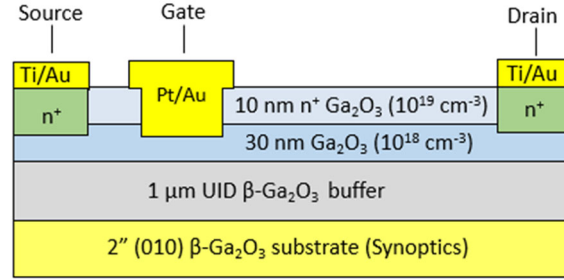
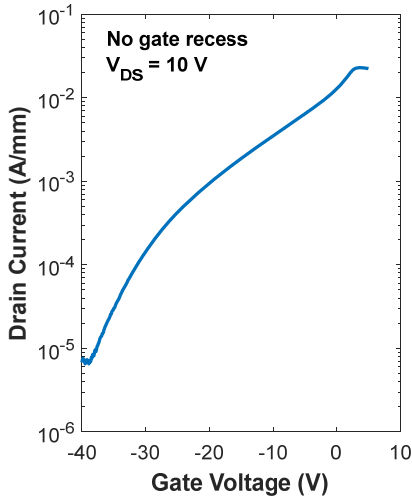


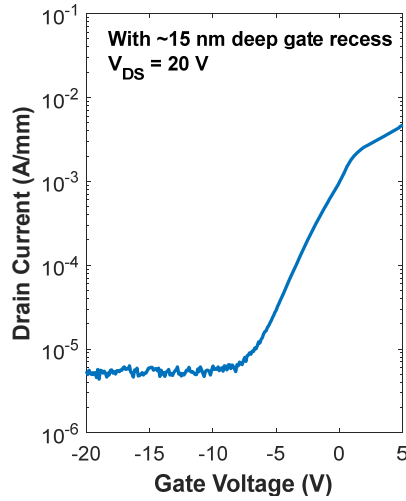
**Fig. 1.** Patterned 2-inch (010)  $\beta$ -Ga<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> substrate from Northrop Grumman Synoptics.



**Fig. 2.** Cross-section schematic of gate-recessed MESFET. Gate-source and gate-drain spacing is set to 2.5  $\mu$ m and 10  $\mu$ m, respectively.

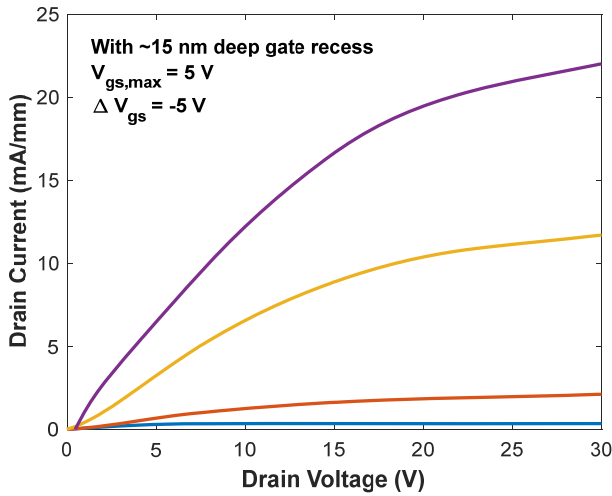


(a)



(b)

**Fig. 3.** Input ( $J_D$ - $V_{GS}$ ) characteristics of fabricated MOCVD  $\beta$ -Ga<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> MESFETs (a) without and (b) with a 15 nm gate recess.



**Fig. 4.** Output ( $J_D$ - $V_{DS}$ ) characteristics of fabricated MOCVD  $\beta$ -Ga<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> MESFETs with a 15 nm gate recess.

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