

# NewTec NTBMS Reference Design Battery Management System

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# Agenda

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- Electrification Trend
- Why is Battery Management System Needed
- NewTec NTBMS introduction
- NTBMS Enablement
- More about NewTec
- Summary

# Electrification

# New Applications Driving Electrification Market Growth

## Major components

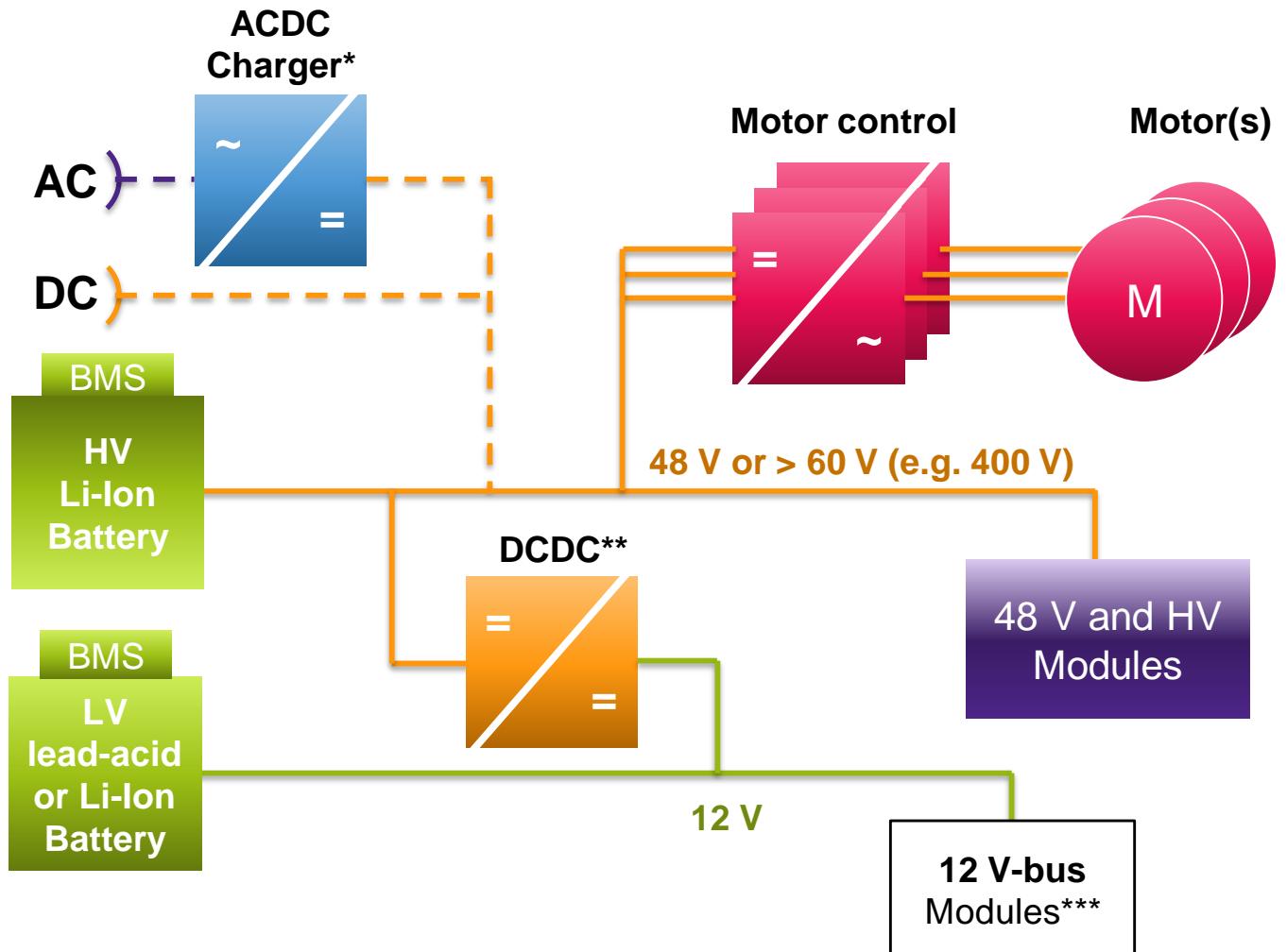
Battery management system

Motor control (inverters, HCUs)

48 V eMachine (BSG, ISG, HVAC)

DC/DC voltage domain converter

On-board charger AC/DC converter



\* only in (P)HEVs, BEVs, omitted in 48 V MHEV systems

\*\* bidirectional in 48 V systems

\*\*\* as in existing ICE-based vehicles

# Battery Management System (BMS) Target Markets

## E-mobility:

- cars, trucks, light-trucks, postal and delivery trucks
- e-scooters, e-bikes



## Energy Stationary Storage:

- Smart grid balancing, renewable energy storage
- Home energy storage
- Interruptible Power Supply (UPS)



## Industrial:

- robot, autonomous guided vehicles, forklift, agricultural applications, ...



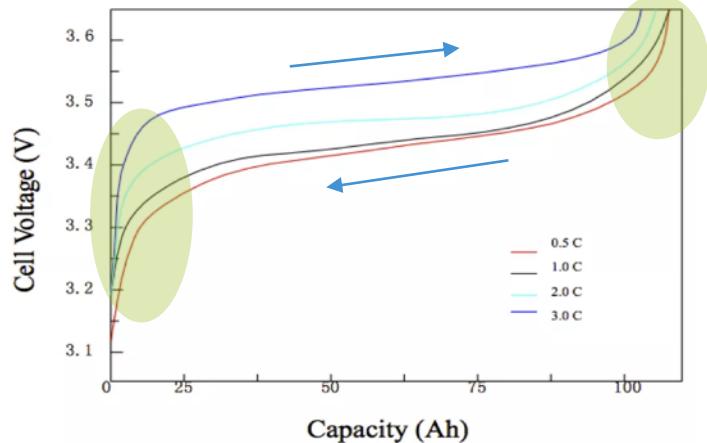
## Consumer:

- vacuum cleaner, garden tooling, E-wheelchair



# Main Functions of BMS systems

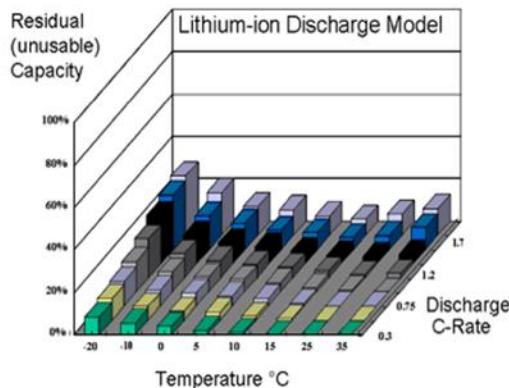
## Safety



### Danger:

- Over voltage
- Extra heat
- Unstable chemical stage
- Thermal runaway=>fire/explosion
- Low temperature charge

## Performance



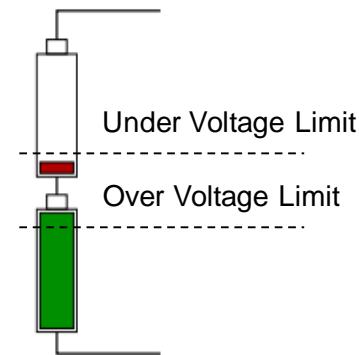
### Requirements:

- Safe & fast charging
- Discharge optimization
- State of charge (SOC) estimation
- State of health (SOH) estimation

Key BMS  
Functions

V/I/T measurement

## Multi-Cell function



### Challenges:

- Up to hundreds of cells
- Manufacture mismatch
- Capacity degradation
- Lifetime degradation

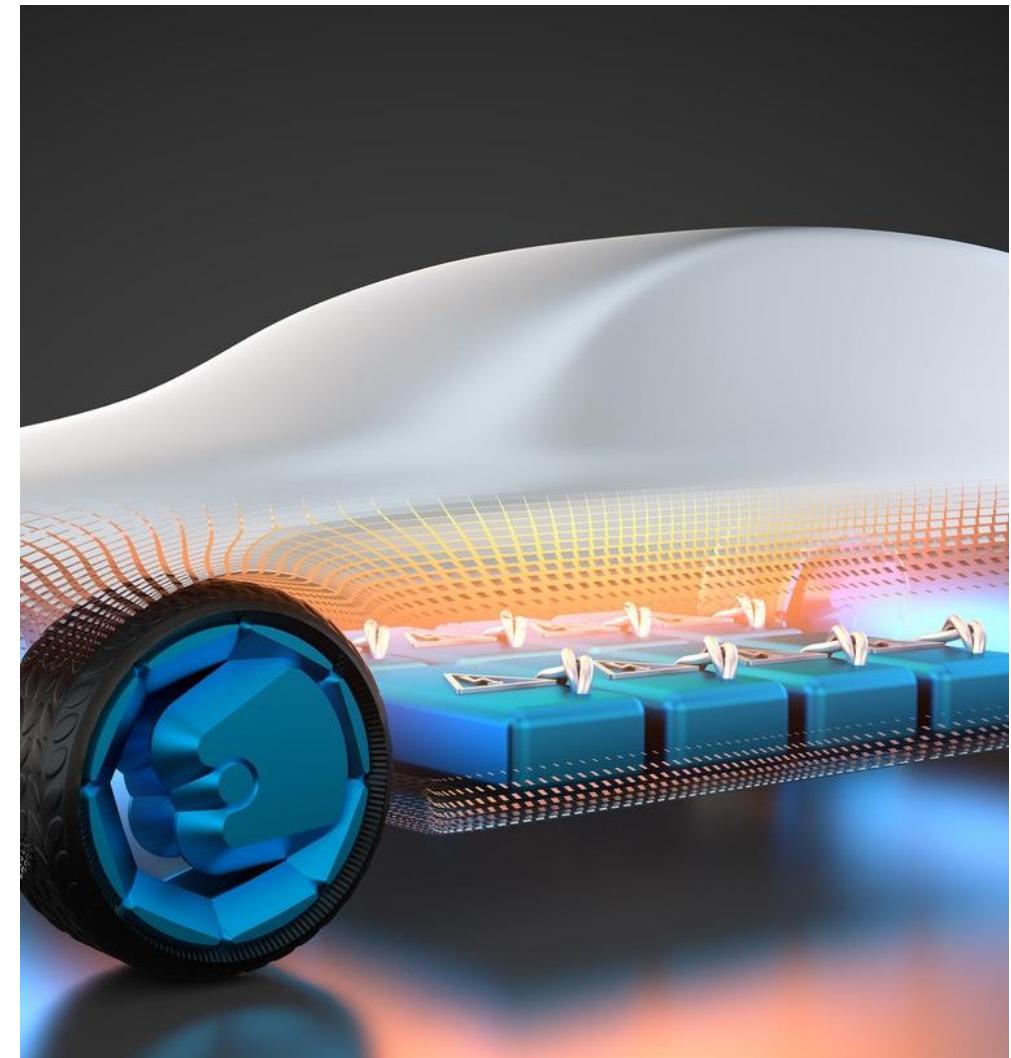
Cell balancing

# Why Safety is Critical for Lithium-Ion Battery Applications

- **Battery over-voltage (OV)**
  - Secondary chemical reactions triggered: **battery overheating**, smoke emission, **inflaming or explosion** are very likely. OV typically close to 4 V
- **Thermal runaway (OT):**
  - Can start a positive temperature feedback mechanism, with the **same consequences as an OV**. OT typically close to 60 °C
- **Battery under-voltage (UV):**
  - Results in progressive **breakdown of the electrodes** substances. With LFP cells this may happen over a few cycles. UV typically close to 2 V
- **Battery over-current (OC):**
  - May result in the **melting of the battery contactors**. **Major safety issue**: **impossibility** to open the contactors and inability to drive the system to the disabled safe state
- **Battery under-temperature (UT):**
  - Loss of robustness of the contactors, **reduction of the battery capability to provide current**, dendrites. Need to limit current to avoid damage
- **Need to comply with stringent safety standards – ISO 26262 for Automotive**

# NewTec NTBMS Introduction

Safety reference design in compliance to ISO 26262 ASIL C



NTBMS is a generic e-mobility Battery Management System based on NXP chips for producers of Lithium-ion battery systems in automotive applications with a high degree of reliability and safety requirements (ASIL C).

Currently, it supports usage in auxiliary and starter batteries.

#### Components:

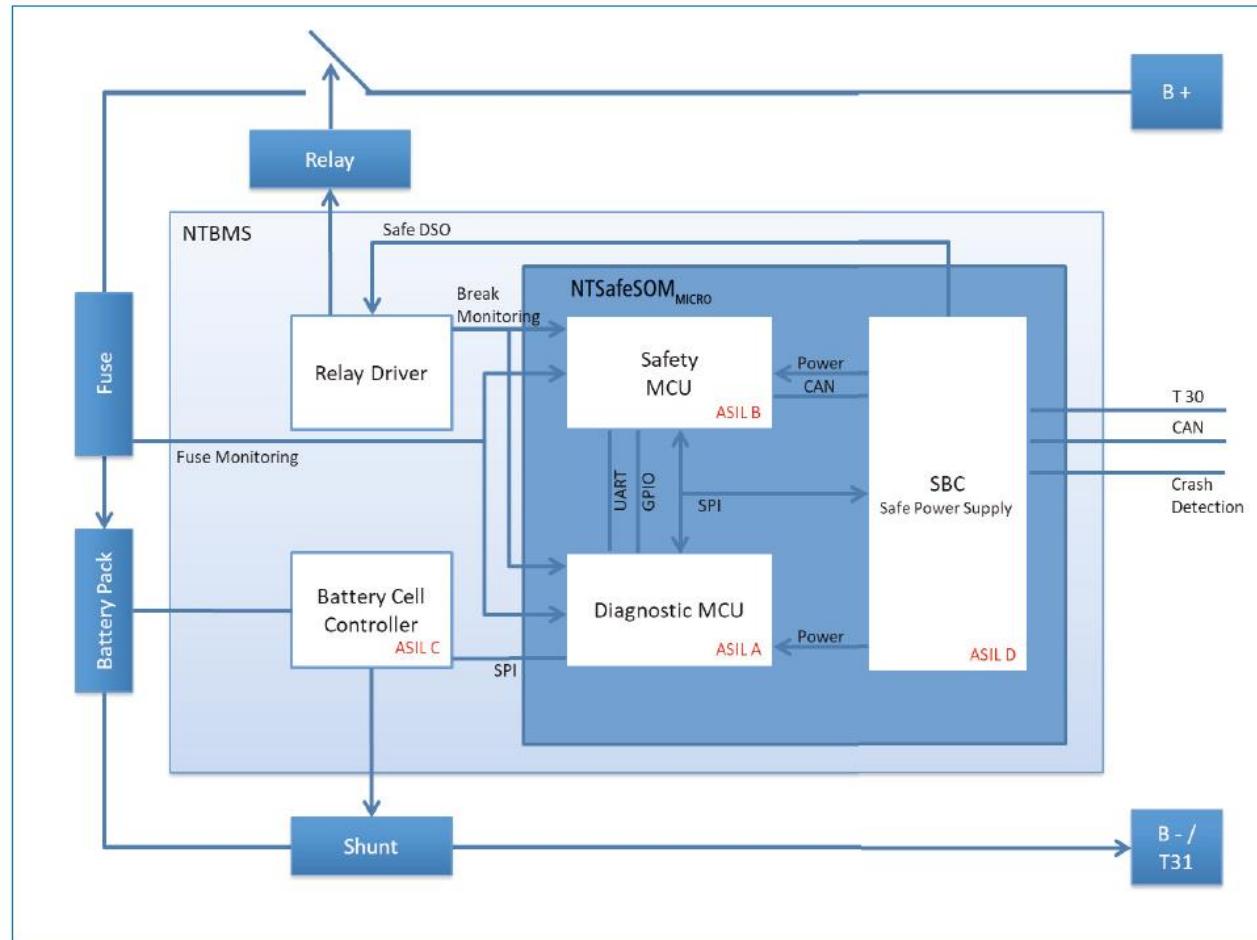
- Baseboard NTBMS
- NTSafeSOM

# Key Features & System Overview

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- \_ Permanent measurement of cell voltages
- \_ Over-temperature protection
- \_ Overcurrent / overvoltage detection
- \_ Safe relay (breaker) control (ASIL C)
- \_ Various definable Safe States
- \_ LIN and CAN bus interface
- \_ Crash detection
- \_ Overcurrent control fuse
- \_ Power supply with watchdog protection
- \_ Control of up to 6 Lithium-ion battery cells



# BMS Safety System-On-Module: NTSafeSOM

## Ready to use safety computer reference design

### Features

- Target ISO26262 ASIL-C and IEC 61508 SIL 2 System level certification
- Dual MCU and safety PMIC architecture
  - ✓ S32K144 – Cortex M4F MCU
  - ✓ KEA – Cortex M0+ MCU
  - ✓ FS45 – Safety & Power Management System IC
- Different support package options from NXP and Newtec
  - ✓ Free-of-charge reference documents
  - ✓ Development kit hardware with application software
  - ✓ up to complete system development with safety certification
- First application designed for 6 cells Li-Ion BMS using MC33772 battery cell controller



### Applications

- Industrial, medical or automotive system requiring functional safety certification

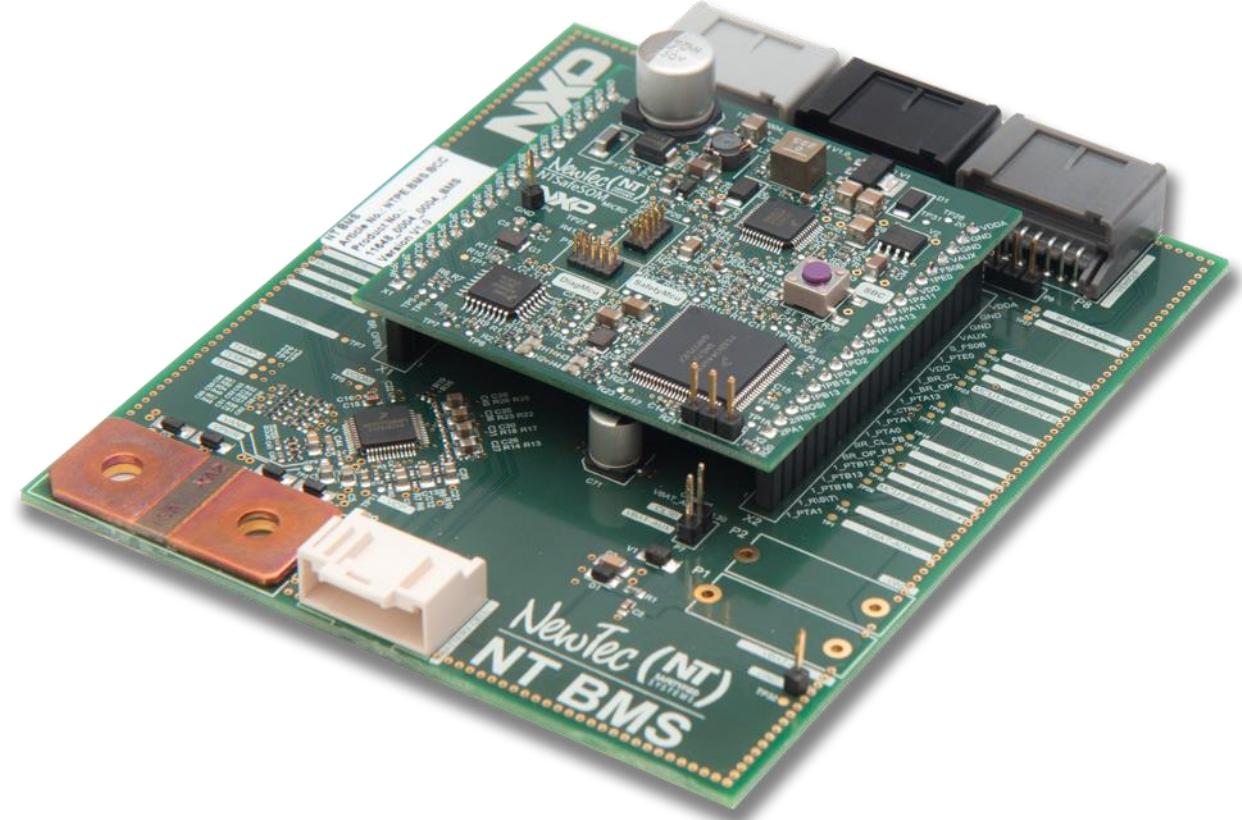
# Ready to use MC33772 based safety BMS

## Features

- 4 to 6 cell Li-ion battery
- Cell balancing circuit
- Intrusive diagnostics (MCU)
- Battery disconnecting switch control circuit
- 200 A perm/ 800A for 300ms
- Low power self-power consumption
- Cell voltage/ current/ temperature monitoring
- CAN bus interface

## Customer Benefits

- Off the shelf 14V BMS ref design
- Application level safety concept
- NewTec professional Service



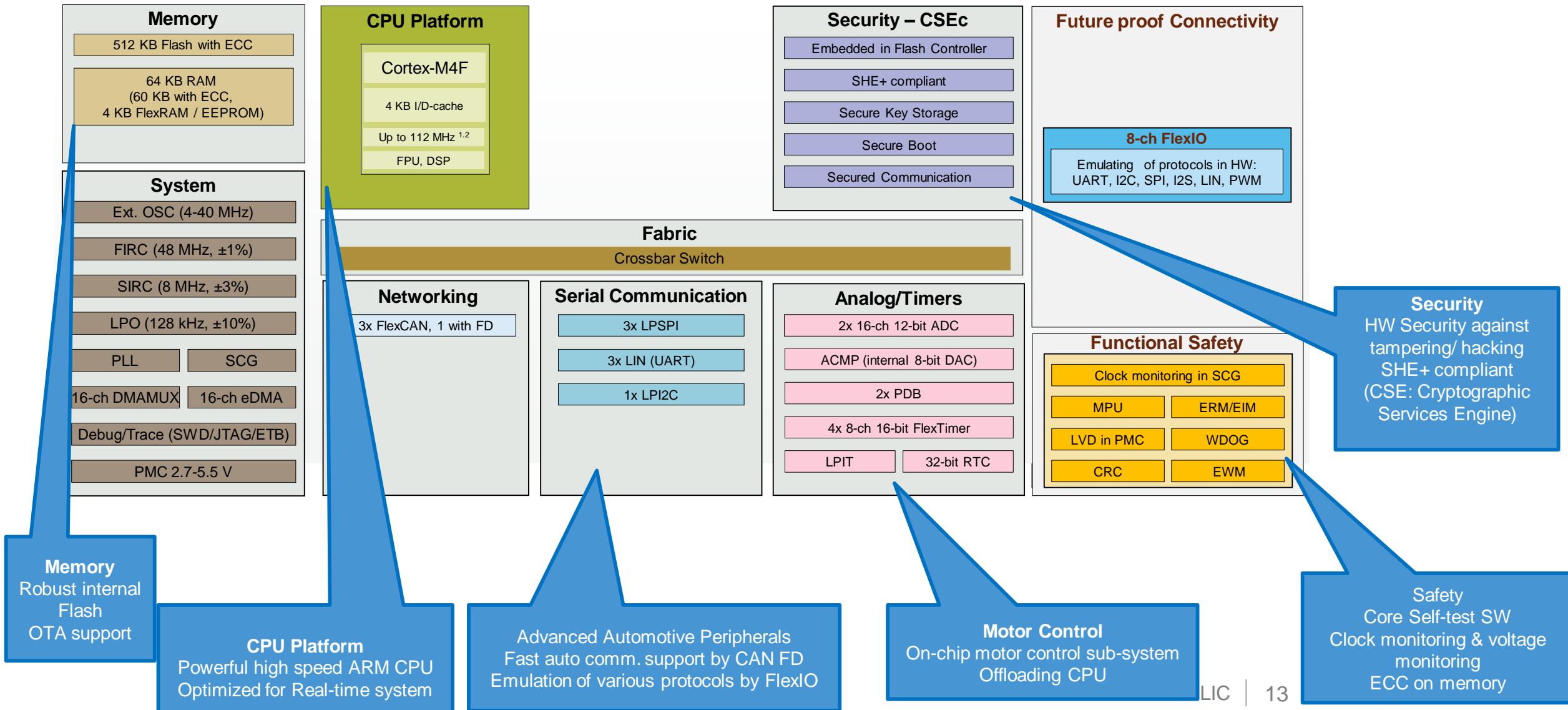
# MC33772 – ASIL C Battery Cell Controllers

- Cell Voltage Monitoring
- MC33772 - 3 to 6 cells
- Total stack voltage measurement
- Current Measurement and Coulomb Counter
- From some  $\mu$ A to several 1000A (shunt resistor)
- Synchronized Cell Voltage/Current measurement
- Temperature Sensing / other voltage measurements
- 1 internal temperature, up to 7 external temperatures/voltages
- Cell Balancing
- Onboard 300mA passive cell balancing with diagnostics
- Functional Verification and Diagnostics
- Designed to support ISO26262 up to ASIL-D safety capability
- 4.0 Mbps SPI or Isolated 2.0 Mbps Communication for Daisy Chain capability



**Automotive Qualification** in  
compliance with **AEC-Q100**

# S32K144 – ASIL B 512K General Purpose MCU



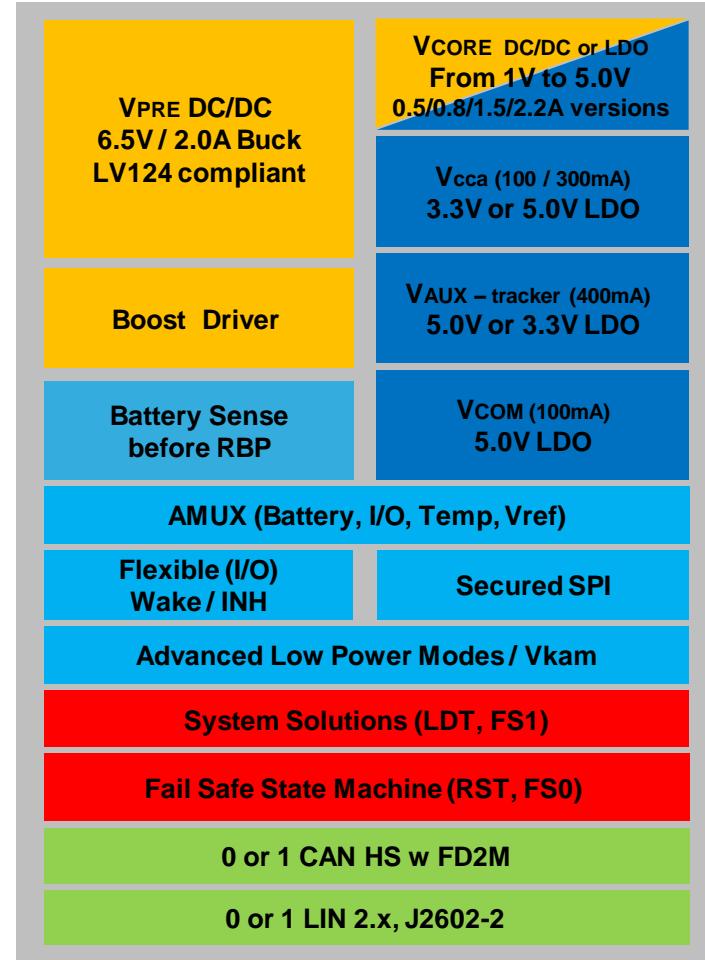
# FS45 – Functional Safety SBC

## Advanced Power Management

- Buck/Boost Vpre from 2.7 to 36V
- 2.0A / 6.5V Vpre capable
- FS65xx with Vcore 2.4MHz SMPS 0.8/1.5/2.2A
- FS450x with Vcore LDO 0.5A
- Configurable Vcore (external resistor bridge)
- Multiple LDO and Tracker
- Ultra Low Standby Current 30µA

## System Solution

- Analog Multiplexer to sense multiple critical signal
- Small package size :49 mm<sup>2</sup>
- Robust CAN PHY FD 2M
- Configurable I/Os
- Long Duration Timer, Keep Alive memory supply



## Independent Safety Monitoring

- **Single Point Failure** : UV/OV Monitoring Unit
- **Latent Failure** : ABIST & LBIST
- **Common Cause Failure** : Independent electrical and physical fail safe circuitry and state machine
- **Reset, Fail Safe** pin to set system in predictive state when system is failing.
- **Configurable Fail Safe State**, while allowing system availability, diagnostic and possible recovery.
- Optional **Fail Silent** operation
- **Second Fail Safe** pin to manage safe delay after failure event
- **Advanced SafeAssure documentation** to fit for safety assessment
- **BOM cost savings** : No need for external MCU challenger
- MCU & external IC **Safety Monitoring**

# NTBMS Enablement

# HW + SW Enablement

## Board Package

- Reference Design plus
- Hardware Board
- Small How-to-Guide for ASIL C BMS design
- Detailed FMEDA results
- Application SW (Object Code) and Low Level Driver (functionally safe)

		Packages				
		Reference Design Package	Board Package	Software Package	Safety Package	Certification Package
Hardware	Evaluation Board Battery Management		✓	✓	✓	✓
Software	Application Software with Drivers (non-safe)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Safety Software (Object Code)		✓	✓	✓	✓
	Safety Software (Source Code)			✓		✓
Documentation	Schematic	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Layout with Gerber Files	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Introduction Guide for ASIL C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Functional Safety Templates	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	FMEDA Results	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	How-to-Guide for ASIL C		✓	✓	✓	✓
	Complete Safety Documentation for Certification				✓	✓
Tools	IAR/S32DS	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	FreeMASTER	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Services	ISO 26262 Certification					✓
	Trainings (customer-specific)					
	Support			✓	✓	✓
Price	Price (EUR)	0.-	€750	€35.000	€45.000	€98.000
	Price (USD)	0.-	\$875	\$40.000	\$53.000	\$115.000

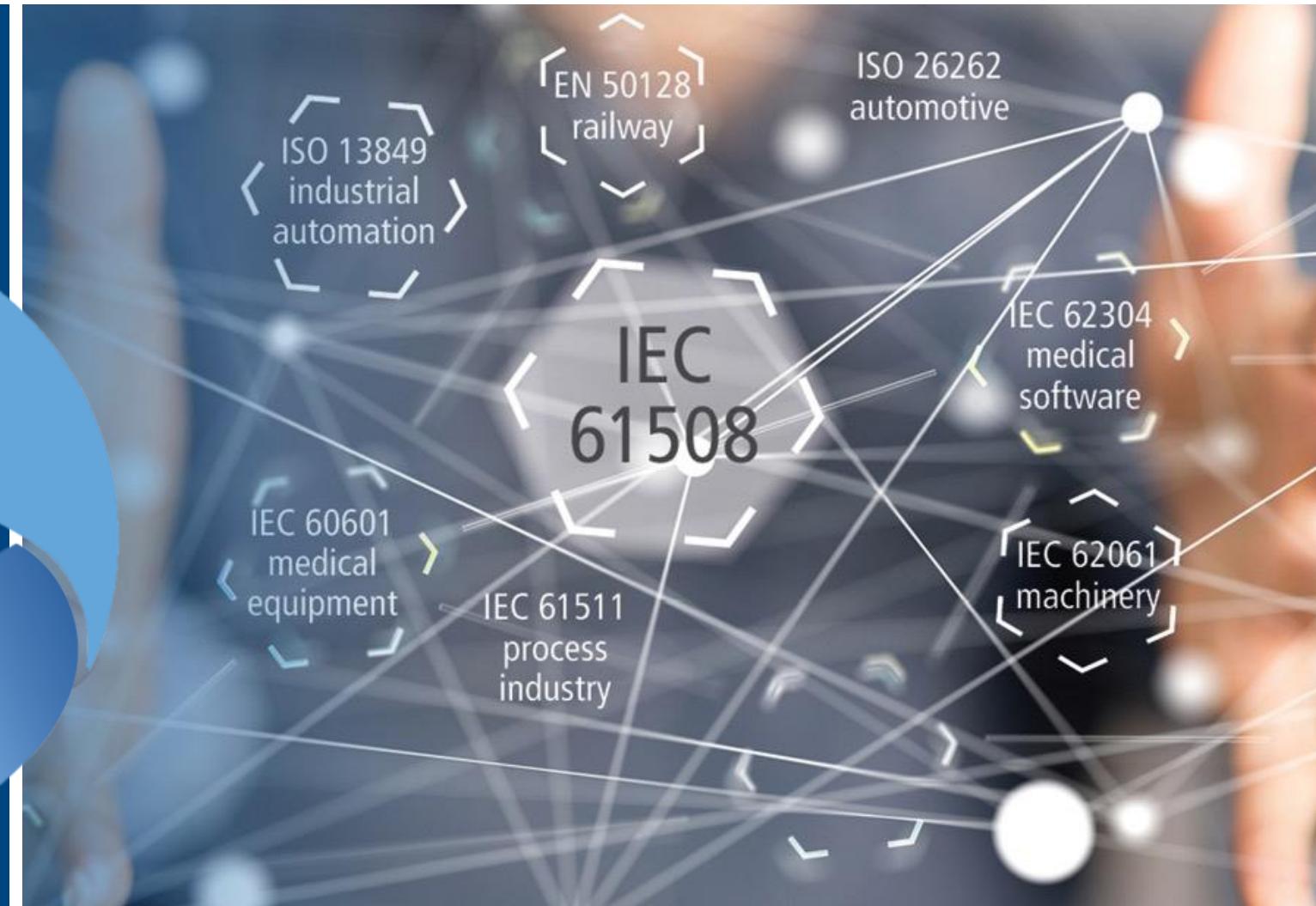
\*To purchase Software, Safety or Certification Package, please follow this [link](#).

# More about NewTec

- NewTec is one of the worldwide leading Safety and Security Development and Consulting Expert
- NXP has a very big variety of safety certified or certifiable components
- Together we offer complete safety solutions



Safe Products – fast and efficient:  
Risk management, ensure safety,  
managing SIL



## Training & Consultation

- Varied range of seminars for functional safety in practice
- Safety workshops for individual customers



## Products, e.g.

- SafeFlex – Reference platform for safety development
- NTSafeDrive – Safety module for drives
- NTSafeBMS – Safety reference design for Battery Management Systems

## Expert services to do with all aspects of product development

- Safety management assessment
- Safety risk assessment
- Safety requirement analysis
- Licensing strategy
- Safety planning
- Safety concept
- Concept examination
- Functional safety management

## Managed Services in Product Lifecycle

- Safety system development
- Safety engineering
- Safety software development
- Safety hardware development
- Integration, verification & validation
- Documentation & traceability

# Summary

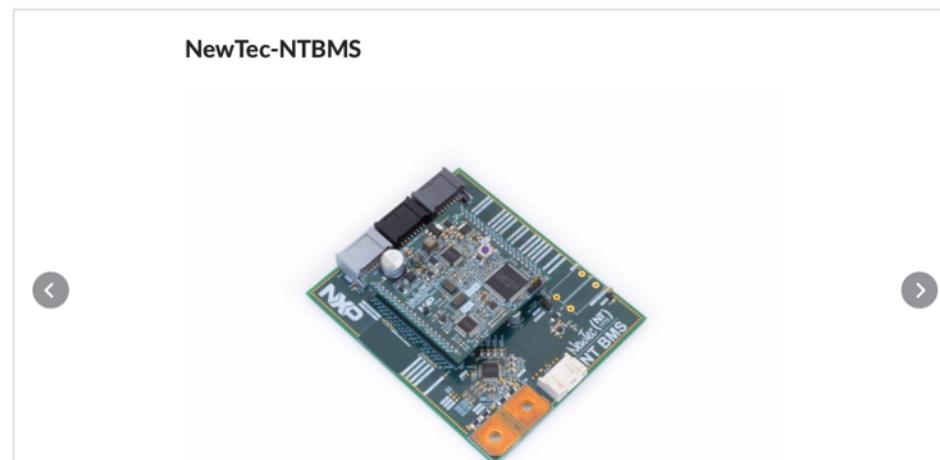
# More Detailed Product Info at [nxp.com/NTBMS](http://nxp.com/NTBMS)

## Overview

NewTec NTBMS is an e-mobility reference design and complete safety support package for Battery Management Systems. It is constructed with a two boards approach a functional safety System-on-Module (Safety SoM) board and a Battery Management System (BMS) application board. The Safety SoM is based on NXP's **S32K144** and **KEA** microcontrollers, and **FS4503C** safety power system. The BMS application board is based on NXP's **MC33772B** battery cell controller IC. The support package includes the necessary safety documentation and software for certification purposes. It is intended for device manufacturers with Lithium-Ion batteries and suppliers.

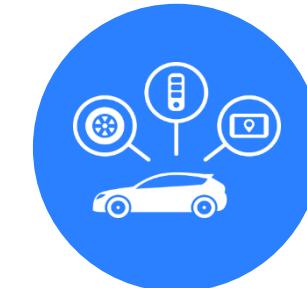
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**Broad applications**  
Automotive and Industrial  
Low Voltage BMS Applications



**Benefits to you**  
NewTec and NXP  
Functional Safety expertise



**Ready to go**  
Rich set of Free collaterals  
&  
Ref HW and SW available today



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