

EECS 168 Lab 3

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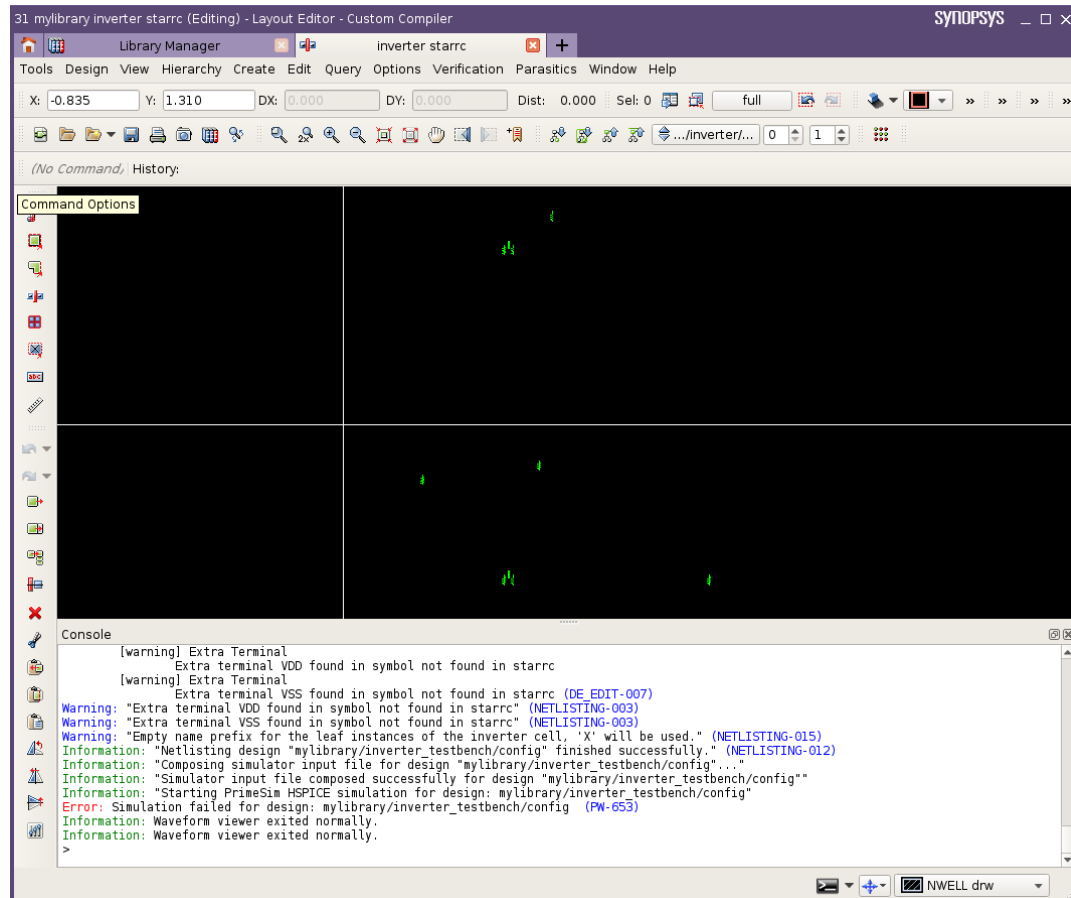
Lab 3, Week 1 CheckOff Video: Inverter parasitic, post simulation, ring oscillator:

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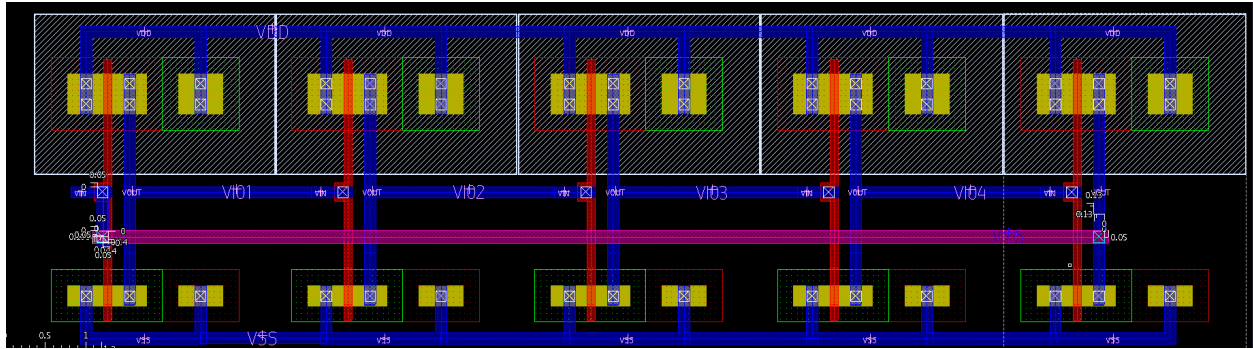
Summary

_____ In this lab, I learned how to do parasitic extraction/ post layout simulation and hierarchical design. I used my inverter design for my first parasitic extraction and post layout simulation. For my hierarchical design, I designed a Ring Oscillator that was able to pass all three tests, LVS, LPE, and DVR. During this week, I also familiarized myself with the new interface since the system got updated last week and it is a massive improvement from the previous system. It was a lot easier and simpler for me to access the tools and functions, and it also allowed me to fix the LVS from lab 2 for my NAND gate.

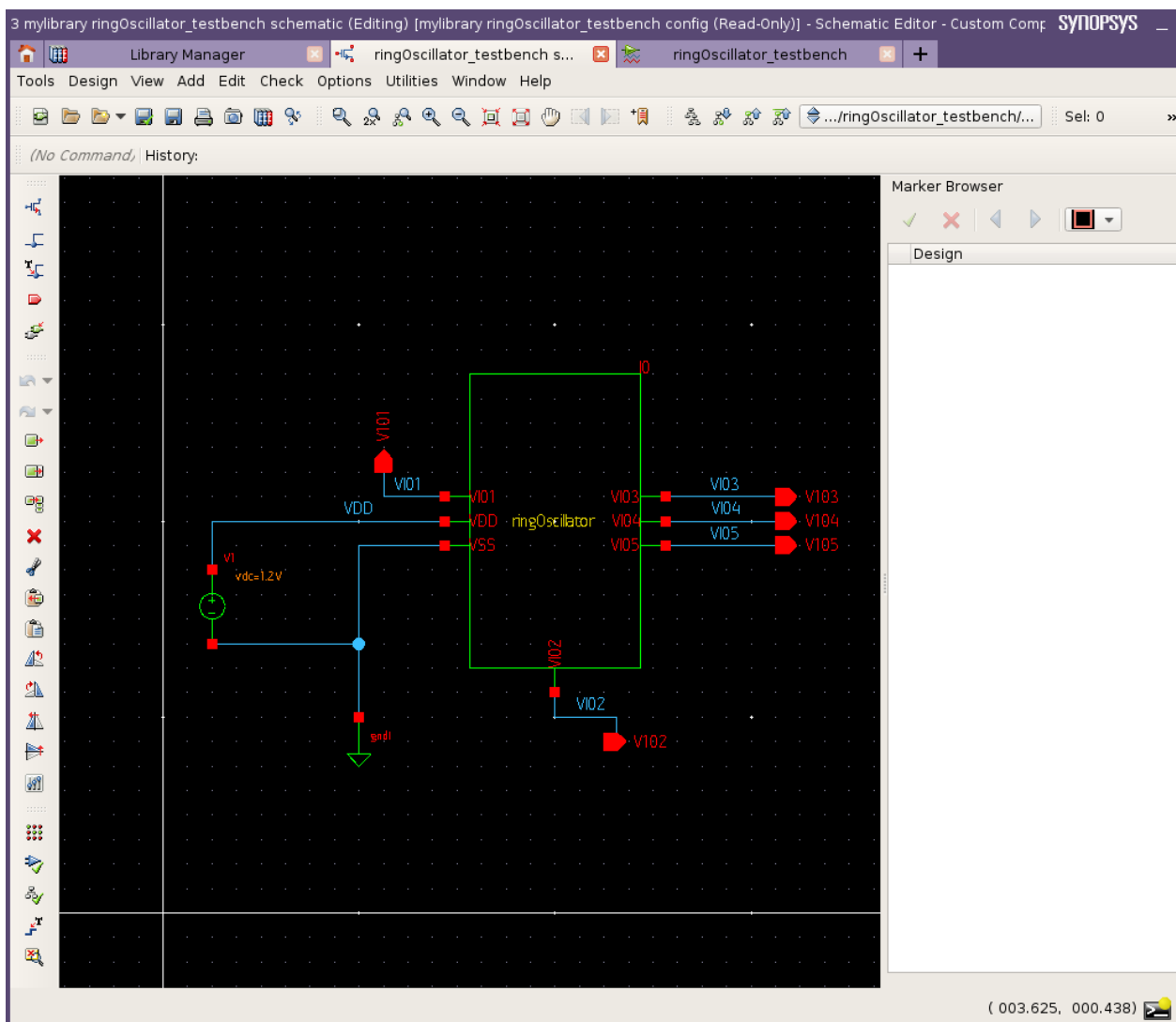
Inverter Parasitic



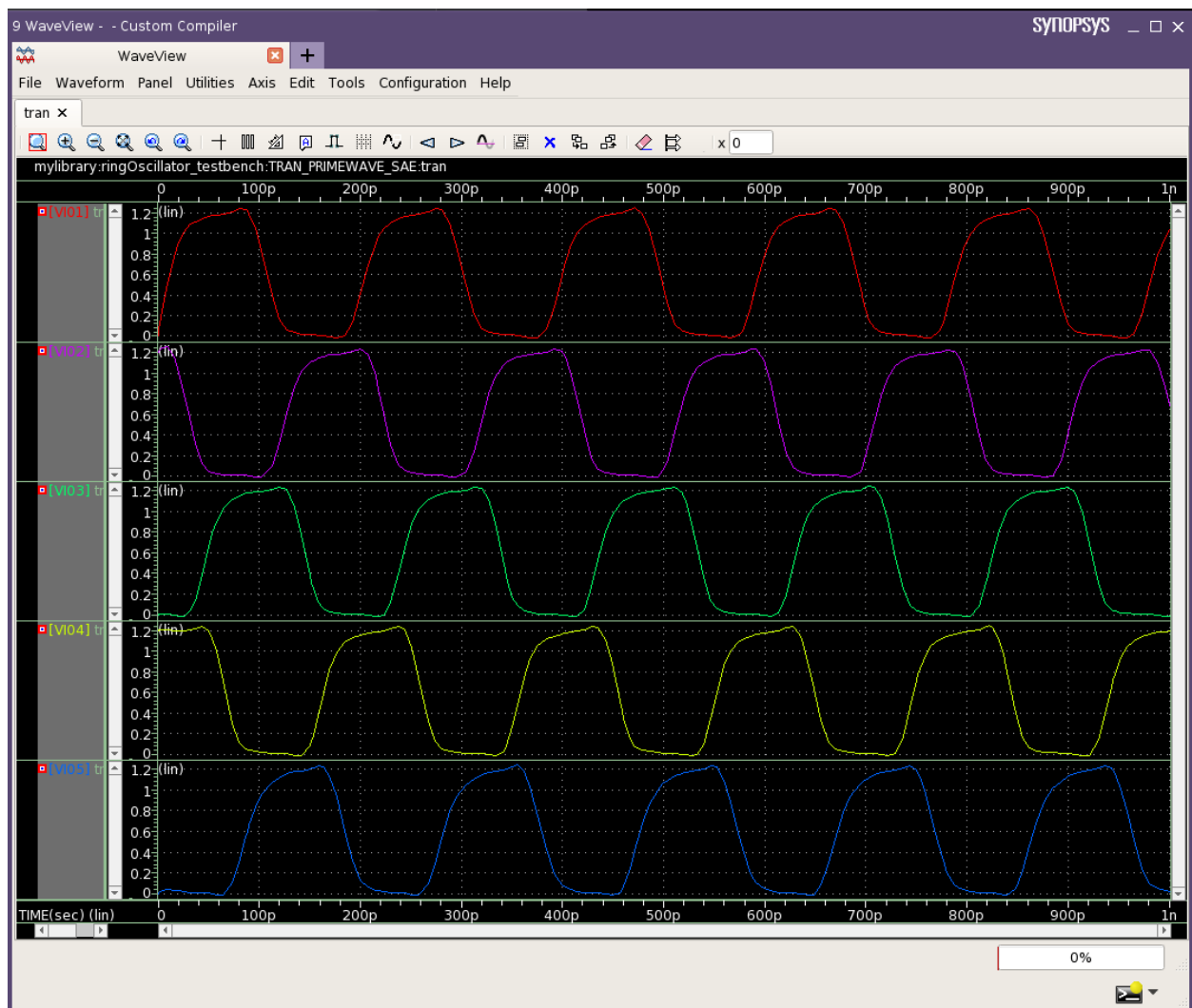
Post Simulation Result



Ring Oscillator TestBench



Ring Oscillator POST SIMULATION with parasitic extrcation



Issues

The only main hard issue that I had was running Primewave simulation on my inverter testbench. I made sure to set up everything according to the new setup and yet it still didn't function at all. I did however manage to get the output for the ring oscillator post parasitic extraction, and when I compared the two testbenches, they were almost identical in setup. I passed all DRC and LVS tests with both testbench and ring oscillator.

