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Career Objective

Seeking an opportunity to work as a Physical Design Engineer in various technology nodes to achieve best PPA(Power, Performance, Area) of an IC while contributing to the symbolic growth of organization.

Core Competancy

- Good knowledge of fundamentals of semicustom ASIC design flow (RTL to GDSII).
- Worked on designing of block level APR flow for 40nm technology.
- Hands-on experience in macro placement during Floorplaning, Powerplaning, Placement, Clock Tree Synthesis, Routing.
- Good understanding of Static Timing Analysis concepts-Setup Time, Hold Time, Transition, Delay, Skew, Jitter.
- Knowledge of estimation in minimum DRC'S, IR drop limits, minimum Congestions and Timing Closures.
- Understanding of Signal Integrity effects such as Xtalk Noise ,Xtalk Delay and issues like EM, Antenna, ESD.
- Generated and analyzed the timing reports on Prime Time and calculated various parameters-setup slack, hold slack, propagation delay.
- Hands-on experience with EDA Tools APR : Synopsys ICC-2, STA : Synopsys Prime Time. Examine and modifying Tcl-Script.
- Scripting Languages : Perl Scripting (Intermediate).
- Programming Languages : Verilog and VHDL (Intermediate). Working with the Linux Environment.

Education Details

Advanced Diploma in ASIC Design - Physical Design	2023
RV-VLSI Design Center	
Bachelor Degree in Electronics and Communication	2022
Shri Guru Gobind Singhji Institute of Engineering and Technology (SGGSIET), Nanded, with 8.67 CGPA	
	2018
Manere High school and Jr College, Ichalkaranji, with 81 %	
SSLC	2016
Marathi Medium High school, Narayan Mala, Ichalkaranji, with 95.40 %	

Domain Specific Project

RV-VLSI DESIGN CENTER

Graduate Trainee Engineer

Sep-2022 to Jan-2023

Block level Implementation of APR Flow

Description

Created optimized block level APR flow for “Lakshya sub-system” in 40nm technology to achieve the PPA — power, performance, area with respect to given constraints.

Tools

Synopsys — IC Compiler 2

Challenges

- Manual placement of macros in the core region with reducing the wire length and sufficient area available for standard cells and routing.
- Creation of efficient power mesh within the IR drop limit.
- Meeting the Clock tree DRC's — max transition delay, max load capacitance, minimum skew.
- Identifying and constraining the setup and hold slack for the timing paths in the design.

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Static Timing analysis for various Timing Paths

Description

Interpreting the timing reports and analysis of setup and hold for the flip-flops and latch based designs considering uncertainty, CRPR, clock skew and dealing with timing exceptions such as multicycle paths, minimum maximum delay paths, false paths.

Tools

Synopsys — Prime Time

Challenges

- Understanding the concepts and different terms of STA for accurate analysis of timing reports.
- Generation and analysis of Timing reports with waveforms for different timing paths such as Input-Reg, Reg-Reg, Reg-output and Input-Output.
- Fixing the timing violations for setup and hold by using different techniques.

B.E / B.Tech Academic Project

Shri Guru Gobind Singhji Institute of Engineering and Technology (SGGSIET), Nanded

Wafer Fault Detection using Machine Learning

Description

Built a classification methodology to predict the quality of wafer sensors based on the given training data, and it will give final result as wafer is faulty or not faulty.

Tools

PyCharm , Flask , Heroku

Challenges

- Collecting data from source and converting the data in user readable format. Tuning the data — finding the best parameters. Processing the data and finding patterns using machine learning algorithms.