

Applications of Multi-Value Field Effect Transistor with Transition Metal Dichalcogenide and InGaZnO channel

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Abstract

Many of two dimensional (2D) transition metal dichalcogenide (TMD) semiconductors and related electronic devices have extensively been studied for decades. Among several types of devices, field effect transistors (FETs) with 2D channels must be the most important. Based on such p- and n-channel FETs, complementary metal oxide semiconductor (CMOS) inverters have also been reported. PN and Schottky junction diodes have been reported for their photo and gas sensing applications as well as for electrical rectifications. In the present study, we present a unique device which is combining TMD FET and IGZO FET: multi-value (MV) FETs and MV inverters. For these devices, we have initially fabricated n-IGZO channel FET on glass substrate, which is followed by n-channel TMD (n-ReSe₂, n-WSe₂ and n-MoTe₂) FETs. Since we use a long metal gate pattern, our n-channel TMD and n-IGZO channels share a common gate as prepared on atomic layer deposited (ALD) Al₂O₃ dielectric which was deposited on the patterned back gate. According to individual transfer characteristics of two devices, our n-IGZO FET always shows higher drain current (I_D) and threshold voltage (V_{th}) than those of n-TMD channel FETs. As a result, a combined transfer characteristics presented two-step drain current levels, so that their load-resistance inverter might demonstrate two value output voltage signals. In addition, our inverter devices with n-IGZO/n-ReSe₂ or n-IGZO/n-WSe₂ combination respond to visible/near infrared (IR) photons. We thus regard that our unique multi-value devices using different V_{th}/I_D properties between n-TMD FET and n-IGZO FET are novel and practical enough

to be worth re-report in prospective of nanoelectronics.

References

Figures

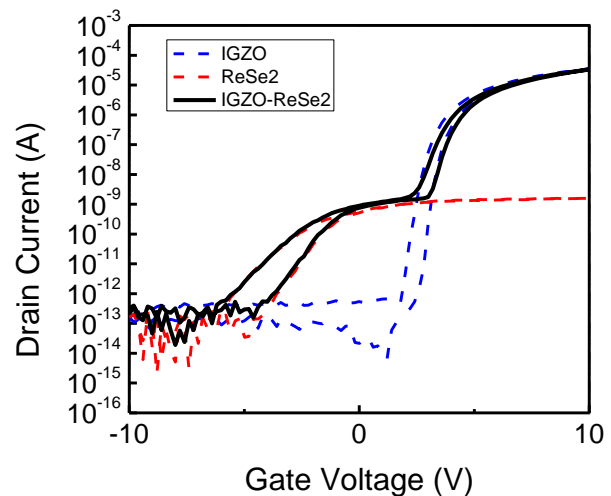


Figure 1: Transfer Characteristic of MV FET with ReSe₂ and IGZO channel. Blue and red dashed curves show each property of IGZO and ReSe₂ FET. Black line was measured by connecting the source of each FET and drain of each FET