

Performance Analysis of Electrical Characteristics of Single Gate and Double Gate Nano-MOSFET Devices

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ABSTRACT: Metal oxide semiconductor field effect transistor (MOSFET) is a semiconductor device used in many electronic devices for amplification and switching electrical signals. In modern era, low power portable devices require more transistors to be integrated on a single chip to perform immeasurable number of functions with high speed, low power consumption and less propagation delay since the number of circuits in a chip keeps increasing daily. MOSFET downscaling has been the driving force towards the technological advancement, but continuous scaling down of MOSFET causes problem of high power dissipation, high leakage current, Short Channel Effects (SCEs), excessive process variation and reliability issues. In this work, performance analysis of electrical characteristics of single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET devices are investigated using FETTOY simulating software at room temperature (RT) by varying the oxide thickness from 0.3nm to 1.2nm to determine the drain current, quantum capacitance, transconductance, quantum capacitance/insulator capacitance and mobile electron. We can conclude that in deep nanometer regime, double gate MOSFET device have advantages over single gate due to high conductivity to reduce leakage current and short channel effects (SCEs).

KEYWORDS -DG MOSFET, FETTOY, SG MOSFET, Short channel effects (SCEs)

I. INTRODUCTION

Silicon-based microelectronic devices have revolutionized our world in the past four decades. It all started with the invention of integrated circuit in late 1950's that unveiled the possibility of using transistors in almost all kinds of electronic circuits. The breakthrough came with the demonstration of the first metal-oxide semiconductor field-effect transistor (MOSFET) by Kahng and Atalla [1] which would enable cost effective integration of large number of transistors with interconnections on a single silicon chip. Five years later, Gordon Moore made the very important observation that the number of components on minimum cost integrated circuits had increased roughly by a factor of two per year which then later transformed itself into a law known as the Moore's Law [2]. Moore's Law is achieved primarily by scaling the transistor dimensions by a factor of 2 every 3 years. CMOS devices have been scaled down aggressively in each technology generations to achieve higher integration density and performance [3]. As the device dimensions are getting smaller and smaller, scaling the silicon based MOSFET devices for barrier potential, threshold voltage, oxide thickness, critical electric field etc. are becoming increasingly harder. Further scaling down of MOSFET causes problem of high power dissipation, high leakage current, Short Channel Effects (SCEs), excessive process variation and reliability issues. Many solutions are proposed to overcome these limitations. Some of the solutions include modifications on the existing structures and technologies with a hope of extending their scalability, while other solutions encompass the use of new materials and technologies to replace the existing silicon MOSFETS [4]. Many works have been done on transistor miniaturization, as transistor decreased in size, the thickness of the gate dielectric has steadily been decreased to increase the gate capacitance and drive current, thereby improving reliability, raising device performance and reducing power dissipation [5]. In this interesting journey of transistor size reduction, single gate MOSFET is expected to exhibit a problem of short channel effects (SCE) which will lead to less scaling capabilities [6]. Studies on the effects of gate length and oxide thickness on DG-MOSFET and concluded that the short channel effect (SCEs) in DG-MOSFET is reduced and thinner gate oxide are necessary for higher drain

current [7]. Study the effect of gate length on the operation of silicon-on insulator (SOI) MOSFET structure, using three transistors with gate lengths of 100, 200 and 500 nm with a fixed channel length of 500nm were simulated and when the gate length is increased the output drain current characteristics slope and the transistor transconductance increases [8]. The effect of gate length on DG-MOSFET at nano regime was studied, where by DG-MOSFETs with gate lengths of 20,40, 60, 80 and 100nm were simulated respectively with a fixed channel length of 100nm, oxide thickness of 1.0nm and channel thickness of 3nm, using simulation software nanoFET [9]. A double gate (DG) MOSFET which comprises of conducting channel surrounded by gate electrodes on either side offers distinct advantage for scaling and will have improved gate-channel control for reduction of short-channel effects (SCEs) [6]. DG-MOSFET has higher drive current and transconductance, lower leakage current thus better scaling capability when compared to the bulk MOSFET [10]. Gate oxide stack with high-k materials in the oxide region was proposed by [11] to suppress the gate leakage current with continuous thinning of gate oxide layer but this alternative is yet to demonstrate performance that is superior to planar MOSFET [10, 11].

In this work, performance analysis of electrical characteristics of single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET devices are investigated using FETTOY simulating software at room temperature (RT) by varying the oxide thickness from 0.3nm to 1.2nm in accordance to international technology roadmap for semiconductors (ITRS) [12], to overcome some limits and facilitate further scaling down of device dimensions by studying the performance analysis of electrical characteristic of oxide thickness on drain current, quantum capacitance, transconductance, quantum capacitance/insulator capacitance and mobile electron of single gate and double gate nano MOSFET devices via simulation with nanoelectronics device simulation software FETTOY.

II. STRUCTURE OF SINGLE GATE AND DOUBLE GATE NANO-MOSFET

The traditional metal–oxide–semiconductor (MOS) structure is obtained by growing a layer of silicon dioxide (SiO₂) on top of a silicon substrate and depositing a layer of metal or polycrystalline silicon. As the silicon dioxide is a dielectric material, its structure is equivalent to a planar capacitor, with one of the electrodes replaced by a semiconductor. A MOSFET is based on the modulation of charge concentration by a MOS capacitance between a body electrode and a gate electrode located above the body and insulated from all other device regions by a gate dielectric layer which in the case of a MOSFET is an oxide, such as silicon dioxide as shown in figure 1. In single gate MOSFET as the oxide thickness decreases the QC increases significantly as the gate voltage increases [13].



Figure 1: Single Gate Nano-MOSFET

In double-gate MOSFET both gates control the current in the device as shown in Figure 2. Dual-gated FETs are more immune to short channel effects and hence can be scaled to shorter dimensions than single gate MOSFETs, for the same channel thickness. Also, dual-gated FETs have higher performance, due to lower parasitic capacitance to ground. Like the single gate MOSFET, in double gate MOSFET also the QC increases significantly with the decrease in gate oxide thickness [13].

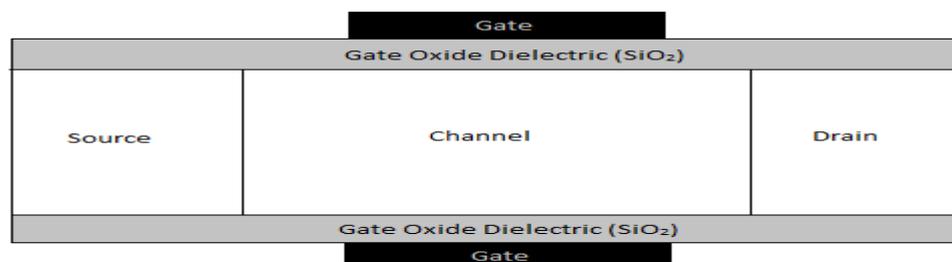


Figure 2: Double Gate Nano-MOSFET

2.1. Theoretical Background

The geometry of a standard Metal Oxide Semiconductor Field Effect Transistor (MOSFET) is shown in Figure 3 (a). Two highly n-doped contact regions are separated by the low p-doped substrate. Because of the two p-n junctions no current can flow, even if a bias is applied between source and drain contacts.

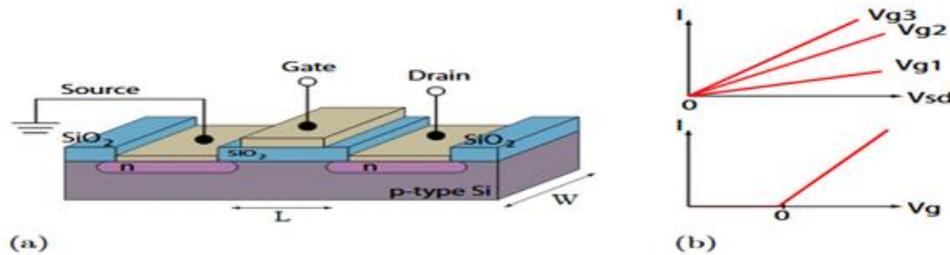


Figure 3: (a) Schematics of a MOSFET. (b) Simplified current vs. bias (top) and gate voltage (bottom) characteristics.

At the surface of the semiconductor, between the contact regions, there is a metal gate electrode separated by an insulating oxide layer. Electrons can be induced at the semiconductor–oxide inter-face when a positive voltage is applied to the gate. In this case a current flow. In a linear model it is proportional to the number of induced electrons. In Figure 3 (b) the current is sketched as function of a voltage applied between source and drain V_{sd} and a voltage applied to the metal gate V_g . If the bias applied between source and drain is not too high, the current density can be described by Ohms law given by;

$$\vec{j} = \sigma \vec{E} \tag{1}$$

$j = \sigma \frac{V_{sd}}{L}$ where $\vec{E} = \frac{V_{sd}}{L}$ is the applied electric field with the source-drain bias V_{sd} and L is the length of the separation between the contact regions. The conductivity σ is given by the Drude model as $\sigma = en\mu$ with the carries mobility μ and the carrier concentration n [14].

To deduce the carrier concentration n , we look at the capacitor made up of the metal gate, oxide insulator and the semiconductor. In a first step, we assume it to behave as a perfect plate capacitor not depending on applied voltages. The induced charge is given by the product of the capacitance C_g and the applied gate voltage V_g .

$$Q = C_g V_g \tag{2}$$

The charge density follows as;

$$en = \frac{C'' V_g}{h_s} \tag{3}$$

with the height of the charge carrier sheet h_s and the capacitance per unit area $C'' = \frac{C_g}{WL}$. Assume that the mobility and the gate capacitance C_g are independent of the applied voltages and assuming no intrinsic charges, the current is given by [14].

$$I = Wh_s j = Wh_s \sigma \frac{V_{sd}}{L} = Wh_s e \mu n \frac{V_{sd}}{L} = \frac{W}{L} \mu C'' V_g V_{sd} \tag{4}$$

This is the most basic transistor relation. The way it is been modified when the above assumptions are generalized depends on the specific system.

2.2. MOS Capacitor Terminology

When applying a negative voltage on the gate electrode, holes are accumulated in the semiconductor as shown in Figure 4.

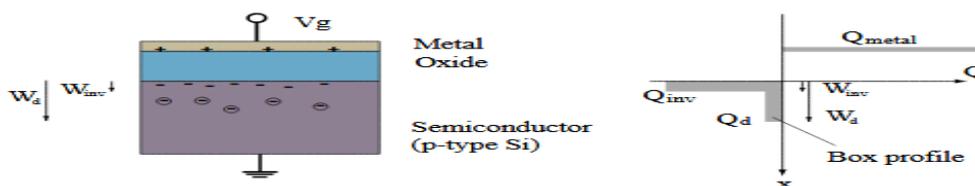


Figure 4: Metal Oxide Semiconductor (MOS) structure in inversion regime

These holes are at the interface to the oxide within a thin layer called accumulation layer. When a positive voltage is applied, the intrinsic holes must be depleted. In the depletion region, there are no mobile charges, but only the immobile acceptor ions. The depletion approximation is used with assumption that the depleted charge Q_d has a box profile of width W_d . Thus,

$$Q_d = -eN_a W_d \quad (5)$$

where;

N_a is the acceptor dopant density.

e is the elementary charge.

When the gate voltage is driven further, electrons are induced at the interface and build up the inversion charge Q_{inv} in the thin inversion layer of width W_{inv} . The transfer from accumulation to depletion region occurs at finite voltage V_{fb} called flat band voltage. It is the voltage at which the bands in the semiconductor are flat all the way from the bulk to the oxide interfaces.

In real devices one needs to consider charges within the oxide Q_{ox} . They contribute via the gate capacitance C_g so that the total flat band voltage is given by;

$$V_{fb} = \phi_m - \phi_s - \frac{Q_{ox}}{C_g} \quad (6)$$

where;

ϕ_m is the work function of the metal

ϕ_s is the work function of the silicon

In the depletion region all acceptors are ionized, and the potential is described by the Poisson equation [15];

$$\Psi = \frac{eN_a}{2\epsilon_r\epsilon_o}(x - W_d)^2 \quad (7)$$

The potential at the interface is given by the surface potential $\Psi(0) = \Psi_s$, thus, the depletion width is given by [15];

$$W_d = \sqrt{\frac{2\epsilon_r\epsilon_o\Psi_s}{eN_a}} \quad (8)$$

2.3. MOS Capacity

In MOS capacitor the voltage applied on the gate partially drops across the insulator and partly within the semiconductor given by [15];

$$V_g = V_i + V_s \quad (9)$$

where;

V_s is the voltage drop within the semiconductor corresponds to the surface potential Ψ_s

V_i is the voltage drop across the insulator given by the charge Q_s on the semiconductor [15];

$$V_i = \vec{E}d = \frac{Q_s/Ad}{\epsilon_{SiO_2}\epsilon_o} = \frac{Q_s}{C_{ox}} \quad (10)$$

With the oxide capacitor $C_{ox} = A\epsilon_{SiO_2}\epsilon_o/d$ where d is the thickness of the oxide and A the area of the interface. The relation between the applied gate voltage and the surface potential is given by [15];

$$V_g = \frac{Q_s}{C_{ox}} + \Psi_s \quad (11)$$

In depletion regime, the plates capacitor separated by the depletion width W_d is given by [15];

$$C_d = \frac{\epsilon_{Si}\epsilon_o}{W_d} \quad (12)$$

The total gate capacitance is the series capacitance of the oxide capacitance and the depletion capacitance given by [16];

$$1/C_g = 1/C_{ox} + 1/C_d \quad (13)$$

In accumulation and strong inversion, the depletion width goes to zero and the total gate capacitance C_g is dominated by C_{ox} .

2.4. Subthreshold Regime

In depletion, the small mobile charge that can be thermally excited in the depletion zone gives rise to a small subthreshold current. The carrier concentration is far away from the Fermi energy is given by the Boltzmann distribution $n = n_i \exp(-e\Psi/kT)$ and so.

$$Q = e \int_0^{W_d} n(x) dx = e \int_{\Psi_s}^0 \frac{n(\Psi)}{d\Psi/dx} d\Psi = en_i \int_{\Psi_s}^0 \frac{1}{d\Psi/dx} \exp(-e\Psi/kT) d\Psi \quad (14)$$

The integral approximatively is given by [17];

$$Q = KT \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_{Si} \epsilon_0}{2e\Psi_s N_a}} \left(\frac{n_i}{N_a}\right)^2 \exp(-e\Psi_s/kT) \quad (15)$$

The mobile charge in the depletion region and the current in the subthreshold regime depend exponentially on the surface potential Ψ_s : $I \propto \exp(-e\Psi_s/kT)$.

The subthreshold swing S is defined as the gate voltage charge needed to suppress the subthreshold current [17].

$$S = \left| \frac{dV_g}{d(\log(I))} \right| = \left| \ln(10) \frac{dV_g}{d(\ln(I))} \right| = \ln(10) \frac{dV_g}{e/kT d\Psi_s} \quad (16)$$

$$S = 59.6mV \frac{kT}{e} \left(1 + \frac{C_d}{C_{ox}}\right) \quad (17)$$

III. MATETRIALS AND SIMULATION METHOD

This section will discuss the materials that are used, simulating tools and method of simulation.

3.1. Materials

The materials that are used in this research are silicon dioxide as the gate dielectric, silicon substrate as base material and FETTOY as simulating tools available on nanohub.org.

Nanohub.org is the premier place for computational nanotechnology research, education, and collaboration. This site hosts a rapidly growing collection of simulation tools for nanoscale phenomena that run in the cloud and are accessible through a web browser. In addition to simulations, nanoHUB provides online presentations, cutting-edge nanoHUB-U short courses, animations, teaching materials, and more. These resources help users learn about simulation tools and about nanotechnology in general.

3.2. Method of Simulation

FETTOY tool is a numerical simulator that calculate the ballistic I-V characteristics for a conventional single gate MOSFET and double gate MOSFET. For conventional MOSFET, FETTOY assumes either single or double gate geometry.

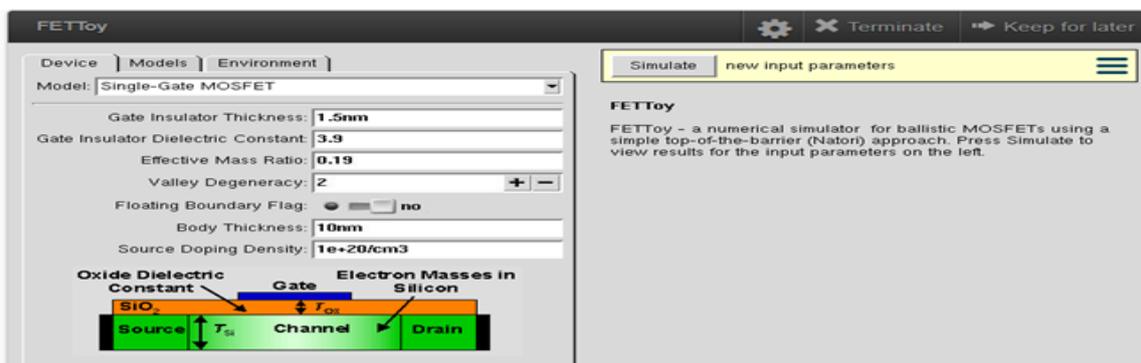


Figure 5: FETTOY Software interface

The simulating procedure was as follows;

1. Modelling of the device was done by choosing the device type (Single gate and Double gate nano-MOSFET).
2. Setting the oxide thickness from 0.3 to 1.2nm, Gate voltage and Drain voltage 0-1V with other parameters fixed as shown in table 1.

Table 1: Values of Input Parameters

FETTOY INPUT PARAMETERS	VALUES
Oxide Thickness	0.3-1.2(nm)
Insulator dielectric constant	3.9
Temperature	300 (K)
Initial gate voltage	0 (V)
Final gate voltage	1 (V)
Number of bias points (gate)	13
Initial drain voltage	0 (V)
Final drain voltage	1 (V)
Number of bias points (drain)	13
threshold voltage	0.32
Gate control parameter	0.88
Drain control parameter	0.035
Series Resistance	0 (ohms)
Doping Density	1e+26 (/m ³)
Si Body Thickness	1e-08 (m)
Transport Effective Mass	0.19
Valley Degeneracy	2

- The program is then run to obtain results for each set of devices chosen.
- Drain current, quantum capacitance, transconductance, quantum capacitance/insulator capacitance and mobile electron were obtained, and the results was analyzed for all the devices.

IV. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

This section illustrates the simulation studies that have been carried out using nanoHUB tools [18]. Table 2 and Table 3 shows the simulation results of single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET respectively for input parameter given in Table 1, in determining the drain current at different gate voltage, oxide thickness and at a constant drain voltage of 1V.

Table 2: Drain current against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Single Gate MOSFET

Single Gate MOSFET					
At drain voltage 1V					
Gate Voltage (V)	Drain current (uA/um)				
	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	6.72e-03	6.72e-03	6.72e-03	6.72e-03	6.72e-03
0.083333	1.14e-01	1.14e-01	1.14e-01	1.14e-01	1.14e-01
0.166666	1.94e+00	1.93e+00	1.92e+00	1.92e+00	1.91e+00
0.25	30.1	28.9	27.8	26.8	25.5
0.333333	257	213	183	162	140
0.416666	875	647	517	433	351
0.5	1830	1280	988	803	628
0.583333	3070	2090	1570	1250	960
0.666666	4570	3050	2250	1770	1340
0.75	6260	4150	3030	2360	1760
0.833333	8110	5360	3900	3020	2220
0.916666	10100	6680	4850	3740	2730
1	12300	8090	5860	4510	3290

Table 3: Drain current against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Double Gate MOSFET

Double Gate MOSFET					
At drain voltage 1V					
Gate Voltage (V)	Drain current (uA/um)				
	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	6.72e-03	6.72e-03	6.72e-03	6.72e-03	6.72e-03
0.083333	1.14e-01	1.14e-01	1.14e-01	1.14e-01	1.14e-01
0.166666	1.94e+00	1.94e+00	1.93e+00	1.93e+00	1.93e+00
0.25	31.1	30.4	29.8	29.2	28.3
0.333333	309	272	244	222	197
0.416666	1200	962	803	692	575
0.5	2670	2050	1660	1390	1120
0.583333	4600	3470	2750	2270	1790

0.666666	6890	5170	4080	3330	2590
0.75	9460	7090	5580	4550	3510
0.833333	12300	9200	7230	5890	4530
0.916666	15400	11500	9010	7330	5640
1	18700	13900	10900	8880	6830

It has been observed from Table 2 and Table 3 that the drain current of double gate nano-MOSFET increases with the reduction in oxide thickness. It means that when reducing the oxide thickness, the current capability of double gate nano-MOSFET enhances. It is also observed from the simulation that at a very low gate voltage such as 0V and 0.083V, the value of drain current is the same for all oxide thickness considered. A graph of drain current against gate voltage was plotted for both single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET for all oxide thickness (0.3nm, 0.5nm, 0.7nm, 0.9nm and 1.2nm) as shown in Fig.6 and Fig.7, we can conclude that the conductivity of the double gate nano-MOSFET is inversely proportional to the oxide thickness.

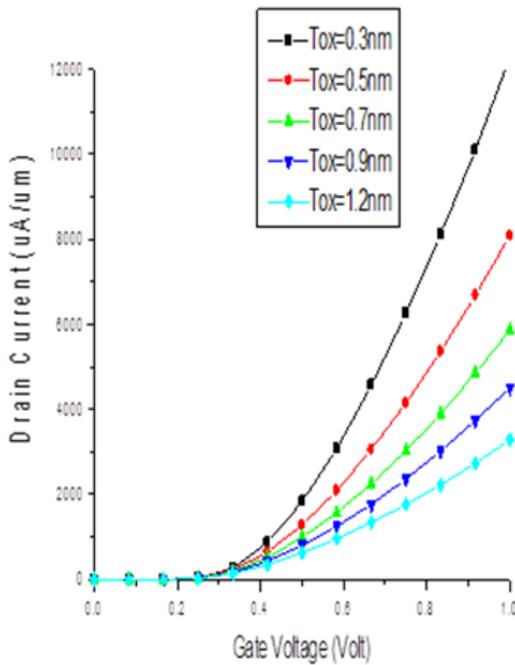


Figure 6: Graph of drain current against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in single gate MOSFET

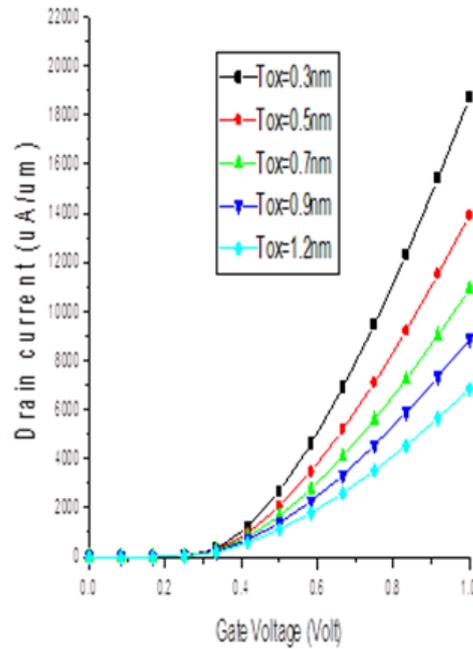


Figure 7: Graph of drain current against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in double gate MOSFET

Table 4 and Table 5 shows the simulation results of single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET respectively for input parameter given in Table 1, in determining the quantum capacitance at different gate voltage, oxide thickness and at a constant drain voltage of 1V.

Table 4: Quantum capacitance against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Single Gate MOSFET

Single Gate MOSFET					
At drain voltage 1V					
Gate Voltage (V)	Quantum Capacitance (F/cm ²)				
	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	2.10e-10	2.10e-10	2.10e-10	2.10e-10	2.10e-10
0.083333	3.58e-09	3.58e-09	3.58e-09	3.58e-09	3.57e-09
0.166666	6.03e-08	6.02e-08	6.00e-08	5.98e-08	5.95e-08
0.25	8.97E-07	8.62E-07	8.31E-07	8.03E-07	7.65E-07
0.333333	5.62E-06	4.92E-06	4.41E-06	4.01E-06	3.56E-06
0.416666	1.04E-05	9.36E-06	8.47E-06	7.74E-06	6.86E-06
0.5	1.22E-05	1.15E-05	1.08E-05	1.02E-05	9.25E-06
0.583333	1.26E-05	1.23E-05	1.19E-05	1.15E-05	1.07E-05
0.666666	1.27E-05	1.26E-05	1.24E-05	1.21E-05	1.16E-05
0.75	1.28E-05	1.27E-05	1.26E-05	1.25E-05	1.21E-05
0.833333	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.27E-05	1.26E-05	1.24E-05
0.916666	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.27E-05	1.26E-05

1	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.27E-05	1.27E-05
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Table 5: Quantum capacitance against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Double Gate MOSFET

Double Gate MOSFET					
At drain voltage 1V					
Gate Voltage (V)	Quantum Capacitance (F/cm ²)				
	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	2.10e-10	2.10e-10	2.10e-10	2.10e-10	2.10e-10
0.083333	3.58e-09	3.58e-09	3.58e-09	3.58e-09	3.58e-09
0.166666	6.05e-08	6.04e-08	6.03e-08	6.02e-08	6.01e-08
0.25	9.27E-07	9.07E-07	8.88E-07	8.71E-07	8.46E-07
0.333333	6.35E-06	5.83E-06	5.42E-06	5.07E-06	4.64E-06
0.416666	1.14E-05	1.07E-05	1.02E-05	9.61E-06	8.89E-06
0.5	1.26E-05	1.23E-05	0.000012	1.17E-05	1.12E-05
0.583333	1.27E-05	1.27E-05	1.26E-05	1.24E-05	1.21E-05
0.666666	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.27E-05	1.27E-05	1.25E-05
0.75	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.27E-05	1.27E-05
0.833333	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.27E-05
0.916666	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05
1	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05	1.28E-05

It has been observed from Table 4 and Table 5 that the quantum capacitance (QC) of both single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET increases significantly as the oxide thickness goes down from 1.2nm to 0.3nm, and gate voltage increases. It is also observed from the simulation that at a very low gate voltage such as 0V and 0.083V, the value of quantum capacitance is the same for all oxide thickness considered here. A graph of quantum capacitance against gate voltage was plotted for both single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET for all oxide thickness (0.3nm, 0.5nm, 0.7nm, 0.9nm and 1.2nm) as shown in Fig.8 and Fig.9. For single gate MOSFET, we can easily conclude that with decrease in oxide thickness the quantum capacitance increases at different gate voltages. Whereas, in the case of double gate MOSFET under identical simulating condition the decrease in gate oxide thickness the quantum capacitance increases at different gate voltages. However, it saturated above 0.75 V for very small oxide thickness such as 0.3nm, 0.5nm, 0.7nm and 0.9nm.

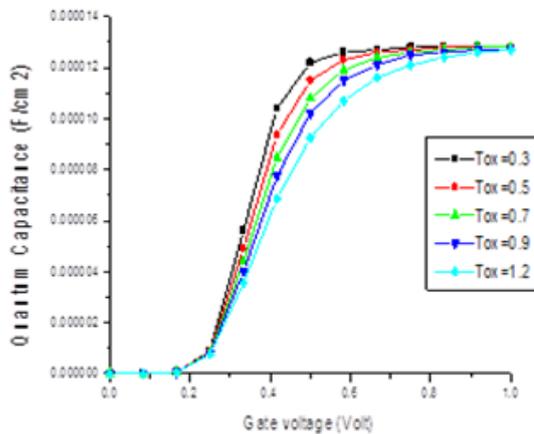


Figure 8: Graph of quantum capacitance against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in single gate MOSFET

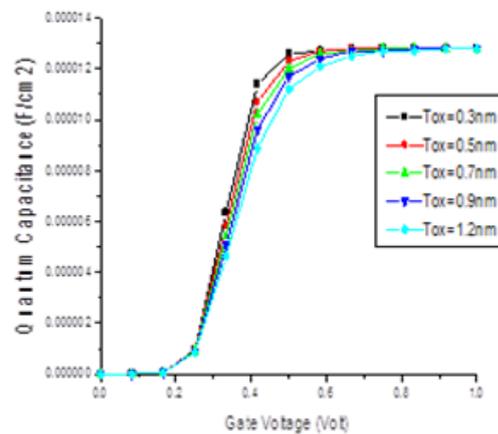


Figure 9: Graph of quantum capacitance against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in double gate MOSFET

Table 6 and Table 7 shows the simulation results of single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET respectively for input parameter given in Table 1, in determining the Gm/Id at different gate voltage, oxide thickness and at a constant drain voltage of 1V.

Table 6: Gm/Id against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Single Gate MOSFET

Single Gate MOSFET	
At drain voltage 1V	
Gate	Gm/id

Voltage (V)	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.40e+01
0.083333	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.39e+01	3.39e+01	3.39e+01
0.166666	3.34e+01	3.32e+01	3.30e+01	3.28e+01	3.25e+01
0.25	29.3	28.2	27.3	26.6	25.7
0.333333	20.2	18.7	17.5	16.7	15.7
0.416666	11.8	10.8	10.1	9.59	9.03
0.5	7.54	7.02	6.65	6.37	6.05
0.583333	5.49	5.18	4.93	4.74	4.54
0.666666	4.26	4.12	3.95	3.8	3.63
0.75	3.44	3.4	3.31	3.2	3.05
0.833333	2.89	2.86	2.82	2.76	2.65
0.916666	2.49	2.46	2.45	2.42	2.34
1	2.32	2.3	2.28	2.26	2.21

Table 7: Gm/Id against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Double Gate MOSFET

Double Gate MOSFET					
At drain voltage 1V					
Gate Voltage (V)	Gm/id				
	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.40e+01
0.083333	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.40e+01	3.40e+01
0.166666	3.36e+01	3.35e+01	3.34e+01	3.33e+01	3.31e+01
0.25	30.4	29.7	29	28.5	27.8
0.333333	21.9	20.7	19.8	19	18.1
0.416666	12.9	12.1	11.5	11	10.4
0.5	8.06	7.7	7.39	7.13	6.82
0.583333	5.7	5.56	5.41	5.25	5.04
0.666666	4.32	4.29	4.24	4.17	4.04
0.75	3.48	3.45	3.44	3.41	3.36
0.833333	2.92	2.9	2.88	2.87	2.85
0.916666	2.52	2.5	2.48	2.47	2.46
1	2.35	2.33	2.31	2.3	2.29

It has been observed from Table 6 and Table 7 that the Gm/Id ratio of both single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET increases significantly as the oxide thickness goes down from 1.2nm to 0.3nm, and gate voltage increases this is due to the reason that gate oxide capacitance is increased as the gate insulator thickness is reduced. It is also observed from the simulation that at a very low gate voltage such as 0V and 0.083V, the value of Gm/Id ratio is the same for all oxide thickness considered. A graph of Gm/Id ratio against gate voltage was plotted for both single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET for all oxide thickness (0.3nm, 0.5nm, 0.7nm, 0.9nm and 1.2nm) as shown in Fig.10 and Fig.11.

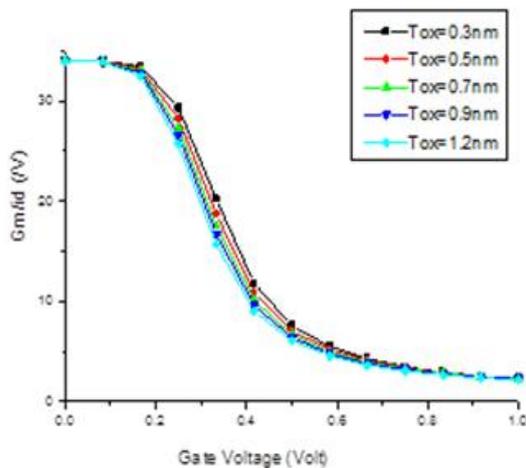


Figure 10: Graph of Gm/Id ratio against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in single gate MOSFET

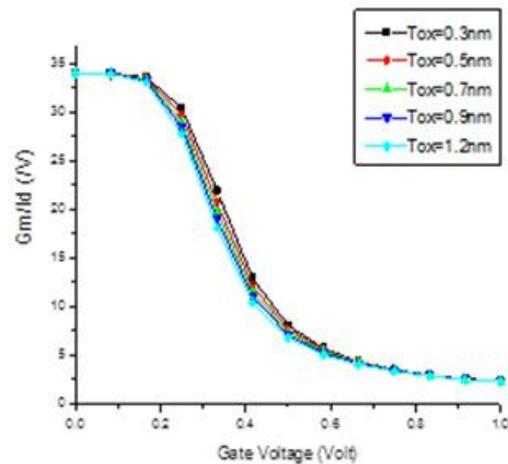


Figure 11: Graph of Gm/Id ratio against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in double gate MOSFET

Table 8 and Table 9 shows the simulation results of single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET respectively for input parameter given in Table 1, in determining the QC/Insulator capacitance ratio at different gate voltage, oxide thickness and at a constant drain voltage of 1V.

Table 8: QC/ Insulator Capacitance against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Single Gate MOSFET

Single Gate MOSFET					
At drain voltage 1V					
Gate Voltage (V)	Quantum Capacitance/Insulator Capacitance				
	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	1.83e-05	3.05e-05	4.27e-05	5.49e-05	7.31e-05
0.083333	3.11e-04	5.18e-04	7.25e-04	9.32e-04	1.24e-03
0.166666	5.24e-03	8.71e-03	1.22e-02	1.56e-02	2.07e-02
0.25	0.078	0.125	0.169	0.209	0.266
0.333333	0.488	0.712	0.894	1.05	1.24
0.416666	0.907	1.36	1.72	2.02	2.38
0.5	1.06	1.67	2.19	2.65	3.22
0.583333	1.1	1.79	2.42	2.99	3.73
0.666666	1.11	1.83	2.52	3.16	4.04
0.75	1.11	1.84	2.56	3.25	4.21
0.833333	1.11	1.85	2.58	3.29	4.31
0.916666	1.11	1.85	2.59	3.31	4.37
1	1.11	1.85	2.59	3.32	4.4

Table 9: QC/ Insulator Capacitance against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Double Gate MOSFET

Double Gate MOSFET					
At drain voltage 1V					
Gate Voltage (V)	Quantum Capacitance/Insulator Capacitance				
	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	1.83e-05	3.05e-05	4.27e-05	5.49e-05	7.31e-05
0.083333	3.11e-04	5.18e-04	7.26e-04	9.33e-04	1.24e-03
0.166666	5.26e-03	8.75e-03	1.22e-02	1.57e-02	2.09e-02
0.25	0.0805	0.131	0.18	0.227	0.294
0.333333	0.552	0.845	1.1	1.32	1.61
0.416666	0.988	1.56	2.06	2.51	3.09
0.5	1.09	1.78	2.44	3.05	3.88
0.583333	1.11	1.84	2.55	3.24	4.22
0.666666	1.11	1.85	2.58	3.3	4.36
0.75	1.11	1.85	2.59	3.32	4.41
0.833333	1.11	1.85	2.59	3.33	4.43
0.916666	1.11	1.85	2.59	3.33	4.44
1	1.11	1.85	2.59	3.33	4.44

It has been observed from Table 8 and Table 9 that the QC/Insulator capacitance ratio of both single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET decreases as the oxide thickness goes down from 1.2nm to 0.3nm, and gate voltage increases. Lower drain voltage shows significant capacitance effect. It is also observed from the simulation that at a very low gate voltage such as 0V and 0.083V, the value of QC/Insulator capacitance ratio is the same for all oxide thickness considered.

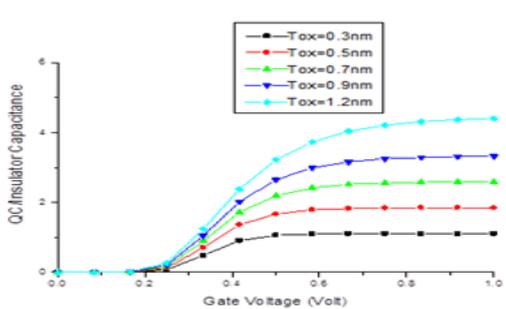


Figure 12: Graph of QC/IC ratio against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in single gate MOSFET

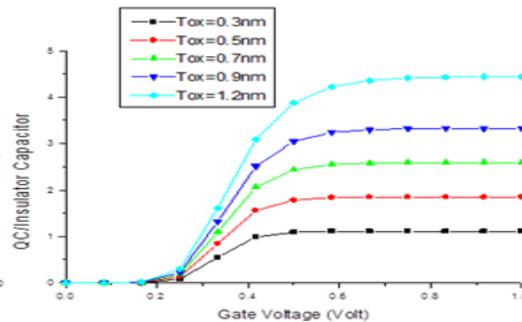


Figure 13: Graph of QC/IC ratio against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in double gate MOSFET

A graph of QC/Insulator capacitance ratio against gate voltage was plotted for both single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET for all oxide thickness (0.3nm, 0.5nm, 0.7nm, 0.9nm and 1.2nm) as shown in Figure 12 and figure 13.

Table 10 and Table 11 shows the simulation results of single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET respectively for input parameter given in Table 1, in determining the mobile electron at different gate voltage, oxide thickness and at a constant drain voltage of 1V.

Table 10: Mobile Electron against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Single Gate MOSFET

Single Gate MOSFET					
At drain voltage 1V					
Gate Voltage (V)	Mobile Electron (coul/mum)				
	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	3.40e+07	3.40e+07	3.40e+07	3.40e+07	3.40e+07
0.083333	5.79e+08	5.79e+08	5.78e+08	5.78e+08	5.78e+08
0.166666	9.78e+09	9.75e+09	9.72e+09	9.69e+09	9.65e+09
0.25	1.5E+11	1.44E+11	1.39E+11	1.34E+11	1.28E+11
0.333333	1.2E+12	1E+12	8.74E+11	7.78E+11	6.74E+11
0.416666	3.51E+12	2.73E+12	2.25E+12	1.92E+12	1.59E+12
0.5	6.31E+12	4.79E+12	3.88E+12	3.27E+12	2.66E+12
0.583333	9.23E+12	6.96E+12	5.6E+12	4.69E+12	3.79E+12
0.666666	1.22E+13	9.17E+12	7.36E+12	6.15E+12	4.95E+12
0.75	1.51E+13	1.14E+13	9.14E+12	7.63E+12	6.12E+12
0.833333	1.81E+13	1.36E+13	1.09E+13	9.11E+12	7.31E+12
0.916666	2.11E+13	1.58E+13	1.27E+13	1.06E+13	8.49E+12
1	2.4E+13	1.81E+13	1.45E+13	1.21E+13	9.68E+12

Table 11: Mobile Electron against Gate Voltage at different Oxide Thickness in Double Gate MOSFET

Double Gate MOSFET					
At drain voltage 1V					
Gate Voltage (V)	Mobile Electron (coul/mum)				
	$T_{ox} = 0.3nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.5nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.7nm$	$T_{ox} = 0.9nm$	$T_{ox} = 1.2nm$
0	3.40e+07	3.40e+07	3.40e+07	3.40e+07	3.40e+07
0.083333	5.79e+08	5.79e+08	5.79e+08	5.79e+08	5.78e+08
0.166666	9.80e+09	9.79e+09	9.77e+09	9.76e+09	9.74e+09
0.25	1.56E+11	1.52E+11	1.49E+11	1.46E+11	1.42E+11
0.333333	1.42E+12	1.26E+12	1.14E+12	1.04E+12	9.33E+11
0.416666	4.54E+12	3.79E+12	3.27E+12	2.88E+12	2.46E+12
0.5	8.34E+12	6.86E+12	5.84E+12	5.09E+12	4.28E+12
0.583333	1.23E+13	1.01E+13	8.54E+12	7.42E+12	6.21E+12
0.666666	1.62E+13	1.33E+13	1.13E+13	9.78E+12	8.17E+12
0.75	2.01E+13	1.65E+13	1.4E+13	1.21E+13	1.01E+13
0.833333	2.41E+13	1.97E+13	1.67E+13	1.45E+13	1.21E+13
0.916666	2.8E+13	2.3E+13	1.95E+13	1.69E+13	1.41E+13
1	3.19E+13	2.62E+13	2.22E+13	1.93E+13	1.61E+13

It has been observed from Table 10 and Table 11 that the mobile electron of both single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET increases as the oxide thickness goes decreases from 1.2nm to 0.3nm, and gate voltage increases. This shows that electrons in double move higher as the oxide thickness decreases. It is also observed from the simulation that at a very low gate voltage such as 0V and 0.083V, the value of mobile electron is the same for all oxide thickness considered.

A graph of mobile electron against gate voltage was plotted for both single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET for all oxide thickness (0.3nm, 0.5nm, 0.7nm, 0.9nm and 1.2nm) as shown in Fig.14 and Fig.15.

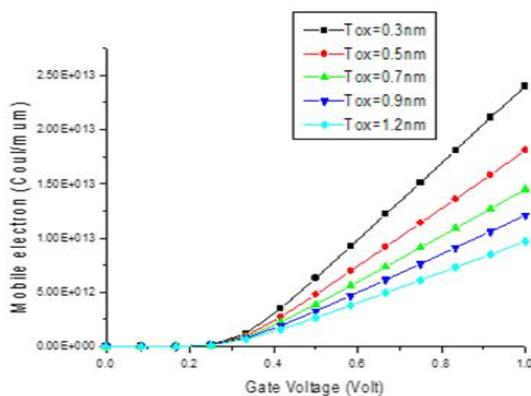


Figure 14: Graph of mobile electron against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in single gate MOSFET

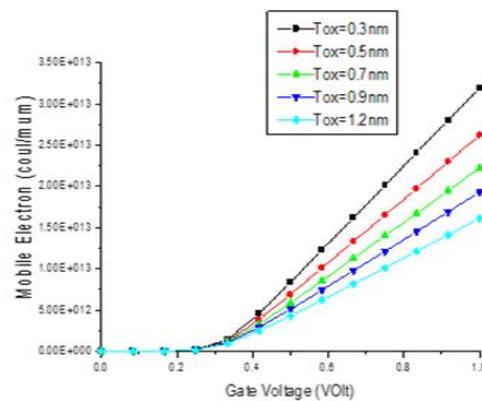


Figure 15: Graph of mobile electron against gate voltage for different oxide thickness in double gate MOSFET

V. CONCLUSION

In this work, we have observed the performance analysis of electrical characteristics of single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET devices on drain current, quantum capacitance, transconductance, quantum capacitance/insulator capacitance and mobile electron by the variation of oxide thickness for set of value (0.3nm, 0.5nm, 0.7nm, 0.9nm and 1.2nm) through an extensive simulation using FETTOY simulating software obtain online from nanohub.org. The results obtained were compared and analyzed, through the results shown in the plots of figure 6-15, we can conclude that in deep nanometer regime, double gate MOSFET device have advantages over single gate due to high conductivity to reduce leakage current and short channel effects (SCEs). The increase in QC which leads to increase in propagation delay and decline to a low performance of single gate and double gate nano-MOSFET devices can serve as a further research in nanometer regime.

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