

Parasoft and KUGLER MAAG CIE partner to better support customers

PRESS RELEASE

MONROVIA, CA (March, 2010) Parasoft Corporation, leading provider of automated solutions that improve software quality and the development process, today announced the partnership with KUGLER MAAG CIE, an international consulting company specialized in software, systems, and services process performance improvement.

"On Friday, February 5, 2010, the Wall Street Journal published an opinion article on Toyota called, "Toyota and the Curse of Software." I'm sure everyone these days is aware of Toyota's recent troubles and what was once considered a mechanical failure now has compounded into issues with vehicle software. This only shows what challenges software developers are facing with sky-rocketing complexity of modern embedded systems. Pressure to deliver cannot compromise quality, and this is where Parasoft cutting-edge products combined with KUGLER MAAG CIE expertise can be of incredible help." stated Wayne Ariola of Parasoft Corporation.

"Innovation, safety, and security are the permanent challenges and by no means contradicting objectives. They are rather jointly based on a culture of error-management enabling a sustainable design, development, and management of software-determined systems along the entire value-creation. Reliable standards and tools are mandatory to support these complex tasks. The co-operation with Parasoft complements perfectly our services. We better support our customers on a global scale in managing risks and maintaining a high pace of innovation for delivering future proof automotive products." says Horst Degen-Hientz, CTO at KUGLER MAAG CIE.

About Parasoft®

For 21 years, Parasoft has investigated how and why software defects are introduced into applications. Our solutions leverage this research to dramatically improve SDLC productivity and application quality. Through an optimal combination of quality tools, configurable workflow, and automated infrastructure, Parasoft seamlessly integrates into your development environment to drive SDLC tasks to a predictable outcome. Whether you are delivering code, evolving and integrating business systems, or improving business processes—draw on our expertise and award-winning products to ensure that quality software. For more information visit: <http://www.parasoft.com>.

About KUGLER MAAG CIE

KUGLER MAAG CIE has extensive experience with operations and performance improvement programs within companies that develop software, embedded software-determined systems, and services. Within the automotive industry KUGLER MAAG CIE actively supports and drives directly or on behalf of its customers various industry initiatives like the HIS—Hersteller-Initiative Software (the Vehicle Manufacturer Initiative for Software), VDA AK13 (process and product quality management systems), Automotive SPICE®, Automotive Functional Safety, Automotive Security, and Automotive Eclipse. Among the OEM's and Tier 1 customers are companies like Daimler, BMW, Audi, Porsche, Volkswagen, Ford, FIAT, DENSO, Continental, BOSCH, and Magneti Marelli.

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