

NEW LINELY GROUP RESEARCH HIGHLIGHTS DATAPOWER'S APPLICATION-AWARE VISION & XG4 ASIC-BASED XML CHIPSET

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WHO: The Linely Group's "A Guide to Security and Content Processors, Fourth Edition"

WHAT: In new research from the leading provider of independent technology analysis and strategic consulting for the networking-silicon industry, the Linely Group highlights DataPower's XML Generation Four (XG4(tm)). In 2004 DataPower was the first to break the Gigabit Barrier for XML processing with the introduction of its fourth generation ASIC-based XML chipset, XG4. DataPower XG4 subsystems offer OEMs field-proven, patented XML processing technology in a broad range of form factors, speed ratings and features. The XG4 architecture combines DataPower's custom XML silicon, off-the-shelf components and proprietary driver software to perform XPath and XML Schema validation directly in hardware. The XG4 product family allows OEMs, such as network vendors or blade server manufacturers, to embed XML Web Services security in traditional firewalls or security switches, to include SOAP load balancing in server load balancers, and to deliver XML acceleration and XML routing in traditional IP routers or blade servers.

For more XG4 information, Jim Ricotta, president and CEO at DataPower, and formerly general manager of Cisco Systems' (NASDAQ: CSCO) Content Networking Business Unit, will join the "Silicon Support at Layer 7: XML & Vertical Protocols" panel being moderated by CMP Publishing's EETimes editor Loring Wirbel at the 2005 Embedded Systems Conference on March 9, from 2-3 p.m. PST, San Francisco, the Moscone Center, Room 202.

WHEN: Linely Group's research "A Guide to Security and Content Processor, Fourth Edition" is available now.

WHERE: http://www.linleygroup.com/Reports/security.html

WHY: This report is written for engineers who are designing networking equipment and need to select a security or content processor; Marketing and engineering staff at companies that sell networking chips that connect to security or content processors; Technology professionals who wish an introduction to security or content processors; Financial analysts who desire a detailed analysis and comparison of security-processor companies and their chances of success; Press and public-relations professionals who need to get up to speed on this new technology.

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About DataPower

DataPower provides enterprises with intelligent XML-Aware network infrastructure to ensure unparalleled performance, security and manageability of next-generation applications and XML Web Services. DataPower's patented XML Generation Three (XG3TM) technology powers the industry's first wire-speed XML-aware networking devices that provide immediate return on technology investments while streamlining application deployments. Founded in 1999, DataPower is privately held and based in Cambridge, MA. For more information about DataPower Technology, please contact 617-864-0455 or visit www.datapower.com

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