# Computer-Aided VLSI System Design Lab9: High-Level Synthesis

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#### Introduction

In this lab, you will synthesize an image filter using Stratus High-Level Synthesis. Three different circuits will be synthesized for the image filter with different configurations.

## **Environment Setup**

- 1. Upload image\_filters\_1210.tgz to your working directory
- 2. Unpack the data:
  - % tar -zxf image filters 1210.tgz
- 3. Enter Lab9 directory:
  - % cd image filters
- 4. Source the licenses:
  - % source /usr/cad/cadence/CIC/xcelium.cshrc
  - % source /usr/cad/cadence/CIC/stratus.cshrc
- 5. Follow the instructions and answer the questions in homework clean 1210.docx

#### **Checkpoints**

1. Answer all the questions (10 questions) in **homework\_clean\_1210.docx**, and export the Microsoft Word file into a PDF file.

## **Submission**

- 1. Due Tuesday, Dec. 10, 19:00. No delay is allowed.
- 2. Selected students need to accomplish the PDF file in the previous section, and submit it to NTU COOL.

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