Standard Cell Libraries Assignment Solutions

Table - 1 :Cell counts and types

| | Cadence_RAK | Nangate_OCL | Nangate_15nm | Skywater HS |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| | (slow.lib) | (Nangate_OCL | (NanGate_15nm_OCL_worst | (sky130_fd_sc_hs |
| | | _slow.lib) | _low_conditional_nldm.lib) | ff_150c_1v95.lib) |
| Total No. of Cells | 477 | 134 | 76 | 376 |
| DFFs | | | | |
| Total no. of DFFs | 118 | 16 | 4 | 45 |
| No. of DFFs with reset | 16 | 8 | 2 | 12 |
| No. of DFFs with set | 31 | 8 | 2 | 10 |
| No. of negative edge-triggered DFFs | 7 | 0 | 4 | 6 |
| NAND gates | | | | |
| Count of 2-input NAND gates | 10 | 3 | 2 | 7 |
| Count of 3-input NAND gates | 10 | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| Count of 4-input NAND gates | 14 | 3 | 2 | 9 |
| Muxes | | | | |
| Count of 2-input muxes* | 12 | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| Count of 3-input muxes* | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Count of 4-input muxes* | 8 | 0 | 0 | 3 |

Table – 2 :Cell Drive Strengths

| | Cadence_RAK | Nangate_OCL | Nangate_15nm | Skywater HS |
|--------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| Inverter | | | | |
| Total count | 10 | 6 | 6 | 5 |
| Max drive strength | X20 | X32 | X16 | X16 |
| Min drive strength | XL | X1 | X1 | X1 |
| Buffer | | | | |
| Total count | 8 | 6 | 6 | 5 |
| Max drive strength | X20 | X32 | X16 | X16 |
| Min drive strength | X2 | X1 | X1 | X1 |
| NAND2 | | | | |
| Total count | 6 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| Max drive strength | X8 | X4 | X2 | X8 |
| Min drive strength | XL | X1 | X1 | X1 |
| DFFs | | | | |
| Total count | 5 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Max drive strength | X8 | X2 | X1 | X4 |
| Min drive strength | X1 | X1 | X1 | X1 |

Table – 3 :Cell pin capacitances and area

| Cell | Input Pin | Cadence_RAK | Nangate_OCL | Nangate_15nm | Skywater HS |
|----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| Inverter | XL | 0.00057002 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X1 | 0.000892926 | 1.643743 | 0.819034 | 0.00305000 |
| | X2 | 0.00154426 | 3.135991 | 1.639203 | 0.00546000 |
| | Х3 | 0.00218144 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X4 | 0.0028463 | 6.114219 | 3.280298 | 0.01096000 |
| | X6 | 0.00420495 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X8 | 0.00543709 | 11.807388 | 6.562154 | 0.02173000 |
| | X12 | 0.00851568 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X16 | 0.0110848 | 24.694640 | 13.126691 | 0.04466000 |
| | X20 | 0.0141623 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X32 | NA | 48.557758 | NA | NA |
| Buffer | X1 | NA | 0.934558 | 0.851488 | 0.00277 |
| | X2 | 0.000601595 | 1.703888 | 0.839939 | 0.00254 |
| | Х3 | 0.000887549 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X4 | 0.00153457 | 3.251947 | 1.679345 | 0.00369 |
| | X6 | 0.00154584 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X8 | NA | 6.359827 | 3.359534 | 0.084 |
| | X12 | 0.00219344 | NA | 5.039592 | NA |
| | X16 | 0.00287393 | 12.270698 | 6.719911 | 0.1695 |
| | X20 | 0.00359149 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X32 | NA | 25.711127 | NA | NA |
| NAND2 | XL | 0.000544596 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X1 | 0.000839362 | 1.568247 | 0.659530 | 0.00286 |
| | X2 | 0.00167474 | 3.002658 | 1.307426 | 0.0055 |
| | X4 | 0.00323744 | 5.884222 | NA | 0.00796 |
| | X6 | 0.00474325 | NA | NA | NA |
| | X8 | 0.00600265 | NA | NA | 0.01613 |

Table - 4: Operating Conditions (P-V-T)

In the skywater HS and MS libraries, for what P-V-T conditions are dotlibs available? Report this in a table like the following:

Skywater_lib_hs(P-V-T)

| dotlib file name | Р | V (volts) | T (°C) |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----------|--------|
| Sky130_fd_sc_hsff_150c_1v95.lib | 1.0000 | 1.95 | 150 |
| Sky130_fd_sc_hsss_100c_1v60.lib | 1.0000 | 1.60 | 100 |
| Sky130_fd_sc_hsss_150c_1v60.lib | 1.0000 | 1.60 | 150 |
| Sky130_fd_sc_hstt_025c_1v80.lib | 1.0000 | 1.80 | 25 |

Skywater_lib_ms(P-V-T)

| dotlib file name | Р | V (volts) | T (°C) |
|--|--------|-----------|--------|
| Sky130_fd_sc_msff_150c_1v95.lib | 1.0000 | 1.95 | 150 |
| Sky130_fd_sc_msff_n40c_1v95_pwrlkg.lib | 1.0000 | 1.95 | -40 |
| Sky130_fd_sc_msss_100c_1v60.lib | 1.0000 | 1.60 | 100 |
| Sky130_fd_sc_msss_150c_1v60.lib | 1.0000 | 1.60 | 150 |
| Sky130_fd_sc_mstt_025c_1v80.lib | 1.0000 | 1.80 | 25 |

<u>Table – 5 : Physical Design</u>

Extract data from the LEF files, including techlef, to fill out the following table

| | Cadence_RAK | NangateOpenCellLibrary | Nangate_15nm |
|-------------------------------|-------------|------------------------|--------------|
| Cell height | 1.71 | 1.4 | 0.768 |
| No. of metal layers | 6 | 10 | 5 |
| Routing pitch | 0.2 | 0.28 | 0.064 |
| Cell height in routing tracks | NA | 10.09 | NA |