



I.R.I.S. Unveils its Brand-New A4 Portable Scanner



Scan anything, anywhere, thanks to I.R.I.S.' cordless portable scanner!

Louvain-la-Neuve, February 9th, 2010 – Under embargo until 5:45PM – During the breakout sessions of its annual convention *IRISLink 2010*, I.R.I.S. revealed and demonstrated the *IRIScan™ Anywhere 2*, the brand-new generation of its powerful A4 portable scanner bundled with an excellent software suite.

Cordless, battery-powered and compact, the brand-new IRIScan™ Anywhere 2 enables on-the-go users to easily capture information from all kinds of documents when away from their computer. Ideal for today's mobile lifestyle, it turns document management into a child's play. The sheet of paper is simply zipped through the cordless and very lightweight A4 scanner, and the scanned image is then saved either in the built-in memory, on the in 1GB SD card included or on a standard USB key. No driver installation is needed! Once back at home or in the office simply insert the SD Card into your computer, and the scanned documents are directly imported into I.R.I.S.' flagship OCR software Readiris™ 12 or into one of the other powerful software bundled.

The usual tedious and time-consuming retyping work is replaced by fast and efficient scanning with incredible accuracy. IRIScan™ Anywhere 4 takes only 10 seconds to scan an A4 sheet of paper (in 300dpi) and can store more than 150 documents in its built-in memory! On battery mode, the scanner can scan up to 100 documents.

The stylish hardware is only the tip of the iceberg. The IRIScan™ Anywhere 2 is more than just a mobile scanner, it is a complete document management solution ready to scan and organize all of your documents, photos, articles, brochures and business cards thanks to its innovative and powerful software suite.

Chief among that supplied suite is Readiris™ Pro 12, which is as good a piece of OCR technology as can be found on the World's market. I.R.I.S.' renowned text recognition software performs all your monotonous retyping work in no time. Simply scan any document with the IRIScan™ Anywhere 2, recognize it with Readiris™ 12 and within seconds you have a fully editable and searchable copy of your paper document in your favorite word processor, spreadsheet application or in one of the many available output application. Readiris™ 12 works with scanned paper documents, PDF files and image files.

For applications outside of document management the IRIScan™ Anywhere 2 offers a list of additional software tools. Roxios Photo Suite 9 offers efficient basic image editing including crop & rotate as well as photo-specific functions, while Cardiris™ Pro 5 allows scanning of business card data directly into contact management software such as Outlook®, ACT!®, Lotus Notes®, Entourage, Address Book, etc..

Bernard De Fabribeckers, I.R.I.S. Sales Director, stated: *"For scanning on the go, the new IRIScan™ Anywhere 2 lets you scan any document from just about anywhere. It incorporates the latest developments of our famous OCR*

technology and sets the standard for speed and accuracy of portable scanning in the market today. We introduced some crucial new features, and the portability, design and ability to recognize and convert documents in more than 120 languages make it a very attractive proposition for anyone who requires real scanning functionality in a portable offering. Shipped with a powerful software bundle, the IRIScan™ Anywhere 2 will find its way into many laptop bags!

The IRIScan™ Anywhere 2 is compatible with both PC and Mac platforms.

Pricing and availability

The IRIScan™ Anywhere 2 will be available for international distribution on May 1st, 2010 and will be retailed for € / £ / \$ 199

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The **I.R.I.S. mission** is to increase our clients' productivity and knowledge by helping them to better manage their documents, data and information.

I.R.I.S. Products & Technologies develops Intelligent Document Recognition technologies and products and markets its portfolio of products worldwide through solid partnerships.

I.R.I.S. Professional Solutions enables companies and government bodies to find in one company the innovative expertise and high-tech solutions to efficiently manage their documents, information flows and IT infrastructures.

In 2008, the I.R.I.S. Group achieved sales of 109.3 million Euros.

I.R.I.S. employs over 600 staff, based in Louvain-la-Neuve, Vilvoorde and Antwerp (Belgium); Orly (France); Windhof (Luxembourg); Amstelveen and Maastricht (Netherlands); Aachen (Germany); Delray Beach (Florida, USA); Hong Kong (China) and Oslo (Norway).

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