



Fractal Technologies Joins TSMC Open Innovation Platform EDA Alliance

Fractal Technologies is proud to announce its acceptance as a partner in the TSMC EDA Alliance, a key component of the TSMC Open Innovation Platform® (OIP). Within this partnership Fractal Technologies will be cooperating with TSMC to support mutual customers.

Fractal Crossfire provides a validation solution for the qualification of IP blocks prior to the integration of these components into final designs for manufacturing.

“We are proud to be part of the TSMC EDA ecosystem,” says Rene Donkers, CEO of Fractal Technologies. “This partnership demonstrates our collaboration with TSMC to support mutual customers.”

“TSMC recognizes the need of our customers to have a formal IP qualification handshake in place. This enables TSMC to deliver IP products that are compatible with customer-specific requirements on IP configuration. As an independent IP qualification solution, Fractal Crossfire is enabling this IP qualification capability,” said Suk Lee, senior director of the Design Infrastructure Marketing Division at TSMC.

About Crossfire

Mismatches or modelling errors for libraries or IP can seriously delay an IC design project. Because of the increasing number of different views required to support a state-of-the-art deep submicron design flow, as well as the complexity of the views themselves, library and IP integrity checking has become a mandatory step before the actual design can start.



Crossfire helps CAD teams and IC designers in performing integrity validation for libraries and IP. Crossfire ensures that the information represented in the various views is consistent across these views. Crossfire improves Quality of your Design Formats.

About Fractal Technologies

Fractal Technologies is a privately held company with offices in San Jose, California and Eindhoven, the Netherlands. The company was founded by a small group of highly recognized EDA professionals. For more information: <http://www.fract-tech.com/>.