

# Nanotechnology in Automotive Applications

## Infineon Technologies Romania



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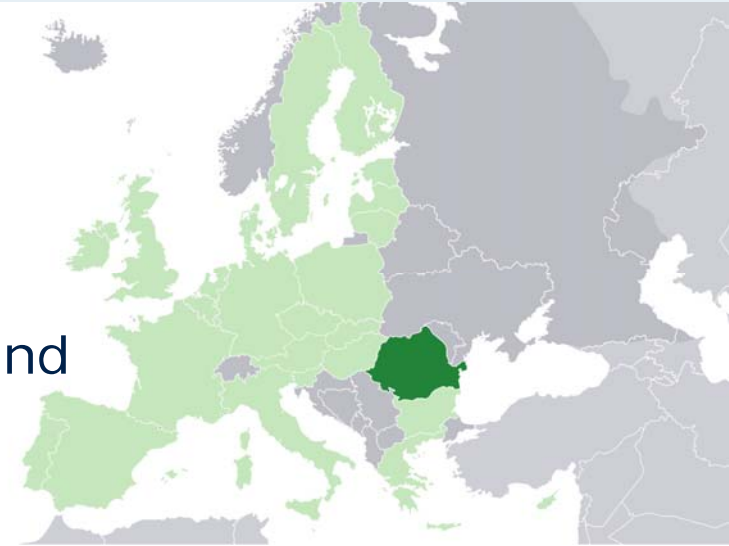
# Infineon at a Glance

## The Company

- Infineon provides semiconductor and system solutions, focusing on three central needs of our modern society:  
Energy efficiency, Mobility and Security
- Revenue in FY 2010: 4,585 billion EUR
- Some 26,000 employees worldwide (as of Sept 2010)
- Strong technology portfolio with about 22,900 patents and patent applications
- More than 30 major R&D locations

# Overview Infineon Romania

- Founded in April 2005
- Located in northern part of Bucharest
- **250+ employees as of today**
- 4000 m<sup>2</sup> office, incl. 600 m<sup>2</sup> research and laboratory area.



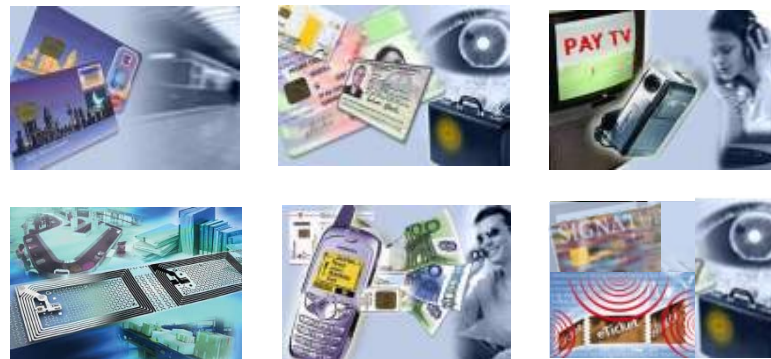
- Deeply involved in the Romanian Research Community
  - Technical partnerships
  - Co-fund research projects
  - Education and University relationship

# Infineon Romania core competencies

## Automotive applications



## Chip Cards and Security



Concept Engineering

Analog Design

Digital Design

Analog IC Layout

Design Flow Support

Test Engineering

Product Engineering

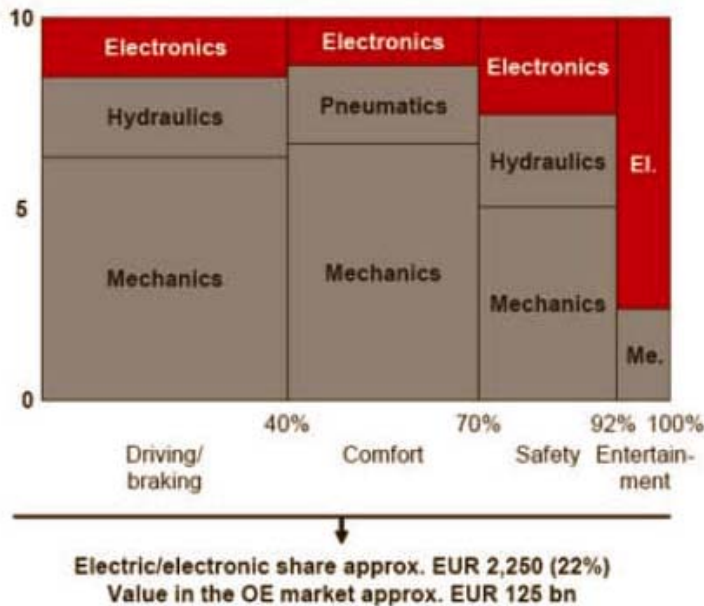
Product Support

**Infineon Romania is working over the complete value chain, from concept to product ramp-up for state of the art semiconductors**

# Electronic share within automotive applications

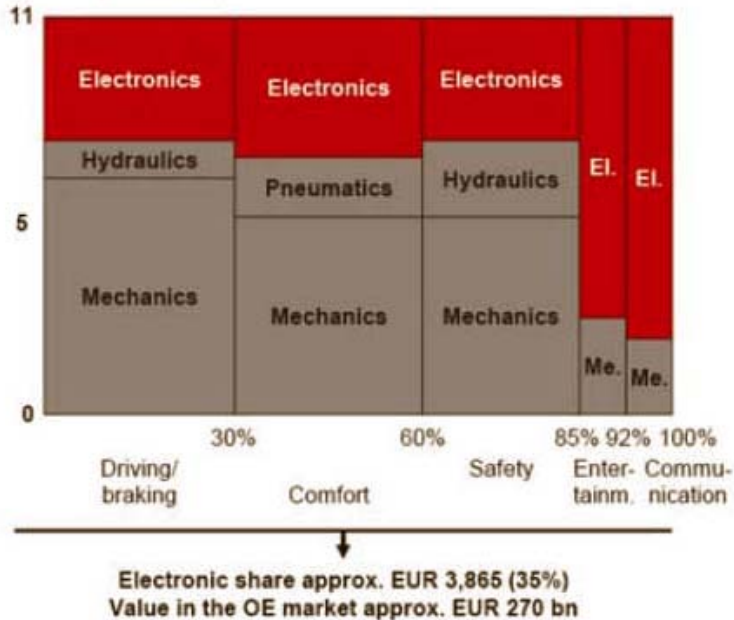
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(average approx. EUR 10,200)

Value [EUR '000]



**The car of 2010**  
(average approx. EUR 11,000)

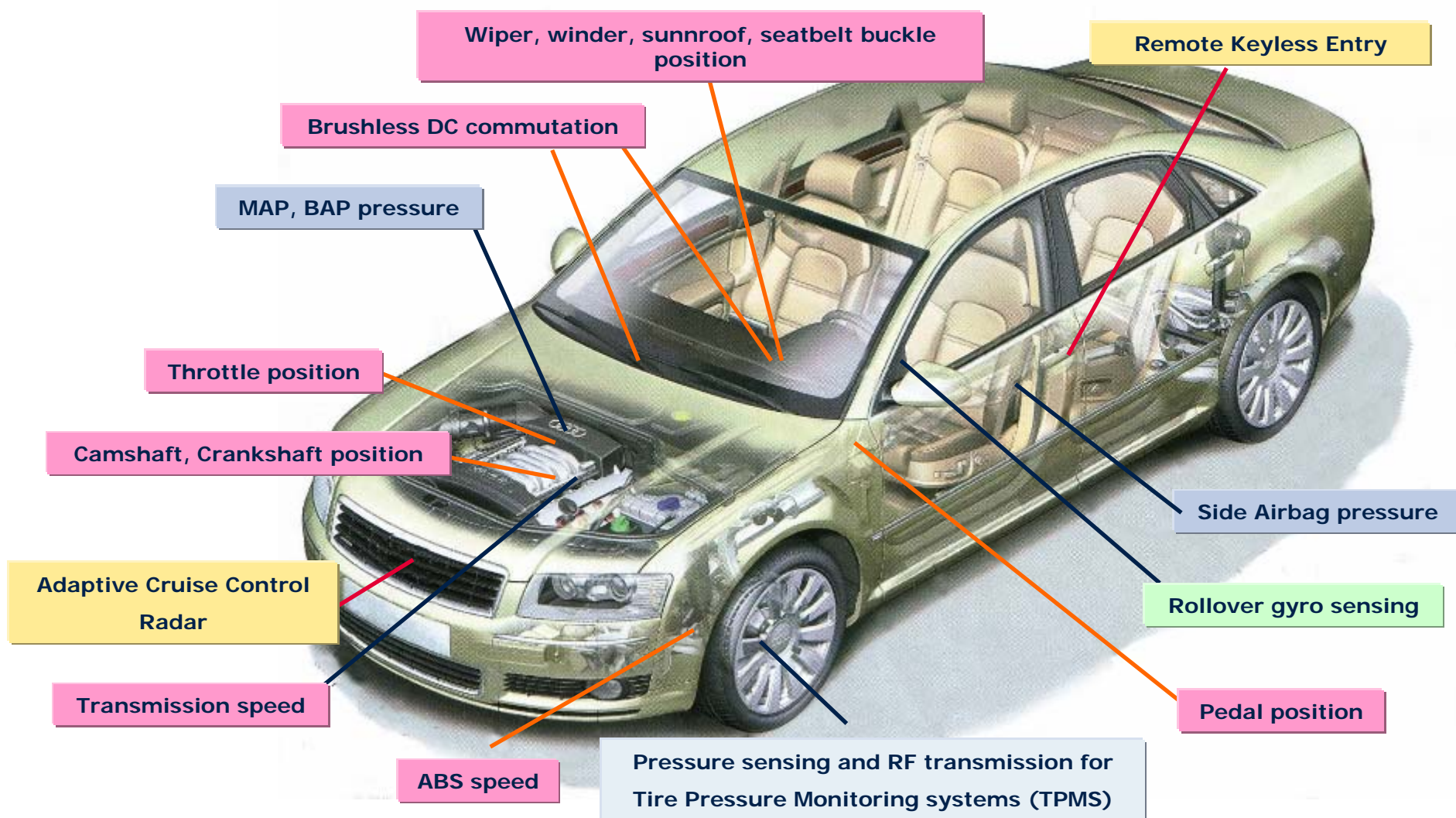
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**Romania has a good research competence and the complete value chain of the automotive industry is already present => Use the trend of increasing the electronic share within automotive applications! Now!**

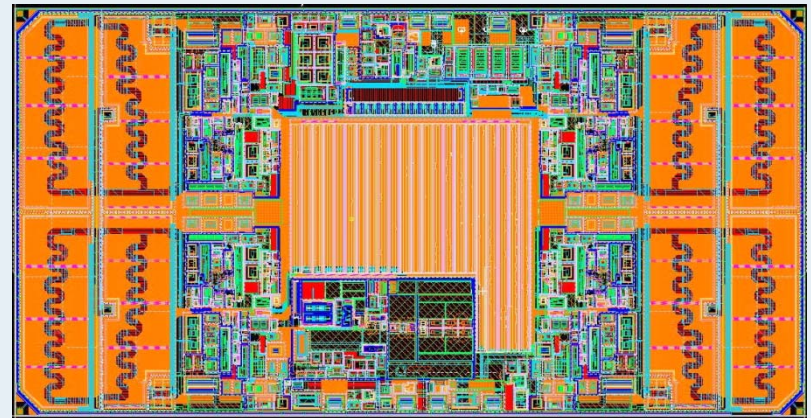


# Chipsets for **powertrain**, **comfort** and **safety** applications



# “More than Moore” for Automotive Electronics

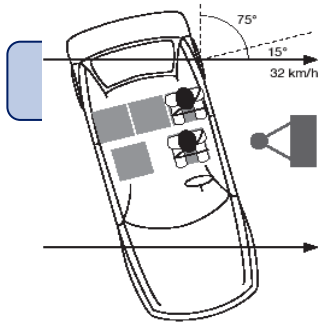
- Increasing application electronics and complexity in the car:
  - ⇒ Use “**Smart Power Technologies**”
- Delivery range of 10-15 years for an automotive technology and failure ppm-requirements (one low digit) are not fitting the Moore’s Law:
  - ⇒ “**More than Moore**”
- The “**Smart Power Technologies**” and “**More than Moore**” for automotive require:
  - ⇒ SOC – System On Chip;
  - ⇒ SOP – System On Package;



# Addressed Application: Pressure Sensor for Side Crash Detection

## *The point of departure:*

New test criteria because of increased accidents with SUV/LTV

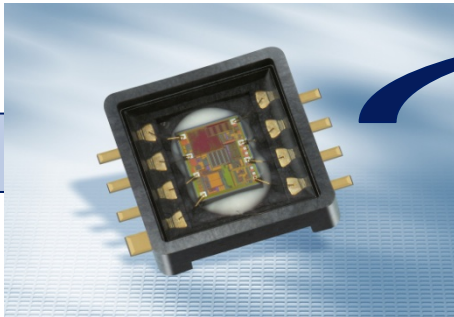


Oblique Pole Impact (FMVSS 214 NPRM)

→ **Pole hits the door and not the B-pillar!**

***The job:*** Find a way to decrease the body injury!

## *The solution:*

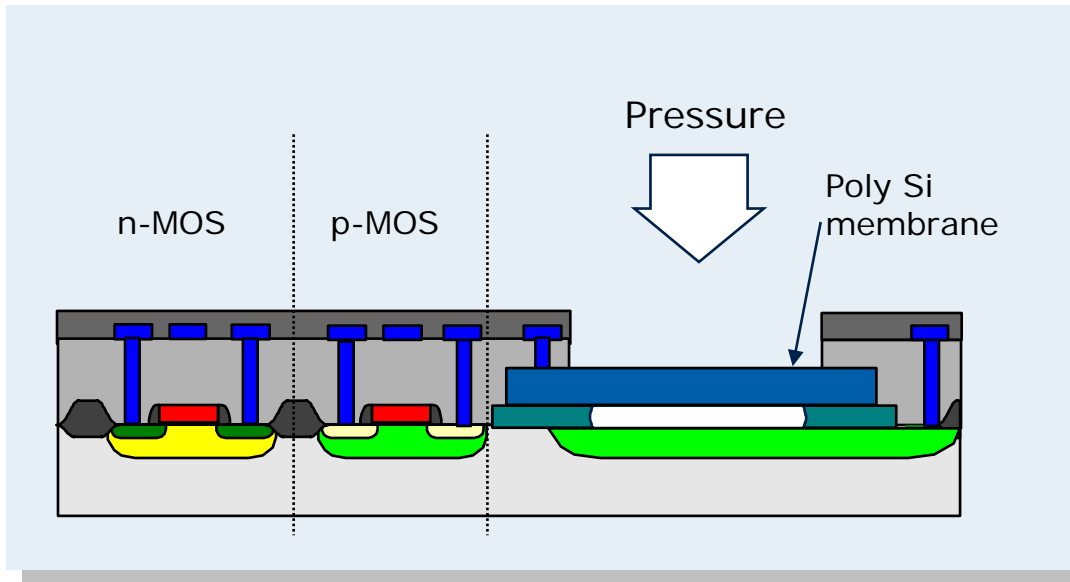


Take a pressure sensor...

... and place it inside the door cavity!



# Integrated Pressure Sensors – Surface Micromachining Process Flow



## Key Features:

- Sensing element is an absolute capacitive pressure sensing device.
- Sensor is a monolithic construction using surface micro machining.
- Production on 8" standard BICMOS front end line.

**Wafer**

**BiCMOS Process +  
Surface Micromachining**

**On-Wafer Pressure  
Calibration**

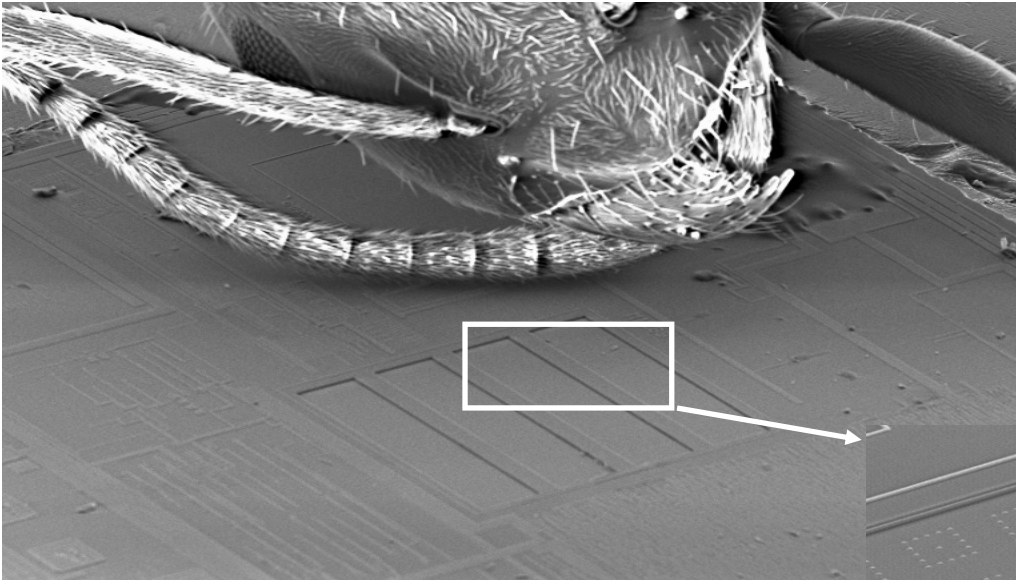
**SMD Packaging**

**Pressure Calibration  
(parameter stored on-chip)**

**Testing**

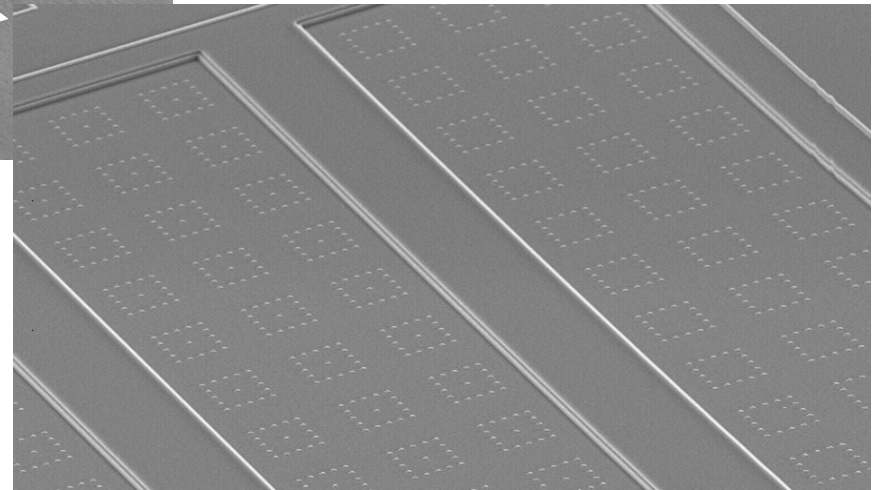
**Product**

# Integrated Pressure Sensors – Surface Micro Machined Pressure Sensor

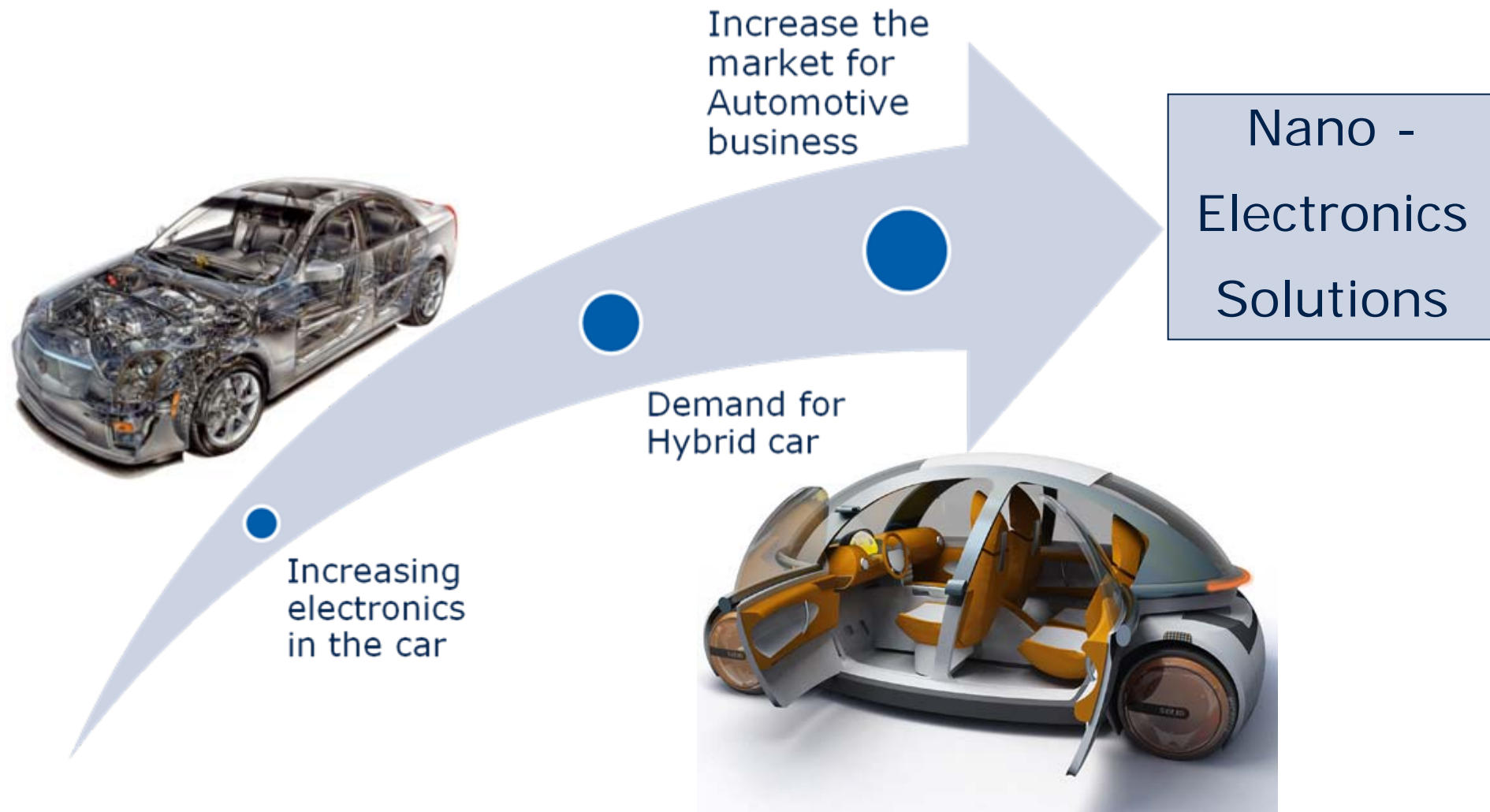


■ Sensor cells in comparison to a head of an ant

- 42 sensor cells per array
- 2 sensor arrays
- 2 reference arrays



# Summary





# ENERGY EFFICIENCY MOBILITY SECURITY

Innovative semiconductor solutions for energy efficiency, mobility and security.

