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High performance unipolar MoTe₂ field effect transistors enabled by doping and Al₂O₃ capping ¹ DESHUN QU, XIAOCHI LIU, FAISAL AHMED, WON JONG YOO, Sungkyunkwan Univ — We carry out the first systematic experiment on carrier type modulation of MoTe₂ FET in this work. unipolar p- and n-type MoTe₂ FETs with 10⁵ and 10⁶ on-off ratios are achieved through rapid thermal annealing (RTA) and Benzyl Viologen (BV) doping respectively. By varying the vacuum level in RTA chamber before annealing and BV dopant concentration, annealing condition, both hole and electron doping concentration can be modulated in a wide range from slight doping to degenerate like doping. Furthermore, Al₂O₃ is deposited onto the device surfaces for the mobility engineering. Hole and electron mobilities are improved to 62 cm²/Vs and 82 cm²/Vs respectively after Al₂O₃ capping; they are among the highest carrier mobilities of MoTe₂ transistors ever obtained. A lateral homogeneous MoTe₂ p-n diode is fabricated combining the electron and hole doping techniques, the device displays excellent diode properties with a high rectification ratio of 10⁴ at 0 gate bias and an ideality factor of 1.2.

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