# **Computational Microelectronics HW.13**

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#### 1. Double Gate FET with Self-Consistent nonlinear Poisson-Schrodinger

#### 1) Numerical Expression

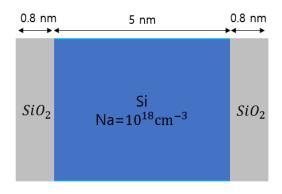


Fig. 1 Double Gate FET

이전 과제 12에서 사용했던 수식들이고, 과제12와의 차이는 단순히 Schrodinger-Poisson을 loop를 통해 self-consistent한 결과를 얻어내는 것이다.

$$\begin{split} -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m_{zz}}\frac{\partial^2}{\partial^2 z}\psi(z) + V(z)\psi(z) &= E_{z,n}\psi(z) \ \, (\text{n=1,2,3...}) \\ V(z) &= -q\phi(z) + (E_c - E_i) \\ \sum_{i=interface2-1}^{interface2-1} \left|\psi_{z,n,i}\right|^2 \Delta z &= 1 \\ n(z) \ \, (cm^{-3}) &= \frac{1}{L_x L_y} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left|\psi_{z,n,i}\right|^2 \frac{L_x L_y}{(2\pi)^2} (2\pi) \frac{m_d}{\hbar^2} k_B T \ln(1 + \exp\left(\frac{-E_{z,n} + E_F}{k_B T}\right)) \\ n_{total}(z) &= 2 \times 2 \times \sum_{valley=1}^{3} n(z) \end{split}$$

위와 같은 Schrodinger solver를 구성하고, 풀게 되면 전자 농도가 나오게 되는데, 이 때 나오는 전자 농도를 Poisson solver에 다시 넣게 된다. Poisson solver를 풀게 되면 Schrodinger solver의 결과에 따라서 potential이 update가 되고, 이를 다시 Schrodinger solver를 푸는데, 사용하는 loop를 형성하게 된다. 이 결과가 어느 정도의 수렴도를 가질 때까지 반복을 한다.

하지만, 전자 농도를 넣을 때, 다음과 같은 2가지의 방식을 시도한다.

$$1. n_{new} = n_{Sch}(z)$$

$$2. \quad n_{new,0} \ = n_{Sch} \times e^{\frac{\delta \phi}{V_T}} \, ,$$
 
$$n_{new,n} \ = n_{new,n-1} \times e^{\frac{\delta \phi}{V_T}} \, \text{(When repeated for n times)}$$

1번 방식은 Schrodinger solver를 풀어서 나온 전자 농도를 상수로서 Poisson solver에 넣는 것이다. 2번 방식은 Schrodinger solver를 풀어서 나온 전자 농도를 Poisson solver를 풀 때 계속 변하는 값으로 넣게 된다. 이 때 변하는 정도는 위와 같은 수식으로 나타나게 된다.

## 2) Results

### A) Electron Density. Constant electron density is used. ( $V_{gs} = 0V, 0.5V, 1V$ )

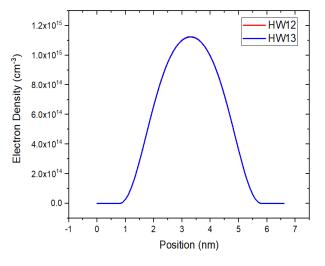


Fig 2. Position vs. Electron density graph. Red line represents the electron density which is non self- consistent result while blue line is self-consistent result when  $\mathbf{V}_{gs}=$  0V.

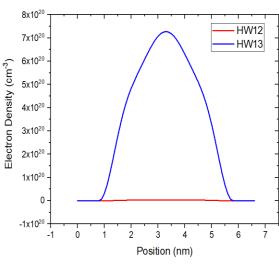


Fig 3. Position vs. Electron density graph. Red line represents the electron density which is non self-consistent result while blue line is self-consistent result when  $\mathbf{V_{gs}} = 0.5 \text{V}$ .

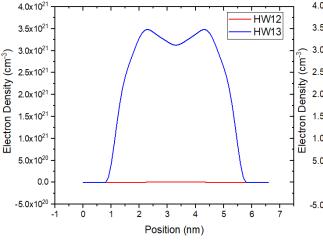


Fig 4. Position vs. Electron density graph. Red line represents the electron density which is non self- consistent result while blue line is self-consistent result  $% \mathbf{v}_{s}$  when  $\mathbf{v}_{gs}=$  1V.

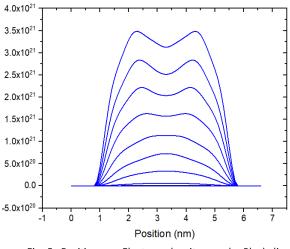


Fig 5. Position vs. Electron density graph. Black line represents the non self-consistent results which is solved by Poisson equation while blue line is solved by Schrodinger solver when  $V_{gs}=0{\sim}1V$  with 0.1 step size.

위의 결과는 전자 밀도를 나타낸 결과로, 약 0.3V부터 급격하게 결과가 커지는 것을 확인하였다. 이 결과가 옳은 지 확인을 위해 Convergence graph를 확인한다.

#### B) Convergence Graph with constant electron density.

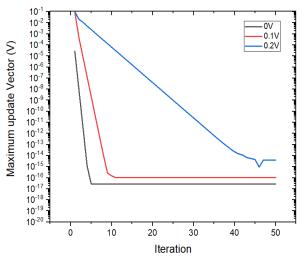


Fig 6. Iteration vs. Maximum update vector when gate voltage is  $0\sim0.2V$  with voltage step 0.1V

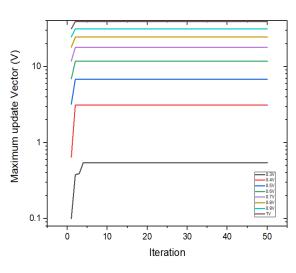


Fig 7. Iteration vs. Maximum update vector when gate voltage is 0.2V~1V with voltage step 0.1V

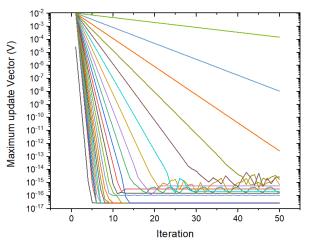


Fig 8. Iteration vs. Maximum update vector when gate voltage is  $0\sim0.23V$  with voltage step 0.01V

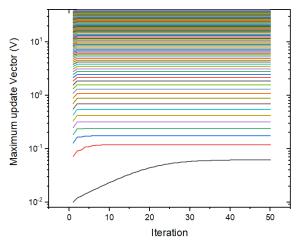


Fig 9. Iteration vs. Maximum update vector when gate voltage is  $0.24 \sim 0.1 \text{V}$  with voltage step 0.01 V

Convergence graph를 확인한 결과 gate voltage 상승 step을 0.1V로 하였을 때, 약 0.3V부터 발산하는 것을 확인하였다. 수렴도를 올리기 위해 step size를 1/10를 했음에도 0.2V~0.3V 사이의 gate voltage에서 발산하는 것을 확인할 수 있다. 물론 Newton iteration을 늘리고 voltage increasement를 줄이면, 수렴성이 좋아지겠지만, 시간이 매우 오래 걸리게 되는 심각한 trade-off 가 발생한다. 따라서 다른 방법을 사용하였다.

## C) Electron Density. Updated electron density is used. (V $_{gs}=0 V {\sim} 0.\,5 V, 1 V)$

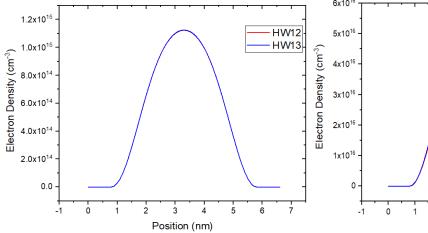


Fig 10. Red line represents the electron density which is non self- consistent result while blue line is self-consistent result when  $V_{\rm gs}=$  0V.

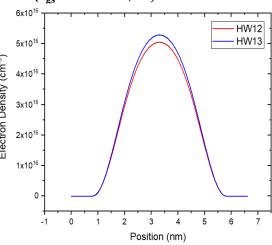


Fig 11. Red line represents the electron density which is non self- consistent result while blue line is self-consistent result when  $V_{gs}=0.1 \text{V}$ .

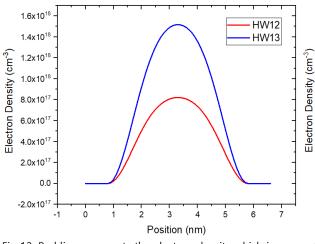


Fig 12. Red line represents the electron density which is non self-consistent result while blue line is self-consistent result when  ${\bf V_{gs}}=\,$  0.2V.

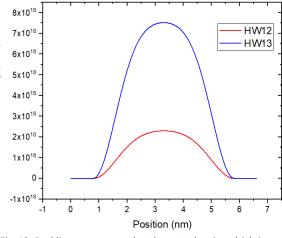


Fig 13. Red line represents the electron density which is non self-consistent result while blue line is self-consistent result when  ${\bf V_{gs}}=0.3 \text{V}.$ 

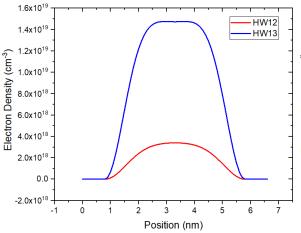


Fig 14. Red line represents the electron density which is non self-consistent result while blue line is self-consistent result when  ${\bf V}_{gs}=\,$  0.4V.

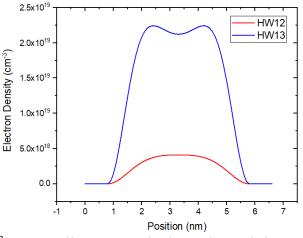
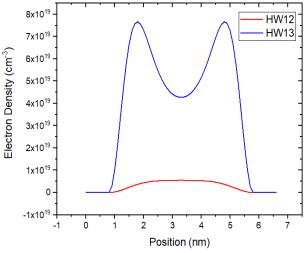
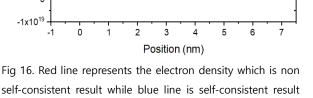


Fig 15. Red line represents the electron density which is non self-consistent result while blue line is self-consistent result when  ${\bf V_{gs}}=0.5 \text{V}.$ 



when  $V_{gs} = 1V$ .



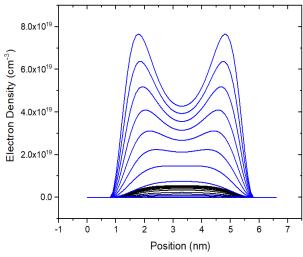


Fig 17. Position vs. Electron density graph. Black line represents the non self-consistent results while blue line is the self-consistent results when  $V_{gs}=\,\text{0-1V}$  with 0.1 step size.

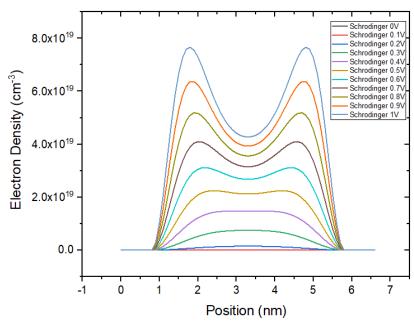


Fig 18. Position vs. Electron density graph which is solved by Poisson-Schrodinger solver.

위의 결과는 전자 밀도를 나타낸 결과로, 이전의 A), B) 파트와 달리 전자 농도가 Poisson solver 의 internal loop에서 상수였던 것과 달리 계속 변하게 된다. 또한 Poisson의 결과와 맞춰지도록, 단순한 non self-consistent의 결과보다 커지며, 전자 농도의 최고점이 interface와 가까워지는 것 을 확인할 수 있다. 결과가 옳은 지 확인을 위해 Convergence graph를 확인한다.

### D) Convergence Graph with updated electron density is used.

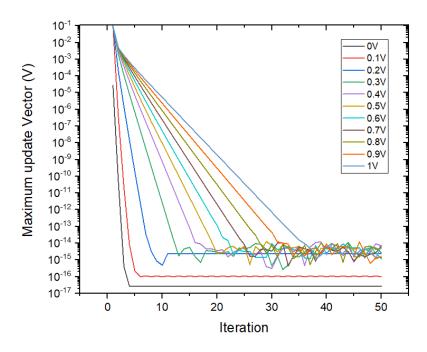


Fig 19. Iteration vs. Maximum update vector when gate voltage is 0~0.1V with voltage step 0.1V

이전의 결과와 달리, 수렴이 올바르게 이뤄지는 것을 확인할 수 있다. 특징은 Poisson에서의 Convergence 그래프와 달리, 로그 스케일로 그리면 직선으로 떨어지는 것을 확인할 수 있다. 매번 첫번째 Maximum Update vector 값이 0.1V인 이유는 gate voltage increasement가 0.1V이기 때문이다.