

## The Hangover AFTER THE PERFECT STORM

State of the Global Electronics Supply Chain





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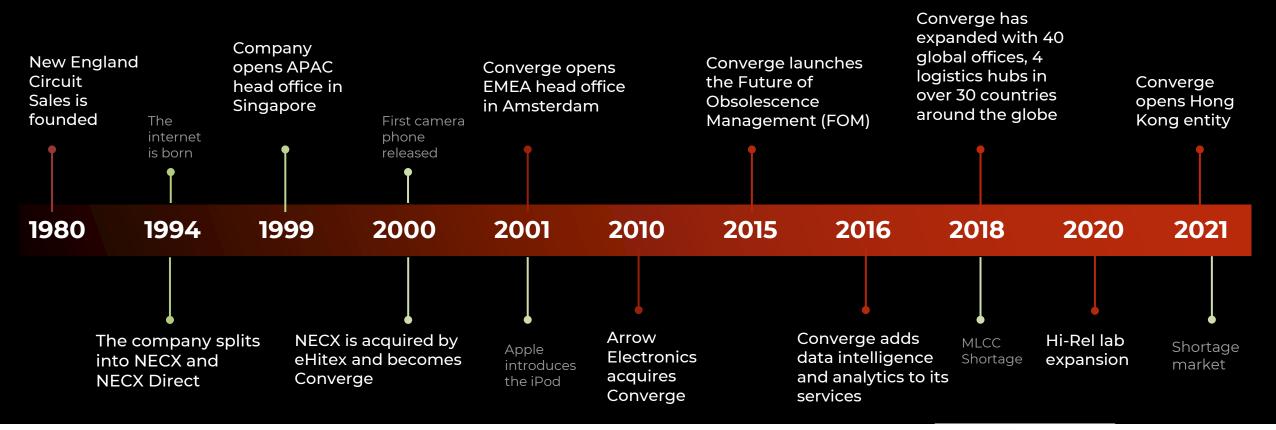
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## The Converge story

#### Who are we and why are we here?







## Converge global operations footprint

#### THE AMERICAS







### Carpe Data – "Seize the Data"







# The Questions:

Why have the rules changed? Best practices and lessons learned? Where are we now? What issues remain?





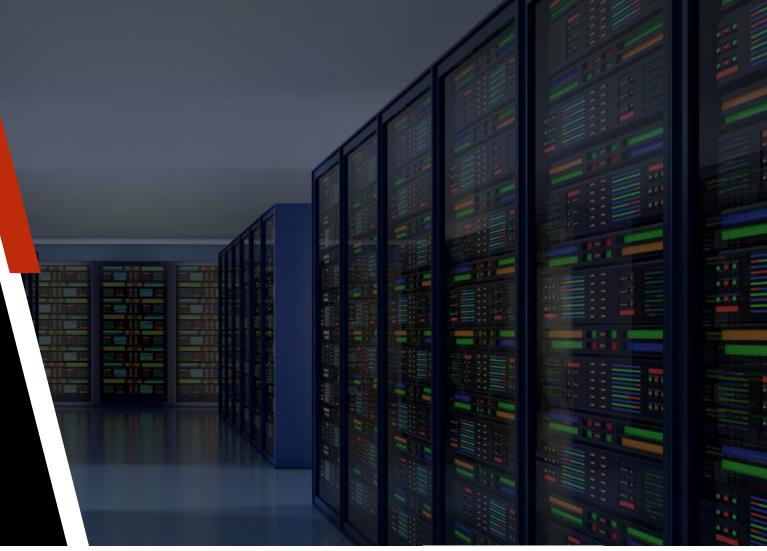


The strain on the global supply chain had been building for years, creating the **Perfect Storm**.





## The supply chain will **never** be **the same**. The players, process, and predictability have all changed.













#### BAD THINGS HAPPEN... "PLAN ON IT"...



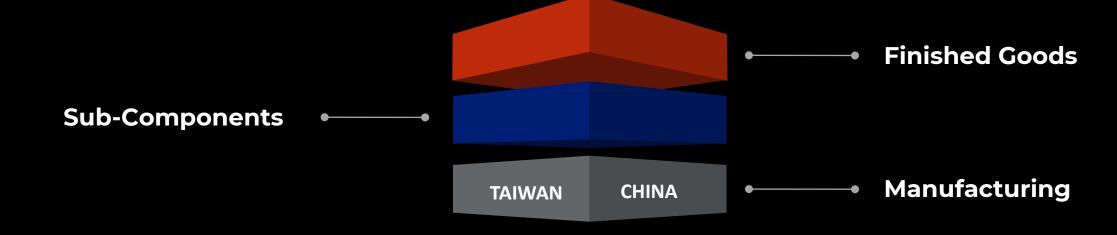


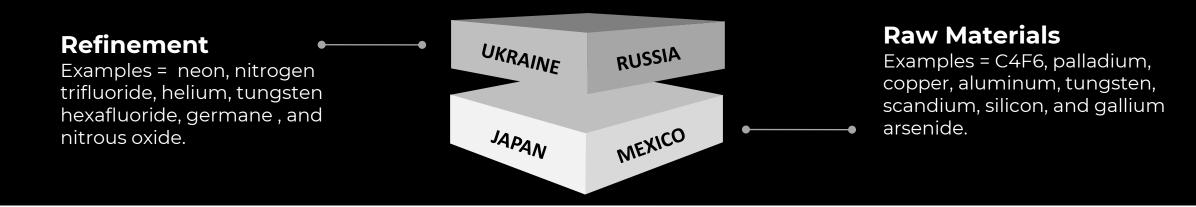






## We learned to pay attention to hidden layers









## WHERE ARE WE TODAY

Foundational root causes remain



Decreasing global demand

# "Is it only a temporary solution?"

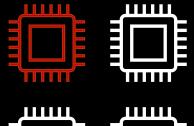


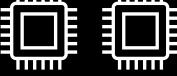
#### **GLOBAL ECONOMIC IMPACTS CONTINUE**





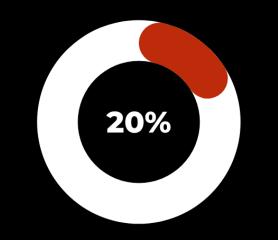
## EOL & PCN Data

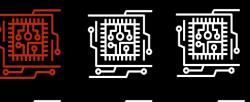


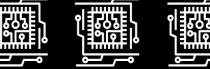


1 IN 4

COMPONENTS WENT OBSOLETE WITHOUT A PCN IN 2022







#### 1 IN 6

WERE VITAL

SEMICONDUCTOR COMPONENTS

#### 20% OBSOLETE PCNs

HAD LAST TIME BUY AS IMMEDIATE







## General Outlook

All indications are that the global shortage market is now recovering, as demand for electronic component declines as a direct result of

global economic uncertainty.

A global supply chain "hangover" is now being experienced by almost every vertical segment, as buffer inventories and non-cancellable / nonreturnable forecast orders continue to flow into inventories creating ROWC issues and concerns.

Most root causes of the unprecedented shortage market we've experienced still exist, therefore any future disruptions will have an impact on the supply chain. This includes the issues around obsolescence.

## IS IT REALLY OVER?







The **global economic downturn** may have just shouted "**LAST CALL**" to officially end the shortage market.

But now, companies face the morning after. The **hangover** begins...







## Peer Group Current Focus Areas



Inventory and Capacity Buffers (HUBS)



Distribution Networks / Sell side Buffers



EMS/ODM Network Modifications



Product Design and Portfolio Simplification



Supplier / Sourcing Model Diversification



Data Analytics and Information Networks











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