



CMSE 2024 Alternate Grade Part Panel

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Alternate Grade Part - What Is It and How Is It Used

- A part that can be utilized in an application in place of a space grade part
 - It will perform the same circuit function
 - It will have the same or better reliability
 - Be produced by a main-line manufacturer on a high-volume line
 - Have sufficient pedigree to satisfy mission requirements
 - Have radiation test data and show it meets or can meet with mitigations mission/program requirements
- Minimum Data Requirements
 - Technology Characterization Results
 - Screening/Testing Results
 - Qualification Results
 - Physics of Failure Information
 - Long Term Reliability Results
- Types of Parts Considered
 - Military
 - Automotive
 - Industrial/Commercial
- Concerns
 - Availability
 - Testing
 - Reliability and Radiation
 - Data and Documentation
- Types of Missions

