



New *Digital Stick* Technology Makes Database Applications Portable, Secure and Versatile

- High performance portable database technology creates growth opportunities for developers, software vendors and resellers -

TORONTO, Ontario, February 5, 2008 – Telecompute Integrated Systems Inc., a leading provider of customized IT applications, services and solutions, today announced the launch of ***Digital Stick***, a new portable database technology that is designed to transform application development and create new growth opportunities for developers, software vendors and resellers in the portable database application market.

With Digital Stick technology, developers can now easily build and customize fully-functioning, database-driven portable applications that run within a completely secure and system-independent environment. Digital Stick technology enables developers to create secure, portable database applications that can be deployed on virtually any serial device; are entirely “self-contained” and don’t need to be installed on a system to run; and enable end users to instantaneously access their information anywhere, on any system.

“Our research shows that customers have a high need for their database applications to be portable and accessible at all times, but security and data integrity concerns, legacy system issues or fears of being locked into a proprietary system are holding them back from taking their database to the next level and making it portable,” said Nirav Mehta, vice president, Telecompute Integrated Systems Inc. “Digital Stick offers a solution to these customer concerns and provides a new way to access information by allowing databases and applications to become portable while maintaining a high level of security and data integrity.”

Benefits of Developing with Digital Stick Technology

Digital Stick technology offers a secure and portable relational database and application development environment. Developers using Digital Stick can create standardized portable applications that feature high level security features and are backed by a high performance database.

High-Performance Portable Database: Digital Stick features a set of development objects designed to make new and existing database applications portable. The technology is powered by **Digital Anchor**, a high performance database engine that allows access to data through a completely integrated environment using industry standard technology such as Structured Query Language (SQL) and Extensible Markup Language (XML). Digital Anchor is built on a compact yet robust framework that is independent of the operating system (OS) and enables remote access and the synchronization of data.

“We chose Digital Anchor to power the entire back end of our HR system because only a high performance relational database that was reliable, flexible and easy-to-use could meet our specific requirements,” said Sarosh Bharucha, president, Xcela Enterprise Solutions. “Having the power of Digital Anchor in a compact form factor such as Digital Stick presents exciting development opportunities for Xcela I’m confident will benefit our customers.”

Security and Data Integrity: Security is at the core of Digital Stick technology. Digital Stick technology maintains a high level of security and data integrity because it provides a self-contained, secure environment for applications to run and store data, and leaves no data trails on the host OS. Digital Stick also includes encrypted data techniques customizable to each application.

Versatility and System Independence: Using the Digital Anchor database engine, Digital Stick technology provides a self-sufficient database that doesn’t use any system drive space, and is system independent. Digital Stick allows for the development of applications that can be easily standardized across any system and eliminates the fear of being locked into a proprietary system.

Digital Stick and New Growth Opportunities

Easy to Use, Integrate and Upgrade

Since Digital Stick technology is easy to use, it opens up opportunities for developers of all skill sets to build and customize their own portable applications based on a relational database. The Digital Stick can also help IT resellers meet their customers' complex portable computing needs because it can be easily integrated into custom technology solutions.

“Digital Stick offers simple SQL connectivity to an advanced database so it provides a universally accepted database language and expands the application market to reach existing SQL-based applications, providing vast opportunities in the portable application market to the development community,” said Mehta.

Because Digital Stick technology uses standard query languages, developers can modify existing applications and upgrade their technology to be “Digital Stick ready” (DS-R).

Digital Stick and End-user Applications

Digital Stick allows for the development of portable applications that offer “plug-n-play” execution for the end user from a portable device. The application loader, Digital Stick Primer, is used to deploy a small footprint of Digital Stick technology across multiple form factors (e.g. USB key). DS Launch, the start-up application that resides on portable devices, gives authenticated users the ability to run DS-R applications, access files, and manage security and user settings.

Examples of end-user applications that can be developed using Digital Stick technology include: Customer Relationship Management (CRM); Inventory and Catalogue System; Payroll / Accounting Software; secure file storage; and more.

Digital Stick Technology Now Available

The beta version of the Digital Stick SDK, along with access to detailed documentation, is immediately available for download at: <http://digitalanchor.com/developers/>

About Digital Anchor

Created by Telecompute Integrated Systems Inc., Digital Anchor is a robust, powerful database engine designed to meet developers' growing business and technology requirements. This reliable database was developed with simplicity in mind, making it easy to create and access. In addition, Digital Anchor is able to easily extend, thereby assisting developers with their applications. Its architecture allows for transparent application conversion and connectivity, while alleviating the common concern of being locked into a proprietary system. More information about Digital Anchor can be found at: <http://www.digitalanchor.com/>.

About Telecompute Integrated Systems Inc.

Headquartered in Toronto, Ontario, Telecompute Integrated Systems Inc. is a leading developer and provider of customized IT applications, services and solutions for small-to-medium sized businesses. Providing its customers with superior service since 1976, Telecompute is committed to delivering solutions that are powerful, affordable and easy-to-use. Telecompute's strategic technology partners include: HP, Lenovo, Microsoft, Toshiba, and more. For more information about Telecompute, visit: <http://www.telecompute.net/>.

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