



Visual Mining's NetCharts® and NetCharts® Pro provides graphics for ORTEC's asset liability management applications

Rockville, Maryland - July 13, 2004 - Visual Mining, Inc., a leading developer of reporting and data visualization solutions, today announced that Netherlands-based ORTEC has selected NetCharts® and NetCharts® Pro to generate dynamic interactive charts in products like OPAL, ORTEC's suite of personal asset liability management applications. Most of ORTEC's clients are in the financial sector, mainly pension funds, banks and insurance companies, who use ORTEC solutions for asset liability management.

"Both NetCharts and NetCharts Pro saved us a lot of time creating chart images, plus we found NetCharts relatively easy to use for chart applets," said Milan Seijbel, Head of Development. "We're thinking about migrating to NetCharts Server for demanding web applications in the future. More importantly, we chose Visual Mining's products because there's a serious company behind them, valuing support and feature enhancements."

"ORTEC's solutions use data visualization to help financial institutions spot trends and opportunities that can earn or save millions of dollars," said Michael MacDonald, CEO and Founder of Visual Mining. "By integrating Visual Mining's NetCharts and NetCharts Pro into their offerings, ORTEC has saved money and months of development time, getting them to market quicker, and with lower overhead."

About ORTEC:

ORTEC is one of the largest independent consulting and software development companies operating in the field of Operations Research and Management Science. Founded in 1981, ORTEC currently has over 300 employees and offices in the United States, Europe, Africa and Asia. Their blue-chip customer base includes leading enterprises in industry, banking, insurance and transportation.

The Company's team of optimization experts is unrivaled in the industry. ORTEC is a company fueled by people with years of practical experience. Their energy drives the Company's growth into new services, new markets, and new ideas. They bring to market the next generation of optimization technology - enabled by a clear vision of industry requirements and a commitment to expertise and advanced decision-making technology. Over the past twenty years, ORTEC has completed hundreds of very successful projects, which have also led to standard software products used around the world.

About Visual Mining, Inc:

Visual Mining builds interactive graphical reporting solutions for business and government organizations needing maximum software flexibility, high performance, and low cost. Visual Mining produced the first Java-powered charting engine in 1996. Since then, Visual Mining's NetCharts products have earned numerous industry awards, most recently, the 2003 Intelligent Enterprise Magazine's Readers' Choice Award for data visualization software. For more information, please visit www.visualmining.com.

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