

# NPTEL VIDEO COURSE ON ELECTRONICS SYSTEMS PACKAGING

- ❑ Introduction to systems packaging
- ❑ Semiconductor packaging overview and fundamentals
- ❑ Packages
- ❑ Electrical design issues in packaging
- ❑ CAD for printed wiring boards and Design for manufacturability



- ❑ Technology of system-level Printed Wiring Boards

# A QUICK REVIEW OF THE CAD PROCESS STEPS BY ILLUSTRATIONS

# Electrical Component Selection

Components that will be used in the electrical schematic are selected and designed.

The screenshot shows the BenchAccess1000 software interface. On the left, a tree view displays categories like Capacitor, Resistor, and IC. The IC category is expanded, showing sub-categories such as CMOS Logic, TTL Logic, Microprocessor, and Misc. A specific component, 75176, is selected. The main workspace shows a pinout diagram for the component, labeled 'U?' with pins numbered 1 through 8. Below the pinout is a text field '<Value>'. At the bottom, there are two tables. The top table lists component properties: Implementation (DIP.1006WJ300L.400), PCB Footprint (DIP.1006WJ300L.400), Value (75176), Part Number (20-00176BTM), Schematic Part (75176), Port Type (Interface Data Transmis...), Description (IC, MULTIPORT RS485 T), Allegro PCB Footprint (dp8\_3), Manufacturer Part Nu (DS75176BTM), Manufacturer (National Semiconductor), and Distributor Part Number (DS75176BTM-ND). The bottom table lists components by table, part number, value, description, schematic part, PCB footprint, Allegro PCB footprint, implementation, manufacturer part number, manufacturer, distributor part number, distributor, and price. The second row from the bottom is highlighted in green, corresponding to the selected component in the workspace.

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4	Part Number	20-00176BTM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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6	Port Type	Interface Data Transmis...	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7	Description	IC, MULTIPORT RS485 T	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
8	Allegro PCB Footprint	dp8_3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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11	Distributor Part Number	DS75176BTM-ND	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

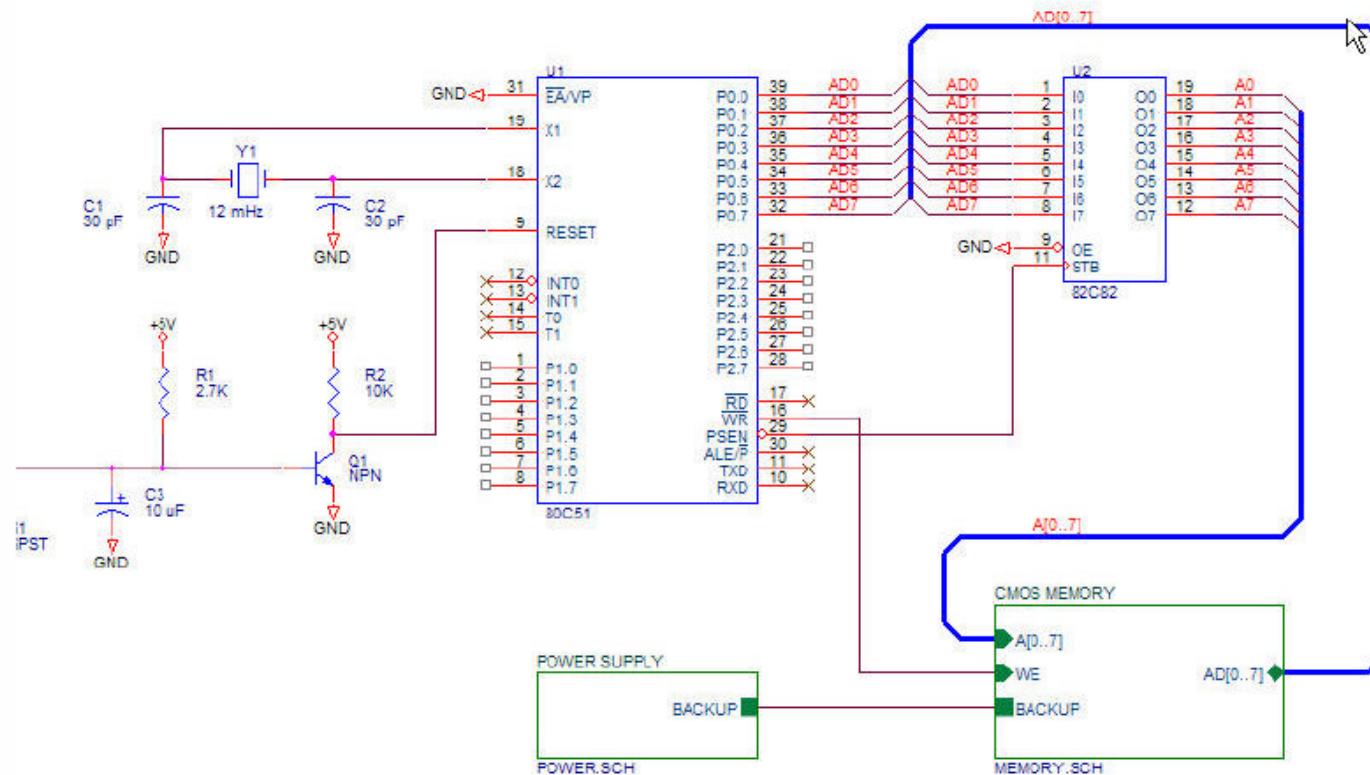
  

Table	Part Number	Part Type	Value	Description	Schematic Part	PCB Footprint	Allegro PCB Footprint	Implementation	Manufacturer Part Number	Manufacturer	Distributor Part Number	Distributor	Price
1	IC	20-00176	Interface Dat	75176	IC_RS485RS 75176	DIP.1006WJ300L.400	dp8_3	DIP.1006WJ300L.400	DS75176BN	National Semi	DS75176BN-Dig	Digi-Key	1.05
2	IC	20-00176BTM	Interface Dat	75176	IC_MULTIPON 75176	DIP.1006WJ300L.400	dp8_3	DIP.1006WJ300L.400	DS75176BTM	National Semi	DS75176BTM-Dig	Digi-Key	1.50
3	IC	20-00176BM	Interface Dat	75176	IC_MULTIRS4 75176	SOC.050/SW	sdic8	SOC.050/SW	DS75176BM	National Semi	DS75176BM-Dig	Digi-Key	1.05
4	IC	20-00176BTM	Interface Dat	75176	IC_MULTIPON 75176	SOC.050/SW	sdic8	SOC.050/SW	DS75176BTM	National Semi	DS75176BTM-Dig	Digi-Key	3.5

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# Schematic

The electrical components are placed in the schematic and net connections established.



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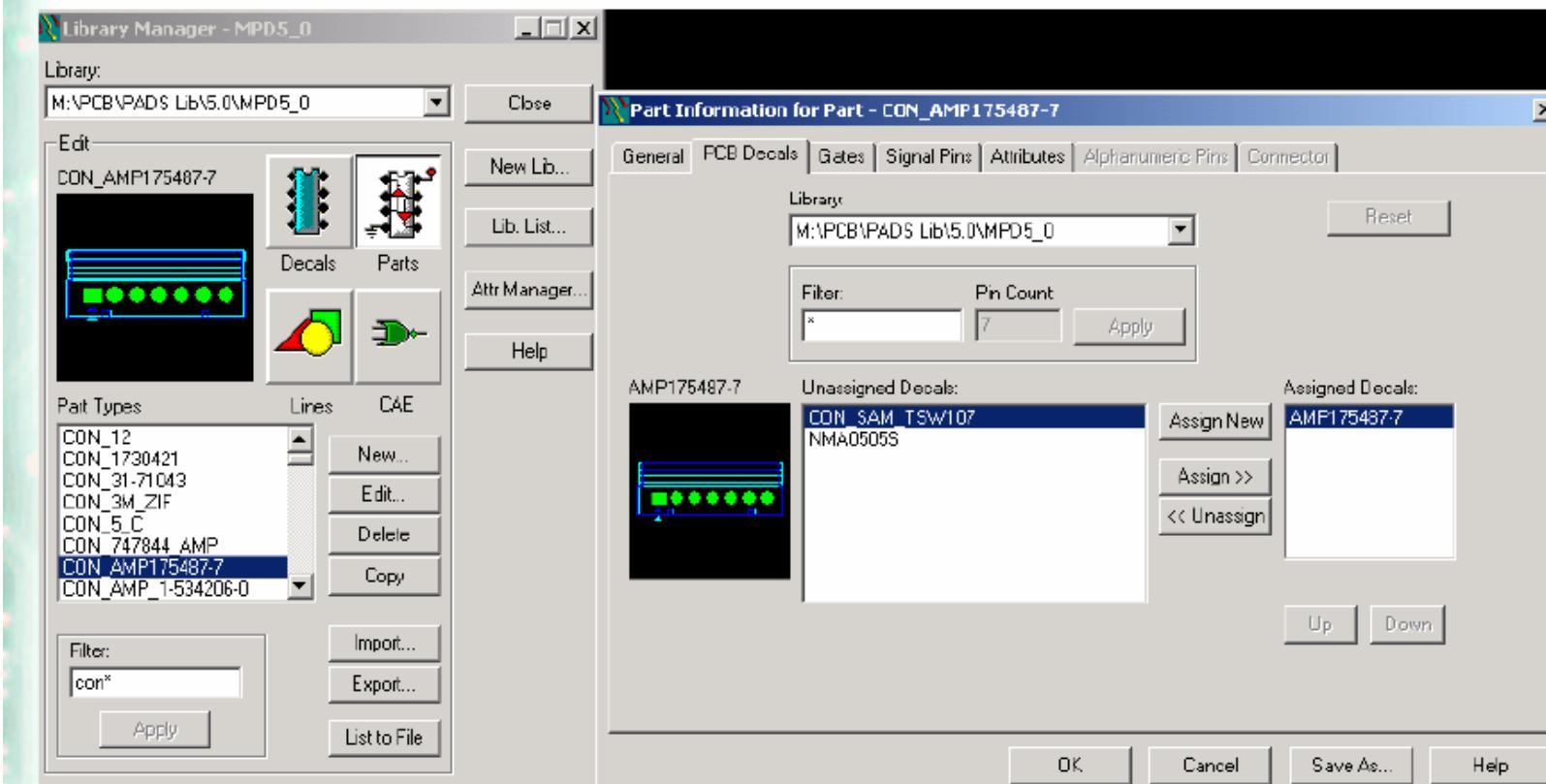
# Bill of Materials

The Bill of Materials is derived from the components that exist in the schematic.

Item	Quantity	Reference	Part	Value	Decal	MFG Part Number	Datasheet
1	1	C1	1000PF	+/-1% 50V	1206	GRIM3195C1H102FA01B	<a href="#">..\MurataCerCap.pdf</a>
2	2	C2	.01uFD	+/-5% 50V	1206	GRIM3195C1H103JA01J	<a href="#">..\MurataCerCap.pdf</a>
		C14	.01uFD	+/-5% 50V	1206	GRIM3195C1H103JA01J	<a href="#">..\MurataCerCap.pdf</a>
3	1	C3	4.7uFD	+/-10% 50V	1812	GRIM43ER71E475KA01L	<a href="#">..\GRM43ER71E475KA01L.pdf</a>
4	5	C4	33ufd 25V	+/-10% 25V	C-CASE	B45196E5336K30	<a href="#">..\B45196E5336K30.pdf</a>
		C5	33ufd 25V	+/-10% 25V	C-CASE	B45196E5336K30	<a href="#">..\B45196E5336K30.pdf</a>
		C6	33ufd 25V	+/-10% 25V	C-CASE	B45196E5336K30	<a href="#">..\B45196E5336K30.pdf</a>
		C8	33ufd 25V	+/-10% 25V	C-CASE	B45196E5336K30	<a href="#">..\B45196E5336K30.pdf</a>
		C16	33ufd 25V	+/-10% 25V	C-CASE	B45196E5336K30	<a href="#">..\B45196E5336K30.pdf</a>
5	5	C7	.1uFD	+/-10% 50V	0603	GRIM188R71H104KA93J	<a href="#">..\MurataCerCap.pdf</a>
		C11	.1uFD	+/-5% 50V	1206	GRIM319R71H104JA01L	<a href="#">..\MurataCerCap.pdf</a>
		C12	.1uFD	+/-5% 50V	1206	GRIM319R71H104JA01L	<a href="#">..\MurataCerCap.pdf</a>
		C13	.1uFD	+/-5% 50V	1206	GRIM319R71H104JA01L	<a href="#">..\MurataCerCap.pdf</a>
		C15	.1uFD	+/-5% 50V	1206	GRIM319R71H104JA01L	<a href="#">..\MurataCerCap.pdf</a>
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7	1	C10	.001uFD	+/-1% 50V	1206	GRIM3195C1H102FA01B	<a href="#">..\MurataCerCap.pdf</a>
8	1	D1	MBRS120T3	-	403A	MBRS120T3	<a href="#">..\MBRS120T3-D.pdf</a>
9	2	D2	MRA4003T3	-	403D	MRA4003T3	<a href="#">..\MRA4003T3.pdf</a>
		D3	MRA4003T3	-	403D	MRA4003T3	<a href="#">..\MRA4003T3.pdf</a>
10	6	D4	IN4148	-	MELF3	LS4148	<a href="#">..\ln4148.pdf</a>
		D5	IN4148	-	MELF3	LS4148	<a href="#">..\ln4148.pdf</a>
		D6	IN4148	-	MELF3	LS4148	<a href="#">..\ln4148.pdf</a>
		D7	IN4148	-	MELF3	LS4148	<a href="#">..\ln4148.pdf</a>
		D8	IN4148	-	MELF3	LS4148	<a href="#">..\ln4148.pdf</a>
		D9	IN4148	-	MELF3	LS4148	<a href="#">..\ln4148.pdf</a>
11	1	D10	SMCJ16A	-	DO-214AB	SMCJ16A	<a href="#">..\smcjxxx.pdf</a>
12	1	F1	FIISF	-	2010	I Rn-J R220m-Rnnn	<a href="#">..\RZ.pdf</a>

# PCB Component Development

The components that reside on the pcb are designed from the Bill of Materials. These pcb library parts are captured in the netlist, and consist of a decal and a part name.



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# Netlist

The netlist is typically an ASCII format generated from the schematic. It contains all components (\*part\*) and connections (\*net\*) required for the pcb design.

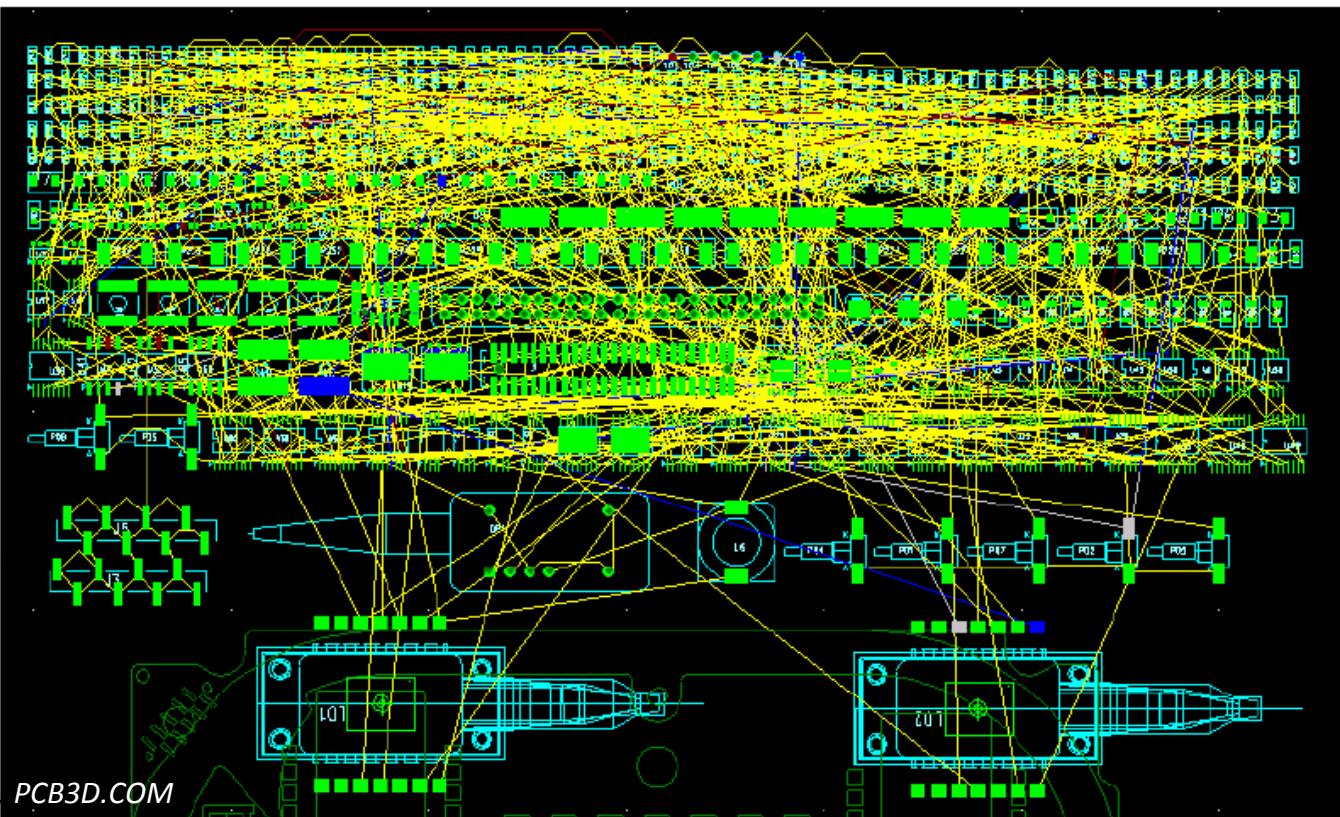
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!PADS-POWERPCB-V3.5-MILS!			
*CLUSTER* ITEM			
*PART*			
Q5 2N7002W	OPI VOA_JDS_MEMS_TH@VOA_JDS_MEMS_TH		
Q9 2N7002W	*NET*		
Q12 2N7002W	Q5.1 R59.2 U27.4		
Q13 2N7002W	*SIGNAL* \$4N943		
U27 74AHCT1G32DCK	Q9.1 R294.2 U36.4		
U36 74AHCT1G32DCK	*SIGNAL* \$4N940		
U33 74VHC138MTC	U6.1 Q6.2 Q6.5 Q6.6 R26.2 R194.2		
U40 74VHC138MTC	*SIGNAL* \$3N1197		
U16 AD5231	C153.1 R195.1 U14.7		
U29 AD5231	*SIGNAL* \$3N206		
U33 AD5231	C153.2 R194.1 R239.2 U14.6		
U43 AD5231	*SIGNAL* \$3N331		
U37 AD7888BRU	R2.1 R28.2 U14.5		
U38 AD7888BRU	*SIGNAL* \$3N349		
U59 AD7888BRU	C53.2 R27.1 R172.2 U11.3		
U60 AD7888BRU	*SIGNAL* \$3N358		
U5 AD8602ARM	D6.4 L8.2 U11.1		
U7 AD8602ARM	*SIGNAL* \$3N1381		
U18 AD8602ARM	Q6.3 R195.2		
U47 AD8602ARM	*SIGNAL* \$3N1420		
U17 AD8604ARU	J4.39 R276.2 R278.2		
U19 AD8604ARU	*SIGNAL* \$3N1422		
U20 AD8604ARU	J4.40 R277.1 R279.1		
U23 AD8604ARU	*SIGNAL* \$3N1445		
U24 AD8604ARU	Q8.3 Q8.6 R280.1		
U25 AD8604ARU	*SIGNAL* \$3N1450		
U55 ADN8830ACP	Q8.2 Q8.5 R281.2 R311.1		
U56 ADN8830ACP	*SIGNAL* \$3N1456		
Q10 BSS13B050T23	TP9.1 TP10.1 U7.1 U7.2		
Q11 BSS13B050T23	*SIGNAL* \$3N1463		
C1 CAP0402	R281.1 U22.5		
C2 CAP0402	*SIGNAL* \$3N1472		
C3 CAP0402	C36.1 R199.2 U22.1		
C4 CAP0402	*SIGNAL* \$3N1474		
C5 CAP0402	C42.1 R282.2 U22.3		
C6 CAP0402	*SIGNAL* \$3N1477		
C7 CAP0402	C151.2 R30.1 R282.1 R283.2		
	*SIGNAL* \$3N1520		
	Q7_A1 R280.2		
	*SIGNAL* \$4N299		
	C58.1 R31.2 U3.3		
	*SIGNAL* \$4N214		

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# PCB Netlist Verification

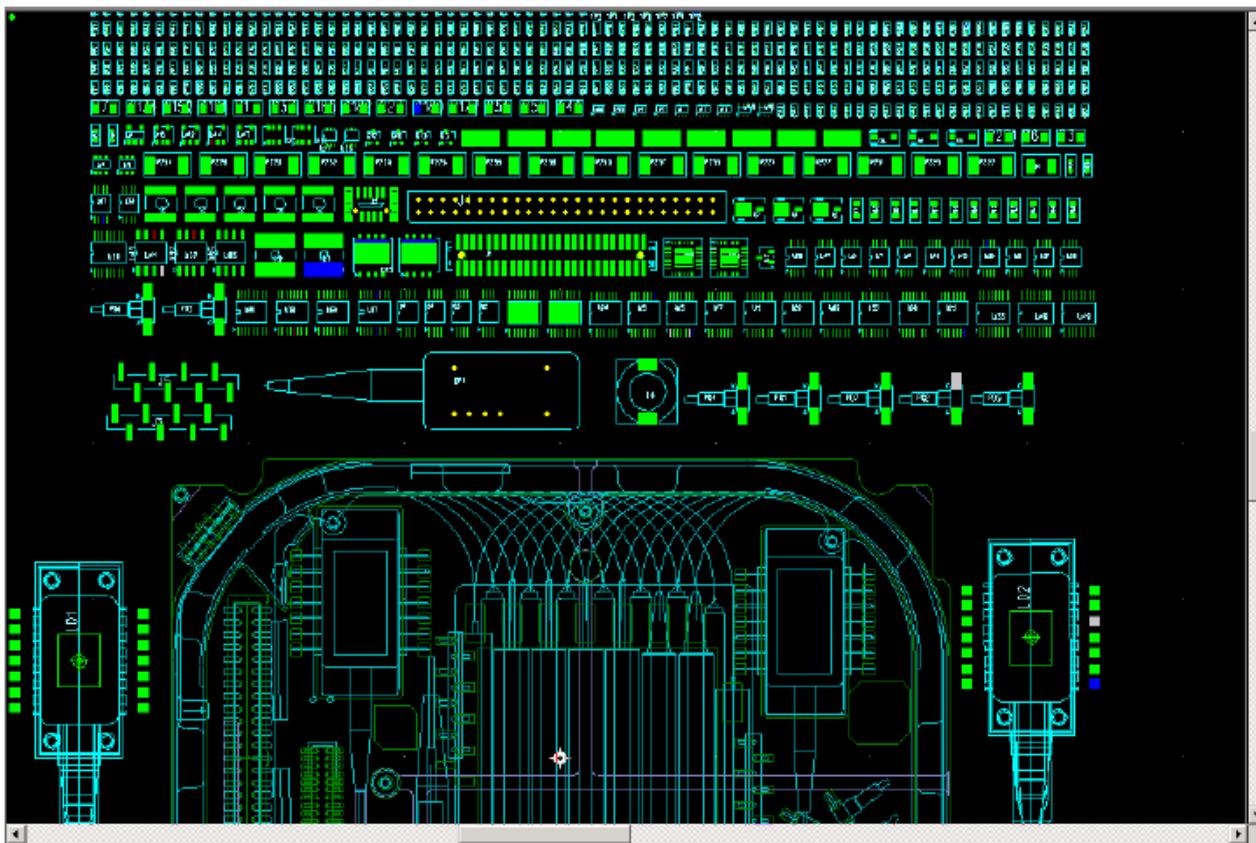
The netlist is imported into the pcb database. If all components and connections from the netlist match the pcb database of library components, they will appear as pictured below. Green indicates all components (\*part\*), yellow indicates connections (\*net\*) to the components.



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# PCB Design: Components

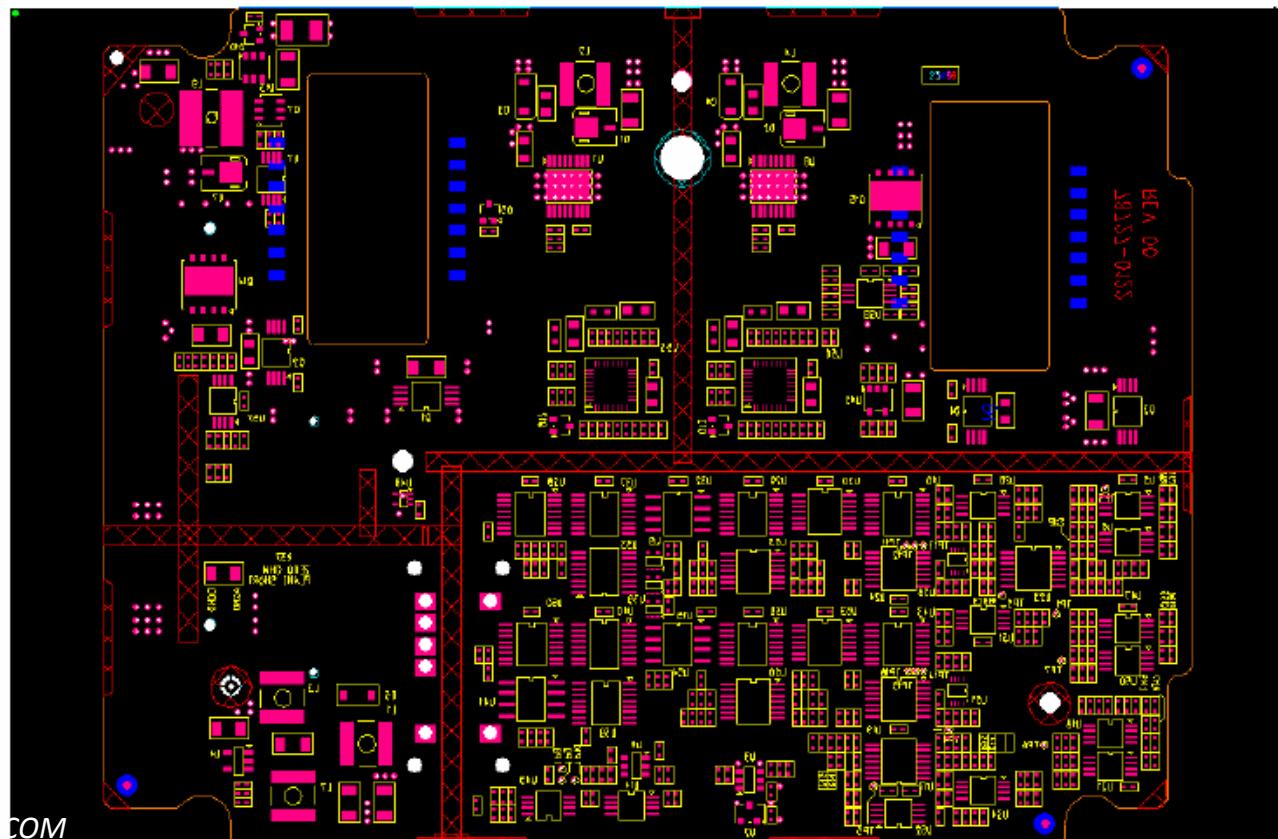
Components from the netlist are dispersed and grouped according to function.  
The components are then manually placed inside the pcb outline.



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# PCB Design: Placement

Components are placed within the pcb board outline.  
Keepouts, cutouts and holes must be avoided.



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# PCB Design: Routing



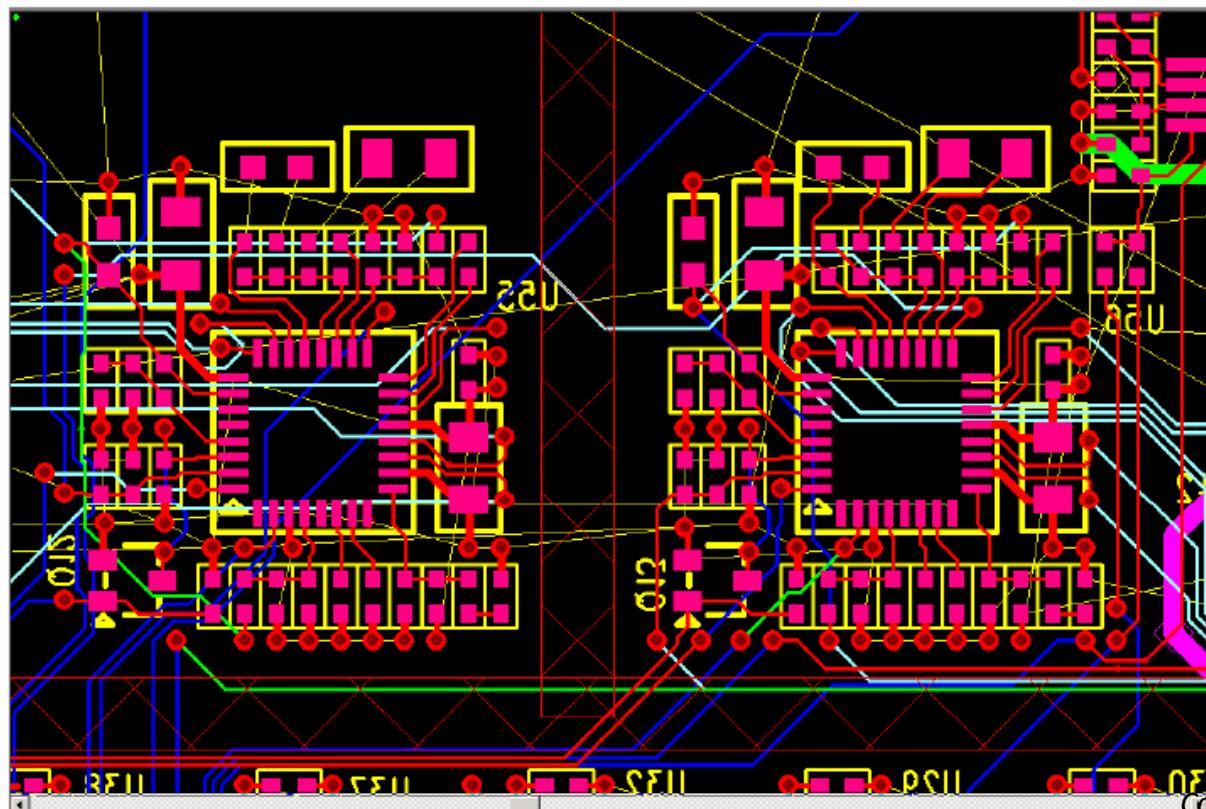
All connections (nets) require trace routing.

The red lines are completed trace connections.

The yellow lines represent unrouted traces or nets.

Plane connections are created with a via or direct connection to a copper area.

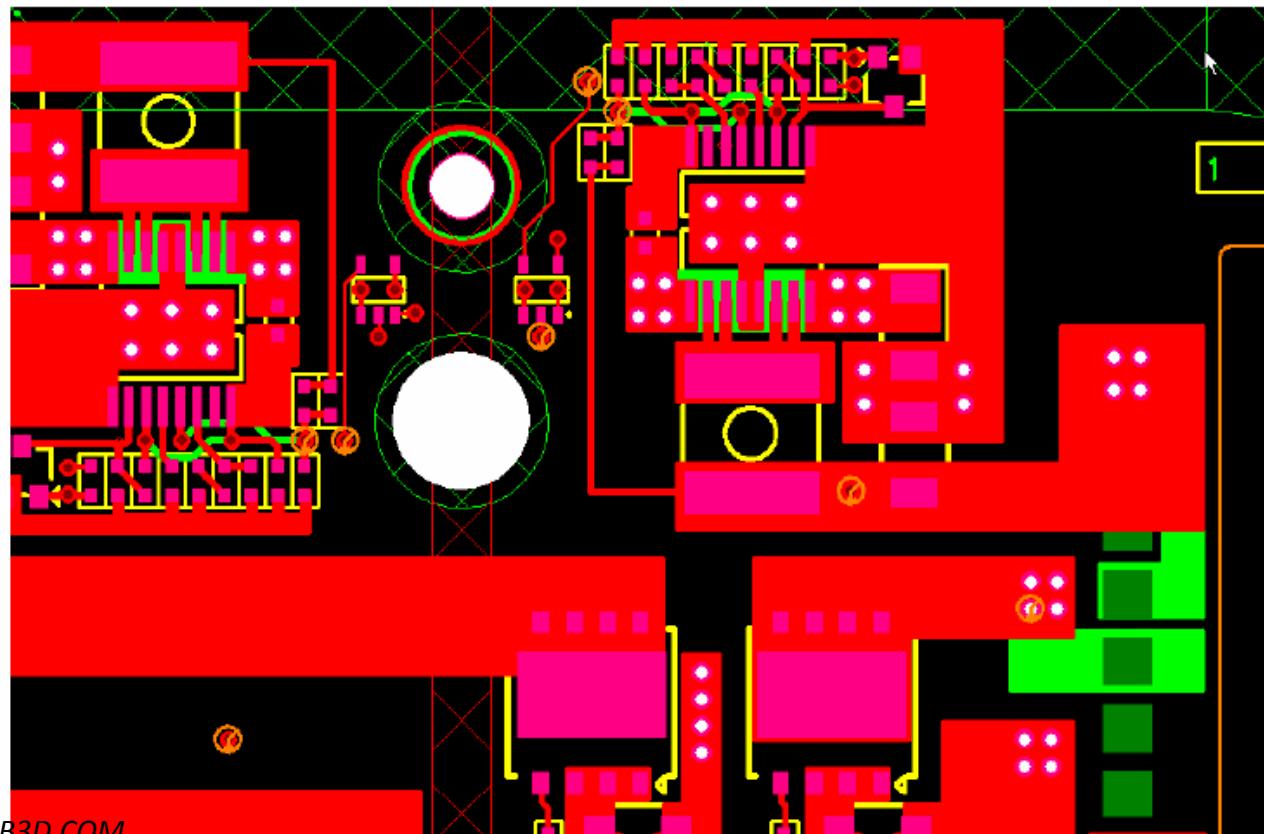
- Trace routing may consist of component to component or component to plane connections.



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# PCB Design: Copper

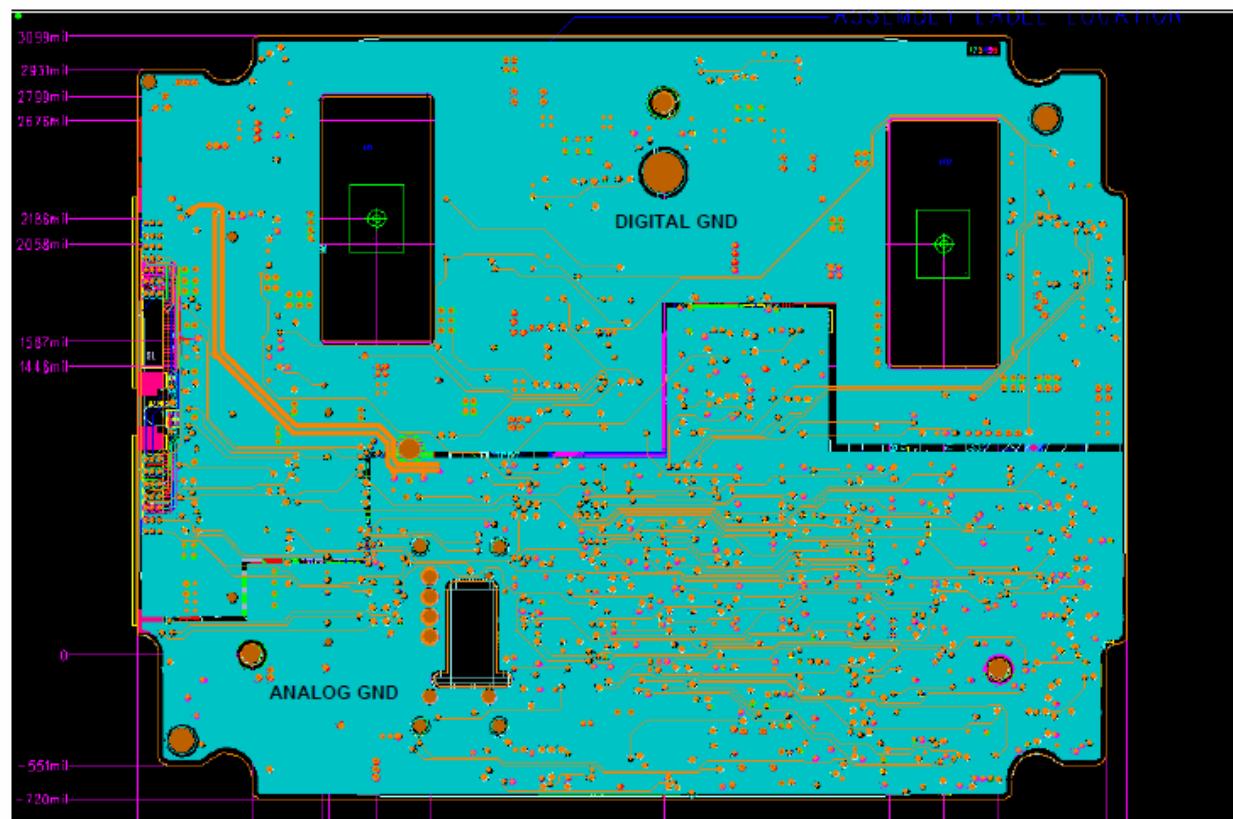
Copper areas are created (red) and poured over vias (white circles) and solder pads (violet). Copper areas are then assigned a net name that matches with the appropriate net connection.



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# PCB Design: Plane

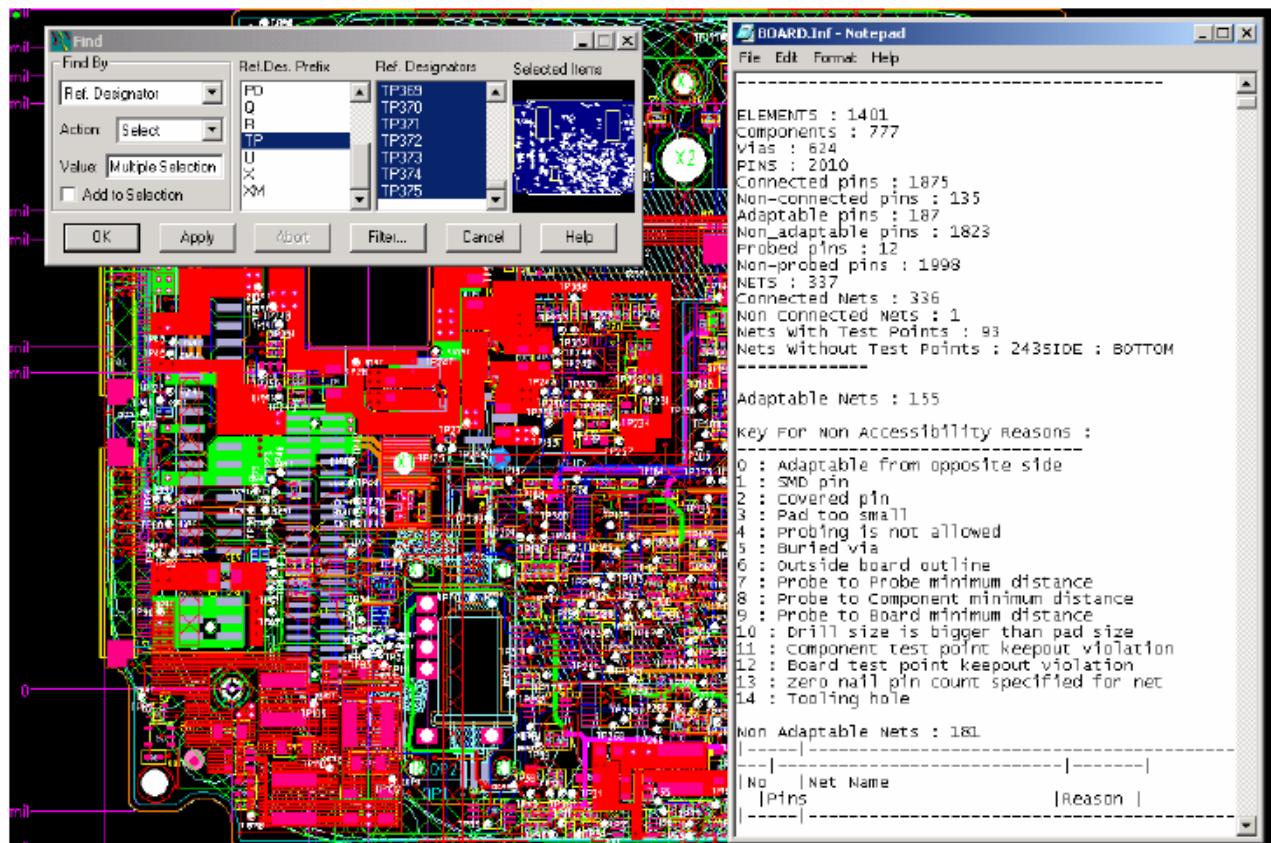
The copper planes are created, split and defined according to the design rules and net requirements for each layer. Thermal and non-thermal connections are placed accordingly.



Courtesy: PCB3D.COM

# PCB Design: DFT

Design for Test involves placement of test points into the completed pcb.  
Two types of test points are used. Flying Probe (FPT) and In Circuit (ICT).  
DFT analysis is executed and test points are audited for compliance and testability.

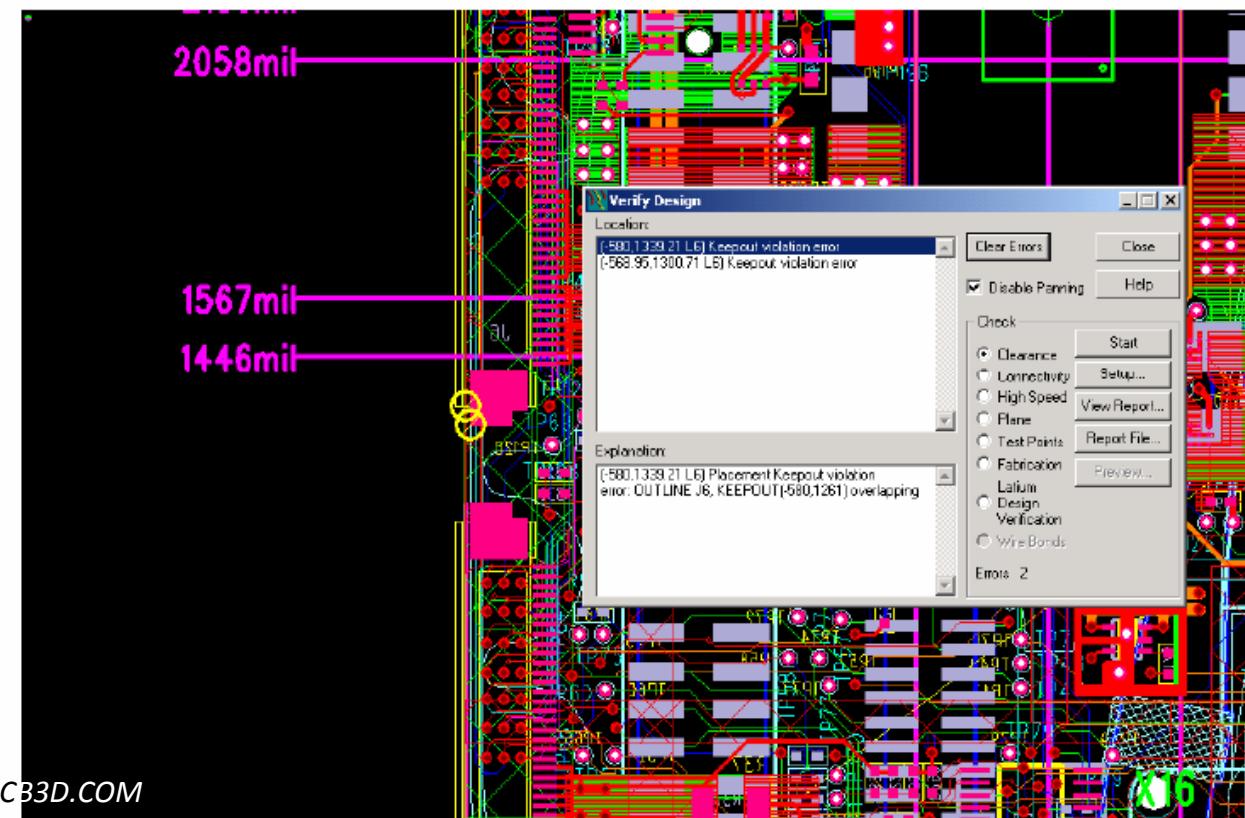


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# PCB Design: Verification

The PCB is complete and must be verified for design rules compliance. Verification includes clearance checks, net and copper connectivity, net and copper plane connectivity, duplicate nets, layer to layer connectivity, design rule violations, DFM and test points.

- In this example, the yellow circles indicate a clearance violation (copper to board edge).



Courtesy: PCB3D.COM



# Gerber Files

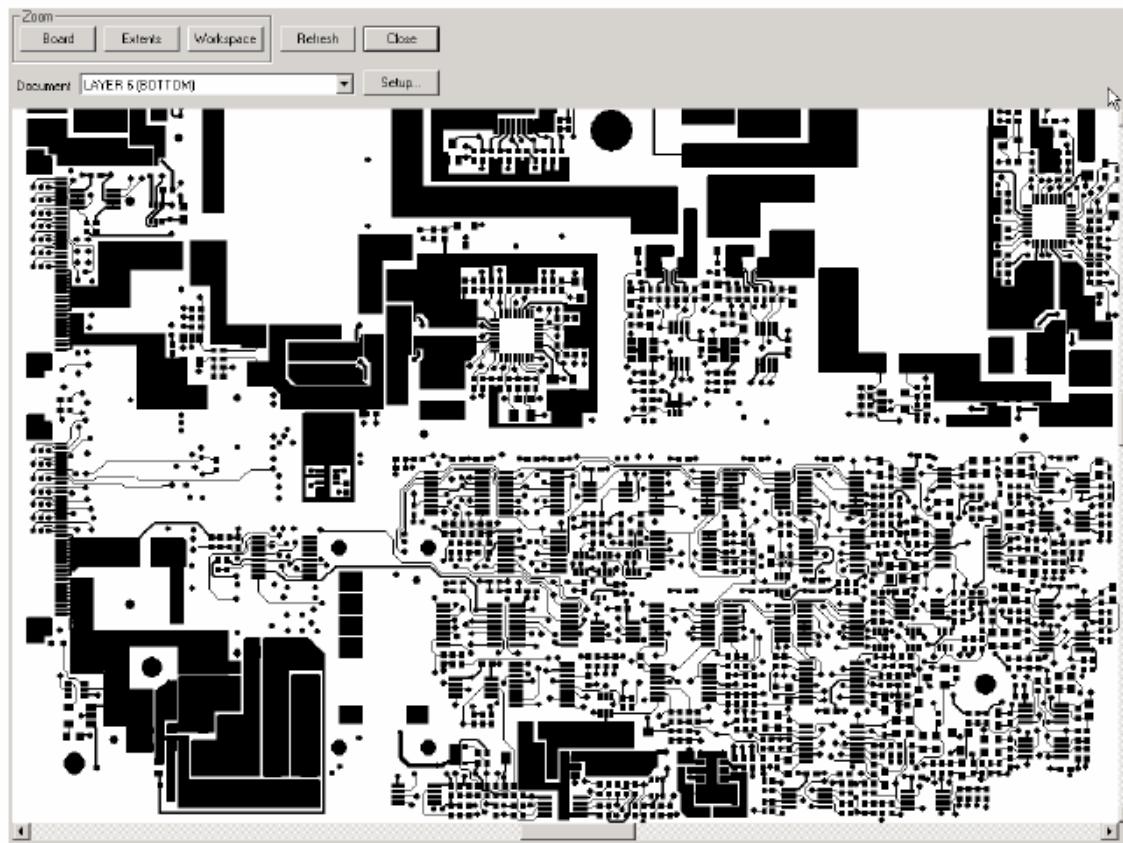
Gerber files are created to enable plotting of the individual design file elements. Depending on their function, each Gerber file is compiled as an individual electrical layer, process or design reference.

## Typical Gerber File Structure

- Electrical Design Layers
- Silkscreen
- Solder Mask
- Solder Paste
- Fabrication Drawings
- Assembly Drawings
- Aperture Files
- Drill Files
- Netlist
- X-Y Placement Data

# Gerber Files: Electrical Layers

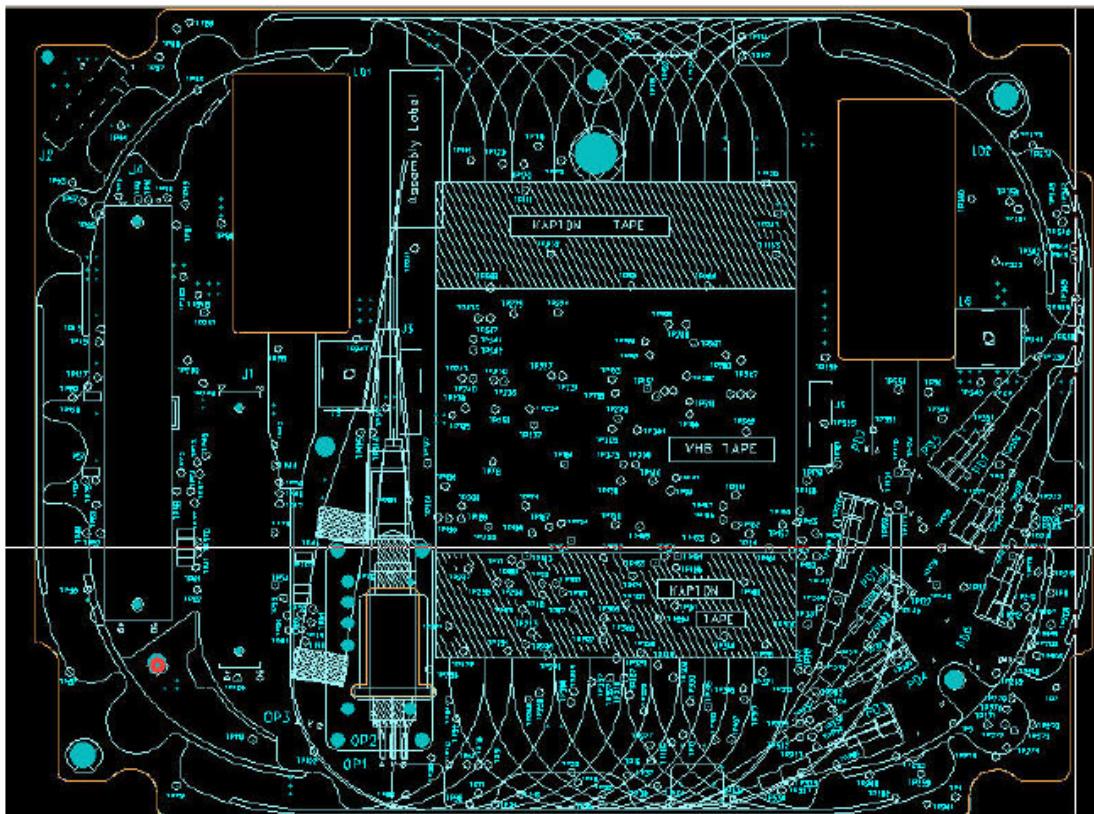
These Gerber files are processed to create each electrical layer (internal and external) that will ultimately be finished in copper on the pcb.



Courtesy: [PCB3D.COM](http://PCB3D.COM)

# Gerber Files: Silkscreen

This file will create the stencil that will be used to apply the silkscreen (ink) to the pcb.  
The Silkscreen is for component reference, identification and labeling.  
The Silkscreen exists on the outer layers.

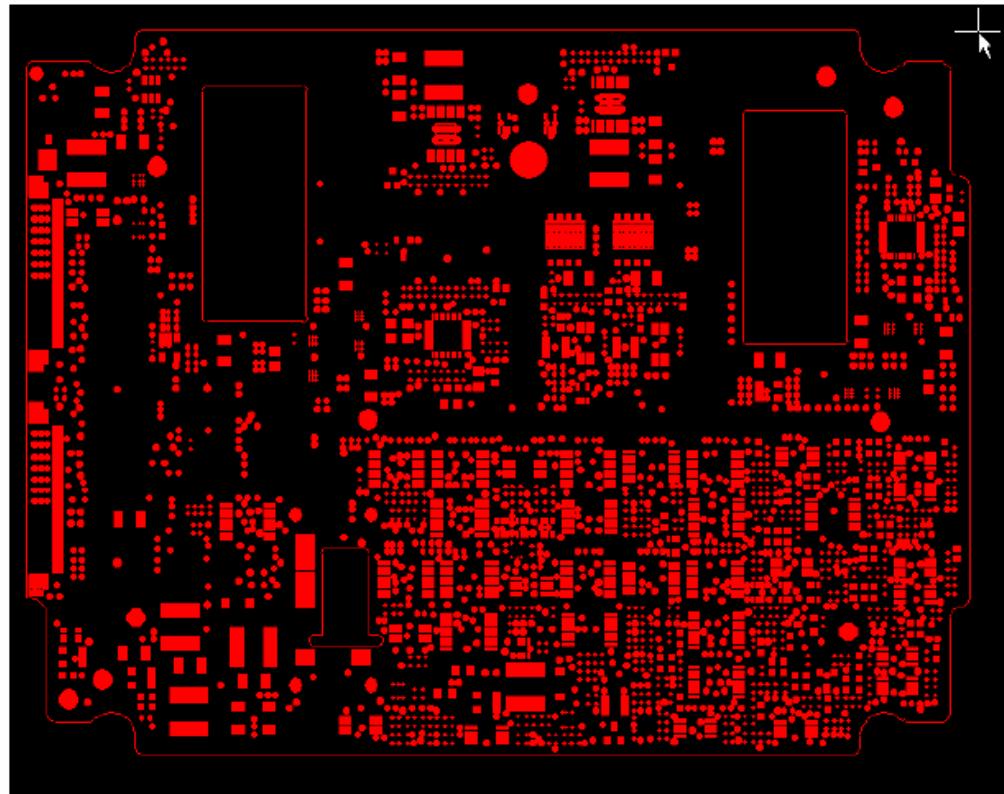


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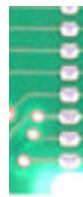
## Gerber Files: Solder Mask

The solder mask will expose solderable areas and protect the pcb by covering all copper elements. The Solder Mask minimizes solder bridges.

In this example, the Gerber file was created as a negative. Areas in red will not be covered with mask. The solder mask exists on the outer layers.

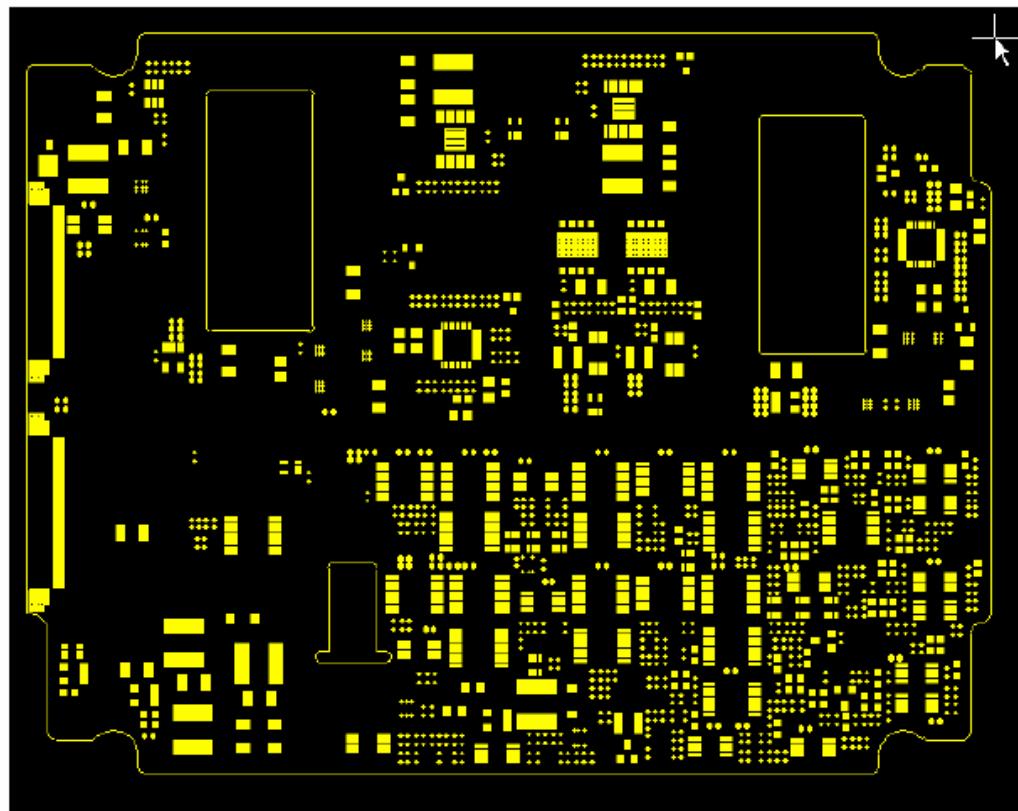


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## Gerber Files: Solder Paste

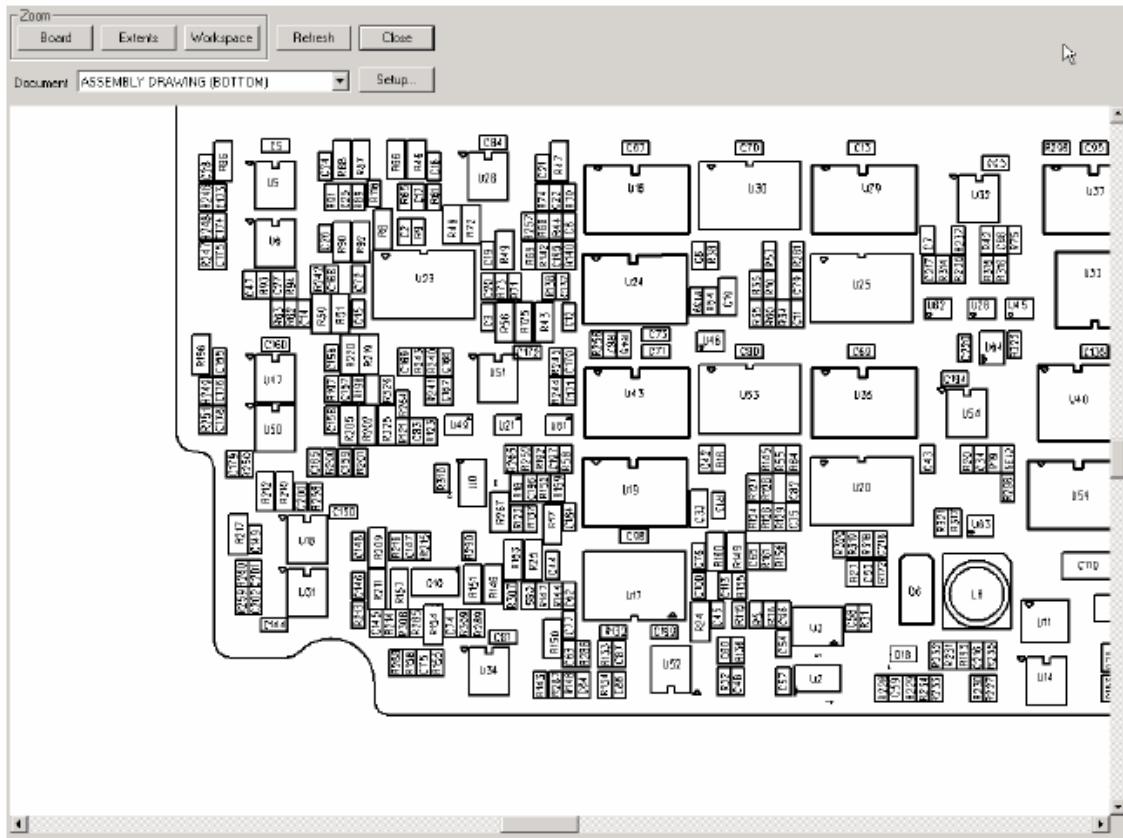
This file will be used to create a solder paste stencil. Prior to the board assembly, the stencil will be used to apply solder paste directly to the pads on the PCB (areas in yellow). Once the solder paste is applied, surface mount components can be placed and soldered.



Courtesy: PCB3D.COM

# Gerber Files: Assembly Drawing

Identifies location and orientation of the electronic components to be placed.



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# Gerber Files: Aperture Listing

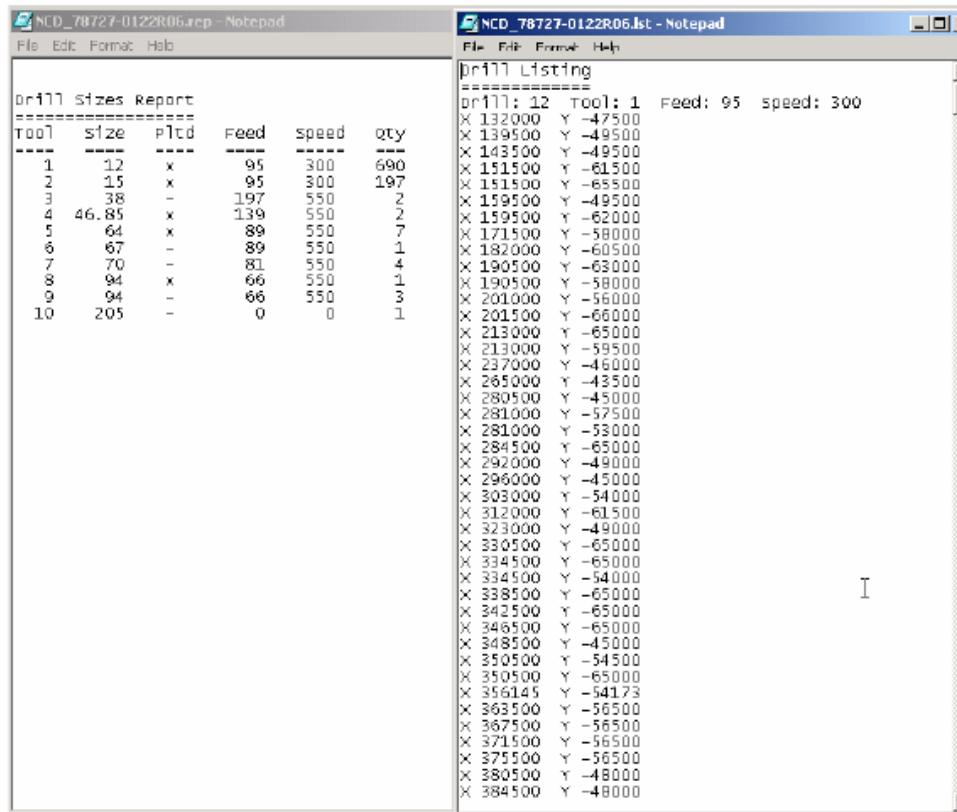
This listing defines the shape of individual elements on the pcb.

Photo-Plotter Apertures Report				
position	width	Hgt/ID	shape	qty
10	25	0	RND	292
11	20	0	RND	65
12	10	0	RND	3606
13	7	0	RND	61
14	5	0	RND	34500
15	1	0	RND	2
16	8	0	RND	4011
18	94	0	RND	8
21	70	0	RND	16
25	45	70	RECT	28
27	30	0	RND	916
28	50	0	SQR	38
35	40	0	SQR	32
48	12	0	RND	197
49	15	0	RND	40
51	35	0	RND	197
54	18	0	RND	37
59	3	0	RND	1202
60	100	0	RND	4
68	75	0	RND	8
74	55	0	SQR	28
75	105	0	SQR	1
78	34	0	SQR	50
79	25	0	SQR	46
80	35	0	SQR	1
89	0.5	0	RND	58
90	4	0	RND	641
92	6	0	RND	48
106	30	0	SQR	26
111	31	0	SQR	10
112	40.16	0	SQR	100
114	27.56	0	SQR	24
115	15.75	0	SQR	386
116	18	0	SQR	272
120	27	0	SQR	36
121	100	0	SQR	2
122	85	0	SQR	14
125	45	0	SQR	64
133	33	0	SQR	10

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# Gerber Files: Drill Files

CNC drill parameters used on the pcb fabricators system to drill and route the pcb.



The image shows two side-by-side Notepad windows. The left window is titled "NCD\_78727-0122R06.rep - Notepad" and contains a "Drill sizes Report" table:

Tool	size	Pltd	Feed	speed	Qty
1	12	x	95	300	690
2	15	x	95	300	197
3	38	-	197	550	2
4	46.85	x	139	550	2
5	64	x	89	550	7
6	67	-	89	550	1
7	70	-	81	550	4
8	94	x	66	550	1
9	94	-	66	550	3
10	205	-	0	0	1

The right window is titled "NCD\_78727-0122R06.lst - Notepad" and contains a "Drill Listing" with numerous X-Y coordinates:

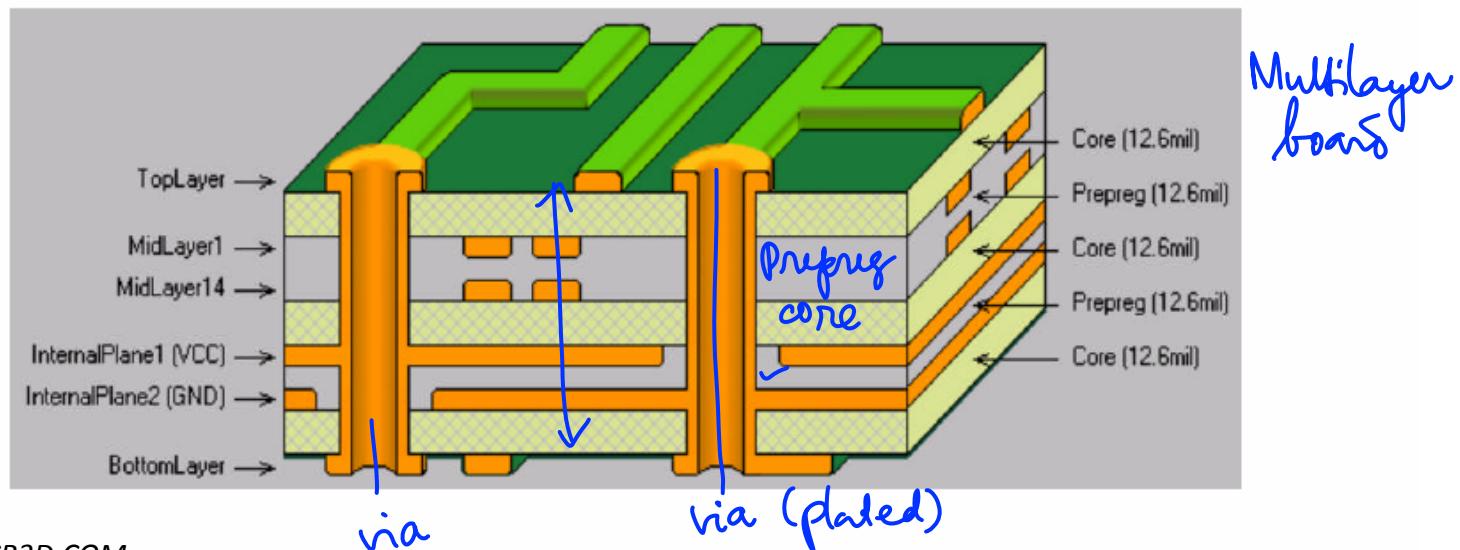
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Drill Listing
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pr111: 12 tool: 1 feed: 95 speed: 300
X 132000 Y -47500
X 139500 Y -49500
X 143500 Y -49500
X 151500 Y -61500
X 151500 Y -65500
X 159500 Y -49500
X 159500 Y -62000
X 171500 Y -58000
X 182000 Y -60500
X 190500 Y -63000
X 190500 Y -58000
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X 371500 Y -56500
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X 380500 Y -48000
X 384500 Y -48000
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# PCB Fabrication

## PCB Basics

- Basic PCBs comprise a rigid sheet of epoxy-impregnated fiberglass material within copper sheets affixed to one or both sides. This is known as copper clad. In multilayer boards (those with more than two copper layers), a piece of material called prepreg is placed between core layers.



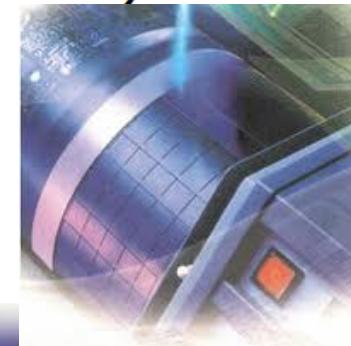
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NEXT CHAPTER:

\*\*PRINTED WIRING BOARD  
TECHNOLOGIES\*\*

## Photo tool (mask) generation

- Artwork, photomaster, phototool, mask  
*\* 7mil* → *4mil*
- CAD output in Gerber format (universal)
- X, Y table with light source
- ✓ Scanning, editing Gerber files
- ✓ Raster, Vector plotting equipment
- 4mil and 7mil Ag-halide film
- Photographic process ✓
- Film stabilization ✓
- ✓ D-code aperture listing *40mil pad*
- Laser- Raster



## Photo plotted film - The photo tool

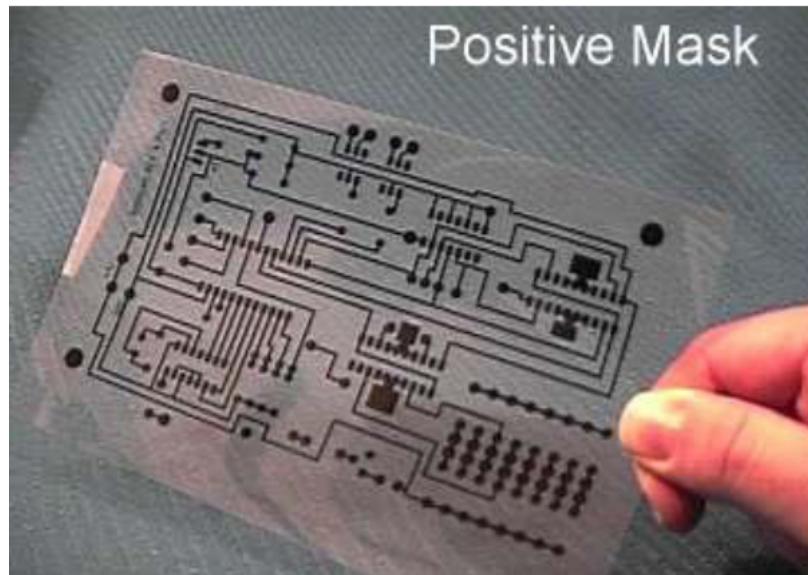
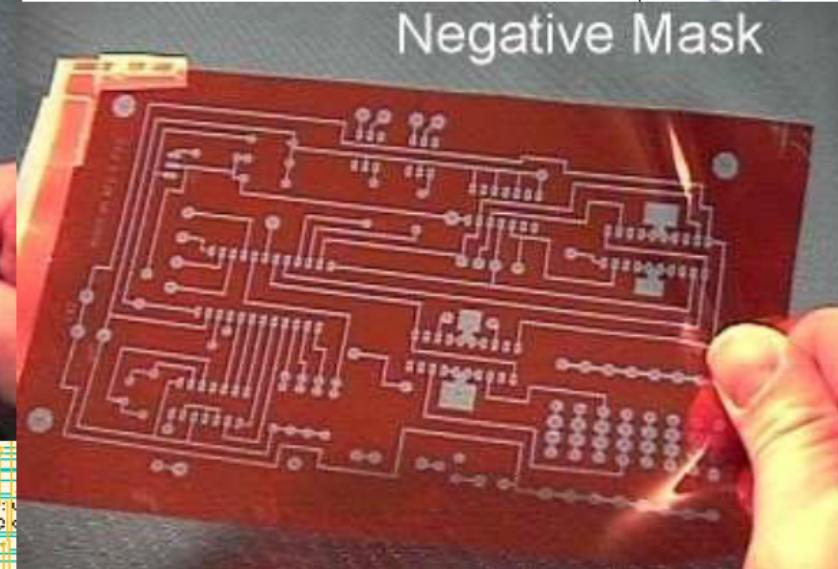


Photo-tool is a delicate body



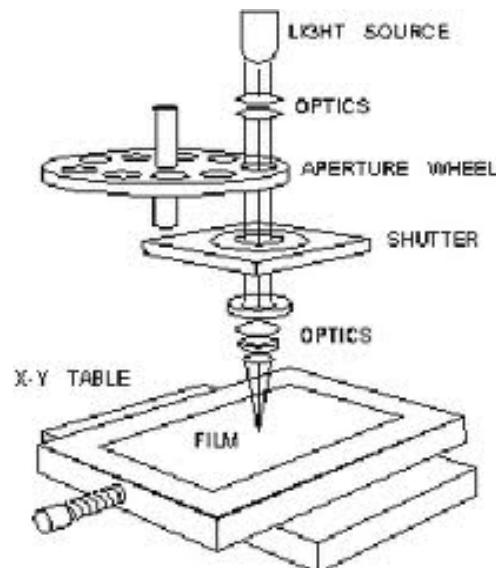
The board can be GOOD if the Phototool is good

(minus Manufacturing tolerances)

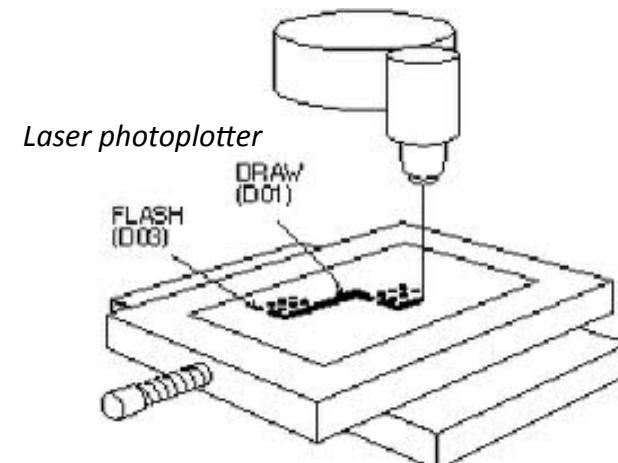
QUALITY CONTROL IS CRUCIAL TO CHECK TOLERANCE LEVELS

## Photoplotting equipment

- Photo plot on Silver halide films
- Use either 4 mil or 7 mil films but 7mil is preferred
- Gerber files are input data
- AutoCAD drawings are accepted
- Lithographic film used
- Large film sizes used e.g. 32" x 28"
- Drum type; vacuum hold on film
- Multiple plots can be done
- Plots can be fitted to PCB panel size
- Scan and Edit of tech files possible
- Chemical processing follows plotting
- Stabilization in controlled conditions for at least 4-6h
- Laser plotters (raster) cost about Rs. 70 lakhs
- Resolution as high as 40000dpi
- Accuracy (positioning): +/- 2-4um
- Min line width 35 um; 25 um currently expensive
- Negative and positive masks can be plotted
- Other masks- for Solder mask, silk screen
- Use red or mild-green safe lights for loading film
- Data transfer Protocol: Gerber, RS 274-X
- Light sources- different;  
Xenon-LCD Image projection technology
- Laser Direct Imaging is now becoming accepted  
Requires a compatible photoresist



*Vector photoplotter*



*Laser photoplotter*

*Fig. source: everythingpcb.com*

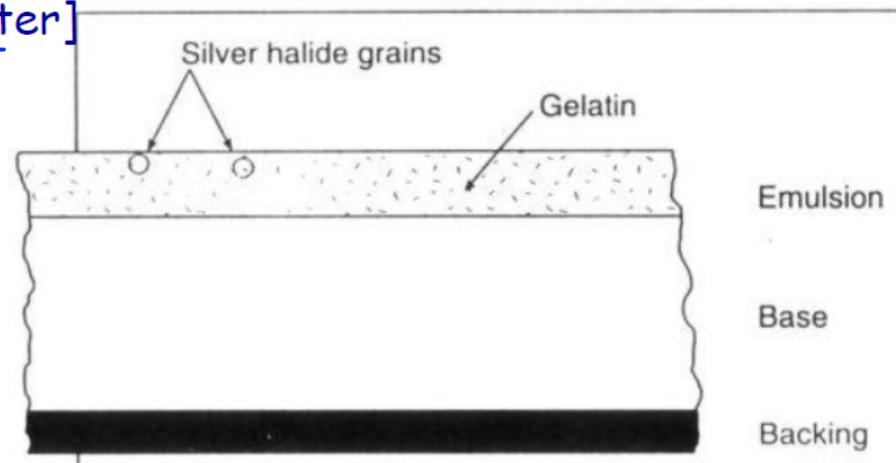


## Structure of Photo film

1. Protective Layer ✓
2. Emulsion [Silver Halide in Gelatin] ✓
3. Sub layer [Adhesion Promoter]
4. Base [Polyester film]
5. Sub Layer
6. Backing
7. Light absorbing chemicals

Ag-X halide  
Cl  
Br  
I

} catalytic



Total thickness  
100, 175 microns

## Silver halide photo tool

*handle carefully*



### Possible Defects

- Pin holes ✓
- Scratches ✓
- Lift-off of flakes ✓
- Inadequate contrast ✓
- No flatness

Black  
&  
white

Di-azo films are  
used on shop floor

## Recycling?



- Exposure
- Developing ✓
  - Latent image made visible
    - Metol or Hydroquinone
  - Reducing action to metallic silver
  - ✓ Time and agitation important; concn. of solution
  - Orthochromatic or "Lith" films used (commercial term)
  - Safe lights for processing- red safe lights
- ✓ Stopper bath- 1% acetic acid solution
- Fixer bath ✓
  - Sodium thiosulfate; permanently 'fixes' the image
- Wash, dry and stabilize
- Dimensional stability required; 4mil and 7mil films
- Diazo films- dry developing using ammonia ' Diazo '
  - Exposed areas turn amber color on ammonia
  - Does cut off UV light as black silver halide- better registration ✓
  - Available as 7mil film only- better handling in shop floor
  - Can be used for making multiple copies to avoid errors ✓

# Basic Steps in Manufacture

## Single sided board

- ✓ • Design
- ✓ • Photo-tooling (1:1)
  - Image/ Print Cu surface of PCB/CCL
  - Etch (Unwanted Cu)
  - Drill holes for component mounting
  - Protect Cu (Solder)
  - Solder mask
  - Assemble (PTH)

# Double sided board manufacture

2-layer  
1/1

- Design
- Photo-tooling (1:1)
- Drill holes (PTH)
- Plate (electroless)
- Image circuit
- Plate (Cu electroplate)
- Plate (Sn or Sn-Pb electroplate)
- Strip
- Etch
- Strip and Protect before assembly

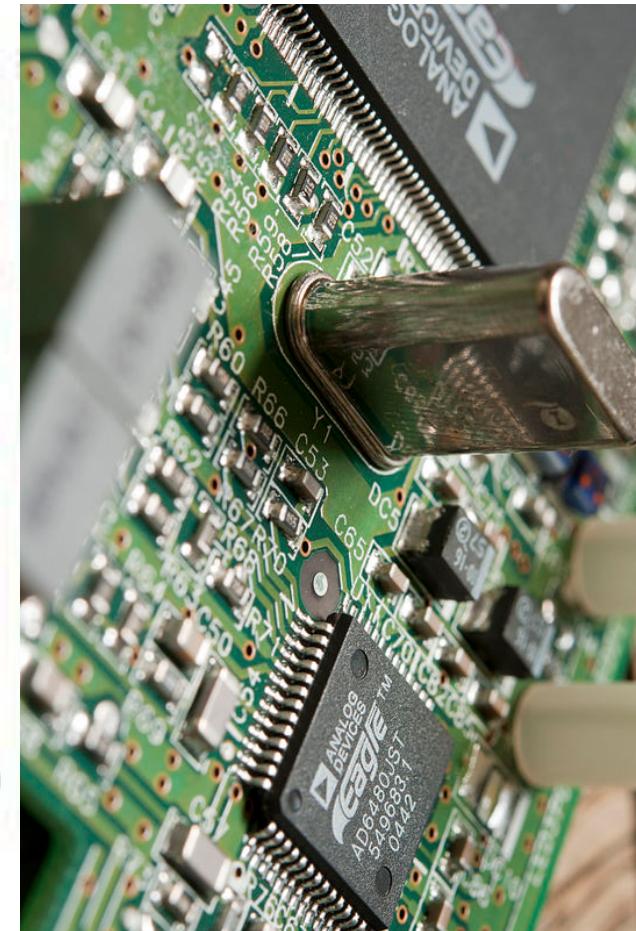


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