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## **Industrial Automation Provider Contracts Distributive Management for SharePoint Integration Development**

Fredericksburg, VA, July 24, 2009 – Distributive Management is contracted to expand its support to a global manufacturing technology company headquartered in Milwaukee, WI. With annual sales of US\$5.7 billion and 20,000 employees, the organization is the world's largest company dedicated to industrial automation and information.

Distributive Management's DataDrill software, the leading software application for delivering quantitative status information to managers of software-intensive projects and organizations, is currently being used by projects and programs enterprise-wide. Driven by key business objectives, such as faster time to market, cost reduction, quality asset management and strong risk management control, the selection of DataDrill is helping the organization gear up for future expansion.

DataDrill's growing presence throughout this organization stems from the company's focus on delivering products, services and support capabilities designed to improve customer processes through every stage of the manufacturing cycle. Distributive Management has been asked to develop a set of customized integration components that connect DataDrill to Microsoft's SharePoint.

Without compromising data security, these integrations will allow SharePoint to display program status information driven by data from the company's central measurement database, DataDrill. Once the integration is complete, Distributive Management will partner with organizational management and IT teams to facilitate their understanding of all operational factors associated with DataDrill and ensure an efficient transition from current measurement processes to the new automation provided by DataDrill.

"For this global company to be able to communicate and share status information easily while continuing to protect the levels of access and visibility based on project requirements, gives them an exceptional competitive edge," says Peter Baxter of Distributive Management. "By integrating performance metrics reporting into their existing communication lines, they reduce costs and increase the availability of important information."

To learn more about DataDrill, please visit Distributive Management at [www.distributive.com](http://www.distributive.com).

### **About Distributive Management and DataDrill**

Distributive Management is the leading provider of quantitative management and performance measurement solutions for use in projects and across the enterprise. DataDrill enables companies to more easily and more effectively implement measurement and metrics dashboards in support of project management, performance reporting, process improvement and initiatives such as CMMI. DataDrill is being used in a wide range of industries, including defense, software/IT, technology, telecommunications, banking, and insurance. DataDrill's customers include Arbritron, Boeing, BAE Systems, Booz Allen Hamilton, GEICO, GE, Hewlett Packard, Lockheed Martin, NASA, Northrop Grumman, Rockwell Automation, Raytheon, SAIC, and Spansion. Find more information about Distributive Management and DataDrill by contacting us or by visiting our website at [distributive.com](http://distributive.com).



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