

Micropross to release EMVCo contactless L1 analog test solution for PICC and PCD

Lille, 23 of march, 2011 : Micropross announced today its plans to release on a very short term a solution to perform compliance checking of contactless smartcards (PICC) and terminals (PCD) with the EMVCo contactless L1 analog test specifications. Based on the MPManager test platform, and the MP300 TCL2, this solution is a first choice addition to the roster of test suites part of the concept named "Contactless Test Station", which is a set of hardware and software elements allowing users to perform characterization of contactless objects in an automated manner.

Philippe Bacle, CEO of Micropross, commented : "The addition of an EMVCo contactless L1 analog test tool perfectly complies with our strategy to propose to our customers the widest coverage in terms of test specifications, based on our MP300 TCL2, and our MPManager test platform. With future addition of NFC Forum test cases, we think our test infrastructure clearly positions itself as a universal and open solution".

Indeed, customers can already use, as part of the Contactless Test Station, ISO 10373-6, ISO 10373-7, ICAO, NFC-IP1 analog and digital test cases. Micropross will put on the market a EMVCo reference kit, including the EMVCo reference PICC, the EMVCo reference PCD, and the CMR board, and users will therefore be able to enjoy a solution made completely by Micropross.

Daniel Deroo, CTO of Micropross, added : "We are sure our customers will appreciate the fact of dealing with only one supplier for their EMVCo contactless L1 testing. We are the designer of the MP300 TCL2, which is the cornerstone of this EMVCo test solution, so naturally, we can propose an excellent and intelligent integration of all components, which is the guarantee of the customer's peace of mind".

The test specifications that will be implemented in Micropross solution are "EMVCo CL Level 1 PCD Analogue Test Bench and Test Case Requirements v2.0.1a" and "EMVCo CL Level 1 PICC Analogue Test Bench and Test Case Requirements v2.0.1a", which are the latest versions.

About Micropross

Active for more than 30 years in the field of electronic components programming, Micropross has gathered experience that made possible the design of the successful product range oriented to the smartcard test and personalization. Worldwide used, these products are designed to develop and produce faster and better.

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