

Scalable GaSb/InAs Tunnel FETs With Non-Uniform Body Thickness*

Problem:

 GaSb/InAs heterojunction TFETs are NOT scalable <- large tunneling leakage <- small band gap and effective mass of the InAs channel

Objective:

• To have a scalable design

Approach:

Non-uniform body thickness design:

- Thin InAs channel -> a large band gap and large effective masses -> small tunnel leakage at OFF state
- Thick GaSb/InAs tunnel junction ->
 a low tunnel barrier and small
 tunnel effective masses -> large
 tunnel probability at ON state

Results / Impact:

- •@Lg=15nm, V_{DD} =0.3V and I_{OFF} =1nA/um, I_{ON} =284uA/um, an order of magnitude larger than the uniform case (25uA/um).
- Scalable to sub-10nm channel length









