



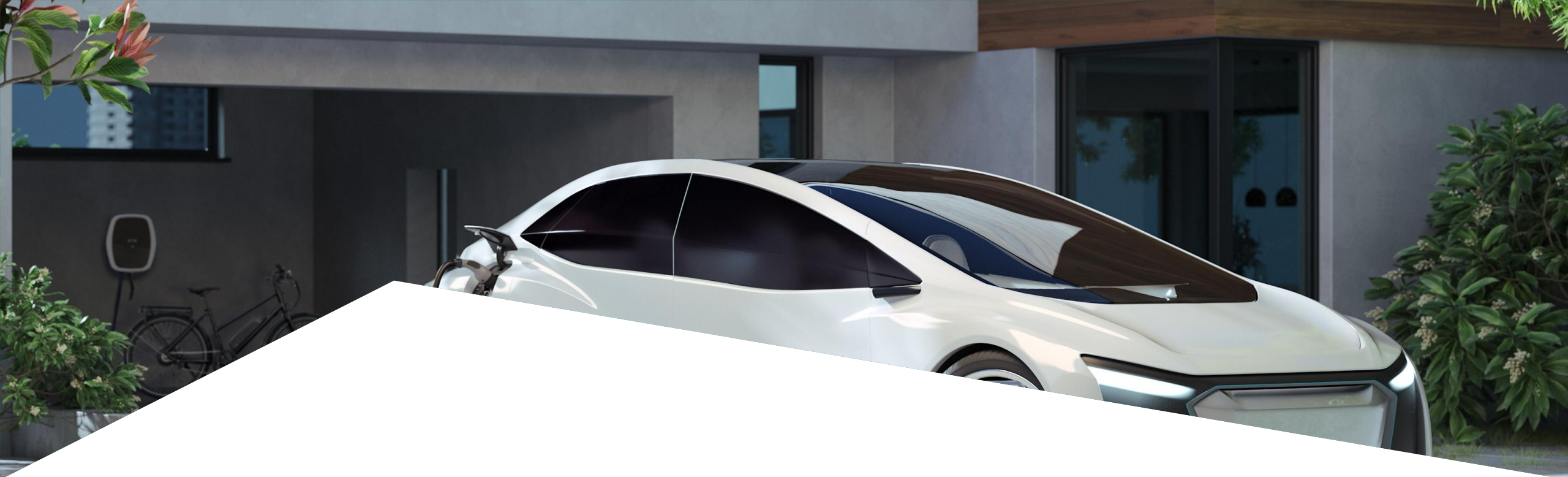
Unlocking Next-Gen xEV Power Conversion



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Unlocking next-gen xEV power conversion: New SiC devices

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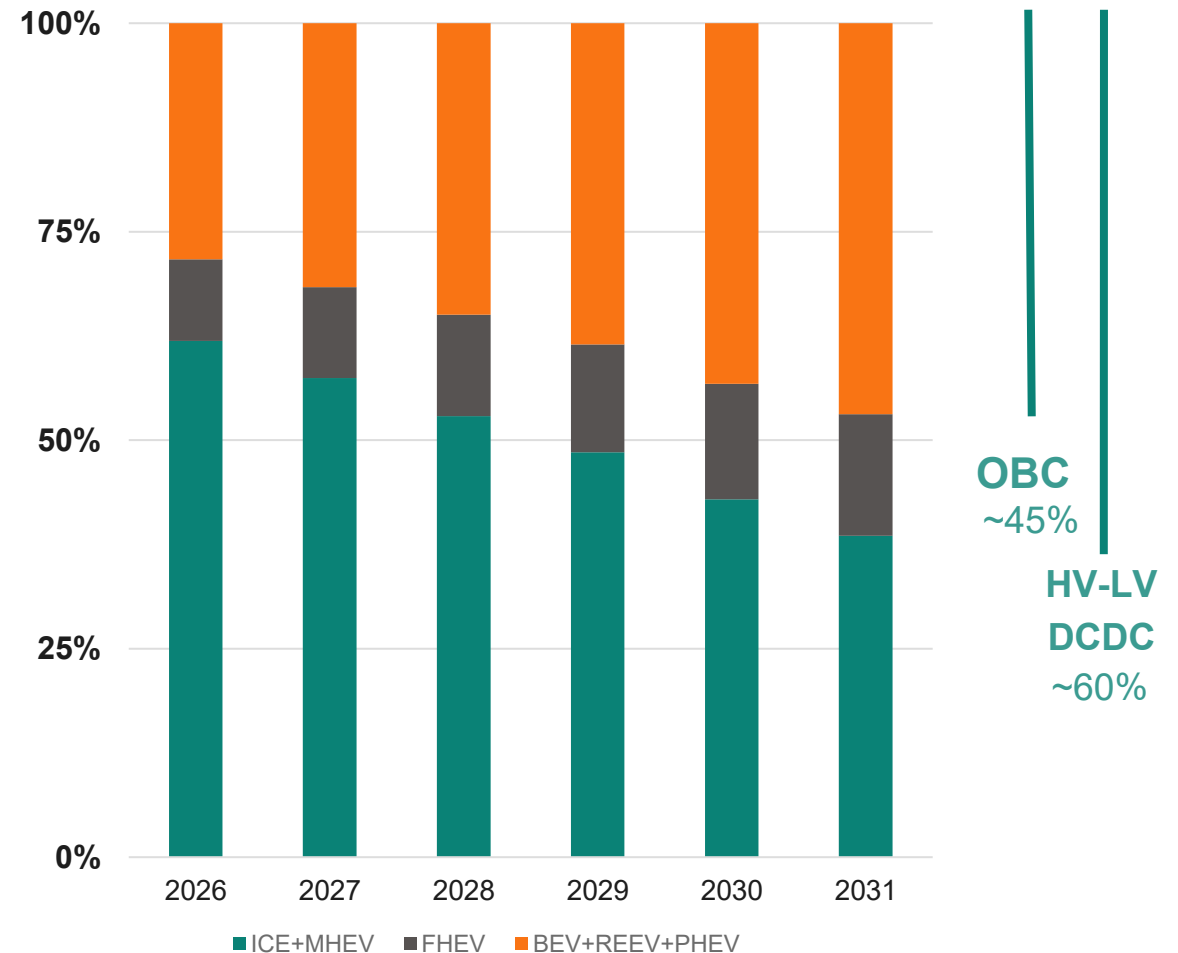


Electrification drives transformation in the automotive industry where power conversion plays a key role

Market

- ~ **60%** of the global **car produced in 2031** will be **electrified** (xEV) → HV-LV DC/DC adaption
 - **AC** home and destination **charging** remains **dominant** charging **use case**
 - Standards & regulations drive the adoption of **Vehicle-to-Grid (V2G)** what is expected to have positive impact on xEV operation costs
 - **Range anxiety drives** powertrain **diversification**
 - Range extended Electric Vehicles (REEV)
 - Battery Voltage classes & Battery Capacity
 - Charging Power (On-board and DC off-board)
- **45%** of the global **car produced in 2031** will have an on-board charger (**OBC**) Battery Electric Vehicle (BEV), Range-extended Electric Vehicle (REEV), Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicle (PHEV)

Powertrain type adaptation share [%]



Source: Infineon Automotive Business Intelligence based external market guidance reports, Dec 2025

Six key trends for OBC addressed with different impacts on electronic design and on semiconductor selection

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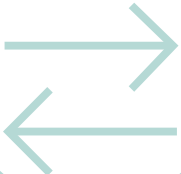
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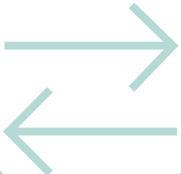
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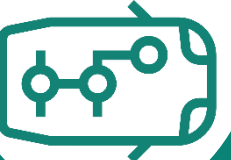
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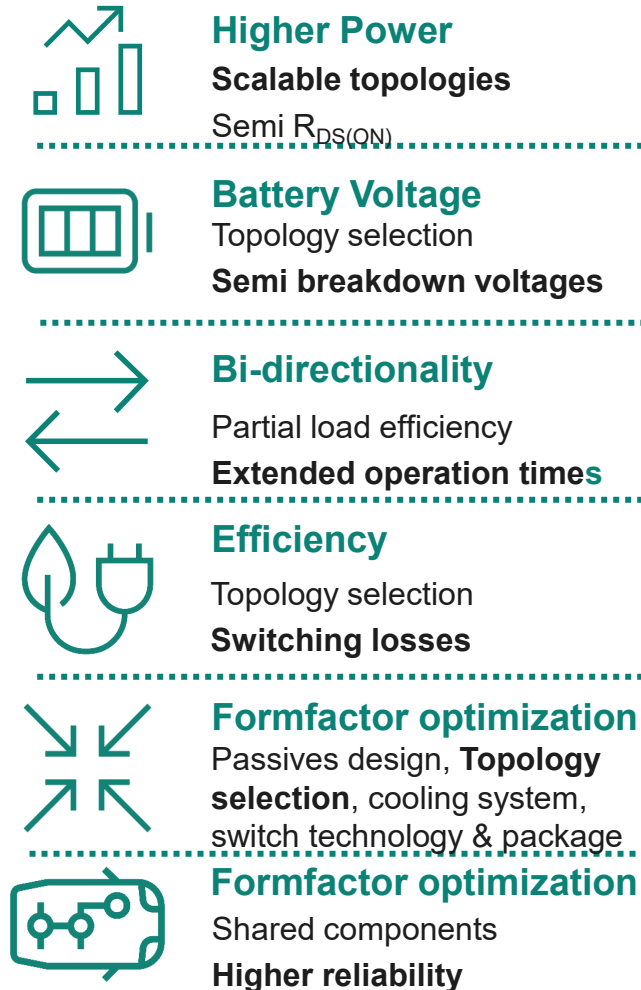
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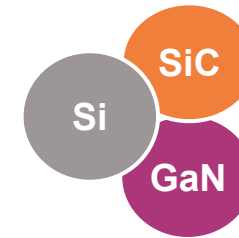
Key technical trends and cost-down are the main driver for the new topology revolution, technology and package innovation

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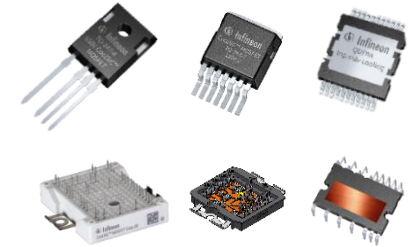


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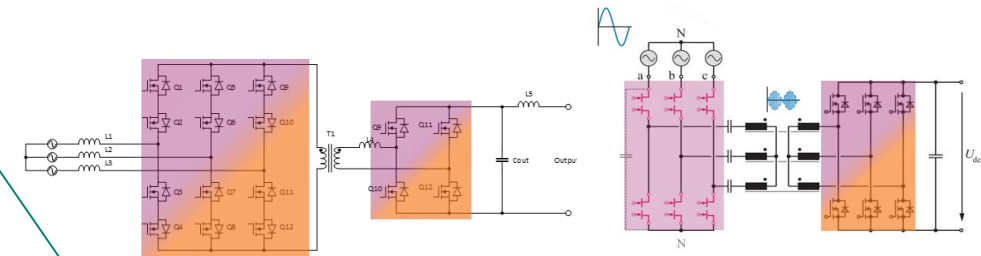
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Packaging

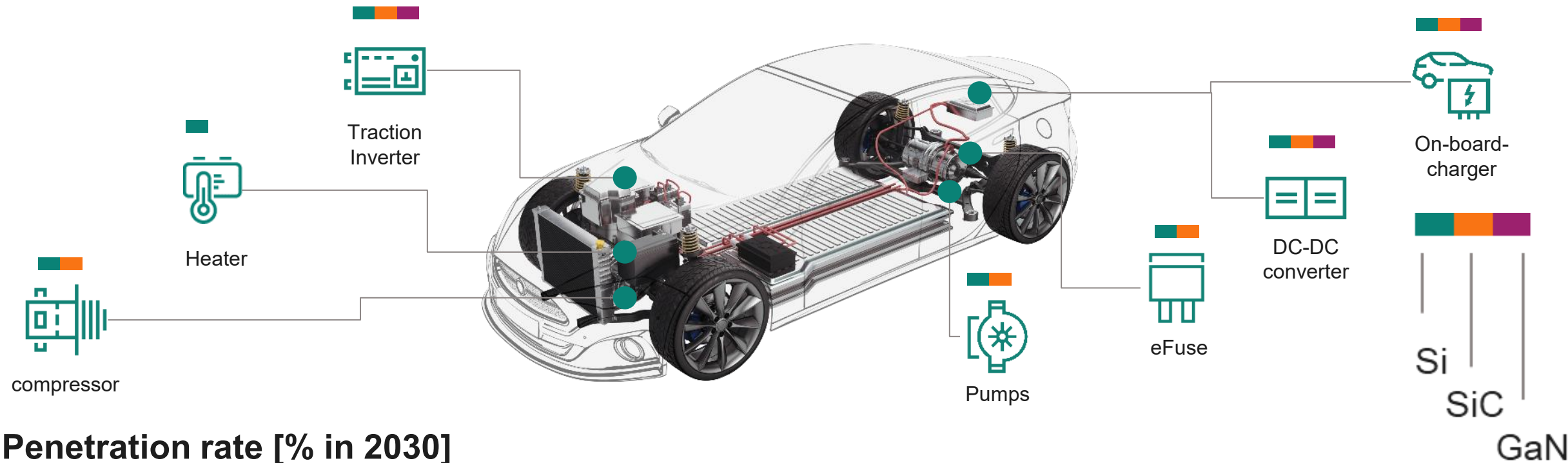


Topology innovation

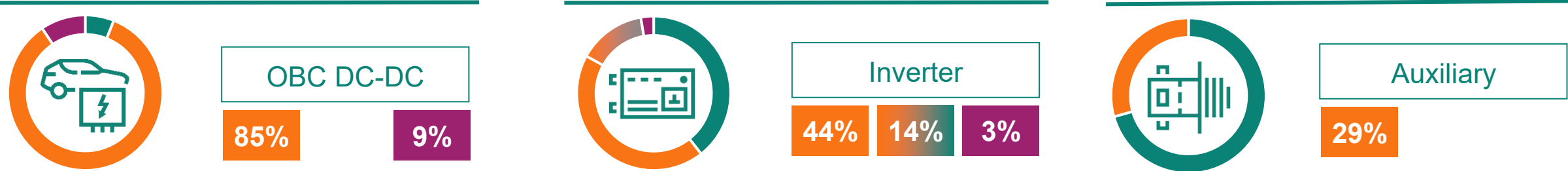


SiC adoption accelerates rapidly, reaching break-even in 2027

OBC-DCDC first, followed by traction inverter



Penetration rate [% in 2030]



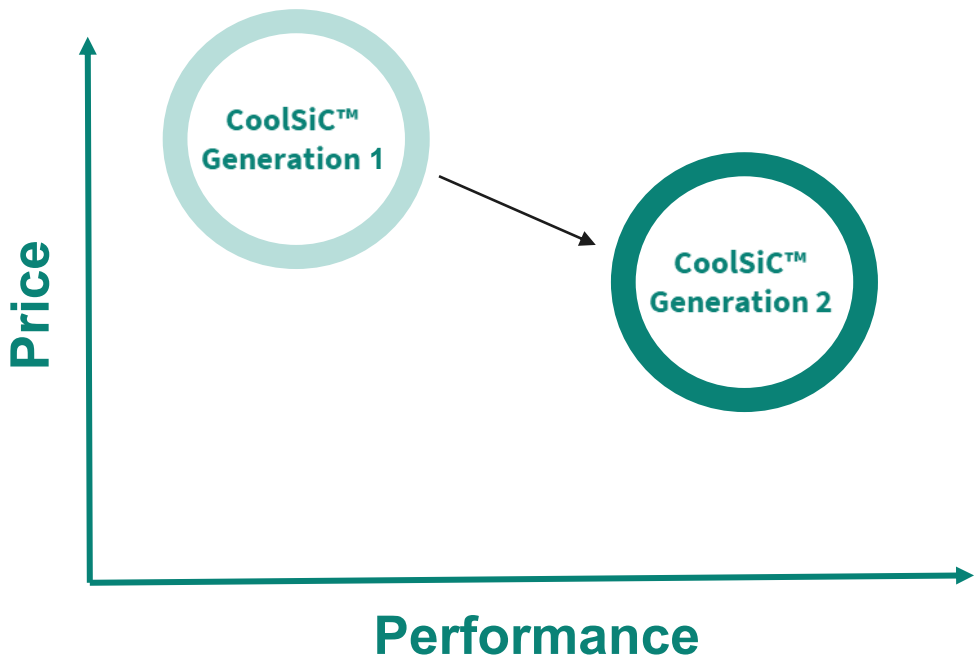
Fastest SiC adoption in BEV, owing to bi-directional charging. SiC prominent today.

SiC/Si breaks even around 2027
FUSION 2026+

IGBT still dominates in this decade

Source: IHS Alternative Propulsion Report Feb 2024 and Infineon x-Divisional market intelligence, update as of May 2024

CoolSiC™ MOSFET 750V G2 Automotive and Industrial: *higher system performance per \$ or € invested in SiC*



Advantages

Generation 2 enables the design of more cost optimized, efficient, compact, and reliable systems.



New TSC product

8 mΩ - 140 mΩ

750 V G1

SoP 2023

4 mΩ - 60 mΩ

750 V G2

>SoP 2025

Applications



On-board charger



HV-LV DC-DC converter



eFuses
e-Disconnect



HVAC compressor



E-Suspension



PTC heating

Automotive

Industrial



EV charging



Server



Telecom



Solar



Energy storage

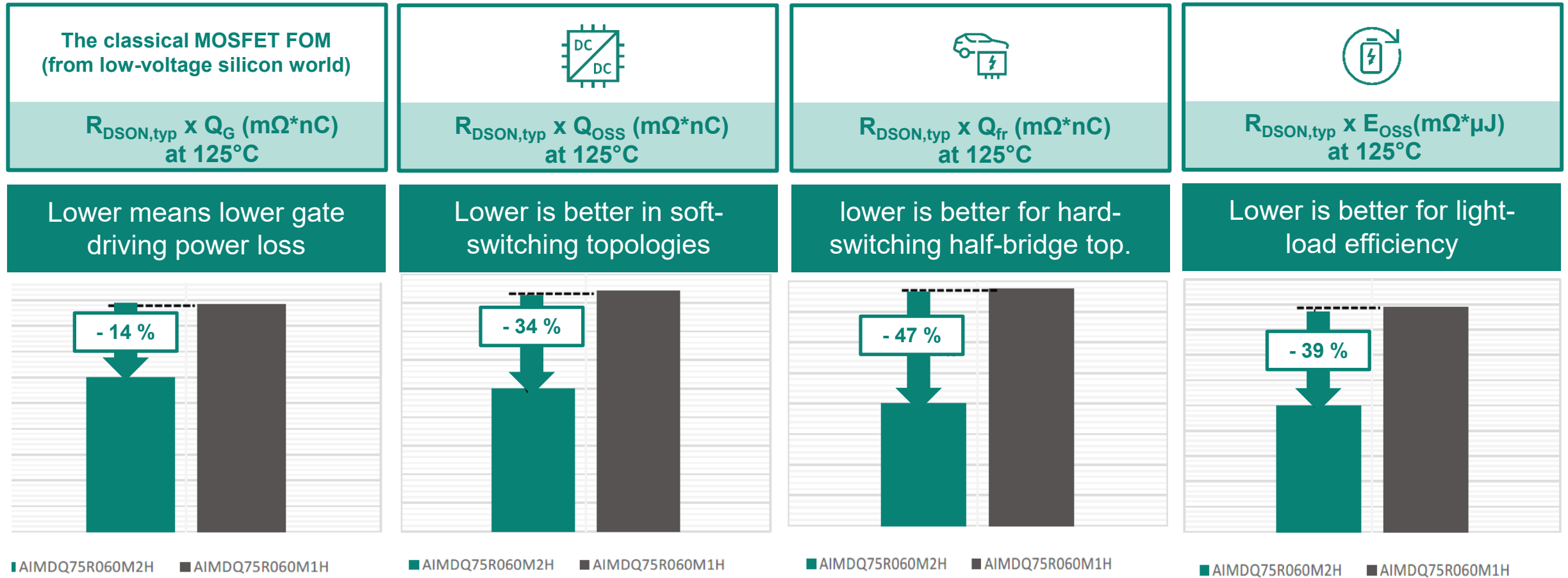


SSCB

Unveiling a new performance with CoolSiC™ G2

FoM at 125°C

Figures-of-merit (FOM) comparison: lower is better for energy efficiency optimization



Infineon products: AIMDQ75R060M1H, AIMDQ75R060M2H

Q_{G} = total charge at given conditions, Q_{OSS} = total charge associated to C_{OSS} at given conditions. E_{OSS} = total energy associated to C_{OSS} at given conditions

Source: [Application Note- AN125027 CoolSiC™ 750 V G2 automotive MOSFET](#)

Exclusive robustness features secure a longer product lifetime with performance untouched

Robustness

Highly robust 750 V technology with $V_{(BR)DSS}=840\text{ V}$, fit for $V_{bus}>500\text{ V}$

Table 2 Maximum ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Values			Unit	Note / Test condition
		Min.	Typ.	Max.		
Drain-source voltage	V_{DSS}	-	-	750	V	static, $T_J = -55^{\circ}\text{C}$ to 175°C

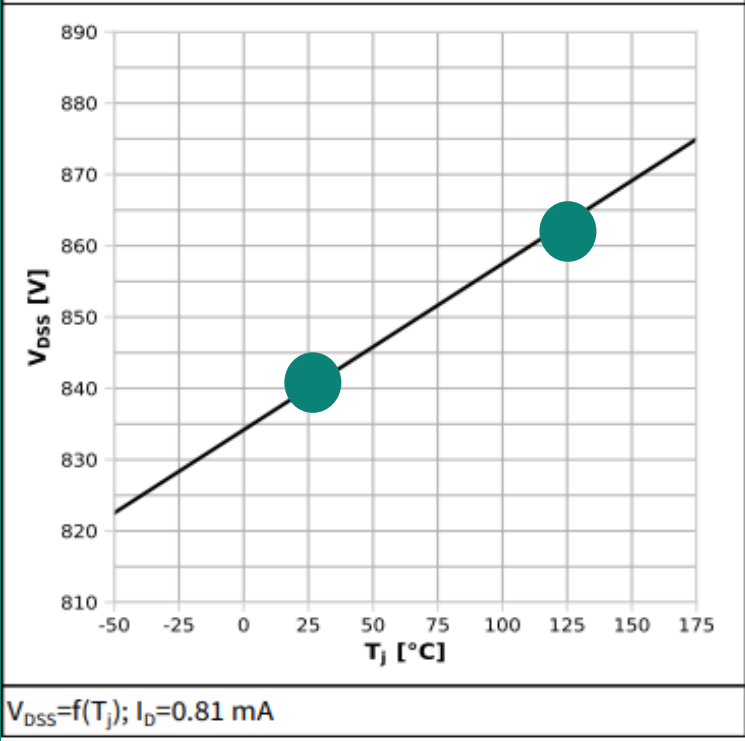
at $T_J = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$, unless otherwise specified

Table 5 Static characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Values			Unit	Note / Test condition
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Drain-source breakdown voltage ⁵⁾	$V_{(BR)DSS}$	840	-	-	V	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$, $I_D = 0.81\text{ mA}$



Diagram 14: Drain-source breakdown voltage



Source: AIMDQ75R025M2H [datasheet](#)

For $V_{rms} = 440\text{ V}$, the buffer to $V_{DSS} = 750\text{ V}$ is **310 V**
For grid fluctuations $V_{rms} = 620\text{ V}$, the buffer to $V_{(BR)DSS} = 840\text{ V}$ for abnormal conditions is **220 V**

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Performance Excellence



Robustness

Highly robust 750 V technology with $V_{(BR)DSS} = 840 \text{ V}$, fit for $V_{bus} > 500 \text{ V}$

100% avalanche tested in production

Public
AIMDQ75R025M2H
Final datasheet



SiC MOSFET

CoolSiC™ Automotive Power Device 750 V G2

Built on Infineon's robust 2nd generation Silicon Carbide trench technology, the 750 V CoolSiC™ MOSFET delivers unparalleled performance, superior reliability, and great ease of use. It enables cost effective, highly efficient, and simplified designs to fulfill the ever-growing system and market needs.

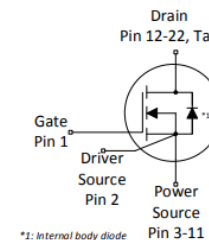
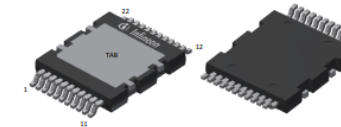
Features

- Highly robust 750V technology, 100% avalanche tested
- Best-in-class $R_{DS(on)} \times Q_{fr}$
- Excellent $R_{DS(on)} \times Q_{oss}$ and $R_{DS(on)} \times Q_G$
- Unique combination of low C_{rss}/C_{iss} and high $V_{GS(th)}$
- Infineon proprietary die attach technology
- Cutting edge TSC package with material group I
- Driver source pin available

Benefits

- Enhanced robustness and reliability for bus voltages beyond 500 V

Q-DPAK



Source: AIMDQ75R025M2H [datasheet](#)

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Avalanche robustness

Robustness

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CoolSiC™ Automotive Power Device 750 V G2
AIMDQ75R025M2H

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Avalanche energy, single pulse	E_{AS}	-	-	230	mJ	$I_D = 8.6\text{ A}$, $V_{DD} = 50\text{ V}$; see table 11
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Robust design

Source: AIMDQ75R025M2H [datasheet](#)

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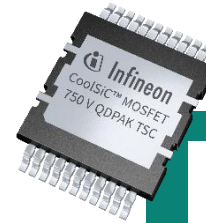
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Avalanche robustness

Short circuit withstand time typ. 2 μs

Short circuit faults

- OBC/DC-DC output short → charger fire
- Inductive load short → line stop
- Motor phase-phase short → traction loss



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Table 5 Static characteristics

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Short-circuit withstand time ⁷⁾	t_{SC}	-	2	-	μs	$V_{DD} = 500 \text{ V}$, $V_{GS} = 18 \text{ V}$, $V_{DS(peak)} < 750 \text{ V}$; $R_{G,ext} = 2.3 \Omega$

Source: AIMDQ75R025M2H [datasheet](#)

High-power converters having S.C ruggedness requirements using SiC MOSFETS detect short-circuit $< 1 \sim 1.5 \mu\text{s}$

- via precision current sensing and Microcontroller
- or integrated gate-driver desaturation (DESAT) protection.

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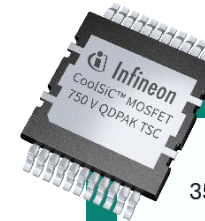
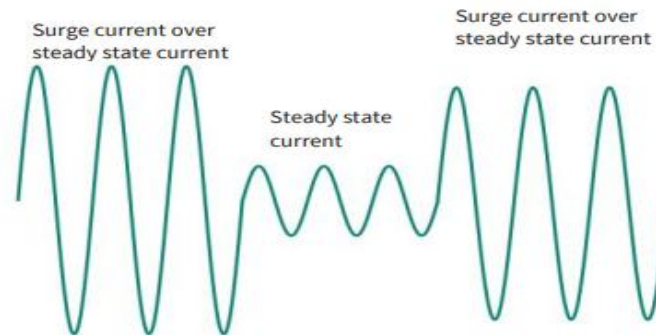
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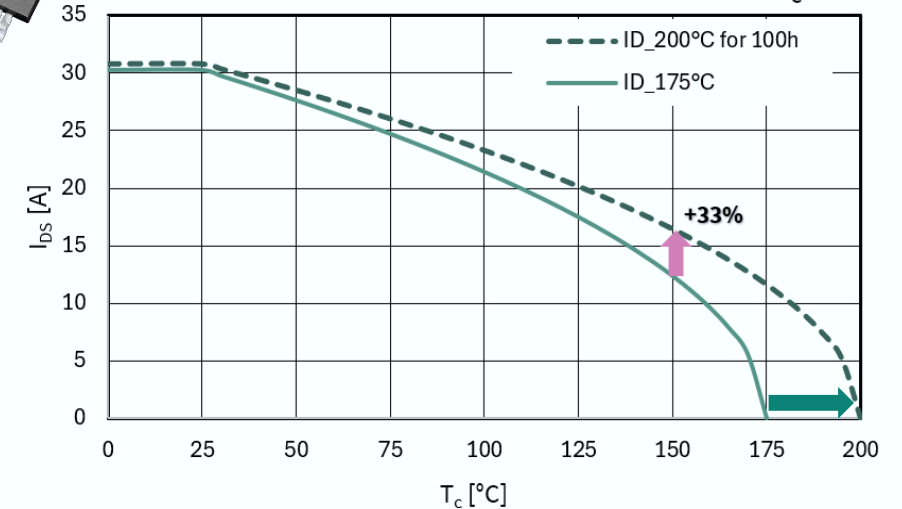
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Robustness in overload operation up to $T_{vj} = 200^\circ\text{C}$



Max. DC drain current as a function of T_c



Source: [Application Note- AN125027](#) CoolSiC™ 750 V G2 automotive MOSFET

Thermal excellence enabled by .XT interconnection



Der Deutsche
Innovationspreis



Synergies between the chip
and its package

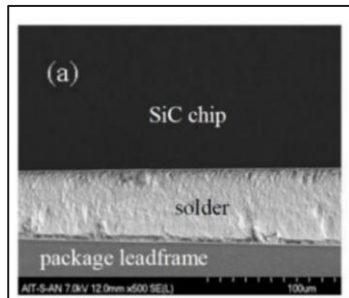
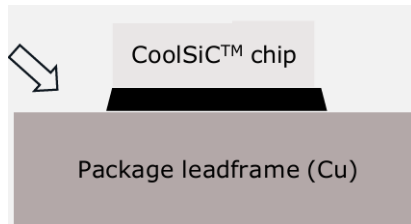


technology benefits

Improved thermal conductivity &
reliability performance*



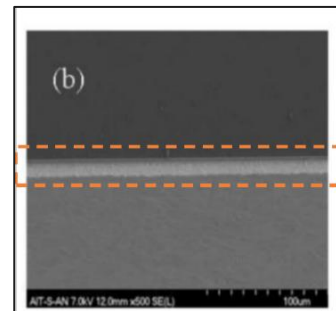
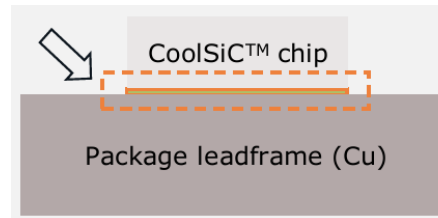
Standard interconnection



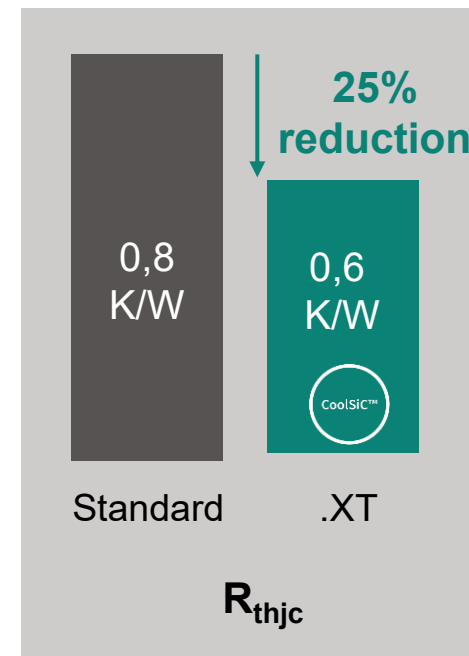
Standard
soldering



Interconnection

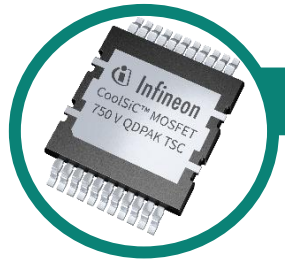


Elimination of solder
joint through
diffusion soldering

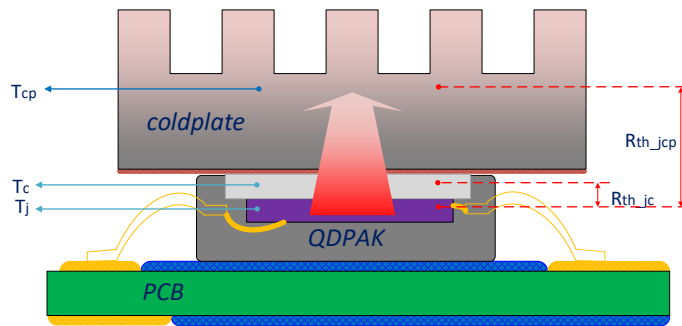


*at same form factor

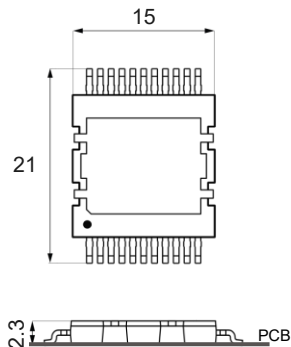
Top-side-cooling enables optimal mechanical cooling design, reduces manufacturing and BOM cost significantly



Q-DPAK TSC



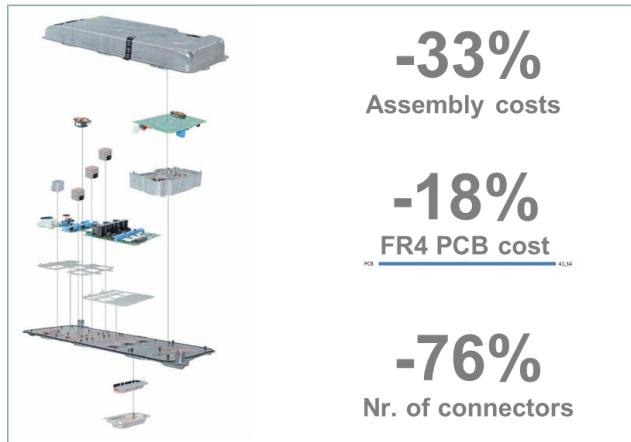
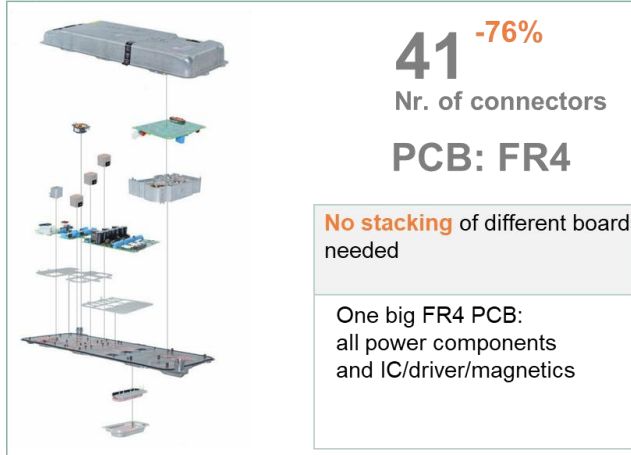
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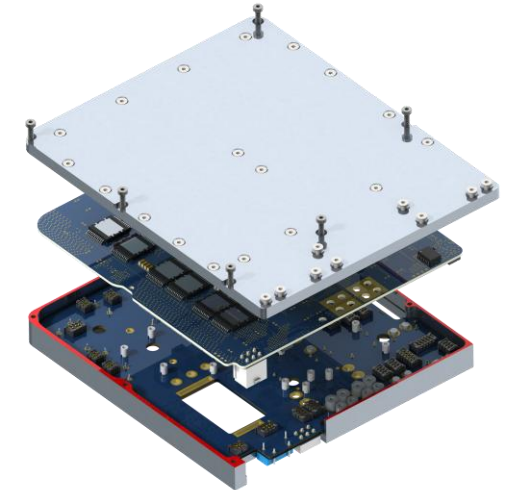
Note: All dimension in millimeters



Simplified assembly



*Based on A2mac teardown reports
C Segment passenger car, Production year 2020, 11kW OBC



Thermal & electrical performance



Increased power density



PCB layout flexibility



Manufacturing advantage



Stability and system lifetime

Easy-of-use

CoolSiC™ G2 offers high immunity against parasitic turn-on



Unipolar gate driving



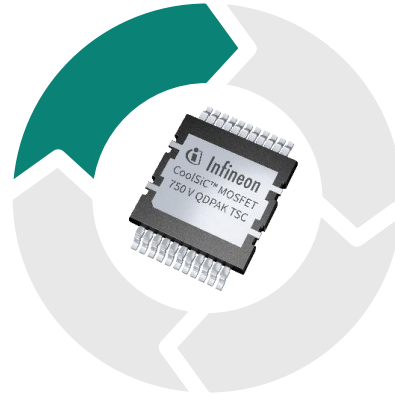
50% less driving BoM cost



Less design complexity

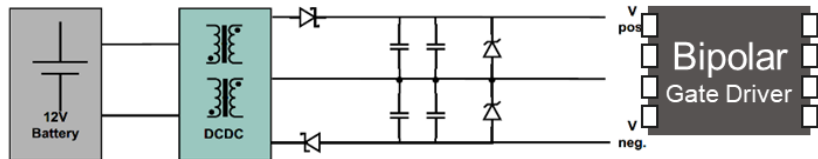


Bootstrap configuration



Negative gate voltage turn-off

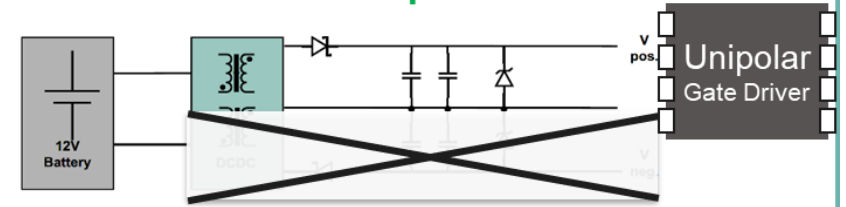
10 components



- ✓ - 50% BOM & Space
- ✓ Less complex transformer

0V gate voltage turn-off

5 components





Unipolar gate driving

50% less driving BoM cost

Less design complexity

Bootstrap configuration



Extended driving voltage range



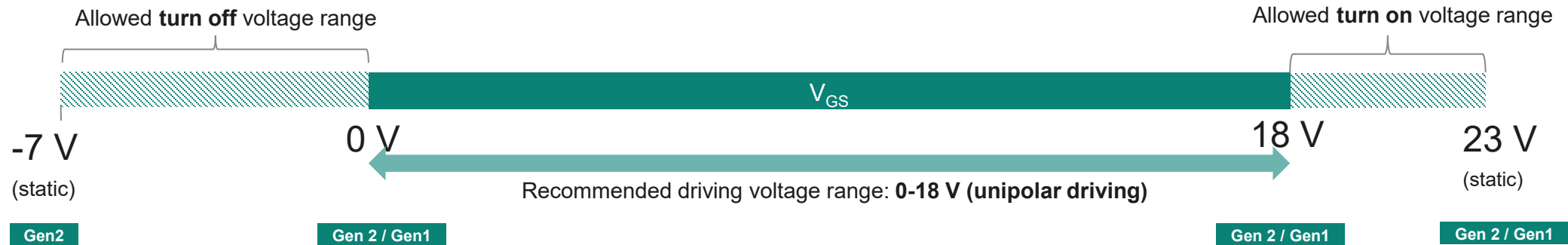
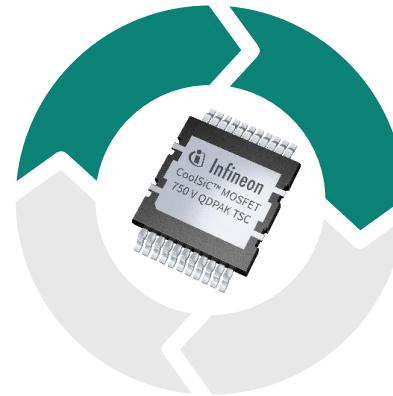
Higher flexibility



Higher design margin



Best 2nd source compatibility



Easy-of-Use

A scalable portfolio with high granularity



Unipolar gate driving

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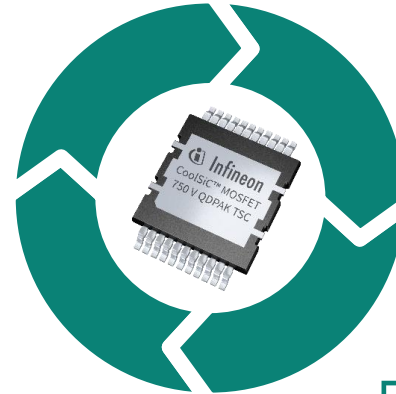


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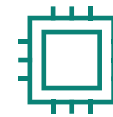
Maximum $R_{DS(on)}$ at $T_j = 150^{\circ}\text{C}$ in DS



Reduced over-stacking design margin



More cost/performance efficient design



A more granular portfolio with Best-in-class $R_{DS(on)}$ 4 m Ω



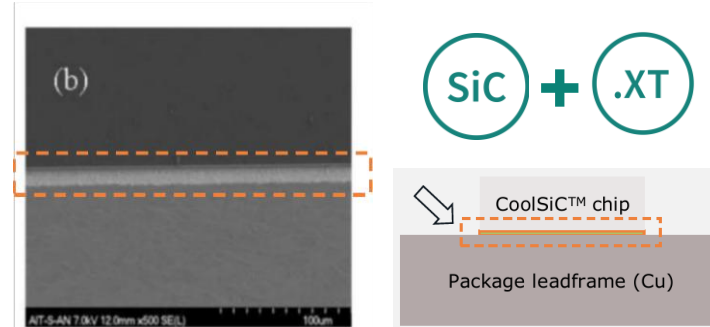
More selection of R_{dson} s



Less conduction loss

Superior Infineon Automotive Quality starting from the technology design

Design



Gate oxide reliability
Video available [here](#)

Avalanche capability

**Wide V_{GS} range with
0 V turn-off V_{GS}**

**Robustness against
parasitic turn-on**

Short circuit capability

Patented .XT technology

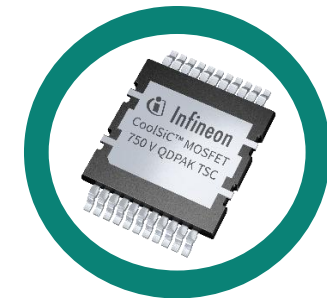
High $V_{GS(th)} \geq 4.5$ V

High breakdown voltage

**Extended junction
temperature**

**40 years of automotive experience
>100 Infineon Automotive Design Rules**

Robust Automotive Technology



CoolSiC™

Superior Infineon Automotive Quality through stringent qualification process



Quality Excellence



Qualification



Harsher qualification
>AEC Q101



Risk mitigation
measures

Application driven
mission profiles



CoolSiC™

AEC Q101

Superior Infineon Automotive Quality throughout the production



Quality Excellence



Production



Gate oxide screening

Statistical bin alarm (SBA)

Part average test (PA)

Y_B screening

100% avalanche testing in BE implemented
When specified in the datasheets

Rdson at HOT tested in BE implemented
when specified in the datasheets



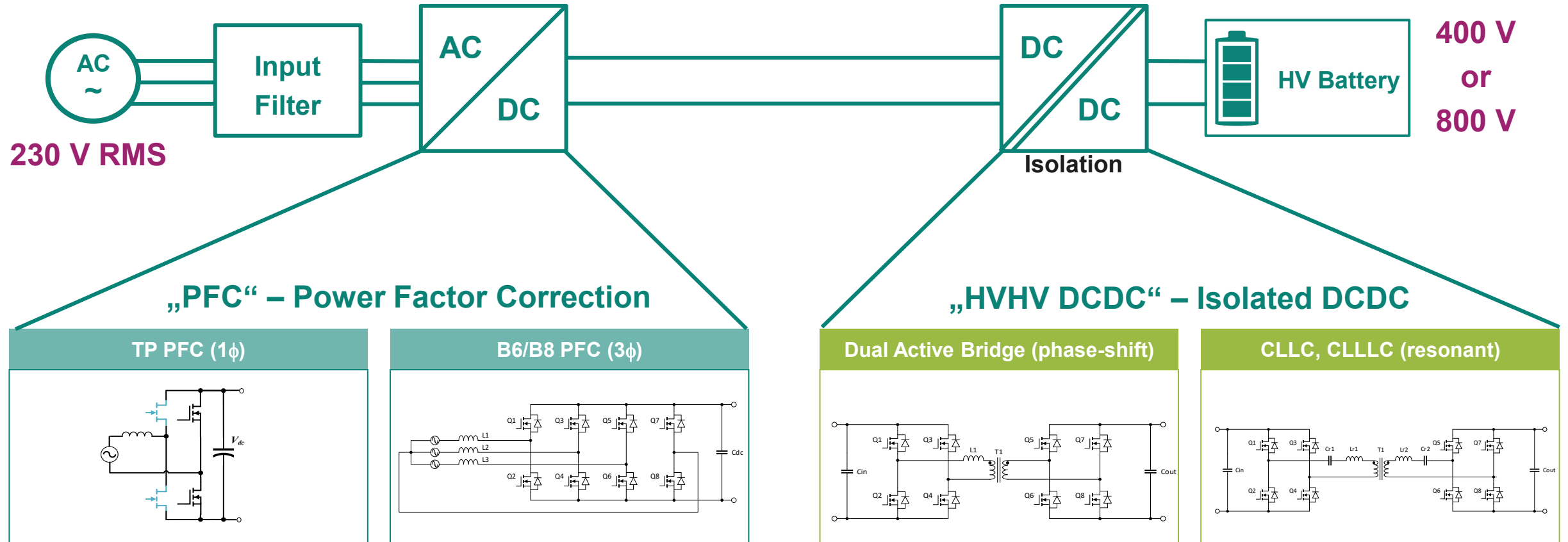
Zero

systematic technology or assembly issues in
the last 7 Years for

>42M parts shipped

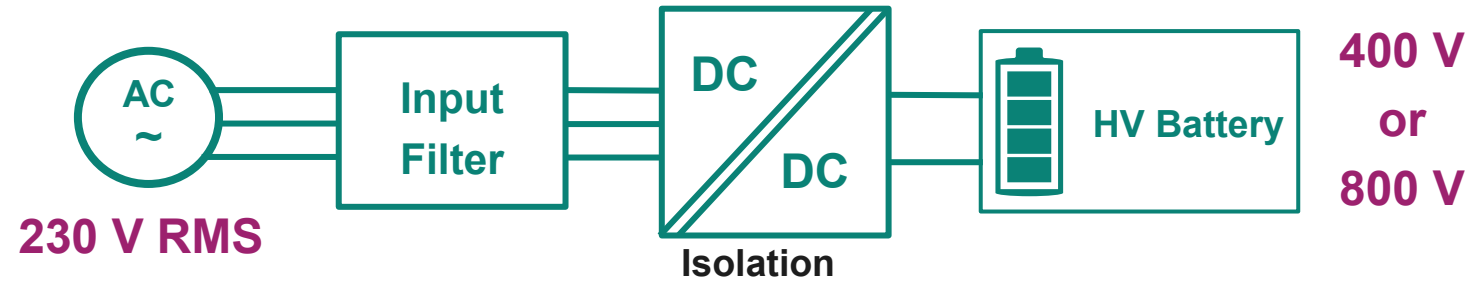
in automotive and industrial applications

On-board Charger (OBC) basic architecture today is based on 2-stage power conversions topologies

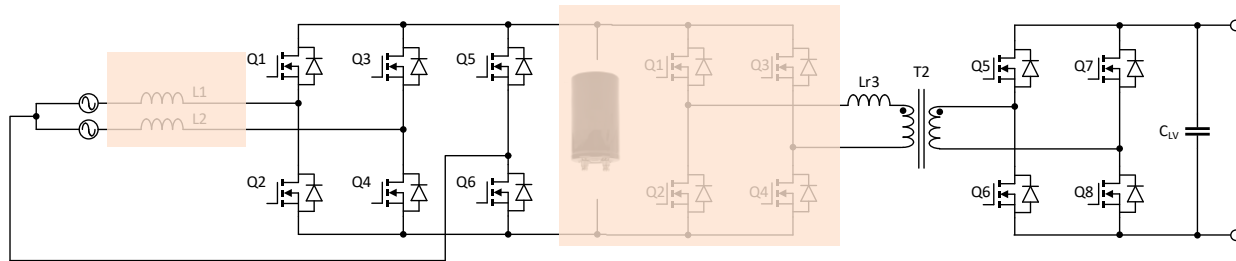
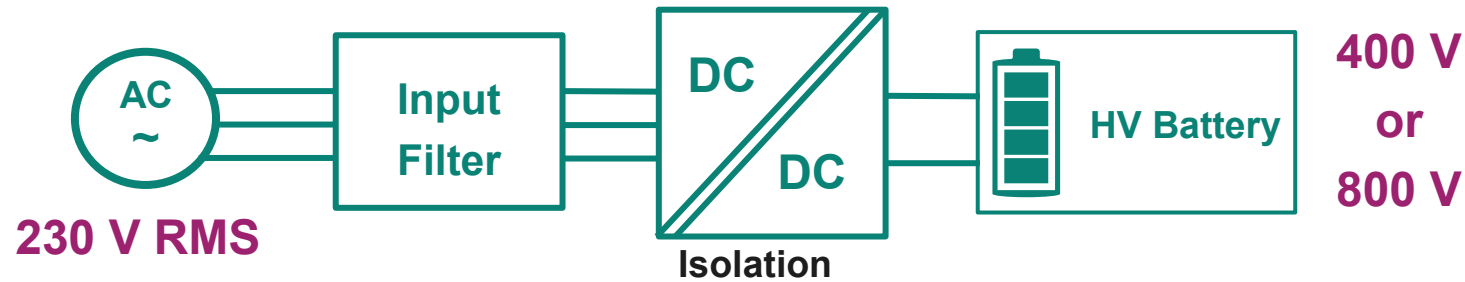


- Typical power class: 3.3 kW (single phase) / 6.6 kW (single phase) / 11 kW (3 phase) / 22 kW (3 phase)
- Variation of power, AC phase, bi-directionality add complexity
- Topology selection depends on several input and output parameter

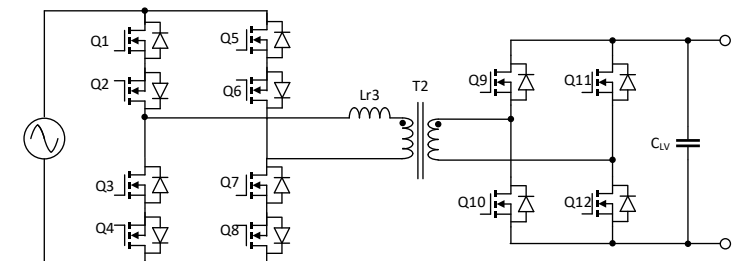
On-board Charger (OBC) simplification by Single Stage Converter?



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Traditional two stages OBC
(PFC + HV/HV DCDC)



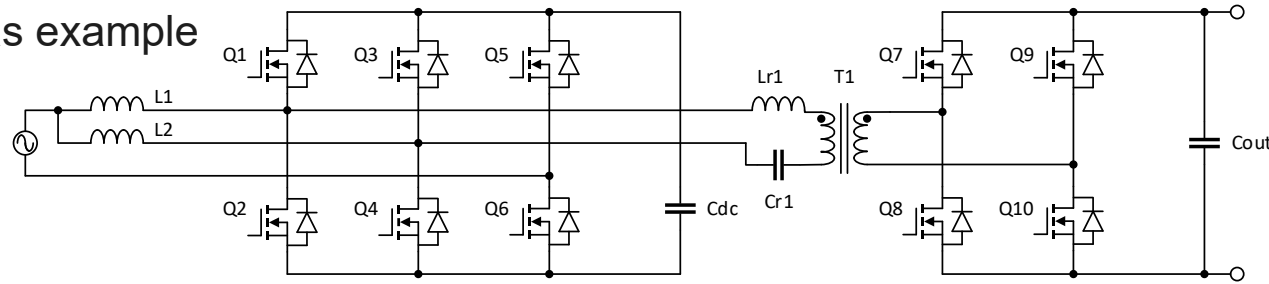
1-phase Single Stage Matrix Converter

**Saving of PFC inductors and
DC link capacitors (no pre-charge)**

Single stage topologies are gaining market shares and we see basically 2 main ones being of interest: iBiDAB/LLC and Matrix

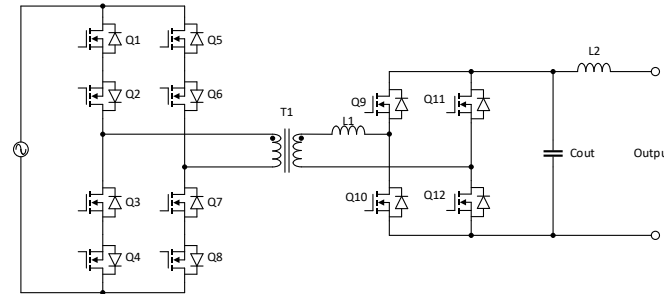
Quasi-single - stage iBiDAB / iBiLLC

– iBiDAB as example



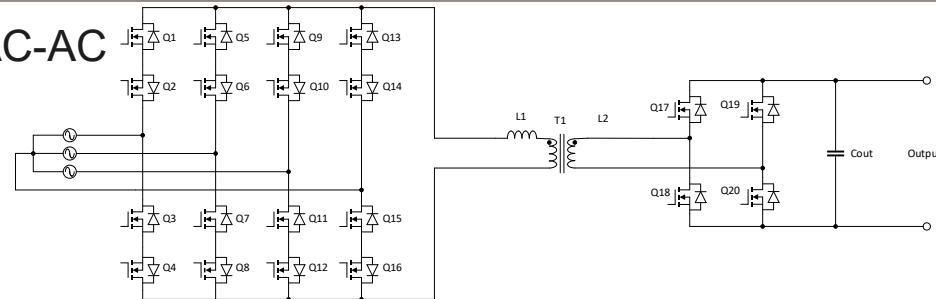
Single-stage Matrix 1-phase

– Single-phase AC-AC



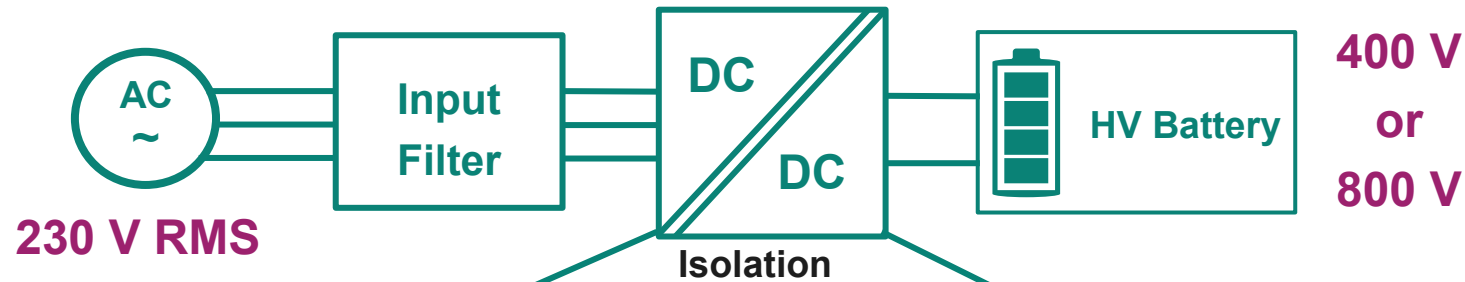
Single-stage Matrix 3-phase

– 3-phase to 1-phase AC-AC



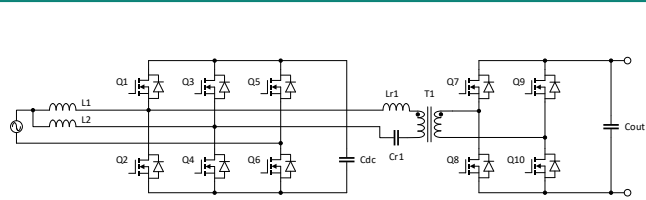
* Simplified topology drawings

Single Stage Converter simplify the system and enable higher reliability, increased power density and system cost reduction

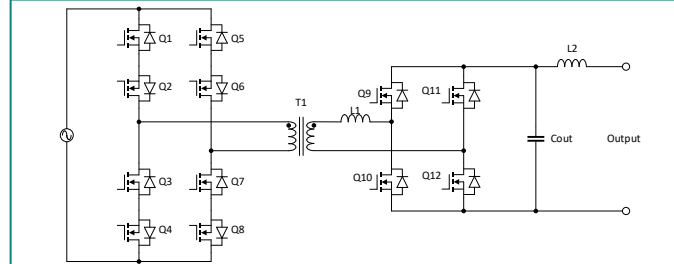


Isolated Single Stage Converter Topologies

Qasi-Single Stage iBiDAB/iBiLLC

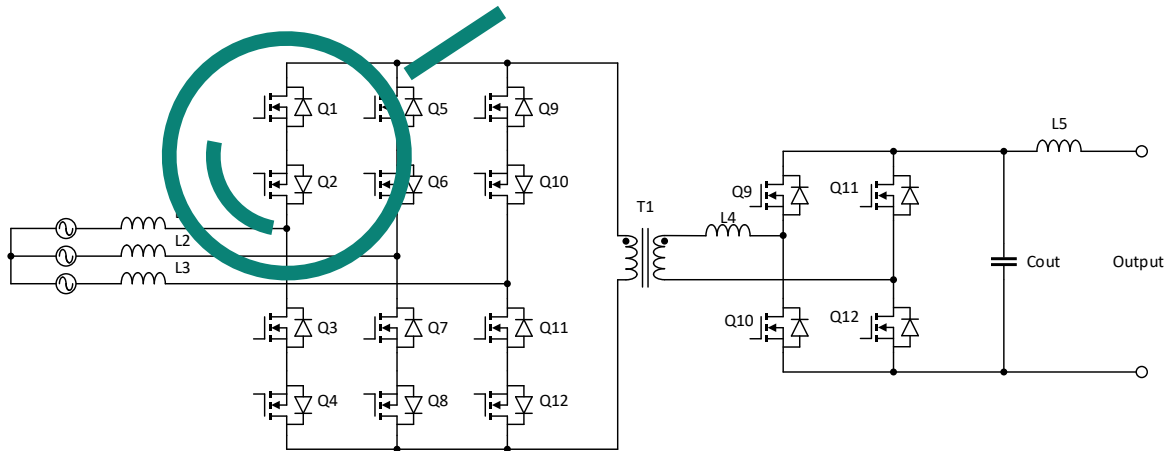


True Single Stage Matrix Converter



- ✓ Simplified system structure and lower part count
- ✓ Saving of PFC inductors and DC link capacitors (no pre-charge)
- ✓ System level benefits:
 - higher reliability
 - Increased power density
 - reduced system cost

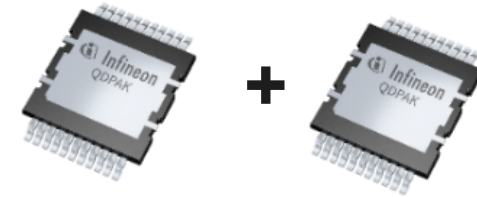
For the matrix converter there are several implementation options for the realization of the back-to-back switches



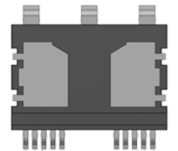
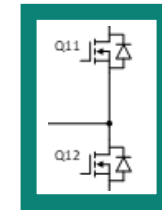
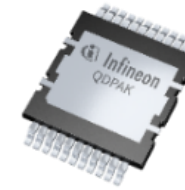
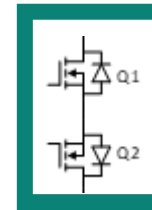
Single Stage – Matrix Converter

Implementation options

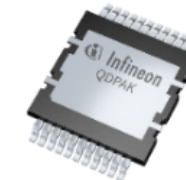
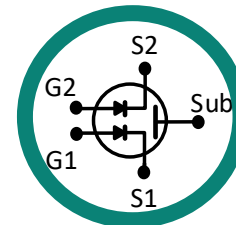
2 discrete switches



2 discrete switches in one package

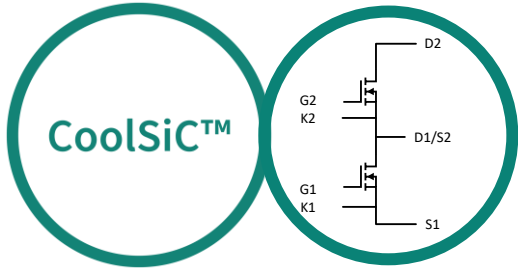


1 discrete bidirectional GaN switch

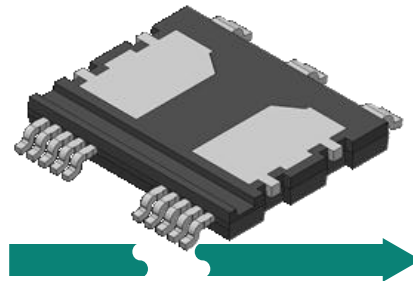


CoolSiC™ H-DPAK Half-bridge

a new top-sided cooling package embedded with latest CoolSiC™



- › **CoolSiC™ technology**
- › **Dual-die in half-bridge configuration**
- › **Dual independent channels**
- › **In H-DPAK Top-sided cooling**
- › **Thermal excellence with .XT technology**
- › Creepage and clearance compliant
- › **Standard 2.3mm package thickness as Infineon Q-DPAK and TOLT.**

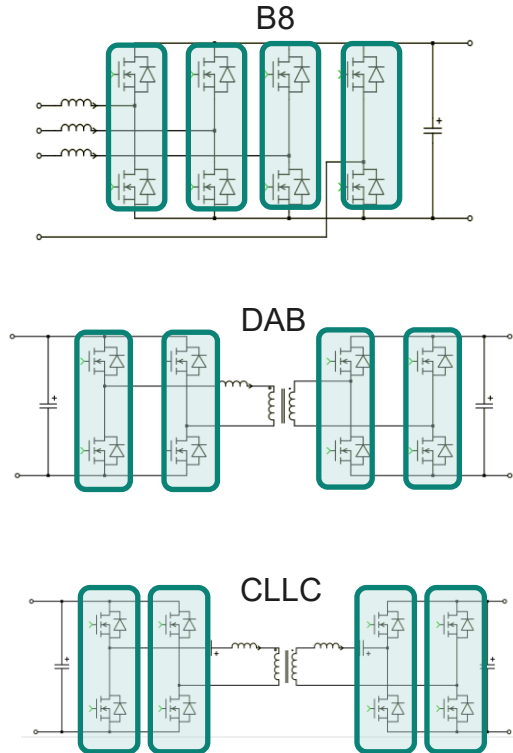


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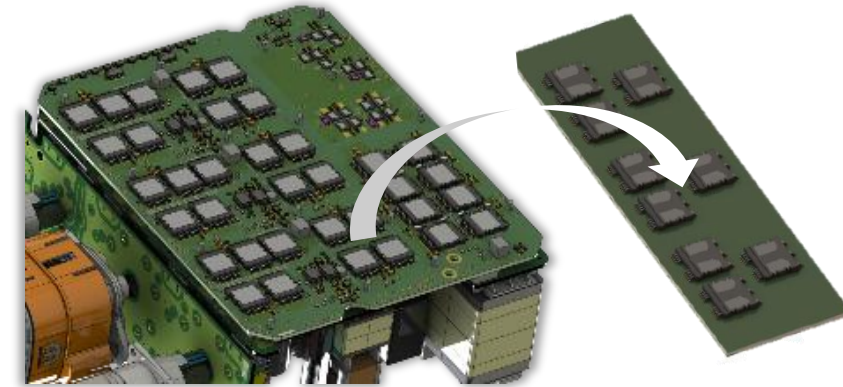
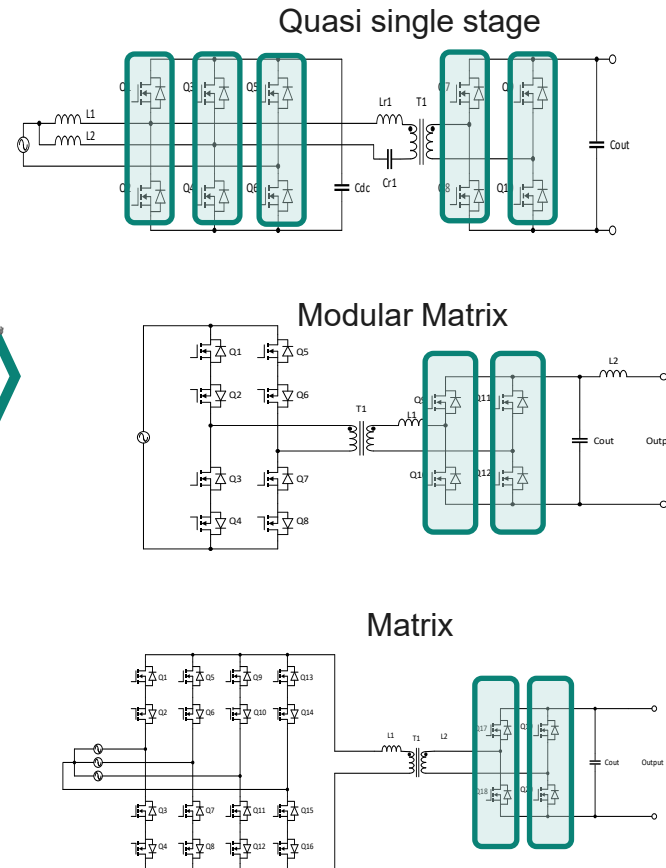
- ✓ **Increase power density and integration:** higher PCB utilization **>15% less PCB area** compared to Q-DPAK
- ✓ **Improve switching performance:** **4x reduced parasitic inductance*** enables higher efficiency
* Compared with TO247-4
- ✓ **Reduce BoM cost:** saving on the devices level compared to Q-DPAK and less PCB material cost
- ✓ **Reduce design efforts and assembly efforts** by replacing two discretes
- ✓ **High scalability with CoolSiC™ MOSFETs 750 V to 1200 V**

Half-bridge as a fundamental cell in the one-stage and two-stage converters addressing various topologies for OBC

Two - stage



Single - stage

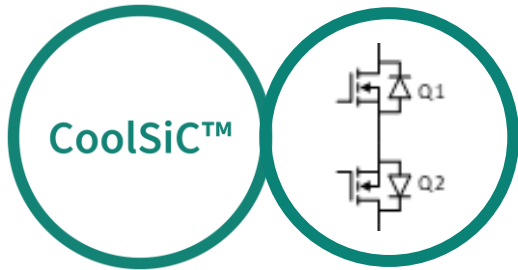


High power density

Lower system cost



CoolSiC™ Q-DPAK bidirectional-switch unlocks the power density by enabling bidirectionality in TSC



- › CoolSiC™ technology
- › Dual-die common drain connected
- › Dual independent channels
- › Bidirectional switching
- › In Q-DPAK Top-sided cooling
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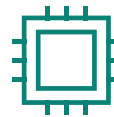
Unparalleled switching performance

- Unparalleled **switching performance** to enable higher efficiency



Exclusive robustness

- **Highly robust 750 V technology** with $V_{(BR)DSS} = 840 \text{ V}$, fit for $V_{bus} > 500$
- Robust avalanche capability, **100% avalanche tested in production**
- Robust **overload operation** up to $T_{vj} = 200^\circ\text{C}$ for 100 h
- **Short circuit withstand time** typ. 2µs
- **200 V/ns dv/dt** ruggedness



Best chip and package interconnect thru .XT

- R_{thjc} excellence and **mechanical robustness**



Ease of use

- **Voltage driven device** (with EiceDRIVER™)
- **Unipolar gate driving** enables the driving BoM cost saving up to 50% and **bootstrap configuration**
- Increased flexibility on driving voltage with **wider $V_{gs(static)}$ -7 V to 23 V**

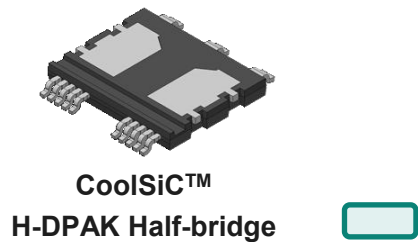


Premium quality

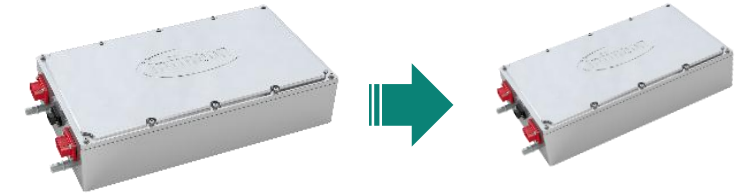
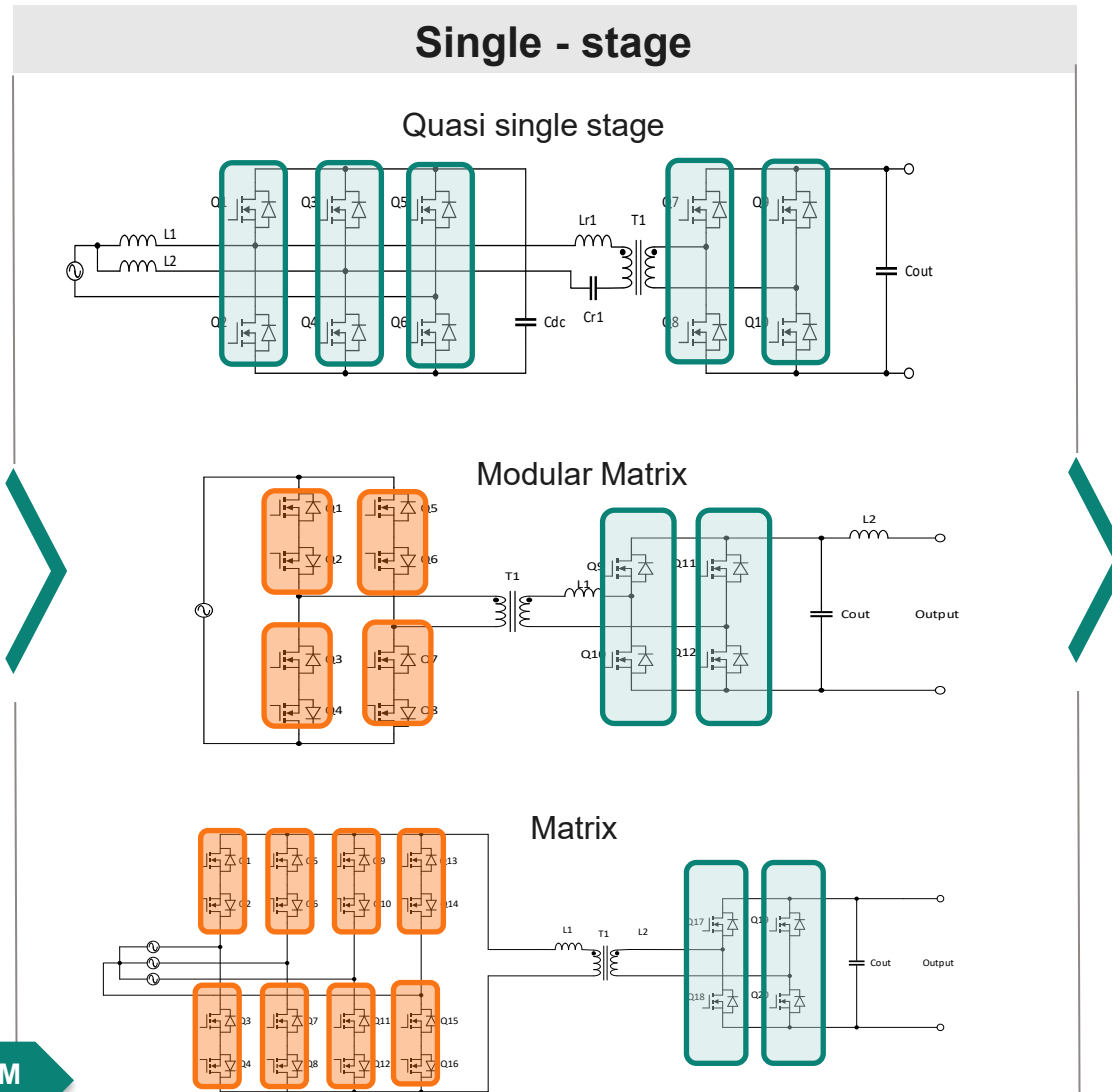
- **beyond AECQ-101** with outstanding reliability for automotive products

New CoolSiC™ devices- Bidirectional-switch & Half-bridge

enable the single-stage converter with a mature and robust CoolSiC™ technology



Powered by CoolSiC™



Higher power density



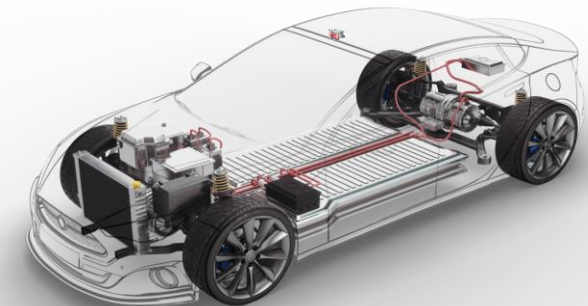
Lower system costs



Robust design w. reliability



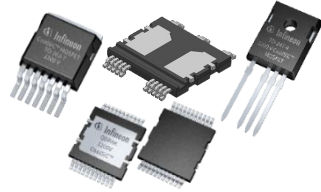
High charging efficiency



We address all key functional blocks of On-board Charger (OBC), with specialized product portfolios

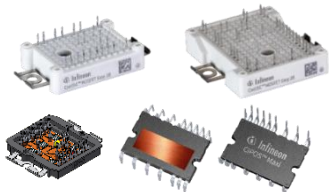
Functional Block Diagram

Power Discrete

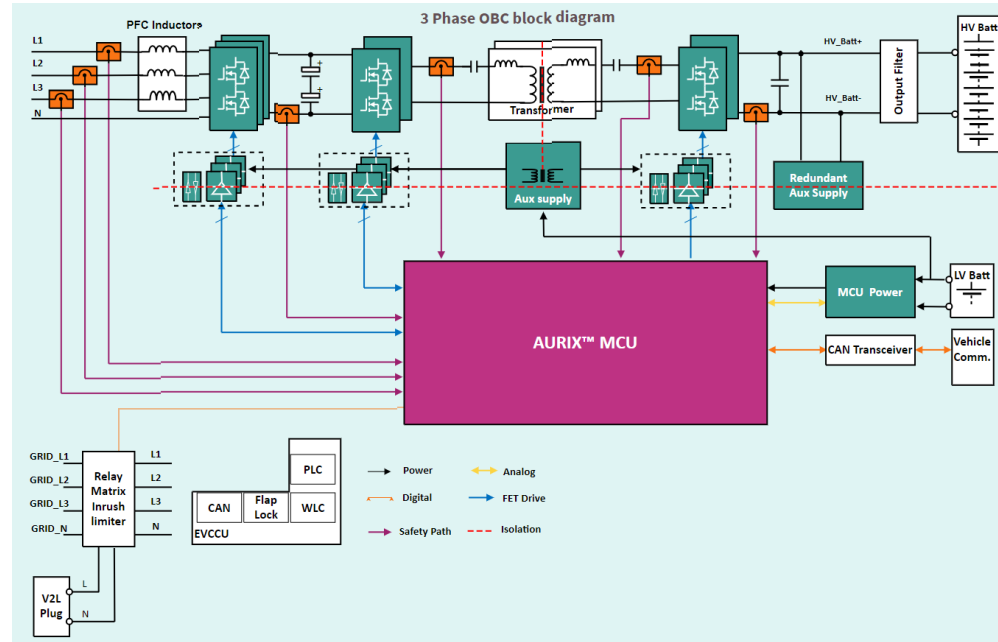


CoolMOS, IGBT, CoolSiC and CoolGaN (650V, 750V, 1200V, 1700V, various $R_{ds(on)}$)

Power Module



Easy and Moulded Modules (650V, 750V, 1200V, various $R_{ds(on)}$)



Microcontroller



AURIX™ Microcontroller
TC2xx, TC3xx, TC4xx

OptiREG PMIC



Microcontroller PMIC
TLF3558x

Gate Driver



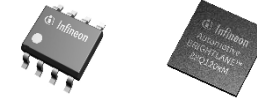
EICEDRIVER™ Gate Drivers
(1ch, 2ch)

Current Sensor



XENSIVE™
Magnetic Current Sensor / TMR
TLE497x, TLE557x

Connectivity



- CAN transceivers TLE935x
- BRIGHTLANE™ Ethernet Solutions

Recap: Infineon's SiC solutions for power conversion

Enabling customers to design simple, robust, efficient & cost effective



xEV Market and OBC trend



Key technical trends and cost-down are the **main drivers for the new topologies towards single stage**, technology and package innovation

CoolSiC™ with high quality & robustness



Our superior CoolSiC™ trench technology + Infineon SiC quality extension guarantee device with **best-in-class switching performance**, **exclusive robustness** and **long-term reliability**

New CoolSiC™ devices- BDS & Half-bridge



Addressing the single-stage converter with a **mature CoolSiC™** technology, enabling **high power density**, **system cost-down** when securing **high performance with robustness** over system lifetime.



Check out our additional information to get a deeper understanding of On-Board Charger (OBC) and HV-LV DC/DC applications



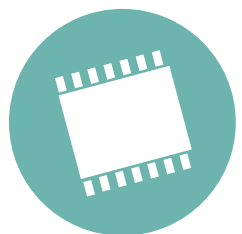
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