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Unlocking Value: Advancing Power Electronics
Technology through the Value Chain Landscape

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### **Agenda**

S&P Global: research in automotive technology forecasting

Power Electronics components demand and geographical dynamics

Technology evolution outlook

WBG semiconductors advantages and implications

Conclusions

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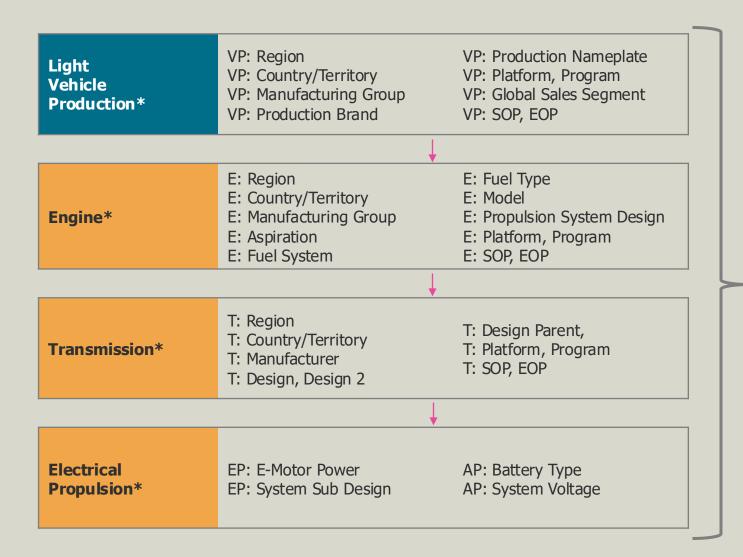


What is the future demand for vehicles, components and powertrains? Which technologies are evolving and what are adoption rates? How will manufacturers achieve net zero?

What is the sales performance across markets and models? Where are the best locations for new showrooms or charging stations?

How many vehicles are on the road? Where is the demand for aftermarket parts?

## **Component Forecast Analytics (CFA) - Data Structure**





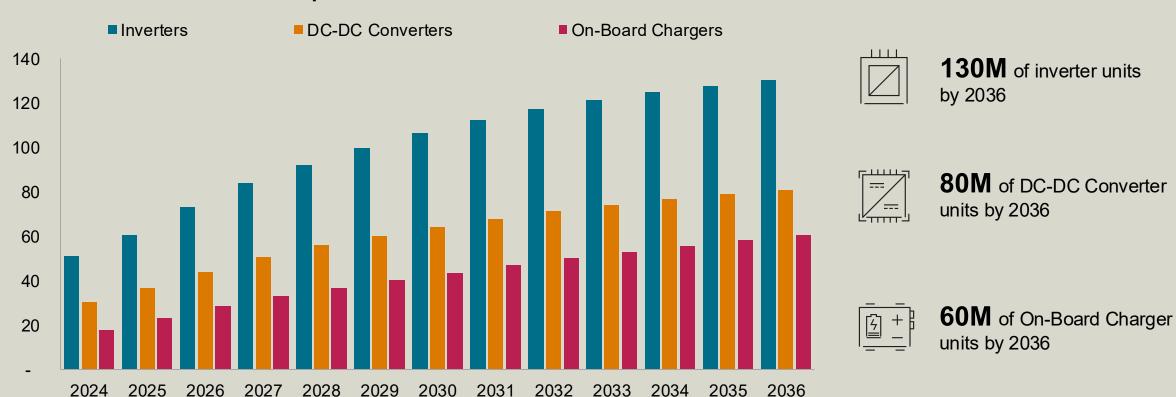
**Production** 

Component Forecast\*

<sup>\*</sup>The granularity of information (e.g., forecast range, technologies, regions) depends on the subscribed service

## Global EV adoption Accelerating Demand for Power Electronics Components

#### **Global Power Electronics Components demand**



As of May 2025

Source: S&P Global Mobility, Supply Chain & Technology Team, Power Electronics Forecast].

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## **Power Shifts: Regional Expansion of Power Electronics**

#### Components demand by vehicle production region 2024 - 2036



Volumes include Inverters, DC-DC Converters and On-Board Chargers based on light vehicle production region Source: S&P Global Mobility, Supply Chain & Technology Team, Power Electronics Forecast].

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## **China's Growing Dominion in EU Automotive Power Electronics Components Market**



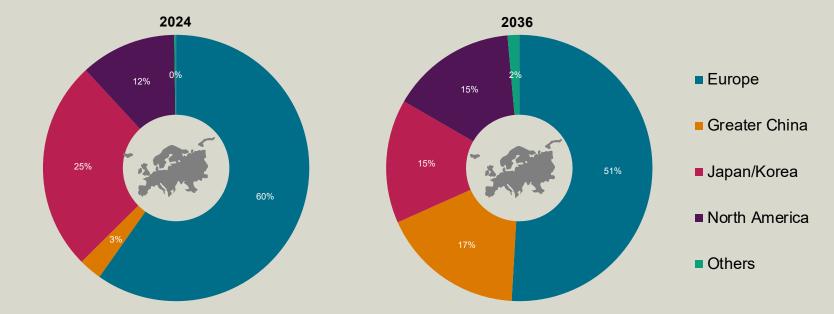
By 2036, Europe is expected to demand 50 million new power electronics components, an increase from approximately 20 million today

### 8.5 Million

Components supplied by Chinese origin suppliers in Europe in 2036 up from 1.5m in 2024

### ~ 25%

CAGR for power electronics components supplied by Chinese suppliers to European market from 2024~2036



## **EU Footprint of Chinese PE Manufacturing**



While the presence of Chinese suppliers in the global and European markets is expected to grow significantly in the coming years, a shift in production capacity is anticipated to remain quite limited for the time being



This trend is mainly correlated with the uncertainties in the industry and the limited increase in Chinese vehicles manufactured in the region compared to the sourcing strategy.



We expect the situation to evolve rapidly, considering that an initial stage of "localization" will primarily occur through strategic joint ventures with Western players (North American and European) over the next few years

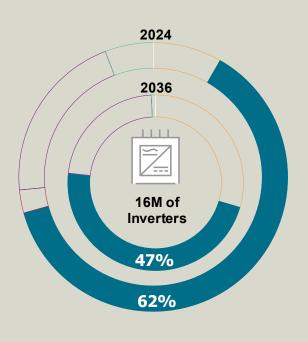


## Exploring how tariffs and geopolitical factors are reshaping the logistics routes for PE components in global market



External factors are expected to impact the logistics routes of component suppliers. Respectively **30%** and **50%** in 2030 and 2036 of selected EU supplier production is projected to shift towards a regional approach, moving away from the previously centralized model.

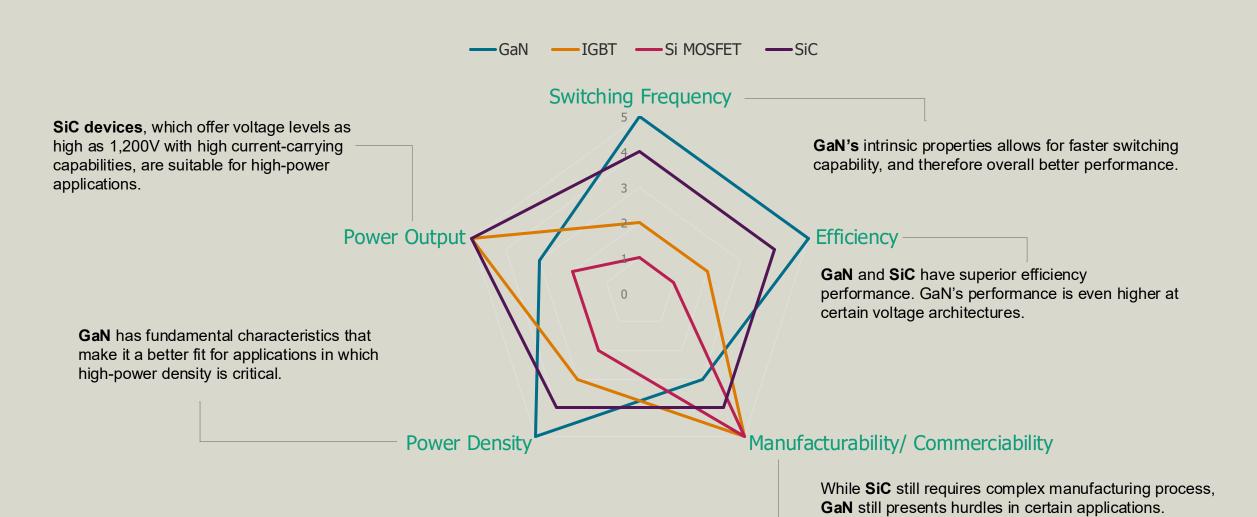
## Inverter Components: The U.S. Market's Transformative Growth by 2036



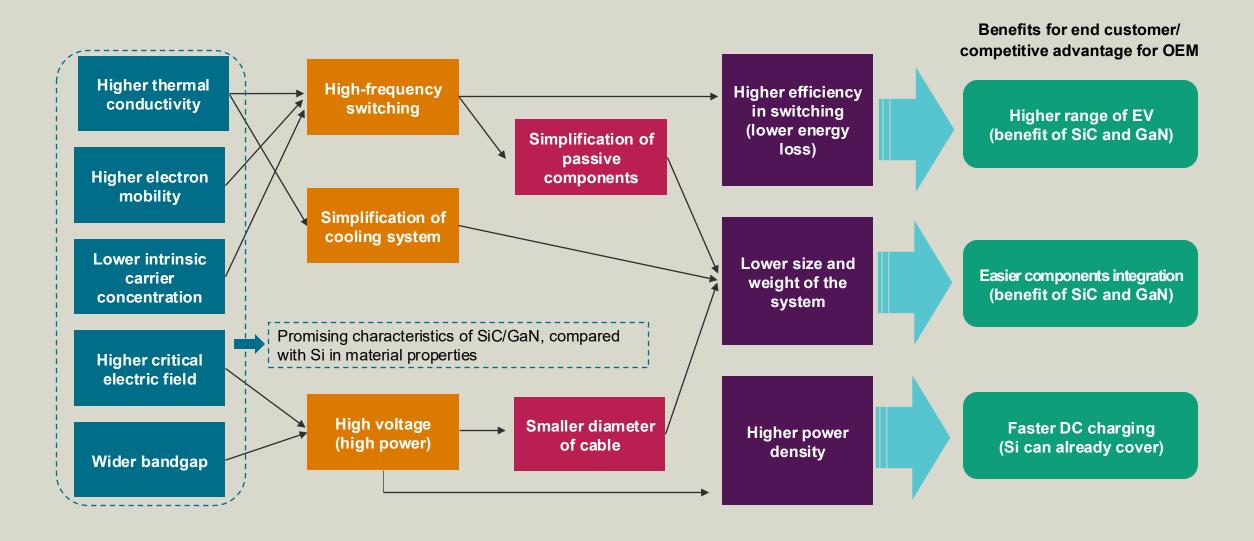
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- By the year 2036, it is anticipated that approximately 16
  million inverters will be required in the United States,
  representing a significant increase from the current market of
  about 4.8 million units.
- The overall market is expected to grow approximately four times by 2036, with a significant acceleration anticipated over the next 3-4 years, resulting in a Compound Annual Growth Rate (CAGR) of more than 23%.
- The production of the required inverters is expected to gradually shift towards more **localized manufacturing**. This transition is projected to increase the local production share from the current **47% to over 60% by the year 2036**.

## WBG semiconductors: Flagbearers of the power electronics revolution



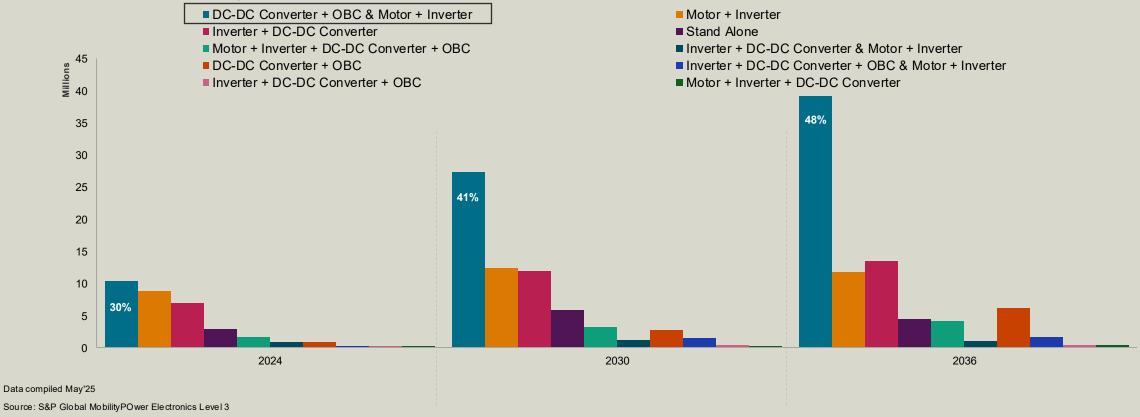
### Benefits of SiC/GaN for power electronics applications in xEVs



## **Power Electronics Integration Levels in the Modern xEVs**

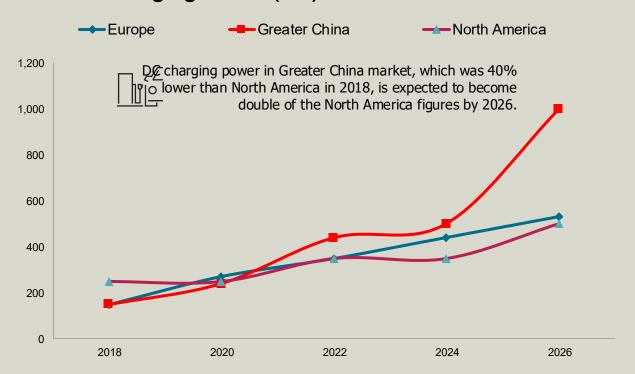
### **Power Electronics Integration level split**

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## China's EV charging journey: From humble beginnings to sheer dominance

#### **Peak D.C Charging Power (kW)**



Fast charging up to 1000 kW for HV platforms, twice the global benchmark.

Charging in under 10 minutes, making EVs a direct rival to ICE vehicles in terms of refueling.

Goodbye, range anxiety: Over 500 km range, fully charged in just 5 minutes!

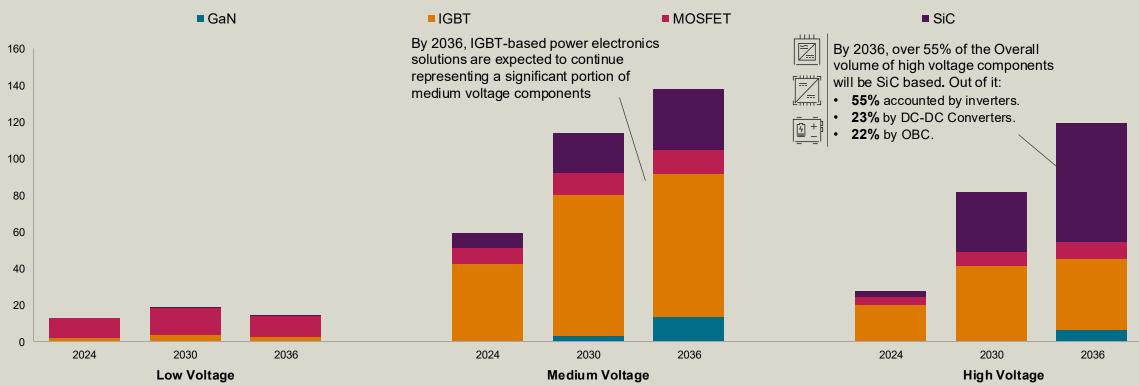
Note: Peak DC Charging capacity of the car (not to be confused with EVSE Fast charging capabilities). OEM Provenance Considered for regions Data compiled Mar'2025

Source: S&P Global Mobility Power Electronic Level 3

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## **Shift Towards High Voltage Platforms Fueling WBG Adoption**

### Power Electronics Market overview (Split by semiconductor type and voltage segment)

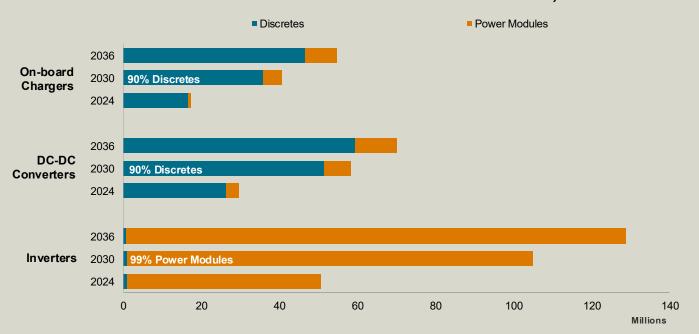


Nota: Low Voltage= Below 72/Excluding 72V), Medium Voltage= 72V~600V(including 72V); High Voltage= Above 600v (Including 600V)

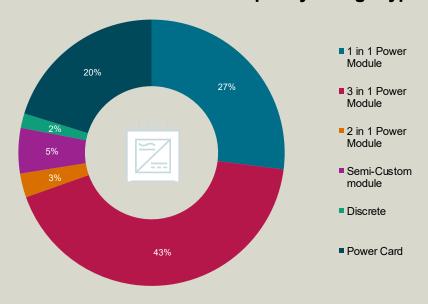
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### Switching device type split for Power Electronics components

#### Discrete and Power Module distribution for Inverters, DC-DC & OBC



#### **Inverter Power Module Split by Design type**



Data compiled May 25

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## **S&P Global Mobility: Navigating the Chinese Motor Market**



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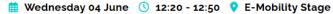
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#### 2025 Onsite Content Agenda Sessions

#### Navigating the Chinese Motor Market: Global Expansion, Production Dynamics, and Strategic Shifts

China's motor market continues to reshape global industry landscapes through massive domestic production, evolving supplier-OEM dynamics, and aggressive expansion plans into Europe and other international markets. This session explores how these shifts are influencing global supply chains, competitiveness, and strategic positioning.

- Overview of China's domestic motor production capacity and key players
- Volume dynamics between Chinese component suppliers and OEMs
- Strategic expansion of Chinese motor manufacturers into European markets
- Implications for global competitors and supply chain resilience



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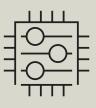
## **Key Takeaways**



The annual alternative propulsion vehicle market will likely be more than 81 million vehicles by 2035. This growth at a compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 8.5% between 2024 and 2035 will result in the increased use of power electronics, which will drive the market in the future



Power electronics play an important role in determining how efficiently an EV operates in the real world. Along with the chemistry of the battery, another thing that can have a significant effect on the range and charging speed is the efficiency of different types of semiconductors used in power electronics components.



The adoption of higher-voltage systems in EVs is instrumental in achieving heightened efficiency and faster charging capabilities. The incorporation of advanced materials such as SiC and GaN in EVs with voltages exceeding 800V represents a notable advancement.



As volumes grow, Chinese suppliers will maintain a strong global position, with expectations of nearly sixfold growth in the European market. However, any significant shift in production capacity outside of China is likely to remain limited for now

## Thank you for your attention!

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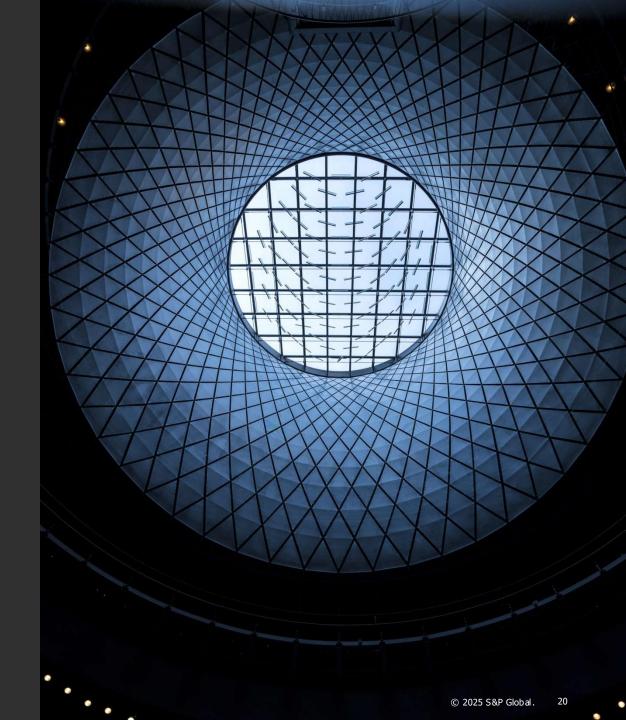
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