



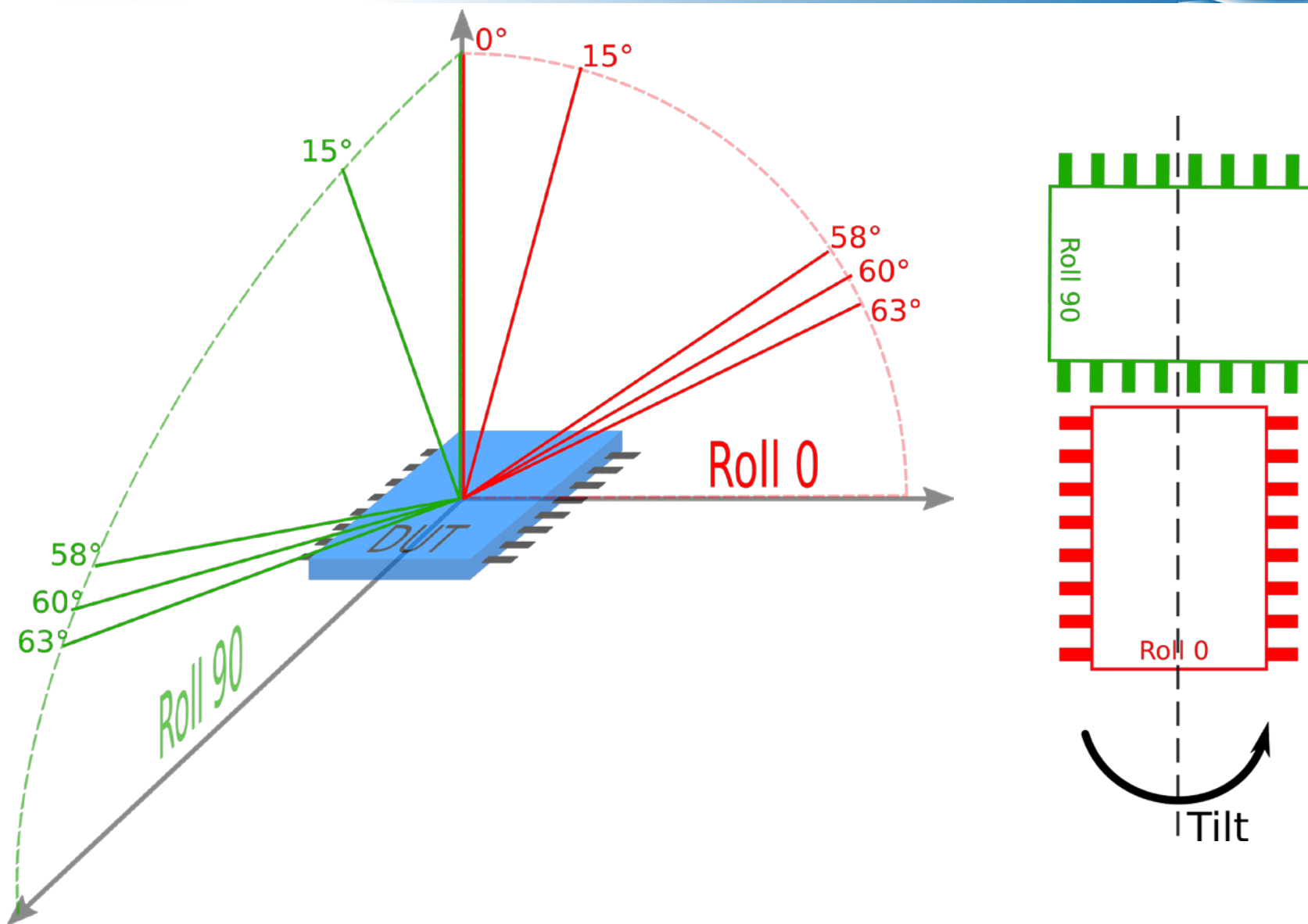
Heavy Ion SEE Testing of RHFPM4424 low side MOSFET driver from STMicroelectronics

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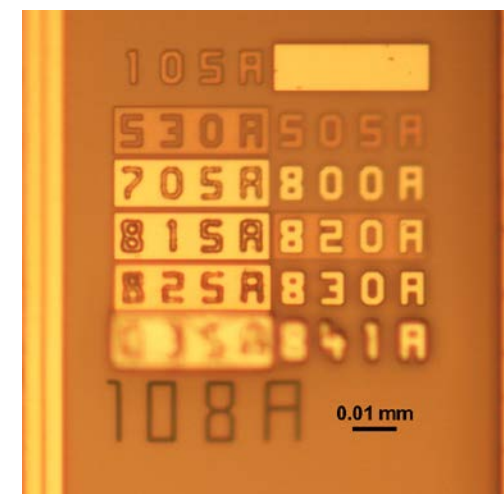
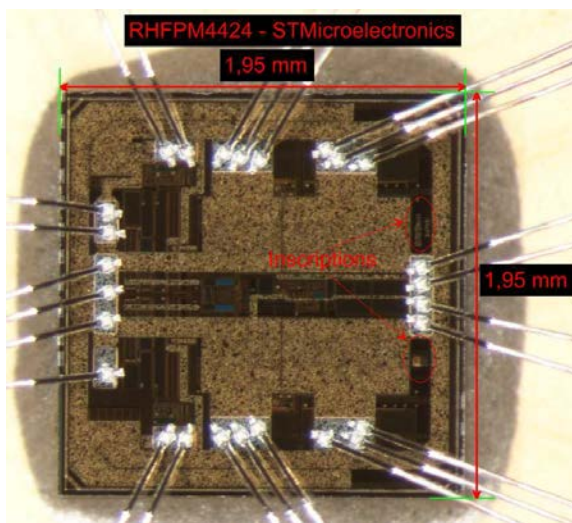
- **The project**
- **Parts, beam description, test system**
- **Results**
- **Conclusions**

- The RHFPM4424 from STMicroelectronics is a flexible, high-frequency dual low-side driver specifically designed to work with high capacitive MOSFETs and IGBTs in a high radiation environment such as space.
- Goal: The objective of this study is to further characterize the RHFPM4424 concerning its SEE heavy ion tolerance and to characterize under heavy ion beam the new power MOSFET products versus SET and destructive SEB.

Rolls schematic description



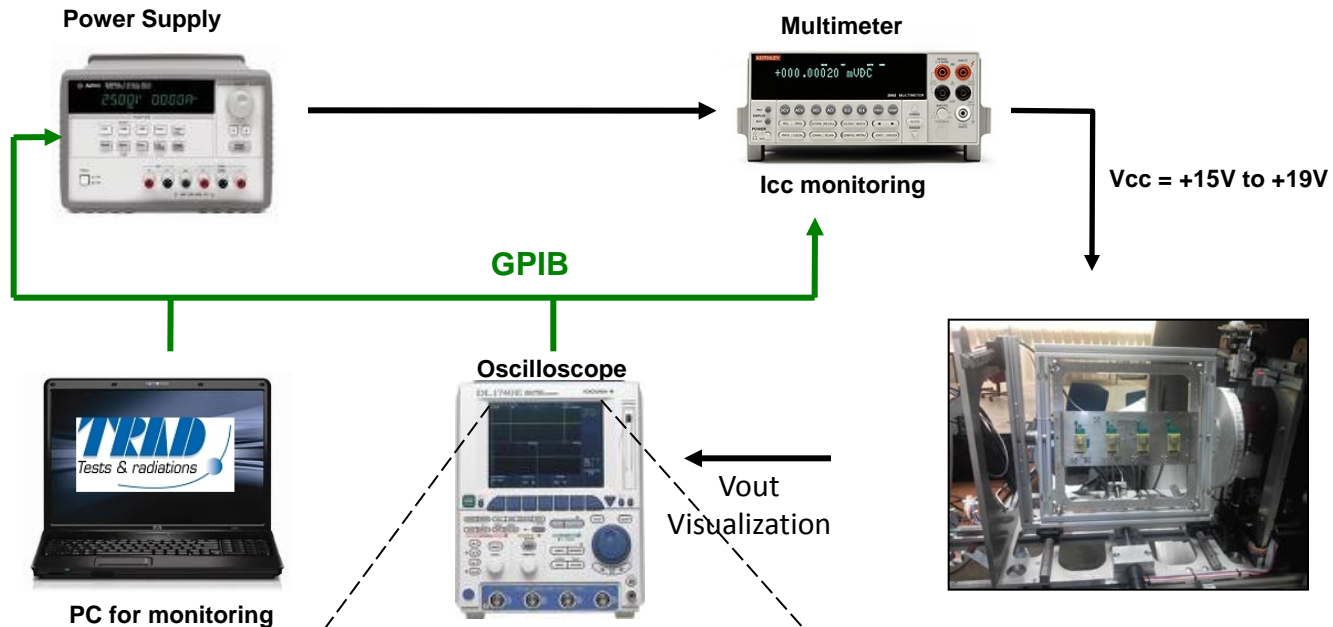
PART IDENTIFICATION	
Type :	RHFPM4424
Manufacturer :	STMicroelectronics
Function :	Rad-Hard 4.5A Dual Low Side MOSFET driver
PARTS PROCUREMENT INFORMATIONS	
Packaging :	FP-16
Sample size:	15 irradiated samples



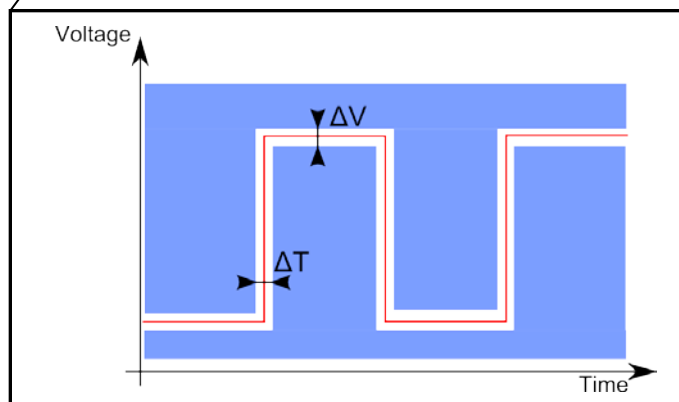
Irradiation facility: U.C.L.

IRRADIATION BEAM CHARACTERISTICS	
Heavy ions used :	High LET cocktail: $^{124}\text{Xe}^{26+}$ (67.7 MeV.cm ² /mg) High range cocktail: $^{83}\text{Kr}^{25+}$ (32.6 MeV.cm ² /mg) Fluence: 1.10^7 cm ⁻²
Particle tilt angles :	High LET cocktail: 0°, 15°, 30°, 40°, 45° and 50° High range cocktail: 0°, 50° and 57°

SEE tests: Test system



Fin= 100kHz



SEB & SET
 $\Delta T = 1.5\mu s$
 $\Delta V = 1.2V$

SEE tests: SET & SEB test results

LET Eff (MeV.cm ² .mg ⁻¹)	Number of SET observed on Roll 0					Number of SET observed on Roll 90			
	+15V	+16V	+17V	+18V	+19V	+15V	+16V	+17V	+18V
105.32 (50°)	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
95.74 (45°)	-	-	-	SEB	-	-	-	-	-
88.38 (40°)	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
78.17 (30°)	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-
77.14 (65°)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
71.81 (63°)	-	8	5	SEB	-	-	7	11	8
70.09 (15°)	4	9	3	5	6	8	7	6	5
67.7 (0°)	8	3	2	9	-	8	3	2	9
65.2 (60°)	-	7	6	6	-	-	-	-	4
61.52 (58°)	-	-	SEB	SEB	-	-	-	-	5
56.84 (55°)	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	4
46.1 (45°)	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-

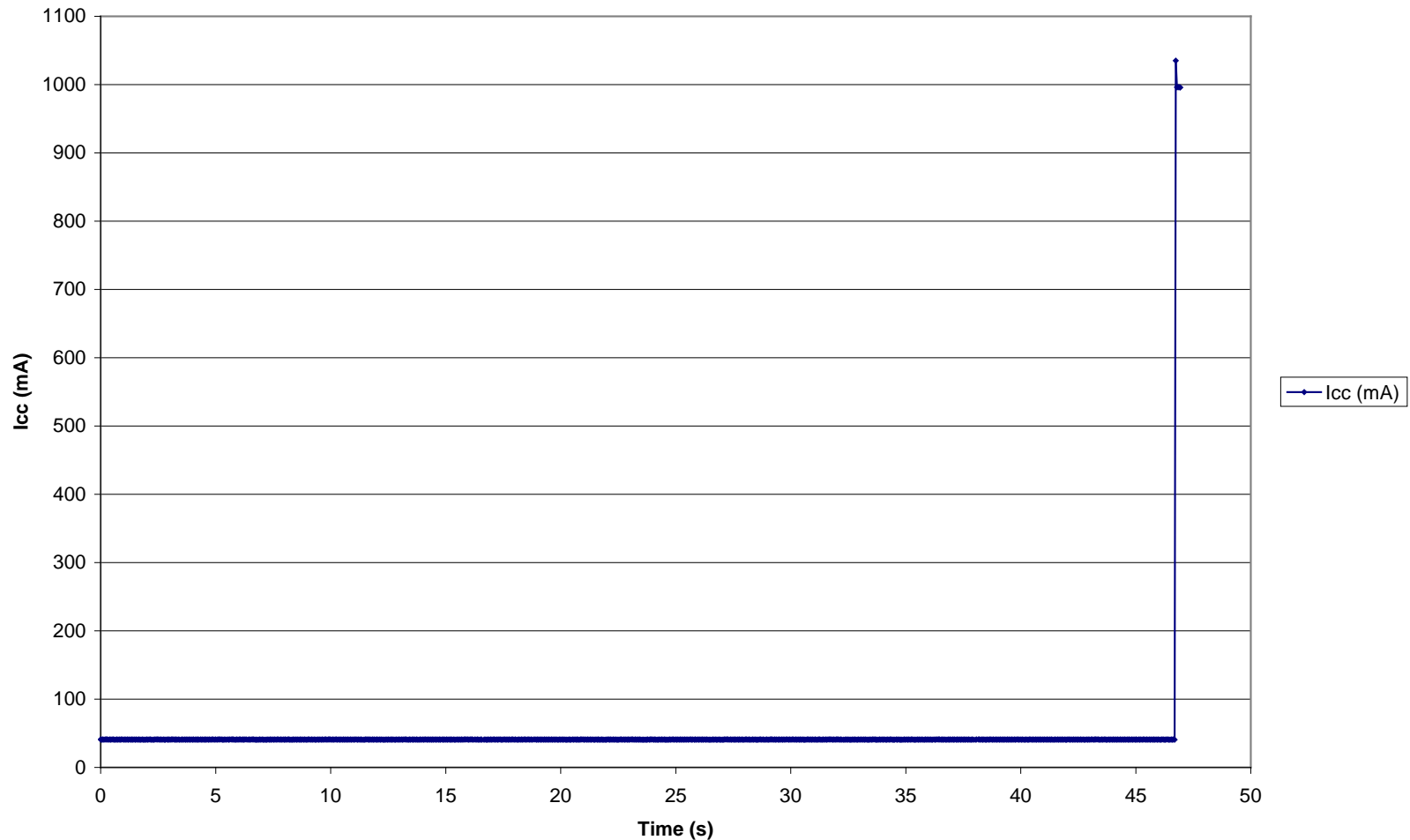
Fluence: 1.10⁷ cm⁻²

- SET observed
- SEB observed → Only on Roll 0



- SET observed during irradiation

SEE tests: Worst case SEB



- **Current limitation due to the test bench**

- **SEB due to angle effect are observed**
- **No SEB observed at supply voltage below 17V**
- **SET observed regardless the tilt angle, the orientation or the supply voltage used**

- **Thank you for your attention**

- **Any question ?**

SEE tests: SET & SEB test results

	Roll 0					Roll 90			
LET Eff (MeV.cm ² .mg ⁻¹)	+15V	+16V	+17V	+18V	+19V	+15V	+16V	+17V	+18V
105.32 (50°)	-	-	-	5.00E-07	-	-	-	-	-
95.74 (45°)	-	-	-	5.50E-07	-	-	-	-	-
88.38 (40°)	-	-	-	3.00E-07	-	-	-	-	-
78.17 (30°)	-	-	-	9.00E-07	-	-	-	-	-
77.14 (65°)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.00E-07
71.81 (63°)	-	8.00E-07	5.00E-07	-	-	-	7.00E-07	1.10E-06	8.00E-07
70.09 (15°)	4.00E-07	9.00E-07	3.00E-07	5.00E-07	6.00E-07	8.00E-07	7.00E-07	6.00E-07	5.00E-07
67.7 (0°)	8.00E-07	3.00E-07	2.00E-07	9.00E-07	-	8.00E-07	3.00E-07	2.00E-07	9.00E-07
65.2 (60°)	-	7.00E-07	6.00E-07	6.00E-07	-	-	-	-	4.00E-07
61.52 (58°)	-	-	1.20E-06	4.00E-07	-	-	-	-	5.00E-07
56.84 (55°)	-	-	-	7.00E-07	-	-	-	-	4.00E-07
46.1 (45°)	-	-	-	4.00E-07	-	-	-	-	-

- SET observed
- SEB observed → Only on Roll 0