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Dalim Software and GMG present a common solution for integrating the GMG color management products into the workflow system DALiM TWiST

Tuebingen (May 29, 2008) – GMG, supplier of high-end color management and proofing solutions, is to announce at Drupa its new product GMG Connect. GMG Connect links up GMG's proofing and color management products to create a central, scalable color management workflow solution.

This networked and centrally controllable solution allows all process progress to be monitored at all times, permitting access to GMG installations at different locations via an intranet or the internet. GMG color management and proofing functions can be integrated into existing workflows and browser-based remote proofing and color management is also possible.

GMG Connect can also provide easy and efficient integration of the GMG color management products GMG ColorServer and GMG InkOptimizer into the workflow system DALiM TWiST, a fully-automated premedia job processing system, designed to streamline the creation of a wide variety of file types as well as automate internal production workflow processes.

Dalim Software, supplier of innovative and powerful production, workflow and communication software solutions for the publications and graphics arts industries, offers for this purpose the plug-in "GMG-Link". This plug-in allows for a direct access to GMG FlowConnect out of DALiM TWiST via a JDF-interface. GMG FlowConnect is the interface for linking GMG Connect to external systems. This module permits the utilization of any desired XML formats for bidirectional machine-to-machine communication. It offers flexible configuration options, making it possible to meet even the most exotic requirements.

Processing parameters for color conversions can be chosen directly in DALiM TWiST. Status information from GMG Connect is also displayed immediately. Thus, the administration of the whole workflow process is simplified as all status information is visible on the same user interface.



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„Increasing networking and automation of the production environment is leading to growing demand for a networked, centrally controllable color management solution in which all process progress can be monitored at all times. The integration of our proofing and color management products into established workflow systems for networked and standardized production has therefore top priority. We are pleased that together with Dalim Software we can offer our customers optimal color management solutions”, says Robert Weihing, CEO of GMG GmbH & Co. KG.

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About Dalim Software

Dalim Software is a privately held organization whose mission is to maximize the productivity of its customers in the printing and publishing industries by offering high-end software solutions designed to facilitate and automate the entire processing of files prior to printing. The company is a leading supplier of large-scale production systems for printers and publishers worldwide.

Dalim Software products (DALiM LiTHO™, DALiM TWiST™, DALiM DiALOGUE™, DALiM PRiNTEMPO™ and DALiM MiSTRAL™) are based on open architecture with well-defined APIs. Standard hardware platforms are utilized, and the company's object-oriented approach to software development ensures that future solutions can be simply and efficiently incorporated. Another fundamental requirement is that software should be optimised, ensuring tasks handled by Dalim Software products are performed in the shortest possible time. All Dalim Software products can be used independently, in conjunction with other vendors' equipment, or as part of an integrated publishing system. Dalim Software's commitment to design, development, training and technical support provides an excellent basis for an interactive, long-term partnership between the company and its customers. www.dalim.com

About GMG: The software company founded in 1984 and located in Tübingen, near Stuttgart, Germany, has a worldwide distribution network with local presence in France, Spain, Benelux, Nordic, the UK, Asia and the Americas. GMG has specialized in high-end color management for the entire graphic arts industry. Today, more than 8,000 systems have been sold across the industry spectrum from ad agencies, prepress houses and offset printers to newspapers, flexo converters and international gravure printing plants. In fact, the GMG ColorProof system has become the de-facto standard of Europe's extensive gravure printing industry.

About the GMG family of products: GMG ColorProof, a color management software system, provides the most accurate way of calibrating digital inkjet proofing engines to produce digital contract color proofs, precisely matched to the printing press. GMG DotProof® enables users to generate contract quality halftone proofs, using the original bitmap data of the output RIP. Specifically tailored to the needs of the packaging industry is GMG FlexoProof, which supports specific flexo file formats and includes a complete Pantone® spot color library, along with other functions. GMG ColorServer is a tool for automatic color conversions – CMYK-to-CMYK, RGB-to-CMYK and RGB-to-RGB – for more efficient workflows. GMG InkOptimizer automatically reduces chromatic colors, thus providing cost savings by reducing unnecessary ink usage, along with better print stability on press. GMG ProofControl is the ideal solution for instant, color-accurate verification of proofs. GMG PrintControl is one single software for standardizing the press from start to finish. GMG RapidCheck is a verification tool to control the printing process at a click of the mouse. GMG Media is a range of proofing-specific papers and films for the most popular inkjet printers. They are manufactured to high tolerances for color critical applications, available in a range of sizes.

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