



4-2 channels High Side Driver with STi²Fuse protection for automotive power distribution applications and standby ON functionality with companion chip (XVxF-L99SPx-VNF9Dx).

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High Side Driver with STi²Fuse protection



- Innovative Device is made by using VIPower technology, and embeds the ST proprietary i²t functionality, featuring an intelligent circuit breaking to protect PCB traces, connectors, and wire harnesses from overheating by assuring the proper power delivery rate.
- STi2Fuse for Power distribution.
- No traditional fuse on power distribution box; in the past each fuse had to be sized according to the wire harnesses.
 - A custom configuration and diagnostic is possible.



- · Dual/Quad outputs ST-SPI interface
- i²t curve parameters individually set per each channel
- 8 steps both for nominal current and nominal timing
- Capacitive Charging Mode available both with Normal & Fail Safe
- ADC & i²t built in self test (BIST)
- · ISO26262 ready: FMEDA and Safety Manual

STi²Fuse protection for automotive applications



Power Distributio

Revenue forecast 3 years	2026	2027	2028
STi ² Fuse [M\$]	13	25	50





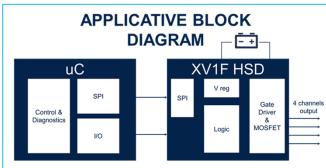


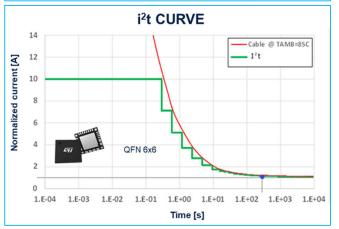


High Side Driver with STi²Fuse protection



- ST proprietary **i**²**t** functionality
- 13 current levels step for Inom
- 13 different choice for Tnom
- Test bench experimental result:
 - Inom = 6A Tnom 300s
 - The current that flow in the wiring harness is 13.41A with trip Time 2.34s











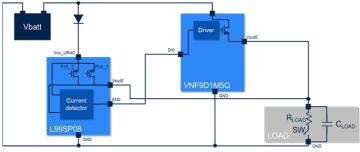


STi²Fuse and standby on with companion chip



DEVELOPMENT PLAN UNDER SAMOTHRACE ECOSYSTEM

- Current Project status:
 - XVxF Commercial Maturity (MAT 30)
 - VH84 Design & Application validated (MAT 20)
 - UR4C Waiting for last silicon release, validation on going.
- i²t IP fully validated
- Eval board fully debugged
- Current TRL: 6



Standby-on application diagram



MCU board + evaluation XVxF









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NEXT STEP UNDER SAMOTHRACE ECOSYSTEM

- Commercial maturity MAT 30
 - April 2025 (VNF9Dx-VH84)
 - End of 2025 (L99Spx-Ur4c)

• TRL: 8









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