



TSMC18 PDK usage guide:

An introduction on the usage of TSMC process design kits (PDK)

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● Introduction:

- This document describes the TSMC process design kits (PDK) parameterized cell (Pcell) software, which provides a graphical user interface that lets user create parameterized cells for placement in design layout.
- It is assumed that the user is familiar with the development and design of integrated circuits and with the cadence Virtuoso Layout Editor.
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● Overview:

■ The Symbol Display Information.

This section describes the symbol display information include four terminal NMOS symbol, four terminal PMOS symbol, three terminal NMOS symbol, three terminal PMOS symbol, three terminal npn BJT symbol, three terminal pnp BJT symbol, two terminal diode symbol, two terminal resistor symbol, three terminal resistor symbol and two terminal varactor symbol.

■ Device Table

This section show the total device in this PDK. The user can check the page number in the device table to find out the CDF parameter and Pcell function.

■ MOS Parameterized Cell Function Introduction

■ BJT Parameterized Cell Function Introduction

■ Diode Parameterized Cell Function Introduction

■ Resistance Parameterized Cell Function Introduction

■ Inductor Parameterized Cell Function Introduction

■ Varactor Parameterized Cell Function Introduction

■ Capacitor Parameterized Cell Function Introduction

■ CDF Parameter Description

■ Appendix

Appendix A – Stretch Handles [Fast link](#)

Appendix B – The three terminal MOS substrate pin [Fast link](#)

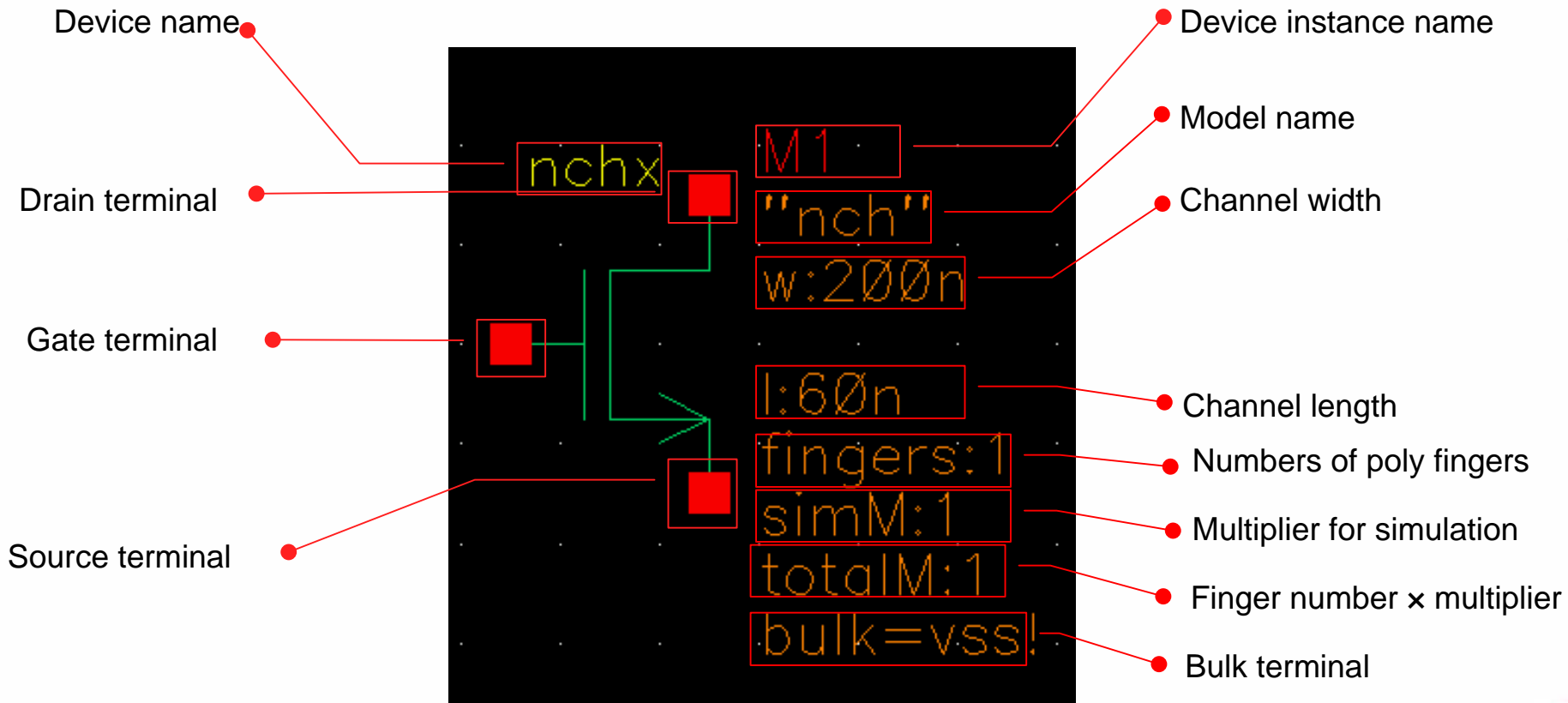
Appendix C – AS AD PS PD NRS NRD methodology [Fast link](#)

Appendix D – SA SB methodology [Fast link](#)

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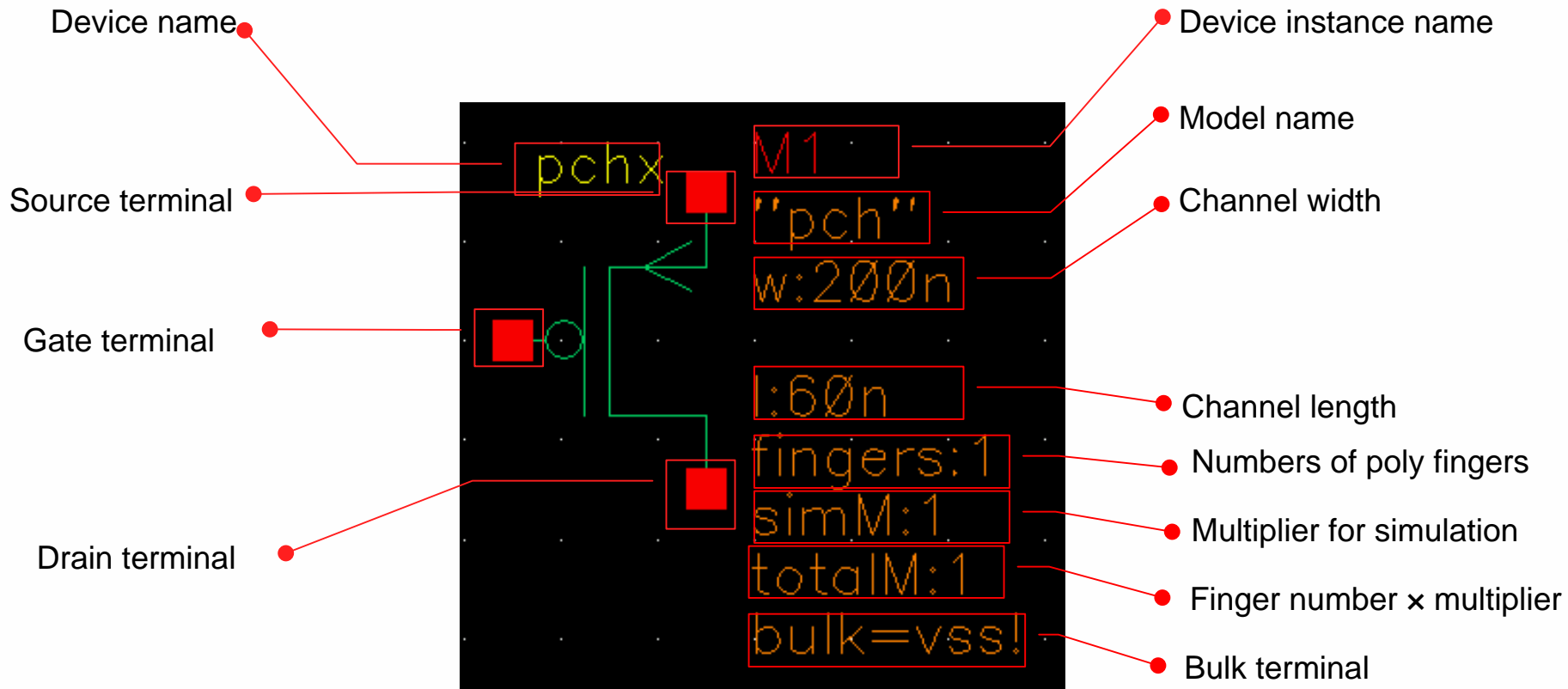
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal NMOS :



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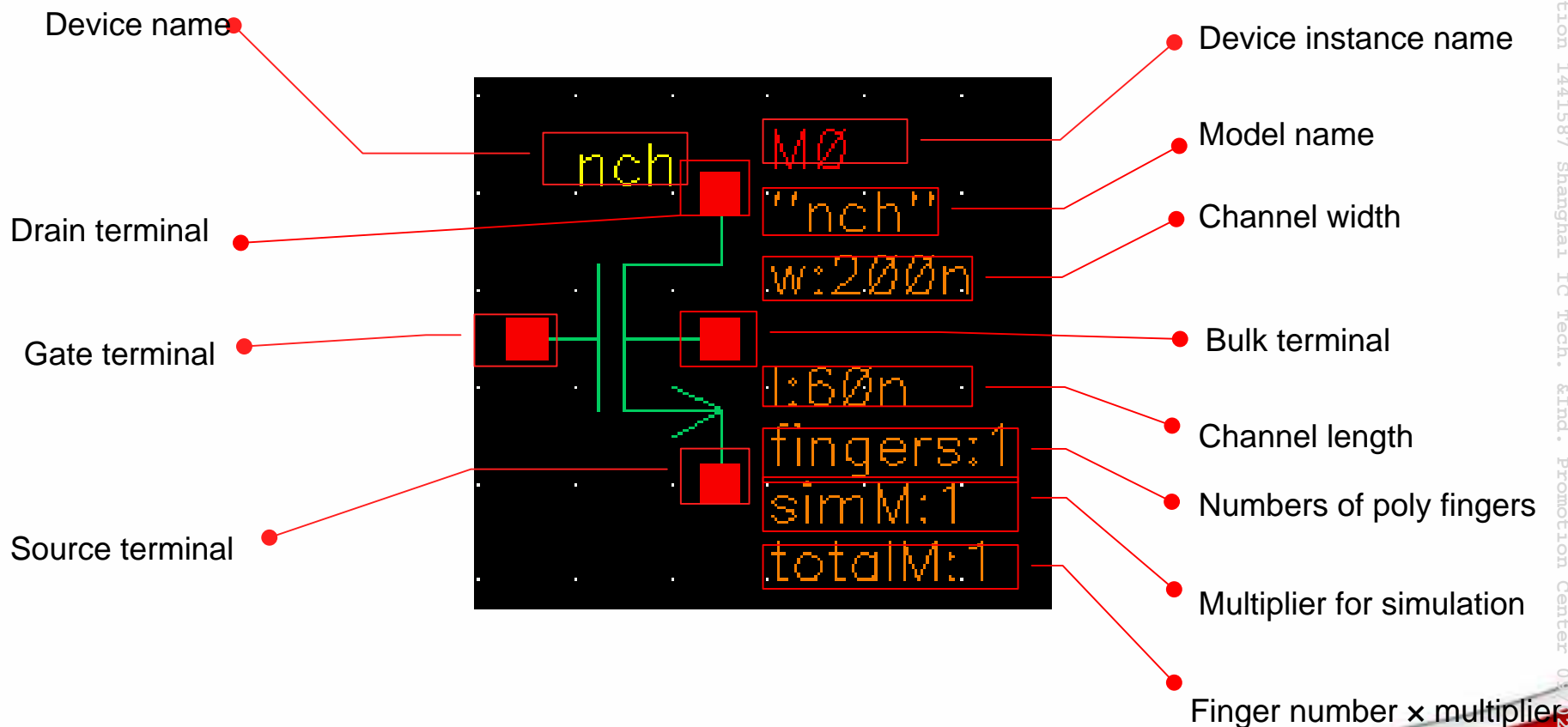
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal PMOS :



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- The Symbol Display Information:

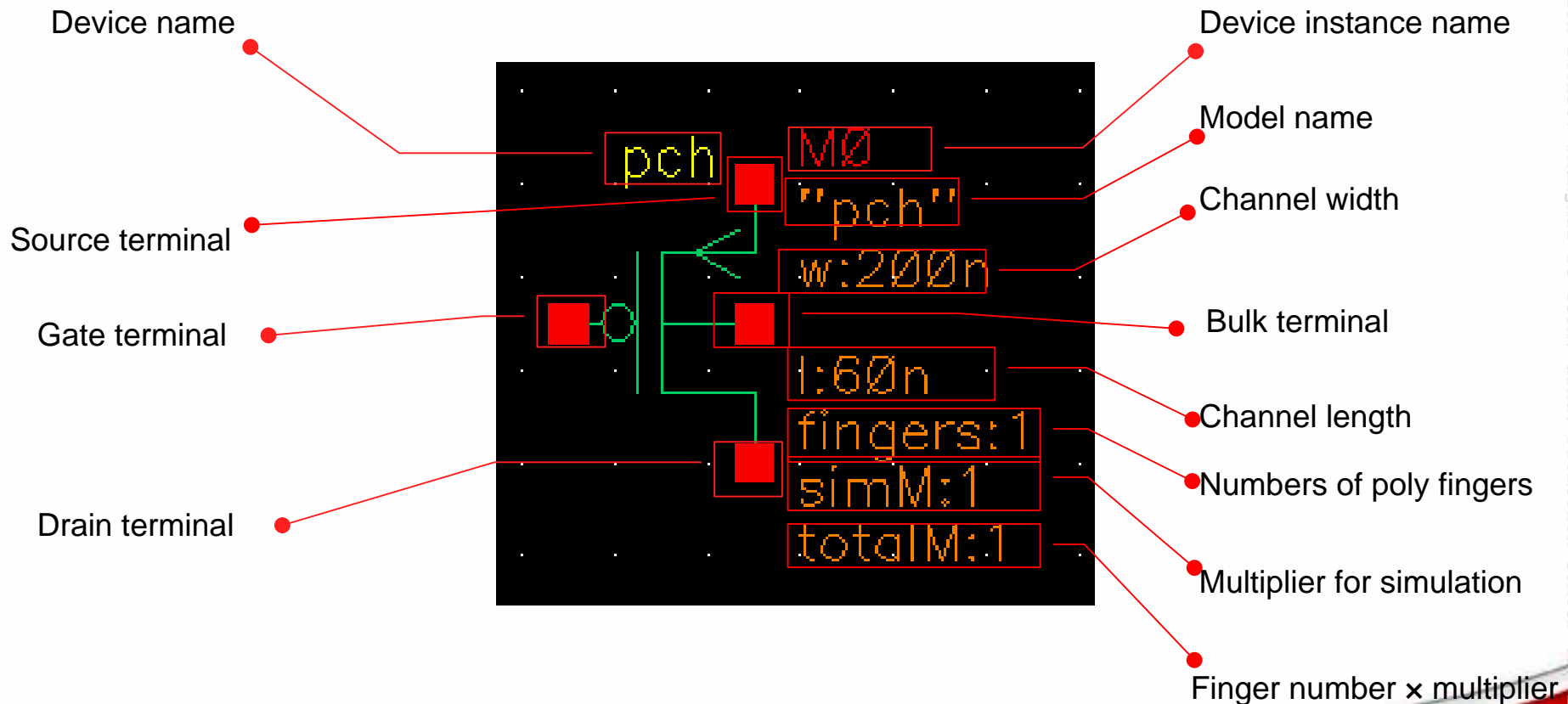
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 4 terminal NMOS:



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● The Symbol Display Information:

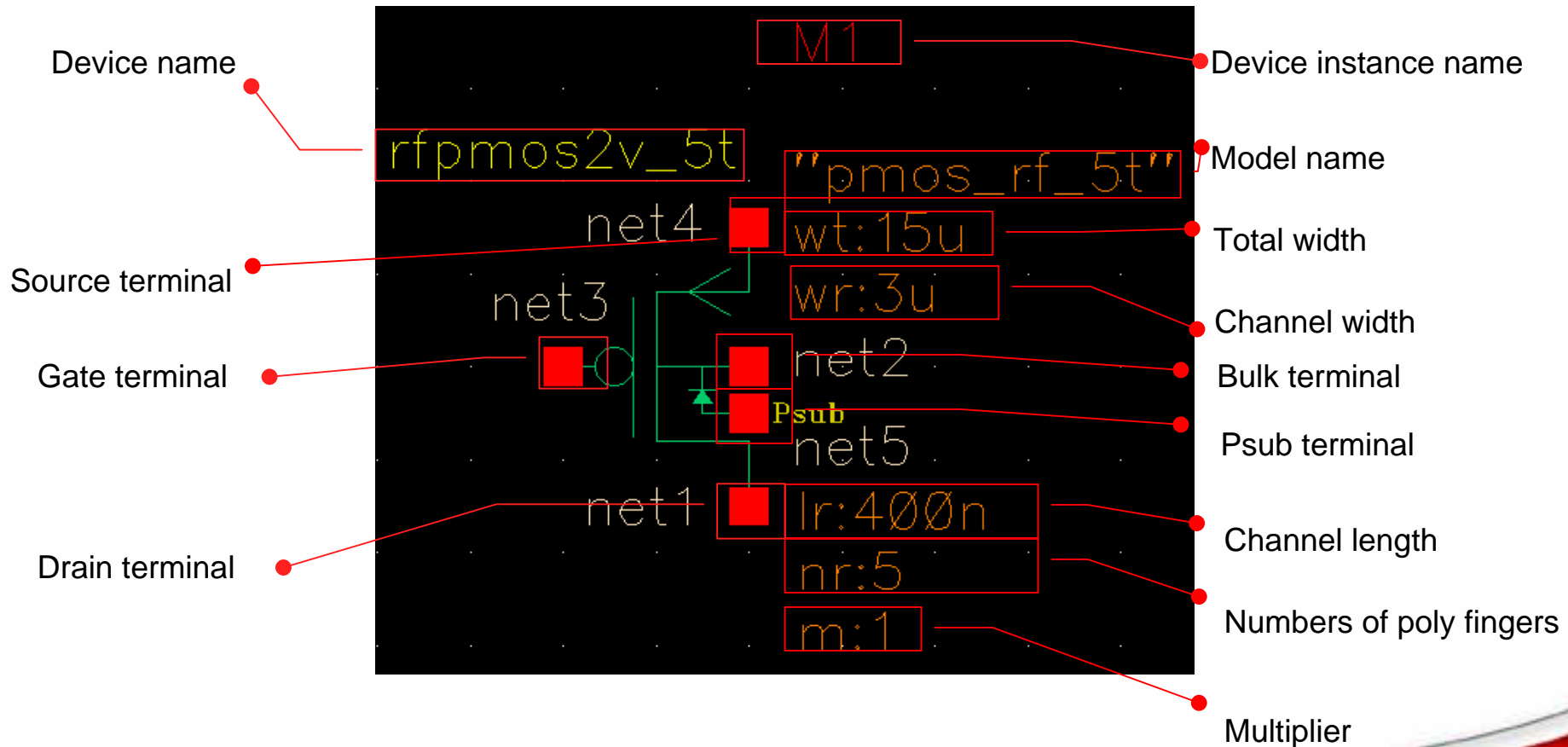
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 4 terminal PMOS:



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● The Symbol Display Information:

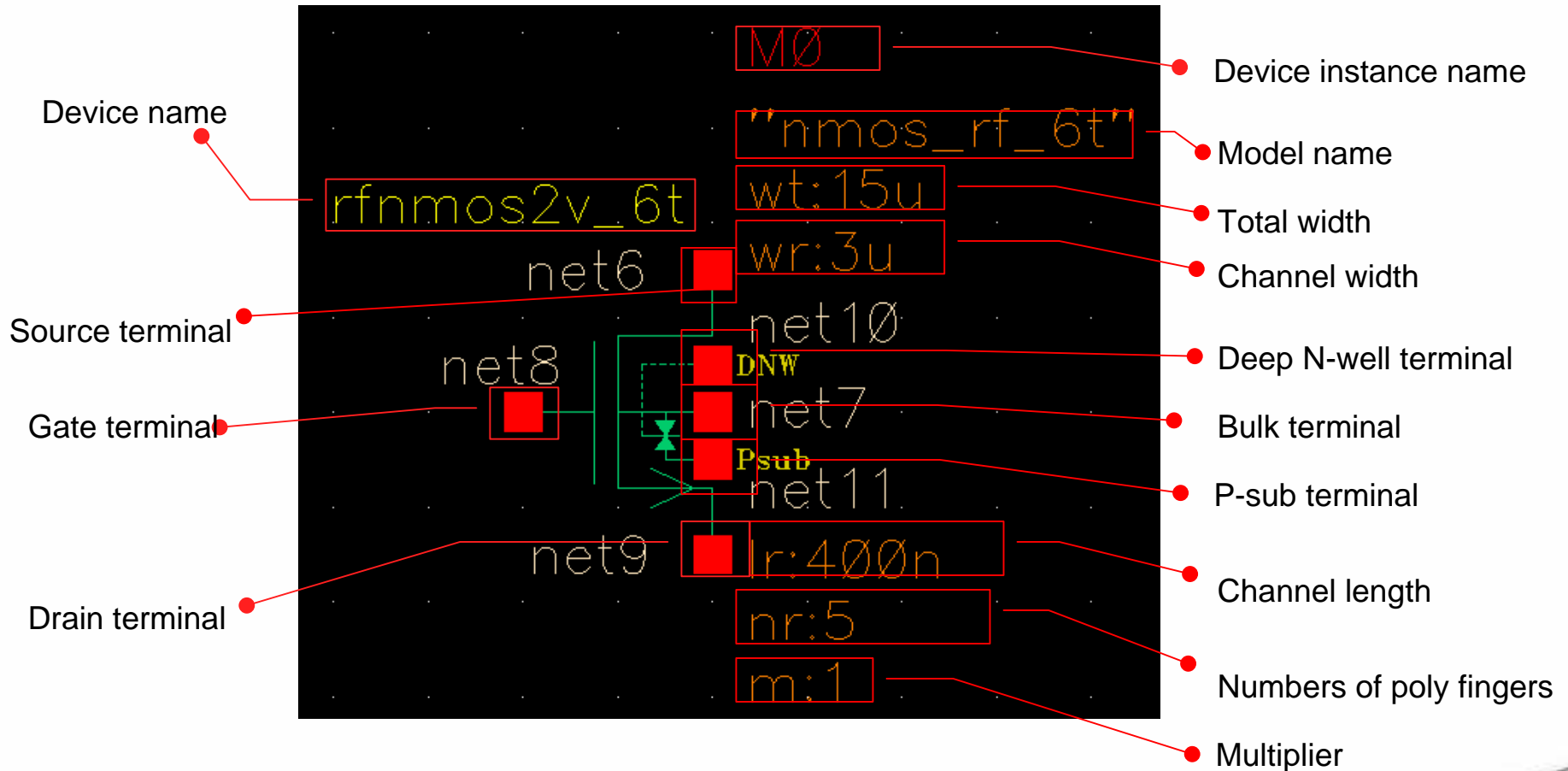
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 5 terminal RF_PMOS:



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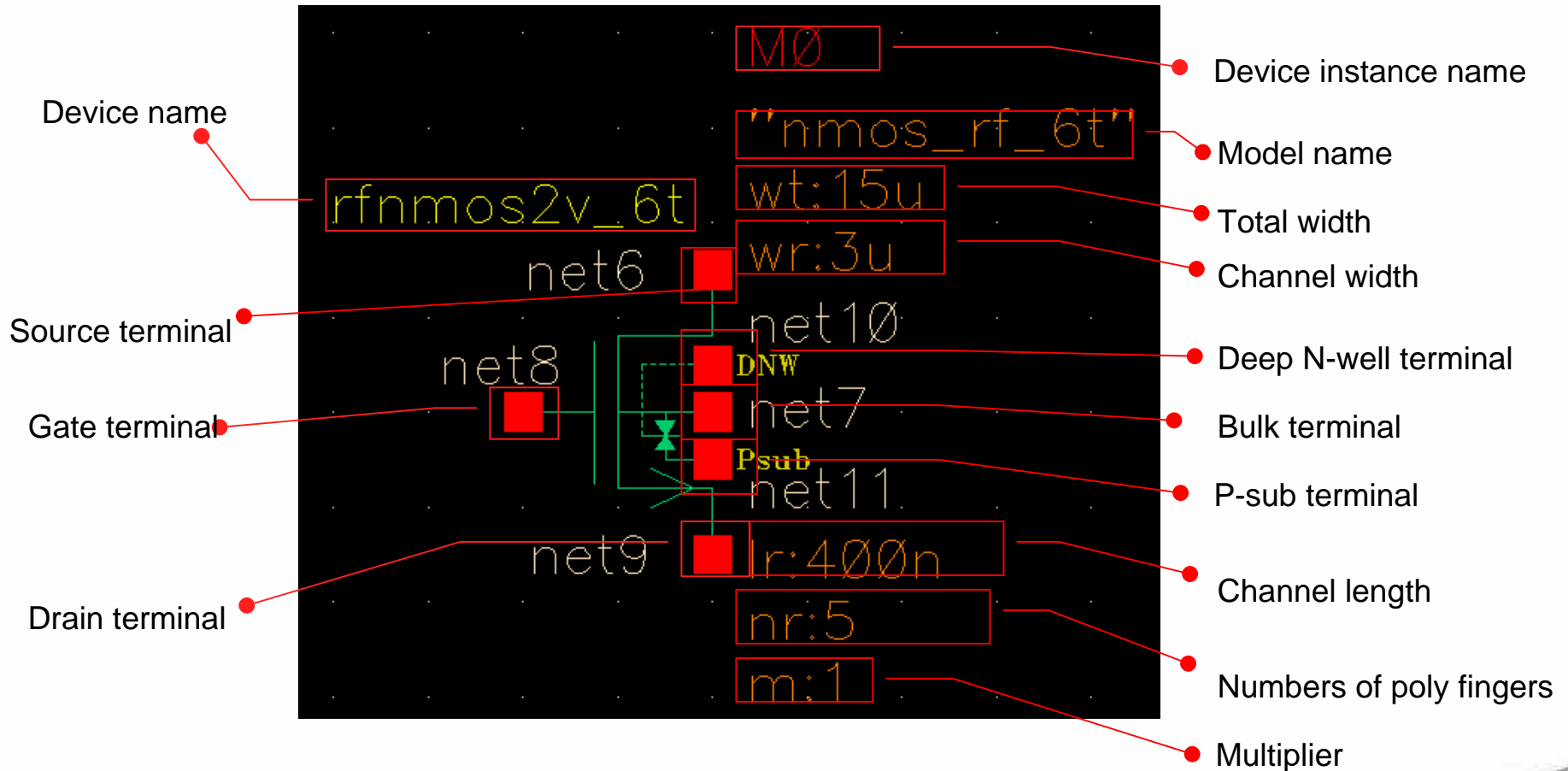
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 6 terminal RF_PMOS:



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● The Symbol Display Information:

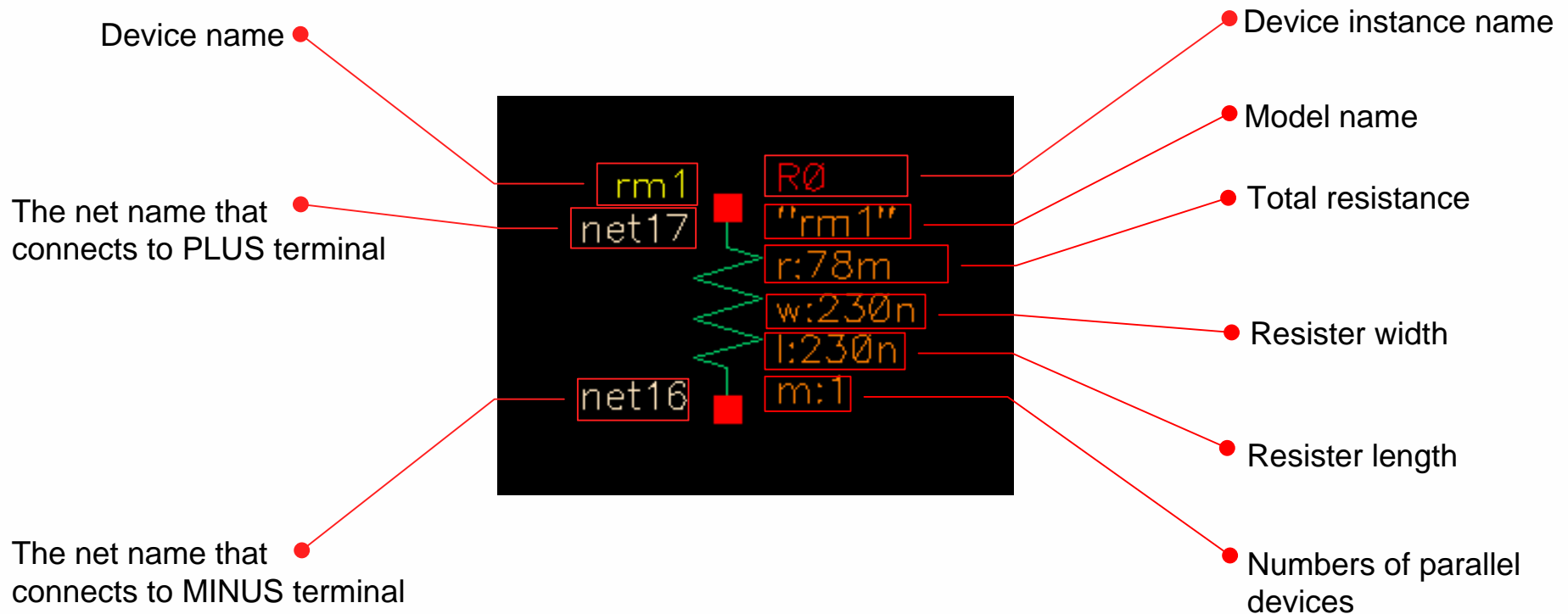
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 6 terminal RF_PMOS:



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● The Symbol Display Information:

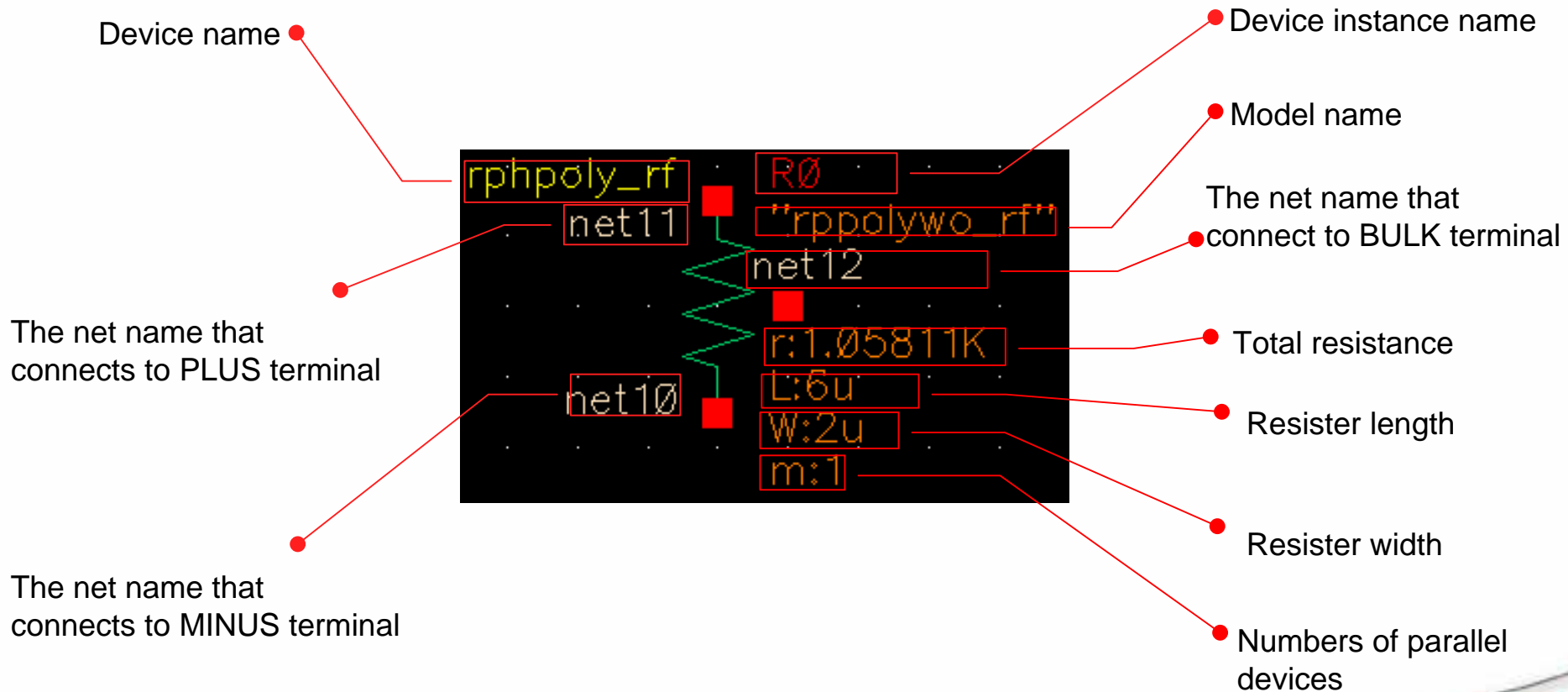
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 2 terminal resister



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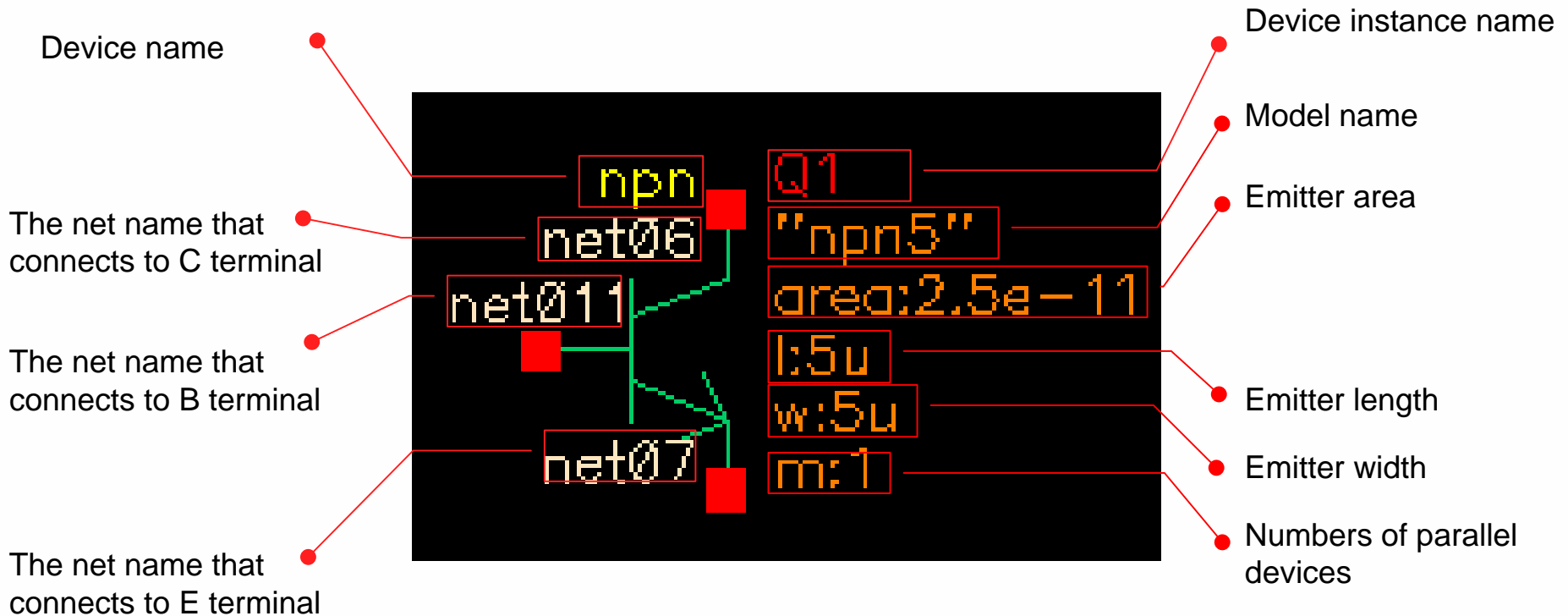
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal resister



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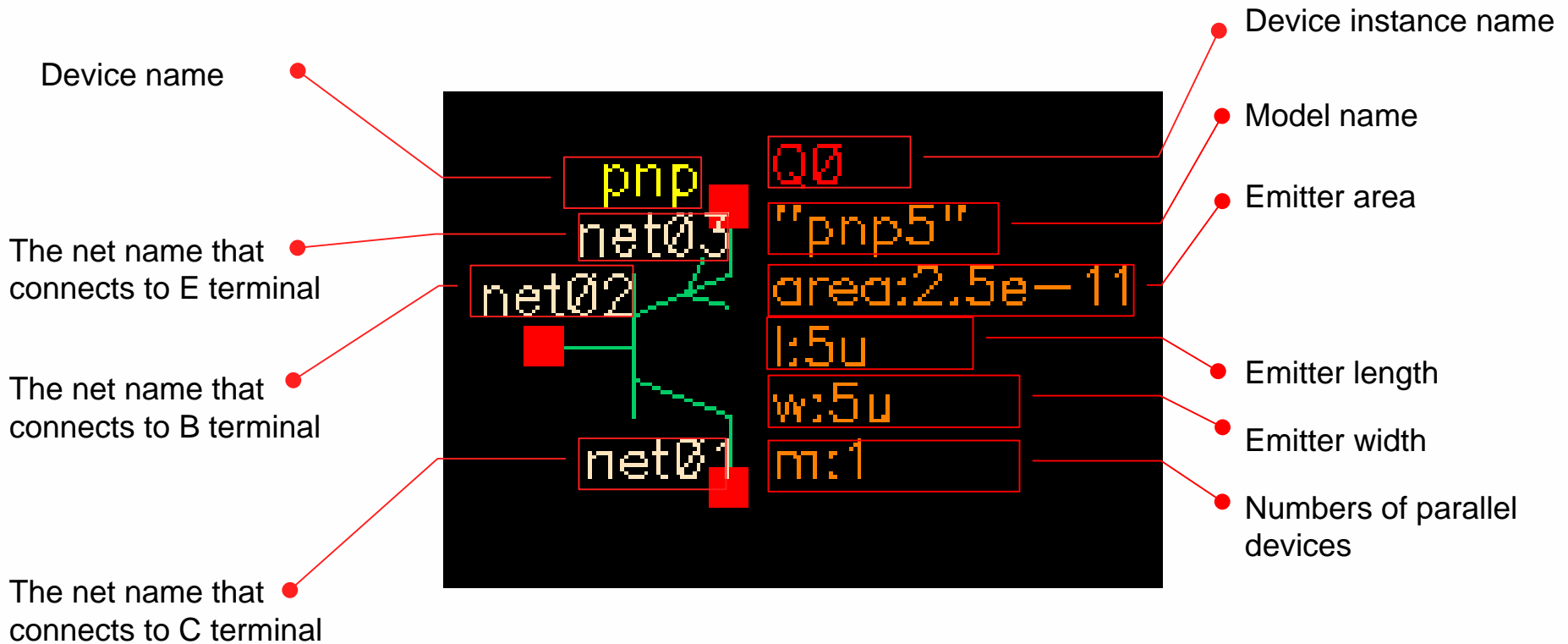
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal npn BJT:



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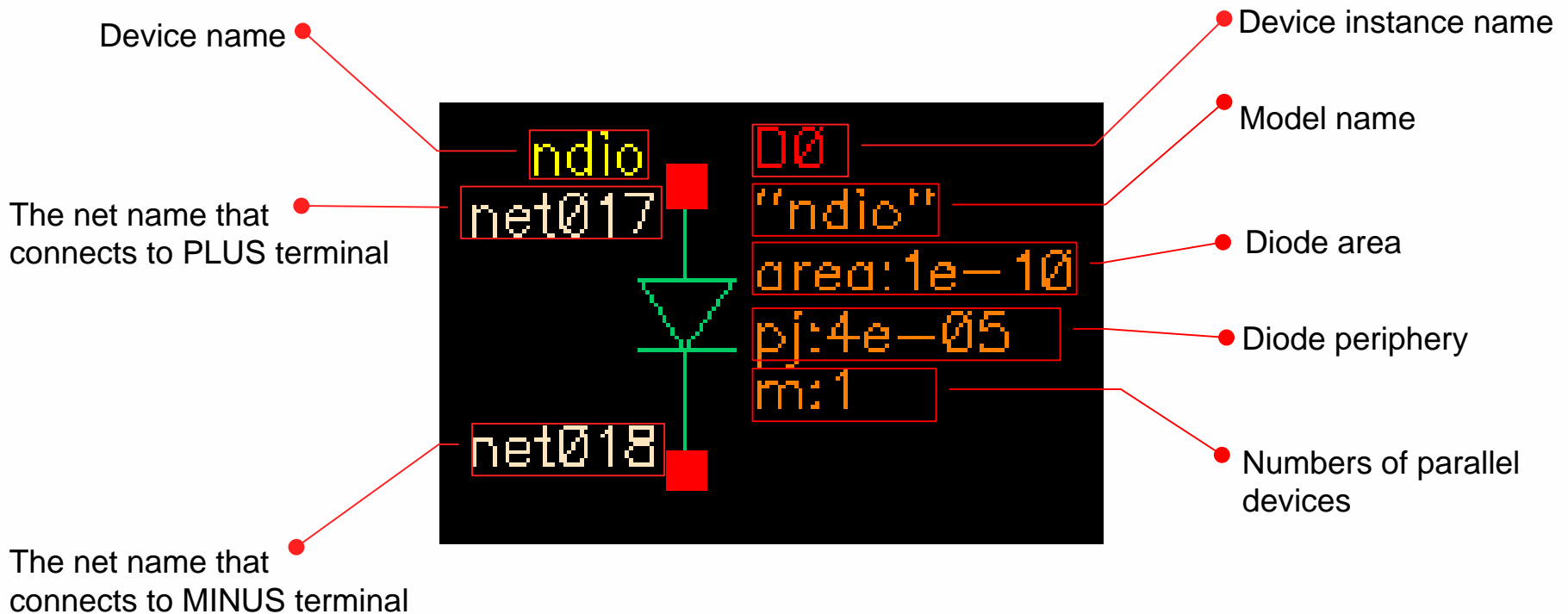
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal pnp BJT:



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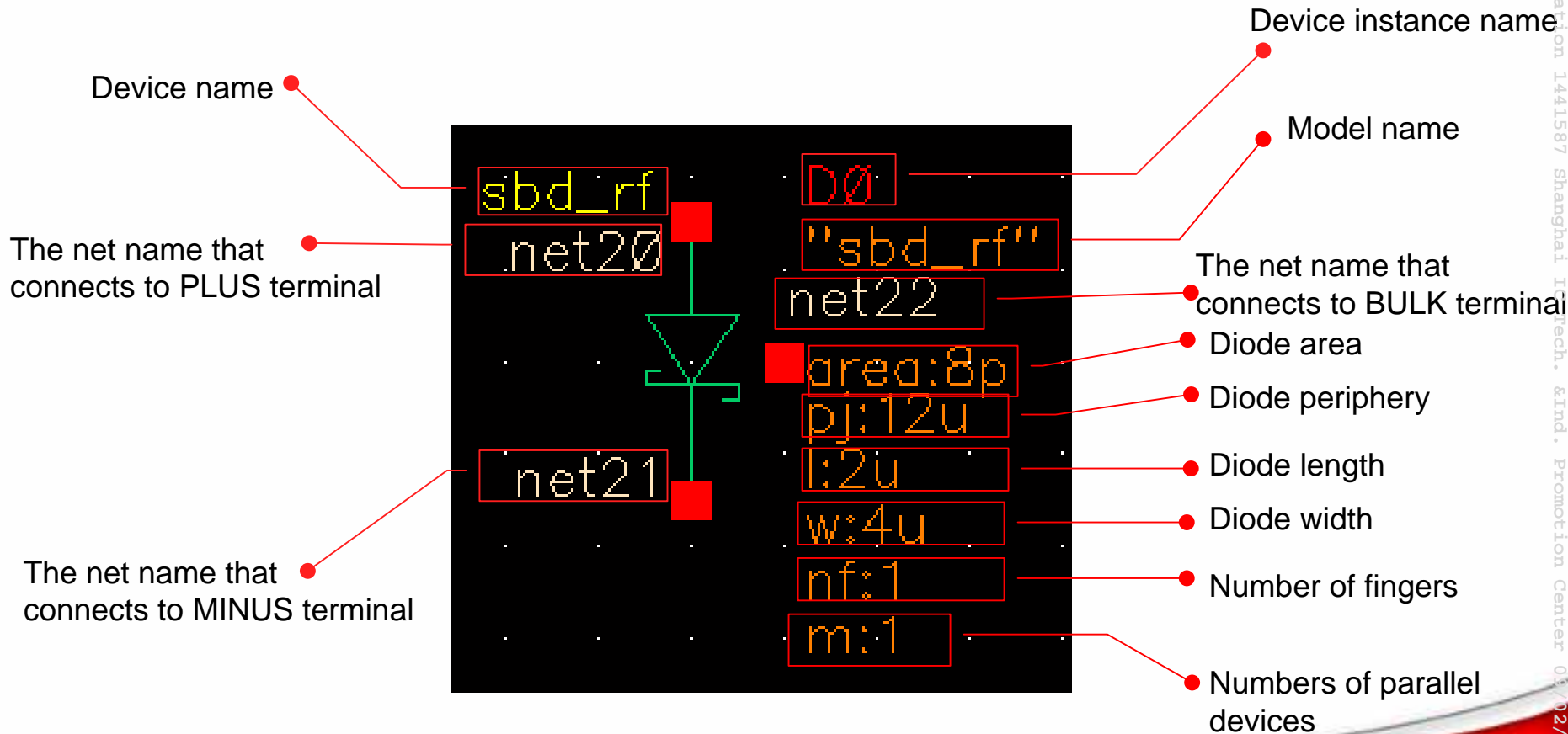
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 2 terminal diode:



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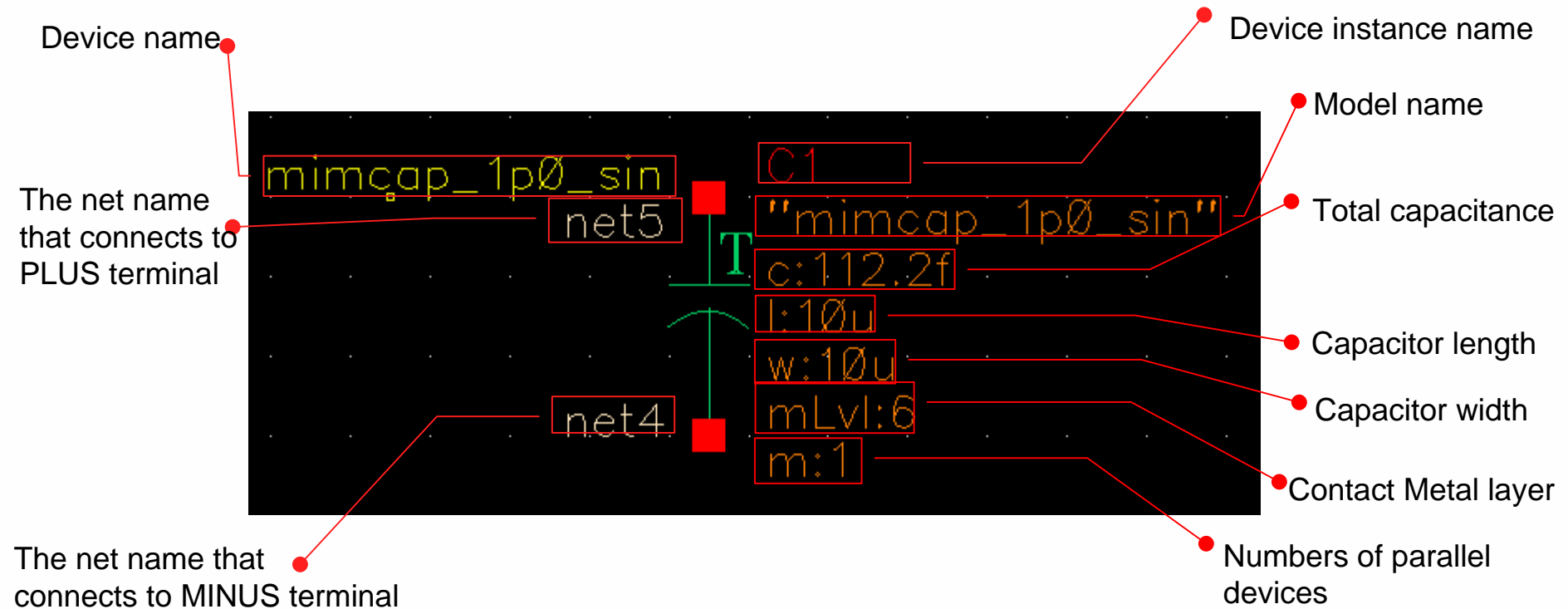
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal diode:



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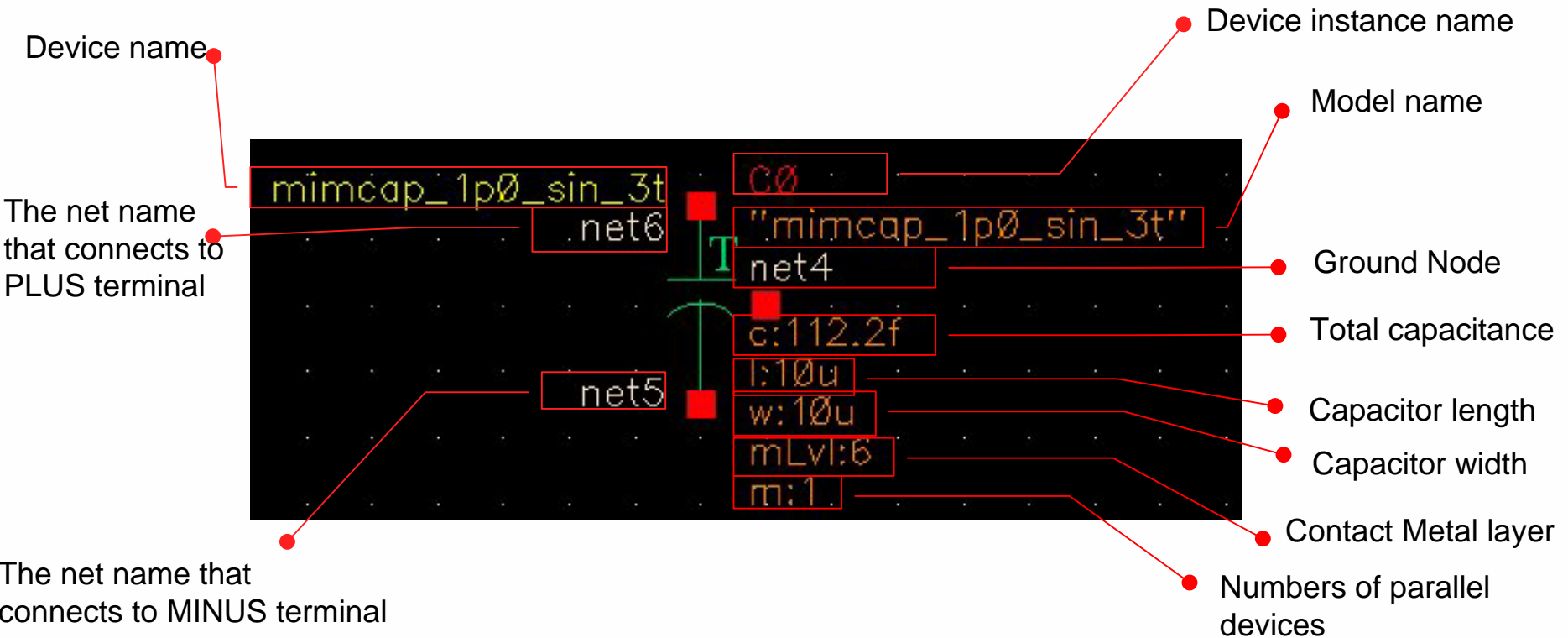
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 2 terminal capacitor:



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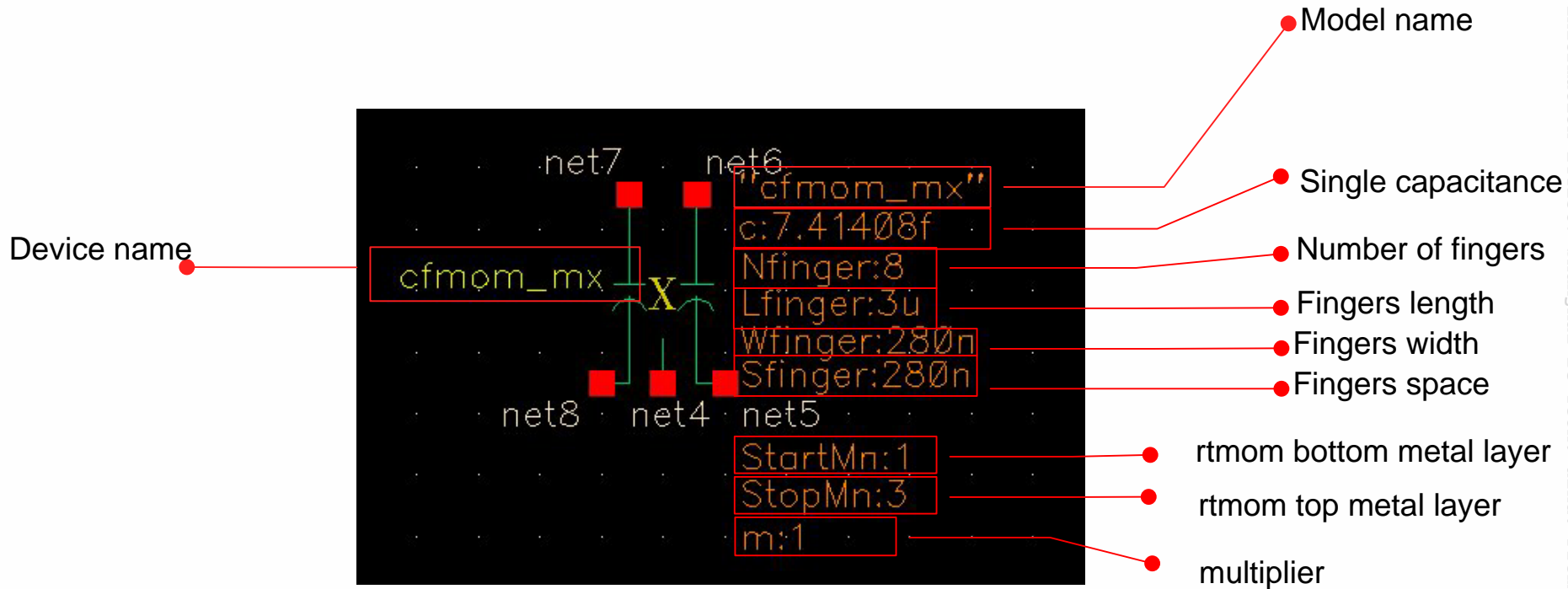
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal capacitor:



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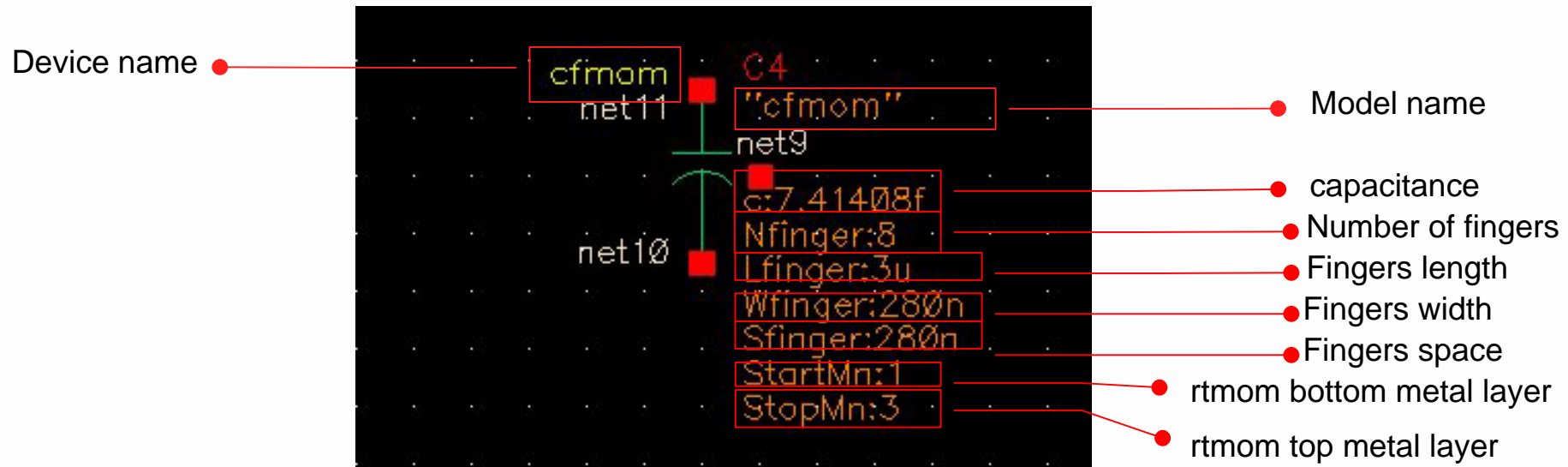
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 5 terminal capacitor:



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● The Symbol Display Information:

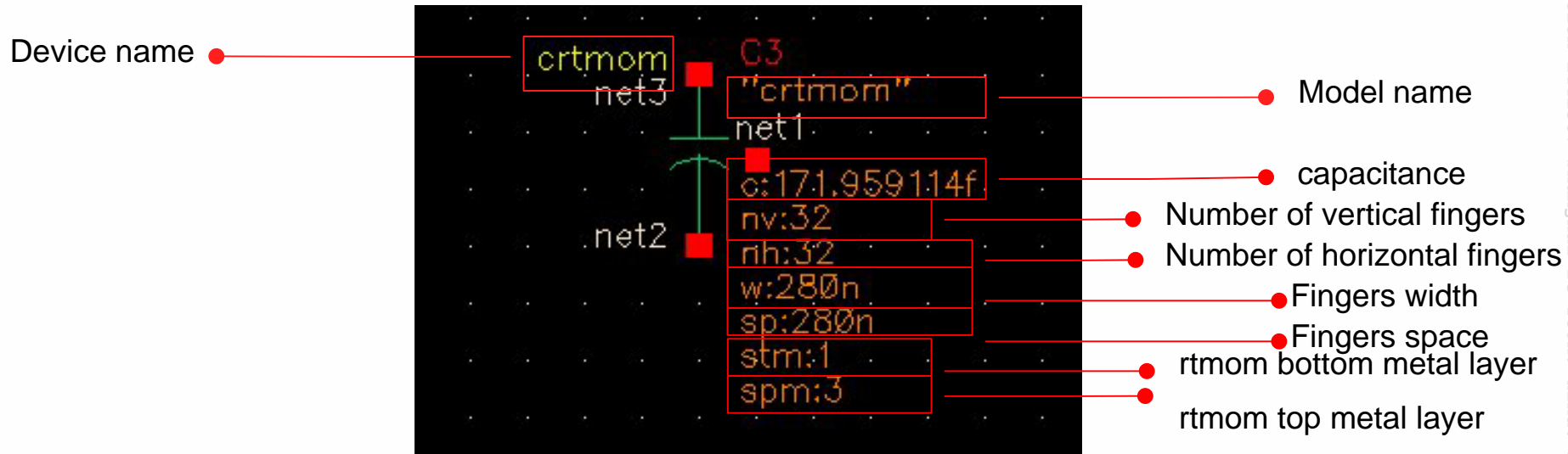
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal capacitor:



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● The Symbol Display Information:

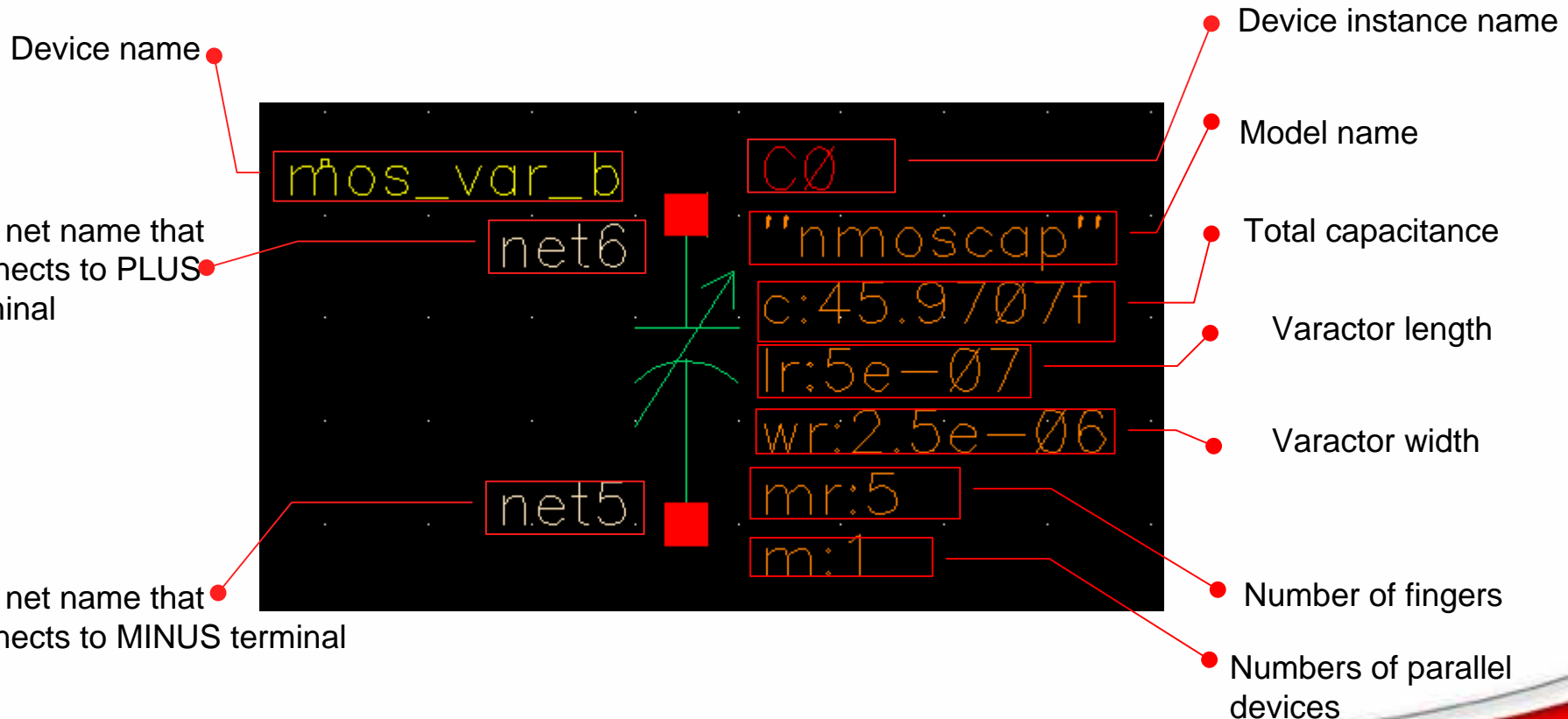
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal capacitor:



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● The Symbol Display Information:

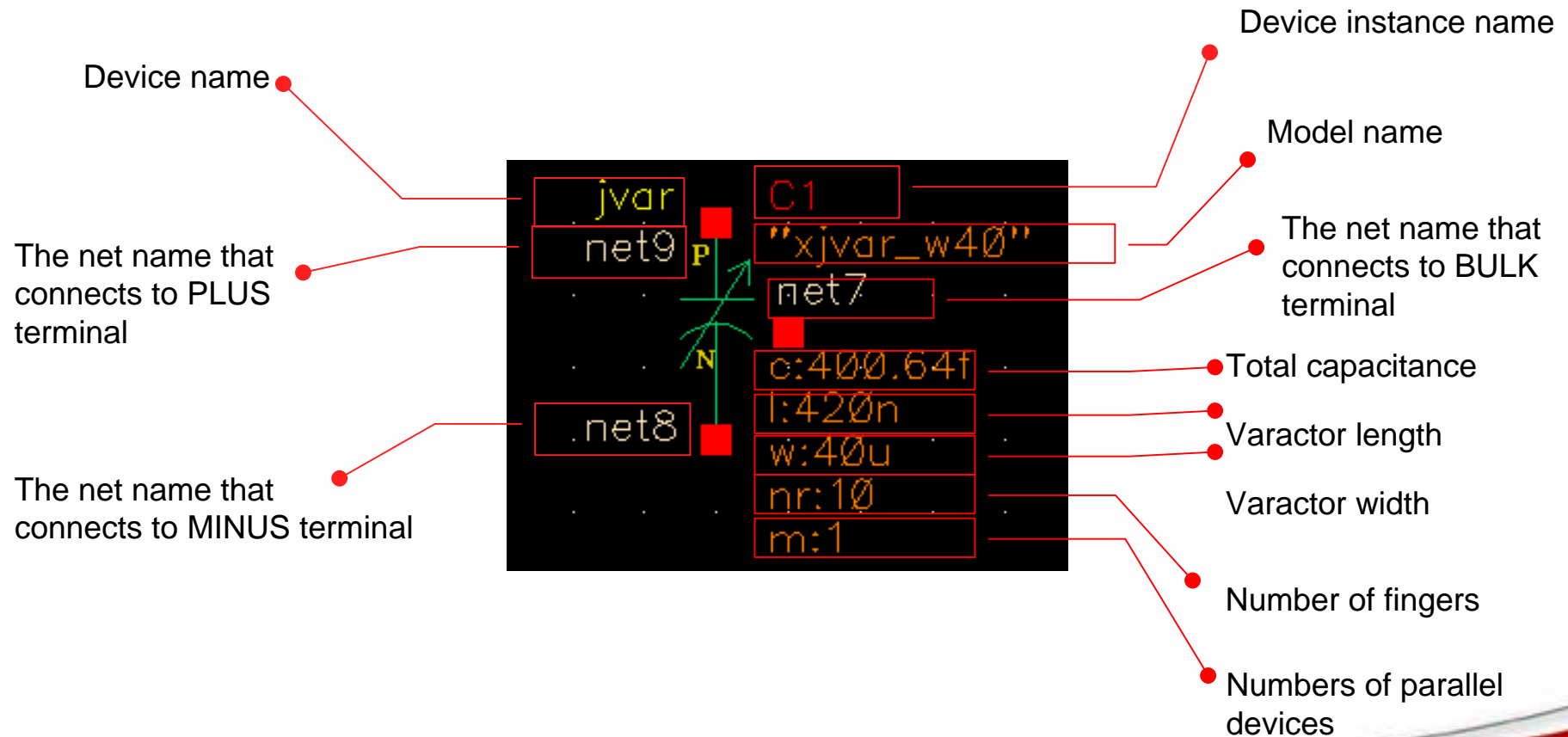
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 2 terminal varactor:



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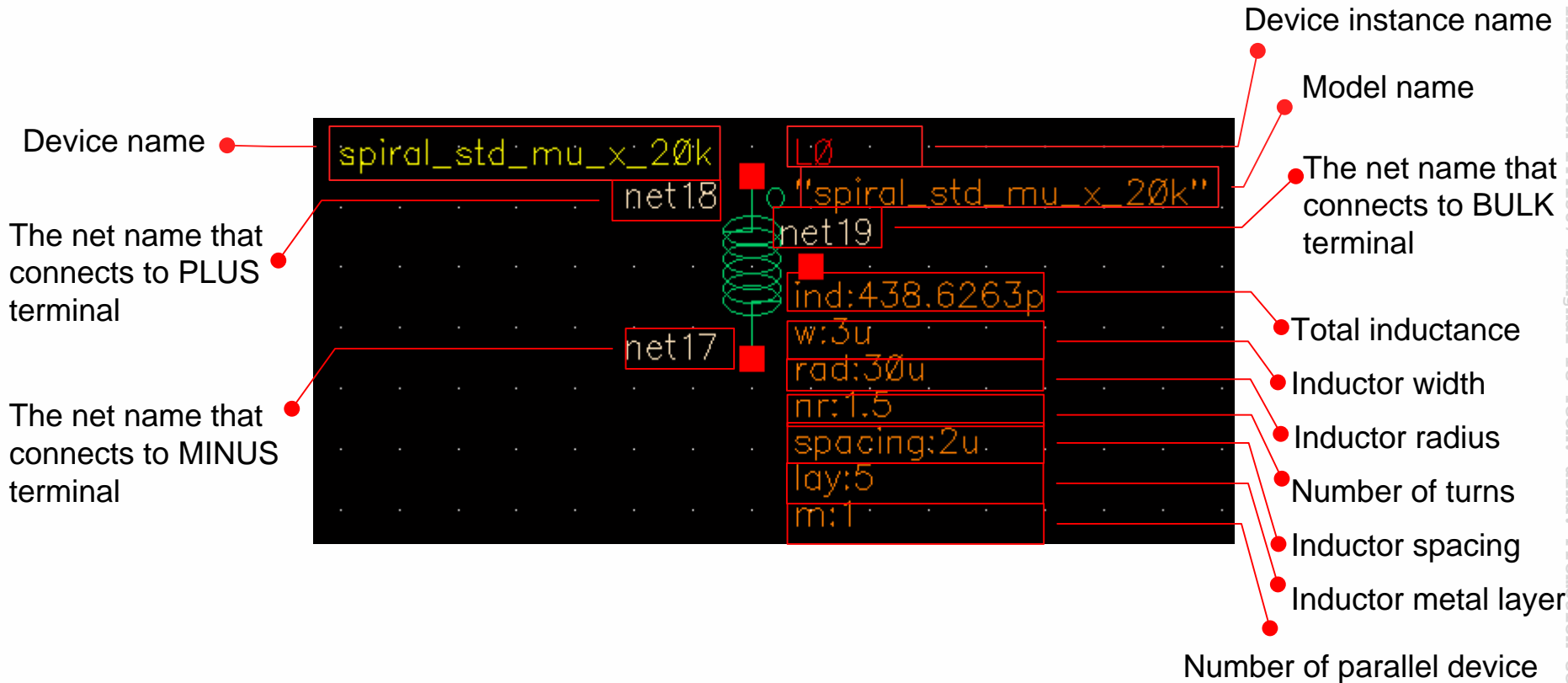
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal varactor:



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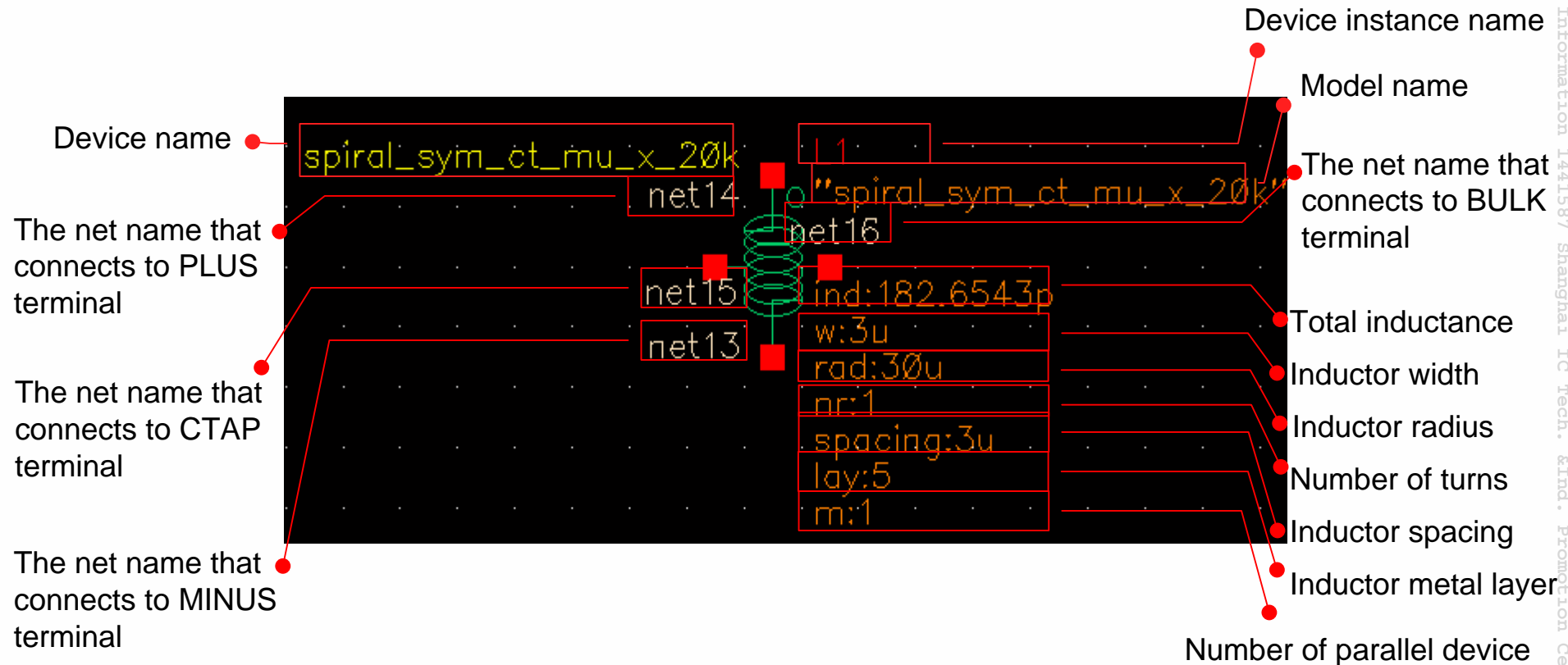
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 3 terminal inductor:



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● The Symbol Display Information:

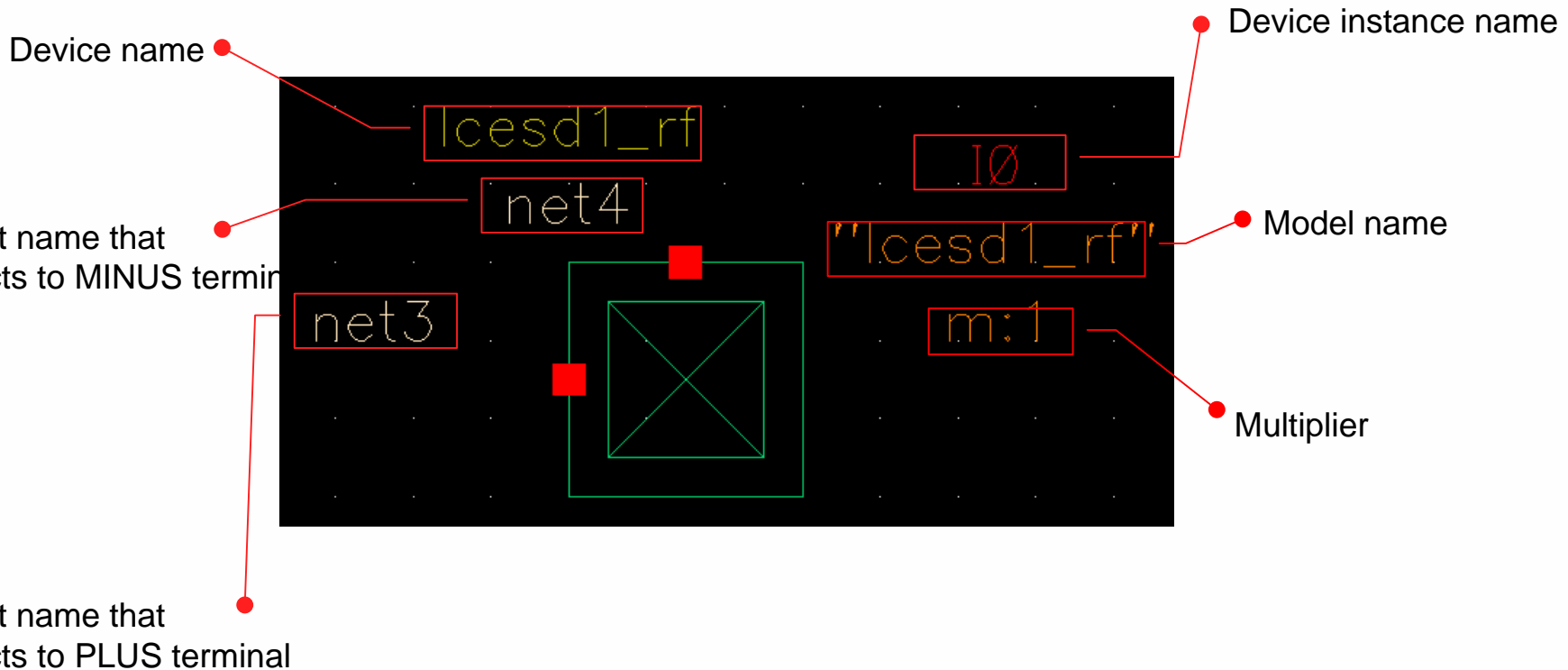
- The following figure shows the symbol for a 4 terminal inductor:



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● The Symbol Display Information:

- The following figure shows the symbol for a 2 terminal pad_device:



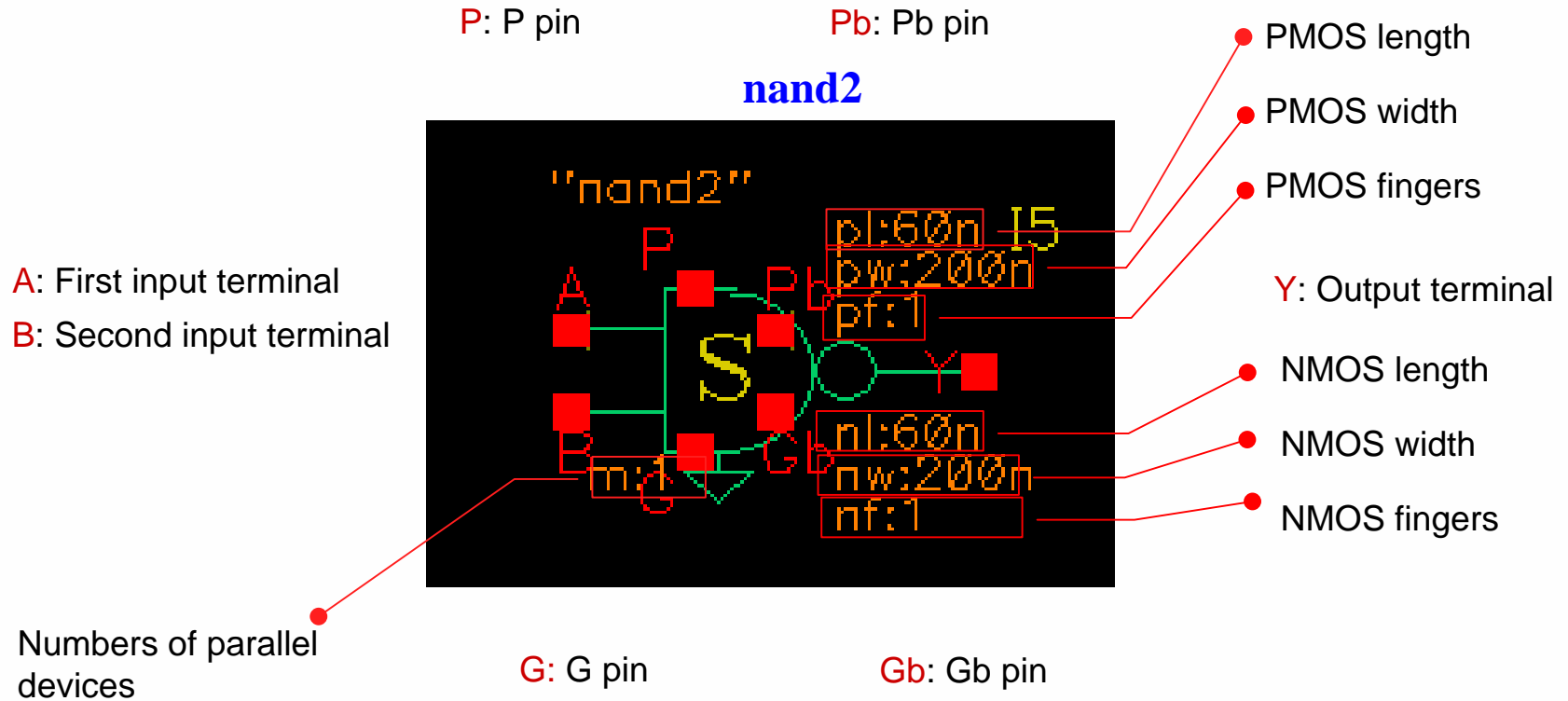
● The Symbol Display Information:

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- IN:** Input terminal
- P:** P pin
- Pb:** Pb pin
- G:** G pin
- Gb:** Gb pin
- OUT:** Output terminal
- PMOS length**
- PMOS width**
- PMOS fingers**
- NMOS length**
- NMOS width**
- NMOS fingers**
- Numbers of parallel devices**

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● The Symbol Display Information:

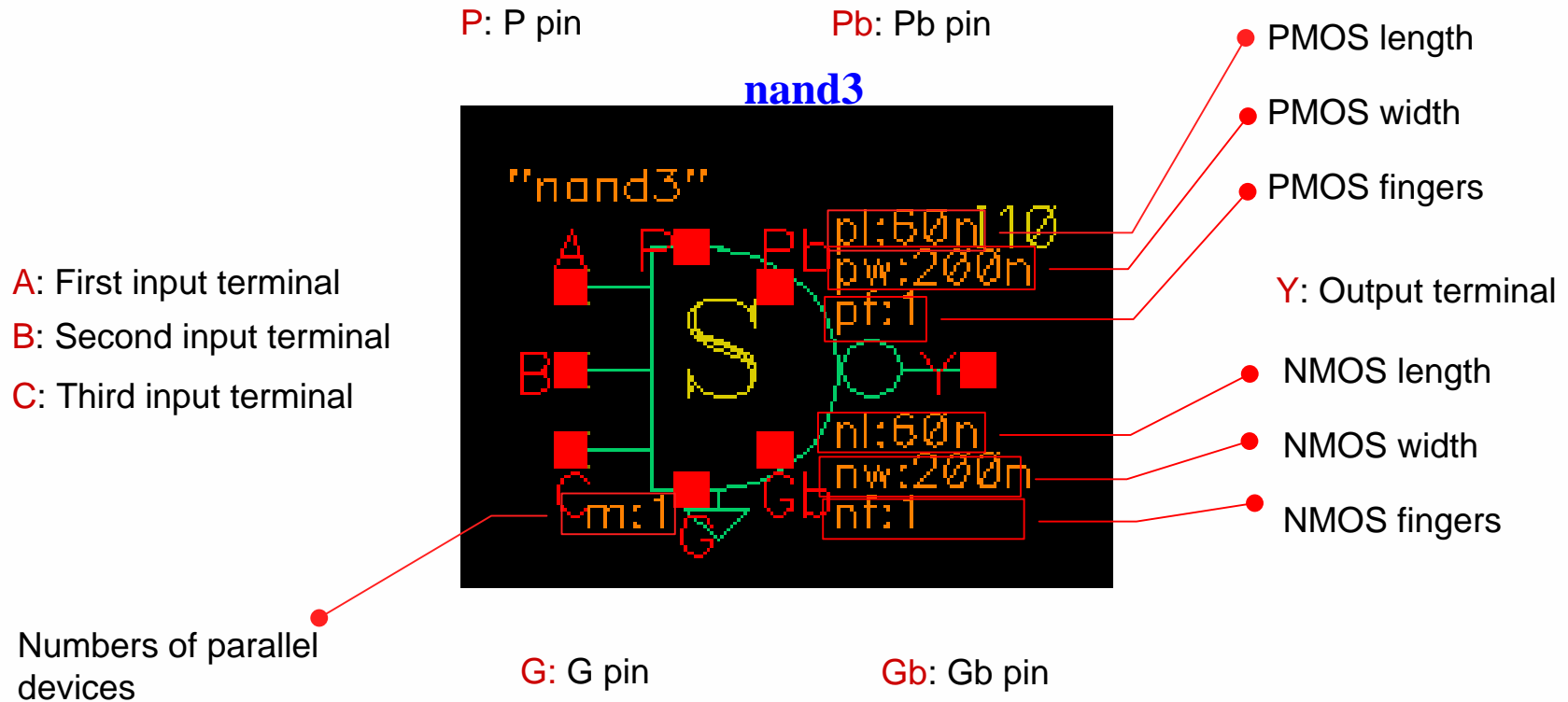
- The following figure shows the symbol for a nand-2T gate :



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● The Symbol Display Information:

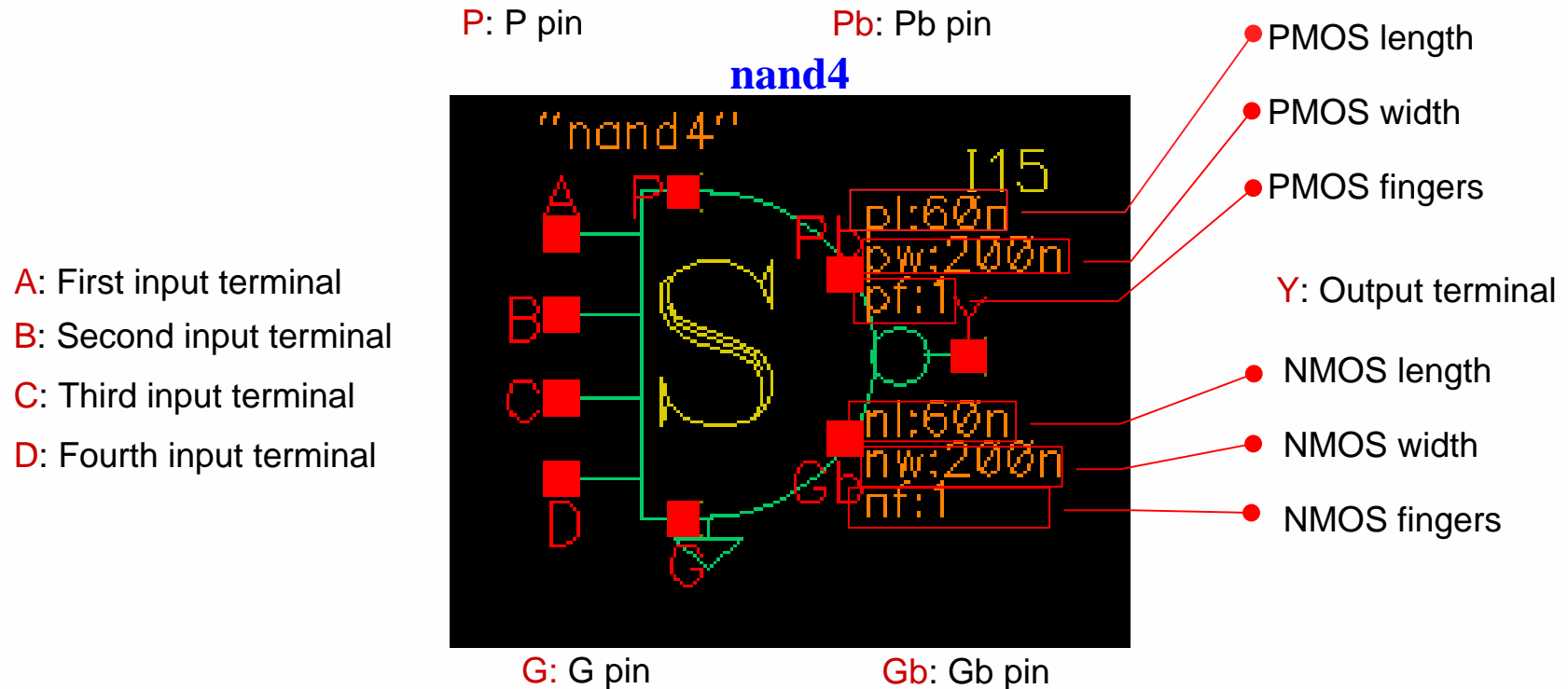
- The following figure shows the symbol for a nand-3T gate :



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● The Symbol Display Information:

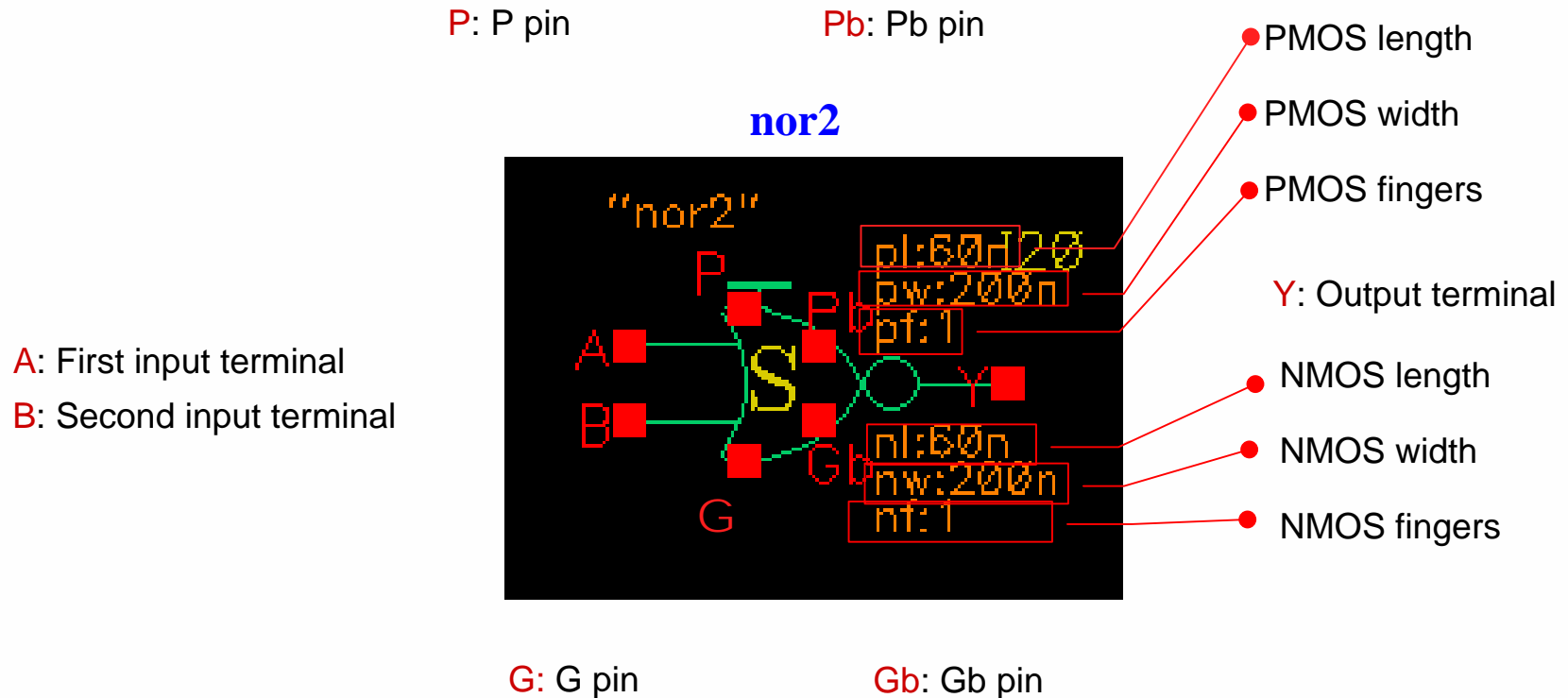
- The following figure shows the symbol for a nand-4T gate :



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● The Symbol Display Information:

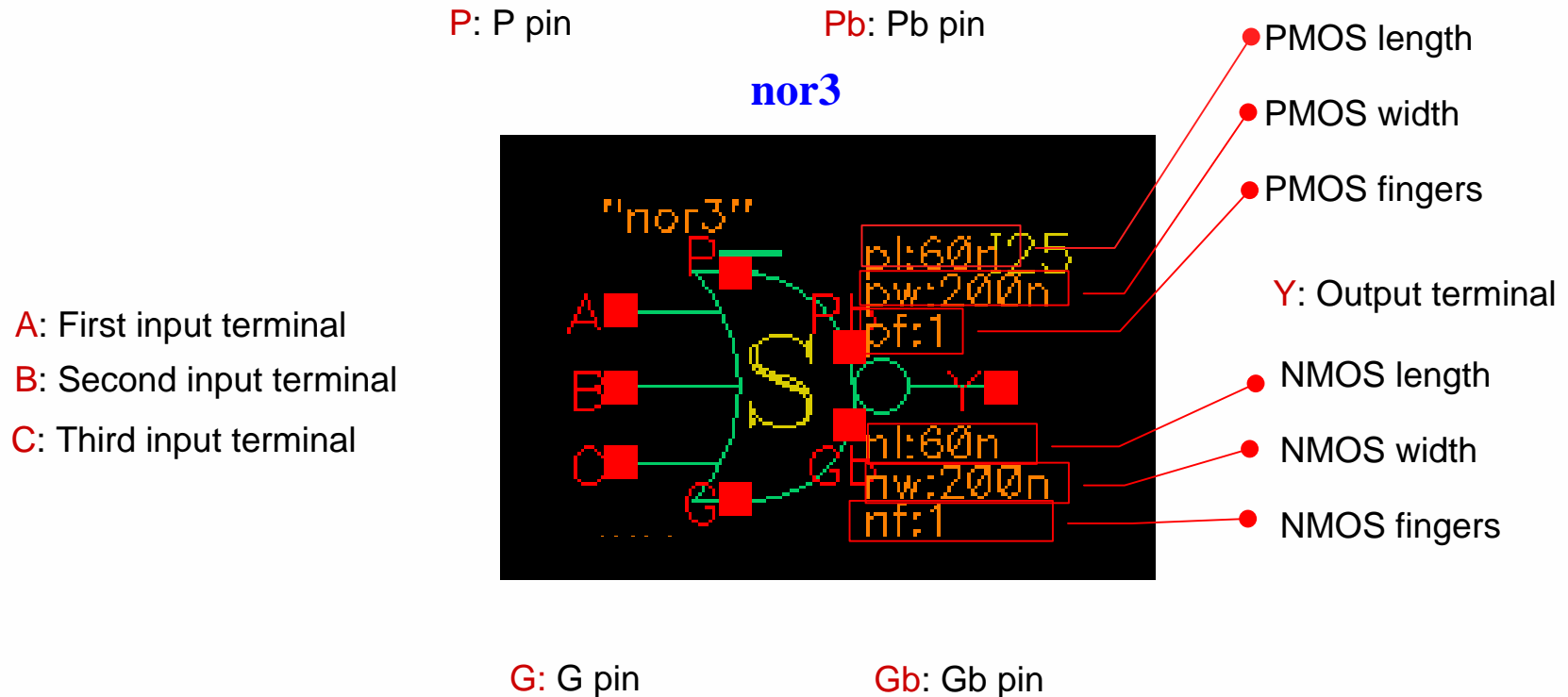
- The following figure shows the symbol for a nor-2T gate :



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● The Symbol Display Information:

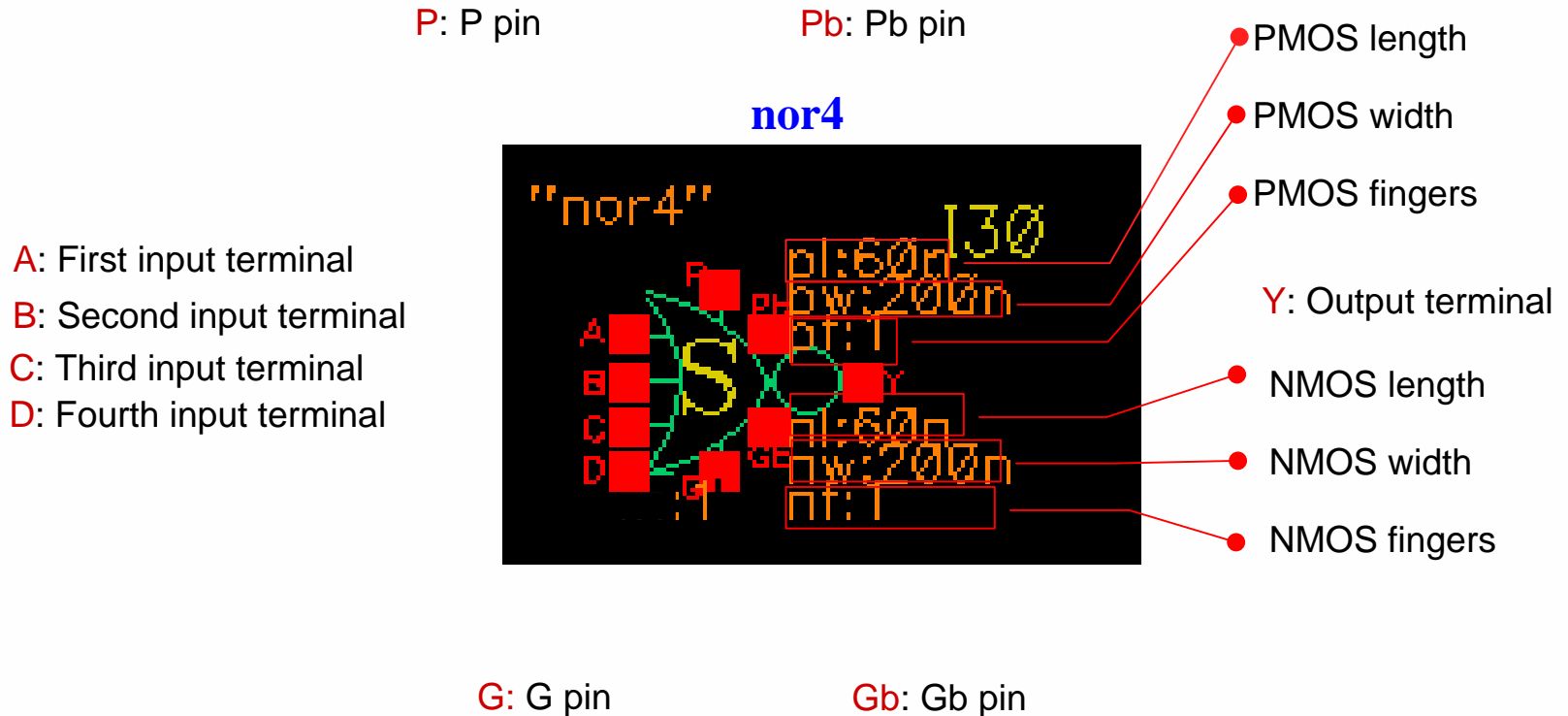
- The following figure shows the symbol for a nor-3T gate :



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● The Symbol Display Information:

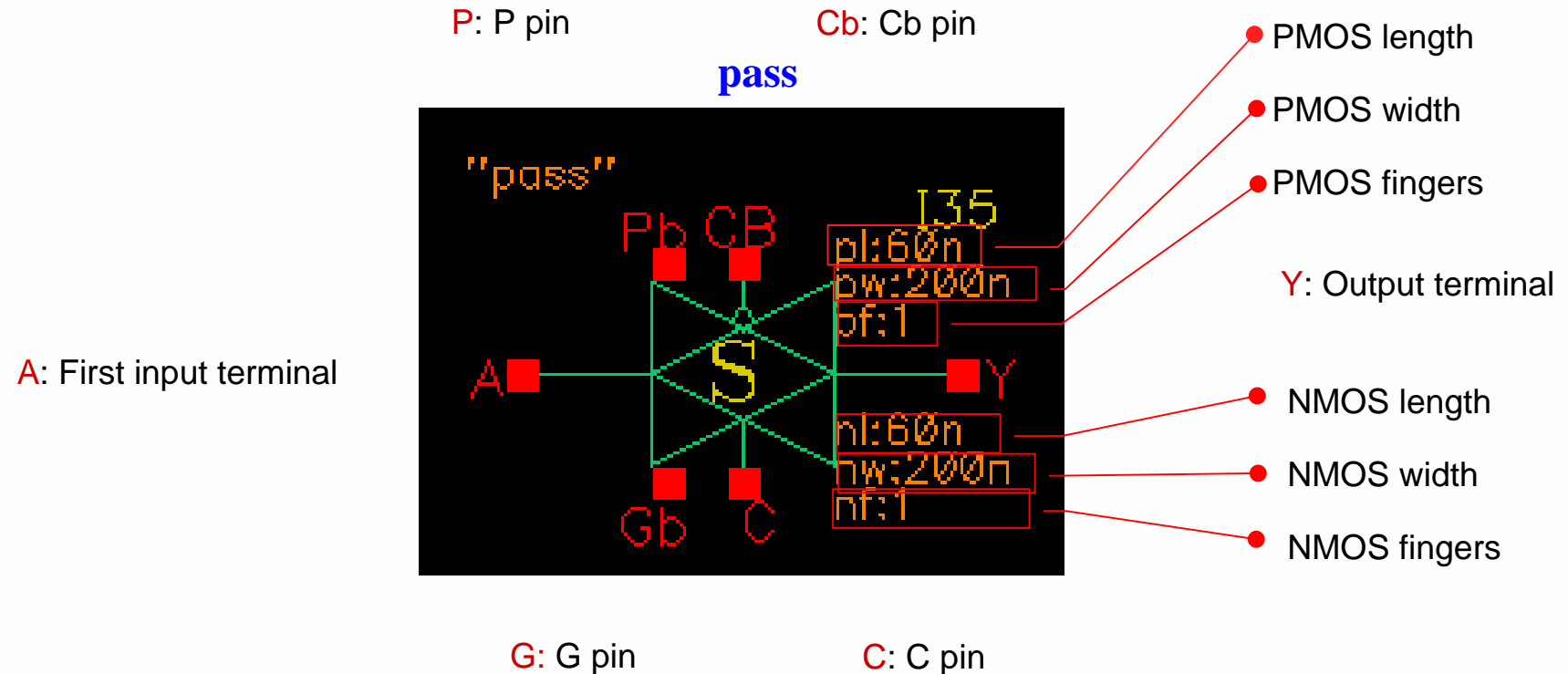
- The following figure shows the symbol for a nor-4T gate :



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● The Symbol Display Information:

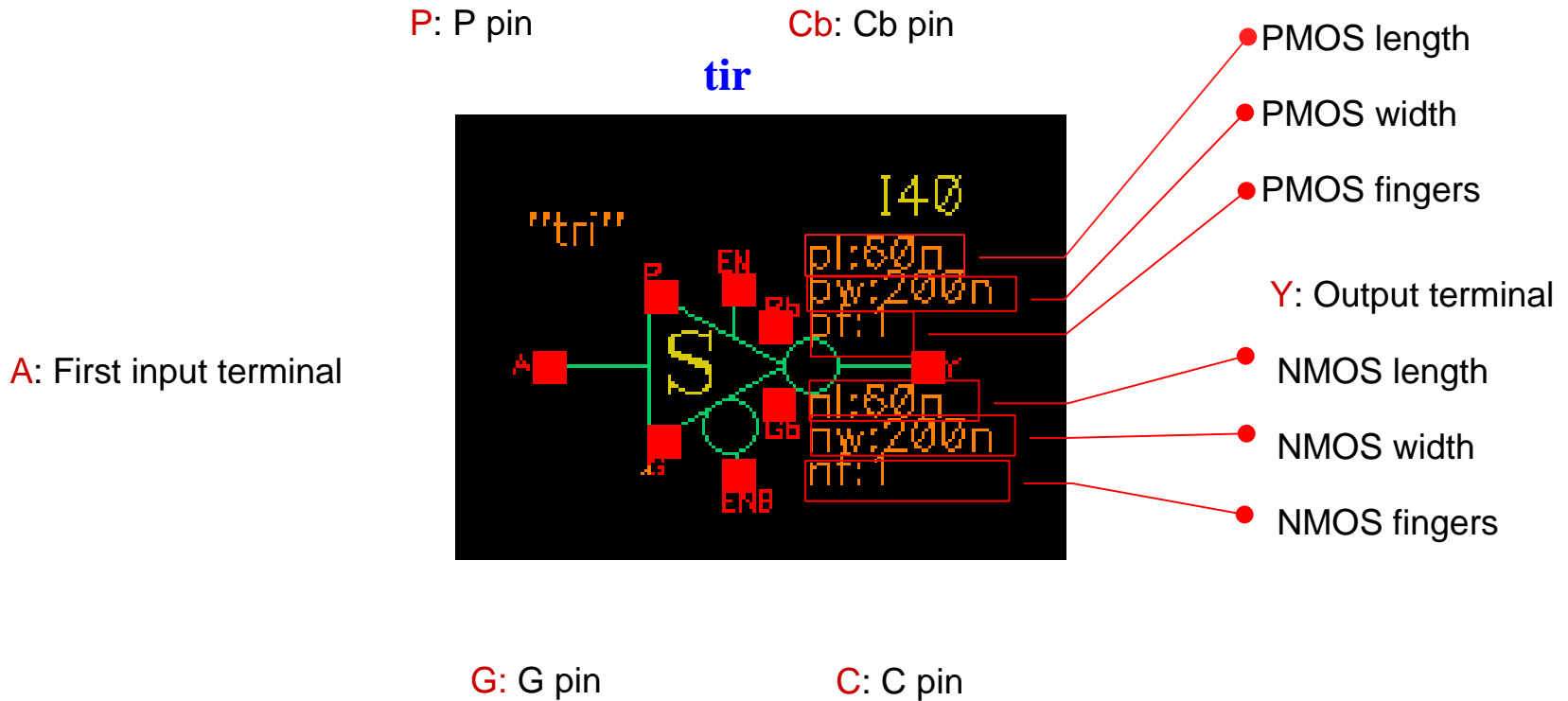
- The following figure shows the symbol for a pass gate :



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● The Symbol Display Information:

- The following figure shows the symbol for a Tri state inverter gate :



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● Device Table:

- The devices in this PDK are list as below table:

Categories	Device
Bipolar	nnp, npn_mis, vpnp, vpnp3, vpnp_mis
Capacitor_BB	crtmom, cfmom, cfmom_mx, mimcap_1p0_sin_3t, mimcap_1p0_sin, mimcap_2p0_sin_3t, mimcap_2p0_sin
Capacitor_rf	mimcap_rf_2p0, mimcap_rf_40k_2p0, cfmom_rf
Diode	dioden, dioden3v, diodenw, diodenw3v, diodep, diodep3v, ndio_m, ndio_3m, pdio_m sbd_rf, sbd_rf_nw
Mos	nmos2vx, nmos2vdnwx, nmos3vx, nmos3vdnwx, nmosmvt2vx, nmosmvt3vx, nmosnvt2vx, nmosnvt3vx, pmos2vx, pmos3vx, pmosmvt2vx, nmos2v_macx, nmos3v_macx, nmosmvt2v_macx, pmos3v_macx, pmosmvt2v_macx, nmosmvt3v_macx, nmosnvt2v_macx, nmosnvt3v_macx, pmos2v_macx, nmos2v, nmos2vdnw, nmos3v, nmos3vdnw, nmosmvt2v, nmosmvt3v, nmosnvt2v, nmosnvt3v, pmos2v, pmos3v, pmosmvt2v
Mos_rf	rfnmos2v, rfnmos3v, rfpmos2v, rfpmos3v, rfpmos2v_nw, rfpmos3v_nw, rfpmos2v_5t, rfpmos2v_nw_5t, rfpmos3v_5t, rfpmos3v_nw_5t, rfnmos2v_6t, rfnmos3v_6t,
Mos_mac	pmosmvt2v_mac, nmos2v_mac, nmos3v_mac, nmosmvt2v_mac, nmosmvt3v_mac, nmosnvt2v_mac, nmosnvt3v_mac, pmos2v_mac, pmos3v_mac
Res	rm1, rm2, rm3, rm4, rm5, rmt, rmu_40k rnhpoly, rpplus_2t, rhpoly, rnlplus_2t, rnlpoly, rnplus_2t, rnwell, rnwod_2t, rphripoly, rplplus_2t, rlpoly, rnhpoly_dis, rnlplus, rnlpoly_dis, rnplus, rnwod, rnwsti_m, rhpoly_dis, rphripoly_dis, rphripoly_rf, rlpoly_rf, rhpoly_rf, rplplus, rlpoly_dis, rpplus
Special device	dio_dnwpsub, dio_pwdnw, diodesd3v
Varactor	mos_var_b, mos_var_b3, jvar, moscap_rf, moscap_rf_nw, moscap_rf33, moscap_rf33_nw

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● Device Table:

- The devices in this PDK are list as below table:

Logic Gates	Device
pass	pass_2v, pass_3v, pass_mvt2v, pass_2v_mac, pass_3v_mac, pass_mvt2v_mac,
Tri	tri_2v, tri_3v, tri_mvt2v, tri_2v_mac, tri_3v_mac, tri_mvt2v_mac,
Nor	nor2_2v, nor2_3v, nor2_mvt2v, nor3_2v, nor3_3v, nor3_mvt2v, nor4_2v, nor4_3v, nor4_mvt2v, nor2_2v_mac, nor2_3v_mac, nor2_mvt2v_mac, nor3_2v_mac, nor3_3v_mac, nor3_mvt2v_mac, nor4_2v_mac, nor4_3v_mac, nor4_mvt2v_mac
Nand	nand2_2v, nand2_3v, nand2_mvt2v, nand3_2v, nand3_3v, nand3_mvt2v, nand4_2v, nand4_3v, nand4_mvt2v, nand2_2v_mac, nand2_3v_mac, nand2_mvt2v_mac, nand3_2v_mac, nand3_3v_mac, nand3_mvt2v_mac, nand4_2v_mac, nand4_3v_mac, nand4_mvt2v_mac
Inv	inv_2v, inv_3v, inv_mvt2v, inv_2v_mac, inv_3v_mac, inv_mvt2v_mac
	Device
PAD	lcsd1_rf, lcsd2_rf
Inductor	spiral_std_mu_x_20k, spiral_sym_mu_x_20k, spiral_sym_ct_mu_x_20k, spiral_std_mu_x_40k, spiral_sym_mu_x_40k, spiral_sym_ct_mu_x_40k

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● MOS Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in MOS are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	nmos2v	value
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	M4	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	nch	off
description	1.8V nominal VT NMOS transistor	off
L (M)	180n	off
W (M)	2u	off
total_width(M)	2u	off
Number of Fingers	1	off
Multiplier	1	off
total_m	1	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
S D swap	<input type="checkbox"/>	off
Calc Diff Params	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Calc SA SB SD	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

◆ **Model name:** Display Model name information.

(These parameters can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Description:** Display device description.

(These parameters can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **L (M):** Channel length of the device.

◆ **W (M):** Channel width of the device.

◆ **Total_width(M):** Total channel width of this device, equal to width x fingers.

◆ **Number of Fingers_(N):** Numbers of poly fingers.

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◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel MOS device.

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◆ **Total_m:** Display numbers of parallel MOS device.

(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

◆ **S D swap:** Enable this function to swap source and drain terminal

◆ **Calc Diff Params:** The switch provide to modify simulation parameters.

◆ **Calc SA SB SD:** The switch provide to modify simulation SA, SB and SB.

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Source_area	9.6e-13	off
Drain_area	9.6e-13	off
Source_periphery_(M)	4.96u M	off
Drain_periphery_(M)	4.96u M	off
NRS	0.135	off
NRD	0.135	off
SA(LOD_effect)_(M)	480n M	off
SB(LOD_effect)_(M)	480n M	off
Well Proximity Effect Cal. Method	off	off
LDE pre-set	Preset1	off
Gate_to_Right_NWell_Enc(SC_R) (M)	910n M	off
Gate_to_Left_NWell_Enc(SC_L) (M)	910n M	off
Gate_to_Top_NWell_Enc(SC_T) (M)	430n M	off
Gate_to_Bottom_NWell_Enc(SC_B) (M)	430n M	off
SCA	0	off
SCB	0	off
SCC	0	off

- ◆ **Source_area:** Source area (AS) - for simulate use.
- ◆ **Drain_area:** Drain area (AD) - for simulate use.
- ◆ **Source_periphery:** Source periphery (PS) - for simulate use.
- ◆ **Drain_periphery:** Drain periphery (PD) - for simulate use.
- ◆ **NRS:** Number of squares source resistance – for simulate use.
- ◆ **NRD:** Number of squares drain resistance – for simulate use.
- ◆ **SA(LOD_effect)_(M):** LOD effect parameter – for simulate use.
- ◆ **SA(LOD_effect)_(M):** LOD effect parameter – for simulate use.

- ◆ **LDE pre-set:** MOS LDE effect pre-set parameter, Gate to N-well enclosure distance - for simulate use.

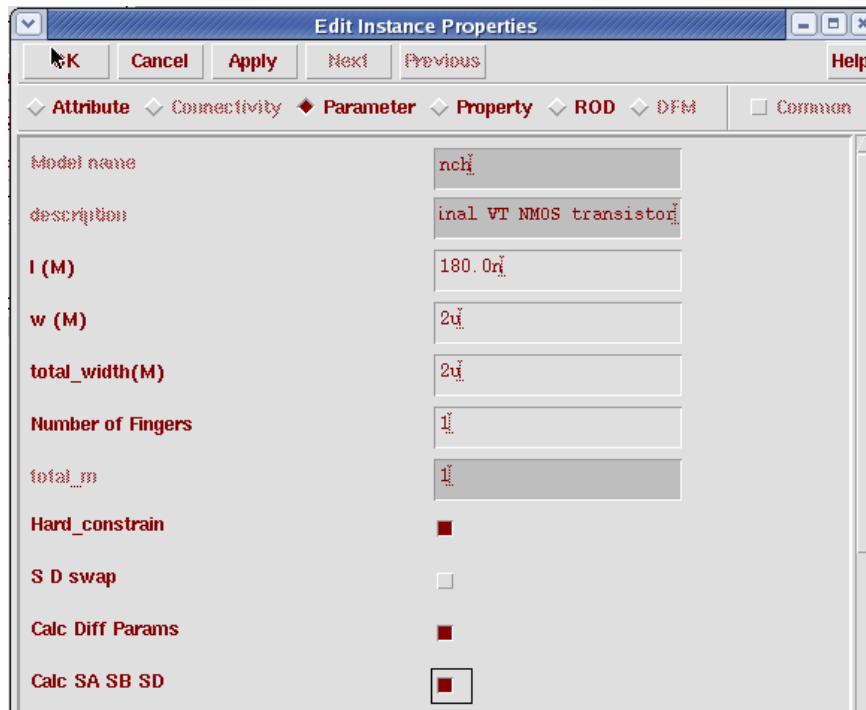
- ◆ **SCA (M):** WPE SCA parameter. - for simulate use
- ◆ **SCB (M):** WPE SCB parameter. - for simulate use
- ◆ **SCC (M):** WPE SCC parameter. - for simulate use

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● MOS Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **layout** component description format (CDF) parameter in MOS are list as below:



Parameter	Value
Model name	nch
description	1nal VT NMOS transistor
L (M)	180.0n
W (M)	2u
total_width(M)	2u
Number of Fingers	1
total_m	1
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
S D swap	<input type="checkbox"/>
Calc Diff Params	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Calc SA SB SD	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

◆ **Model name:** Display Model name information.

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◆ **L (M):** Channel length of the device.

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◆ **Total_m:** Display numbers of parallel MOS device.

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◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

◆ **S D swap:** Enable this function to swap source and drain terminal.

◆ **Calc Diff Params:** The switch provide to modify simulation parameters. [Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Calc SA SB SD:** The switch provide to modify simulation SA, SB and SB.

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NRS	0.135
NRD	0.135
SA(LOD_effect)_(M)	480.0n
SB(LOD_effect)_(M)	480.0n
Well Proximity Effect Cal. Method	off
LDE pre-set	Preset1
Gate_to_Right_NWell_Enc(SC_R) (M)	910n
Gate_to_Left_NWell_Enc(SC_L) (M)	910n
Gate_to_Top_PWell_Enc(SC_T) (M)	430n
Gate_to_Bottom_PWell_Enc(SC_B) (M)	430n

◆ **Source_area:** Source area (AS) - for simulate use.

◆ **Drain_area:** Drain area (AD) - for simulate use.

◆ **Source_periphery:** Source periphery (PS) - for simulate use.

◆ **Drain_periphery:** Drain periphery (PD) - for simulate use.

◆ **NRS:** Number of squares source resistance – for simulate use.

◆ **NRD:** Number of squares drain resistance – for simulate use.

◆ **SA(LOD_effect)_(M):** LOD effect parameter – for simulate use.

◆ **SB(LOD_effect)_(M):** LOD effect parameter – for simulate use.

◆ **Well Proximity Effect Cal. Method:**

two entry methods for WPE parameters:

off => use model default values.

custom => user input desire value by self.

◆ **LDE pre-set:** MOS LDE effect pre-set parameter, Gate to N-well enclosure distance - for simulate use.

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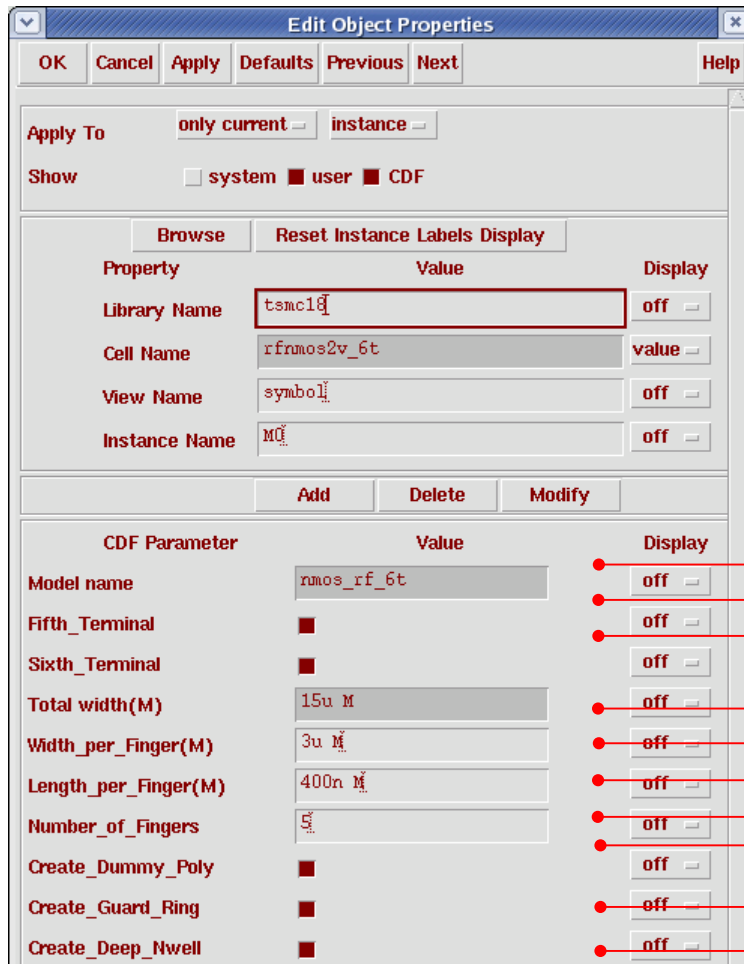
SCA	<input type="text" value="0"/>
SCB	<input type="text" value="0"/>
SCC	<input type="text" value="0"/>
leftCnt	<input type="checkbox"/>
rightCnt	<input type="checkbox"/>
routePolydir	<input type="text" value="None"/>
bodytie_typeL	<input type="text" value="None"/>
bodytie_typeR	<input type="text" value="None"/>
Text size	<input type="text" value="0.05"/>
Imp layer	<input type="checkbox"/>

- ◆ **SCA (M)**: WPE SCA parameter. - for simulate use
- ◆ **SCB (M)**: WPE SCB parameter. - for simulate use
- ◆ **SCC (M)**: WPE SCC parameter. - for simulate use
- ◆ **leftCnt**: A option for drawing poly-left diffusion area metal1 connection.
- ◆ **rightCnt**: A option for drawing poly-right diffusion area metal1 connection.
- ◆ **routePolydir**: (*None, Top, Bottom, Both*) A option for drawing poly gate connection.
[Check here for more information](#)
- ◆ **bodytie_typeL**: (*None, Integrated, Detached*) A option for drawing body connection.
- ◆ **bodytie_typeR**: (*None, Integrated, Detached*) A option for drawing body connection.
[Check here for more information](#)
- ◆ **Text size**: The function can modify the font value in layout view.
- ◆ **Imp layer**: The function provide a option for well implant.

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● MOS Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in rf_MOS are list as below:



Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	rfrmos2v_6t	value
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	M0	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	rmos_rf_6t	off
Fifth_Terminal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Sixth_Terminal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Total width(M)	15u M	off
Width_per_Finger(M)	3u M	off
Length_per_Finger(M)	400n M	off
Number_of_Fingers	1	off
Create_Dummy_Poly	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Create_Guard_Ring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Create_Deep_Nwell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

◆ **Model name:** Display Model name information.

(These parameters can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Fifth_terminal(M):** An option for the fifth terminal.

Sixth_terminal(M): An option for the sixth parameter.

◆ **Total_width(M):** Total channel width of this device, equal to width x fingers.

◆ **Width_per_finger(M):** Channel width of the device.

◆ **Length_per_finger(M):** Channel length of the device.

◆ **Number of Fingers:** Numbers of poly fingers.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Create_Dummy_poly:** This function provides an option for create dummy poly

◆ **Create_Guard_Ring:** Display guard ring in MOS device.

◆ **Create_Deep_Nwell:** This function provides an option for create deep Nwell.

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● MOS Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in rf_MOS are list as below:

With Mismatch Effect	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="button" value="off"/>
Mismatch_Sigma	<input type="text" value="1"/>	<input type="button" value="off"/>
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="button" value="off"/>
Well_Proximity_Effect	<input type="button" value="off"/>	<input type="button" value="off"/>
SCA	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="button" value="off"/>
SCB	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="button" value="off"/>
SCC	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="button" value="off"/>
SD(Fingers_Spacing)_(M)	<input type="text" value="540n M"/>	<input type="button" value="off"/>
SA(LOD_effect)_(M)	<input type="text" value="4.07872u M"/>	<input type="button" value="off"/>

◆ **With Mismatch Effect:** Option for run mismatch effect

◆ **Mismatch_sigma:** The value determinate the mismatch effect distribution range on statistics.

◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option for constrain

◆ **Well_Proximity_Effect:** Option for WEP - for simulate use

◆ **SCA :** WPE SCA parameter. - for simulate use

◆ **SCB :** WPE SCB parameter. - for simulate use

◆ **SCC :** WPE SCC parameter. - for simulate use

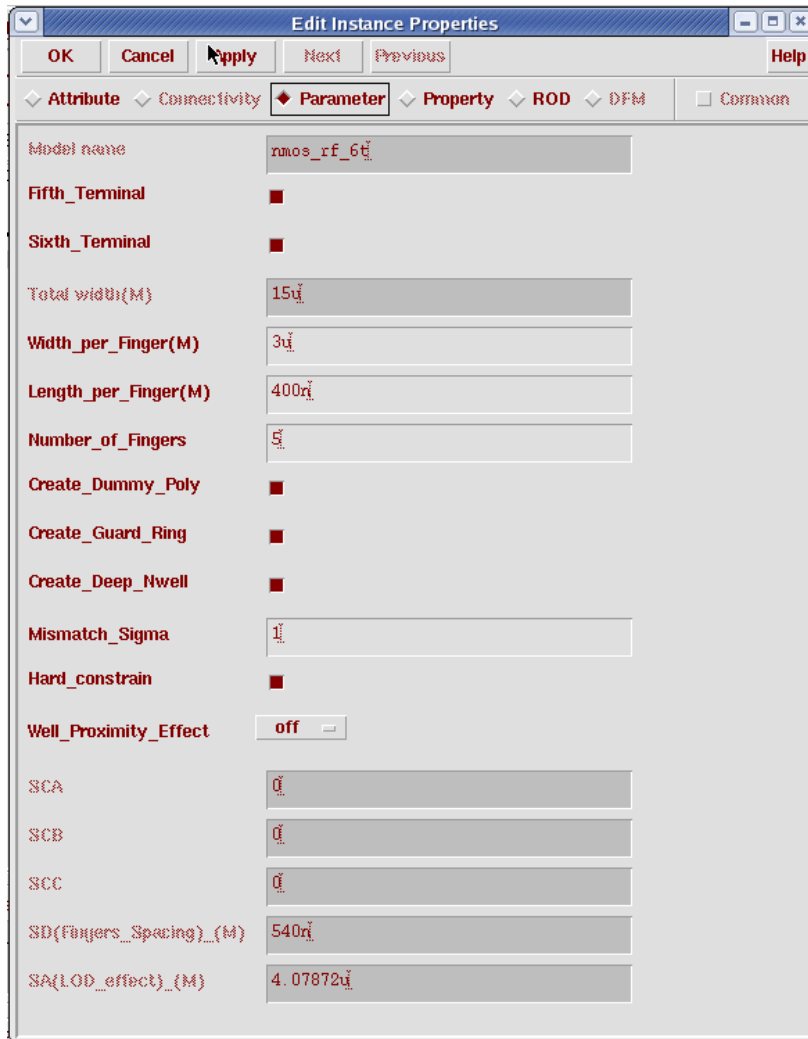
◆ **SD(Fingers_Spacing)_(M):** LOD effect parameter – for simulate use

◆ **SA(LOD_effect)_(M):** LOD effect parameter – for simulate use.

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● MOS Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **layout** component description format (CDF) parameter in MOS are list as below:



Parameter	Value
Model name	rmos_rf_6t
Fifth_Terminal	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sixth_Terminal	<input type="checkbox"/>
Total width(M)	15u
Width_per_Finger(M)	3u
Length_per_Finger(M)	400u
Number_of_Fingers	5
Create_Dummy_Poly	<input type="checkbox"/>
Create_Guard_Ring	<input type="checkbox"/>
Create_Deep_Nwell	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mismatch_Sigma	1
Hard_constrain	<input type="checkbox"/>
Well_Proximity_Effect	off
SCA	0
SCB	0
SCC	0
SD(Fingers_Spacing)_ (M)	540u
SA(LOD_effect)_ (M)	4.07872u

- ◆ **Model name:** Display Model name information.
- ◆ **Fifth_terminal(M):** An option for the fifth terminal.
- ◆ **Sixth_terminal(M):** An option for the sixth terminal.
- ◆ **Total_width(M):** Total channel width of this device, equal to width x fingers.
- ◆ **Width_per_finger(M):** Channel width of the device.
- ◆ **Length_per_finger(M):** Channel length of the device.
- ◆ **Number of Fingers:** Numbers of poly fingers.
- ◆ **Create_Dummy_poly:** This function provides an option for create dummy poly
- ◆ **Create_Guard_Ring:** Display guard ring in MOS device.
- ◆ **Create_Deep_Nwell:** An option for create deep Nwell
- ◆ **With Mismatch Effect:** An option for run mismatch effect
- ◆ **Mismatch_sigma:** The value determinate the mismatch effect distribution range on statistics.
- ◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain
- ◆ **Well_Proximity_Effect:** Option for WEP - **for simulate use**
- ◆ **SCA/SCB/SCC :** WPE SCA parameter. - **for simulate use**
- ◆ **SD(Fingers_Spacing)_ (M):** LOD effect parameter
- ◆ **SA(LOD_effect)_ (M):** LOD effect parameter – **for simulate use.**
(Parameters with pale hue can't be modify in CDF form)

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● BJT Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameters in BJT are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	nnp	value
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	Q1	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	nnp10	off
description	1.8V NPN BIPOLAR	off
EmitterSize	10x10	off
EmitterArea	1e-10	off
Multiplier	1	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.

◆ **Description:** Display device description.
(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **EmitterSize:** (2X2, 5X5, 10X10) Select the bjt dimension in design layout.
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◆ **EmitterArea:** Display the bjt emitter area.
(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel BJT device.
[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

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● Resistance (1) Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in resistance are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	rm1	value
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	R1	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	rm1	off
Total resistance(ohms)	89.7m Ohms	off
LVS Resistance(ohms)	78m Ohms	off
Width(M)	230n M	off
Length(M)	230n M	off
Multiplier	1	off
Rsh(ohms/square)	78m	off
Res_update_method	I & W	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

- ◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.
- ◆ **Total resistance(ohms):** Device resistance value.
- ◆ **LVS resistance (ohms) :** Display resistor for LVS compare.
(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)
- ◆ **Width(M):** Device segment width.
- ◆ **Length(M):** Device segment length.
- ◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel Diode device.
[Check here for more information](#)
- ◆ **Rs(ohms/square):** Display the device Rs value.
(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)
- ◆ **Res_update_method:** (I & W, Res & W) Res update method, please review **segment width** and **segment length** function.
- ◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

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● Resistance(2) Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in resistance are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	rnhpoly	value
View Name	spectre	off
Instance Name	R0	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	rnpolrpo	off
description	sistor without silicide	off
Total resistance(ohms)	1.408514K Ohms	off
Total width(M)	2u M	off
Segment width(M)	2u M	off
Total length(M)	8.92u M	off
Segment length(M)	8.92u M	off
Multiplier	1	off
Rs(ohms/square)	295.3	off
Resistor connection	◆ Series ◇ Parallel	off
Number of segments	1	off
Segment spacing(M)	250n M	off
Cont columns	1	off
With Mismatch Effect	■	off
Hard constrain	■	off
Res_update_method	I & W	off

◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.

◆ **Description:** Display device description.

(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Total resistance(ohms):** Device resistance value.

◆ **Segment width(M):** Device segment width.

◆ **Segment length(M):** Device segment length.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Total width(M):** Display the device segment width.

◆ **Total length(M):** Display the device segment length.

◆ **Rs(ohms/square):** Display the device Rs value.

(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel Diode device.

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◆ **Resistor connection:** Device resistance value.

◆ **Number of segment:** Device segment width.

◆ **Segment spacing(M):** Device segment length.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Cont columns:** Device contact columns number.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Hard constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

◆ **Res_update_method:** (I & W, Res & W) Res update method, please review **segment width** and **segment length** function.

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● Resistance(3) Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in resistance are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	rphpoly_rf	value
View Name	spectre	off
Instance Name	R0	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	rppolywo_rf	off
Resistance(OHMS)	1.05811K Ohms	off
Width(M)	2u M	off
Length(M)	6u M	off
Create_Guard_Ring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
multiplier	1	off
With Mismatch Effect	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.

◆ **Resistance(OHMS):** Device total resistance value.
(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Width(M):** Device segment width.

◆ **Length(M):** Device segment length.

◆ **Create_Guard_Ring:** An option to create guard ring.

◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel Diode device.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **With Mismatch Effect:** Turn on/off mismatch flag

◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

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● Diode Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameters in Diode are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	sbd_rf	value
View Name	spectre	off
Instance Name	D0	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	sbd_rf	off
Length_per_Finger(M)	2u	off
Width_per_Finger(M)	4u	off
Fingers_Number	1	off
Total_area	8p	off
Total_peri	12u	off
multiplier	1	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.

◆ **Diode_area:** Display the diode area.

◆ **Diode peri:** Display the diode periphery.

(These parameters can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Length_(M):** Junction length of the device.

◆ **Width_(M):** Junction Width of the device.

◆ **Fingers_Number:** Fingers

◆ **Total_area:** Diode total area

◆ **Total_peri:** Diode total periphery

◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel Diode device.

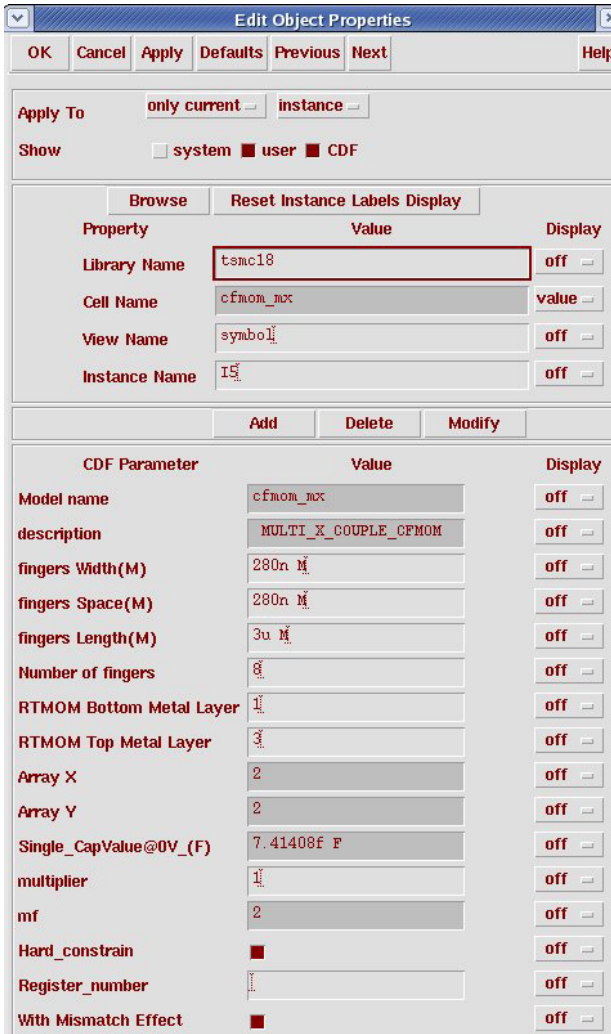
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◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

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Capacitor(1) Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameters in cfmom_mx are list as below:



Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	cfmom_mx	value
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	I5	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	cfmom_mx	off
description	MULTI_X_COUPLE_CFMOM	off
fingers Width(M)	280n	off
fingers Space(M)	280n	off
fingers Length(M)	3u	off
Number of fingers	8	off
RTMOM Bottom Metal Layer	1	off
RTMOM Top Metal Layer	3	off
Array X	2	off
Array Y	2	off
Single_CapValue@0V_(F)	7.41408E F	off
multiplier	1	off
mf	2	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Register_number	1	off
With Mismatch Effect	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

- ◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.
- ◆ **Description:** Display device description.
(These parameters can't be modify in CDF form)
- ◆ **Fingers width:** width for each finger
- ◆ **Fingers space:** space between each finger
- ◆ **Fingers length:** length for each finger
- ◆ **Number of fingers:** total numbers of fingers
- ◆ **RTMOM Bottom metal layer:** set up the bottom metal layer
- ◆ **RTMOM TOP metal layer:** set up the top metal layer
- ◆ **Array X:** Numbers of layout blocks in x direction.
- ◆ **Array Y:** Numbers of layout blocks in y direction.
- ◆ **Single_CapValue@0V_(F):** Device capacitance information.
(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)
- ◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel cfmom_mx devices.
[Check here for more information](#)
- ◆ **mf:** (Array X * Array Y) / 2.
(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)
- ◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.
- ◆ **Register_number:** Need a key from TSMC to display the layout view.
- ◆ **With Mismatch Effect:** Option for run mismatch effect

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● Capacitor(2) Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameters in cfmom are list as below:

Edit Object Properties

OK Cancel Apply Defaults Previous Next Help

Apply To: ☐ only current ☐ instance

Show: ☐ system ☒ user ☐ CDF

Browse Reset Instance Labels Display

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	cfmom	value
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	C5	off

Add Delete Modify

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	cfmom	off
description	CFMOM	off
fingers Width(M)	280n M	off
fingers Space(M)	280n M	off
fingers Length(M)	3u M	off
Number of fingers	8	off
RTMOM Bottom Metal Layer	1	off
RTMOM Top Metal Layer	4	off
CapValue@0V(F)	7.41408f F	off
multiplier	1	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Register_number		off
With Mismatch Effect	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.

◆ **Description:** Display device description.

(These parameters can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Fingers width:** width for each finger

◆ **Fingers space:** space between each finger

◆ **Fingers length:** length for each finger

◆ **Number of fingers:** total numbers of fingers

◆ **RTMOM Bottom metal layer:** set up the bottom metal layer

◆ **RTMOM TOP metal layer:** set up the top metal layer

◆ **CapValue@0V(F):** Device capacitance information.

(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel cfmom devices.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

◆ **Register_number:** Need a key from TSMC to display the layout view.

◆ **With Mismatch Effect:** Option for run mismatch effect

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Capacitor(3) Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameters in crtmom are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	crtmom	value
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	C3	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	crtmom	off
description	CRIMOM	off
fingers Width(M)	280n M	off
fingers Space(M)	280n M	off
Number of horizontal fingers	32	off
Number of vertical fingers	32	off
RTMOM Bottom Metal Layer	1	off
RTMOM Top Metal Layer	2	off
CapValue@3V_(F)	171.959039F	off
CapValue@0V_(F)	171.959114F	off
multiplier	1	off
Dummy OD	ON	off
Register_number		off
With Mismatch Effect	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.

◆ **Description:** Display device description.

(These parameters can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Fingers width:** width for each finger

◆ **Fingers space:** space between each finger

◆ **Number of horizontal fingers:** total fingers in the horizontal direction

◆ **Number of vertical fingers:** total fingers in the vertical direction

◆ **RTMOM Bottom metal layer:** set up the bottom metal layer

◆ **RTMOM TOP metal layer:** set up the top metal layer

◆ **CapValue@3V(F):** Device capacitance information.

◆ **CapValue@0V(F):** Device capacitance information.

(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel crtmom devices.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Dummy OD:** Create shading OD to prevent from parasitic effects

◆ **Register_number:** Need a key from TSMC to display the layout view.

◆ **With Mismatch Effect:** Option for run mismatch effect

◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

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● Capacitor(4) Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameters in mimcap are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	mimcap_1p0_sin	value
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	C0	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	mimcap_1p0_sin	off
Entry_mode	l & w	off
Capacitance(F)	112.2f F	off
Width(M)	10u M	off
Length(M)	10u M	off
Create_Leading_terminals	<input type="checkbox"/>	off
Leading_terminal_width(M)	1.5u M	off
Leading_terminal_length(M)	2.005u M	off
Multiplier	1	off
With Mismatch Effect	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Circuit_under_pad	<input type="checkbox"/>	off

◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.

(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Entry_method:** (l & w, c, c & w) capacitor update method.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Capacitance:** Capacitance information.

(This parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Width_(M):** Input capacitor metal width.

◆ **Length_(M):** Input capacitor metal length.

◆ **Create_Leading_terminals:** A option to create leading terminals.

◆ **Leading_terminals_Width(M):** This parameter can be modify in layout CDF form, use can modify the terminal width.

◆ **Leading_terminals_length(M):** This parameter can be modify in layout CDF form, use can modify the terminal length.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel Capacitor device.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **With Mismatch Effect:** Option for run mismatch effect

◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

◆ **Circuit_under_pad:** By adding dummy layer on mimcap, LVS can recognize the device below this mimcap if this switch is turned on

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● Varactor Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in varactor are list as below:

Edit Object Properties

OK Cancel Apply Defaults Previous Next Help

Apply To: ☐ only current ☐ instance

Show: ☐ system ☒ user ☐ CDF

Property Value Display

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	moscap_rf	value
View Name	spectre	off
Instance Name	C0	off

Add Delete Modify

CDF Parameter Value Display

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	moscap_rf	off
Capacitance{@V=0}(F)	194.725f F	off
Cmin{@V=-vdd}(F)	92.3955f F	off
Cmax{@V=vdd}(F)	252.17f F	off
Width_per_Finger(M)	2.5u M	off
Length_per_Finger(M)	500n M	off
Fingers_per_Group(B)	10	off
Number_of_Groups(G)	2	off
Create_Guard_Ring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
multiplier	1	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

- ◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.
- ◆ **Capacitance{@V=0}(F):** Display the capacitance value in 0V.
- ◆ **Cmin{@V=-vdd}(F):** Display the capacitance value in -vdd
- ◆ **Cmax{@V=vdd}(F):** Display the capacitance value in vdd
(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)
- ◆ **Length_per_Finger(M):** Device width.
- ◆ **Width_per_Finger(M):** Device length.
- ◆ **Fingers_per_Group(B):** Device finger numbers.
- ◆ **Numbers_per_Group(G):** Device group numbers.
[Check here for more information](#)
- ◆ **Create_Guard_Ring:** A option to create guarding.
- ◆ **Total area:** Device total area.
- ◆ **Total perl:** Device total perl.
(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)
- ◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel Varactor device.
[Check here for more information](#)
- ◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

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● Pad Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in pad_device are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	lcesd1_rf	value
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	IQ	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	lcesd1_rf	off
description	50f LC ESD_DIODE	off
Multiplier	1	off
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off

◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.

◆ **Description:** Display device description.

(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel Varactor device.

[Check here for more information](#)

◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

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● Inductor Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in Inductor are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	spiral_sym_ct_mu_x_20k	value
View Name	spectre	off
Instance Name	L1	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	spiral_sym_ct_mu_x_20k	off
Approx. inductance(H)	182.6543p H	off
Q_factor	1.637	off
Inductor_Width_(M)	3u M	off
Inner_Radius_(M)	30u M	off
Number_Of_Turns	1	off
Spacing_(M)	3u M	off
Guard_Ring_Distances_(M)	50u M	off
temp(C)	27 C	off
freq(Hz)	2.4G Hz	off

◆ **Model name:** Display model name information.

◆ **Approx inductance(H):** Display Approx inductance device description

(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Inductor_Width(M):** Inductor Metal line width.

◆ **Inner Radius(M):** Cycle Inductor radius.

◆ **Number_Of_Turns:** The turns number of the cycle inductor.

◆ **Spacing_(M):** Display inductor space.

◆ **Guard_Ring_Distances_(M):** Guard ring distance

◆ **temp(C):** Define working temperature

◆ **freq(Hz):** Define working frequency

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● Inductor Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameter in Inductor are list as below:

Finder	
SweepPlotter(L_Q)	
L_value_single_ended(H)	182.6543p H
Q_factor_single_ended	1.637
Inductor_area_width(M)	166.00u M
Inductor_area_length(M)	167.00u M
multiplier	1
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

◆ **Finder:** tsmc inductor finder

◆ **SweepPlotter(L_Q):** tsmc inductor sweep plotter

◆ **L_value_single_ended(H) :** Display inductance

◆ **Q_factor_single_ended:** Display Q factor

◆ **Inductor_area_width(M):** Display inductor width.

◆ **Inductor_area_length(M):** Display inductor length.

(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)

◆ **Multiplier:** Numbers of parallel Inductor device.

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◆ **Hard_constrain:** This function provides an option to constrain the value for each parameter in this device.

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● LogicGate Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameters in inverter are list as below:

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	tsmc18	off
Cell Name	inv_2v	off
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	I2	value

User Property	Master Value	Local Value	Display
hspiceS	(db:65686300)		off
interfaceLastC...	8 13:19:08 2005		off
partName	inv		off
vendorName			off
viewNameList	os.sch schematic		off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	inv_2v	off
description	Standard Vt Inverter	off
Length of PMOS (M)	180n M	off
Width of PMOS (M)	2u M	off
Fingers of PMOS	1	off

- ◆ **HspiceS**: Display model name information.
- ◆ **InterfaceLastC...**: Display device description.
- ◆ **partName**: Display device description.
- ◆ **vendorName**: Display device description.
- ◆ **viewNameList**: Display device description.
(Cell information)
- ◆ **Model name**: Display model name information.
- ◆ **Description**: Display device description.
(These parameter can't be modify in CDF form)
- ◆ **Length of PMOS(M)**: All pmos length.
- ◆ **Width of PMOS(M)**: All pmos width.
- ◆ **Fingers of PMOS(M)**: All pmos fingers.

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● LogicGate Parameterized Cell Function Introduction:

- The **schematic** component description format (CDF) parameters in inverter are list as below:

SA of PMOS (M)	480n M	•	off
SB of PMOS (M)	480n M	•	off
SD of PMOS (M)	540n M	•	off
Length of NMOS (M)	180n M	•	off
Width of NMOS (M)	2u M	•	off
Fingers of NMOS	1	•	off
SA of NMOS (M)	480n M	•	off
SB of NMOS (M)	480n M	•	off
SD of NMOS (M)	540n M	•	off

◆ **SA of PMOS(M)**: All pmos SA.

◆ **SB of PMOS(M)**: All pmos SB. .

◆ **SD of PMOS(M)**: All pmos SD.

◆ **Length of NMOS(M)**: All nmos length.

◆ **Width of NMOS(M)**: All nmos width.

◆ **Fingers of NMOS(M)**: All nmos fingers.

◆ **SA of NMOS(M)**: All nmos SA.

◆ **SB of NMOS(M)**: All nmos SB. .

◆ **SD of NMOS(M)**: All nmos SD.

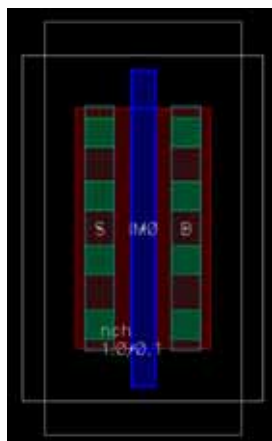
CDF Parameter Description

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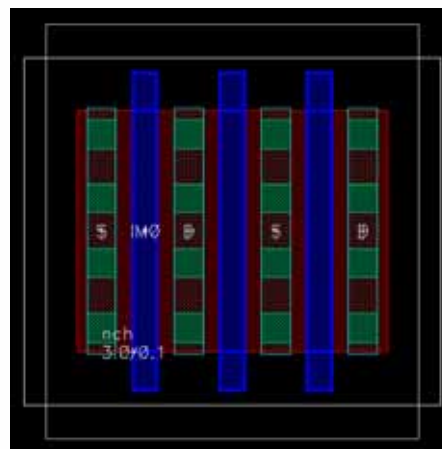
- The function of **Number of Fingers_(N)**

- This parameter provide user to increment the poly finger numbers.

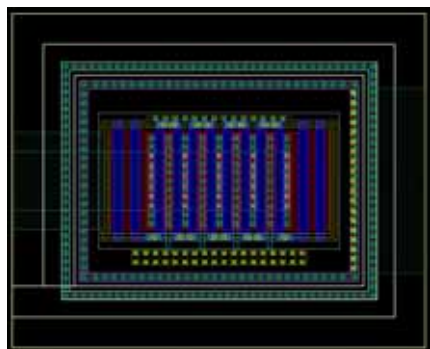
Number of Fingers_(N)=1



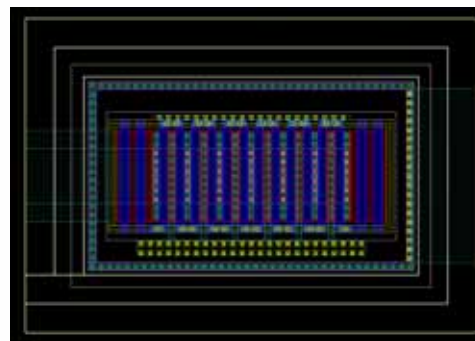
Number of Fingers_(N) =3



Number of Fingers_(N)=8



Number of Fingers_(N) =12



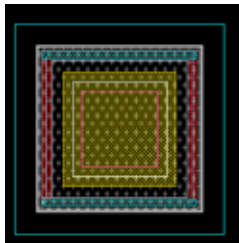
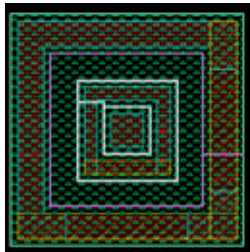
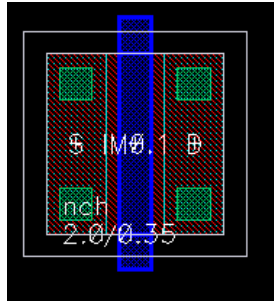
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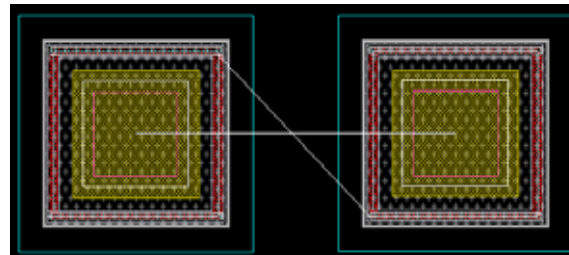
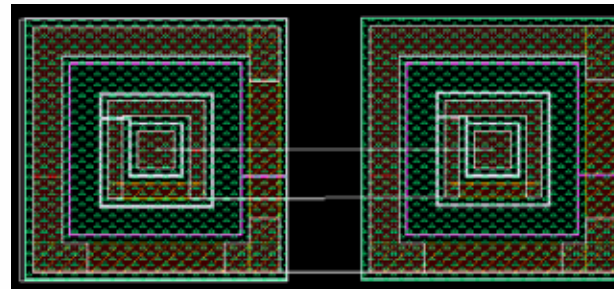
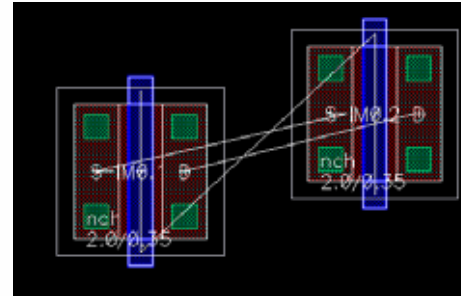
● The function of Multiplier

- This parameter provide user to increment the **parallel** device.

Multiplier = 1



Multiplier = 2



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- The function of **Calc Diff Params** and **Calc SA SB SD**

- It's a switch for input simulation parameter that include area of source (AS), area of drain (AD), periphery of source (PS), periphery of drain (PD), number of squares source resistance (NRS), number of squares drain resistance (NRD) and LOD effect parameter- SA , SB and SD. Modify those parameters only influence simulation conditions, the design layout will not have any different.

Calc Diff Params is enable

Calc Diff Params	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off
Source_area	2.3e-13	off
Drain_area	2.3e-13	off
Source_periphery_(M)	2.46u M	off
Drain_periphery_(M)	2.46u M	off
NRS	0.13	off
NRD	0.13	off

Parameters **can't** be modify

Calc Diff Params is disable

Calc Diff Params	<input type="checkbox"/>	off
Source_area	2.3e-13	off
Drain_area	2.3e-13	off
Source_periphery_(M)	2.46u M	off
Drain_periphery_(M)	2.46u M	off
NRS	0.13	off
NRD	0.13	off

Parameters **can** be modify

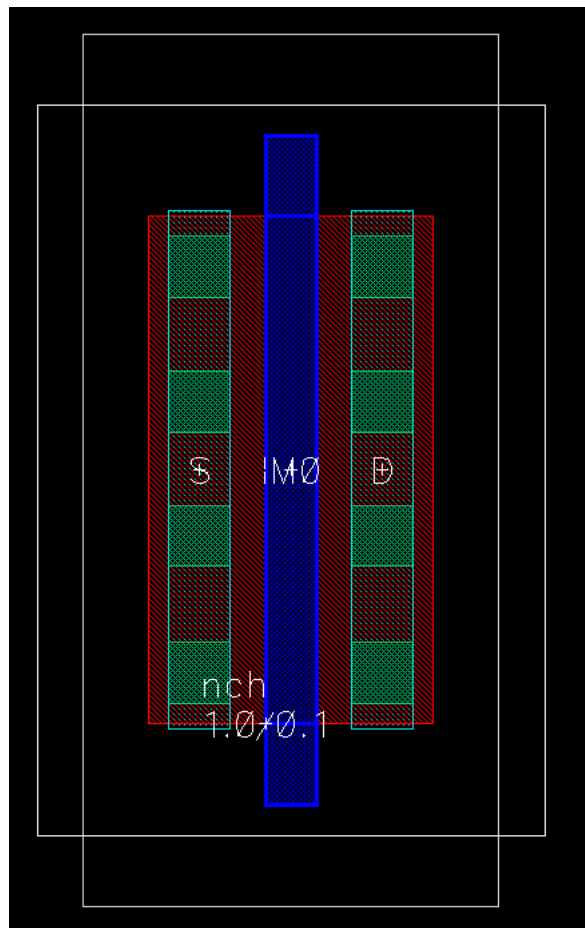
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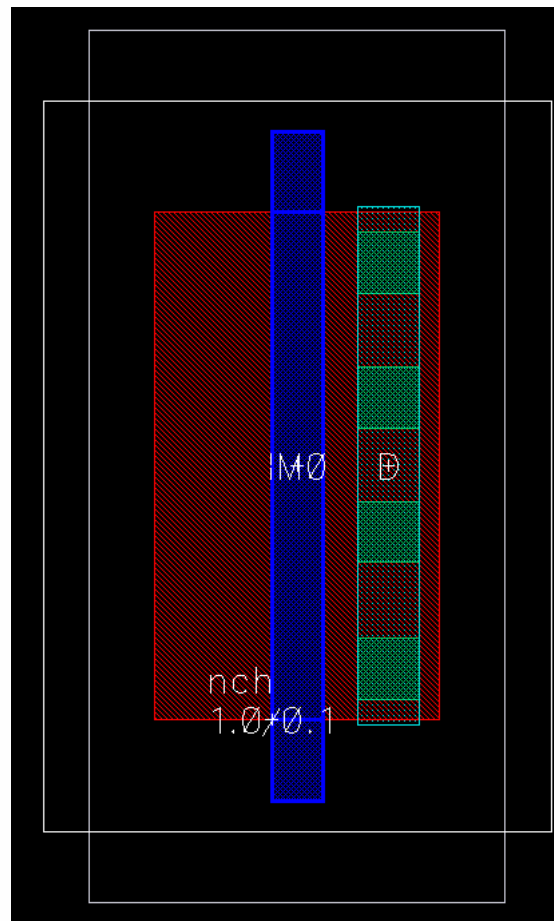
- The function of **leftCnt**, **RightCnt**

- The function provide a option for drawing poly-left (right) diffusion area metal1 connect

leftCnt is enable



leftCnt is Disable



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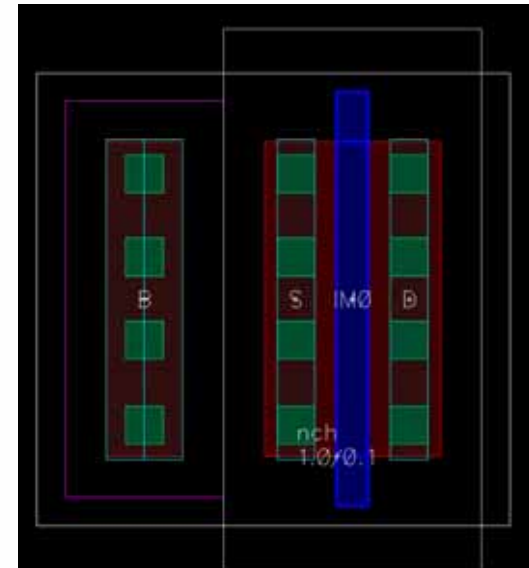
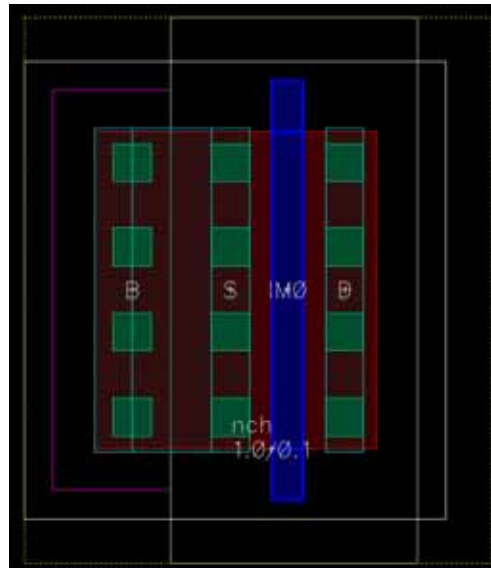
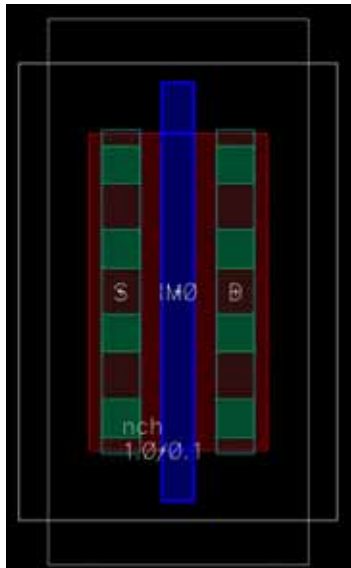
- The function of **bodytie_typeL** and **bodytie_typeR**

- The function provide a option for drawing body connection at the device left (**bodytie_typeL**) or device right (**bodytie_typeR**).

bodytie_typeL is *None*

bodytie_typeL is *Integred*

bodytie_typeL is *Detached*



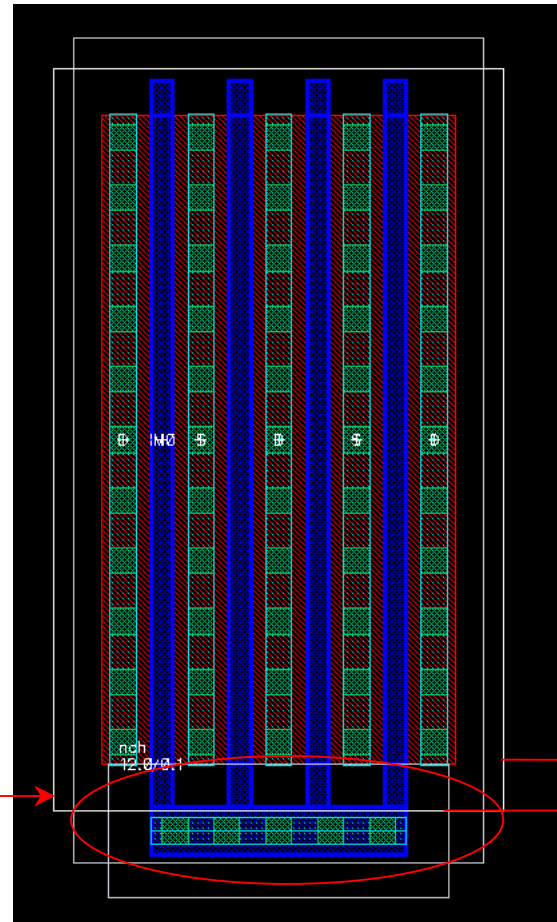
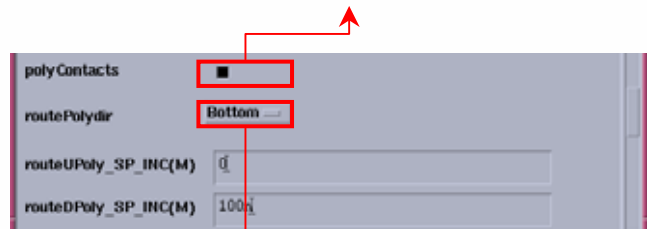
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● The function of **routePolydir**

- The function is provided to drawing poly gate connection. The space of poly gate connection to the diffusion area can be modify by **routeUPoly_SP_INC(M)** and **routeDPoly_SP_INC(M)**².

The **poly Contacts** will appear when **routePolydir** doesn't None. It is an option to draw contact on the poly gate.



PO.S.6(design rule)
+ routeDPoly_SP_INC

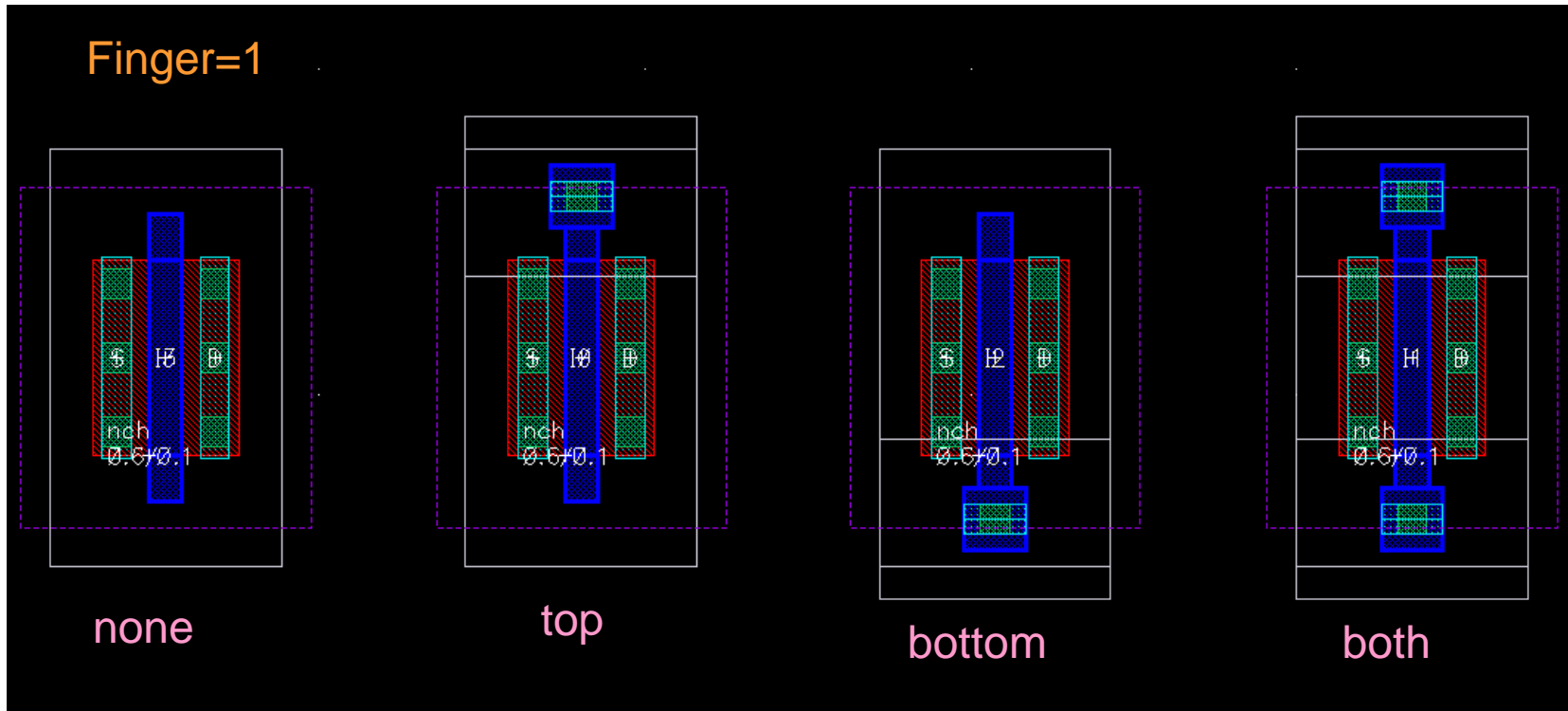
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² The routeUPoly_SP_INC(M) and routeDPoly_SP_INC(M) only appear when routePolydir doesn't **None**.

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● The function of **routePolydir**

- The function is suggest to use in multi-finger. If customer use only one finger and turn on the routePolydir none/top/bottom/both direction. It will shows the following layout.

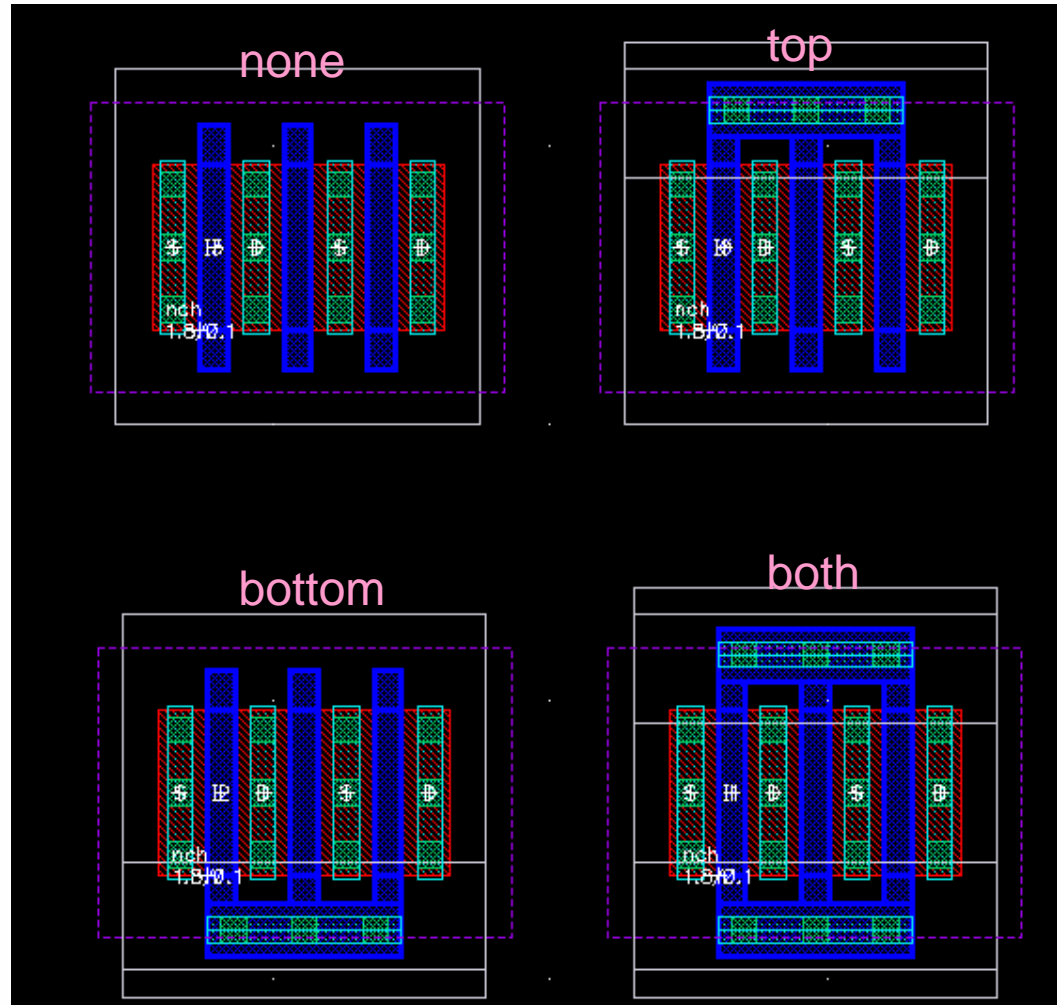


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● The function of routePolydir

- Finger number=3. If customer use finger number=3 and turn on the routePolydir none/top/bottom/both direction. It will shows the following layout.

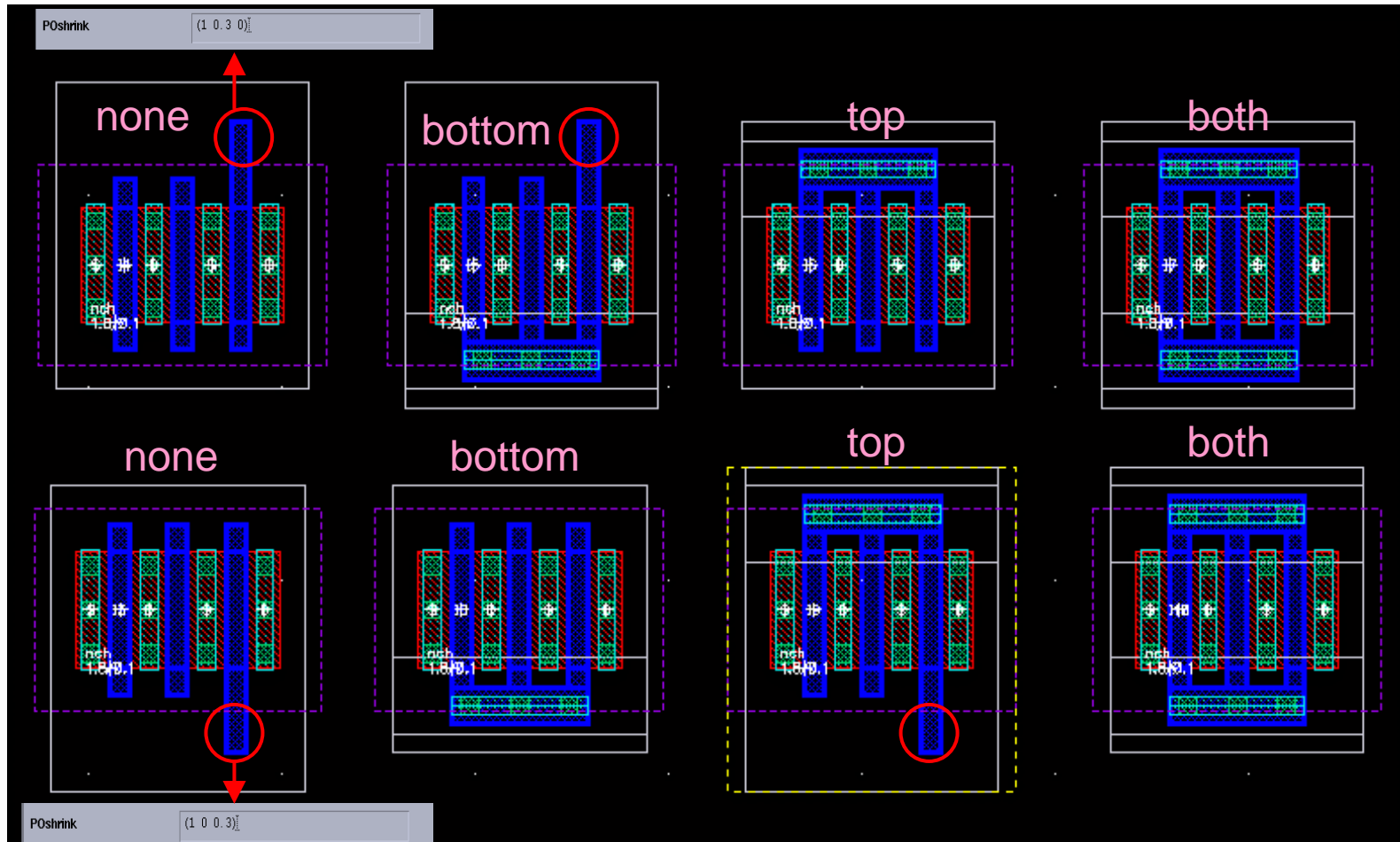
Finger=3



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● The function of routePolydir

- Finger number=3. Customer use finger number=3 and turn on the routePolydir none/top/bottom/both direction. At the same time customer uses Poshrink option as following : **Finger=3**

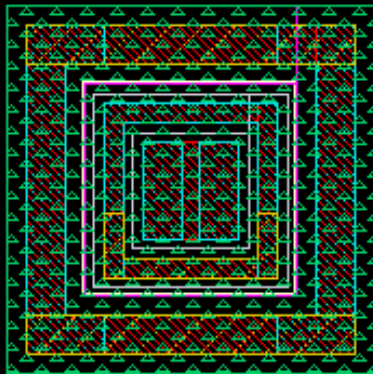


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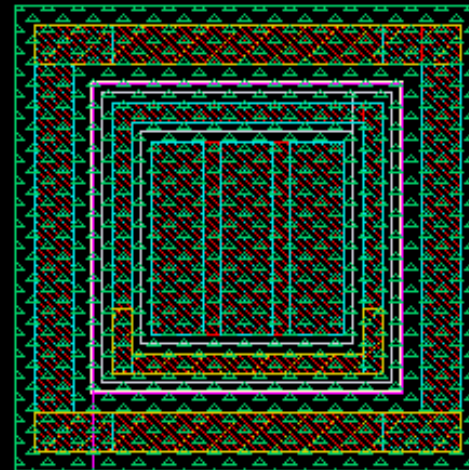
● The function of **EmitterSize**

- There are three dimension of pnp and npn are provided in this PDK, user can use this function to choose those device layout.

EmitterSize = 5X5



EmitterSize = 10X10



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- The function of **Total resistance(ohms)**, **Width(M)**, **Length(M)** and **Res_update_method**

- In the resistance cell, we provide user two kinds of input method – **I_&_W** and **Rec_&_W** to modify the device resistance. When the user select **I_&_W** method, the input parameter will be **length(M)** and **width(M)**, the other one is **total resistance(ohms)** and **width(M)**.

select **I_&_W** method

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	rm1	off
Total resistance(ohms)	89.7m Ohms	off
LVS Resistance(ohms)	78m Ohms	off
Width(M)	230n M	off
Length(M)	230n M	off
Multiplier	1	off
Rsh(ohms/square)	78m	off
Res_update_method	I_&_w	off
Hard_constrain	■	off

CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	rm1	off
Total resistance(ohms)	89.7m Ohms	off
LVS Resistance(ohms)	78.000m Ohms	off
Width(M)	230.0n M	off
Length(M)	230.0n M	off
Multiplier	1	off
Rsh(ohms/square)	0.078	off
Res_update_method	Res_&_w	off
Hard_constrain	■	off

select **Rec_&_W** method

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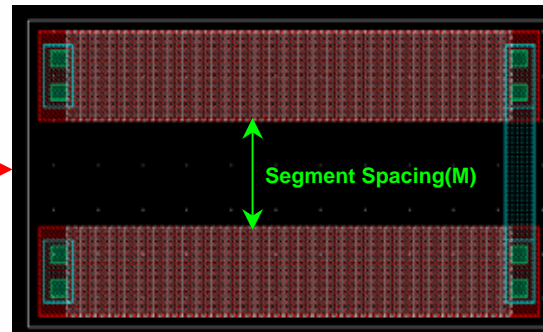
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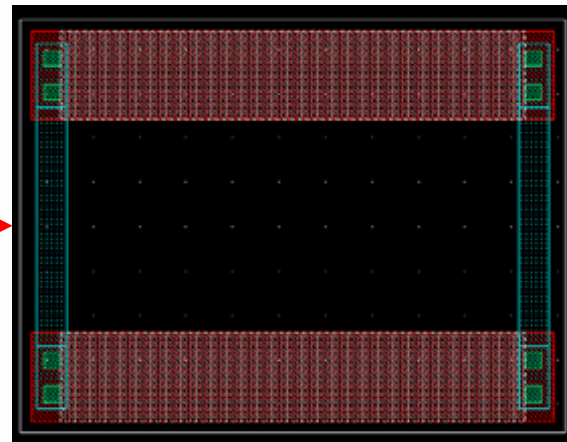
- The function of **Resistor connection**, **Number of segment**, **Segment spacing(M)**

- **Number of segment** provide user a function to Increment the number of segment resistance, user can use **Resistor connection** and **Segment spacing(M)** to modify connection type – **series** or **parallel** and segment spacing.

Number of segment = 2
Resistor connection = **series**
Segment Spacing(M) = 2.4u



Number of segment = 2
Resistor connection = **parallel**
Segment Spacing(M) = 4.8u

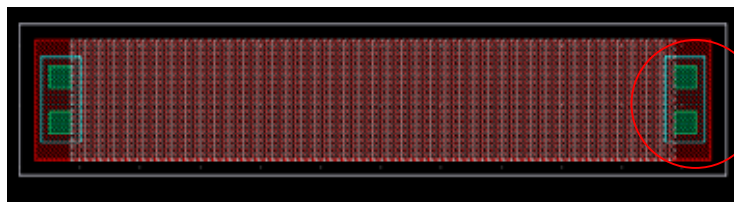


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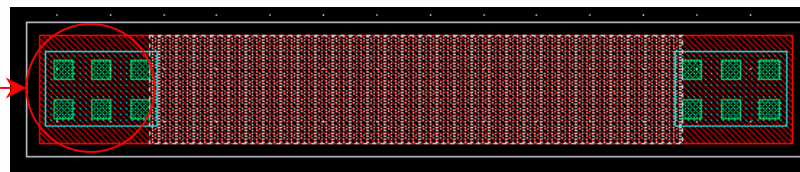
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- The function of **Cont columns**
 - This function provide user to modify the contact columns.

Cont columns= 1



Cont columns= 3



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- The function of **Entry_method**, **Length_(M)** and **Width_(M)**.

- In the capacitor cell, we provide user three kinds of input method – **I_&_W**, **_c_** and **c_&_w** to modify the device capacitance.

Entry_mode	c_&_w	off
Capacitance(F)	112.2f F	off
Width(M)	10u M	off
Length(M)	10u M	off

select **I_&_w** method

Entry_mode	I_&_w	off
Capacitance(F)	112.2f F	off
Width(M)	10u M	off
Length(M)	10u M	off

select **c_&_w** method

Entry_mode	_c_	off
Capacitance(F)	112.2f F	off
Width(M)	10u M	off
Length(M)	10u M	off

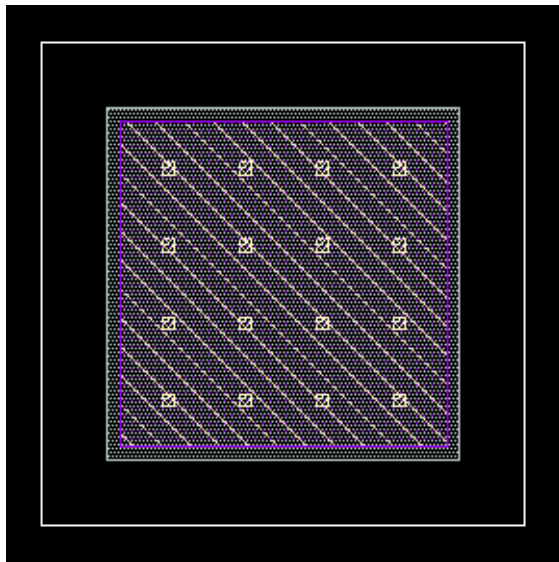
select **_c_** method

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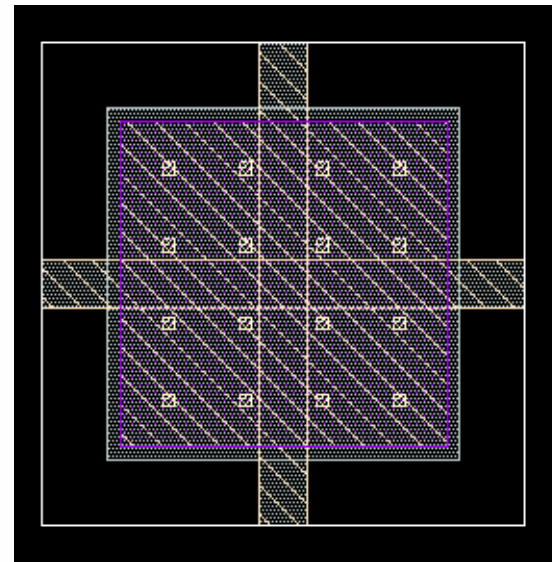
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- The function of **Create_Leading_terminals**.
 - In the capacitor cell, we provide user a option to create leading terminals.

Create_Leading_terminals= Disable



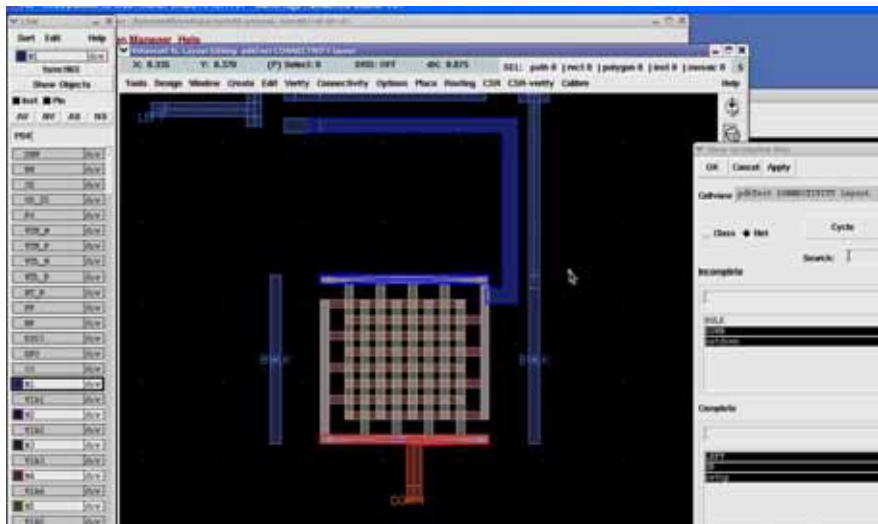
Create_Leading_terminals= Enable



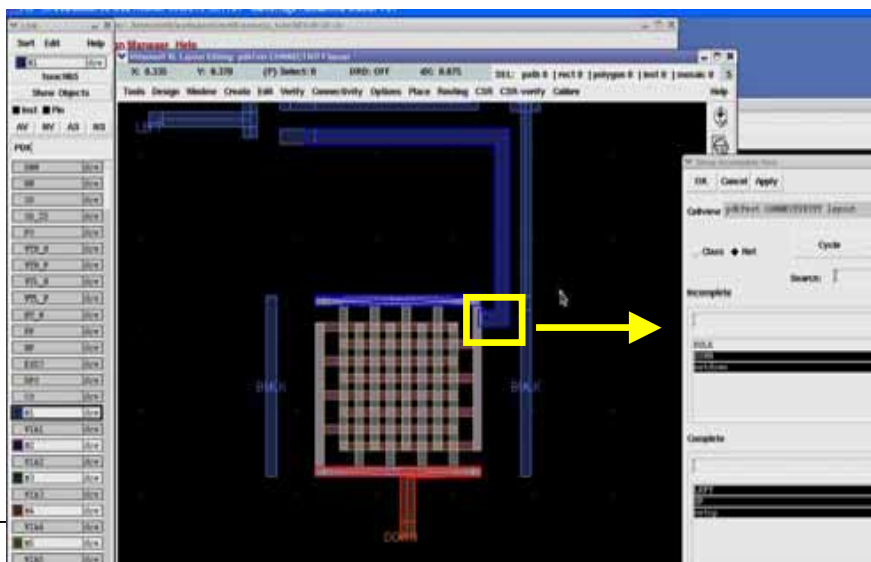
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● The function of CRTMOM



1. No problem to add different metal layer connection flexibility.
2. Allow right&left side for connection but need to consider improper metal routing caused additional parasitic capacitances.

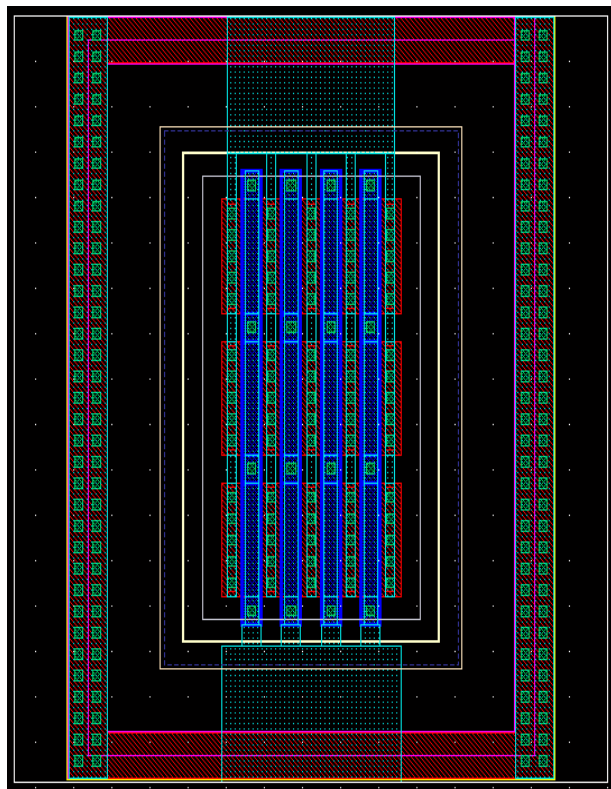


Extra Parasitic devices will be extracted in yellow mark region. Need to consider very careful.

TSMC don't recommend this kind connection.

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- The function of **PMOSCAP_RF**
 - This function provide user to modify the device layout



CDF Parameter	Value	Display
Model name	moscap_rf	off <input type="checkbox"/>
Capacitance{@V=0}(F)	116.835f F	off <input type="checkbox"/>
Cmin{@V=-vdd}(F)	55.4373f F	off <input type="checkbox"/>
Cmax{@V=vdd}(F)	151.302f F	off <input type="checkbox"/>
Width_per_Finger(M)	2.5u M	off <input type="checkbox"/>
Length_per_Finger(M)	500n M	off <input type="checkbox"/>
Fingers_per_Group(B)	4	off <input type="checkbox"/>
Number_of_Groups(G)	6	off <input type="checkbox"/>
Create_Guard_Ring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off <input type="checkbox"/>
multiplier	1	off <input type="checkbox"/>
Hard_constrain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	off <input type="checkbox"/>

Width

Length

Finger of group

Group number

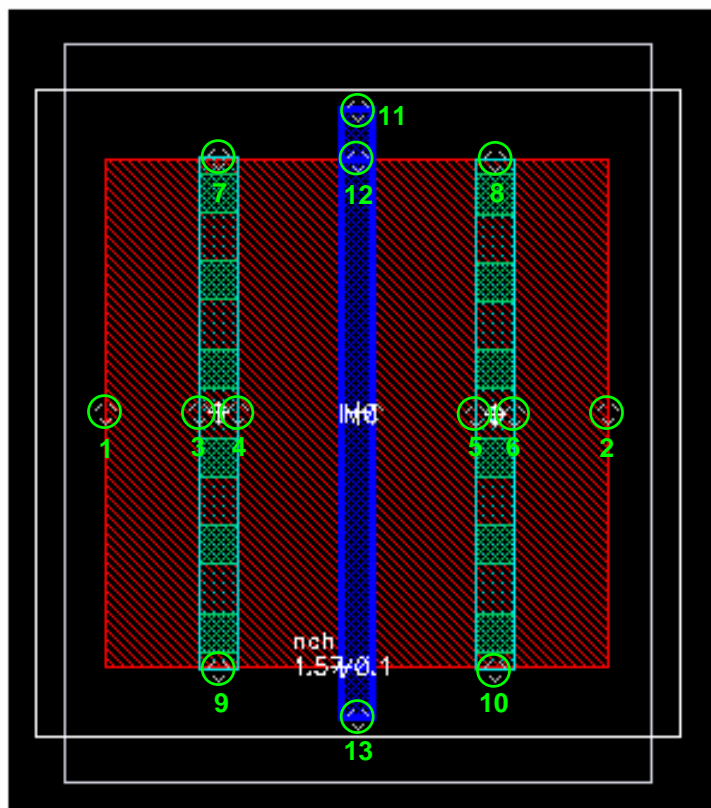
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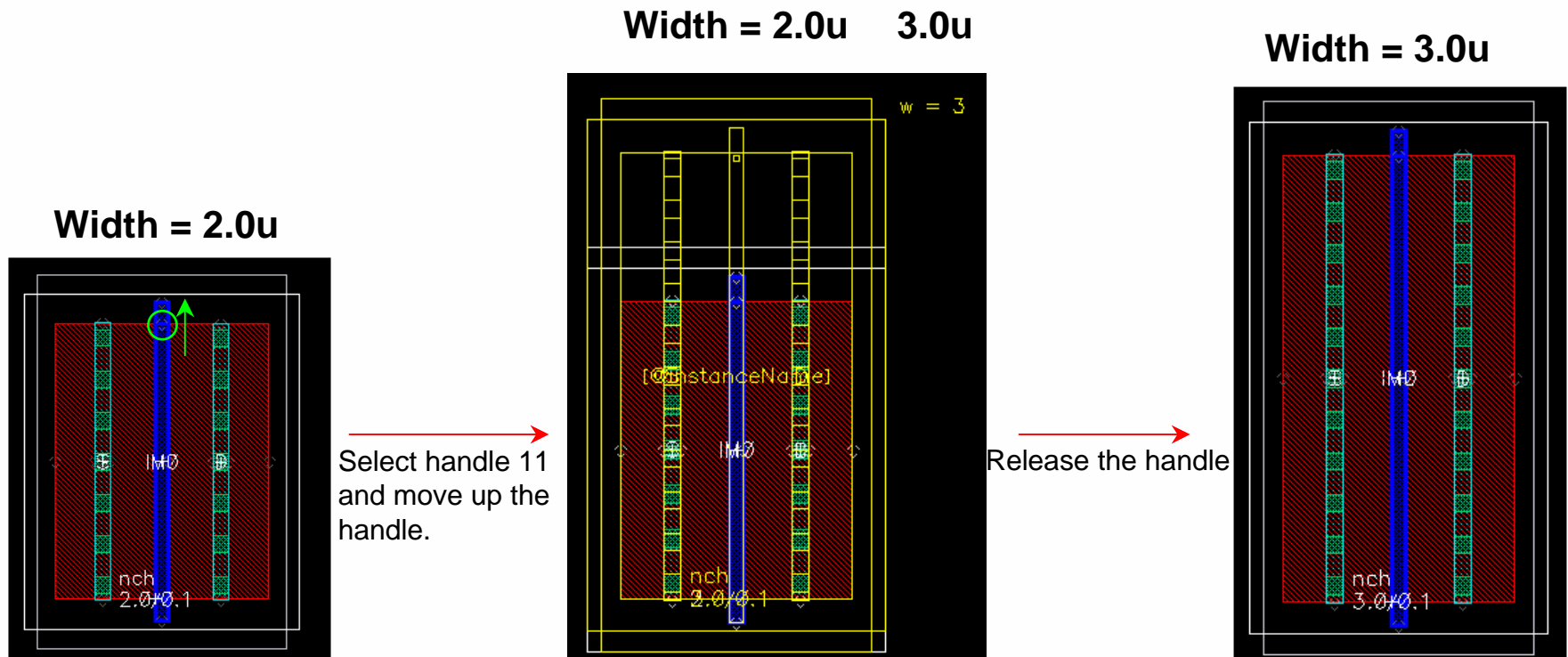
● Appendix A – Stretch Handles

- This function lets user graphically change the value of those parameter for Pcell instances after user place them. The only one device MOS is a stretchable Pcell in this PDK.
- The system default is not show out the stretch handles, user must be enable the function manually. (Direct: in the layout view **Options** **Display option** **Stretch Handles**)



Stretch Handles number	Stretch direction
1	
2	
3, 5	
4, 6	
7, 8	
9, 10	
11	
13	
12	

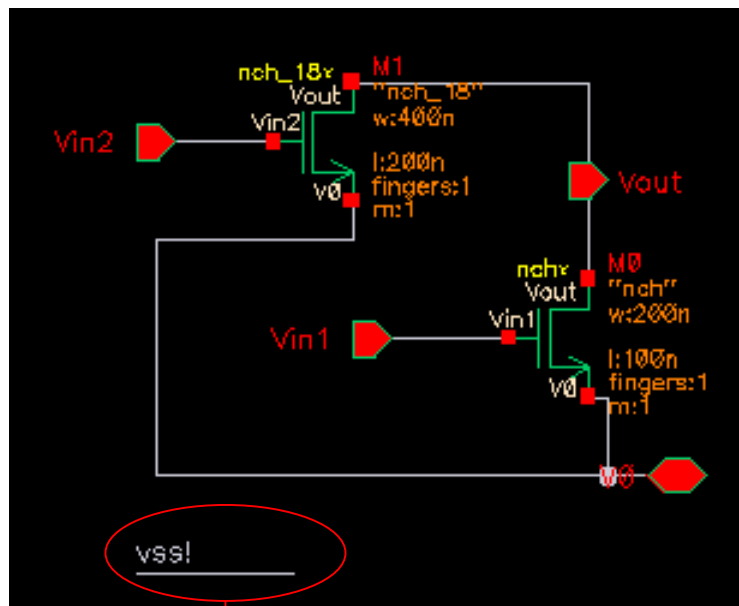
- A example to show out the stretch case when the user stretch the handle 12.



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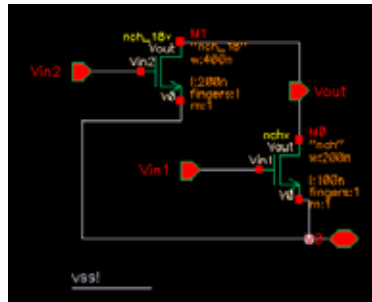
● Appendix B – The three terminal MOS substrate pin

- In three terminal MOS, we create a parameter for substrate pin. The pin name is vss_sub in NMOS and vdd_sub in PMOS. When user instances the three terminal MOS, all of the devices substrate terminal will connect to vss_sub or vdd_sub. User doesn't need to draw the wire to link the device. In the hierarchy structure, user can add a parameter in CDF form to assign the substrate terminal name.

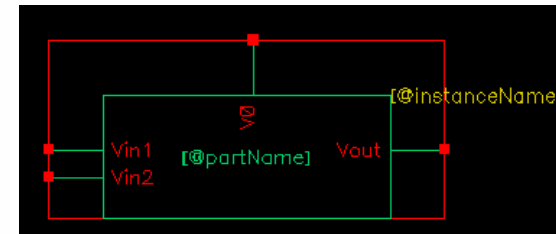


- When user instances the nchx and nch_18x (three terminal MOS), all of the devices substrate terminal will connect to vss_sub (VSS!)

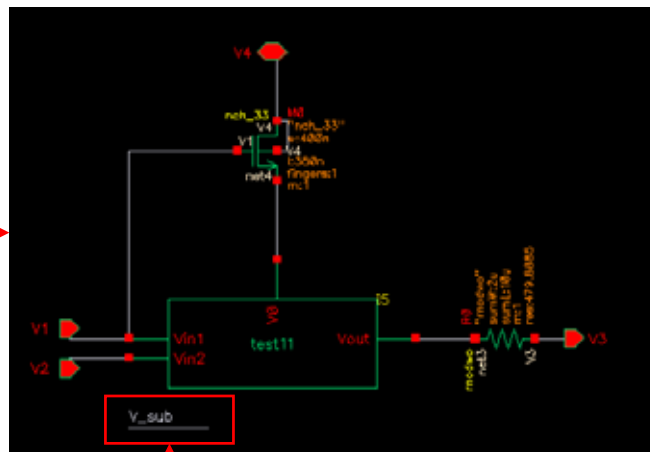
- In the hierarchy structure, user can add a parameter in CDF form to assign the substrate terminal name.



Create cellview to build up the symbol



Instance the symbol to other schematic view and assign the vss_sub to V_sub



Edit Object Properties

OK Cancel Apply Defaults Previous Next Help

Apply To: only current instance

Show: ☐ system ☒ user ☒ CDF

Property	Value	Display
Library Name	test11	off
Cell Name	test11	off
View Name	symbol	off
Instance Name	i1	value

User Property	Master Value	Local Value	Display
interfaceLastC..	23 11:49:20 2005		off
partName	test11		off
vendorName			off
vss_sub		V_sub	off

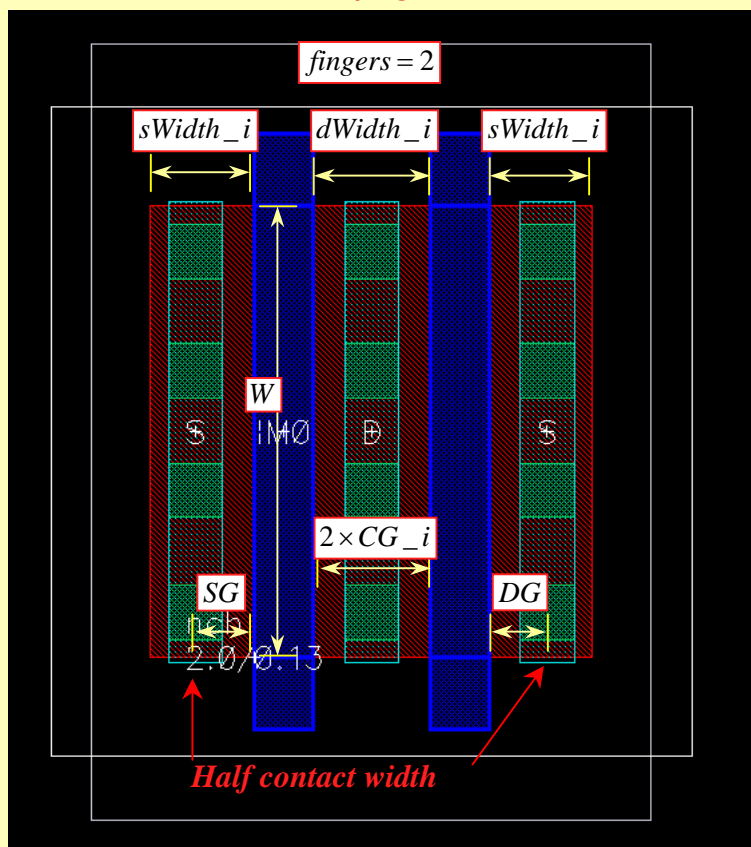
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● Appendix C – AS AD PS PD NRS NRD methodology

- In this section, we will description that the PDK how to calculate as, ad, ps, pd, nrs and nrd.

Case I

• Normal MOS with multi fingers



$$S_{Area_total} = \sum_{i=1} sWidth_i \times w \quad AS = S_{Area_total} / fingers$$

$$S_{Peri_total} = \sum_{i=1} (sWidth_i + w \times N_s) \times 2 \quad PS = S_{Peri_total} / fingers$$

$$D_{Area_total} = \sum_{i=1} dWidth_i \times w \quad AD = D_{Area_total} / fingers$$

$$D_{Peri_total} = \sum_{i=1} (dWidth_i + w \times N_d) \times 2 \quad PD = D_{Peri_total} / fingers$$

N_s : Number of Source N_d : Number of Drain

$$NRS = (\sum_{i=1} CG_i_s + SG_s + DG_s) / fingers / w$$

$$NRD = (\sum_{i=1} CG_i_d + SG_d + DG_d) / fingers / w$$

CG_i_d : CG_i in Drain diffusion area

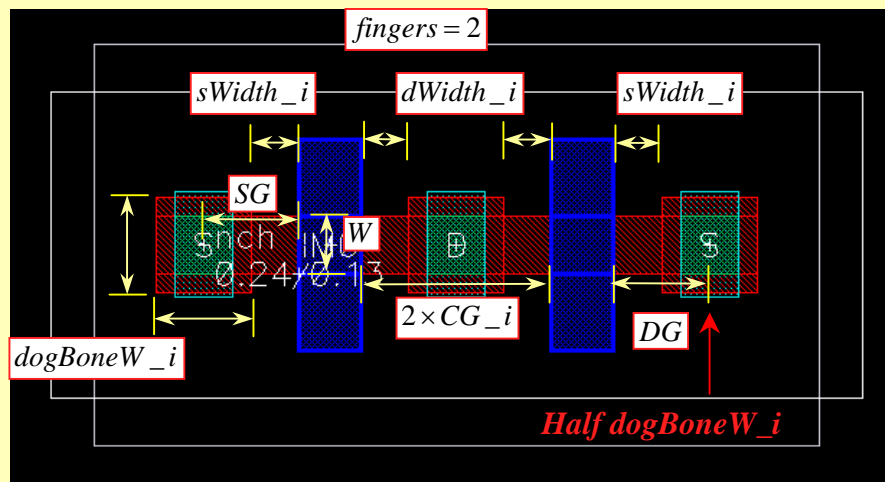
CG_i_s : CG_i in Source diffusion area

$SG_d(SG_s)$: SG in Drain(Source) diffusion area

$DG_d(DG_s)$: DG in Drain(Source) diffusion area

Case II

- *Dog Bone MOS with multi fingers*



$$S_{Area_total} = \sum_{i=1} sWidth_i \times w + dogBoneW_i \times dogBoneW_i \times N_s$$

$$D_{Area_total} = \sum_{i=1} dWidth_i \times w + dogBoneW_i \times dogBoneW_i \times N_d$$

$$S_{Peri_total} = \sum_{i=1} sWidth_i \times 2 + dogBoneW_i \times 4 \times N_s$$

$$D_{Peri_total} = \sum_{i=1} dWidth_i \times 2 + dogBoneW_i \times 4 \times N_d$$

 N_s : Number of Source N_d : Number of Drain

$$AS = S_{Area_total} / fingers$$

$$PS = S_{Peri_total} / fingers$$

$$AD = D_{Area_total} / fingers$$

$$PD = D_{Peri_total} / fingers$$

$$NRS = (\sum_{i=1} CG_i_s + SG_s + DG_s) / fingers / w$$

$$NRD = (\sum_{i=1} CG_i_d + SG_d + DG_d) / fingers / w$$

CG_i_d: *CG_i* in Drain diffusion area

$CG_i_s : CG_i$ in Source diffusion area

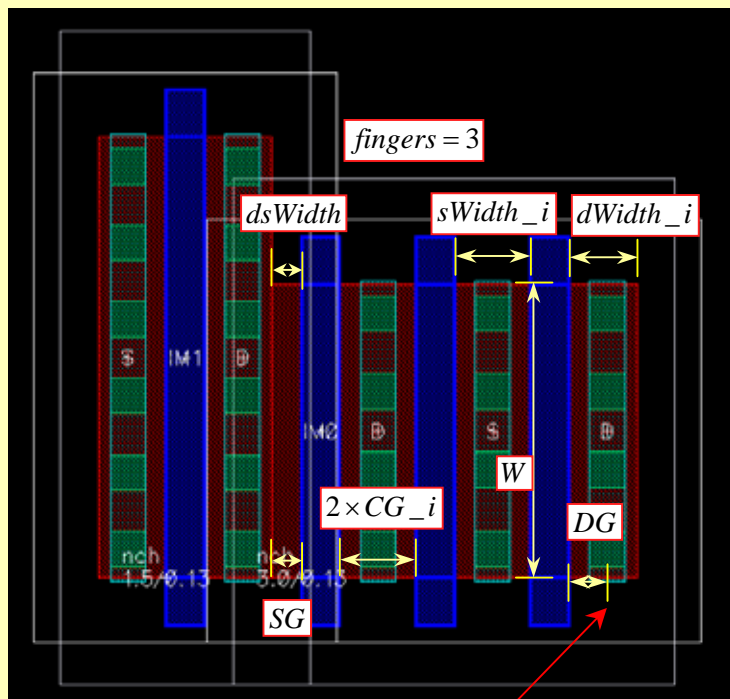
$SG_d(SG_s)$: SG in Drain(Source) diffusion area

$DG_d(DG_s)$: DG in Drain(Source) diffusion area

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Case III

- Normal MOS with multi fingers after abut



Half contact width

$$S_{Area_total} = (\sum_{i=1} sWidth_i + dsWidth) \times w$$

$$S_{Peri_total} = (\sum_{i=1} sWidth_i + dsWidth + w \times N_s) \times 2$$

$$D_{Area_total} = (\sum_{i=1} dWidth_i + ddWidth) \times w$$

$$D_{Peri_total} = (\sum_{i=1} dWidth_i + ddWidth + w \times N_d) \times 2$$

N_s : Number of Source

N_d : Number of Drain

$$AS = S_{Area_total} / fingers$$

$$PS = S_{Peri_total} / fingers$$

$$AD = D_{Area_total} / fingers$$

$$PD = D_{Peri_total} / fingers$$

$$NRS = (\sum_{i=1} CG_i_s + SG_s + DG_s) / fingers / w$$

$$NRD = (\sum_{i=1} CG_i_d + SG_d + DG_d) / fingers / w$$

CG_i_d : CG_i in Drain diffusion area

CG_i_s : CG_i in Source diffusion area

$SG_d(SG_s)$: SG in Drain(Source) diffusion area

$DG_d(DG_s)$: DG in Drain(Source) diffusion area

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● Appendix D – SA SB SD methodology

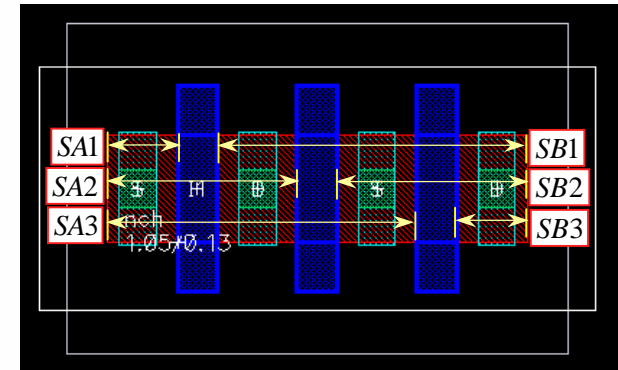
- In this section, we will description that the PDK how to calculate sa and sb.

- For post-layout simulation (netlists extracted from the layout):
Treat each finger of devices as an independent MOS. And thus PDK assigns different SA/SB to each independent MOS. So the netlist will look like (if finger_number=3):

m1 d g s b w=channel width l =channel length SA=SA1 SB=SB1

m2 d g s b w=channel width l =channel length SA=SA2 SB=SB2

m3 d g s b w=channel width l =channel length SA=SA3 SB=SB3



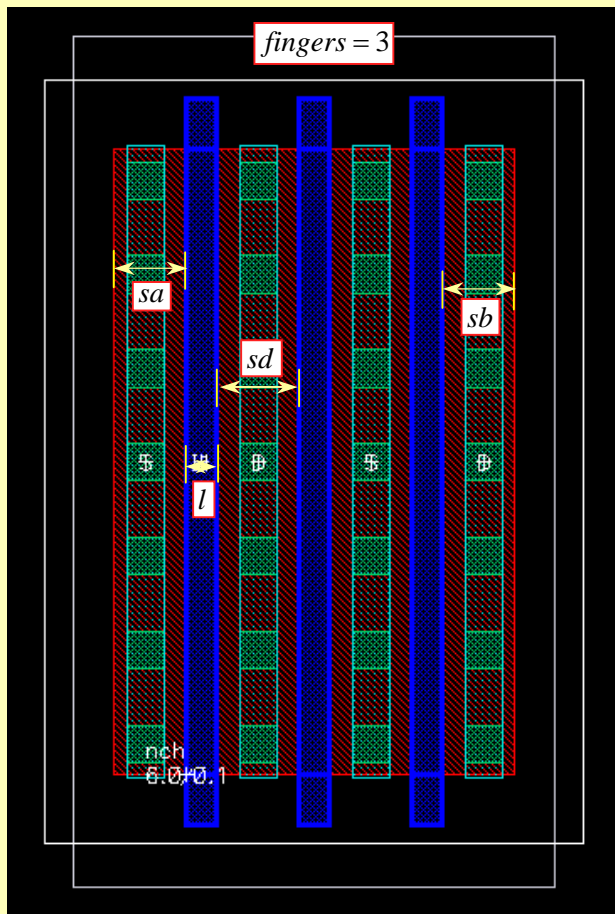
- For pre-layout simulation (netlists estimated from schematic diagram):
PDK sets m=finger_number, SA=SA, SB=SB and SD=SD. So the netlist will look like
m0 d g s b w=channel width l =channel length m=1 SA=SA SB=SB SD=SD
Please refer next two page to understand the SA, SB and SD in layout

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- In this page, we will description that the PDK how to calculate SA, SB and SD.

Case I

• Normal MOS with multi fingers



$SA = sa$: In the netlist, SA equal to sa

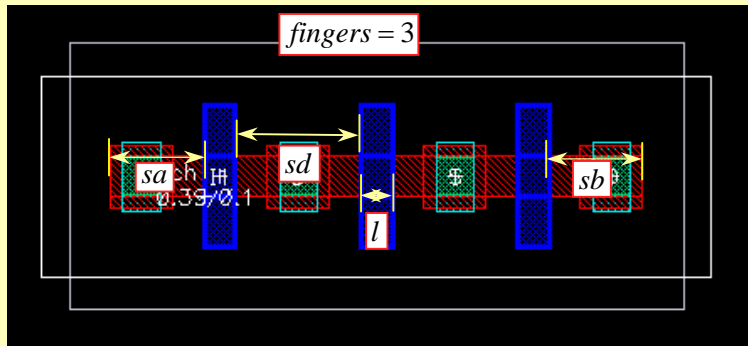
$SB = sb$: In the netlist, SB equal to sb

$SB = sd$: In the netlist, SB equal to sd

- In this page, we will description that the PDK how to calculate SA, SB and SD.

Case II

• Dog Bone MOS with multi fingers



$SA = sa$: In the netlist, SA equal to sa

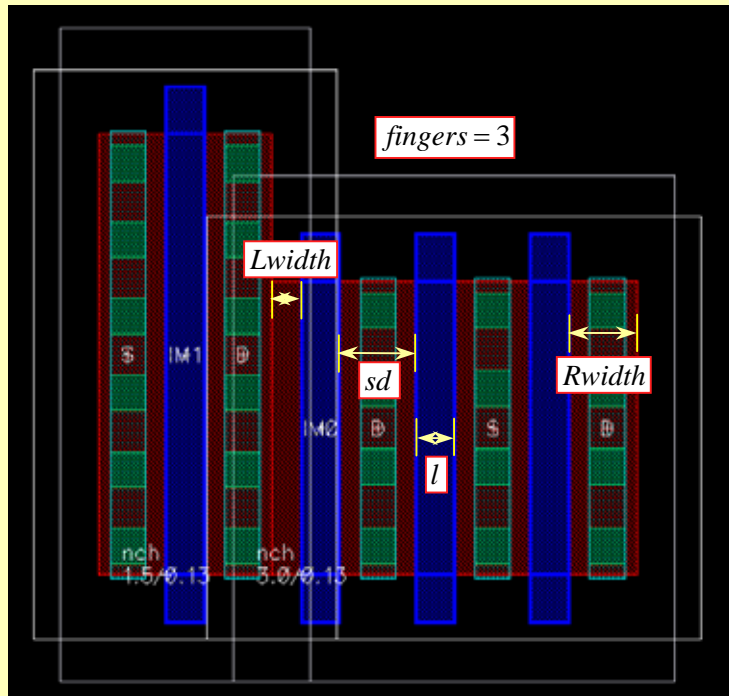
$SB = sb$: In the netlist, SB equal to sb

$SB = sd$: In the netlist, SB equal to sd

- In this page, we will description that the PDK how to calculate SAeff and SBeff.

Case III

- Normal MOS with multi fingers after abat



$$Sum1_i = 1/(Lwidth + i \times (sd + l) + 0.5 \times l)$$

$$SA_{eff} = fingers / \sum_{i=0}^{fingers-1} Sum1_i - 0.5 \times l$$

$$Sum2_i = 1/(Rwidth + i \times (sd + l) + 0.5 \times l)$$

$$SB_{eff} = fingers / \sum_{i=0}^{fingers-1} Sum2_i - 0.5 \times l$$

$$SA_{eff} = SA_{eff}$$

$$SB_{eff} = SB_{eff}$$

$SA = SA_{eff}$: In the netlist, SA equal to SA_{eff}

$SB = SB_{eff}$: In the netlist, SB equal to SB_{eff}

$SA = sa$: In the netlist, SA equal to sa

$SB = sb$: In the netlist, SB equal to sb

$SB = sd$: In the netlist, SB equal to sd