Electronic Fuses

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Reliability technology ensures a safe ride - every time!



EXPERTS FOR AUTOMOTIVE ICS



We have a broad expertise in analog mixedsignal integrated circuit design.

We deeply understand our customers application needs to create real system innovation.

We are a global player for automotive ASSPs and ASICs. We offer worldwide sales and application support.

CORPORATE KEY FACTS



~7 Elmos ICs

on average in every new car

6 product segments

Motor Control, Lighting, Safety/Power/Custom ICs, Ranging, Optical, Sensor ICs

15 locations worldwide

incl. 6 R&D centers, HQ located in Dortmund, Germany

~40 years of experience

in analog mixed signal IC solutions

1,200 employees

thereof 350+ product developers & engineers



WE ARE LOCATED ALL OVER THE WORLD





PRODUCT SEGMENTS

- RANGING
- OPTICAL
- SENSOR ICs
- MOTOR CONTROL
- LIGHTING
- SAFETY, POWER & CUSTOM ICs



ELECTRONIC FUSE CONTROLLER

Technical benefits of electronic fuses

- Permanent Measurement of
 - Current
 - Voltage
 - Temperature
- Reduce wire harness weight
- More trustable sensor integration due to less voltage drop and less sub-net interference in vehicle power network
- Power monitoring and diagnostics all over the vehicle smart power network (e.g., direct diagnostics or plausibility check possible)
- Smart power distribution with advanced function

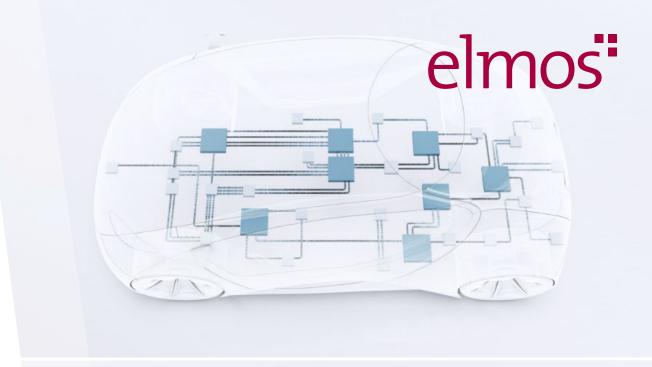


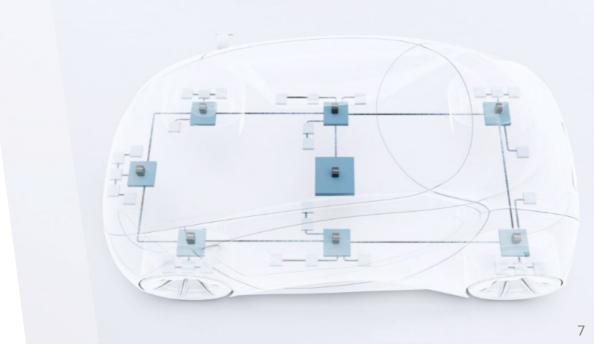
VEHICLE WEIGHT REDUCTION

Accurate current / power measurement allows reduced wire harness

The Elmos solution emulates the dynamic "melting fuse" characteristic but adaptive, faster and more precise

- Less wire diameter and wire harness weight
- Cost savings
- Configurable fast protection for improved wire protection
- Lower tolerances due to calibrated measuring unit
- Prepared for "Power Network Segmentation"



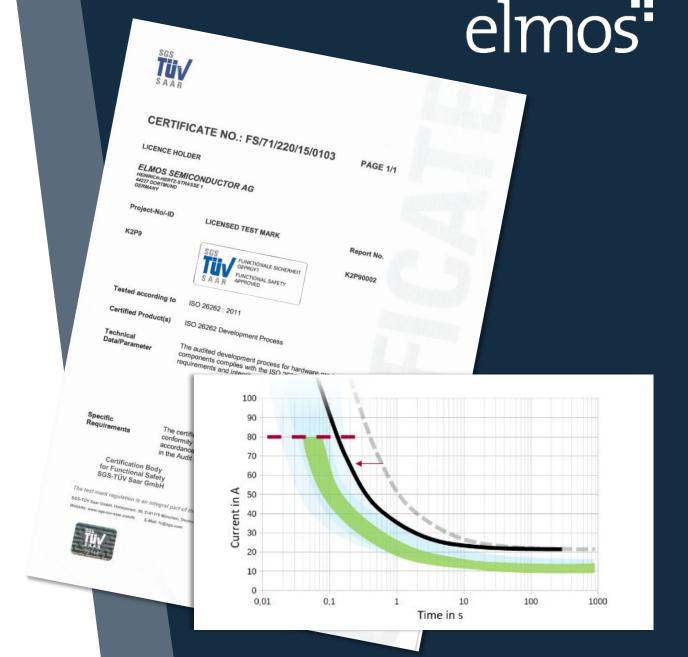


FUNCTIONAL SAFETY

ISO 26262 certified processes at Elmos

Global safety benefits compared to a melting fuse

- Individual remote channel switching
- Automatic recovery with limited number of retries
- Predicted maintenance
- Diagnosis feedback
- IC fulfils technical safety requirements with ASIL B
 - → enables to improve system reliability up to ASIL D



ARCHITECTURE FLEXIBILITY

Electronic Fuses to enable flexible power E/E architecture

Advantages

- Reduced junction box construction
- Freedom of mounting position
- Optional decentral fuses
- Zone controlled power subnets
- Reduced central power lines



ACTIVE POWER MANAGEMENT

Benefit from several operating modes for many use cases

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Smart Energy Management for

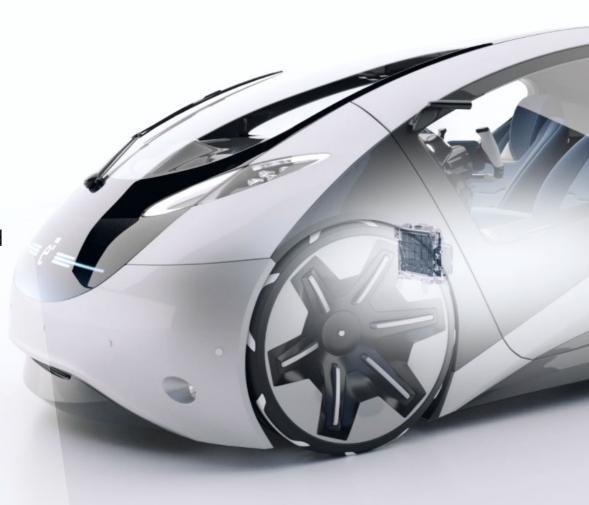
Autonomous local fuse functionality

Elmos solution allows individual remote channel switching

- Adaptive wire harness protection
 - → In-rush current management by adaptive shutdown threshold
- Reduces sleep current in high voltage domains

Zone controller can be remotely configured for:

- Different platforms
- Different vehicle configurations
- Remote re-cover / re-activation



BETTER SYSTEM RELIABILITY

Limit voltage drop on supply network

Avoid instable bus communication, unreliable sensor data and unwanted resets by using eFuses

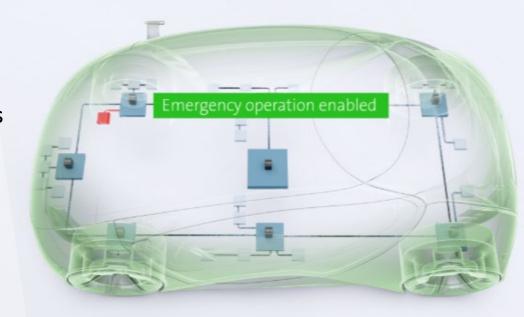
- Reduced failure cross coupling to other power segments by fast over current shutdown → Fast reaction time
- Smart system recovery by individual segment control
 → Adaptive over current threshold
- Independent channel switching

Enhanced system reliability by fast & precise shutdown of faulty segments

- Act autonomously by GET → CHECK → ACT & COMMUNICATE
 - with local current, temperature and voltage

Enables to reach safe state of the vehicle @any-time!









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