



## **INTRINSYC ANNOUNCES ENABLING SOFTWARE TOOLS**

June 5, 1997. ITC Microcomponents Inc, DBA Intrinsic Software (the Company) announced today a new product, Integration Expert (IX), which is an add-in to Microsoft's Developer Studio programming suite for Windows NT and CE application development. Intrinsic IX gives software developers powerful new software tools for the rapid creation of PC based embedded systems applications. Now, more than 3 million Windows programmers worldwide can use their programming talents to develop applications for a wide range of embedded computing applications without special skills or prior embedded systems experience.

Intrinsic IX is an important enabling tool for driving 32-bit Windows operating systems into the embedded systems world – a market that has up to now been dominated by more costly proprietary computing equipment. Intrinsic IX employs a unique dependency management technique that will enable developers of embedded applications to improve design productivity while maximizing system reliability.

Intrinsic IX delivers key functionality in four areas of the embedded software development process:

1. Automatic Dependency Analysis – Inspection and profiling techniques to derive and capture static and dynamic relationships between the application and OS layers. Application metadata management and visual display of arbitrary collection of software components.
2. Profiling – Calculate total target footprint and improve code quality.
3. Configurations – Provides information model to represent OS and hardware, as well as use information generated by industry standard and 3<sup>rd</sup> party OEM Adaptation Kits (OAKs).
4. Target Generation – Deployment of software components managed in the information model to the target platform.

By synthesizing the design effort into these specific tasks, Intrinsic IX can assist the developer in managing the complexity associated with embedded systems design.

Dr. Bruce Forde, Intrinsyc's Vice President of Product Development stated, "Historically developers of dedicated and embedded Win32 applications had to be experts in not only their unique application, but also the operating system and target hardware. The way technology is changing; it is becoming increasingly more difficult for these developers to maintain expert knowledge in all of these areas. With Intrinsyc IX, the dependencies between our customer's application, the OS, and the target hardware are created and maintained, thus enabling them to focus more on application development rather than hardware/OS platform issues."

Intrinsyc Software Inc. (VSE: ICS) supplies software tools for the development of dedicated and embedded systems. These products combine high performance architectures with intuitive programming, integration frameworks, and software component libraries to enable customers to rapidly create and deploy applications for acquisition, control, logging, monitoring, and processing. For more information, contact Intrinsyc at [info@intrinsyc.com](mailto:info@intrinsyc.com) or World Wide Web Page: <http://www.intrinsyc.com> or call 1-888-553-3555.

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