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Power electronics play a key role in energy conversion and management, being prominent in renewable energy generation systems, electric vehicles, smart grids, etc. However, industrial experience indicates that the power converter is one of the weakest components in the system. Thus, there is a pressing need to improve the reliability of power converters and reduce the system downtime induced by the failure of power converters. The failure mechanism, thermal network model, junction temperature estimation, lifetime prediction, condition monitoring, and thermal control of power electronics systems have become increasingly important. This Special Issue aims to present and disseminate the most recent advances related to the reliability of power electronics system.

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