

# 17VL020 RF INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DESIGN

Hours Per Week :

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Total Hours :

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45	15	-	15	30	-	5	5	-

# **Course Objectives:**

To develop electronic circuits for radio frequency applications, specific to CMOS integrated circuits. To design integrated circuits, and specific to radio frequencies.

# **Course Outcomes:**

- Upon successful completion of this course student should be able to understand circuits • for radio front-ends for mobile phone handsets.
- ٠ Understand low noise amplifiers, mixers and voltage controlled oscillators power amplifiers.

# SKILLS:

- In-depth understanding of RF and analog circuit blocks such as LNAs, Mixers, Power. ٠
- Amplifiers, VCOs, PLL, LO generation and base-band amplifiers.

## UNIT-1

**INTRODUCTION:** RF systems- Basic Architectures, Transmission Media and Reflections, Maximum Power Transfer, Passive RLC Networks for Matching, Passive Impedance Transformation, Noise Models for Active and Passive Components, Classical Two-Port Noise Theory, Noise Figure, Friis Equation, Nonlinearity, Sensitivity and Dynamic range

## UNIT-2

**HIGH FREQUENCY AMPLIFIER DESIGN & LOW NOISE AMPLIFIERS DESIGN:** High Frequency Amplifier Design – Bandwidth Estimation Using Open-Circuit Time Constants, Bandwidth Estimation Using Short-Circuit Time Constants, Risetime, Delay and Bandwidth, Zeros to Enhance Bandwidth , Shunt-Series Amplifier, Cascode Amplifier.Low Noise Amplifier (LNA) Design – LNA Topologies, Large Signal Performance, Design Examples.

## UNIT-3

MIXERS: Mixer Fundamentals, Multiplier-Based Mixers, Sub-Sampling Mixers.

#### UNIT-4

**VOLTAGE CONTROLLED OSCILLATORS:** Resonators, Negative Resistance Oscillators.

#### UNIT – 5

**RF POWER AMPLIFIERS:** Class A, AB, B, C amplifiers, Class D, E, F Amplifiers, RF Power Amplifier Design Examples.

#### **TEXT BOOKS**

- 1. Thomas H. Lee ,"The Design of CMOS Radio-Frequency Integrated Circuits". Cambridge University Press, 2004.
- 2. Behzad Razavi ,"RF Microelectronics". Prentice Hall, 1998.

#### **REFERENCE BOOKS**

- 1. A.A. Abidi, P.R. Gray, and R.G. Meyer," Integrated Circuits for Wireless communications", New York: IEEE Press, 1999.
- Jeremy Everard, "Fundamentals of RF Circuit Design With Low Noise Oscillators", John Wiley & Sons Ltd.2001

## ACTIVITIES:

Design
LNA,Mixer,
VCO,PLL
and Power
Amplifier