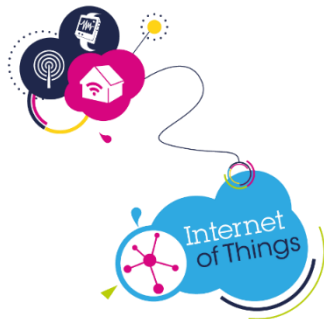




# Power Semiconductors for New Energies

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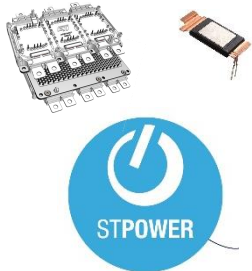


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# Power Semiconductors for New Energies



High Power Modules  
&  
Drivers



Intelligent Power  
Modules  
SLIMM



Si  
HV & LV



SiC & GaN

# New Energies World Scenario

## Potential Saving

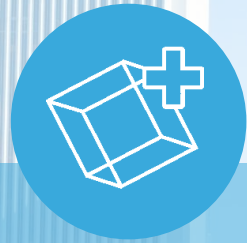
- Energy saving via improvements in conversion efficiency is the best way to reduce power consumption and, consequently, minimize energy waste.



Transportation  
consumes  
More than

**20%**

of world  
energy



By 2020 more  
than

**30**

billion

Smart Things  
needing power



Electric  
lighting uses

**20%**

of global  
electricity



Industry  
consumes  
More than

**50%**

of world  
energy



Electric motors  
use

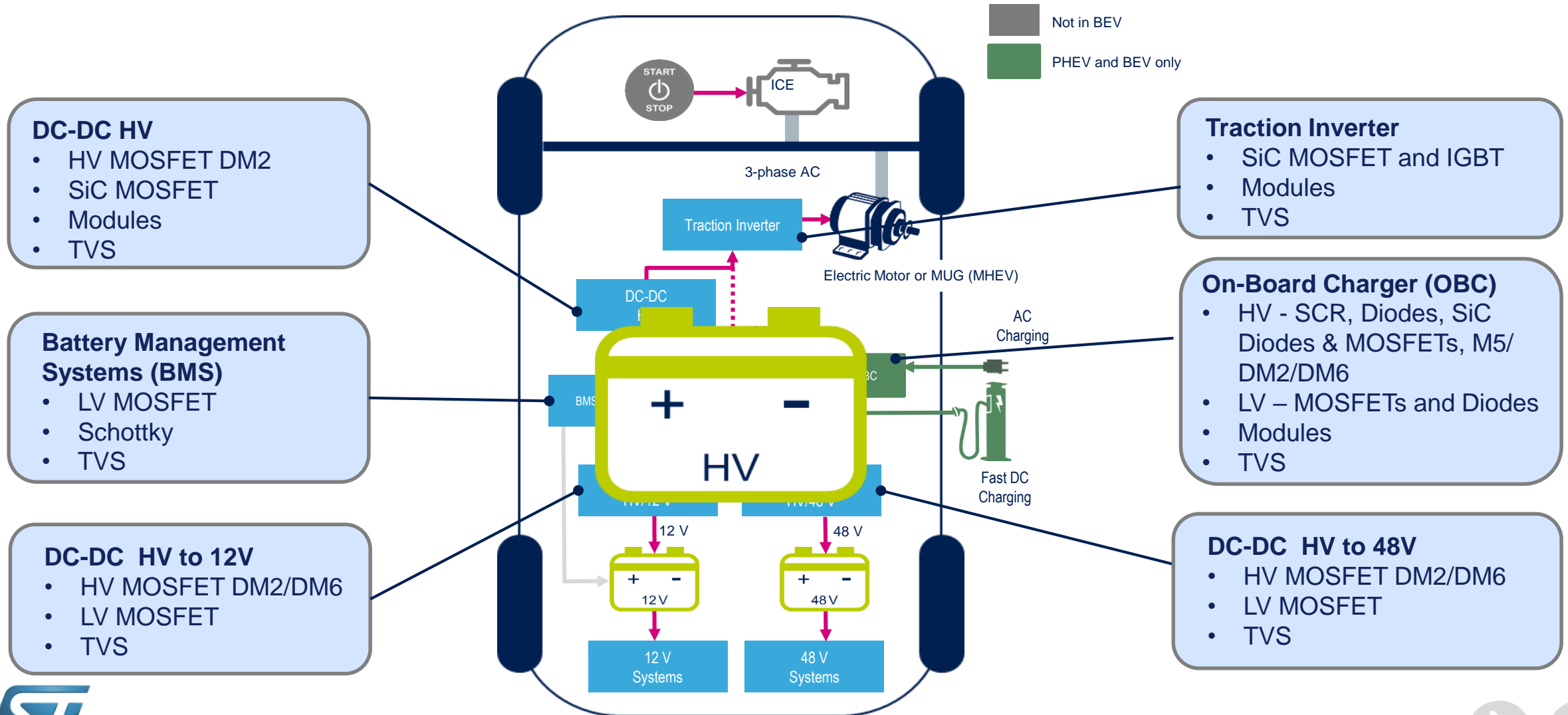
**60%**

of industry  
electricity



# Power Discrete in HEV EV

## Key Elements in Electric Vehicle



# Automotive Discrete Products

Diodes, Thyristors & TVS

MOSFETs & IGBTs

Filters & Protection

New: SiC, FERD, Flat Packages & Modules

## Safety

- Airbag
- Camera
- RADAR



## Door Zone

- Doors
- Mirror



## Body & Convenience

- BCM & gateways
- Dashboard
- HVAC
- LED
- Roof & Seat Control



## Powertrain for HEV

- Bidirectional Aux Power Converter
- Electric Traction
- AC/DC (On Board Charger)
- Main Inverter
- Start-stop



## Infotainment & Telematics

- Infotainment
- Sound system
- Telematics
- Vehicle-to Everything (V2X)



## Chassis

- ABS and ESC
- Active suspension
- Electric power steering
- Electric park and brake



## Powertrain for ICE

- CNG/LPG engine control
- Direct Injection
- Transmission



→ Discrete Products 20% content of Auto Electronics (60% of Auto Power Electronics)

# ACEPACK™ Modules

## Adaptable, Compact and Easier PACKAGE

ACEPACK

1 & 2

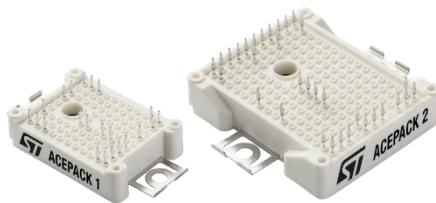
SMIT

DRIVE

### Key features

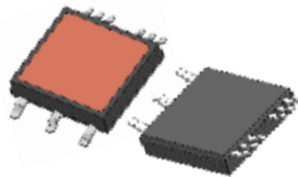
### Configurations

### Target Applications



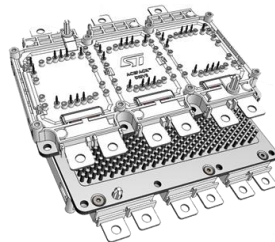
- 100% controlled by ST for silicon (SiC, MOSFET, IGBT and Diodes)
- Compact design and cost-effective system approach for a plug & play system solution
- Configuration flexibility
- 2500Vrms electrical isolation

- CIB
- Six-pack
- Three level Boost
- ....



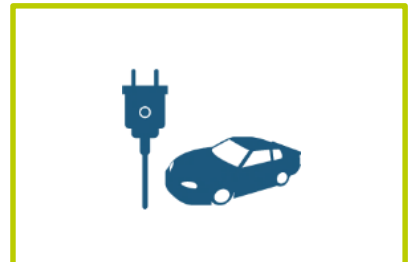
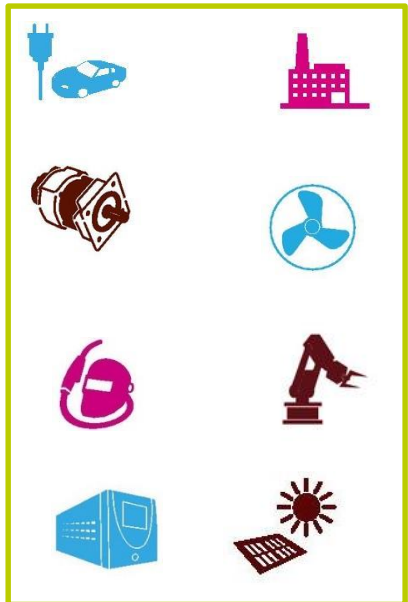
- SMD assembly
- Top side cooling
- Low thermal resistance
- Reduced parasitic inductance and capacitance
- 2500Vrms electrical isolation

- Bridge rectifier
- Half Bridge
- Boost
- ....



- Optimized for 200 kW inverters
- 1200V SiC MOSFET based switch
- Improved light load power losses for extended EV driving ranges
- Extreme low conduction losses
- Short circuit ruggedness
- Direct Cooled Cu Base Plate with pin fins

- Six-pack



# ACEPACK™ 1 & 2



## Features and Benefits

Press FIT and solder pins options,  
configuration flexibility

Up to 1200V breakdown voltage

Integrated screw clamps

All power switches in a module  
including NTC

Several current ratings available

**A**daptable  
**C**ompact  
**E**asier

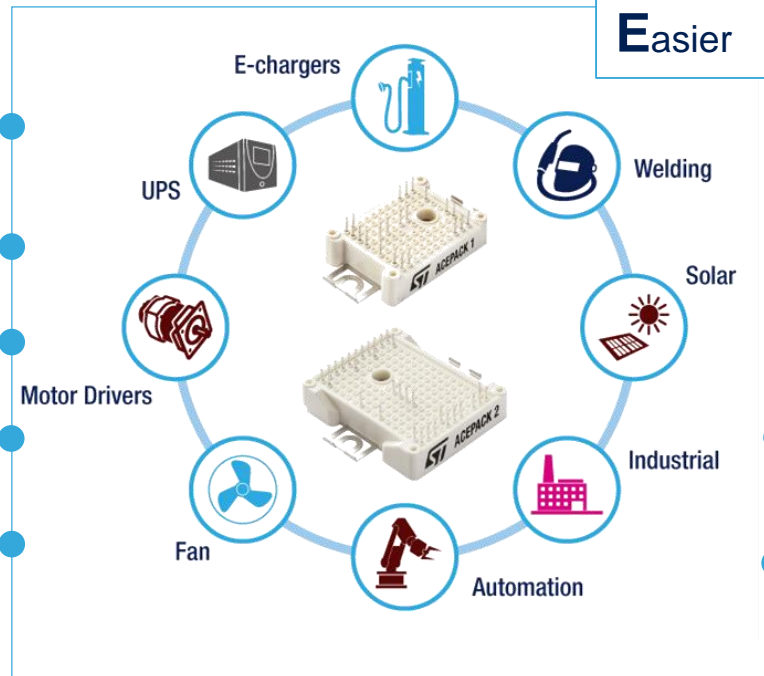
Several configurations (CIB, 6pack ..)  
available and low stray inductance

High reliability and robustness,  
miniaturized power side board  
occupation

Simplified and stable screwing

Compact design and cost-effective  
system approach

Very high power density



# ACEPACK™ SMIT

## Features and Benefits

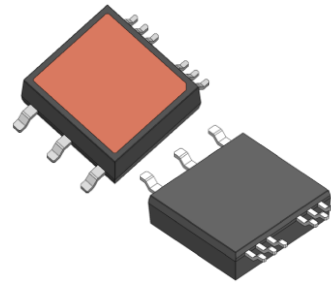
2500Vrms electrical isolation

SMD assembly

Dice chips on *Direct Bond Copper (DBC)* substrate

Reduced parasitic inductance and capacitance

Suitable for several switching technologies



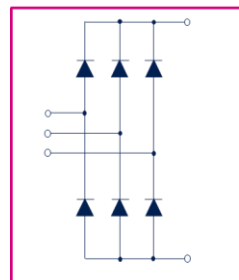
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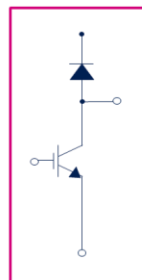
Compact design and cost effective system approach

Very high power density

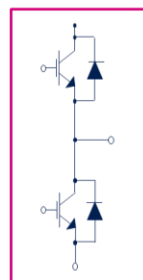
Ideal to realize a complete system



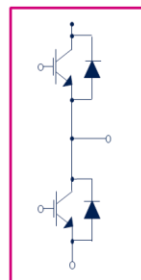
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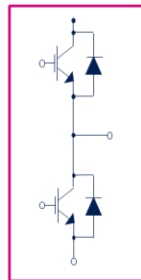
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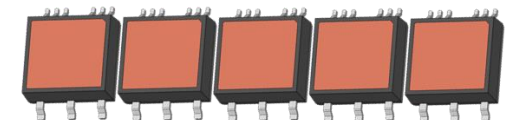
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High level of modularity

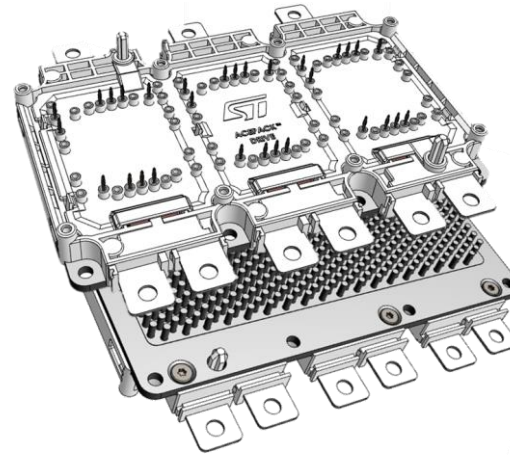
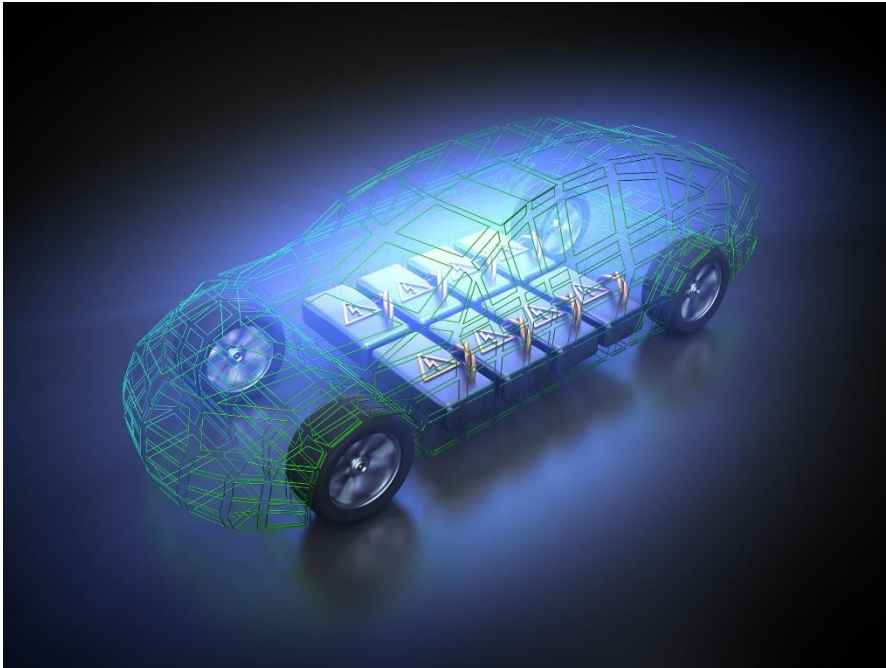




# ACEPACK™ Drive

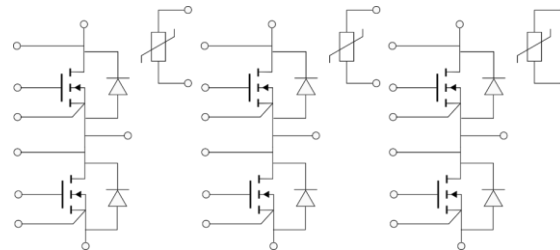
## Compact Solution for Traction Inverter

Very High Power Density with Direct Cooling for EV and HEV



### Main Features & Benefits

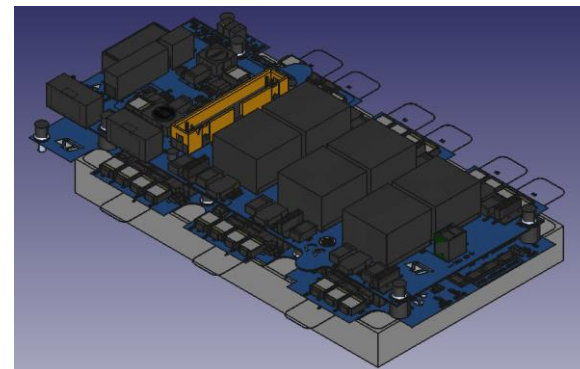
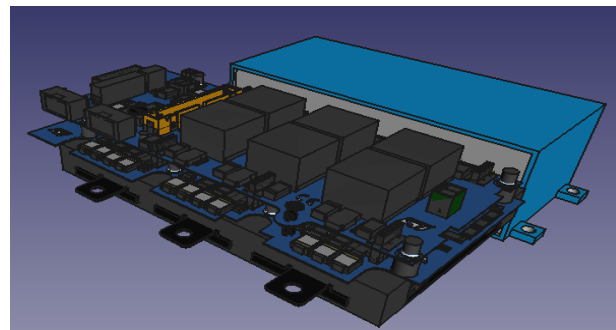
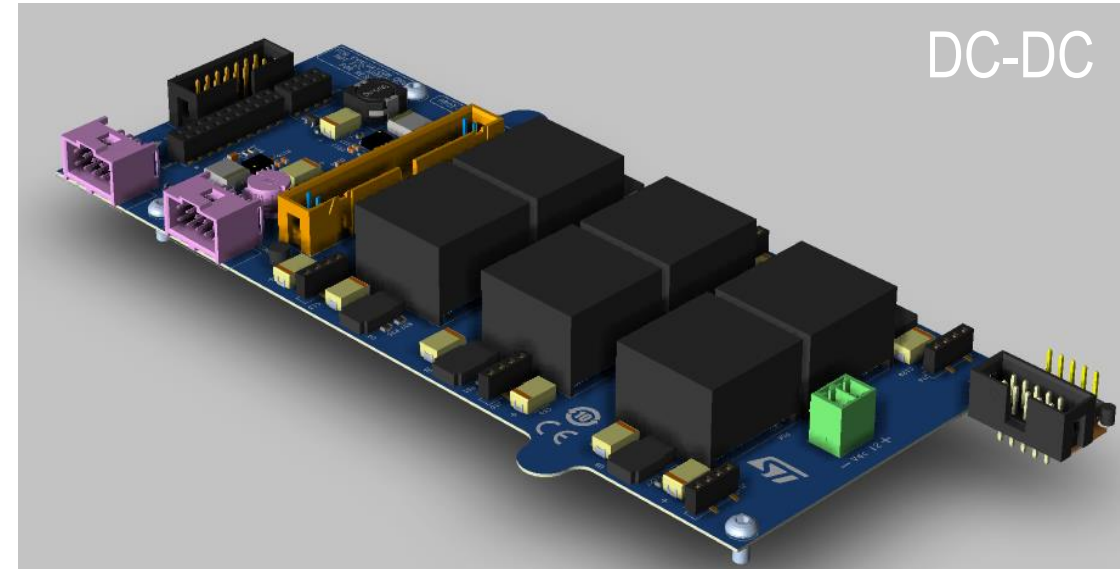
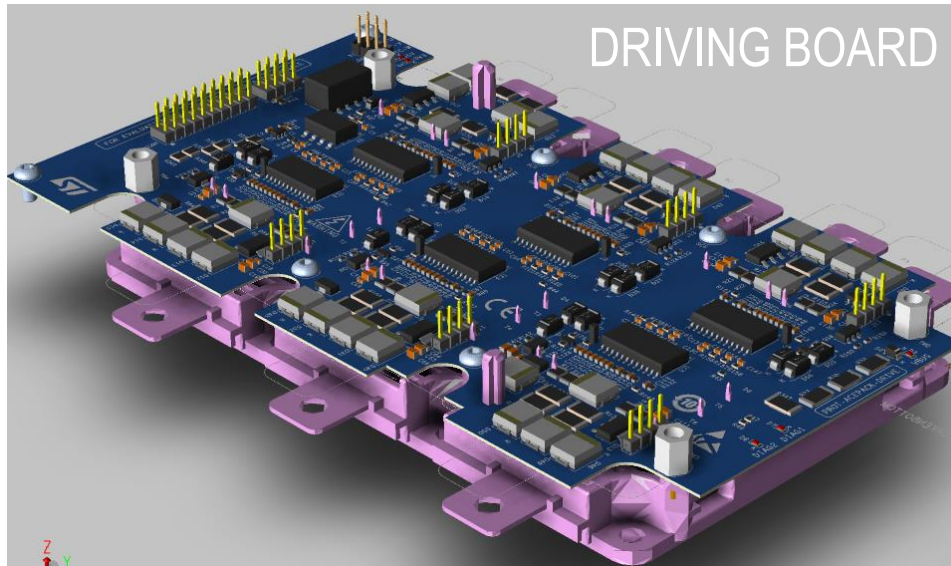
- Large output power range >200 kW
- 750V - 1200V SiC MOSFET based switch
- Improved light load power losses for extended EV driving ranges
- Extremely low conduction losses
- Direct Cooled Copper Base Plate with pin fins



# ACEPACK™ Drive

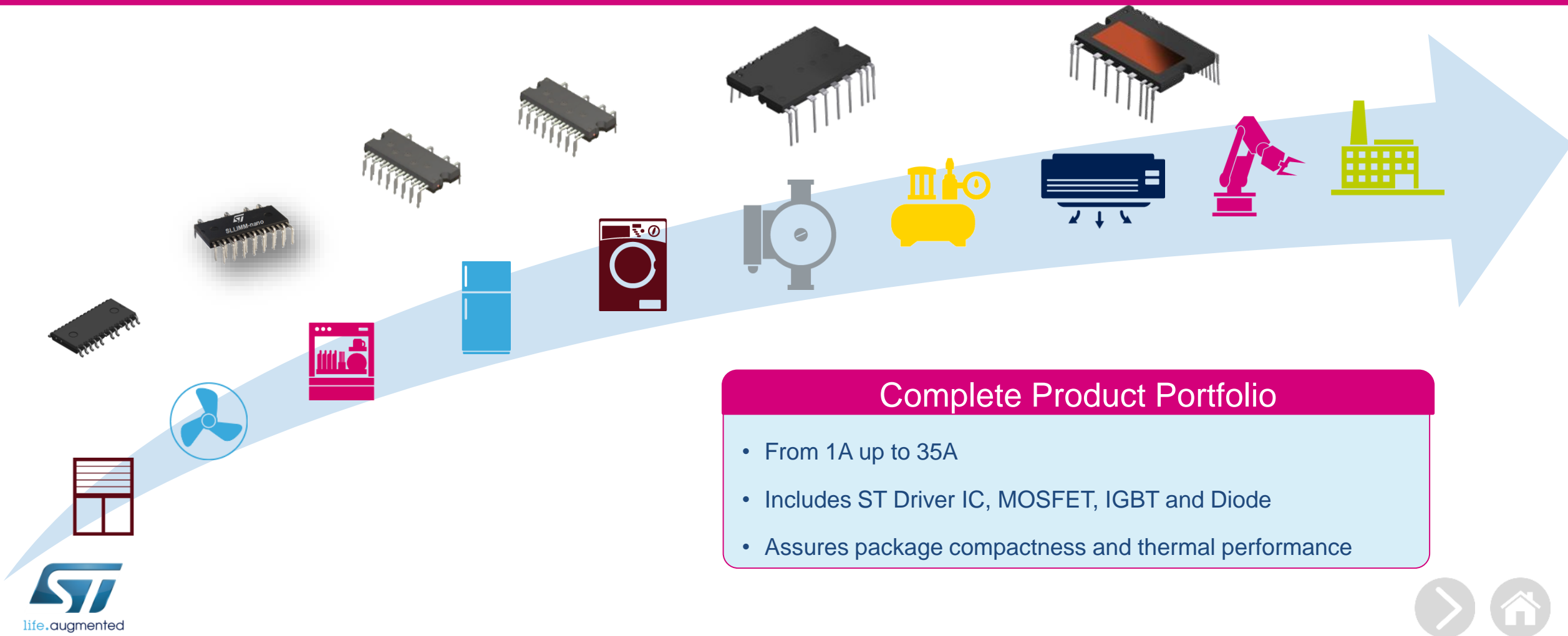
## Evaluation Kit

Very High Power Density with Direct Cooling for EV and HEV



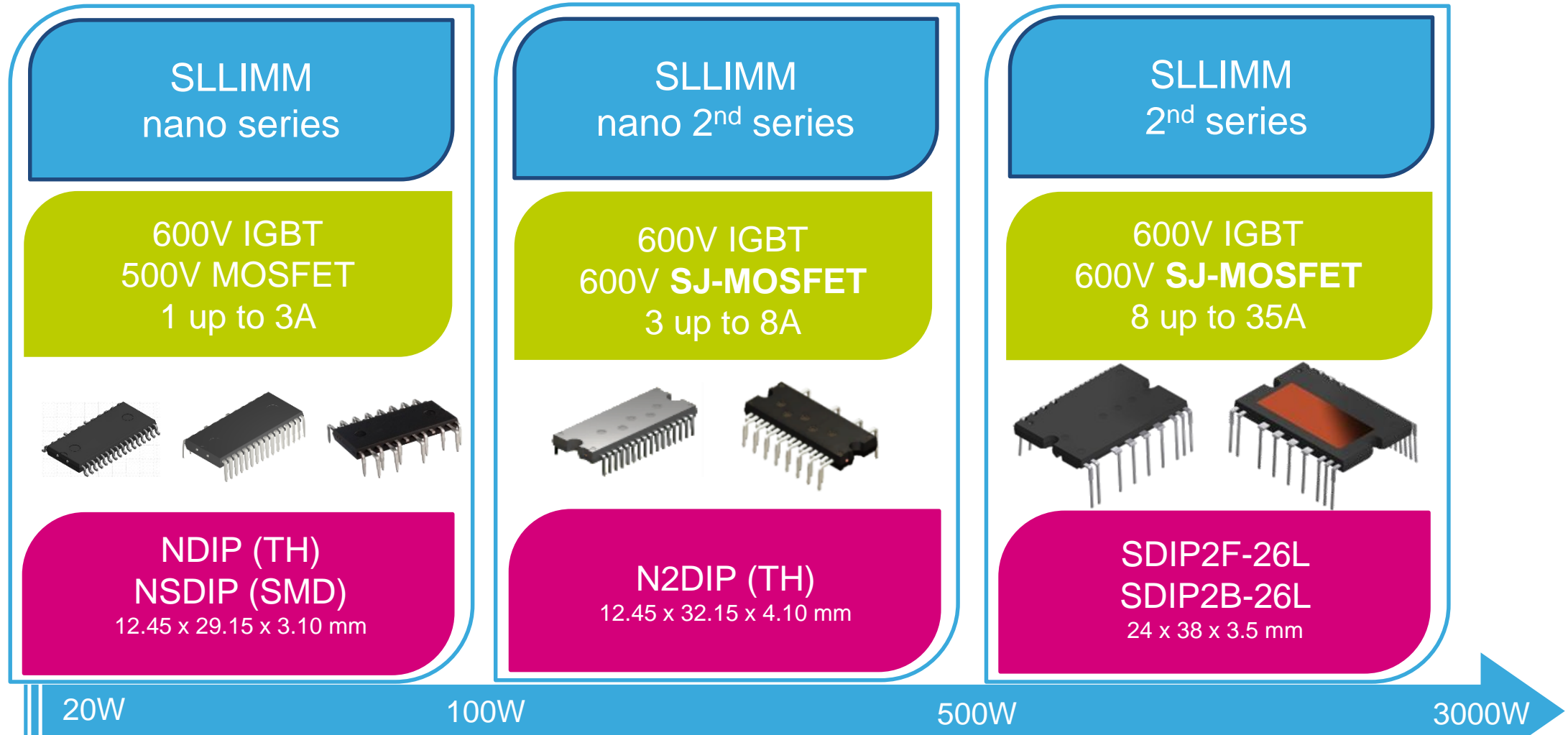
# Intelligent Power Module Portfolio

Wide Current Range Scalability



# IPMs – SLLIMM™ Family

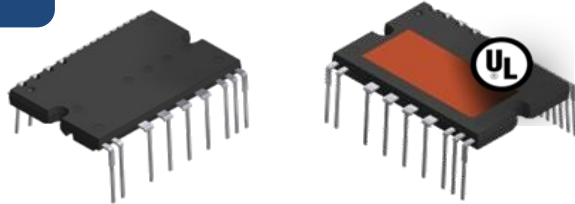
Small Low Loss Intelligent Molded Module






# SLLIMM™ 2<sup>nd</sup> Series

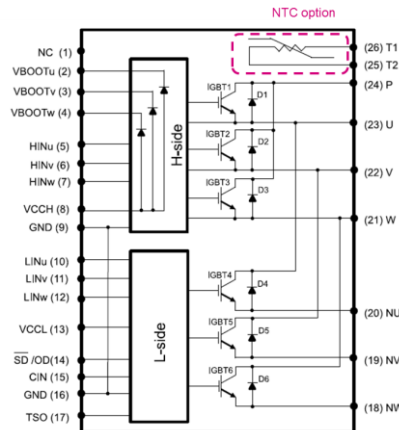
## Product



Switch type	IGBT		SJ MOSFET
Voltage rating	600V		
Current capability	8A, 10A, 15A	12A, 15A, 20A, 25A, 35A	10A, 15A
Package	SDIP2F-26L	 SDIP2B-26L	

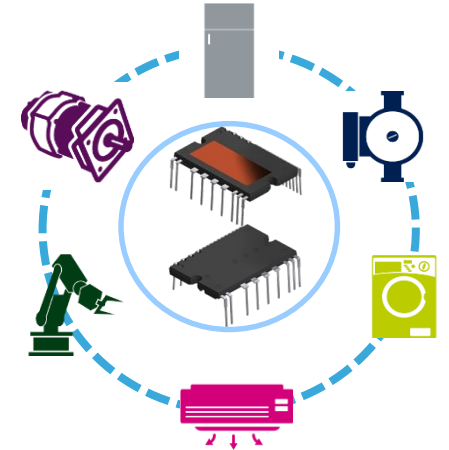
## Features

- TFS IGBT and SJ MOSFET based technologies
- High current scalability
- Full molded and DBC package
- Thermal sensor and NTC thermistor option
- Comparator, UVLO, Shutdown function



## Application

- Washing machines
- Refrigerators
- Air conditioners
- Sewing machines
- Pumps
- Compressor
- Servo motors
- Any inverter system up to 3kW



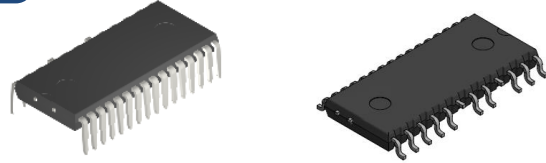
## Benefits

- Improved thermal performances
- Best  $R_{th}$  value in the market
- Temperature monitoring
- Protection embedded inside the power module
- High efficiency at low load applications

1.1 °C/W

# SLLIMM™ Nano Series

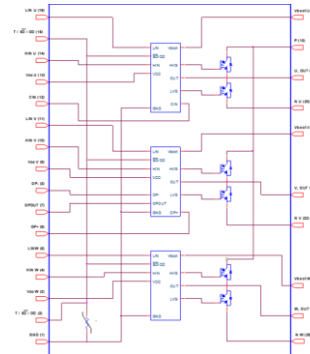
## Product



Switch type	MOSFET	IGBT	MOSFET	IGBT
Voltage rating	500 V	600 V	500 V	600 V
Current capability	1A, 2A	3A	1A, 2A	3A
Package	NDIP (12.45x29.15)		NSDIP (12.45x29.15)	

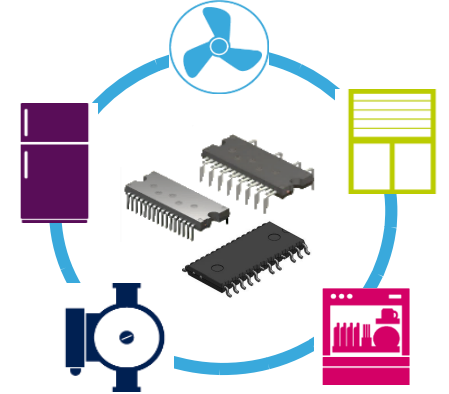
## Features

- IGBT and MOSFET based technologies
- Optimized voltage drop in conduction
- Through-hole (TH) and SMD packages
- In line or zig-zag leads
- NTC thermistor option
- Comparator, UVLO, Interlocking function



## Application

- Small fans
- Roller shutters
- Dish washer
- Compressor
- Pumps
- Refrigerators

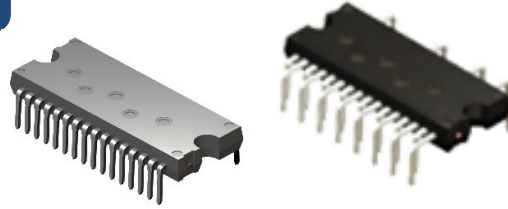


## Benefits

- High flexibility and robustness
- Improved efficiency and reliability
- Package compactness
- Temperature monitoring
- Protection embedded inside the power module

# SLLIMM™ Nano 2<sup>nd</sup> series

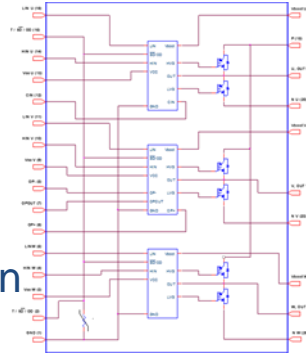
## Product



Switch type	<b>SJ-MOSFET</b>	IGBT(planar, <b>TFS</b> )
Voltage rating	600 V	
Current capability	3A, 5A	3A, <b>5A, 8A</b>
Package	N2DIP (12.45x29.15)	

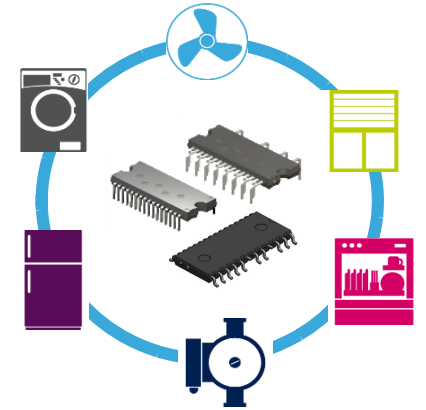
## Features

- TFS IGBT and SJ-MOSFET based technologies
- Optimized voltage drop in conduction
- In line or zig-zag leads w/wo stand-off option
- Slots for heatsink screw
- NTC thermistor option
- Comparator, UVLO, Interlocking function



## Application

- Small fans
- Roller shutters
- Dish washer
- Compressor
- Pumps
- Refrigerators
- Washing machines



## Benefits

- High flexibility, robustness and improved efficiency
- Improved isolation voltage up to 1.5 kVrms/min
- Package compactness and thermal performances
- Temperature monitoring
- Protection embedded inside the power module
- High efficiency at low load applications

# Power Semiconductors for New Energies



SiC Schottky Rectifiers



IGBTs



gapDRIVE™



SiC MOSFETs

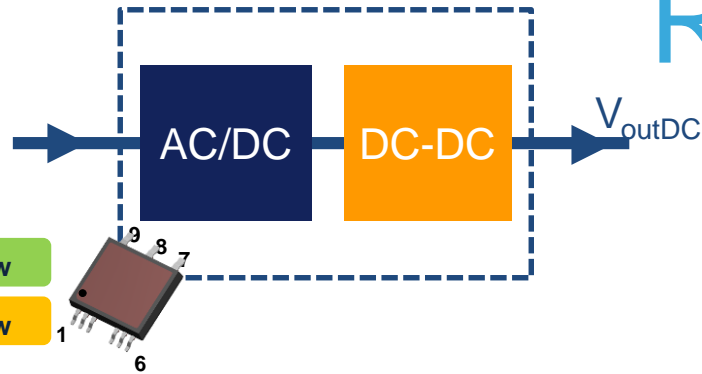


Silicon MOSFETs



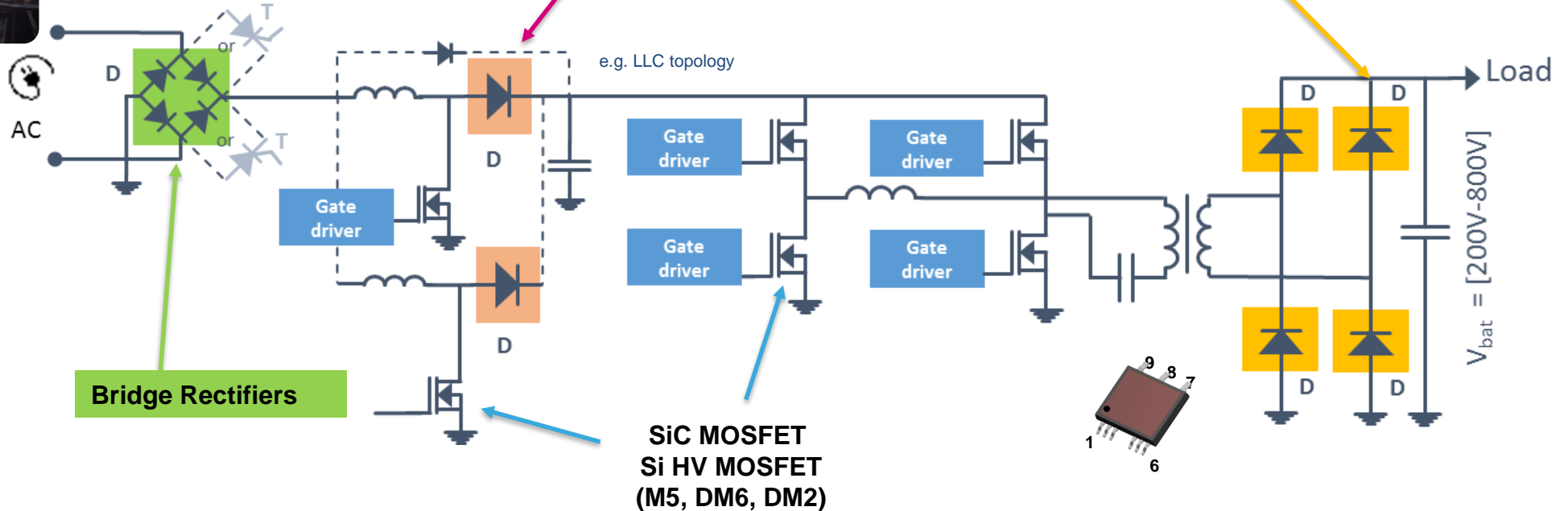
# Rectification On Board Charger

Bridge and Bridgeless



Soft Start ICL

Thyristors  
TVS



SiC Diodes



SiC Diodes

Rapid Quiet Rectifiers

SiC MOSFET  
Si HV MOSFET  
(M5, DM6, DM2)



# High-Voltage Power MOSFET

## Superjunction Technology

### Breakdown Voltage

600V

650V

800V – 1700V

### MDmesh series

**M2**

**M6**

**DM2**

**DM6**

**M5**

**DM2**

**DM6**

**K5**

### Focus Applications

Flyback, PFC/LLC resonant converter –  
Charger adapters Led lighting

Flyback, PFC/LLC high efficiency resonant converter –  
Charger adapters

Half/full bridge topologies, ZVS, LLC  
Solar, Server, Telecom SMPS

Half/full bridge ZVS, LLC high efficiency topologies  
Solar, Server, Telecom SMPS

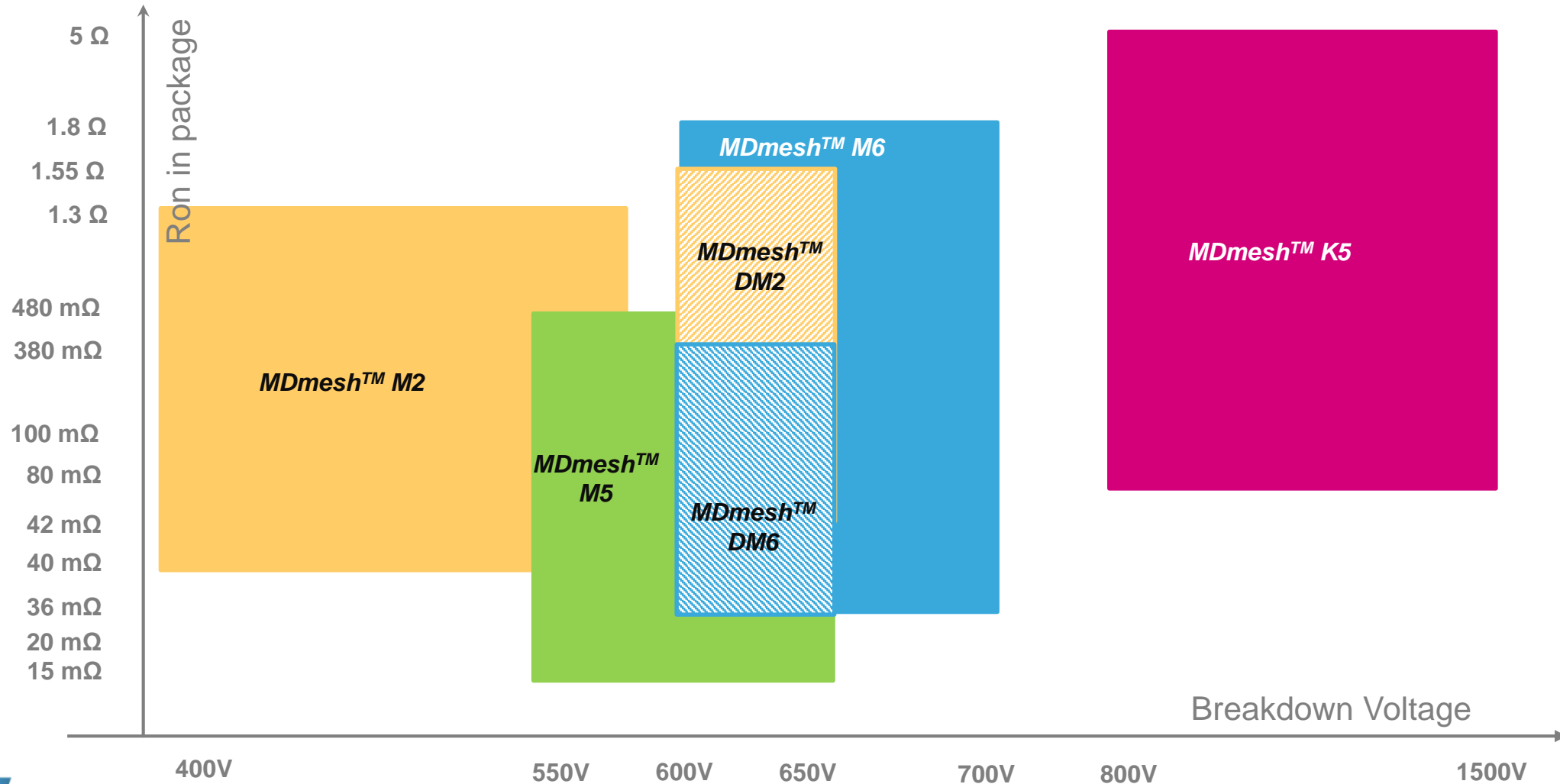
Hi-end-power PFC and hard switching topologies  
Solar, Server, Telecom SMPS

Half/full bridge topologies, ZVS, LLC  
High power level  
Solar, Server, Telecom SMPS

Half/full bridge ZVS, LLC high efficiency topologies  
High power level  
Solar, Server, Telecom SMPS

Flyback topology LED driver, LED lighting, auxiliary SMPS

# High-Voltage MOSFET Series



# MDmesh™ Technology Overview

## High-Voltage MOSFETs

### MDmesh™ M5 (550V ÷ 650V)

Permits reduction of switching losses and targets higher power density

- Enabler for High-Power PFC

### MDmesh™ K5 (800V ÷ 1700V)

Allows operation over very-high voltage range

- Enablers for High Efficiency

### MDmesh™ M2/DM2 (600V ÷ 700V)

Optimized switching characteristics with very low turn-off switching losses, suitable for most high-frequency converters

- Enabler for FlyBack

### MDmesh™ M6/DM6 (600V ÷ 700V)

Allows higher levels of efficiency (Platinum, Titanium)  
Due to its ideal performance – Saves Energy to achieve climate goals

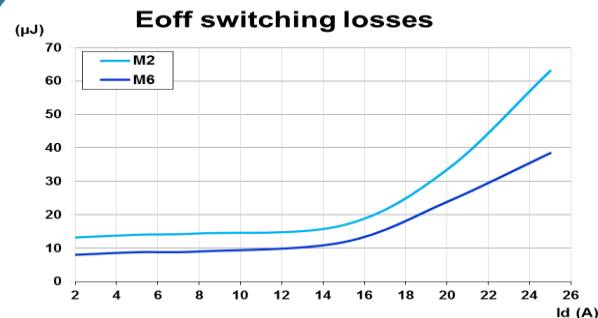
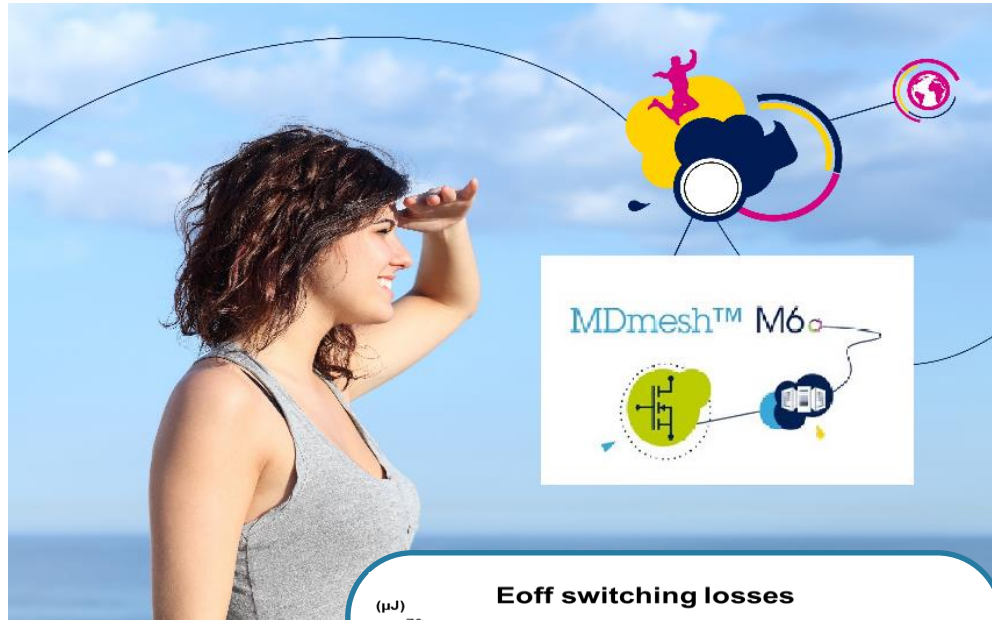
- Enablers for Converters



# MDmesh™ M6:

## New Super-Junction MOSFET Family

600V - 650V - 700V MDmesh™ M6: Advance in high-efficiency topologies



### The ideal switch to boost efficiency

- **Latest** HV MOSFET (600V - 650V - 700V) series
- **Targeted** for ZVS & LLC Bridge topologies
- **Improved** Efficiency at light load conditions



Power  
Management



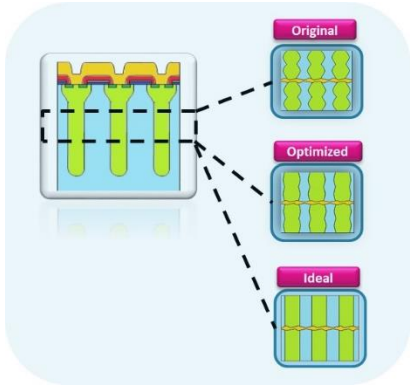
Telecom  
Power



Solar

# MDmesh™ M6:

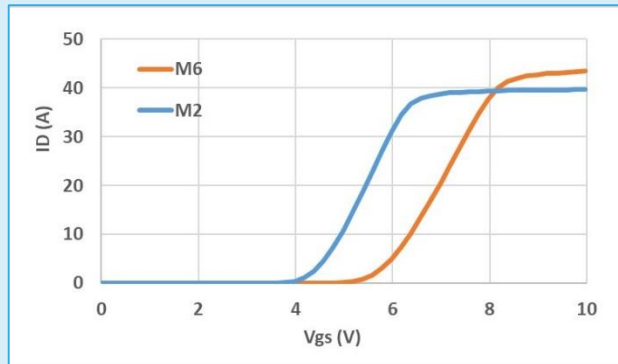
## Technology Features for Resonant Converters



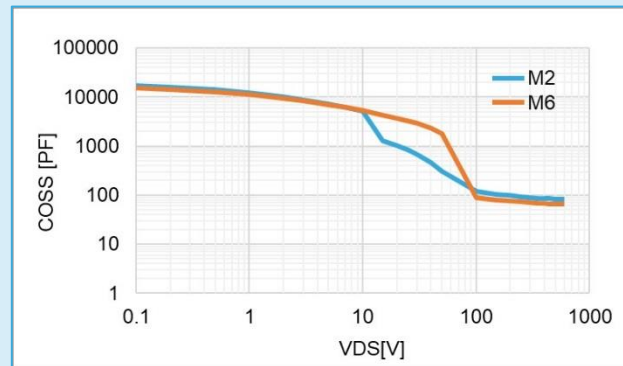
- New diffusion process and the optimization of MDmesh™ M2
- Thermal SPICE model also available on web
- Optimized diffusion process to enhance resonant converter performance



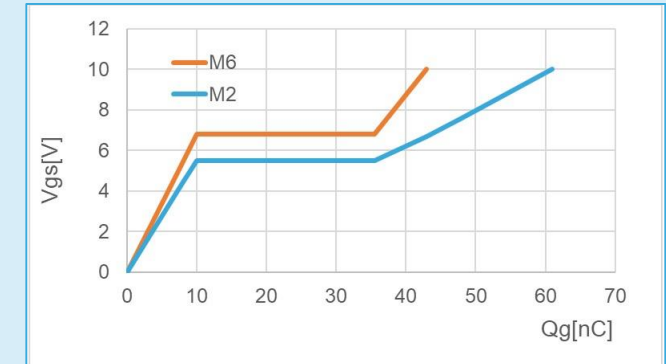
### Optimized threshold voltage



### Optimized Coss



### Low gate charge



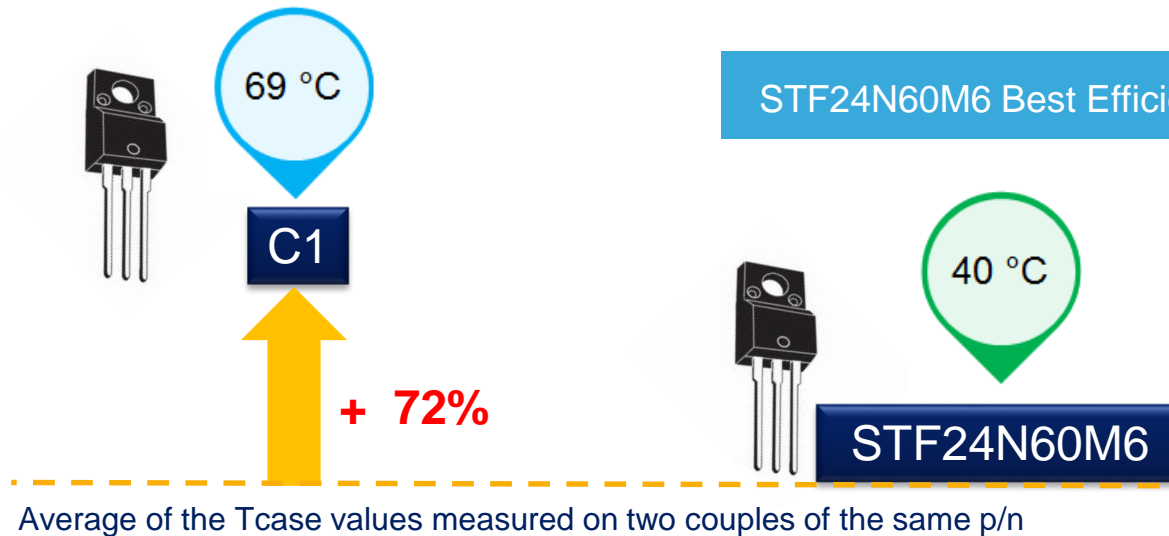
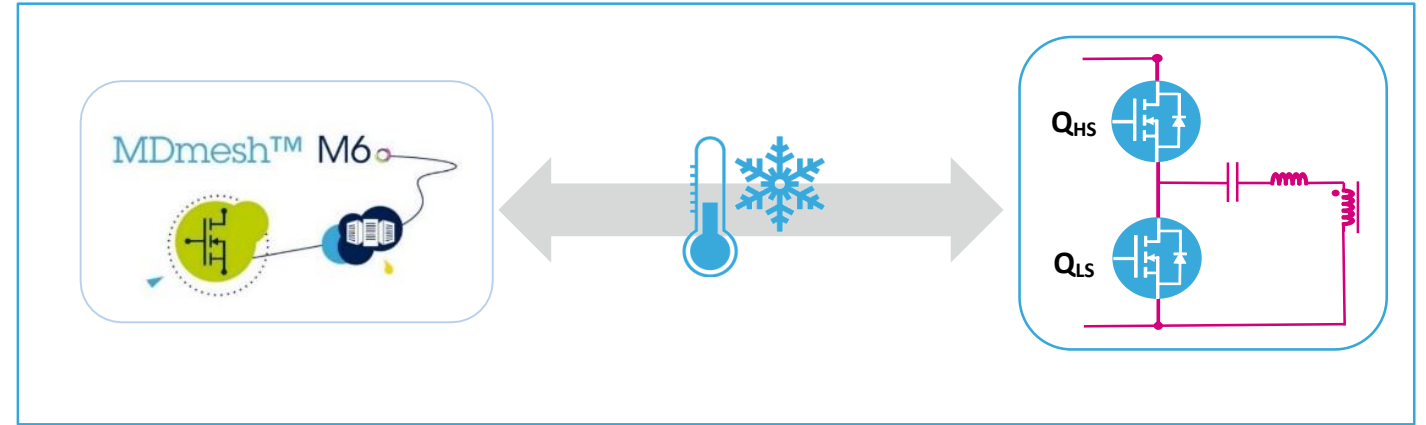
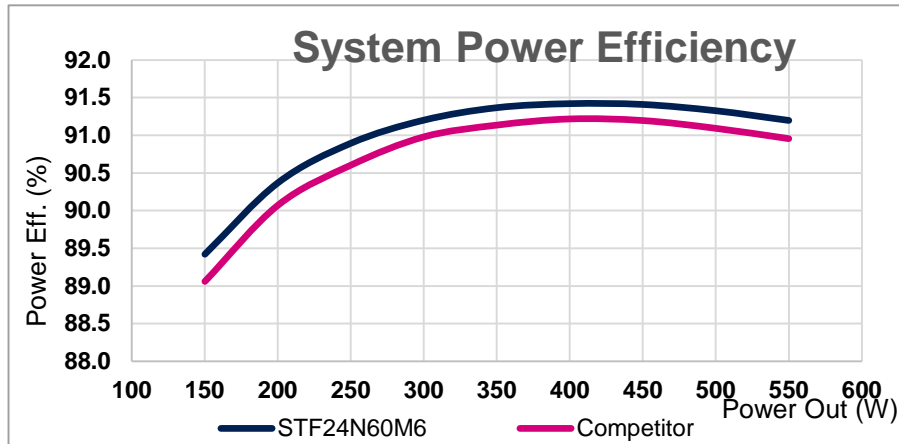
### Reduced switching losses

### Increase Power Efficiency at light load

### High-frequency operation

# MDmesh™ M6:

## Advantages in Resonant Topologies



	STF24N60M6	C1
Parameters		
* BV <sub>dss</sub> min (V)	600	600
* R <sub>DS(on)</sub> max (mΩ)	190	180
* V <sub>GS(th)</sub> typ (V)	4	3.5

\* Datasheet values

Already on WEB

# 600 to 700V MDmesh™ M6

## High-voltage, SJ MOSFETs

### To boost the efficiency



#### MDMESH™ M6 SERIES

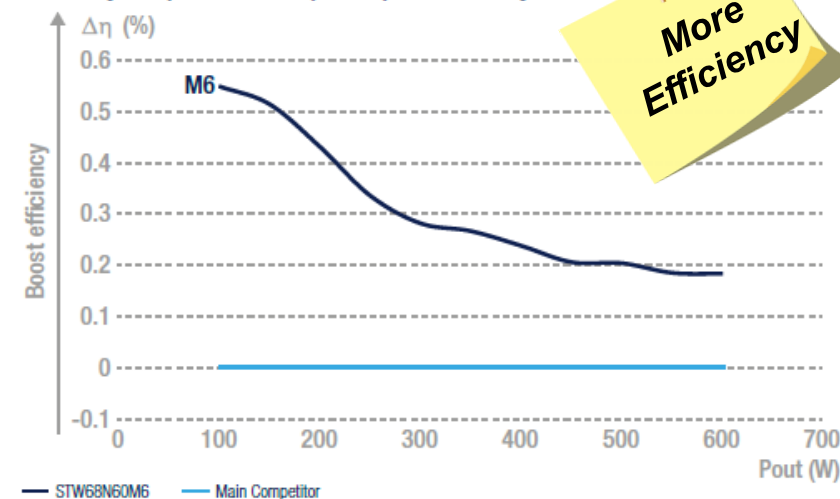
600V – 650V – 700V BVDss rated

ST's latest super-junction technology optimized for resonant topologies. With a breakdown voltage ranging from 600 to 700 V, MDmesh™ M6 MOSFETs are available in a wide range of package options including a TO-Leadless (TOLL) package solution, allowing efficient thermal management.

# MDmesh™ M6

## Promotion

Efficiency test performed in open loop 700 W LLC system



MDmesh™ M6 technology offers improved PFC and LLC efficiency especially at light load conditions for increased power density

PORTFOLIO available  
on your mobile



To explore the complete MDmesh™ M6 product portfolio, visit [www.st.com](http://www.st.com) or use our ST-MOSFET-Finder mobile app for Android and iOS





# 600V & 650V IGBTs Series

## in Trench Gate Field Stop

Higher performances in home appliances as well as high frequency converter



- ✓ Best Trade-off Static-Dynamic Characteristics
- ✓ Max junction temperature of 175°C
- ✓ Tail-less switching off waveforms
- ✓ Very fast freewheeling diode for very low  $E_{on}$

Breakdown Voltage

600V	650V
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Current

5 to 20 A	20 to 80 A	4 to 200 A	20 to 80 A	40 A	40 A, 50 A
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Switching frequency

8 to 30 kHz	50 to 100 kHz	2 to 20 kHz	16 to 60 kHz
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IGBT series

H	V	M	HB	HB2 *	IH *
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Focus Applications

Home appliances (fans, pumps, washing machines and dryers)	Welding, high frequency converters, PFC, solar, UPS, charger	Industrial motor control, automotive traction inverter, GPI, Air-Con	High frequency converters, PFC, solar, UPS, charger, welding and induction heating	Induction heating and soft switching
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\* Enlargement in development

# ≥1200V IGBTs Series

## in Trench Gate Field Stop

For rugged, efficient and reliable industrial power drives and more



- ✓ Best trade-off Static-Dynamic Characteristics
- ✓ Max junction temperature ( $T_j$  max) of 175°C
- ✓ From 2 up to 100 kHz
- ✓ Very fast freewheeling diode option

Breakdown Voltage

1200V

1250V

Current

15 to 75 A

8 to 75 A

15 to 40 A

20 A, 30 A

Switching frequency

Up to 8 kHz

2 to 20 kHz

20 to 100 kHz

16 to 60 kHz

IGBT series

S

M

H

IH

Focus Applications

Industrial motor control, GPI,  
Air-Con

PFC,  
welding, high  
frequency  
converters,  
solar, UPS,  
charger

Induction  
heating,  
microwave  
and soft  
switching



# STripFET™ F7

## 40-100V Power MOSFET Technology

### Key Characteristics

- Among the best RDS(on) in the market
- Minimal RDS(on) x Qg (FoM)
- Low input capacitances
- Optimized Crss/Ciss capacitance ratio
- High avalanche ruggedness
- Low intrinsic diode recovery charge

### Features

- Extremely Low Rds(on)
- Optimized body diode (low Qrr)
- Intrinsic capacitances (Optimal capacitance Crss/Ciss ratio)
- ST provides several package solutions, including PowerFLAT 5x6 and H<sup>2</sup>PAK

### Application

- Power Tools
- Fork Lifts
- Electric Light Transportation
- TELECOM and SERVER
- SMPS
- Adapter/Battery Charger
- UPS
- Solar Inverter
- Lighting/Display

### Benefits

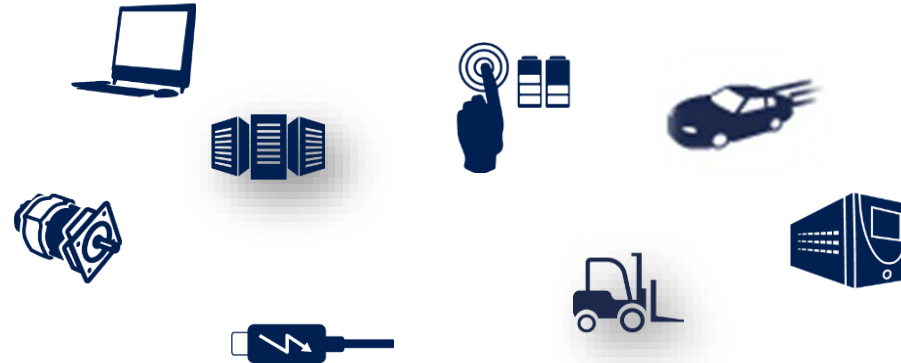
- Low conduction losses
- Excellent switching performance (higher efficiency)
- No EMI issue
- A more complete solution provided to the customer

# STripFET™ F8

30-150V Power MOSFET for High End > 500KHz

## Applications

- Power Tools
- Fork Lifts
- Electric Light Transportation
- Telecom and Servers



- SMPS
- Adapter/Battery Charger
- UPS
- Solar Inverter
- Lighting/Display

## Features

- Lower  $R_{DS(on)}$  x Area (-40% Vs. F7)
- Extremely Low  $Q_g/Q_{gd}$
- $Q_{rr}$  & Soft switching F7 like
- Extremely low thermal resistance

## Benefits

- Reduced conduction power losses
- Reduced switching losses and passive sizes
- Reduced noise immunity
- Improved current capability and power dissipation
- Low EMI & turn on losses
- Extended package offer to enhance silicon performance

# 650V-1200V G2 SiC Rectifiers for EV

SiC 650V G2 and 1200V Technology: using JBS (Junction-Barrier Schottky)



Soft switching behavior



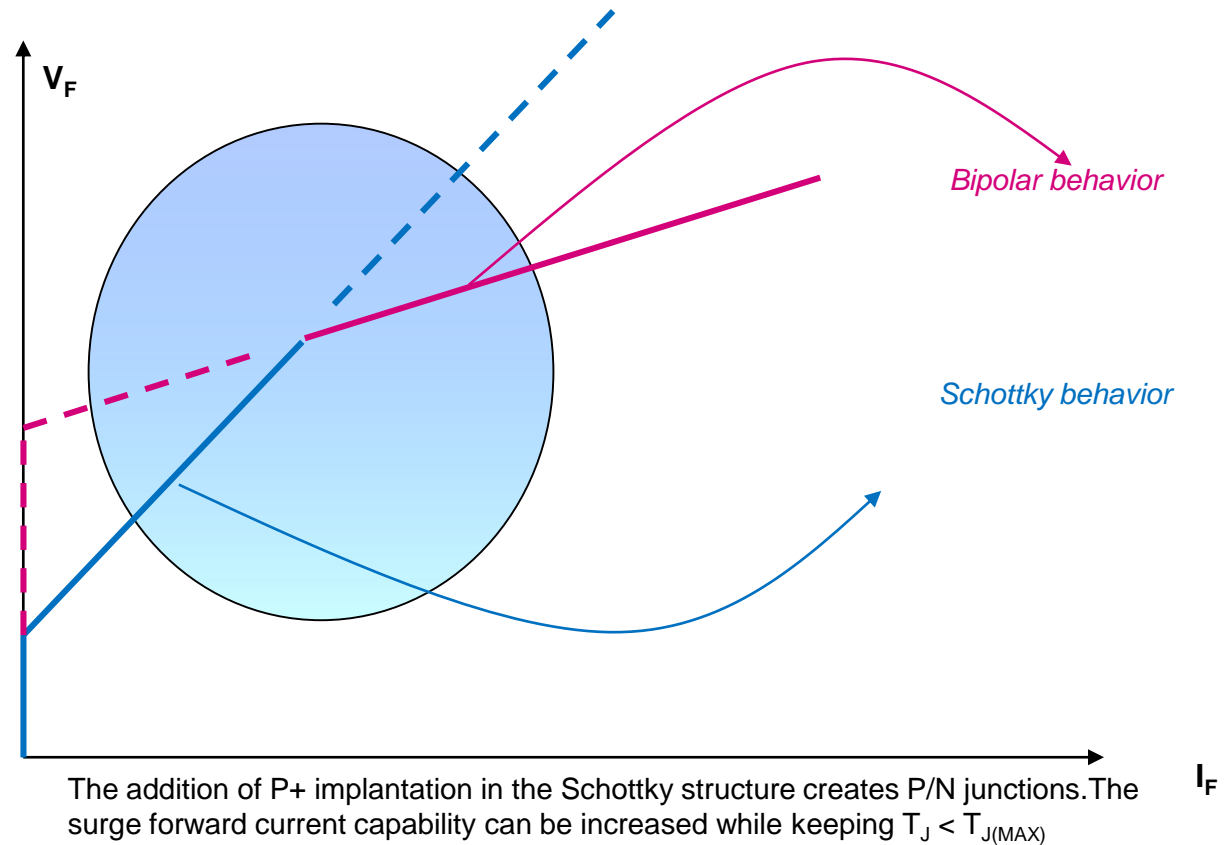
Low forward conduction losses  
Low switching losses



High forward surge capability

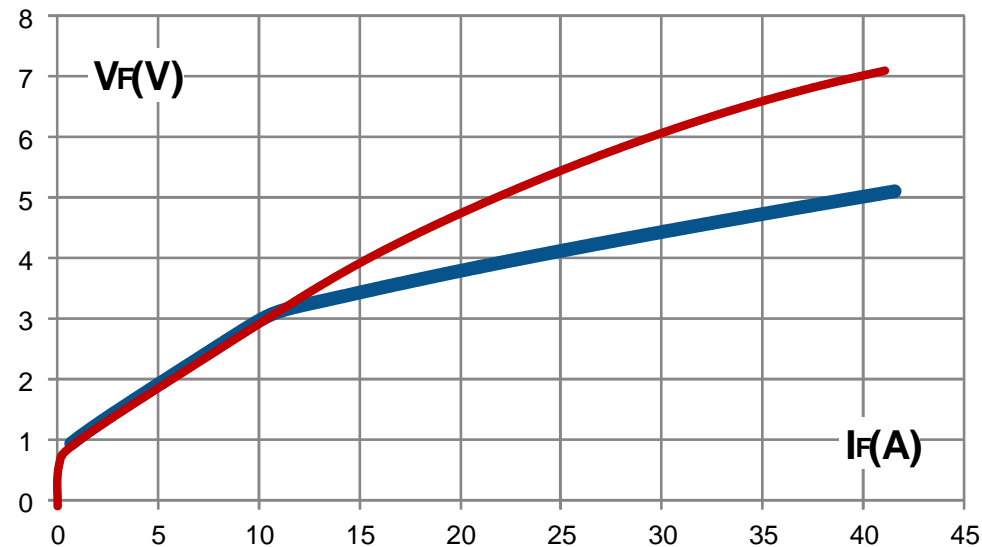


High power integration



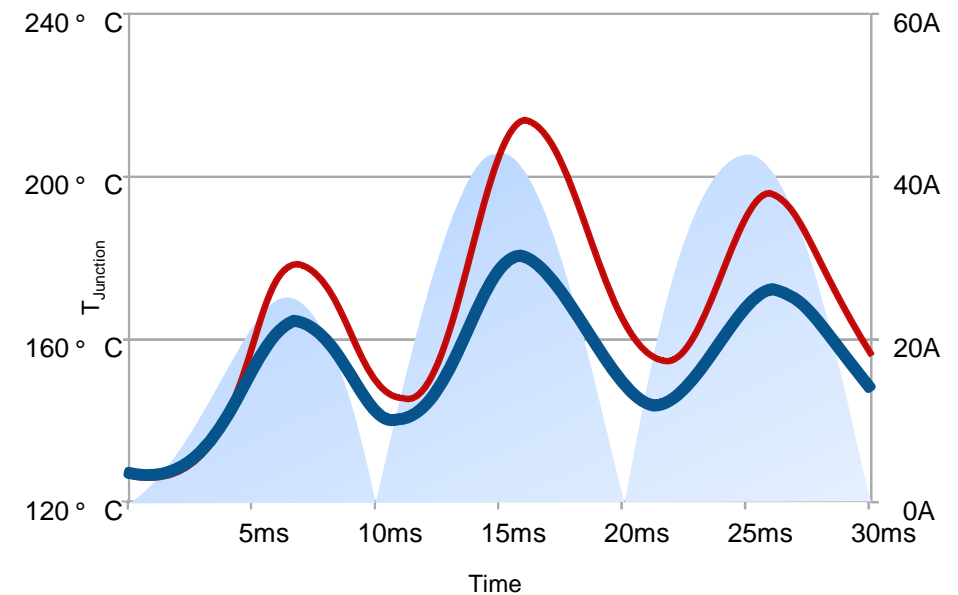
# 650V-1200V G2 SiC

Superior performances vs competition



## SUPERIOR FORWARD SURGE CAPABILITY

More efficient clamping effect vs. best Competitor



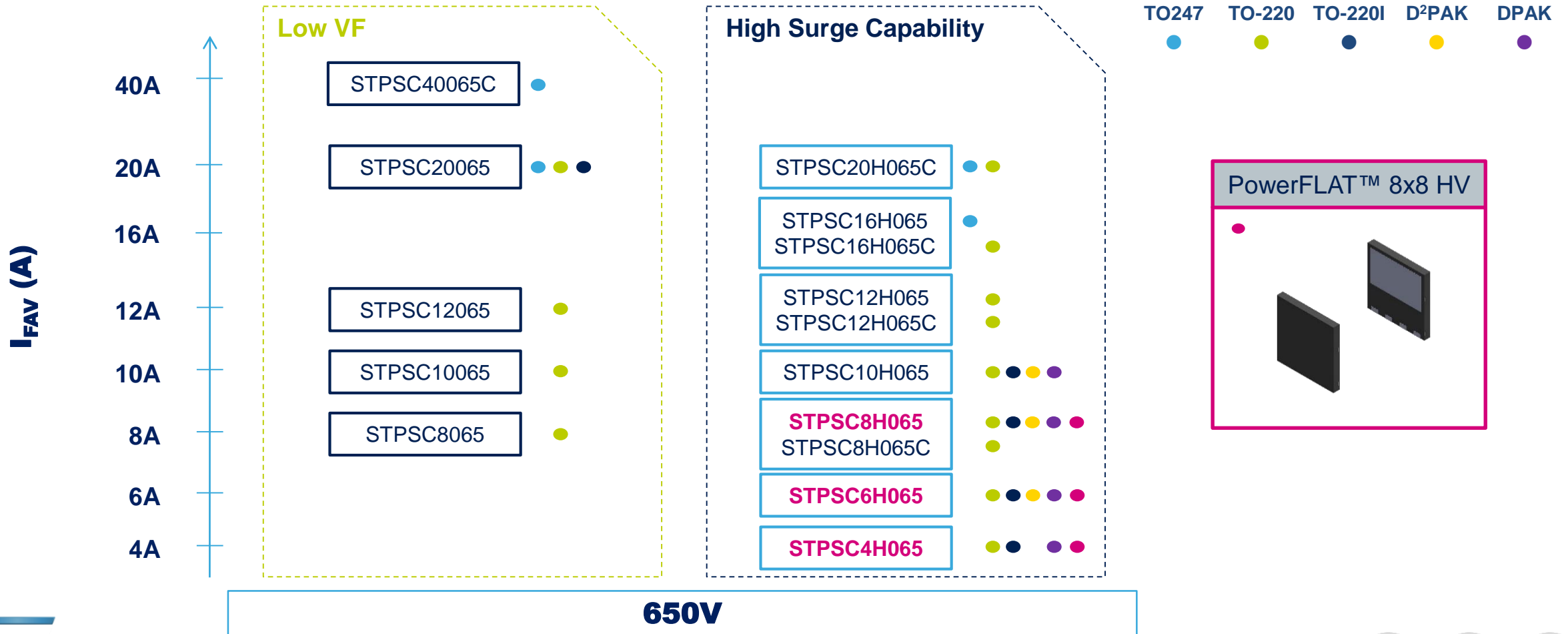
## SMALLER TEMPERATURE SWING

Better clamping effect and lower  $V_F$  reduces the  $T_{junction}$  during transient phases in the application.



# 650V SiC Diode Portfolio

## Extend Package Portfolio with Flat Package



# AG Thyristors for EV Charging

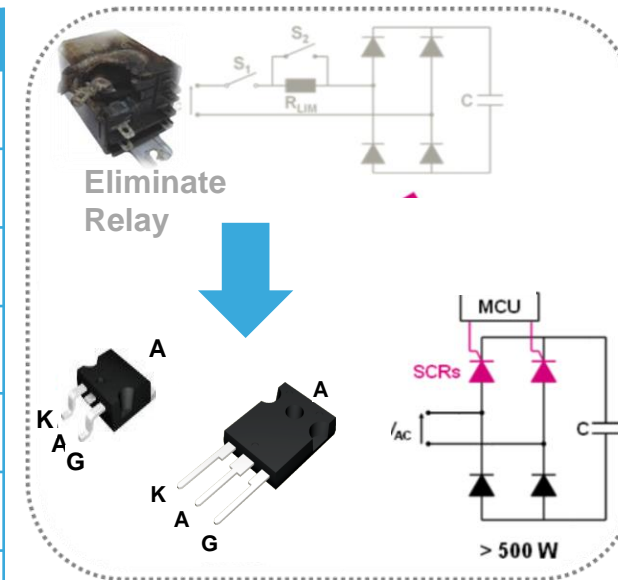
## In-rush current limiting SCR for OBC



### Design Value

- AEC-Q101 PPAP Available on request
- High switching life expectancy
- Enable systems to resist 6kV surge
- High speed power up / line drop recovery

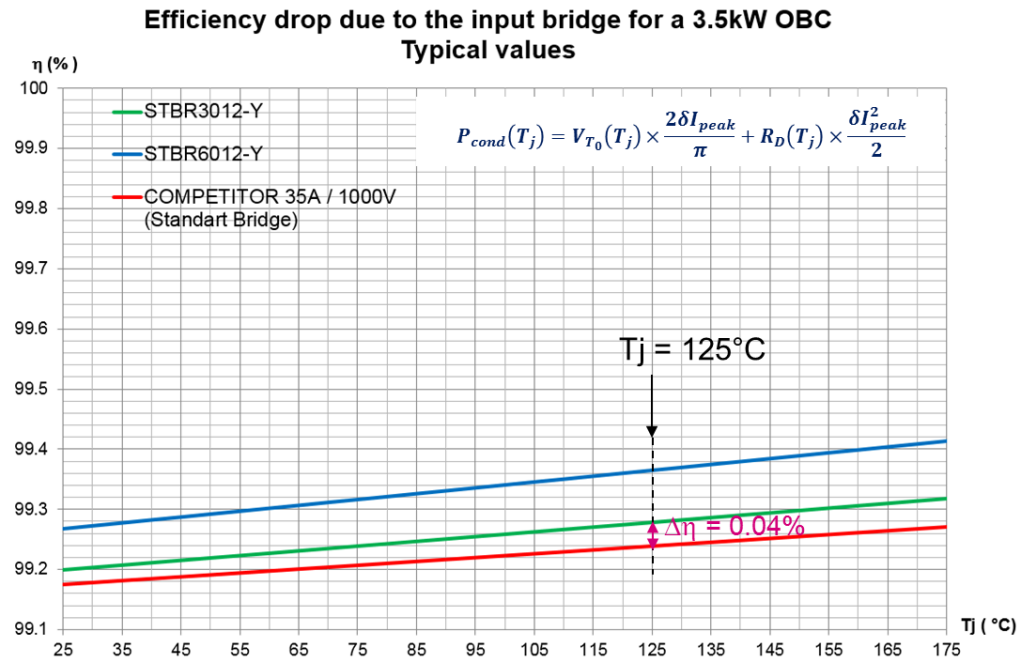
Features	TN5050H	TN3050H
$V_{\text{DRM}} / V_{\text{RRM}}$	1,200V over $T_J$ range	
Max $T_J$	-40°C to +150°C	
$V_{\text{DSM}} / V_{\text{RSM}}$	1300V	1400V
$I_{\text{TRMS}} (T_C=125^\circ\text{C})$	80A	30A
$I_{\text{TSM}} (10\text{ms}, 25^\circ\text{C})$	580A	300A
$V_{\text{TO}} (150^\circ\text{C})$	0.88V	0.88V
$R_D (150^\circ\text{C})$	6 m $\Omega$	14 m $\Omega$
$I_{\text{GT}} (25^\circ\text{C})$	10 to 50 mA	10 to 50 mA
$dV/dt (800\text{V}-150^\circ\text{C})$	1 kV/ $\mu\text{s}$	



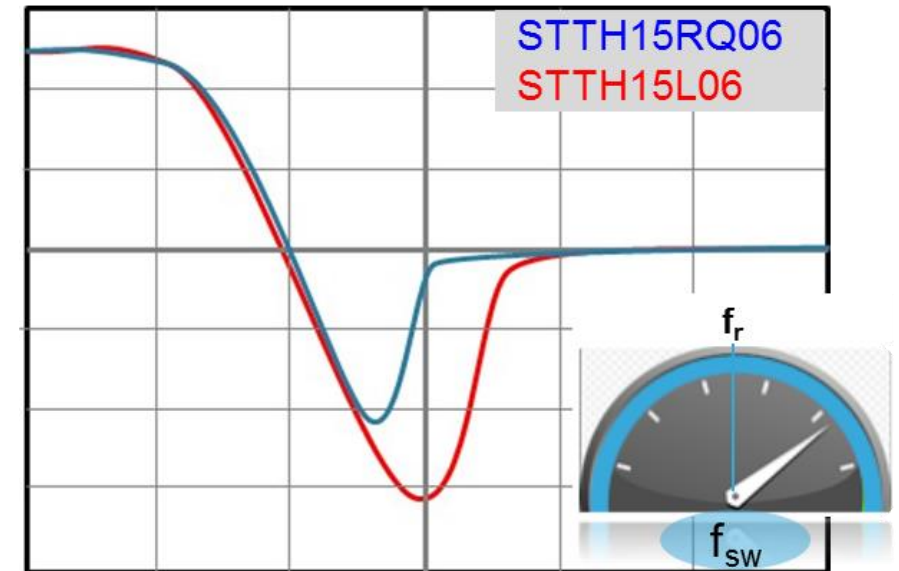
A smart way to turn on your system

# ST Fast Rectifier for EV Charging

ST Rectifiers for Input Bridge & Output Resonant



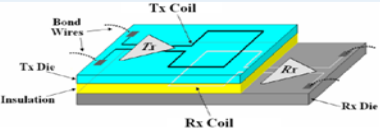
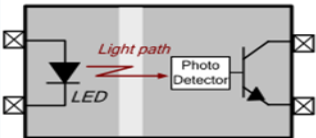
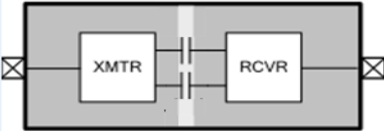
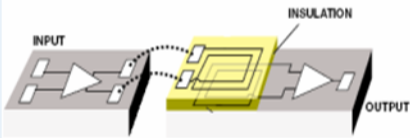
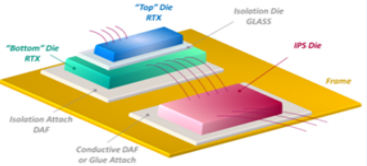
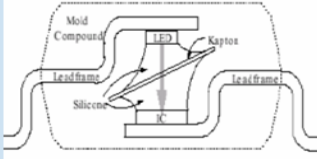
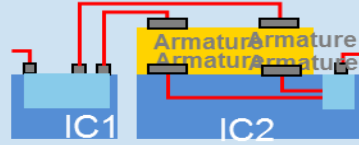
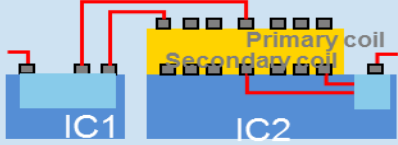
STBR: Lower  $V_F$  / Lower drop



STRQ:  $Q_{RR}$  better by factor of 2 and Soft switching

# Existing Isolation Technologies

## Isolation technologies

Polymeric/Ceramic Isolation		Thick Oxide Isolation	
Isolation: film of <b>polymer</b> (or other dielectric such as DAF, glass). Custom assembly process required.		Isolation: <b>Silicon Oxide</b> grown on top of active silicon area (standard silicon IC technologies)	
<b>RF Couplers</b> 	<b>Optocouplers</b> 	<b>capacitive coupling</b> 	<b>magnetic coupling</b> 
			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good <b>parametric stability</b> over time</li> <li>• <b>Good CMTI immunity</b></li> <li>• <b>Limited communication speed</b></li> <li>• <b>Assembly complexity</b></li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good <b>parametric stability</b> over time</li> <li>• <b>Limited CMTI immunity</b></li> <li>• <b>Sensitive to electric fields</b></li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dielectric <b>ageing: parametric instability</b> over time</li> <li>• <b>Limited CMTI immunity</b></li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good <b>parametric stability</b> over time</li> <li>• <b>Very good CMTI immunity</b></li> <li>• <b>Good immunity to magnetic and electric fields</b></li> </ul>	

# gapDRIVE™: Galvanically Isolated Gate Driver

## Galvanically Isolated Gate Driver technology

- Automotive (Hybrid\Electric Vehicles)

- Motor Control
- DC/DC Converters
- Battery Chargers



- Industrial

- 600/1200V Inverters
- Automation, Motion Control
- Welding



- Power Conversion

- Solar Inverters
- UPS Systems
- AC/DC, DC/DC Converters
- Windmills



- Home/Consumer

- Induction Cooking
- White goods

The STGAP1S *galvanically isolated* gate driver features advanced **controls**, **protection** and **diagnostics**.

- **CONTROL:** A SPI interface to enable, disable and configure several features → Optimize your driving conditions.
- **PROTECTION:** Several features to manage anomalous conditions (OCP, DESAT, 2LTO, VCE\_Clamp) and to prevent them (UVLO, OVLO, ASC, MillerCLAMP)
- **DIAGNOSTIC:** The SPI interface allows access to registers containing information about the status of the device.

### Main Applications

#### Industrial Drive



#### EV / HEV



# STGAP1S – Main Features

## Galvanically Isolated Gate Driver technology

### AEC-Q100 grade 1

Wide operating range (-40°C -125°C)



#### SPI Interface

Parameters programming and diagnostics  
Daisy chaining possibility



#### Advanced features

5A Active Miller clamp, Desaturation,  
2-level turn-off, VCEClamp, ASC



#### Short propagation delay

(100 ns typ.; 130 ns max over temperature)

5A sink/source current



#### Fully protected – System safety

UVLO, OVLO, Over-Current, INFilter,  
Thermal Warning and Shut-Down



#### High Voltage Rail up to 1.5 kV

Positive drive voltage up to 36V  
Negative Gate drive ability (-10V)





# STGAP1S Isolation Characteristics

Conforms with IEC60664-1, IEC60747-5-2 and UL1577 standards

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Characteristic	Unit
Maximum Working isolation Voltage	$V_{IORM}$		1500	$V_{PEAK}$
Input to Output test voltage	$V_{PR}$	Method a, Type and sample test $V_{PR} = V_{IORM} \times 1.6$ , $t_m = 10$ s Partial discharge < 5 pC	2400	$V_{PEAK}$
		Method b, 100% Production test $V_{PR} = V_{IORM} \times 1.875$ , $t_m = 1$ s Partial discharge < 5 pC	2815	$V_{PEAK}$
Transient Overvoltage	$V_{IOTM}$	Type test; $t_{ini} = 60$ s	4000	$V_{PEAK}$
Maximum Surge isolation Voltage	$V_{IOSM}$	Type test;	4000	$V_{PEAK}$
Isolation Resistance	$R_{IO}$	$V_{IO} = 500V$ at $T_S$	$> 10^9$	$\Omega$
Isolation Withstand Voltage	$V_{ISO}$	1 min. (type test)	2500\3536	$V_{rms} \setminus PEAK$
Isolation Test Voltage	$V_{ISO, test}$	1 sec. (100% production)	3000\4242	$V_{rms} \setminus PEAK$
Parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit	Conditions
Creepage (Minimum External Tracking)	CPG	8	mm	Measured from input terminals to output terminals, shortest distance path along body
Comparative Tracking Index (Tracking Resistance)	CTI	$\geq 400$		DIN IEC 112/VDE 0303 Part 1
Isolation group		II		Material Group (DIN VDE 0110, 1/89, Table1)

# 650V & 1200V SiC MOSFETs

## The real boost for efficient designs

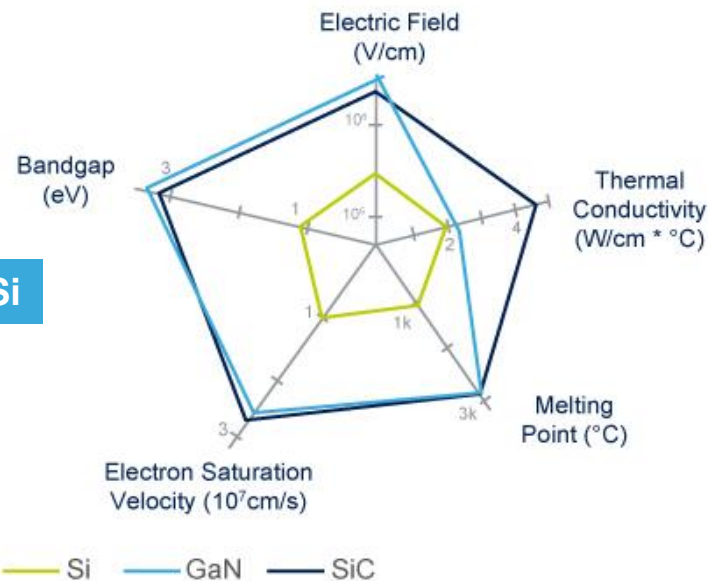
Lower Losses, High Efficiency, Reduced Footprint: Breakthrough in High-Voltage Converters



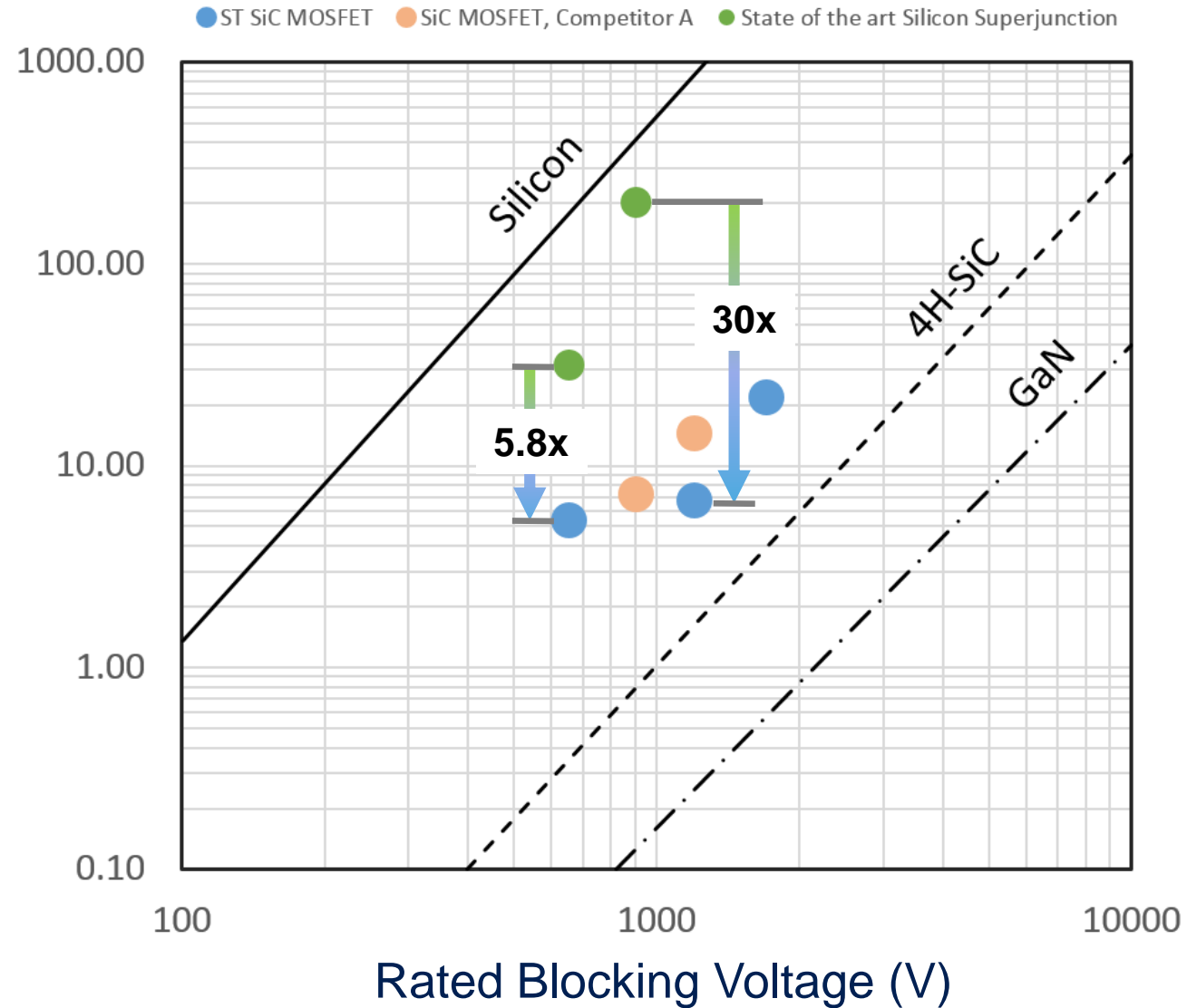
- Leading to new technology platform with awesome Figure Of Merit
- Very low on-state resistance
- 200°C Max junction temperature
- Very fast and robust intrinsic body diode
- Industrial and Automotive Grade qualified
- Outstanding system efficiency and reduced cooling requirements

### Applications

- Traction inverters
- On board chargers
- DC-DC converters
- SMPS
- Auxiliary power supplies
- UPS
- Solar
- Welding

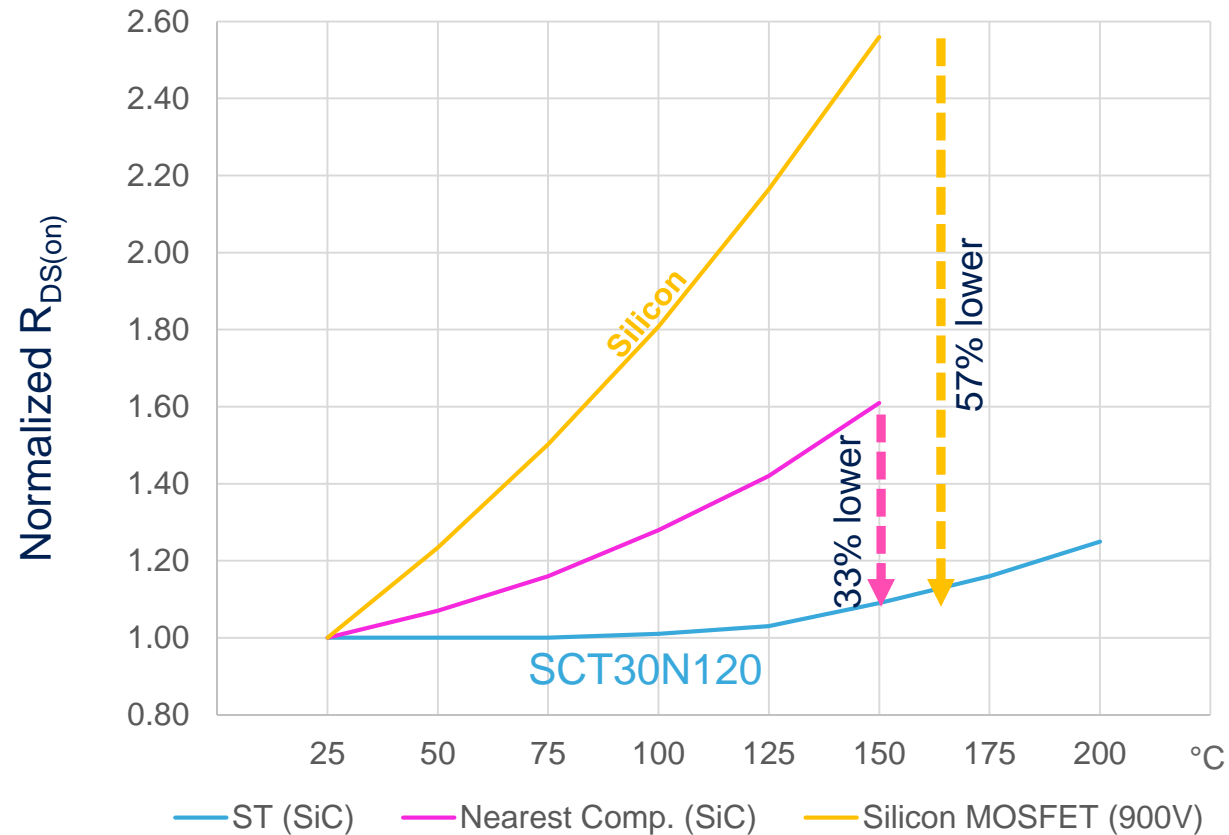


# MOSFET $R_{DS(on)}$ Figure of Merit at $T_J=150^\circ\text{C}$



# $R_{DS(on)}$ Variation with Temperature

## 1200V SiC MOSFET



ST is the only supplier to guarantee max Tj as high as 200°C in plastic package

# Why Silicon Carbide?

It's all about the Bandgap

Silicon Carbide allows Power Devices to go beyond the limits of Silicon...

Smaller  
Size



Lower  
Energy  
Losses



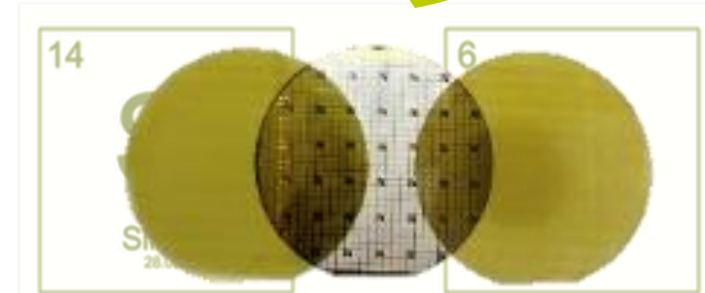
Higher  
Voltages



Higher  
Speeds



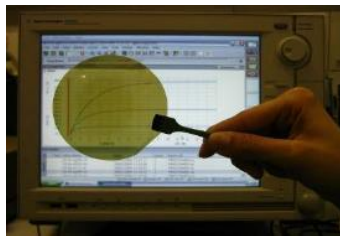
Higher  
Operating  
Temperatures



= Silicon Carbide



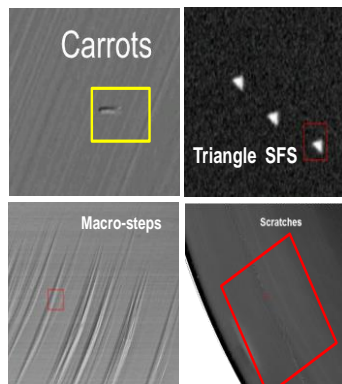
...and makes high-voltage power-applications smarter



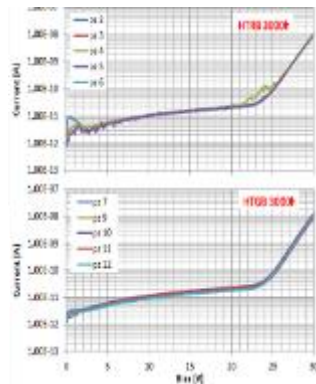
# Challenges for Silicon Carbide

## Technical

### Defectivity



### Reliability



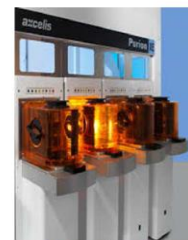
## Manufacturing



EPI SiC



Defectivity monitoring on epi and starting substrates



HT ion implanter



Very HT furnace



Line defectivity monitoring



Metal sputtering

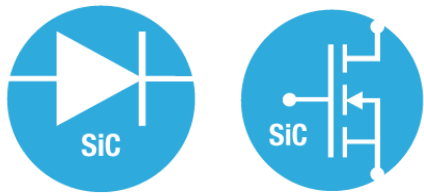


lift-off tool

## Capacity

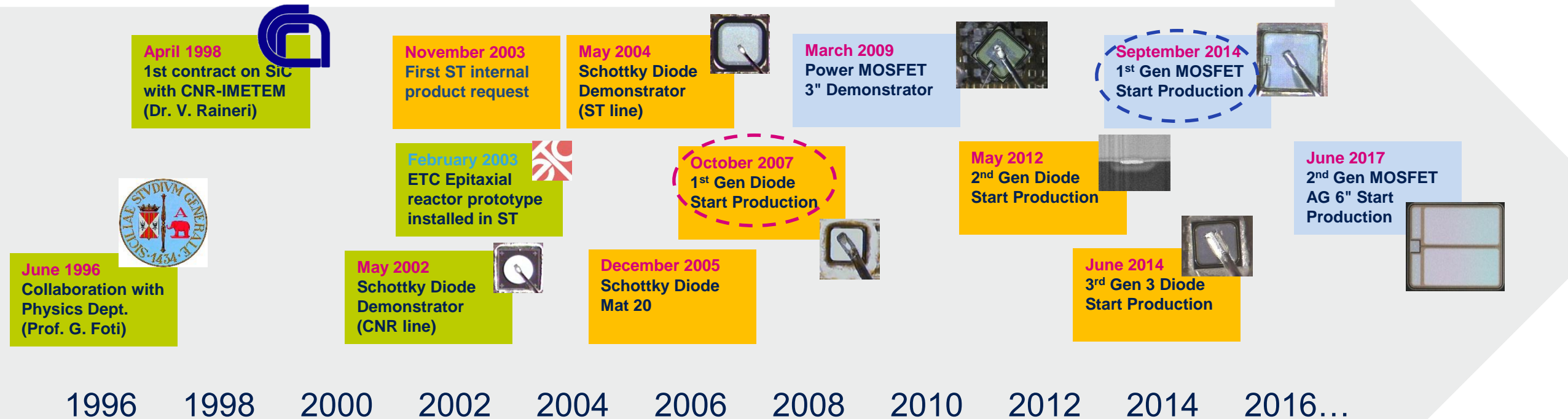






# ST Silicon Carbide

## 20-Year History



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2" ST line



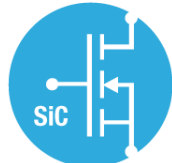
June 2006  
3" ST line

June 2011  
4" ST line



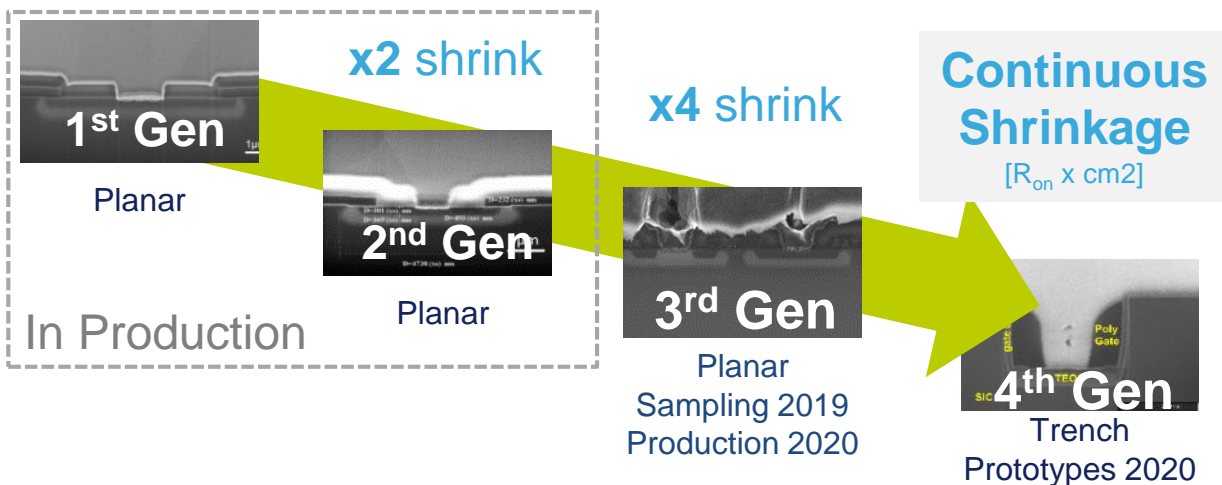
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6" ST line





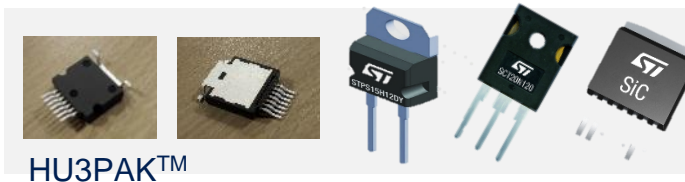
# SiC MOSFET Facts at Glance

## Front-end Evolution



## Package offer - Discrete - Mini-module - Modules

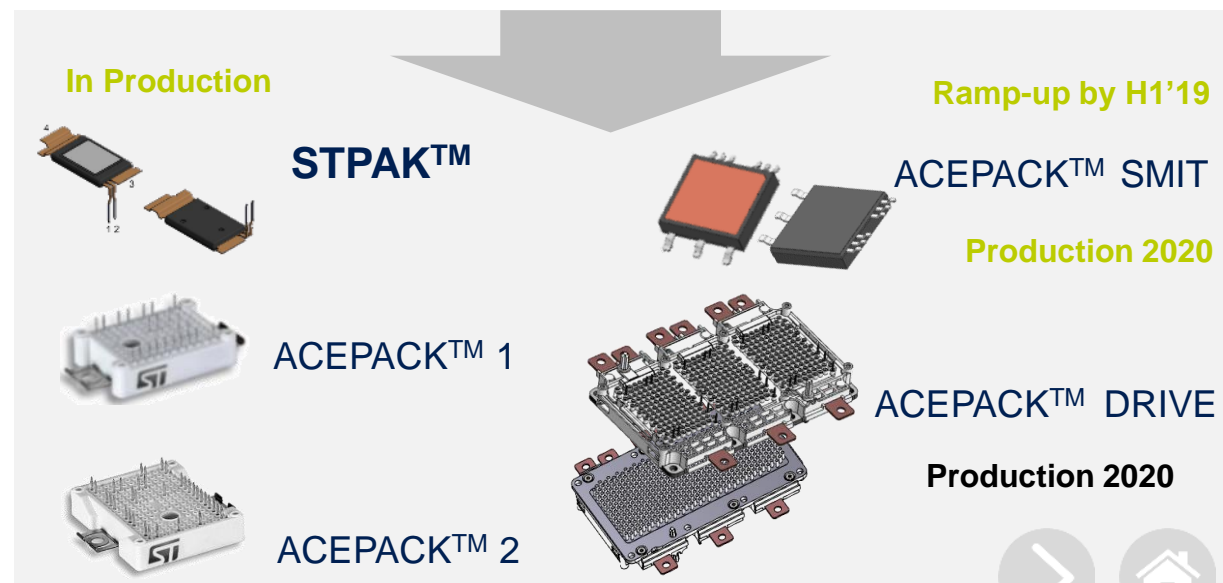
### Discrete Packages



### Bare Dice Strategic offer for Key Players



### SiC Module focus for Largest Market



## SiC adoption faster than expected



650 V to 1200 V  
MOSFETs and DIODEs



# Advantages of SiC in Traction Inverters

## Drive Train Electrification : Enabled by SiC Technology

	Silicon IGBT + Diode	SiC MOSFET	Traction Inverter - End User Value Proposition	
Die area for 100A nominal current [mm²]	150	30	Power Semiconductors size: Up to 70% smaller	Up to 75% Overall size reduction
Max Junction temperature [°C]	175	200	Cooling System: Up to 70% smaller	
Normalized switching energy	8	1	Passive Components: Up to 80% smaller (**)	
Normalized Power Loss(*) (Typical Mission profile)	7	1	Up to 10% Mileage Extension	
Average junction temperature at nominal power [°C] (*)	100	80	Extended life in use	

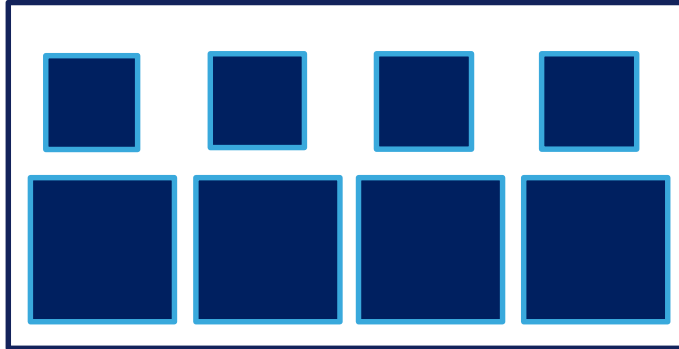
1200V

(\*) 210kWpeak, 350Arms peak, 200Arms continuous Traction Inverter, 750V bus,  $f_{PWM}=10kHz$ ,  $T_{fluid} = 60^{\circ}C$

(\*\*) applicable to High Power DC to DC converter when present

# Si IGBT vs. SiC MOSFET – 1200V

Silicon Solution: IGBT+ Diode  
4x100 mm<sup>2</sup> + 4x50 mm<sup>2</sup>

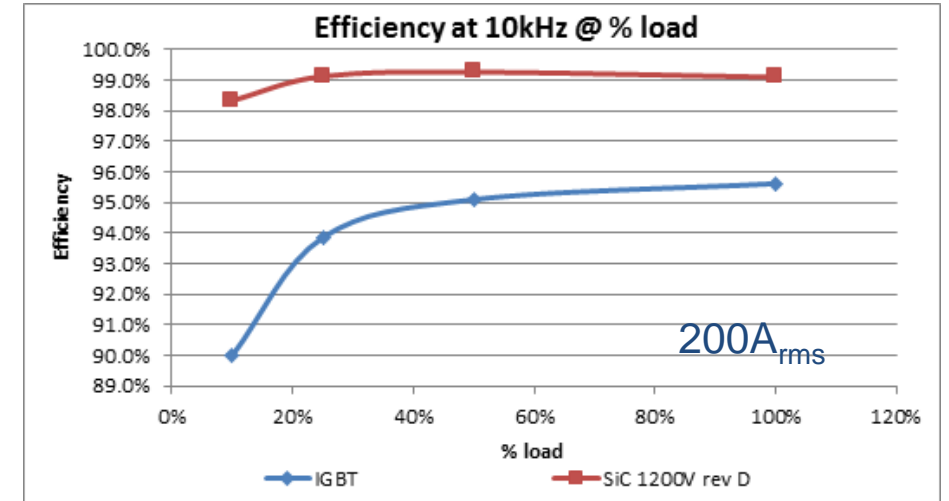


5x smaller  
semiconductor area

SiC MOSFET gen 3  
Solution: 6x20 mm<sup>2</sup>

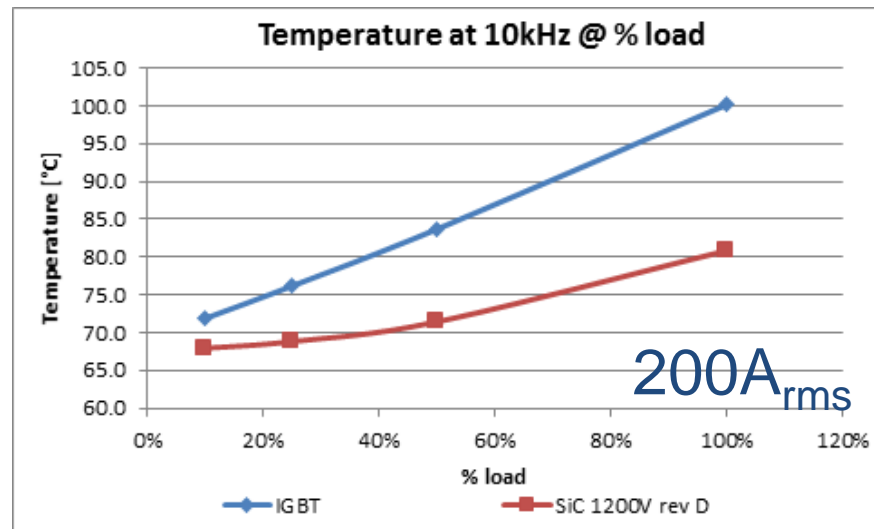


V<sub>bus</sub> = 750V, 200kW peak !!



DC-link voltage: 750V<sub>dc</sub>, Switching frequency: 10 kHz, T<sub>fluid</sub> = 65°C, mi=0-5

From 3.5 to 10% higher efficiency



Si IGBT



SiC MOSFET

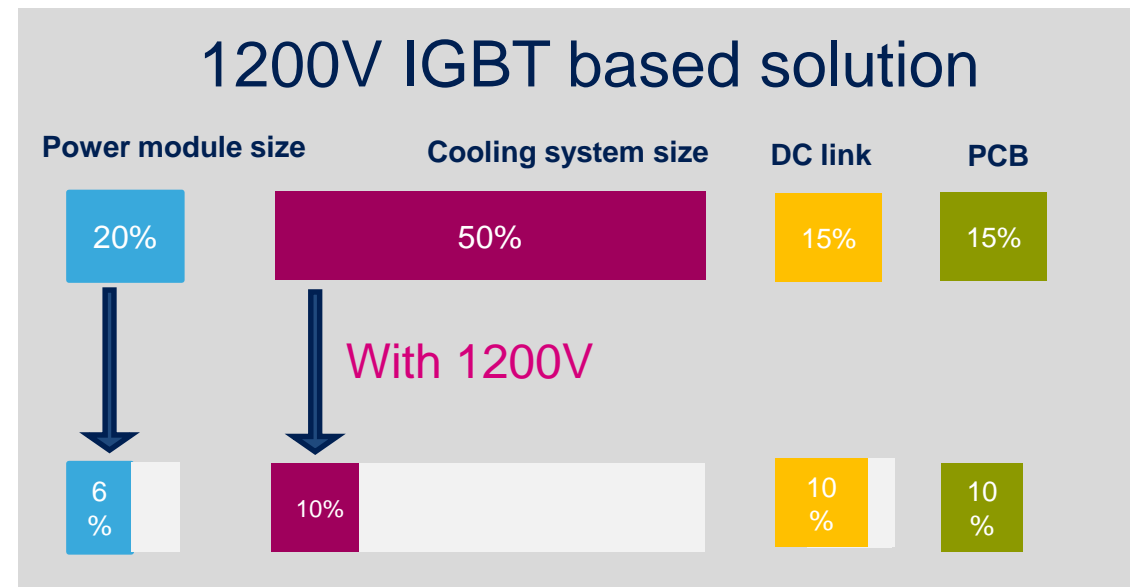
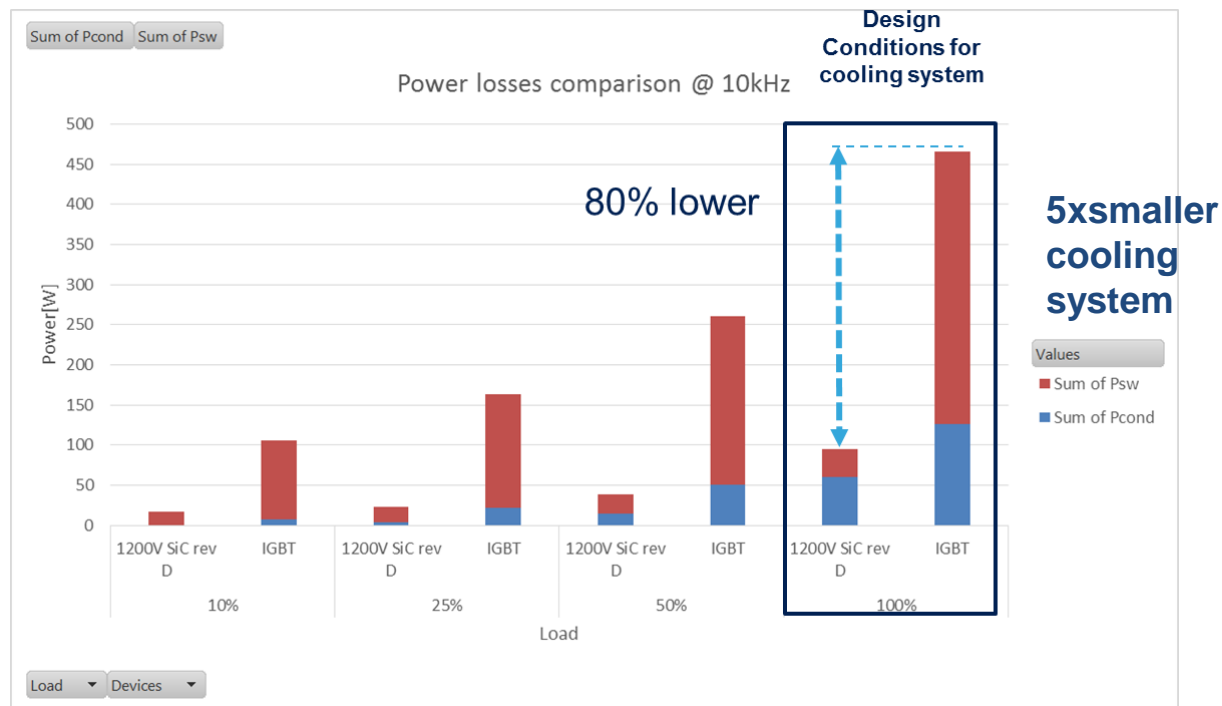
Lower temperature for higher reliability

Higher efficiency for extra mileage

350A<sub>rms</sub> peak – 210kW, 200A<sub>rms</sub> nominal, DC-link voltage: 750V<sub>dc</sub>, Switching frequency: 10 kHz, T<sub>fluid</sub> = 65°C

# SiC MOSFET System Benefits – 1200V

## Reducing PCU size



- 200A<sub>rms</sub> continuous
- DC-link voltage: 750V<sub>dc</sub>
- Switching frequency: 10 kHz
- T<sub>fluid</sub> = 65°C



Up to 70% smaller PCU





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Normalized Power Loss(*) (Typical Mission profile)	4	1	Up to 6% Mileage Extension	
Average junction temperature at nominal power [°C] (*)	100	90	Extended life in use	

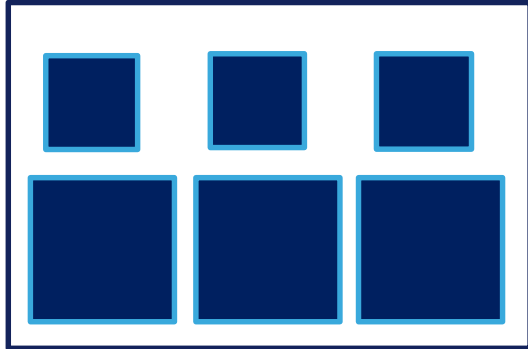
750V

(\*) 170kWpeak, 525Arms peak, 300Arms continuous Traction Inverter, 400V bus,  $f_{PWM}=10kHz$ ,  $T_{fluid} = 65^{\circ}C$

(\*\*) applicable to DC to DC converter when present

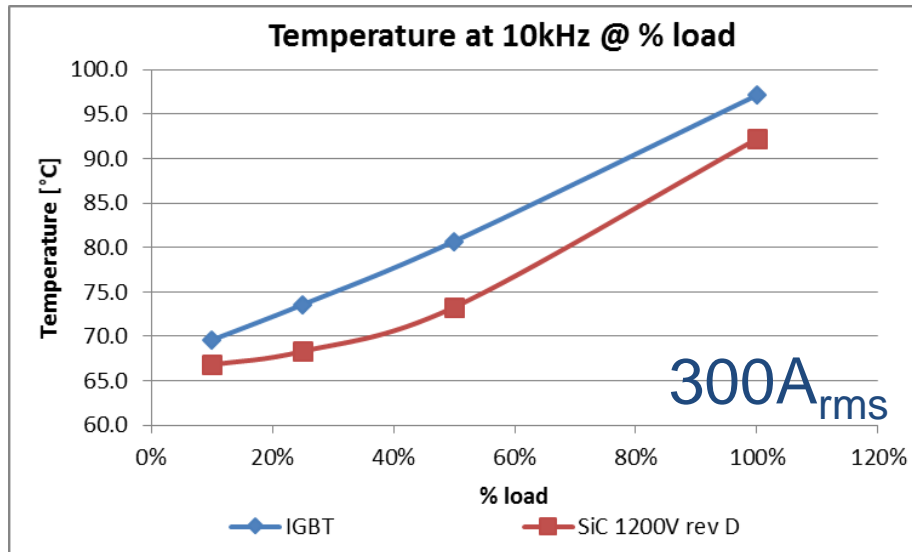
# Si IGBT vs. SiC MOSFET – 750V

Silicon Solution: IGBT+ Diode  
 $3 \times 100 \text{ mm}^2 + 3 \times 50 \text{ mm}^2$



~4x smaller  
semiconductor area

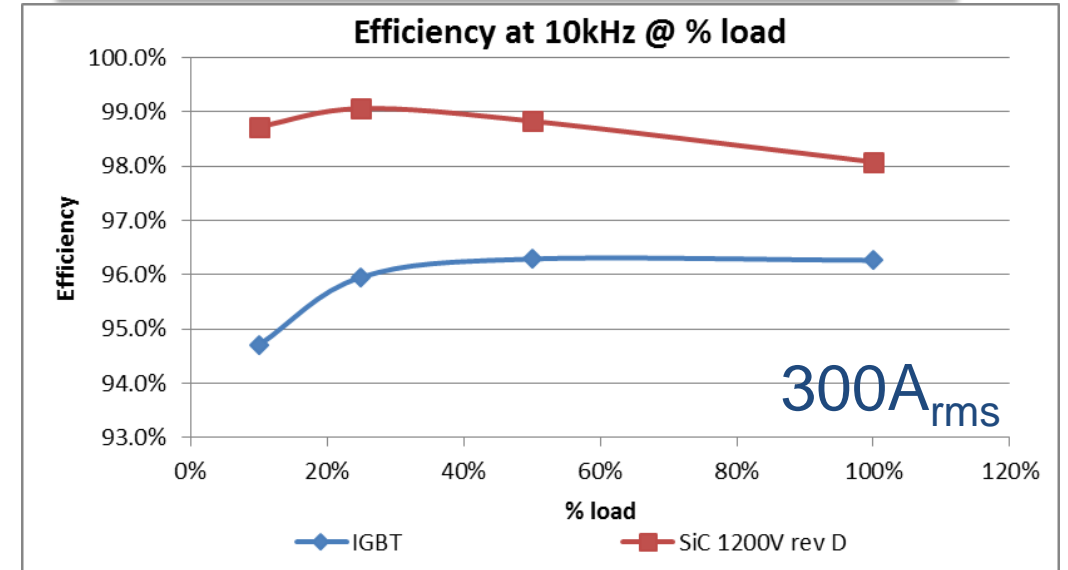
SiC MOSFET gen 3  
Solution:  $6 \times 20 \text{ mm}^2$



Lower temperature for higher reliability

525A<sub>rms</sub> peak – 170kW, 300A<sub>rms</sub> nominal, DC-link voltage: 400V<sub>dc</sub>,  
Switching frequency: 10 kHz, T<sub>fluid</sub> = 65°C

V<sub>bus</sub> = 400V 160kW peak !!



DC-link voltage: 400V<sub>dc</sub>, Switching frequency: 10 kHz, T<sub>fluid</sub> = 65°C, mi=0-5

From 2 to 4% higher efficiency



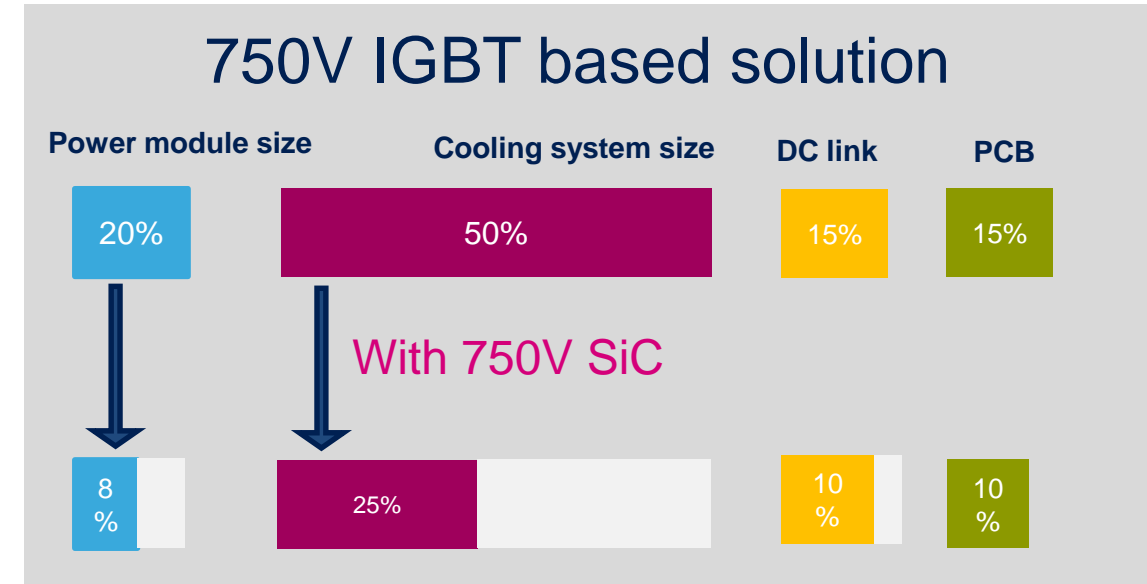
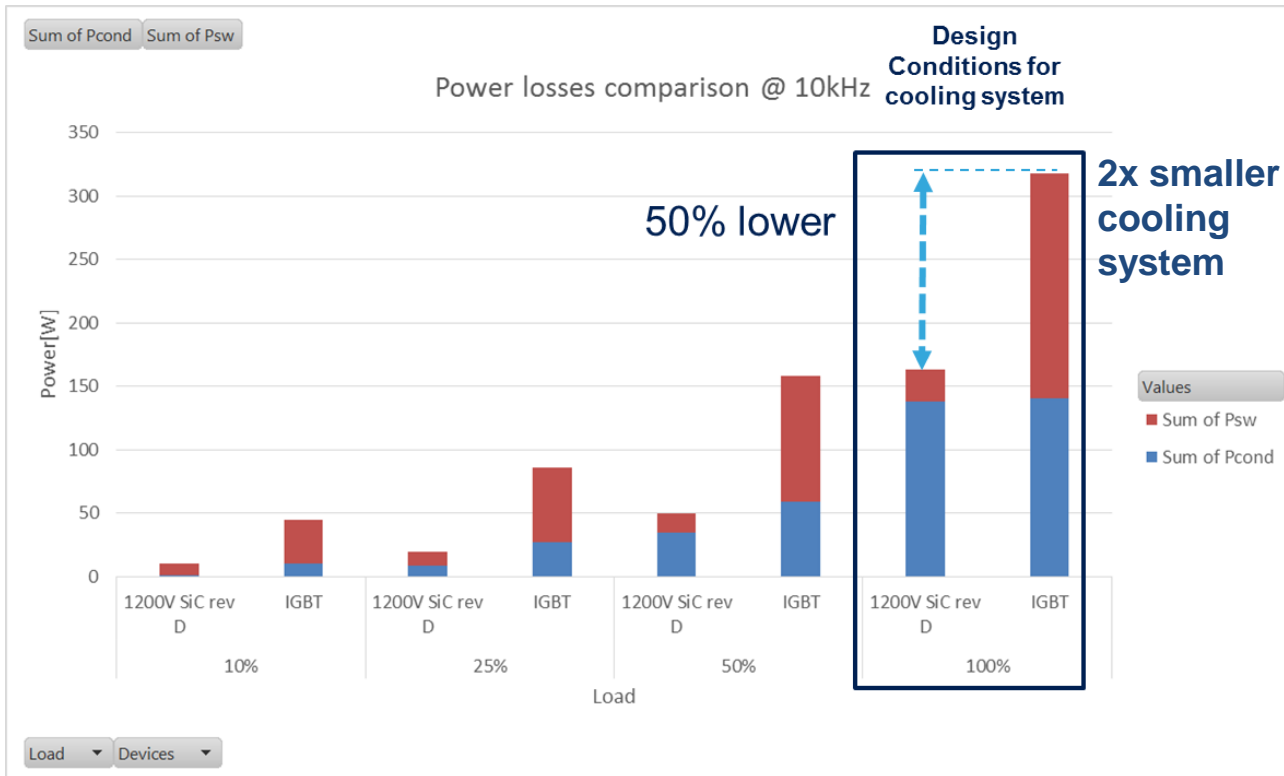
Si IGBT

SiC MOSFET

Higher efficiency for extra mileage

# SiC MOSFET System Benefits – 750V

## Reducing PCU size



- $300A_{rms}$  continuous
- DC-link voltage:  $400V_{dc}$
- Switching frequency: 10 kHz
- $T_{fluid} = 65^{\circ}C$



Up to 50% smaller PCU



# Case Study 11kW, 3-Phase OBC

## SiC Advantages in On-Board Battery Chargers

	Silicon IGBT + Diode	SiC MOSFET + Diode	OBC - End User Value Proposition	
Losses [W]	300	216	Reduce heatsink size	60% weight, volume reduction
Switching Frequency [kHz]	25	100/150	Reduce passive component size	
Volume* [cm³]	4593	1986	Reduce congestion and decrease car weight	
Weight* [g]	7708	3074		
Efficiency** [%]	96.9	97.7	Higher Efficiency	

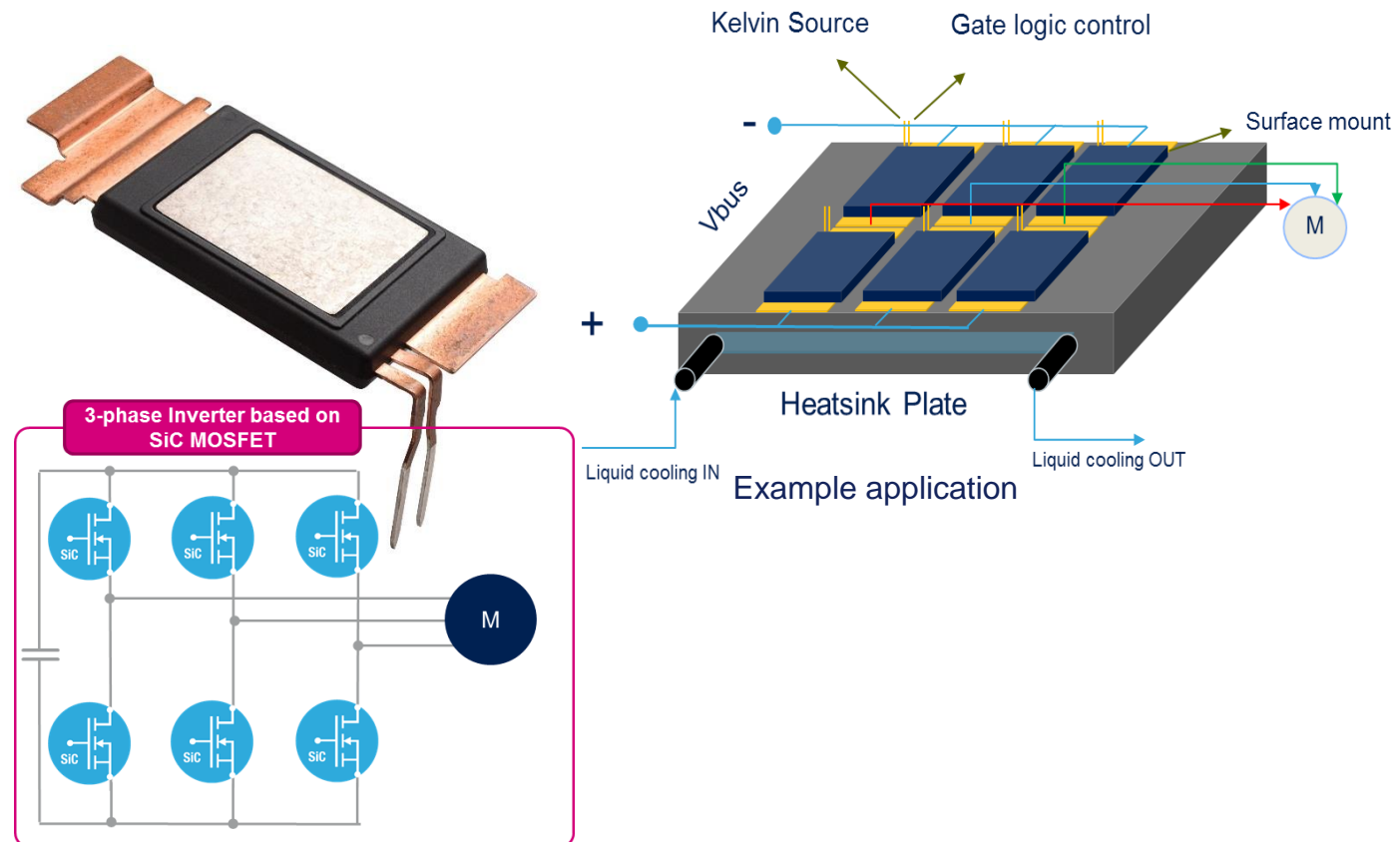
# STPAK™: Multi-Sintering Package

## Ideal for Electric Vehicle applications

High Power Density for Traction Inverter

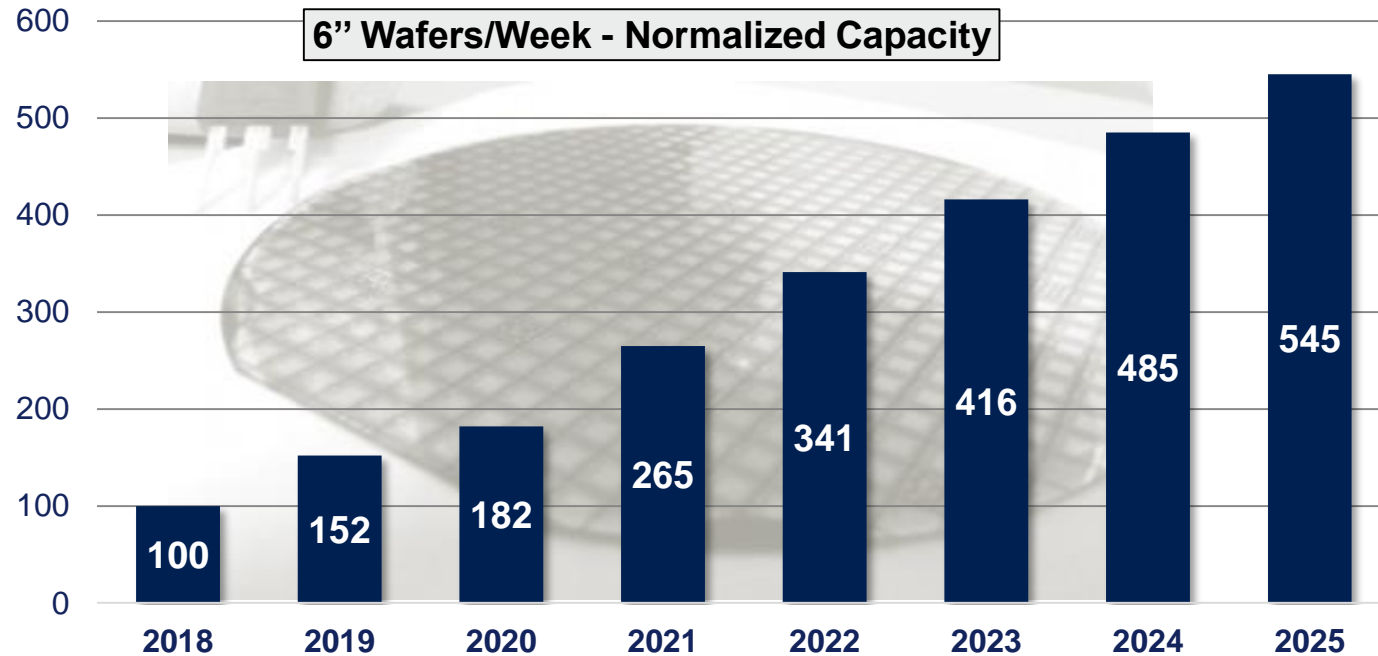
### Main Features & Benefits

- Multi sintering solution for better performance and higher reliability
- AEC-Q101 qualified,  $T_j (\text{max}) = 175^\circ\text{C}$
- 650V / 1200V Voltage rated
- Suitable for silicon IGBT and SiC Power MOSFET technologies
- Compact and modular design approach
- High power density
- Improved thermal performance due to direct sintering to the bottom of the heatsink
- Sense pin for enhanced control

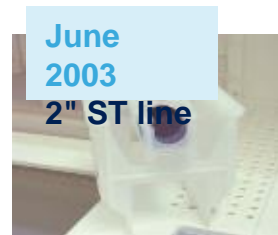


# ST Silicon Carbide Manufacturing Evolution

## Catania 6" wafer size capacity



Pioneers..



2003 – 2"  
line startup

2006 – 3"  
line startup

2011 – 4"  
line startup

2016 – 6"  
line startup



# SiC-Substrate Supply-Management Strategy

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- **Current Suppliers**

- **4 Suppliers** already qualified and in full production

- LTA already finalized with a key supplier:

## **Cree and STMicroelectronics Announce Multi-Year Silicon Carbide Wafer Supply Agreement**

Agreement to boost commercial expansion of SiC in automotive and industrial applications

DURHAM, N.C. and GENEVA /07 Jan 2019

Cree, Inc. (**Nasdaq: CREE**) announces that it signed a multi-year agreement to produce and supply its Wolfspeed® silicon carbide (SiC) wafers to STMicroelectronics (NYSE: STM), a global semiconductor leader serving customers across the spectrum of electronics applications. The agreement governs the supply of a quarter billion dollars of Cree's advanced 150mm silicon carbide bare and epitaxial wafers to STMicroelectronics during this period of extraordinary growth and demand for silicon carbide power devices.

"ST is the only semiconductor company with automotive-grade silicon carbide in mass production today, and we want to press forward to grow our SiC business both in terms of volume and breadth of applications served, targeting leadership in a market estimated at more than \$3B in 2025," said Jean-Marc Chery, president and CEO of STMicroelectronics. "This agreement with Cree will improve our flexibility, sustain our ambition and plans, and contribute to boosting the pervasion of SiC in automotive and industrial applications

- **Long term Plan (Toward a full Vertically Integration)**

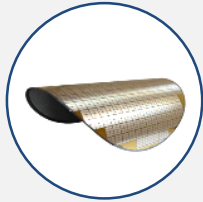
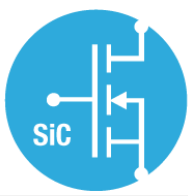
- A strategic partnership with a new Supplier has just been closed (beg 2019) :

## **STMicroelectronics to Acquire Majority Stake in Silicon Carbide Wafer Manufacturer Norstel AB**

Acquisition will extend ST's silicon carbide ecosystem and strengthen ST's flexibility to serve fast growing automotive and industrial applications  
Geneva, Switzerland / 06 Feb 2019



STMicroelectronics (NYSE: STM), a global semiconductor leader serving customers across the spectrum of electronics applications, today announced it has signed an agreement to acquire a majority stake in Swedish silicon carbide (SiC) wafer manufacturer **Norstel AB** ("**Norstel**"). After closing, ST will control the entire supply chain for a portion of its SiC devices at a time of constrained global capacity and positions itself for a significant growth opportunity. ST will acquire 55% of Norstel's share capital, with an option to acquire the remaining 45% subject to certain conditions, which, if exercised, will result in total consideration of \$137.5 million, funded with available cash.



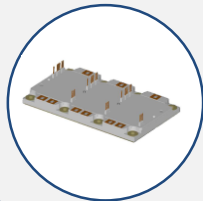
6" wafer production and EPI process step in-house in ST

**AEC-Q101**

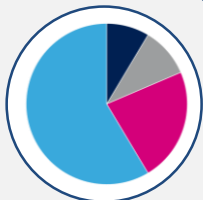
Automotive Grade



MOSFET and Diode products available and significantly growing for 1200V and 650V



Bare Die, Discrete Package and Module offer



Standard product offer and customized solutions

# SiC Technology Summary



- **Battery Electric Vehicles** are disrupting the automotive market
- **SiC Technology** enables an optimized total cost of ownership model, for both automotive (traction Inverters on-board chargers) as well as Industrial (Solar, UPS, energy storage) domains
- **Introducing** the new material in **Automotive** is challenging but our experience shows it's manageable
- **Ramp up** of SiC Technology in STMicroelectronics is much faster than market expectation

# Gallium Nitride (GaN): a new member of ST's Wide Band-Gap family

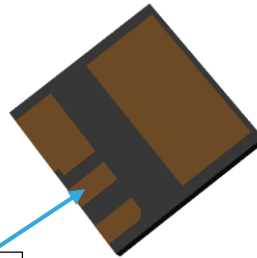
Enables increased power density, higher frequency operation and improved efficiency

First product under development:  
**SGT120R65ALD\***

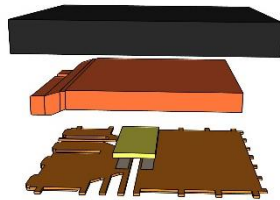
## Product Features

- $R_{DS(on)} = 120 \text{ m}\Omega @ 10 \text{ A}$
- $BV_{dss} > 650 \text{ V}$

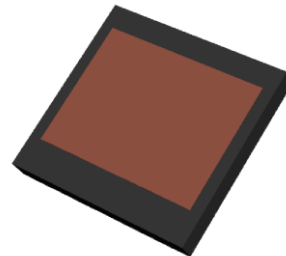
PowerFLAT™ 8x8



Kelvin pin for optimized Gate Driving



Package section



Top Side Cooling

\*Under Development

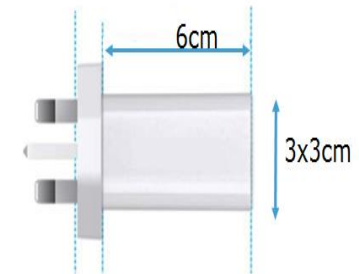
## Key Benefits

- Main breakthrough for High-Voltage Power conversion
- Compact Design
- Smaller form factor and increased Power density

Conventional adaptor based on Silicon switch\*



Adaptor based on GaN switch



\*Super Junction power MOSFET

# ST App finder



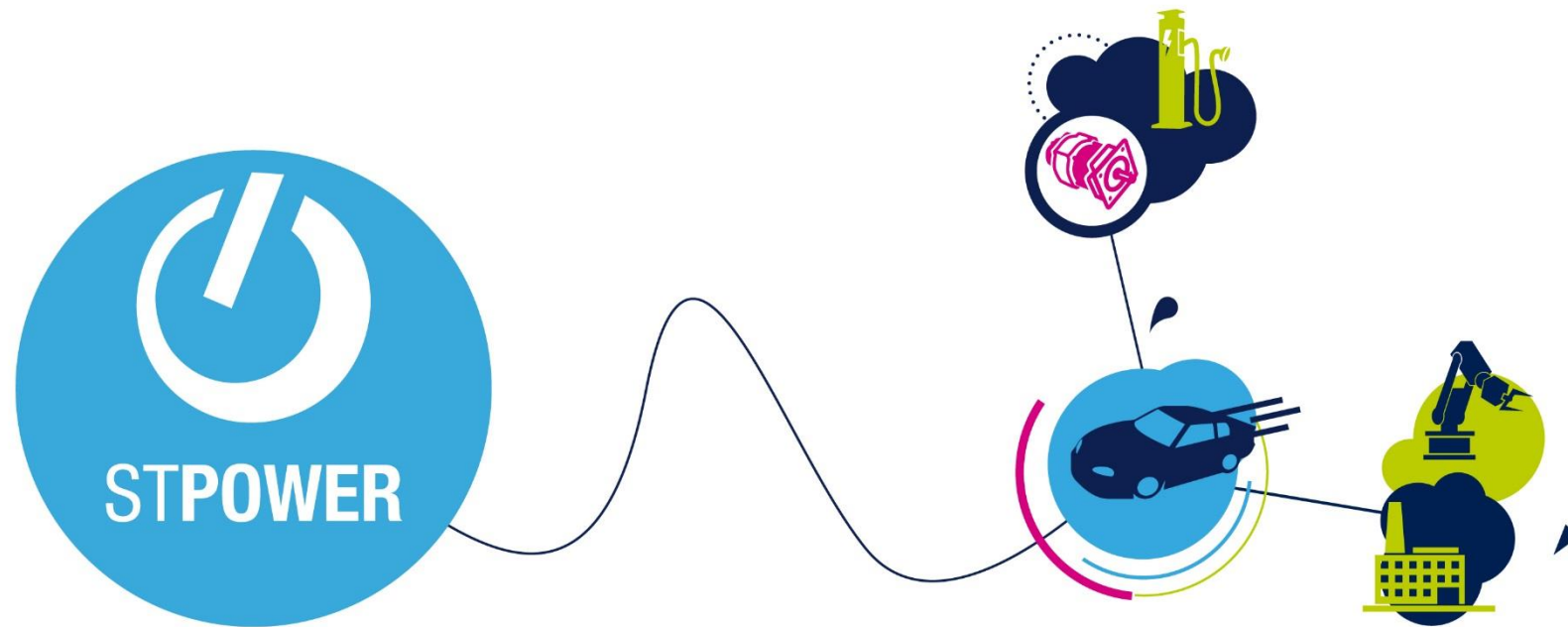
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