

Design and Implementation of Low Power Adiabatic System for Power Recycling in Frequency Divider

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ABSTRACT

Frequency divider to generate a frequency that is a multiple of a reference frequency. The latch based frequency divider are cascaded the two static differential sense amplifier pulsed latch (SSA SPL) with body biasing techniques. The operation of this type divider is to reduce power, delay and transistor size. The Adiabatic techniques dramatically reduce power consumption. This paper presents (ECRL) Efficient Charge Recovery Logic latch based frequency divider, which provides a contentment achievement. The architecture is combined two latches with feedback. Thus, frequency division is done. The circuit designed and simulation can be done in TANNER EDA.

KEYWORDS: Low power, adiabatic, ECRL, frequency divider, SSASPL latch, body biasing technique

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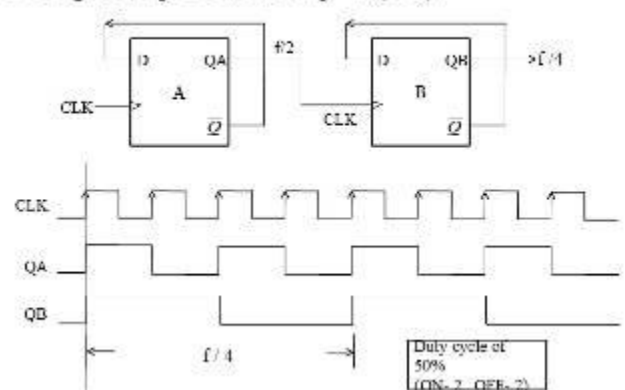
I. INTRODUCTION

Due to the reducing size of circuit in today's generation of vlsi technology. Storage elements will be classified into latches and flip-flops. Latch is a device with two stable states: low-output and high-output. A latch has a feedback path, so information can be hold on by the device. Therefore latches are called volatile memory devices, and stores only one bit of data for as long as the device is powered. The name itself suggests, latches are used to "latch onto" information and hold in place.

1. FREQUENCY DIVIDER

Frequency divider is also known as PRE scalar, is a circuit which takes an input signal as a frequency and generates an output signal as a frequency and can be implemented in both the analog and digital applications. Frequency divider technique is used in frequency synthesizer to generate a range of frequencies from a single reference frequency. The final output clock signal can have a frequency value up to the input clock frequency divided by the MOD range of the counter. Such circuits are known as "divide-by-n" counters. An n-bit counter will start counting the number of clock pulses. The LSB of counter can modify at each clock pulse, whereas (LSB-1) can modify for each alternate clock pulse, (LSB-2) for fourth clock pulse, and then on. Thus, you have a frequency division.

Frequency Divide by 4 (f/4)



2. SSASPL: (Static Differential Sense Amplifier Shared Pulse Latch)

The SSASPL (Static Differential Sense Amplifier Shared Pulse Latch) improves with 3 NMOS transistors and it holds the data with 4 transistors in two differential data inputs (Db and D) and a pulsed clock signal. When the pulsed clock signal is high, its data is update. The node Q or Qb is pulled to ground according to the input data (Db and D). The pull-down current of the NMOS transistor must be larger than the pull-up current of PMOS transistors in the inverters.

The number of transistors in SSASPL is less when compared to flip-flop i.e., latch consists of 7 transistors where as flip-flop consists of 16 transistors. The three NMOS transistors are used to update the data and remaining transistors are used for the operation.

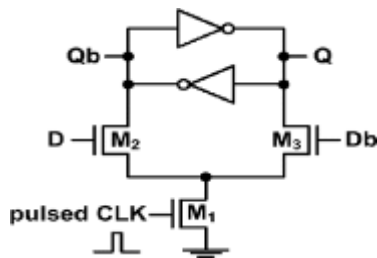


Fig: 2.1 SSASPL latch circuit

D	Clk	Db	Q	Qb
0	0	1	0	1
0	1	1	0	1
1	0	0	1	0
1	1	0	1	0

SSASPL latch truth table

3. OPERATION INVOLVED IN THE BODY BIASING

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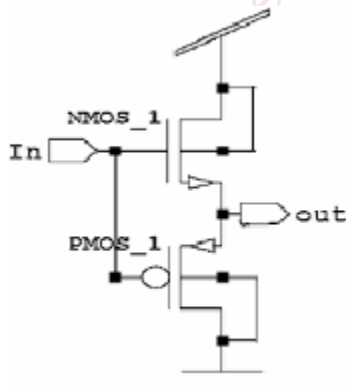


Fig 3.1 Basic body biasing

A body bias technique is proposed for leakage minimization in frequency divider. The biasing technique is used in delay, AND gate, NOT gate, buffer circuits in the pulse clock generator as shown in the figure. Biasing reduces the leakage power. It reduces the power consumption and increases the performance of the circuit.

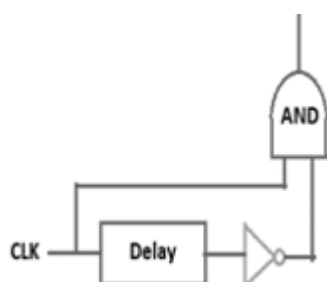


Fig 3.2 Pulse generator circuit

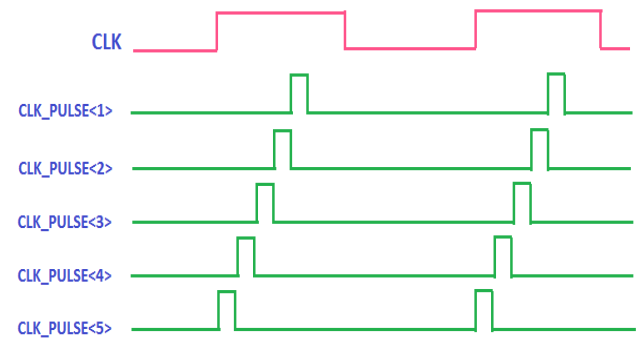


Fig 3.2 Pulse clock generator waveform

VARIABLE BODY BIASING TECHNIQUE IMPLEMENTED IN PULSE CLOCK GENERATOR MODULES

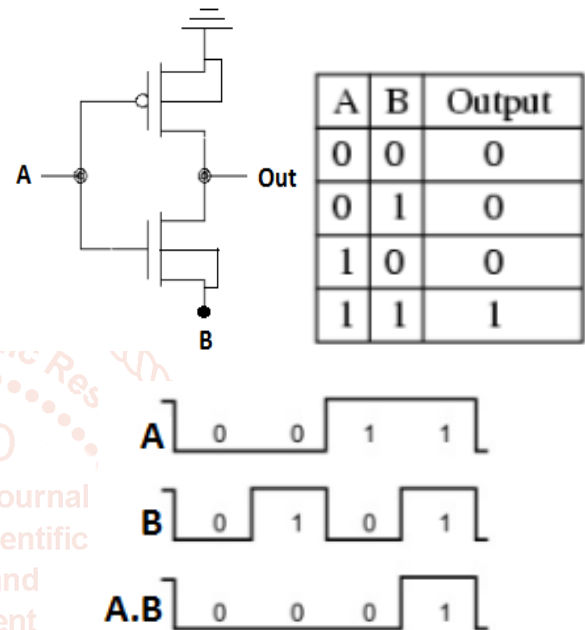


Fig 3.3 AND gate circuit with biasing followed by truth table and waveform

The above circuit shows the AND gate which is implemented with body biasing technique to minimize the leakage power which results in the low power consumption.

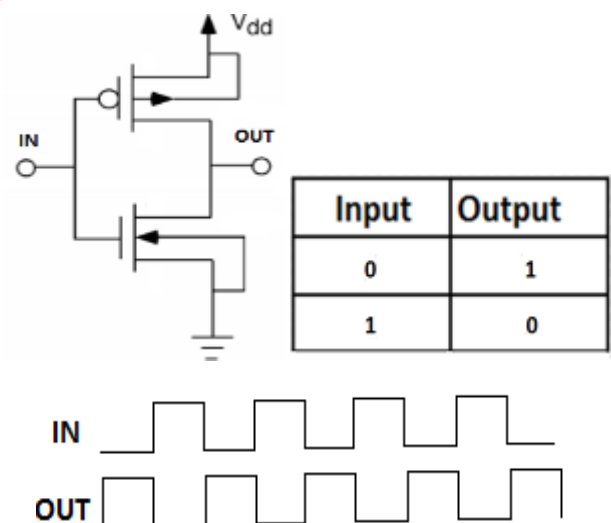


Fig 3.4 NOT gate circuit with biasing followed by truth table and waveform

The above circuit shows the NOT gate which is implemented with body biasing technique to minimize the leakage power which results in the low power consumption.

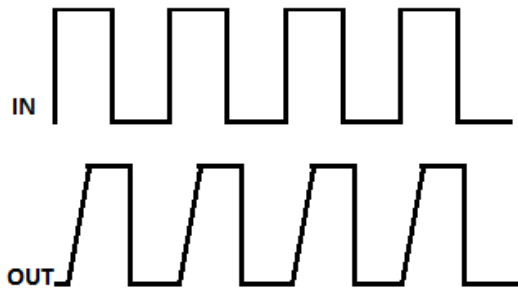
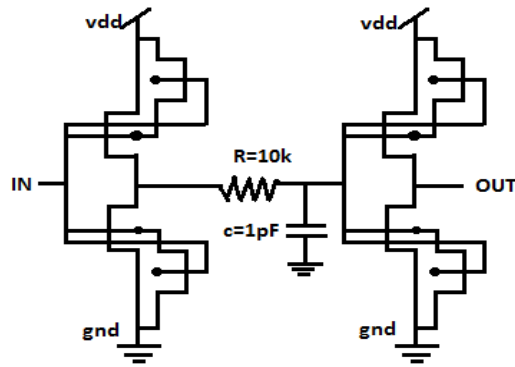


Fig 3.5 Delay circuit with biasing followed by waveform

The above circuit shows the Delay circuit which is implemented with body biasing technique to minimize the leakage power which results in the low power consumption.

II. PROPOSED SYSTEM

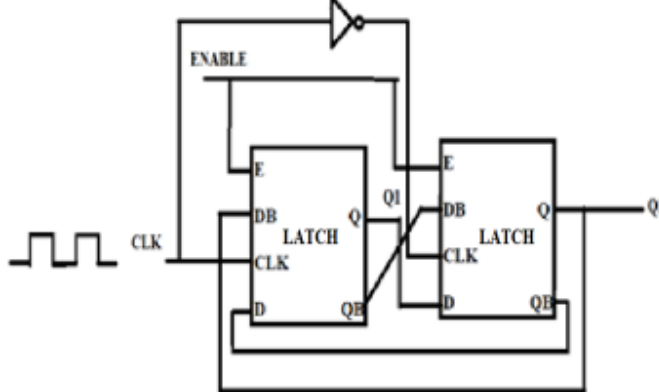


Fig 4 Circuit of frequency divider using SSASPL Latch

Flip-flop operation is based on the clock signal which is the main power consuming network in frequency divider. For **Frequency Division** or as a “divide-by-2” counter. Here the inverted output terminal Q (NOT-Q) is connected directly back to the Data input terminal D giving the device “feedback”

POWER CONSUMPTION TABLE

Circuit	Power consumption(Pc)	Pc with body biasing
AND gate	3.084146e-007W	2.523468e-007W
Buffer	1.178229e-006W	8.453198e-007W
Delay	1.028487e-004W	4.285585e-005W
NOT gate	2.726574e-009 W	1.9083478e-11W
CLK-pulse generator	1.938271e-004W	9.917125e-005W
Frequency divider	1.016487e-001W	4.841338e-003W

Table.5.1. comparison table for power consumption with biasing and without biasing

III. SIMULATION RESULTS

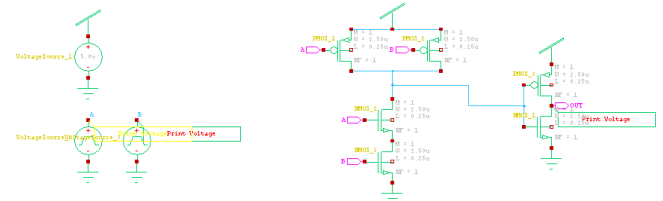


Fig 6.1 Schematic of AND gate circuit

The above figure shows the schematic of AND gate circuit without biasing which is implemented with two transis.

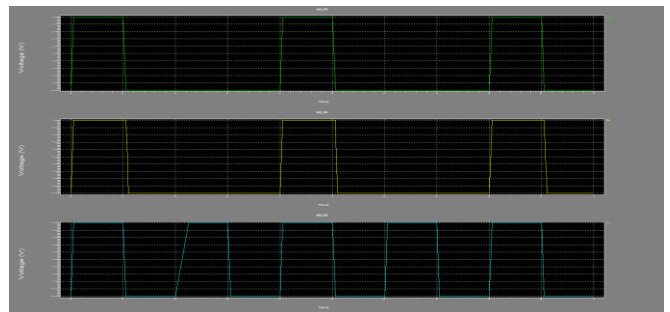


Fig 6.2 Simulation result of AND gate

The above figure shows the schematic of AND gate output.

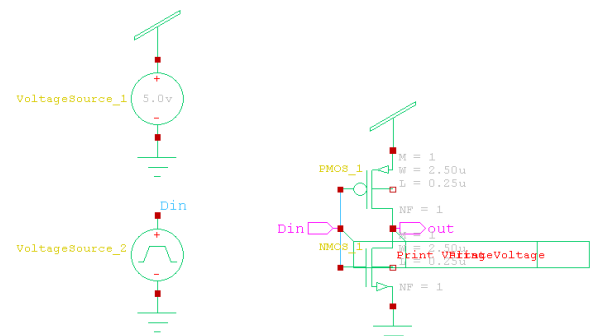


Fig 6.3 Schematic of NOT gate circuit

The above figure shows the schematic of NOT gate circuit without biasing which is implemented with two transistors

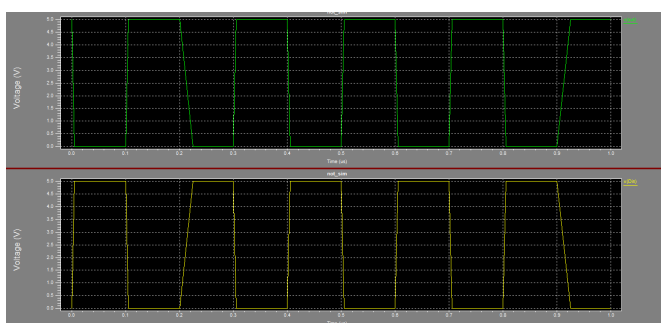


Fig 6.4 Simulation result of NOT gate circuit

The above figure shows the schematic of NOT gate output.

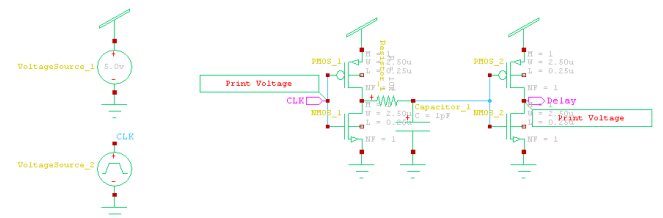


Fig 6.5 Schematic of Delay circuit

The above figure shows the schematic of Delay circuit with biasing which is implemented with 8-transistors to reduce the leakage.

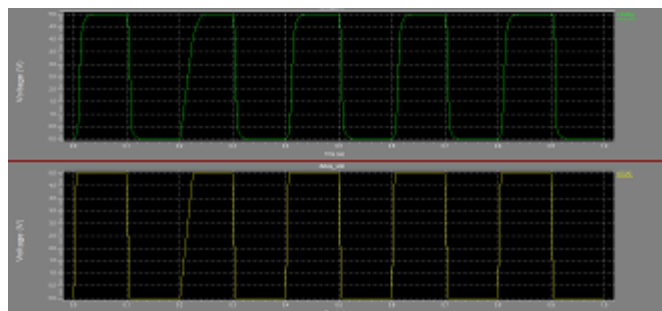


Fig 6.6 Simulation result of Delay circuit

The above figure shows the schematic of Delay output with biasing.

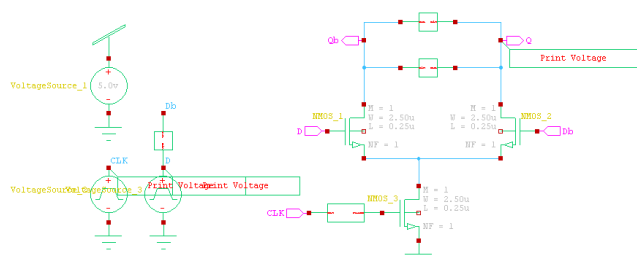


Fig6.7 Schematic of SSASPL circuit

The above figure shows the schematic of Static Differential Sense Amplifier Shared Pulsed Latch circuit which consists of 7-transistors.

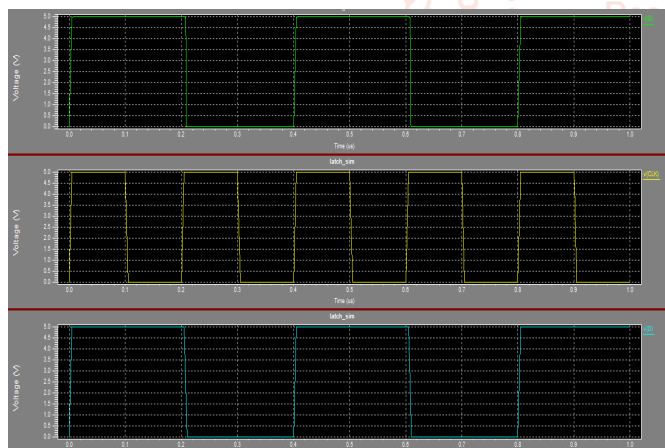


Fig 6.8 Schematic result of SSASPL circuit

The above figure shows the schematic of SSASPL output with biasing.

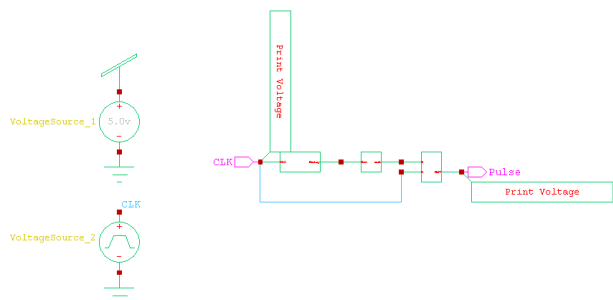


Fig 6.9 Schematic of Pulse clock generator

The above figure shows the schematic of pulse clock generator which consisting of delay, AND gate, NOT gate and it produces 5-clock pulses.

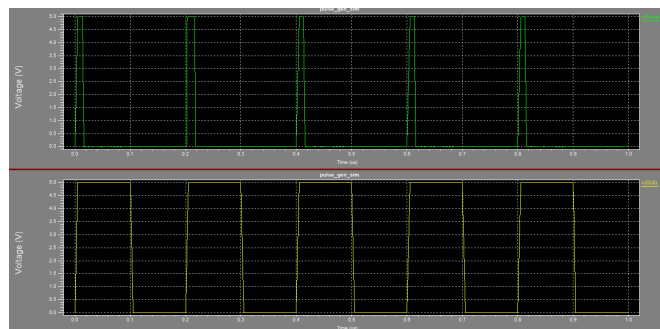


Fig 6.10 Simulation result of Pulse clock generator

The above figure shows the schematic of Pulse clock generator output with biasing.

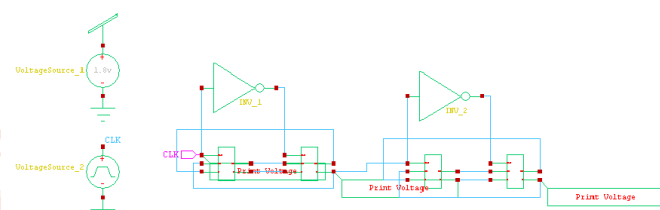


Fig 6.11 Schematic of frequency divider design

The above figure shows the schematic of frequency divider circuit with pulsed latches.

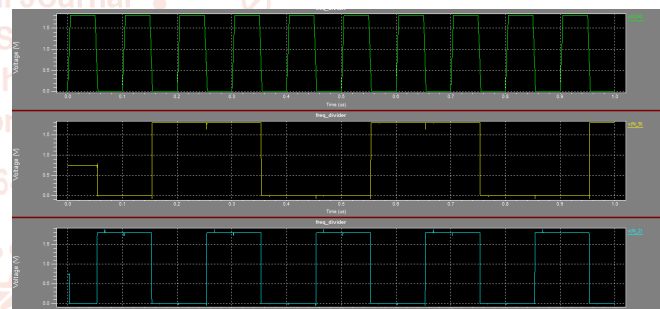


Fig 6.12 Simulation result of frequency divider design

The above figure shows the schematic of shift register circuit with pulsed latches output with biasing.

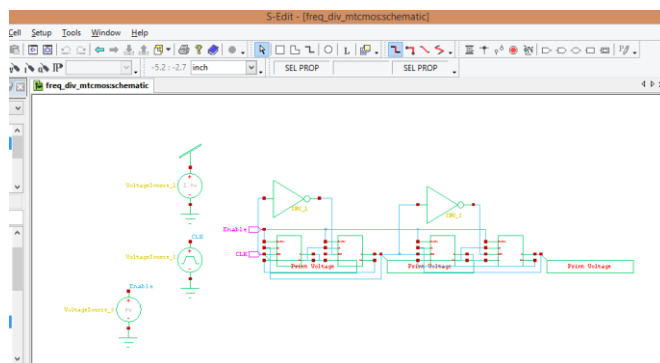


Fig 6.13 Schematic of frequency divider design with biasing

The above figure shows the schematic of frequency divider circuit with pulsed latches.

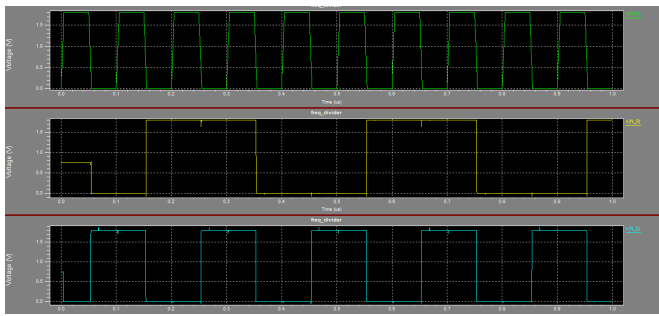


Fig 6.14 Simulation result of frequency divider design with biasing

The above figure shows the schematic of shift register circuit with pulsed latches output with biasing

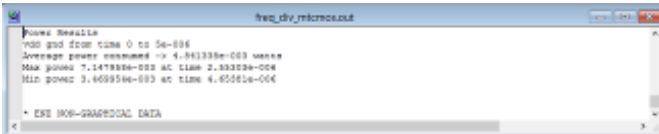


Fig 6.13 power consumption of frequency divider with biasing

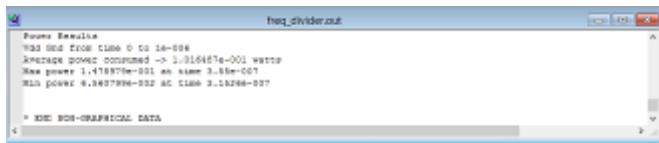


Fig 6.14 power consumption of frequency divider without biasing

Circuit	Width	Length
AND		
Buffer	2.50 μ	0.25 μ
Delay		
NOT		
Latch	1 μ	0.18 μ

Table 6.1 Length and width

IV. CONCLUSION

The Frequency divider reduces power consumption and area by replacing flip-flops with pulsed latches. The timing problem between pulsed latches is solved by placing delay circuits in between clock pulse signals. The small number of the pulsed clock signals is used by categorizing the latches to several frequency and using temporary storage latches

which are additional. A frequency divider was fabricated using a 0.45 CMOS process width. Its core area is. It consumes 1.8mW at a 10 MHz clock frequency. The proposed frequency divider saves 50% area and 30% to 50% power compared to the flip flop using frequency divider.

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