



PRESS INFORMATION

Hager and Data Design System co-operation

Ascheberg/Blieskastel, 22. June 2010 – Leading full service provider of electrical engineering for residential and commercial construction Hager, and CAD software developer Data Design System (DDS) have signed a cooperation agreement.

One of the aims of this cooperation is the integration of new, current product data from Hager in the planning software DDS-CAD. This ensures that DDS-CAD users can in future plan with using the CAD solution and have access to all the products in Hager's portfolio, including the essential technical data, image data, symbols, and macros.

Furthermore, an interface between the meter panel layout software ZPlan21 from Hager and DDS-CAD is part of the cooperation. This ensures that users of both solutions can continue to seamlessly exchange data between the two software tools.

"It is of great interest to us that our products are included in the database of this powerful design software," said Michael Berg, director of market management for energy distribution systems and meter panel systems at Hager. And he adds: "Thus we can ensure that all those companies and designers who might want to integrate our solutions into their plans with DDS-CAD, can do this easily and effortlessly. For this reason, we consider this cooperation with DDS to be very important".

Nils Kverneland, managing director of DDS Germany, explains: "Hager has a prominent market position in energy distribution and meter panel systems, wiring and circuit switching systems and building control applications. Of course we want to allow the users of our software to access the current product data of such a leading manufacturer in their designs. Moreover, we see in this agreement - in terms of our currently running successful international expansion - the potential cornerstone for a possible co-operation outside of Germany. Therefore, we are extremely excited about this collaboration."

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Nils Kverneland (left), Managing Director of DDS GmbH, and Michael Berg, director of market management for the area of meter panels and energy distribution systems at Hager mbH & Co. KG are pleased to work together on the cooperation of both companies.



Data Design System GmbH

For over 25 years the name Data Design System has been known for precision, quality, innovation and ingenuity. DDS was founded in 1984 in Norway, and is now one of the leading software houses in the industry. Its products are installed throughout Europe with over 13,500 users. Planning offices, installers, building management, industrial companies and training centres, are typical customers who benefit from the 25-year experience and the security of an international company with a solid financial basis. The DDS-CAD software packages are provided specifically for the design of electrical installations, automation, plumbing and heating, air conditioning, ventilation, energy simulation, photovoltaic systems, and provide modular system solutions at the best price / performance ratio.

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Hager Group

The Hager Group is a leading provider of systems for power distribution and building control. A wide range of electronics and electromotive-modules, wiring, space access systems and switches, and safety engineering programs are another focus of the services.

The global, family-owned company now employs 10,000 people and generates sales of € 1.3 billion.

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