

# CAN bus protection



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Where do you stand with CAN bus protection?

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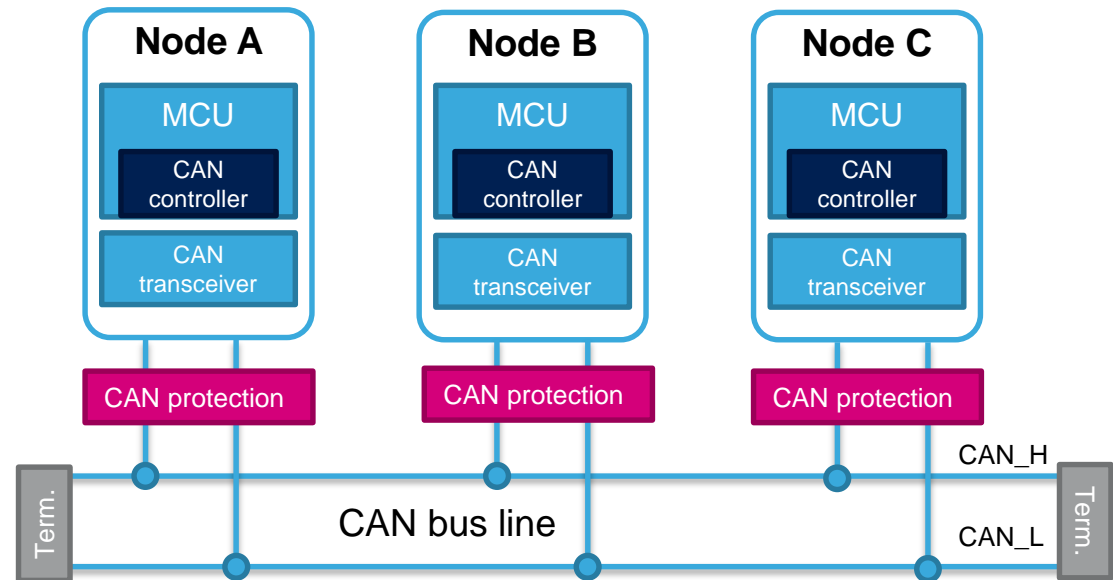
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**In depth**

# Basics on CAN bus

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- ➔ CAN stands for Controller Area Network
- ➔ It is very popular in the automotive industry
- ➔ It is a serial bi-directional half-duplex multi-master communication bus
- ➔ 2 lines:
  - CAN\_H (CAN High)
  - CAN\_L (CAN Low)
- ➔ 2 standards:
  - Low-speed, fault-tolerant
  - High-speed

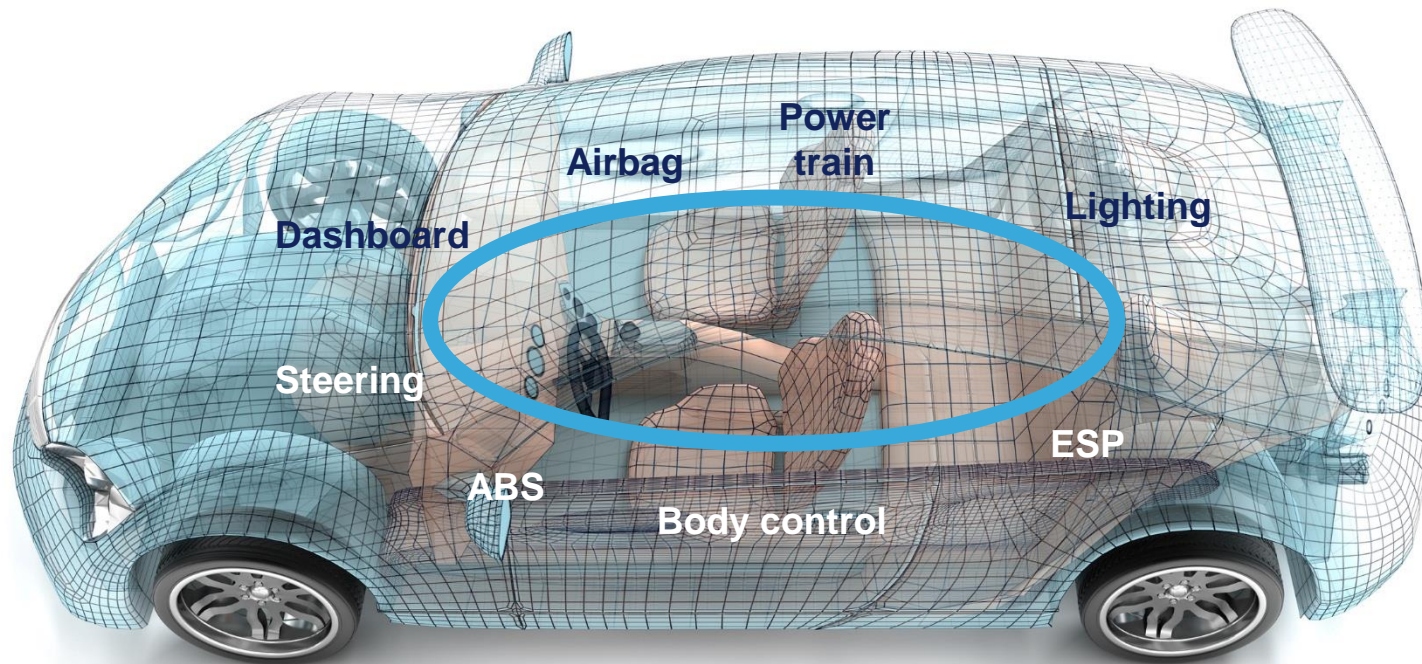


## ⊕ Benefits of CAN

- Cost-effective
- Light-weight
- Reliable / transmission safety
- Information available for all nodes

# Where is CAN

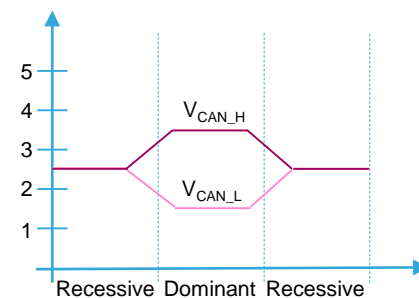
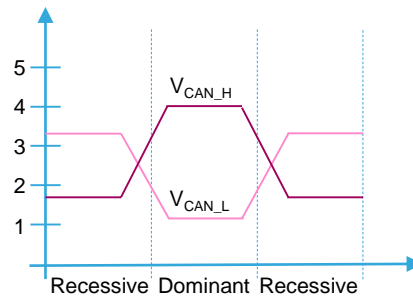
- As the CAN bus is reliable, it is used to connect together most of the modules in the car, including safety and critical functions



# Basics on CAN bus

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Parameters	High-speed CAN	Low-speed CAN
Physical layer standards	ISO 11898-2	ISO 11898-3
Data rate	Up to 1 Mbit/s	Up to 125 kbit/s
Maximum length	30 m	500 m
Termination	120 $\Omega$ shunt	2.2 k $\Omega$ serial on each line
Recessive voltage level	$V_{CAN\_H} = 1.75\text{ V}$ $V_{CAN\_L} = 3.25\text{ V}$	$V_{CAN\_H} = V_{CAN\_L} = 2.5\text{ V}$
Dominant voltage level	$V_{CAN\_H} = 4\text{ V}$ $V_{CAN\_L} = 1\text{ V}$	$V_{CAN\_H} - V_{CAN\_L} = 2\text{ V}$



# Why protection is needed?

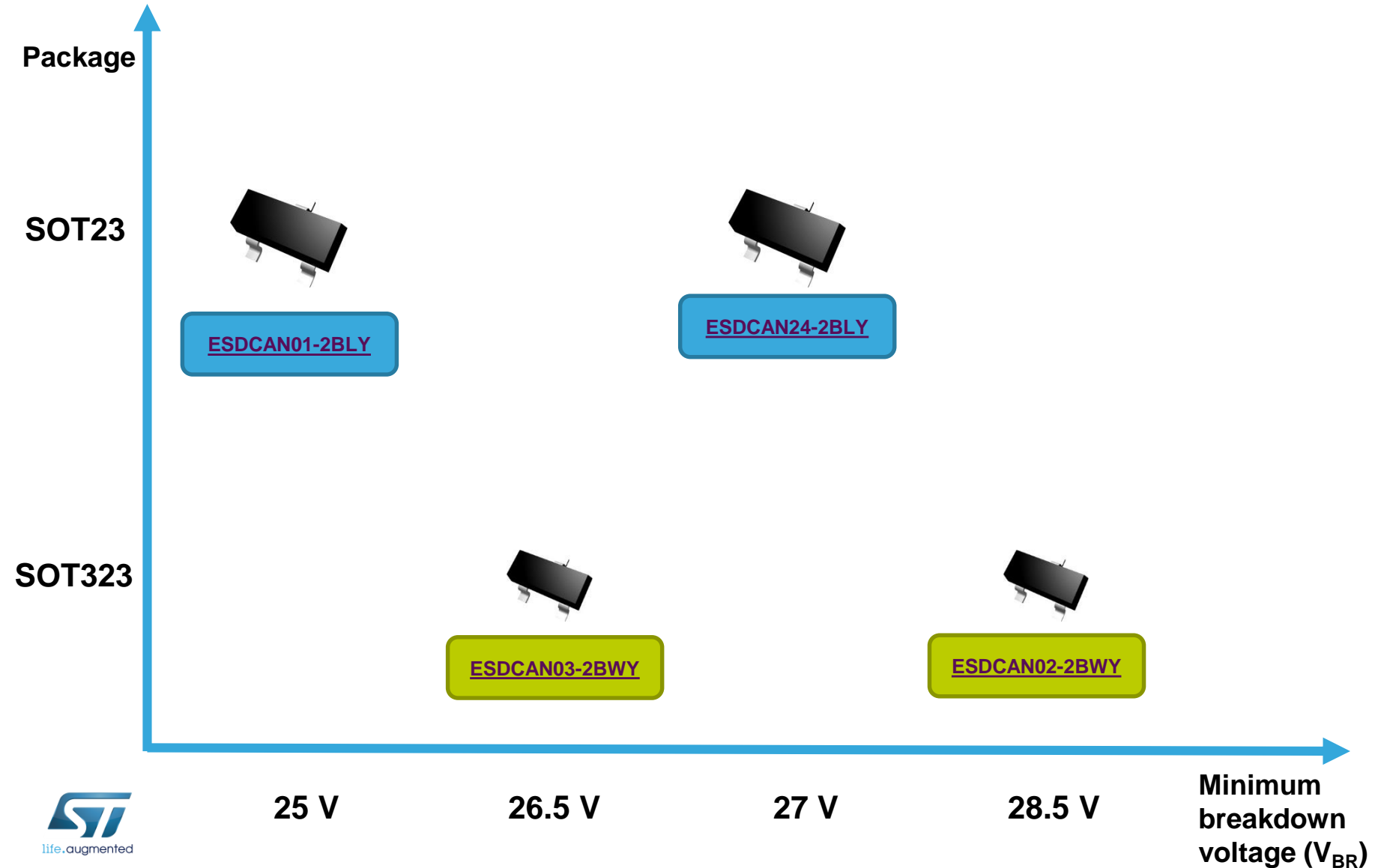
- Automotive systems require a high level of robustness and must be 100% reliable when they control safety devices.
- The automotive industry has defined standards to guarantee the robustness of car embedded electronics.

# Why protection is needed?

CAN protection must comply with the following main standards

Hazards	Type	Standards
ESD protection	Voltage spikes due to electro-static discharges.	<i>ISO 10605</i>
Surge protection	Voltage spikes due to switching processes (influenced by capacitance and inductances of the wiring harness)	<i>ISO 7637-3 pulse 3a/3b</i>
Jump start	Application of 24 V on all inputs to simulate a jump start with a 24 V battery	<i>ISO 16750</i>
Reverse battery	Application of -28 V (during 60 s) to simulate a reversed battery connection in case of using an auxiliary starting device	<i>ISO 16750</i>

# CAN protection portfolio





# ESDCAN series versus standards

Hazards	Standards	ESDCAN24-2BLY	ESDCAN01-2BLY	ESDCAN02-2BWY	ESDCAN03-2BWY
ESD protection	ISO 10605	✓ +30 kV contact	✓ +30 kV contact	✓ +30 kV contact	✓ +30 kV contact
Surge protection	ISO 7637-3 pulse 3a/3b	✓	✓	✓	✓
Jump start	ISO 16750	✓ $V_{BR}$ min (reverse) = 27 V	✓ $V_{BR}$ min (reverse) = 25 V	✓ $V_{BR}$ in (reverse) = 28.5 V	✓ $V_{BR}$ in (reverse) = 26.5 V
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# ESDCAN series: quality of protection

- Not only protection features must comply with standards, but they must efficiently protect against surges.
- The quality of protection features is measured by its ability to clamp overvoltages and overcurrent, thus protect the IC (CAN controller) against EOS / ESD
- The lower the clamping voltage, the greater the circuit's better ESD immunity.

## *In-depth information*

[Protection of automotive electronics - guidelines for design and component selection](#)

*Application note AN2689*

[Pspice models](#)

## *Selection & sampling*

Our **product selector**: [Automotive dataline ESD protection](#)

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