

TH-II VLSI and Embedded System

Full Marks: 80

Time- 3 Hrs

Answer any five Questions including Q No.1& 2
Figures in the right-hand margin indicates marks

1. Answer **All** questions 2 x 10
 - a. Write the advantages of VLSI technology.
 - b. Differentiate between enhancement and depletion type nMOS transistor
 - c. Draw the stick diagram of CMOS inverter.
 - d. Define noise margins (NM_L and NM_H) of an CMOS inverter.
 - e. Define delay time of an CMOS inverter
 - f. Name the VHDL design units.
 - g. What is EDA in VLSI? Give an example of EDA tool.
 - h. What are the basic components of an embedded system?
 - i. Write any two differences between Arduino and Raspberry Pi.
 - j. Draw the XOR gate using pass transistor.

2. Answer **Any Six** Questions 5X6
 - a. Write the difference between full custom and semicustom design in VLSI
 - b. Explain the capacitances of an nMOS transistor.
 - c. Realize NAND2 gate using CMOS inverter.
 - d. Explain the working of resistive load inverter
 - e. What is FPGA? Explain its architecture with proper diagram.
 - f. Implement clocked SR latch using CMOS NOR2 gates.
 - g. Differentiate between SRAM and DRAM.

3. Describe VLSI design methodology, design flow and Y chart. 10
4. Differentiate between positive and negative photoresist. Draw the steps for VLSI fabrication of a CMOS inverter in n-Well process. 10
5. Draw and explain the voltage transfer characteristics (VTC) of a CMOS inverter. 10
6. Derive the current equation of an enhancement type nMOS transistor. 10
7. Explain the working of digital camera with the help of block diagram 10