

ECE225/125

High-Speed Digital Integrated Circuit Design

University of California, Santa Barbara
Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering
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Course Description:

Advanced digital VLSI design: CMOS scaling, nanoscale issues including variability, thermal management, interconnects, reliability; non-clocked, clocked and self-timed logic gates; clocked storage elements; high-speed components, PLLs and DLLs; clock and power distribution; memory systems; signaling and I/O design; low-power design; device-circuit co-design with non-classical CMOS and emerging nanoelectronics.

Class Room/Schedule: PHELP 1437 Tue & Thu 4:00PM-5:50PM

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Text: Several books will be used for different sub-topics. The ECE 124A text book (by Weste and Harris) is recommended as a reference.

References: To be posted on the class homepage:
http://www.ece.ucsb.edu/courses/ECE125/125_W08Banerjee/default.html

Software: MMI: Max and Sue VLSI layout tools, Avanti HSPICE, Mentor Graphics: XCallibre, and Model Sim Suites

Prerequisites: ECE124A or equivalent, ECE 132 or equivalent

Grading: Will be based on assignments, exams and a final project
Assignments: 30%
Midterm: 30%
Final Project: 40%

Note:

- Late assignments will be penalized (20% per day).
- Must complete all assignments and project to pass.
- A mid-quarter report is needed on the final project.