

Experiment 7

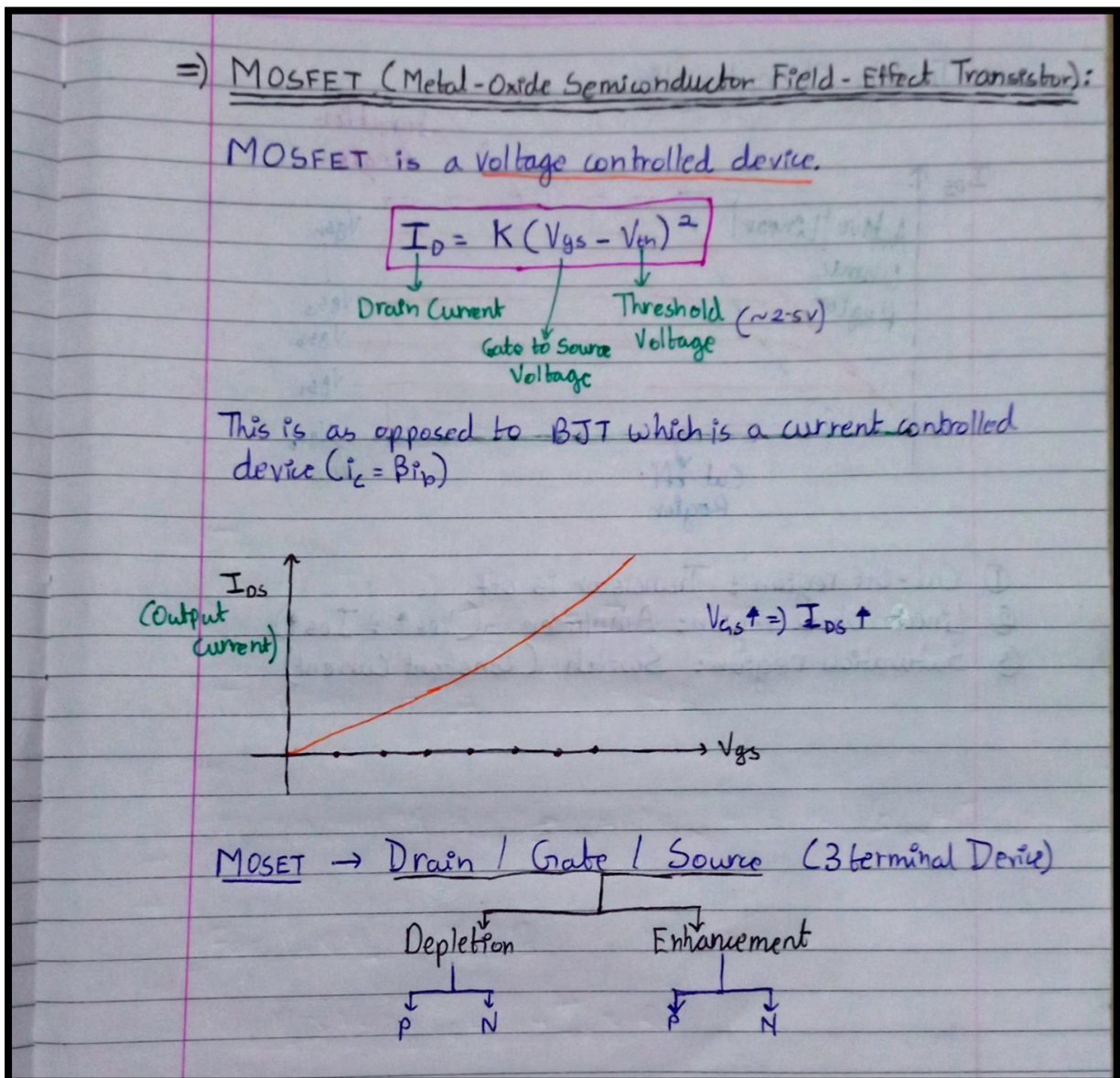
Aim:

Study and simulation of MOSFET (Metal-Oxide Semiconductor Field-Effect Transistor) characteristics using LTSpice.

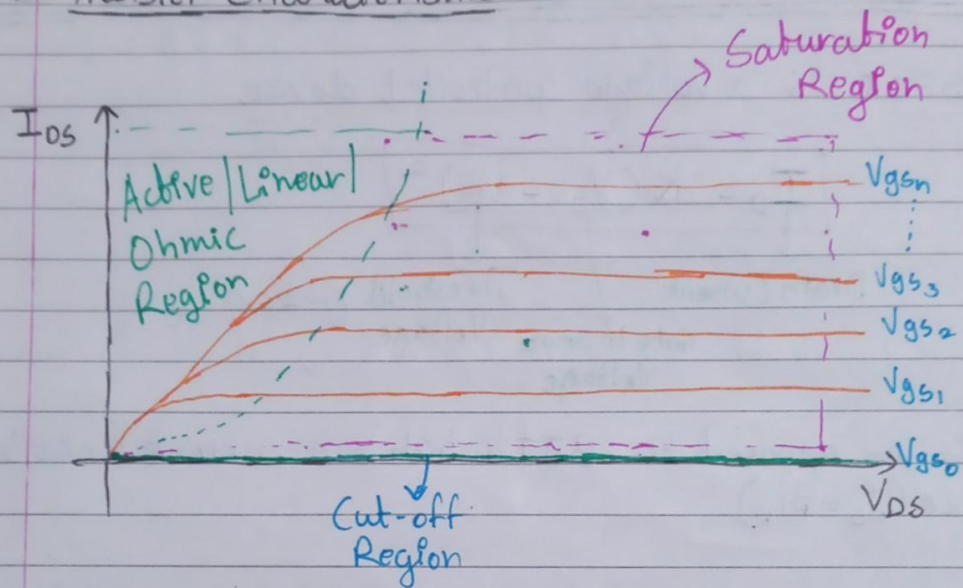
Tools and Apparatus:

LTSpice, MOSFET Transistor, Resistors, Voltage Sources

Theory and Design:



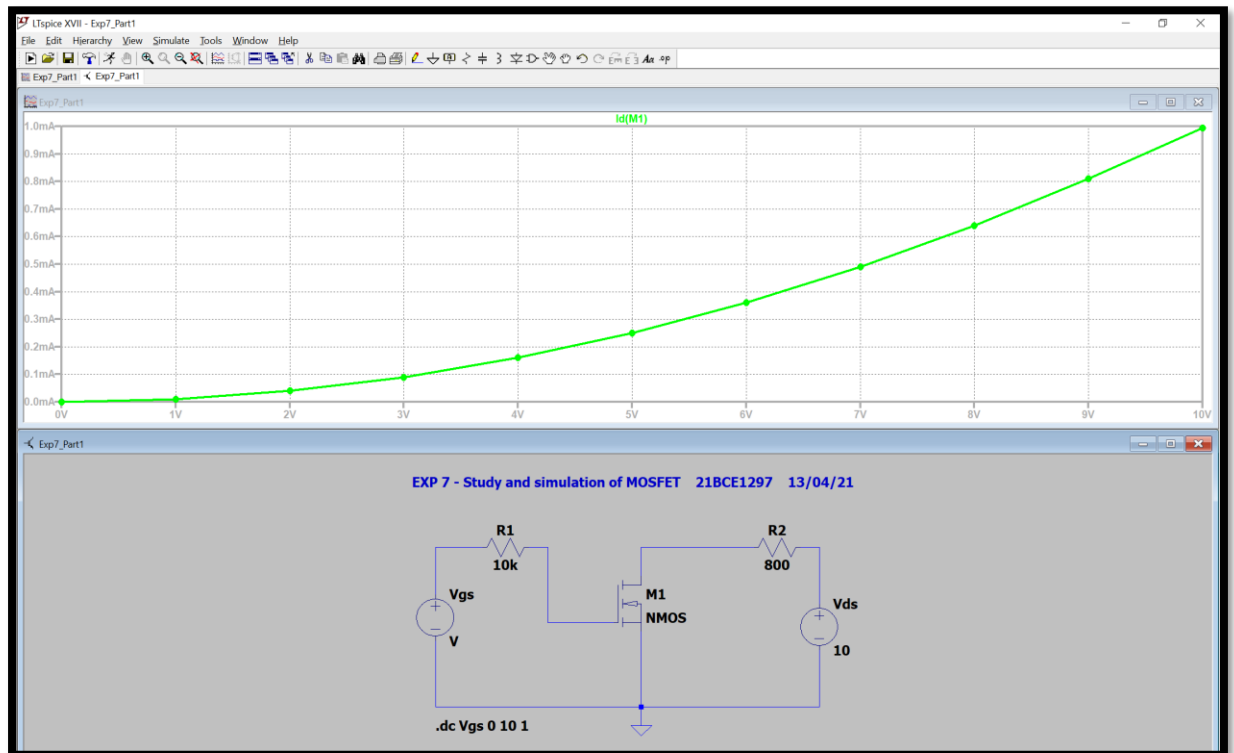
→ Transfer Characteristics :



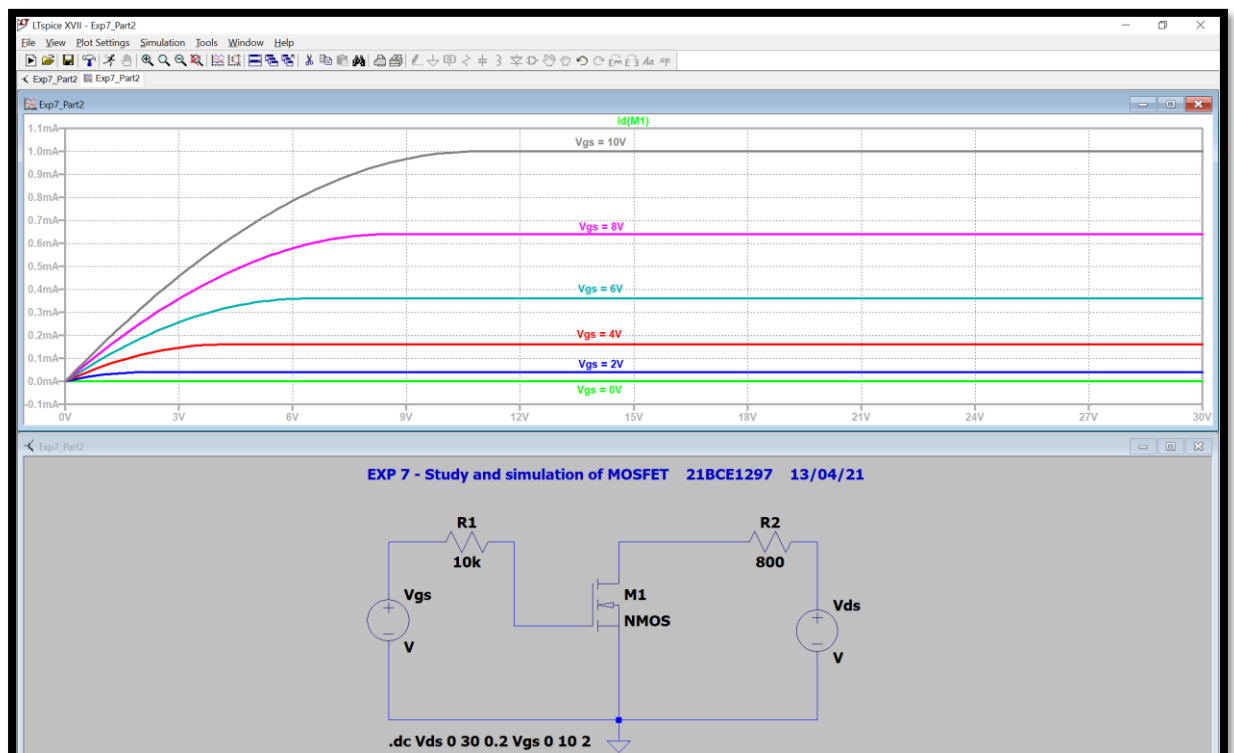
- ① Cut-off region : Transistor is off.
- ② Linear / ohmic region : Amplifier ($V_{ds} \uparrow \Rightarrow I_{os} \uparrow$)
- ③ Saturation region : Switch (constant current)

Simulation Results:

1. Output Characteristics



2. Transfer Characteristics



Conclusion:

1. Output Characteristics:

- I_{DS} increases as V_{GS} increases.

2. Transfer Characteristics:

- I_{DS} increases linearly with respect to V_{DS} in Active/Linear/Ohmic region.
- I_{DS} remains constant with respect to V_{DS} in Saturation region.

Inferences:

1. $I_{DS} = K (V_{GS} - V_{TH})^2$
 - a. Therefore, I_{DS} increases as V_{GS} increases in output characteristics of MOSFET
2. $V_{GS} = 0V$ is **Cut Off Region**:
 - a. Transistor is in **off** state.
3. **Linear/Ohmic Region**:
 - a. Transistor acts as an **amplifier** as **current increases** with increase in voltage
4. **Saturation Region**:
 - a. Transistor acts as a **switch** as **current remains constant** with respect to voltage
5. In transfer characteristics keep first source as V_{DS} and second source as V_{GS} .