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B.E. (Electronics and Communication Engineering) Fifth Semester EC-501: VLSI Design

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

NOTE: Attempt <u>five</u> questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting two questions from each Unit.

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- I. Attempt the following:
 - a) What are advantages of ICs over discrete components?
 - b) Define constant voltage scaling.
 - c) Why NMOS technology is preferred more than RMOS technology?
 - d) What is power dissipation?
 - e) How dielectric isolation occurs?

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UNIT-I

- II. Discuss the CMOS lambda design rules. Draw and explain stick diagram of NAND and NOR Gate. (10)
- III. Compare nMOS and CMOS inverters. Explain all the power dissipation in MOS Inverter. (10)
- IV. Explain Epitaxial devices and their characteristics.

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UNIT-II

- V. Explain the concept of body Bias in MOSFETS. Discuss the challenges of MOSFET Scaling in detail. (10)
- VI. Discuss the MOS Inverter Switching Characteristics in terms of Delay time. (10)
- VII. a) Discuss and explain short channel effects.
 - b) Discuss and explain Domino Logic with help of suitable example. (2x5)