

# **Military & Space Electronics Reliability without Military Component Specifications**

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1. Why CMSE was started & purpose
2. COTS vs QML:
  - Impact of technology advances
  - ICs - Why Class N did not succeed
  - Discrete semiconductors
  - Passives
  - Date codes and Lot codes for COTS
3. Lack of industry test methods
4. Confusion of the DFARS' requirements and OEM actions
5. Information/failure data exchange - legal limits of GIDEP
6. The way forward