

The Worlds First CPM and BI Wiki Launched By DSPanel to Enable Mobile and Collaborative Dashboard and Scorecard Authoring
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(SkyNewswire.com)--- Seattle, WA -- Taking the DSPanel vision of being "The Place Where Business meets BI" into the authoring collaboration domain, DSPanel is proud to announce Performance Canvas 2009 - the world's first CPM and BI Wiki. DSPanel is the unquestionable market leader in using web technology to change what Business Intelligence means to Business People throughout the world. DSP Performance Canvas product is created not to change the fundamental design of Business Intelligence chosen by each organization, but to augment it and create sustainable competitive advantage by letting Business People collaborate and add knowledge optimizing key organizational processes.

Performance Canvas 2009 pushes the limits for Mobile, Web and Microsoft SharePoint Dashboards and Scorecards. Its unique Wiki technology removes many of the deployment barriers previously associated with Embedded BI. Business Permalinks allow loose integration of the Performance Canvas server into any process, project or department's existing infrastructure. Other new technologies in this version includes Advanced Web Analytics adding the full featured pivot analysis previously associated with desktop applications to the Performance Canvas web platform. Lightweight reporting allows Business users to use the familiar web Canvas way of authoring to create lightweight scheduled and triggered reports.

"We believe that Embedded BI focused on Business People is the future. Performance Canvas 2009 featuring our unique CPM and BI Wiki technology is the premier business platform for Embedded BI," says Jan Morath, CEO of DSPanel. "New features like the Advanced Web Analytics and Lightweight Reporting are key and have been asked for by our customers and partners and Performance Canvas is really best of breed web BI today, but our belief is that the CPM and BI Wiki technology will in the long run be the key to unleashing the full power of Collaborative and Embedded BI - The Real Business Power of BI."

Advanced Web Analytics includes new powerful tools to modify, edit and transform MDX, the universal language of BI, without leaving the familiar pivot table way of working. Lightweight Reporting tears down yet another of the artificial walls built over decades in BI between Dashboard, Scorecards, Reports and Analytics.

"Our goal with this release is really to do a game change in the BI tools market place. The future performance contributions of BI are determined from two main factors," says Niklas Derouche, CTO. "The first is how well BI can be integrated with the everyday operations of the company; this is what we mean with Embedded BI. The second is how well the BI infrastructure can become a place for business people to contribute to the collective intelligence of the company, to be The Place where Business meets BI. Our CPM and BI Wiki technology addresses both of these in a powerful way using commonplace easy to understand consumer web technologies."

DSP Performance Canvas includes the Performance Canvas Application Server featuring the Canvas Designer, the Canvas Explorer and Microsoft SharePoint Connector as well as Samples and On-Line Training. It gives provides immediate business value on top of the Microsoft BI Platform featuring advanced support for communication, collaboration and actions. The software works with Microsoft Office SharePoint Server, Microsoft SQL Server and the Microsoft Office productivity suite including Outlook, PowerPoint, Word and Excel.

For further information please visit DSPanel.

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About DSPanel:

DSPanel is a global Microsoft ISV Partner specializing in delivering in-context advanced performance dashboard and scorecard technology for ordinary business users, using everyday business terminology, on top of the Microsoft BI platform. DSPanel's products, Performance Canvas and Portal Edition, are used to create BI Web Parts for presenting information from a Data Warehouse within Microsoft Office SharePoint Server or Windows SharePoint Services. The products are sold through reselling partners worldwide and through OEM deals as part of integrated BI Solutions. The company focuses heavily on end user driven innovation, along with superior performance and software flexibility, thus providing a competitive edge to our Customers and Partner in real time decision making and action.

DSPanel clients include Aderant, Lending Tree, Colfax, Progressive Insurance, Recall, Readers Digest, Bosch Rexroth, Deloitte, 3GIS and First National Bank.

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