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GE Fanuc and CAMO Software Host Seminars Around the World “PAT: Driving Operational Excellence”

Events Designed to Illustrate the Power Of PAT for the Pharmaceutical Industry

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA, APRIL 5, 2007 Today’s pharmaceutical manufacturers are under more pressure than ever to increase capacity utilization, reduce cycle times and improve manufacturing efficiencies. The difference between success and failure often lies in a company’s ability to adapt to changing market dynamics. Process Analytical Technology (PAT) is well positioned to have a significant impact on pharmaceutical manufacturing and to drive greater efficiency and utilization.

GE Fanuc Automation’s Life Sciences team and CAMO Software are at the forefront of the PAT initiative. The two companies are hosting an upcoming half-day seminar in multiple locations around the world designed to illustrate how PAT can help today’s pharmaceutical manufacturers to drive manufacturing excellence. Seminar dates and locations include:

- April 17 – Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- April 18 – Raleigh, North Carolina
- April 20 – San Juan, Puerto Rico
- May 3 – Boulder, Colorado
- May 9 – Lausanne, Switzerland
- May 10 – Egerkingen, Switzerland
- May 14 – Paris, France
- May 15 – Florence, Italy
- June 26 – Sao Paulo, Brazil
- June 28 – Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

The seminar will include discussions of macro industry trends and drivers behind PAT. Included will be a presentation of the GE Fanuc and CAMO Software solution approach, an integrated solution demonstration from the two companies, presentation of customer success stories and a discussion of the future state of PAT and industry direction.

Both companies address the customer need for PAT solutions with comprehensive product offerings. GE Fanuc’s PAT software solution, Proficy™ RX, provides standardized control and networking of multiple instruments, eliminating the necessity to manage, learn and validate multiple instrument interface software applications. Preprocessing of analytical data ensures similar data formats and protocols. The intuitive nature of Proficy RX provides a single development environment, and 21CFR

Part 11 tools ensure quick and compliant deployment in regulated environments. CAMO Software's PAT 21 CFR Part 11 compliant chemometrics software solution, the Unscrambler®, is a suite of multivariate analysis and experimental design software used extensively by quality control, product, method, process development and PAT engineers, and scientists.

The combined solution from GE Fanuc and CAMO will help pharmaceutical manufacturers achieve:

- Reduced process development cycles
- Reduced production time
- Reduced raw material variation
- Optimized production environment
- Increased product quality

The seminars will run from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. each day and breakfast and lunch will be provided. Space is limited to register today at www.gefanuc.com/PAT. Registrants will receive an industry white paper entitled, "Getting Process Analytical Technologies Down PAT."

About CAMO Software Inc.

CAMO's flagship Software product, The Unscrambler® is an industry standard, world-renowned statistical software suite for multivariate data analysis. Tailor-made for Explorative Analysis (PCA), Regression and Prediction (MLR, PCR, PLS-R, 3-Way PLS), Classification (SIMCA and PLS-DA) and Design of Experiments this Top 5 Award winning data visualization & advanced graphics package is used extensively in: Spectroscopy, Process Analysis, Chemometrics, Quality and Process Control, Sensometrics, R&D and Formulations, Calibrations modeling for On-line Prediction & Classification. Technical controls enable full client compliance with CFR 21 Part 11 with Validation, Audit Trails, Log Reports and Electronic Signatures. The Unscrambler is actively used within pharma, life sciences, oil/gas, and consumer product goods verticals to create faster time-to-market and ensure quality formulations. CAMO Software Inc. is headquartered in OSLO, Norway with a U.S. regional office in Woodbridge, NJ and regional office/development center in Bangalore, India.

About GE Fanuc Automation

GE Fanuc Automation Corporation, a joint venture between GE and FANUC LTD of Japan, delivers automation hardware and software designed to help users reduce costs, increase efficiency and enhance profitability. With solutions and services for virtually every industrial segment, GE Fanuc Automation provides a diverse array of capabilities and products, including controllers, embedded systems, advanced software, motion control, CNCs, operator interfaces, industrial computers, and lasers. Headquartered in Charlottesville, VA, GE Fanuc Automation is a part of GE Industrial and combines the diverse global strengths of the GE family with the local presence customers need to design, develop and maintain their automation investments. For more information, visit www.gefanuc.com.

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