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Digipede Receives Top Honors in GRIDtoday Editors' Choice Awards

Digipede wins award for "Best Price-Performance Middleware Solution for Grid,"
Awards are Based on Voting by GRIDtoday Readers and Editors Worldwide

Washington, DC — September 12, 2006 — Digipede Technologies (www.digipede.net), the leading provider of distributed computing solutions for the Microsoft Windows platform, has been chosen to receive honors in the inaugural GRIDtoday Readers' and Editors' Choice Awards, presented at the GridWorld conference in Washington, D.C. Tom Tabor, publisher of GRIDtoday, announced today at the event that Digipede is recognized with the following honor:

- **Editors' Choice Award: Best price-performance MIDDLEWARE solution for a Grid implementation**

The GRIDtoday Readers' and Editors' Choice Awards are determined through a survey of thousands of GRIDtoday readers, and will be a permanent annual feature of the publication. GRIDtoday has designated two categories of awards: (1) Readers' Choice, where winners have been determined by a random poll of GRIDtoday readers, and (2) Editors' Choice, where winners have been determined by votes of an advisory group of recognized luminaries, contributors and editors influential in Grid and Service-Oriented IT.

"We are very excited about this opportunity to articulate the views and opinions of our readers to recognize the accomplishments that are being made in advancing the development and adoption of Grid, Service-Oriented IT and virtualization," said Tom Tabor, publisher of GRIDtoday. "These industry recognition awards send a strong message to the recipients that the many global contributors working in or watching this important computing segment recognize their work, and consider their efforts meritorious. Our congratulations go out to all the winners."

"We're honored to be recognized with this Editors' Choice award," said John Powers, CEO of Digipede. "And we're pleased that the grid community sees the importance of price-performance in software solutions as the grid market matures. Digipede and its partners remain committed to bringing our customers the best price-performance grid solutions available."

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Grid is being used in fields such as academic research, automotive & aerospace, bio-IT, humanities research, security and defense, financial services, government, manufacturing, oil & gas, pharmaceuticals, telecommunications and others.

More information on these awards can be found at the GRIDtoday website (http://www.GRIDtoday.com).

About GRIDtoday

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About Digipede Technologies

Digipede Technologies is a leading software provider of grid computing solutions for the Microsoft .NET Framework. Digipede is led by a proven team of technology visionaries who have developed best-in-class Windows applications for more than 15 years. Digipede is a Microsoft Gold Certified Partner. Headquartered in Oakland, California, Digipede is expanding rapidly. For more information visit www.digipede.net.

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