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> **Calypto Names Maojet Exclusive Distributor in Taiwan** *Extends Calypto's Reach in the Global Electronics Market*

SANTA CLARA, CALIF. — May 14, 2008 — Calypto[™] Design Systems Inc., the leader in sequential analysis technology, has named Maojet Technology Corporation of Taiwan its exclusive distributor in that region.

Maojet, headquartered in Taipei with branch offices in Hsin-Chu City, will provide sales and support for Calypto's PowerPro[™] CG (clock gating) and SLEC[™] (Sequential Logic Equivalence Checker) product lines.

"Our partnership with Maojet Technology Corporation extends our market reach to the growing Taiwanese design community," says Doug Aitelli, Calypto's vice president of worldwide sales. "The Asia/Pacific region represents an important expansion opportunity for Calypto and Maojet has an excellent reputation within it."

Calypto's advanced register transfer level (RTL) power optimization and functional verification products, based on unique sequential analysis technology, dramatically reduce power and improve design quality. PowerPro CG is an automated RTL power optimization product that reduces power by up to 60%. Calypto's SLEC is the industry's only proven sequential equivalence checker capable of verifying designs despite differences in timing, state and levels of abstraction.

"We see many opportunities for Calypto's unique PowerPro CG and SLEC products in Taiwan," adds Ted Tsai, Maojet's general manager. "We are looking forward to a long and mutually beneficial relationship."

About Maojet

Maojet Technology Corporation was established in May 1992. Its goal is to be a pioneer of the EDA/IP market in Taiwan, one of the fastest growing segments of the industry. Maojet plays a single role as a distributor of high-quality and hi-tech products all over the world, and has been very successful. Maojet's headquarters are located at: 6F-1, No.32-1, Sung-Chiang Road, Taipei, Taiwan. Telephone: +886-2- 2567-7643. Facsimile: +886-2-2561-0756. Email: sales@maojet.com.tw. Website: www.maojet.com.tw.

About Calypto

Founded in 2002, Calypto Design Systems, Inc. empowers designers to create high-quality, low-power electronic systems by providing best-in-class power optimization and functional verification software, based on its patented sequential analysis technology. Calypto, whose customers include Fortune 500 companies worldwide, is a member of the Cadence Connections program, the IEEE-SA, Synopsys SystemVerilog Catalyst Program and the Mentor Graphics OpenDoor program. Calypto has offices in Europe, India, Japan and North America. Corporate Headquarters is located at: 2933 Bunker Hill Lane, Suite 202, Santa Clara, Calif. 95054. Telephone: (408) 850-2300. More information can be found at: www.calypto.com. Calypto, PowerPro, SLEC and Enabling ESL are trademarks of Calypto Design Systems Inc. Other products and company names may be trademarks or registered trademarks of their respective companies.

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