## Quantum Transport in III-V HEMTs for High Performance Logic Applications

## **Objective:**

- Understand experimental data on III-V HEMT devices for logic applications
- How close to the ballistic limit are short channel III-V devices?

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- What controls their performance? **Approach:**
- Use a 2D quantum (NEGF) simulator
- Simulate the experimental structure using  $\delta\text{-}$  doped doping
- Use the sp<sup>3</sup>d<sup>5</sup>s\* TB model to extract the effective mass of the III-V channel

## Impact:

- $\bullet$  Devices as short as  $\rm L_G$  =60nm are close to the ballistic limit.
- $\bullet$  The series resistance  ${\sf R}_{\sf SD}$  and the design of the contacts affects the performance.
- Identified the low doping in the contacts as the most possible reason for the Gm degradation observed in experimental data.

## **Publications:**

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