

Introduction to VLSI

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VLSI → Very Large Scale Integration.

↳ millions of transistors.

↳ CMOS technology.
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complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor.

↳ high packing density

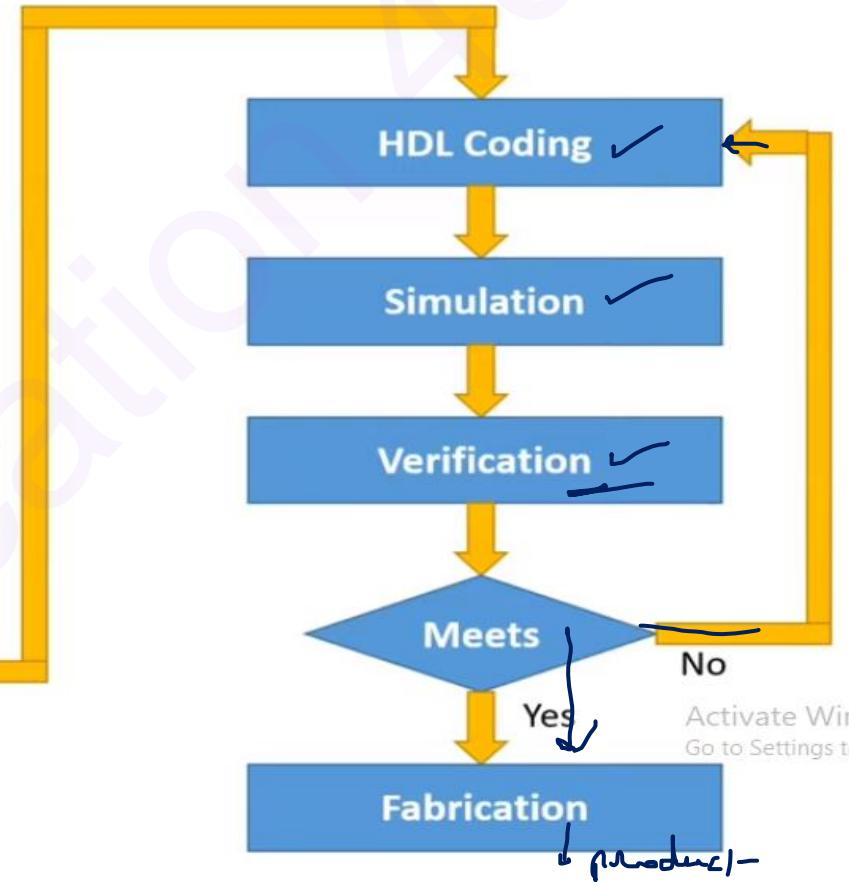
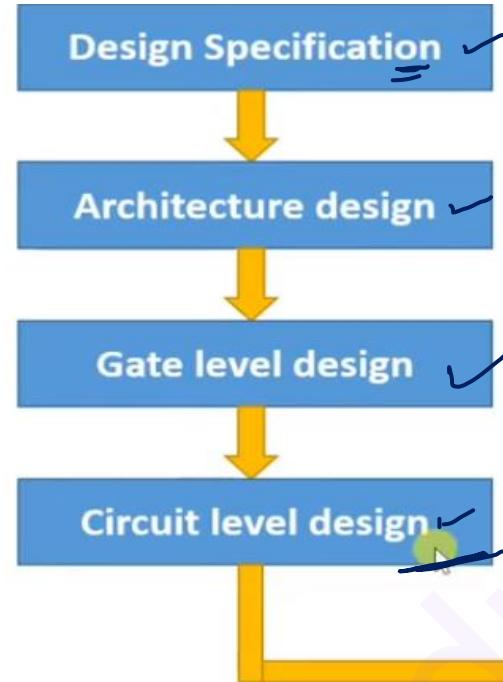
↳ very low power consumption.

- VLSI design flow specifies process from a design / market requirement till the outcome through fabrication.
- Design Specification considers the current / market requirement.
- Architecture design:- outer shape / expectation is created.



- Gate level design:- using AND, OR, NOT gates the circuit (logical) is going to be built.

VLSI Design flow



- Ckt level design → consists of transistor diagrams.
- HDL → Hardware Description Language.
 - ↳ VHDL (Very High Speed IC HDL)
 - ↳ Verilog HDL
- Simulation is the process of verifying the code with i/p.