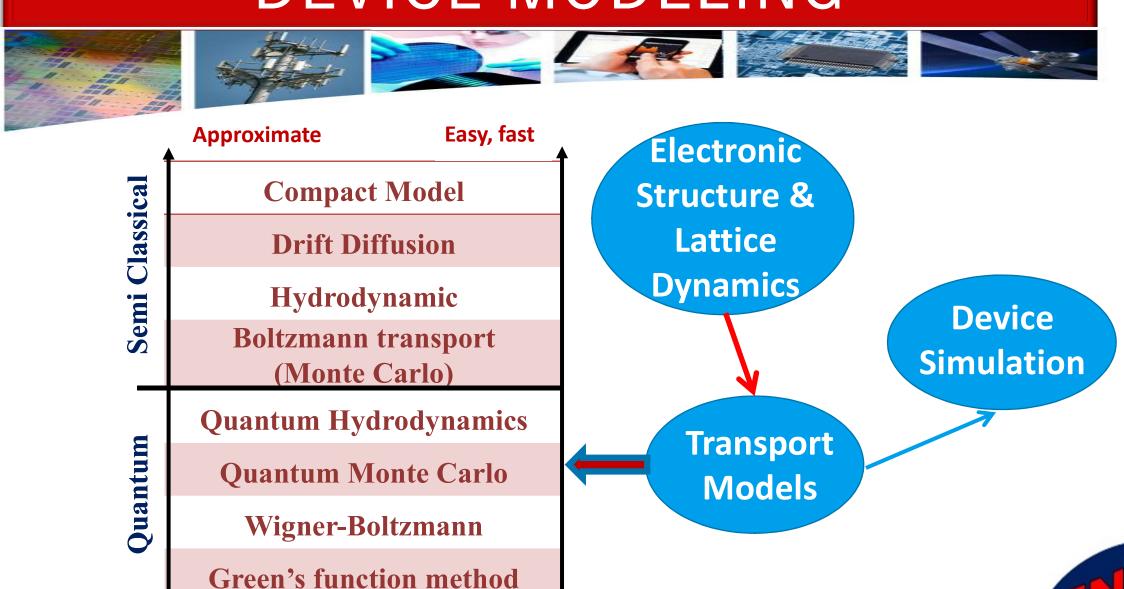




# Monte Carlo Particle Device Simulator

#### DEVICE MODELING



**Difficult** 

**Direct solution of Schrodinger ♦** 

**Exact** 

#### PARTICLE DEVICE SIMULATOR



- Particle device simulator takes into account the transport of Monte Carlo particles (Super particles).
- Under influence of applied field, determined self-consistently through the solution of decoupled Poisson's and BTE equation over a suitably small time-step.
- The time step is taken typically less than the inverse plasma frequency obtained with the highest carrier density in the device.

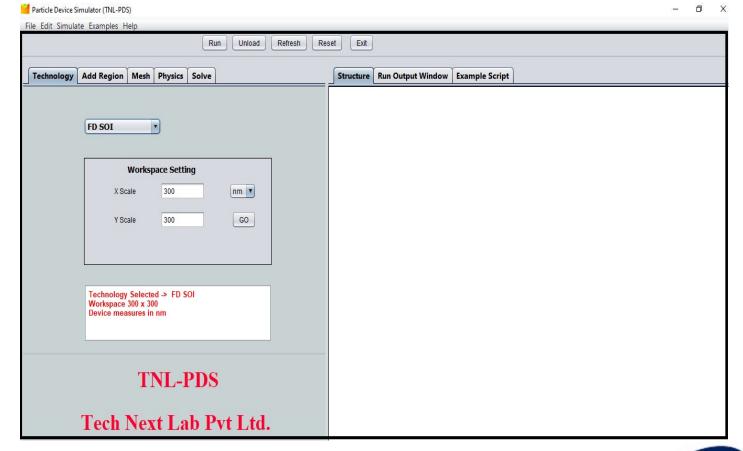


#### PARTICLE DEVICE SIMULATOR



Technologies implemented in Monte Carlo Particle Device Simulator:

- > MOSFET
- > FDSOI
- > Tunneling FET
- > MESFET
- > HEMT





#### PARTICLE DEVICE SIMULATOR



- Poisson's solution generated over the node points of the mesh,
- Carrier transport solution is obtained using Ensemble Monte Carlo (EMC) on the full range of space coordinates in accordance with the particle distribution itself.
- Particle-mesh (PM) coupling scheme is used for assignment of carrier charge on different nodes and for calculation force on each charges.





- The classification of Particle-mesh (PM) coupling scheme is included as;
  - > Carrier charge assign at mesh nodes Charge in Cloud (CIC) scheme,
  - Solution of Poisson's equation on node points through Successive over Relaxation (SOR) method,
  - Calculation of the mesh defined electric field components,
  - > Interpolation of forces at the particle positions.



#### BOUNDARY CONDITIONS



- Particle Device Simulator (PDS) contains consistent boundary conditions with those imposed on the potential on the field.
- The particle boundary conditions contain Neumann (zero electric field in the direction normal to the surface) and Dirichlet (contacts) conditions.
- At Neumann boundary the reflecting boundaries has been taken.



#### QUANTUM CONFINEMENT EFFECT



- Density-gradient model: implemented dependent on non-local quantities.
- Density gradient model is first-order quantum-correction model describe carrier confinement by locally modifying the electrostatic potential through a correction potential γ.
- The Boltzmann-Wigner transport equation can be derived as

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + v \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{r}} \mathbf{f} - \frac{\mathbf{q}}{\hbar} \sum_{\alpha=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{2\alpha}}{4^{\alpha}(2\mathbf{n}+1)!} \nabla_{k}^{2n+1} V(\mathbf{r}) \cdot \nabla_{k}^{2n+1} f = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial t}\right)_{coll}$$



#### QUANTUM CONFINEMENT EFFECT



The corrected quantum effect is included as

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + \frac{\hbar \cdot k}{m^*} \nabla_{\mathbf{r}} \mathbf{f} - \frac{1}{\hbar} \nabla_{\mathbf{r}} \left( V(\mathbf{r}) - \nabla_{\mathbf{r}}^2 \emptyset \right) \nabla_{\mathbf{k}} f = \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} \right)_{coll}$$

The correction potential term in multidimensional space is

$$\gamma(r,t) = \frac{\hbar^2}{12\lambda k_b T m^*} \left( \nabla_{\mathbf{r}}^2 \emptyset(\mathbf{r},t) - \frac{1}{2k_b T} (\nabla_{\mathbf{r}} \emptyset(\mathbf{r},t))^2 \right)$$

The fitting parameter  $\lambda$  is determined by comparing the carrier density in a device structure to the carrier density obtained by the solution of Poisson Equation.



#### PARTICLE MESH COUPLING



- The particle-mesh method is a widespread model for space charge calculations.
- Particle dynamics under applied electric field requires accurate solution of Poisson's equation.
- The particle simulation means the assignation of the particle's charge to the rectangular mesh.
- Two types of the most famous schemes:
  - ➤ Nearest Grid Point (NGP)
  - ➤ Cloud In Cell (CIC)



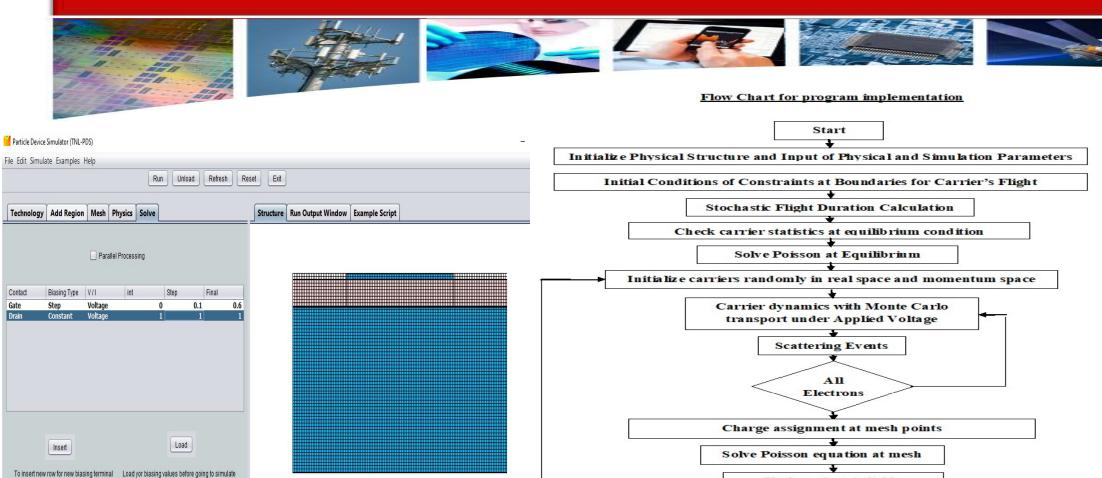
#### FLOW CHART

Update electric fields

Simulation time end?

Collect data

Stop





#### RESULTS







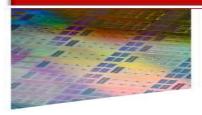






Structure Parameters	Nodes (nm)	14nm	10nm	7nm	14nm	10nm	7nm
		Single Gate			Double Gate		
	Leff (nm)	22	14	10	22	14	10
	Weff (nm)	10		8	10		8
	Tox (nm)	1	0.85	0.75	0.75	0.85	0.75
	Doping (/cm <sup>3</sup> )	1×10 <sup>24</sup>	5×10 <sup>24</sup>	2×10 <sup>25</sup>	2×10 <sup>25</sup>	5×10 <sup>24</sup>	2×10 <sup>25</sup>
	Tsoi (nm)	40	30	20	20	30	20
Device Parameters	Vth (mV)	0.3	0.22	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5
	SS (/mV/dec)	63.3	67.9	82.9	82.9	87.4	72.2
	gm (mS/µm)	0.252	0.437	0.499	0.499	0.494	0.449

#### FDS0I TECHNOLOGY UP TO 7NM







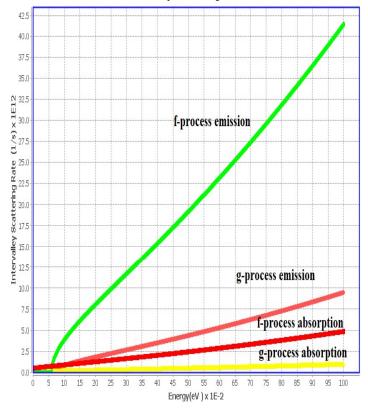


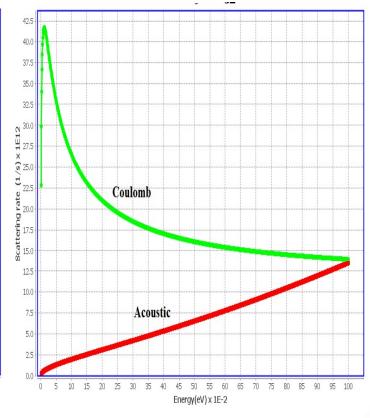




#### **Scattering Rates**

- > Intervalley,
- Acoustic and
- > Coulomb

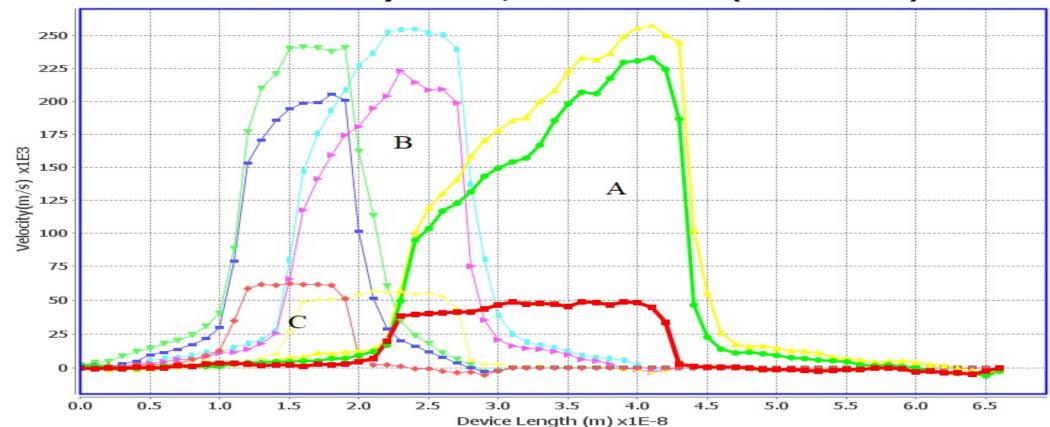




#### DRIFT VELOCITY



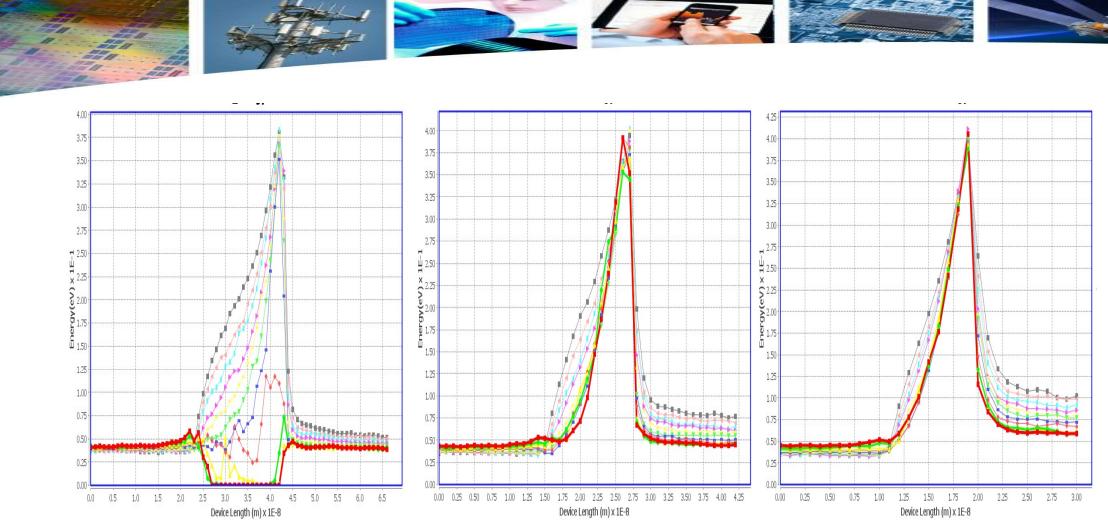




Carrier Drift velocity a) 14nm b) 10nm c) 7nm



#### CARRIER AVERAGE ENERGY



a) 14nm FDSOI MOSFET b) 10nm FDSOI MOSFET c) 7nm FDSOI MOSFET



### Transfer I<sub>d</sub> - V<sub>g</sub> Characteristics



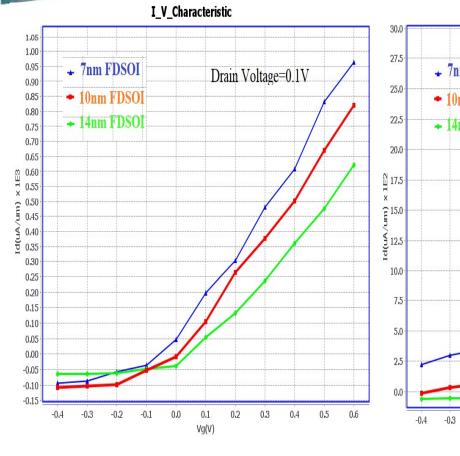


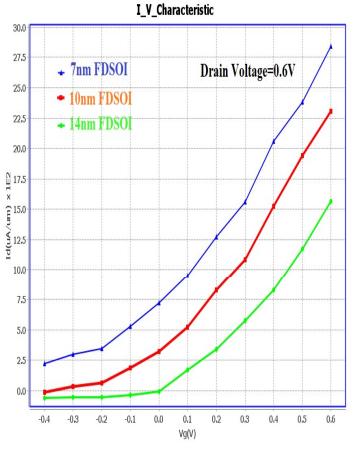


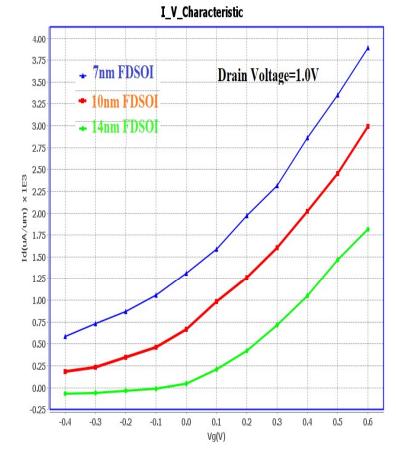








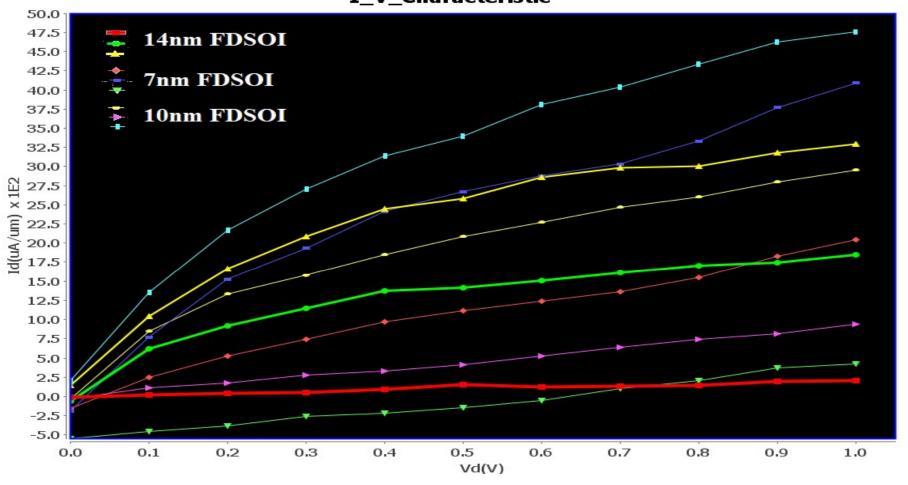




#### Single Gate I<sub>d</sub> - V<sub>d</sub> Characteristics





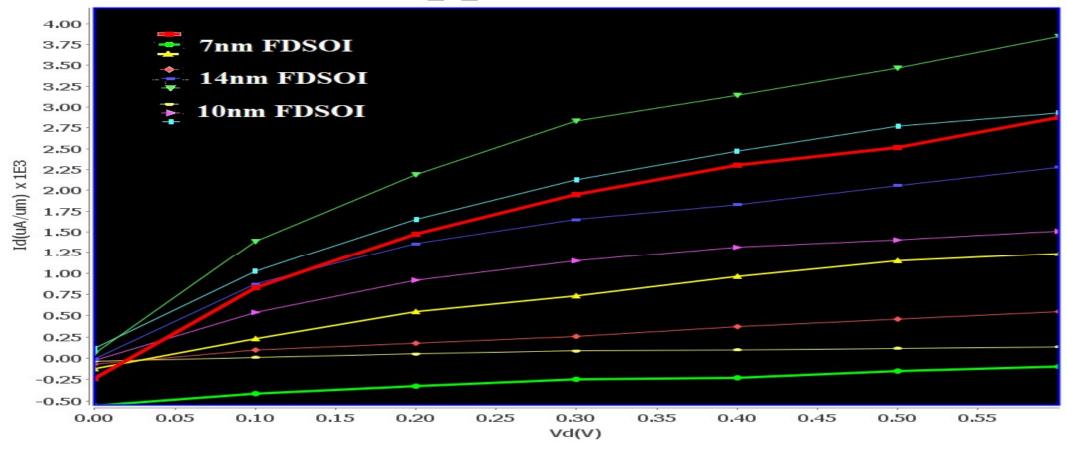




## Dual Gate I<sub>d</sub> - V<sub>d</sub> Characteristics



#### I\_V\_Characteristic





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