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IronPort Systems Introduces X1000 to Power Email and Protect Customers from Fraud

World's Most Powerful Email Security Appliance, First to Include
DomainKeys Technology

SAN BRUNO, Calif. – June 6, 2005 – IronPort Systems, the market share leader in email security today announced the world's most powerful email security appliance, the IronPort X1000, designed as an outer layer of defense from email threats. The IronPort X1000 can process email messages 10x more efficiently than traditional UNIX based mail servers and increases system throughput by 400%. In addition, the IronPort X1000 will be the first email appliance to integrate Domain Keys—demonstrating the company's commitment to fighting email fraud, protecting online consumers, and securing business' identity on the Internet.

Carrier-Grade Power, Enterprise Management Tools

AsyncOS, IronPort's high performance operating system, ensures that enterprise email systems are never overwhelmed, even during the largest virus or spam attacks. IronPort's new X1000 platform showcases the power and performance of AsyncOS in addition to providing unique tools for managing email security. The scalability of IronPort's platform allows enterprises to reduce the number of mail transport agent (MTA) servers needed in their network by a 10 to 1 ratio. This translates to operational savings and improved reliability.

"IronPort is committed to fixing email. We provide the world's largest enterprises and ISPs the technology to protect their customers. Powering these networks means have the ability to make a dramatic leap forward in fighting email fraud," Tom Gillis, SVP Worldwide Marketing for IronPort Systems. "IronPort is the only vendor that has the inbound security features as well as the robust email deliverability features to address all of their issues."

"Yahoo! is encouraged by IronPort's decision to deploy Domain Keys, demonstrating the company's commitment to fighting e-mail forgery, while enhancing the protection major internet banks, retailers, and

other organizations can provide their customers," said Miles Libbey, anti-spam product manager, Yahoo! Mail. "Yahoo! Mail users can be confident that the e-mail messages they receive from companies using IronPort appliances actually came from the expected domain."

On top of this carrier-grade platform, IronPort has developed sophisticated management tools that allow email administrators to control a global deployment. Centralized reporting and management, as well as IronPort's unique Mail Flow Monitor and Email Security Manager make complex administration tasks become easy. This powerful combination of performance and features is why IronPort is deployed at 8 of the 10 largest ISPs, and 20% of the world's largest enterprises.

Business Protect Their Customers with Yahoo! DomainKeys Technology

Today's businesses rely on email to communicate with their customers and yet, email continues to be under attack from new and evolving threats such as phishing which has had a dramatic effect on efficacy of communication. Phishing occurs when spammers and other unscrupulous people forge email to draw consumers to phony websites created to deceive recipients into divulging financial data such as ATM and credit card numbers, account passwords, and social security numbers. With Domain Keys, Yahoo! has increased user protection from spammers who forge their identity as a tactic to steal their personal financial information. Underscoring its dedication to combating e-mail abuse as an industry-wide problem, Yahoo! Mail continues to make DomainKeys available royalty-free to the industry-at-large.

ABOUT IRONPORT SYSTEMS

IronPort Systems is the leading email security provider for organizations ranging from small businesses to the Global 2000. The company has developed a family of email security appliances, the IronPort C-Series™, that offer breakthrough performance, unprecedented ease of use and reduced total cost of ownership. IronPort is driving new standards and providing innovative products for those faced with the monumental task of managing, protecting, and growing mission-critical email systems. For more information on IronPort products and services, visit: <http://www.ironport.com>.

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