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Soft Solutions Introduces New Version of 4-Sight Fax Software For Mac OS X

Latest version of Robust Network Fax Software Is Now Accessible by Windows Clients and Adds New Features such as Remote Access, TCP/IP and Customization

Atlanta, Georgia, July 18, 2001 – Atlanta-based Soft Solutions™, the leading provider of network faxing software for the Macintosh, today announced the upcoming release of **4-Sight Fax 5.0**. Version 5.0, the newest version of Soft Solutions' feature-rich software, is built for Mac OS X and is also compatible with Mac OS 8 and Mac OS 9. Version 5.0's powerful server for Mac OS X is based on a well-established, reliable UNIX faxing engine that will support all major fax modems. In addition, 4-Sight Fax for Mac OS X can create customized modem scripts so users can add new modems if necessary.

Soft Solutions' 4-Sight Fax Version 5.0 also provides Mac users greater efficiency and more options for their messaging needs. The software is also accessible to Windows Clients 95 / 98 / Me. / NT / 2000. Mixed platform environments can use 4-Sight Fax 5.0 simultaneously without having to switch faxing applications, making this the only fax solution businesses need.

"Soft Solutions' goal is to make fax messaging solutions comprehensive, intuitive and available worldwide on any platform," said Tim Haratine, president of Soft Solutions. "With this in mind, we are thrilled to offer 4-Sight Fax 5.0 for Mac OS X, a platform that offers incredible strength and stability. With 4-Sight Fax 5.0 for Mac OS X, we are poised to continue delivering productivity benefits of network faxing without concerns about placing additional time and cost burdens on IT resources, all with one great product."

"Applications built for Mac OS X can maximize their performance potential by taking advantage of the superior power, elegance and stability that is built into the core of this operating system," said Ron Okamoto, Apple's vice president of Worldwide Developer Relations. "We anticipate 4-Sight Fax for Macintosh will be a tremendous multi-user fax application, and we are delighted to see Soft Solutions' commitment to providing this for Mac OS X users."

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New Features:

TCP/IP Compatible

Version 5.0 supports TCP/IP integration so any Mac or Windows platform can access the fax server via the Internet so users can send and receive faxes worldwide.

Fax Forwarding to Email

Version 5.0 allows users to choose to have their fax forwarded to any email address in a PDF format. Users can check their faxes while traveling, or when working away from the computer where the 4-Sight Fax program resides.

Worldwide Access to Fax Server

Robust email client interface in 4-Sight Fax allows offline access to faxes. Users can connect to several comm-servers simultaneously and check different fax servers.

Email to Fax Gateway

If a user does not have access to 4-Sight Fax and needs to send a fax, it is now possible with version 5.0. Just send an email from any location to the 4-Sight Fax client which then forwards your email as a fax to the recipient.

Expanded Address Book

The personal address book in 4-Sight Fax is enhanced to include LDAP integration, the universal searchable address book, providing more room for client names, numbers, address groups and fax lists. And, as always, a server-based address book is available and can be easily configured to hold frequently used numbers. This is a great feature for businesses who already have investments in LDAP-based programs.

Powerful Queue Search

Version 5.0's extensive query search will allow searches on all inbound and outbound faxes according to date, time, name, subject and/or company.

Fax Preview

Version 5.0 also has an improved previewing feature for an outgoing fax so changes can be made to faxes before they are sent.

Client-side Imaging

With version 5.0, fax files are optionally imaged on the client instead of the server, so fonts, logos, and graphics are received the way businesses intended them to be.

Fax-On-Demand

In one simple step, you can fax any document from any Mac application program.

Other Features:

Centralized Network Structure

The 4-Sight Fax client creates and sends messages to the server for faxing while providing a fax viewer for incoming and outgoing faxes.

Scalable

Suitable for large-scale fax broadcasts, 4-Sight Fax is scalable from ten to ten thousand users. It also handles up to 16 lines per computer client with each line channeling separate incoming and outgoing faxes simultaneously.

Robust Engine

4-Sight Fax's server engine is a benchmark for endurance and reliability. It handles multiple task imaging, queuing, sending, receiving and printing - all quickly and efficiently, leading the market in system performance.

High Resolution Reproduction

4-Sight Fax may be configured to image in either 16 or 256 shades of gray, so businesses see the best quality reproductions of color artwork or presentations.

Secure Login for each User

Each user has a secure login/password to protect the privacy of company information.

Accounting Customization

The flexible system allows companies to define and customize the accounting and billing fields so they can record and define their account logs. The fields also feature powerful codebook functionality for the set-up and input of coding information.

Customized In Box Organization

With the automatic archiving feature, users can create personal inboxes to organize faxes so they will never have to keep a separate record.

Customizable Cover Pages

The cover page designer supports up to 14 customized pages so every person or department can have a personal cover page with its own design.

Automated Inbound Routing

By allocating login codes to users, faxes are routed directly to individual users' desktops where they can be printed and archived.

Delayed Send and Multiple Document Send

The Delayed Send feature allows users to scan documents for faxing but tell 4-Sight Fax to send them at a later time. In addition, users can fax multiple documents at the same time, regardless of the format.

Automatic Redial, Notification, and Printing

If the line is busy, 4-Sight Fax will automatically redial. Once the fax is transmitted, an automatic notification confirms the receipt of the fax. Users can also choose to have all faxes printed at a local printer, as soon as they are received.

Pricing and Availability

Soft Solutions' 4-Sight Fax 5.0 is available August 20, 2001 in Beta and beginning September 15, 2001 in client/server user versions. Pricing is \$595 for the 5 user version. Users who purchase 4-Sight Fax 4.1 during the MacWorld show, are eligible to receive a free upgrade to 5.0. Upgrade pricing for existing customers is available starting at \$89.25. Discounted pricing for competitive product upgrades is available

through August 31st, 2001. The product can be purchased from Soft Solutions at 1.800.447.4448 (U.S.), 1.770.457.9400 (international), or www.4sightfax.com.

About Soft Solutions, Inc.

Atlanta-based Soft Solutions, Inc., was established in 1988 by president Tim Haratine, and has customers in 30 markets worldwide. Soft Solution's broadcast faxing product, *4-Sight Fax*, provides customers with fast, automatic inbound routing via a client/server system and an easy-to-use operation setup. Soft Solutions products include *PowerTrax Pro* to the manufacturers' industry, *DataStrike!*, *FaxPack*, *SchedulePack* and *PDF Direct* 4D plug-ins. For additional information, please visit www.4sightfax.com or www.softsinc.com or call (888) 447-4448.

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