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Audavi's HardTape[®] cartridge to replace AIT tape as rugged data storage and transport solution for U.S. Navy P-3 Orion application.

San Jose, CA, September 10, 2008 – Audavi Corporation today announced that the Navy has selected its HardTape Cartridge for use in a P-3C Orion flight sensor data recorder. The HardTape cartridge and accompanying 68-pin wide SCSI HardTape bay provide a form, fit, and function replacement for the AIT tape drive that had reached "end-of-life". The HardTape cartridge & bay combination is part of a system being used to develop new prototype acoustic recorders, full-spectrum acoustic and nonacoustic signal processing algorithms, acoustic intercept receivers, advanced data displays, automatic calibration, ASW tactics and advanced sensors.

The HardTape cartridge utilizes state-of-the-art small form factor disk drive technology to provide a high capacity, high performance storage device in a ruggedized package that can survive the rigors of fleet transportation and distribution systems. More importantly, Audavi's unique 68-pin SCSI bay provides a plug compatible interface to the existing legacy wide SCSI data bus, so that no additional hardware or software changes are required. This is a significant advantage when the systems to be upgraded are deployed with the fleet around the world.

"Removable media is an integral part of many military and government systems, for both data transport and security reasons" says Mike Bergkamp, CEO of Audavi. "Unfortunately, many of these existing applications, either tape or hard drive, were designed with the narrow and wide SCSI interfaces which are no longer supported by new storage media product offerings. Our SCSI HardTape bays allows for a plug compatible form, fit, function replacement of the obsolete SCSI tape or disk drives and allows the use of COTS disk drive technology in our HardTape and MediaPac cartridges to extend the useful life of the legacy systems."

About Audavi

Audavi designs, manufactures and sells a range of rugged portable storage solutions that enable military, government, and professional users to securely record, store, and transport digital video and data. HardTape[®] is quickly setting the standard for capacity and performance for removable media in these demanding market segments. Headquartered in the Silicon Valley, with partners in Europe, Australia, and Asia, Audavi sells and supports its products worldwide. For more information, go to <u>http://www.audavi.com</u>.

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