

TEST CENTRE

A ROUNDUP OF HOT, NEW PRODUCTS

FROM TOUCHSCREEN TO USB CHARGERS, HERE'S A LOOK AT SOME NEW PRODUCTS THAT ARE MAKING WAVES

Planar Systems Touch-Screen Offerings



Bringing touch-screen displays to retail, health care and government/ education applications, Planar Systems debuted the addition of two touch-screen displays to its product lineup. The new PA1575R touch-screen system and PT2275SW touch-screen LCD address the

growing use of touch screens within these specialty markets. The 15-inch touch-screen computer on the PA1575R system is specifically designed for POS applications, accommodating a card swipe on the side. The thin profile touch-screen computer features Microsoft Windows XP or WePOS operating systems, a fanless 1-GHz Intel Celeron processor, 1 GB memory and a resistive touch screen that can be activated by a finger, gloved hand, credit card, pen or stylus. The Planar PT2275SW 22-inch-wide touch-screen LCD is geared toward smaller format digital signage applications or desktop applications requiring larger screen sizes, featuring surface acoustic wave technology. End-user enhancements include monitor adjustment from -5 to 90 degrees, a rugged desk stand and two-day replacement warranty.

Intego VirusBarrier X6

Intego provides newly released low-cost Mac security software, VirusBarrier X6, which features antivirus and antimalware software protection together with a two-way firewall, network protection, antiphishing, antispymware features and more. Unlike X5, the standard pack of VirusBarrier X6 protects two Macs as opposed to one and incorporates most of the features of NetBarrier, Intego's personal firewall, at no additional cost. Flaunting its newly focused attention on customer service, Intego CEO Laurent Marteau says, "[We] made many changes to VirusBarrier X6. We added more than 100 new features, lowered our price and added multi-Mac protection to our basic pack."

Open Source Projects Invited To Zoho Discussions

Zoho, the extensive suite of online productivity, collaboration and business applications, extended an invitation for open source projects to use Zoho Discussions, the company's online forums and community software, at no charge. Unlike the free version of Zoho Discussions the company offers to individuals and organizations, the open source project's invitation of Zoho Discussions will tailor the level of service appropriate to the project's size and needs. Zoho currently offers support for multiple forums, moderators and gigabytes of attachments, and plans to offer free migration and customization services on a case-by-case basis.



Omnivex Moxie 6.04

Omnivex's newest version of its digital signage application, Moxie, is now compatible with Windows 7. Version 6.04 of Moxie delivers contextual media to audiences, taking advantage of the new Windows 7 video-processing capabilities by including intuitive user interfaces such as multitouch, security features, graphic hardware acceleration, support for multicore processing, power management and access administration for mobility. Any parameter such as size, position, opacity and color can be tied to realtime data; information can appear and change based on current events.

Phihong's PSM03A

Phihong, known for its power solutions, offers a new small, low-cost USB Charger, the PSM03A, available at 2.29 by 1.69 by 0.83 inches. Geared toward personal electronics, the USB charger's small size makes it ideal for wireless communication, peripherals, networking, and portable and mobile equipment. The PSM03A adapter is designed to run with such applications as MP3 players, PDAs, digital cameras and mobile phones while providing a fully regulated 5VDC output and a maximum no-load power consumption of less than 0.03 watts. The PSM03A is energy-efficient and features shortcircuit protection, overcurrent protection and overvoltage protection.

NetWrix Change Reporter Suite

NetWrix's new Change Reporter Suite is a comprehensive suite of auditing and compliance solutions for leading platforms. Unified through a common new Enterprise Management Console (EMC), the NetWrix Change Reporter Suite combines change reporting products into one comprehensive auditing and compliance solution. NetWrix Change Reporter Suite manages and reports on system changes in a single unified console with consolidated reporting functionality for easy viewing of all reports to streamline results for multiple platforms into a common interface. NetWrix Change Reporter Suite's unified console combines new versions of NetWrix's products, including Active Directory Change Reporter, Group Policy Change Reporter, Exchange Change Reporter, AD Object Restore Wizard, VMware Change Reporter, File Server Change Reporter and SQL Server Change Reporter. NetWrix Change Reporter Suite with the Enterprise Management Console is currently available as an Enterprise Edition product. Free, limited versions of each product are also available.

Epson BrightLink 450Wi

Epson's BrightLink 450Wi allows almost any wall to become an interactive surface. This projector and

