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A close-up photograph of a person's hands operating a red and black power drill. The drill is positioned vertically, drilling into a light-colored wooden workbench. Wood shavings are visible around the drill bit. The background is blurred, showing a workshop environment. The image is partially overlaid by a dark blue rectangle on the right side.

L9961

5-Channel Battery Management IC

Targeted Applications



POWER TOOLS



GARDENING TOOLS



**DRONES AND HOME
APPLIANCES**





L9961 | 3-5 Channel Battery Monitoring/Balancing IC

Accurate, real-time measurement of battery cell voltage, temperature and current



QFPN 32 5X5X1



Cell Voltage measurement (3 to 5 cells) and protection

Battery Current measurement with Coulomb Counting

Passive Cell Balancing with Internal MOSFET

Pack Temperature Measurement using NTC

Fully configurable cell diagnostics (via I2C)

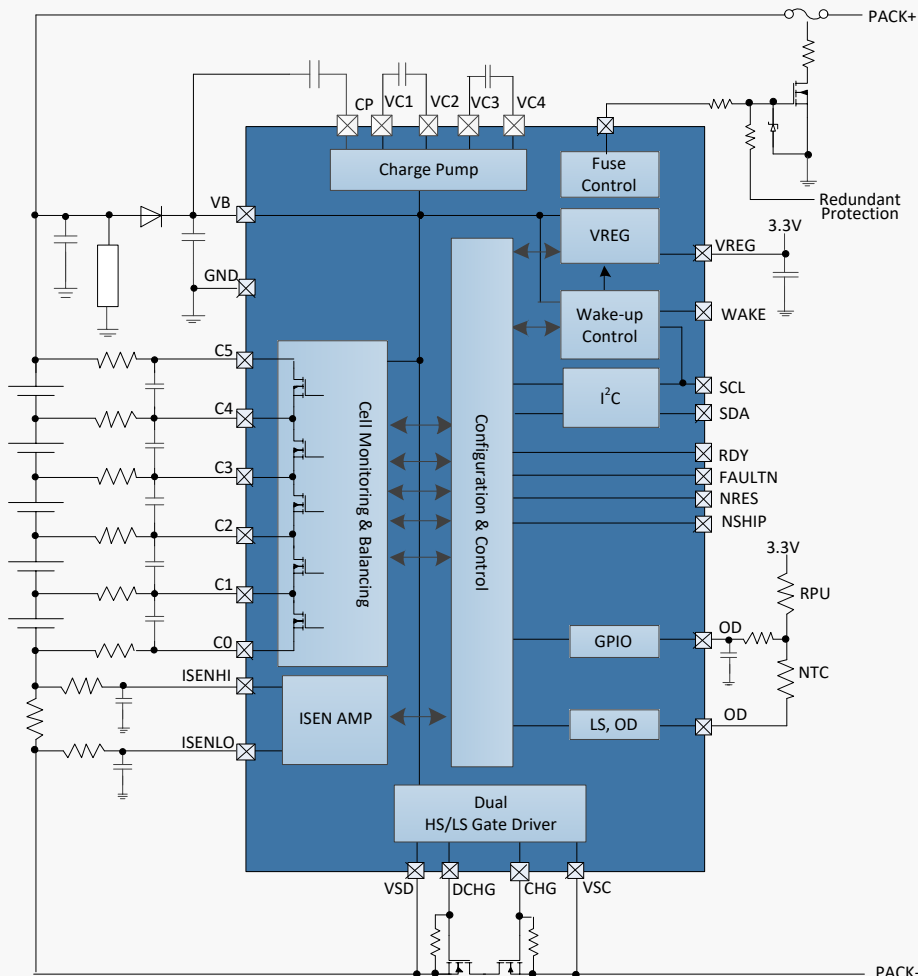
Main Applications

- Power-Tools
- Small Appliances

3-5 Cell Battery monitor and balancer with integrated protections



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Electrical parameters

- Cell voltage measurement from 3 to 5 cells
- 12-bit ADC for cell voltage measurement with maximum error of ± 15 mV
- 16-bit ADC for battery pack current measurement with maximum error of 0.1% full scale
- Cell balancing, 70mA/cell
- Stack voltage measurement
- Integrated VREG system regulator $3.3V \pm 3\%$ @ 30mA
- 2uA SHIP mode and 5uA STANDBY mode current consumption

Protections

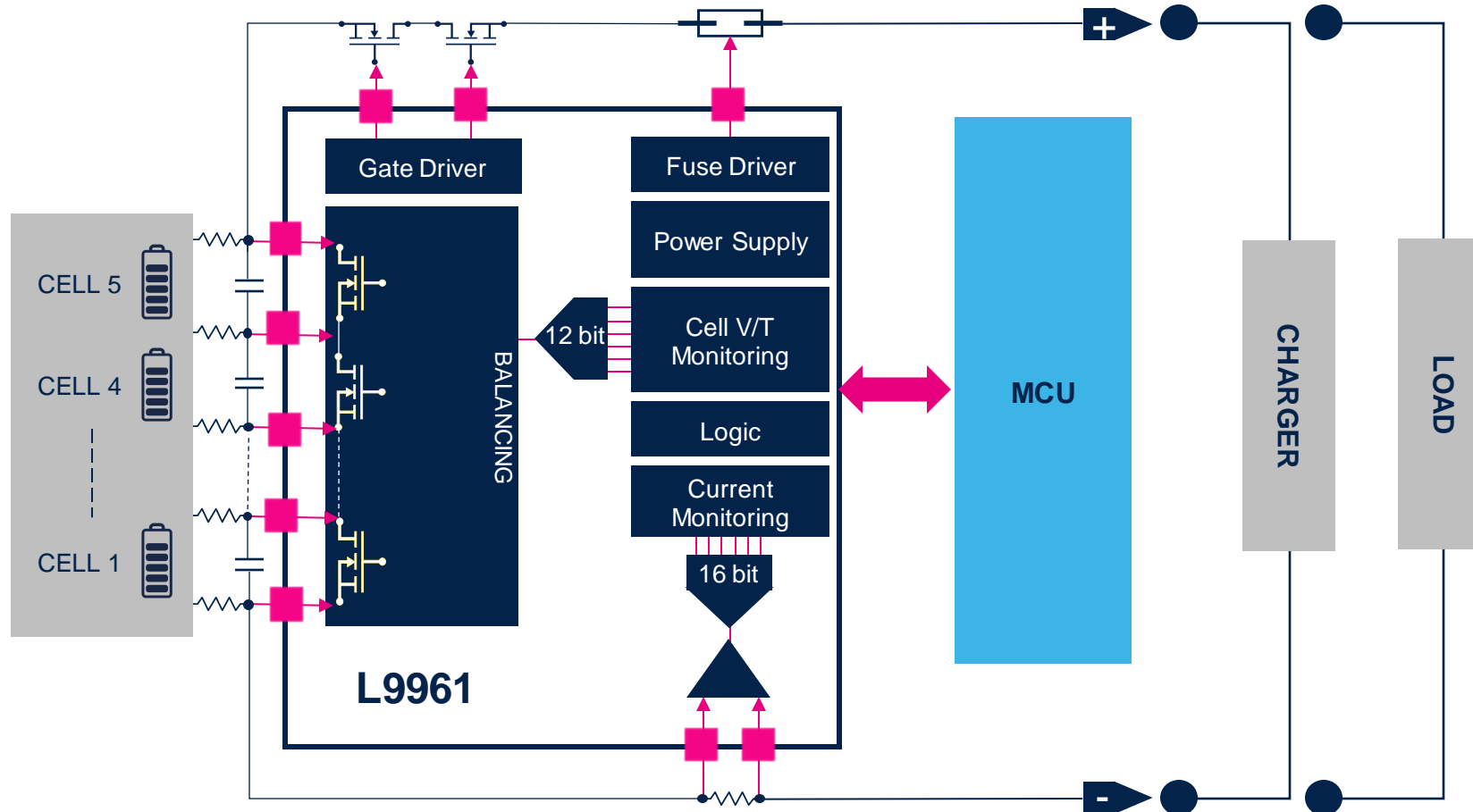
- Cell over/under voltage detection and balance undervoltage protection
- Pack fuse management
- Dual protector HS/LS configurable

Diagnostics

- I2C peripheral for device programming and data transfer
- Battery current measurement with coulomb counting and overcurrent detection
- NTC ratiometric temperature measurement [$\pm 0.8\%$ max. gain error]

L9961 | Typical Application Block Diagram

Best in class performance along with a lean external BOM





L9961 | Our value proposition for your needs

Configurable
HS/LS protector

Maximum flexibility
and safety

15 mV accuracy

Superior performance
in Battery protection

70mA
Internal balancing

Battery optimization
and extended lifetime

Embedded NVM*

To store
customer information and
configurations

Current sense
with Coulomb
counter

Battery protection and state
estimation

Critical fault
quick reaction

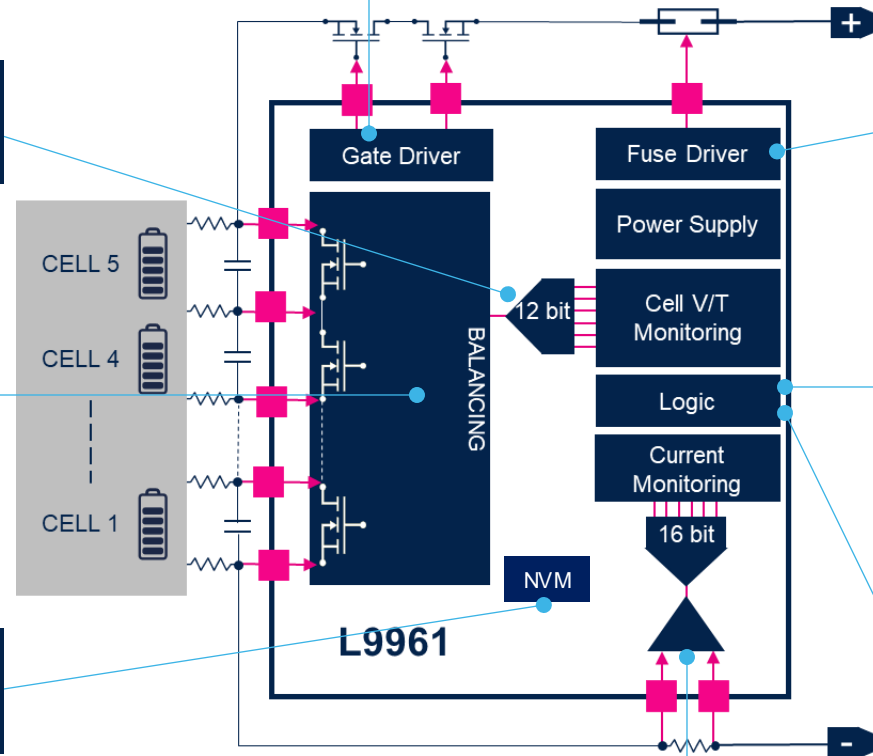
Integrated fuse
driver

Enhances and simplify
system safety management

MCU
emergency reset

Enhances MCU Fault
management

Easy Fault
notification



How ST addresses your developers' needs

PC Software

Ready-to-use GUI showing L9961 device performances



Cell monitoring



Coulomb Counter



Switch Control



Diagnostics



Scripting language



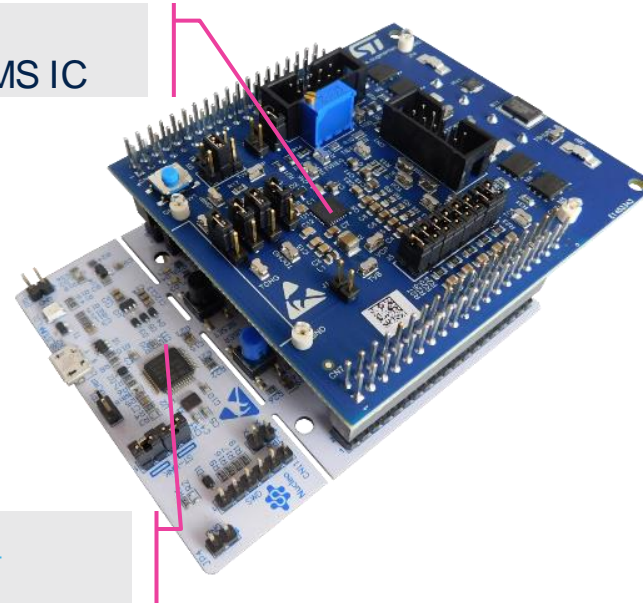
Data logging

[STSW-L99615C](#)

Hardware

Complete system for quick evaluation of device features

[L9961](#)
5-cell BMS IC



[NUCLEO-G071RB](#)

[STEVAL-L99615C](#)

Firmware

Package with standalone FW driver and application examples

5-cell voltage, current, temperature and stack voltage monitoring

Coulomb Counting mechanism for SOC estimation

Applications examples

Passive battery cell balancing for cell energy equalization

Extended Kalman Filter implementation for SOC estimation

[STSW-L9961BMS](#)

L9961 | Takeaways



**MAXIMIZED
BATTERY LIFE**



**OPTIMIZED
BOM**



**RICH SET OF
PROTECTIONS**



**DESIGN
JOURNEY EASED**



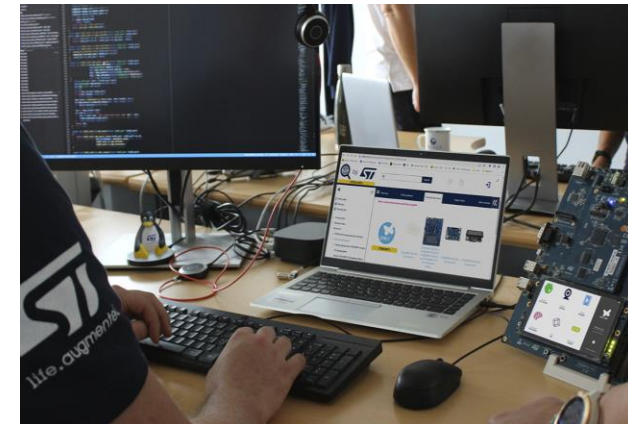
Internal passive cell balancing,
Integrated Coulomb counter for
accurate State-of-Charge, State-
of-Health estimation



Integrated pre-driver
Fuse drivers
3.3V LDO
and Internal balancing MOSFETs



Fully configurable diagnostics, Cell
OV/UV, Die and Cell Temperature
monitoring, protector MOS, fuse
driver



Graphic User Interface, Firmware
application demos, dedicated
software driver for STM32 and X-
Nucleo shield Eval Board

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