



Certeon and igxglobal Partner to Deliver WAN Optimization Solutions to Virtualized Data Centers and Managed Service Providers

igxglobal to resell Certeon aCelera for accelerating application response time over the WAN

BURLINGTON, Mass. — June 21, 2010 — [Certeon](#), the leading provider of virtualized WAN optimization and application acceleration, today announced that **igxglobal Inc.**, a leading integrator of security infrastructure solutions, is joining Certeon's global Partner Program as a reseller of Certeon *aCelera* software solutions. **igxglobal** has partnered with Certeon to offer its enterprise and managed service provider customers significant improvements in remote application performance while reducing the costs of delivering enhanced services.

igxglobal provides information technology services and solutions designed to improve the performance and security of its customers' operations. **igxglobal** has delivered advanced IT solutions to hundreds of customers. Today's distributed enterprises require an effective means of accessing data inside the enterprise as well as from remote service providers. **igxglobal** services combined with Certeon *aCelera* solutions are designed to meet those needs.

"Certeon's *aCelera* virtual appliances are software only; they are easy to deploy and support the growing needs of **igxglobal** customers to offer secure, cost-effective remote application performance to their users," stated Barry Johnson, president and CTO, **igxglobal Inc.** "Certeon's *aCelera* enables us to provide our customers with remote application response time that matches local performance — a critical capability in today's distributed enterprise."

aCelera virtual appliances enable enterprises and managed service providers to dramatically increase the performance of applications accessed over the WAN, improving application response time by up to 95 percent. *aCelera*'s network optimization capabilities also enable

enterprises to reduce their network bandwidth requirements, allowing for lower overall capital and operating costs.

Certeon solutions are both hypervisor- and hardware-agnostic. *aCeler*a software runs on industry-standard servers, workstations and desktops running VMware ESX/ESXi, Microsoft Hyper-V or XEN hypervisors. *aCeler*a gives customers the unique ability to leverage their existing virtualization investments by allowing them to run *aCeler*a on the most cost-effective hardware and software environments for their enterprises that already support and host virtualization.

Independent test results from the Tolly Group show that Certeon *aCeler*a software can support up to 50 percent more accelerated connections than can proprietary hardware appliances. This means *aCeler*a can support 50 percent more users, on a more-cost-effective industry-standard server, than an equally configured (CPU, memory and disk) proprietary hardware appliance. This advantage allows customers to dramatically lower their total cost of ownership (TCO) by reducing the number or size of appliances being deployed, as with proprietary hardware-based WAN acceleration solutions.

“Today’s virtualized IT infrastructures, especially those supported by managed service providers, require the flexibility of a virtualized WAN acceleration solution in order to deliver cost-effective, high-performance services,” stated Peter Dougherty, CEO and president, Certeon. “*aCeler*a’s performance, security, flexibility and scalability enable **igx**global to help its customers minimize the hardware infrastructure required to deliver hosted application services with the lowest TCO.”

About Certeon

Certeon is the leader in virtualized WAN optimization. Certeon’s *aCeler*a software is the first WAN optimization and application acceleration virtual appliance to deliver acceleration, scalability and manageability. *aCeler*a reduces application response time over the WAN and lowers network bandwidth requirements up to 95 percent without proprietary hardware appliances. The *aCeler*a family of software-based solutions includes *aCeler*a virtual appliance and *aCeler*a *Client* for optimized desktop-to-data-center performance and *aCeler*a *Sync* for efficient business continuity over the WAN. As more resources (i.e., CPU, memory and disk) are added, *aCeler*a performance scales linearly and supports up to 50 percent more concurrent accelerated connections than do “closed” proprietary hardware appliances. Enterprises and managed service providers can save as much as 60 percent in TCO when deploying *aCeler*a software to virtualized data centers, cloud environments or remote offices. For more information, visit www.certeon.com.

About igxglobal

igxglobal Inc. and **igxglobal** UK Ltd. are providers of security and network products and services. Working independently, or alongside our key technology partners, **igxglobal** brings a wealth of experience to the table from a range of engagements. Whether you are a service provider, enterprise or small business, **igxglobal** can become your technology partner of choice. At **igxglobal** we are committed to helping all of our customers design, operate and assure their networks with greater flexibility, security, efficiency and scalability. For more information go to www.igxglobal.com.

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