



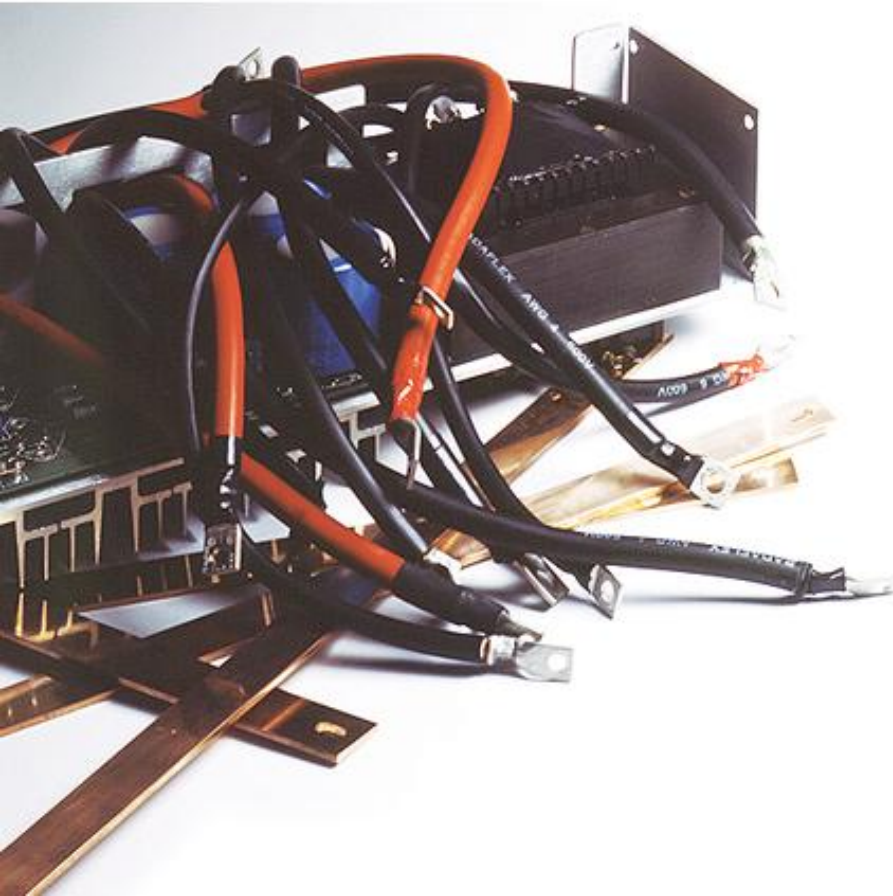
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Density, Efficiency & Innovation in Airborne/Defense Power Supplies

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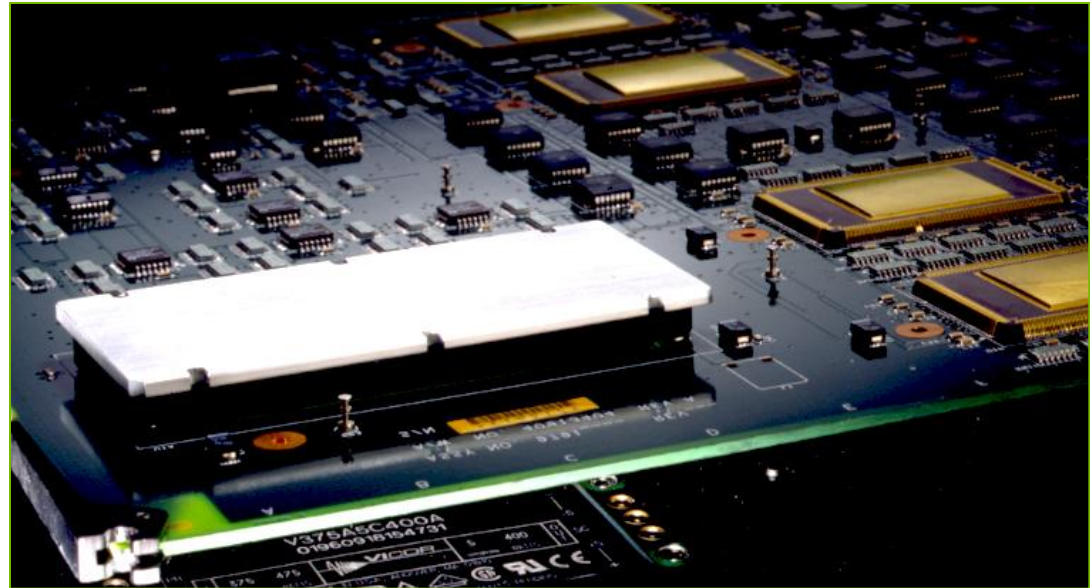
Power conversion needed to:

- › Be closer to the point of load
- › Meet an increasing number of load requirements (voltages, currents, controls)
- › Be designed concurrently with the end equipment

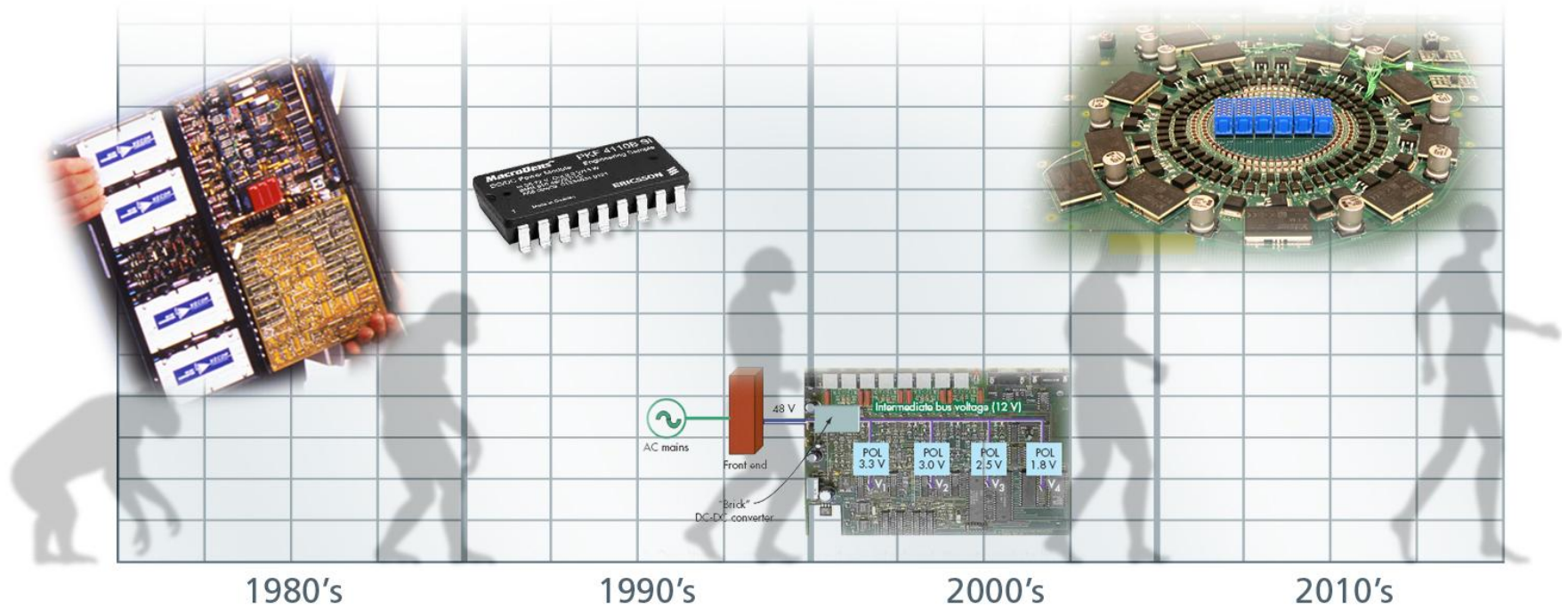
Dawn of the Power Component Age

Power Components must be:

- › **Efficient**
- › **Dense**
- › **Flexible**
- › **Scalable**
- › **Cost effective**
- › **Reliable**
- › **Low Noise Generating**
- › **High Noise Immunity**



Evolution of Power Components within Power Systems

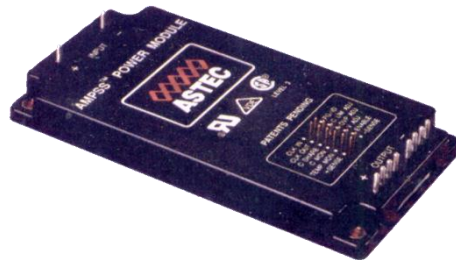


Progress in Power Component Functionality and Figures of Merit (FOM)

- **Functionality**
- **Power density**
- **Efficiency**
- **Heat density**
- **Noise Generation**
- **Reliability**
- **Noise Immunity**

Evolving Power Component Functionality Over Time

1980's 1990's 2000's 2010's



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VI Chip BCM



PRM/VTM



PFM

AC-DC PFC
Boost Regulators



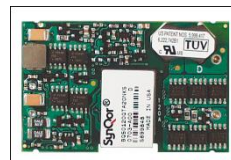
300V DC-DC
Converter



MacroDens



PoL Regulators



Open Frame DC-DC
Converter



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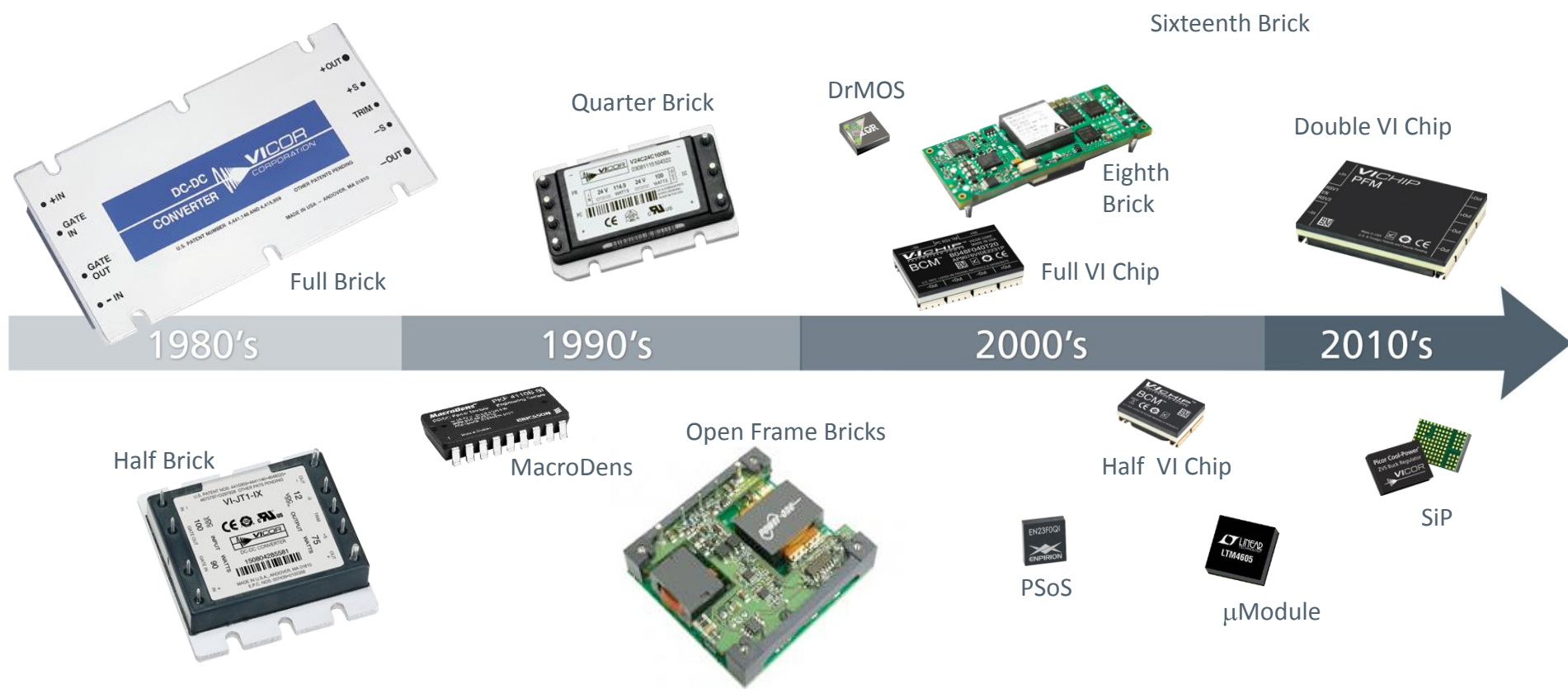


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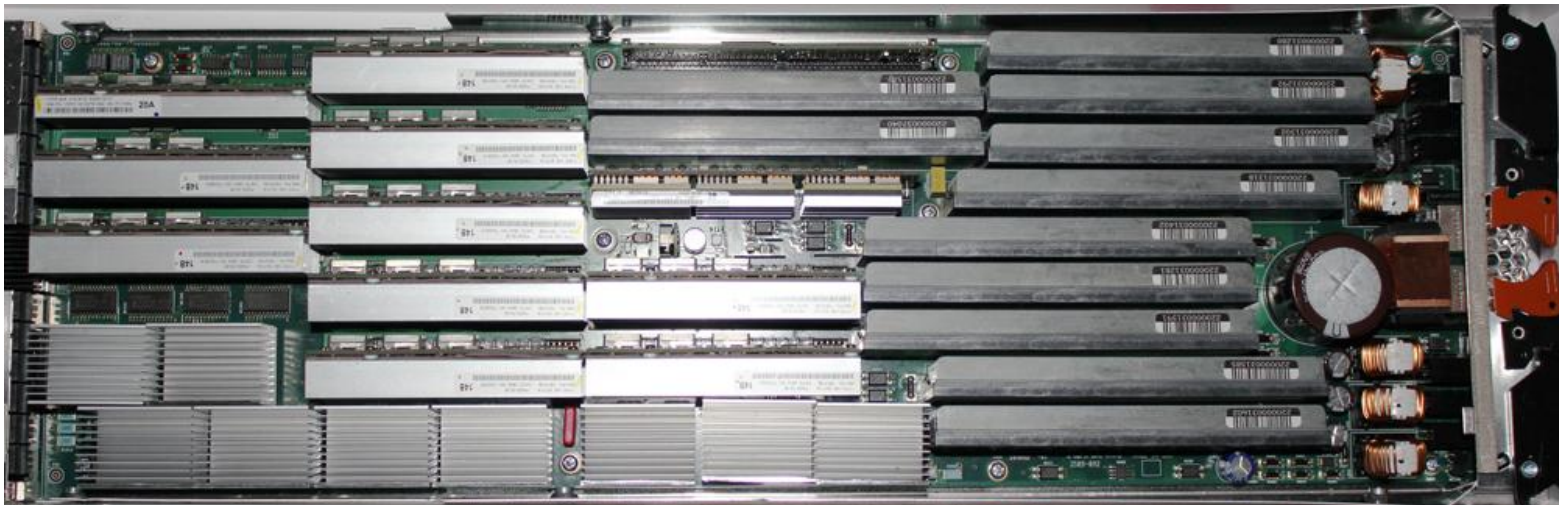


98% Efficient
48V Bus Converter

Power Component Package Evolution



Power Components have evolved from early Bricks



Where do we go from here?

Power Component Advances are Enabled by Package Technology

- **Integrated magnetics**
- **Over-molding supports adept thermal management and safety insulation**
- **Chip-scale power semiconductors and ASICs**
- **High Density IC substrates**
- **SMD and Thru Hole package options**
- **Flexible mechanical mounting**
- **3D thermal management**

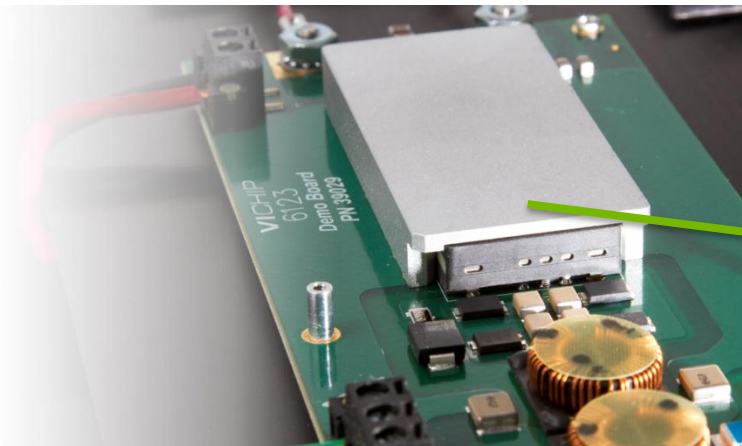
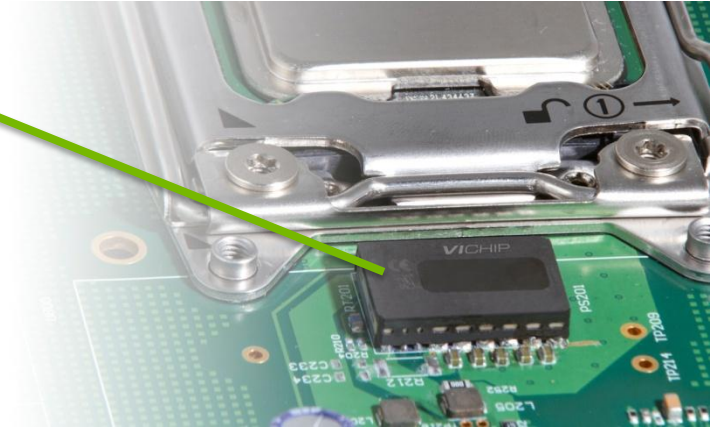
Introducing “ChiP” (Converter housed in Package) Technology

- › Integrated magnetics panel over-molded above/below HDIC substrate
- › ChiP sawn from panel to expose lateral interconnect terminals



1323 VTM Current Multiplier ChiP
24X , Up to 180 A, 96.5% peak 48V to 2V

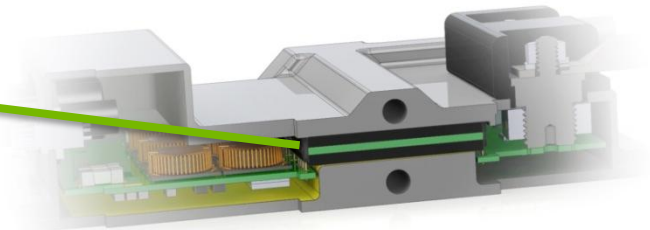
1323 VTM Current Multiplier ChiP
Supplying Processor from 48V Bus
(No PoL Bulk Capacitors)

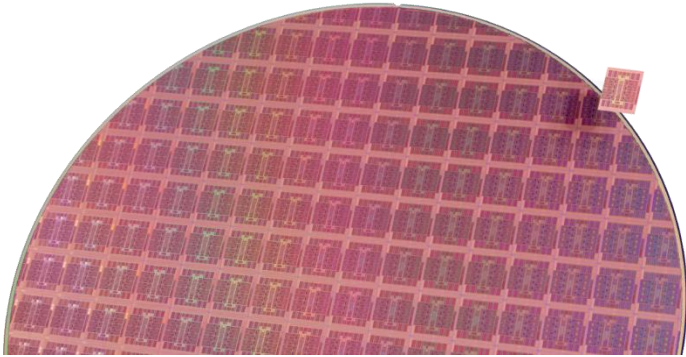


6123 PFM AC-DC ChiP
Up to 400 W at 48V or 24V

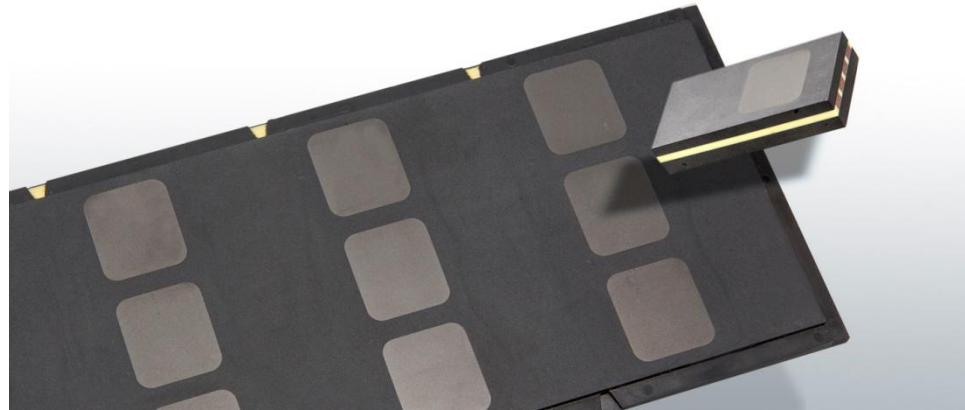
4623 DCM DC-DC ChiP
180V to 420V Input
12V Output at up to 600W

Liquid Cooled Automotive Power Module





Information Processors Are Sawn Out of Scalable Wafers

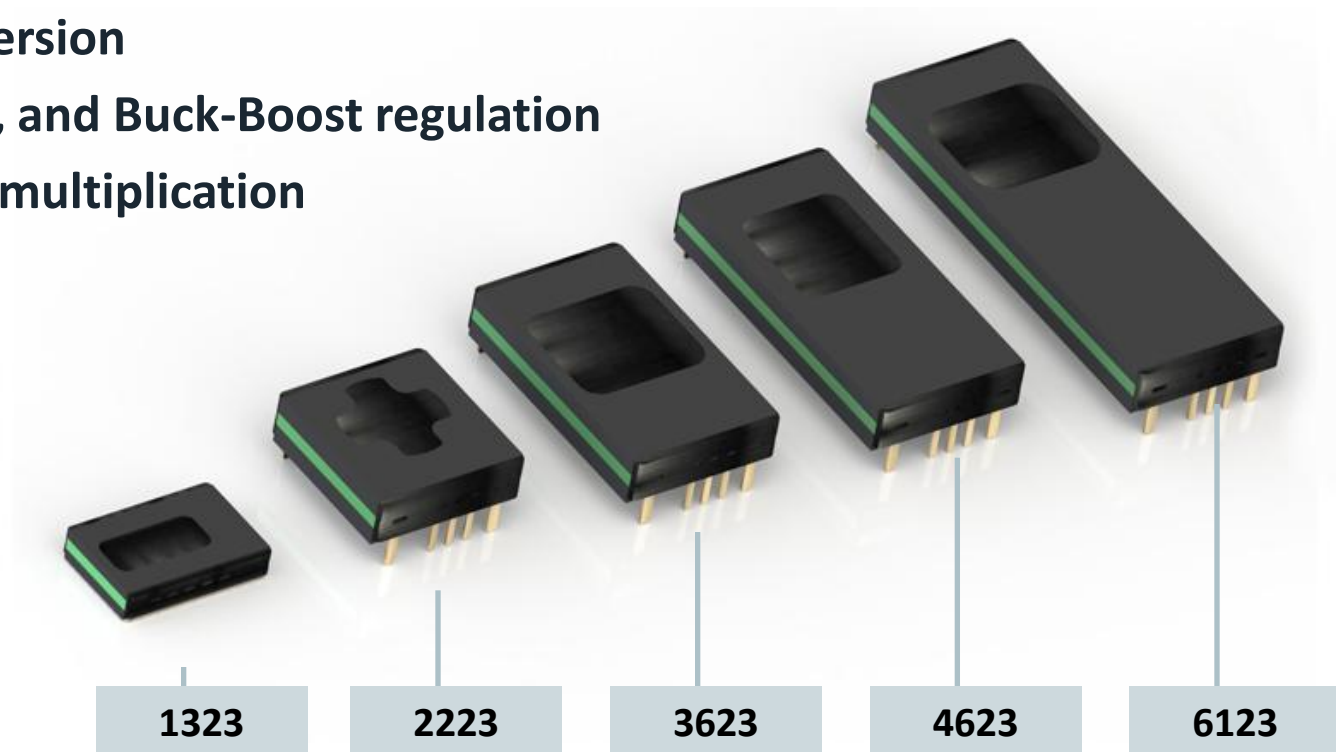


ChiP Power Components Are Sawn Out of Scalable Magnetic Panels

A Growing Lineup of ChiPs standardized packaging similar to semiconductor industry

ChiP Technology is Flexible

- AC-DC with PFC
- Isolated bus conversion
- DC-DC conversion
- Buck, Boost, and Buck-Boost regulation
- PoL current multiplication



ChiP Technology is Scalable

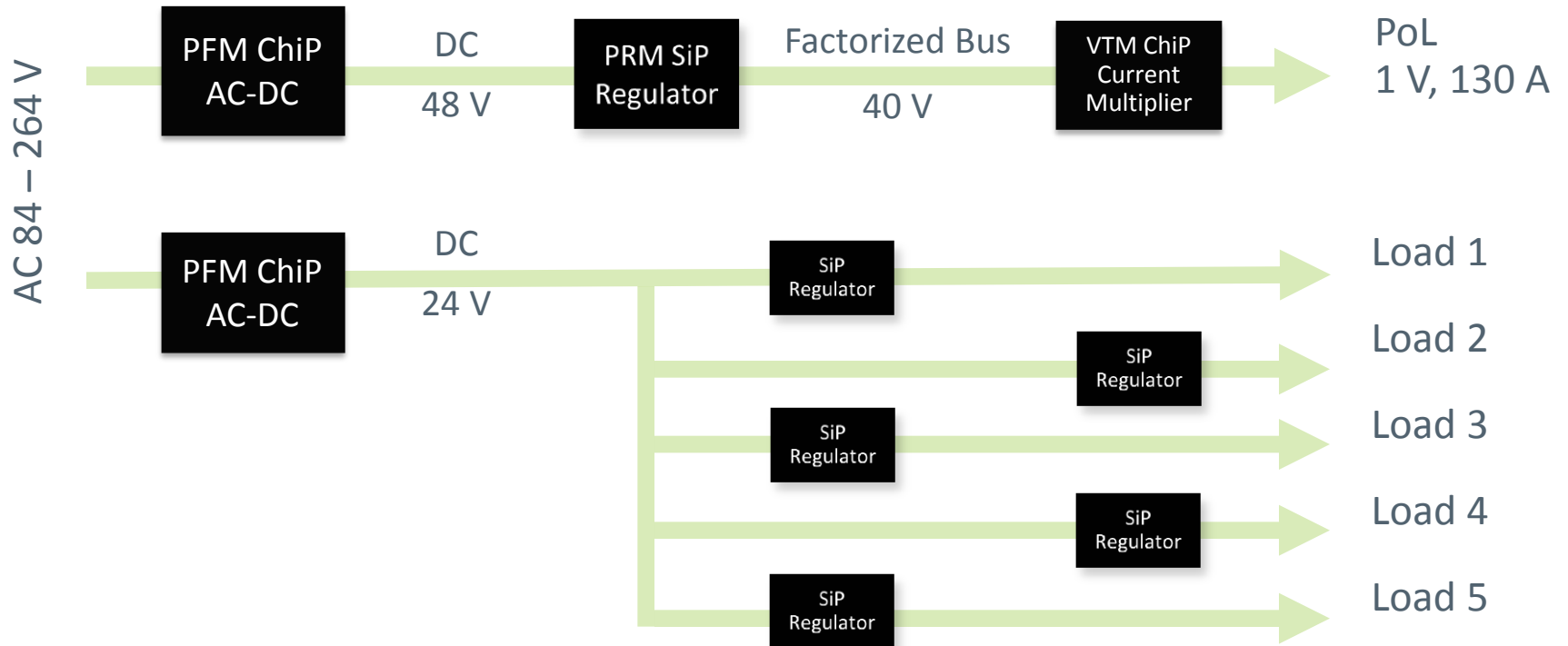
- From 4.7 mm thin
- 0623 to 6123 and expanding
- Up to 180 A
- Up to 430 V and rising
- Up to 1.5 kW and rising

ChiP Technology Sets Higher Standards

- Up to 3 kW/in³ power density
- Up to 850 W/in² area density
- Up to 98% efficiency



Architecting Power Systems with ChiPs and SiPs



Advanced Topologies and Architectures

VI Chip Technology

▪ **Advanced Engines**

- Enable high efficiency and superior power density
- Switching frequency > 1Mhz
- Maximize efficiency of power silicon
 - HV Adaptive Cell topologies cut V•I requirements
 - LV Current Multipliers cut Vds requirements

▪ **Advanced architecture (FPA) minimizes power distribution loss**

- Dense, efficient energy storage at 48V
- No Bulk Caps at the PoL
- Highest current density at the PoL frees up precious real estate

▪ **Superior modular product line with high barriers to entry in an otherwise competitive and commoditized market**

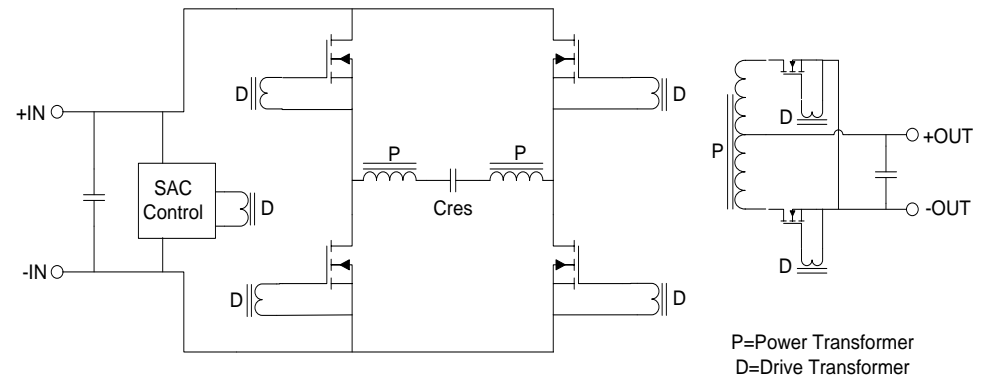
- Substantial IP portfolio covers architectures, topologies, internal components, control, etc...
 - From the AC or HV Bus to the PoL (LV, high current)
 - AC – DC and DC – DC

▪ **“Young” technology continues to raise the efficiency and density bars**

- Power loss cut by 25% every 2 years
- Power density increased by 25% every 2 years

VI Chip Engines : Sine Amplitude Converter (SAC)

- Proportional amplitude
- Fixed (resonant) frequency
- Inherently Bi-directional
- ZVS, ZCS (No switching loss)
- ~100% duty cycle down to < 0.5V
- Cycle-by-cycle transient response
 - Negligible intermediary energy storage
- 2X transient current capability
- Thermally (not power) limited
 - Higher efficiency → higher power
- Continuing opportunities
 - Efficiency
 - Density

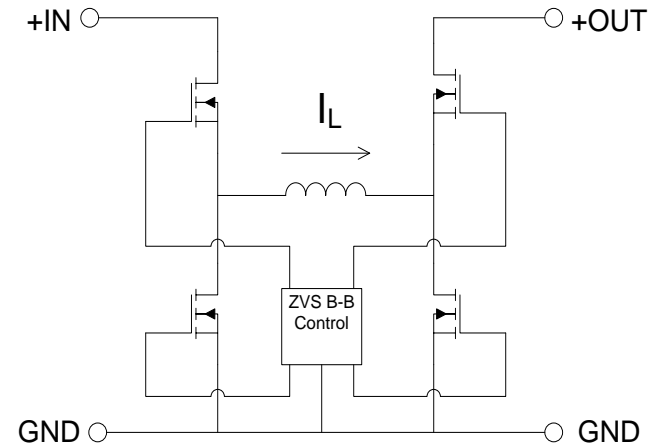


48V /1.5 V VTM Peak Efficiency and Current Density

Patents: 6,930,893; 7,145,786; 6,911,848; 6,934,166; etc.

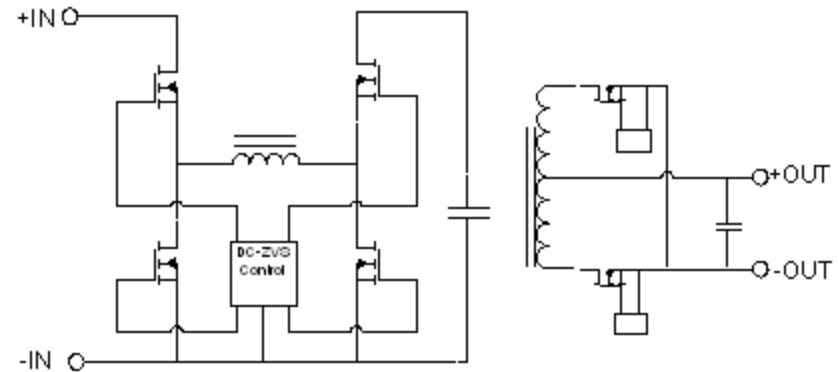
VI Chip Engines : ZVS Buck-Boost (ZVS BB)

- ZVS Buck-Boost control architecture
- Negligible switching loss at high voltage and high frequency
- Voltage step-up OR step-down
- Universal engine cycle
- Small inductor
- Present 48V regulator efficiency: 97%
- Density: 1.4 kW/in³
- Future HV (300V) capability



VI Chip Engines : DC-ZVS

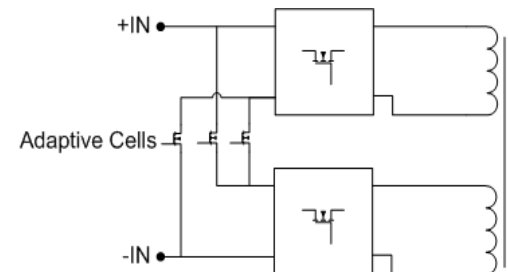
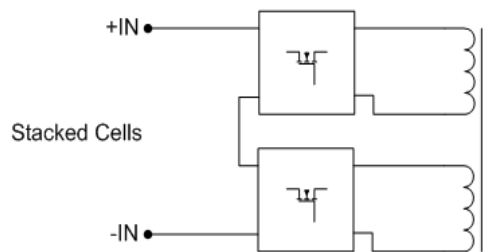
- Proprietary ZVS control architecture
- Negligible switching loss at high voltage and high frequency
- Wide input/output dynamic range
- Universal engine cycle
- Small transformer
- Initial 48V DC-DC efficiency: 94% at 850 W/in³
- Initial 300V DC-DC efficiency: 94% at 850 W/in³



Stacked Cells / Adaptively configured cells

Stacked Cells

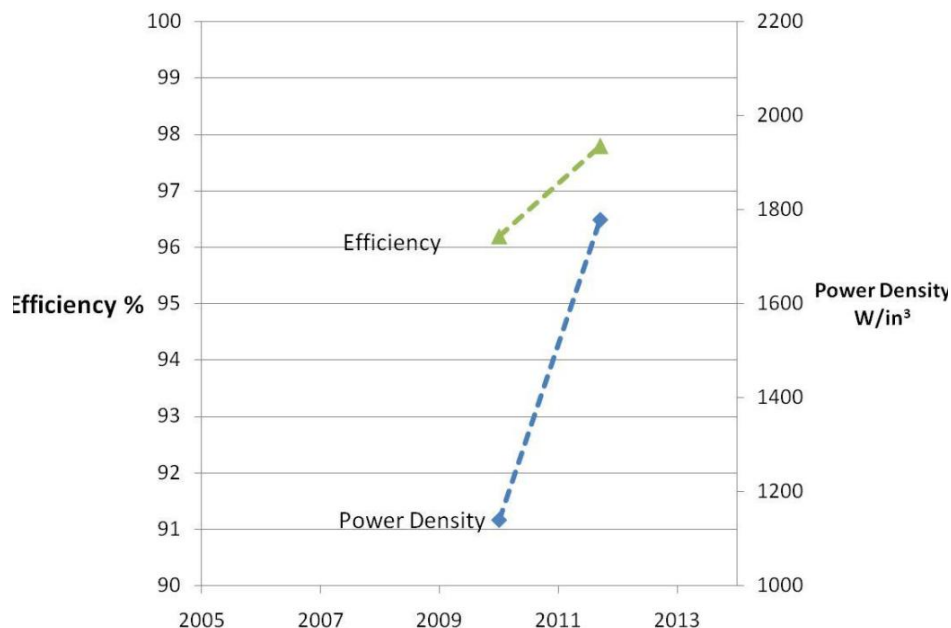
- Cut voltage withstand requirements of in/out FETs
- Enable high FOM, high frequency 250V FETs at HV (400V)
- High density Bus Converters
- High density DC-DC Converters
- Common transformer
- Scalable to HV (> 600 Vdc)



Adaptively Configured Cells

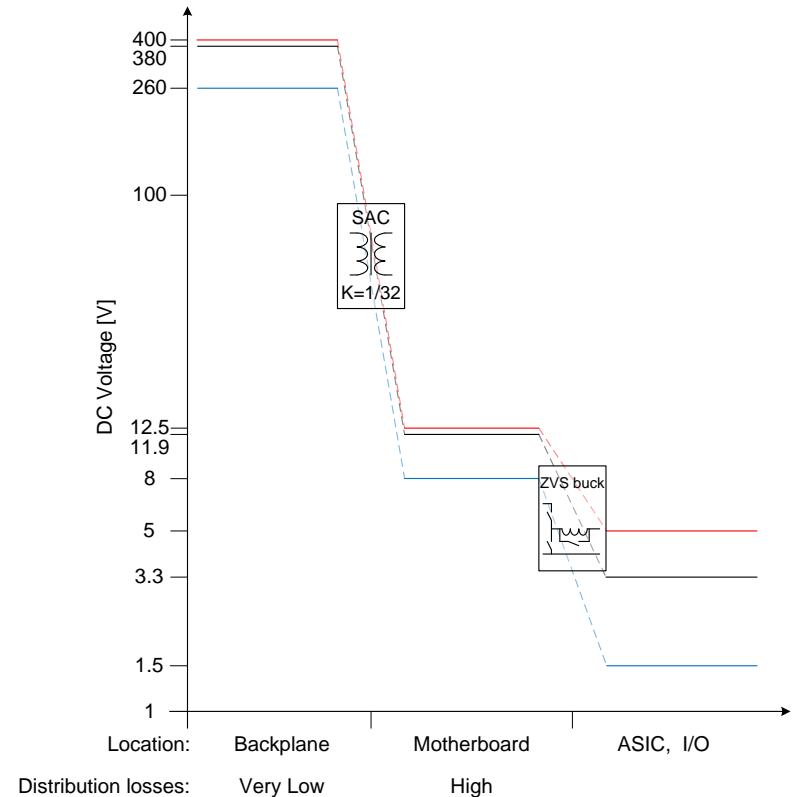
- Configuration switches carry DC current efficiently (< 0.1% loss)
- High frequency switches carry fractional $V \cdot I$ product
- Over 4:1 input voltage range capability

384-48V BCM Efficiency and Power Density



Example of an Efficient Architecture: Maximum Use of SAC

- › Distribute high voltage throughout system
- › Use SAC for voltage conversion and isolation
- › Use ZVS-BB for “small step”
- › Avoid duplicate regulation stages



Advanced Packaging

VI Chip Packages

▪ Molded Package

- Molding provides
 - › Electrical insulation (cemented joint)
 - › Thermal conductivity
 - › Planar thermal management
 - › Protection of chip-scale silicon

▪ 1st generation VI Chip package:

- J – lead SMD interface
- MSL 6, 245°C reflow → MSL 4, 245°C
- Through – hole variant
- All VI Chips RoHS 6/6

▪ Available packages for “planar” VI Chips

- Full Size: 1.28” L x 0.87” W x 0.265” H; 1.11 in², 0.29 in³
- Half Size: 0.65” L x 0.87” W x 0.265” H; 0.57 in², 0.15 in³
- Double Size: 1.28” L x 1.69” W x 0.265” H; 2.16 in², 0.56 in³



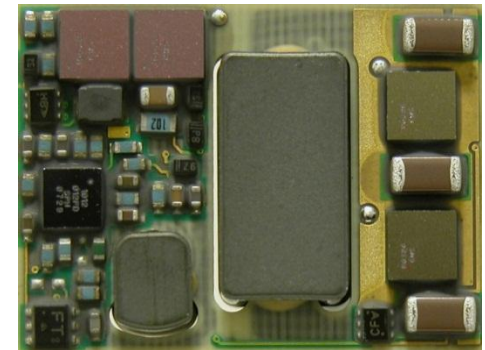
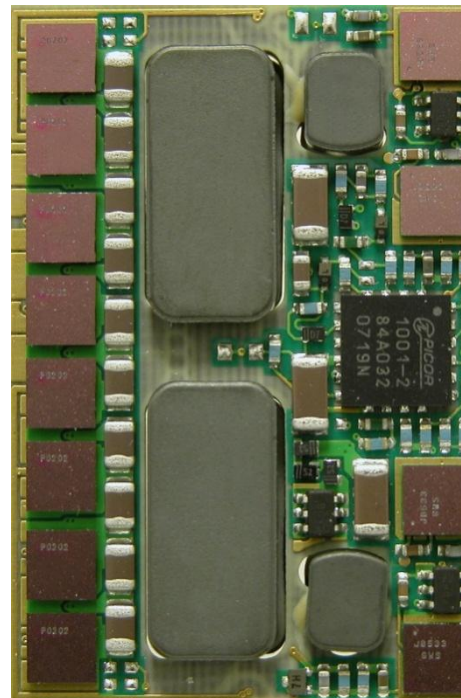
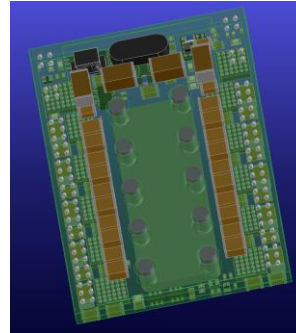
VI Chip Packages

- **PCB substrate with SMT**
 - BGA FETs and controllers
 - Other SMT devices

- **Unique planar magnetics**
 - Effective current multiplication
 - Low loss core structures minimize high frequency flux crowding

- **R_{OUT} : down to ~ 0.5mOhm**

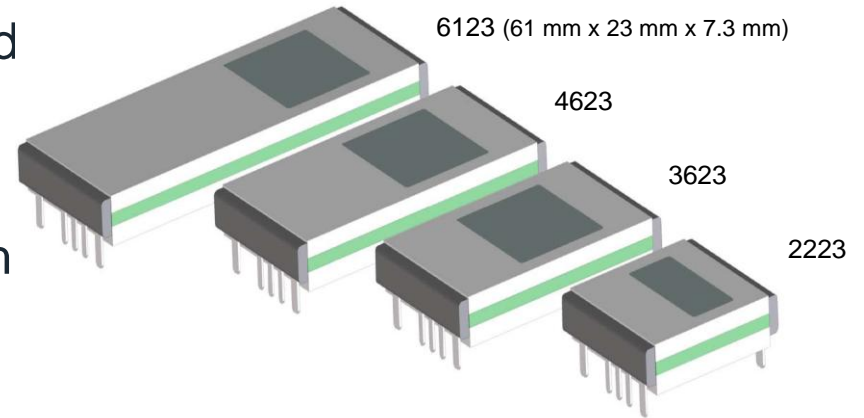
- **L_{OUT} : down to ~ 100 pH**



Roadmap: Next-Gen VI Chip Packaging

▪ New packaging concept

- Complete array / panel of PCBs molded then cut into individual modules
- Flexible packaging platform
 - › *7.3mm height for first model, can be lower
- Larger transformer cross-section = high efficiency and high power



▪ AC-DC and DC-DC converters

▪ Example of products:

Function	Input Voltage (range, V)	Output Voltage (nom, V)	Output Power (W)	Size	Notes
AC-DC	85-264	48	400	6123	PFM with filter, TVS, PFC
DC-DC	160-420	14.5	450	4623	DCM regulated
DC-DC	360-400	48	1,000	3623	BCM non-regulated

The Customer and Vicor

- **Vicor Technology offers significant benefits in:**
 - Weight (>60% reduction over conventional approach)
 - Efficiency (up to 98% in proven applications)
 - Scalability (10's of kW arrays built with ~0.5kW building blocks)
 - Power Density (>50% reduction in size)
- **Optimized voltage transformer and regulator components offer further opportunities to optimize the architecture**
- **Capability of addressing up to 420 Vdc today; planned path towards higher input voltage development with existing topologies**
- **Vicor is now looking for partners who value the benefits provided by our technologies to help develop solutions.**

Cool-Power® Portfolio => Isolated and Non-isolated

Non-isolated DC-DC ZVS Buck Regulators

- PI33xx Series
- Wide input range (8V to 36V)
- Wide output range (1V to 19V)
- 8A, 10A, and 18A versions
- Parallel/Interleaving with up to six devices
- Optional I2C telemetry
- Packaged in LGA SIP 10x14x2.56mm



Isolated DC-DC ZVS Switching Converters

- PI31xx Series
- Wide Input 28 (16-50V), 48V (36-75V) and 24V (18-36V) versions
- 50W/60W isolated DC-DC conversion
- All magnetics internal to the package
- Complete isolated conversion solution with safety approvals
- Packaged in ½ VI Chip 16.5x22x6.7mm



Cool-Power[®] Isolated DC-DC ZVS Converters – PI3101 example

Challenge

- Delivering 60W isolated DC-DC conversion in a constrained space

Solution

- Cool-Power PSiP= Controller + Transformer + FETs
- Provides complete dc-dc isolated conversion within a 0.57in² area
- <50% of the area of conventional solutions
- Power Density: 105W/in² & 400W/in³ (up to 3x the power density of conventional solutions)



PI3101 offers -

- Wide Range Input 48V (36-75V) with 100Vdc (non-operating, 100ms)
- 3.3V /18A Regulated Output (+/-3% over line / load / temperature) and trimmable to 2.5Vout
- Up to 87% Efficiency
- 2250V input isolation

Technology Overview – A “Chip off the Old Brick”

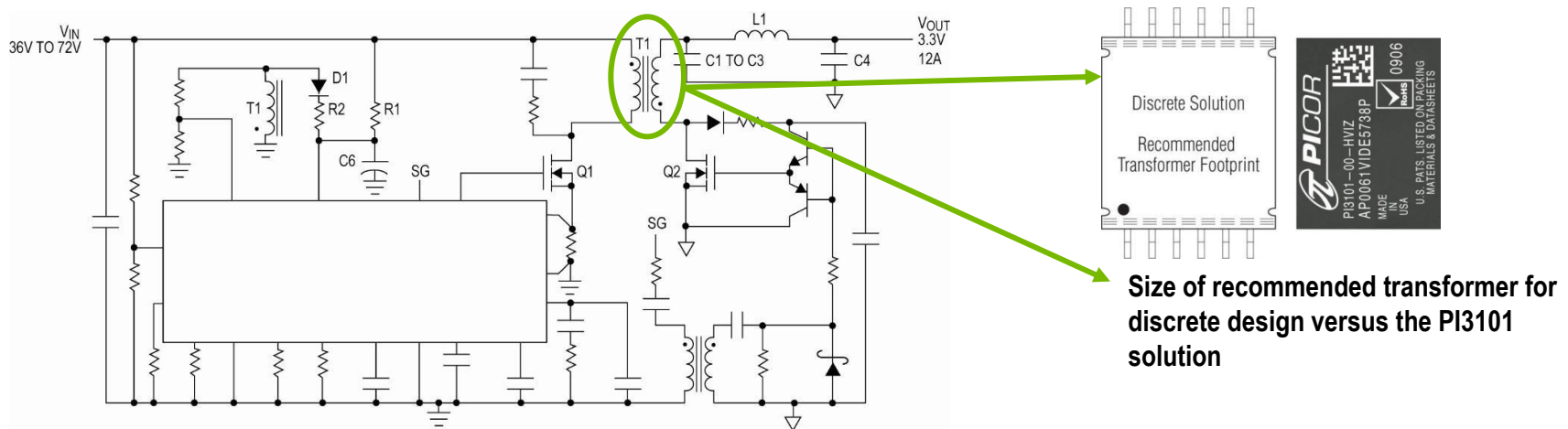
- Looks more like an IC than a power supply due to a number of innovative technical concepts
- Built on a patented Zero Voltage Switched Buck-Boost topology
- Implements state-of-the-art planar magnetics
- Proprietary control with advanced silicon integration in conjunction with proprietary gate drive techniques
- Enables switching frequencies in excess of 1MHz to become a reality.
- High Density surface-mount Power-System-in-Package (PSiP) packaging facilitates easy PCB layout optimization and implementation of various cooling techniques
- Proprietary sampled feedback control removes optical isolation and simplifies loop compensation
- Proprietary high performance MOSFET technology with best-in-class figure of merit attributes



Cool-Power®
Loaded with Innovative
Technology

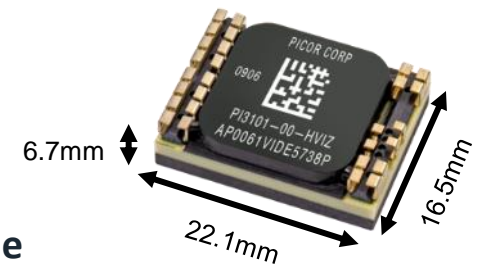
Cool-Power[®] Isolated DC-DC ZVS Switching Converters

Size comparison to standard controller IC with discretes



Discrete designs:

- Require a large “bag of parts”
- Lengthy design, safety, and reliability effort required
- Size of the recommended transformer can be as large as the PI3101 alone

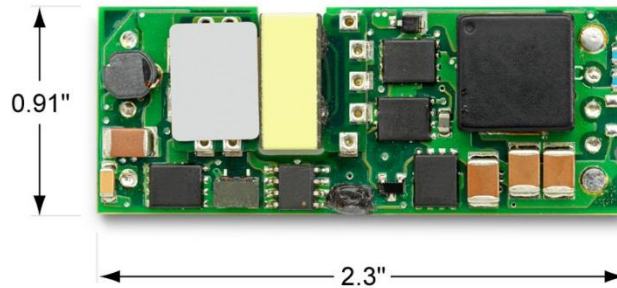


PI3101 Cool-Power® Scaled Size Comparison

Competitor A

2.1 in² and 34 W/in²

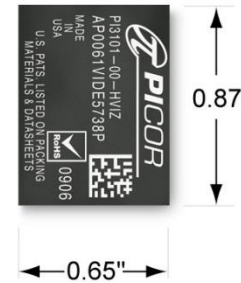
72 Watts



PI3101

0.57 in² and 105 W/in²

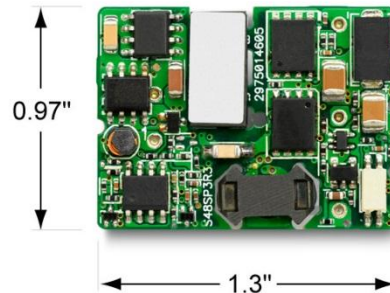
60 Watts



Competitor B

1.26 in² and 26 W/in²

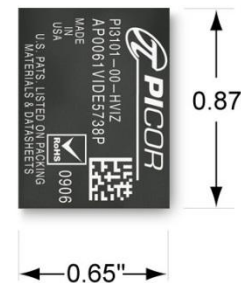
33 Watts



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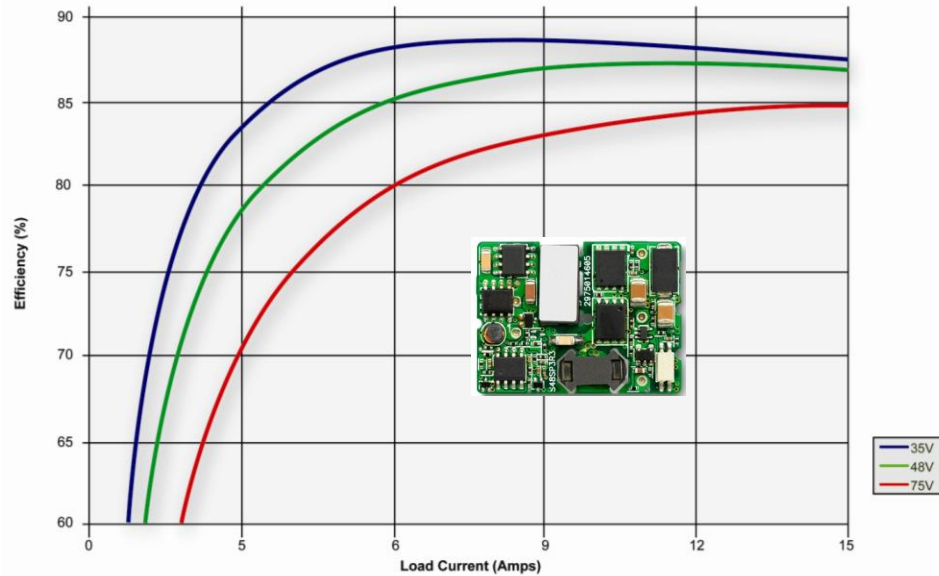
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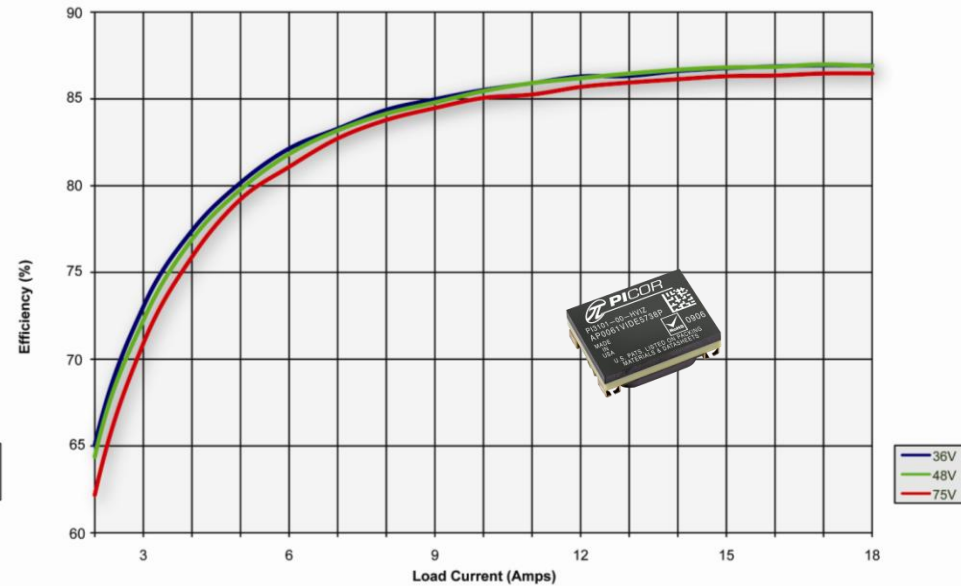


PI3101 Efficiency Comparison

Converter X Electrical Efficiency



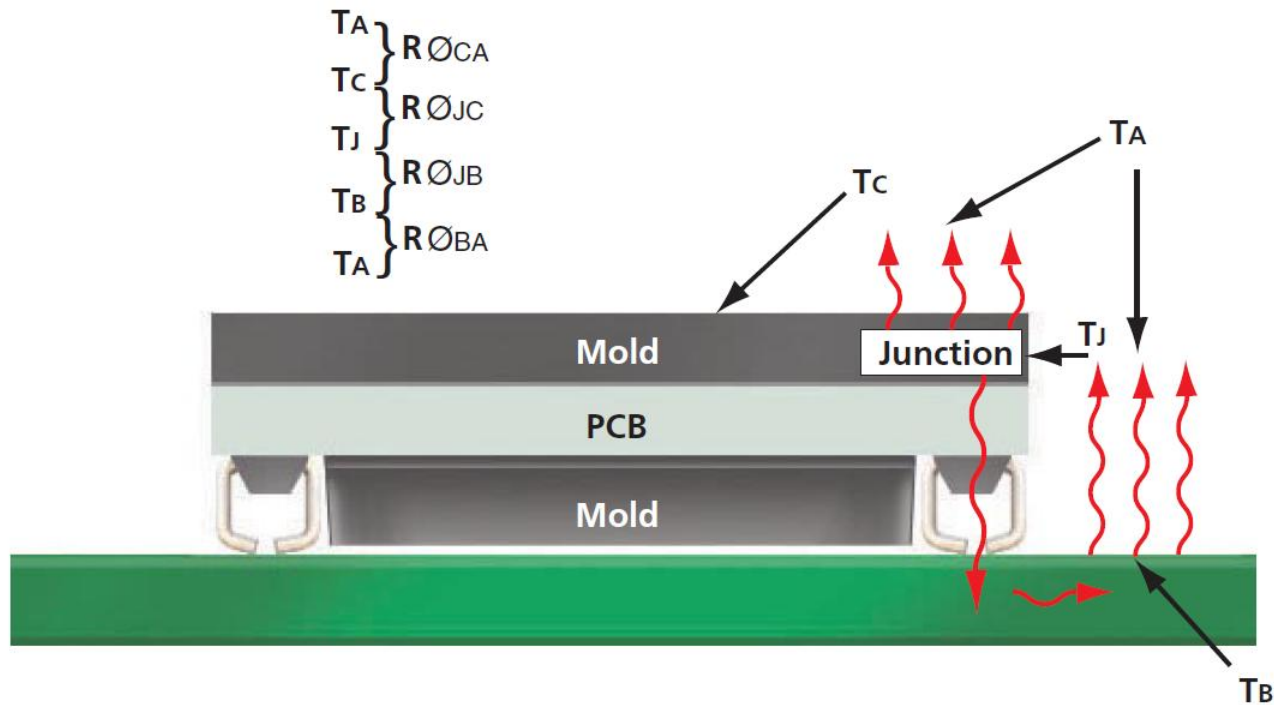
PI3101-00-HVIZ Electrical Efficiency



PI3101 Electrical Efficiency sets new standard in this ultra-small form factor, achieving similar performance as much larger solutions

Cool-Power® SiP Packaging Technology

- **Novel packaging provides many benefits**
 - Heat is transferred from the junction to the ambient environment through the mold compound, “J” Leads and the PCB.
 - The “J” leads offer extremely low DCR, parasitic inductance and excellent reflow characteristics.
 - The package design creates an exceptionally rugged mechanical platform.



Cool-Power® ZVS Buck Regulators

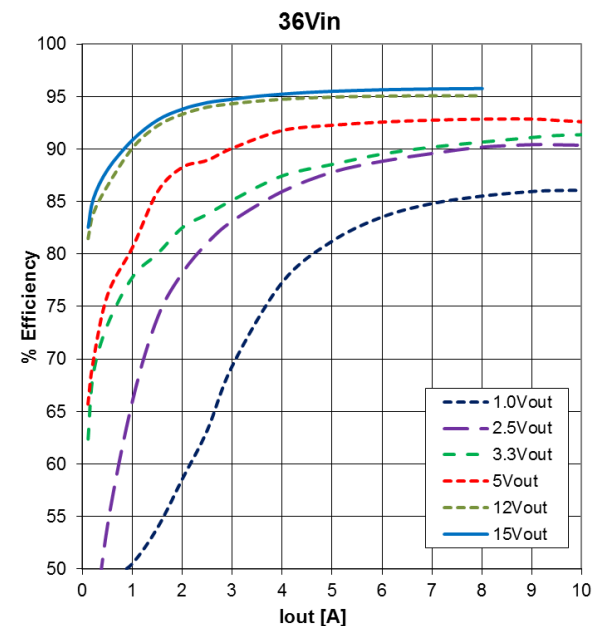
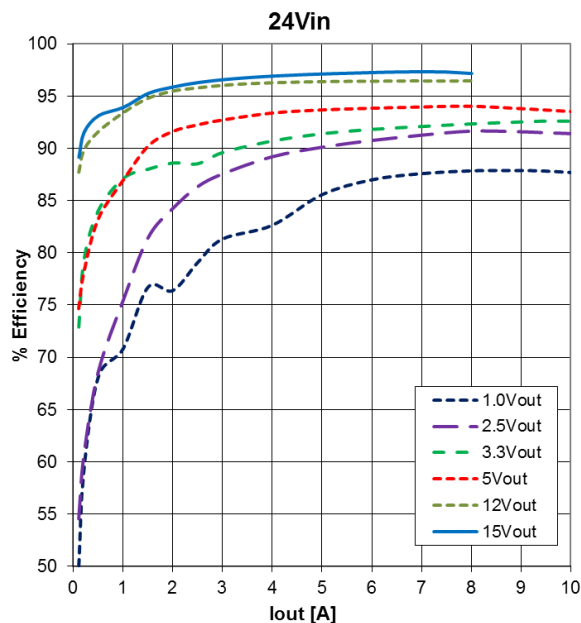
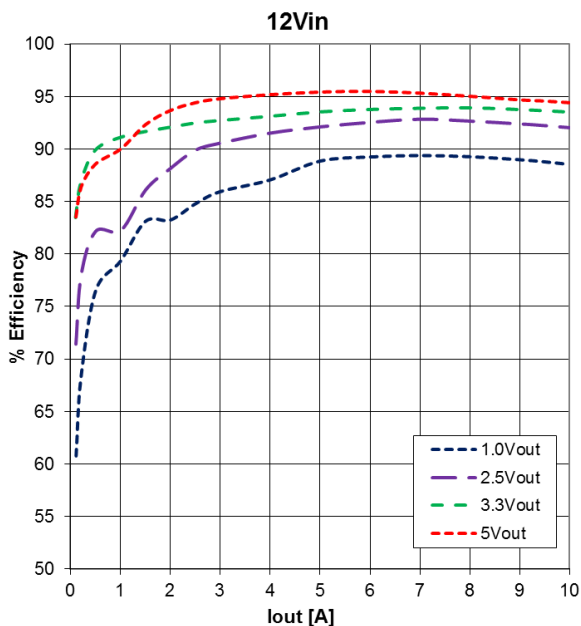
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- **MIL-COTS version available**



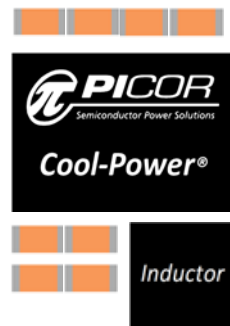
Cool-Power	Output Range		Iout Max
	Set	Range	
PI3311-00-LGIZ	1.5V	1.00 to 1.75V	10A
PI3312-00-LGIZ	2.5V	1.87 to 3.23V	10A
PI3301-00-LGIZ	3.3V	2.24 to 4.18V	10A
PI3302-00-LGIZ	5.0V	3.30 to 6.61V	10A
PI3303-00-LGIZ	12V	4.0 to 15.65V	8A
PI3305-00-LGIZ	15V	5.0 to 19.65V	8A
Higher Current Versions			
PI3311-01-LGIZ	1.5V	1.00 to 1.75V	18A
PI3312-01-LGIZ	2.5V	1.87 to 3.23V	18A
PI3301-01-LGIZ	3.3V	2.24 to 4.18V	18A
I2C Interface Option			
PI3311-02-LGIZ	1.5V	1.00 to 1.75V	10A
PI3312-02-LGIZ	2.5V	1.87 to 3.23V	10A
PI3301-02-LGIZ	3.3V	2.24 to 4.18V	10A
PI3302-02-LGIZ	5.0V	3.30 to 6.61V	10A
PI3303-02-LGIZ	12V	4.0 to 15.65V	8A
PI3305-02-LGIZ	15V	5.0 to 19.65V	8A
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Cool-Power ZVS Buck PI33xx - High Efficiency

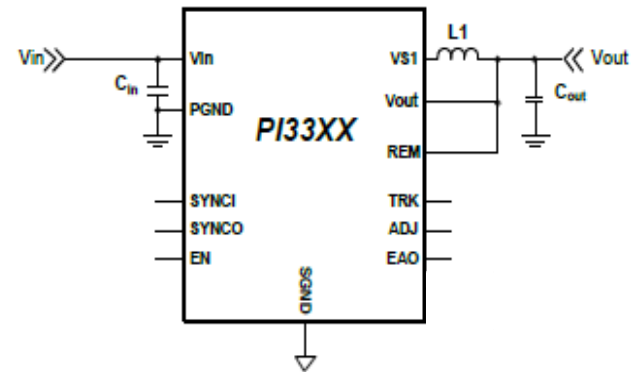


- High-efficiency performance at both light load and full load
- Enabled by the use of the Zero-Voltage-Switching, high performance control silicon and low impedance LGA SiP packaging

Cool-Power ZVS Buck - Simple to Use



Cool-Power Required Components

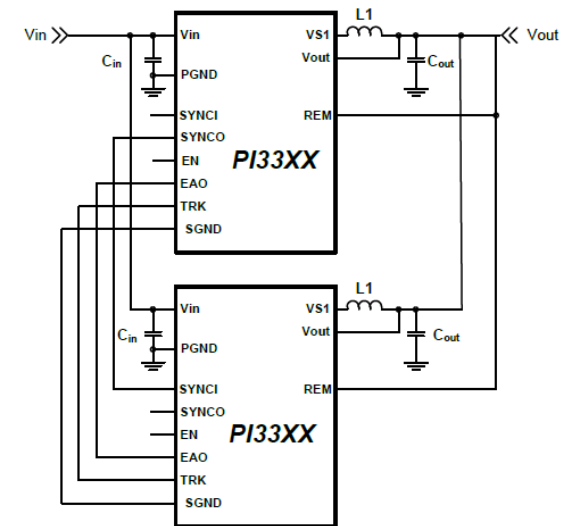


Cool-Power Schematic with required components

- Input/Output caps and a output inductor is all that is needed
- No additional setup required for basic operation
- Internal compensation
- No external resistor programming required
- Pin-for-pin packages allows for easy changes to high/lower current and voltage versions
- Additional features are present allowing for flexibility within different applications

Picor Cool-Power ZVS Buck - Flexibility

- Current source functionality for high load start-up
- Programmable soft-start & tracking
- Power-up into a pre-biased load
- Paralleling and single wire current sharing
- High efficiency light load operation
- Frequency sync, Interleaving up to 6 regulators
- I²C one time user programmable EN polarity and phase delay
- I²C Fault Telemetry (optional):
 - Over temperature protection
 - Fast current limit
 - Output voltage high
 - Input overvoltage
 - Input under-voltage
 - Controller VCC under-voltage
- I²C Vout margining tool (aids development work)
- -40 C to 125 C operating range



Cool-Power Parallel Operation with Current Sharing

Power Path Management

Cool-ORing®

- ›PI2007 and PI2127 lead the industry in response times
- ›SiPs lead the industry with lowest RDS(ON)

Cool-Switch®

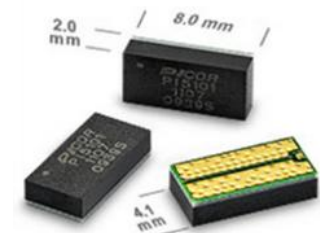
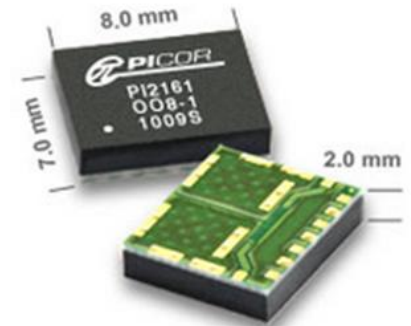
- ›Beats competition in speed and efficiency

μRDS(on) FET™

- ›High-performance 5V, 360μΩ lateral N-Channel MOSFET
- ›Leads the industry in efficiency vs. size

Cool-Swap™

- ›MOSFET True-SOA™ protection via digital engine™ and Glitch-Catcher voltage suppression
- ›Only hot swap controller to perform digital emulation



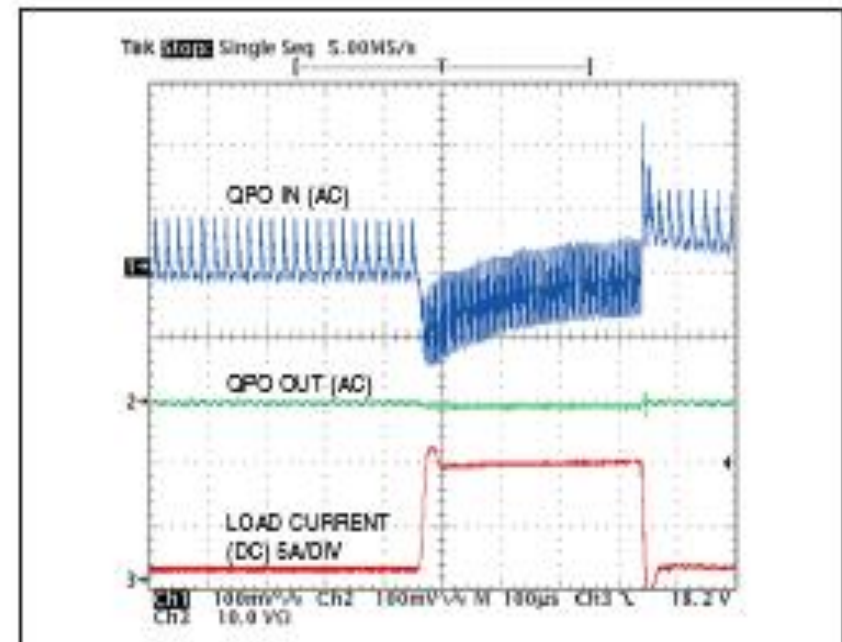
QuietPower[®]: QPI Active EMI Input Filters

- High density, active EMI filters
- Provides conducted common-mode (CM) and differential-mode (DM) attenuation from 150kHz to 30MHz (CISPR22 range)
- Optimized for applications that require EN55022 Class B limits
- 24V & 48V input voltages, 7 an 14A ratings
- MQPI-18 MIL-COTS version:
 - 28 V input, 7 A rating
 - Efficiency >99%
 - Also compatible with MIL PRM
 - MIL-STD-461F compliant* CE101, CE102, CS101, CS106, CS114, CS115, and CS116
 - 100 Vdc surge, 100 ms : 1500 Vdc hi-pot hold off to shield plane
 - -55 to +125C PCB temperature
 - Low profile LGA package - 12.9 x 25.3 x 5.0 mm w/Lid or 12.4 x 24.9 x 3.4 mm Open-frame SiP
 - Pb solder construction



QuietPower®: QPO Active Output Ripple Attenuators

- Reduces power supply output ripple (to <math><10\text{mVp-p}</math>) and noise (PARD) from 1kHz to 500kHz with proprietary active filtering circuit
- Ensures quiet point-of-load regulation, and works with most industry-standard converters
- Improves transient response of DC-DC converters, and can reduce output capacitance by a factor of 10



QPO Performance

ZVS - A Solution to Industry Demands

- Increasing demand for higher efficiency, density, and power processing
- Demands require higher V_{in}/V_{out} and higher switching frequency performance
- The power semiconductor industry has enabled improvements with:
 - Silicon Integration
 - MOSFET Technology
 - Packaging
- These improvements are not keeping pace with industry demands
 - *Switching losses continue to hinder high performance*
- Addressing the switching topology is the only way to dramatically reduce switching losses

Picor Cool-Power Zero Voltage Switching Topology

- **Reduces Q1 turn-on losses**

Conventional regulator topologies incur high switching losses due to the simultaneous occurrence of high current and high voltage stress imposed on the MOSFET at the turn-on and turn-off transitions.

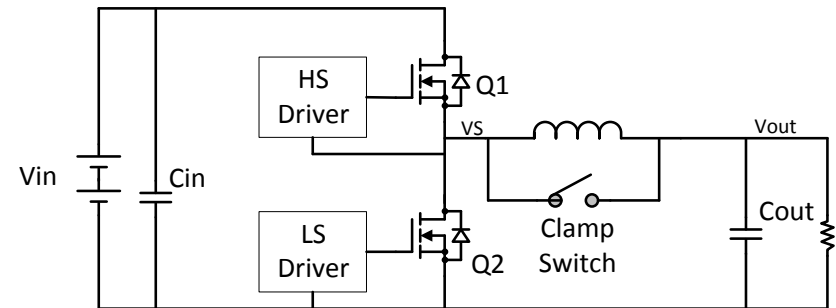
- **Reduces Gate Drive Losses**

Hard-switching topologies exhibit higher gate drive loss due to the Miller Charge dissipated within the gate drive circuitry.

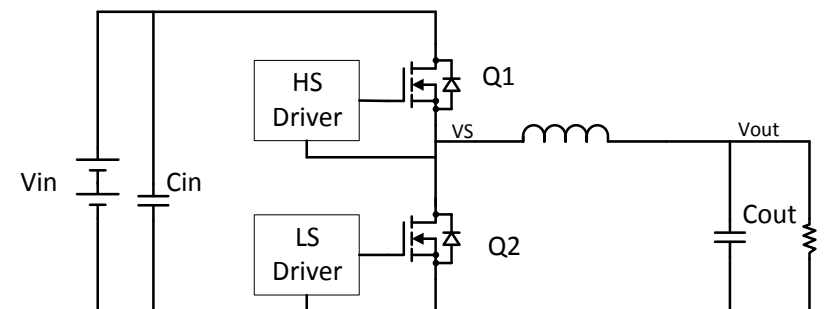
- **Reduces Body Diode Conduction**

High pulsating currents flow through the body diode of the low-side MOSFET as the high-side MOSFET gets turned on and off. The longer the body diode conducts, the higher the reverse-recovery losses and body diode conduction losses. Body diode conduction also causes disruptive overshoot and ringing.

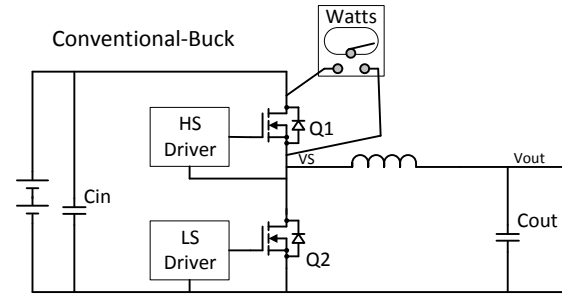
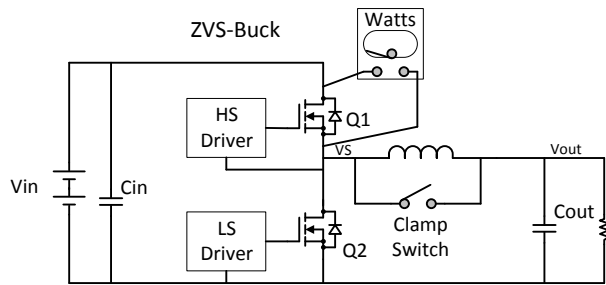
ZVS-Buck



Conventional Buck



ZVS vs. Conventional Topology

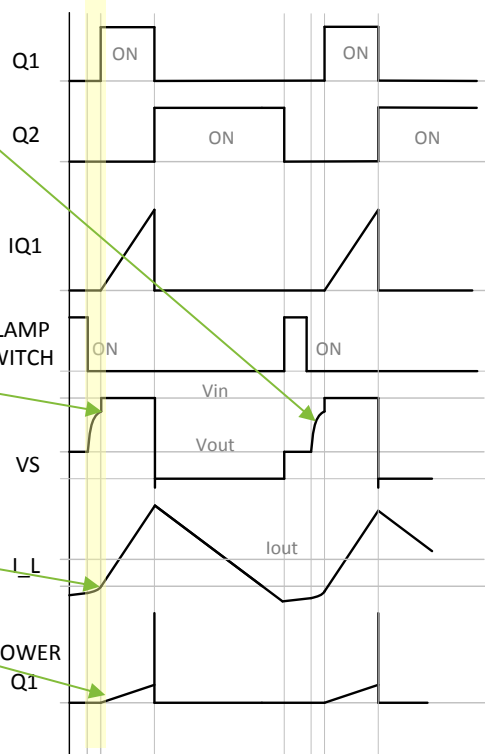


Resonant ZVS action virtually eliminates switching losses and removes Miller charge effect

High-side turn on $V_{ds} = (V_{in} - V_S)$

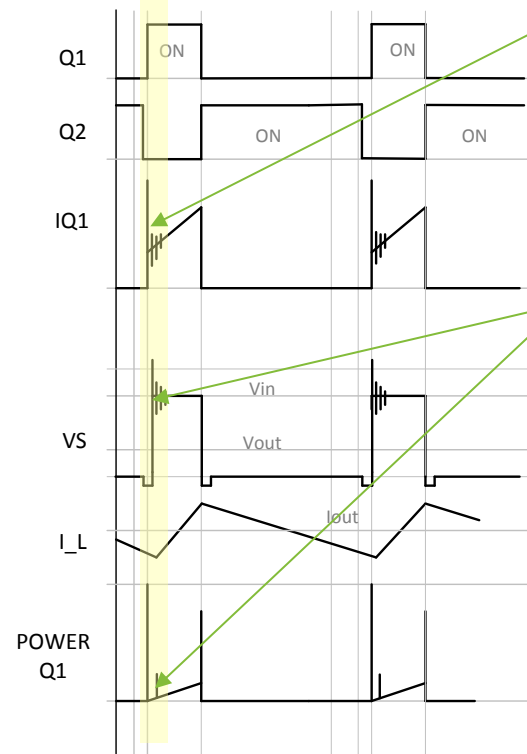
Zero-current turn on

Q1 loss is R_{DSON} dominant until turn-off



Very high-current turn on due to Q2 body diode looking like a short circuit for T_{rr} (reverse recovery time)

Hard-switching transition and body diode reverse recovery expose Q1 to very high turn on losses. Energy stored in parasitic inductance causes VS to ring, increasing losses further. Increasing input voltage and/or frequency increases switching losses



Decreased Switching Losses Enable...

- Higher Switching frequency
 - Higher density (smaller passives)
 - Higher Performance

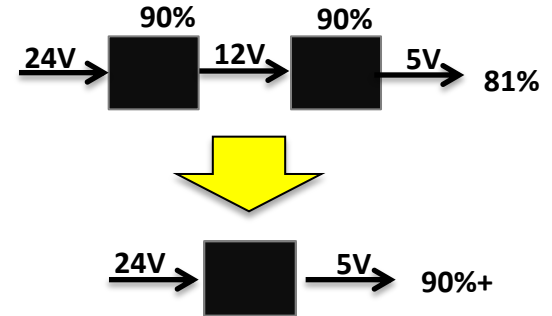
- Higher Input Voltages/ Higher Output Currents
 - Higher power density
 - Reduction of regulation stages
 - Line loss reduction

- Higher Efficiency
 - Higher power density
 - Lower thermal derating

Benefits of High Vin Regulation

Regulation Stage Reduction


- High Vin operation can reduce the number of regulator stages
- Increases in reliability, power density, efficiency



Line Loss Reduction


- Efficiency increases by routing a higher voltage across the PC board

12V Distribution


.025ohm loss in PC board trace
 $P = VI = I^2R$
 $P = 2,500 * .025 = 62.5W$
System efficiency of 600/662.5 = 90.5%

Total demand from all buck regulators
Voltage = 12V
Current = 50A
Power = 600W

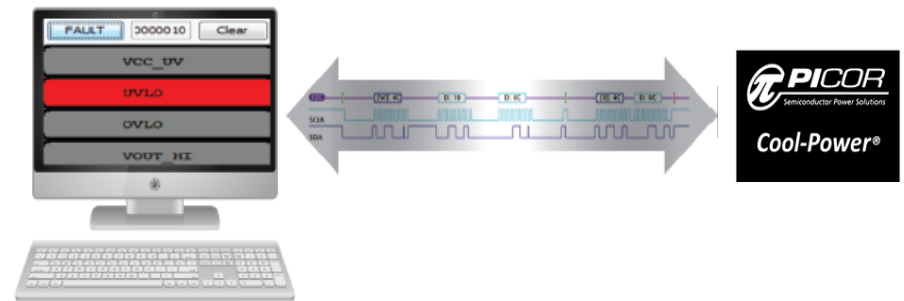
24V Distribution


.025ohm loss in PC board trace
 $P = VI = I^2R$
 $P = 625 * .025 = 15.6.W$
System efficiency of 600/615.6 = 97.4%

Total demand from all buck regulators
Voltage = 24V
Current = 25A
Power = 600W

Cool-Power ZVS Buck – I²C Option Devices

- **Vout Margining Function**
- **Programmable**
 - *Enable and SYNC1 pin polarity*
 - *Phase delay (for interleaving multiple regulators)*
- **Fault reporting**
 - *Over-temperature protection*
 - *Fast current limit*
 - *Output voltage high*
 - *Input overvoltage*
 - *Input undervoltage*
 - *Controller VCC undervoltage*



The Vicor Platforms...

DCM, BCM/VTM & PRM

DCM™ Isolated DC-DC Converters

Isolated, regulated

High efficiency over wide input range

High power, low profile, light weight

Offered with either analog or digital control interface

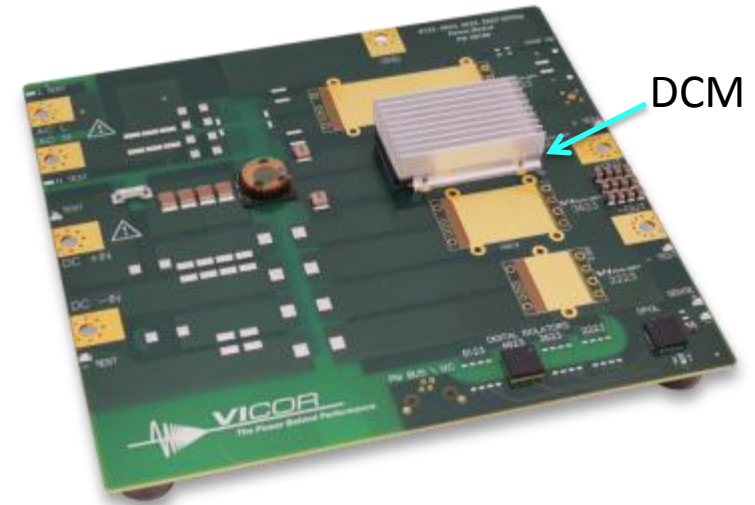
ChiP package

High voltage automotive

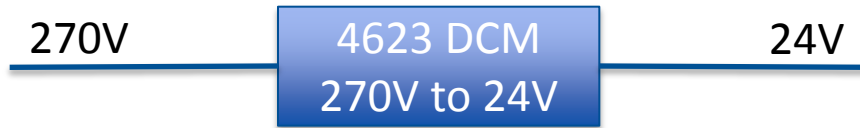
- DC-DC Converter (DCM) in 4623 through-hole package
- $V_{IN} = 160-420V$
- $V_{OUT} = 12.5-15V$
- $V_{OUT_RIPPLE} < 500mV$
- $380-12V = 600W @ 93\%$ efficiency
- Chip size: 1.94" x 0.9" x 0.29"
- Chip weight: 29.2g (1.03oz)

Defense Applications

- DC-DC Converter (DCM) in 3623 through-hole package
- $V_{IN} = 16-50V$
- $V_{OUT} = 28V$
- Power = 320W @ 92%
- Chip size: 1.58" x .9" x .29"

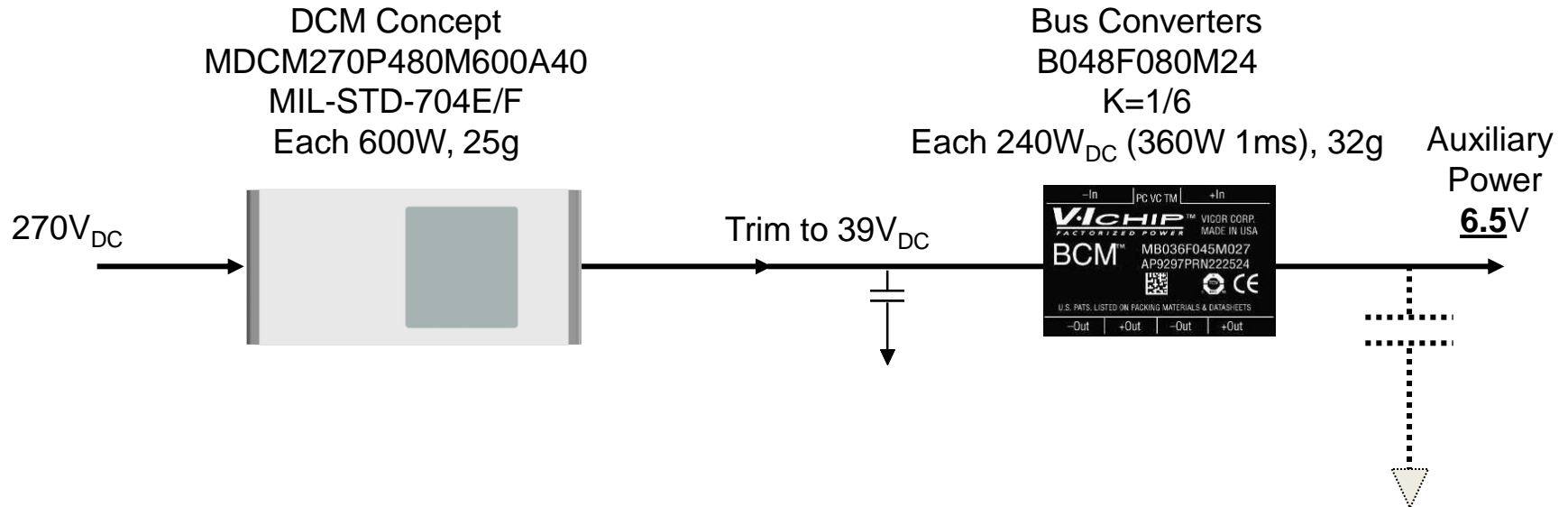


DCM 270V_{IN} to 24V_{OUT}



- **93% efficiency at Full Load**
- **600W**
- **4623 package**
- **RTP: 4Q13**
- **25KW requires ~ 42 DCM modules**
 - 74.4 in² (DCM area only)
 - 43 oz (DCM weight only)

270V to 6.5V DCM + BCM



- MDCM270P480M600A40:
 - 270V_{IN} (150-420V), 48V_{OUT}
 - 4623 package
 - 600W
- B048F080M24

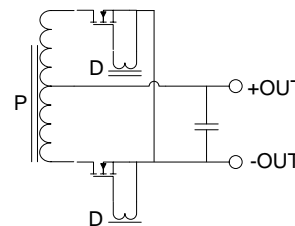
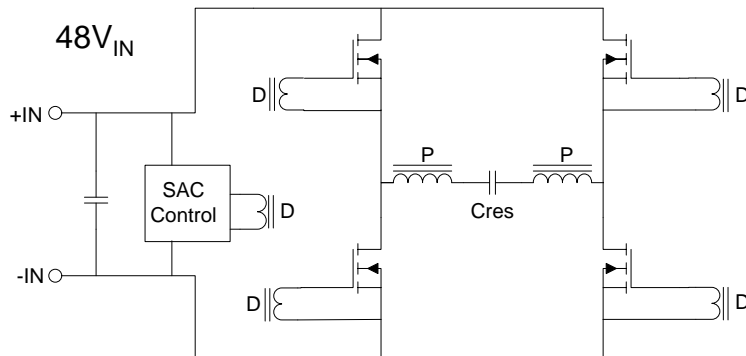
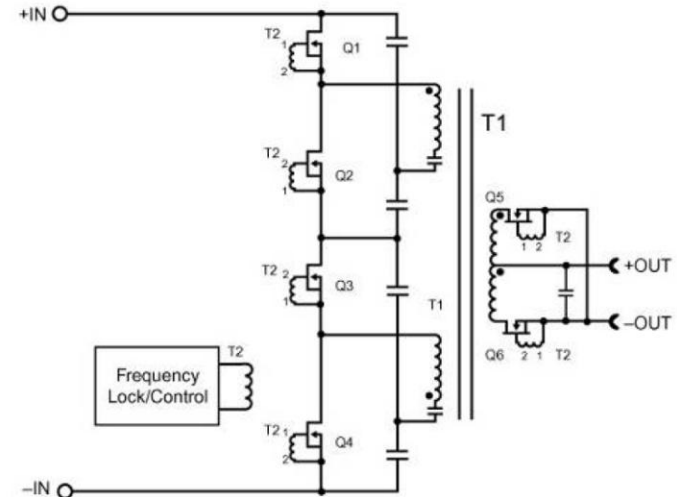
VTM, BCM: Sine Amplitude Converter (SAC)

Fixed-ratio, DC-DC transformer

- Sine Amplitude proportional to load
- “Voltage Transformer” or “Current Multiplier”
- ZVS, ZCS (Low loss, low noise)
- MHz switching
- ~100% duty cycle down to < 1V
- Cycle-by-cycle transient response
- Negligible series impedance
- 2x transient current capability
- Thermally (not power) limited

Used in Vicor Bus Converter Modules (BCM) and Voltage Transformation Modules (VTM)

270V, 350V, 380V_{IN}

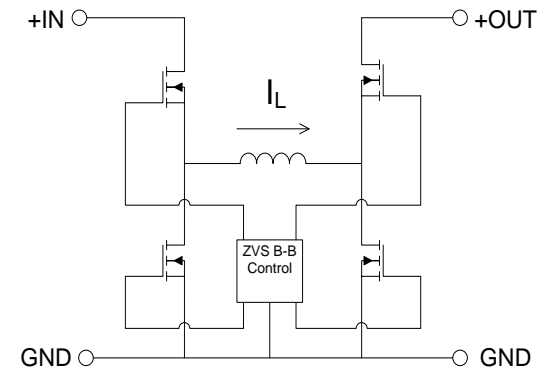


P=Power Transformer
D=Drive Transformer



PRM: ZVS Buck-Boost Regulator

- Proprietary ZVS Buck-Boost control architecture
- Negligible switching loss at high voltage and high frequency
- Voltage step-up OR step-down
- Small inductor
- “Classic” VI Chip:
 - Present 48V regulator efficiency: 97%
 - Density: 1.4 kW/in³
- “Next Generation” will have higher efficiency and significantly greater power density

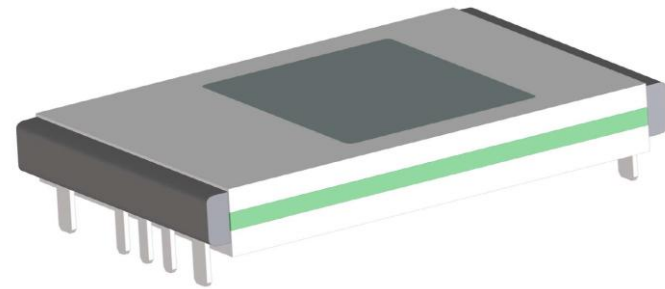


Next Generation PRM

First model:

$48V_{IN}$ $48V_{OUT}$ nominal

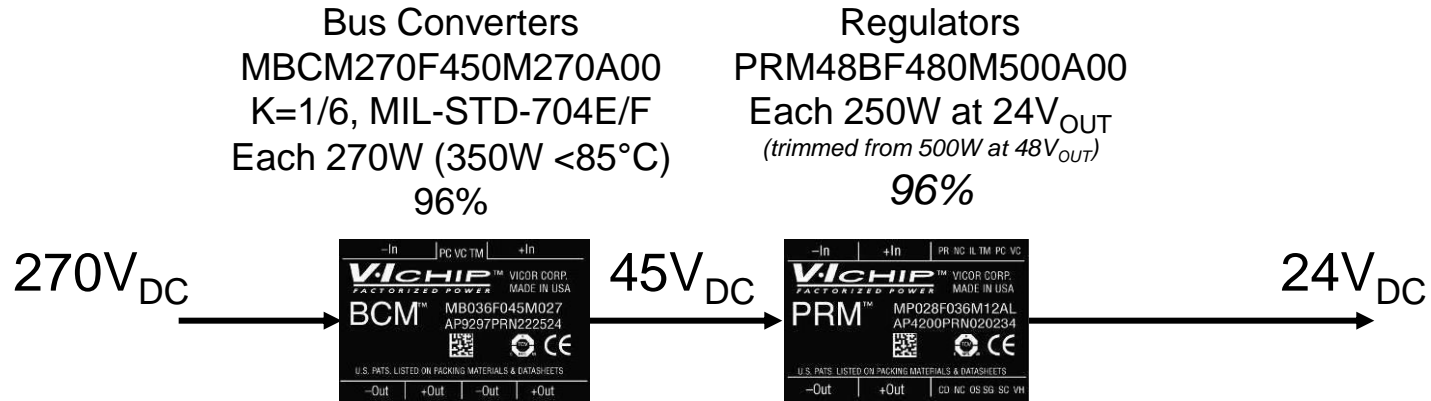
- V_{IN} 30V to 55V
- V_{OUT} 20V to 55V
- 3623 package: 1.58" x .9" x .29"
- 1000W maximum continuous output power
- 2500 W/in³ power density
- 98% peak efficiency
- V_{OUT_RIPPLE} : <1% of V_{OUT}



Followed by:

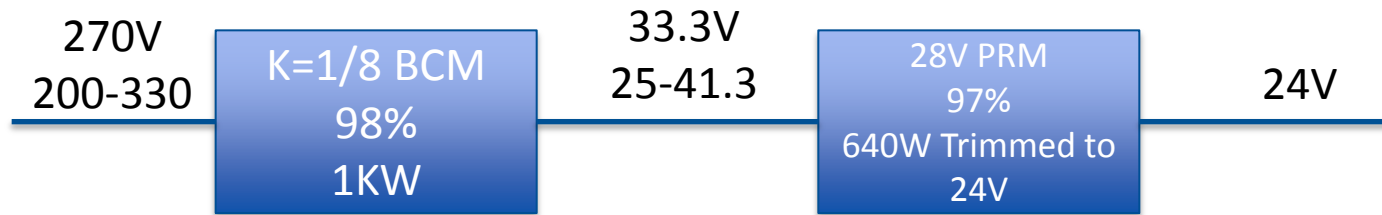
- $28V_{IN}$ / $28V_{OUT}$
- 750W, 97.5% efficiency
- V_{OUT_RIPPLE} : <1% of V_{OUT}
- 3623 package

Application example: 270V to 24V with Current BCM, PRM



- **System efficiency ~92%**
- **Solution size for 25KW:**
 - 97 BCM + 100 PRM
 - 216 in² (modules only)
 - 104 oz (modules only)

270V to 24V: Next Generation K=1/8 BCM + 28V PRM



- **System efficiency ~95%**
- **Solution size for 25KW:**
 - 26 BCM (6123) + 40 PRM (3623)
 - $59.8\text{in}^2 + 56.9\text{in}^2 = 116.7\text{in}^2$
- **K=1/8 BCM:**
 - 6123 package
 - 1KW, 98% peak efficiency
- **28V PRM**
 - 3623 package
 - 750W, 97.5% peak efficiency

270V to 24V: Next Generation K=1/6 BCM + 48V PRM



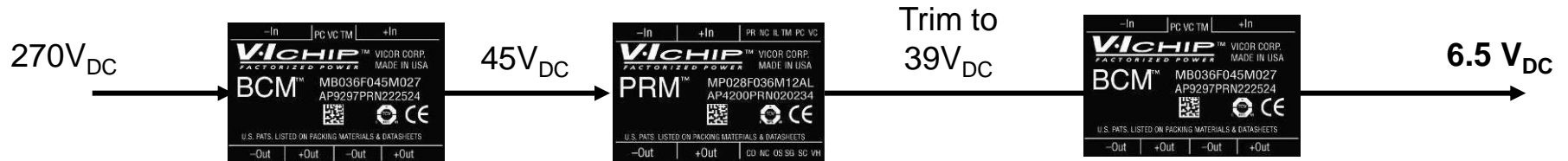
- › **System efficiency ~95%**
- › **Solution size for 25KW:**
 - 24 BCM (6123) + 50 PRM (3623)
 - $55.2\text{in}^2 + 71.1\text{in}^2 = 126.3\text{in}^2$
- › **K=1/6 BCM:**
 - 6123 package
 - 1KW, 98% peak efficiency
- › **48V PRM**
 - 3623 package
 - 1KW, 97.5% peak efficiency

270V to 6.5V

Bus Converters
 MBCM270F450M270A00
 K=1/7
 MIL-STD-704E/F
 Each 270W (350W <85°C)

Regulators
 PRM48BF480M500A00
 Each 400W at 36V

Bus Converters
 B048F080M24
 K=1/6 Each 240W



270V_{DC} (200V to 330V) to 24V_{DC} @ 25KW Summary

	Units	Efficiency	Area (in ²)
Classic BCM + PRM	97 BCM + 100 PRM	92%	216
DCM	42 DCM	93%	74.4
PM: K=1/8 BCM + PRM	26 BCM + 40 PRM	95%	116.7
PM: K=1/6 BCM + PRM	24 BCM + 50 PRM	95%	126.3

Vicor is Field Proven for Military Applications

Long heritage providing MIL-COTS solutions to customers worldwide

Power components and turn-key solutions

Made in USA

Partial Listing

F-15 Fighter Aircraft

F-16 Fighting Falcon Multi-Role Fighter Aircraft

F/A-18 Super Hornet Strike Attack Aircraft

F/A-22 Raptor Advanced Tactical Fighter Aircraft

F-35 Joint Strike Fighter

Eurofighter Typhoon Aircraft

Rafale Multi-Role Combat Fighter

Tornado Multi-Role Combat Fighter

B-1B Lancer Strategic Bomber

B-52 Stratofortress Long-Range Multi-Role Bomber

CH-53 Super Stallion Heavy-Lift Helicopter

AH-64 Apache Attack Helicopter

CH-47/MH-47 Chinook Heavy-Lift Helicopter

Black Hawk Multi-Mission Helicopter

AWACS Airborne Warning & Control System

E-2C Hawkeye Airborne Early Warning Aircraft

EA-6B Prowler Electronic Warfare Aircraft

Global Hawk High Altitude, Long Endurance

Unmanned Reconnaissance Aircraft

Predator Unmanned Aerial Vehicle

JSTARS

Joint Surveillance & Target Attack Radar System

NIMROD MR4A Maritime Reconnaissance Aircraft

P-3C Orion Maritime Patrol & Anti-Submarine Warfare

T-50 Golden Eagle Jet Trainer & Light Attack Aircraft

C-130 Hercules Tactical Transport Aircraft

KC-135 Stratotanker Air-to-Air Refueling Aircraft

C-17 Globemaster Tactical Transport Aircraft

V-22 Osprey Medium-Lift, Multi-Mission, Tilt-Rotor Aircraft

Patriot Missile Air Defense System

THAAD Terminal High Altitude Area Defense Missile System

NASAMS Norwegian Surface-to-Air Missile System

MLRS Multiple Launch Rocket System

TOW Anti-Tank Missile

Tomahawk Cruise Missile

Harpoon Anti-Ship Missile

NSM Naval Strike Missile

TAURUS KEPD 350 Stand-off-Weapon

Sting Ray Lightweight Torpedo

Bradley M2/M3 Tracked Armored Fighting Vehicle

PUMA Tracked Infantry Fighting Vehicle

TETS Third Echelon Test System

Stryker 8-Wheel Drive Armored

Combat Vehicle

Fire Finder Radar

Paladin 155mm Self-Propelled Howitzer

M1A1/M1A2 Abrams Main Battle Tank

CREW Counter Electronic Warfare

Blue Force Movement Tracking System

JTRS Joint Tactical Radio System

Falcon Tactical Radio

AEGIS Guided Missile Destroyer

DDG 1000 Zumwalt Class Destroyer

SSN Seawolf Class Attack Submarine

NSSN Virginia Class Attack Submarine

CEC Cooperative Engagement Capability

MCMV Hunt Class Mine

Countermeasures Vehicle

NASA Space Shuttle

International Space Station

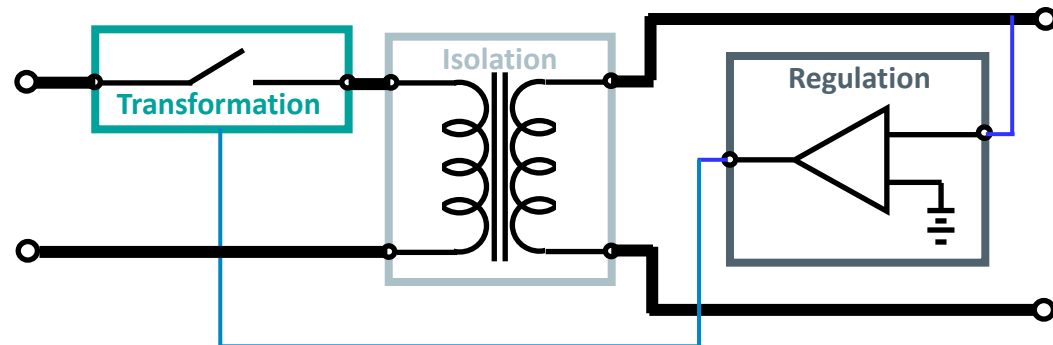
Factorized Power Architecture®

- **Separation of power conversion stages: regulation and voltage transformation**
 - Reduces distribution losses in a system
 - Reduces duplicated functions in the DC-DC conversion path
 - Reduces power dissipation at the point-of-load while increasing total system efficiency

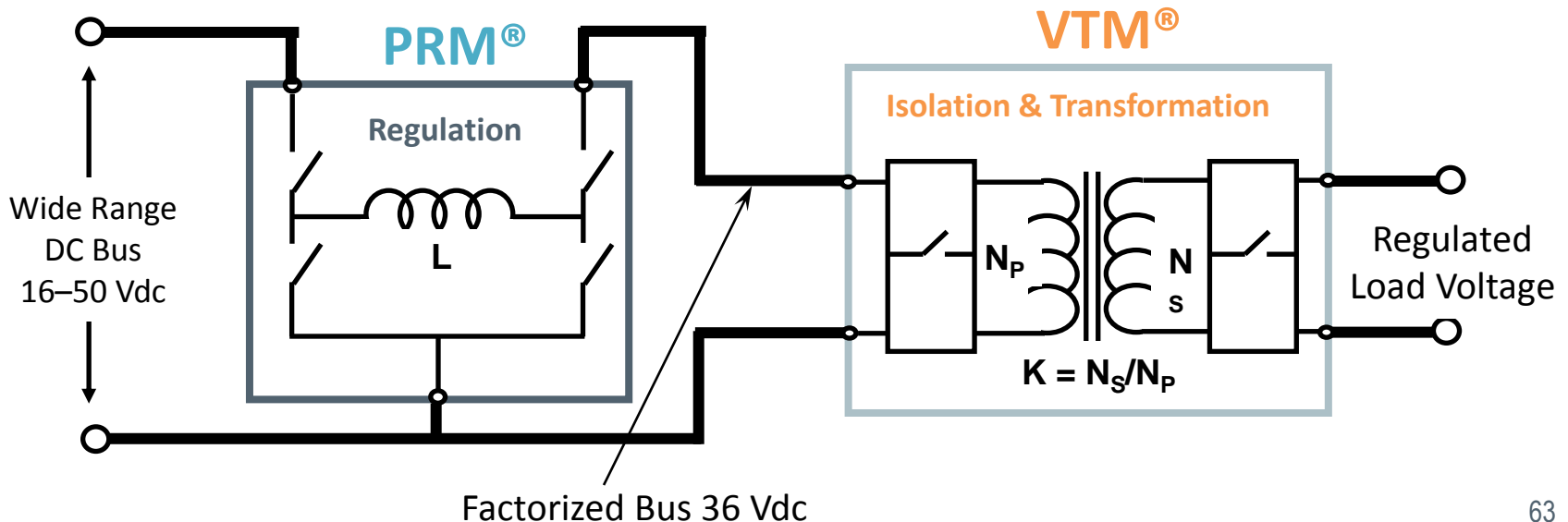


DC-DC “Brick” Converter and Factorized Power

Traditional
DC-DC Converter



Factorized Power Architecture[®]



MIL-COTS High Voltage Bus Converter (HV BCM[®])

- › Isolated voltage transformation
- › Sine Amplitude Converter™ (SAC™)
 - ZVS/ZCS, >1 MHz switching frequency
- › HV equivalent of VTM[®] Current Multiplier
 - stand alone operation
 - Start-up & Inrush protection
- › Input: 270 Vdc nominal
 - 200/240 - 330 Vin range
 - MIL-STD-704E/F

- › Two versions
 - 270-to-33 V (MBCM270F338M235A00)
 - › Power: 235 W
 - › Efficiency: >95%
 - 270-to-45 V (MBCM270F450M270A00)
 - › Power: 350 W
 - › Efficiency: >95%
- › High Power Density
- › Parallelable for higher power

240 – 330 Vdc



235 W

30 – 41.25 Vdc
Unregulated



0.8 – 50 Vdc
Regulated

270 -to-33 V example

MIL-COTS VI BRICK® PRM, VTM, and BCM

- Simple “brick style” mounting and thermal management
- 100°C baseplate operation
- Compliant to MIL-STD-810 for shock and vibration
- Compatible with Vicor MIL-COTS VI Chip/VI BRICK input filters
 - MIL-STD-1275A/B/D, MIL-STD-704A, and DO-160E transient protection
 - MIL-STD-461E EMI compliance



1.91 x 1.09 x 0.37 in.
(48,6 x 27,7 x 9,5 mm)

Applications

- Ground vehicle
- Airborne

QuietPower®: QPI Active EMI Input Filters

- 28 V input, compatible with MIL-COTS PRM
 - MIL-STD-461E compliant: CE101, CE102, CS101, CS114, C5115, and CS116
- 1,500 Vdc hi-pot hold off to shield plane
- 7 A rating
- Efficiency: > 99%
- Low profile LGA package
- -50°C to 100°C operation (PCB Temp.)
- Pb solder construction



12.9 x 25.3 x 5 mm
Weight = 2.4 Grams

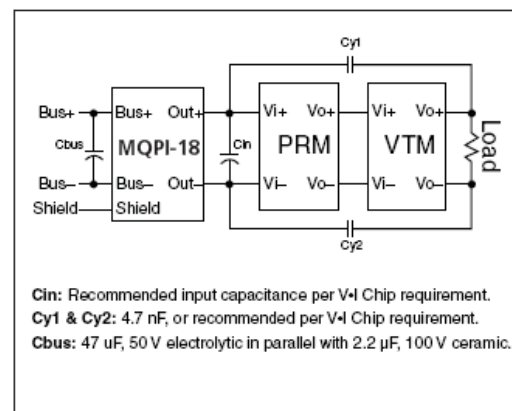


Figure 1 – MQPI-18 Typical application schematic

Applications

- Military mobile and fixed communications
- Radar and targeting
- Missile and launch systems
- Airborne flight management systems

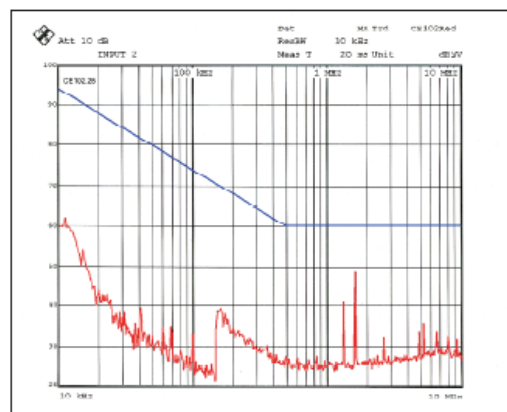
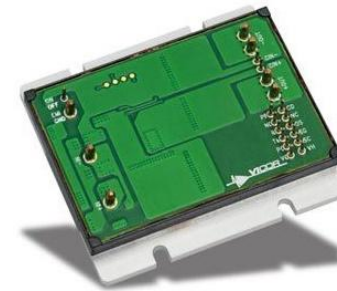


Figure 2 – MIL-STD-461, CE102 compliance with MQPI-18 using 28 V input MIL PRM and 12 V output MIL VTM

28 V MIL-COTS VI BRICK Filter Product

- › **VI BRICK based filter integrated with or in addition to the MIL-COTS 28V PRM providing EMI and transient filtering**
- › **Integrated Filter and PRM Regulator**
 - Dual VI Chip package
 - 8 A maximum input
 - 120 W max power
 - 16.5-50 V_{in} range (13.9-50 V after start-up)
 - 26 to 50 V_{out} (factorized bus)
- › **Stand-alone Filter**
 - Single VI Chip package
 - 8 A maximum input
 - 16.5-50 V_{in} range (13.5-50 V after start-up)
 - Use with MIL-COTS VI BRICKS or VI Chips



461E/F EMI Filter	MIL- COTS PRM
Input Transient Protection	

MIL-COTS Filter w/Integrated PRM

2.19 x 1.91 x 0.37 in
(55,7 x 48,6 x 9,5 mm)



461E/F EMI Filter
Input Transient Protection

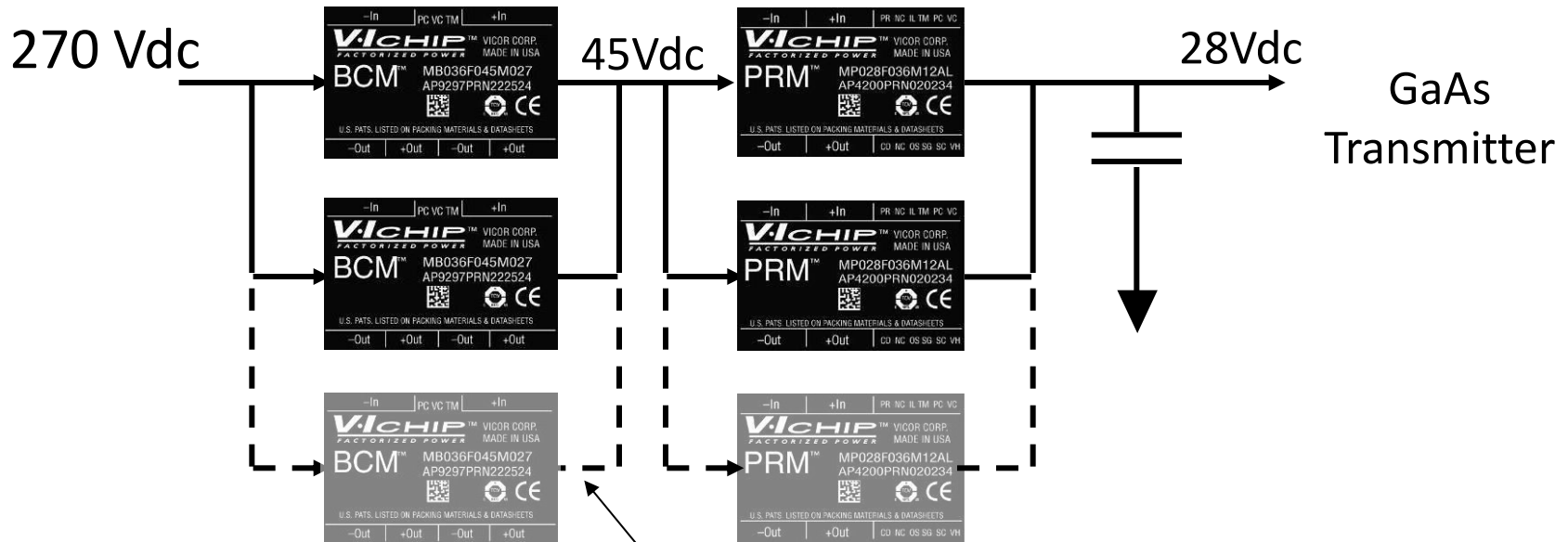
MIL-COTS Filter

1.91 x 1.09 x 0.37 in
(48,6 x 27,7 x 9,5 mm)

Airborne Radar Application

Bus Converters
 MBCM270F450M270A00
 K=1/6, MIL-STD-704E/F
 Each 270W (350W <85°C)
 96%

Regulators
 PRM48BF480M400A00
 Each 233W at 28V_{OUT}
 (trimmed from 400W at 48V_{OUT})

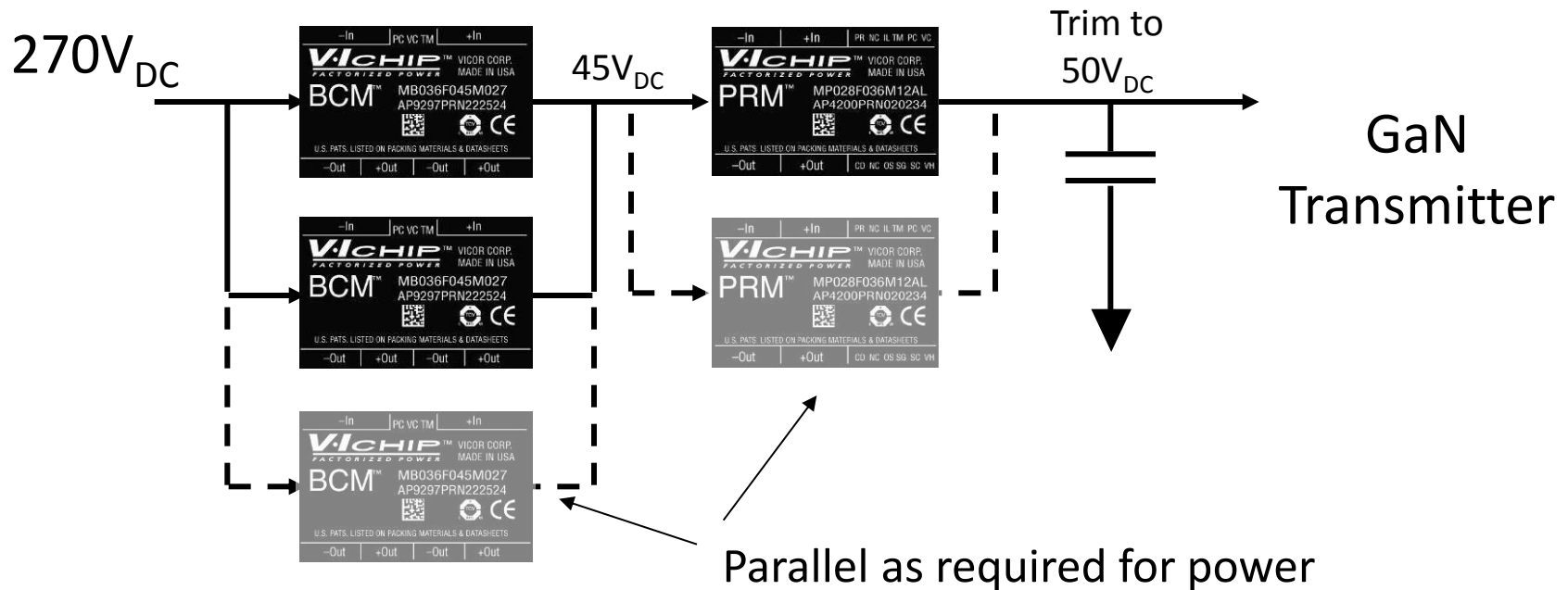


Parallel as required for power

Pulsed Power Loads – GaN example

Bus Converters
 MBCM270F450M270A00
 K=1/6
 MIL-STD-704E/F
 Each 270W (350W < 85°C)

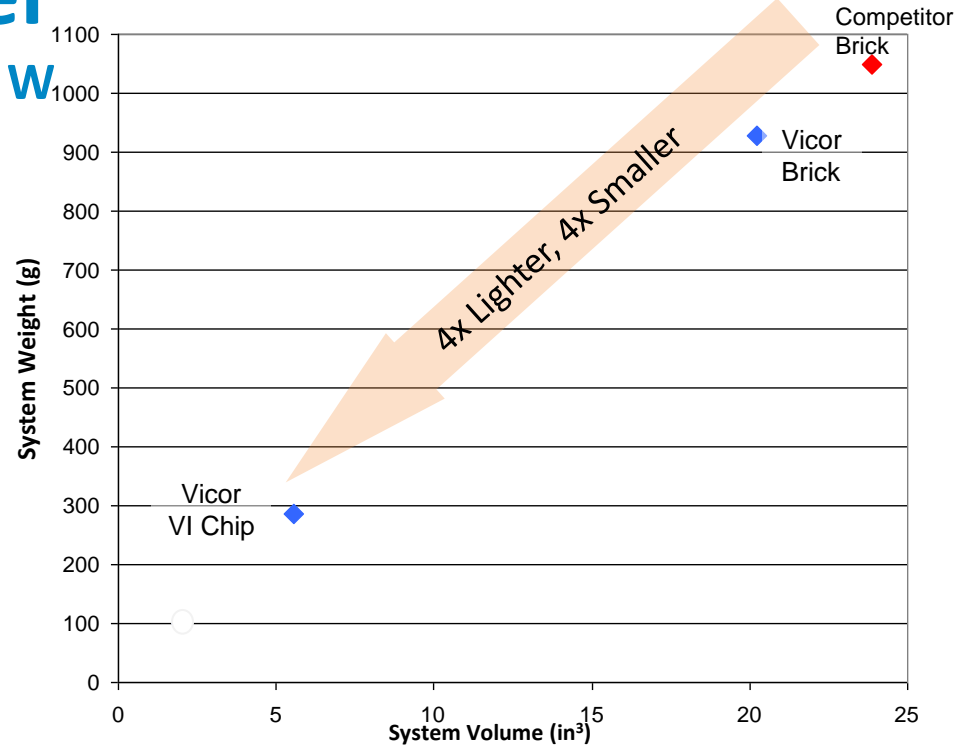
Regulators
 PRM48BF480M400A00
 Each 400W



Size, Weight and Power

270 V (MIL-STD 704D) to 28 V bus, 2400 W

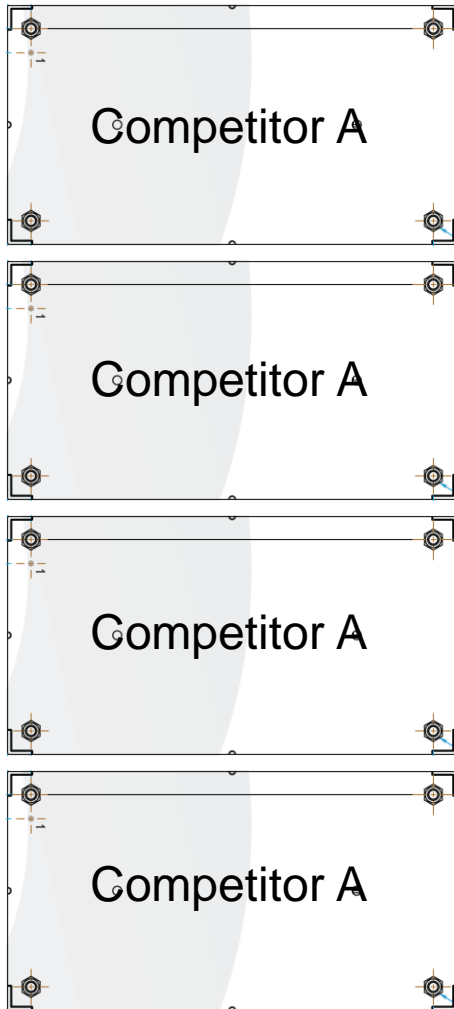
- **System:**
 - $V_{in} = 270\text{ V}$
 - $V_{out} = 28\text{ V}$
 - $P_{out} = 2,400\text{ W}$
- **Chart size and weight for power components only (no heat sinks, fans, etc.)**
- **Heat sink size / weight value derived from loss calculation**
- **This is not the optimal solution:**
 - Additional savings possible depending on amplifier voltage and bulk capacitor requirements



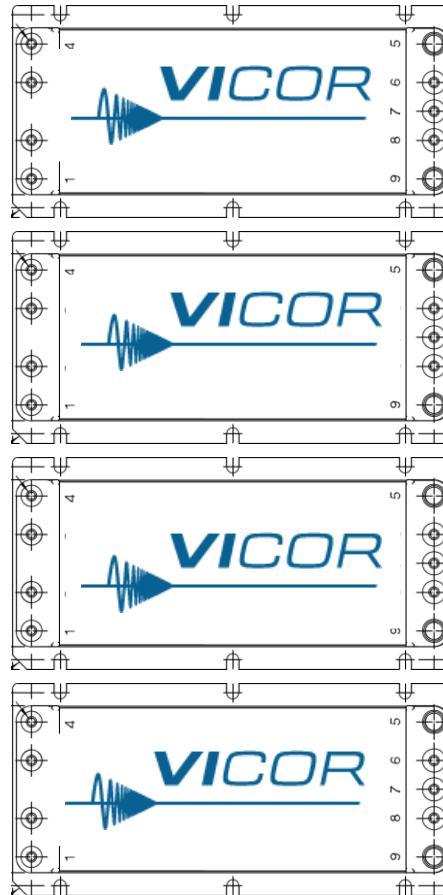
Solution	Partnumber	Package	Part Qty	Efficiency (%)	Volume Each (in ²)	Weight Each (g)	Area Total (in ²)	Volume Total (in ³)	Weight Total (g)	Heatsink Size / Weight
Competitor A	MCOTS-C-270-28-FT	Full Brick	4	91.0%	6.0	262	47	24	1048	Nominal
Vicor Brick	V375A28M600Bxx	Full Brick	4	88.0%	5.1	232	40	20	928	+33%
VI Chip	MBCM270F450M270A00, PRM48BF480M400A00	VI Chip	19	92.5%*	0.3	15	21	6	285	-17%

2400W Component Area (270 Vin, 28 Vout)

47 in² (1048g)



40 in² (928g)



VERSUS

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21 in² (285g)



Space-saving Powertrain – and no ‘Bulk Caps’

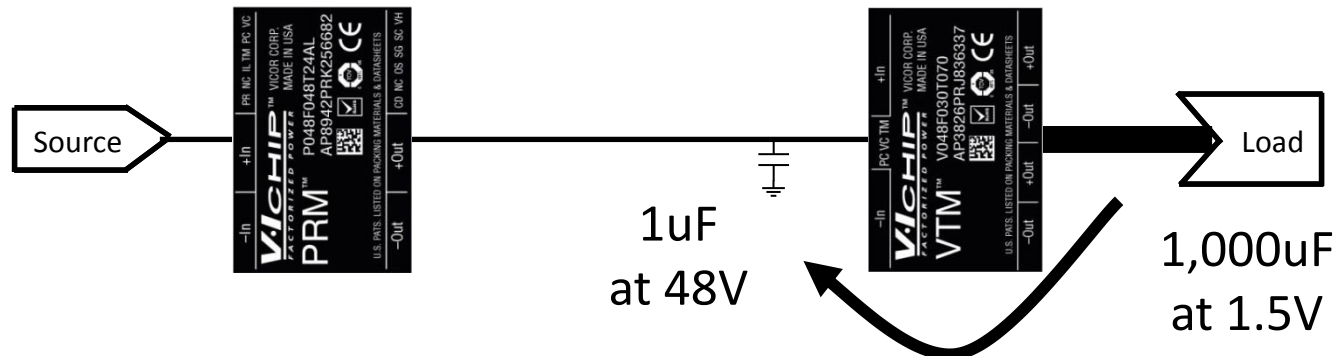
Direct 48V-to-load conversion with 2 VI Chips

Move PRM away from load

- Increased space on motherboard / near load
- Reduced power dissipation at load

Eliminate bulk capacitance

- VTM has very low output impedance (<1mOhm from DC to 1MHz)
- PoL bulk capacitors replaced by 48V ceramic capacitor
- Save space and cost



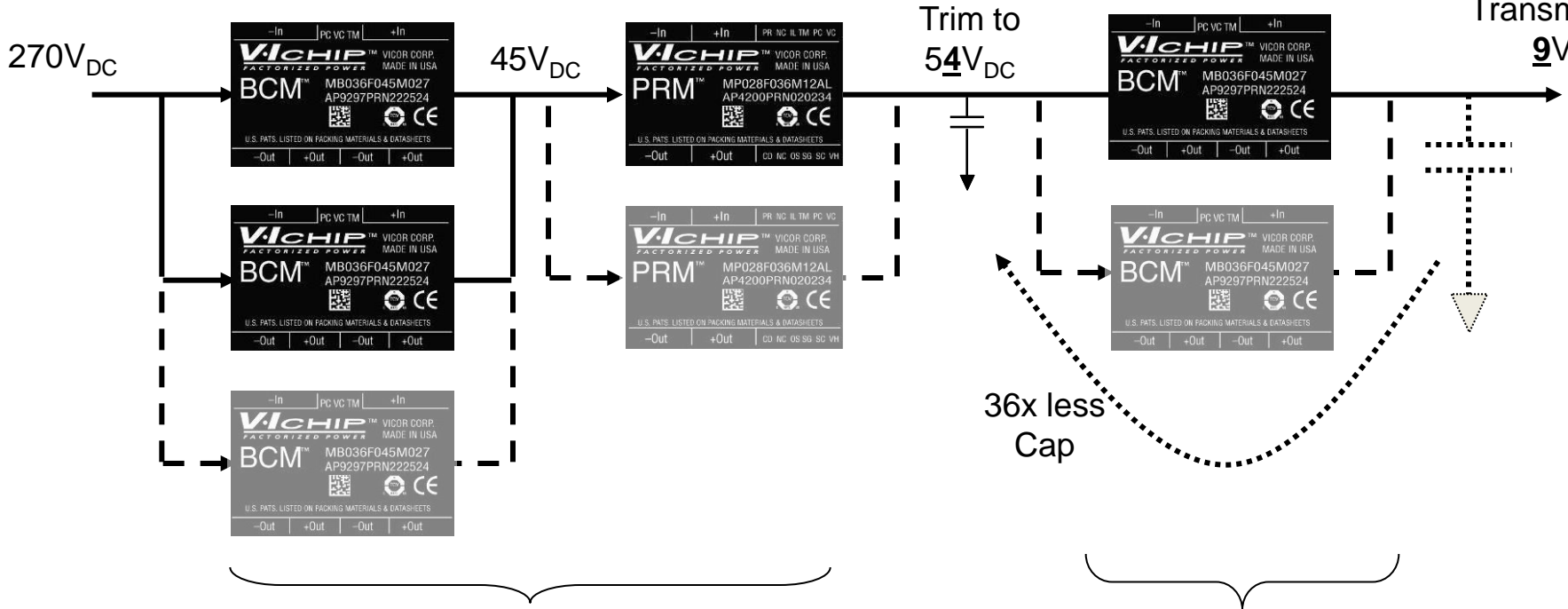
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Regulators
 PRM48BF480M400A00
 Each 400W

Bus Converters
 B048F080M24
 K=1/6
 Each 240W_{DC}, 360W 1ms pulse

GaAs
 Transmitter
 9V



Parallel BCMs and PRMs for **average** power
 ('trickle-charge' cap bank)

Parallel **fewer** BCMs for **pulse** power
 (BCMs have pulsed 150% over-power rating)

SWaP including path to 9V

270V (MIL-STD 704D) to 9V Transmitter, 2400W

▪ **System:**

- $V_{IN} = 270V$
- $V_{OUT} = \underline{9V}$
- $P_{OUT} = 2,400W$

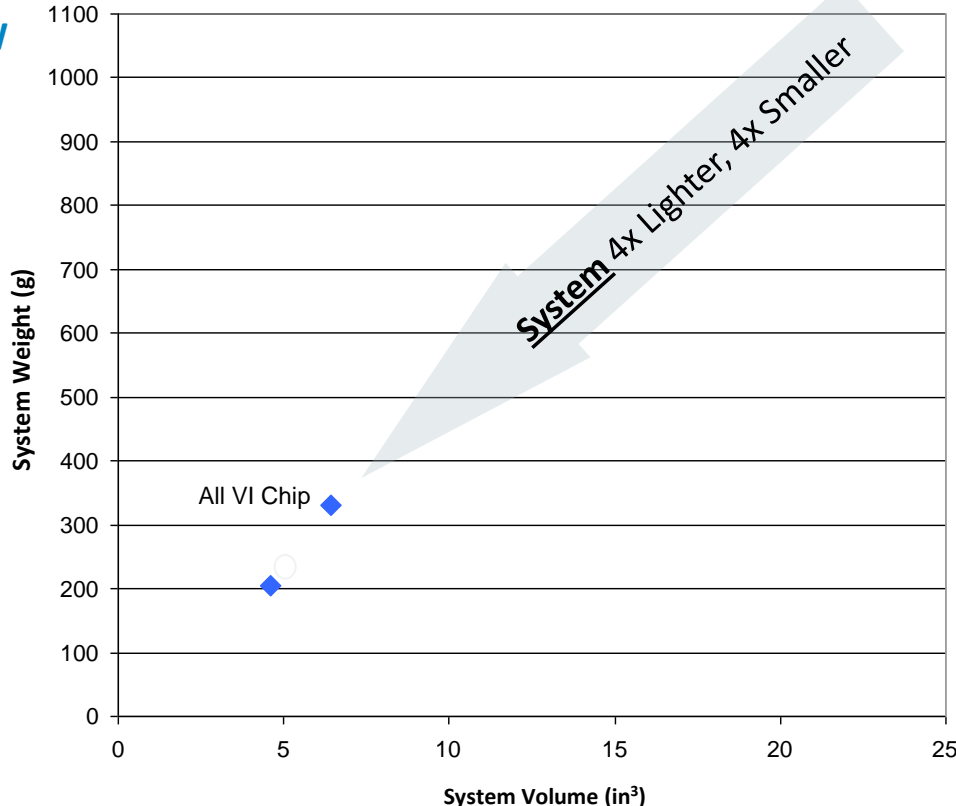
▪ **Chart size and weight for power components only (no heatsinks, fans, etc.)**

▪ **270V-9V efficiency >89%**

▪ **Bulk capacitance reduced**

- *By 36x in μF*
- *By >5x in weight / volume*

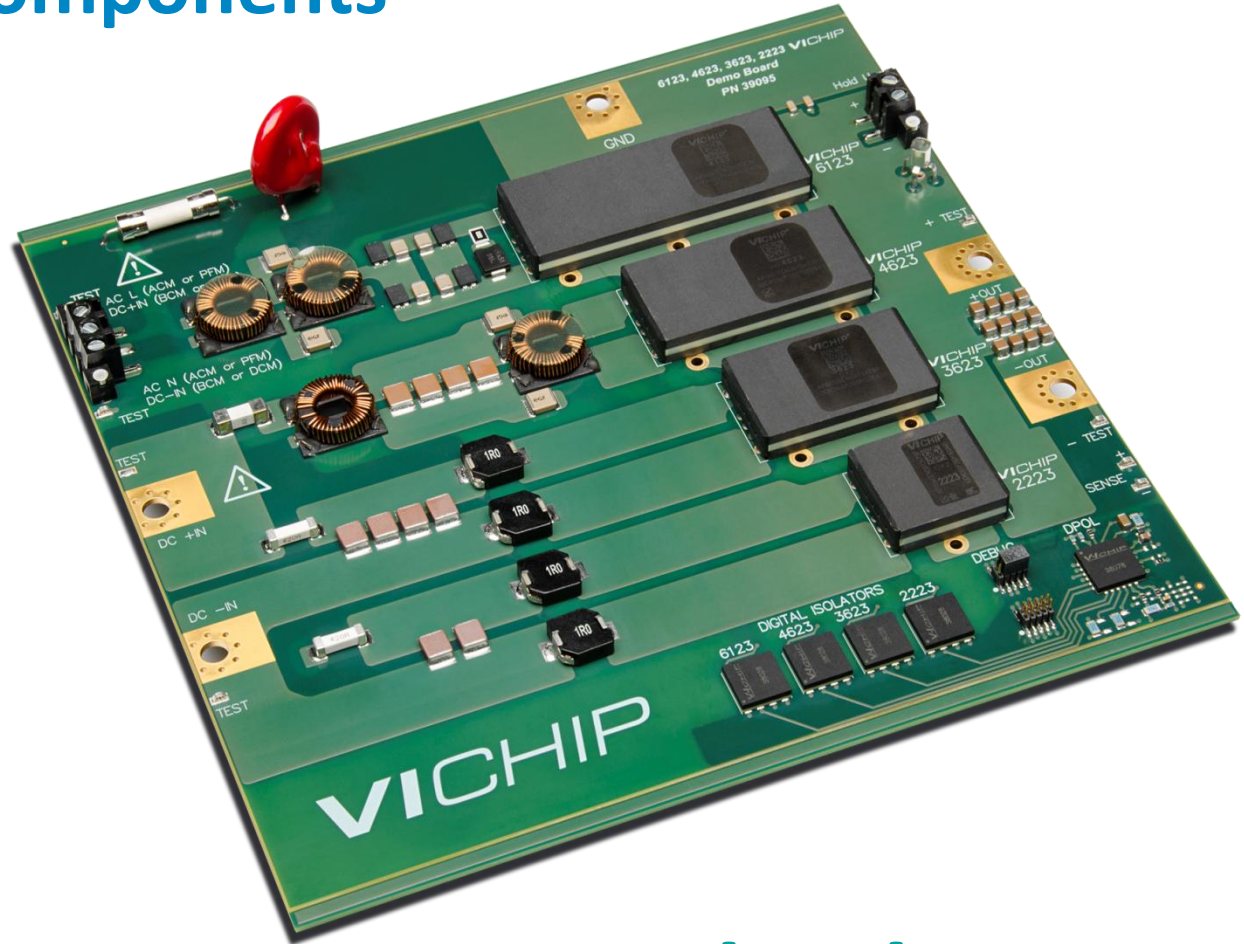
accounting for different capacitor technology (e.g., 15V vs. at 10V)



Solution	Partnumber	Package	Part Qty	Efficiency (%)	Volume Each (in ²)	Weight Each (g)	Area Total (in ²)	Volume Total (in ³)	Weight Total (g)	Bulk Cap Size / Weight
VI Chip	MBCM270F450M270A00, PRM48BF480M400A00, B048F060T240	VI Chip Full Chip	22	89.4%	0.3	15	24	6	330	-80%

ChiP Power Components

- Efficient
- Dense
- Flexible
- Scalable
- Cost-effective



Thank You