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THE NEW APLICOM C-SERIES: A COMMUNICATION SERVER FOR THE VEHICLES

Aplicom introduces a new entry level family of vehicle computers. The **Aplicom C-series** is a versatile, compact communication server for vehicles, targeted at the "on-board computer" category of vehicle computers.

The C-series is a flexible open platform for different applications since it is, unlike most other on-board computers, fully programmable and offers an extensive set of peripheral and sensor interfaces. The completely new powerful 32bit system architecture and the real time multi-tasking operating system provide the high performance needed for demanding applications in the vehicle.

C-series computers are used in professional vehicles for a variety of functions including telemetry, automatic vehicle location and alarm applications. The computers can be used alone or in conjunction with portable terminals and bar code readers. Typically they are connected to the company IT over a wireless data connection.

Aplicom offers its wide range of products through system suppliers and is dedicated to providing the best products and services to support these partner companies to efficiently provide productive solutions for customers.

The Aplicom C-series comprises four products, the basic model, a version with GPS-receiver, one with GSM modem and one with both options. Different memory options are also available.

In addition to the new C-series, Aplicom has two other product families: The modular vehicle workstations of **ICA 2004** -series, equipped with a black-and-white display, are typically used for fleet management applications; and the **G-series** is a high end vehicle workstation with Windows CE and high quality graphics colour display.

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Aplicom offers vehicle computers for companies to extend information systems to their vehicle fleets. Aplicom designs, produces and markets vehicle computers for professional fleets.

Aplicom vehicle computers are marketed via three main channels: Vehicle industry, System Integrators and Fleet Management service providers. Over 90 per cent of Aplicom's products are exported. Aplicom's products are used by leading transport companies, local and national authorities, field service organisations and public transport organisations. End users include Schenker-BTL, Hungarocamion, four European road assistance organisations, the Norwegian Post and ambulance trusts in the UK. DaimlerChrysler uses Aplicom computers in their FleetBoard system.

Aplicom's research and development unit and the production are located in Äänekoski, Finland, with sales and marketing offices in Helsinki.