system • Avalon and AMBA AXI interfaces • Incorporate the platform designer system into the Intel Quartus prime design software • Debug using Signal Tap and System console
Day-8	Embedded System using NIOS and ARM based SoC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Soft core processor • Embedded System using NIOS • Configure the NIOS II processor using Intel Quartus software and platform designer tool • Hardware Design Flow and Software Design Flow • ARM based SoC • Communication between HPS and FPGA • Introduction to HLS • Intel HLS Compiler and HLS Implementation for Matrix Multiplication and FIR filter

Hardware:

- Hands on Labs with MAX 10, Cyclone V and Arria 10 devices
- Timing Analysis and Platform designer sessions with Stratix 10 devices
- Design Migration Examples

Lab Exercises:

1. Basic Combinational and Sequential Logic Examples
2. FSM and Memory designs
3. High Speed Interfaces (DDR/Ethernet)
4. Embedded System design using NIOS II and NIOS V
5. Embedded System design using Cyclone V and ARM
6. Hardware and Software Design Flow
7. Timing Analysis and Timing Closure exercises
8. Intel FPGA Simulation and debug lab exercises
9. HLS implementation of 32-bit square root component, Matrix Multiplication and FIR Filter-RTL Vs HLS Examples
10. Intel FPGAs for AI/ML and Acceleration applications

Course Fee: Rs.15, 000/- (Excluding 18% GST)

25% discount for IETE Members.

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Fee inclusive Course materials, Certificate and other miscellaneous charges.

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