

PRESS RELEASE

GALITT and RAISONANCE join their know-how for contactless testing

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Contactless payment systems are currently growing over the world. In such a competitive context, terminal manufacturers specialized in this expanding technology try to keep a high level of quality and to reduce their costs. To reach this goal, those vendors need testing solutions including quality hardware device with relevant and qualified software. GALITT and RAISONANCE have joined their competences to offer the most efficient testing solution for contactless card acceptance systems.

For 10 years, GALITT has provided testing tools to terminal manufacturers for their certification and quality assurance processes. The KaNest[®]-ICC card simulator range has been obviously enriched with contactless Terminal Test Suites, implementing Test Plans specified by Payment Schemes. ProxiCARD, based on the strong experience of RAISONANCE in the card emulation field, is a tool designed in collaboration with MasterCard which manages low level of the ISO 14443 protocol in real time. All KaNest[®]-ICC contactless Terminal Test Suites (payWave, PayPass[™]...) are now supporting the ProxiCARD contactless probe.

“We are happy of this partnership with RAISONANCE providing a top-level technical offer for our customers.” said Vincent Dornic, Executive Director, Software Products. “Due to our strong experience on contactless, we will continue supporting terminal vendors with the offer of an improved test platform at a very competitive price.”

“Working in partnership with GALITT and MasterCard has been the opportunity for us to realize a test solution making efficiently use of the expertise of each participant.” added Benoît Hedou, RAISONANCE Technical Manager in charge of the smartcard testing tool activity. “This strong and close relationship has allowed us to concentrate our efforts on the design of an efficient device addressing industry requirements and end user needs.”

GALITT offers **MasterCard Paypass[™] Test Suites**, implementing the “PayPass[™] Test Cases for Level 2 Terminal Testing” as defined by MasterCard and the **Visa payWave[™] Test Suites** confirmed by Visa.

About GALITT (www.galitt.com) – GALITT gathers more than 20 years of experience in mastering e-transactions. Consulting services on payment systems cover the whole project cycle: ANTICIPATE – INITIATE – BUILD – IMPROVE, from a marketing to a technical approach. Company competences include: business consulting, EFT business analysis, design and specifications, project management, acceptance testing and audit. GALITT organizes training sessions dedicated to payments systems and card technologies. GALITT also offers engineering services on transaction systems and embedded software (programming, maintenance), and provides software including simulators (KaNest[®], KaNest[®]-ICC), personalization verification tools (VISUCARD[®]) and added value solutions (VISUBANK[®], private labels...).

GALITT is the recognized leader in France in all its businesses, and the worldwide leader in providing test tools.

Being a reference in the electronic transaction business, GALITT is leveraging internal synergies to provide integrated added value services to the industry.

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About RAISONANCE (www.sc-raisonance.com) –

RAISONANCE is a leading manufacturer and supplier of development and validation tools, serving customers that include leading component manufacturers and professional engineers around the world since 1988. With extensive technical expertise in both hardware and software design, RAISONANCE offers innovative, high quality, cost effective tools for smart card system validation and microcontroller application development. Working with industry leaders, certification laboratories and standards organizations, RAISONANCE has developed its “Proxi” and “Contact” lines of protocol analyzers and configurable laboratory readers for interoperability testing and certification of contactless and contact smart card systems used in banking, transportation, identity and mobile communications.

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