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Seventh Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2018/Jan.2019 CAD for VLSI

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

1 a. List different graph search algorithm. Discuss in detail.

(08 Marks)

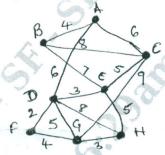
b. Write the line sweep algorithm. Explain with an example.

(08 Marks)

OR

a. Deduce the single pair shortest path algorithm. And also find the shortest path between B to F vertices for the graph given in Fig.Q.2(a). (10 Marks)

Fig.Q.2(a)



b. Draw the bipartite graph, for the graph shown in Fig.Q.2(b)

(06 Marks)

Fig.Q.2(b)



Module-2

3 a. List the atomic operations that a layout editor must support.

(08 Marks)

b. Deduce the relationship between different graph classes.

(08 Marks)

OR

a. Discuss different graph problems in physical design.

(08 Marks)

b. List and explain various operations that can be performed on a layout using the corner stitch data structure. (08 Marks)

Module-3

5 a. List the parameters, they deals with partitioning problem at any level.

(10 Marks)

b. Discuss different factors that are considered by the chip planning, floor planning, pin assignment and placement algorithms. (06 Marks)



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OR

What do you mean by rectangular dualization? Explain briefly. (08 Marks) Deduce the KL algorithm with an example. (08 Marks)

Module-4

Distinguish different design style based pin assignment problem. (06 Marks) Deduce the genetic algorithm for placement. Explain briefly. (10 Marks) b.

List and explain the objective functions and placement procedures of Breuer's algorithm. 8 (08 Marks)

Explain different methods of general pin assignment.

(08 Marks)

Module-5

Draw the 2 phase routing flow. (06 Marks) Deduce the LEE-Router algorithm. (06 Marks) Compare different Maze and line probe routing algorithm. (04 Marks)

List different parameters, they dictated by the design rules and the routing strategy.

(06 Marks) Write the left-edge algorithm. (06 Marks) List and deduce the possible cases of corner

(04 Marks)