

# HiRel Product Development for Satellite Applications

*Customers partner with SSDI to alleviate  
concerns with reliability issues*



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# SSDI “3H” Products

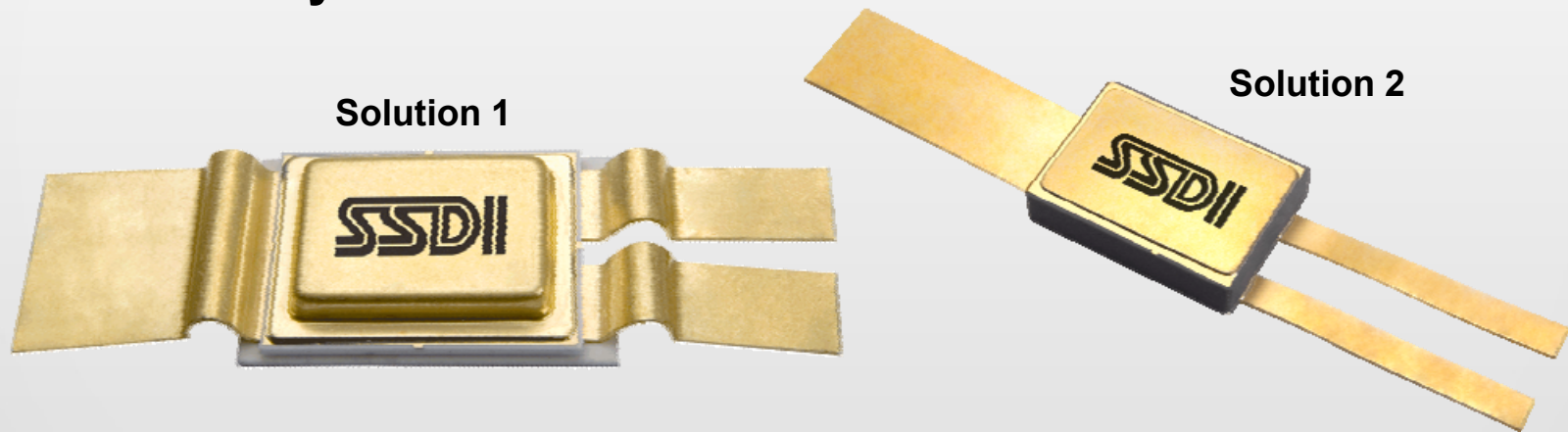
- When customers experience real world issues, SSDI is able to build replacement products or unique products that save space, enhance performance, and/or resolve reliability issues
- Strong relationships with world-class die foundries and parts suppliers facilitate small production runs and reasonable lead times
- Builds unique products: SCDs, reverse engineering, product development, and special packaging





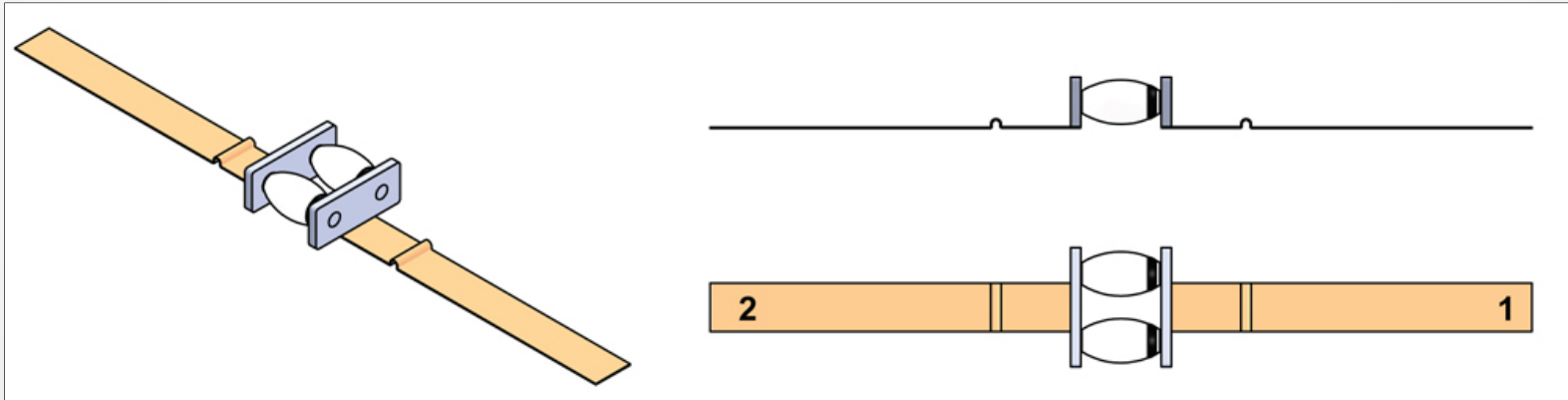
# Customer Inquiry: Solar Array Bypass Diode

- 3 A, 400 V solar array bypass diode i.a.w. customer's drawing
- Two SMD.5 or SMD1 diodes with ribbon leads in series for redundancy
- SSDI initially offered standard SMD devices with ribbon leads



- SSDI developed leaded SMD packages in the 1990's to offer the following advantages:
  - Ribbon leads reduce risk of vibration stress and thermal fatigue
  - Customizable lead dimensions available
  - Facilitates lead inspection

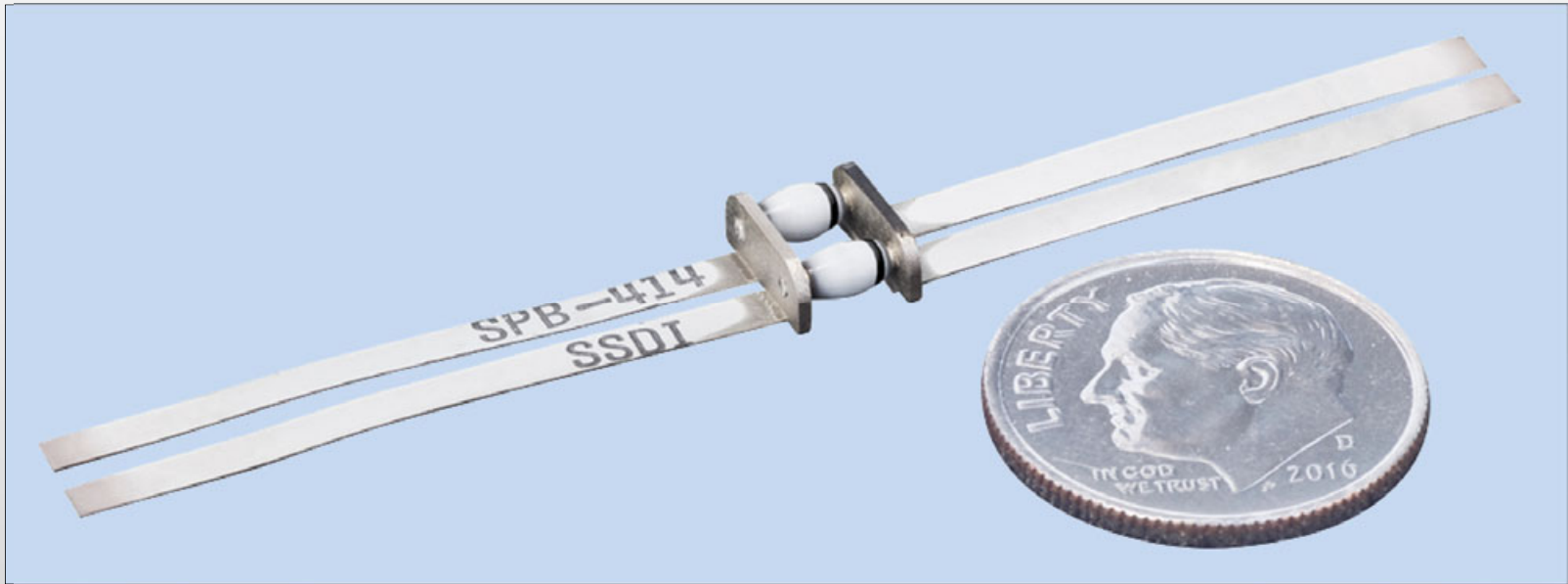
# SSDI's Recommended Design



- Replace two separate diodes with two diodes in series and in parallel
- Utilize SSDI's S-level void free diodes in place of SMD cavity packages
- With void free diodes, PIND testing is no longer necessary and hermeticity concerns are mitigated
- All high-temperature construction for ultimate reliability (>600°C)
- Silver plated flat leads with Nickel underplate to facilitate welding to BUS bar

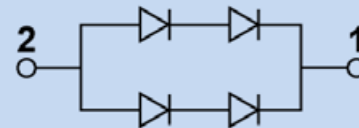
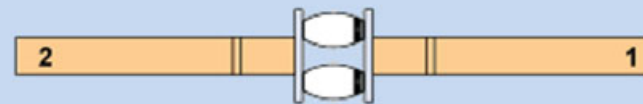
# SSDI's Revised Design with Customer's Requested Modifications

- Round the upper corners of the diode mounting plates
- Separate the ribbon leads for redundancy purposes

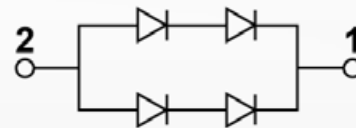
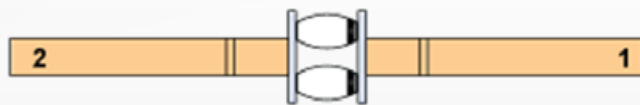


# SSDI Supplied Engineering Samples for Customer Evaluation

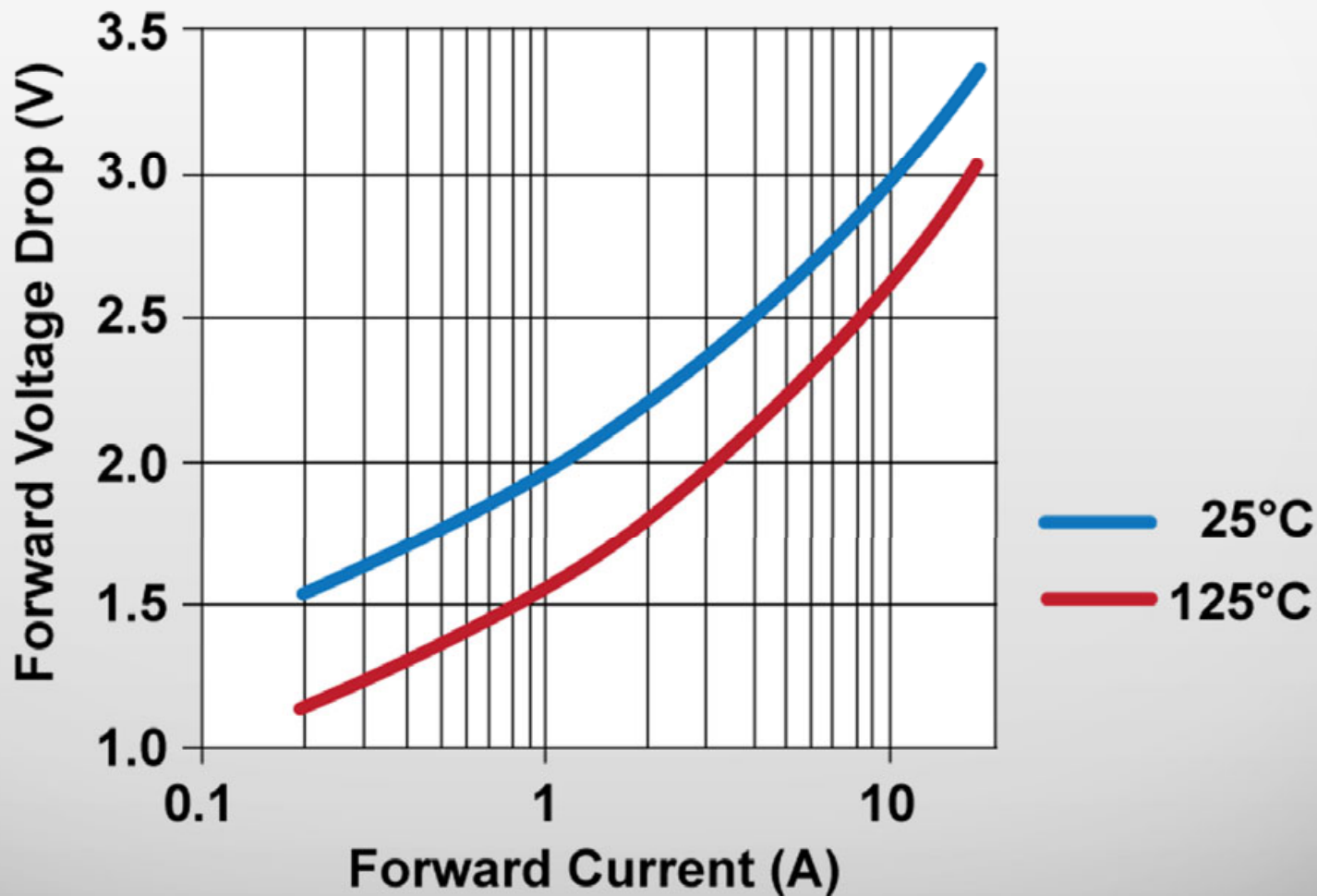
Ratings		SPB414
$I_o$		6 A
$V_R$		800 V
$V_F$	@ 3 A	2.4 V typ
	@ 18 A	3.4 V typ
$I_R$	@ 25°C	0.2 $\mu$ A typ
	@ 125°C	5 $\mu$ A typ
$C_J$		20 pF typ
$t_{RR}$		250 ns



# SPB-414



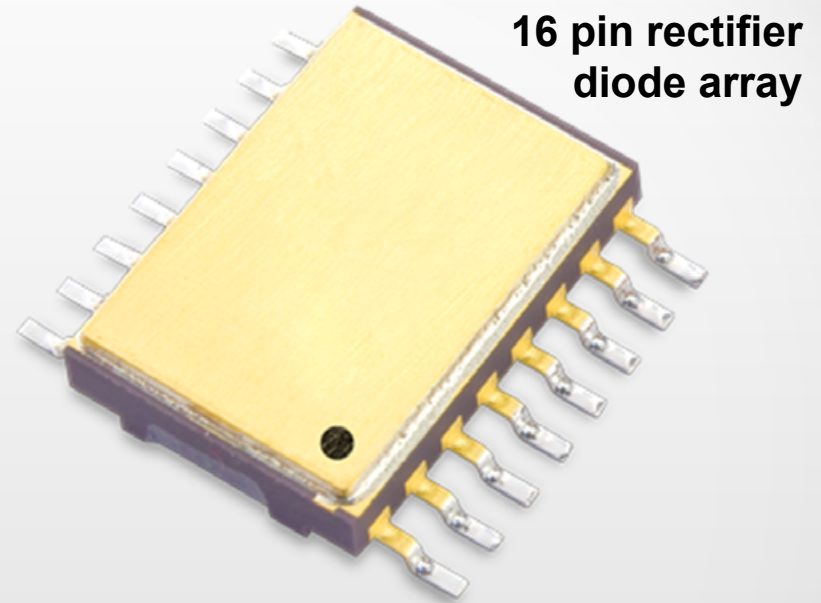
Typical  $V_F$  vs  $I_F$  vs  $T_C$



# Customer Inquiries: Diode Array

## Customer 1

- Drop-in replacement for 16 pin rectifier diode array for a signal switch module in a satellite
- 1 A, 300 V diode array utilizing two rectifier diodes for each leg for redundancy

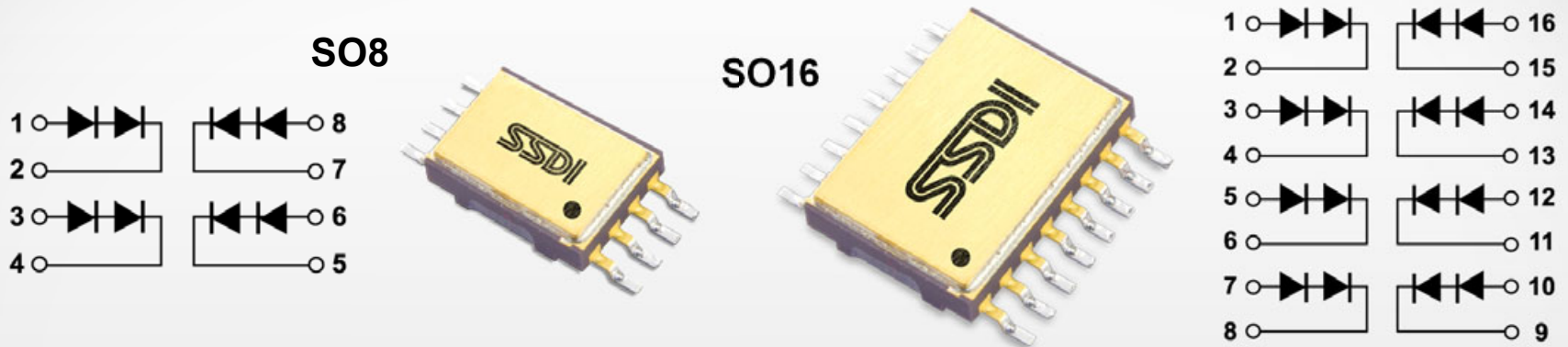


## Customer 2

- Diode array for command / telemetry systems in a satellite
- Reduce footprint to accommodate board space needs
- Relax electrical parameters by switching from a two die 400 V, 16 pin device to a one die 200 V, 8 pin device

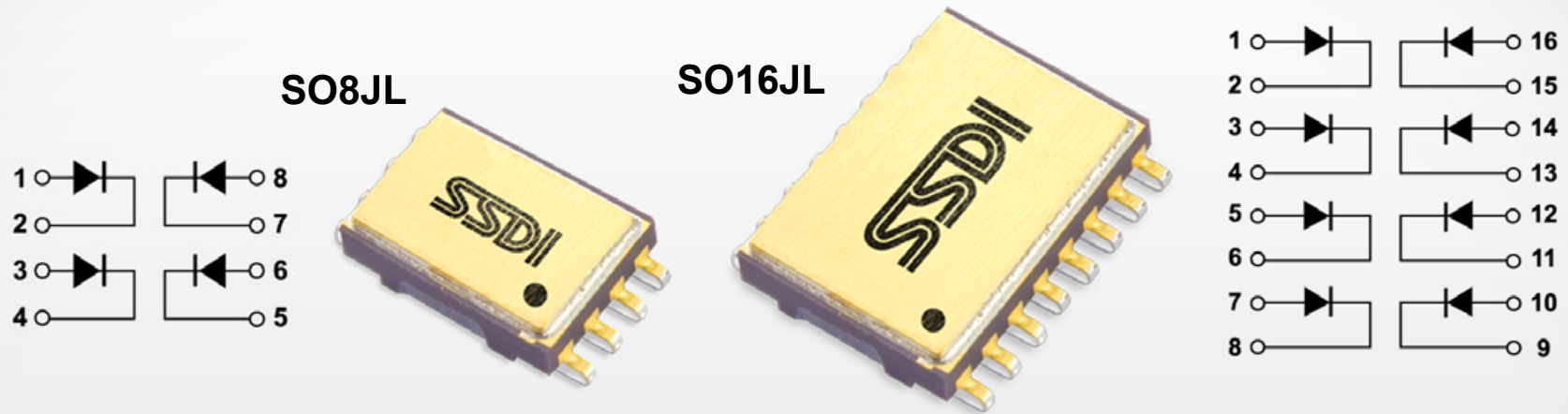


# SSDI's Solution for Customer 1 (SD0140)



- Offered 1A, 400 V 16 pin drop-in replacement as well as an 8 pin version
- Utilized 200 V Schottky die instead of rectifier die
  - Better reverse recovery performance (35 ns vs. 45 ns)
  - Higher reverse voltage (400 V vs. 300 V)
- An array of 8 diodes – each leg has 2 diodes in series for redundancy
- High reliability hermetic ceramic packages
- SSDI can cross reference most of its competitors' products and often offer enhanced performance

# SSDI's Solution for Customer 2 (SD0120)



- Offered 1A, 200 V 8 pin and 16 pin versions
- Offered J-Leads bend option for additional space savings
- Utilized 200 V Schottky die instead of rectifier die
  - Better reverse recovery performance (35 ns vs. 45 ns)
  - Relaxed reverse voltage per customer request (200 V vs. 300 V)
- High reliability hermetic ceramic packages
- SSDI can build products to meet or exceed the program's electrical and / or mechanical specifications

# SD0120 & SD0140 Schottky Diode Arrays vs. Competitor's Rectifier Diode Array

Ratings		SD0120	SD0140	Competitor's Part
$I_O$		1 A		1 A
$V_R$		200 V	400 V	300 V
$I_{FSM}$		25 A	20 A	10 A
$R_{\theta JC}$		13°C/W		13°C/W
$V_F$	@ 1 A, 25°C	2 V		2 V
$I_R$	@ 25°C	0.3 $\mu$ A typ		-
	@ 100°C	25 $\mu$ A typ		-
$C_J$	@ 5 V	10 pF typ		-
$t_{RR}$		35 ns		45 ns
Packages		SO8, SO8JL, SO16, SO16JL		16 pin SOIC



# THANK YOU

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