

Create ROD Rectangle (DIFF) PCell

File

[my_rect_pcell.il](#)

Overview

This document describes a ROD-based rectangular PCell implemented in Cadence SKILL.

SKILL Source Code

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; File: my_rect_pcell.il
; Description: Simple ROD-based rectangular PCell with pin
;=====

pcDefinePCell(
    list(ddGetObj("MY_LIB") "rect_pcell" "layout")

    ;; -----
    ;; PCell parameters
    ;; -----
    (
        (w float 2.0)
        (h float 1.0)
        (pinName string "P")
    )

    ;; -----
    ;; PCell body
    ;; -----
    let(
        (
            pcCellView
            tfId
            minMetalW
            minMetalExt
            rodR
            pinR
        )

        ;; Get current cellView
        pcCellView = pcGetCellView()

        ;; Get techfile
        tfId = techGetTechFile(pcCellView~>lib)
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; ; Technology rules (fallback-safe)
minMetalW  = 0.2
minMetalExt = 0.2

;-- tech lookups (guard against nils in older PDKs)
;-- tfId = techGetTechFile(pcCellView~>lib)
;-- minMetalW = max(0.06 car(techGetSpacingRule(tfId "minWidth"
"MET1")||list(0.06)))
;-- minMetalExt = max(0.06 car(techGetSpacingRule(tfId "minExtension"
"MET1")||list(0.06)))

;; -----
;; Create ROD rectangle (DIFF)
;; -----
rodR = rodCreateRect(
    ?cvId    pcCellView
    ?layer   "DIFF"
    ?width   w
    ?height  h
    ?origin  list(0 0)
    ?name    "diffRect"
)

;; -----
;; Create MET1 pin over top edge
;; -----
pinR = dbCreatePin(
    pcCellView
    pinName
    "MET1"
    list(
        list(
            (w/2 - minMetalW/2) : h
            (w/2 + minMetalW/2) : (h + minMetalExt)
        )
    )
    "terminal"
)

;; -----
;; Create pin label (stretch-aware)
;; -----
dbCreateLabel(
    pcCellView
    "MET1"
    list(w/2 : (h + minMetalExt))
    pinName
    "centerLeft"
    "stick"
    0.12
)

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) ; let
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) ; pcDefinePCell

## Notes
- ROD-based geometry
- LVS-clean pin definition
- Stretch-safe implementation
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