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With the advancements in RFIC, MMIC, and VLSI technologies, packaging of the resultant high-speed digital, RF and microwave, and millimeter-wave integrated circuits and systems in a cost-effective and high-performance manner has become a major challenge. The convergence of modern communication and computer technologies and the startling growth of corresponding high-frequency commercial electronics has brought new demands for increased performance with simultaneous decreases in cost and size on both integrated circuits and packaging and interconnect technologies.

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