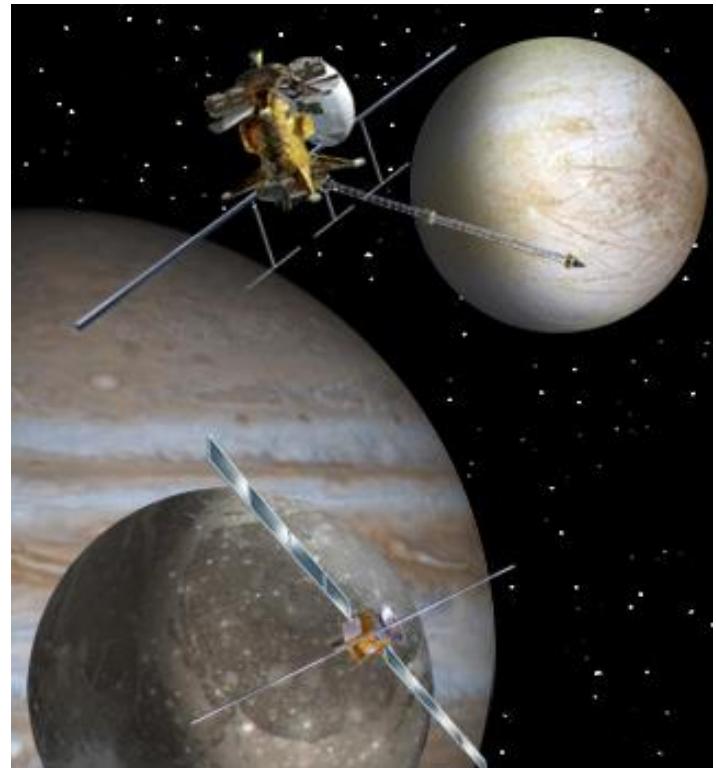


## Technical Presentation

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# What is JUICE?

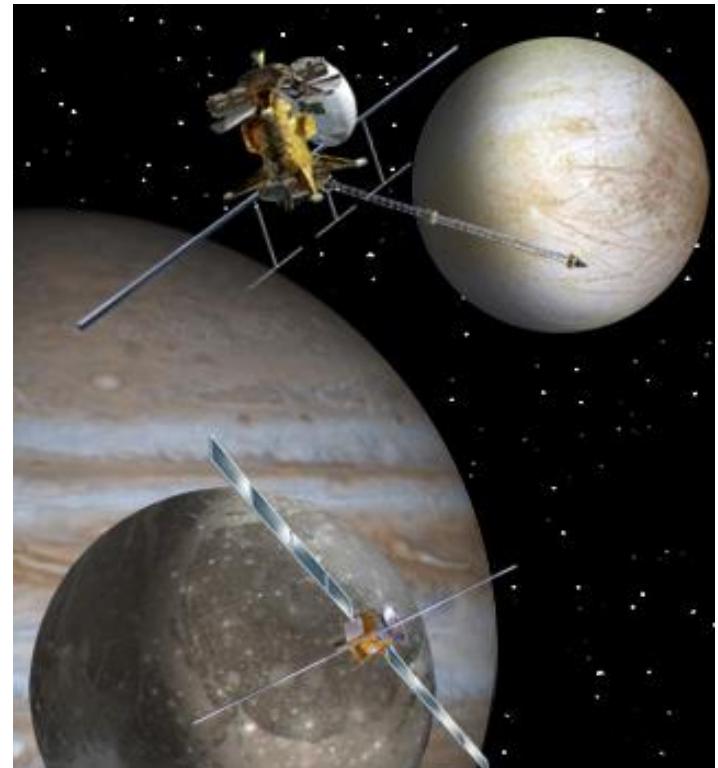
JUpiter ICy moons Explorer (JUICE) - ESA mission

Timeline:

- In 2022 - launch
- In 2030 - Jupiter, Ganymede, Callisto, Europa

Studies:

- Jupiter's atmosphere, magnetosphere, interaction with the 3 moons and Io
- Surfaces and interiors of the 3 moons, potential to host life



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# e<sup>2</sup>RAD Project

e<sup>2</sup>-RAD: energetic electrons **radiation** assessment study for JUICE mission

**Objectives:** To investigate shielding-performance of 2-layered Shielding set-ups with different Geometries and relative composition of High-Z and Low-Z materials.

- High-Z : Tantalum, Lead
- Low-Z material : Aluminum
- Major Dose contribution: trapped electrons
- Energy range: 5 MeV – 50 MeV

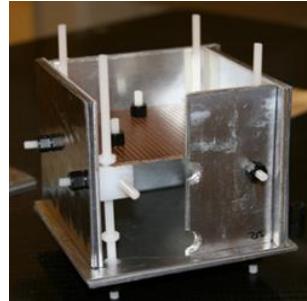


Fig 2: Box-shielding configuration

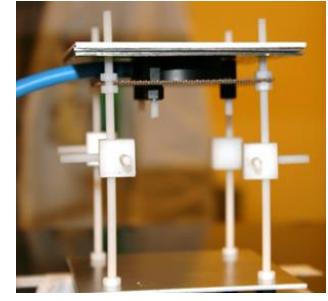


Fig 3: Plane-shielding configuration



Fig : Experiments at LINAC facility, AKH-Vienna.

## e<sup>2</sup>RAD Project: Excerpt from Results

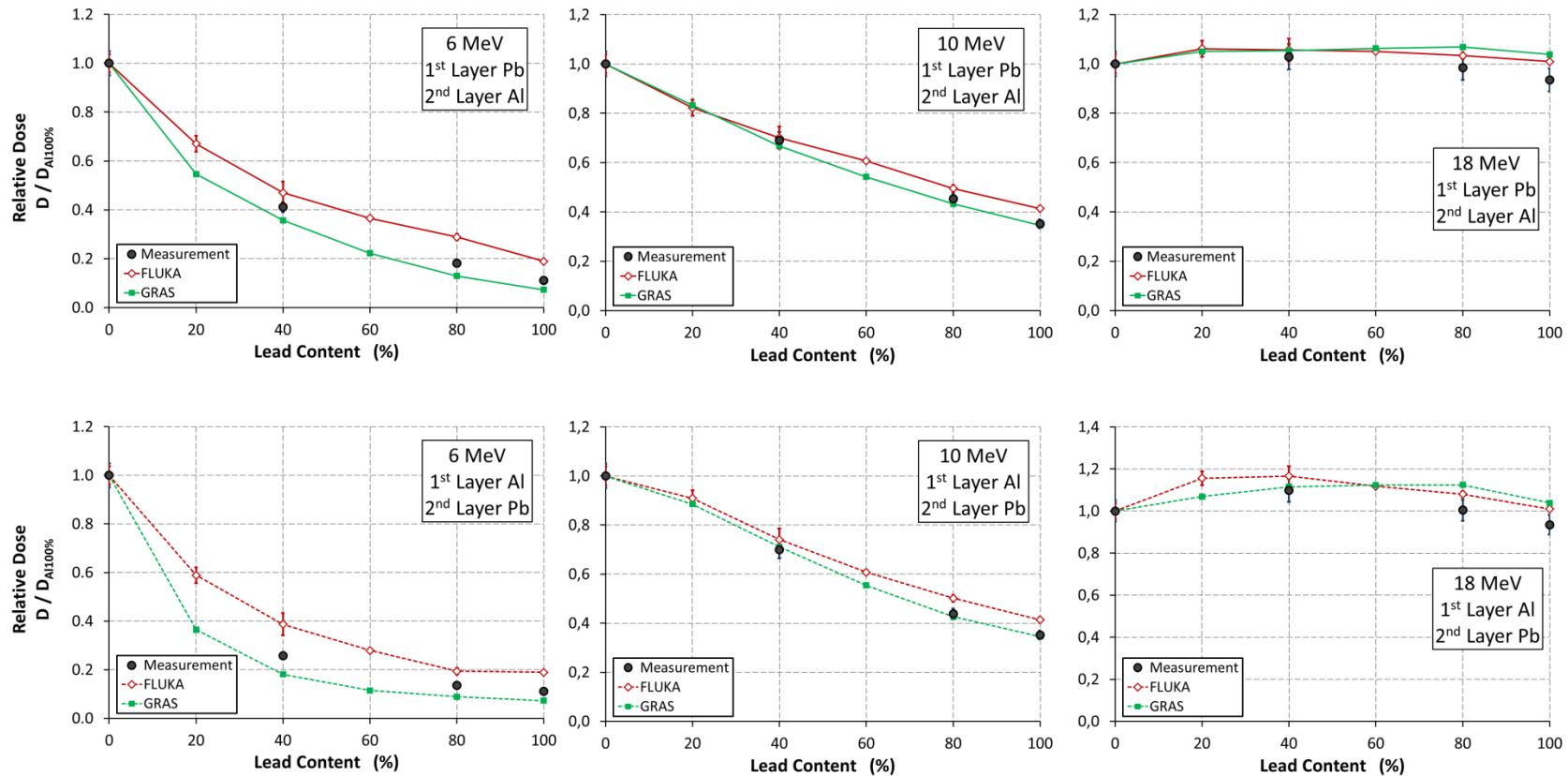
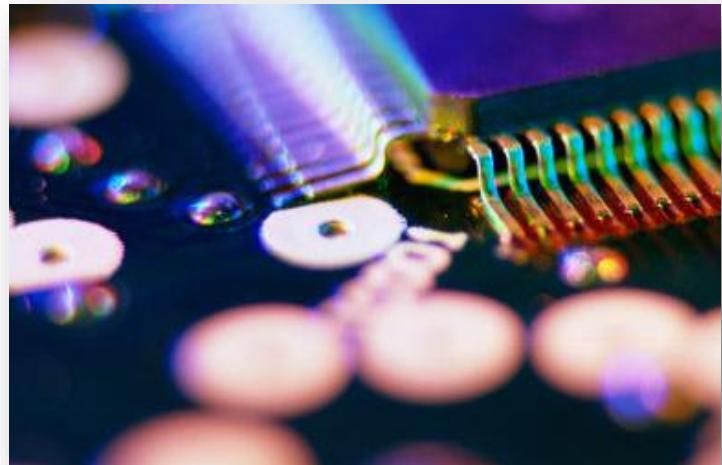


Figure : Comparison of experimental data and numerical data obtained with Monte Carlo codes FLUKA and GRAS. Y-axis shows the relative values ( normalized to value for pure Aluminium shielding) of dose recorded in an ionization chamber that is located directly behind a plane shielding. X-axis shows percentage of Lead content.

## ECI Objectives

- To select and test European Commercial Off The Shelf (COTS) EEE components regarding Radiation Hardness Assurance according ESA standards
- To assess whether the tested components pass test requirements specified for space



## ECI Candidates for Testing

Part	Description	Manufacturer	RHA-Test	
<b>STS3P6F6</b>	p-channel Power MosFET, $V_{DS}$ : -60 V, $I_D$ : -3 A	STM	TID	
			SEGR	
<b>SPD04P10P G</b>	SIPMOS p-channel Power MosFET, $V_{DS}$ : -100 V, $I_D$ : -4 A	Infineon	TID	
			SEGR	
<b>TS331LT</b>	Comparator	STM	TID	
<b>TS3011ILT</b>	Comparator	STM	TID	
<b>AS1976-T</b>	Comparator	AMS	TID	
<b>LM2904DT</b>	Op-Amp	STM	TID	

## ECI TID Testing: Experiment conditions

- **Co-60 TID** radiation facility, Seibersdorf - EN/ISO IEC 17025 Accredited Test Lab
- **Sample size:** 5 biased, 5 unbiased, 2 control devices
- **Test standard:** ESA/SSC Basic Specification 22900
- **Annealing:** 24 hours room temperature, 168 hours 100°C

Electrical Parameter	Symbol	Unit
Drain-source Breakdown Voltage	$V_{BR(DSS)}$	V
Gate Threshold Voltage	$V_{GS}$	V
Static Drain-Source On-Resistance	$R_{DS(on)}$	$\Omega$
Inverse Diode Forward Voltage	$V_{SD}$	V
Reverse Gate-Source Leak Current	$I_{GSS(R)}$	A
Forward Gate-Source Leak Current	$I_{GSS(F)}$	A
Forward Transconductance*	$g_{fs}$	S

Parameters measured

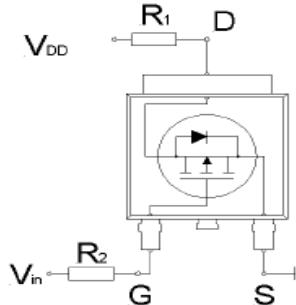


Co-60 TID Radiation Exposure Facility  
EN/ISO IEC 17045 Test Lab, Seibersdorf

# ECI TID Test Circuit (biased, unbiased), PCB Set-Up

## SPD04P10G

### Schematic of Test Circuitry



### Biased

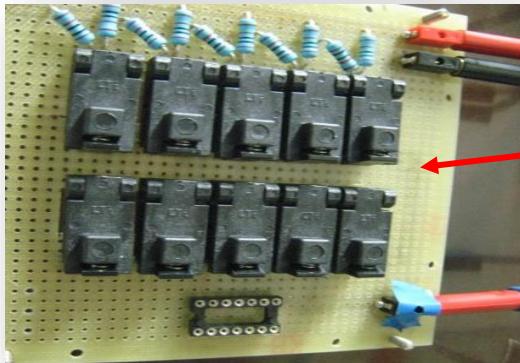
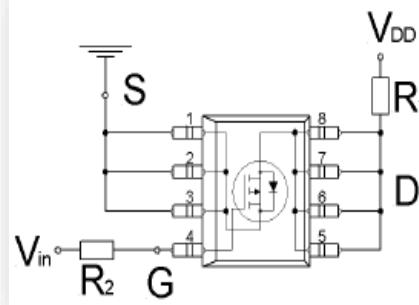
$V_{DD}$ : 50V  
 $V_{in}$ : -20V  
Resistors:  $R_1$ :  $2\text{k}\Omega$ ,  $R_2$ : 10 k $\Omega$

### Unbiased

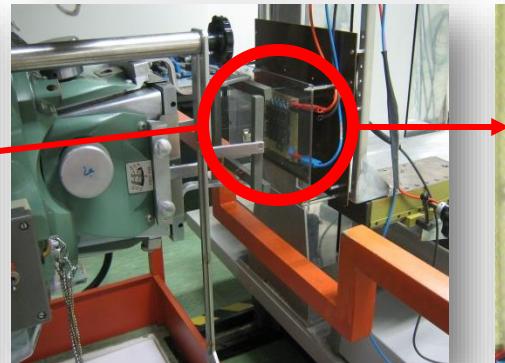
All terminals grounded; pin to ground resistance typically  $< 4 \Omega$

## STS3PF6

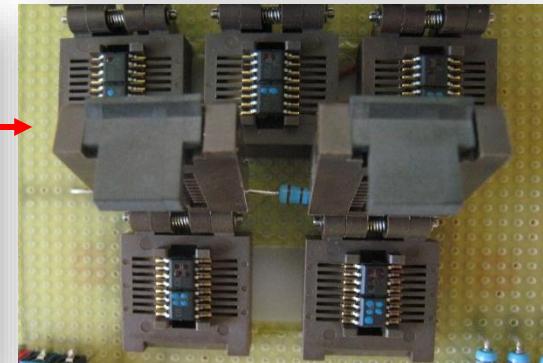
### Schematic of Test Circuitry



PCB: biased / unbiased TID test  
(**SPD04P10G**)



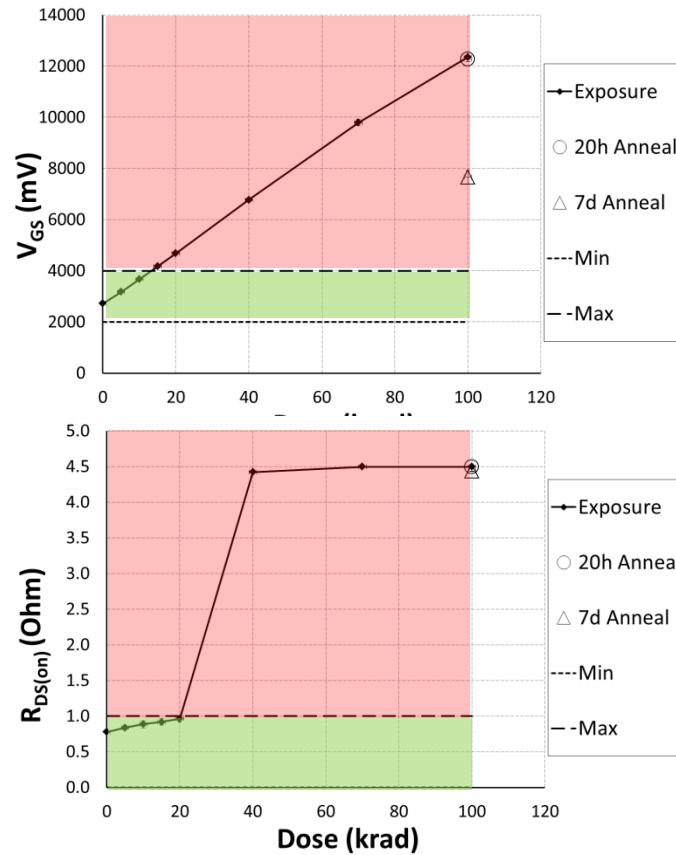
Co-60 Radiation  
Exposure Seibersdorf



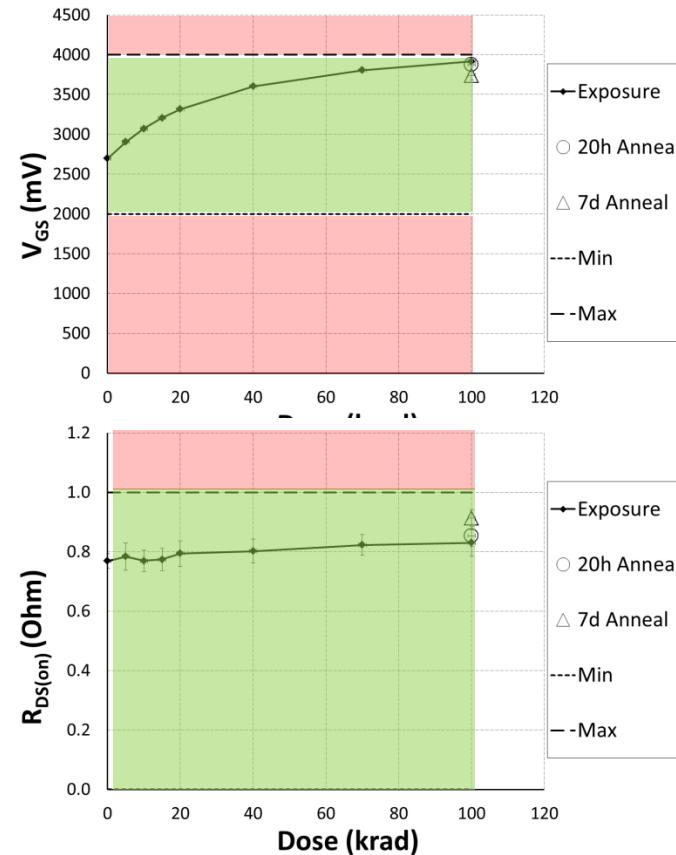
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# ECI TID Test Results: SPD04P10G

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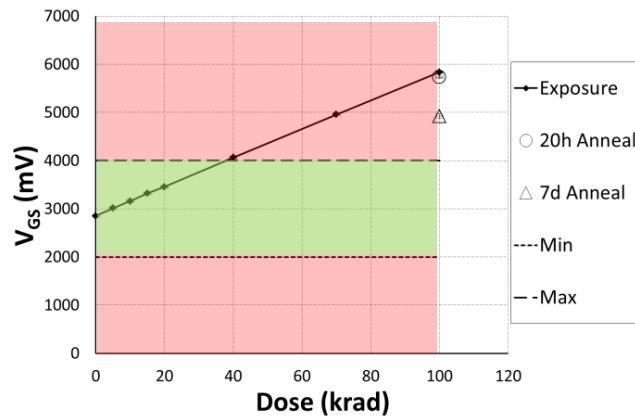


UNBIASED

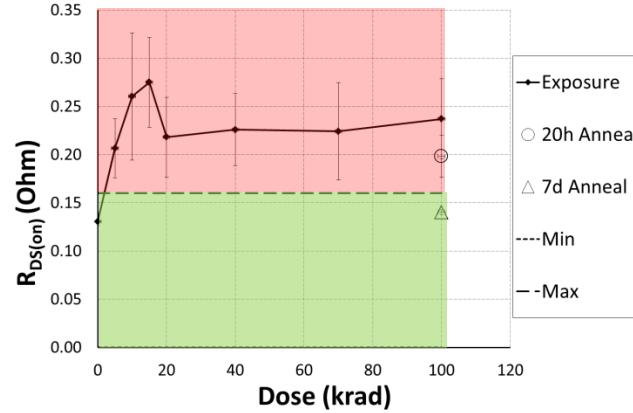
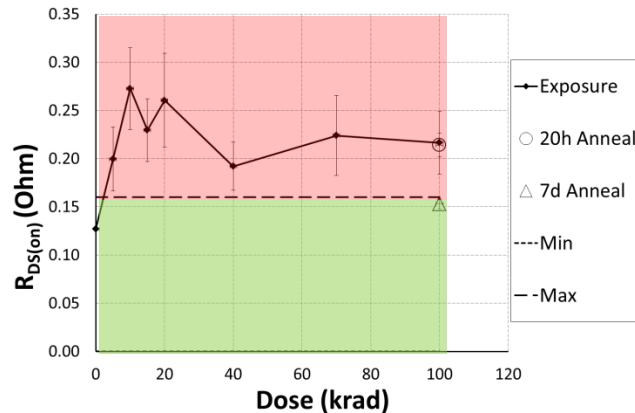
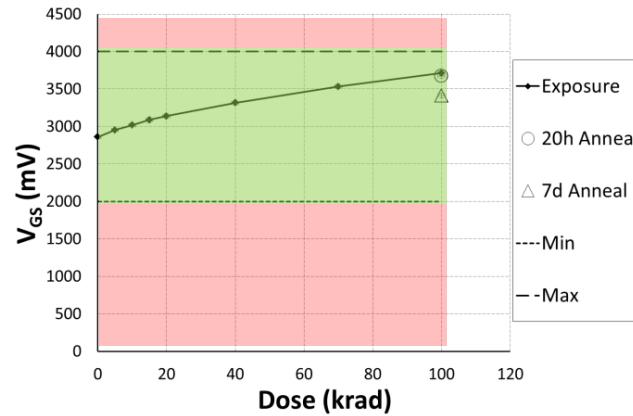


# ECI TID Test Results: STS3PF6

BIASED



UNBIASED



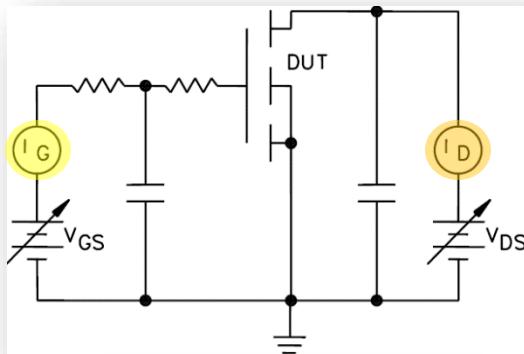
# ECI TID Test Summary

Parameters	Symbol	Unit	SPD04P10G		STS3PF6	
			Biased	Unbiased	Biased	Unbiased
Drain-source Breakdown Voltage	$V_{BR(DSS)}$	V	100 krad	100 krad	100 krad	100 krad
Gate Threshold Voltage	$V_{GS}$	V	15 krad	100 krad	40 krad	100 krad
Static Drain-Source On-Resistance	$R_{DS(on)}$	$\Omega$	40 krad	100 krad	5 krad	5 krad
Inverse Diode Forward Voltage	$V_{SD}$	V	10 krad	5 krad	10 krad	15 krad
Reverse Gate-Source Leak Current	$I_{GSS(R)}$	A	100 krad	100 krad	100 krad	100 krad
Forward Gate-Source Leak Current	$I_{GSS(F)}$	A	100 krad	100 krad	100 krad	100 krad
Forward Transconductance	$g_{fs}$	S	40 krad	100 krad		

PASS
FAIL

# SEGR Test Plan for STS3P6F6 and SPD04P10P

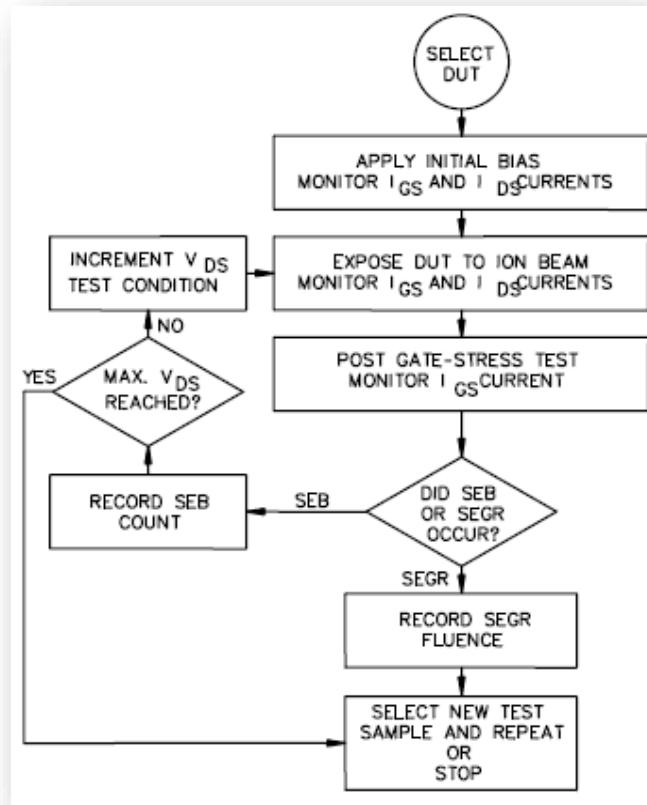
**Schematic Test Circuit**  
(MIL-STD-750-1 Method 1080.1)



STS3P6F6 with  
and without lid

SPD04P10P prior  
and after etching

**Characterization Flow Chart**  
(MIL-STD-750-1 Method 1080.1)

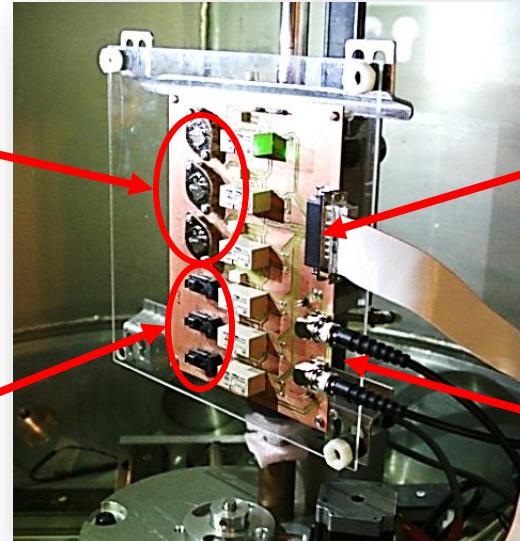
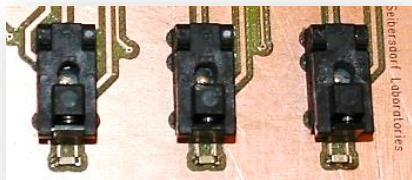


# SEGR Test Set-Up at RADEF

**STS3PF6**

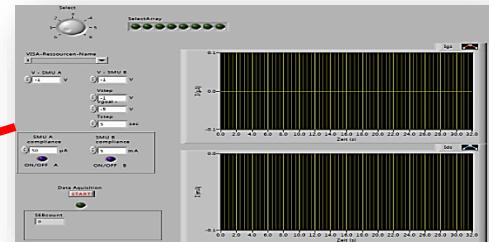


**SPD04P10G**



Test board mounted inside RADEF's vacuum chamber

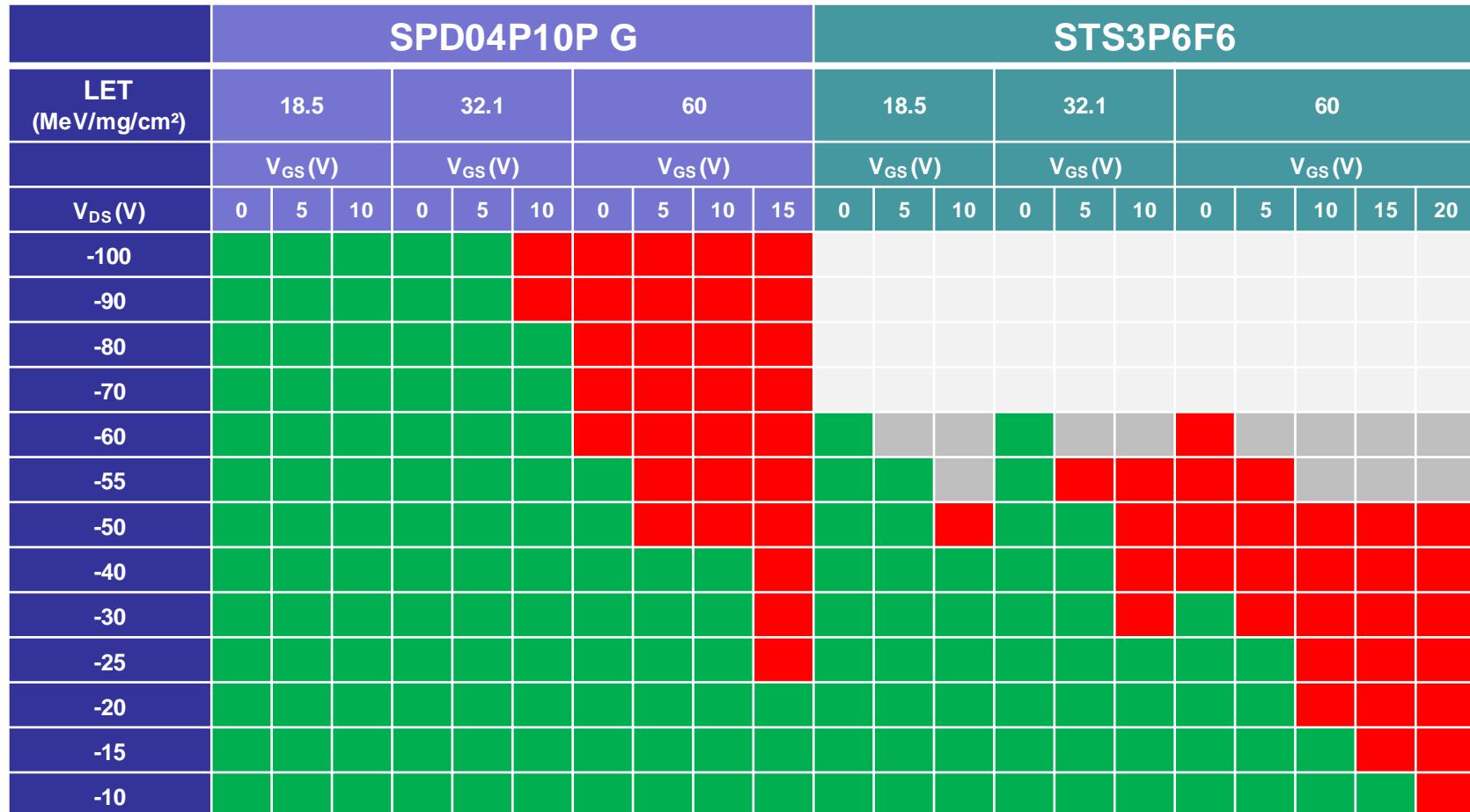
LabVIEW: Relays, measurements



Keithley 2612 dual source meter

<b>Sample Size</b>	27 devices per part type, 3 sample devices for each exposure sequence		
<b>Parameters</b>	$V_{GS}$ : 0, 5, 10 V	$V_{DS}$ : -50 V, ..., - 100 V ( <b>SPD04P10P</b> ); -30 V,..., - 60 V ( <b>STS3P6F6</b> )	
<b>LET (MeV cm<sup>-2</sup> mg<sup>-1</sup>)</b>	18.5	32.1	60
<b>Heavy ions, energy</b>	Fe / 523 MeV	Kr / 768 MeV	Xe / 1.2 GeV
<b>Average Flux (cm<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>)</b>	$1.09 \cdot 10^4$	$1.18 \cdot 10^4$	$7.27 \cdot 10^3$
<b>Fluence (cm<sup>-2</sup>)</b>		$3 \cdot 10^5$	

## SEGR Results: Safe Operating Area – SOA (SF=1)



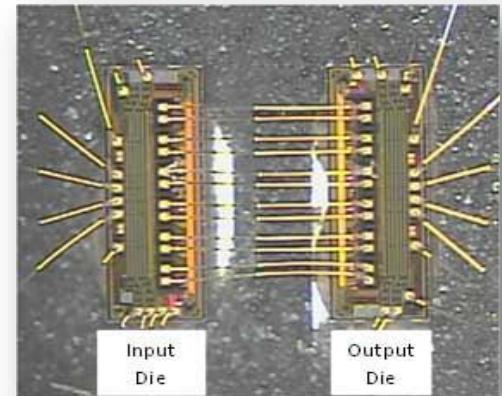
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# Overview: REDI- Radiation Evaluation of Digital Isolators

## Objectives

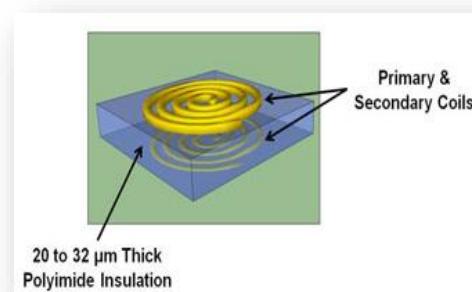
- Identify currently available commercial digital isolators for applications in space missions, specifically the JUICE mission, as replacement for optocouplers
- Perform detailed radiation evaluation (TID and SEE) of the selected digital isolators.



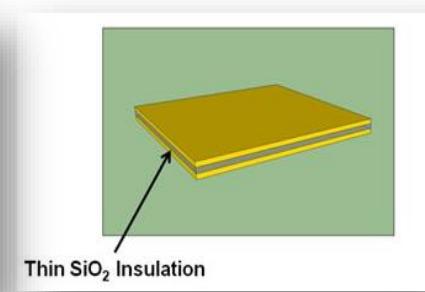
De-capsulated digital isolator  
Courtesy: Silicon Labs

## Digital Isolators

- CMOS technology
- Magnetic or Capacitive Coupling
- Polyimide or SiO<sub>2</sub> insulation



Transformer with polyimide insulation



Capacitor with SiO<sub>2</sub> insulation

Courtesy : Analog Devices

## REDI Candidates Selected for Testing

Manufacturer	Texas Instruments	Texas Instruments	Silicon Labs	Analog Devices	Analog Devices	Maxim Integrated
Investigated Part	ISO15DW	ISO7220MDR	SI8261ACC-C-IP	ADUM1201ARZ	ADUM1100URZ	MAX14850ASE+
Technology	capacitive-coupling bulk CMOS	capacitive-coupling bulk CMOS	capacitive-coupling bulk CMOS	monolithic transformer high speed bulk CMOS	monolithic transformer high speed bulk CMOS	capacitive-coupling BiCMOS
Package Type	SOIC	SOIC	DIP	SOIC	SOIC-8	SOIC
Min Voltage / V	3,15	3,0	5,0	2,7	3,0	3,0
Max Voltage / V	3,6	5,5	30,0	5,5	5,5	5,5
Prop Delay / ns	340	16	40	150	11	7

# REDI Test Plan

## TID-Testing

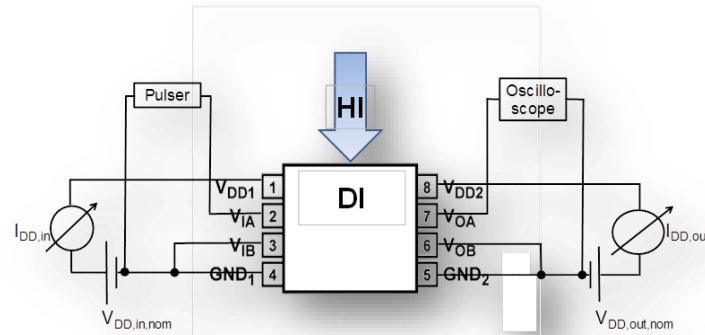
- Source: Co-60, electrons (JUICE mission)
- Parameter: Supply currents of i/p and o/p; isolation performance; Input Current; Output voltages at High and Low logic

## SEE-Testing

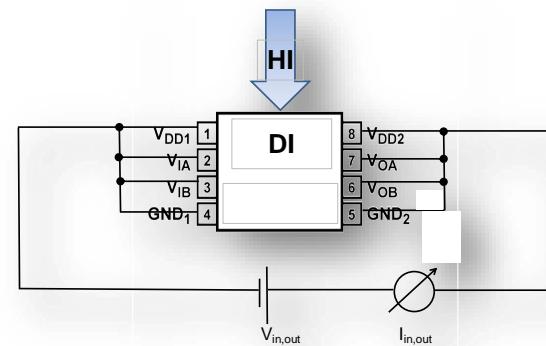
- SET and SEL, Single Event Dielectric Isolation Rapture (SEDIR)
- SEE testing for LETs between 4 - 55 MeV/mg/cm<sup>2</sup> (e.g. Ne, Si, Ar, Kr and Xe)

## DD-Testing

- neutrons



Sketch of a combined heavy ion SET and SEL test

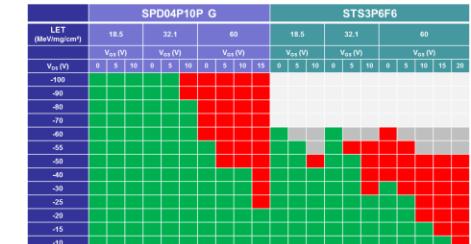


Sketch of a heavy ion SEDIR test

# Summary and Conclusions

## ECI – Power MOSFETS: SPD04P10P, STS3PF6

- We carried out **TID** and **SEGR** radiation tests of two **Power MosFET's** from **STM** and **Infineon** according ESA and MIL standards
- TID:** maximum dose  $D(\text{Si}) = 1\text{kGy (100 krad)}$ ; **SEGR:** LET:  $18.5 - 60 \text{ MeV cm}^2 \text{ mg}^{-1}$
- TID** testing for both components, biased and unbiased passed for doses  $D(\text{Si}) < 5\text{krad}$ .
- For larger doses, almost all parameters showed degradation for both components, biased and unbiased; just the three parameters:  $V_{BR(DSS)}$ ,  $I_{GSS(R)}$ , and  $I_{GSS(F)}$  passed for **1kGy (100krad)** radiation testing.
- SEGR** tests showed for tested LET range **SOA (SF=1)** for:
  - **SPD04P10P G:**  $V_{DS} = 0 \dots -20 \text{ V}$ ,  $V_{GS} = 15\text{V}$ .  $V_{DS} = 0 \dots -55 \text{ V}$ ,  $V_{GS} = 0\text{V}$
  - **STS3P6F6:**  $V_{DS} = 0 \dots -10 \text{ V}$ ,  $V_{GS} = 15\text{V}$ .  $V_{DS} = 0 \dots -30 \text{ V}$ ,  $V_{GS} = 0\text{V}$



## REDI – Radiation Evaluation of Digital Isolators

- 3 candidates for testing, different manufacturers and technologies were identified and selected
- Experiments for **TID** in progress
- Test plans for **SEE/SEL** and **SEDIR** are under preparation

## Secondments

- **Business and Administration Secondment, IBA Dosimetry**
  - 2-week training period ( 16 – 27 February 2015), Supervision of Mr. Salih Arican, Senior Product Manager.
  - Business-domain: Radiotherapy solutions, emphasis on Daily Quality Assurance activities.
  - Competition analyses for Daily Quality Assurance solutions, Market assessment, Financial calculations for profitability/viability of Product for a Positioning paper
- **Scientific Secondment, R2E Group (Radiation to Electronics) CERN**
  - Familiarization with Single Event Transient and Single Event Latchup experiments. Supervision: Dr. Markus Brugger, Mr. Salvatore Danzeca
  - Digital Isolator Experiments...
  - Outcome- Test plan draft for SET and SEL experiments.

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