

Concept Engineering Mixed-Technology Systems

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1. Concept Engineering Mixed-Technology Systems

Unsyllabus

Name	Description
Course	M 1.9 Concept Engineering Mixed-Technology Systems (CEMS)
Term	Winter 2024/25
Instructor	Prof. Dr.-Ing. M. Meiners, Dipl.-Ing. (FH) T. Ziemann
Lectures	Thu., 9:45 h - 13:00 h
Room	E 507 ELIE Lab

Part I.

Lecture

2. Introduction and Survey

2.1. Course Objectives

- Interfacing Microsystems
 - Mixed-technology systems (System-on-Chip, SoC)
 - System analysis
 - System specification
- Design Methodology
 - Seamlessly modeling and design over all physical domains
- PCB (System) and IC Design
 - Architecture
 - Partitioning
 - Layout

2.2. Scientific Computing

- Python (Anaconda)
- Matlab (Campus Lizenz)
- Command-line tools

2.3. EDA Tools

- PCB / System Design
 - LTspice
 - KiCad EDA
 - Altium Designer
 - SiemensEDA PCB tools
 - cadence System Design & Analysis
- IC / Silicon Design

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- [IIC-OSIC-TOOLS](#) (open-source)
- [SiemensEDA](#) IC tools
- [cadence](#) IC Design & Verification
- [synopsys silicon design](#) (IC)

2.4. OS-Tools

- Microsoft-Terminal
- Microsoft-PowerShell
- MacOS-Terminal
- Linux/MacOS Shell zsh-tools,
- git (Versionskontrolle)

2.5. Code Editors

- Visual Studio Code
- Spyder IDE
- Thonny (Micro-)Python IDE
- Emacs
- Vim

2.6. Data Science

- File system: Files and directories
- Tabular data: Comma/Tab-Separated-Values (CSV/TSV), Spreadsheet (.xlsx, .ods)
- Special formats, e.g. MATLAB mat, HDF5
- Embedded [Databases](#)
 - [SQL](#), z.B. [SQLite](#)
 - [OLAP](#), z.B. [DuckDB](#)

2.7. Publish Computational Content

- Jupyter-Book
- quarto
 - Manuscripts

2.8. Are you writing or TeXing?

- MikTeX (Windows, MacOS, Linux)
- MacTeX (MacOS)
- TeXLive (Linux)

2.9. LaTeX Editors

- IDE's
 - TeXStudio
 - TeXMaker
- Collaborative Frameworks
 - Overleaf, Online LaTeX
 - CoCalc - Online LaTeX

2.10. Bibliography and LaTeX

- Citavi im Detail > Titel exportieren > Export nach BibTeX
- RefWorks - Library Guide Univ. Melbourne
- Benutzerdefinierte BibTex-Keys mit Zotero | nerdspause
- JabRef - Library Guide Univ. Melbourne
- EndNote - Library Guide Univ. Melbourne

2. Introduction and Survey

2.11. Design Project

Model-Based Systems Engineering of an Inertial Sensor System (MBSE).

- System level, behavioural model
 - Matlab/Simulink,
 - Python
 - HDL (Verilog-ams, VHDL-AMS)
- Circuit level, SPICE with behavioural blocks, e.g. OTA and comparator
- PCB level
 - [ESP8266 NodeMCU](#),
 - [TIs ADS1115](#),
 - [ADs ADXL335](#)
- IC level
- **Final Oral Exam/Project Presentation**

2.12. Course Prerequisites

- Fundamentals of linux operating systems
- Fundamentals of microelectronics
 - Device physics and models
 - Transistor level analog circuits, elementary gain stages
- Fundamentals of analog circuit design
 - Operational amplifier
 - Active filter design
 - Noise analysis
 - Switched-capacitor techniques
- Prior exposure to SPICE, Matlab, Python or equivalent.

2.13. Brave New World

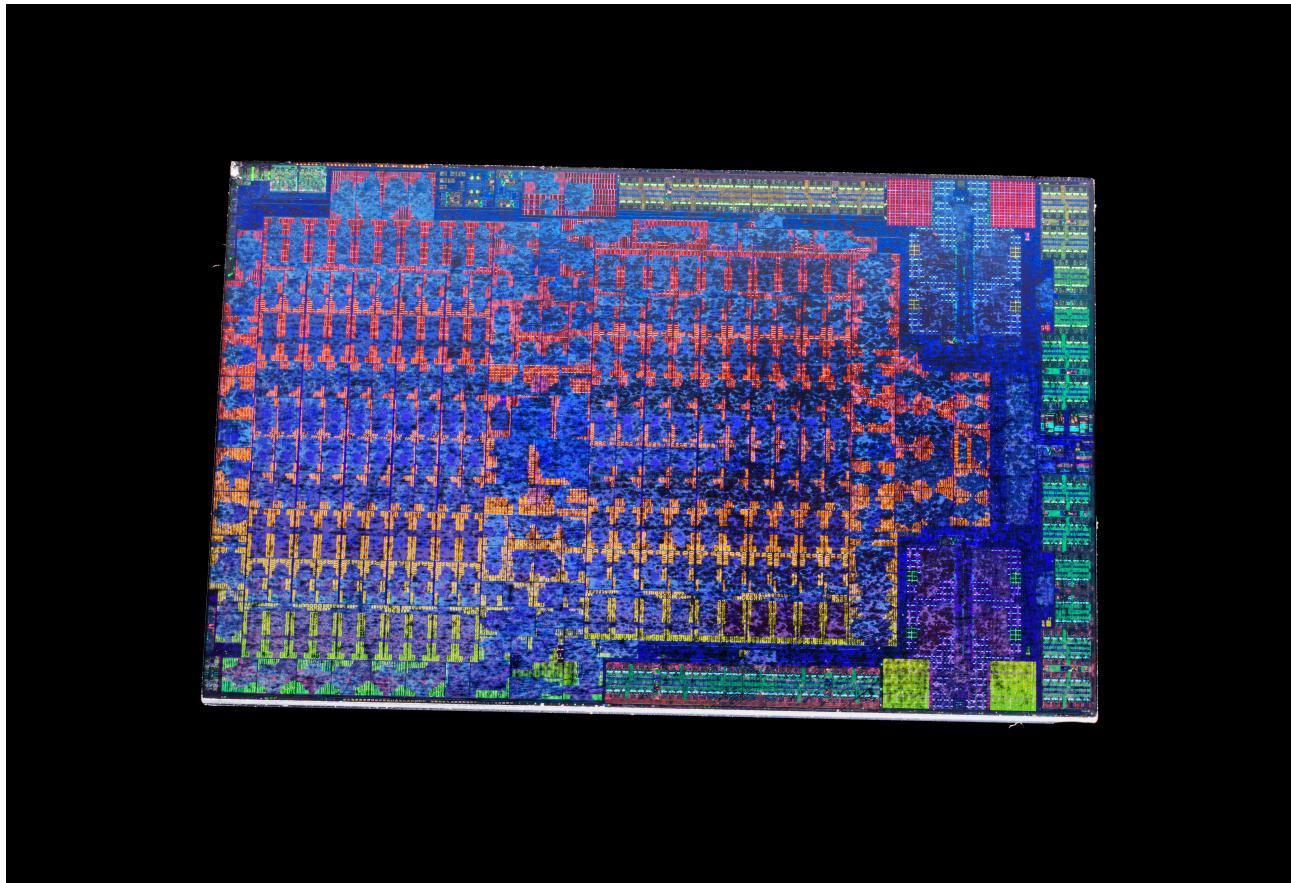


Figure 2.1.: AMD Jaguar APU (CPU/GPU), 16 nm, 325 sqmm, 2016

2.14. From Sand to Silicon (Infineon, Dresden)

https://youtu.be/bor0qLifjz4?list=PLO_wT97BGA6xC6hNy9VGtt1bKwVuQXI5B

2.15. Sand to Silicon (GlobalFoundries, Dresden)

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2.16. FinFET (Intel)

https://www.youtube.com/embed/_VMYPLXnd7E

2.17. TSMC Fab (Next Gen 7/5 nm)

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2.18. Once upon a time ...



Figure 2.2.: 1906 Electron Tube

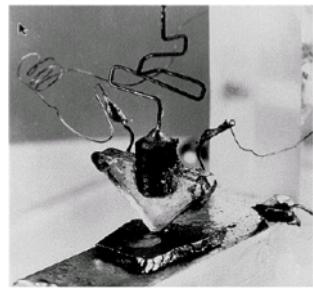


Figure 2.3.: 1947 1st Transistor, Bell Labs

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Figure 2.4.: 1958 Jack Kilby's 1st IC

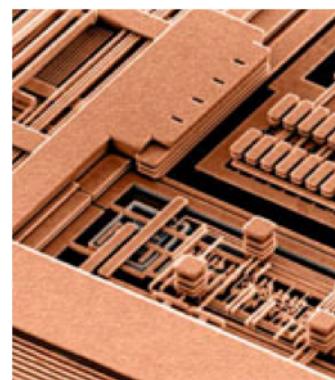


Figure 2.5.: Modern IC

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2.20. Packaging Densities

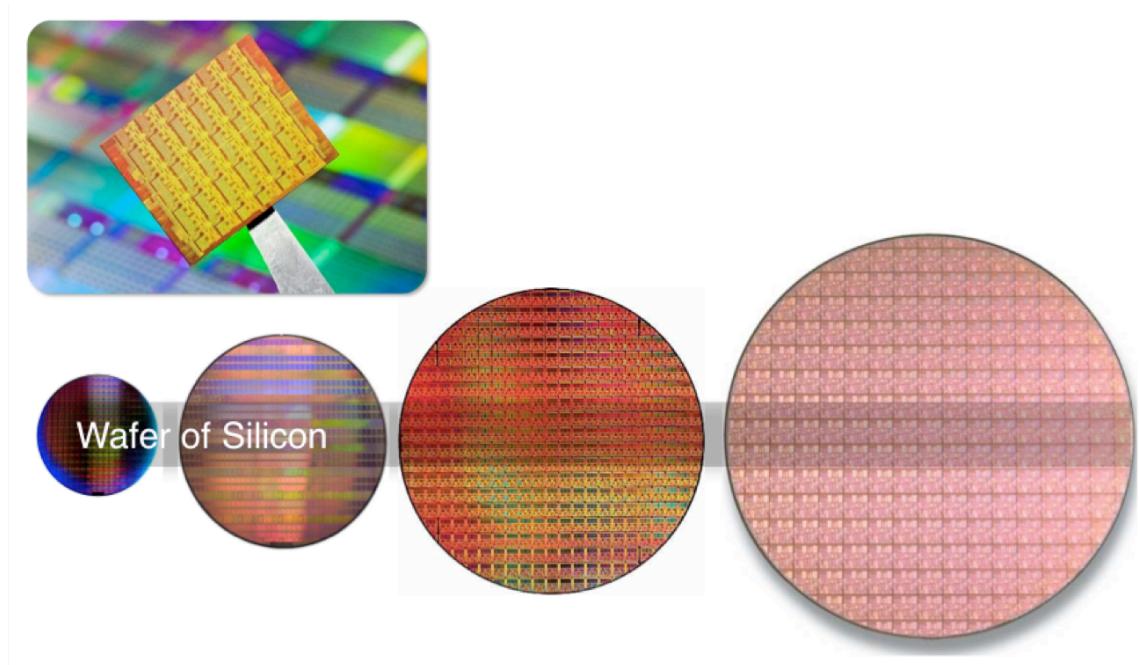


Figure 2.6.: Wafer generations

2.21. Moore's Law

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2.22. System Hierarchy

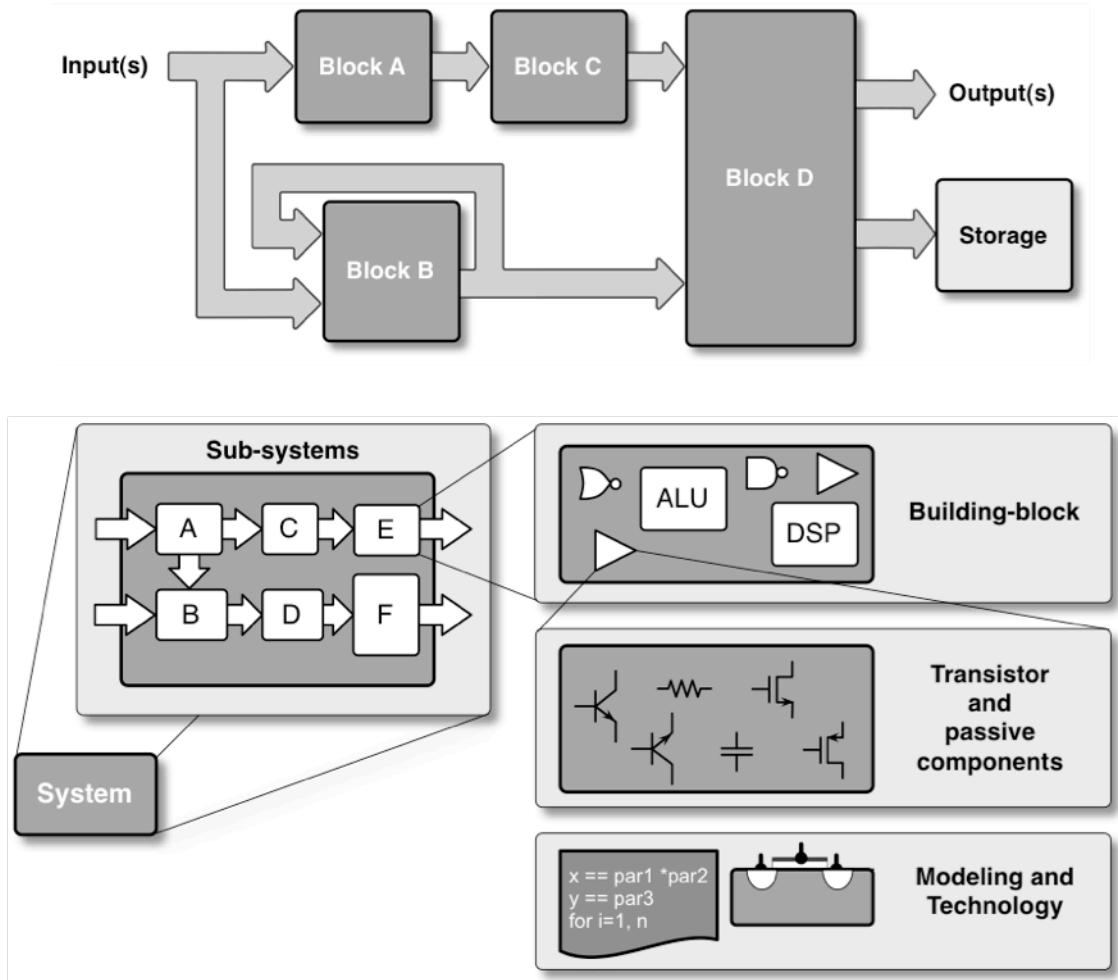
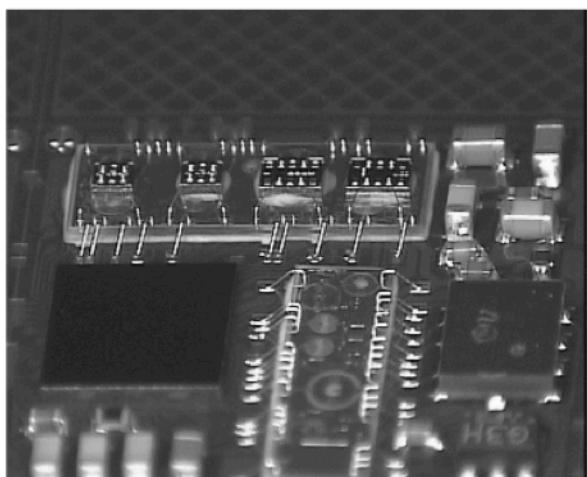


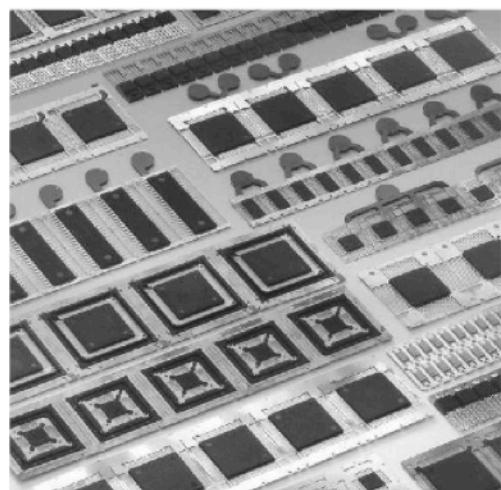
Figure 2.7.: Blocks of an electronic system.

- Use hierarchy to describe complex systems
- Devide and conquer

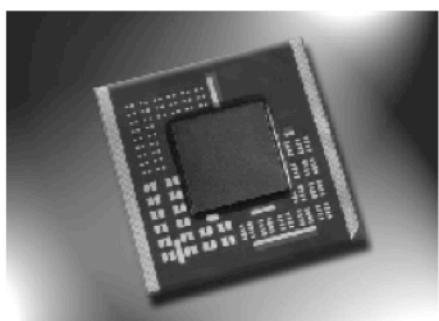
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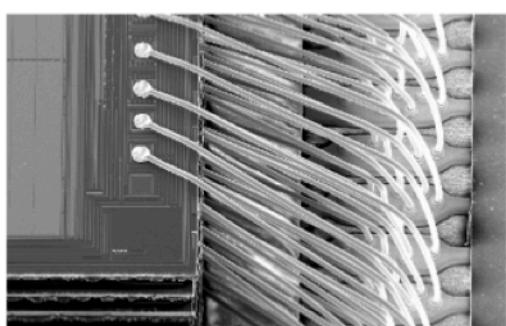
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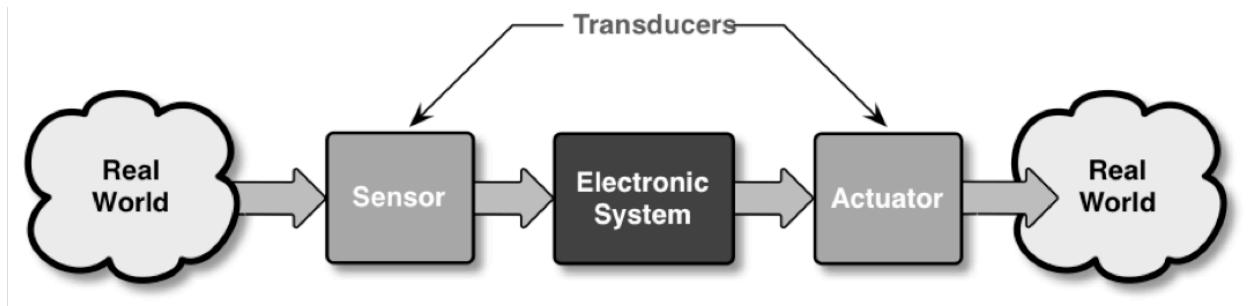
(c)



(d)

Figure 2.8.: Bottom-up Prozess, Integration.

2.24. Interfacing



Entire system involving signals of real world.

Figure 2.9.: Interfacing.

2.25. Meeting a System (1)

Block diagram of a wireless communication system

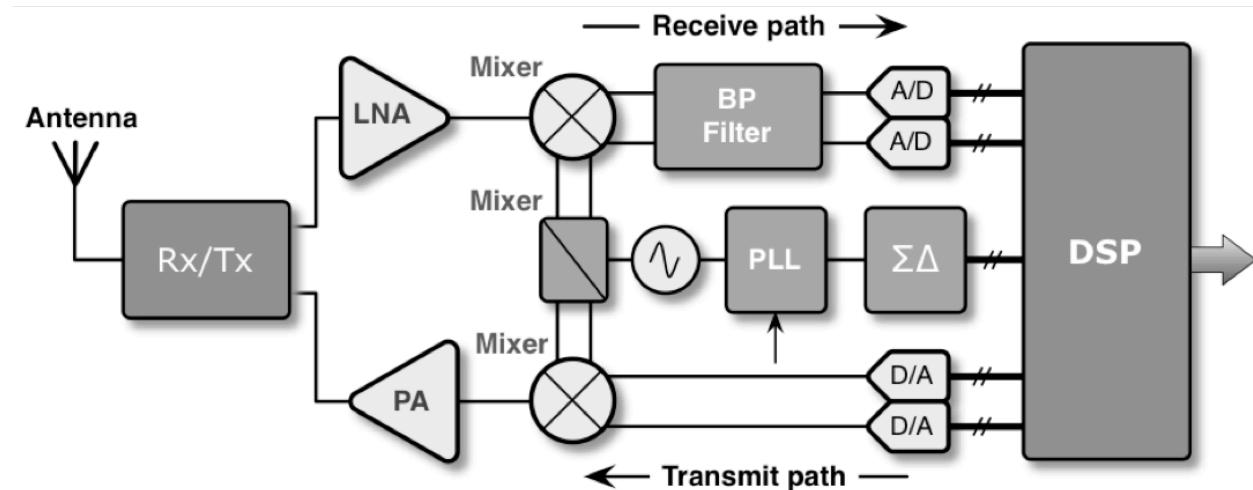
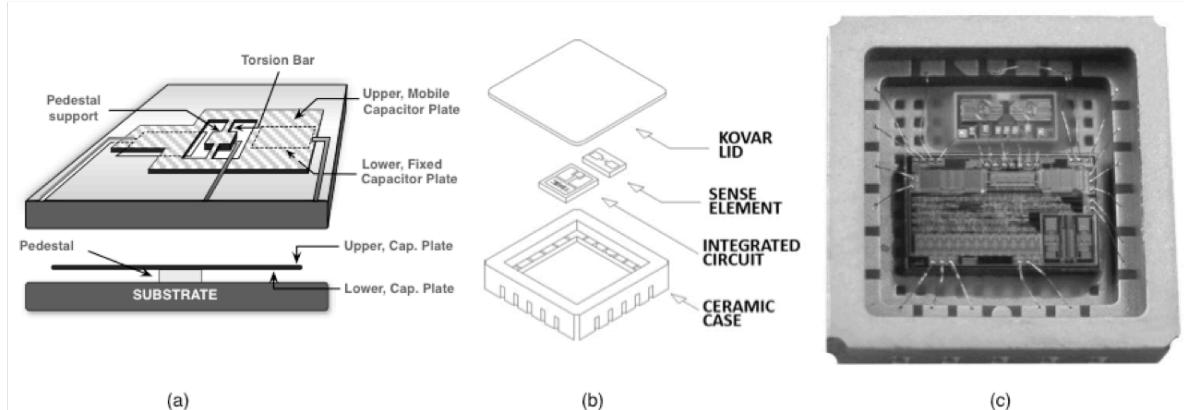


Figure 2.10.: Wireless Communication System.

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2.26. System in a Package (SiP)



- (a) Micro structure of an accelerometer.
- (b) Assembling diagram of the system-on- package.
- (c) Microphotograph. (*Courtesy of Silicon Designs, Inc.*).

Figure 2.11.: Accelerometer.

2.27. You will become an expert

Indicators.

- Background Knowledge
 - System Knowledge, Architecture, Processing, Implementation
- Subconscious Knowledge
 - Memorized experiences of success stories and dead ends
- Special Knowledge
 - Discipline related knowledge, e.g. physics, hardware, software
- Teamwork
 - Communication abilities, reporting and presentation
- Creativity
- Tool-Knowlege

2.28. Views on Hardware

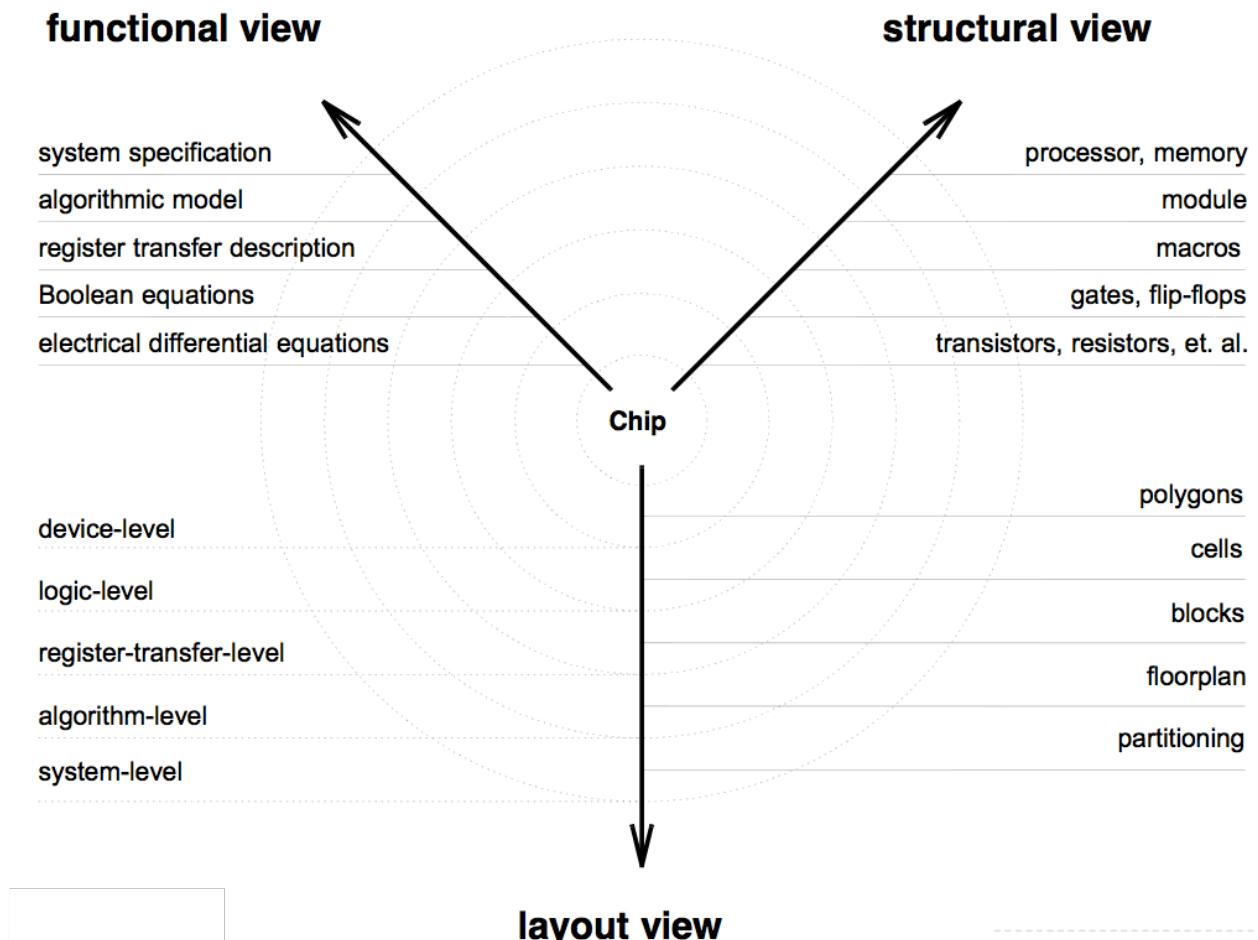


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2.29. Sustainable Electronics ...

<https://www.youtube.com/embed/7S5IuaKiZIY>

2.30. Why it is worth ...

<https://www.youtube.com/embed/SwPGxwBZw6I>

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2.31. Let's go to the beach ...

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Part II.

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3.2. Design Project Flow

- Literature research in journals, professional (serious) internet forums (e.g. application notes of semiconductor companies) and library
- Set-up bibliography, e.g. [JabRef](#), [Citavi](#)
- Concept of your system
 - Partitioning
 - Functions
 - Work packages
- Design, implementation and validation
 - Mathematical description, e.g. Matlab/Simulink model
 - SPICE modeling and simulation, LTspice circuit
 - Data analysis and validation, Serial monitor

