

INTERMINE AND XSI DATA SOLUTIONS SIGN RESELLER AGREEMENT

Intermine, a niche software company specialising in enterprise data management today announced the appointment of XSI Data Solutions as a storage reseller partner for Australia.

Intermine FileCensus is a solution designed to give systems administrators and storage architects greater visibility into the data on their storage network. By utilising FileCensus, large organizations can for the first time understand their entire corporate data profile and manage it effectively towards better utilization and information lifecycle management. The FileCensus ROI is usually achieved quickly through capacity recovery, data migration and departmental chargeback.

XSI Data Solutions was founded 18 years ago and is the largest Australian-owned and managed data storage company. XSI specialises in disk, tape and network-based storage solutions and is an expert in both NAS (network attached storage) and SAN (storage area network) strategies.

Mr Tim Mallyon - Associate Director, Infrastructure Technology Services at

Macquarie Bank says that FileCensus empowers Macquarie Bank's infrastructure managers to manage their storage needs properly.

"Before FileCensus we had limited knowledge about stored files. Now we are completely proactive and can see in an instant the types and quantities of files on our servers. It delivers us control of these files in respect of age, duplication, relevance, historical comparisons and completeness of data migration."

Greg Scholten, VP Sales & Marketing Intermine said that "XSI are well positioned to offer Intermine solutions to large organisations in the Australian market. Their knowledge of the storage industry and ability to architect cost effective multi-tiered storage solutions is well proven".

XSI's co-founder and CEO Max Goldsmith said that Intermine would offer his company significant opportunities in providing superior levels of storage management to our clients. We're very pleased to have partnered with Intermine and look forward to working closely with them on many new opportunities."

About Intermine

Intermine is a software development company that aims to ease the workload of data storage administrators and managers. Established in 1999, the company currently has offices in Australia and the United States.

Intermine products have a proven track record, with installations in US, Europe and South-East Asia. The company's customer base includes EDS, McDonalds, Schering Plough, Novell, MLC, Time Warner, ABN AMRO, Zurich and Macquarie Bank.

Intermine's FileCensus is fast becoming the industry standard for storage resource reporting and management in high availability heterogeneous computing environments. FileCensus has particular advantages for companies in the financial services, healthcare industries and government environments, due to its minimal drag on network resources, awesome scalability and true cross platform nature. It is equally suitable for small to medium sized enterprises, as it installs and runs extremely fast, and does not require the installation of dedicated database or web servers.

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About XSI Data Solutions

XSI Data Solutions is one of the strongest organisations in the Australian Data Storage market place. XSI is a leader in the disk, tape and network based solutions segment and has a premier position in the SAN and NAS marketplace.

XSI is part of UXC Limited, an Australian-owned ASX Top 300 company with market capitalisation of over \$7million and employs more than 1,000 staff. For further information visit www.xsi.com.au