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# ST Technologies for SMART CITY

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Smart City, Home and Building Automation

# We are creators and makers of technology



One of the world's largest semiconductor companies



Over **50,000** employees  
of which **9,000+** in R&D



**\$16.1 billion** revenues  
in 2022



Over **80** sales & marketing  
offices serving over **200,000**  
customers across the globe



**14** main manufacturing  
sites



Signatory of the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC)  
Member of the Responsible Business Alliance (RBA)

# We address four end markets



**Automotive**



**Industrial**



**Personal electronics**



**Communications  
equipment,  
computers & peripherals**



# Smart city trends

## Power & Energy



Smarter and more efficient energy use

### More efficient

Higher efficiency at all points in power generation and distribution  
More efficient power consumption

### More connected

Smart city and home devices connect to one another and to the cloud  
All communications are secured

## Digitalization



Sensing and connecting the world around

### More intelligent

Using all available data to adapt infrastructure and services for the benefit of the citizens

### More aware

Sensors are collecting information about every node in the city  
Homes are adapting living conditions to optimize comfort and energy saving

# Smart city

## Microelectronics enables smart cities applications

Evaluation platforms

Processing  
and AI

Sensing &  
Actuating

Security

Connectivity

Power & Energy  
Management

Signal  
Conditioning  
& Protection



**Smart Grid and Smart meters**  
gas, electricity and water meters



**Smart lighting**



**Smart building and smart home**



**Smart city services**  
e.g. waste, parking



**Intelligent transportation**  
e.g. station networks



**Smart agriculture**  
e.g. LED growth lights for horticulture

# Smart meter e-meter, gas and water

**STMicroelectronics is a leader in smart meter with technology solutions covering all smart grid building blocks**

Microcontrollers  
& Security

Anti-tamper  
& Sensors

Motor Drivers

Power  
conversion  
Metrology ICs

Connectivity  
solutions

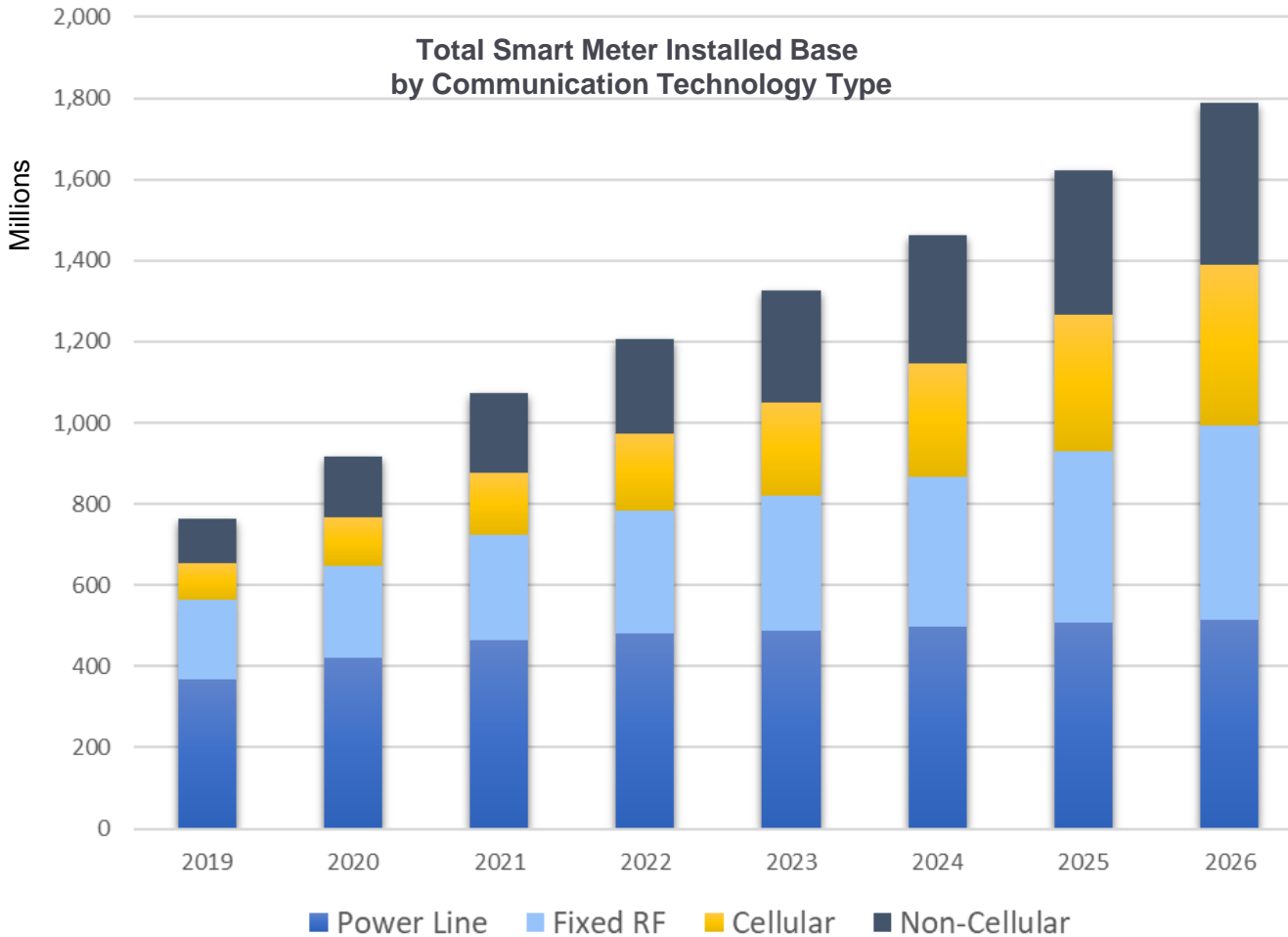
- **+165 million smart meters with ST inside**
- **Rank #1 in power line communication**
- + 20 years experience in smart grid with key utilities, manufacturers, industrial alliances, and standardization bodies
- Most field-proven, integrated, performing flexible, and future-proof

- Real time consumption, quality and outage info for providers
- Two-way communication and power flow
- Electrical infrastructure, distributing electricity efficiently
- Accurate consumer energy measurement and regulation (Smart meters) with more flexible tariff schemes and billing



# Smart metering Connectivity trends

Total Smart Meter Installed Base  
by Communication Technology Type



- PLC connectivity still widely adopted in Smart e-meters
- PLC and RF complementing in Hybrid networks
- Hybrid and NB-IoT as next major trend for smart metering

Others (DSL, fiber, co-axial,...)

A collection of logos representing various smart metering technologies and industry alliances. The logos include: 2G 3G, LTE-M, NB-IoT, M-Bus wireless, sigfox, LoRa, zigbee, Wi SUN Alliance, G3-PLC RF Hybrid, meters AND more OPEN TECHNOLOGIES, PRIME ALLIANCE, and G3-PLC Alliance.

# Smart street lighting

## Multifunction intelligent system to aggregate “smart city” services

- Remote lighting control and dimming
- Predictive maintenance of lights
- Air quality and environmental monitoring
- Power consumption reduction
- Predictive and pervasive security
- Traffic monitoring and control

### ST solutions

MCU, AI &  
Security

Motion, pressure,  
temperature & CO<sub>2</sub>  
sensors

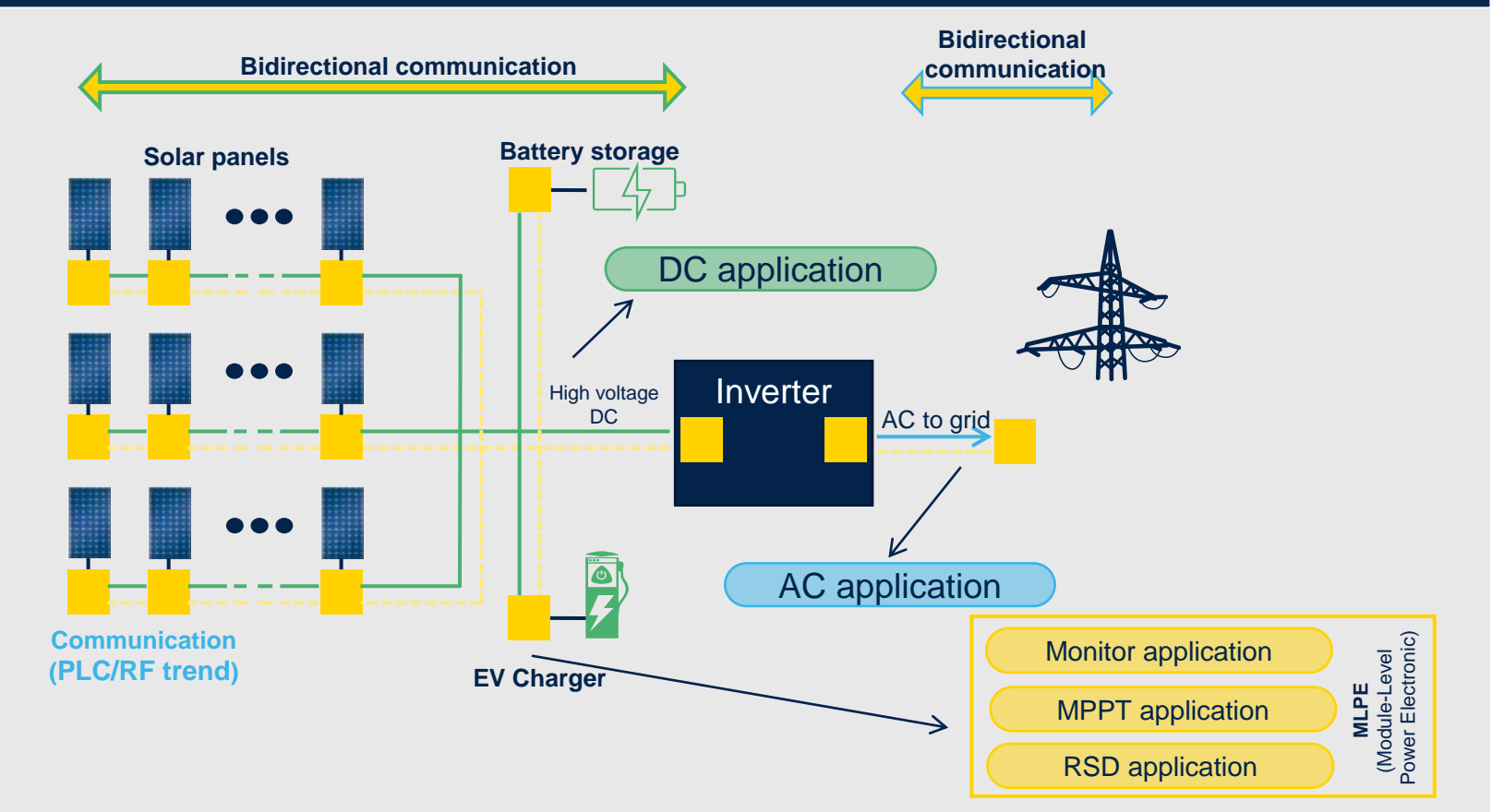
Microphone  
array

LED drivers  
Power  
management

Connectivity  
solutions

# Solar power generation a key contributor to sustainable energy

## Solar panels can generate, store, & share electricity thanks to semiconductors



### Key components

#### Inverter

- WBG\* & Silicon Power MOSFETs, IGBT
- Power Modules
- Rectifiers, fast diodes
- Galvanic isolated drivers

#### Power management

- WBG & Silicon Power MOSFETs
- Power Modules
- Rectifiers
- PWM controllers
- Galvanic isolated drivers

#### Battery management

- Battery management ICs
- Microcontrollers
- Regulators

#### Connectivity

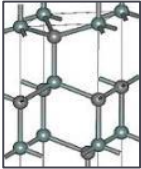
PLC and RF 2 ways communication of DC and AC for **remote monitoring** (V, I, T) and **rapid shut-down for safety**, in case of fires, (according to NEC 2017 in the US) or maintenance PV theft detection, and more...



\*WBG = Wide Bandgap Semiconductors such as Silicon Carbide and Gallium Nitride

# Why silicon carbide?

## SiC power devices for performance beyond silicon



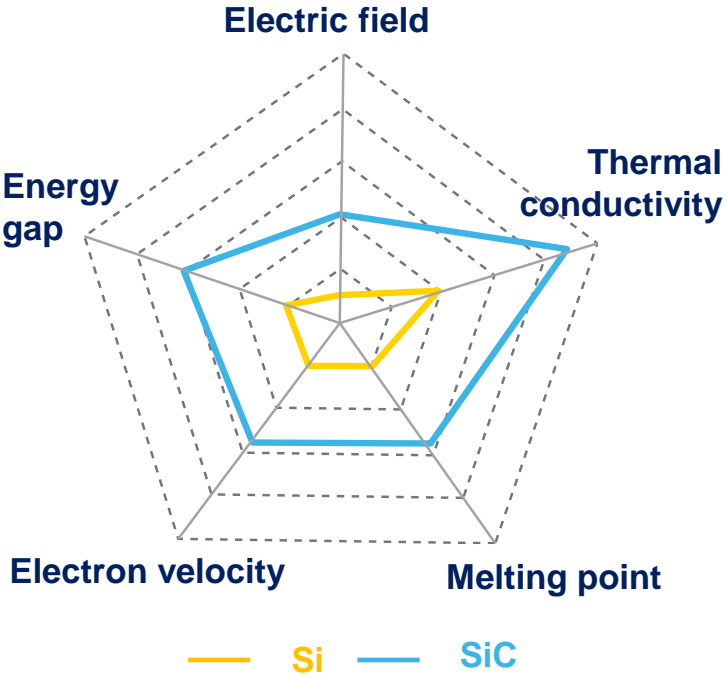
**Silicon  
Carbide**



**Higher breakdown voltage: x10  
Lower ON resistance & losses**

**Higher temperature  
(operation & endurance)  
Reduced cooling requirements**

**Higher switching frequency  
Lower switching losses**



# Home & building

## Monitor, protect and save energy

- **Presence detection**, people counting, indoor tracking. Improve room and **asset use, save energy**. Improve **personnel safety and security**
- **Smart appliances** and efficient power supplies
- Energy-efficient **smart lighting**. **Security and surveillance**
- **Electric Vehicle** charger and **smart meter**
- Customer User Manager (**CEM**)
- Sensors to Cloud, for building **structure monitoring**
- Real-time **monitoring of the environment** (temp., CO2)

### ST solutions

MCU, AI &  
Security

Vibration, chemical  
& environmental  
sensors

Imaging,  
proximity,  
IR sensors

Advanced power  
management  
systems

Connectivity  
solutions

# Home & building energy savings

Residential & commercial lighting, HVAC and appliances use >50% of total electricity consumption

>40%  
Energy Saving

**Washing machine**  
From Class D to Class A++



>30%  
Energy Saving

**Air conditioning**  
From analog to digital  
From AC to BLDC control



>70%  
Energy Saving

**Digital consumer power supply**  
Efficiency > 98% in run mode  
Stand-by power < 1mW



>80%  
Energy Saving

**Electronic lighting**  
From incandescent bulbs  
to LED lighting



Source: IEA, EPA

# Smart home Energy management

Customer Energy Manager (CEM) at the heart of a fully integrated energy-aware management of electric loads and DERs



# Home & building Presence and occupancy detection

Global occupancy sensor market **2022 \$2.1B** with **CAGR of 12%**, with North America region expected to be most opportunistic market with accumulating 38% revenue in 2022<sup>1</sup>

Presence detection & localization



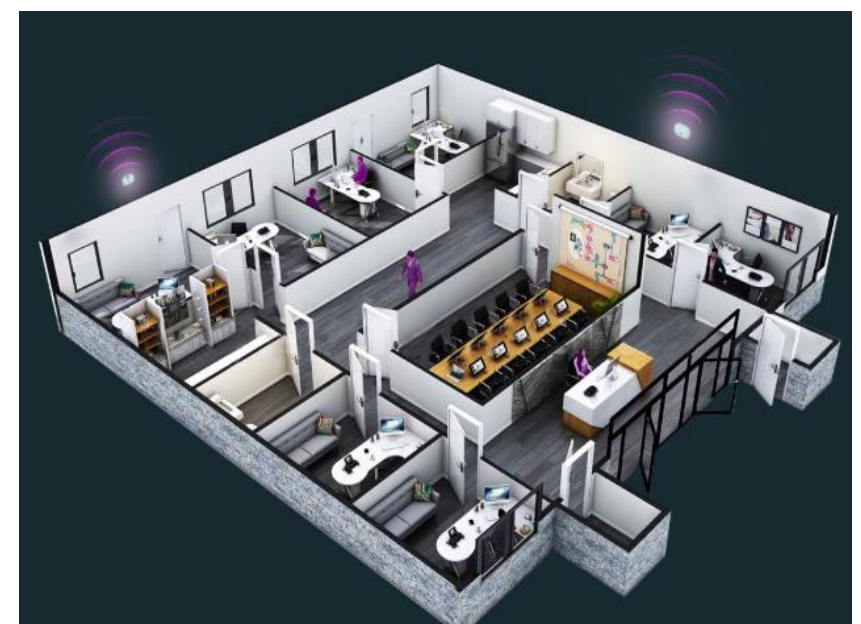
Alarms and PIR replacement



User interface



USD 6.6 Billion by 2032



Lighting control



Heat control



Intercom & access



# Takeaways

Smart cities can **significantly improve people's lives** while **saving energy**

Deploying these applications **requires a challenging mix of technologies**

**Smart Chips enable Smart Cities**, with connected, secure & low-power ICs

**ST** offers a **complete portfolio** of products, solutions & **ready-to-go ecosystem** in collaboration with our partner

# Our technology starts with You

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