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Athena Design Announces Applications that Interoperate with Mesa™ on NEXTSTEP®

Athena Design is pleased to announce the following applications that interoperate with Mesa spreadsheet software. These programs are available from software developers around the world, and highlight Mesa's powerful custom programming features.

Programs include:

Alice: A real-time datafeed module that receives and distributes data from Reuters, Knight-Ridder, and Telerate. Produced by Xexos, UK, +44-71-237-4535, matt@xexos.com;

CHaRTSMITH: A presentation quality charting and graphing package. From BLaCKSMITH Inc., Arlington, VA, 1-703-524-6147, info@blcksmth.com;

DataPhile: A flat-file database that allows you to drag and drop records from DataPhile into Mesa for data transfer between your database and your spreadsheet. Stone Design, Albuquerque, NM, 1-505-345-4800, info@stone.com;

DBInspector: A Sybase database browser, query builder, and spreadsheet gateway. From Black Market Technologies, Brooklyn, NY, 1-718-522-5090, treed@gun.com, Demo avalable at athena.com;

GraphRight: A presentation quality charting and graphing package. From Watershed Technologies, Inc., 1-508-460-9612, graphright@watershed.com;

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Kapiti: A real-time datafeed module that receives and distributes market data supplied by Kapiti, For more information contact Kapiti in New York at 1-212-267-7800;

MATHcoNeCT: Software connecting Mathematica and Mesa allowing complex mathematical modeling within Mesa. Ideal for Financial Analysts (Black-Scholes), Mathematicians and Statisticians. Produced by Lamb Software Design from Geneva, Switzerland, +41-22-735-9603, info@lsd.ch;

Oracle Adaptor for Mesa: An AddIn Database Adaptor for Mesa that allows users to access corporate data in Oracle databases. Developed by P & L Systems (UK), +44-49-467-1501, orders@seer.demon.co.uk

TimeScape: A project planning and analysis package for time-dependent economics that works with Mesa. Designed by BenchBuilt Software Co., Houston, TX, 1 -713-974-1444, info@benchbuilt.com, Demo available at athena.com;

For information about these applications, contact the represented companies. For more information about Mesa spreadsheet software, contact Athena Design, 1 617 734 6372 or info@athena.com.