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PART – A

(10 x 2 = 20)

Answer All the Questions

1. Write an expression to find threshold voltage of a MOS transistor.
2. Write the truth table for a four-way multiplexer.
3. Draw the diagram of a CMOS inverter.
4. State and briefly explain the secondary effect in a MOSFET.
5. Briefly explain the differences between two types of synchronous state machines.
6. What is meant by aspect ratio of a CMOS device?
7. List the types of adders.
8. State the types of ASIC.
9. What is a pass transistor?
10. What are the advantages of CMOS technology?

PART – B
Answer All the Questions

(5 x 12 = 60)

11. (a) Explain the transfer characteristics of a CMOS inverter.
(b) Explain the operation of n-MOS enhancement transistor.
(or)
12. (a) Explain dynamic power dissipation in a MOSFET.
(b) Design a Moore's state machine using D-flipflops.
13. (a) Explain CMOS Domino logic circuit and its versions.
(b) Explain Cascade Voltage Switch Logic (CVSL)
(or)
14. (a) Give a comparative statement between static and dynamic CMOS design.
(b) Explain the secondary effects in a MOSFET.
15. Explain a 16 x 16 booth multiplier.
(or)
16. Explain C^2 MOS latch – pipelining.
17. Describe Kernighan Lin partitioning algorithm.
(or)
18. Describe simulated annealing in partitioning.
19. Explain the following:
 - (a) Goals and objectives of floorplanning.
 - (b) Measurement of delays during floorplanning.
 - (c) Floorplanning tools.(or)
20. Explain:
 - (a) force-directed placement algorithm.
 - (b) Input-Output and power planning.