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eSILICON, SILICON LABS, AND TUNDRA STRENGTHEN COMMITMENT TO SYNTRICITY dataConductorEP® YIELD MANAGEMENT PLATFORM

Company says its Dynamic Reporting module is now a key driver of future market growth;

Dynamic Reporting module changes the way enterprises support decisions from engineering yield and performance data by simplifying the ability to institute complex practices.

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, May 17, 2004 — Privately held Syntricity Inc. (www.syntricity.com), the industry-leading provider of enterprise-wide, Web-native software and services for semiconductor yield improvement, today announced that eSilicon, Silicon Labs, and Tundra have recently expanded their commitment to the company's dataConductorEP® yield management platform. According to Syntricity CEO Jeff Teza, the expanding commitments come at a time when the company is experiencing a rate of growth that is being driven by the market success of its Dynamic Reporting application module.

First introduced in Q4 2003, **Dynamic Reporting** is the first of several new platform enhancements to be made available for the dataConductorEP yield management platform. Two application modules will be introduced in July at the SEMICON West 2004 Show in San Francisco.

"Dynamic Reporting supports unattended automation and encapsulation of best practices accessible over the Internet in all dataConductorEP installations," Teza said today. "It allows companies to institutionalize the historically complex analysis required to monitor and identify yield variances, forecast inventory and identify corrective action in a timely way. So engineers, planners, management and other stakeholders don't need to know anything about how to search, select, or extract data to answer their specific questions. The answers they need are a couple of intuitive mouse clicks away."

What's more, because these reports are available on the dataConductorEP platform, security and access control is built-in, so defining and controlling customer, supplier and partner views into the information is easily accomplished.

Dynamic reports are composed of operational and engineering data analysis and visualization results, primarily text, graphs and tables. The term "dynamic" is used to differentiate between more common static single- and multi-page reports that are hyper-linked together by a word processor or presentation tool. Dynamic reports are not plain hyper-linked documents. From a user standpoint, they look and feel similar. The *key difference* is web-based dynamic reports are assembled on the fly from the real-time data



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streaming through the data warehouse when the report is viewed from a web-browser. If 20 different reports access a piece of information, and the information changes, all 20 reports will automatically change the next time they are viewed. Increased levels of high quality information and detail are presented as the user navigates more deeply into the report.

In the last year, Syntricity Inc. has been widely recognized for the development of its groundbreaking yield management platform. CEO Jeff Teza was named 2003 Innovator of the Year by Reed Business Information, who also named Syntricity as one of the top 50 electronics companies to watch in 2004. In April, the company received the 2004 Application of the Year Award from The Tech Sector, San Diego's high-technology publication.

Syntricity Inc. will be demonstrating Dynamic Reporting at the upcoming SEMICON West 2004 Show in San Francisco, CA at Booth #6679, Moscone Center, North Hall. The company will also present a paper titled "Standardized Reporting on Engineering Measurement Data Across an Enterprise" on Monday morning, July 12, 2004.

About Syntricity:

Syntricity Inc. provides enterprise-wide, Web-native software and services for semiconductor yield improvement. A privately held company, some of Syntricity's key customers include AMCC, Broadcom, Cirrus Logic, Freescale (formerly Motorola's SPS division), Legerity, Qualcomm, Silicon Labs, Sun Microsystems, and Tundra. Syntricity is headquartered in San Diego, California, and maintains sales offices in Newport Beach, California; San Jose, California; Austin, Texas; Japan, Singapore and Taiwan.

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