

SiC MOSFET

The real breakthrough in high-voltage switching



Silicon Carbide: The Enabling Technology for higher power density in Industrial and Automotive application

Based on the advanced and innovative properties of wide bandgap materials, ST's silicon carbide (SiC) MOSFETs feature very low $R_{DS(on)}$ per area, with the new SCT*N65G2 650V product family and the SCT*N120G2 1200 V product family in development, combined with excellent switching performance, translating into more efficient and compact designs. ST is among the first companies to produce high-voltage SiC MOSFETs. These new families feature the industry's highest temperature rating of 200 °C for improved thermal design of power electronics systems.

KEY FEATURES

- Very low switching losses
- Low power losses at high temperatures
- Higher operating temperature (up to 200 °C)
- Body diode with no recovery losses
- Easy to drive

KEY BENEFITS

- Smaller form factor and higher power density
- Reduced size/cost of passive components
- Higher system efficiency
- Reduced cooling requirements and heatsink size

KEY APPLICATIONS

- Traction inverter
- EV charge station
- Photovoltaics
- Factory automation
- Motor drive
- Data center power supply
- OBC & DC/DC converter

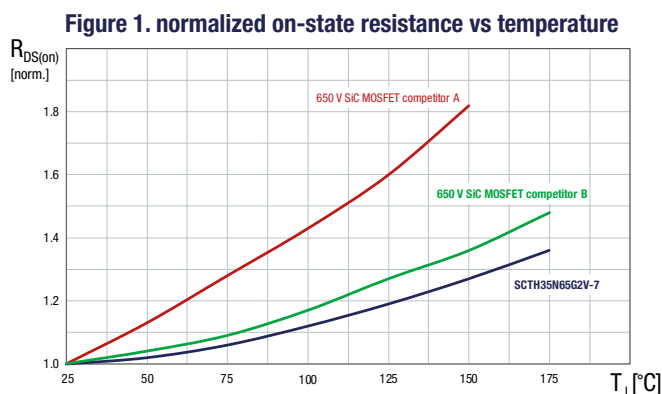
SiC MOSFET VERSUS SILICON TRANSISTOR

Table 1 compares the new ST's second generation 650 V, 55 mΩ SCTH35N65G2V-7 SiC MOSFET with a trench field-stop (TFS) IGBT of the same voltage rating and equivalent on-state resistance. The SiC MOSFET exhibits significantly reduced switching losses, even at high temperatures. This enables designers to operate at very high switching frequencies, reducing the size of passive components for smaller form factors. In addition, for the SiC MOSFET the variation of E_{ON} and E_{OFF} with temperature is very small. As an example, the E_{OFF} of the SiC MOSFET remains basically unchanged as the temperature rises from 25 °C to 175 °C, while the E_{OFF} of the IGBT increases by the 89%. Even the change in resistance as the temperature rises is very low and lower than the competition, as shown in Figure 1.

Table 1: Switching loss comparison

Device	V_{on} typ. (V) @ 25 °C, 20 A	V_{on} typ. (V) @ 175 °C, 20 A	E_{on-typ} (μJ) @ 20 A, 400 V 25 °C / 175 °C	$E_{off-typ}$ (μJ) @ 20 A, 400 V 25 °C / 175 °C	E_{tot} rise with temperature	Die size (Normalized)
SCTH35N65G2V-7	1.1	1.48	100 / 100	35 / 35	negligible variation vs. Temperature!	0.53
30 A,650 V TFS IGBT	1.45	1.55	240 / 450	205 / 390	+89% from 25 °C to 175 °C	1.00

Note: V_{on} measured @ $V_{GS-SiC}=18V$, $V_{GE-IGBT}=15V$ - E_{on} includes the reverse recovery of the diode



NEW PRODUCTS COMING SOON

STPAK™

Multi Sintering Package:
Ready for the Next Generation EV
Traction Inverter
SCTHS*N65G2AG – 650 V



HU3PAK™

Top Side Cooling Package:
Ready for Industrial and Automotive
High Performance Application
SCTHU*N65G2 – 650 V



DEVICE SUMMARY OR PRODUCT TABLE

Commercial Product	V_{DSS} (V)	I_D max (A)	$R_{DS(on)}$ Typ (Ω) (@ $V_{GS} = 18$ V)	T_J max (°C)	Package	
SCTH35N65G2V-7	650	45	0.055	175	H2PAK-7	
SCTH35N65G2V-7AG					HiP247	
SCTW35N65G2V					HiP247	
SCTH90N65G2V-7		116	119	0.018	175	H2PAK-7
SCTW90N65G2V						200
SCTH100N65G2-7AG			95		175	H2PAK-7
SCTW100N65G2AG			100		200	HiP247



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